FGD10A Series of Flameproof (Ex d) Gas Detectors

Certificate Numbers
IECEx SIR 08.0009X, Code Ex d IIC
SIRA 08ATEX1031X, Code Ex d IIC

 Versions available for the detection of:-

- Hydrocarbon Gases - using temperature-compensated infrared sensors.
- Carbon Dioxide - using temperature-compensated infrared sensors.
- Oxygen or Toxic Gases - using electrochemical sensors.
- Flammable gases - using ‘Pellistor’ technology.

Features
- Competitively priced
- Available in pressure die cast aluminium or stainless steel grade 316
- Display
- Relay outputs for 2 alarm levels and fault
- Non-intrusive calibration and configuration via a magnetic pen
- Compact and lightweight
- Optional weather guard
- Plug-in replaceable gas sensors
- Wide power supply range of 8 to 24 volts dc
- Industry standard 4 to 20 mA and RS232 outputs
- Non-display version available - FGD10B (see separate data sheet TD18/022)

Description

The FGD10A is an explosion protected ATEX and IECEx certified fixed gas detector for use in potentially explosive atmospheres.

It comprises an instrument enclosure with two cable gland entries. The enclosure contains the connection terminals, electronics, display window and gas sensor which is located in the base of the enclosure or screwed to the base in a stainless steel housing. The unit may be optionally fitted with a protective weather guard as shown in the photograph opposite.

Magnetically operated switches allow the unit to be calibrated through the display window using the magnetic pen without the need to remove the cover from the unit.

Three control relays are fitted to provide Alarm Level 1, Alarm Level 2 and Fault outputs via individual changeover contacts. In addition to the 4 to 20 mA analogue, an RS 232 communications output is also provided.
Refer to our website for details of order codes and gas sensor ranges.

### Specification

| **Materials** | Instrument Body - Aluminium Pressure Die Casting or Stainless Steel 316  
Sensor Insert - Stainless Steel Grade 316  
IR Sensor Housing - Stainless Steel Grade 303 (Grade 316 available)  
Magnetic Pen - Stainless Steel Grade 316  
Optional Weatherguard - Stainless Steel Grade 304 & Nylon 66 |
| **Cable entries** | 2 x 20mm or ½” NPT or ¾” NPT |
| **Weights** | FGD10A Oxygen, Toxic, Pellistor (excluding weatherguard) - 1.75Kg  
FGD10A Infrared 2Kg  
Magnetic Pen - 60 grams  
Weatherguard - 225 grams |
| **Gas types** | Flammable, Oxygen or Toxic, |
| **Input voltage** | 8 to 24 volts dc |
| **Input power** | 5 Watts maximum |
| **Internal fuse** | 1 Amp antisurge 'Nanofuse' |
| **Relay contact rating** | 3 Amps, 300 Volts ac |
| **Analogue output** | 4 to 20mA (10 bit resolution) |
| **RS232 output** | Communications with PC at 19200 baud |
| **Sensor types** | NDIR Infrared, Electrochemical or Pellistor |
| **Measurement range** | Dependant upon sensor type |
| **Response time** | Flammable Gases - typically T<sub>90</sub> < 15 sec (CH<sub>4</sub>)  
Toxic and Oxygen sensor response times vary according to the sensor type. |
| **Measurement resolution** | Flammable gases - 1% LEL or 1% volume.  
Toxic - 0.1ppm for FSD < 50ppm, 1ppm for FSD> 50ppm.  
Oxygen - 0.1% volume. |
| **IP rating** | Enclosure IP68, Sensor IP65 |
| **Display** | 4 Digit, 7 segment liquid crystal |
| **Keypad** | 4-Button magnetically operated |
| **Software** | Software configuration provided via LCD display and multifunction keypad |
| **Operating temperature** | - 20 to +60 °C |
| **Humidity range** | 0 to 95% RH non-condensing |
| **Operating pressure** | Atmospheric  
+ or - 10% |
| **Performance standard** | EN 60079-29-1:2007 |

### Hazardous Area Certification

| **Certificate numbers** | IECEx SIR 08.0009X, Code Ex d IIC  
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| **Standards** | IEC 60079-0 : 2004 (Edition 4)  
IEC 60079-1 : 2007-04 (Edition 6)  
EN 60079-0 : 2006  
EN 60079-1 : 2007 |
| **Temperature Codes** | T4 (Ta -20 to +60 deg C)  
T5 (Ta -20 to +50 deg C) - not applicable to infrared versions.  
T6 (Ta -20 to +35 deg C) - not applicable to infrared versions. |
| **Zones** | 1 & 2 |