FCI ST75 FLOW METER

FCI ST75 Series Flow Meters

Small Line. Mass Flow Meters for Industrial and Commercial Process Gases

Low cost, easy installation flow measuring for 1/4 inch to 2 inch [6 mm to 51 mm] line sizes



Burner/Boiler Fuel and Air Feed Lines
Industrial Furnaces, Kilns and Oven Fuel/Air Controls
Natural Gas Sub-Metering
Heat Treating Gas Controls
Air Compressor System Control and Point-of-Use Monitoring
Chiller Air Flow Measurements
Co-Gen and Turbine Generator Fuel Flow Measurements
Dosing and Gas Injection Rate Controls



ST75 Series Features

- Direct mass, standard volumetric or standard velocity flow measurement
- Triple outputs: flow rate, temperature and total flow
- HART or Modbus I/O (ST75 A, ST75 AV)
- Non-clogging, no moving parts
- 2 line digital display option
- Small, compact design
- Easy installation
- Built-in Vortab® flow conditioning (ST75V, ST75 AV)
- SIL compliant







Figure 1: ST75 Series standard configurations

Superior Air and Gas Flow Measurement

ST75 is an accurate, no moving parts, direct mass flow measurement and monitoring solution for fuel gases, air, compressed air, inert and other gas flows within industrial processes. There are four base models in the series: ST75, ST75A, ST75V, and ST75AV. The "A" suffix models provide enhanced features and HART I/O (see chart below); the "V" suffix models include built-in Vortab flow conditioners. They are available in six different sizes for direct, in-line installation in line sizes from 1/4 inch to 2 inch [6 mm to 51 mm]. *

Model	ST75	ST75 A	ST75V	ST75 AV
Vortab flow conditioning			•	•
Dual 4-20 mA outputs per NAMUR NE43	•	•	•	•
500 Hz pulse output	•	•	•	•
HART (v7) I/0		•		•
Modbus (485 RTU/ASCII)		•		•
Dual line LCD readout Optional	•	•	•	•
Maximum remote distance Maximum	50'[15 m]	100'[30 m]	50'[15 m]	100'[30 m]
SIL compliance rating				•
Ex hazardous location approvals	•		-	•
Warranty	1 year	2 years	1 year	2 years

By combining precision lithography structured platinum RTD sensors embedded in FCl's equal mass thermowells with microprocessor electronics and precise actual gas calibration, the ST75 achieves outstanding flow measurement performance. Using FCl's proven thermal dispersion technology, the ST75's direct mass flow measurement eliminates the cost and space of additional sensors required by inferred technologies. With its 100:1 turndown and flow ranges from 0.01 SCFM to 559 SCFM [0,01 NCMH to 950 NCMH], the ST75 measures over a wide flow range, from low to high flow conditions. The ST75 is available in specific calibrations for most gases including natural gas, methane and other hydrocarbon gases, as well as nitrogen, CO_2 , argon and all inert gases, compressed air and more.

Easy to Install, Easy to Use

Models ST75 and ST75 A have a standard "T" fitting design that allows for fast, simple in-line installation. Standard NPT line size selections include 1/4 inch, 1/2 inch, 3/4 inch, 1 inch, 1-1/2 inch and 2 inch. For compression fitting tube applications, selections include 1/4 inch, 1/2 inch and 1 inch. For installations with inadequate straight-run or obstructed flows that prevent a fully developed profile for accurate flow measurement with the standard ST75, Models ST75 V and ST75 AV provide the solution. FCl's ST75 V and ST75 AV include all of the features and functionality of the ST75 plus built-in Vortab flow conditioning.

Vortab flow conditioners are the flow conditioning technology proven and recommended by flow measurement experts to eliminate both swirl and velocity profile distortions to ensure accurate flow measurement. Vortab flow conditioners also are the lowest pressure loss solution of all flow conditioning techniques. FCI is the exclusive

^{*} For pipes larger than 2 inches [51 mm] see FCI insertion style flow meters.

provider of Vortab flow conditioners for use with thermal mass flow meters such as the ST75 V and ST75 AV.

To serve a variety of application and installation requirements, the ST75 Series is available in three standard configurations (see Figure 1 on page 2).

