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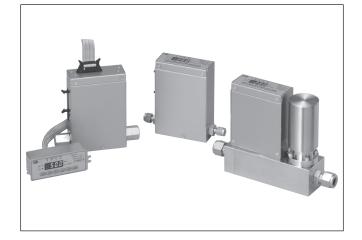
**Specification** 

# Digital Mass Flow Controller for Hydrogen and Helium Gases

### **Overview**

The MQV is a digital mass flow controller that incorporates a thermal microflow sensor developed by Azbil Corporation and a proportional solenoid valve, and achieves high performance by utilizing advanced actuator control technology.

To meet the need for high speed and wide-range mass flow controllability, this high-performance, low-price, nextgeneration controller is designed for general industrial use.



#### **Features**

- Advanced 300 ms high-speed control
  - The ultra-high-speed response microflow sensor and unique digital PID tuning realize exceptionally high-speed response in reaching the set flow rate from a fully closed state.

The MQV also responds quickly to changes in the primary pressure, minimizing the effect on the flow rate on the secondary side.

- The power circuit is isolated from analog I/O circuits. If the analog I/Os of multiple MQV controllers are connected by a PLC or the like, there is no need to use an isolated circuit in the analog module on the PLC side. Also, a shared power supply can be used for the MQV.
- A standard specification MQV controller can operate at a low differential pressure of 50 kPa or even less. The controller is the only unit of its kind that can handle low-pressure control applications such as burner air-fuel ratio control.
- The MQV offers a best-of-class wide control range of 1 to 100 % FS.

- Either an integrated display model or a separate display model can be selected according to the application needs.
- MQV controllers can be used over a wide operating temperature range (-10 to +60 °C).
- There is no need to use an expensive, dedicated dual power supply because the controller can be powered using a single readily available general-purpose 24 V DC power supply. An AC adapter is also available, making the MQV perfect for use in a laboratory setting or similar application.

## **Specification**

	ltem	MQV9020	MQV9050	MQV9500	MQV0005	MQV0010	MQV0050	MQV0200				
Valve type		Proportional solenoid va										
Valve oper		Normally closed (N.C.)			1	1	1	1				
Standard f rate *1	full scale flow	20.0 mL/min (standard)	(standard) (standard) (standard) (standard) (standard) (standard) (standard)									
Gas type		Hydrogen ( $H_2$ ), helium (He) The gas must be dry and not contain corrosive components (chlorine, sulfur, acid, etc.). Also, it must be clean, without dust or oil mist.										
Control	Control range Valve output	1 to 100 % FS (see Table 1 on page 4) 5 ms										
	update cycle	0.5 s max. (typ.) to the setting ±2 % FS 0.3 s max. (typ.) to the setting ±2 % FS										
	Responsiveness (at standard differ- ential pressure)	(when control begins wi	th valve fully clo	sed, or during	g control wher	n any setting is	<b>U</b> ,					
	Accuracy (at the standard temperature and standard differ- ential pressure; Q: flow rate)	(1) ±1 % FS (50 % FS < Q ≤ 100 % FS) (2) ±0.5 % FS (0 % FS < Q ≤ 50 % FS)	50 % FS < Q ≤ 100 % FS)									
	Repeatability (Q: flow rate)	(1) ±0.5 % FS (50 % FS < Q ≤ 100 % FS) (2) ±0.25 % FS (0 % FS < Q ≤ 50 % FS)	±0.5 % FS		S (40 % FS < 0 FS (0 % FS ≤ 0	Q ≤ 100 % FS Q ≤ 40 % FS)	)					
	Effect of tempera- ture (for hydrogen) Effect of pressure	0.06 % FS max. per 1 °C										
	(for hydrogen)	0.2 % FS max. per 100	кра									
Pressure	Standard differential pressure	100 kPa (inlet pressure: 100 kPa outlet pressure: 0 kPa [o	10 0 1	200 kPa (inlet pressure: 200 kPa [gauge]; outlet pressure: 0 kPa [gauge])								
	Minimum differential pressure *2	(1) Hydrogen: 2.5 kPa (2) Helium: 5 kPa	(1) Hydrogen: 10 kPa (2) Helium: 20 kPa	(1) Hydroger (2) Helium: 4		(1) Hydrogen: 80 kPa (2) Helium: 150 kPa	(1) Hydrogen: 20 kPa (2) Helium: 40 kPa	(1) Hydroge 100 kPa (2) Helium 180 kPa				
	Operating differential pressure range (T: operating temperature)	300 kPa max. (-10 °C ≤ T ≤ 60 °C)										
	Allowable inlet	0.5 MPa * <sup>3</sup>										
	Pressure resis- tance (allowable inlet pressure)	1 MPa (gauge)										
Tempera- ture	Standard operat- ing temperature	+ 23 °C										
	Allowable operat- ing temperature	-10 to +60 °C										
	Allowable stor- age temperature	-20 to +70 °C										
Humidity	Allowable oper- ating humidity	10 to 90 % RH (without	condensation)									
External leakage	Helium leakage rate	1 × 10 <sup>-6</sup> Pa⋅m³/s max.										
Flow rate setting	Setting method	<ul> <li>(1) Use of the keys, (2) External analog input, (3) Loader communication, *4</li> <li>(4) RS-485 communication (3-wire system) *<sup>5</sup></li> </ul>										
	Setting resolution External analog input	ion See Table 1 on page 4.										
Flow rate	Display method											
display	Display resolution	See Table 1 on page 4.	r - J									
	Indication	(1) ±1 % FS ± 1 digit	±1 % FS ± 1			5 FS < Q ≤ 100						
	accuracy (at the standard temperature and standard differen-	(50 % FS < Q ≤ 100 % FS) (2) ±0.5 % FS ± 1 digit (0 % FS ≤ Q ≤ 50 % FS)	digit			o FS < Q ≤ 80 ′ % FS ≤ Q ≤ 40						
	tial pressure; Q: flow rate)											

