

### **DATA SHEET**

# vibro-meter®

# TQ422/TQ432, EA402 and IQS450 proximity measurement system





## **KEY FEATURES AND BENEFITS**

- From the vibro-meter<sup>®</sup> product line
- Non-contact measurement system based on eddy-current principle
- Ex certified versions for use in hazardous areas (potentially explosive atmospheres)
- TQ422 and TQ432 withstand up to 100 bar
- 1, 5 and 10 m systems
- Temperature-compensated design
- Voltage or current output with protection against short circuits
- Frequency response:
   DC to 20 kHz (-3 dB)
- Measurement range:2 or 4 mm
- Temperature range:
  -25 to +140 °C

## **APPLICATIONS**

- Shaft relative vibration and gap/position measurement chains for machinery protection and/or condition monitoring
- Ideal for use with VM600<sup>Mk2</sup>/VM600 and VibroSmart<sup>®</sup> machinery monitoring systems
- High-pressure applications

#### **DESCRIPTION**

The TQ422/TQ432, EA402 and IQS450 form a proximity measurement system from Meggitt's vibro-meter<sup>®</sup> product line. This proximity measurement system allows contactless measurement of the relative displacement of moving machine elements.

TQ4xx-based proximity measurement systems are particularly suitable for measuring the relative vibration and axial position of rotating machine shafts, such as those found in steam, gas and hydraulic turbines, as well as in alternators, turbocompressors and pumps.



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## **DESCRIPTION** (continued)

The system is based around a TQ422 or TQ432 non-contact sensor and an IQS450 signal conditioner. Together, these form a calibrated proximity measurement system in which each component is interchangeable. The system outputs a voltage or a current proportional to the distance between the transducer tip and the target, such as a machine shaft.

The TQ422 and the TQ432 are specially designed for high-pressure applications, with the transducer tip withstanding pressures of up to 100 bar. This makes them particularly suitable for measuring relative displacement or vibration on submerged pumps and various types of hydraulic turbines (for example, Kaplan and Francis). This transducer is also suitable for use when the region of the output of the transducer is cluttered.

The active part of the transducer is a coil of wire that is moulded inside the tip of the device, made of PEEK (polyetheretherketone). The transducer body is made of stainless steel. The target material must, in all cases, be metallic.

The transducer body is available only with metric thread. The TQ432 version is intended for reversemount applications. Both the TQ422 and the TQ432 have an integral coaxial cable, terminated

with a self-locking miniature coaxial connector. Various cable lengths (integral and extension) can be ordered.

The IQS450 signal conditioner contains a high-frequency modulator/demodulator that supplies a driving signal to the transducer. This generates the necessary electromagnetic field used to measure the gap. The conditioner circuitry is made of high-quality components and is mounted in an aluminium extrusion.

The TQ422 and the TQ432 transducers can be matched with a single EA402 extension cable to effectively lengthen the front-end. Optional housings, junction boxes and interconnection protectors are available for the mechanical and environmental protection of the connection between the integral and extension cables.

TQ4xx-based proximity measurement systems can be powered by associated machinery monitoring systems such as VM600<sup>Mk2</sup>/VM600 modules (cards) or VibroSmart<sup>®</sup> modules, or by another power supply.

For specific applications, contact your local Meggitt representative.

#### **SPECIFICATIONS**

## Overall proximity measurement system

## Operation

Sensitivity

Ordering option B21
 Ordering option B22
 Ordering option B23
 Ordering option B23
 Ordering option B24
 S mV/µm (200 mV/mil)
 2,5 µA/µm (62,5 µA/mil)
 1.25 µA/µm (31.2 µA/mil)

Linear measurement range (typical)

Ordering option B21
 Ordering option B22
 Ordering option B23
 Ordering option B23
 Ordering option B24
 Ordering option B24
 Oto 2.0 mm, corresponding to a -15.5 to -20.5 mA output
 Oto 4.0 mm, corresponding to a -2.4 to -18.4 V output
 Oto 4.0 mm, corresponding to a -15.5 to -20.5 mA output

Linearity : See **Performance curves on page 5** 

Frequency response : DC to 20 kHz (-3 dB)

Interchangeability of elements : All components in system are interchangeable

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# **SPECIFICATIONS** (continued)

