

# Series 228PV PVC Tee Type Flow Sensors 1-1/2...4 inch

### **DESCRIPTION**

Used in conjunction with any Badger Meter® flow monitor or transmitter, Badger Meter non-magnetic flow sensors provide an accurate reading of the rate of liquid flow and total accumulated flow. The available sensor models cover applications for a wide range of pipe sizes and pressure/temperature specifications.

The flow sensors generate a frequency proportional to flow rate. An internal preamplifier allows the pulse signal to travel up to 2000 feet (610 meters) without further amplification. Power to operate the sensor is provided by the flow monitor. The impeller bearing assembly, shaft and O-rings are replaceable in the field.

Badger Meter flow sensors feature a closed, six-bladed impeller design, using a proprietary, non-magnetic sensing technology. The forward-swept impeller shape provides higher, more constant torque than four-bladed impeller designs, and is less prone to fouling by water-borne debris. The forward-curved shape, coupled with the absence of magnetic drag, provides improved operation and repeatability, even at lower flow rates. As the liquid flow turns the impeller, a low impedance signal is transmitted with a frequency proportional to the flow rate.

Sensors of similar type are interchangeable, so there is no need for recalibration after servicing or replacement.

# Series 228PV

These models feature a modified PVC tee with solvent weld socket end connections, and a removable PPS or PVDF sensor insert. Sizes include 1-1/2, 2, 3, and 4 inch.

## **ELECTRONIC TYPES**

Badger Meter provides several basic sensor configurations, using the same impeller element, allowing for a wide range of applications and pipe sizes. Sensors are normally supplied with 20 feet (6 meters) of 2-conductor 20 AWG shielded UL type PTLC 221° F (105° C) cable. All Series 200 sensor electrical components are self-contained. Pressure/temperature ratings for the models are contained in the specifications section of this document. These models are further described as follows.



#### Standard Sensor

These sensors are designed for indoor or protected area applications such as HVAC, pump control, and industrial process monitoring where flow rates are between 0.5...30 feet/second and temperatures are below 140° F (60° C). Standard sensors are supplied with 20 feet (6 meters) of 2-conductor 20 AWG shielded UL type PTLC 221° F (105° C) cable.

#### **IR Sensor**

These sensors are designed for below grade applications such as irrigation, municipal, and groundwater monitoring where the flow rates are between 0.5...30 feet/second and temperatures are below 140° F (60° C). IR sensors are supplied with two single conductor, 18 AWG solid copper wire leads, 48 inches (122 cm) in length, with UL Style 116666 direct burial insulation.

