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# Solartron Mobrey Squing 2 vibrating fork point level measurement

IP2024





# Squing 2 vibrating fork level switch

### Operation

The Squing 2 is a liquid point level switch designed using the principle of a tuning fork. The Squing 2 continuously monitors changes in its vibrating fork's natural resonant frequency. When the Squing 2 is used as a low alarm, the liquid in the vessel drains down past the fork resulting in a change of its frequency; this is detected by the electronics which switches the output state. Or when used as a high alarm, the liquid rises in the vessel, contacts with the forks and again the output switches.

### Features

- ▶ ¾" and 1" threaded (BSPT, BSPP, NPT) at standard or extended lengths to 3m
- Choice of international flanges and range of hygienic fittings
- Versatile switch outputs Relay, Direct load switching, PLC/PNP
- ATEX hazardous area approval for explosion proof (EExd) and intrinsically safe (EExia) applications
- ▶ Halar/PFA coating for chemical resistance
- Continuous operating temperature up to 150°C and pressure up to 100 bar g
- No mechanical parts maintenance free

### **Special features**

Squing 2 has a status indicating 'heart-beat' LED which can be seen at all times through a lens in the cover. The LED will flash (once per second) when the Squing 2 is 'off' and will be constantly lit when the Squing 2 is 'on'. The LED gives an indication that the Squing 2 is functioning correctly and of course gives a local visual indication of the state of the wetside.

A mode switch allows the Squing 2 to be set to switch from wet to dry (typically low alarm) or from dry to wet (typically high alarm). You may also select a time delay from 0.3, 1, 3, 10, or 30 seconds.

A magnetic test point is on the side of the housing, allowing the user to perform a functional test of the Squing 2. By touching a magnet on the target the Squing 2 output will change state for as long as the magnet is present.

### Electronics

Standard two core cable with any power supply from 24 to 260V ac (24 to 60Vdc) is used to connect Squing 2 in series with the load and achieve direct load switching. The output acts as a simple SPST switch that changes with liquid presence. Alternatively use the switching function of the SPCO relay electronics output. Squing 2 also has the option of electronics to be interfaced directly to a PLC using the PNP transistor output model (three-wire).

Intrinsically Safe (IS) Squing 2 to ATEX EExia approval interfaces directly with standard NAMUR (DIN 19234, IEC 60947-5-6) isolation amplifiers.

### Short Fork Technology

Using Short Fork technology pioneered by Mobrey and many years of application experience, the Squing 2 is designed for use in virtually all applications. Extensive research has maximised the operational effectiveness of the fork design whilst all the time keeping in mind the practical consideration of a level switch that is suitable for most liquids, including coatings, aerated liquids, and slurries.

### SIL2 Certification

The Intrinsically Safe version of the Squing 2 has been assessed and rated SIL2 for use as a Type B safety related subsystem in accordance with IEC61508. The I.S. Squing 2, which already carries overfilling approval, is used together with a Namur barrier to provide a high level of fail safety when used in a high level application.

# Mounting options

### Threaded mounting

Standard threads	¾", 1", BSPT, BSPP, NPT	
Max. op. press.	100b (-40 to +50°C)	
	derates to 80b (at 150°C)	42mm
Max. op. temp.	+150°C wetside	142
Min. op. temp.	-40°C wetside/dryside	
Max. amb. temp.	+80°C (at 60°C wetside)	1

### Notes:

Max. length E = 3000mm.

Extended models with 3/4" & 1" threads, <sup>3</sup>/<sub>4</sub>" min E = 95mm, 1" E = 94mm Accessories:

For use with extended length Squing (1" models only), a stainless steel adjustable clamp gland is available.

