

# Heated FID Hydrocarbons (THC/NmHC/CH<sub>4</sub>) Analyzer

PROCESS & EMISSIONS MONITORING SYSTEMS

The Graphite52M is one of the sole hydrocarbons analyzers offering QAL1 certification according to EN 14181 & EN 15267-3, and to be also available in a transportable version.





## SPECIFIC FEATURES:

- Use of the Flame Ionization Detection (FID), principle, a robust, reliable, very linear and prooved technology
- Complies with EN 12619 & EN 13 526 standards for emissions monitoring and CFR 40 1065 (US EPA)
- Up to 191°C heated detector for high concentration HC measurement
- Fuel used: mixture of H2 & He or pure H2 (optional)
- Fast response time
- High accuracy, sensitivity and stability
- High efficiency long-life catalyst
- Built-in memory for data storage
- Internal zero and air scrubber burner
- Graphic LCD Display with interactive menu driven software and enhanced speed display
- AK protocol communication (RS232)
- Built-in Ethernet TCP/IP connection, USB port and serial interface RS 232
- Response factor tested (TÜV) on more than 20 specifics HC

#### 2 different versions:

GRAPHITE 52M-S : THC monitoring

GRAPHITE 52M-D : THC, NmVOC & CH4
 simultaneous monitoring

#### MAIN APPLICATIONS:

- > Compliance & process monitoring
- > Engine exhaust gas & automotive emission testing
- > CEMS applications
- > VOC abatment measurement on effluent for:
  Environmental compliance Efficiency control of incinerators (Thermal or catalytic) • Scrubbers •
   Carbon absorbers • Monitoring of catalytic converters •
   Combustion and diesel engine efficiency

#### COMPLIANCE WITH:

EU Regulation IED (WID / LCPD / MCPD directives) and US EPA (40 CFR 60 & 75)









ED U.S. EPA APPROVED 3 40 CFR 60 ET 75

APPROVED MCERTs CERTIFIED 60 ET 75 EN 15267-3

**QAL3** EN 15267-3



Integration example in motors gas analysis bay

## Heated FID Volatil Organic Compounds Analyzer **GRAPHITE 52M**

## PRINCIPLE OF OPERATION:

The gas to be analyzed is sampled with a heated pump then led to the burner supplied with a  $H_2/He$  mixture (or pure  $H_2$  optionnaly) and air oxidizer. The separation of the hydrocarbon molecules at high temperature in the cone of the flame provides a ionizing current, with an intensity which is directly proportional to the number of atoms of carbons of the sample.

This signal is electronically processed to obtain an accurate measurement of the THC concentration.

All elements in contact with the sample located upstream the detector (pump, ionization detector, filters, tubes and capillaries, etc.) are heated to provide repeatable, reliable performance in the analysis of a wide variety of hydrocarbon concentrations. The geometry of the burner has been specially designed to obtain a linear output signal whatever the concentration measured for any measurement scale.

In the GRAPHITE 52M-D, there are 2 burners and thus 2 channels. The first one as for the GRAPHITE 52M-S version is measuring the THC (Total Hydro Carbons), where the second channel, equipped with a nMHC converter, is measuring CH<sub>4</sub>. The D version is measuring simultaneously the THC and the CH<sub>4</sub> and calculated the nMHC part (THC - CH<sub>4</sub>).

## **TECHNICAL SPECIFICATIONS**

Ranges	0-10/100/1000/10000 ppm optionally 0-30/300/3000/30000 ppm
Noise	< 0,5% of the Full Scale (F.S.)
Accuracy	< 1% of reading between 15% and 100% of F.S.
Response time	HCT: < 1,5 sec. / CH <sub>4</sub> : < 3,5 sec.
Lower detectable limit	0.05 ppm on the 10 ppm range
Air inlet pressure	1.2 bar
$H_2$ / He or $H_2$ inlet pressure	1.2 bar
Air consumption	800 ml/min (around 48L/h)
$H_{\rm 2}$ / He or $H_{\rm 2}$ consumption	35 mL/min (around 2L/h) 70mL/min (around 4L/h) for D version
Zero drift	< 1% / 24h
Span drift	< 1% / 24h
Linearity	< 1% for a concentration between 10% and 100% of the full scale's range
Heated block temperature	up to 191°C
Sample flow rate	0.7 to 2 l/min at 20 psi
Capillary block temperature	heated up to 180°C
Converter efficiency rate	> 99%
Housing	standard 19" - 4U rack
Dimensions	483 x 470 x 177 mm (L x W x H)
	19 x 17.3 x 5.3 inches (L x W x H)
Weight	22 kg / 48 lbs
Operating temperature	+5 to +45°C
Power supply	230 VAC, 50 Hz / 115 VAC, 60Hz
Power consumption	500 VA during start up
Communication	RS232 & Ethernet (RJ45), AK protocol



## GRAPHITE 52M-S :

Equipped with one burner, the GRAPHITE 52M-S allows continuous and accurate THC monitoring.



## GRAPHITE 52M-D :

Equipped with two burners and a catalyser, it allows the simultaneous measurement of Total HC and CH<sub>4</sub>. The GRAPHITE 52M-D is ideally suitable to follow the transient phenomena evolution of non methane hydrocarbons and methane.

## UTILITIES:

- Span gas: C<sub>3</sub>H<sub>8</sub> or CH<sub>4</sub>
- Burner supply: H<sub>2</sub>/He (H<sub>2</sub> option)
- Comburant: dry air (supplied from external air source or from optional external air compressor)

## MAIN OPTIONS :

Portable version in «S» or «D» version

- RESPONSE FACTOR
- Internal zero air catalyst converter UBA **MCERTs** Organic compounds External air compressor / generator Specifications Spécifications Internal memory extension Heated sampling line with integrated SS 2µm dust Aliphatic hydrocarbons 0.94 - 1.03 0.90 - 1.10 filter (3 up to 5m). To be used with heated built-in regulator option Aromatic hydrocarbons 0.80 - 0.92 0.80 - 1.10 ESTEL electronic board with : Aliphatic alcohols 0.73 - 0.94 0.70 - 1.00 > 4 independent analog inputs > 4 independent analog outputs Esthers and Ketones 0.70 - 0.93 0.70 - 1.00 > 4 remote control inputs > 6 dry contacts outputs Special screenless version for engine application
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