#### **Environmental**

### Potentially explosive atmospheres

Available in Ex approved versions for use in hazardous locations

| Type of protection Ex i: intrinsic safety (ordering option A2) |                                   |  |  |  |
|--|-----------------------------------|--|--|--|
| Europe   | EC type examination certificate   | LCIE 11 ATEX 3091 X<br>II 1G (Zones 0, 1, 2)<br>Ex ia IIC T6T3 Ga        |  |  |
| International  | IECEx certificate of conformity   | IECEx LCI 11.0061X<br>Ex ia IIC T6T3 Ga                                  |  |  |
| North America  | cCSAus certificate of compliance  | CCSAus 1514309<br>Class I, Divisions 1 and 2, Groups A, B, C, D<br>Ex ia |  |  |
| South Korea  | KGS certificate of conformity     | KGS 15-GA4BO-0664X<br>Ex ia IIC T6 to T3                                 |  |  |
| Russian Federation   | EAЭC RU certificate of conformity | EAЭC RU C-CH.AД07.B.03003/21<br>0Ex ia IIC T6T3 Ga X                     |  |  |

| Type of protection Ex nA: non-sparking (ordering option A3) |  |   |  |  |
|---|--|---|--|--|
| Europe  | Voluntary type examination certificate | LCIE 11 ATEX 1010 X<br>II 3G (Zone 2)<br>Ex nA II T6T3 Gc |  |  |
| International   | IECEx certificate of conformity        | IECEx LCI 11.0063X<br>Ex nA II T6T3 Gc                    |  |  |
| North America   | cCSAus certificate of compliance       | CCSAus 1514309<br>Class I, Division 2, Groups A, B, C, D  |  |  |
| Russian Federation  | EAGC RU certificate of conformity**    | EAЭC RU C-CH.AД07.B.03003/21<br>2Ex nA II T6T3 Gc X       |  |  |

<sup>\*</sup>Not engraved/marked on the products.

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For specific parameters of the mode of protection concerned and special conditions for safe use, refer to the Ex certificates that are available from Meggitt SA.



When using protection mode "Ex nA" (non-sparking), the user must ensure that the signal conditioner is installed in an industrial housing or enclosure that ensures a protection rating of at least IP54 (or equivalent).



For the most recent information on the Ex certifications that are applicable to this product, refer to the Ex product register (PL-1511) document that is available from Meggitt SA.



**Approvals** 

Conformity : CE marking, European Union (EU) declaration of conformity.

EAC marking, Eurasian Customs Union (EACU) certificate/

declaration of conformity.

Electromagnetic compatibility : EN 61000-6-2:2005.

EN 61000-6-4:2007 + A1:2011.

TR CU 020/2011.

Electrical safety : EN 61010-1:2010

Environmental management : RoHS compliant (2011/65/EU)

Hazardous areas : Ex approved versions

(see Potentially explosive atmospheres on page 3)

Russian federal agency for technical regulation and metrology (Rosstandart)

: Pattern approval certificate No 60859-15

System calibration

Calibration temperature : +23°C ±5°C

Target material : VCL 140 steel (1.7225)

Note: If special calibration is required, please define the alloy precisely or supply a sample of alloy (minimum: Ø50 mm / 1 cm thick) according to Megaitt SA drawing number PZ 7009/1.

### Total system length

The total system length (TSL) is the sum of the length of the TQ4xx transducer's integral cable and the length of the EA40x extension cable. The supported TSLs can be obtained from different combinations of cables. Total system lengths

• 1 m : 1.0 m integral cable with no extension cable

• 5 m : 1.0 m integral cable + 4.0 m extension cable.

5.0 m integral cable with no extension cable.

• 10 m : 1.0 m integral cable + 9.0 m extension cable.

5.0 m integral cable + 5.0 m extension cable. 10.0 m integral cable with no extension cable.

Note: The combination of cables selected for a particular total system length depends on the application. For example, to obtain the optimum location for the separation between the integral and extension cables or to eliminate the requirement for an extension cable.

