

Next Generation  
**red-y compact:**  
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**AA Battery Powered  
Touch Technology  
USB Enabled**



**red-y compact series** product information

# Battery Powered Digital Mass Flow Meters for Gases

# Independent digital convenience:

## Thermal Mass Flow Meters for Gases

The mass flow meters **red-y compact series** are characterized by powerful technology, intelligent functions and innovative design.

The 2015 instrument generation offers a new level of ease of use: compact design with battery power and backlit touch display for great flexibility.

### Touch Technology



The touch display offers intuitive navigation. The many variables that make the unit flexible are easily accessible

### Independent Operation



The flow meters are powered with a standard AA battery. Optional 24Vdc and Micro-USB power supply available

### USB Enabled



The instruments can be powered with any common Micro-USB power supply (DIN62684). Device updates can be performed using the USB interface



### High Accuracy & Dynamics



The devices offer high accuracy & a wide dynamic range:

**Accuracy up to  $\pm 1\%$  of full scale**

**Turndown ratio up to 1 : 100**

(depending on application/measuring range)

### Totalizer



In addition to the actual flow, the total consumption is displayed. Ideal for gas consumption measurements

### 1 Device – Multiple Gases



One measuring device can be used for up to 3 different gases or gas mixtures

### Password Protection



To avoid unauthorised change of settings, the menu of the new red-y compact can be locked with a password

### 3-Year Warranty\*



High-quality components ensure long and trouble-free operation

\*does not apply to calibration, battery, options and accessories

### Instrument versions (red-y compact series)

Version	Touch Display	Choose between multiple home screens	Totalizer	Multigas (up to 3)	Manual valve	Alarm functions	Power supply		
							Mirco-USB power supply	Battery power	24 Vdc supply
Available Q2/2015									
compact meter GCM	●	●	●	○			●	●	○
compact regulator GCR	●	●	●	○	●		●	●	○
Available end of 2015									
compact switch GCS	●	●	●	○		●	●		●
compact all-in GCA	●	●	●	○	●	●	●		●

● Standard

○ Option



## The new red-y compact 2015 release – Even more stunning features:

### » **Wide Choice of Flow Units:**

Choose between a large number of **standardized** and **normalized flow units** of the **Imperial, US customary** and **SI** measuring systems (user adjustable reference conditions). The units are selectable from the integrated menu both for the actual flow and the totalized flow

### » **Extended Alarm Functions\*:**

The new red-y compact provides 3 configurable alarms. The following triggers are available:

**Min. alarm, max. alarm, windows alarm, overflow alarm** and **totalizer alarm**

The alarms can be configured with different parameters:

**Normally open, normally closed, hysteresis** and **auto/manual reset**

### » **Device Information & Notifications**

Display of complete device information including all configuration settings. Alerts and notifications show up on the home screen

### » **Upgrade Device Features**

New device features will be available and can be updated through the built-in USB interface. Stay informed on latest releases at **twitter.com/vogtlinmassflow** or **www.voegtlin.com**

\*available end of 2015



## VA-Meters vs. Massflow Meters

Many applications require a higher accuracy together with pressure and temperature compensation which cannot be realized with conventional variable area flow meters.

VA-meters are extremely sensitive to pressure and temperature changes. 1 bar change in pressure can generate an error of 50% in your measurement. Our mass flow meters generate repeatability!

## Autonomy, precision and comfort for your application

Through the application of **high-precision MEMS technology** (CMOS sensors), the thermal flow meters and controllers from Vögtlin Instruments AG set new standards in terms of response characteristics and measuring accuracy, and are characterized by maximum convenience:

- » **The devices are very compact, can be installed in any position, and are immediately ready for operation**
- » **The built-in touch display with an intuitive navigation offers various settings**
- » **The devices measure real mass flow, independent of changes in pressure and temperature. This provides high accuracy and repeatability to the measuring results**
- » **In addition to the actual value, the total consumption is displayed. This creates transparency in supply systems**
- » **The autonomous operation with a standard AA battery makes the compact a high-precision alternative to variable area flow meters**
- » **High quality: All flow meters are produced and calibrated at our headquarters in Aesch, Switzerland**

Our specialists will be happy to advise: +41 61 756 63 00 or [www.voegtlin.com](http://www.voegtlin.com)

## Technical data «red-y compact series»

### Instrument types



#### compact meter GCM

Mass Flow Meter

#### compact switch GCS

Mass Flow Meter with Alarm Functions



#### compact regulator GCR

Mass Flow Meter with manual Valve

#### compact all-in GCA

Mass Flow Meter with Alarm Functions & Valve



#### compact G $\frac{1}{2}$ " versions

The valve is flange mounted

### Measuring ranges

(full scale freely selectable)	Type	Measuring range (air)		Connection
	GCM-A	from 0 ... 50 mln/min	to 0 ... 600 mln/min	G $\frac{1}{4}$ "
	GCM-B	from 0 ... 600 mln/min	to 0 ... 6000 mln/min	G $\frac{1}{4}$ "
	GCM-C	from 0 ... 6 l/min	to 0 ... 60 l/min	G $\frac{1}{4}$ "
	GCM-D	from 0 ... 60 l/min	to 0 ... 450 l/min	G $\frac{1}{2}$ "

