

# Decathlon Series

## Economical PD Flow Meters

### Description

Economical, easy-to-use flow measurement is provided by the Decathlon Series flow meter. Flow Technology has taken its patented flow meter design and made it simpler. Many customers do not need the wide array of options that the Decathlon Industrial Series offers. Therefore, Flow Technology has removed all but the most commonly used features and streamlined the manufacturing process to deliver an economical, industrial flow meter that is accurate and reliable.

### Features

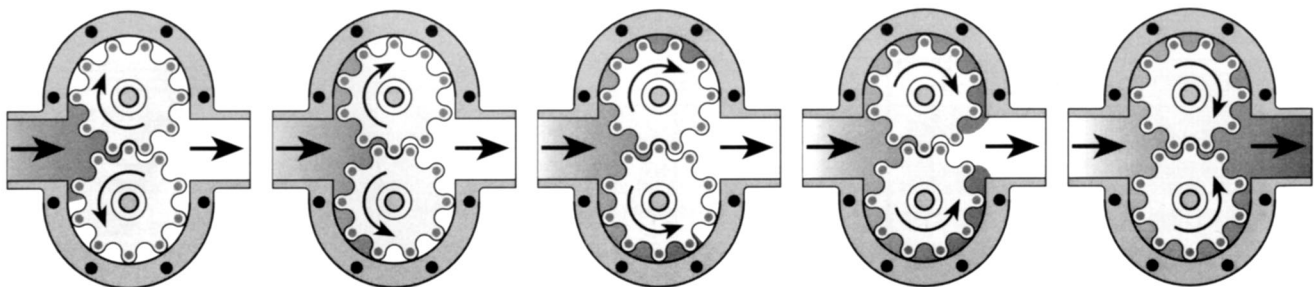
- 1/8" to 1-1/2" line sizes
- Handles viscosities up to 1,000,000 cP+
- Stainless steel construction
- Only two moving parts
- Bearingless design
- Easy to install and maintain
- Reference accuracy  $\pm 0.1\%$  of rate
- Up to 1000 psig operating pressure
- Operating temperatures up to 250° F (121° C)
- Wide range of applications
- Non-intrusive sensor
- Up to 1000:1 turndown



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Industrial Flow Meters

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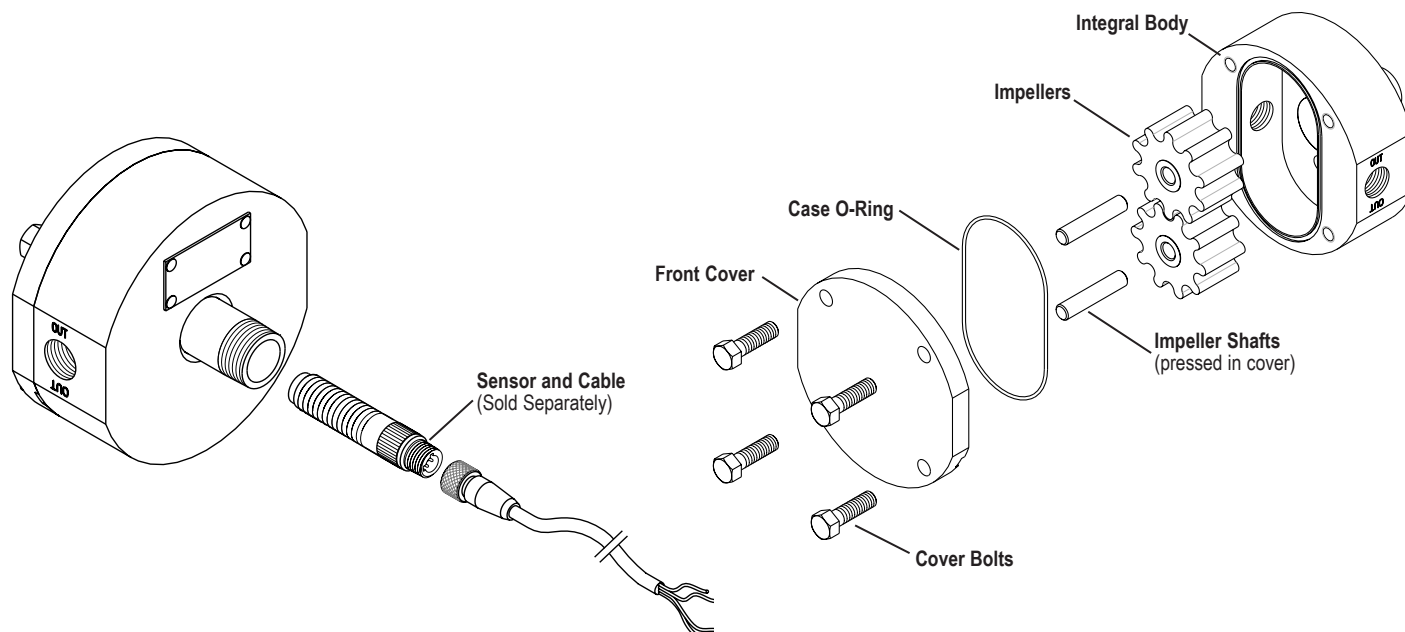
### Principle of Operation