To provide convenient and easy access for wire-up and signal isolation, the instrument's enclosure features dual conduit ports in either NPT or M20 threads, as well as removable front and rear covers. ST75 models can be ordered for DC (18 V to 36 V) or AC (85 V to 265 V) power.

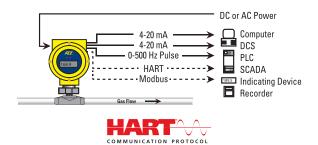
Extensive Outputs Assure Application Compatibility

ST75 provides the most comprehensive selection of outputs in its class. Dual analog outputs, a pulse output and a digital, serial I/O are standard on all models. Models ST75 A and ST75 AV include HART.

Dual 4-20 mA analog outputs are field assignable to flow rate and/or temperature. These outputs are user scalable to the instrument's full calibrated range or any subset. Flow rate is selectable for reading in mass flow or standard volumetric engineering units. A 0-500 Hz pulse output of flow is provided for interface to totalizers

Models ST75A and ST75AV include a selection of either HART or Modbus 1/0. HART is available over output #1, is version 7 compliant and is fully compatible with all versions of HART field communicators and control systems. FCI's HART I/O and its DD file are certified compliant by FieldComm Group. Modbus is RS485 in accordance with EIA/TIA-485 standard and is RTU and ASCII compatible.

In all models a standard RS232C serial I/O link is provided for instrument configuration, service/troubleshooting data, and measured readings.



Designed and Built to Last

ST75 will significantly reduce maintenance costs and time. ST75 is a no moving parts design that virtually eliminates the wear out, clogging and excessive pressure drop associated with other flow metering techniques. The sensor element is all-welded stainless steel with Hastelloy-C tips that provide extra protection against invasive conditions within the pipe. The instrument's electronics are housed in an all-metal, aluminum, or stainless steel NEMA 4X (IP66, IP67) rated enclosure to provide the ruggedness and dust/weather proof protection needed to ensure long-life in industrial and commercial installations.

Find your gas here?

FCI has provided thermal mass flow meter solutions for all of these and more...

Acetaldehyde	Ethyl Acrylate	Ketene	Phenol
Acetic Acid	Ethyl Alcohol	Krypton	Phosgene
Acetone	Ethyl Amine	Landfill Gas	Propadiene
Acetonitrile	Ethyl Benzene	M-Cresol	Propane
Acetyl Chloride	Ethyl Bromide	Mercury	Propanol
Air	Ethyl Chloride	Methane	Propyl Chloride
Allyl Chloride	Ethyl Fluoride	Methanol	Propylene
Ammonia	Ethyl Mercaptan	Methyl Acetate	Propylene Oxide
Aniline	Ethylene	Methyl Alcohol	Propyne
Argon	Ethylene	Methyl Amine	P-Xylene
Benzene	Dichloride	Methyl Butane	R-11
Bio-Gas	Ethylene Oxide	Methyl Fluoride	R-12
Boron Trifluoride	Flare Gas	Methyl Formate	R-13
Bromine	Fluorine	Methyl Hexane	R-13B1
Bromobenzene	Fluorobenzene	Methyl Hydrazine	R-14
Butadiene	Fluoroform	Methyl	R-21
Butene	Freon-11	Mercaptan	R-22
Butylene Oxide	Freon-12	Methyl Octane	R-23
Butyne	Freon-13	Methyl Pentane	R-112
Carbon Dioxide	Freon-14	Methylal	R-113
Carbon Disulfide	Freon-21	Methylene Chloride	R-114
Carbon Monoxide	Freon-22	Morpholine	R-114B2
Carbon	Freon-23	M-Xylene	R-115
Tetrachloride	Furan	Naphthalene	R-116
Carbonyl Sulfide	Halon	Natural Gas	R-134A
Chlorine	Helium	N-Butane	R-142B
Chlorobenzene Chloroethane	Heptene	N-Butane	R-152A
Chloroform	Hexanol Hexene	N-Butanol	R-216
Chloromethane	Hydrazine	N-Butyl Alcohol	R-500 R-502
Chloroprene	Hydrogen	N-Decane	R-503
Cis-2-Butene	Hydrogen	N-Dodecane	R-504
Cis-2-Hexene	Bromide	Neon	R-C318
Compressed Air	Hydrogen	Neopentane	Radon
Cumene	Chloride	N-Heptane	Silane
Cyanogen	Hydrogen	N-Hexane	Silicon
Cyclobutane	Cyanide	Nitric Oxide	Tetrachloride
Cyclohexane	Hydrogen Deuteride	Nitrogen	Styrene
Cyclooctane	Hydrogen	Nitrogen Dioxide	Sulfur Dioxide
Cyclopentane	Fluoride	Nitromethane	Sulfur
Cyclopropane	Hydrogen Iodide	Nitrous Oxide	Hexafluoride
Decene	Hydrogen	N-Nonane	Sulfur Trioxide
Deuterium	Peroxide	N-Octane	Superheated Thiophene
Deuterium Oxide	Hydrogen Sulfide	Nonene	Titanium
Diethyl Amine	lodine	N-Pentane	Tetrachloride
Diethyl Ether	Isobutane	N-Propanol	Toluene
Diethyl Ketone	Isobutene	N-Propyl Alcohol	Trans-2-Butene
Digester Gas	Isobutyl Alcohol	N-Propyl Amine	Trimethyl Amine
Dimethyl Ether	Isoheptane	N-Undecane	Triptane
Dimethyl	Isohexane	Octene	Uranium
Propane	Isooctane	Oxygen	Hexafluoride
Dimethyl Sulfide	Isopentane	0-Xylene	Vinyl Acetate
Ethane	Isoprene	Ozone	Vinyl Chloride
Ethanol	Isopropyl Alcohol	Pentanol	Vinyl Fluoride
Ethyl Acetate	Isopropyl Amine	Pentene	Vinyl Formate

