

Application Reference

Primary Crushers - Gyratory

Reliable level monitoring with failsafe high level and low level switches on Foundation Fieldbus communications for monitoring crusher "rockbox"



Application problem:

The major problems with monitoring the crusher rockbox of a gyratory crusher are:

- 1. Moisture and dust buildup caused by water sprays as truck unloads with high levels of dust.
- 2. Providing a self cleaning high high level switch to prevent the crusher jamming up.
- 3. Providing a high powered low level switch as an alternative to nuclear that is non intrusive that will penetrate through buildup on the walls.

Solution:

- 1. Level Transmitters: Even though the range is short we must use the low frequency 10kHz for the self cleaning properties. Beam angle is 6° total, cone made of polyurethane. If mounted down pipes, double flange to centre transducer.
- 2. High High switch: Low frequency 15kHz using special switch firmware. Fully failsafe with polyurethane cone.
- 3. Low level switch: High powered microwave to sense low level through possible buildup. Ceramic wear plate windows used.

Ordering information:

Contact the factory for specific part numbers.

Application guaranteed!

24 months from commissioning

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Primary Gyratory Crusher "Rockbox" - Level Control

