



- Range from 0-2N to 0-2KN [0.4 lbf to 400 lbf]
- Tension and/or Compression
- High Stiffness
- For Static and Dynamic Applications
- Threaded Male/Female Mechanical Fitting
- High Overload Capacity
- High Level Output Model

## DESCRIPTION

The **XFTC310** series has been specifically developed to measure tension and/or compression in static and dynamic applications. The miniature size and lightweight facilitate testing where these conditions are necessary. The sensing element is fitted with a fully temperature compensated Wheatstone bridge equipped with high stability micro-machined silicon strain gages. The use of silicon strain gages optimises the load cell's performance at low ranges and frequencies. For sensors with a range of between 500 N and 2 kN [100 and 400 lbf], a high-level output model is available. With two threaded male/female studs, the **XFTC310** is easily installed in industrial or OEM applications. A strain relief spring strengthens the cable output.

With many years of experience as a designer and manufacturer of sensors, Measurement Specialties, Inc. often works with customers to design or customize sensors for specific uses and testing environments.

To meet your needs we also offer complete turnkey systems. The matched components (sensor, power, amplifier and digital display) are formatted, calibrated and ready for immediate use.

## **FEATURES**

- Small design easy to mount
- Tension and/or Compression
- Optional IP rating improvement
- Extended temperature range available
- Other male/female threads available

## APPLICATIONS

- Strain measurement on finger-like command
- Connector and cable traction tests
- Miniature press-fit device
- Robotics regulation
- Small size actuators

## **STANDARD RANGES**

F.S. Ranges in N	2 - 5 - 10 - 20 - 50	100	200	500 to 1k	2k
F.S. Ranges in lbf	0.4 - 1 - 2 - 4 - 10	20	40	100 to 200	400
Over-range	x4	x3	x3	x3	x2
Stiffness in N/m	$3.8 \times 10^5$ to $4.7 \times 10^7$	7.9x10 <sup>7</sup>	2.2x10 <sup>8</sup>	3.4x10 <sup>8</sup> to 9.6x10 <sup>8</sup>	2.7x10 <sup>9</sup>
Stiffness in Ibf/ft	$2.4x10^4$ to $3.2x10^5$	5.4x10 <sup>5</sup>	1.5x10 <sup>7</sup>	2.3x10 <sup>7</sup> to 6.6x10 <sup>7</sup>	1.9x10 <sup>8</sup>
Materials	Aluminum		Stainless Steel		



# **PERFORMANCE SPECIFICATIONS**

#### All values are typical at temperature 20±1° C

PARAMETERS	
Operating Temperature Range (OTR)	-40 to 120°C [-40 to 248°F]
Compensated Temperature Range (CTR)	0 to 60° C [32 to 140° F]
Zero Shift in CTR	<2% F.S. / 50º C [100°F]
Sensitivity Shift in CTR	<2% of reading / 50° C [100°F]
Range (F.S.)	0-2N to 0-2kN [0-0.4 lbf to 0-400 lbf]
Over-Range	
Without Damage	2 to 4 x F.S.
Without Destruction	3 to 6 x F.S.
Accuracy	
Linearity	≤±0.5% F.S.
Hysteresis	≤±0.5% F.S.

### **Electrical Characteristics**

Model	XFTC310	XFTC310-A1	XFTC310-A2
Supply Voltage	10Vdc	10 – 30Vdc	±15Vdc (±12 to ±18Vdc)
F.S. Output <sup>45</sup>	±100mV	±2V ±5% F.S.	±5V ±5% F.S.
Zero Offset <sup>45</sup>	<±10mV	2.5V ±5% F.S.	0V ±5% F.S.
Input Impedance/Consumption	1000 to 3000Ω	<30mA	30mA
Output Impedance	500 to 1000Ω	1 kΩ <sup>6</sup>	1 kΩ <sup>6</sup>
Insulation under 50Vdc	≥100MΩ	≥100MΩ	≥100MΩ

#### Notes

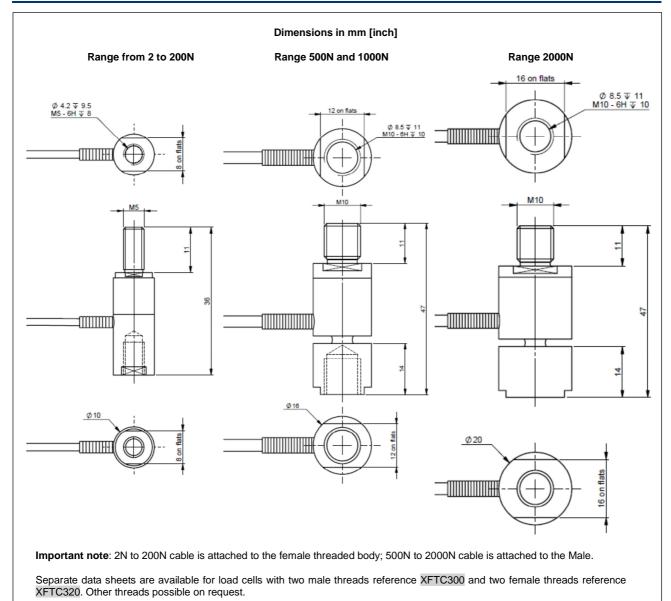
1. Shielded cable with 4 wires (AWG36/28), standard length 2 m [6.5 ft] with strain relief spring

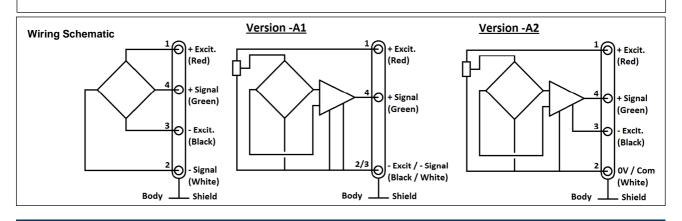
2. Material: Body in stainless steel or aluminum alloy depending on F.S ; Two male/ female threads M5 or [10-32 UNF], M10 or [3/8-24 UNF] depending on F.S. (metric thread is standard)

- 3. Protection Index: IP50 (other levels available on request)
- 4. A1 and A2 options are only available for ranges 500N, 1kN and 2 kN
- 5. Other signal output on request
- 6. Output impedance <  $100\Omega$  on request
- 7. CE conformance according to EN 61010-1, EN 50081-1, EN 50082-1



# DIMENSIONS & WIRING SCHEMATIC (IN METRIC)



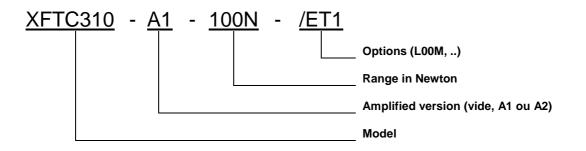




## **OPTIONS**

A1	: Tension output with unipolar power supply (only available for ranges 500N, 1kN and 2kN)
A2	: Tension output with bipolar power supply (only available for ranges 500N, 1kN and 2kN)
ET1	: CTR -20 to 100° C [-4 to 212°F]
ET2	: CTR -40 to 120° C [-40 to 248° F]
ET3	: CTR -40 to 150° C [-40 to 302° F] OTR = CTR (op tion not compatible with A1 and A2 versions)
HA	: Accuracy (CNL&H) ±0.5% F.S. (for models ≥100N; 20lbf)
TS	: Tolerance on F.S. output $\leq \pm 2\%$ F.S. (compatible with A1 and A2 versions only)
L00M	: special cable length, replace "00" with total length in meters

# **ORDERING INFO**



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