Level detection in liquids

Vibration

VEGASWING 51
VEGASWING 61
VEGASWING 63

Product Information

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Take note of safety instructions for Ex applications
Please note the Ex specific safety information which you can find on our homepage www.vega.com/services/downloads and which comes with every instrument. In hazardous areas you should take note of the appropriate regulations, conformity and type approval certificates of the sensors and power supply units. The sensors must only be operated on intrinsically safe circuits. The permissible electrical values are stated in the certificate.
1 Description of the measuring principle

Measuring principle
VEGASWING is a point level sensor with tuning fork for level detection.

It is designed for industrial use in all areas of process technology, but preferably in liquids.

The vibrating element (tuning fork) is energized piezoelectrically and vibrates at its mechanical resonance frequency. The piezos are fixed mechanically and are hence not subject to temperature shock limitations. If the vibrating element is submerged in the product, the vibrating frequency changes. This change is detected by the integrated electronics module and converted into a switching command.

Typical applications are overfill and dry run protection. Thanks to its simple and robust measuring system, VEGASWING is virtually unaffected by the chemical and physical properties of the liquid.

It also works when subjected to strong external vibrations or changing products.

Fault monitoring
The electronics module of VEGASWING monitors continuously the following criteria:
- Strong corrosion or damage on the tuning fork
- Loss of vibration
- Line break to the piezo drive

If one of the stated malfunctions is detected or in case of power failure, the electronics takes on a defined switching condition, for example, the output transistor blocks (safe condition).

Function test
The recurring function test is used to check the safety function, in order to reveal possible non-detectable dangerous faults. The function of the measuring system must be checked in regular, adequate intervals.

There are two different ways to carry out a function test:

VEGASWING 61, 63 with two-wire electronics in conjunction with a VEGATOR signal conditioning instrument.
- Test key on the VEGATOR signal conditioning instrument

VEGASWING 61, 63 with two-wire electronics in conjunction with a VEGALOG processing system or a PLC.
- Brief interruption of the connection cable to the PLC

VEGASWING 51
The small level switch model has a tuning fork 40 mm long and a small, compact stainless steel housing and is available as transistor output and contactless electronic switch versions.

VEGASWING 61, 63
VEGASWING series 60 level switches are instruments from the VEGA plics® series, which are available in standard and tube version. plics® instruments offer suitable versions for all applications thanks to the many different process fittings, housings and electronics versions. They have all the usual approvals and the tuning fork can also be polished, e.g. for applications in the food processing industry.

VEGASWING are virtually unaffected by product properties and thus do not have to be adjusted.

The level switches are used in applications with process temperatures up to 250 °C (482 °F) and pressures of up to 64 bar (928 psig).

They detect liquids from 0.5 ... 2.5 g/cm³ (0.018 ... 0.09 lbs/in³).

All electronics are qualified for the function overfill and dry run protection according to IEC 61508 and 61511 for SIL2, in redundant version also for SIL3.

1.1 Application examples

Chemical industry - Solvents

![Fig. 1: Level detection in vessels with solvents](image)

Apart from the continuous level measurement, level detection is an essential safety feature for storage tanks. Many modern sensors for continuous level measurement are actually approved as overfill protection system, however, a second, physically different measuring system provides the best safety and redundancy.

Thanks to their manifold application possibilities, VEGASWING vibrating level switches are ideal for all applications in the area of liquids warehousing. A large number of electrical and mechanical versions ensures simple integration into existing control systems.

Advantages:
- Various electrical versions
- Product-independent
- Universal level detection for all liquids
Because they prevent overfilling or dry running of pumps, sensors for level detection are an important safety element in reactors. Due to their universal applicability, VEGASWING level switches are well suited for use in reaction vessels. Even high viscosities, temperatures up to 250 °C and pressure up to 64 bar do not impair their function.

To provide the required chemical resistance, high resistance materials and enamelled versions are available.

In toxic products, the VEGASWING version with metallic process separation ensures a high level of safety. To prevent product leakage even in case of corrosion on the tuning fork, a glass seal is also welded in. This guarantees optimum safety.

To provide optimal resistance to the measured medium, whatever its composition and corrosive properties may be, sensors made of 316L or Hastelloy, or sensors in plastic-coated and enamelled versions, are available.

