

Differential pressure measuring instrument

testo 526 - Pressure measurement for all pressure ranges

Temperature-compensated differential pressure sensor 0 to 2000 hPa in instrument

Additional 2 probe inputs for the connection of further probes for the measurement of pressure and temperature

Direct zeroing of display value from pressure probes

Display of Hold-, max. and min. values

Easy data storage by measurement site as well as analysis, archiving and documentation via optional PC software

Leakage rate measurement (pressure drop per time)

Testing of pressure drop in containers, pipelines etc.







testo 526-1/-2 is a highly precise differential pressure measuring instruemnt with an internal sensor. This has a measuring range from 0 to 2000 hPa. The instrument is optimally suited to pressure checks in sensitive industrial processes, and is available in 2 accuracy classes.

- testo 526-1: accuracy 0.1 % of final value
- testo 526-2: accuracy 0.05 % of final value

The testo 526-1/-2 additionally has two probe inputs for the connection of further probes for the measurement of pressure and temperature. A large selection of probes is available for this purpose.

Specially for the purposes of tightness tests on containers, uninterrrupted recording is possible via the test menu in testo 526-1 and testo 526-2. The subsequent processing of the measurement data via software or printout via the printer allow the documentation of the pressure test.



Differential pressure measuring instrument

testo 526-1

testo 526-1 (0 to 2000hPa 0.1% acc') incl. battery and calibration protocol

Part no. 0560 5280



testo 526-2

testo 526-2 (0 to 2000hPa 0.05% acc), fast coupling connection, battery and calibration protocol included

Part no. 0560 5281

testo 526-1 with internal sensor 0 to 2000 hPa / 0.1%

testo 526 is the ideal differential pressure meter for industrial applications. Processes can be accurately measured and monitored with an accuracy of 0.1% of the full-scale value.

testo 526-2 with highly accurate internal sensor 0 to 2000 hPa. 0.05%

testo 526 is the ideal differential pressure meter for sensitive industrial applications. Critical processes can be efficiently measured and monitored at an accuracy of up to 0.05% of the full-scale value.

Advantages testo 526-1 and testo 526-2

- Built-in differential pressure probe
- · 2 user defined probe sockets for pressure and temperature
- Wide selection of probes
- · Documentation on site

- Easy data management via PC
- 2 line display with text menu guide
- Display light
- · Mains socket/fast battery recharging
- Fast-action coupling connections M8x0.5



Easy data management via PC



Inspection of transmitters with 4 to 20 mA interface



2 user defined probe sockets for pressure and temperature





Further advantages testo 526-1 and testo 526-2

Wide selection of probes

The differential pressure sensor is built into testo 526. Up to two additional probes can be connected via user-defined probe sockets.

- Differential pressure probes to 2000 hPa
- Absolute pressure probes to 2000 hPa
- Relative pressure probes to 400 bar
- Temperature probes from -200 to +1250 °C
- Probes for measuring current/voltage

Documentation on site

- · Measurement protocols can be printed on site. No awkward cables required on account of the infrared interface.
- Long-term legible thermal paper ensures that measurement data documentation can be stored for up to 10 years.

Easy data management via PC

- The saved measurement data can be easily analysed and processed using the software available.
- Readings are taken by the instrument and can be depicted online by the software.
- Pressure drops can be protocolled online in cycles of 0.05 seconds in the Fast Measurement menu. Since, in most cases, pressure drops cannot be predicted, a rule can be defined via the trigger function; the pressure drops are then filtered out and stored separately for the user in indexed pages.

Long-term monitoring made easy

- Measurement data can be saved separately or as a measurement series. The measurement rate (0.04 seconds, 1 second to 24 hours) and the number of values to be saved are freely selectable. The maximum memory size is 25000 readings.
- The readings are saved under separate names for the sites (max. 99 sites) - with retracing guarantee.
- Online measurement for large quantities of data can be activated via PC.



