# DATA SHEET

### **Mass Flow Controllers**

GF80 Metal Sealed, Digital, MultiFlo™ Thermal Mass Flow Meters & Controllers for Gases

Brooks<sup>®</sup> GF80 thermal mass flow controllers (MFCs) and thermal mass flow meters (MFMs) achieve unprecedented performance, reliability, and flexibility in many gas flow measurement and control applications.

At the heart of the GF80 is Brooks' patented 4<sup>th</sup> generation MultiFlo<sup>™</sup> capable device. MultiFlo overcomes a long-standing limitation of many thermal MFCs – when changing gas types, a simple correction factor, such as the ratio of heat capacities between the calibration gas and new gas, cannot account for accuracy-robbing viscosity and density differences. The Brooks MultiFlo database is built on thousands of native gas runs to establish correction functions that account for both thermal and physical differences among gases making the GF80 Series among the most accurate and flexible MFCs/MFMs available today.

The Brooks GF80 Series is the perfect choice for customers who use thermal mass flow controllers or thermal mass flow meters on a variety of gases, who need to change gas type frequently, or who need to re-range while preserving gas measurement and control accuracy. Some examples:

• OEMs will reduce the number of gas and range-specific MFCs that they inventory

• Solar, biotech, CVD, plasma, glass, web coating, nanotechnology, vacuum processing and similar large users of mass flow meters and mass flow controllers will greatly reduce their gas- and range-specific spares inventory

• R&D, research, and laboratory users can quickly change experiment conditions and achieve much better actual process gas accuracy vs. traditional mass flow devices

With a range of digital and analog I/O options available, GF80 represents an extremely powerful, yet easy, upgrade for existing MFCs or MFMs.

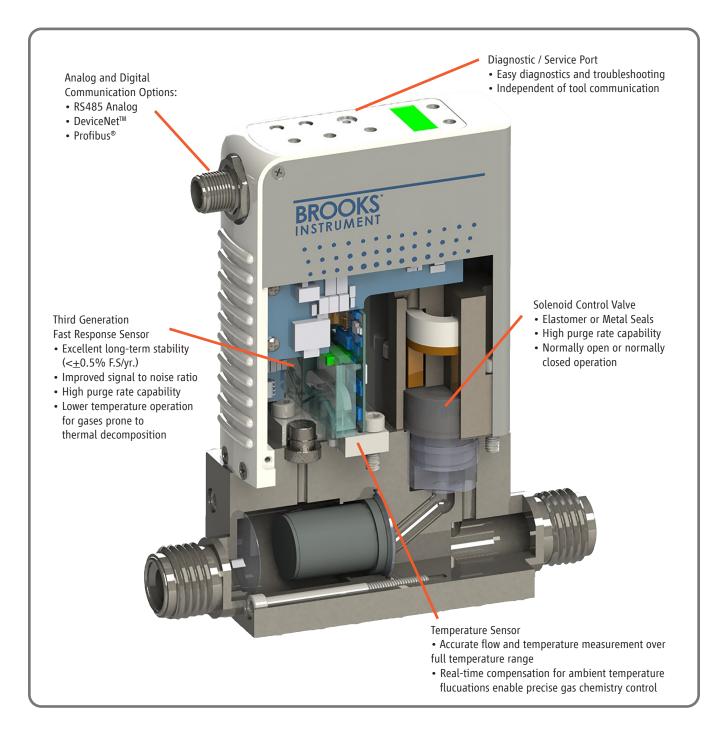
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Beyond Measure



Model GF80



Features	Benefits		
Metal Seal	High internal to external leak integrity. No periodic replacement of aging seals necessary		
Adaptable Mechanical Configurations	Compact footprint enables easy retrofit to existing systems		
Metrology	Measurement accuracy is traceable to international standards		
MultiFlo Gas and Range Programmabilty with Diagnostics and User Accessible Port		Advanced Service	
Corrosion resistant Hastelloy® Sensor	Provides unmatched long-term sensor stability ensuring maximum yield and throughput.		

### MultiFlo™ Gas and Range Configurability

A major advancement over traditional single point gas conversion factors, Brooks MultiFlo technology delivers up to a three-times improvement in process gas accuracy. This is achieved through advanced gas modeling plus extensive actual gas testing protocols that provide extremely accurate compensation. MultiFlo also allows the device to be quickly and easily configured for another gas and/or flow range without sacrificing accuracy or range-ability. Selecting a new gas automatically creates a new calibration curve, establishes optimized PID settings for dynamic control, compensates for gas density and viscosity effects, and ensures smooth, overshootfree transitions between flow rates with excellent steady state stability.