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Advantages:
- Various electrical versions
- Product-independent
- Completely gas-tight
- High reliability
- Universal level detection for all liquids
Food processing industry

![Level detection and dry run protection in a tank storing milk](image)

The processes in food processing tanks, e.g. for milk, place heavy demands on the installed measurement technology. High pressures and temperatures are generated during sterilization and cleaning of the tanks. That means that the implemented level measuring instruments and level detectors must meet the requirements of hygienic design. The innocuousness of all wetted materials must be proven and optimum cleanability must be ensured through hygienic technical design.

VEGASWING is installed for level detection and as dry run protection system. The tuning fork is highly polished for use in sensitive foodstuffs such as milk.

Advantages:
- Universal level detection for all liquids
- High resistance sensor materials such as PFA, ECTFE, Hastelloy C4, enamel
- Adjustment and maintenance-free
### Type overview

#### VEGASWING 51
![VEGASWING 51](image1)
- **Preferred application:** Liquids
- **Length:** -
- **Process fitting:** Thread G¾ A, G1 A
- **Process temperature:** -40 … +100 °C (-40 … +212 °F), -40 … +150 °C (-40 … +302 °F) with temperature adapter
- **Process pressure:** -1 … 64 bar (-14.5 … 928 psig)
- **Signal output:** Transistor output, contactless electronic switch
- **Ruggedness:** +
- **Sensitivity:** +
- **Buildup:** ++
- **Cleanability:** ++
- **Installation length:** ++

#### VEGASWING 61
![VEGASWING 61](image2)
- **Preferred application:** Liquids
- **Length:** -
- **Process fitting:** Thread G¾ A, G1 A, flanges, hygienic fittings
- **Process temperature:** -50 … +150 °C (-58 … +302 °F), -50 … +250 °C (-58 … +482 °F) with temperature adapter
- **Process pressure:** -1 … 64 bar (-14.5 … 928 psig)
- **Signal output:** Relay, transistor, two-wire, NAMUR output, contactless electronic switch
- **Ruggedness:** +
- **Sensitivity:** ++
- **Buildup:** +
- **Cleanability:** ++
- **Installation length:** ++

#### VEGASWING 63
![VEGASWING 63](image3)
- **Preferred application:** Liquids
- **Length:** 80 … 6000 mm (3.15 … 236.22 in)
- **Process fitting:** Thread G¾ A, G1 A, flanges, hygienic fittings
- **Process temperature:** -50 … +150 °C (-58 … +302 °F), -50 … +250 °C (-58 … +482 °F) with temperature adapter
- **Process pressure:** -1 … 64 bar (-14.5 … 928 psig)
- **Signal output:** Relay, transistor, two-wire, NAMUR output, contactless electronic switch
- **Ruggedness:** +
- **Sensitivity:** ++
- **Buildup:** +
- **Cleanability:** ++
- **Installation length:** ++
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3 Mounting instructions

Switching point
In general, VEGASWING can be installed in any position. The instrument only has to be mounted in such a way that the vibrating element is at the height of the desired switching point.

The tuning fork has lateral markings (notches) marking the switching point with vertical installation. The switching point refers to the medium water with basic setting of the density switch ≥ 0.7 g/cm³ (0.025 lbs/in³).

Keep in mind that foams with a density > 0.45 g/cm³ (0.016 lbs/in³) are detected by the sensor.

Socket
The vibrating element should protrude into the vessel to avoid buildup. For that reason, avoid using mounting bosses for flanges and screwed fittings. This applies particularly to horizontal installation and use with adhesive products.

Agitators
Due to agitators, vibrations or similar, the level switch can be subjected to strong lateral forces. For this reason, do not use an overly long extension tube for VEGASWING 63, but check if a VEGASWING 51 or 61 level switch couldn’t be used instead, mounted on the side of the vessel in horizontal position.

Extreme vibration caused by the process or the equipment, e.g. agitators or turbulence in the vessel, can cause the extension tube of VEGASWING to vibrate in resonance. This leads to increased stress on the upper weld joint. Should a longer tube version be necessary, you can provide a suitable support or guy directly above the vibrating element to secure the extension tube.

This measure applies mainly to applications in Ex areas. Make sure that the tube is not subject to bending stress due to this measure.

Inflowing medium
If VEGASWING is mounted in the filling stream, unwanted false measurement signals can be generated. For this reason, mount VEGASWING at a position in the vessel where no disturbances, e.g. from filling openings, agitators, etc., can occur.

