

GM100A

Metal Sealed, Digital Mass Flow Controller



The GM100A is a general purpose, metal sealed MFC well suited for a wide variety of applications requiring flow control capability from 1 slm to 100 slm Full Scale, N₂ equivalent. The GM100A incorporates the latest in digital flow control electronics along with a well proven, patented thermal sensor and mechanical design.

The GM100A digitally controlled MFC is available with either analog or digital I/O. The digital control electronics utilize the latest in MKS control algorithms providing fast and repeatable response to set point throughout the device control range. Typical response times are on the order of 750 milliseconds. Included is a digital calibration

that yields 1% of set point accuracy on the calibration gas. All GM100As include Modbus as an available secondary I/O (excludes PROFINET® and EtherCAT®). The GM100A utilizes the standard 3-inch footprint most often used by MFCs in the 5 sccm to 50 slm flow rate range without the need to modify existing gas line configurations, and now operates with flow rates up to 100 slm, N₂ equivalent. The GM100A metal sealed MFC, with its electropolished surface finish, is well suited for use in high purity process applications and is available with a normally closed valve. An MFM version is also available (not electropolished).

Product Features

- Embedded user interface provides the ability to
 - Easily change device range and user gas reducing inventory requirements
 - Monitor device functionality and collect performance data in-situ
 - Adjust flow calibration for chamber-to-chamber and tool-to-tool process matching
- 10μ inch electropolished 316L surface finish enables MFC use for high purity applications
- Compact 3 inch footprint with high flow 4 VCR fittings allows the user to increase system flow rate without the need to modify gas lines

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Key Benefits

- Patented thermal sensor design provides exceptional zero stability
- Percent of set point accuracy (calibration gas) enables precise process control

Specifications

Performance

Full Scale Flow Ranges (N ₂ equivalent)		50,000 - 100,000 sccm
Maximum Inlet Pressure	MFC MFM	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 150 psig (can not exceed pressure differential requirement across MFC) • 500 psi
Normal Operating Pressure Differential (N ₂ Full Scale) (with atmospheric pressure at the MFC outlet)		50,000 - 100,000 sccm; 40 to 80 psid
Proof Pressure		1000 psig
Burst Pressure		1500 psig
Control Range		2% to 100% of Full Scale (range on mech.)
Typical Accuracy (with N ₂ calibration gas)		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ±1% of set point for 20 to 100% Full Scale • ±0.2% of Full Scale for 2 to 20% Full Scale
Repeatability		±0.3% of Reading
Resolution		0.1% of Full Scale
Temperature Coefficients	Zero Span	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <0.05% of Full Scale/°C • <0.08% of Reading/°C
Inlet Pressure Coefficient		<0.02% of Reading/psi
Typical Controller Settling Time (per SEMI Guideline E-17-0600)		<750 msec., typical above 10% Full Scale
Warm-up Time (to within 0.2% of Full Scale of steady state performance)		30 minutes
Operating Temperature Range (Ambient)		10°C to 50°C
Storage Humidity		0 to 95% Relative Humidity, non-condensing
Storage Temperature		-20° to 80°C (-4° to 149° F)

