# **Transducers and Adapters**

## for Vanguard circuit breaker analyzers





### **Linear Digital Transducers**



Vanguard Digital Linear transducers are designed to precisely measure circuit breaker contact linear motion. Using an optical encoder, the linear transducer can measure distances up to 25" with a 0.01" resolution. Our robust design measures velocity up to 41ft/sec (12.5m/ sec).

Neither calibration nor setup is required when this transducer is used with a compatible Vanguard Time Travel Analyzer (DigitMR/CT-7000/CT-8000 CB analyzer family)

Vanguard linear travel transducers are available in 10" (P/N 9087-UC) and 25" (P/N 9088-UC) travel lengths. 30" travel or different lengths of travel are also available up on request.

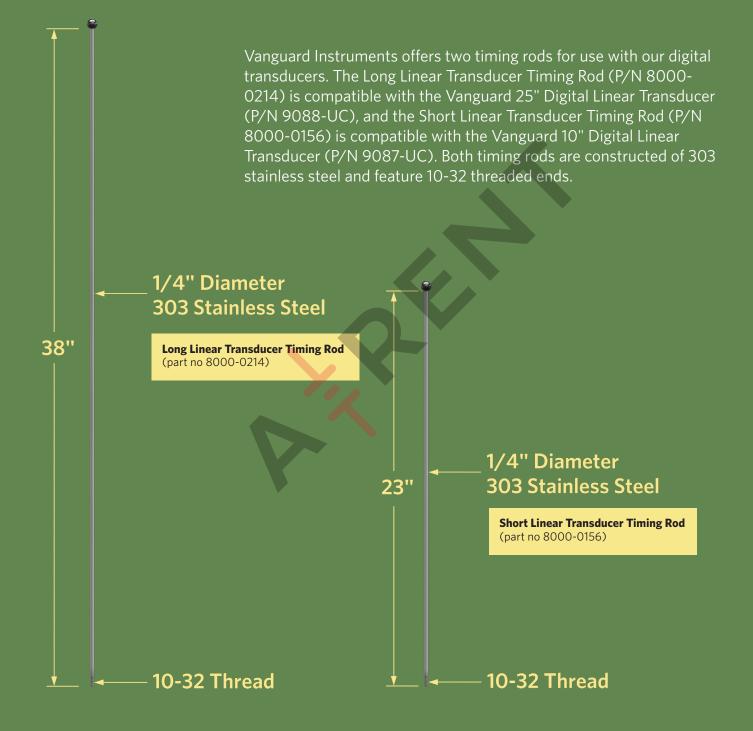


25" transducer on Siemens SPS2 Breaker

## **Linear Digital Transducers**

		technical specifications		
		<b>10" linear transducer</b> (part no 9087-UC)	<b>25" linear transducer</b> (part no 9088-UC)	
	physical specs	17" (43.2 cm) L with 10.5" (26.7 cm) x 4.5" (11.4 cm) mounting base	31.5"(80 cm) L with 10.5" (26.7 x 4.5" (11.4 cm) mounting base	
	physical travel	0 – 10 inches max (0 – 25.4 cm max)	0 – 25 inches max (0 – 63.5 cm max)	
		0.1% of reading ±0.1" (2.54 mm)	0.1% of reading ±0.1" (2.54 mm	
	resolution	±0.01" (±0.25 mm)	±0.01" (±0.25 mm)	
	<b>velocity</b>	41 ft/sec (12.5 m/sec)	41 ft/sec (12.5 m/sec)	
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#### **Linear Transducer Timing Rods**



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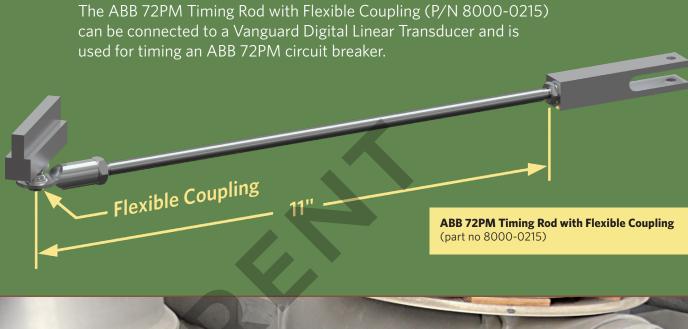