Fig. 6: Inflowing medium

Flows
To minimise flow resistance caused by the tuning fork, VEGASWING should be mounted in such a way that the surfaces of the blades are parallel to the product movement.

Lock fitting
VEGASWING in tube version can be mounted with a lock fitting for infinitely variable height adjustment. Take note of the pressure specifications of the lock fitting.

Keep in mind that the lock fitting must not be used with coated instrument versions.

Pressure/Vacuum
The process fitting must be sealed if there is gauge or low pressure in the vessel. Check if the seal material is resistant against the measured product and the process temperature.

Protective cover
To protect the sensor against pollution and strong heat due to the sun, you can snap a weather protective cover onto the sensor housing.

Fig. 7: Weather protection cover in different versions
4 Electrical connection

4.1 Preparing the connection

Note safety instructions
Always keep in mind the following safety instructions:
- Connect only in the complete absence of line voltage

Take note of safety instructions for Ex applications
In hazardous areas you should take note of the appropriate regulations, conformity and type approval certificates of the sensors and power supply units.

Select power supply
Connect the power supply according to the following diagrams. Oscillators SW60R and SW60C are designed in protection class 1. To maintain this protection class, it is absolutely necessary that the ground conductor be connected to the internal ground terminal. Take note of the general installation regulations. As a rule, connect VEGASWING to vessel ground (PA), or in case of plastic vessels, to the next ground potential. On the side of the housing there is a ground terminal between the cable entries. This connection serves to drain off electrostatic charges. In Ex applications, the installation regulations for hazardous areas must be given priority.

Data for power supply is specified in chapter “Technical data”.

Selecting connection cable
VEGASWING is connected with standard cable with round cross section. An outer cable diameter of 5 … 9 mm (0.2 … 0.35 in) ensures the seal effect of the cable gland.

If cable with a different diameter or wire cross section is used, exchange the seal or use an appropriate cable connection.

In hazardous areas, only use approved cable connections for VEGASWING.

Select connection cable for Ex applications
Take note of the corresponding installation regulations for Ex applications.

4.2 Wiring plan

Relay output
VEGASWING 61, 63

We recommend connecting VEGASWING in such a way that the switching circuit is open when there is a level signal, line break or failure (safe condition).

The relays are always shown in non-operative condition.

Transistor output
We recommend connecting VEGASWING in such a way that the switching circuit is open when there is a level signal, line break or failure (safe condition).

The instrument is used to control relays, contactors, magnet valves, warning lights, horns as well as PLC inputs.
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Fig. 12: VEGASWING 61, 63 - electronics module with transistor output

1 Control lamp
2 DIL switch for mode adjustment
3 DIL switch for sensitivity adjustment

Fig. 14: VEGASWING 61, 63 - transistor output - NPN action

Fig. 16: VEGASWING 61, 63 - transistor output - PNP action

Fig. 18: Wire assignment connection cable. The numbers of the wires correspond to the terminals of the instrument.

1 brown (+) voltage supply
2 White
3 Yellow
4 blue (-) voltage supply
5 Shielding

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Max. Min.

Fig. 19: VEGASWING 51 - transistor output with valve plug DIN 43650

PA Potential equalisation
RL Load resistance (contactor, relay, etc.)
Contactless electronic switch

We recommend connecting VEGASWING in such a way that the switching circuit is open when there is a level signal, line break or failure (safe condition).

The contactless electronic switch is always shown in non-operative condition.

The instrument is used for direct control of relays, contactors, magnet valves, warning lights, horns etc. It must not be operated without an intermediated connected load, because the electronics would be destroyed if connected directly to the mains. It is not suitable for connection to low voltage PLC inputs.

The domestic current is temporarily lowered below 1 mA after switching off the load so that contactors, whose holding current is lower than the constant domestic current of the electronics, are reliably switched off.

When VEGASWING is used as part of an overfill protection system according to WHG, also note the regulations of the general type approval.
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The wiring example is applicable for all suitable signal conditioning instruments.

![Diagram of VEGASWING 51](image)

1. Protection earth

**Two-wire output**

**VEGASWING 61, 63**

![Diagram of VEGASWING 61, 63](image)

1. Control lamp
2. DIL switch for characteristics reversal
3. DIL switch for sensitivity adjustment
4. Simulation key

For connection of the amplifier according to NAMUR (IEC 60947-5-6, EN 50227). You can find further information in the "Technical data".

