



The goal of this item is the study and comparison of some of the different types of existing **flow meters**. The equipment incorporates the most didactic and representative flow gauges.

These flowmeters are a **Venturi tube, rotameter, diaphragm, angle seat valve and a Pitot tube** placed in series to allow direct comparison of results.

By carrying out some of the experiments with this equipment, it is possible to understand the behavior of fluids in relation to certain **laws of statics, dynamics or thermodynamics.** 

General principles such as the **conservation of mass, or energy** can be put into practice in a simplified and easy way.

Besides regulating valve with variable flow rates allow you to work according to the needs of the experiment.

The results are displayed in both the water column manometer and the supplied electronic differential. Through these gauges, pressure values are read at different strategic points of the equipment.



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The manual shows clearly and with a lot of images, the hole process to operate the equipment.

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The instruction manual explains and shows all the theoretical foundations, as well as all the mathematic expressions used during the experimentation.



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With the instructions manual, it is delivered a completely solved one, with the data that has to be taken from the equipment during the experiments. This way, the teacher can compare easily if students are doing correctle the different experiments.



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| LEARNING OBJECTIVES  | TECHNICAL DATA  |
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| Comparison of flow mmedida using the following:     Potameter                                    | Inner diameters:  |
| • Venturi.   | • Øinner main pipe = 25 mm.   |
| <ul> <li>Pitot tube.</li> <li>diaphragm</li> </ul>   | Manometer:  |
| • elbow 90 °<br>• Valve adjustment   | <ul> <li>Water column gauge, measuring range 500 mm wc</li> <li>± 7000mBar electronic differential Manometer.</li> </ul>                |
| <ul> <li>Calculating the pressure drop of the following elements:</li> <li>Rotameter.</li> </ul> | Pressure tappings:  |
| • Venturi.<br>• Pitot tube.  | All connections are quick and double seal.  |
| • diaphragm<br>• olbow 90 °  | <u>Diaphragm:</u>   |
| • Valve adjustment   | <ul><li>Diameter orifice plate Ø13 mm.</li><li>Diameter orifice plate Ø15 mm.</li></ul>   |
| <ul> <li>Demonstration of the Bernoulli equation in a venturi</li> </ul>                         | <u>Rotameter:</u>   |
| <ul> <li>Estudy of static, dynamic and total pressures.</li> </ul>                               | • Measuring range 150-1500 l / h.   |
|  | <u>Venturi Tube:</u>  |
|  | <ul> <li>Ø12 mm diameter throat.</li> <li>Bore Ø21,2 mm upstream.</li> <li>Upstream taper 22°.</li> <li>7° downstream taper.</li> </ul> |
|  | Other elements:   |

• Pitot tube.

## REQUIREMENTS

• Hydraulic Bench FL 01.4 ó Hydraulic Unit FL 01.1.