IECEx Certificate of Conformity

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IEC Certification Scheme for Explosive Atmospheres

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Status:	**Current**	
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Applicant: **VEGA Grieshaber KG**
Am Hohenstein 113
77761 Schiltach
Germany

Equipment: **Capacitive level switch type VEGACAP CP6*.GI*****
Optional accessory:

Type of Protection: **Intrinsic safety "i", protection by enclosure "t"**

Marking: Ex ia/tb IIIC TX °C Da/Dbresp.
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Position: Deputy Head of the Certification Body

Signature:
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Date: 2017-07-13

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Additional Manufacturing location(s):

This certificate is issued as verification that a sample(s), representative of production, was assessed and tested and found to comply with the IEC Standard list below and that the manufacturer's quality system, relating to the Ex products covered by this certificate, was assessed and found to comply with the IECEx Quality system requirements. This certificate is granted subject to the conditions as set out in IECEx Scheme Rules, IECEx 02 and Operational Documents as amended.

STANDARDS:
The electrical apparatus and any acceptable variations to it specified in the schedule of this certificate and the identified documents, was found to comply with the following standards:

IEC 60079-0 : 2011 Edition: 6.0	Explosive atmospheres - Part 0: General requirements
IEC 60079-11 : 2011 Edition: 6.0	Explosive atmospheres - Part 11: Equipment protection by intrinsic safety "i"
IEC 60079-31 : 2013 Edition: 2	Explosive atmospheres - Part 31: Equipment dust ignition protection by enclosure "t"

*This Certificate **does not** indicate compliance with electrical safety and performance requirements other than those expressly included in the Standards listed above.*

TEST & ASSESSMENT REPORTS:
A sample(s) of the equipment listed has successfully met the examination and test requirements as recorded in

Test Report:
DE/TUN/ExTR17.0012/00

Quality Assessment Report:

DE/TUN/QAR06.0002/07

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Schedule

EQUIPMENT:
Equipment and systems covered by this certificate are as follows:

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The apparatus may be operated in explosion hazardous dust atmospheres.

Mechanical basic execution of the electrodes:

Type	Electrodes
VEGACAP CP62	partly insulated rod electrode
VEGACAP CP63	fully insulated rod electrode
VEGACAP CP64	fully insulated rod electrode for viscous and adherent filling materials
VEGACAP CP65	partly insulated cable electrode
VEGACAP CP66	fully insulated cable electrode

For technical and all other data refer to attachment.

SPECIFIC CONDITIONS OF USE: YES as shown below:

At the plastic parts of the capacitive level switches there is a danger of ignition by electrostatic discharge. Charge generating processes have to be avoided there.

The cable entries and blanking elements in the housing have to be suitably certified for an operating temperature range of -40 °C to 80 °C or the cable entries and blanking elements of the manufacturer have to be used.

At risks by pendulum or vibration the respective parts of the level switches have to be secured effectively against these dangers.

The max. surface temperature for higher temperatures T_{med} = 65 °C has to be taken from the "Thermal data" mentioned above and from the manual of the manufacturer.

Annex: _Attachment IECEx CoC TUN 17.0013X.pdf

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Technical data:

Thermal data:

Permitted process temperature at the probe (EPL Da or Db)
with PTFE-insulation - 50 °C ... + 150 °C
with PE/PA –insulation - 40 °C ... + 80 °C
with PTFE-insulation
high temperature-version - 50 °C ... + 200 °C
Permitted ambient temperature range at the electronics enclosure (EPL Db) - 40 °C ... + 60 °C

The capacitive level switch VEGACAP CP6*.GI ***** is marked with T65 °C for the max. permissible ambient temperature at the housing of $T_{amb, max.}$ = 60 °C and a temperature of the medium at the measuring sensor of T_{med} = 65 °C.

At higher temperatures of the medium at the measuring sensor of T_{Med} = 65 °C, the max. surface temperature of the complete capacitive level switch is equal to T_{med} .

For zone 20 applications in the area of the sensor:

The measuring sensor is allowed to be operated in an explosion hazardous area, only if atmospheric conditions exist.
(temperature: -20 °C to +60 °C, pressure: 0.8 bar to 1.1 bar, air with normal oxygen content: typically 21 % v/v).
Observe manual of the manufacturer for additional hints.

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Electrical data:

Type VEGACAP **CP 6* .GI**C**** with built in electronics insert type CP60C	
Supply (Terminals 1,2)	AC 20 ... 253 V, 50/60 Hz or DC 20 ... 253 V, max. 1 W U_m = 253 V AC
Output	contactless switch
Standby current	<3mA
load current	max. 400 mA

Type VEGACAP **CP 6*.GI**R**** with built in electronics insert type CP60R	
Supply (Terminals 1,2)	AC 20 ... 253 V, 50/60 Hz or DC 20 ... 72 V U_m = 253 V AC
Power	1...8 VA, max. 1.6 W
Relay circuit (Terminals 3, 4, 5) (Terminals 6, 7, 8)	 max. AC 253 V, 3 A, 500 VA max. DC 253 V, 1 A, 41 W

Type VEGACAP **CP 6*.GI**T**** with built in electronics insert type CP60T	
Supply (terminals 1,4)	DC 10 ... 55 V U_m = 253 V AC
Power	max. 0.5 W
transistor output (Terminals 2, 3)	 max. 400 mA, DC 55 V

Type VEGACAP **CP 6*.GI**Z**** with built in electronics insert type CP60Z	
Supply and signal circuit (terminals 1 [+], 2 [-] in the electronics compartment or in the terminal compartment regarding the double chamber enclosure version)	in type of protection Intrinsic Safety Ex ia IIC only for connection to a certified intrinsically safe circuit Maximum values: U_i = 30 V I_i = 131 mA P_i = 983 mW Characteristic line: linear The effective internal capacitances and inductances are negligibly small.

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