



# CERTIFICATE

of Product Conformity (QAL1)

Certificate No.: 0000081147\_00

**Certified AMS:** 

PFM 20 for dust

Manufacturer:

Dr. Födisch Umweltmesstechnik AG

Zwenkauer Str. 159 04420 Markranstädt

Germany

Test Institute:

TÜV Rheinland Energy GmbH

This is to certify that the AMS has been tested and found to comply with the standards EN 15267-1 (2009), EN 15267-2 (2009), EN 15267-3 (2007) and EN 14181 (2014).

Certification is awarded in respect of the conditions stated in this certificate (this certificate contains 6 pages).



Suitability Tested EN 15267 QAL1 Certified Regular Surveillance

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German Environment Agency Dessau, 31 May 2022 This certificate will expire on: 11 April 2027

TÜV Rheinland Energy GmbH Cologne, 30 May 2022

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Test institute accredited to EN ISO/IEC 17025 by DAkkS (German Accreditation Body). This accreditation is limited to the accreditation scope defined in the enclosure to the certificate D-PL-11120-02-00.

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**Test report:** 936/21249601/A dated 10 November 2021

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## Approved application

The tested AMS is suitable for use at plants according to Directive 2010/75/EU, chapter III (13th BlmSchV:2021), chapter IV (17th BlmSchV:2021), Directive 2015/2193/EC (44th BlmSchV:2021), the 27th BlmSchV:2013, 30th BlmSchV:2019 and TA Luft:2021. The measured ranges have been selected so as to ensure as broad a field of application as possible.

The suitability of the AMS for this application was assessed on the basis of a laboratory test and a 3 month field test at an industrial drying plant for the production of ceramic floor coverings.

The AMS is approved for an ambient temperature range of -20° to +50°C.

The notification of suitability of the AMS, performance testing and the uncertainty calculation have been effected on the basis of the regulations applicable at the time of testing. As changes in legal provisions are possible, any potential user should ensure that this AMS is suitable for monitoring the emission limit values relevant to the application.

Any potential user should ensure, in consultation with the manufacturer, that this AMS is suitable for the installation at which it will be installed.

#### Note:

The legal regulations mentioned correspond to the current state of legislation. Each user should ensure, if necessary in consultation with the competent authority, that this AMS meets the legal requirements for the intended use. Furthermore, it cannot be ruled out that legal regulations governing the use of a measuring device for emission monitoring may change during the life-time of the certificate.

### Basis of the certification

This certification is based on:

- Test report 936/21249601/A dated 10 November 2021 of TÜV Rheinland Energy GmbH
- Suitability announced by the German Environment Agency (UBA) as the relevant body
- The ongoing surveillance of the product and the manufacturing process





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# **AMS** designation

PFM 20 for Dust

### Manufacturer:

Dr. Födisch Umweltmesstechnik AG, Markranstädt

# Field of application:

For plants requiring official approval and for plants according to the 27th BlmSchV

Measuring ranges during the performance test:

Component	Certification range	additional Rang			Unit
Dust	0 - 7.5	0 - 15	0 - 30	0 - 250	mg/m³

The measuring range 0 to 30 mg/m³ corresponded to approx. 0 to 7.5 mg/m³ dust in the field test.

Software version: v1.43

### **Restrictions:**

- 1. At plants with fluctuating exhaust gas velocities, the measuring device requires the signal of a QAL1-certified and calibrated exhaust gas velocity measuring device to compensate for the influence of velocity.
- 2. The measuring device must not be operated behind electrostatic precipitators.
- 3. The measuring device may only be used in exhaust gases that are not saturated with water vapor.

#### Notes:

- 1. The maintenance interval is four weeks.
- 2. The dust concentration is measured in the moist exhaust gas under operating conditions.

**Test institute:** TÜV Rheinland Energy GmbH, Cologne 936/21249601/A dated 10 November 2021





# **Certified product**

This certificate applies to automated measurement systems conforming to the following description:

Measurement with the PFM 20 is carried out using the triboelectric measuring principle. The test gas in the waste gas flow is detected with the aid of the probe rod. Due to the dust particles flowing around and bouncing off, a charge exchange takes place between them and the probe rod. The derived current results in a signal that is dependent on the mechanical and electrical properties of the dust. The signal of the measuring system is also dependent on the exhaust gas velocity of the medium to be monitored. The dust-proportional signal, which is generated by the electronics integrated in the unit, is the measurement of the dust content.

