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## Technical Datasheet



µGard®2

### Sensor Unit MC2

for Toxic Gases  
with Analog Output

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## DESCRIPTION

### **Exchangeable sensor unit including digital value processing, temperature compensation and self-control for the continuous monitoring of the ambient air.**

The sensor unit MC2 houses a module with  $\mu$ Controller, analog output and power supply in addition to the electro-chemical sensor element including amplifier. The  $\mu$ Controller calculates a linear 4–0 mA (or 2–10 V) signal out of the measurement signal and also stores all relevant measured values and data of the sensor element.

Calibration is done either by simply replacing the sensor unit or by using the comfortable, integrated calibration routine directly at the system.

## APPLICATION

The  $\mu$ Gard<sup>®</sup>2 Sensor MC2 is used for the detection of toxic gases or for oxygen monitoring when a typical 4–20 mA (or 2–10 V) signal is required.

## FEATURES

- Digital measurement value processing incl. temperature compensation
- Internal function control with integrated hardware watchdog
- Data / measured values in  $\mu$ C of the sensor unit, therefore simple exchange uncalibrated <> calibrated
- High accuracy, selectivity and reliability
- Low zero-point drift
- Long sensor lifetime
- Hardware & software according to SIL2 compliant development process
- Easy maintenance and calibration by exchange of the sensor unit or by comfortable on-site calibration
- 4–20 mA (or 2–10 V) analog output with selectable signal output for special mode, fault etc.
- Reverse polarity protected, overload and short-circuit proof
- IP65 version
- Housing for integration of the sensor unit (option)
- Display (option)
- Display with two open-collector outputs for horn (resettable) and warning lamp (option)
- Conformity to:
  - EN 378
  - EN 45544
  - EN 50104 (for O<sub>2</sub>)
  - EN 50271
  - EN 50545
  - EN 61010-1
  - ANSI/UL 61010 1
  - CAN/CSA-C22.2 No. 61010-1
- Duct mounting kit (accessory)

## SPECIFICATIONS

<b>ELECTRICAL</b>	
Power supply	16–29 V DC, reverse-polarity protect.; 18–27 V AC (only for output signal 2–10 V)
Power consumption	23 mA, max. (0.6 VA for 24 V)
Analog output signal	Proportional, overload and short-circuit proof, load 500 Ω for current signal, ≥ 50 kΩ for voltage signal 4–20 mA or 2–10 V = measuring range 3.2–4 mA or 1.6–2 V = underrange > 20–21.2 mA or 10–10.6 V = overrange 2 mA or 1 V = fault > 21.8 mA or 10.9 V = fault High
<b>SENSOR ELEMENT</b>	
Gas type	See Ordering Information
Sensor element	Electrochemical sensor
Pressure range	Atmospheric ± 10 %
Storage temperature range <sup>1</sup>	0 °C to 20 °C (32 °F to 68 °F)
Storage time	6 months
Poisoning	Electrochemical sensors are susceptible to poisoning by organic solvents and silicone vapours.
<b>PHYSICAL</b>	
Enclosure P (M25)	Polycarbonate UL 94 V2
Colour	RAL 7032 (light grey)
Dimensions	(D x H) 24 x 22 mm (0.94 x 0.87 in.)
Weight	Ca. 30 g (0.066 lb)
Protection class	IP65 (only if mounted in housing type A, D or N)
Mounting	Screw mounting / M25
Wire connection	Screw-type terminal min. 0.25 mm <sup>2</sup> , max. 1.3 mm <sup>2</sup> , 3-pin, 24 to 16 AWG
<b>REGULATIONS</b>	
Directives	EMC directives 2014/30/EU, CE Compliance with: EN 378 EN 45544 EN 50104 (for O <sub>2</sub> ) EN 50271 EN 50545 EN 61010-1:2010 ANSI/UL 61010-1 CAN/CSA-C22.2 No. 61010-1
Warranty	1 year on sensor (not if poisoned or overloaded), 2 years on device
<b>OPTIONS</b>	
<b>ENCLOSURE A</b>	
Enclosure A for integration of sensor unit	Polycarbonate UL 94 V2
Enclosure colour	RAL 7032 (light grey)
Dimensions	(B x H x T) 94 x 130 x 57 mm (3.7 x 5.1 x 2.2 in.)
Weight / package volume	Ca. 0,2 kg (0.4 lb) / ca. 4,5 l
Protection class	IP65
Mounting	Wall mounting
Pre-embossing for cable entry / sensor unit	6 x M20 / M25
<b>LCD-DISPLAY</b>	
LCD	Two lines, 16 characters each, monochrome
<b>OPEN-COLLECTOR</b>	
Transistor output (2)	For horn (resettable) and warning lamp
Switching capacity	24 V DC / 50 mA (+ switching)

<sup>1</sup> A higher storage temperature can have a negative effect on sensitivity and service life.