ABB 72PM Timing Rod Connected to Vanguard Linear Transducer

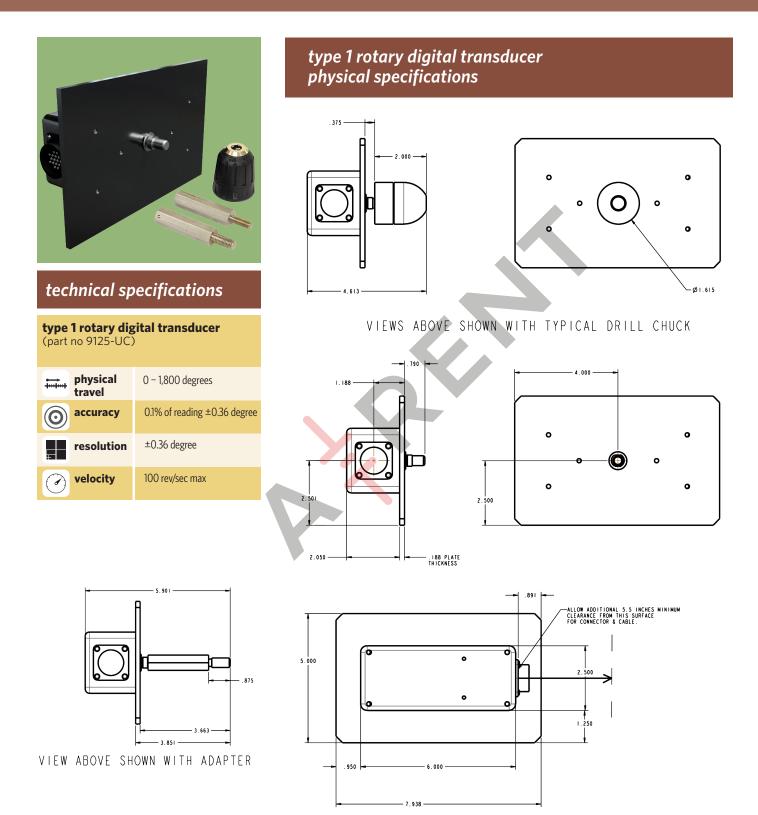
### **Rotardy Digital Transducers**

Rotary transducers translate the rotary motion of a circuit breaker's linkage shaft to the linear motion of the circuit breaker's main contact. Vanguard rotary transducers employ optical encoders that can detect rotary position with a maximum velocity of 100 revolutions per second. Vanguard offers three rotary transducers, each of which is furnished with a drill chuck adapter and two adapter shafts with 8mm and 10mm threading, respectively. The included accessories can be used to connect the transducers to a wide range of circuit breakers in the field.



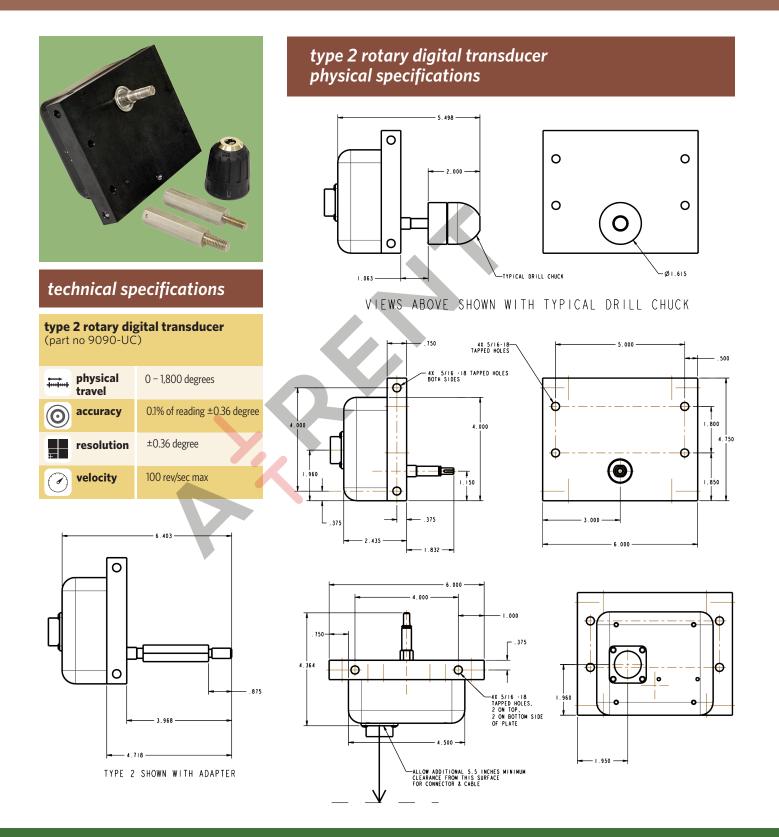
Type 3 rotary transducer on a Federal Pacific breaker