The AMS can compensate for the influence of the waste gas velocity on the measured signal. To do this, it requires the signal from a QAL1-certified and calibrated waste gas velocity measuring system installed in the same measuring section.

The PFM 20 dust monitor consists of an in-situ probe with probe head and probe rod. The probe rod has a high-temperature coating for insulation. It is surrounded by a sleeve and an insulating body and is thus electrically isolated from the housing. The signal module with the evaluation electronics is located in the probe head.

The PFM 20 measuring system tested here consists of:

- The PFM 20 measuring system with the current software and
- A cable connecting the probe with the electronics.

The PFM20\_HID software is required to operate the PFM 20 measuring system with a PC

A standard notebook PC is required to parameterise the measuring system and to display the measured results of the AMS. The data is transferred via a specific USB cable.

The measuring probe is mounted on the flue to be measured using a flange with a Tri-Clamp quick-release fastener.

The LinTest PFM 20 test system is available for the annual AST of the PFM 20 measuring system. The signal generator can be used to perform linearity tests and zero and span point checks.





### **General notes**

This certificate is based upon the equipment tested. The manufacturer is responsible for ensuring that on-going production complies with the requirements of the EN 15267. The manufacturer is required to maintain an approved quality management system controlling the manufacture of the certified product. Both the product and the quality management systems shall be subject to regular surveillance.

If a product of the current production does not conform to the certified product, TÜV Rheinland Energy GmbH must be notified at the address given on page 1.

A certification mark with an ID-Number that is specific to the certified product is presented on page 1 of this certificate. This certification mark may be applied to the product or used in advertising materials for the certified product.

This document and the certification mark remains property of TÜV Rheinland Energy GmbH. With revocation of the publication the certificate loses its validity. After the expiration of the certificate and on requests of the TÜV Rheinland Energy GmbH this document shall be returned and the certificate mark must not be employed anymore.

The relevant version of this certificate and its expiration is also accessible on the internet: **qal1.de**.

### **History of documents**

Certification of PFM 20 is based on the documents listed below and the regular, continuous monitoring of the Quality Management System of the manufacturer:

# Initial certification according to EN 15267

Certificate No. 0000081147\_00: 31 May 2022
Expiry date of the certificate: 11 April 2027
Test report 036/21240601/A dated 10 November 202

Test report 936/21249601/A dated 10 November 2021

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# Calculation of overall uncertainty according to EN 14181 and EN 15267-3

Measuring system  Manufacturer  AMS designation  Serial number of units under test  Measuring principle	Dr. Födisch Umweltmesstechnik AG PFM 20 20001 / 20002 Triboelektrisch			
Test report Test laboratory Date of report	936/21249601A TÜV Rheinland 2021-11-10			
Measured component Certification range	Dust 0 - 7.5 mg/m³			
Calculation of the combined standard uncertainty  Tested parameter  Standard deviation from paired measurements under field conditions *Lack of fit  Zero drift from field test  Span drift from field test Influence of ambient temperature at span Influence of supply voltage  Uncertainty of reference material at 70% of certification range  * The larger value is used:  "Repeatability standard deviation at set point" or  "Standard deviation from paired measurements under field conditions"	* U <sub>D</sub> 0.064 mg/m³ 0.004 (mg/m³)² U <sub>lof</sub> 0.057 mg/m³ 0.003 (mg/m³)² U <sub>d,z</sub> 0.030 mg/m³ 0.001 (mg/m³)² U <sub>d,s</sub> 0.081 mg/m³ 0.007 (mg/m³)² U <sub>t</sub> 0.153 mg/m³ 0.023 (mg/m³)² U <sub>v</sub> 0.067 mg/m³ 0.004 (mg/m³)² U <sub>m</sub> 0.061 mg/m³ 0.004 (mg/m³)²			
Combined standard uncertainty (u <sub>C</sub> ) Total expanded uncertainty	$u_{c} = \sqrt{\sum_{c} (u_{\text{max, j}})^{2}}$ 0.22 mg/m <sup>3</sup> $U = u_{c} * k = u_{c} * 1.96$ 0.42 mg/m <sup>3</sup>			
Relative total expanded uncertainty Requirement of 2010/75/EU Requirement of EN 15267-3	U in % of the ELV 5 mg/m³       8.4         U in % of the ELV 5 mg/m³       30.0         U in % of the ELV 5 mg/m³       22.5			