	Item	MQV9020	MQV9050	MQV9500	MQV0005	MQV0010	MQV0050	MQV0200						
Totalizing	Display range	0 to 99,999,999 mL		0.00 to	0.0 to	0 to	0 to	0.01 to						
function				999,999.99 L	9,999,999.9 L	99,999,999 L	99,999,999 L	999,999.99 m						
	Display resolution		1	0.01 L	0.1 L	1 L	1 L	0.01 m <sup>3</sup>						
	Totalizer count	(1) Every 200 ml	(1) Every 500 ml				(1) Every 500 L	(1) Every 2 m						
	backup cycle	(2) 1 hour after the prev												
Analog	Output type	Instantaneous flow rate	(PV) output or s	et flow rate (S	P) output (swi	tchable)								
output	Output scale	0 to full-scale flow rate (		<u> </u>										
	Output range		0-5 V / 1-5 V DC / 0-20 mA / 4-20 mA (switchable)											
		7 V DC max. / 28 mA max. (max. output when flow rate exceeds the range)												
	Accuracy	±0.3 % FS (overall output accuracy: indication accuracy ±0.3 % FS)												
	External load resistance	250 k $\Omega$ min. for voltage output, 300 $\Omega$ max. for current output												
Alarm/	Number of outputs	1 alarm output, 2 event	outputs		-									
event	Output rating	30 V DC, 30 mA max. (c		on-isolated out	put)									
output	Totalizer pulse	100 ms ±10 % (when to												
	output width Totalizer pulse output rate	1 mL/pulse		0.01 L/pulse	0.1 L/pulse	1 L/pulse	1 L/pulse	0.01 m <sup>3</sup> / pulse						
External switch-	Input type, num- ber of inputs	1 external 3-way switchi	ng input, 3 exte	rnal contact in	puts (2-way sv	vitching)	1							
ing input	Required circuit type	Non-voltage contacts or	open collector											
	Terminal voltage with contacts OFF	2.5 $\pm$ 0.5 V for external 3-way switching input, 2.8 $\pm$ 0.5 V for external contact input												
	Terminal current with contacts ON	Approx. 0.5 mA (current	to contacts)											
	Allowable ON contact resistance	250 Ω max.												
	Allowable OFF contact resistance	100 kΩ min.												
	Allowable ON residual voltage	1.0 V max. (with open collector)												
	Allowable OFF leakage current	50 μA max. (with open c	ollector)											
Reference	Output rating	5.0 V DC ±5 %, 5 mA m	ax.											
voltage output	Application	Reference voltage for se	etting the flow ra	ate and for 5 V	external 3-wa	y switching inp	out							
Commu-	Method	(1) Loader communicati	on *4 (2) RS-48	35 communica	tion (3-wire sy	stem) *5								
nication	Transmission speed	2400, 4800, 9600, 1920	0, 38400 bps (o	nly 19200 bps	for loader cor	nmunication)								
Power	Rated power	24 V DC, current consur	mption 300 mA i	max.										
	Allowable sup-	21.6 to 26.4 V DC (ripple	e: 5 % max.)											
ply voltage (-10 °C $\leq$ T $\leq$ 60 °C) (T: operating temperature)														
	Isolation	The power circuit and I/O circuits are isolated.												
Gas-contacting material SUS316, Teflon, fluoroelastomer														
Connectio	<b>v</b>	1/4 Swagelok, 1/4 VCR 9/16 - 18 UNF, Rc 1/4, 1/4 Swagelok, 1/4 VCR												
	orientation	Horizontal, but not with the display facing down												
Weight		Approx. 1.2 kg		<u>.</u>										
	e standards	EN 61326-2-3:2013, EN 61326-1:2013 (to be used in an industrial electromagnetic environment)												
		During EMC testing, the reading or output may fluctuate by the equivalent of ±10 % FS.												