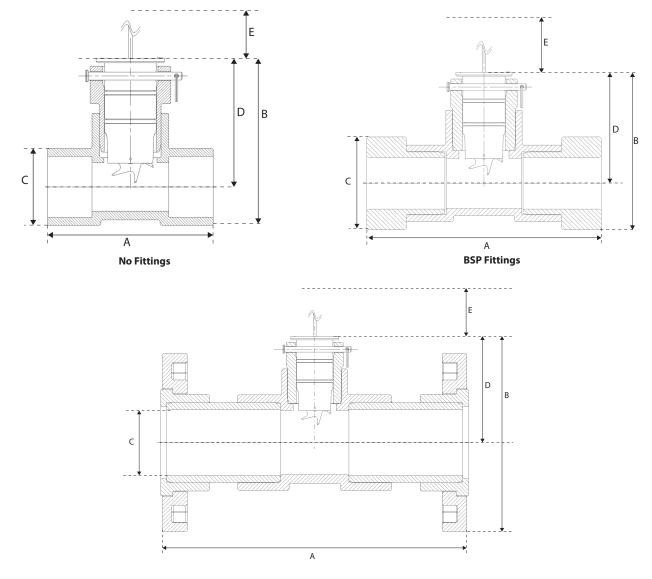


# **SPECIFICATIONS**

Wetted Materials (except tees)	See Ordering Matrix			
Tee for 228PV	Schedule 80 PVC per ASTM D-2462 and D-2467, Virgin, unplasticized PVC resin, Type 1 cell classification 12454-B. Fittings and solvent carry approval for potable water by NSF and IAMPO.			
Pressure/Temperature Ratings (DO NOT EXCEED)	Depends on hardware configurations.  100 80 40 20 0 25 60 Temperature (°C)			
Rated Temperature (DO NOT EXCEED)	Operating: 35110° F (243° C) Storage 14110° F (-1043° C)			
Recommended Design Flow Range	0.530 ft/sec			
Accuracy	$\pm$ 1.0% of full scale over recommended design flow range			
Repeatability	$\pm0.3\%$ of full scale over recommended design flow range			
Linearity	$\pm0.2\%$ of full scale over recommended design flow range			
Transducer Excitation	Supply voltage = 8V DC min. 35V DC max.			
	Quiescent current = 600 uA (typical)			
	OFF State $(V_{Hinh})$ = Supply voltage – (600 $\mu$ * Supply impedance)			
	ON State ( $V_{Low}$ ) = 1.2V DC @ 40 mA (15 $\Omega$ + 0.7V DC)			
Output Frequency	3.2200 Hz			
Output Pulse Width	5 msec ±25%			
Environmental	<ul> <li>IP 68 / NEMA 4X</li> <li>Suitable for pollution degree 4 environments</li> <li>Suitable for outdoor use above grade, IR version below grade</li> <li>Suitable for use in 100% humidity</li> </ul>			
Electrical Cable for Standard Sensor Electronics	20 feet (6 meters) of 2-conductor AWG 20 with AWG 22 drain wire shielded UL type PTLC wire provided for connection to display or transmitter unit. Rated to 221° F (105° C). May be extended to a maximum of 2000 feet (610 meters) with similar cable and insulation appropriate for application.			
Electrical Cable for IR Sensor Electronics	48 inches (122 cm) of UL Style 116666 copper solid AWG 18 wire w/direct burial insulation. Rated to 221° F (105° C).			

# **DIMENSIONS**

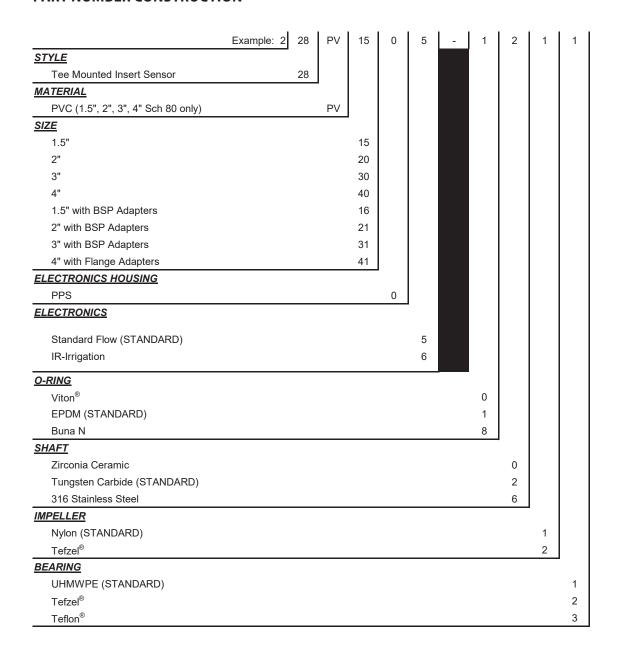
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Dimensions	228PV15XX-XXX	228PV2XXX-XXXX	228PV3XXX-XXXX	228PV4XXX-XXXX	
A	5.0 in. (127 mm)	5.63 in. (143 mm)	6.50 in. (165 mm)	7.38 in. (187 mm)	
В	5.16 in. (131 mm)	5.64 in. (143 mm)	6.83 in. (173 mm)	6.83 in. (199 mm)	
С	2.38 in. (60 mm)	2.88 in. (73 mm)	4.23 in. (107 mm)	5.38 in. (137 mm)	
D	3.97 in. (101 mm)	4.20 in. (107 mm)	4.68 in. (119 mm)	5.10 in. (130 mm)	
E	5.0 in. (127 mm)	5.0 in. (127 mm)	5.0 in. (127 mm)	5.0 in. (127 mm)	



Flanged (4 in. only)

 $A = Overall\ Length;\ B = Overall\ Height;\ C = Diameter;\ D = Center\ of\ Tube\ to\ Top\ Height;\ E = Minimum\ Clearance\ for\ Sensor\ Removal$ 

### PART NUMBER CONSTRUCTION



**NOTE:** See *Parts & Accessories* at *www.badgermeter.com* for additional items. Special order shaft material and O-rings are available. Consult factory for pricing and delivery.

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