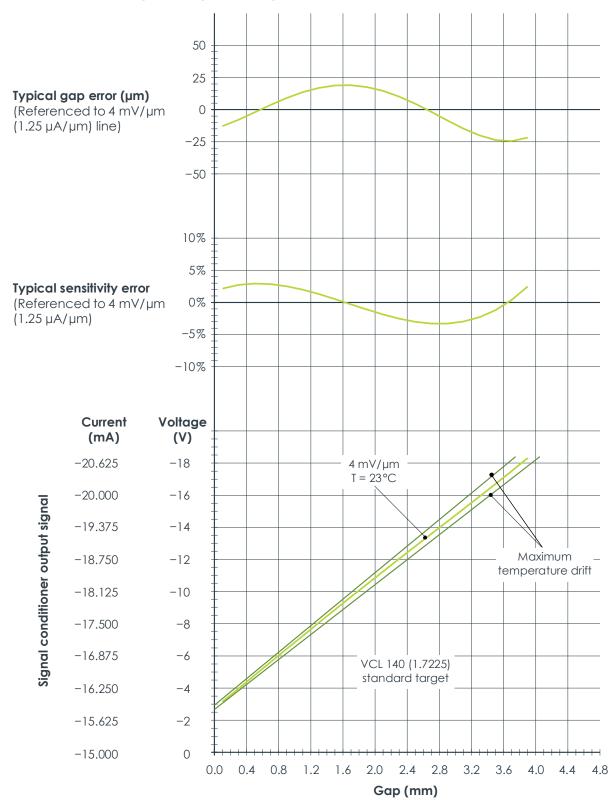
#### Total system length trimming

Due to the characteristics of the coaxial cable, an "electrical trimming" of the nominal length of extension cables is necessary to optimize the system performance and the transducer interchangeability.

TSL for a 1 m measurement chain : 0.9 m minimum
TSL for a 5 m measurement chain : 4.4 m minimum
TSL for a 10 m measurement chain : 8.8 m minimum



#### Performance curves for TQ422 or TQ432 with IQS450



Proximity transducer: TQ422 or TQ432

Signal conditioner: IQ\$450

Standard target material: VCL 140 (1.7225)

Equivalent materials: A 37.11 (1.0065), AFNOR 40 CD4, AISI 4140



# TQ422 and TQ432 proximity transducers and EA402 extension cable

#### General

Transducer input requirements : High-frequency power source from an IQS450 signal conditioner

#### **Environmental**

Temperature ranges

• Transducer : -25 to +140°C with drift <5%

• Transducer and cable : -40 to +195°C if used in an Ex Zone

• Cable and connector : -40 to +200°C

Maximum pressures

• Transducer tip : 100 bar (TQ422 and TQ432)

Transducer/cable assembly
 10 bar (with flexible hose option).
 1 bar (without flexible hose option).

Protection rating : The head of the proximity transducer (transducer tip and integral

(according to IEC 60529) cable) is rated IP68

Vibration : 5 g peak between 10 and 500 Hz

(according to IEC 60068-2-26)

Shock acceleration : 15 g peak (half sine-wave, 11 ms duration) (according to IEC 60068-2-27)

## **Physical characteristics**

Transducer construction : Wire coil Ø8 mm, PEEK (polyetheretherketone) tip, encapsulated in

stainless steel body (1.4435) with high-temperature epoxy glue

Connectors : Self-locking miniature coaxial connectors.

Note: When connecting, these should be hand-tightened until

locked.

Optional protection

• Flexible stainless steel hose : The stainless steel hose of the TQ422 and TQ432 provides additional

(protection tube) mechanical protection and is leak-tight.

The stainless steel hose of the EA402 provides additional

mechanical protection but is not leak-tight.

• FEP sheath : The FEP sheath of the EA402 provides resistance to almost all (extruded fluorinated ethylene chemicals and low permeability to liquids, gases and moisture. It is

also flexible, low friction and mechanically tough.



# **IQS450 signal conditioner**

## Output

Voltage output, 3-wire configuration

Voltage at min. gap : -2.4 V
 Voltage at max. gap : -18.4 V
 Dynamic range : 16 V
 Output impedance : 500 Ω
 Short-circuit current : 45 mA

Current output, 2-wire configuration

Current at min. gap
 Current at max. gap
 Dynamic range
 5 mA
 Output capacitance
 1 nF
 Output inductance
 100 µH

#### Supply

Voltage output, 3-wire configuration

• Voltage  $: -20 \text{ to } -32 \text{ V}^*$ 

• Current : -13 mA ±1 mA (-25 mA max.)