\*1 L/min (standard) indicates the volumetric flow rate per minute (L/min) converted to conditions of 20 °C and 101.325 kPa (1 atm). The standard temperature can be changed to 0, 25, or 35 °C. The controllable flow rate range varies depending on the gas type. See Table 1 on page 4.

\*2 Minimum required differential pressure for control of full-scale flow rate (condition: outlet pressure = 0 kPa [gauge]). Operation is possible at less than the minimum differential pressure, but the controllable flow rate range narrows. See the graphs on page 5 for the relationship between differential pressure and flow rate when the valve is open fully.

\*3 For the advisability of using an inlet pressure greater than 0.5 MPa (gauge), contact the azbil Group.

\*4 Requires a dedicated loader package (MLP100A100), which is sold separately.

\*5 This function is available only for models with the RS-485 communications function.

## **Functions**

Function	Description				
Flow totalization	A maximum of eight digits can be used for the amount of total flow (to 99,999,999). (For display resolutions, see the specification table.)				
Alarm indicator /	An upper/lower limit flow rate alarm for deviation of the instantaneous flow rate from the set flow rate, and a				
DO / valve shutoff	valve drive current alarm can be set.				
The valve can be forcibly opened or closed when an alarm occurs.					
OK indicator	Lit and event is on when flow rate is within set value ± allowable range.				
Event indicator / DO	· Total flow event output				
	· Totalizer pulse output				
	· OK output				
	· Output mode output Two of the above event outputs can be selected.				
Automatic shutoff	The valve can be shut off automatically under the following conditions:				
Automatic Shuton	· When the total flow count reaches the preset value.				
	· When one of the alarms, including flow rate alarms, is triggered.				
	Note: The valve of this device cannot completely shut off the flow. If complete shutoff is required, install a sepa- rate shutoff valve.				
Automatic reset of total flow	The total flow count can be automatically reset when control begins. Setup is either by the keys or by external				
count	switch input.				
Forced opening/closing	The valve can be fully opened or closed by the keys or external switch input.				
of valve					
Multiple SP setup	One of eight (max.) preset flow rate values can be selected by the keys or external switch input.				
Direct SP change	The SP can be changed simply by pressing the ▲ and ▼ keys.				
Full multi-range setting	The control range can be set within 10 to 100 % of the standard range in increments of 1 % FS. The con- trol range can be changed freely according to the application. Additionally, two preset control ranges can be switched by external switch input. This function can also be used to change the resolution setting.				
Slow start	This function prevents a sudden change in the controlled flow rate when control begins or when the set point is changed.				
Gas type switching	The operating gas can be selected from the standard gases by the keys. Additionally, two preset gases can be switched by external switch input.				
Gas type conversion	Special gases or mixed gases can be controlled by specifying the conversion factor (CF).				
SP ramp	Two SP change rates (gradients) can be specified at the start of control operation or when changing the set- tings. Also, an external switch can be connected to the device to change the rate.				
Valve drive current alarm	This function monitors the proportional valve drive current and outputs an alarm under certain conditions. Note: Depending on the differential pressure and other factors, the valve drive current may fluctuate even if the set flow rate is the same.				
Loader communications	A communications port for loader communications is included as a standard feature. The dedicated loader pack- age (MLP100A100), which is sold separately, enables one-to-one communication with a PC. (Various settings can be changed and the process can be monitored on the PC.)				
RS-485 communication (option)	3-wire RS-485 communication is available as an option (transmission speed: 2400 to 38400 bps)				

