



## Translation

# EC-Type Examination Certificate

### - Directive 94/9/EC -

Equipment and protective systems intended for use  
in potentially explosive atmospheres

## BVS 04 ATEX E 257 X

- (4) **Equipment:** Pressure Transmitter type VEGABAR BR17,\* \* \* \* \*
- (5) **Manufacturer:** VEGA Grieshaber KG
- (6) **Address:** D 77757 Schiltach
- (7) The design and construction of this equipment and any acceptable variation thereto are specified in the schedule to this type examination certificate.
- (8) The certification body of EXAM BBG Prüf- und Zertifizier GmbH, notified body no. 0158 in accordance with Article 9 of the Directive 94/9/EC of the European Parliament and the Council of 23 March 1994, certifies that this equipment has been found to comply with the Essential Health and Safety Requirements relating to the design and construction of equipment and protective systems intended for use in potentially explosive atmospheres, given in Annex II to the Directive.  
The examination and test results are recorded in the test and assessment report BVS PP 04.2186 EG.
- (9) The Essential Health and Safety Requirements are assured by compliance with:  
EN 50014:1997+A1-A2 General requirements  
EN 50020:2002 Intrinsic safety 'i'  
EN 50284:1999 Equipment Group II Category 1G  
EN 50303:2000 Equipment Group I Category M1  
EN 50281-1-1:1998 +A1 Dust explosion protection
- (10) If the sign "X" is placed after the certificate number, it indicates that the equipment is subject to special conditions for safe use specified in the schedule to this certificate.
- (11) This EC-Type Examination Certificate relates only to the design, examination and tests of the specified equipment in accordance to Directive 94/9/EC.  
Further requirements of the Directive apply to the manufacturing process and supply of this equipment. These are not covered by this certificate.
- (12) The marking of the equipment shall include the following:



**I** or **II** extended with the applicable category- and type of protection-marking; see tables in 15.1.2

**EXAM BBG Prüf- und Zertifizier GmbH**

Bochum, dated 05. January 2005

Signed: Dr. Jockers

Certification body

Signed: Dr. Eickhoff

Special services unit

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(15) 15.1 Subject and type

Pressure Transmitter type VEGABAR BR17.\*\*\*\*\*

BR17.\*\*\*\*\*

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|---|---|--|
| a | Approval  | A = Group II, Group I<br>D = Group II, Group I and dust explosion protection<br>S = Group II and approval for ship application   |
| b | Process connection                              | combination of letters and or numbers from "84L" to "NDX"  |
| c | Pressure  | B = pressure gauge<br>S = pressure absolute  |
| d | Measuring range                                 | LA = -0,1...0 bar<br><br>BT = 0...600 bar  |
| e | Electrical connection / degree of protection IP | A4 = connector according to DIN 43650<br>M4 = connector, 4-pin type, providing screwed interlock M12x1<br>DL = cable gland / IP67<br>DM = cable gland / IP68 (inside)<br>FW = terminal box 316L, providing screwed interlock (plastics material) / IP 67<br>FV = terminal box 316L, providing screwed interlock (stainless steel) / IP 67<br>EM = permanently connected cable / IP68 |
| f | Cable length                                    | Z = without<br>C = 1,5 m<br>E = 3 m<br>G = 5 m<br>I = 10 m   |
| g | Features / cleaning methods                     | Z = without<br>E = free of oil- and grease<br>A = free of oil- and grease suitable for Oxygen application<br>G = filling fluid and materials suitable for food application   |
| h | Temperature range                               | A = -30° C .. 100° C<br>B = -40° C .. 125° C<br>C = -10° C .. 150° C<br>U = -20° C .. 80° C  |

I Special manufacturer test reports Z = no; 1 = yes

15.1.2 Allocation of different versions of the Pressure Transmitter to temperature class, ambient temperature range and apparatus category shall be achieved from the following tables.

