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# **OIML** Certificate



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Identification of the certified type A **measuring device** (ultrasonic flow meter) intended to be used as part of an interruptible or non- interruptible dynamic measuring system for liquids other than water.

Manufacturers mark: Type:

SICK FLOWSIC900 F9L-XXXY<sup>[1]</sup>

Characteristics See following page(s)

This OIML Certificate is issued under scheme A.

This Certificate attests the conformity of the above identified type (represented by the sample(s) identified in the OIML Type Evaluation Report) with the requirements of the following Recommendation of the International Organization of Legal Metrology (OIML):

**R 117-1: 2019** "Dynamic measuring systems for liquids other than water"

Accuracy class 0,3; 0,5; 1,0; 1,5

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<sup>1</sup> Where Y = D for 8-path and C for 4-path meter. L = Large scale flow meter type.

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The conformity was established by the results of tests and examinations provided in the associated reports:

No. NMi-3575261-01 dated 6 December 2024 that includes 77 pages.

#### General information about the measuring device

The FLOWSIC900 F9L-XXXY is an ultrasonic flow meter for measuring the volume of liquified natural gas (LNG) and low viscosity oil. It is based on the measurement of the runtimes of ultrasonic pulses along several measuring paths. The meter consists of the following assemblies:

- One meter body with a straight pipe section with 4 or 8 ultrasonic measuring paths.
- Two ultrasonic transducers per measuring path, where the two transducers both serve as transmitters and receivers,
- The signal processing unit (SPU) separated from the meter body with the measurement electronics for excitation and processing of the transducer signals, the interface electronic and the display.



1 SPU (Signal Processing Unit)

- 2 SPU holder
- 3 Connection cable (for ultrasonic transducers and temperature sensor)
- 4 Thermal factory pre-insulation (ultrasonic transducers under the insulation)
- 5 Jacketing
- 6 Meter body
- 7 Meter body flange (flange)
- 8 Meter body neck (neck)





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### Characteristics of the measuring device

In Table 1 the general characteristics of the measuring device are presented. The construction of the measuring device is recorded in the Documentation folder no. TC12890-1.

### Table 1 General characteristics

Number of sound path	8 (4 + 4 in X- configuration) ; 4 (A-A plane)		
Sound frequency	1.5 MHz		
Path angle	52,5° ± 10°		
Approved quantity	Volume at flowing conditions		
Maximum pressure	20 bar(g)		
Environmental classes	M3 / E2 Humidity class H3: condensing, open location		
Ambient temperature range	-40 °C / +55 °C for pulse output and Modbus as the metrologically relevant output signal.		
	-25 °C / +55 °C for local display on the SPU as the metrologically relevant display.		
Product temperature range	-200 °C / +60 °C		
Intended for the measurement of	Liquified Natural Gas (LNG); Liquid petroleum and related products, liquids food, chemical products any other liquids other than water in liquid state with maximum kinematic viscosity of 2 cSt.		
23 VDC to 29 VDC The measuring device should always be powered following power supply units: Make: Phoenix Contact Type: STEP-CAP/24VDC/2/0.4KJ Part Number: 1519633 Make: FEAS Type: SSESSE24-M Part Number: 622406			
Software identification	Version number: 1.1.0. Checksum: EFC304FA The metrological software version and checksum can be displayed: • by the electronic calculating/indicating device connected to the measuring device, or • via the serial communication line and a computer temporarily connected to the measuring device.		





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Flow characteristics	See table 2		
Approved inputs	-		
Approved outputs	Local Display; Frequency output (maximum frequency is 10 kHz) Modbus RS485 serial communication.		
Housing signal processing unit	Aluminium or Stainless steel		
Electro-Magnetic Interference (EMI) protection measures	All cables between the sensor and the remote transmitter cannot be longer than 6 meters. Serial RS485 communication cable should be a shielded cable.		

### Table 2 Characteristics of the family of instruments

Meter size	Inch	8	10	12	14
	DN	200	250	300	350
Minimum flow rate [m³/hr]		60	90	130	160
Maximum flow rate [m <sup>3</sup> /hr]		1500	2300	3300	4100
MMQ [m³]	(+)	2	2	5	5
Minimum Reynolds Number		50000	50000	50000	50000

### **Production location**

The measuring instrument is produced at one of the following production locations:

- Sick Engineering GmbH, Bergener Ring 27, 01458 Ottendorf-Okrilla, Germany

#### **Certificate history:**

Revision	Date	Description of the modification
0	6 December 2024	Initial issue