Roxar Electrical Resistance (ER) Probes

2" Retrievable System



High Accuracy ER Probes

Corrosion is a serious industrial problem, and corrosion control is important in order to avoid damage and loss of integrity in a plant or production site. Efficient corrosion mitigation requires fast and reliable tools for control and verification of protection programs, such as the use of corrosion inhibitors.

Electrical Resistance (ER) Probes are probably the most commonly used technology used for internal corrosion monitoring. ER Probes provide a high resolution and sensitivity compared to other technologies available, and changes in corrosion rates can be identified within hours or days ¹⁾.

ER Probes measure corrosion and corrosion rates as an increase in electrical resistance over time for a steel element in the probe face. The increase in electrical resistance is proportional to the accumulated corrosion of the probe element over the exposure period. Since resistance is also dependent on temperature, a reference element (not exposed to corrosion) is buried inside the probe body for temperature correction.

ER Probes can generally be used in most common environments, like oil, gas and water. The ER Probes described in this data sheet are of the 2" high pressure retrievable type, typically used in upstream, high pressure applications.

Quality of information and measurement accuracy depend on measurement frequency and instruments used. For best results, it is recommended that Roxar ER Probes are used with Roxar CorrLog or Roxar CorrLog Wireless high accuracy instruments, covering a wide range of configuration options.

Operating conditions vary from case to case, and it is important to choose the right probe for the specific application. For this reason, a range of ER Probes is available with flush or projecting design.

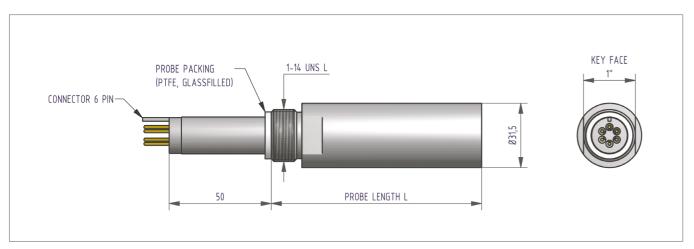
The useful life of an ER Probe is normally defined as half the measurement element thickness.



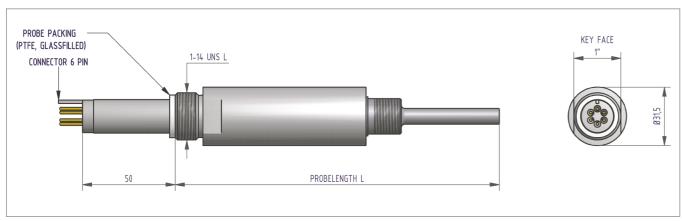


¹⁾ Depending on probe type, measurement frequency and corrosion rates.

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Drawing shows flush probe outline and basis for probe length calculations.



Drawing shows tubular probe outline and basis for probe length calculations.



A special reinforced probe design is available for conditions where velocities are high, sometimes in combination with a need for long probes. Need for reinforced design probes is normally evaluated based on wake frequency calculations. Picture shows reinforced probe body with reinforced hollow pluq.

Repro D Probe



Repro D Probe front

The design of the Repro D Probe ensures a high resistance, and thus, highly accurate measurements, even if probe has a thick element. This design is therefore suitable for corrosion monitoring where corrosion rates are assumed to be from moderate to high, maintaining a high measurement resolution and accuracy. Repro D Probe is available with element thicknesses 1, 2 and 4 mm (40, 80 and 160 mil).

Repro E Probe



Repro E Probe front

The simple design of the probe makes it suitable in conditions where conductive deposits could cause short circuits between sections of the probe element for more sophisticated probe element designs (e.g. in sour production environments).

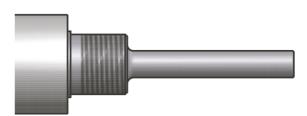
Repro F Probe



Repro F Probe front

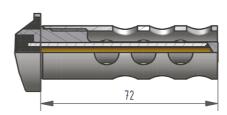
The Repro F Probe has an element with an optimized shape, and is available with a 0,1 mm (4 mil) measurement element. The design gives the probe a very high sensitivity, however, a limited life for many field applications. The probe is mostly recommended for conditions where corrosion is expected to be low, or for test/research applications where fast response is required.

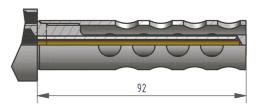
Tubular T10 and T20 Probes



Roxar tubular element probes are designed with a tubular shaped element protruding into the flow. The probes are available with 0.25 and 0.5 mm (10 and 20 mil) elements.

