



## **TECHNICAL DATASHEET**

# GG2 DETECTOR NDIR CH4 & CO2

# Non-Dispersive Infrared Methane and Carbon Dioxide Gas Sensors

#### **Summary**

The Non-dispersive Infrared (NDIR) CH<sub>4</sub> and CO<sub>2</sub> models of the GG2 Detector are intrinsically safe sensors for monitoring the atmospheric concentration of Methane (CH<sub>4</sub>) or Carbon Dioxide (CO<sub>2</sub>) gas. The stainless steel housing is robust, corrosion resistant and fit for purpose. Power and communications is facilitated through the low profile connector, allowing for quick plug and play connections to compatible models, such as the GG2 Display. When mated, the enclosure and electrical connections achieve an ingress protection rating of IP66. The gas inlet achieves IP54 and is designed with a fast responding, three-dimensional hydrophobic barrier that minimises the potential for blockages.

The sensor operates on the infrared gas absorption principle. An infrared light source illuminates the sensor through a gas pathway with an optical filter that selects the appropriate wavelength for the gas being detected; the presence of this



gas reduces the amount of infrared energy reaching the detector. This difference in infrared energy with and without gas is used to measure the amount of gas present, and is converted to a digital value by the integrated sensor electronics. The sensor conditioning is fully self-contained and stores all necessary compensating and calibration information to provide a linear temperature compensated output.

Non-dispersive Infrared sensors are more suited than catalytic sensors for installations where the detector may experience high levels of or long exposure to certain compounds such as halides, sulphur compounds, leaded petrol, silanes, silicates and other products with silicon.

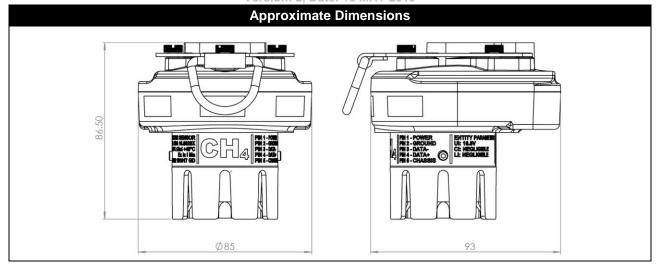
An optional Remote Cable Assembly is available for mounting GG2 Detectors up to 10 metres from the GG2 Display.

#### **Features**

- Intrinsically Safe Ex ia I Ma
- Tested to the performance requirements of AS 4641 and AS/NZS 60079.29.1
- Robust stainless steel construction for group 1 mining applications
- Failsafe architecture and digital interface with extensive self-diagnostic routines
- Temperature compensated
- Economical
- Interfaces directly to the GG2 Display Module providing a LCD display and support for 4-20mA, iMAC and RS485 communication
- Detachable for quick replacement minimising downtime for routine maintenance

#### **Example System Overview (iMAC Communication)**





| Specifications   |  |   |
|--|--|---|
|  | CH <sub>4</sub>  | CO <sub>2</sub>   |
| Electrical   |  |   |
| Supply Voltage   | 10 - 16.5VDC   |   |
| Power Consumption (max)  | 0.1W   |   |
| Mechanical and Environmental   |  |   |
| Dimensions (H x W x D)   | 86.5mm x 85mm x 93mm   |   |
| Weight   | 1kg  |   |
| IP Rating  | IP54   |   |
| Operating Temperature  | -20°C to +40°C   |   |
| Humidity Range   | 15% to 90% r.h. non-condensing                               |   |
| Pressure Range   | ±20kPa   |   |
| Response Time (t90) via diffusion  | <30s   | <60s  |
| Warm-Up Time   | <5mins (60 seconds typical depending on ambient temperature) |   |
| Stabilisation time (for calibration adjustments)   | 3mins  |   |
| Sensor Unit  | <u></u>  |   |
| Detection Method   | Non-dispersive infrared                                      |   |
| Calibrated Range   | 0-5% v/v   | 0-2%<br>0-5%  |
| Accuracy   | ±0.1% v/v or ±5% or indication                               | ±0.05 v/v over the range 0% to 0.5% 10% of applied test gas over the range 0.5% to 2.5% ±0.25 v/v over the range 2.5% to 5% |
| Drift  | ±0.1% v/v or ±5% or indication over 3 months                 | ±0.05 v/v % v/v or ±5% of indication <sup>1</sup> over 3 months   |
| Repeatability  | ±0.1% v/v or ±5% or indication                               | ±0.05 v/v   |
| Sensing Element Life   | >5 years   |   |
| Resolution   | <0.01% v/v <sup>2</sup>                                      |   |
| Certification  |  |   |
| IECEx  | IECEx TRA 16.0020X   |   |
| DPI  | MDR 0001030 GD   |   |
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### **Equipment List**

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Customised gas panels and systems are also available as well as sample draw panels. These can be designed specifically to your gas sensing needs.

Refer to GG2B026 GG2 Monitoring Solution Technical Datasheet for a detailed equipment list.

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