

# **Installation Instructions**



## MPB SERIES 1700 VARIABLE AREA FLOWMETER

#### TUBE AND FLOAT INSTALLATION AND REPLACEMENT

NOTE: On certain flowmeters the float is removed for transit and hence the procedure below will apply only to initial installation.

- 1. Remove the flowmeter cover and black safety clip.
- 2. Push top tube connector up into the top connection block.
- 3. Gently push the flow tube vertically upwards whilst at the same time tilting the tube slightly. The flow tube can now be withdrawn.

CAUTION: DO NOT excessively tilt the flow tube against the bottom connector as breakage can occur.

- 4. With the flow tube now removed, insert the float (as applicable) and position the tube onto the bottom connector.
- 5. Replace the flow tube by reversing steps 1 to 3 above. Note: A slight smear of grease will help.

### FLOWMETER INSTALLATION

1. Install the flowmeter in a vertical, upright position. This is best achieved using a spirit level and is particularly important on low range flowmeters.

#### **GENERAL**

- 1. Protect the flowmeter from entrained air and solids in the process fluid.
- 2. Avoid double bends and pipe configurations that may induce swirl. If in doubt, please consult MPB Industries.
- **3.** Cleaning of the flowmeter can be carried out using warm soapy water.

Process Connections: 1/4", 3/8" or 1/2" BSPPF straight through.

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