Brooks MultiFlo technology offers unparalleled flexibility; a single device can be configured for thousands of different gas and flow range configurations.

Re-programming is simple and fast; a new gas and range can be programmed in under 60 seconds. Brooks provides an enormous gas database to ensure the maximal value of MultiFlo is realized:

• Dramatically reduces inventory or spares expense

• The MFC full scale flow range can be scaled down typically by a factor of 3:1 with no impact on accuracy, turndown or leak-by specifications for tremendous process flexibility

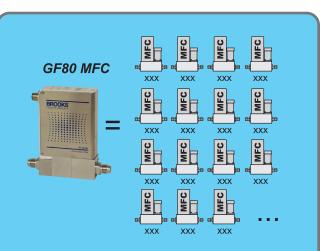
- Native gas calibration is not required
- Maximum flexibility for research applications

### MultiFlo™ Configurator Accessories

MultiFlo kits are available in the following configurations:

778Z010ZZZ A331710003 214F027AAA	Basic MultiFlo Configurator Kit Cable Assembly 2.5mm USB-R5485 converter with DB-9 female
778Z012ZZZ	GF0xx RS485 Analog/Profibus® MultiFlo Configurator Kit w/Power Supply 24 Vdc
A331710003	Cable Assembly 2.5mm
214F027AAA	USB-RS485 converter with DB-9 female
641Z117AAA	Power Supply 24 Vdc with DB-15 female
778Z014ZZZ	GF0xx DeviceNet™ MultiFlo
	Configurator Kit w/Power Supply 24 Vdc
A331710003	Cable Assembly 2.5mm
214F027AAA	USB-RS485 converter with DB-9 female
641Z117AAA	Power Supply 24 Vdc with DB-15 female
124Z171AAA	Cable, Power, DeviceNet to DB-15 male

\*MultiFlo configurator software is available on the Brooks



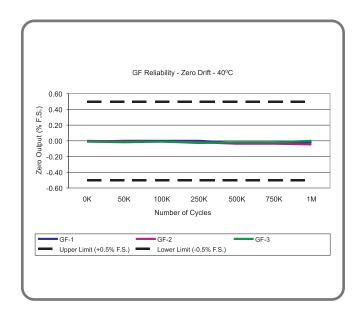
MultiFlo<sup>™</sup> technology allows your GF80 to be programmed for thousands of different gases and flow ranges

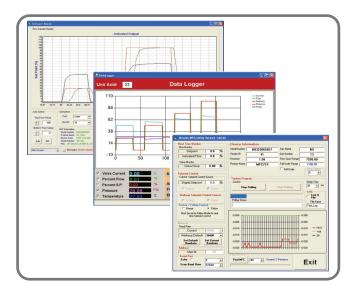
# of	Gf80	Competitor A 2 Models	Competitor B 4 Models
Platforms	Range	Range	Range
1	3 - 10	10	1 - 5
2	11 - 30	17.5	6 - 14
3	31 - 92	30	15 - 27
4	93 - 280	55	28 - 38
5	281 - 860	100	39 - 71
6	861 - 2,600	175	72 - 103
7	2,601 - 7,200	300	104 - 192
8	7,201 - 15,000	550	193 - 279
9	15,001 - 30,000	1,000	280 - 754
10	30,001 - 40,000	1,750	755 - 2,037
11	40,001 - 55,000	3,000	2,038 - 5,500
12		5,500	5,501 - 11,000
13		10,000	11,001 - 30,000
14		22,000	30,0001 - 50,000
15		30,000	
16		50.000	

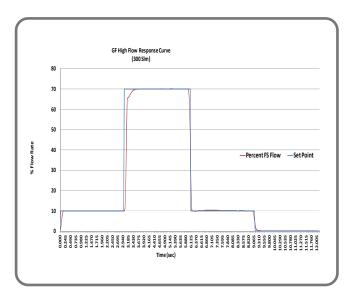
The Brooks Advantage! Fewer platforms means more process flexibility and lower cost of spares.

