



# DYNAMIC vs. 4-20 mA SENSORS COMPARISON CHART

## Dynamic Sensors



## 4-20 mA Sensors



<b>Output Type</b>	Dynamic Voltage Output	4-20 mA analog current loop power output
<b>Permanent Measurement</b>	✓	✓
<b>Portable Measurement</b>	✓	--
<b>Available Frequency Range</b>	Full frequency range available	Limited preconfigured frequency ranges available
<b>Cable Attenuation</b>	Occurs over long cable lengths	Little to none occurs over long cable lengths
<b>Diagnostic Information Provided</b>	<p>Provides a time waveform signal that a data analyzer can perform an FFT on to create a spectrum as well as other analysis programs</p> <hr/> <p>Provides maximum information about specific problems occurring within the machine, to diagnose the root cause</p> <hr/> <p>Provides diagnostic information that can pinpoint vibration issues and reduces the overall cost of maintenance and repairs</p>	<p>Provides output proportional to overall amplitude in selected frequency bands for trending alarms</p> <hr/> <p>Provides little information that can assist in diagnosing what is causing the vibration</p> <hr/> <p>Provides continuous output to PLC / DCS system for alarms to trigger shutdowns before catastrophic failure occurs; no change in vibration goes unnoticed</p>
<b>Great for Use With</b>	Portable data analyzers and online monitoring systems	PLC, DCS, and SCADA systems
<b>Top and Side Exit Configurations Available</b>	✓	✓
<b>Molded Integral and Armored Integral Cable Options Available</b>	✓	✓
<b>Hazardous Rated Options Available</b>	✓	✓
<b>Dual Output and Multi-Axis Options Available</b>	<p>Dual Output</p> <hr/> <p>Biaxial</p> <hr/> <p>Triaxial</p>	<p>Dual Output</p> <hr/> <p>Triaxial</p>
<b>Maximum Temperature</b>	High-temperature resistance options available: 325 °F (162 °C)	<p>LP200 / LP300 Series: 212 °F (100 °C)</p> <hr/> <p>LP500 / LP600 Series: 257 °F (125 °C)</p> <hr/> <p>LPH800 / LPH900 Series: 257 °F (125 °C)</p>