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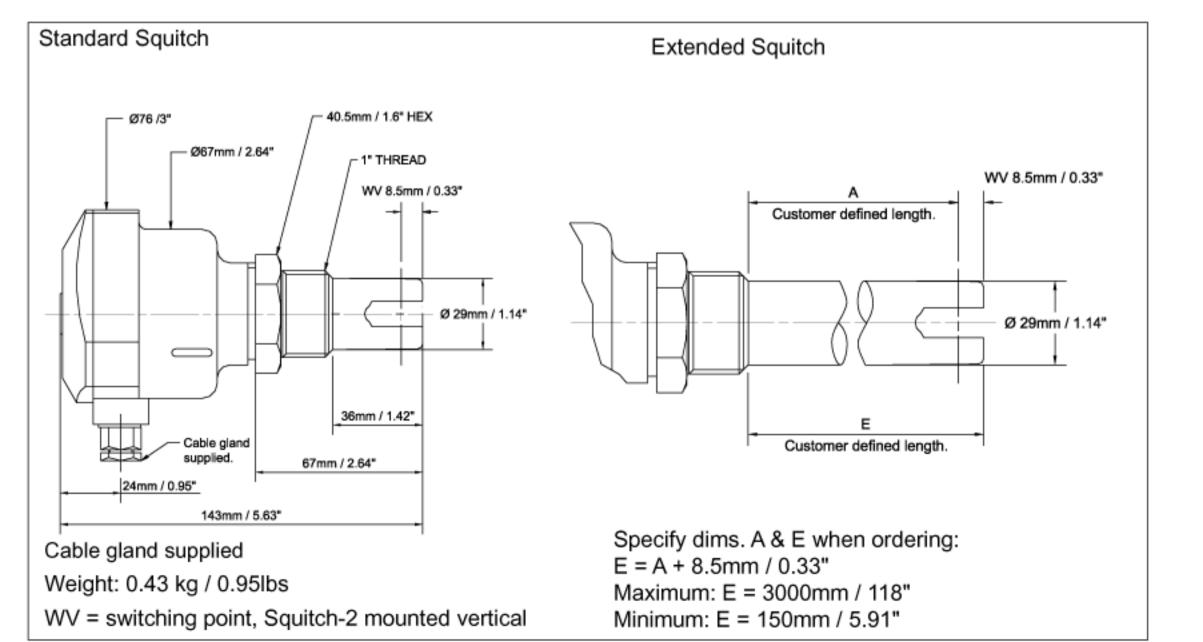


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# Specification

| Wetside material         | Stainless steel 316  |
|--------------------------|--|
| Dryside material         | Glass filled nylon, housing yellow, end cap black                  |
| Protection class         | IP66/IP67 / NEMA 4X Housing is rotatable 330° on sensor            |
| Max. operating pressure  | 20 bar / 290 psi   |
| Operating temp           | -40°C to +125°C / - 40°F to +257°F                                 |
| Ambient temp             | -40°C to +50°C / - 40°F to +122°F (up to 125°C / 257°F on wetside) |
| Power supply             | 24V - 240V DC or AC (50-60Hz)                                      |
| Cable entry              | Via cable gland supplied   |
| Terminals                | 2.5mm² / 14 AWG wire size  |
| Max. switched load       | 500mA continuous   |
| Min. switched load       | 7.5mA continuous ( see voltage drop )                              |
| Max. peak load           | 5 A for 40ms max   |
| Current drawn: load off: | <4.5mA continuous  |
| Voltage drop             | 4.5V @ 500mA 10V @ 7.5mA   |
| Time delay/response      | 1 S wet to dry 150mS dry to wet (water)                            |
| Switching hysteresis     | <u>+</u> 1mm / <u>+</u> 0.04"                                      |
| Viscosity                | 5000cs max ( at 25°C / 77°F)                                       |
|                          |  |

