



## Appliance information

The Vibro level indicators are indicating the filling level as a limit switch in silos and containers.

any mounting position

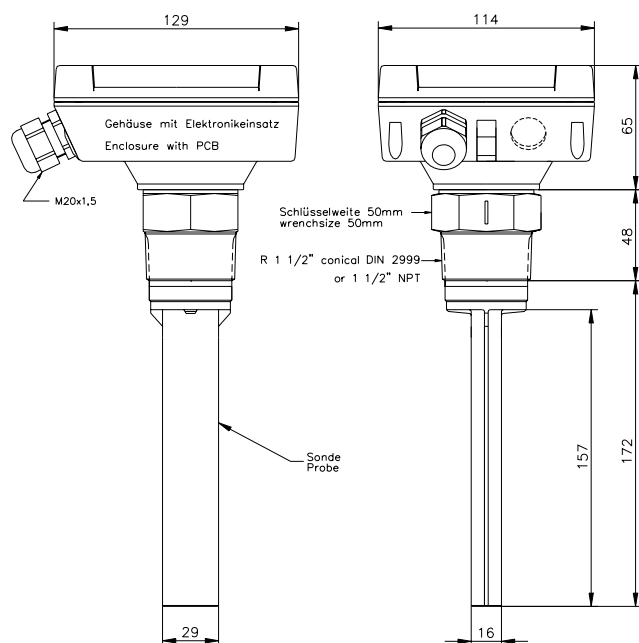
### Use

The models of serie **VF10** are vibrating limit switches to be used for indicating the level in silos and containers, which are filled with all kinds of bulk goods.

Due to the compact design and little internal length the **VF12** is especially well qualified for use in small containers and vessels or hoppers and wherever limited mounting space is dedicated.

A typical application is e.g. the use of two **VF12** as full- and empty indicator in containers and silos.

### Dimensions VF12



### Function

The electronics of the **VF10** serie excites the vibrating rod to vibrate on its resonance frequency of approx. 285 Hz.

If material covers the vibrating rod, the vibration will be attenuated. This is sensed by the electronics and it will actuate a relay.

If the filling level sinks, the vibrating rod will swing on its resonance frequency again and the relay will switch back.

### Technical data

<b>Materials</b>	housing	Aluminium
	Process connection and probe	1.4301 stainless steel
<b>Process connection</b>		G1½ DIN 2999 or 1½" NPT
<b>Ambient temperature</b>		-20 °C ... +60 °C
<b>Bulk goods temperature</b>		-20 °C ... +80 °C
	Option E1	-20 °C ... +150 °C
<b>max. process pressure</b>		10 bar
<b>Supply voltage (multivoltage)</b>		20 ... 250 V AC / DC
<b>Power consumption</b>		3 VA
<b>Signal contact (relay)</b>		change-over contact, potentialfree
<b>Capacity of the contact</b>		5 A / 250 V AC
<b>Response delay</b>		
	attenuation	1 second
	start of vibration	2 up to 5 seconds
<b>min. density of material</b>		0,02 kg/l (Optional >0,01 kg/l)
<b>Cable entry</b>		Cable gland M20x1,5
<b>Type of protection</b>		IP 66 acc. to DIN EN 60529
<b>Maintenance</b>		none
<b>max. load upon the end of the vibrating rod</b>		1000 N (from lateral 150 N)
<b>Option</b>	<b>B1</b>	Ex II 1/2D T 80 °C IP66

### Minimum-/Maximum alarm

The **VF10** serie can be used as maximum or minimum switch.

The way of function is adjusted by jumpers on the circuit board.

The status of the relay is shown at the circuit board by a red LED corresponding to the drawings adjacent.

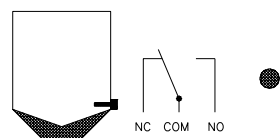
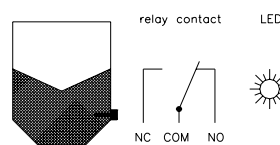
#### Minimum alarm L (Failsafe low)

The relay is deenergized (position NC, red LED off), when the filling level is as low as the probe is not covered with material and it is vibrating freely or it's a failure of the supply voltage.

