

# **VEGAMET 381 Ex**

## Signal conditioning and display instrument for level sensors



## **Application area**

The VEGAMET 381 Ex signal conditioning instrument powers the connected 4 ... 20 mA/HART sensor, processes and displays the measured values. The VEGAMET 381 Ex is ideal for simple control tasks in all industries with Ex applications. Comprehensive adjustment functions allow individual adaptations to the respective application.

#### Your benefit

- Transmitter power supply in Ex version via the 4 ... 20 mA sensor input
- Versatile use through two relay outputs for control of pumps and stirrers, etc.
- Clearly readable LC display for digital and quasianalogue measured value indication

#### **Function**

The VEGAMET 381 Ex signal conditioning instrument powers a 4 ... 20 mA sensor and processes its measured value. Through an adjustment on VEGAMET this measured value can be scaled individually and outputted to connected instruments via the current output. Beside the large indication there are two operating relays that serve as limit alarms for control tasks.

Technical data	
Series	Instrument for mounting into front panel, switching cabinet or housing

Connection terminals

- Type of terminal Screw terminal

Max. wire cross-section 1.5 mm² (AWG 16)
 Operating voltage 20 ... 253 V AC, 50/60 Hz, 20 ... 253 V DC

Max. power consumption 12 VA, 4 W

Sensor input

Number of sensors 1 x 4 ... 20 mA

Type of input (switchable)

- mode active Sensor is powered by VEGAMET 381 Ex

mode passive
 Sensor has an own power supply

Deviation

- Accuracy  $\pm 20 \,\mu\text{A} \, (0.1 \,\% \,\text{of} \, 20 \,\text{mA})$ 

Relay outputs

Quantity 2 x operating relay, 1 x fail safe relay
Switching voltage min. 10 mV DC, max. 250 V AC/DC
Switching current min. 10 µA DC, max. 3 A AC, 1 A DC
Breaking capacity min. 50 mW, max. 500 VA, max. 54 W DC

**Current output** 

Quantity 1 x output Range 0/4 ... 20 mA Max. load 500  $\Omega$ 

#### **Indicators**

Measured value indication

- LC display (45 x 45 mm) digital and quasianalogue indication

- Max. indicating range -9999 ... 9999

LED displays

Status, operating volt 1 x LED green

Status, fault signal
Status operating relay
1 x LED red
2 x LED yellow

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**Ambient conditions** 

Ambient temperature -20 ... +60 °C (-4 ... +140 °F)

### **Electrical protective measures**

Protection rating

Wall, rail mountingFront panel mountingIP 40

SIL qualification

SIL qualification Optionally up to SIL2

## Approvals

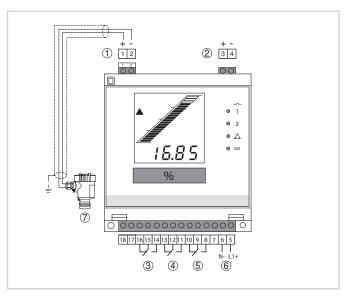
You can find detailed information on the existing approvals in the "configurator" on our homepage at <a href="www.vega.com/configurator">www.vega.com/configurator</a>.



## Operation

VEGAMET 381 Ex is adjusted on the front via a clear LC display and a 16-step function switch as well as two keys.

## **Electrical connection**

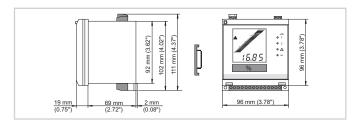


#### Connection VEGAMET 381 Ex

- 1 Meas. data input/sensor power supply with sockets for VEGACONNECT
- 2 Current output
- 3 Fail safe relay
- 4 Relay 2
- 5 Relay 1
- 6 Voltage supply

You can find details on electrical connection in the instrument operating instructions on our homepage at <a href="https://www.vega.com/downloads">www.vega.com/downloads</a>.

### **Dimensions**



### Information

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In the download section under <a href="www.vega.com/downloads">www.vega.com/downloads</a> you'll find free operating instructions, product information, brochures, approval documents, instrument drawings and much, much more.

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