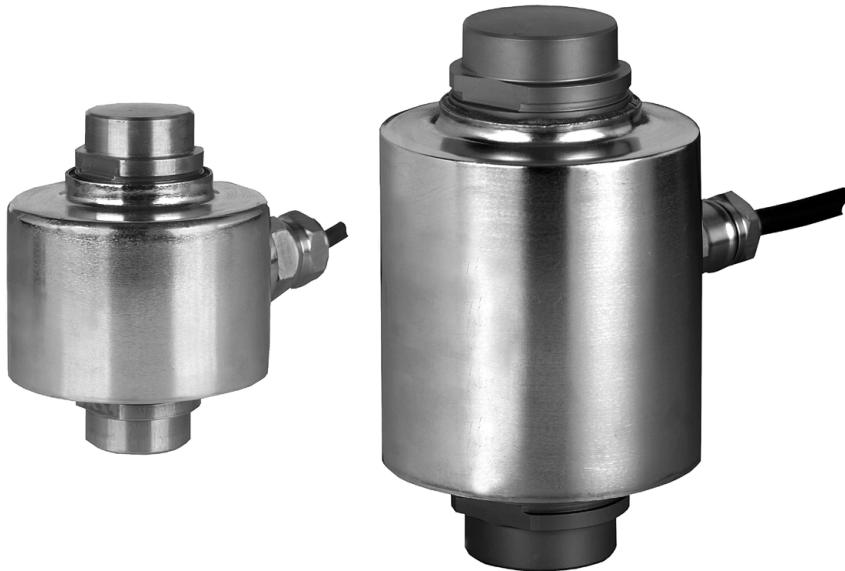


# RC3 compression load cell



## product description

Flintec pioneered the concept of the single column compression load cell – the RC3. Compact and yet very robust the RC3 is available in a very wide range of capacities from 7.5t through to 300t. The rocker column design ensures that the optimum weighing accuracy is achieved when subjected to scale deck movement. Fully hermetically sealed and constructed from stainless steel the RC3 is a more economical solution to the RC1 load cell.

## applications

Truck scales, railroad scales, high capacity scales, silo weighing systems.

## key features

All stainless-steel construction

Hermetically sealed to IP68

Self-restoring column design

Wide range of capacities from 7.5t through to 300t

High input resistance

Calibration in mV/V/Ω

## approvals

OIML approvals to C1 ( $Y = 5,000$ ), C3, C3 M16 and C4 ( $Y = 15,000$ ) are available for models with capacities from 7.5t to 50t only

NTEP approval to 10,000 intervals, Class III L (for 7.5t to 50t)

ATEX hazardous area approval for zones 0, 1, 2, 20, 21 and 22

FM hazardous area approval

## accessories + options

Compatible range of application hardware and electronics

Integrated surge arrestors

Y = 10,000 for C3 (30t, 40t)

Optional rubber sleeve (30t, 40t)