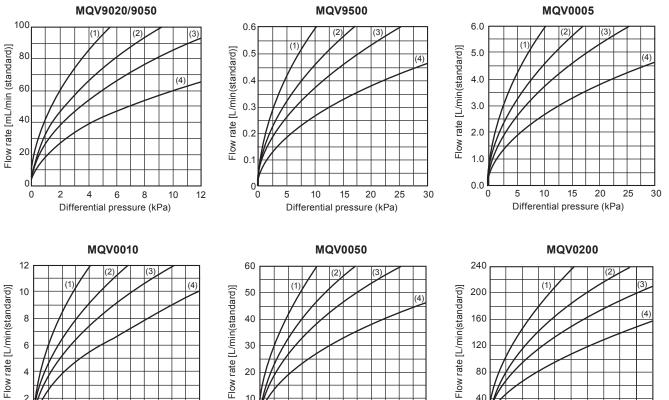
## Table 1. Controlled flow rate range and setting/display resolution

$\backslash$	MQV	9020	MQV9050		MQV	9500	MQV0005		
	Flow rate con-	Setting/display	Flow rate	Setting/display	Flow rate	Setting and dis-	Flow rate	Setting/display	
	trol range	resolution	control range resolution		control range play resolution		control range	resolution	
Gas type	mL/min (standard)	mL/min (standard)	mL/min (standard)	mL/min (standard)	L/min (standard)	L/min (standard)	L/min (standard)	L/min (standard)	
Hydrogen	0.2 to 20.0	0.1	0.4 to 50.0	0.2	0.004 to 0.500	0.002	0.04 to 5.00	0.02	
Helium	0.2 to 20.0	0.1	0.4 to 50.0	0.2	0.004 to 0.500	0.002	0.04 to 5.00	0.02	

$\searrow$	MQV	0010	MQV	0050	MQV0200		
	Flow rate con- trol range resolution		Flow rate con- trol range	Setting/display resolution	Flow rate con- trol range	Setting/display resolution	
Gas type	L/min (standard)	L/min (standard)	L/min (standard)	L/min (standard)	L/min (standard)	L/min (standard)	
Hydrogen	0.10 to 10.00	0.05	0.4 to 50.0	0.2	2 to 200	1	
Helium	0.10 to 10.00	0.05	0.4 to 50.0	0.2	2 to 200	1	

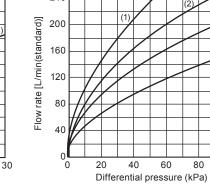
· If settings are input and flow rate is output by analog signals, setting/display resolution will be much higher. Please contact the azbil Group.

