



V - NOTCH FLOW METERS

Water flow monitoring in open channels is widely employed in environmental and geotechnical field.

Leakage measurement is one of the most important indicator of the overall performance of earth/rock-fill and concrete dams.

The leakage rate is a function of the water level in the reservoir and depends either from the construction than the behaviour of the dam. Consequently, leakage monitoring provides data for the evaluation of the long term stability of the dam constructions.

Leakage water is usually impounded downstream of the dam and diverted to a basin in a weir-station.

APPLICATIONS

- Leakage measurement in concrete and earth dam
- Open channels flow rate
- Drainage systems in tunnels and excavations

FEATURES

- Suitable for both manual reading and remote monitoring
- Available both triangular and rectanguar notch plate
- Utilize high accuracy transducer
- Easy to automate with OMNIAlog logger family



Meet the essential requirements of the EMC Directive 2014/30/UE





NOTCHED WEIRS

The weirs are sharp crested stainless steel plates with a specially shaped opening (or notch). They should be installed in open canals in order to measure the instant flooding.

Flow range
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Notch shape
V-notch dimension (WxH)
Plate dimension (WxH)
Thickness
Material

MODEL 00V45LS 1000	CE
up to 10 l / sec	
triangular, 45°	
195x235 mm	
490x600 mm	
5 mm	
AISI 304 stainless steel	

MODEL 0QV60LS2000	CE	MODEL 00VS
up to 20 l / sec		up to 50 l / sec
triangular, 60°		rectangular
288x250 mm		350x200 mm
721x700 mm		540x450 mm
5 mm		5 mm
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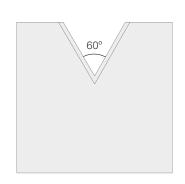


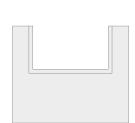


MODEL 0QVHI030000

AISI 304 stainless steel

300 mm 40 mm



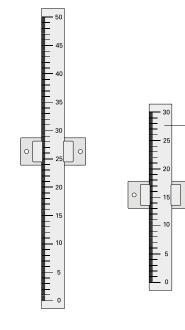


STAFF GAUGES

Water level variations in the stilling basin could be manually carried out by means of a stainless steel staff gauge with millimeter graduation.

Length		
Width		
Material		

	MODEL 0QVHI050000
Length	500 mm
Width	40 mm
Material	AISI 304 stainless steel



staff gauge

fixing plate





WATER LEVEL TRANSDUCER

The water level transducer model OQVML000EX consists of a relative pressure transducer connected with 2m vented cable to a junction box containing a 3-levels overvoltage protections. The system can be connected through an extension cable to a datalogger for automatic data management and alerting.

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Sensor	type	

Measuring range

Total accuracy

(lineary + hysteresis + repeatability)

Proof pressure

Burst pressure

Operating temperature range

Output signal

Power supply

Dimensions

- pressure transducer
- junction box (LxWxH)

Materials

- pressure transducer
- junction box

MODEL 0QVML000EX

ceramic capacitive pressure transducer
500 mm or 1000 mm of water column

< ±0.2% FS

1.2 bar (about 12000 mm water column)

2.4 bar (about 24000 mm water column)

-20°C + 80°C

4-20 mA (current loop)

15-24 V DC

210 mm, OD 48,3 mm 110 x 80 x 65 mm

stainless steel

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ACCESSORIES AND SPARE PARTS

PRESSURE TRANSDUCER OP252Q00000

Relative pressure transducer available with 0.5 and 1.0 m $\rm H_2O$ full scale (spare).

JUNCTION BOX WITH OVP OEDPOO2WOOO

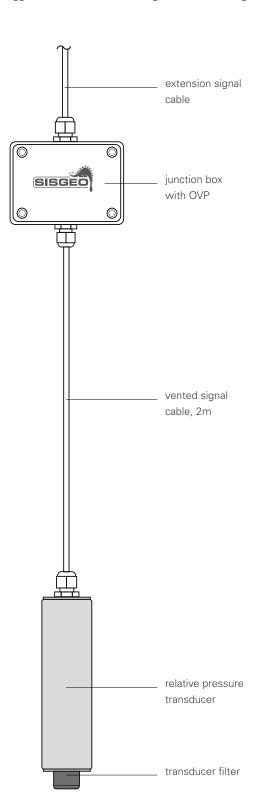
Vented junction box with 3-levels overvoltage protections (OVP), suitable for 2-wires instruments (spare).

2-WIRES VENTED SIGNAL CABLE OWE203KE0ZH

2-wires 20 AWG signal cable with vented tube for barometric compensation. Flame retardant polyolefin inner jacket and LSZH M1 technopolymer external jacket.

EXTENSION SIGNAL CABLES OWE102KE0ZH

2-wires 20 AWG signal cable with flame retardant polyolefin inner jacket and LSZH M1 technopolymer external jacket.



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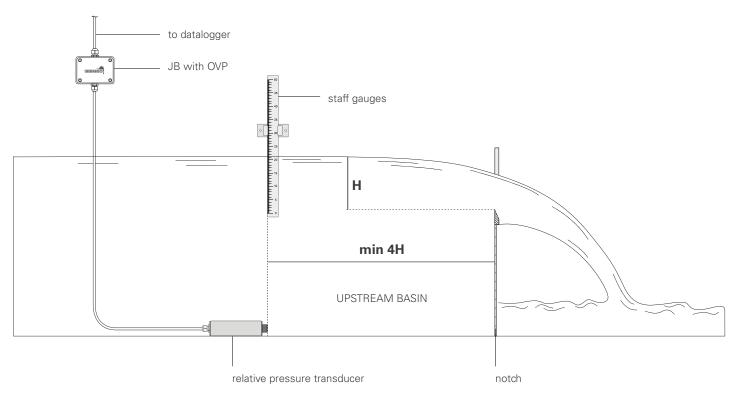


OPERATING PRINCIPLE

Notched weirs operate on the principle that an obstruction in a canal will cause an hydraulic jump, creating a high level behind the barrier with a typical low water current (no turbolent motion). The purpose of the notched weir is to transform the water level in the upstream basin into instantaneous flow values of the canal where the weir is installed. To allow this, a specific formula is used: it considers that the flow rate is function of the notch shape and proportional to the water depth "H", called head.

For reliable measurements, the following conditions must be verified:

- the canal upstream will have a fair slope (1-3%) and rectangular section for a length of at least 10L (where L=width of canal);
- the measuring point of the water head "H" will be at a minimum distance of about 4H from the weir;
- be sure the air under the water which floods immediately after the weir, will be in contact with the barometric pressure (do not create a closed chamber);
- the possibility of solid materials being drawn by the current and deposited upstream of the measuring equipment will be kept in mind. Accumulated sediments may affect the reliability of measurements, so that sediments should be cleared regularly;
- water will be carried away from the weir in the downstream in order to not interfere with the notch.



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