![Diagram of Wiring Plan - NAMUR Output](image)

**NAMUR output**

**VEGASWING 61, 63**

We recommend connecting VEGASWING in such a way that the switching circuit is open when there is a level signal, line break or failure (safe condition).

For connection to a signal conditioning instrument also Ex. Power supply via the connected signal conditioning instrument. For further information see chapter "Technical data".
5 Operation

5.1 Adjustment, general

![Diagram of adjustment elements electronics module, e.g. VEGASWING 61, 63 relay output (SW60R)]

1 Signal lamp (LED)
2 DIL switch for mode adjustment
3 DIL switch for sensitivity adjustment

Switching point adaptation

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With this DIL switch (2) you can set the switching point to liquids with a density between 0.5 and 0.7 g/cm³ (0.018 and 0.025 lbs/in³). In the basic adjustment, liquids with a density > 0.7 g/cm³ (0.025 lbs/in³) can be detected.

For products with lower density, you have to set the switch to > 0.5 g/cm³ (0.018 lbs/in³).

The information about the position of the switching point relates to the medium water - density value 1 g/cm³ (0.036 lbs/in³). With mediums of differing density, the switching point shifts in the direction of the fork end, depending on the density and manner of installation.

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Products with a density > 0.7 ... 2.5 g/cm³ (0.025 ... 0.09 lbs/in³) can be detected. This setting cannot be modified.

The switching status of VEGASWING can be checked when the housing is closed (signal lamp, illuminated ring below the plug).

VEGASWING has an integrated test switch which can be activated magnetically. To test the instrument, you have to hold the test magnet (accessory) to the magnet symbol on the instrument housing.

The test magnet changes the current switching condition of the instrument. You can check the change on the signal lamp. Please note that the connected instruments are activated during the test.

Mode adjustment

VEGASWING 61, 63

With the mode adjustment (min./max.) you can change the switching condition of the output. You can set the required mode (A/max. - max. detection or overflow protection, B/min. - min. detection or dry run protection).

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With the correct polarity of the supply voltage, the switching condition can be defined (max. detection/min. detection). With the transistor output version, PNP or NPN action can be reached by different connection of the consumer (load).

Signal lamp (LED)

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Diode for indication of the switching status (with plastic housing visible from outside).

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The switching status of VEGASWING is visible from outside (control lamp, illuminated lens below the plug).

Simulation key

VEGASWING 61, 63 - NAMUR electronics

The simulation key is located in a recess on the upper side of the electronics module. Push the simulation key with a suitable object (screwdriver, pen, etc.).

When the key is pushed, a line break between sensor and processing unit is simulated. The signal lamp on the sensor extinguishes. The measuring system must signal a fault and take on a safe condition when the key is pushed.

Keep in mind that downstream connected instruments will be activated during operation. This allows you to check the correct function of the measuring system.

Characteristics reversal

VEGASWING 61, 63 - NAMUR electronics

The characteristics of the NAMUR electronics can be reversed with the DIL switch. You can choose between falling characteristic curve (switch position max.) and rising characteristic curve (switch position min.). This allows you to output the desired current.

Modes

- min. - rising characteristic curve (High current when immersed)
- max. - falling characteristics (Low current when immersed)

The NAMUR output can be switched to falling or rising characteristics.

For applications according to WHG, the DIL switch must be set to position max.
# 6 Technical data

## General data

Material 316L corresponds to 1.4404 or 1.4435

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- Leakage rate: < 10⁻⁶ mbar l/s
- Pressure resistance: PN 64
- Hygienic fittings: Bolting DN 40 PN 40, Tri-Clamp 1", Tri-Clamp 1½" PN 10, conus DN 25 PN 40, Tuchenagen Varivent DN 50 PN 10

Output variable

Relay output
Output: Relay output (DPDT), 2 floating spdt
- Turn-on voltage:
  - Min.: 10 mV
  - Max.: 253 V AC, 253 V DC
- Switching current:
  - Min.: 10 µA
  - Max.: 3 A AC, 1 A DC
- Breaking capacity:
  - Min. max.: 1250 VA, 50 W
- Contact material (relay contacts): AgCdO and Au plated
- Modes (adjustable): Min./Max.
- Delay time approx.:
  - When immersed: 0.5 s
  - When laid bare: 1 s