## Relationship between differential pressure and flow rate when the valve is open fully (for hydrogen)



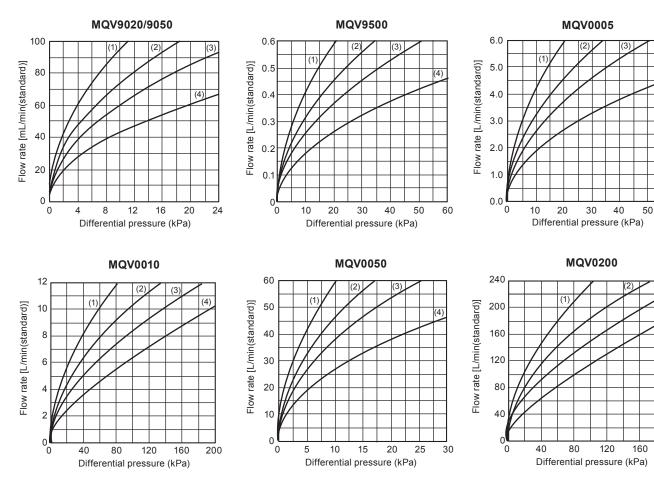
Differential pressure (kPa)

Differential pressure (kPa)



Outlet pressure (1) 150kPa (gauge)
(2) 50kPa (gauge)
(3) 0kPa (gauge) (4)-50kPa (gauge) 

## Relationship between differential pressure and flow rate when the valve is open fully (for helium)



Outlet pressure (1) 150kPa (gauge) (2) 50kPa (gauge) (3) 0kPa (gauge) (4)-50kPa (gauge)

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## **!** Handling Precautions

• For an output pressure not shown on the graphs above, calculate the flow rate with one of the formulas below.

(1) When P2/P1 > 0.53,	P1: Inlet absolute pressure [kPa(abs)]					
Q=C1 $\sqrt{(P1-P2)P2}$	P2: Outlet absolute pressure[kPa (abs)] (= gauge pressure + 101.3kPa)					
(2) When P2/P1 ≤ 0.53,	Q: Flow rate [L/min (standard)](but for MQV9020/9050: [mL/min(standard)])					
Q=C2·P1	C1, C2: Constants (differing according to the model)					
	For hydrogen MQV9020: C1= 2.684, C2=1.340 MQV9050: C1= 2.684, C2=1.340 MQV9500: C1= 0.01181, C2=0.00590 MQV0005: C1= 0.1181, C2=0.0590 MQV0010: C1= 0.1181, C2=0.0590 MQV0050: C1= 1.181, C2=0.590 MQV0200: C1= 2.091, C2=1.044	For helium MQV9020: C1= 1.904, C2=0.950 MQV9050: C1= 1.904, C2=0.950 MQV9500: C1= 0.00838, C2=0.00418 MQV0005: C1= 0.0838, C2=0.0418 MQV0010: C1= 0.0838, C2=0.0418 MQV0050: C1= 0.838, C2=0.418 MQV0200: C1= 1.483, C2=0.740				

Example: If hydrogen is introduced into the MQV0200 with an inlet pressure of 100 kPa (gauge) and an outlet pressure of 80 kPa (gauge), the calculation will be:

P1=201.3kPa(abs), P2=181.3kPa(abs)  $\rightarrow$  P2/P1=0.901

Q= 2.091 × √ (201.3-181.3)×181.3 =126 [L/min(standard)]

## **Terminal Connections**

#### • Connector pin layout

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(front view)

Connector model No.: HIF3BA-20PA-2.54DS (made by Hirose Electric Co.)

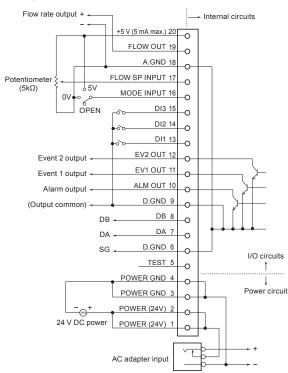
### Compatible connectors

	Connector type	Connector model No.	Contact model No.	Compatible wire
	Crimp type	HIF3BA-20D-2.54C	HIF3-2226SCC	#22–26 AWG
				(separate wires can be used)
9	Pressure-weld type	HIF3BA-20D-2.54R	Not needed	#28 AWG
				(flat cable only)

