# INSTRUCTION AND MAINTAINANCE MANUAL

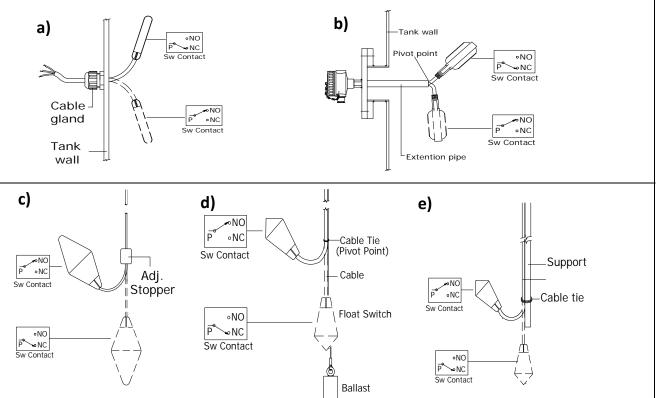
# **Techtrol Tilt Type Switch : FTS**

Tilt type float switches are suspended from a 3 core cable in plumb and supplied in different lengths Tilt switches are categorised in 1) Disc/ Bioconical shape for large tanks 2) Tubular & Mini- tubular shape for small tanks. 3) Cone shape to detect high level in Silos. **Pre installation check** 

- Ensure that the 'FTS' has not been physically damaged in transit and received with appropriate stopper assy. i.e Adj. stopper / support pipe/ extended pipe or suspended ballast.(fig 2) as per model no.
- Identify 3 different coloured wires inside the the cable. Their functions and colors are shown in fig. 3 A & B
- Flanged process connection with terminal enclosure, you will find terminal strip with connector labled according to switching level (fig 3C)
- To check the operation of FTS, connect continuty tester as shown in fig 3 and observe open contact (discontinuty) between P & NO terminals change to close the contact ( continuty) when float is tilted. In same manner, observe contact change over between P & NC ternminal.

#### Installation

FTS is installed from top and side of tank. **Side mounted system** are cofigured and installed on the tank through 1) cable gland (fig 1a) 2) an extension pipe fig 1b for small tanks. **Top mounted system** are cofigured & installed on the tank through 3) adjustable stopper (fig 1c) or 4) suspended ballast (fig 1d) or 5) support pipe (fig 1e)



### Please ensure -

- 1. Location on the tank, should be with minimum vibrations
- 2. Installation of switch should be away from inlet and outlet to avoid problem of turbulance & suction of float.
- 3. Process connection flange of FTS matches with the counter connection of tank.
- 4. Sufficient distance (min 500mm) should be kept between installation point and side wall to allow for unobstructed float movement for normal differential.



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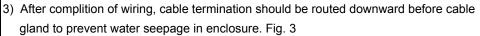
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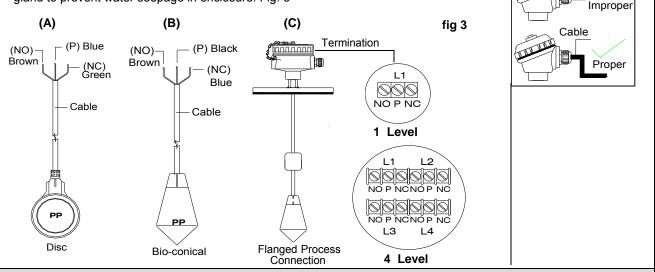
- 5. Use of suspended ballast / support rod is recommended in case liquid is turbulent in nature.
- In case of outdoor location, especially on the top of the tank, run cable through conduit and terminate it in suitable junction box to prevent cable from damage. (crack)

**Level setting -** Level can be set by positioning of adjustable stopper or ' tie ' position on the support pipe / suspended ballast; slightly above the required level.

## Termination and Wiring (fig. 3)

- 1) During wiring, power supply should be strictly 'Off'.
- 2) Identify terminals (P, NO & NC) of FTS before wiring. (Refer fig 3)





#### **Precaution :**

- Before turninig on the power supply, ensure all the wiring is correct and completed.
- Ensure process connection matches with counter connections provided on tank.
- Ensure weather proofness (IP66) by closing the enclosure with its gasket and cable should be full tight in cable gland ensuring no gap.

### Maintenance

- Switch off power supply during maintenance .
- 'FTS' is completely sealed and requires no maintenance. It should be replaced in case of malfunctioning...
- Ensure that temp and pressure does not exceed the limits.
- Visually examine float for puncture and cable for any damage.
- Tighten the bolts and electric connections if loose.
- After maintenance, ensure weather proofness (IP66) by closing the enclosure with its gasket and cable should be full tight in cable gland ensuring no gap.

### Trouble shooting :

SL.	Faults	Probable causes	Remedies
1	Switch not working or Switch not working at appropriate level.	<ul> <li>a. Loose connections</li> <li>b. Float movement may get obstructed by tank wall or other object.</li> <li>c. Switch faulty</li> <li>d. Position of cable tie / adjustable stopper disturbed</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>a.Check &amp; tighetn loose connections if any.</li> <li>b. Install switch at suitable distance from tank wall or remove obstructing object.</li> <li>c. Consult factory.</li> <li>d. Set position of stopper / cable tie as required</li> </ul>

Cabling

fig 2

Cable