Transistor output
Output: Floating transistor output, overload and permanently shortcircuit proof
- Max. load current:
  - VEGASWING 51: 250 mA
  - VEGASWING 61, 63: 400 mA
- Voltage loss:
  - VEGASWING 51: 1 V
  - VEGASWING 61, 63: 3 V
- Turn-on voltage:
  - VEGASWING 51: 55 V DC
  - VEGASWING 61, 63: < 10 µA
- Blocking current:
  - VEGASWING 51: < 10 µA
  - VEGASWING 61, 63: < 10 µA
- Modes (adjustable): Min./Max.
- Delay time approx.:
  - When immersed: 0.5 s
  - When laid bare: 1 s

Contactless electronic switch
Output: Contactless electronic switch
- Modes (adjustable): Min./Max.
- Delay time approx.:
  - When immersed: 0.5 s
  - When laid bare: 1 s

Two-wire output
Output: Two-wire output
- Suitable signal conditioning instruments: VEGATOR 536 Ex, 537 Ex, 636 Ex
- Output signal:
  - Mode min.: Vibrating element uncovered: 16 mA ±1 mA, vibrating element covered: 8 mA ±1 mA
  - Mode max.: Vibrating element uncovered: 8 mA ±1 mA, vibrating element covered: 16 mA ±1 mA
  - Fault message: < 2 mA
  - Modes (adjustable): min./max. (changeover with the signal conditioning instrument)
- Delay time approx.:
  - When immersed: 0.5 s
  - When laid bare: 1 s

NAMUR output
Output: Two-wire NAMUR output

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Current consumption
- Falling characteristics ≥ 2.2 mA uncovered/≤ 1 mA covered
- rising characteristics ≤ 1 mA uncovered/≥ 2.2 mA covered
- Fault message ≤ 1 mA

Necessary processing system
NAMUR processing system according to IEC 60947-5-6 (EN 50227/DIN 19234)

Modes (NAMUR output adjustable to falling or rising characteristics)
- Min. rising characteristic curve (High current when immersed)
- Max. falling characteristics (Low current when immersed)

Measuring accuracy
Deviation ± 1 mm (0.04 in)

Influence of the process temperature on the switching point

Fig. 38: Influence of the process temperature on the switching point
1 Shifting of the switching point in mm (in)
2 Process temperature in °C (°F)
3 Switching point at reference conditions (notch)
4 Tuning fork

Influence of the product density on the switching point

Fig. 39: Influence of the product density on the switching point
1 Shifting of the switching point in mm (in)
2 Product density in g/cm³ (lb/in³)
3 Switch position 0.5 g/cm³ (0.018 lb/in³)
4 Switch position 0.7 g/cm³ (0.025 lb/in³)
5 Switching point at reference conditions (notch)
6 Tuning fork
Influence of the process pressure to the switching point

Fig. 40: Influence of the process pressure to the switching point

1. Shifting of the switching point in mm (in)
2. Process pressure in bar (psig)
3. Switching point at reference conditions (notch)
4. Tuning fork

Repeatability: 0.1 mm (0.004 in)
Hysteresis: approx. 2 mm (0.08 in) with vertical installation
Switching delay: approx. 500 ms (on/off)
Frequency approx.: 1200 Hz

Ambient conditions

- Ambient temperature on the housing: -40 ... +70 °C (-40 ... +158 °F)
- Storage and transport temperature: -40 ... +80 °C (-40 ... +176 °F)

Process conditions

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- Measured value: Limit level of liquids
- Process pressure: -1 ... 64 bar/-100 ... 6400 kPa (-14.5 ... 938 psig)
- Process temperature - Standard: -40 ... +100 °C (-40 ... +212 °F)
- Process temperature - High temperature version (option): -40 ... +150 °C (-40 ... +302 °F)
Technical data

Fig. 42: Dependency ambient temperature to process temperature
1 Ambient temperature in °C (°F)
2 Process temperature in °C (°F)
Temperature shock no limitation
Viscosity - dynamic 0.1 ... 10,000 mPa s (requirement: with density 1)
Density > 0.7 g/cm³ (0.025 lbs/in³)

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Measured value Limit level of liquids
Process pressure -1 ... 64 bar/-100 ... 6400 kPa (-14.5 ... 938 psig)
Process temperature
- VEGASWING of 316L/Hastelloy C4 (2.4610) -50 ... +150 °C (-58 ... +302 °F)
- Process temperature with temperature adapter (optional)
- VEGASWING of 316L/Hastelloy C4 (2.4610) -50 ... +250 °C (-58 ... +482 °F)
- VEGASWING enamelled -50 ... +200 °C (-58 ... +392 °F)
- VEGASWING with ECTFE coating -50 ... +150 °C (-58 ... +302 °F)
- VEGASWING with PFA coating -50 ... +150 °C (-58 ... +302 °F)

