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# Flameproof infrared detector (NDIR) for refrigerant gases



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**LOM 08ATEX2059 X** 

Safety grade A2/A3 refrigerant gas detector using infrared technology with flameproof housing for use in explosive or flammable gas atmospheres and with a high level of protection, offering protection against financial, environmental, and safety risks derived from leaks of these gases.

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

They are available in **RS485** format, addressable, with 4-wire connections, compatible with **DURGAS** control units, and with up to 16 detectors installable in the same loop to control up to four different refrigerant gases, up to a distance of 1km.

They incorporate internal optical fault indicators and digital communication of the different statuses to the control unit

Local alarm relay output.

Detection range from 0 to 100% L.F.L\*

\*L.F.L: lower flammable limit

The sensor controlled by a microprocessor incorporates internally all the necessary electronics for its correct operation, linearisation of the measurement, temperature compensation, memorisation of calibration parameters, etc.

The sensors used in the manufacture of this equipment have SIL2 certification.

## **AVAILABLE GASES**

R-32/R-1234yf/R-1234ze/R-452b/R-454A/R-454B and R-454C, others please check

#### APPLICATIONS

Refrigerated installations in general, machine rooms, refrigerated chambers, supermarket rows, etc.

#### LOCATION / HEIGHT OF INSTALLATION

Protect all possible sources of leaks, connections, elbows, gas inlets and outlets, valves, welds, compressors, etc... avoiding draughts.

Although most refrigerants are heavier than air check the molecular weight or density in relation to the air in each case.

#### **MAINTENANCE**

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

Their maintenance is more affordable as it is possible to proceed to replace the sensor already calibrated in the installation without the need to use gas.

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.
- Do not install where it is contemplated that there may be draughts
- If DIREX-X is installed in false ceilings bear in mind during maintenance tasks that refrigerants displace oxygen.

### TECHNICAL CHARACTERISTICS

Technology	Dual wavelength infrared sensor with temperature compensation and 12bit SIL2* microprocessor
Supply voltage	From 10V to 30V DC
Maximum consumption	80mA at 12V DC/100mA activated relay
Measurement range	0-100% L.F.L -linear full scale-
Resolution	>1% of measurement range
Zero drift	±2% F.S. max / year at 20°C
Span drift	±0.1% F.S./ year
Stabilisation time	< 30 minall specifications-
Resistance to H <sub>2</sub> S	Yes totally immune
Response Time T50/ T90	<15 and <30 respectively
Useful life (MTBF)	> 5 years
Maintenance periods	Every 3 years -recommended- or according to current standards
Temperature range	-20°C to +50°C

Humidity range	0 to 95% HR no condensation
Atmospheric pressure limit	80 to 110kPa (0.8 to 1.1 bar)
RS485 connections	4 wires
Optical fault indicators and sensor	Internal/Digital to control unit
Optical indicator of communication statuses	Internal: digital transmission of statuses to the control unit
Alarm relay	20% L.F.L. A2 group.
Protection grade	IP65
Box material	Aluminium / Stainless steel
Standard code for explosive atmospheres (gas/dust)	Ex db IIC T6 Gb /Ex tb IIIC T85°C Db
Cable diameter	10.1-13mm <sup>2</sup>
Cable type RS485	4 wires 2 x 1.5mm - 2 x 0.25mm ø
Installation max. distance	1,000m (RS485)
Dimensions (mm)	155 x 180 x 110
Weight (g)	1,700 approx.

L.F.L. lower flammable limit

#### WARRANTY

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

#### **DIREX-X RS485 REFRIGERANTS**

CODE	DESCRIPTION
DIRYLXREFr*	Infrared flameproof RS485 detector for refrigerant gases with relay output

<sup>\*</sup> The gas must be specified, for example DYRYLXREFr-R32

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<sup>\*</sup>SIL2 sensor