

S284 Oil Level Switch – Capacitance Type



The **S284** is an active device designed to give an alarm signal if liquid falls below, or rises above, a preset level. It can be specified with a delay to eliminate false alarms due to turbulence.

Containing a factory programmable microprocessor, the switch offers sink to ground or source voltage output. Its small footprint with limited intrusion into the tank means a reduced risk of damage and a wide range of customer specifiable options make it suitable for most applications.

For high accuracy, the S284 should ideally be mounted horizontally at the point where an alarm or control signal is required. However, the switch can be mounted vertically – contact Rochester Sensors

UK Limited with your application requirements.



SPECIFICATION

Liquid types:

Mineral oils, typically used in engines or hydraulic actuators, compatible with brass, PTFE and FVMQ.

Electrical rating

Supply voltage:

9-36 VDC.

Supply current:

7 mA + source output.

Max. load current:

1.0 A (sink) or 20 mA (source).

Alarm delay time:

0 to 25 s rising or falling (factory set).

Connection:

4 way Deutsch DT04-4P.

Power up delay:

0 to 10 s (factory set).

Power up state:

'In Liquid' or 'Out of Liquid' (factory set).

Output type:

Sink (open collector) and/or Source (supply voltage).

Output pin:

Pin 4 (sink) or Pin 3 (source).

Output state:

Sink Open / Closed in liquid (factory set).

Source On / Off in liquid (factory set).

Connections:

See diagram below.

Environmental Ratings

Ingress:

IP67 (with mating connector fitted).

Max. pressure:

24 Bar (348 psi)

Temp. range:

-40 °C to +125 °C

Weight:

70 g typical (dependent on thread size)

EMC:

ISO13766:2006

Construction

Body:

Brass – one piece body and probe shroud.

Probe:

PTFE.

Terminals:

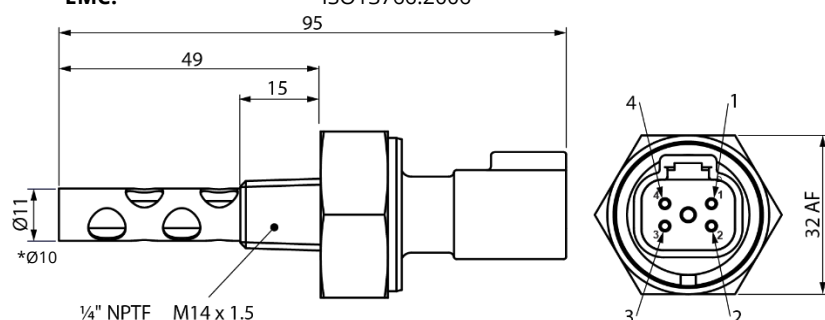
Brass, Gold Plated.

Seals:

FVMQ.

Connector:

PBT 30% Glass Filled.



1/4" NPTF M14 x 1.5
 3/8" NPTF M18 x 1.5
 1/2" NPTF M22 x 1.5
 3/8" BSPP M22 x 2.5
 1/2" BSPP
 1/2" BSPT Others on request

*Ø10 for 1/4" NPTF variants.

Recommended Installation Tightening Torques:

1/4" NPTF	9 Nm	M14x1.5	10 Nm
3/8" NPTF	11 Nm	M18x1.5	15 Nm
1/2" NPTF	20 Nm	M22x1.5	15 Nm
1/2" BSPP	15 Nm	M22x2.5	15 Nm
1/2" BSPT	20 Nm		

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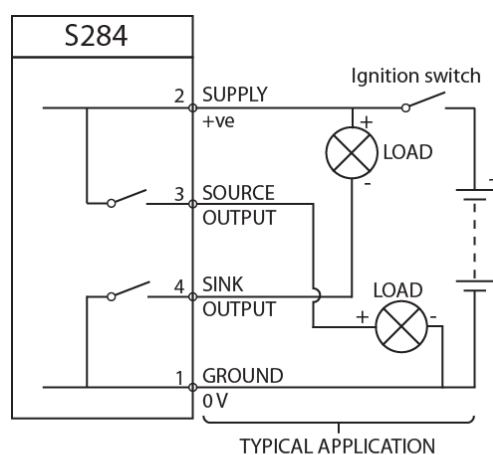
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Vibration (15.3 Grms)

3 orthogonal planes for 3 hours per plane

Testing performed in accordance with BSEN 60068-2-64:1993

Drop: 1 m to concrete surface.



NOTE: IF SINK ONLY OUTPUT IS REQUIRED THEN PIN 3 IS NOT USED.

Optional accessories

C/K13: 4 way Deutsch DT06-4S mating connector kit to suit harness wire cross sectional area of 0.5 to 1.5 mm² (16-20 AWG).