Mobrey M-Switch

Float Operated Liquid Level Switch



M - Switch

- · Small in-tank dimensions
- Simple liquid level alarm
- Traditional high reliability switching
- · European Directive compliance
- ATEX Flameproof models EExd

Features

- Tough industrial build quality
- 316 Stainless steel construction
- Flanged or threaded mounting

Description

Manufactured in 316 stainless steel throughout, the M-Switch is available for side mounting with either a flange or 2" thread.

Comprising a small float on the wetside and a body containing a high current micro-switch on the dry side, the Mobrey M-Switch will reliably detect liquid level to give a voltage free contact operation for alarm signalling or as part of a pump control system.

Operation

One permanent magnet forms part of a float assembly which rises and falls with changing liquid level. A second permanent magnet is positioned within the switch so that the adjacent poles of the two magnets repel each other through the non-magnetic wall of the switch body.

A change of liquid level which moves the float through its permissible travel will cause the float magnet to move and repel the switch magnet to give snap-action operation of the micro-switch contacts.

Technical Specification			
Operating pressure	See table overleaf		
Operating temp.	32°F to 266°F (0°C to +130°C)		
Ambient temp.	32°F to 140°F (0°C to +60°C)		
Minimum S.G.	0.75		
Differential	1" (25mm)		
Length into tank	6" (153mm)		
Float diameter	1.9" (48mm)		
Max. float swing	4.4" (112mm)		
Switching function	SPCO		
Wetside material	316 Stainless steel		
Body material	316 Stainless steel		
End cover material	316 Stainless steel		
Gasket:			
A flange	Non-Asbestos		
D flange	Ethylene Prop.		
Conduit entry			
A,D flange	M20		
BSPT thread	M20		
NPT thread	½" NPT		

Typical Applications

- · Low level alarms in lubricating oils and fuel oils
- Pump control duty in header tanks
- · High and low alarms in condensate tanks
- Level and pump control in storage tanks

Installation

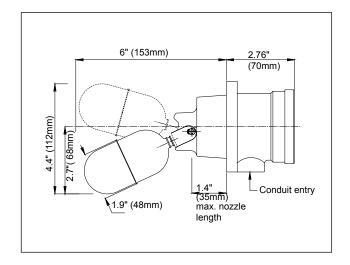
The M-Switch is designed for side mounting either direct into a vessel or in an external chamber. Choose a position where the effects of turbulence caused by agitators or inlets are minimized. The switch should be positioned so that the float may move freely over its full travel and not foul the sides, bottom or top of the tank. A flange or threaded boss is recommended for pressurised applications, designed such that the float is free to move over its full travel. Refer to Installation leaflet for full details.

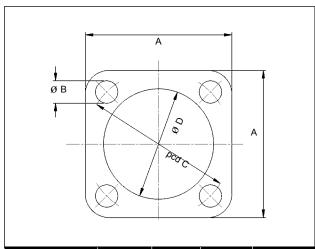




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Dimensional Drawings

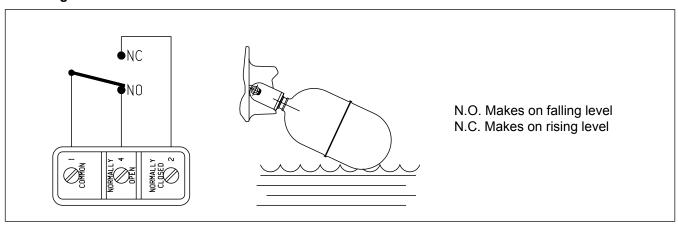




	Α	В	С	D*
Mobrey A	3.6"	0.55"	3.6"	2.6"
	92mm	14mm	92mm	66mm
Mobrey D	3.6"	0.35"	3.3"	2"
	92mm	9mm	83mm	50mm

^{*}Mounting hole Dia. D to be +/- 0.4" (1mm)

Switching Function



Approvals

Marine: Germanischer Lloyd

ATEX: II 1/2G EExd IIC T6 +32 - 122°F (0 to 50°C)

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Ordering Information

Weatherproof Models

Code	Descri	ption			
SM	Mobrey M-Switch, 316 Stainless steel construction				
	Code	Mounting arrangement	Maximum pressure		
			68°F (20°C)	266°F (130°C)	
	Α	Mobrey 'A' Flange	275psi (19 bar)	223psi (15.4 bar)	
	D	Mobrey 'D' Flange	43psi (3 bar)	43psi (3 bar)	
	В	2" BSPT Threaded	275psi (19 bar)	223psi (15.4 bar)	
	N	2" NPT Threaded	275psi (19 bar)	223psi (15.4 bar)	
		Code Enclosure			
		1 Weatherproof NEMA 4 (IF	Weatherproof NEMA 4 (IP66/67)		
SM	Α	1 Typical model number			

Flameproof Models

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	Code	Mounting arrangement Maximum pressure			
			68°F (20°C)	266°F (130°C)	
	Α	Mobrey 'A' Flange	362psi (25.0 bar)	275psi (19 bar)	
	В	2" BSPT Threaded	719psi (49.6 bar)	638psi (44 bar)	
	N	2" NPT Threaded	719psi (49.6 bar)	638psi (44 bar)	
		Code Enclosure			
		2 Flameproof ATEX 11 1/20	Flameproof ATEX 11 1/2G EExd IIcT6 NEMA 4 (IP66/IP67)		
SM	В	2 Typical model number	Typical model number		

Rating	AC	DC	DC
		(Res.)	(Ind.)
Max. voltage V	250	250	250
Max. current A	15	0.25	15mA

The microswitch contacts are gold plated and are suitable for use in low power circuits. Note: Switching high power circuits will permanently damage the gold plating. Not suitable for the direct starting of large motors.

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