



# IECEX Certificate of Conformity

## INTERNATIONAL ELECTROTECHNICAL COMMISSION IEC Certification System for Explosive Atmospheres

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Status:	<b>Current</b>	Issue No: 2	<a href="#">Issue 1 (2015-07-24)</a> <a href="#">Issue 0 (2015-06-11)</a>
Date of Issue:	2023-12-20		
Applicant:	<b>NIVUS GmbH</b> Im Täle 2 75031 Eppingen Germany		
Equipment:	<b>Sensors type POA, OCL and CS2 “See type code for details”</b>		
Optional accessory:			
Type of Protection:	<b>Intrinsic safety</b>		
Marking:	Ex ib IIB T4 Gb		

Approved for issue on behalf of the IECEx  
Certification Body:

**Thomas Heinen**

Position:

**Deputy Head of the IECEx Certification Body**

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Date:  
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Manufacturer: **NIVUS GmbH**  
Im Täle 2  
75031 Eppingen  
**Germany**

Manufacturing  
locations:

This certificate is issued as verification that a sample(s), representative of production, was assessed and tested and found to comply with the IEC Standard list below and that the manufacturer's quality system, relating to the Ex products covered by this certificate, was assessed and found to comply with the IECEX Quality system requirements. This certificate is granted subject to the conditions as set out in IECEX Scheme Rules, IECEX 02 and Operational Documents as amended

## STANDARDS :

The equipment and any acceptable variations to it specified in the schedule of this certificate and the identified documents, was found to comply with the following standards

[IEC 60079-0:2017](#) Explosive atmospheres - Part 0: Equipment - General requirements  
Edition:7.0

[IEC 60079-11:2011](#) Explosive atmospheres - Part 11: Equipment protection by intrinsic safety "i"  
Edition:6.0

This Certificate **does not** indicate compliance with safety and performance requirements other than those expressly included in the Standards listed above.

## TEST & ASSESSMENT REPORTS:

A sample(s) of the equipment listed has successfully met the examination and test requirements as recorded in:

Test Report:

[DE/TUN/ExTR15.0032/01](#)

Quality Assessment Report:

[DE/TUN/QAR13.0011/09](#)



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**EQUIPMENT:**

Equipment and systems covered by this Certificate are as follows:

**Description:**

The sensors type POA, OCL and CS2 according to the type code are intended for measurement of the flow speed and the flow level in partly or fully filled pipes and channels via ultrasonic technology.

**Type code; Electrical data:**

Refer to the attachment to IECEx TUN 15.0014 issue No.2

**Thermal data:**

Permissible ambient temperature range during operation:  $-20\text{ °C} \leq T_a \leq +40\text{ °C}$

**SPECIFIC CONDITIONS OF USE: NO**



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**DETAILS OF CERTIFICATE CHANGES (for issues 1 and above)**

Proof of conformity of the sensors type POA-x2xx xx E xx x x, OCL-L1 xx xx E xx K and CS2-xxxx xx E xx x x to the current versions of the standards IEC 60079-0:2017 and IEC 60079-11:2011.

**Annex:**

[Attachment to IECEx TUN 15.0014 issue No.2.pdf](#)

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**Description:**

The sensors type POA, OCL and CS2 according to the type code are intended for measurement of the flow speed and the flow level in partly or fully filled pipes and channels via ultrasonic technology.

**Type code:**

POA-x2xx xx E xx x x, OCL-L1 xx xx E xx K and CS2-x2xx xx E xx x x resp.

POA-x3xx xx E xx x x, OCL-L3 xx xx E xx K and CS2-x3xx xx E xx x x

POA-	Type	Sensor with location-resolved flow velocity over (up to) 16 scan layers	
	V200 V300	without level measurement	
		KT	Wedge sensor made of PPO with PEEK insert; base plate 1.4571
		Kx	Wedge sensor special version
		RT	PPO tube sensor with PEEK insert; tube material 1.4571
		Rx	Tube sensor special version
	V2H1 V3H1	With ultrasound from below for level measurement	
		KT	Wedge sensor made of PPO with PEEK insert; base plate 1.4571
		Kx	Wedge sensor special version
		RT	PPO tube sensor with PEEK insert; tube material 1.4571
		Rx	Tube sensor special version
	V2D0 V3D0	with pressure cell for level measurement	
		KT	Wedge sensor made of PPO with PEEK insert; base plate 1.4571
		Kx	Wedge sensor special version
	V2U1 V3U1	with pressure cell and ultrasound from below for level measurement	
		KT	Wedge sensor made of PPO with PEEK insert; base plate 1.4571
		Kx	Wedge sensor special version
			ATEX approval
		0	without
		E	Zone 1
			Cable length (max. 150m / with pressure cell up to 30m possible)
		xx	
			Sensor connection
		x	
			Tube length (0 for wedge sensor)
		x	

