

# C18

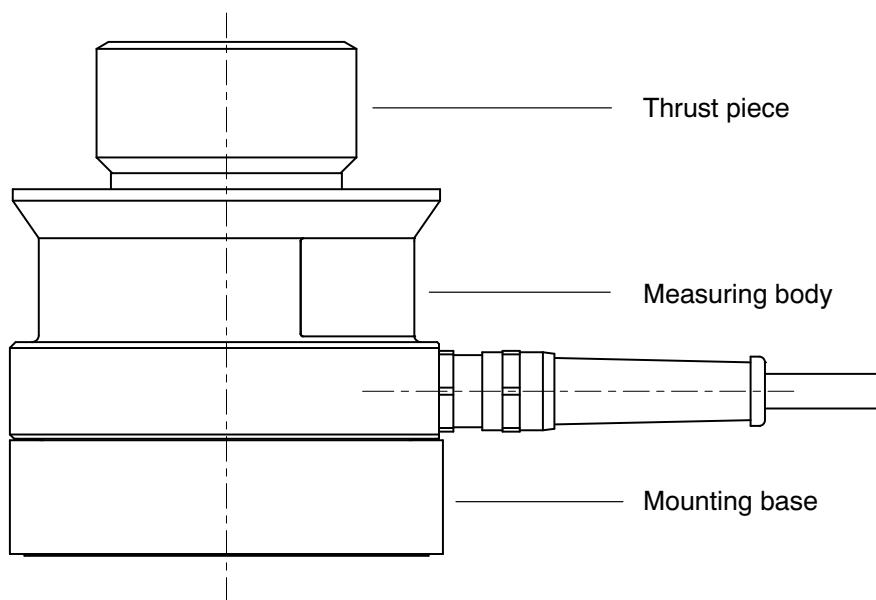
## Force Transducer



### Special features

- Compressive force transducer
- Nominal (rated) forces  
10 kN to 5 MN
- Compact dimensions
- Low weight
- Delivery includes force application parts
- Classification option with DKD calibration certificate to ISO 376: Class 0.5

### C18 force transducer concept



## Specifications

Type	C18										
Data per VDI 2638											
Nominal (rated) force	$F_{\text{nom}}$	kN	10 - 200	300	500 - 1000	2000 - 3000	5000				
Class to ISO 376 (0.2 $F_{\text{nom}}$ to $F_{\text{nom}}$ ) <sup>1)</sup>	0.5										
Nominal (rated) sensitivity	$C_{\text{nom}}$	mV/V	2								
Rel. sensitivity error (compression)	$d_C$	%	0.1								
Relative zero signal error	$d_{S,0}$	%	1								
Relative zero error (zero signal return) <sup>1)</sup>	$f_0$	%	0.012	0.024							
Hysteresis error (0.2 $F_{\text{nom}}$ to $F_{\text{nom}}$ ) <sup>1)</sup>	$u$	%	0.08								
Relative reproducibility and repeatability errors (0.2 $F_{\text{nom}}$ to $F_{\text{nom}}$ ) for: a constant mounting position <sup>1)</sup> varying mounting positions <sup>1)</sup>	$b_I$ $b$	% %	0.04 0.08								
Non-linearity	$d_{\text{lin}}$	%	0.05								
Effect of temperature on sensitivity, per 10 K related to nominal (rated) sensitivity	$\Delta T_{K_c}$	%	0.01								
Effect of temperature on zero signal, per 10 K related to nominal (rated) sensitivity	$\Delta T_{K_0}$	%	0.01								
Effect of lateral forces (lateral force 10% $F_{\text{nom}}$ ) <sup>2)</sup>	$d_Q$	%	0.035	0.1	0.15						
Effect of eccentricity per mm	$d_E$	%	0.02								
Relative creep over 30 min	$d_{\text{crF+E}}$	%	0.03								
Input resistance	$R_i$	$\Omega$	$4450 \pm 100$								
Output resistance	$R_o$	$\Omega$	$4010 \pm 2$								
Insulation resistance	$R_{\text{is}}$	$\Omega$	$> 50 \times 10^9$								
Reference excitation voltage	$U_{\text{ref}}$	V	5								
Operating range of excitation voltage	$B_{U,G,T}$	V	5 to 30								
Carrier frequency of excitation voltage		Hz	$\leq 600$								
Nominal (rated) temperature range	$B_{t,\text{nom}}$	$^{\circ}\text{C}$	+10 to +40								
Operating temperature range	$B_{t,G}$	$^{\circ}\text{C}$	-30 to +80								
Storage temperature range	$B_{t,S}$	$^{\circ}\text{C}$	-50 to +85								
Reference temperature	$t_{\text{ref}}$	$^{\circ}\text{C}$	+22								
Max. operating force	( $F_G$ )	%	170	150			135				
Limit force	( $F_L$ )	%	170	150			135				
Breaking force	( $F_B$ )	%	400	320			290				
Static lateral limit force <sup>2)</sup>	( $F_Q$ )	%	$0.27 \cdot F_{\text{nom}}$ ; (to $F_z \leq 0.5 \cdot F_{\text{nom}}$ ) $0.45 \cdot (F_{\text{nom}} - 0.8 \cdot F_z)$ ; (for $F_z > 0.5 \cdot F_{\text{nom}}$ ) ( $F_z$ = force in direction of measurement)								