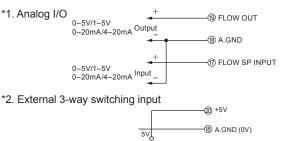
#### • Connector pin names

Pin No.	Signal name	Description	Notes		
20	+ 5 V (5 mA max.)	5 V DC reference voltage output	5 mA max.		
19	FLOW OUT	Instantaneous flow rate (PV) voltage output or flow rate set point (SP) output	0–5 V, 1–5 V, 0–20 mA, or 4–20 mA		
18	A.GND	Analog ground	Common ground for analog signals		
17	FLOW SP INPUT	Preset instantaneous flow rate (SP) voltage input	0-5 V, 1-5 V, 0-20 mA, or 4-20 mA input		
16	MODE INPUT	External 3-way switching	3-stage switching input (OPEN / GND / 5 V)		
15	DI3	External contact input 3	2-stage switching input (OPEN/GND)		
14	DI2	External contact input 2			
13	DI1	External contact input 1			
12	EV2 OUT	Event output 2	Open collector non-isolated output		
11	EV1 OUT	Event output 1			
10	ALM OUT	Alarm output			
9	D.GND	Digital ground	Common ground for digital signals		
8	DB	RS-485 DB	Used for communication models only.		
7	DA	RS-485 DA			
6	D.GND	Digital ground	Common ground for digital signals		
5	TEST	For testing purposes	For tests. Do not use.		
4	POWER GND	Power ground	Connect two wires in parallel to the power supply		
3	POWER GND	Power ground	in order to reduce voltage drop caused by wiring		
2	POWER (24 V)	Power + (24 V DC)	resistance.		
1	POWER (24 V)	Power + (24 V DC)			

#### • Wiring example



- Do not input any signal to pin No. 5.
- The power circuit is isolated from the input/output circuit inside this device.
- Even though the analog GND and digital GND are connected internally, be sure to ground them separately.
- When the AC adapter plug is inserted, the power supply is automatically switched to the AC adapter.
- The old model of AC adapter (No. 81446682-001, 15 V DC, 350 mA) cannot be used with this device.



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## ! Handling Precautions

When switching by relay contacts, use an appropriate relay intended for microcurrent use (with gold contacts). Failure to do so may cause faulty contact, resulting in malfunction.

-16 MODE INPU

#### Operation of external 3-way switching input

Input state of pin No.16 Assigned function		OPEN	0 V	5 V
Operating mode s ing #1	Operating mode switch- ing #1		Fully closed	Fully open
SP No. switching		SP-0	SP-1	SP-2
Switching of total operation	Switching of totalizing operation		Reset	Stop counting
Analog input/ output I/O voltage range switching	Input	Internal reference 0–5 V* / external reference 0–20 mA	External reference 0–5 V / 0–20 mA	External reference 1–5 V / 4–20 mA
	Output	0–5 V / 0–20 mA	0–5 V / 0–20 mA	1–5 V / 4–20 mA
Operating mode switch- ing #2		Fully closed	Control	Fully open

\* The internal reference voltage applies when the 5 V DC reference voltage output pin (No. 20) on this device is used to configure settings through an externally connected potentiometer.