Gas type	Ordering No.	Measuring range <sup>3</sup>	Accuracy		Repeatability	t <sub>90</sub> time	Zero point variation	Drift in air		Temperature range	Humidity range (non-condensing)	Life time <sup>1</sup> in air	Relative Gas density <sup>2</sup>	Calibration interval <sup>1</sup>
			± % sig.	ppm				Zero	Gain					
	MC2-	ppm	± % sig.	ppm	<± sig. %	≤ sec.	±ppm	< % signal/month		°C	% r. F.	> months	Air = 1	Month
NH <sub>3</sub>	E1125-AX	0-100	5	0.1	10	40	5	1	1	-30 / +50	15-90	24	0.59	12
NH <sub>3</sub>	E1125-BX	0-300	2	0.1	10	40	5	1	2	-30 / +50	15-90	24	0.59	12
NH <sub>3</sub>	E1125-CX	0-500	3	0.1	10	40	5	1	2	-30 / +50	15-90	24	0.59	12
NH <sub>3</sub>	E1125-DX	0-1000	3	1	10	40	10	1	2	-30 / +50	15-90	24	0.59	12
NH <sub>3</sub>	E1125-EX	0-5000	2	1	10	40	50	1	2	-30 / +50	15-90	24	0.59	12
Cl <sub>2</sub>	E1193-CX	0-10	n.d.	0.01	2	40	0.2	1	2	-20 / +50	15-90	24	2.4	6
Cl <sub>2</sub>	E1193-DX	0-20	n.d.	0.01	2	40	0.2	1	2	-20 / +50	15-90	24	2.4	6
HCl	E1186-DX	0-20	n.d.	0.01	5	60	0.5	n.d.	n.d.	-20 / +50	15-90	24	1.27	6
HCN	E1183-BX	0-50	5	0.01	2	30	n.d.	n.d.	n.d.	-20 / +50	15-90	24	0.93	6
HCN	E1183-CX	0-100	5	0.1	2	30	n.d.	n.d.	n.d.	-20 / +50	15-90	24	0.93	6
ETO	E1199-AX	0-10	n.d.	0.01	5	140	1	n.d.	n.d.	+10 / +30	15-90	24	1.57	6
C <sub>2</sub> H <sub>4</sub>	E1189-CX	0-200	n.d.	0.1	2	120	-2/+8	n.d.	n.d.	-20 / +50	15-90	24	0.97	6
CH <sub>2</sub> O	E1185-BX	0-10	2	0.01	2	60	0.2	1	2	-10 / +50	15-90	36	1.09	6
CO	E1110-BX	0-100	3	0.1	5	10	4	0.4	0.4	-20 / +65	10-95	72	0.97	12
CO	E1110-CX	0-150	2	0.1	5	10	4	0.4	0.4	-20 / +65	10-95	72	0.97	12
CO	E1110-EX	0-250	2	0.1	5	10	4	0.4	0.4	-20 / +65	10-95	72	0.97	12
CO	E1110-FX	0-300	2	0.1	5	10	4	0.4	0.4	-20 / +65	10-95	72	0.97	12
CO	E1110-HX	0-500	2	0.1	5	10	4	0.4	0.4	-20 / +65	10-95	72	0.97	12
O <sub>3</sub>	E1190-AX	0-5	n.d.	0.001	5	30	0.15	1	2	-10 / +50	15-90	24	1.66	6
O <sub>3</sub>	E1190-BX	0-10	n.d.	0.01	5	30	0.15	1	2	-10 / +50	15-90	24	1.66	6
SO <sub>2</sub>	E1196-BX	0-20	2	0.01	2	30	0.1	1	2	-10 / +50	15-90	24	2.26	6
H <sub>2</sub> S	E1197-AX	0-50	3	0.01	2	30	0.5	1	2	-10 / +50	15-90	24	1.19	12
H <sub>2</sub> S	E1197-BX	0-100	2	0.1	2	40	1	1	2	-10 / +50	15-90	24	1.19	12
H <sub>2</sub> S	E1197-CX	0-200	2	0.1	2	40	2	1	2	-10 / +50	15-90	24	1.19	12
H <sub>2</sub> S	E1197-DX	0-500	n.d.	0.1	2	40	5	1	2	-10 / +50	15-90	24	1.19	12
NO <sub>2</sub>	E1130-AX	0-10	5	0.01	2	25	0.2	1	2	-20 / +65	15-90	24	1.59	12
NO <sub>2</sub>	E1130-BX	0-20	5	0.01	2	25	0.2	1	2	-20 / +65	15-90	24	1.59	12
NO <sub>2</sub>	E1130-CX	0-30	5	0.01	2	25	0.2	1	2	-20 / +65	15-90	24	1.59	12
NO <sub>2</sub>	E1130-EX	0-100	5	0.1	2	25	2	1	2	-20 / +65	15-90	24	1.59	12
		Vol %												
O <sub>2</sub>	E1195-A 2/3/5/7	0-25	2	0.01	--	15	--	--	0.3	-25 / +50	5-95	24/36 / 60/84		6/6/ 12/12

<sup>1</sup> Manufacturer-recommended calibration interval for normal environmental conditions

<sup>2</sup> The sensor must be installed at the correct height depending on the relative gas density (d):

d < 0.95: Mount on the ceiling

0.95 < d < 1.05: Mount at a height of 1.5 – 1.8 m above floor

d > 1.05: Mount at a height of 0.3 m above floor

Exception NO<sub>2</sub>: Mounting height for NO<sub>2</sub> sensors: 0.5 to 1.8 m above floor.