Current output, 2-wire configuration

Voltage : -20 to -32 V\*
 Current : -15.5 to -20.5 mA

Supply input capacitance : 1 nF Supply input inductance : 100 µH

### **Environmental**

Temperature ranges

Operating : -35 to +85°C\*
 Storage : -40 to +85°C

Humidity : 95% max. non-condensing.

100% condensing (not submerged).

Protection rating : IP40

(according to IEC 60529)

Vibration : 2 g peak between 10 and 55 Hz

(according to IEC 60068-2-26)

Shock acceleration : 15 g peak (half sine-wave, 11 ms duration)

(according to IEC 60068-2-27)

## Physical characteristics

Construction material : Injection-moulded aluminium Mounting : Two or four M4 screws

Dimensions : See Mechanical drawings and ordering information on page 12

<sup>\*</sup>See Thermal considerations on page 8.



#### **Electrical connections**

: Self-locking miniature coaxial connector (female). Input

Note: When connecting, this should be hand-tightened, until

locked.

: Three screw terminals – wire section 2.5 mm<sup>2</sup> max. Output and power supply

Weight

Standard version : 140 g approx. Ex version : 220 g approx.

#### Signal conditioner with MA130 mounting adaptor (ordering option I1)

Universal DIN rail holder type : TSH 35

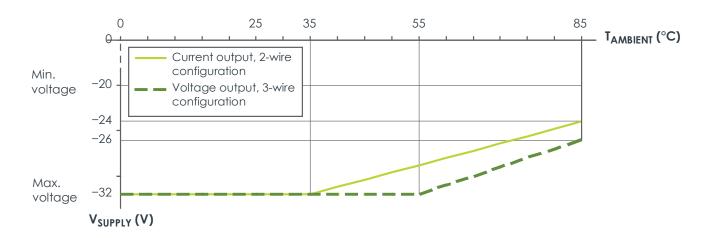
DIN rail type : TH 35-7.5 and TH 35-15

(according to EN 50022 / IEC 60715)

**Dimensions** : See Accessories on page 13

#### Thermal considerations

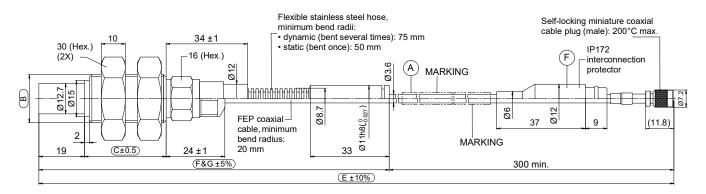
The IQS450 signal conditioner will operate at ambient temperatures as high as 85°C, but to do so, it requires derating of the maximum input voltage. The IQS450 must operate between the minimum supply voltage and the maximum supply voltage, as shown on the following graph.

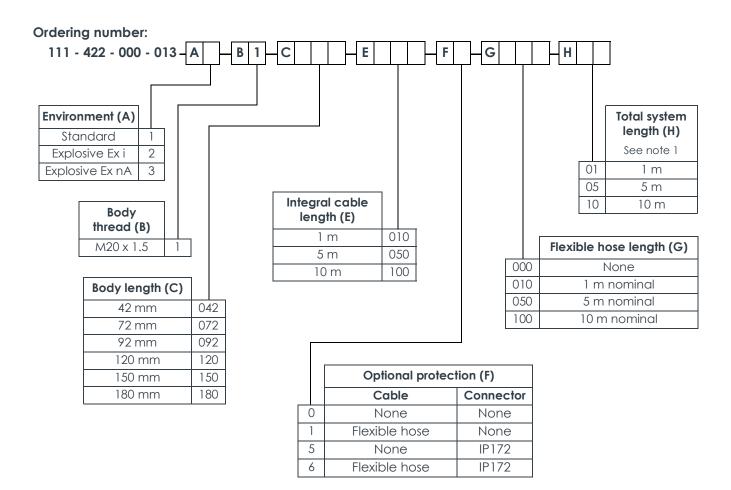




## MECHANICAL DRAWINGS AND ORDERING INFORMATION

#### TQ422 proximity transducer





#### Notes

All dimensions are in mm unless otherwise stated.

