

Infrared flameproof detector for explosive gases, CO2 and N2O



II 2G Ex db IIC T6 Gb







Detector of explosive gases, CO₂ and N₂O by infrared technology, with a flameproof housing, for use in explosive gas atmospheres and offering a high level of protection.

There is a version of the detector, also ATEX certified, with a high level of protection and moreover intended for use in explosive **dust** atmospheres.

Available formats:

- RS485 addressable, 4-wire connection, compatible with DURGAS control units, with up to 16 detectors installable in parallel in the same loop, up to a distance of 1km.
- 4-20mA 3-wire connection, compatible with any system with this type of input.

Internal optical indicators of sensor and loop faults Optional alarm relay output (RS485)

Optional programmable alarm relay module (4-20mA)

	Explosive gases	CO_2	N_2O
Range	0-100% L.E.L.	0-2% vol (0-20,000ppm)	0-1,000ppm
Resolution	>0.5% L.E.L.	>1.2% of measurement range	±2% measurement range

AVAILABLE GASES

Explosive gases: Methane, Natural Gas and Propane.

Carbon Dioxide CO₂ and Nitrogen Oxide (I) N₂O. Toxic gases:

APPLICATIONS

Detection of explosive gases, CO_2 and N_2O .

- Livestock installations and in intensive farming processes in general.
- Installations with the presence of inhibitor or poisonous gases of catalytic detectors pellistors-.
- Atmospheres with a lack of oxygen.
- Installations where maintenance operations must be reduced to a minimum.

LOCATION / HEIGHT OF THE INSTALLATION

In areas where gas tends to accumulate, at a distance of 1.5m from any gas outlet point and avoiding any draughts.

The coverage area is 16 m² for explosive gases, $75m^2$ for CO_2 and $30m^2$ for N_2O

Recommended height of installation:

- 30 cm from the ceiling: Methane. Natural Gas.
- 100 cm from the floor: Propane.
- 75/100 cm from the floor: CO₂
- 30/50 cm from the floor: N₂0

MAINTENANCE

The **DIREX-X** detectors have been factory-calibrated with span gas and do not require recalibration during the initial start up of the installation.

Easy sensor replacement in the installation by incorporation of factory calibration.

Revise DIREX-X detectors at least once every 3 years and follow the installation manual's instructions for verification and recalibration operations whenever necessary or in accordance with current standards.

WARNING

Use the appropriate diameter of cable hose for the cable gland's inlet. Do not under any circumstances immerse in water or in any other liquid.

TECHNICAL CHARACTERISTICS

	Dual wavelength infrared sensor with thermal compensation and microprocessor	Humidity range 0 to 95% HR no condensation		
Technology		Atmospheric pressure limit	80 to 110kPa (0.8 to 1.1 bar)	
Supply voltage	From 10V to 30V DC	4-20mA connections	3 wires + earthing mesh	
Maximum consumption	80mA at 12V DC/100mA activated relay	RS485 connections	4 wires	
Max. loop resistance	250Ω 4-20mA	Optical indicators of	4-20mA internal / RS485 digital	
Max. output current	21.3 mA (Tip) 4-20mA	sensor and loop failures		
Loop fault current	< 2mA 4-20mA	Optical indicator of	Internal, 4-20mA digital in	
EXP gases measurement range	0-100% L.E.L. (5% vol. Methane) - linear full scale -	communication statuses	RS485 models Choose between 2	
CO ₂ measurement range	0-20,000 ppm (0-2% v/v) - linear full scale -	Optional 4-20 mA programmable alarm	programmable alarm levels immediate/delayed with delayed	
N ₂ 0 measurement range	0-1,000ppm linear full scale	relay	disconnection programming. Initial idle mode relay programming.	
Resolution	Exp: $>0.5\%$ L.E.L. $CO_{2:}>1.2\%$ of measurement range $N_2O>2\%$ of measurement range	Coverage area	EXP 16 m ² approx. CO_2 75 m ² approx. N_2O 30 m ² approx.	
Zero drift	Exp: $\pm 3\%$ L.E.L. max / year at 20°C CO ₂ : $\pm 0.7\%$ / year N ₂ O $\pm 1\%$ F.S year	Protection grade	IP65	
Zero urnt		Box material	Aluminium / Stainless steel	
Span drift	EXP: \pm 3% L.E.L. / year at 20°C CO ₂ : \pm 0.7% F.S./ year N ₂ O \pm 1% F.S year	Standard code for explosive atmospheres (gas/dust)	Ex db IIC T6 Gb /Ex tb IIIC T85°C Db	
Stabilisation time	< 30 minall specifications-	Cable diameter	10.1-13mm ²	
Resistance to H ₂ S	Yes totally immune	Cable type (4-20mA)	Shielded 3 x 1.5mm ø	
Response Time T50/T90	<15s and 30s respectively	Cable type (RS485)	4 wires 2 x 1.5mm - 2 x 0.25mm ø	
Useful life (MTBF)	> 5 years	Installation max.	1,000m (RS485)	
Maintenance periods	Every 3 years -recommended-	distance	300/400m (4-20mA)	
Temperature range	-20°C to +50°C	Dimensions (mm)	155 x 180 x 110	
		Weight (g)	1,700 approx.	

WARRANTY

DIREX-X detectors are guaranteed against any manufacturing defect for 1 year from the date of purchase. The warranty conditions are set out in the equipment's installation manual.

ORDER INFORMATION

When placing your order please provide the correct code for the product required and verify that its description is in order. In the case of explosive gases (HC) remember to also indicate the gas to be detected (methane, propane or natural gas).

	DIREX X R5460 Detectors	
CODE	DESCRIPTION	CODE
DIRYLXC02	Infrared flameproof RS485 detector for CO2	DIRY4LXC
DIRYLXC02r	Infrared flameproof RS485 detector for CO ₂ with relay output	DIRY4LXC
DIRYLX***	Infrared flameproof RS485 detector for explosive gases	DIRY4LX*
DIRYLX***r	Infrared flameproof RS485 detector for explosive gases with relay output	DIRY4LX*

DIDEY Y DS/85 Detectors

DIREX X 4-20mA Detectors

Note: Add a "t" after the "X" in the code to request ATEX-certified detectors for combustible dust.

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DESCRIPTION C02 Infrared flameproof 4-20mA detector for CO2 Infrared flameproof 4-20mA detector for CO₂ with C02r relay module Infrared flameproof 4-20mA detector for explosive *** gases Infrared flameproof 4-20mA detector for explosive ***r gases with relay module

^{***} available gases: N2O, NAT (Natural Gas or METHANE) or PRO (PROPANE-BUTANE)

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e.g.: for RS485 carbon dioxide detectors for combustible dust, the code would be DIRYLXtCO2

e.g.: for 4-20mA carbon dioxide detectors for combustible dust and relay, the code would be DIRY4LXtC02r