ST75 Series Flow Meter Specifications

Instrument

- Media: Air, compressed air, nitrogen, oxygen, argon, CO₂, ozone, other inert gases, natural gas, other hydrocarbon gases, and hydrogen
- Pipe/Line Size Compatability: 1/4" to 2" [6 mm to 51 mm] 1

■ Range²

NPT Line Size	Minimum SCFM	Minimum [NCMH]	Maximum SCFM	Maximum [NCMH]
1/4"	0.04	[0,07]	17.34	[29,47]
1/2"	0.13	[0,22]	50.64	[86,04]
3/4"	0.22	[0,38]	88.88	[151,00]
1 "	0.35	[0,59]	139.95	[237,78]
1-1/2"	0.85	[1,44]	339.31	[576,48]
2 "	1.40	[2,38]	559.27	[950,20]

Tubing Line Size	Minimum SCFM	Minimum [NCMH]	Maximum SCFM	Maximum [NCMH]
1/4"	0.01	[0,01]	3.02	[5,14]
1/2"	0.05	[0,09]	21.15	[35,94]
1 "	0.25	[0,42]	99.08	[168,33]

Accuracy

Model ST75, ST75 A

Standard: $\pm 2\%$ reading, $\pm 0.5\%$ full scale Optional: $\pm 1\%$ reading, $\pm 0.5\%$ full scale

Model ST75V, ST75 AV

Standard: ±1% reading, ±0.5% full scale

Repeatability: ±0.5% reading
Turndown Ratio: 3:1 to 100:1

■ Temperature Compensation

Standard: 40 °F to 100 °F [4 °C to 38 °C] Optional: 0 °F to 250 °F [-18 °C to 121 °C]

Agency Approvals

FM, FMc: Class I, Division 1, Groups B, C, D; T4 Ta= +60°C;

Type 4X, IP66

Class II/III, Division 1, Groups E, F, G; T4 Ta= +60°C;

Type 4X, IP66

Model ST75 and ST75V also include: Nonincendive for Class I, Division 2, Groups A, B, C and D; T4 Ta=+60°C;

Type 4X, IP66

ATEX: Zone 1, Zone 21

II 2 G Ex db IIC T6...T1 Gb

II 2 D Ex tb IIIC T85°C...T300°C Db; IP66/IP67

 $Ta = -40^{\circ}C \text{ to } +65^{\circ}C$

IECEx: Ex db IIC T6...T1 Gb;