OCL-L1 OCL-L3	Type + design	Air ultrasonic sensor	
	KS	Wedge sensor standard version PPO; cable: PUR	
	xx	Special version	
		Transmission frequency	
		12	120 kHz
		xx	Special version
			IECEx approval
		0	without
		E	Zone 1
			Cable length (max. 150m)
		xx	
			Sensor connection
		K	Cable end prefabricated

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CS2-	Type	Correlation sensor for large geometries	
	V200 V300	without level measurement	
		KT	Wedge sensor made of PPO with PEEK insert; base plate 1.4571
		Kx	Wedge sensor special version
		RP	Tube sensor made of highly resistive solid PEEK; tube material 1.4571
		Rx	Tube sensor special version
	V2H1 V3H1	With ultrasound from below for level measurement	
		KT	Wedge sensor made of PPO with PEEK insert; base plate 1.4571
		Kx	Wedge sensor special version
	V2D0 V3D0	with pressure cell for level measurement	
		KT	Wedge sensor made of PPO with PEEK insert; base plate 1.4571
		Kx	Wedge sensor special version
	V2U1 V3U1	with pressure cell and ultrasound from below for level measurement	
		KT	Wedge sensor made of PPO with PEEK insert; base plate 1.4571
		Kx	Wedge sensor special version
			ATEX approval
		0	without
		E	Zone 1
			Cable length (max. 150m / with pressure cell up to 30m possible)
		xx	
			Sensor connection
		x	
			Tube length (0 for wedge sensor)
		x	

**Electrical data:**

**POA-x2xx xx E xx x x, OCL-L1 xx xx E xx K and CS2-x2xx xx E xx x x:**

Signal- and supply circuit In type of protection intrinsic safety Ex ib IIB  
(Cabel tail; Only for connection to certified intrinsically safe circuits.  
Connection wires: Maximum values:  
Red (X6): +  
Blue (X8): GND)

$$U_i = 10.5 \text{ V}$$

$$I_i = 640 \text{ mA}$$

$$P_i = 6.72 \text{ W}$$

Effective internal capacitance  $C_i$  Capacitance of the permanently connected cable  $C_c$   
 $C_c = 90 \text{ pF/m} \times L^*$

Effective internal inductance  $L_i$  Inductance of the permanently connected cable  $L_c$   
 $L_c = 0.76 \text{ } \mu\text{H/m} \times L^*$

$L^*$ : Length of the connected cable has to not exceed 150 m

The connection to the following measuring transducers of the manufacturer NIVUS is permissible:

- Type OCP-...
- Type PCP-...
- Type IXT0-...

Connection wire black (X10) Shield

RS485 interface In type of protection intrinsic safety Ex ib IIB with maximum values:

(Cabel tail;  
Connection wires:  
White (X14): RxTx+  
Green (X13): RxTx-  
Blue (X8): GND)

$$U_o = 6 \text{ V}$$

$$I_o = 81.9 \text{ mA (long time; for calculation of } P_o)$$

$$I_o = 154 \text{ mA (short time; for calculation of } L_o, C_o)$$

$$P_o = 123 \text{ mW}$$

Characteristic line: linear  
Effective internal capacitance  $C_i = 10.5 \text{ nF}$   
Effective internal inductance  $L_i = 117 \text{ } \mu\text{H}$

The maximum permissible values for the external inductance  $L_o$  and the external capacitance  $C_o$  can be found in the following table:

<b>Ex ib IIB</b>	$L_o$ [mH]	12.88	9.88	0.38	0.083
	$C_o$ [ $\mu$ F]	7.08	8.38	21.98	29.98

At connection of the RS485 interface to belonging measuring transducers with active intrinsically safe circuits, the rules for the interconnection of intrinsically safe circuits have to be observed.

