

MASS AIR FLOW SENSOR FOR MEDICAL DEVICES

DESCRIPTION

Posifa designed the PMF5006 series of mass air flow sensors specifically for portable medical devices. The sensor is fast and accurate, enabling the precise amount of gas to be delivered in a pulse mode. The sensor's small footprint fits nicely inside a space-constrained housing. The stress-relieved wiring harness with pre-installed receptacle provides reliable electrical connection to the circuit board. The flow direction (forward or backward) can be customized to work with an existing system layout.

PMF5006 features Posifa's third-generation thermal flow die, benefiting from the latest innovations in microfabrication. The sensor die uses a pair of thermopiles to detect changes in temperature gradient caused by mass flow, delivering excellent signal-to-noise, and repeatability. The "solid state" thermal isolation structure on the sensor die eliminates the need for surface cavity or fragile membrane used in competing technologies, making the sensor resistant to clogging and pressure shock.

The PMF5006 series delivers a linearized and temperature compensated analog voltage output.

The PMF5000 series is a proven product that has been used in quantity in FAA approved, FDA cleared, and CE certified medical devices.

MAXIMUM RATINGS

• Operating Temperature: -25 to 85 °C

Calibrated Temperature Range: 0 to 50 °C

Storage Temperature: -40 to 90 °C

Humidity: 0 to 100% RH, non-condensing

Shock: 100 g peak (5 drops, 3 axis)

Operating Pressure: 10 psi



FEATURES

- Unsurpassed performance in a robust and cost effective package
- "Solid state" sensing core (no surface cavity or fragile membrane) resistant to clogging and pressure shock
- Highly accurate (4% reading typ.)
- Fast response time (5 ms typ.)
- Linear output and temperature compensation
- Long-term stability with minimal null drift
- Elbow barb fittings*
- Wiring harness with pre-installed receptacle
- Flow direction can be changed (forward or backward) per customer request
- Analog or digital I2C output
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^{*} Custom fittings available



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SPECIFICATIONS

Test Condition	ns: Vin=10±0).01VDC, Ta=2	25°C. Relat	ive Humidit	y: 40% <rh<60%< th=""></rh<60%<>
SPECIFICATIONS	MIN	TYP	MAX	UNIT	CONDITIONS
PMF5006	0		15	SLM¹	
PMF5007	0		20	SLM	
PMF5008	0		40	SLM	
PMF5009	0		60	SLM	
Output Voltage (V) ²	1 to 5		VDC		
Null Voltage (V)	0.95	1	1.05	VDC	
Output Count (D)	64 to 4031			Count	
Null Count	24		104	Count	
Null Drift		0.5		% F.S.	
Repeatability		0.2		% F.S.	
Accuracy ³		1%		F.S.	0 to 25% F.S.
		4%		Reading	25 to 100% F.S.
Resolution (D)		12		Bit	
Response Time ⁴		5		mSec	
Warm Up Time			30	mSec	
Supply Voltage	6	10	16	VDC	10V recommended
Supply Current		22		mA	at 10 VDC supply
Wetted Materials	Silicon carbi	ide, Epoxy, Nyl	lon (fittings)	, PPE+PE (ma	ain housing), FR4.

^{1.} SLM: standard liter per minute. Standard conditions: 0 °C and 1 atmosphere.

^{2.} V refers to the analog version of PMF5000, and D refers to the digital I2C version.

^{3.} Maximum deviation in output from nominal over the entire calibrated flow range and temperature range. Errors include offset, full scale span, linearity, flow hysteresis, repeatability and temperature effects over the compensated temperature range.

^{4. 10%} to 90% rise time of the flow sensor to electrically respond to any mass flow change. May be affected by the pneumatic interface.



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LINEAR OUTPUT

For PMF5006V

Flow Rate = [(Vout - 1 V) / 4 V] x Full Scale Flow Rate

For example, for PMF5006V full scale flow rate is 15 SLM. When Vout reads 3 V, the Flow Rate is: $[(3 \text{ V} - 1 \text{ V})/4\text{V} \times 15 \text{ SLM}] = 7.5 \text{ SLM}$

For PMF5006D

Flow Rate = [(Count - 64) / 3967] x Full Scale Flow Rate

For example, for PMF5006V full scale rate is 15 SLM. When digital output reads 1000, the Flow Rate is:

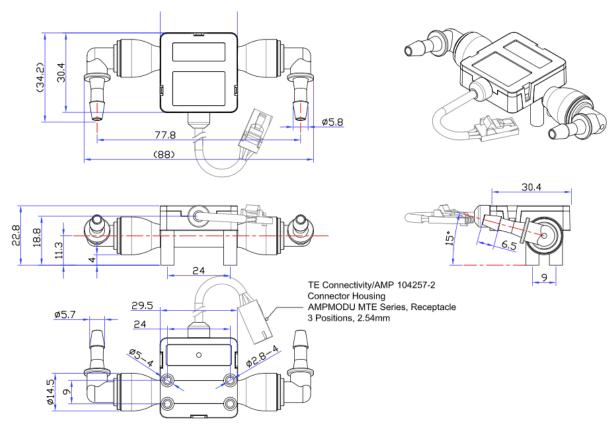
 $[(1000 - 64)/3967 \times 15 \text{ SLM}] = 3.54 \text{ SLM}$

*Contact Posifa for I²C communication app note.



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PACKAGE DIMENSIONS



Please contact Posifa for sensor CAD model

ELECTRICAL CONNECTION

1	2	3	4	5
OUT	VDD	GND	SDA	SCL

PMF5000D



5 4 3 2 1

TE 104257-4 or equivalent

PMF5000V



3 2 1

TE 104257-2 or equivalent



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ORDERING INFORMATION

PART NUMBER	SPECIFICATIONS
PMF5006V-O2C	15 SLM, 1 to 5 V, Linear
PMF5007V-O2C	20 SLM, 1 to 5 V, Linear
PMF5008V-O2C	40 SLM, 1 to 5 V, Linear
PMF5009V-O2C	60 SLM, 1 to 5 V, Linear

Order digital I²C output models by specifying "D" instead of "V" in p/n's above.

Please contact Posifa or your local distributor to place an order.

CUSTOMIZATION OPTIONS

If the standard product described in this datasheet does not completely meet your needs, please contact Posifa Technologies to discuss other options. Help us understand your application and sensor requirements and we can work together to find the best overall solution.