### Performance data

<b>Media</b> (real gas calibration)	Air, O $_2$ *, N $_2$ *, He, Ar, CO $_2$ , H $_2$ , CH $_4$ , C $_3$ H $_8$ (other gases and gas mixtures on request) *O $_2$ & N $_2$ are calibrated with air. Our factor to air is almost 1 thus we can achieve our highest accuracy with air calibration		
<b>Accuracy</b> (air & equivalents)	Eco: $\pm 2.0\%$ of full scale; ranges > 200 l/min $\pm 3.0\%$ of full scale Special: $\pm 1.0\%$ of full scale up to 50 l/min		
<b>Turndown ratio</b>	Eco: 1 : 50                      Special: 1 : 100		
<b>Response time</b>	from 500 ms (depending on the application)		
<b>Repeatability</b>	$\pm 0.5\%$ of full scale		
<b>Longterm stability</b>	< 1% of measured value / year		
<b>Power supply Meter &amp; Regulator</b>	Standard AA battery (lifetime in months depending on operation) or Micro-USB power supply (DIN 62684) Option: External power +12...24 Vdc (required current power supply 30 mA or higher)		
<b>Power supply Switch &amp; All-in</b>	External power +12...24 Vdc (required current power supply 30 mA or higher) or Micro-USB power supply (DIN 62684)		
<b>Operation pressure</b>	0.2 – 11 bar a		
<b>Temperature</b> (environment/gas)	0 – 50°C		
<b>Materials</b>	Anodized aluminium, optional stainless steel electropolished		
<b>Seals</b>	FKM, optional EPDM (FDA)		
<b>Pressure sensitivity</b>	< 0.2% / bar of reading (typical N $_2$ )		
<b>Temperature sensitivity</b>	< 0.025% FS measuring range type / °C		
<b>Warm-up time</b>	< 1 sec. for full accuracy		

### Integration

<b>Display</b>	Touch display 128x64 px Backlighted only with external power supply (Micro-USB or 24 Vdc)
<b>Process connection</b>	G $\frac{1}{4}$ " (BSPP* female) up to 60 l/min, G $\frac{1}{2}$ " (BSPP* female) up to 450 l/min *British Standard Pipe Parallel
<b>Inlet section</b>	None required
<b>Mounting orientation</b>	Any position (consult manufacturer above 5 bar/vertical mounting)
<b>Connection cable</b>	For external power supply: 2 m and 5 m with loose ends

### Safety

<b>Test pressure</b>	16 bar a
<b>Leak rate</b>	< 1 x 10 $^{-6}$ mbar l/s He
<b>Environmental protection</b>	IP-50
<b>EMC</b>	EN 61326-1

### Options



Panel Mounting Kit



Vacuum Fittings



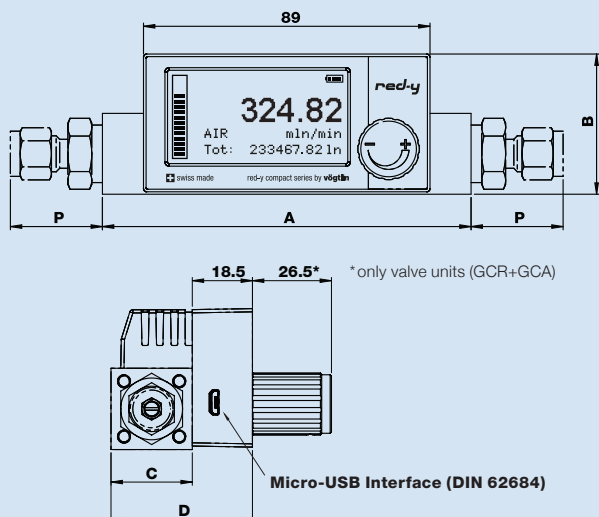
Various Inlet and Outlet Fittings

### Type code «red-y compact series»

Instrument type	red-y compact series (Gas)			G	C					
Function	Meter								M	
	Regulator – With manual valve								R	
	Switch* – With alarm								S	
	All-In* – With manual valve & alarm								A	
Full scale of measuring range (Air)	Customer-specific (Divider A, up to 600 mln/min)								A	X
	Customer-specific (Divider B, up to 6000 mln/min)								B	X
	Customer-specific (Divider C, up to 60 ln/min)								C	X
	Customer-specific (Divider D, up to 450 ln/min)								D	X
Instruments version	Eco (±2.0% of FS / > 200 ln/min ±3.0% of FS, 1 : 50)								E	
	Special (±1.0% of FS, 1 : 100)								S	
	Customer-specific / OEM								K	
Materials (Body, seals)	Aluminium, FKM								A	
	Aluminium, EPDM								B	
	Stainless steel, FKM								S	
	Stainless steel, EPDM								T	
	Customer-specific / OEM								K	
Supply (Micro-USB always available)	Battery Supply								B	
	External supply 24 Vdc								F	
	Customer-specific / OEM								K	
Material valve (regulator, all-in)	Nickel-plated brass									A
	Stainless steel									S
	Customer-specific / OEM									K
	No valve									N
Manual valve <small>defined by manufacturer</small>	NS 1.0									1 0
	NS 1.5									1 5
	NS 2.0									2 0
	NS 2.5									2 5
	NS 3.0									3 0
	NS 3.5									3 5
	NS 4.0									4 0
	NS 6.0									6 5
	Valve not defined									8 8
	Valve mounted									9 5
	Customer-specific / OEM									9 9
	No valve									0 0
	Type code		G	C	-				-	

\*available end of 2015

## Dimensions «red-y compact series»



	Length (mm)				Length of fitting
Type/Body	A	B	C	D	P
GCM G¼" GCR G¼" GCS G¼" GCA G¼"	114	44	25	44	We offer a range of different inlet/outlet fittings. See document <a href="#">329-2092_en_fittings.pdf</a> for types and dimensions
GCM G½" GCS G½"	160	54	35	54	
GCR G½" GCA G½"	207	54	35	54	

Find more detailed drawings in the *red-y compact series* manual available on **[www.voegtlin.com/downloads](http://www.voegtlin.com/downloads)**



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