Roxar Tubular Probe front





Protective shields for the tubular elements are available (T10 probe left, T20 probe right)

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Specifications - Roxar Retrievable ER Probes

| Item | Description |
|----------------------|--|
| Mounting: | 2" high pressure access fitting (mechanical or hydraulic system) |
| Probe body material: | 316 SS (other materials available upon request) |
| Pressure rating: | Standard: 6,000 psi (420 bar) Optional: 10,000 psi (690 bar) |
| Connector: | 6 pin Amphenol male |
| Temperature rating: | Operating Temperature up to 145 °C (293 °F) (Welded element tubular probes are option at higher temperature rating, please ask Roxar for details). |

Model Code Selector - Roxar Retrievable ER Probes

| Model | Product Description | | | |
|-------------------|--|--------------------------|---------------------|--|
| THCMPR | Corrosion Monitoring Probe | | | |
| Code | Measuring Method | | | |
| 1 | Electrical Resistance | | | |
| Code | Probe Body Type | | | |
| 01 | Standard Design Fixed Length | | | |
| 02 | Reinforced Design Fixed Length for Access Fitting Flareweld | | | |
| 03 | Reinforced Design Fixed Length for Access Fitting MECH ≤300#, HYD ≤1500# | | | |
| 04 | Reinforced Design Fixed Length for Access Fitting MEC ≥4/600#, HYD 2500# | | | |
| 99 ⁵ | Other Design | | | |
| Code | Probe Body Material | | | |
| 2C6A | Stainless Steel A 479 Gr. 316L, bar | EN 10204 3.1 NACE MR0175 | | |
| 2D6A | Duplex A 276 / A 479 UNS S31803, bar | EN 10204 3.1 NACE MR0175 | | |
| 2C6C | Stainless Steel A 479 Gr. 316L, bar | EN 10204 3.1 NACE MR0175 | NORSOK M630 MDS S01 | |
| 2D6C | Duplex A 276 / A 479 UNS S31803, bar | EN 10204 3.1 NACE MR0175 | NORSOK M630 MDS D47 | |
| 9X9X ⁵ | Project Specific Material | | | |
| Code | Element Type and Material | | | |
| 00S ¹ | Flush | Repro D 1.0 mm | St 52-3N | |
| 01S ¹ | Flush | Repro D 2.0 mm | St 52-3N | |
| 02S ¹ | Flush | Repro D 4.0 mm | St 52-3N | |
| 03S ¹ | Flush | Repro E 0.25 mm | St 52-3N | |
| 04S ¹ | Flush | Repro E 0.50 mm | St 52-3N | |

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| 05S ¹ | Flush | Repro F (HS) 0.10 mm | St 52-3N | | |
|------------------|--|----------------------|----------|--|--|
| 10S ¹ | Tubular | T10 (0.25 mm) | St 52-3N | | |
| 11S ¹ | Tubular | T20 (0.50 mm) | St 52-3N | | |
| 99X ⁵ | Other Element Material and/or Type | | | | |
| Code | Probe Length | | | | |
| L00 ⁴ | Flush:55-85, Tubular:130-180 | | | | |
| L01 ⁴ | Flush:85-115, Tubular:180-240 | | | | |
| L02 ⁴ | Flush:115-145, Tubular:240-300 | | | | |
| L03 ⁴ | Flush:145-175, Tubular:300-360 | | | | |
| L04 ⁴ | Flush:175-205, Tubular:360-420 | | | | |
| L05 | Flush:205-235 | | | | |
| L06 | Flush:235-265 | | | | |
| L07 | Flush:265-295 | | | | |
| L08 | Flush:295-325 | | | | |
| L09 | Flush:325-355 | | | | |
| L10 | Flush: 355-385 | | | | |
| L11 | Flush: 385-415 | | | | |
| L12 | Flush: 415-445 | | | | |
| L13 | Flush: 445-475 | | | | |
| L14 | Flush: 475-505 | | | | |
| L15 | Flush: 505-++ | | | | |
| Code | Factory Options | | | | |
| Z | Standard product | | | | |
| X | ETO product | | | | |
| Code | Certificate, Tests, Calibrations and Services (Not required, all are optional) | | | | |
| | Dye Penetrant Examination (select any from this group) | | | | |
| D1 | Dye Penetrant Test | | | | |
| | Positive Material Testing (select only one | from this group) | | | |
| PM | Positive Material Identification | | | | |
| | Pressure Testing (select any from this gro | <u>up)</u> | | | |
| PT | 10000 psi Test Certificate | | | | |
| | Other testing | | | | |
| TX 5 | Project specific testing | | | | |

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 $^{^4}$ Available only with Probe Body Type option 01, Standard Design Fixed Length 5 Not Avaialble with Factory Option Z

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