

A Complete Corrosion Monitoring Toolbox for Pipeline and Tank Integrity

Preventative oil & gas pipeline and tank maintenance helps keep people safe and enables the flow of raw materials. As a leading NDT equipment manufacturer, our DC series (DC1–DC5) dual element transducers provide inspectors with a complete corrosion monitoring toolbox to support pipeline and tank inspection. These versatile, compact transducers are optimized for corrosion and thin materials and work with a wide variety of NDT instruments and ultrasonic inspection procedures.

All models provide a cleaner signal than single element transducers and offer less ring down than comparable models—helpful for resolving smaller defects, inspecting close to the surface, and differentiating between two indications.

DC1 and DC2 Transducers: Tough and Versatile

With a 7.5 MHz frequency and slight roof angle, DC1 and DC2 dual element transducers provide optimal near-surface resolution in the range of 0.30–2 in. (7.6–50.8 mm) in steel.

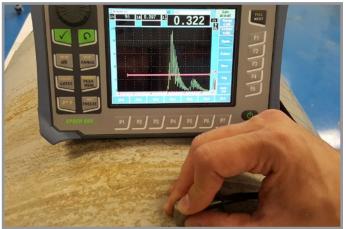
Key Benefits:

- Ideal for coverage of thin materials
- Excels at thickness measurement, corrosion mapping, and flaw sizing
- Available in standard (DC1) and thick-walled (DC2) housings
- Built to last even with frequent scrubbing due to thick-walled, wear-resistant housing (DC2)
- Effective on pipes as small as 1 in. (25.4 mm) OD

- Rated for elevated temperature pipe and tank inspections with a heat-resistant delay line up to 150 °C (300 °F)
- Fits into small spaces: low profile (18 mm high) and 0.455 in. (DC1)/0.56 in. tip diameter (DC2)
- Knurled case is easy to grip
- Broad compatibility with unmolded BNC or LEMO connectors
- Improved spring strain relief (BNC connector only) to minimize cable damage









Nominal wall thickness: 0.325 in. (8.255 mm)—No corrosion

Remaining wall thickness: 0.251 in. (6.375 mm)—Corrosion

DC3-DC5 Transducers: Inspect Thinner Materials and Go Beyond Corrosion Monitoring

The DC3, DC4, and DC5 dual element transducers expand your inspection capabilities. Inspect thinner material—ranging from 0–1.5 in. (0–38.1 mm) depths—thanks to 5 MHz frequencies and optimal element sizes/placement. The DC3 model's high-angle design takes the series beyond corrosion monitoring and thickness measurement to include thin-wall pipe weld inspection and other applications.

DC3 Transducer: Fast Pipe Weld Testing and Thin-Wall Material Inspections

Built with a 5 MHz frequency and high-angle longitudinal wave, the DC3 dual element transducer provides optimal near-surface resolution for very thin materials ranging from 0–0.6 in. (0–15.24 mm).

Key Benefits:

- High-angle longitudinal wave: inspect thin material beyond corrosion monitoring
- Fast, reliable UT weld inspection tool for thin-wall pipes
- Can perform a high-speed manual weld inspection similar to comparable models
- Dual piezocomposite elements for increased energy
- Acoustic noise barrier for pitch-catch technology prevents crosstalk
- Fits into small spaces to inspect hard-to-access areas (e.g., boiler tubes)
- Integrated wedges make the transducer compact
- Microdot connectors work with various NDT instruments

Applications include:

- High-speed manual inspection of thin-wall pipelines, boiler tubes, and other thin components
- Planar flaw analysis and sizing
- Distinguishing weld root geometry from indications
- Pipeline long seam and girth weld inspection
- Boiler tube welds
- Pharmaceutical piping
- Heat exchanger tubing
- Thin-walled components in the nuclear industry

DC4 and DC5 Transducers: Optimized to Detect Flaws and Measure Thickness in Thin Materials

Manufactured at 5 MHz with slightly angled elements and a 0-degree longitudinal wave, the DC4 and DC5 dual element transducers offer enhanced thickness measurement and flaw detection in thin materials ranging from 0–1.5 in. (0–38.1 mm).