RoHS  
compliant



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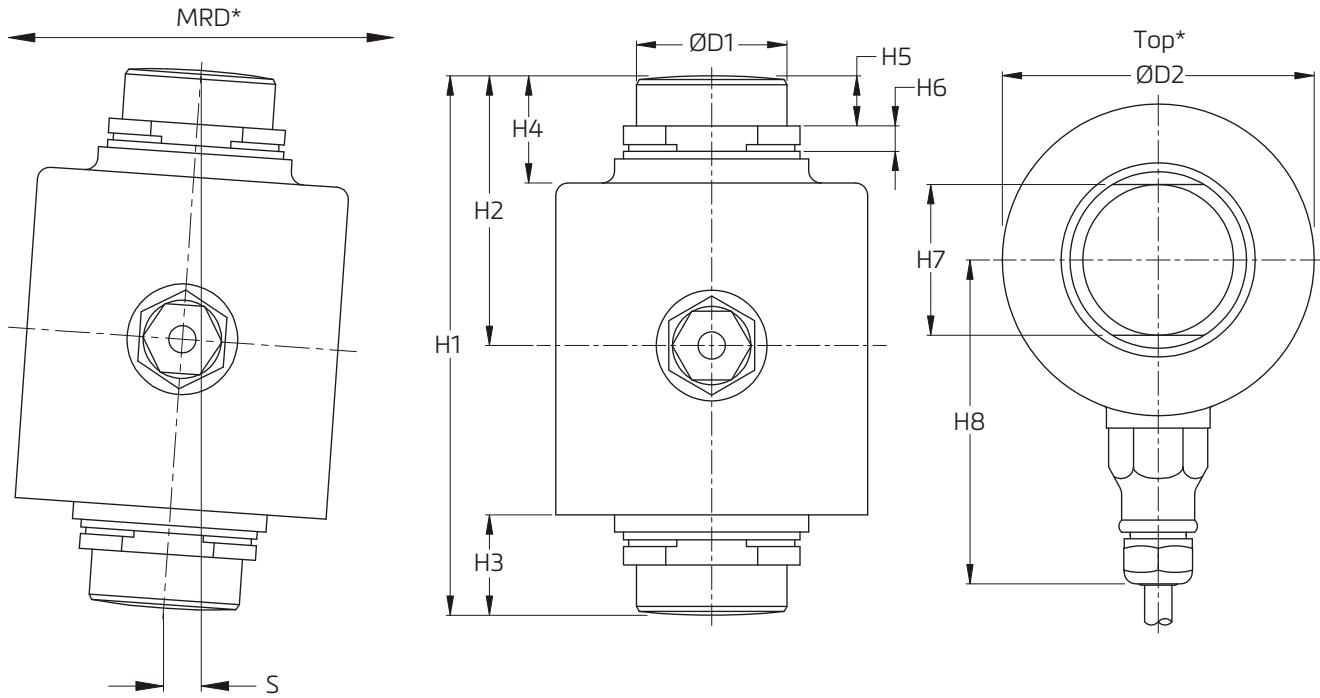
## specifications

Maximum capacity ( $E_{\max}$ )	t	7.5 / 15 / 22.5 / 30 / 40 / 50 / 100 / 150 / 300	7.5 / 15 / 22.5 / 30 / 40 / 50						
Accuracy class according to OIML R60		(GP)	C1	C3	C3 MI 8	C4			
Maximum number of verification intervals ( $n_{LC}$ )		n.a.	1,000	3,000	4,000				
Minimum load cell verification interval ( $v_{\min}$ )		n.a.	$E_{\max} / 5,000$	$E_{\max} / 15,000$					
Temp. effect on minimum dead load output ( $TC_0$ )	%*RO/10°C	± 0.0400	± 0.0280	± 0.0093					
Temperature effect on sensitivity ( $TC_{RO}$ )	%*RO/10°C	± 0.0200	± 0.0160	± 0.0100		± 0.0080			
Combined error	%*RO	± 0.0500	± 0.0300	± 0.0200	± 0.0180	± 0.0180			
Non-linearity	%*RO	± 0.0400	± 0.0300	± 0.0166	± 0.0166	± 0.0125			
Hysteresis	%*RO	± 0.0400	± 0.0300	± 0.0166	± 0.0100	± 0.0125			
Creep error (30 minutes) / DR	%*RO	± 0.0600	± 0.0490	± 0.0166	± 0.0062	± 0.0125			
Option: Min. load cell verification interval ( $v_{\min \text{ opt}}$ )		n.a.	n.a.	$E_{\max} / 10000$	n.a.	n.a.			
Option: Temp. effect on min. dead load output ( $TC_0 \text{ opt}$ )	%*RO/10°C	n.a.	n.a.	± 0.0140	n.a.	n.a.			
Minimum dead load ( $E_{\min}$ )		0%* $E_{\max}$ (30 / 40 / 50 / 100)		2%* $E_{\max}$ (7.5 / 15 / 22.5 / 150 / 300)					
Rated Output (RO)	mV/V	2 ± 0.1%							
Calibration in mV/V/Ω (A...I classified)	%	± 0.05 (± 0.005)							
Zero balance	%*RO	± 5							
Excitation voltage	V	5...15							
Input resistance ( $R_{LC}$ )	Ω	1,150 ± 50							
Output resistance ( $R_{out}$ )	Ω	1,000 ± 2							
Insulation resistance (100 V DC)	MΩ	≥ 5,000							
Safe load limit ( $E_{lim}$ )	%* $E_{\max}$	200							
Ultimate load	%* $E_{\max}$	300							
Compensated temperature range	°C	-10...+40							
Operating temperature range	°C	-40...+80 (ATEX -40...+60)							
Load cell material		stainless steel 17-4 PH (1.4548)							
Sealing		complete hermetic sealing; cable entry sealed by glass to metal header							
Protection according EN 60 529		IP68 (up to 2m water depth) / IP69K							
Packet weight	kg	1.3 (7.5t), 1.4 (15t), 1.5 (22.5t), 3.4 (30t), 3.6 (40t), 4.5 (50t), 12.9 (100t), 17.1 (150t), 32.8 (300t)							