This is threaded  $1\frac{1}{2}$ " BSPP for connection to the vessel, and allows the extended length Squing to be raised or lowered then clamped in position. Note: this limits max. operating pressure to 1.3bar (SK304)

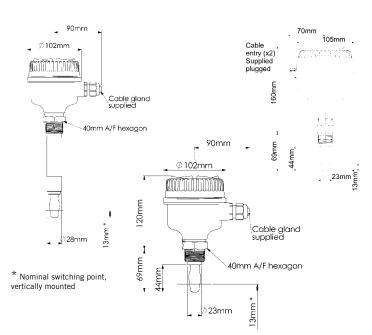
### Hygienic fitting

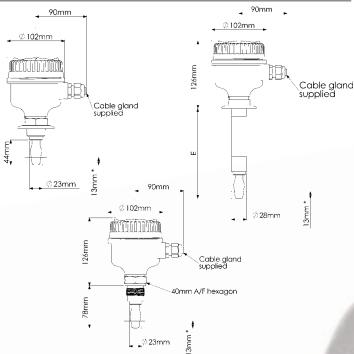
Standard fittings	Tri-Clover
	SMS
	DIN 11581
	'O' Ring seal (1" BSPP)
Max. op. press.	30 bar
Max. op. temp.	+150°C wetside
Min. op. temp.	-40°C wetside/dryside
Max. amb. temp.	+80°C (at 60°C wetside)
Notes:	Max. length E = 3000mm
	Triclover min E = 105mm

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### **Options:**

Hand polished wetside to a finish better than 0.8µm meets the principal design criteria of 3A and EHEDG hygienic approvals

Accessories:

For use with 2" (51mm) Tri-clover Squing 2, a mounting kit comprising vessel fitting, Nitrile seal and clamp ring is available (SK266) For use with 'O' ring seal Squing, a fitting boss with Viton 'O' ring is available (SK267)

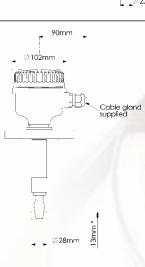
### Flange mounting

Standard flanges	ANSI, DIN, Mobrey	-
	(see ordering codes overleaf)	
Max. op. press.	100b (-40 to +50°C)	-
	80b (at 150°C) or flange	
	rating, whichever is the lower	
Max. op. temp.	+150°C wetside	-
Min. op. temp.	-40°C wetside/dryside	-
Max. amb. temp.	+80°C (at 60°C wetside)	-
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### Notes:

Max. length E = 3000 mm. Min. E = 89 mm Options:

For use with corrosive liquids having condensing vapours, flanged Squing can be supplied with the wetside fully Halar/PFA co-polymer coated. maximum extended length E = 1000mm.



\* Nominal switching point, vertically mounted

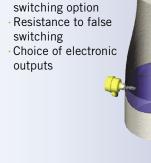
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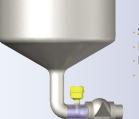
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		4	4" DN	100			9	G	Flange		
		5	3⁄4"								
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			D	NPT			Q		Mobrey		
			G	#150			R		Tri-Clover clamp		
			H	#300			S		SMS hygienic fitting		
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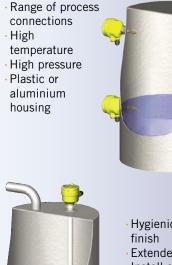
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Failsafe Manual test facility Heartbeat LED





Small forks
Low cost
Reliable
IP66/67





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# Applications

### Overfill protection

Spillage caused by overfilling can be hazardous to the environment and people, results in lost product and incurring costs of clean up operations. Squing 2 is a failsafe limit level switch with built-in highly visible 'heartbeat LED' to reassure you that it is always ready to detect and signal overfill at any time.

Provided as standard, the magnetic test point on the unit allows for simple on-site functional test providing re-assurance of operation without removing the unit from your tank.

# Limit detection

Often batch processing tanks contain stirrers/agitators to ensure the mixing and product 'fluidity'. With the standard user selectable time delay from 0.3 to 30 seconds, there is no chance of false switching due to splashing caused by stirrers/agitators.

A choice from a range of different electronics provides the benefit of trouble-free integration into your existing system especially as existing wiring can be utilised.

### Pipe installation (pump protection)

Short forks for minimum intrusion wetside allows simple low cost installation at any angle into your pipes or vessels. With the forks projecting in only 69mm, the Squing 2 can be installed in small diameter pipes. By selecting the option of direct load switching electronics, Squing 2 is ideal for reliable pump control and can be used to protect against pump dry running.