### Advanced Thermal Flow Measurement Sensor Brooks' proprietary sensor technology combines:

- Improved signal to noise performance for improved accuracy at low setpoints
- Improved reproducibility at elevated temperatures through new isothermal packaging, onboard conditioning electronics with ambient temperature sensing and compensation
- Improved long-term stability through an enhanced sensor manufacturing process
- Highly corrosion resistant Hastelloy C-22 sensor tube
- Optimized temperature profile for gases prone to thermal decomposition







#### **Enhanced Diagnostics**

The mass flow controller remains one of the most complex and critical component in gas delivery systems; removing the mass flow controller to determine if it is faulty should be the last resort. In response to this fact, Brooks pioneered smarter mass flow controllers with embedded self test routines and introduced an independent diagnostic/service port to provide the user with access to diagnostic data for troubleshooting without interrupting flow controller operation.

### Precise Flow Control

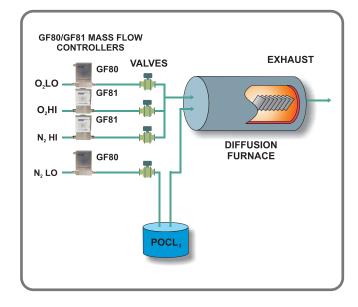
Speed of response and gas stability are often critical requirements for advanced process control applications.

## **Product Applications**

### Solar Cell / CVD

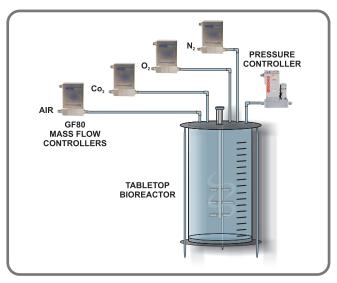
Developed to meet the diverse process requirements for solar cells, fiber optics, and the glass and metal coatings markets, the GF80 mass flow controllers offer a single platform solution for diffusion furnaces, thin film deposition, and other difficult applications.

With the GF80 offering metal seals, this single platform can cover complex gas distribution systems. The MultiFlo feature can minimze costly inventory while providing industry leading actual gas accuracy.



### **Table Top Bioreactors**

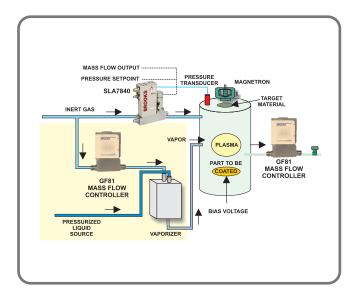
Brooks has earned the leading reputation in controlling gas flows for bioreactor applications. The GF80 mass flow controllers are perfect for controlling dissolved oxygen and pH. The MultiFlo capability can greatly simplify spares inventory and the ordering process. With multiple digital protocol communication options and other advanced features, the GF80 is an ideal device for the bioreactor process.



### Vacuum Processes

Brooks offers many products that deliver exceptional performance for vacuum processes. The GF80 mass flow controllers are no exception. With high flow and low flow options, several digital communication protocols offerings, and the MultiFlo capability, the GF80 can serve a wide variety of vacuum porcesses.

With other products like the XacTorr<sup>®</sup> capacitance manometer and SLA7800 Series pressure controllers, the GF80 makes Brooks a one-stop-shop for instrumentation in vacuum processes.



# Product Specifications

	GF80	
PERFORMANCE		
Full Scale Flow Range (N <sub>2</sub> Eq.)	3 sccm to 55 slm	
Flow Accuracy	±1% S.P. 35-100%, ±0.35% F.S. 2-35%	
Repeatability & Reproducibility	$<\pm$ 0.2% S.P.	
Linearity	$\pm$ 0.5% F.S. (included in accuracy)	
Response Time (Settling Time)	Normally Closed Valve < 1 sec. (within 2% for steps 0-10 through 0-100%)	
Control Range	2-100%	
MultiFlo	Optional	
Number of Bins	11 bins	
Valve Shut Down	< 1% of F.S.	
Zero Stability	$< \pm 0.5\%$ F.S. per year	
Pressure Coefficient	0.03% per psi (0-50psi N <sub>2</sub> )	
Attitude Sensitivity	<0.25% span change @ 90° after rezeroing (N $_2$ @ 50 psi)	
Auto Zero:	Optional: (When Auto Zero is enabled the device performs the zero function once every time the set point returns to zero. To accomplish, simply provide a zero set point.)	
Auto shut-off:	The Auto Shut-off feature closes the GF80 valve when the set point drops below 1.5% of full scale	
Available Gases:	MultiFlo Capable	
ATINGS		
Operating Temperature Range	5-50°C (41-122°F)	
Maximum Operating Pressure <sup>1</sup>	150 psig (10 bar)	
Differential Pressure Range <sup>1</sup>	3-860 sccm = 7-45 psid, 861-7200 sccm = 15-45 psid, 7201-50000 sccm = 25-45 psid Typical pressure drop, high density gases like Argon gas applications require an additional 10 psid differential pressure	
Leak Integrity (External)	1x10 <sup>-10</sup> atm. cc/sec He	
1ECHANICAL		
Valve Type	Normally Closed, Meter	
Primary Wetted Materials	316 Stainless Steel, Hastelloy C-22, 17-7 PH, 430SS	
External Seals	316 Stainless Steel	
Internal Seals/Valve Seat	316 Stainless Steel	
Surface Finish	16µ inch Ra	
DIAGNOSTICSc& DISPLAY		
Status Lights:	MFC Health, Network Status	
Alarms <sup>1</sup> :	Sensor Output, Control Valve Output, Over Temperature, Power Surge/Sag, Network Interruption	
Diagnostic / Service Port:	RS485 via 2.5mm jack	
COMPLIANCE		
Environmental Compliance:	CE: EN6126: 2006 (FCC Part 15 & Canada IC-subset of CE testing) Safety EN61010-1 RoHS	
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<sup>1</sup> Note: Application specific lower supply pressure and/or lower differential pressure operation available through Brooks Customer Special Request (CSR) process.