The limits for Non-Linearity, Hysteresis, and  $TC_{RO}$  are typical values.

The sum of Non-linearity, Hysteresis and  $TC_{RO}$  meets the requirements according to OIML R60 with  $p_{LC}=0.7$ .

## product dimensions (mm)



MRD\* - Mandatory main rocking direction

Top\* - Top view

Type	H1	H2	H3	H4	H5	H6	H7	H8	D1	D2	S <sub>max</sub> *	RF**	S <sub>nom</sub> ***	
7.5 t												11 kN	0.5	
15 t	89	44	17	23	11	6	28	75	28	69	4.5	20 kN	0.6	
22.5 t												30 kN	0.6	
30 t	140	70	26	28		6.5					10.5	34 kN	0.29	
40 t	150	75	31	33	13	11.7	39	84	39	81		10	37 kN	0.8
50 t			32	34		8.5	44		44	99	9	51 kN	1	
100 t	178	89			17			94		62	141.3	11.5	152 kN	0.3
150 t	210	105	42.7	42.7	20.6	12.8	76.2		76.2		14.5	240 kN	0.35	
300 t	280	140	55.9	55.9	25	21.5	100	121.5		100	15	468 kN	0.5	

\*S<sub>max</sub> - maximum lateral displacement of load introduction. Recommended gap 2...3 mm for 7.5...22.5 t, 3...5 mm for 30...300 t.

\*\*RF - restoring force at S<sub>max</sub> and E<sub>max</sub>.

\*\*\*S<sub>nom</sub> = deflection, max. elastic deformation under nominal load in mm



## wiring

The load cell is provided with a shielded, 4 conductor cable (7.5 to 22.5t: AWG 24; 30t + 40t: AWG 20 or AWG 24; 50 t or higher: AWG 20).

Cable jacket: polyurethane

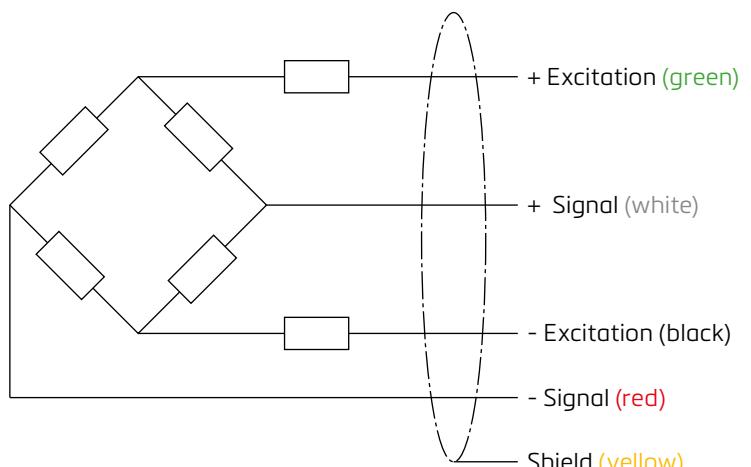
Cable length: 12m for 7.5 to 22,5 t

18m for 30 to 300 t / on request various length available

Cable diameter: 5 mm for 7.5 to 22.5 t (30 t and 40 t as an option)

7.8 mm for 30 to 300 t

The shield is floating (On request the shield can be connected to the load cell body)



Specifications and dimensions are subject to change without notice.