\*3. Analog input (0-5 V) when using a potentiometer



# Model selection

Basic	Standard	Туре	Flow	Con-	Gas	Α	dditic	nal f	unctio	on	Suffix	Description
model No.	flow rate range		path material	nection method	type	1	2	3	4	5		
MQV												Digital mass flow controller
	9020											0.2–20.0 mL/min (standard) *1
	9050											0.4–50.0 mL/min (standard) *1
	9500											0.004–0.500 L/min (standard) *1
	0005											0.04–5.00 L/min (standard) *1
	0010											0.10–10.00 L/min (standard) *1
	0050											0.4–50.0 L/min (standard) *1
	0200											2–200 L/min (standard) *1
		В										Integrated display (flow path length: 90 mm)
		С										Separate display (flow path length: 90 mm)
			S									SUS316
				R								Rc 1/4 (cannot be selected for MQV9020 or MQV9050)
				S								1/4 Swagelok
				v								1/4 VCR
				U								9/16 -18 UNF (cannot be selected for MQV9020 or MQV9050
					н							Hydrogen *2
						0						No optional functions
							0					No optional functions
							1					RS-485 (CPL) communications
								0				No optional functions
									1			Degreasing for gas-contacting parts
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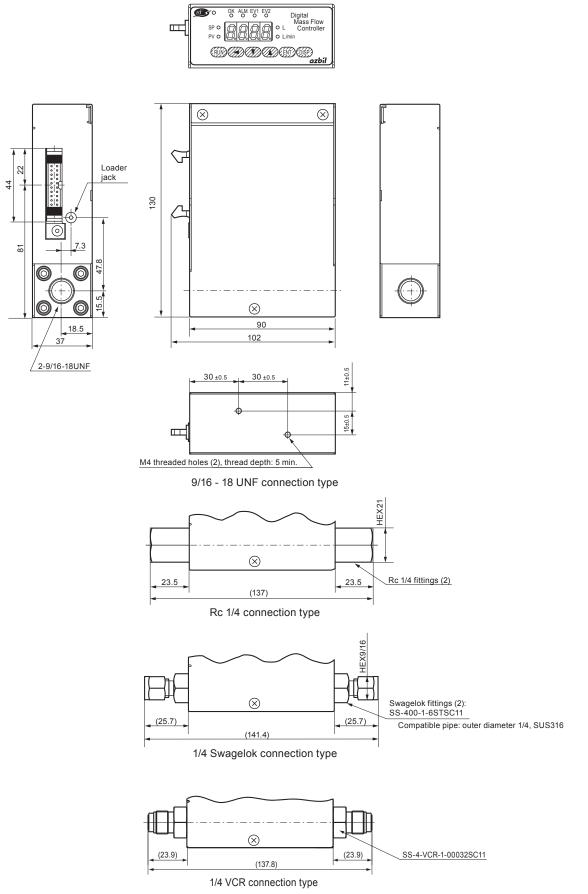
- \*1 mL/min (standard) and L/min (standard) indicate the volumetric flow rate per minute (mL/min, L/min) converted to conditions of 20 °C and 101.325 kPa (1 atm). The standard temperature can be changed to 0, 25, or 35 °C.
- \*2 The factory setting is hydrogen. The device can be used for helium gas by changing the gas type setting.

## External Dimensions

## Models with integrated display

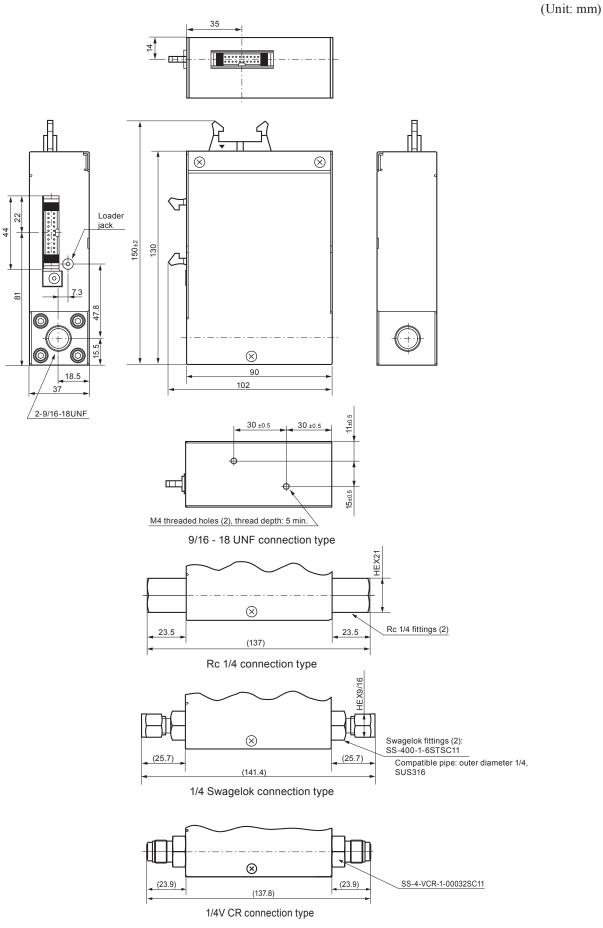
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(Unit: mm)