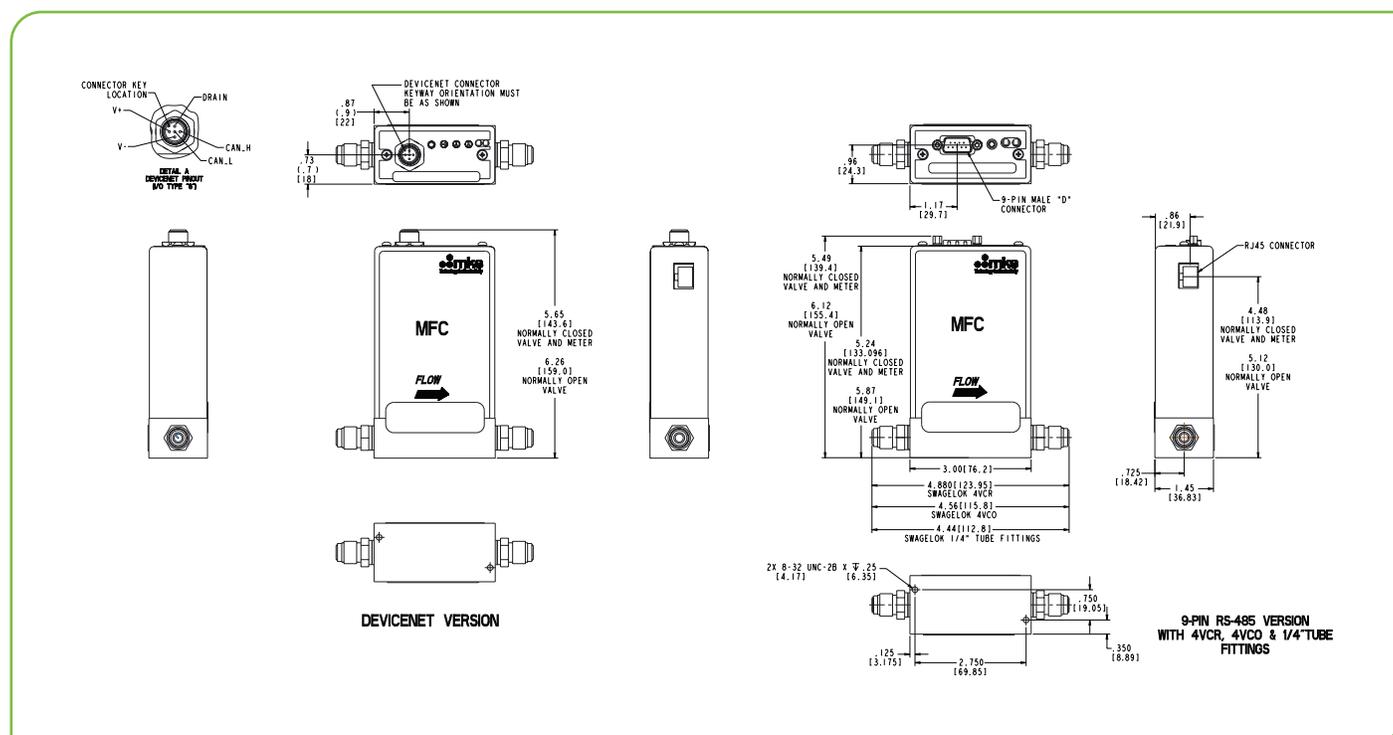
Mechanical

Fittings (compatible with)		Swagelok® 4 VCR® high flow male, Swagelok 8 VCR male, 1/2" Swagelok, 10mm Swagelok, KF-16
Leak Integrity	External (scc/sec He) Through Closed Valve	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <1 x 10⁻¹⁰ • <1.0% of Full Scale at 40 psig inlet to atmosphere (To assure no flow-through, a separate positive shut-off valve is required.)
Wetted Materials	Standard Valve Seat (MFC only)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 316L S.S. VAR (equivalent to 316 S.S. SCQ for semiconductor quality), 316 S.S., Elgiloy®, Nickel • Viton®, Buna, EPDM or Neoprene
Surface Finish	MFC MFM	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 10µ inch average Ra (electropolished) • 10µ inch average Ra
Weight		<3 lbs (1.4kg)

Electrical Analog I/O

Input Power Required		+15 to +24 VDC @ (<4 watts)
Flow Input/Output Signal	Voltage (0 to 5 VDC) Current (4 to 20 mA)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 15 pin Type "D" male, 9 pin Type "D" male • 15 pin Type "D" male
Compliance		CE