#### **Dimensions**



# **Ordering Information**

| Code | Produ  | ct       |          |          |              |          |            |        |              |                               |
|------|--------|----------|----------|----------|--------------|----------|------------|--------|--------------|-------------------------------|
| 8    | Squite | :h       |          |          |              |          |            |        |              |                               |
|      | Code   | Size     |          |          |              |          |            |        |              |                               |
|      | 3      | 1"       |          |          |              |          |            |        |              |                               |
|      | 5      | 2" (or ! | 51mm)։ ւ | ise with | Tri-cl       | over cla | mp fitt    | ng onl | у            |                               |
|      |        | Code     | Fitting  |          |              |          |            |        |              |                               |
|      |        | 0        | BSPT t   | •        |              |          |            |        |              |                               |
|      |        | 4        | I        |          | _            | (1" only | <b>'</b> ) |        |              |                               |
|      |        | 5        | NPT O    |          |              |          |            |        |              |                               |
|      |        | 7        | Tri-Clov |          | <u> </u>     | only)    |            |        |              |                               |
|      |        |          | Code     | Mater    |              |          |            |        |              |                               |
|      |        |          | SD       |          |              | ss steel |            |        |              |                               |
|      |        |          |          |          | Enclo        |          |            |        |              |                               |
|      |        |          |          | S        |              | w Squin  | g hous     | sing   |              |                               |
|      |        |          |          |          |              | Use      |            |        | /            | L - I                         |
|      |        |          |          |          | 0            |          |            |        | (see note    | below)                        |
|      |        |          |          |          |              | Code     |            |        | avvitables / | 24.240\/ ==/d=\               |
|      |        |          |          |          |              | 0        |            |        |              | 24-240V ac/dc)                |
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|      |        |          |          |          |              |          |            | 0      |              | (on request only)             |
|      |        |          |          |          |              |          |            |        | Code         | Length                        |
|      |        |          |          |          |              |          |            |        | E****        | Extended length. (3000mm /    |
|      |        |          |          |          |              |          |            |        | _            | 118" max.) 1" & flange only   |
|      |        |          |          |          |              |          |            |        | L            | Fixed length. E = 92mm / 3.6" |
|      |        |          |          |          |              |          |            |        | Ξ            | i ixed forigini E e e e e e   |
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| 8    | 3      | 0        | SD       | S        | 0            | 0        | 0          | 0      | E2000        | Typical part number           |

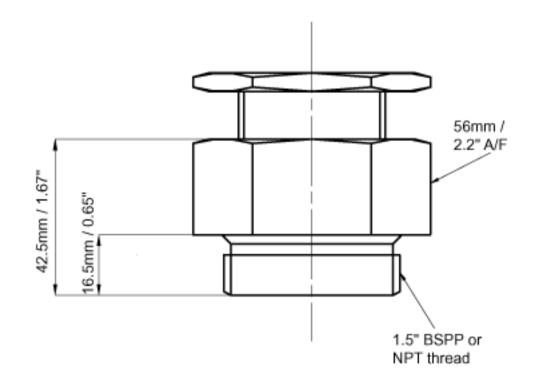
# Adjustable gland kit

An adjustable gland is available to allow site adjustment of the switching level for top mounted extended length Squitch. The gland is ordered as a separate item as below and may be used with any Squitch with extended length greater than 300mm / 12".

| 316 Stainless steel |
|---------------------|
| Silicone rubber     |
| 1.3 bar / 18.9 psi  |
| 125°C / 257°F       |
|                     |

### Order part number:

| SK304 1.5" BSPP thread<br>SK462 1.5" NPT thread | Order part number. |                  |
|---|--------------------|------------------|
| SK462 1.5" NPT thread                           | SK304              | 1.5" BSPP thread |
|   | SK462              | 1.5" NPT thread  |



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#### Accessories

| Adjustable clamp gland Maximum operating pressure: 1.3 bar / 19psi Maximum operating temperature: 125°C / 257°F | SK304 / SK462 For use with 1" thread extended length Squitch Manufactured from 316 stainless steel with a silicone rubber clamp seal. Allows Squitch to be adjusted to optimum operating level and clamped in place. |
|---|--|
| Tri-clover mounting kit Maximum operating pressure: 30 bar / 435psi Maximum operating temperature: 90°C / 194°F | SK266 For use with Tri-clover Squitch type 857 Comprises vessel fitting and clamp ring in 316SS plus NBR Nitrile rubber seal   |

Note: Standard Squitch can NOT be used in a hazardous area. For hazardous area use, select the Mobrey Electrosensor model (332SDS0 typical model number) from the comprehensive range of gap sensor systems detailed in data sheet IP201.

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