## **Product Specifications**

Communication Protocol	RS485	Profibus <sup>®</sup>	DeviceNet <sup>™</sup>
Electrical Connection	1 x 15-pin Male Sub-D, (A)	1 x 15-pin Male Sub-D/ 1 x 9-pin Female Sub-D	1 x M12 with threaded coupling nut (B)
Analog I/O	0-5 V, 0-10 V, 0-20 mA, 4-20 mA	0-5 V, 0-20 mA, 4-20 mA	
GF80 Power Max./Purge	From +12 Vdc to +24 Vdc: 7 Watt/8 Watt	From +13.5 Vdc to +27 Vdc: 7 Watt/8 Watt	From +11 Vdc to +25 Vdc: 13.6 Watt/15.0Watt

VOLTAGE SETPOINT SPECIFICATIONS					
Nominal Range	0-5 Vdc or 0-10 Vdc 1-5 Vdc		N/A		
Full Range	0-11 Vdc	0-5.5 Vdc	N/A		
Absolute Max.	25 V	(without damage)	N/A		
Input Impedence	192 k	Ohms	N/A		
Required Max. Sink Current	0.00	2 mA	N/A		
CURRENT SETPOINT					
Nominal Range	4-20 mA or	0-20 mA	N/A		
Full Range	0-22	2 mA	N/A		
Absolute Max.	25 mA (without	damage)	N/A		
Input Impedence	250 Ohms	125 Ohms	N/A		
FLOW OUTPUT (VOLTAGE) SPECIFICATIONS					
Nominal Range	0-5 Vdc or 0-10 Vdc 0-5 Vdc		N/A		
Full Range	N(-0.5)-11 Vdc	0-5.5 Vdc	N/A		
Min Load Resistance	1 kOhms 1 kOhms		N/A		
FLOW OUTPUT (CURRENT) SPECIFICATIONS					
Nominal Range	0-20 mA o	r 4-20 mA	N/A		
Full Range	0-22 mA (@ 0-20 m/	N/A			
Max. Load	400 Ohms (for supply volt	N/A			
ANALOG I/O ALARM OUTPUT <sup>3</sup>	ANALOG I/O ALARM OUTPUT <sup>3</sup>				
Туре	Open Col	N/A			
Max. Closed (On) Current	25	mA	N/A		
Max. Open (Off) Leakage	1	N/A			
Max. Open (Off) Voltage	30	N/A			
ANALOG I/O VALVE OVERRIDE SIGNAL SPECIFICATIONS⁴					
Floating/Unconnected	Instrument controls valve	N/A			
VOR < 0.3 Vdc	Valve Clos	N/A			
1 Vdc < VOR < 4 Vdc	Valve Norm	N/A			
VOR > 4.8 Vdc	Valve Oper	N/A			
Input Impedence	800 kOhms				

<sup>2</sup>There are three (3) RS485 Protocols:

S-Protocol is a RS485 communication based on  ${\sf HART}^{\circledast}$  command set.