Or

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RS485 interface (Cabel tail; Connection wires: White (X14): RxTx+ Green (X13): RxTx- Blue (X8): GND)	Maximum values: $U_i = 12.06 \text{ V}$ $I_i = 176 \text{ mA}$ $P_i = 531 \text{ mW}$
Effective internal capacitance $C_i$	Capacitance of the permanently connected cable $C_c$ $C_c = 70 \text{ pF/m} \times L^*$
Effective internal inductance $L_i$	Inductance of the permanently connected cable $L_c$ $L_c = 0.78 \text{ } \mu\text{H/m} \times L^*$

$L^*$ : Length of the connected cable has to not exceed 150 m.

The internal pressure circuit (X1..X4) and temperature circuit (X12;X5;X7) are designed in type of protection intrinsic safety Ex ib IIB and are not accessible to the user.

**POA-x3xx xx E xx x x, OCL-L3 xx xx E xx K and CS2-x3xx xx E xx x x:**

Signal- and supply circuit (Cabel tail; Connection wires: Red (X1): + Blue (X2): GND)	In type of protection intrinsic safety Ex ib IIB Only for connection to certified intrinsically safe circuits. Maximum values:  $U_i = 10.5 \text{ V}$ $I_i = 640 \text{ mA}$ $P_i = 6.72 \text{ W}$
Effective internal capacitance $C_i$	Capacitance of the permanently connected cable $C_c$ $C_c = 90 \text{ pF/m} \times L^*$
Effective internal inductance $L_i$	Inductance of the permanently connected cable $L_c$ $L_c = 0.76 \text{ } \mu\text{H/m} \times L^*$

$L^*$ : Length of the connected cable has to not exceed 150 m.

The connection to the following measuring transducers of the manufacturer NIVUS is permissible:

- Type OCP-...
- Type PCP-...
- Type IXT0-...

Connection wire black (X3) Shield

RS485 interface (Cabel tail; Connection wires: White (X5): RxTx+ Green (X4): RxTx- Blue (X2): GND)	In type of protection intrinsic safety Ex ib IIB with maximum values:  $U_o = 5.4 \text{ V}$ $I_o = 76 \text{ mA}$ (long time; for calculation of $P_o$ ) $I_o = 124.93 \text{ mA}$ (short time; for calculation of $L_o, C_o$ ) $P_o = 102.6 \text{ mW}$ Characteristic line: linear Effective internal capacitance $C_i = 10.5 \text{ nF}$ Effective internal inductance $L_i = 117 \text{ } \mu\text{H}$
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The maximum permissible values for the external inductance  $L_o$  and the external capacitance  $C_o$  can be found in the following table:



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<b>Ex ib IIB</b>	L <sub>o</sub> [mH]	19.88	9.88	0.38	0.08
	C <sub>o</sub> [µF]	7.98	11.98	27.98	36.98

At connection of the RS485 interface to belonging measuring transducers with active intrinsically safe circuits, the rules for the interconnection of intrinsically safe circuits have to be observed.

Or

RS485 interface (Cabel tail; Connection wires: White (X5): RxTx+ Green (X4): RxTx- Blue (X2): GND)	Maximum values: U <sub>i</sub> = 10.7 V I <sub>i</sub> = 236.3 mA P <sub>i</sub> = 634.4 mW
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Effective internal capacitance C<sub>i</sub>                      Capacitance of the permanently connected cable C<sub>c</sub>

$$C_c = 70 \text{ pF/m} \times L^*$$

Effective internal inductance L<sub>i</sub>

Inductance of the permanently connected cable L<sub>c</sub>

$$L_c = 0.78 \text{ µH/m} \times L^*$$

L\*: Length of the connected cable has to not exceed 150 m.

The internal pressure circuit (X6..X9) and temperature circuit (X10;X11;X12) are designed in type of protection intrinsic safety Ex ib IIB and are not accessible to the user.

**Thermal data:**

Permissible ambient temperature range during operation:  $-20 \text{ °C} \leq T_a \leq +40 \text{ °C}$

**Details of change:**

Proof of conformity of the sensors type POA-x2xx xx E xx x x, OCL-L1 xx xx E xx K and CS2-xxxx xx E xx x x to the current versions of the standards IEC 60079-0:2017 and IEC 60079-11:2011.

**Specific Conditions of Use:**

None.