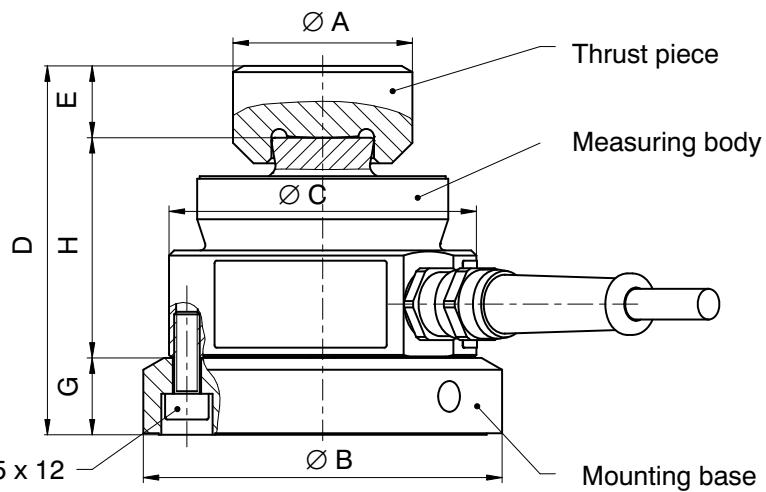
1) Class 0.5 to ISO 376, classification only guaranteed in conjunction with a DKD calibration certificate to ISO 376.

2) Relative to a force application point on the force application surface of the measuring body.

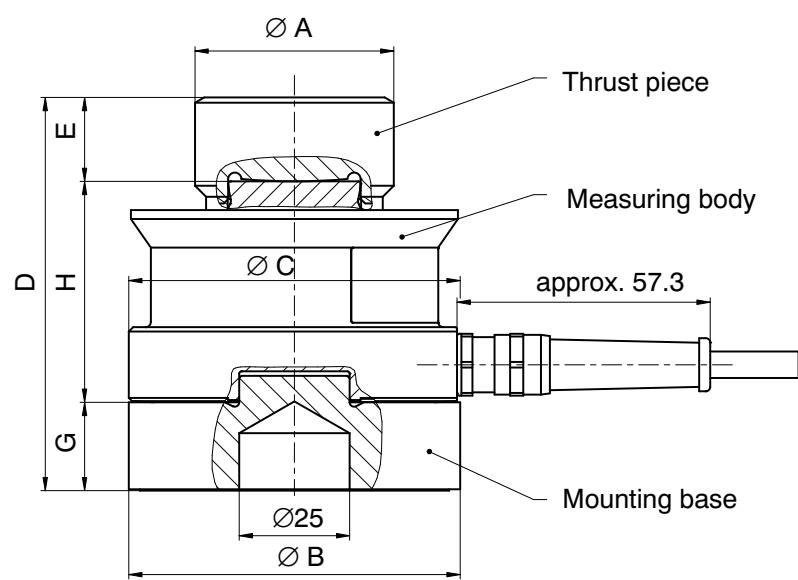
Nominal (rated) force	$F_{\text{nom}}$	kN	10	20	50	100	200	300	500	1000	2000	3000	5000
Nominal (rated) displacement	$S_{\text{nom}}$	mm	0.13	0.11	0.13	0.17	0.19	0.23	0.26	0.45	0.62	0.79	1.08
Total weight		kg	1.2	1.2	1.2	2.3	2.3	3.9	10.4	15.3	45.6	52.6	90.4
Rel. permissible vibrational stress	$F_{\text{rb}}$	%	70										
Degree of protection per EN 60529			IP68 (test conditions 1 m water column / 100 h)										
Cable length, four-wire configuration		m	5										
Measuring body material			stainless steel										