Ex tb IIIC T85°C...T300°C Db; IP66/IP67

 $Ta=-40^{\circ}C$ to $+65^{\circ}C$

Other: EAC/TR CU (Russia), Kazakhstan MPA,

EAC/TR CU pressure directive 032-2013, NEPSI,

CE Marking, CPA, PED, CRN

SIL (ST75 A, ST75 AV): SIL 1 compliant, safe failure fraction (SFF)

78.5% to 81.1%

Warranty

ST75, ST75 V: One year ST75 A, ST75 AV: Two years

Flow Element

Installation: In-line "T," NPT or tube

■ Type: Thermal dispersion

■ Material of Construction

All-welded 316 stainless steel probe element with Hastelloy-C22 thermowells; 316 stainless steel NPT and tube fittings; ST75 V and ST75 AV flow body is schedule 40 stainless steel

■ Maximum Operating Pressure

T-fitting [NPT female]: 240 psi [16.5 barg] Tube: 600 psi [41 barg]

Operating Temperature (Process)

0°F to 250°F [-18°C to 121°C]

Process Connection

Model ST75, ST75 A

T-fitting [NPT female]: 1/4", 1/2", 3/4", 1", 1 1/2" or 2" Tubing: 1/4", 1/2" or 1"

Model ST75 V, ST75 AV

Female NPT, Male NPT, ANSI flanges, DIN flanges

Transmitter

Enclosure

Rating: NEMA 4X, IP66, IP67

Material

Standard: Aluminum, polyester powder coated

Optional: 316 stainless steel

Conduit/Cable Port: Dual, 1/2" NPT or M20x1.5

Operating Temperature

0°F to 140°F [-18°C to 60°C]

Input Power

DC: 18 Vdc to 36 Vdc (6 watt maximum) AC: 85 Vac to 265 Vac (12 watt maximum)

(CE Marking approval from 100 Vac to 240 Vac)

Output Signal

Standard

(2) 4-20 mA, user assignable to flow rate and/or temperature

(1) 0-500 Hz pulse for total flow

Output #1 have fault indication per NAMUR NE43 guidelines; user selectable for high (> 21.0 mA) or low (< 3.6 mA)

■ Bus Communications (ST75A/ST75AV) HART or Modbus

HART: Version 7; FieldComm Group certifed; available over output #1;

DD file included

Modbus: RS485 (in accordance with EIA/TIA-485 standard)

Modbus device type: Slave
Address range: 0-255
Supported function codes: 03,04
Supported baud rate: 9600,1920

Transmission mode: RTU and ASCII: standard MS (16 bit).

standard LS (16 bit), Daniel extensions (32 bit)

Response time (delay between polls): 50 ms or greater

Functions

Readings: Flow rate, temperature, totalized flow (single precision), flow engineering units, temperature engineering units

Other: Enable (activate) totalizer, reset totalizer, change K factor

■ Communication Port: RS232C standard

■ **Digital Display (optional):** 2-line x 16 characters LCD. Displays measured value and engineering units. Top line assigned to flow rate. Second line is user assignable to temperature reading, as flow totalizer or alternating. Display can be rotated in 90° increments for optimum viewing orientation.

Specifications at reference operating conditions of 70 °F, 14.7 psia [21.1 °C, 1.013 bar(a)] and for Models ST75, ST75 A straight pipe run 20d upstream. 10d downstream.

