



# **ALF214**

## Description

- Measurement ranges from 0 ... 15 kN to 0 ... 60 kN
- Tension / compression
- Non-linearity 0.1 % RL
- Output signal 1.2 mV/V or rationalised 1.0 mV/V  $\pm 0.5$  %
- Supply voltage 10 VDC

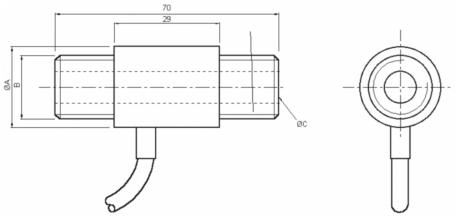


With bi-directional versions there is a small difference between the output signal for compression and tension. All standard bi-directional load cells are calibrated in both modes and the output for each direction is stated on the test / calibration certificate.

### Geometry:

Axial strain rod in weather sealed case, with external fixing threads. For use in tension or compression.

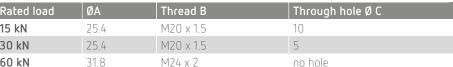
### Dimensions



Dimensions in "mm", approx. values

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Rated load	ØA	Thread B	Through hole Ø C	
15 kN	25.4	M20 x 1.5	10	
30 kN	25.4	M20 x 1.5	5	
60 kN	31.8	M24 x 2	no hole	





### Specifications

Rated load:	15 kN, 30 kN, 60 kN
Non-linearity, terminal:	±0.1 % RL
Hysteresis:	±0.1 % RL
Creep, 20 min:	±0.05 % AL
Repeatability:	±0.02 % RL
Rated output, nominal:	1.2 mV/V
Rated output, rationalised:	1.0 mV/V $\pm 0.5$ % RL Rationalisation tolerance applies to single direction calibrations only
Zero load output:	±4 % RL
Temperature effect on rated output:	±0.005 % AL/K
Temperature effect on zero load output:	±0.03 % RL/K
Compensated temperature range:	-10 +50 °C
Operating temperature range:	-10 +80 °C
Supply voltage, recommended:	10 V
Supply voltage, max.:	10 V
Bridge resistance:	350 Ω
Insulation resistance, minimum at 50 VDC:	500 MΩ
Overload, safe:	150 % RL
Overload, ultimate:	300 % RL
Dynamic load capacity:	70 % RL
Sealing:	IP65
Weight (excl. cable):	approx. 140 g to 200 g
Material:	Stainless steel

Rated load	Structural stiffness, nom.	Rated load	Structural stiffness, nom.	Rated load	Structural stiffness, nom.
15 kN	9.5 x 10 <sup>8</sup> N/m	30 kN	1.9 x 10 <sup>9</sup> N/m	60 kN	3.8 x 10 <sup>9</sup> N/m

#### Notes:

- 1. RL = rated load
- 2. AL = applied load
- 3. Temperature coefficients apply over the compensated range.
- 4. The load must be applied directly through the central loading axis.
- 5. When this load cell is rationalised the resistors are housed in a capsule located in the loadcell cable 100 mm from the free end. Capsule dimensions are Ø10 mm by 57 mm.

### Options

- Optional a version for 6-conductor operation available

#### ■ Electrical Connection

The load cell is fitted with 2 m of PVC insulated 4 core screened cable type 7-2-4C.

The screen is not connected to the load cell body.

Wiring:	
red	+ supply voltage
blue	- supply voltage
yellow	+ output signal
green	- output signal
orange	screen

# Ordering Codes

ALF214CFR0H0	Compression, IP65	ALF214CFR0HN	Compression, IP65, rationalised
ALF214TFR0H0	Tension, IP65	ALF214TFROHN	Tension, IP65, rationalised
ALF214UFR0H0	bi-directional, IP65	ALF214UFROHN	bi-directional, IP65, rationalised

Please add range in the required units.

#### Safety note:

When using the load cell in tension mode it is essential to provide additional safety precautions like safety chains etc. for catching the load in a breakage, which cannot be excluded completely.

Due to continuous product development, ALTHEN and partners reserve the right to vary the foregoing details without prior notice.

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