Ultrasonic Air Transducer

Technical Data Sheet

ARK30





SPECIFICATIONS

Best Operating Frequency: 30 kHz, ±4%

Minimum Transmit Sensitivity at Best Transmit Frequency:

105 dB re 1uPa/V at 1 m

Minimum Receive Sensitivity at Best Receive Frequency:

-155 dB re 1V/µPa

Minimum Parallel Resistance: 700 Ω, ±30%

Minimum and Maximum Sensing Range*: 60 cm to 30 m

Typical Sensing Range: 80 cm to 25 m Free (1 kHz) Capacitance: 5,700 pF, ±20% pF Beamwidth (@ -3 dB Full Angle): 12°, ±2°

Maximum Driving Voltage (2% Duty Cycle Tone Burst): $2,200 \, \text{V}_{\text{pp}}$

Operating Temperature: -40°C to 90°C

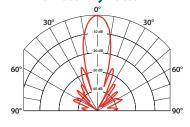
Weight: 800 g

Housing Material: Kynar® 720 Acoustic Window: Kynar® 720

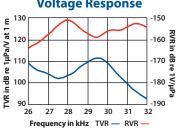
*Pulse-Echo Mode: Minimum and maximum ranges are best case scenarios. Actual range may vary, depending on drive circuitry and signal processing.

Note: Optimally, performance measurements should be taken when the transducer reaches a steady state.

Directivity Pattern



Transmit & Receive Voltage Response



Impedance Magnitude & Phase

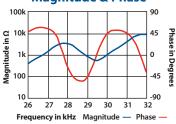
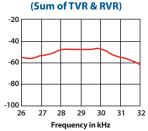


Figure of Merit



30 kHz

AIRDUCER® Ultrasonic Transducer

Applications

- · Level measurement
- Level measurement in chemically aggressive environments
- Food and beverage processing
- Proximity sensing
- Obstacle avoidance

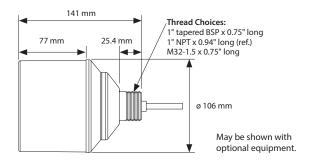
Features

- Rugged sealed construction
- Housing design will accommodate transceiver and signal processing electronics
- Standard internal shielding

Options

- · Cable length can be customized
- 10 K Ω thermistor available for temperature compensation
- · Mounting caps available in BSP, NPT, or M32 threads
- · Available in alternate housing material (AR30)

Dimensions



Additional Resources

Theory of Operations



Applying Ultrasonic Technology



Developer **Board**



Airmar's T1 Developer's Transceiver Module can be used for evaluation of AIRDUCER® Transducers.



