



# DMT143 Dew Point Transmitter

## For OEM Applications



### Features

- Vaisala DRYCAP® technology with auto-calibration
- Calibration interval of two years
- Dew point measurement range -70 ... +60 °C (-94 ... +140 °F)
- Accuracy  $\pm 2$  °C ( $\pm 3.6$  °F)
- Withstands condensation
- Compatible with Vaisala DRYCAP® Handheld Dew Point Meter DM70
- Compatible with Vaisala Insight PC software
- Traceable calibration
- Voltage (V) or current (mA) analog output
- RS-485 digital output with Modbus RTU support
- LED alarm for exceeded dew point level
- Fast response time

Vaisala DRYCAP® Dew Point Transmitter DMT143 is an ideal choice for small compressed air dryers, plastic dryers, and other OEM applications.

### Vaisala DRYCAP®

Vaisala DRYCAP® Dew Point Transmitter DMT143 is a miniature dew point measurement instrument.

The transmitter can be installed directly into pressurized systems at 50 bar (725 psia) maximum pressure. The long-term high performance is achieved with Vaisala DRYCAP® technology.

The sensor fully withstands getting wet, and therefore, the transmitter performs exceptionally well in applications that occasionally experience process water spikes, such as pipeline condensation during a system failure or start-up.

The sensor is also highly resistant to particulate contamination, oil vapor, and most chemicals, and is insensitive to the flow rate.

### Long Calibration Interval

The calibration interval of DMT143 is two years. Additionally, Vaisala DRYCAP® Handheld Dew Point Meter DM70 can be used to confirm the performance of DMT143 without disconnecting the transmitter. For any adjustment needs, the transmitter can be sent to Vaisala Service.

The auto-calibration software works online while the process is running. If the measurement accuracy is not confirmed, corrections are made automatically.

### Easy Installation

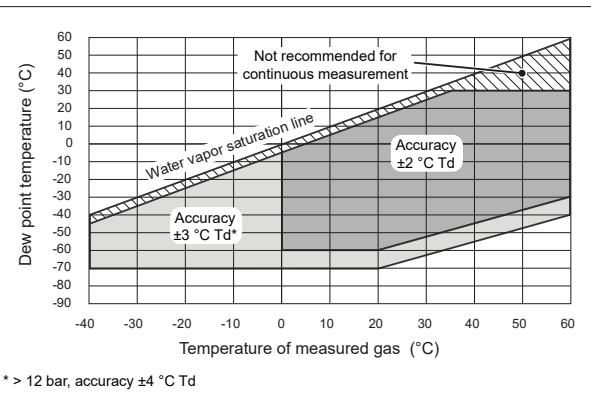
DMT143 has a variety of features to choose from, including different output and installation options, and alarm LED.

Due to its small size and light weight, DMT143 is quickly and easily installed in tight spaces or in small-size pipelines. The alarm LED indicates too high dew point in the process. The trigger point is preset at the factory. It can be later adjusted with Vaisala DRYCAP® Handheld Dew Point Meter DM70, or the convenient Vaisala Insight PC software for Windows®. Insight PC software can also be used for other configuration options (see [www.vaisala.com/insight](http://www.vaisala.com/insight)).

## Technical Data

## Measurement Performance

Sensor	Vaisala DRYCAP® 180D
Sensor protection	Stainless steel sintered filter
Recommended calibration interval to confirm the specified accuracy	2 years
<b>Dew Point Temperature</b>	
Measurement range (typical)	-70 ... +60 °C (-94 ... +140 °F) $T_d$
Accuracy in air or $N_2$ <sup>1)</sup>	±2 °C (±3.6 °F) $T_d$ (see graph below)



### Analog output scalings:

Option 1	-80 ... +20 °C (-112 ... +68 °F) $T_d$
Option 2	-80 ... +20 °C (-112 ... +68 °F) $T_d$ dew point at ambient pressure
Option 3	Free scaling

Response time 63 % [90 %] at +20 °C gas temperature and 1 bar pressure and 1 liter/min flow rate:

-70 → -20 °C $T_d$ (-94 → -4 °F $T_d$ )	5 s [15 s] (typical)
-20 → -70 °C $T_d$ (-4 → -94 °F $T_d$ )	45 s [10 min] (typical)

### Water Concentration by Volume (ppm)

Measurement range (typical)	10 ... 40 000 ppm
Accuracy at +20 °C (+68 °F), 1 bar	1 ppm + 20 % of reading
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## Operating Environment