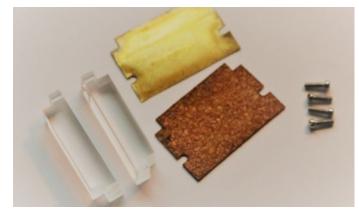
Key Benefits:

- Optimal near-surface resolution for thin materials
- Slight roof angle improves flaw detection and thickness measurement
- Replaceable wedges lengthen the transducer's useful life
- Acoustic noise barrier for pitch-catch technology prevents crosstalk
- Microdot connectors work with various NDT instruments

Replacement Wedge Kits for DC4 and DC5 Transducers



P/N 10-009381-00 SDC4-0L replaceable wedge kit



P/N 10-009382-00 SDC5-0L replaceable wedge kit



Mix and Match Transducers for Specific Inspection Criteria

Depending on your application, any one or a combination of these five transducers offers improved corrosion monitoring and defect sizing. As field inspections change, you can benefit from having the complete set with a total combined thickness range of 0-2 in. (0-50.8 mm), as well as an extra pipe weld inspection tool (DC3 model).

Pairing with the EPOCH™ 650 or 6LT flaw detectors or the 38DL PLUS™ thickness gauge* enables accurate, efficient corrosion mapping for evaluation of nominal wall thickness, pitting, and flaw type/size.

*Due to roof angles, manual V-Path Correction may be required for DC1, DC2, DC4, and DC5 transducers.

DC1-DC5 Transducer Specifications and Dimensions

Model	Transducer PN.	Vendor Name	Part Description	Freq/ MHz	Nominal Element Size			External Dimensions			
					inches	mm	Cables/Connectors	Diameter (mm)	Height (mm)	Length (Inches)	Width (Inches)
DC1	Q3300872	XASW-0006	7.5DS-0.375-0LW- DC1-P-1-RPL	7.5	0.375	9.52	2X Right Potted/LEMO 00 Connectors	0.58 (14.73)	0.73 (18.54)	-	-
DC1	Q3300873	XASW-0009	7.5DS-0.375-0LW- DC1-P-1-RP	7.5	0.375	9.52	2X Right Potted/BNC Connectors	0.58 (14.73)	0.73 (18.54)	-	-
DC2	Q3300945	XASW-0010	7.5DS-0.375-0LW- DC2-P-1-RP	7.5	0.375	9.52	2X Right Potted/BNC Connectors	0.58 (14.73)	0.73 (18.54)	-	-
DC2	Q3301219	XASW-0012	7.5DS-0.375-0LW- DC2-P-1-RPL	7.5	0.375	9.52	2X Right Potted/LEMO 00 Connectors	0.58 (14.73)	0.73 (18.54)	-	-
DC3	Q3301828	XASW-0029	5DS-5.08X7.62-DC3- RM	5	0.2 × 0.3	5.08 × 7.62	2X Microdot Connectors	-	0.88 (22.2)	0.77 (19.4)	0.60 (15.1)
DC4	Q3301829	XASW-0030	5DS-12.7X12.7-0LW- DC4-RM-RW	5	0.5 × 0.5	12.7 × 12.7	2X Microdot Connectors	-	0.84 (21.3)	0.76 (19.2)	0.78 (19.8)
DC5	Q3301830	XASW-0031	5DS-12.7X25.4-0LW- DC5-RM-RW	5	0.5 × 1	12.7 × 25.4	2X Microdot Connectors	-	0.90 (23.0)	1.38 (34.9)	0.78 (19.8)
Wedge Kit	Q7000475	10-009381-00	SDC4-0L Replaceable Wedge Kit	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Wedge Kit	Q7000476	10-009382-00	SDC5-0L Replaceable Wedge Kit	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

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