With a range of housings types rated IP66/67 the Squing 2 can be installed in almost any environment.

### High and low level alarm

Maximum and minimum detection in tanks containing many types of liquid is measured using Squing 2. The robust Squing 2 operates continuously at temperatures up to 150°C and operating pressure to 100 bar g making it perfect for use as a high or low level alarm. Available with industry standard flanges to ANSI and BS standards from stock, or other international standards to order and with forks constructed in various materials such as stainless steel, Hastelloy C, or with ECTFE (halar)/PFA coatings.

# Hygienic applications

With the option of highly polished forks with a surface finish (Ra) better than  $0.8\mu$ m, the Squing 2 meets the principle design criteria of 3A and EHEDG for equipment used in the manufacture of hygienic applications like food, beverage, and pharmaceutical. Manufactured in stainless steel the Squing 2 is robust enough to withstand steam cleaning (CIP) routines at temperatures up to  $150^{\circ}$  C.

Working in viscous liquids and liquids with high solids content, the Squing 2 will ignore low/medium density foams and aeration.

# **Specifications**

### Construction

Housing/Enclosure	Aluminium alloy ASTM B26 356-T6 (M20 or <sup>3</sup> / <sub>4</sub> " cable entry)
	Nylon PA66 30% GF (M20 or 1/2" NPT cable entry)
Threaded connections	R ¾" and 1" (BSPT); G ¾" and 1" (BSPP); ¾" and 1" NPT
Hygienic connections	TriClover, SMS, BSPP flush mount, Tuchenhagen, DIN 11851
	Flanges to ANSI B16.5 (1.5" or larger) and BS4504 (DN40 or larger)
Extended lengths	Available to max 3m.
Coating	Halar (ECTFE) / PFA co-polymer (1000mm max.).
	Hand polished to better than $0.8\mu m$ in accordance with EHEDG and 3A

### **Operating conditions**

Wetside temperature range	-40°C to +150° C
Ambient temperature range	-40°C to +80°C (derated to 50°C at 150°C wetside)
Wetside pressure range	-0.25 bar g to +100 bar g at 50°C
Liquid specific gravity range	0.6 to 2.0
Liquid viscosity range	0.2 to 10,000 cps
Switching point (water)	13mm from tip (vertical) / from edge (horizontal) of fork
Hysteresis (water)	+/- 1mm nom.
Switching delay	User selectable 0.3, 1, 3, 10, 30 seconds delay dry to wet / wet to dry.

#### **Electrical connections**

Electrical connections	Direct load switching (two wire) 24 to 264V ac 50/60Hz, 24 to 60V dc
	Solid state PNP output for direct interface to PLCs (three wire) 24 to 60V dc
	SPCO single relay for voltage free contacts
	Intrinsically Safe (IS) NAMUR to DIN 19234, IEC 60947-5-6

#### Approvals/certificates

E.M.C. Directive	EN61326 Emissions to Class B. Immunity to industrial location requirements
L.V. Directive	EN61010-1 Pollution degree 2, Category II (264V max)
	Pollution degree 2, Category III (150V max)
Approvals/Certs	ATEX II 1 G D, EExia IIC T5; ATEX II 1 G D, EExd IIC T5
	XP/I/1/ABCD/T6 Ta = 75C; T4 Ta = 125C; Type 4X
	IS/I/1/ABCD/T* Ta = 80C; IP6X; I/0/AEx ia IIC T* Ta = 80C
Pending	CSA Explosion proof (XP), Intrinsically Safe (IS)

Solartron Mobrey will replace a faulty or failed Squing 2 with a new unit provided that the fault or failure is reported either directly or via an accredited Agent, within a period of 1 year from the date of supply, and the product has been installed and used in accordance with Solartron Mobrey instruction manual IP2025. Solartron Mobrey reserves the right to examine such product and to refuse replacement at its discrection if the above conditions are not met.

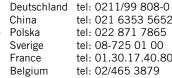
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