Digital I/O	DeviceNet™	RS485	Profibus®	EtherCAT®	PROFINET®
Input Power Required	+11 to +25 VDC per (<4 watts)	+15 to +24 VDC (<4 watts)	+15 to +24 VDC (<4 watts)	+24 VDC (<5 watts)	+24 VDC (<5 watts)
Connector	5 pin micro connector (power and comm.)	9 pin Type D male (power and comm.)	9 pin Type D male (power) 9 pin Type D female (comm.)	2 x RJ-45 (comm.) male, M8 male, 5 pin (power)	2 x RJ-45 (comm.) male, M8 male, 5 pin (power)
Data Rate Switch/Selection	4 positions: 125, 250, 500K (Default), (programmable over network)	No switch Set data rate via RS485	No switch Set data rate via Profibus	No switch	No switch
Comm. Rate(s)	125 Kbps; 250 Kbps; 500 Kbps	9.6 Kbps; 19.2 Kbps; 38.4 Kbps	9.6 Kbps to 12 Mbps	100 Mbps	100 Mbps
MAC ID Switches/Addresses	2 switches, 10 positions; 0,0 to 6,3 1 to 254	Set address over RS485 Station Addresses 0,0 to 9,9	2 switches, 10 positions	3 switches, 16 positions	N/A
Network Size	Up to 64 nodes	Up to 32 nodes	Up to 99 nodes	Up to 4095 nodes	N/A
Visual Indicators	LED Network (green/red) LED Module (green/red)	LED Comm (yellow) LED Error (red)	LED Comm (green/red) LED Error (green/red)	LED Power (green) LED Run (green) LED Error (red) LED Comm (green)	LED Maint (amber) LED BUS Fault (red) LED Ready (green) LED Sys Fault (red)
Compliance	CE	CE	CE	CE	CE



DeviceNet™ and RS485 with VCR fittings* (*see manual for additional I/O and fitting types).
Unless otherwise specified, dimensions are nominal values in inches (mm referenced).

Ordering Information

Ordering Code Example: GM100A013105T6MB020	Code	Configuration
Model		
MFC Mass Flow Controller GM100A	GM100A	GM100A
Gas (per Semi Standard E52-0703)		
013 = Nitrogen = N ₂ 029 = Ammonia = NH ₃ 110 = Sulfur Hexafluoride = SF ₆	013 029 110	013
Flow Range Full Scale*		
50000 sccm 75000 sccm 100000 sccm	504 754 105	105
Fittings (compatible with)		
10mm Swagelok 12mm Swagelok 1/2" Swagelok 3/8" Swagelok Swagelok 4 VCR male (high flow) Swagelok 8 VCR male Swagelok 8 VCO male (Consult Factory) KF-16	P F K J R T D U	T
Connector		
EtherCAT DeviceNet RS485 (uses 9 pin connector) Profibus (1480 Compatible) Profibus (1179B Compatible) PROFINET Analog 0 to 5 VDC, 9 Pin D connector Analog 0 to 5 VDC, 9 Pin D connector, Tied Grounds Analog 0 to 5 VDC, 15 Pin D connector Analog 0 to 5 VDC, 15 Pin D connector, Tied Grounds Analog 4 to 20 mA, 15 Pin D connector	8 6 5 4 3 9 A L B M H	6
Valve/Device Type		
Normally Closed Mass Flow Meter	M 3	M
Seal Materials**		
Buna Valve Plug Neoprene Valve Plug Viton Valve Plug EPDM Valve Plug No Valve (MFM Option)	B N V E 0	B
Reserved		
Reserved	0	0
Firmware		
Unless otherwise specified, MKS will ship firmware revision current to date.	20	20

* The Full Scale flow rate is designated by a 3 digit number. The first two digits represent the significant digits of the Full Scale flow rate separated by a decimal point. The third digit is the exponent of the power of ten. Example Flow Rate Code:

254 is 2.5 x 10⁴ or 25000 sccm

153 is 1.5 x 10⁵ or 1500 sccm

605 is 6.0 x 10⁶ or 60000 sccm

** The user should consult with their gas supplier on the appropriate elastomer which is compatible with the selected gas.