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# VE-23 / VE-22 / VE-21-V / VE-21-H Velocity Sensor

### **Features**

- Wide Full Scale Range, ± 1 to ± 100 mm/s
- Bandwidth 4.5 Hz to 315 Hz
- Civil Engineering and general vibration measurement applications
- □ Built-in Impulse Test Circuit
- ☐ Single Bolt Mounted Housing provides up to ± 10° of Levelling Adjustment
- Downhole Version (VE-2x-DH) is also available



#### **Outline**

The VE Velocity Sensors are engineered for consistent performance over a long lifetime. Advanced computerised testing, manufacturing techniques and quality control are used in the production process to provide both, the uniform parameters and the rugged qualities necessary in modern velocity sensors.

The sensor module has been proven world-wide for many years in different applications. The symmetrical rotating dual coil construction minimises the force on the spring arms. The use of precious metals ensures optimum electrical contact and a long operating life.

The VE Velocity Sensors operate from a wide range of input voltages and can be used for a variety of civil engineering and general vibration measurement applications. The VE-21-H is uniaxial horizontal, the VE-21-H a uniaxial vertical and the VE-23 is a triaxial velocity sensor.

The VE Velocity Sensors are housed in a very compact  $195 \times 112 \times 96$  mm case. The sealed cast aluminium housing contains a MS style connector or a sealed cable inlet. The housing also incorporates a single bolt mount with three levelling screws.



## Specifications VE-23 / VE-22 / VE-21-V / VE-21-H Velocity Sensor

#### **General Characteristics**

Application: Civil engineering, general vibration

measurement

Configurations:

VF-23:

VE-22-H:

VE-22-V: VE-21-H:

VE-21-V:

	■ Triaxia	Biaxial	Uniaxi	Axes X – Y – Z	Alignment** H – H – V
		•		X – Y	H – H
		•		X (or Y) – Z	H – V
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			•	Z	V
** H: Horizontal, V: Vertical					

Full Scale Range: ± 100 mm/s

optional:  $\pm 1$ ,  $\pm 10$  mm/s

Specification

Instrument Type: Digital grade long travel geo-phones

Dynamic Range: > 96 dB

Linearity: < 0.3 % of full scale
Cross Axis Sensitivity: < 0.1 % of full scale
Frequency Response: 4.5 to 315 Hz
Damping: standard 0.7

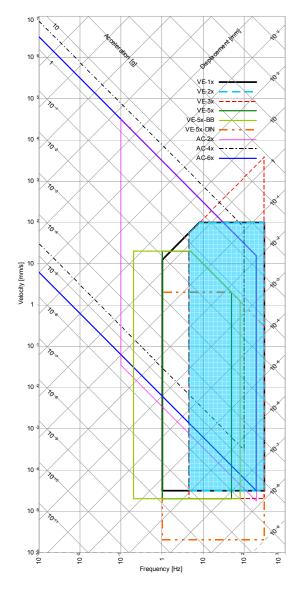
Full Scale Output: 0 ± 10 V differential (20 Vpp)

optional 2.5 ± 2.5 V single-ended

(5 Vpp)

0 to 20 mA current loop

Output Impedance:  $< 50 \ \Omega$  Measuring Range: See plot



Power

Supply Voltage: 9 to 12 VDC Supply Current: 1.2 mA per axis

**Connector Pin Configuration** 

Pin 1-2, 3-4, 5-6 Signal output for axis X, Y, Z

Pin 7-8 Test input, Digital test-pulse (0 – 12 V)

Pin 9-10 +12 VDC Power Supply

Pin 11-12 Sensor Mode
Case Shielded Ground

**Environment / Housing** 

Housing Type: Cast aluminium Sealed access cover

Housing Size: 195 x 112 x 96 mm

Weight: 2.0 kg Index of Protection: IP 65

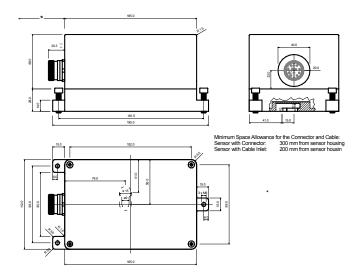
optional IP 68

Temperature Range: -25 to 85 °C (operating)

-40 to 100 °C (storage) Humidity: 0 to 100 % (non-condensing)

Mounting: Single bolt, surface mount, adjustable

within ± 10°



**Standard VE-2x** Floor mounted, full scale ± 100 mm/s

2 m cable with sensor mating connector concrete anchor and user manual on CD

**Options** 

Housing:

Cable Connection: Sealed cable inlet, replaces connector

Cable with shielded twisted pairs for any

length (including mating sensor connector) with open end Cables for connection to GeoSIG

recorder

Connector on user specification

mounted at cable end Watertight IP68 housing Downhole housing

Stainless steel protective housing

Temperature Output: Temperature sensing at the sensor side 1 Hz Extension: Electrical circuit, which extends

1 Hz Extension: Electrical circuit, which extends the passband down to 1 Hz.

Low Noise Amplifier: Amplification of 1000 using very

low noise electronics (model

VE-2XHG).

**Ordering Information** 

Specify: Type of VE-2x, full scale range, and

other applicable options

