

- Non-contact level measurement
- Easy adjustment even without medium
- Robust housing for rough ambient conditions
- Suppression of interference signals







Application

For continuous, non-contact level measurement in open or closed containers, tanks or silos. Suitable for liquid, mushy and pasty media. Ideal for sludge, adhesives, resins and waste water. The device can be easily adjusted even without a medium by means of the programming display with user-friendly menus. It also serves as a local display.

Description The SonarFox® UST 20 level indicator uses the physical properties of ultrasonic waves to determine the level. An ultrasonic wave is emitted which is reflected by objects in the sound cone. The time up to the reception of the reflected echo is a measure of the distance. Since the mounting position is defined, it is possible to calculate the filling level of the medium. Type, density and temperature of the medium have no effect on the measurement – the only prerequisite is a reflecting surface. Acoustically diffuse surfaces such as foam or uneven surfaces of bulk solids are to be tested with regard to the application. An optional, additional alignment horn adapter can be used for such media.

Installations or stirrers above the surface of the medium can be masked during empty setup.

Probe selection

Probe type	UST 20-01	UST 20-11	UST 20-21	UST 20-31
Measuring range	0.15 – 2 m	0.25 – 6 m	0.4 – 10 m	0.5 – 20 m
Low tanks < 1,000 mm	+	-	-	-
Tanks between 1,000 mm and 2,000 mm	+	+ -		-
Tanks between 2,000 mm and 6,000 mm	-	+	+	-
Tanks between 6,000 mm and 10,000 mm	-	-	+	+
High tanks > 10,000 mm	-	-	-	+
Liquids	+	+	+	+
Pastes and adhesives	+	+	+	+
High-viscosity or adhesive media	+	+	+	+
Low-viscosity media	+	+	+	+
Corrosive media	+	+	+	+
Conductive media	+	+	+	+
Non-conductive media	+	+	+	+
Foam on the medium*	0	0	0	0

- Not suitable
- O Limited suitability
- Suitable



^{*} Use of alignment horn adapter advisable, see accessories.



Technical data

Programming display

5-digit, 9 mm high, yellow Matrix OLED Resolution 128 x 64 pixels

Status indicator

Level outside of measuring range, no echo, etc. Adjustable in the modes: 3.75 mA, 22 mA, last measured value

Signal damping

Adjustable from 0 to 99 s

Delay of initial measurement at measurement start

Approx. 30 s

Measuring interval

1-4 s

Supply voltage

DC 18-36 V

for Ex version DC 18-28 V

Output signal

4-20 mA/HART, 2-wire

Current input

Max. 22 mA

Max. load

 $\begin{array}{lll} R_{max} & 270 \; \Omega \; at: \; U=24 \; V \\ R_{max} & 180 \; \Omega \; at: \; U=22 \; V \\ R_{max} & 90 \; \Omega \; at: \; U=20 \; V \\ R_{max} & 45 \; \Omega \; at: \; U=19 \; V \end{array}$

Measuring range

UST 20-01: 0.15 – 2 m UST 20-11: 0.25 – 6 m UST 20-21: 0.4 – 10 m UST 20-31: 0.5 – 20 m

Adjustable measuring range

Min. 200 mm

Resolution

UST 20-01: <1 mm UST 20-11: <2 mm UST 20-21: <1 mm UST 20-31: <2.5 mm

Accuracy

±0.15 % FS

Temperature error

Max. 0.04 % / K

Measuring frequency

UST 20-01: 120 kHz UST 20-11: 75 kHz UST 20-21: 50 kHz UST 20-31: 30 kHz

Operating temperature range

UST 20-01 / -11: -30/+70 °C UST 20-21 / -31 -30/+60 °C

at the process connection for a short time (60 min) up to 90 $^{\circ}\text{C}$

Process pressure

Max. 1 bar

Process connection

UST 20-01: PP, G1B with lock nut UST 20-11: PP, G 1½B with lock nut UST 20-21: PP, G 2½B with lock nut UST 20-31: Aluminium alloy,