Fig. 43: Ambient temperature - Product temperature
1 Product temperature
2 Ambient temperature
3 Temperature range with temperature adapter
Temperature shock no limitation
Viscosity - dynamic 0.1 ... 10,000 mPa s (requirement: with density 1)
Density 0.7 ... 2.5 g/cm³ (0.025 ... 0.09 lbs/in³); 0.5 ... 2.5 g/cm³ (0.018 ... 0.09 lbs/in³) by switching over

Electromechanical data

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Plug
  - Plug connection 1 x plug M12 x 1
### Technical data

#### Connection terminals

- **VEGASWING 61, 63**
  - Single chamber housing
  - for wire cross-section up to 1.5 mm^2 (AWG 16)

#### Adjustment elements

- **VEGASWING 51**
  - Control lamp: Illuminated lens for indication of the switching condition
  - Mode adjustment: Min./max. commutation through electrical connection

- **VEGASWING 61, 63**
  - Control lamp: Control lamp for indication of the switching status
  - Density switch (electronics versions: relay output, transistor output, two-wire output, contactless electronic switch)
    - 0.5
      - 0.5 … 2.5 g/cm^3 (0.018 … 0.09 oz/in^3)
    - 0.7
      - 0.7 … 2.5 g/cm^3 (0.025 … 0.09 oz/in^3)
  - Mode switch (electronics versions: relay output, transistor output, contactless electronic switch)
    - A
      - Max. detection or overflow protection
    - B
      - Min. detection or dry run protection
  - Characteristics reversal (electronics version: NAMUR output)
    - Max.
    - Min.
      - Falling characteristics (Low current when immersed)
      - Rising characteristic curve (High current when immersed)

#### Voltage supply

- **Relay output**
  - Supply voltage: 20 … 253 V AC, 50/60 Hz, 20 … 72 V DC (at U > 60 V DC, the ambient temperature can be max. 50 °C/122 °F)
  - Power consumption: 1 … 8 VA (AC), approx. 1.3 W (DC)

- **Transistor output**
  - Supply voltage: 10 … 55 V DC
  - Max. power consumption: 0.5 W

- **Contactless electronic switch**
  - Supply voltage: 20 … 253 V AC, 50/60 Hz, 20 … 253 V DC
  - Domestic current requirement: approx. 3 mA (via load circuit)

- **Two-wire output**
  - Supply voltage: 10 … 36 V DC (via the VEGA signal conditioning instrument)

- **NAMUR output**
  - Supply voltage (standard characteristics): for connection to an amplifier according to NAMUR IEC 60947-5-6, approx. 8.2 V
  - Open-circuit voltage: U₀ approx. 8.2 V
  - Short-circuit current: Iₜ approx. 8.2 mA
Electrical protective measures

**VEGASWING 51**
- Protection
  - Valve plug: IP 65
  - Valve plug, IDC method of termination: IP 67
  - M12 x 1 plug connection (only with transistor output): IP 66/IP 67
  - Overvoltage category: III
- Protection class
  - Transistor output: II
  - Contactless electronic switch: I

**VEGASWING 61, 63**
- Protection: IP 66/IP 67
- Overvoltage category: III
- Protection class
  - Transistor, two-wire, NAMUR output: II
  - relay output, contactless electronic switch: I

**Existing approvals or approvals applied for**
- Gas and dust explosion protection: e.g. according to ATEX, FM, CSA, IEC
- Overfill protection: e.g. according to WHG
- Ship approval: e.g. according to GL, LRS, ABS, RINA
- Functional safety: SIL 2 IEC 61508
- Hygienic approval: 3A, FDA

The available approvals can be selected via the configurator on [www.vega.com](http://www.vega.com).

Depending on the version, instruments with approvals can have different technical data. For these instruments, please note the corresponding approval documents. They can be downloaded in the download section on [www.vega.com](http://www.vega.com).

**CE conformity**
The instruments fulfill the legal requirements of the applicable EC guidelines. By attaching the CE mark, VEGA provides a confirmation of successful testing.