Technical data

General technical data testo 526-1/-2

Storage temperature	-20 to +70 °C
Operating temperature	0 to +50 °C
Power supply	Battery/Rechargeable battery, Mains unit 12 V
Battery type	9 V (6LR61)
Battery life	Continuous operation w/ internal pressure sensor: 30 h With rech. battery: 10 h With carbon battery: 18 h
Weight	300 g
Dimensions	219 x 68 x 50 mm
Housing material	ABS
Memory	100 kB (corresponds to approx. 25000 readings)

Connection	Hose: inner Ø 4 mm outer Ø 6 mm
Display	LCD display with symbol, 7 segment display and point matrix
Updating rate in display	2x per second, in fast measurement 4x per second
Measuring rate	from 0.04 seconds
PC	RS232 interface
Other features	Mains connection and battery recharging in instrument Automatic recognition of all connected probes 9 measurement units selectable: mbar, hPa, bar, Pa, kPa, inH ₂ O, mmH ₂ O, torr, psi
Warranty	2 years

Sensor types

	Piezoresistive pressure sensor	Ceramic sensor for external pressure probes	Piezoresistive pressure sensor For external pressure probes	NTC	Type K (NiCr-Ni
Measuring range	0 to 2000 hPa	-1 to 400 bar	0 to 2000 hPa	-40 to +150 °C	-200 to +1370 °C
Accuracy ±1 digit*	±0.1 % of fsv (testo 526-1) ±0.05 % of fsv (testo 526-2)	±0.2 % of fsv	±0.1 % of mv	±0.2 °C (-10 to +50 °C) ±0.4 °C (remaining range)	±0.4 °C (-100 to +200 °C) ±1 °C (remaining range)
Resolution	0.1 hPa	0.01 bar	0.1 Pa (0638 1347) 0.001 hPa (0638 1447) 0.01 hPa (0638 1547) 0.1 hPa (0638 1647; 0638 1847)	0.1 °C	0.1 °C
Static pressure	2000 hPa (abs)				
Overload	3000 hPa				
Zeroing	to 50 hPa				

^{*}Accuracy information applies only to instrument without probes connected



Accessories

Additional accessories and spare parts	Part no.
Desk-top power supply with international connection options	0554 1143
9V rech. battery for instrument, instead of battery	0515 0025
Recharger for 9V rechargeable battery, for external recharging of 0515 0025 battery	0554 0025
Transport and Protection	
TopSafe (protection case), incl. carrier strap, bench stand and magnet. Protects instrument from dust, impact, scratches	0516 0446
Printer and Accessories	
Testo fast printer IRDA with wireless infrared interface; 1 roll thermal paper; 4 AA batteries, for printing out measurements on site	0554 0549
External fast charger for 1-4 AA rech. batteries, incl. 4 Ni-MH rech. batteries with individual cell charging and charge control display, incl. impulse trickle charging, integrated discharge function, with built-in international mains plug, 100-240 V, 300 mA, 50/60 Hz	0554 0610
Spare thermal paper for printer (6 rolls), permanent ink, measurement data documentation legible for up to 10 years	0554 0568
Software and Accessories	
ComSoft Professional, Pro software incl. data archiving	0554 1704
RS232 cable, connects instrument to PC (1.8 m) for data transfer	0409 0178
Calibration Certificates DAkkS calibration certificate/Pressure, Differential pressure, accuracy < 0.1 (% of full scale value)	0520 0205
DAkkS calibration certificate/pressure, differential pressure, accuracy 0.1 to 0.6 (% of full-scale value)	0520 0215
DAkkS calibration certificate/pressure, differential pressure, accuracy > 0.6 (% of full-scale value)	0520 0225
ISO calibration certificate/Pressure, Differential pressure, accuracy < 0.1 (% of full scale value)	0520 0035
ISO calibration certificate pressure, differential pressure, accuracy 0.1 to 0.6 (% of fsv)	0520 0025
ISO calibration certificate pressure, Differential pressure, accuracy > 0.6 (% of fsv), for testo 521-3	0520 0005
ISO calibration certificate/Pressure, Differential pressure, accuracy > 0.1 (% of fsv), for testo 521-2	0520 0405
ISO calibration certificate/temperature, for air/immersion probes, calibration points -18°C; 0°C; +60°C	0520 0001
ISO calibration certificate/temperature, meas. instr. with air/immersion probe; cal. points 0°C; +150°C; +300°C	0520 0021
ISO calibration certificate/temperature, meas. instr. with surface probe; calibration points +60°C; +120°C; +180°C	0520 0071
DAkkS calibration certificate/temperature, meas. instr. with air/immersion probe; calibration points -20 °C; 0 °C; +60 °C	0520 0211
DAkkS calibration certificate/temperature, contact surface temperature probes; calibration points +100°C; +200°C; +300°C	0520 0271
ISO calibration certificate/electrical	0520 1000
Probe accessories	
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Probes