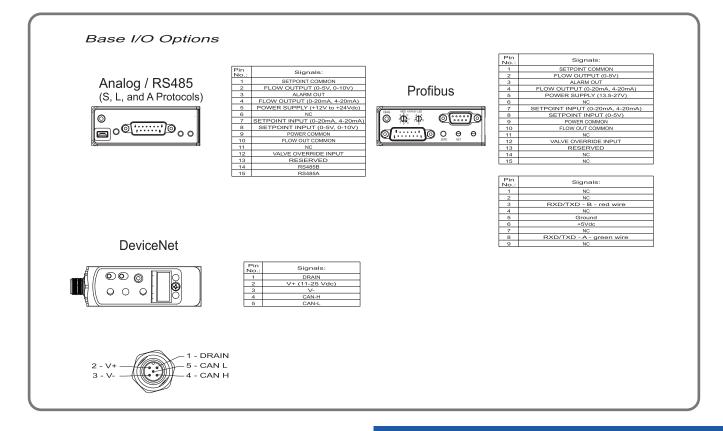
L-Protocol is a RS485 communication compatible with legacy Unit® and Celerity® devices.

A-Protocol is a RS485 communication compatible with Aera® mass flow devices.

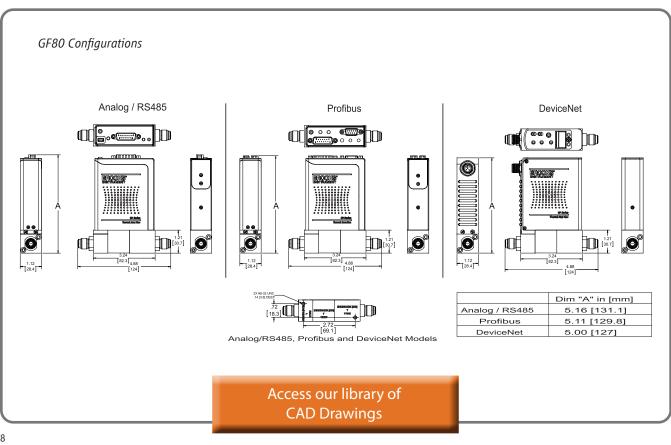
<sup>3</sup>The Alarm Output is an open collector or "contact type" that is CLOSED (on) whenever an alarm is active. The Alarm Output may be set to indicate any one of various alarm conditions.

<sup>4</sup>The Valve Override Signal (VOR) is implemented as an analog input which measures the voltage at the input and controls the valve based upon the measured reading as shown in this section.