## **Type 1 Rotary Digital Transducer**

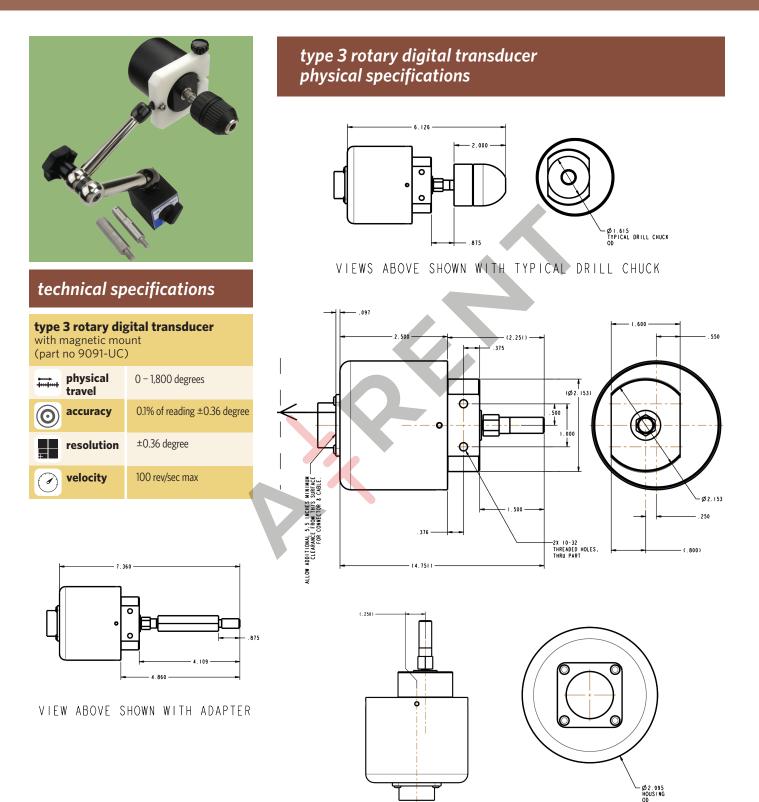


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### **Type 2 Rotary Digital Transducer**



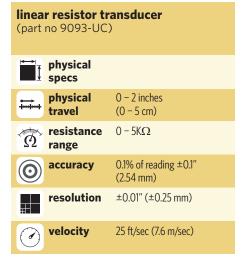
### **Type 3 Rotary Digital Transducer**



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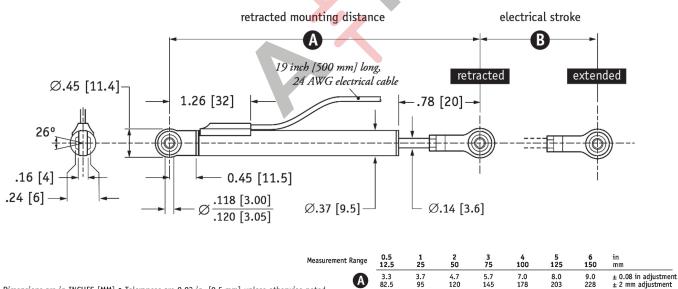
### **Linear Resistor Transducer**

#### technical specifications





The linear resistor transducer (part no 9093-UC) is designed for measuring small displacements. A typical application for this transducer is to measure circuit breaker vacuum bottle displacement (0.25" - 0.50"). This resistor transducer can interface directly to the Vanguard CT-7000 S3 and CT-8000 S3 via the resistor transducer input channels.



0.49 12.5

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0.98

2.95 75.0

1.97 50.0

3.94 100.0

4.92

5.91 150.0

in mm

All Dimensions are in INCHES [MM] • Tolerances are 0.03 in. [0.5 mm] unless otherwise noted

### **Transducer Adapters**



### **RESISTOR TRANSDUCER ADAPTER**

#### part no 9095-UC

The Vanguard Resistor Transducer Adapter (RTA) can be used to connect any resistor type transducer to the digital transducer channel of a Vanguard circuit breaker analyzer. The RTA also features a 3-pin SwitchCraft connector that can directly interface with ABB resistor transducers.



Connected to an ABB AHMB resistor-type transducer



### **DOBLE TRANSDUCER ADAPTER**

part no 9084-UC

The Doble Transducer Adapter can be used to interface any Doble travel transducer to a Vanguard circuit breaker analyzer.



Connected to a Doble rotary transducer



Vanguard Instruments Company (VIC), was founded in 1991. Currently, our 28,000 squarefoot facility houses Administration, Design & Engineering, and Manufacturing operations. From its inception, VIC's vision was, and is to develop and manufacture innovative test equipment for use in testing substation EHV circuit breakers and other electrical apparatus.

The first VIC product was a computerized circuit breaker analyzer, which was a resounding success. It became the forerunner of an entire series of circuit breaker test equipment. Since its beginning, VIC's product line has expanded to include microcomputer-based, precision micro-ohmmeters, single and three phase transformer winding turns-ratio testers, transformer winding-resistance meters, mega-ohm resistance meters, and a variety of other electrical utility maintenance support products.

VIC's performance-oriented products are well suited for the utility industry. They are rugged, reliable, accurate, user friendly, and most are computer controlled. Computer control, with innovative programming, provides many automated testing functions. VIC's instruments eliminate tedious and time-consuming operations, while providing fast, complex, test-result calculations. Errors are reduced and the need to memorize long sequences of procedural steps is eliminated. Every VIC instrument is competitively priced and is covered by a liberal warranty.



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