# Immersible Thermal Gas Mass Flow Meter

## FEATURES

- Direct mass flow monitoring eliminates need for separate temperature and pressure inputs
- Accuracy +/- 1% of reading plus 0.5% of full scale
- Patented Dry-Sense<sup>™</sup> technology eliminates sensor drift
- State-of-the-art calibration facility insures a highly accurate calibration that matches the application
- Field validation of meter electronics and sensor resistance verifies flow meter performance
- One-second response to changes in flow rate
- FM, CSA, PED, ATEX and GOST R/RTN certified for hazardous areas
- CE approved
- High temperature option to 750°F (400°C) available
- Multipoint options available
- Integrated self-cleaning purge option available for dirty flows
- Low and high pressure hot taps available
- Optional HART, Modbus and Profibus DP available, Foundation Fieldbus (pending)



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## DESCRIPTION

**S** ierra Instruments' SteelMass<sup>®</sup> Model 640S immersible thermal mass flow meter is designed for the toughest industrial gas flow measurement applications.

The versatile microprocessor-based transmitter integrates the functions of flow measurement, flow-range adjustment, meter validation and diagnostics in either a probe-mounted or remote housing. Mass flow rate and totalized flow, as well as other configuration variables, are displayed on the optional 2 x 12 LCD display. The programmable transmitter is easily configured via an RS-232 communication port and Sierra's Smart Interface<sup>™</sup> software, or via the display and magnetic switches on the instrument.

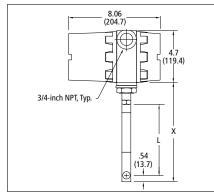
Sierra's state-of-the-art calibration facility insures that the calibration will match the application, and our patented Dry-Sense<sup>™</sup> thermal sensor insures the Model 640S will hold this calibration over time.

Sierra's Smart Interface<sup>™</sup> software guides you through a procedure to fully validate instrument performance, thus field-verifying meter functionality.

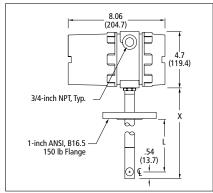
The meter is available with a variety of input power, output signal, mounting and packaging options.

#### HAZARDOUS-AREA LOCATION ENCLOSURE DIMENSIONAL SPECIFICATIONS

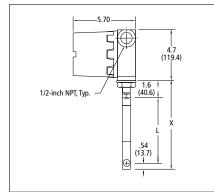
#### Compression Fitting—Side View (E2)



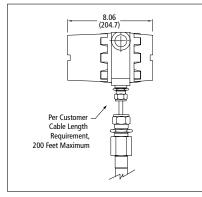
#### Flange Mounting—Side View (E2)

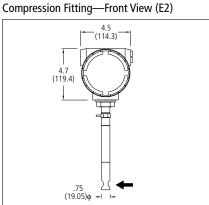


#### Remote Mount Junction Box—Side View (E4)

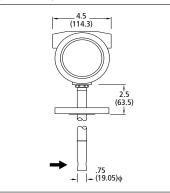


#### Remote Mount—Side View (E3, ATEX only)

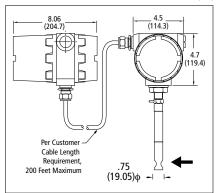




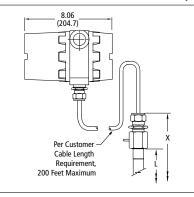
Flange Mounting—Front View (E2)



#### Remote Mount Junction Box-Front View (E4)



#### Remote Mount — Front View (E3, ATEX only)



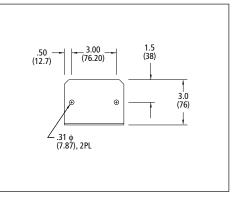
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Length Chart (Compressions Fittings)		
Code	L	X
L06	6.0 (152.4)	7.5 (190.5)
L09	9.0 (228.6)	10.5 (266.7)
L13	13.0 (330.2)	14.5 (368.3)
L18	18.0 (457.2)	19.5 (495.3)
L24	24.0 (609.6)	25.5 (647.7)
L36	36.0 (914.4)	37.5 (952.5)

Length Chart (Flange Mounting)		
Code		X
L06	6.0 (152.4)	9.0 (228.6)
L09	9.0 (228.6)	12.0 (304.8)
L13	13.0 (330.2)	16.0 (406.4)
L18	18.0 (457.2)	21.0 (533.4)
L24	24.0 (609.6)	27.0 (685.8)
L36	36.0 (914.4)	39.0 (990.6)