## **Electrical Interface Options**



## **Product Dimensions**



# Model Code

Code	Description	Code Option	Option Description <sup>1</sup>		
١.	Base Model Code	GF080	Metal / Range Flow (0-55 slpm)		
II.	Configurability	C X	MultiFlo Capable. Standard Bins or specific gas range may be selected Not MultiFlo Capable. Specific gas/range required		
	Special Application	XX	Standard		
IV.	Valve Configuration	C M	Normally Closed Valve Meter (No Valve)		
V.	Gas or SH MultiFlo Bin	XXXX XXXX SH40 010C SH41 030C SH42 092C SH43 280C SH44 860C SH45 2.6L SH46 7.2L SH46 7.2L SH47 015L SH48 030L SH49 040L SH50 055L	Specific Gas Code & Range, i.e. "0004" = Argon and "010L" = 10 slpm Standard Configuration #40, 3-10 sccm Nitrogen Equivalent (0° C Reference) Standard Configuration #41, 11-30 sccm Nitrogen Equivalent (0° C Reference) Standard Configuration #42, 31-92 sccm Nitrogen Equivalent (0° C Reference) Standard Configuration #43,93-280 sccm Nitrogen Equivalent (0° C Reference) Standard Configuration #44, 281-860 sccm Nitrogen Equivalent (0° C Reference) Standard Configuration #44, 281-860 sccm Nitrogen Equivalent (0° C Reference) Standard Configuration #45, 861-2600 sccm Nitrogen Equivalent (0° C Reference) Standard Configuration #46, 2601-7200 sccm Nitrogen Equivalent (0° C Reference) Standard Configuration #47, 7201-15000 sccm Nitrogen Equivalent (0° C Reference) Standard Configuration #48, 15001-30000 sccm Nitrogen Equivalent (0° C Reference) Standard Configuration #48, 15001-30000 sccm Nitrogen Equivalent (0° C Reference) Standard Configuration #49, 30001-40000 sccm Nitrogen Equivalent (0° C Reference) Standard Configuration #49, 30001-40000 sccm Nitrogen Equivalent (0° C Reference)		
VI.	Fitting	VX	1/4" VCR		
VII.	Downstream Condition	A V P	Atmosphere Vacuum Positive Pressure		
VIII.	External Seals, Valve Seat	S	Seal Metal / Seat Metal (316 SS)		
IX.	Communications / Connector	P5 P0 P4 S5 S1 S0 S4 L5 L1 L0 L4 V/O D0 D1 D2 D3 D4 D5 D7 D8	Profibus / Analog (Input 0-5 V; Output 0-5 V); 9-Pin Female D conn. / 15-Pin Male D conn.Profibus / Analog (Input 4-20 mA; Output 0-20 mA); 9-Pin Female D conn. / 15-Pin Male D conn.Rs485: (S-Protocol)/Analog (Input 0-5 V; Output 0-5 V)15-Pin Male D (Brooks® Protocol)Rs485: (S-Protocol)/Analog (Input 0-10 V; Output 0-10 V); 15-Pin Male D (Brooks® Protocol)Rs485: (S-Protocol)/Analog (Input 0-20 mA; Output 0-20 mA); 15-Pin Male D (Brooks® Protocol)Rs485 (S-Protocol)/Analog (Input 0-20 mA; Output 0-20 mA); 15-Pin Male D (Brooks® Protocol)Rs485 (S-Protocol)/Analog (Input 0-20 mA; Output 4-20 mA); 15-Pin Male D (Brooks® Protocol)Rs485 (S-Protocol)/Analog (Input 4-20 mA; Output 4-20 mA); 15-Pin Male D (Brooks® Protocol)Rs485 (L-Protocol)/Analog (Input 0-5 V; Output 0-5 V); 15-Pin Male D (Celerity®/Legacy Protocol)Rs485 (L-Protocol)/Analog (Input 0-10 V; Output 0-10 V); 15-Pin Male D (Celerity®/Legacy Protocol)Rs485 (L-Protocol)/Analog (Input 0-20 mA; Output 0-20 mA); 15-Pin Male D (Celerity®/Legacy Protocol)Rs485 (L-Protocol)/Analog (Input 0-20 mA; Output 0-20 mA); 15-Pin Male D (Celerity®/Legacy Protocol)Rs485 (L-Protocol)/Analog (Input 4-20 mA; Output 4-20 mA); 15-Pin Male D (Celerity®/Legacy Protocol)Rs485 (L-Protocol)/Analog (Input 4-20 mA; Output 4-20 mA); 15-Pin Male D (Celerity®/Legacy Protocol)Rs485 (L-Protocol)/Analog (Input 4-20 mA; Output 4-20 mA); 15-Pin Male D (Celerity®/Legacy Protocol)Rs485 (L-Protocol)/Analog (Input 4-20 mA; Output 4-20 mA); 15-Pin Male D (Celerity®/Legacy Protocol)Rs485 (L-Protocol)/Analog (Input 4-20 mA; Output 4-20 mA); 15-Pin Male D (Celerity®/Legacy Protocol)Rs485 (L-Protocol)/Analog (Input 4-20 mA; Output 4-20 mA); 15-Pin Male D (Celerity®/Legacy Protocol) </td		
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Х.	Customer Special Request	XXXX	Customer Special Request Number		
XI.	Auto Shut-Off	A X	Auto Shut-Off (Included) Auto Shut-Off (Not Included)		
XII.	Auto Zero	Х	Auto Zero (Not Included)		
XIII.	Reference Temperature	00C 15C 20C 70F	0°C Reference 15°C Reference 20°C Reference 21.1°C Reference / 70°F Reference		

### Service and Support

Brooks is committed to assuring all of our customers receive the ideal flow solution for their application, along with outstanding service and support to back it up. We operate first class repair facilities located around the world to provide rapid response and support. Each location utilizes primary standard calibration equipment to ensure accuracy and reliability for repairs and recalibration and is certified by our local Weights and Measures Authorities and traceable to the relevant International Standards.

Visit www.BrooksInstrument.com to locate the service location nearest to you.

#### START-UP SERVICE AND IN-SITU CALIBRATION

Brooks Instrument can provide start-up service prior to operation when required. For some process applications, where ISO-9001 Quality Certification is important, it is mandatory to verify and/or (re)calibrate the products periodically. In many cases this service can be provided under in-situ conditions, and the results will be traceable to the relevant international quality standards.

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