Pressure Transmitter type ** version with permanently connected cable	Category		additional marking	ambient and medium temperature range
	Group II	Group I		
BR17.A *** DL ***** BR17.S *** DL *****	1/2G		EEx ia IIC T4 / T5 / T6	- 20°C ≤ T <sub>a</sub> ≤ + 60°C (T6) - 20°C ≤ T <sub>a</sub> ≤ + 80°C (T5) - 20°C ≤ T <sub>a</sub> ≤ + 80°C (T4)
BR17.A *** DL *****		M1	EEx ia I	- 20°C ≤ T <sub>a</sub> ≤ + 60°C
BR17.A *** DM ***** BR17.D *** DM ***** BR17.S *** DM *****	1G		EEx ia IIA T4 / T5 / T6	- 10°C ≤ T <sub>a</sub> ≤ + 60°C (T6) - 10°C ≤ T <sub>a</sub> ≤ + 60°C (T5) - 10°C ≤ T <sub>a</sub> ≤ + 60°C (T4)
BR17.A *** DM ***** BR17.D *** DM ***** BR17.S *** DM *****	1/2G		EEx ia IIC T4 / T5 / T6	- 10°C ≤ T <sub>a</sub> ≤ + 60°C (T6) - 10°C ≤ T <sub>a</sub> ≤ + 60°C (T5) - 10°C ≤ T <sub>a</sub> ≤ + 60°C (T4)
BR17.D *** DM *****	1D		IP 65 T 80°C	- 10°C ≤ T <sub>a</sub> ≤ + 60°C
BR17.A *** DM ***** BR17.D *** DM *****		M1	EEx ia I	- 10°C ≤ T <sub>a</sub> ≤ + 60°C
BR17.A *** EM ***** BR17.S *** EM *****	1/2G		EEx ia IIC T4 / T5 / T6	- 20°C ≤ T <sub>a</sub> ≤ + 60°C (T6) - 20°C ≤ T <sub>a</sub> ≤ + 80°C (T5) - 20°C ≤ T <sub>a</sub> ≤ + 80°C (T4)
BR17.A *** EM *****		M1	EEx ia I	- 20°C ≤ T <sub>a</sub> ≤ + 80°C

Pressure Transmitter type ** version with connector	Category		additional marking	ambient and medium temperature range
	Group II	Group I		
BR17.A *** A4 ***** BR17.S *** A4 *****	1/2G		EEx ia IIC T4 / T5 / T6	- 40°C ≤ T <sub>a</sub> ≤ + 60°C (T6) - 40°C ≤ T <sub>a</sub> ≤ + 80°C (T5) - 40°C ≤ T <sub>a</sub> ≤ + 105°C (T4)
BR17.A *** A4 *****		M1	EEx ia I	- 40°C ≤ T <sub>a</sub> ≤ + 105°C
BR17.A *** M4 ***** BR17.S *** M4 *****	1/2G		EEx ia IIC T4 / T5 / T6	- 25°C ≤ T <sub>a</sub> ≤ + 60°C (T6) - 25°C ≤ T <sub>a</sub> ≤ + 80°C (T5) - 25°C ≤ T <sub>a</sub> ≤ + 90°C (T4)
BR17.A *** M4 *****		M1	EEx ia I	- 25°C ≤ T <sub>a</sub> ≤ + 90°C

Pressure Transmitter type ** version with terminal box	Category		additional marking	ambient and medium temperature range
	Group II	Group I		
BR17.A *** FW ***** BR17.S *** FW ***** BR17.A *** FV ***** BR17.S *** FV *****	1/2G		EEx ia IIC T4 / T5 / T6	- 50°C ≤ T <sub>a</sub> ≤ + 60°C (T6) - 50°C ≤ T <sub>a</sub> ≤ + 80°C (T5) - 50°C ≤ T <sub>a</sub> ≤ + 105°C (T4)
BR17.A *** FW ***** BR17.A *** FV *****		M1	EEx ia I	- 50°C ≤ T <sub>a</sub> ≤ + 105°C

### 15.2 Description

The Pressure Transmitter type VEGABAR BR17.\*\*\*\*\* is designed as an intrinsically safe supplied pressure gauge and serves for continuous measuring purposes of gas- or liquid-media in hazardous areas requiring category 1, 1/2 and 2 apparatus.

The Pressure Transmitter consists of a tubular stainless steel enclosure, witch contains printed circuit boards fitted with electronic components embedded in casting compound.

Due to various design, the intrinsically safe supply and signal circuit is interconnected either to plugs / connectors or terminals or led out of the casting compound and the enclosure by means of flexible wiring with open leads.

### 15.3 Parameters

#### 15.3.1 Supply and signal circuit

Voltage	U <sub>i</sub>	DC	30 V
Current	I <sub>i</sub>		100 mA
Power	P <sub>i</sub>		1 W
Signal current	I <sub>n</sub>		4...20 mA
Effective internal capacitance	C <sub>i</sub>	≤	22 nF
(versions providing permanently connected cable)	C <sub>i</sub>	≤	22 nF + 0,2 nF/m)
Effective internal inductance	L <sub>i</sub>	≤	0 μH
(versions providing permanently connected cable)	L <sub>i</sub>	≤	2 μH/m)

#### 15.3.2 Temperature class in relation to ambient temperature

See tables in 15.1.2.

