



### Pendulum level indicator

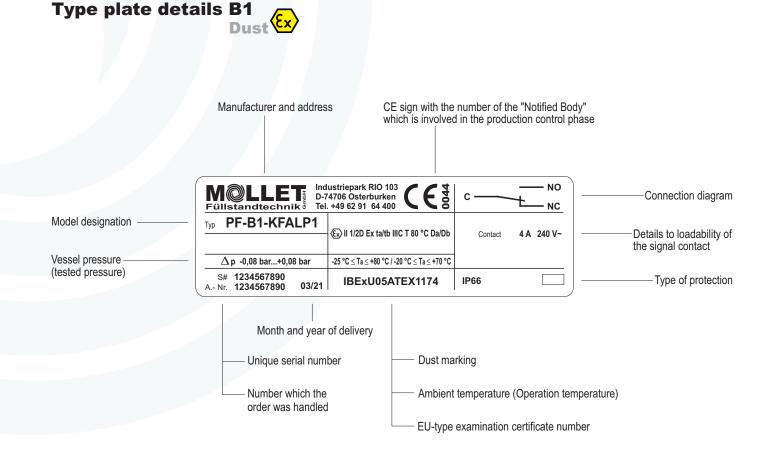
Level limit switch for bulk goods





# **Explosion protection information**

and supplement to the operating instructions

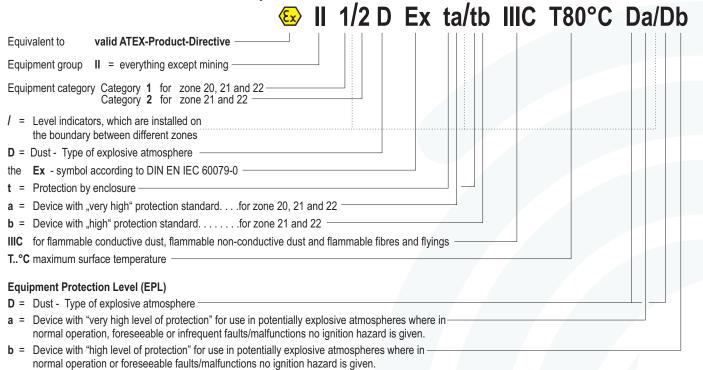


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#### Marking in accordance with ATEX and DIN EN IEC 60079-0

Pendulum level indicator for use on the boundary from zone 20 to zone 21.



Order code B1

Marking: II 1D / 2D



#### **Equipment category appropriation by zones**

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#### Ambient temperatures Ta

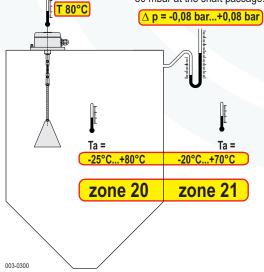
The ambient temperature **Ta** defines the maximum operating temperature of the indicators. Inside the vessel this is process temperature (the air or the bulk goods temperature) nearby the device.

#### **Maximum surface temperature T**

The maximum surface temperature means the hottest point at the equipment.



The device can be installed in the walls of vessels with deviating atmospheric conditions with a difference in pressure up to  $\Delta p$ 80 mbar at the shaft passage.



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#### Special conditions and instructions for safe application

- 1. The installation, maintenance, initial operation, removal and repair have to be controlled resp. checked by an "authorized person" for explosion protection.
- 2. For the electrical connection you have to take notice of the local and statutory requirements and/or the VDE 0100.
- 3. Take notice of the specifications on the data plate.
- 4. A fuse (with max. 4A) has to be connected in series to the voltage supply.
- 5. Protect the signal contact from voltage peaks when inductive loads are connected.
- 6. Using the device in ambient temperatures > +60 °C, the applied connection cables have to be made for temperatures of min. +80 °C.
- 7. As soon as the device will be brought into the explosion hazardous area it has to be mounted immediately at the precaused place and a cable has to be brought into the cable gland.
- 8. The cable gland were screwed and protected at the factory. Please check if the cable gland have loosened during on the mounting or at the transport. When it is loosened, it has to be fitted again.
- 9. To secure the type of protection, the screw nut of the cable gland has to be fixed at the installation with a torsional force of min. 5.0 Nm. ATTENTION! If it will be fastened too strong, the IP-protection can be affected.
- 10. The earth connection of the device has to be installed in such a way that mechanical damage will be excluded.
- 11. Using the level indicator in the silo wall under deviating atmospheric conditions, the maximum difference in pressure at the shaft passage must not exceed 80 mbar and the working temperature at the shaft passage has not to exceed +80 °C.
- 12. The device may put into operation with built-in cap-sealing and when it is closed, only.
- 13. Switch off the power supply, before opening the device. (touchdangerous voltage)
- 14. Tear-off danger! Don't pour on the measuring cone. In case of full indication the filling process has to be stopped immediately.
- 15. The cone has to be in stainless steel, in case of existing combustible dusts with a minimum ignition energy less than 3 mJ or with a minimum ignition temperature under +300 °C (BAM assessment).
- 16. Take notice of the requirements of DIN EN 60079-14, DIN EN 60079-17 and DIN EN 1127-1, especially regarding the dust deposits and temperatures and follow the pertinent rules and regulations.