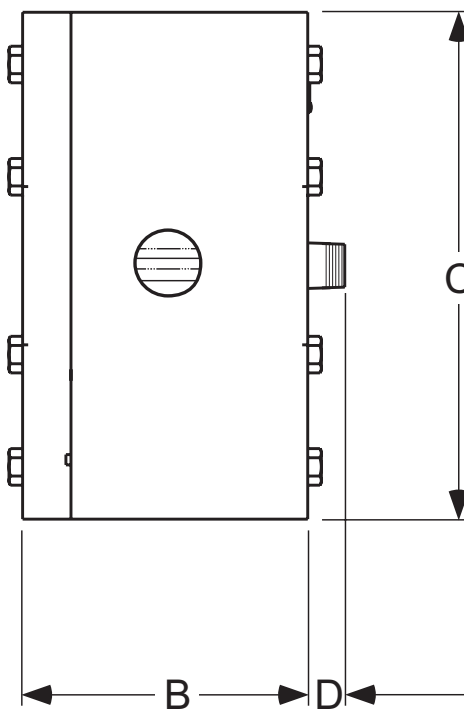
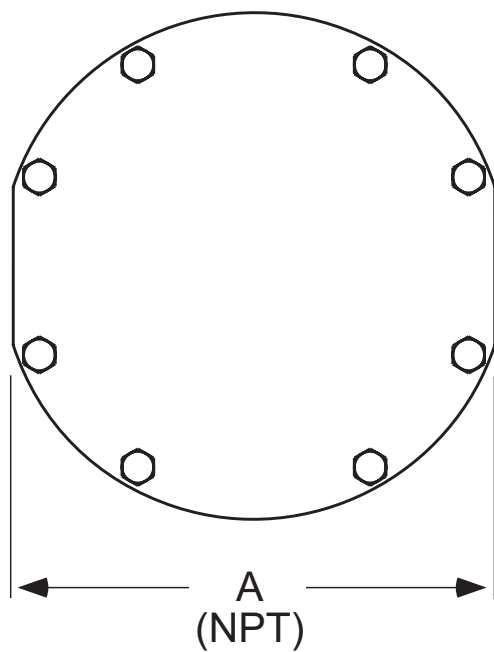
Flow Technology positive displacement flow meters use two rotating impellers driven by the flowing liquid. Magnets imbedded in the impellers activate a non-intrusive sensor which generates a pulsed output signal. Each pulse represents a known volume of liquid that is captured between the lobes of the impellers. A K-factor converts the pulses into engineering units for remote data collection and digital display.

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## Flow Meter Assembly Diagrams



## Dimensions



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## Specifications

**Process Temperature** Up to 250° F (121° C)  
based on impeller materials

**Operating Pressure**  
Standard 250 psig (1724 kPa)

**Turndown Ratio**  
(Based on maximum rated flow)  
Low viscosity fluids 10:1 standard  
Medium viscosity fluids 100:1  
High viscosity fluids 1000:1

**Calibration**  
**Note:** Each flow meter is calibrated with either a 1cP or at an FTI selected viscosity that is greater than the threshold viscosity for the meter size at 50% of its maximum rated flow.

**Reference Accuracy** ±0.1% of rate (repeatability)

**Linearity, Typical** ±2% on 1cP liquids  
±1% to 2% on 100cP and higher liquids

**Output**  
(Refer to individual product sheets for complete specifications)  
Sensors

**Hall Effect Pickoff:** 5–24 VDC square-wave pulse depending on supply, 3-wire  
FM Approved, intrinsically safe

**Magnetic Pickoff:** 10 mV to 10 V sine-wave pulse depending on flow rate, 2-wire  
Explosion-proof optional

Signal Conditioners and Transmitters  
Refer to individual product sheets, available from Flow Technology