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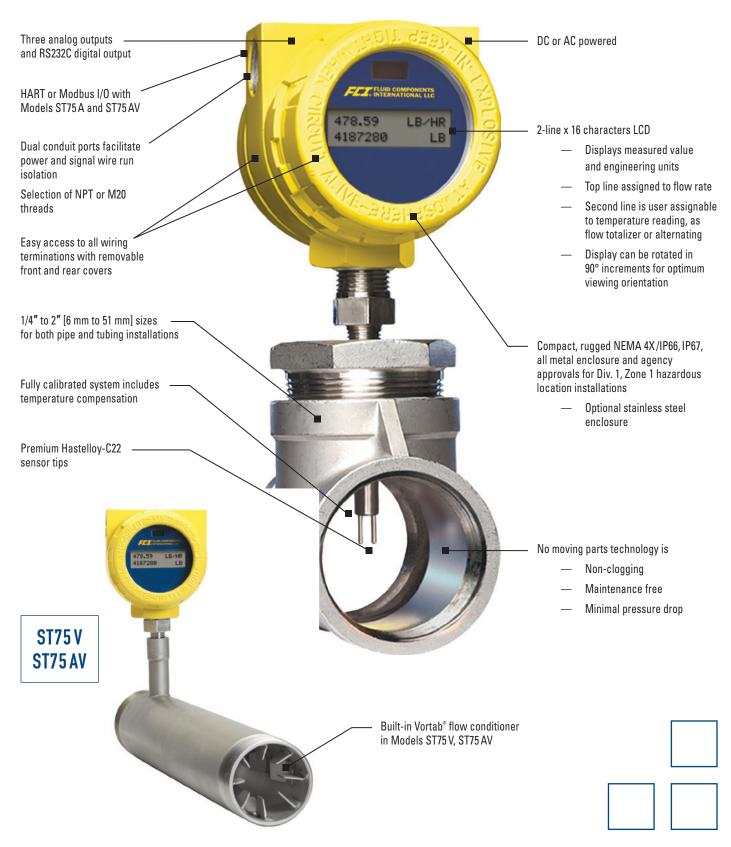
¹ For line sizes > 2 inches [> 51 mm] see FCI insrtion-style flow meters

² Actual range subject to gas type and specific conditions

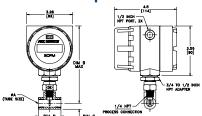
ST75 Series Features

In-line. Mass Flow Measurement

With premium components and attention to detail, FCl's ST75 series provides long-lasting flow meter quality and value. Its features and functions ensure application compatibility, maximum installation convenience, superior industrial durability and lowest maintenance.



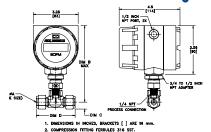
Models ST75/ST75 A Pipe (NPT) Tee Configuration



- DIMENSIONS IN INCHES, BRACKETS [] ARE IN mm.
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- 3. PIPE TEES ARE 150 # CLASS.

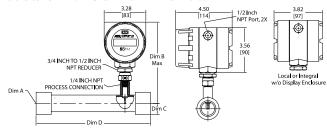
Pipe (NPT) Tee Configuration				
DIM A Pipe Size	DIM B Top to Flow CL	DIM C Flow CL to Bottom	DIM D Tee Length	
1/4"	6.0 [152,4] Max.	0.38 [9,65]	1.54 [39,12]	
1/2"	6.5 [165,1] Max.	0.56 [14,22]	2.28 [57,91]	
3/4"	7.0 [177,8] Max.	0.68 [17,27]	2.56 [65,02]	
1"	7.3 [185,4] Max.	0.86 [21,84]	2.92 [74,17]	
1 1/2"	7.8 [198,1] Max.	1.17 [29,72]	3.82 [97,03]	
2"	8.0 [203,2] Max.	1.42 [36,07]	4.66 [118,40]	

Models ST75/ST75 A Tube Tee Configuration



Tube Tee Configuration				
DIM A Pipe Size Top to Flow CL Flow CL to Bottom Tee Length				
1/4"	5.7 [144,8] Max.	0.33 [8,39]	2.34 [59,44]	
1/2"	5.9 [149,9] Max.	0.53 [13,46]	2.84 [72,14]	
1"	7.8 [198,1] Max.	0.87 [22,10]	3.86 [98,04]	

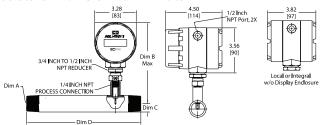
Models ST75 V / ST75 AV Female NPT



1. Dimensions are in INCHES; brackets [] are in MILLIMETERS.

Female NPT Configuration				
DIM A Pipe Size	DIM B Top to Flow CL	DIM C Flow CL to Bottom	DIM D VMR Length	
1/4"	5.50 [140]	0.38 [9,5]	5.00 [127]	
1/2"	5.69 [144,5]	0.57 [14]	7.50 [190,5]	
3/4"	6.45 [164]	0.69 [17,5]	9.00 [229]	
1"	6.44 [163,5]	0.88 [22]	9.00 [229]	
1 1/2"	6.42 [163]	1.25 [32]	13.50 [343]	
2"	6.43 [163]	1.50 [38]	18.00 [457]	