1. The Total system length (H) = TQ422 integral cable length (E) + EA402 extension cable length.

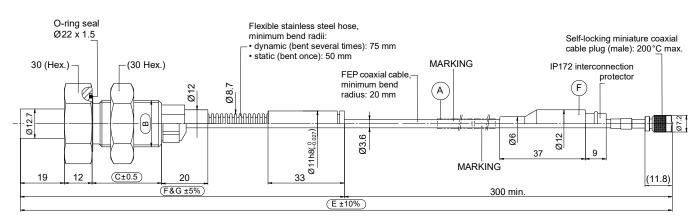
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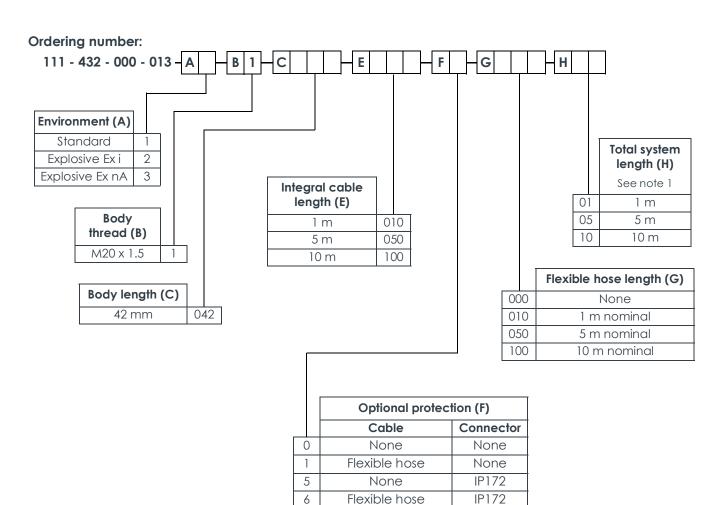
Total system length on page 4. For information on cable length tolerances, see Total system length trimming on page 4.



# MECHANICAL DRAWINGS AND ORDERING INFORMATION (continued)

#### TQ432 proximity transducer





#### Notes

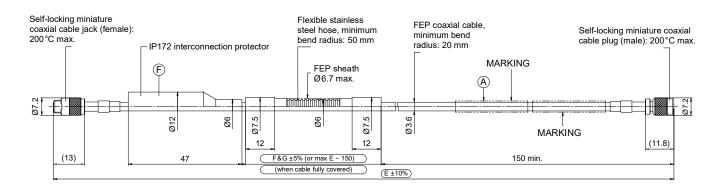
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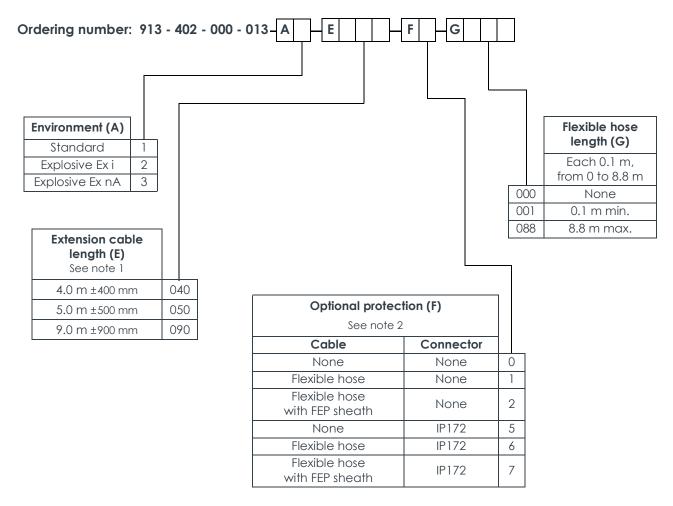
<sup>1.</sup> The Total system length (H) = TQ432 integral cable length (E) + EA402 extension cable length. For information on combining integral and extension cables to obtain a particular total system length, see Total system length on page 4. For information on cable length tolerances, see Total system length trimming on page 4.



# MECHANICAL DRAWINGS AND ORDERING INFORMATION (continued)

#### **EA402** extension cable





#### Notes

All dimensions are in mm unless otherwise stated.

- The total system length = TQ422 or TQ432 integral cable length + EA402 extension cable length (E).
   For information on combining integral and extension cables to obtain a particular total system length, see
   Total system length on page 4. For information on cable length tolerances, see Total system length trimming on page 4.
- 2. When optional protection such as a flexible stainless steel hose with or without an FEP sheath is ordered: Flexible hose length (G) max. = EA402 extension cable length (E) 150 mm, for an extension cable that is protected to the maximum extent possible ("cable fully covered").