- (16) Test and assessment report  
BVS PP 04.2186 EG as of 05.01.2005

(17) Special conditions for safe use

- 17.1 The installation of the Pressure Transmitter in the wall to areas requiring category 1G equipment shall provide a degree of protection IP67 according to EN 60529.
- 17.2 The installation of the Pressure Transmitter in the wall to areas requiring category 1D equipment shall provide a degree of protection IP6X according to EN 60529.
- 17.3 Manufacturer's technical information related to use of the Pressure Transmitter in contact with aggressive / corrosive media and to avoid any risk of mechanical impact shall be observed.
- 17.4 In case of applications of the Pressure Transmitter in areas requiring category 1 equipment the screen of the interconnection cable shall be included in the equipotential-bonding/grounding of the vessel.
- 17.5 The cable inlet of the apparatus in the wall to areas requiring category 1G equipment shall provide a degree of protection IP67 according to EN 60529.
- 17.6 The cable inlet of the apparatus in the wall to areas requiring category 1D equipment shall provide a degree of protection IP6X according to EN 60529.
- 17.7 Measuring of pressure media providing temperatures exceeding the values of the medium temperature ranges listed in the tables in clause 15.1.2 is permitted, if special heat sink assembly is used. But permissible surface temperatures, applicable to this range with regard to the specified temperature class, shall not be exceeded. In addition to that, temperature of the nut of the tubular enclosure shall not exceed the maximum value referring to the temperature class specified in clause 15.1.2.

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We confirm the correctness of the translation from the German original.  
In the case of arbitration only the German wording shall be valid and binding.

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BVS-Scha/Mi A 20040673

**EXAM BBG Prüf- und Zertifizier GmbH**



Certification body



Special services unit



## 1<sup>st</sup> Supplement

(Supplement in accordance with Directive 94/9/EC Annex III number 6)

### to the EC-Type Examination Certificate BVS 04 ATEX E 257 X

**Equipment:** Pressure Transmitter type VEGABAR BR17.\*\*\*\*\*

**Manufacturer:** VEGA Grieshaber KG

**Address:** 77767 Schiltach, Germany

#### Description

The Pressure Transmitter can be modified according to the descriptive documents as mentioned in the pertinent test and assessment report and is marked according to the following type code:

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| f | Cable length Z = without                        | C = 1.5 m<br>E = 3 m<br>G = 5 m<br>I = 10 m   |

- g Features / cleaning methods  
 Z = without  
 E = medium wetted parts free of oil- and grease; filled with Halocarbon oil  
 A = free of oil- and grease suitable for Oxygen application  
 F = silicone-free version  
 G = filling fluid and materials suitable for food application
- h Temperature range  
 B = -40 °C .. 125 °C  
 C = -20 °C .. 150 °C  
 E = -20 °C .. 60 °C  
 U = -20 °C .. 80 °C
- I Special manufacturer certificate  
 Z = no  
 I = individual check report 3.1 / EN 10204

The Essential Health and Safety Requirements of the modified equipment are assured by compliance with:

EN 60079-0:2006 General requirements  
 EN 60079-11:2007 Intrinsic safety 'i'  
 EN 60079-26:2004 Equipment Group II Category 1G  
 EN 50303:2000 Equipment Group I Category M1  
 EN 61241-0:2006 General requirements  
 EN 61241-11:2006 Protection by IS

The marking of the equipment shall include the following:

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BR17.A *** FW ***** BR17.S *** FW ***** BR17.A *** FV ***** BR17.S *** FV *****	1/2G		Ex ia IIC T4 / T5 / T6	-50 °C ≤ T <sub>a</sub> ≤ +60 °C (T6) -50 °C ≤ T <sub>a</sub> ≤ +80 °C (T5) -50 °C ≤ T <sub>a</sub> ≤ +105 °C (T4)
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### Parameters

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See tables above

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Test and assessment report

BVS PP 04.2186 EG as of 22.06.2010

**DEKRA EXAM GmbH**

Bochum, dated 22 June 2010

Signed: Hans Christian Simanski

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Certification body

Signed: Dr. Franz Eickhoff

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