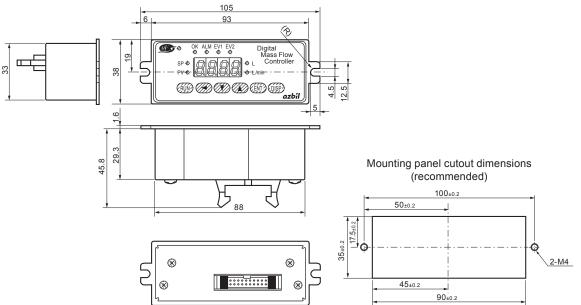


## • Models with separate display (main unit)

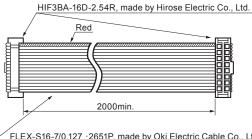
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• Models with separate display (display)



· Cable for connecting display to the main unit

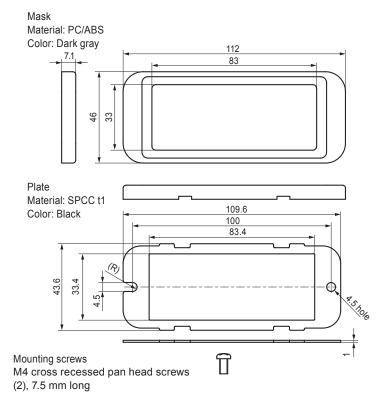


FLEX-S16-7/0.127 ·2651P, made by Oki Electric Cable Co., Ltd. Wire colors: red for pin 1; green for pins 5, 10, 15; gray for other pins

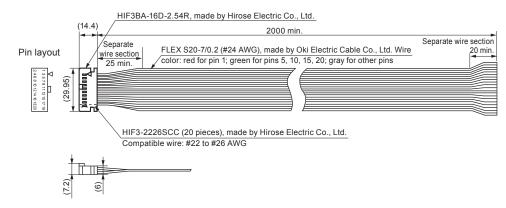
## Table 2. Optional parts (sold separately)

Product name	Model No.	Description			
Cable with dedicated connector	81446681-001	20-wire flat cable, 2 m (#24 AWG)			
	81446951-001	20-wire shielded cable, 5 m			
AC adapter	81446957-001	Rated voltage Input: 100 to 240 V AC Output: 24 V DC / 750 mA			
		Operating temperature range: 0 to 40 °C			
Potentiometer for flow rate setting	81446683-002	5 kΩ with digital dial, 10 turns			
Cover for separate display unit	81446858-001	Mask (1): PC/ABS, dark gray			
		Plate (1): SPCC t1, black			
		Mounting screws (2): 7.5 mm M4 cross recessed pan head screws			

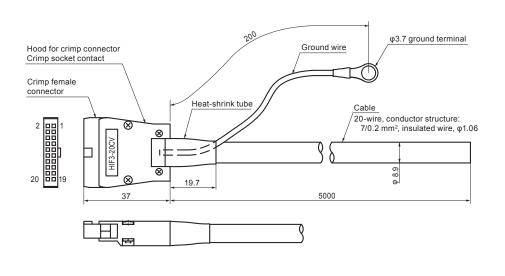
• Cover for separate display (model No. 81446858-001)



- Cable with dedicated connector
- 20-wire flat cable (model No. 81446681-001)

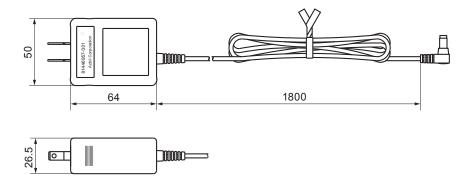


• 20-wire shielded cable (model No. 81446951-001)



Pin No.	Lead wire color
1	Black
2	Black & white
3	Red
4	Red & white
5	Green
6	Green & white
7	Yellow
8	Yellow & white
9	Brown
10	Brown & white
11	Blue
12	Blue & white
13	Gray
14	Gray & white
15	Orange
16	Orange & white
17	Purple
18	Purple & white
19	Light green
20	Light green & white

• AC adapter (model No. 81446957-001)



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