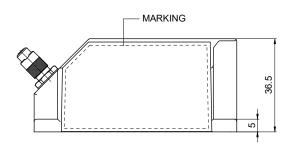


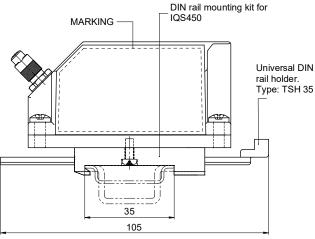
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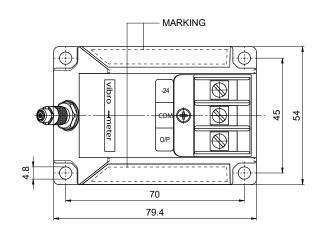
### IQ\$450 signal conditioner

# Signal conditioner only (ordering option 10)

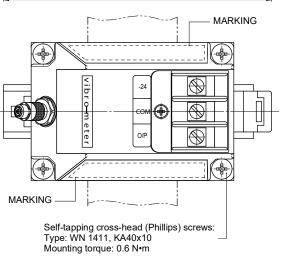
## Signal conditioner with MA130 mounting adaptor (ordering option I1)

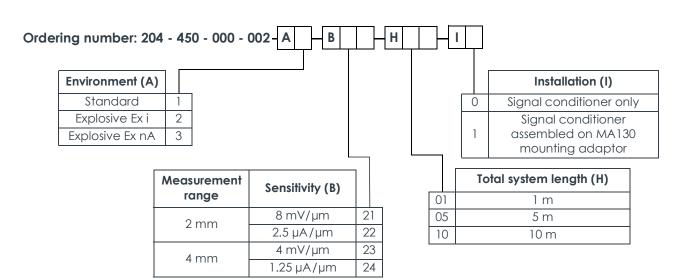






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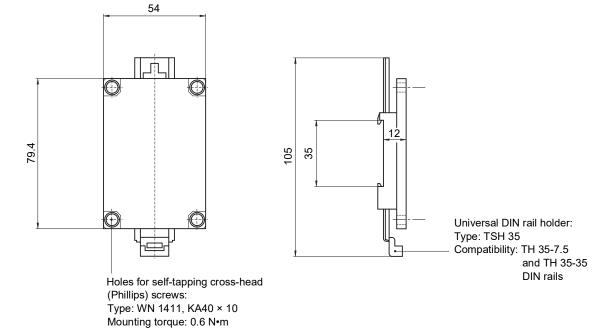




## **ACCESSORIES**

| ABA17x | Industrial housings        | : Refer to corresponding data sheets |
|--------|----------------------------|--------------------------------------|
| IP172  | Interconnection protection | : Refer to corresponding data sheet  |
| JB118  | Junction box               | : Refer to corresponding data sheet  |
| KS107  | Flexible conduit           | : Refer to corresponding data sheet  |
| MA130  | Mounting adaptor           | : See below                          |
| SG1xx  | Cable feedthroughs         | : Refer to corresponding data sheets |

## MA130 mounting adaptor (for IQ\$450)



Quantity: 4 screws supplied Note: All dimensions are in mm unless otherwise stated.

Ordering number (PNR): 809-130-000-011

## **RELATED PRODUCTS**

| TQ922/TQ932, EA902 and IQS900  | Proximity measurement chains (2 or 4 mm measurement range, high-pressure applications) | : Refer to corresponding data sheet |
|--------------------------------|--|-------------------------------------|
| TQ401, EA401 and IQS450        | Proximity measurement system (2 mm measurement range)                                  | : Refer to corresponding data sheet |
| TQ402/TQ412, EA402 and IQ\$450 | Proximity measurement system (2 or 4 mm measurement range)                             | : Refer to corresponding data sheet |
| TQ403, EA403 and IQS450        | Proximity measurement system (12 mm measurement range)                                 | : Refer to corresponding data sheet |
| TQ423, EA403 and IQS450        | Proximity measurement system (12 mm measurement range, high-pressure applications)     | : Refer to corresponding data sheet |
| TQ442, EA402 and IQS450        | Proximity measurement system (2 or 4 mm measurement range, right-angle (90°) mount)    | : Refer to corresponding data sheet |

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