

# DATASHEET M55

## CORI-FLOW™ M55

Low Flow Coriolis Mass Flow Meter / Controller



### Low Flow Coriolis Mass Flow Meters / Controllers for Liquid and Gases

CORI-FLOW™ Mass Flow Meters and Controllers are precise and compact instruments, based on the [Coriolis measuring principle](#), designed to cover the needs of the low flow market. Bronkhorst® model M55 Mass Flow Meter (MFM) is suited for highly accurate measurement of gas or liquid flow in the range of 0...600 kg/h (which corresponds with 0...8000 l<sub>n</sub>/min when used on nitrogen) at operating pressures up to 100 bar. The instruments are equipped with a robust IP65 weatherproof housing and are optionally available with ATEX approval for use in Zone 2 hazardous areas.

The instrument contains a microprocessor based pc-board with signal and fieldbus conversion and a PID controller for optional mass flow control by means of a separately mounted control valve or pump.

### Technical specifications

#### Measurement / control system

Flow rates	Liquid: 0...600 kg/h (nominal flow rate: 500 kg/h); Gas: 0...8000 l <sub>n</sub> /min (N <sub>2</sub> ); Full Scale (FS) value is user-configurable
Mass flow accuracy	Liquid: ±0,2% Rd; Gas: ±0,5% Rd
Repeatability	± 0,1 % RD
Turndown ratio	up to 1:100
Zero stability (ZS)	< ± 0,1 kg/h (Guaranteed at constant temperature and for unchanging process and environmental conditions.)
Operating temperature	standard: 0...70°C; max. 50°C for ATEX Cat.3, Zone 2; max. 120°C for special version with remote electronics (130°C ≤ 1 hour allowed for CIP)
Mounting	Any position, attitude sensitivity negligible; External shocks or vibrations should be avoided.
Leak integrity, outboard	tested < 2 x 10 <sup>-9</sup> mbar l/s He
Warm-up time	> 30 min for optimum accuracy

#### Mechanical parts

Material (wetted parts)	stainless steel 316L or comparable
Pressure rating (PN)	100 bar abs
Process connections	compression type or face seal (VCR/VCO) couplings, or Tri-Clamp flanges (welded)
Seals	metal

## Mechanical parts

Ingress protection	IP65 (weatherproof)
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## Electrical properties

Power supply	+15...24 Vdc +/- 10% Max. ripple recommended: 50 mV tt
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Max. power consumption	Meter: approx. 80 mA at 15 Vdc
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Analog output	0...5 (10) Vdc, min. load impedance > 2 k $\Omega$ ; 0 (4)...20 mA (sourcing), max. load impedance < 375 $\Omega$
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Analog setpoint	(for MFM + pump or control valve)
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Digital communication	standard: RS232; options: options: PROFIBUS DP, DeviceNet™, Modbus RTU or FLOW-BUS
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## Electrical connection

Analog/RS232	8-pin DIN (male);
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PROFIBUS DP	bus: 5-pin M12 (female); power: 8-pin DIN (male);
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CANopen® / DeviceNet™	5-pin M12 (male);
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FLOW-BUS/Modbus-RTU/ASCII	5-pin M12 (male);
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## Control valve options

M55+C0I: Gas flow control valve	Kv-max= 6,6 x 10 <sup>-2</sup>
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M55+C2I: Liquid flow control valve	Kv-max= 2,3 x 10 <sup>-3</sup>
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M55+C5I: Gas/Liquid flow control valve	Kv-max= 6,6 x 10 <sup>-2</sup>
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M55+F-004AI: Gas/Liquid flow control	Kv-max= 3,0 x 10 <sup>-1</sup>
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M55+F-004BI: Gas/Liquid flow control	Kv-max= 1,0
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## External actuator options to be connected to the controller

## Ex-proof specifications

## Approvals / certificates

Technical specifications subject to change without notice.

For dimensional drawings and hook-up diagrams please visit the [product page](#) on our [website](#)

## Recommended accessories



**E-8000 SERIES**

### Digital Readout / Control Systems

Bright, wide angle, 1.8" display (TFT technology)  
User friendly operation, menu driven with 4 push buttons



**BRIGHT SERIES**

### Compact Local R/C Module

Bright, wide angle, 1.8" display  
User friendly operation  
Indication/operation/configuration



**PIPS SERIES**

### Plug-in Power Supply

For lab-style or industrial devices  
Interchangeable plugs (Euro, UK, USA, Australian, IEC) for mains connection

## Related products



**MINI CORI-FLOW™ M15**

Flow range 0...300 kg/h  
Pressure rating 100 bar  
Independent of fluid properties  
High accuracy, fast response



**CORI-FLOW™ M54**

Flow range 0...100 kg/h  
Pressure rating 200 bar  
Independent of fluid properties  
High accuracy, fast response



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