Length Chart (Remote Mount Junction Box)		
Code	L	Х
L06	6.0 (152.4)	7.5 (190.5)
L09	9.0 (228.6)	10.5 (266.7)
L13	13.0 (330.2)	14.5 (368.3)
L18	18.0 (457.2)	19.5 (495.3)
L24	24.0 (609.6)	25.5 (647.7)
L36	36.0 (914.4)	37.5 (952.5)

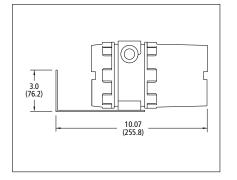
#### Mounting Holes for Remote Bracket

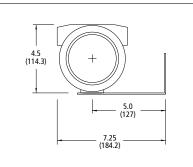


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#### HAZARDOUS-AREA LOCATION ENCLOSURE DIMENSIONAL SPECIFICATIONS

#### **Remote Rear Bracket Mounted Electronics**



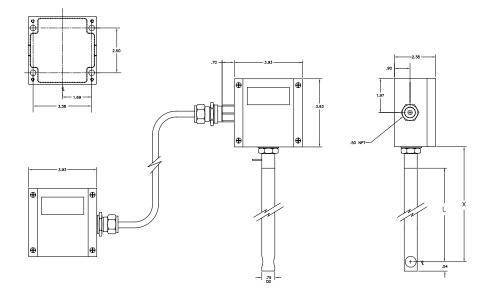


Remote Side Bracket Mounted Electronics

	Length Chart (NEMA 4X)		
Code	L	Х	
L06	6.0 (152.4)	7.25 (184.1)	
L09	9.0 (228.6)	10.25 (260.3)	
L13	13.0 (330.2)	14.25 (361.9)	
L18	18.0 (457.2)	19.25 (488.9)	
L24	24.0 (609.6)	25.25 (641.3)	
L36	36.0 (980.4)	37.25 (946.1)	

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#### **NEMA 4X DIMENSIONAL SPECIFICATIONS**



#### SELF-CLEANING PURGE OPTION

- Maximum process pressure 100 Psi
- Maximum process temperature 500 F.
- Max pressure purge air: 150 Psi
- Process connection Purge air 1/4" NPTF
- Wetted Process Parts: all 316SS
- The purge gas must be clean and dry. Do not use a liquid to clean the sensor inline
- The purge system is only available with E4 and E2 housings
- The purge system is NOT available with FM, ATEX or CSA approval or the high temperature option

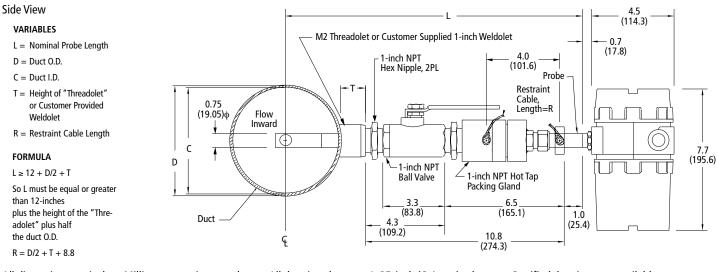
**Warning**: During the purge cycle there will be a high flow over the sensor. This will drive the output of the flow meter to the maximum flow (Output will be 20-26 mA (load dependent) during the purge. Insure that this temporally high output does not effect any alarms or process control systems.

Operation: This is not a continous flow of air, but a blast purge option. The purge nozzle creates a jet stream wich blows deposits from the sensors. The frequency and intensity of the purge is determined by the end user. It can be done with a suitable manual, pneumatic or electric valve (Solenoid). It is also possible to control the purge system automatically (f.i. timer, PLC or HMI).

Note: There is a check valve built Inside the flow meter to prevent the return flow of process gasses into the purge system. Replacement of this valve can only take place in the factory.

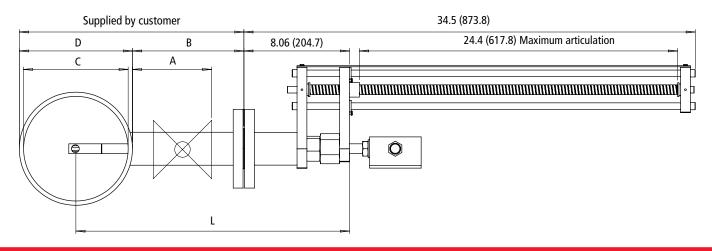
Note: Only a 24 VDC power input is available when ordering an internal purge option.