Probe type	Illustration	Measuring range	Accuracy	Overload	Static pressure	Zeroing	Part no.
Differential pressure probe							
Precision pressure probe, 100 Pa, in robust metal housing with impact protection, incl. magnet for fast attachment, to measure differential pressure and flow speeds (in combination with Pitot tube)	99.30	0 to +100 Pa	±(0.3 Pa ±0.5% of mv)	50 hPa	100 hPa	to 20 Pa	0638 1347
Pressure probe, 10 hPa, in robust metal housing with impact protection incl. magnet for fast attachment, to measure differential pressure and flow speeds (in combination with Pitot tube)	30.20	0 to +10 hPa	±0.03 hPa	50 hPa	1000 hPa	to 0.4 hPa	0638 1447
essure probe, 100 hPa, in robust etal housing with impact protection, sl. magnet for fast attachment, to easure differential pressure and flow eeds (in combination with Pitot be)		0 to +100 hPa	±0.5% of mv (+20 to +100 hPa) ±0.1 hPa (0 to +20 hPa)	300 hPa	1000 hPa	to 4 hPa	0638 1547
Pressure probe, 1000 hPa, measures differential pressure, in robust metal housing with impact protection, incl. quick-closing coupling (M8 x 0.5), magnet for fast attachment	983°	0 to +1000 hPa	±1 hPa (0 to 200 hPa) ±0.5% of mv (200 to 1000 hPa)	2000 hPa	1000 hPa	to 20 hPa	0638 1647
Absolute pressure probe							
Pressure probe, 2000 hPa, measures absolute pressure, in robust metal housing with impact protection, incl. quick-closing coupling (M8 x 0.5), magnet for fast attachment	50 2°	0 to +2000 hPa	±5 hPa (0 to +2000 hPa)	4000 hPa	-	-	0638 1847

Operating temperature: 0 to +50 °C (compensated) Connection: Plug-in head. connection cable 0430 0143 or 0430 0145 required



Probes

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Relative pressure probe (media cor	npatible)					
Low pressure probe, refrigerant-proof stainless steel, up to 10 bar	4	-1 to +10 bar	±1% of fsv	25 bar	to 0.1 bar	0638 1741
High pressure probe, refrigerant-proof stainless steel, up to 30 bar	-	-1 to +30 bar	±1% of fsv	120 bar	to 0.3 bar	0638 1841

Operating temperature: -40 to +100 °C; 0 to +70 °C (compensated)

Connection: Plug-in head, connection cable 0409 0202 required screw-in thread 7/16" UNF

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Probes

Probe type	Dimensions Probe shaft/probe shaft tip		Measuring range	Accuracy	t ₉₉	Part no.
Temperature probes						
Quick-action surface probe**	150 mm	Ø 10 mm	-200 to +300 °C	Class 2*	3 s	0604 0194
Super quick-action immersion/penetration probe for measurements in liquids **	150 mm Ø 1.5 mm		-200 to +600 °C	Class 1*	1 s	0604 0493
Super quick-action immersion/penetration probe for measurements in gases and liquids with a low-mass tip**	150 mm Ø 1.4 mm	20 mm Ø 0.5 mm	-200 to +600 °C	Class 1*	1 s	0604 9794
Super quick-action immersion/penetration probe for high temperatures **	470 mm Ø 1.5 mm		-200 to +1100 °C	Class 1*	1 s	0604 0593
Fast response immersion/penetration probe **	150 mm Ø 3 mm		-200 to +400 °C	Class 1*	3 s	0604 0293

^{*}According to standard EN 60584-2, the accuracy of Class 1/2 refers to -40 to +1000/+1200 °C **Connection: Plug-in head. connection cable 0430 0143 or 0430 0145 required

	Part no.	
Adapter to connect NiCr-Ni thermocouples and probes with open wire ends	0600 1693	