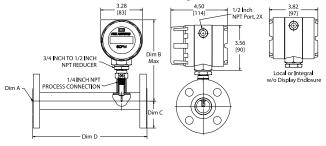
Models ST75 V / ST75 AV Male NPT



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Male NPT Configuration				
DIM A Pipe Size	DIM B Top to Flow CL	DIM C Flow CL to Bottom	DIM D Tee Length	
1/4"	5.50 [140]	0.38 [9,5]	5.00 [127]	
1/2"	5.69 [144,5]	0.42 [10,6]	7.50 [190,5]	
3/4"	6.45 [164]	0.51 [13]	9.00 [229]	
1"	6.44 [163,5]	0.65 [16,5]	9.00 [229]	
1 1/2"	6.42 [163]	.95 [24]	13.50 [343]	
2"	6.43 [163]	1.19 [30]	18.00 [457]	

Models ST75 V / ST75 AV Flanged



1. Dimensions are in INCHES; brackets [] are in MILLIMETERS. 2. Flanges are 150# Class.

Flanged Configuration				
DIM A Pipe Size	DIM B Top to Flow CL	DIM C Flow CL to Bottom	DIM D Tee Length	
1/4"	n/a	n/a	n/a	
1/2"	5.69 [144,5]	1.75 [45]	7.50 [190,5]	
3/4"	6.45 [164]	1.94 [49]	9.00 [229]	
1"	6.44 [163,5]	2.12 [54]	9.00 [229]	
1 1/2"	6.42 [163]	2.50 [64]	13.50 [343]	
2"	6.43 [163]	3.00 [76]	18.00 [457]	

More Air / Gas Mass Flow Meter Solutions

In addition to the ST75 Series, FCI manufactures a broad line of thermal dispersion flow meter products for industrial and plant applications. From general-purpose air flow measurement to special-function, mixed gas flare flows; from small line sizes to the largest stacks and ducts, FCI has the selection to best solve your applications and ensure optimum solutions. Contact your local FCI representative or visit www.FluidComponents.com for detailed product information and specifications on these products.



and economical, yet full featured air and gas meters designed for air, compressed air, nitrogen (ST50) and biogas, digester gas, natural gas (ST51, ST51 A) applications.



■ **ST80 Series** for all gases, combines high-performance, extensive installation options and an array of output choices to meet the needs of the most demanding industrial applications.



ST100 Series is industry's most advanced gas flow meters. All gases, flow, temperature and pressure, multiple outputs, bus communications, graphical display, multiple calibrations, VeriCal, on-board data logger, and more.



MT Series "multi-point" flow measuring systems can be configured with two (2) to eight (8) flow sensing elements to optimize measurements within the largest of pipe and duct sizes.

FCI's World Class Calibration Ensures Installed Accuracy

ST75 Series models are tested and calibrated to rigorous standards so that you get the instrument that does the job specified. To design and produce the highest quality flow instrumentation, FCI operates a world-class flow calibration laboratory with calibrations performed on more than 19 different flow stands, using equipment traceable to NIST (US National Institute of Standards and Technology), and ISO/IEC 17025 (International Standards for test lab quality systems).

To achieve the highest possible accuracy in ST75 Series, FCI utilizes these precision flow stands to flow actual gases and reference fluids matched to the temperature and process conditions of your application.

Other suppliers are often limited only to air calibrations and rely on non-field tested or un-validated theoretical equivalencies for other gases and gas mixtures. This procedure can be inadequate and create measurement and output errors well outside published specifications. FCI calibration capabilities are un-matched in the industry, providing you with total confidence that your installation meets its published specifications and your application needs.

More than 19 precision flow stands to match NIST traceable fluids, process conditions, flow rates and line sizes specified in your application.







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