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#### HIGH PRESSURE HOT TAP IS FLANGE DEPENDENT UP TO 400 PSIG (27.6 BARG)

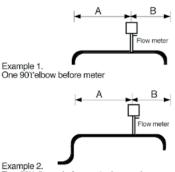


#### **UNOBSTRUCTED FLOW REQUIREMENTS**

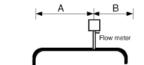
Select an installation site that will minimize possible distortion in the flow profile. Valves, elbows, control valves and other piping components may cause flow disturbances. Check your specific piping condition against the examples shown below. In order to achieve accurate and repeatable performance install the flow meter using the recommended number of straight run pipe diameters upstream and downstream of the sensor. If you cannot meet these requirements please refer to the Flat-Trak™ Model 780S with flow conditioning plates (flow conditioning plates reduce upstream requirements to as little as 2 diameters.

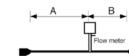
Example - Upstream Requirements (A)		
1	15D	
2	20D	
3	40D	
4	15D	
5	30D	
6	40D	

Example - Downstream Requirements (B)	
1	5D
2	5D
3	10D
4	5D
5	10D
6	5D

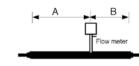


Two 901'elbows before meter in one plane

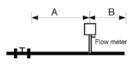




Example 4. Reduction before meter



Example 5. Expansion before meter



Example 3. Two 901'elbows before meter out of plane (if three 901'bends present, double recommended length) Example 6. Regulator or valve partially closed before meter (If valve is always wide open, base length requirements on fitting directly preceding it)

#### DESCRIPTION

#### **Accuracy of Point Velocity**

+/- 1% of reading + 0.5% of full scale. Note: Overall accuracy of HT meters may be de-rated due to temperature and velocity conditions.

#### Repeatability

+/- 0.2% of full scale

#### **Temperature Coefficient**

+/- 0.02% of reading per °F within +/- 50° F of customer specified conditions

- +/- 0.03% of reading per °F within +/- 50° F to 100° F of customer specified conditions
- +/- 0.04% of reading per °C within +/- 25° C of customer specified conditions
- +/- 0.06% of reading per °C within +/- 25° C to 50° C of customer specified conditions

#### **Pressure Coefficient**

.02% per psi for air, consult factory for other gases

#### **Response Time**

One second to 63% of final velocity value

## **OPERATING SPECIFICATIONS**

#### Gases

Most gases compatible with 316 stainless steel

#### Hastalloy<sup>®</sup> available

#### Gas Pressure (2 limitations)

Mechanical design pressure: Compression fittings: 500 psig (34 barg) 1-inch 150 lb flange (-40° to 250° F): 185 psig (12.8 barg) Low Pressure Hot Tap: 150 psig (10 barg) High Pressure Hot Tap: 275 psig (18 barg)

## Pressure Drop

Negligible for pipes three inches in diameter or larger

#### **Gas & Ambient Temperature**

## Leak Integrity

5 x 10-9 cc/sec of helium maximum

#### **Power Requirements**

18 to 30 VDC (regulated), 625 mA maximum 100 to 240 VAC, 50/60 Hz, 15 watts maximum 625 mA maximum operating current at 24 VDC and full scale flow Maximum in rush current of 2 Amps at 24 VDC Consult factory for other conditions

## HIGH TEMPERATURE OPTION

Up to 750° F (400° C) air only; consult fatory for other gases

#### **DIGITAL COMMUNICATIONS OPTIONS**

Pulse (not available with E2-NR) Modbus RTU (not available with P3 option ) Profibus DP (available E2/E4-P2 configuration only) HART universal commands (available E2/E4-P2 configuration only) Foundation Fieldbus (available E2/E4-P2 configuration only) pending

#### **Output Signal**

Linear 0–5 VDC or 0-10 VDC, 1000 ohms minimum load resistance or Linear 4–20 mA proportional to mass flow rate,

700 ohms maximum resistance power supply dependent User-selectable: Active non-galvanically separated or Passive galvanically separated (loop power required)

#### Alarms

Hard contact user-adjustable high and low Dead band adjustable with Smart Interface<sup>™</sup> software Relay ratings: Maximum 400 VDC or VAC (peak), 140 mA

#### Displays

Alphanumeric 2 x 12 digit backlit LCD Adjustable variables via on-board switches (password protected) or with Smart Interface<sup>™</sup> software Adjustable variables: Full scale (50 to 100 %) Time Response (1 to 7 seconds) Correction factor setting (0.5 to 5) Zero and span

High and low alarm settings

## Totalizer

Eight digits (99,999,999) in engineering units Resettable by software, on-board switches or external magnet

#### Software

Smart Interface<sup>™</sup> Windows<sup>®</sup>-based software Minimum 8 MB of RAM, preferred 16 MB of RAM RS-232 communication Additional features: Alarm dead band adjustment Zero cut-off adjustment Linearization adjustment Save / Load configurations Flow meter validation