Measured gases	Non-corrosive gases
Temperature <sup>1)</sup>	-40 ... +60 °C (-40 ... +140 °F)
Relative humidity	0 ... 100 % RH
Pressure <sup>1)</sup>	0 ... 50 bar <sub>a</sub> (725 psia)
Sample flow rate	No effect for measurement accuracy
Storage temperature	-40 ... +60 °C (-40 ... +140 °F)

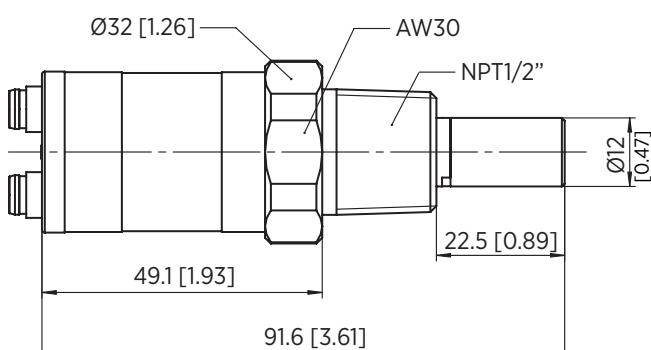
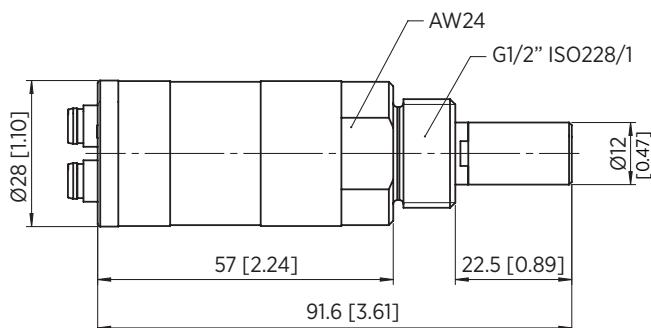
1) For extended temperature below 0 °C (+32 °F) or pressure above 20 bar<sub>a</sub> (290 psi<sub>a</sub>) the supply voltage must be 24 ... 28 VDC.

## Inputs and Outputs

Analog output (scalable)	4 ... 20 mA (3-wire), 0 ... 1 V / 5 V, 1 ... 5 V
Resolution for current output	0.002 mA
Resolution for voltage output	0.3 mV
Accuracy for current output at +20 °C	±0.05 mA
Accuracy for voltage output at +20 °C	±0.01 V
Operating voltage with digital output	12 ... 28 VDC
Operating voltage with voltage output	12 ... 28 VDC
Operating voltage with current output	18 ... 28 VDC
Load for current output	Max. 500 Ω
Load for voltage output	Min. 10 kΩ
Typical temperature dependence	0.005 % of span/°C
Digital output	RS-485, non-isolated
Supported protocols	Vaisala Industrial Protocol Modbus RTU protocol
Connector	4-pin M8 (IEC 60947-5-2)
<b>Supply Current at +20 °C (Uin 24 VDC)</b>	
Normal measurement	10 mA + load current (typical)
During self-diagnostics	220 mA pulsed (typical)

## Mechanical Specifications

Mechanical connection	ISO G1/2" or NPT1/2"
Housing material	Stainless steel (AISI316L)
Weight	G thread version 90 g (3.2 oz) NPT thread version 100 g (3.5 oz)



Dimensions in mm (inches)

## Spare Parts and Accessories

Connection cable for DM70	219980SP
USB cable for PC connection <sup>1)</sup>	219690
Loop powered external display	226476
Loop powered external display with relays	234759

### Sampling Cells

Basic sampling cell	DMT242SC
With Swagelok 1/4" male connectors	DMT242SC2
With quick connector and leak screw	DSC74SP
Two-pressure sampling cell	DSC74BSP
Cooling/venting coil	DMCOILSP

See the DSS70A product page at [www.vaisala.com](http://www.vaisala.com) for further information about the sampling cells available for DM70.

1) Vaisala Insight software for Windows is available at [www.vaisala.com/insight](http://www.vaisala.com/insight).

## Compliance

IP rating	IP66
EMC compliance	EN61326-1, Electrical equipment for measurement, control and laboratory use - EMC requirements - Industrial environment



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