**SIL conformity**
VEGASWING fulfills the requirements of functional safety according to IEC 61508. You can find further information in the Safety Manual "VEGASWING".
7 Dimensions

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Fig. 44: VEGASWING 51 - standard version

1. Thread G1/4 A, G1 A, ¾ NPT or 1 NPT (M12 x 1) \(^{(1)}\)
2. Thread G1/4 A, G1 A, ¾ NPT or 1 NPT (valve plug DIN 43650)
3. Thread G1/4 A, G1 A, ¾ NPT or 1 NPT (valve plug DIN 43650 with IDC method of termination)
4. Switching point
   - L Length with G1/4 A, ¾ NPT: 66 mm (2.6 in)
   - L Length with G1 A, 1 NPT: 69 mm (2.7 in)
   - L Length with switching point like VEGASWING 71 or 81 = L + 48 mm (1.9 in)

Fig. 48: VEGASWING - hygienic versions

1. Tri-Clamp (valve plug DIN 43650)
2. Bolting (valve plug DIN 43650)
3. SMS 1145 (valve plug DIN 43650)
4. Switching point
   - L Length with Tri-Clamp: 53 mm (2.1 in)
   - L Length with bolting: 53 mm (2.1 in)
   - L Length with SMS 1145: 53 mm (2.1 in)

Housing VEGASWING 61, 63

Fig. 50: Housing versions

1. Plastic housing
2. Stainless steel housing
3. Aluminium double chamber housing
4. Aluminium housing

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1. Keep in mind that the total length is extended by the plug connection. M12 x 1 plug connector not with version contactless electronic switch.

2. Keep in mind that the total length is extended by the plug connection. M12 x 1 plug connector not with version contactless electronic switch.
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Temperature adapter - VEGASWING 61, 63

Fig. 51: VEGASWING 61

1 Thread
2 Tri-Clamp
3 Cone DN 25
4 Bolting DN 40
5 Flange
6 Gas-tight leadthrough
7 Temperature adapter

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Fig. 53: VEGASWING 63

1 Thread
2 Tri-Clamp
3 Cone DN 25
4 Bolting DN 40
5 Flange
6 Gas-tight leadthrough
7 Temperature adapter
L Sensor length, see chapter "Technical data"
8 Product code

VEGASWING 51

- Approval:
  - XX without
  - XM Ship approval

- Overfill protection acc. to WHG

- Vibration – Level detection in liquids

- Process Fitting / Material
  - GB Thread G1A PN64 / 316L
  - NB Thread ¾NPT PN64 / 316L
  - GA Thread G1A PN64 / 316L
  - NA Thread 1NPT PN64 / 316L
  - CL Tri-Clamp 1" PN16 / 316L, RnR0.8µm
  - CN Tri-Clamp 2" PN16 / 316L, RnR0.8µm
  - RL Bolting DN25PN64 DN11851 / 316L, RnR0.8µm
  - RM Bolting DN40PN64 DN11851 / 316L, RnR0.8µm
  - RN Bolting DN50PN64 DN11851 / 316L, RnR0.8µm

- Electronics
  - C Contactless electronic switch 20...253 V AC/DC
  - T Transistor output PNP 10...55 V DC

- Housing
  - P 316L

- Electrical connection / Protection
  - M M20x1.5 / IP67
  - V according to DIN 43650 incl. plug / IP65
  - Switching point Standard
  - L Switching point as SWING81A

VEGASWING 61

- Approval:
  - XX without
  - XM Ship approval

- Overfill protection according to WHG

- DA ATEX II 1G, 1/2G, 2G EEx ia IIC T6 + WHG

- Process Fitting / Material
  - GBV Thread G¾A PN64 / 316L
  - NBV Thread ¾NPT PN64 / 316L
  - GAV Thread G1A PN64 / 316L
  - NAV Thread 1NPT PN64 / 316L
  - CL Tri-Clamp 1" PN16 / 316L, RnR0.8µm
  - CN Tri-Clamp 2" PN16 / 316L, RnR0.8µm
  - RM Bolting DN40PN64 DN11851 / 316L, RnR0.8µm
  - RN Bolting DN50PN64 DN11851 / 316L, RnR0.8µm

- Electronics
  - C Contactless electronic switch 20...253 V AC/DC
  - R Double relay (DPDT) 20...72VDC/20...250VAC (3A)
  - T Transistor (NPN/PNP) 10...55VDC
  - Z Two-wire 8/16 mA 12...36VDC
  - N NAMUR signal