## Materials of Construction

Body (Case) and Cover 300 Series stainless steel, standard

Shafts 316 stainless steel, standard

Impellers UHMWPE, PTFE, standard  
(See Flow Meter Ordering on last page)

O-Rings Viton™ or Teflon™ standard

Bolts Zinc-plated Grade 8 alloy steel

## Model Specifications

| Basic Model No. | Nominal Size | Maximum Flow Rate   |     | Recommended Mesh Size |      | Weight          |     |     |
|-----------------|--------------|---------------------|-----|-----------------------|------|-----------------|-----|-----|
|                 |              | Standard Connection | GPM | L/min                 | Mesh | [Particle Dia.] | lbs | kg  |
| DC01E           | 1/8" NPT     |                     | 1   | 3.79                  | 100  | [0.006"]        | 2.1 | 1.0 |
| DC02E           | 1/4" NPT     |                     | 3   | 11.4                  | 100  | [0.006"]        | 3.4 | 1.5 |
| DC05E           | 1/2" NPT     |                     | 12  | 45.4                  | 80   | [0.007"]        | 9.5 | 4.3 |
| DC10E           | 1" NPT       |                     | 25  | 94.6                  | 60   | [0.009"]        | 15  | 6.7 |
| DC15E           | 1-1/2" NPT   |                     | 50  | 189                   | 60   | [0.009"]        | 29  | 13  |

## Dimensions

| Basic Model No. | A (NPT) |     | B      |    | C      |     | D      |    |
|-----------------|---------|-----|--------|----|--------|-----|--------|----|
|                 | inches  | mm  | inches | mm | inches | mm  | inches | mm |
| DC01E           | 2.9     | 74  | 1.1    | 28 | 3.0    | 76  | 1.1    | 28 |
| DC02E           | 3.3     | 84  | 1.4    | 36 | 3.5    | 89  | 1.1    | 28 |
| DC05E           | 4.8     | 121 | 2.2    | 56 | 5.0    | 127 | 1.4    | 36 |
| DC10E           | 5.5     | 140 | 2.7    | 69 | 6.0    | 152 | 1.4    | 36 |
| DC15E           | 7.0     | 178 | 3.4    | 86 | 7.5    | 191 | 1.3    | 33 |

# Decathlon Series Economical Flow Meters

## Model Numbering System

**D** **C**   **E** -     -

### Basic Model No.

### Nominal Size

01 = 1/8"  
02 = 1/4"  
05 = 1/2"  
10 = 1"  
15 = 1-1/2"

### Case Material

4 = 300 Series SS

### Shaft Material

1 = 316 SS

### O-Ring Material

1 = Viton™ \*  
9 = Teflon™

### Impeller Material

3 = UHMWPE (-20 to 150° F)+  
9 = PTFE (-20 to 250° F)

### Special Designator

000 = Standard Meter

### Connection Size Nominal Size

01 = 1/8"  
02 = 1/4"  
05 = 1/2"  
10 = 1"  
15 = 1-1/2"

### Connection Type

1 = NPT (Female)

### Impeller Temperature (See Chart)

5 = Normal Temperature

## Impeller Normal Temperature Chart

| Impeller Material | Operating Temperature                    | CIP Temperature    |
|-------------------|--|--------------------|
| <b>UHMWPE</b>     | -20° F to +150° F<br>(-29° C to +66° C)  | 185° F<br>(85° C)  |
| <b>PTFE</b>       | -20° F to +250° F<br>(-29° C to +121° C) | 250° F<br>(121° C) |

## Key

|            |  |
|------------|--|
| <b>*</b>   | Standard Configuration                   |
| <b>✓</b>   | FDA Compliant                            |
| <b>CIP</b> | "Clean in Place," a brief cleaning cycle |
| <b>+</b>   | Not available in size 01 and 02 meters   |

## Material Guide

| Name                 | Description   |
|----------------------|---|
| <b>300 Series SS</b> | Any industrial grade stainless steel, typically 303 or 304                      |
| <b>316 SS</b>        | 316 Stainless Steel   |
| <b>Viton™</b>        | Fluorocarbon, by Chemours™  |
| <b>PTFE</b>          | Carbon Filled Polytetrafluoroethylene, Teflon™ by Chemours™ (Impeller Material) |
| <b>Teflon™</b>       | Polytetrafluoroethylene, by Chemours™   |
| <b>UHMWPE</b>        | Ultra High Molecular Weight Polyethylene  |

**OEM Versions** – On approved projects, the Flow Technology flow meters can be modified to meet the specific needs of an OEM application.

Specifications are for reference only and are subject to change without notice.

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