<sup>3</sup> Exceeding the measuring range limit will include a risk of damaging the sensor element.

## CROSS SENSITIVITY<sup>1</sup>

Gas concentration of cross gas / reaction of sensor

Gas type	Ordering No.	Chlorine, Cl <sub>2</sub>	Ethanol, C <sub>2</sub> H <sub>6</sub> O	Ethylene, C <sub>2</sub> H <sub>4</sub>	Carbon monoxide, CO	Carbon dioxide, CO <sub>2</sub>	Sulphur dioxide, SO <sub>2</sub>	Hydrogen sulfide, H <sub>2</sub> S	Nitrogen dioxide NO <sub>2</sub>	Nitrogen monoxide, NO	Hydrogen, H <sub>2</sub>
	MC2-	ppm	ppm	ppm	ppm	ppm	ppm	ppm	ppm	ppm	ppm
NH <sub>3</sub>	E1125-AX	10/0	100/0	100/0	200/0	5000/0	10/<10	10/<20	20/<2	20/0	1000/-10
NH <sub>3</sub>	E1125-BX	10/0	100/0	100/0	200/0	5000/0	10/<12	10/<30	20/0	20/0	1000/-150
NH <sub>3</sub>	E1125-CX	10/0	100/0	100/0	200/0	5000/0	10/<12	10/<30	20/0	20/0	1000/-150
NH <sub>3</sub>	E1125-DX	10/0	100/0	100/0	200/0	5000/0	10/<12	10/<30	20/0	20/0	1000/-150
NH <sub>3</sub>	E1125-EX	10/0	100/0	100/0	200/0	5000/0	10/<12	10/<30	20/0	20/0	1000/-150
Cl <sub>2</sub>	E1193-XX <sup>2</sup>				300/0		5/0		20/20	35/0	300/0
HCl	E1186-DX	20/0		100/0	1000/0		100/0	20/31	20/-6	25/0	/0
HCN	E1183-XX <sup>2</sup>			100/0	100/2		20/38	15/25	5/-12	35/0	100/2
ETO	E1199-AX		30/21		100/45						
C <sub>2</sub> H <sub>4</sub>	E1189-CX				< 60 %						
CH <sub>2</sub> O	E1185-BX				10-18 %						1-3 %
CO	E1110-XX <sup>2</sup>	2/0	2000/5			5000/0	50/0,5	25/0	50/-1	50/8	100/20
O <sub>3</sub>	E1190-XX <sup>2</sup>	5/45/4	100/0		300/0		5/0		20/10	35/0	300/0
SO <sub>2</sub>	E1196-BX		100/0		100/1			10/0	100/-125	100/0	100/1
H <sub>2</sub> S	E1197-XX <sup>2</sup>				100/2		100/20		5/1	35/2	100/20
NO <sub>2</sub>	E1130-XX <sup>2</sup>	1/1	100/0	500/0	400/0	5000/0	30/-0.6	20/-25		50/0	1000/0
O <sub>2</sub>	E1195-XX <sup>2</sup>					5 Vol %					

<sup>1</sup> The table doesn't claim to be complete. Other gases, too, can have an influence on the sensitivity. The mentioned cross sensitivity data are only reference values valid for new sensors.

<sup>2</sup> Cross sensitivity data valid for all measuring ranges of the sensor.

All specifications were collected under optimal test conditions.

We confirm compliance with the minimum requirements of the applicable standard.



**EXAMPLE**

CO sensor unit, measuring range 300 ppm, with plastic housing type A, without display, sensor unit in plastic housing

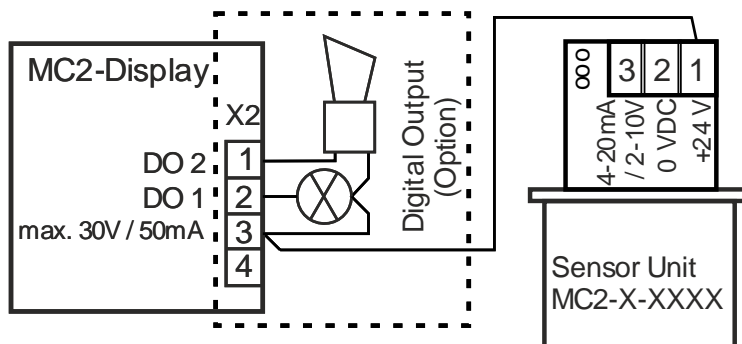
**Ordering number: MC2-A-E1110-FX-0-P**

**ACCESSORY**

Duct mounting kit

**Ordering number: C2-Z2**

**WIRING CONFIGURATION**



**Note:**

The installation of the sensor unit MC2 directly on the MSC2, MGC2 or MSB2 housing isn't-possible, only external connection with separate housing!

For 4–20 mA output signal you have to remove the resistor between pin 2 and pin 3.