- Adapter / Process temperature
  - X without / -50...150°C
  - T with / -50...250°C
  - G with gas-tight lead-through / -50...150°C
  - D with gas-tight lead-through / -50...250°C

- Housing / Cable entry
  - P Plastic PN69 / PN26x1.5
  - M Aluminium PN69 / PN26x1.5
  - U Aluminium PN69 / UAP7
  - S Steel (electropolished) 316L / PN69/68 / PN26x1.5

- Electronics
  - C Contactless electronic switch 20...250VAC/DC
  - D Double relay (DPDT) 20...72VDC/20...250VAC (3A)
  - T Transistor (PNP/NPN) 10...55VDC
  - Z Two-wire 8/16 mA 12...36VDC
  - N NAMUR signal
  - Switching point
    - X Standard
    - L as SWING81A or 81A

- Only in conjunction with Housing / Cable entry "D"
- Only in conjunction with process temperature -50...150°C
- Only in conjunction with process temperature -50...250°C and not with electronics "C" and "T"
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Approval
XX without
XX Overfill protection according to WHG
CA ATEX II 1G, 1D, 2G Ex de IIC T6 + WHG 1)
DA ATEX II 1G, 2G Ex de IIC T6 + WHG 2)
CM ATEX II 1G, 1D, 2G Ex de IIC T6 + ship approval
DM ATEX II 1G, 2G Ex e IIC T6 + ship approval 3)
XM Ship approval

Process fitting / Material
GBV Thread G¾A PN64 / 316L
GBV Thread ¾NPT PN64 / 316L
GAV Thread G1A PN64 / 316L
NBV Thread ¾NPT PN64 / 316L
NBV Thread G¾A PN64 / 316L
NAV Thread ½NPT PN64 / 316L
NAV Thread G¾A PN64 / 316L
CCN Tr-Clamp 1" PN16 / 316L Ra<0,3µm
CCN Tr-Clamp 1" PN16 / 316L Ra<0,4µm
CCP Tr-Clamp 1/2" PN16 / 316L Ra<0,3µm
CCP Tr-Clamp 1/2" PN16 / 316L Ra<0,4µm
CAN Tr-Clamp 2" PN16 / 316L Ra<0,3µm
CAN Tr-Clamp 2" PN16 / 316L Ra<0,4µm
RAN Bolting DN40PN40 DIN 11851 / 316L Ra<0,3µm
RAP Bolting DN40PN40 DIN 11851 / 316L Ra<0,5µm
FPV Flange DN25PN25 Form C, DIN 2501 / 316L
FPF Flange DN25PN25 Form C, DIN 2501 / ECTFE 6)
FEV Flange DN35PN35 Form C, DIN 2501 / 316L
FEF Flange DN35PN35 Form C, DIN 2501 / ECTFE 6)
FEV Flange DN40PN40 Form B1, EN 1092-1 enamelled 4)
FEF Flange DN40PN40 Form B1, EN 1092-1 enamelled 4)
APV Flange 1" 150lbs ANSI B16.5 / 316L
APR Flange 1" 150lbs-RF, ANSI B16.5 / ECTFE 6)
APF Flange 1" 150lbs-RF, ANSI B16.5 / enamelled 4)
ACV Flange 2" 150lbs-RF, ANSI B16.5 / 316L
ACR Flange 2" 150lbs-RF, ANSI B16.5 / ECTFE 6)
ACE Flange 2" 150lbs-RF, ANSI B16.5 / enamelled 4)

Adapters / Process temperature
X without / -50...+150°C
T with / -50...+250°C
G with gas-tight leadthrough / -50...+150°C
D with gas-tight leadthrough / -50...+250°C

Housing / Cable entry
P Plastic PN66/IP67 / M20x1.5
U Aluminium PN66/IP67 / M20x1.5
S SS3 (electropolished) 316L / PN66/IP67 / M20x1.5

Electronics
C Contactless electronic switch 20...250VAC/DC
R Double relay (DPDT) 20...72VDC/20...250VAC (3A)
T Transistor (NPN/PNP) 10...25VDC
Z Two-wire 8/16 mA 12...36VDC
N NAMUR signal

1) Only in conjunction with Electronics "Z" and "N"
2) Only in conjunction with Housing / Cable entry "G"; L max. = 3000 mm
3) Only in conjunction with process temperature -50...+150°C
4) Only in conjunction with process temperature -50...+250°C and not with electronics "C" and "T"