## **PHYSICAL SPECIFICATIONS**

Wetted Materials 316 stainless steel

#### Enclosure

Hazardous-Area Location Enclosure (IP66) or NEMA 4X (IP65) Both are powder-coated cast aluminum

#### **Electrical Connections**

Two 3/4 inch NPT: Hazardous-Area Location Enclosure (IP66) One 1/2 inch NPT: NEMA 4X Enclosure (IP65)

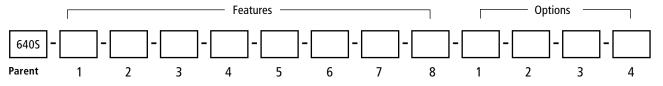
## Mounting (optional)

ANSI 1-inch 150 lb flange 3/4-inch tube compression fitting with 1-inch male NPT Hot tap systems

#### Certifications

CE (All enclosures) CSA (Explosion proof for Class I, Division 1, Groups B, C, D) ATEX (II 2 GD Ex d IIC T6 ... T2; IP 66 T70 °C ... T280 °C ) FM (Explosion proof for Class I, Division 1, Groups B, C, D; dust-ignition proof for Class II, III, Division 1, Groups E, F, G) IP65, NEMA 4X T6 -40° C to 70° C ambient Chinese pattern approval GOST R/RTN (1ExdIICT6...T2)

#### **ORDERING THE 640S**



Instructions: To order the 640S please fill in each number block by selecting the codes from the corresponding features below and following pages.

## Parent Number 640S SteelMass Industrial Insertion Mass Flow Meter. 18-30 VDC or 100-240VAC input power with 3/4-inch diameter 316SS probe. Includes "Smart Electronics" with PC configuration software. Calibration temperatures up to 350°F (176°C) and pressure to 500 psig (34.5 barg). HT option to 750°F (400°C) available (contact factory). CE, FM, CSA, ATEX approvals. Linear 0-5 VDC, 0-10 VDC or 4-20 mA output signals. Lifetime warranty on Fast Response (FR) sensor)

Featur	Feature 1: Approvals	
NAA	Non-agency approved meter	
ATEX	640S with II 2 GD Ex d IIC T2T6 ATEX Approval. Requires E2 or E3 enclosure. E3 required for probe lengths greater than 13 inches. Maximum probe length is 36 inch (92 cm). Note: ATEX units have circuit energy limitations that limit maximum flows to approx 50% of non-ATEX units. Consult gas tables for actual values	
FM	640S with FM Approval. Requires E2 or E4 enclosure. Maximum probe length is 72 inches (1.83 m)	
CSA	640S with CSA Approval. Requires E2 or E4 enclosure. Maximum probe length is 72 inches (1.83 m)	

Feature 2:	Feature 2: Probe Length	
L06	6 inch (15 cm)	
L09	9 inch (23 cm)	
L13	13 inch (33 cm)	
L18	18 inch (46 cm)	
L24	24 inch (61 cm)	
L36	36 inch (92 cm)	
L()	Specify length in parentheses. Maximum probe length 72 inches (2 m). Minimum length 6 inches (15 cm)	
L ( ) M5	Probe with 1 inch, class 150 Flange Specify length in parentheses. Include M5 option Diagram with ADS	
L ( ) M9	High pressure hot-tap with removable retractor kit assembly includes probe (probe length L in parentheses, MINIMUM length is process connection depend- ent, maximum as desired), removable retractor assembly, packing gland probe seal with a 2-inch ANSI class 150 process connection (other classes available, contact factory) and Conax fitting. Max pressure flange dependent or 400 psig (27.6 barg). Contact factory for 1000 psig (68.9 barg) option.	

Feature 3: Mounting Accessories	
M0	None. Customer to supply own mounting hardware
M1	Compression fitting 3/4-inch with 1-inch NPT Male
M2()	Threadolet 1-inch Female NPT; specify pipe O.D. in parenthesis
M1-M2 ( )	Compression fitting plus Threadolet. 3/4-inch probe feed through by 1-male NPT. Threads into 1-inch Female NPT, which is welded to the pipe. Specify pipe O.D. in paren- thesis. We strongly advise to purchase this as a set, since we've seen non compatible NPT threads in the past.
M3	Flat duct bracket. 3/4-inch tube compression fitting
M4 ()	Curved duct bracket. 3/4-inch tube compression fitting. Specify duct O.D. in parentheses
M8 ( )	Low pressure hot tap. Includes ball valve and packing gland. Specify duct O.D. in parentheses. Maximum 150 psig (10.3 barg)
M15	Quick removal Hot-Tap. Includes ball valve and compres- sion fitting. Rated for 40 psig (2.8 barg)

Note 1: Killark seal is required for agency approved meters greater than L13 (33 cm). Adds 6.2 in (157 mm) to probe length listed above.