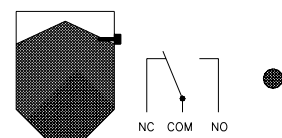
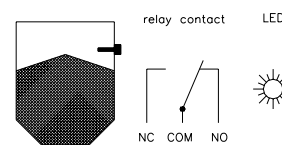
#### Maximum alarm H (Failsafe high)

The relay is deenergized (position NC, red LED off), when the filling level is as high as the probe is covered with material or it is a failure of the supply voltage.

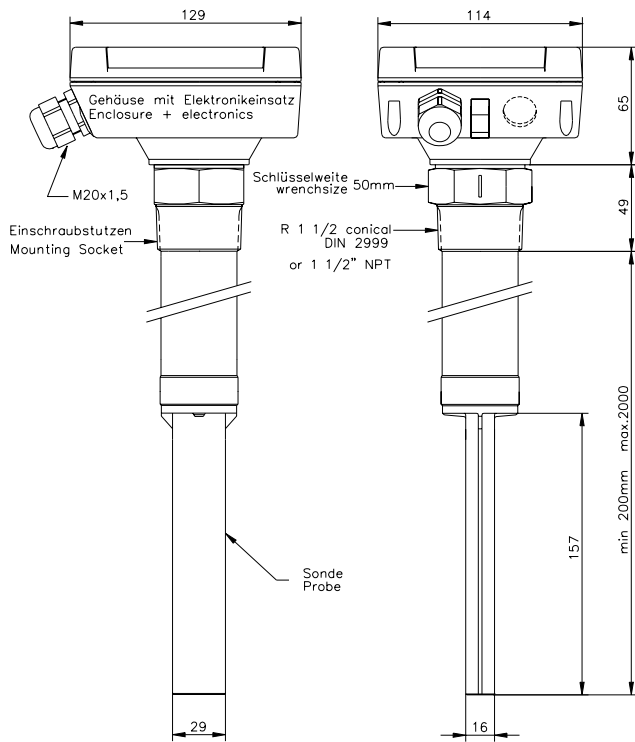
#### Minimum alarm L



#### Maximum alarm H



**Dimensions VF13**

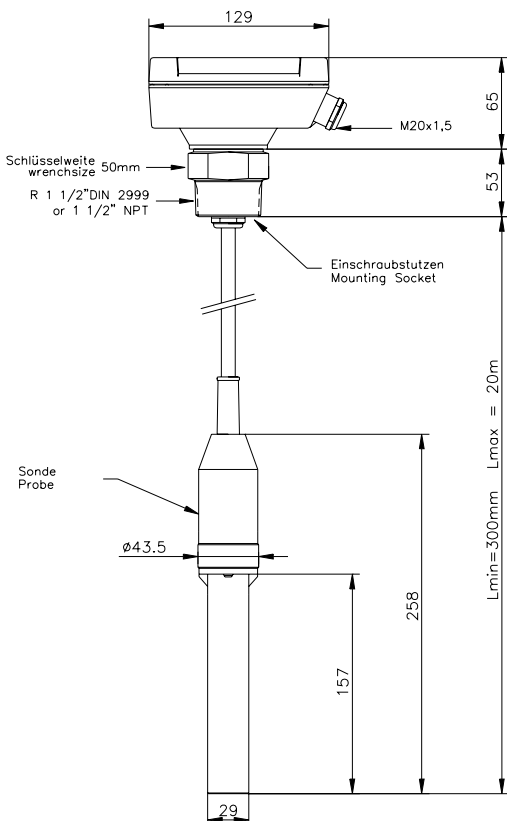


**VF13 Tube jib**

**Use**

- for vertical mounting in a silo resp. container
- to detect the filling level more inside of the container
- to penetrate the stickings of bulk goods on the wall inside of the container
- maximum jib length: 2000 mm
- any mounting position if jib length is less then 1000 mm (for these mounting positions the jib has to be supported in an appropriate way)

**Dimensions VF15**



**VF15 Rope extension**

**Use**

- for vertical mounting in a silo resp. container
- maximum rope length: 20 m
- maximum load onto the extension rope: 2000 N