**Dimensions (in mm)**

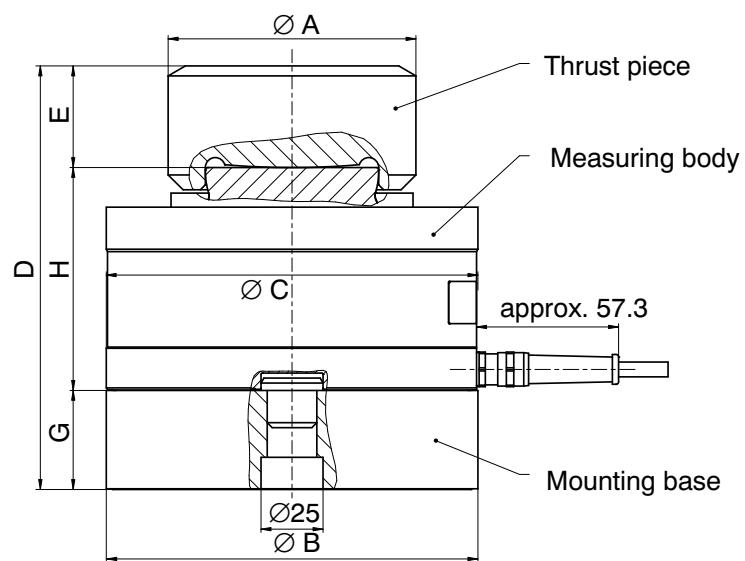
**10 kN – 50 kN**



**100 kN – 500 kN**

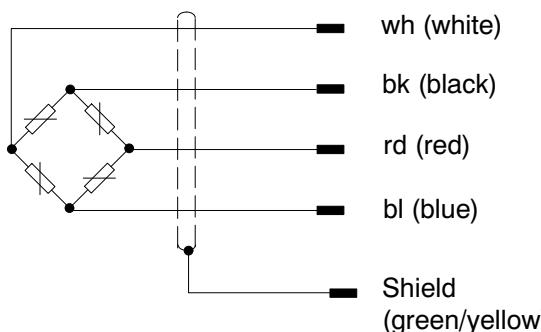


**1 MN – 5 MN**



Type	$\varnothing$ A	$\varnothing$ B	$\varnothing$ C	D	E	G	H
C18 / 10 kN – 50 kN	35	70	60	72	14	15	43
C18 / 100 kN – 200 kN	45	75	75	89	19	20	50
C18 / 300 kN	58	95	95	112	27	20	65
C18 / 500 kN	85	130	130	157	35	37	85
C18 / 1 MN	100	150	150	171	41	40	90
C18 / 2 MN	135	230	225	239	59	50	130
C18 / 3 MN	135	230	225	254	59	50	145
C18 / 5 MN	160	275	270	303	73	60	170

## Pin assignment



wh (white)                          Measurement signal (+)  $U_A$   
 bk (black)                          Excitation voltage (-)  $U_B$   
 rd (red)                            Measurement signal (-)  $U_A$   
 bl (blue)                            Excitation voltage (+)  $U_B$   
 Shield  
 (green/yellow)                      Cable shield, connected to the housing

## Scope of supply:

- C18 measuring body
- Thrust piece
- Mounting base
- Mounting instructions
- Manufacturing certificate

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