Feature 4	Feature 4: Electronics Enclosure		
E2	Hazardous-area location enclosure (IP66) Mounted directly on probe		
E3 ( )	Remote hazardous-area location enclosure (IP66). Requires E2 or E3 enclosure. E3 required for probe lengths greater than 13 inches. Specify cable length in parenthesis. Maximum 200 feet (61m). Hazardous-Area Location Enclosure (IP66) housing mounted up to 200 feet (61m) from flow body; includes strain relief on end of probe and mounting bracket.		
E4 ( )	Remote Hazardous-Area Location Enclosure (IP66) with Junction Box. Specify cable length in parenthesis. Maximum 200 feet (61m) hazardous-area location enclosure (IP66) housing mounted up to 200 feet (61m) from flow body; includes (IP66) junction box mounted on probe and mounting bracket for remote electronics enclosure.		
EN2	NEMA 4X (IP65) enclosure. Mounted directly on probe		
EN4 ( )	Remote NEMA 4X (IP65) Enclosure with Junction Box. Specify cable length in parenthesis. Maximum 200 feet (61m) Mounted up to 200 feet (61m) away from the probe with junction box mounted on probe. Includes remote electronics enclosure mounting bracket and 1/2-inch Female NPT connection.		

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Feature 5: Input Power	
P2	18–30 VDC
P3	100–240 VAC. Not available with EN enclosures

Feature 6: Output		
V1	0-5 VDC, linear	
V3	0-10 VDC, linear	
V4	4-20 mA, linear	

Feature 7:	Feature 7: Display		
NR	No readout		
DD	Digital display 2 x 12 digit, backlit, LCD display indicates flow rate and totalized mass in engineering units. Simplifies configuration settings and provides system status information		
DD-NRT	Totalizer cannot be reset in the field.		

Feature	e 8: Gas	Option 1	: Digital Communications	
0	Air	Pulse	Totalizer pulse output (Only available with E2/E3/E4 enclosures WITH DD. Available on ALL EN2 Enclosures)	
1	Argon	DP1	Profibus DP using an M12 connector (available E2/ E4–P2, NAA only) with full device description	
2	Carbon dioxide	DP2	Profibus DP using a 2-wire terminal block connection (available E2/ E4–P2 config only) with full device descrip-	
3	Chlorine <sup>1</sup>	7	tion; FM approval available	
4	Digester gas	MB	Modbus RTU with full device description (P2 only); ATEX and FM approvals available	
5	Digester gas <sup>1</sup>	FF	Foundation Fieldbus with full device description (available E2/ E4–P2 config only); FM approval available	
6	Helium	HART	HART universal variables; flow totalizer, K-factor, user full scale, and instantaneous flow (available E2-P2 /E4-P2) config only). FM approval available.	
7A	Hydrogen	Note: All except Pulse require DC power (P2).		
7	Hydrogen <sup>1</sup>			
8	Methane	Option 2	Purge	
9	Methane <sup>1</sup>	PURGE	Includes non-return valve, tube and purge nozzle option for cleaning of probe tips. 30-120 psig (2.1 - 8.3 barg) external compressed air source required. Uses 1/4-inch compression fitting on purge tube process connection. Available with E2 or E4 only (NAA only). Not available with HT option (Contact factory in this case for external purge solution). Does not include on/off valve. NOTE: Only a 24 VDC power input is available when ordering an internal purge option.	
10	Nitrogen			
11	Oxygen <sup>1</sup>			
12	Propane			
13	Propane <sup>1</sup>	Option 3	High Temperature	
14	Ammonia <sup>1</sup>	HT	HT option to 750°F (400°C). Requires remote (E4 or EN4). Contact factory for probe length. Note: Overall accura-	
99	OtherConsult Factory Gas Table		cy of HT may be de-rated due to temperature and velocity conditions.	

Note: <sup>1</sup>Correlation calibration - consult Gas Table for accuracy.

Option 4: Certificates			
МС	Material certificatesUS Mill certs on all wetted parts		
сс	Certificate of conformance		
NACE	NACE certificate for sour gas		
LT	Leak test certificate		
PT	Pressure test certificate		

Option 5: O2 Cleaning			
02C	O2 Cleaning. Meters up to 4 inches (DN100). Includes certification. Product cleaned for O2 service. Inspected with Ultra-Violet light only, double-bagged prior to shipment.		



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