Flange EN 1092-1 DN100 PN16

Ultrasonic transducer

PVDF

Housing

Aluminium die cast

Degree of protection

IP 67 (EN 60529)

Electrical connection

Cable gland M16 x 1.5

Weight

UST 20-01: 0.3 kg UST 20-11: 0.4 kg UST 20-21: 0.6 kg UST 20-31: 3.1 kg

Options

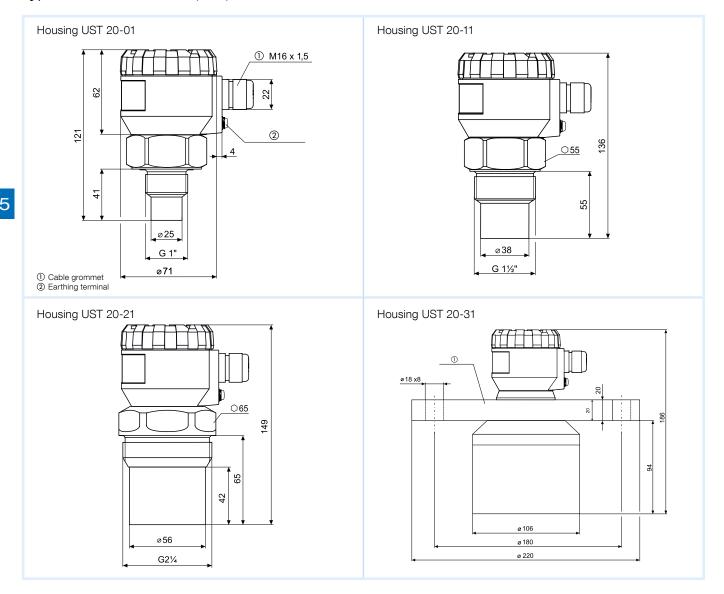
- Output RS-485 Modbus RTU
- Ex version (Ex)

Ex II 1/2G Ex ia IIB T5 Ga/Gb

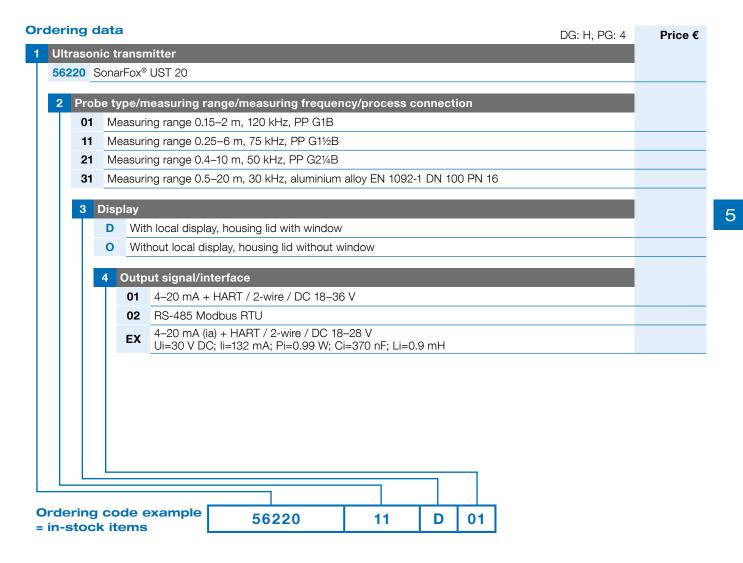
Ex II 1/2G Ex ia IIA T5 Ga/Gb (UST 20-21) Ex II 2G Ex ia IIA T5 Ga/Gb (UST 20-31)



Types and dimensions (mm)







Accessories	DG	PG	Part no.	Price €
Programming display/local display PD 20 UST/PMG	Н	4	56225	
Alignment horn adapter made of plastic (PP) G1i	Н	4	56221	
Alignment horn adapter made of plastic (PP) G1½ female	Н	4	56222	
Alignment horn adapter made of plastic (PP) G21/4 female	Н	4	56223	
Housing cover with window	Н	4	56224	
Housing cover without window	Н	4	56226	

Blue part no. = in-stock items

