

GMT Toxic Gas Detection Head

Nitrogen Dioxide (NO₂)



UTILISES WELL PROVEN AND RELIABLE SENSOR TECHNOLOGY



SUITABLE FOR HAZARDOUS AREA USE (WITH SUITABLE ZENER BARRIER)  **II 1 G EEx ia IIC T4**



INDUSTRY STANDARD ANALOGUE 4 ~ 20 mA O/P



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GMT Detection Head

The GMT range of detection heads provides a comprehensive range of toxic gas detectors for connection to our gas detection control panels. They are designed to provide a rugged, reliable, easy to maintain solution to your fixed gas detection needs. They can be used in safe area locations or when used with a suitable zener barrier device in all flammable hazardous areas as they are also designed to be intrinsically safe (ia).

Gas Information Nitrogen Dioxide (NO₂)

Nitrogen dioxide is the chemical compound with the formula NO₂. One of several nitrogen oxides, NO₂ is an intermediate in the industrial synthesis of nitric acid, millions of tons of which are produced each year. This reddish-brown toxic gas has a characteristic sharp, biting odour and is a prominent air pollutant.

Nitrogen dioxide is toxic by inhalation, but this could be avoided as the material is acrid and easily detected by our sense of smell. One potential source of exposure is fuming nitric acid, which is often contaminated with NO₂. Symptoms of poisoning (lung edema) tend to appear several hours after one has inhaled a low but potentially fatal dose.

Also, low concentrations (4 ppm) will anesthetize the nose, thus creating a potential for overexposure.

Long-term exposure to NO₂ at concentrations above 40–100 µg/m³ causes adverse health effects.

Nitrogen dioxide is formed in most combustion processes using air as the oxidant. At elevated temperatures nitrogen combines with oxygen to form nitrogen dioxide:

The most significant sources of NO₂ are internal combustion engines, thermal power stations and, to a lesser extent, pulp mills. The excess air required for complete combustion of fuels in these processes introduces nitrogen into the combustion reactions at high temperatures and produces nitrous oxides (NO_x).

NO₂ Relative Density (Air =1) = 2.62

Typical NO₂ Detection head location would be at lowest level available.

EH40 workplace exposure recommended exposure limits :-

Long term exposure limit (8hour TWA reference period) Not stated.


Short term exposure limit (15 min TWA reference period) Not stated.



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General Details

Type:	GMT—Nitrogen Dioxide
Part number	59535—0-20 parts per million (PPM)
Certification	 II 1 G EEx ia IIC T4 Certificate BAS00ATEX1042X
Ingress Protection	IP 54 (sensor electronics)
Sensor Type	Electrochemical
Mounting Thread	20mm. 1.5mm Pitch
Supply Voltage	24 Vdc $\pm 10\%$
Connections	Red – N.C. Yellow – Signal/supply. Blue – 0v. Green – Screen
Output	4~20 mA Linear 2/3 wire
Material	Stainless Steel 316
Weight	166gms.
Dimensions:	Body 48mm. long x 42mm. dia.
EMC Regulations	EC Directive 89/336/EEC
Low voltage	EC Directive 73/23/EEC

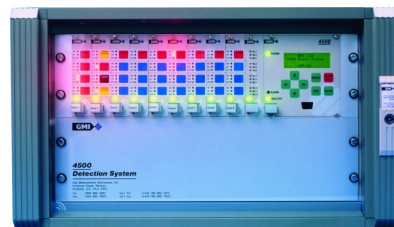
Compatible GMI control panels



SPGA



ACTIVE-8



4500 GAS ALARM



ACTIVE-80

Replacement Sensor
Calibration Cap Assembly

GMI Part number 13477
GMI Part number 59614

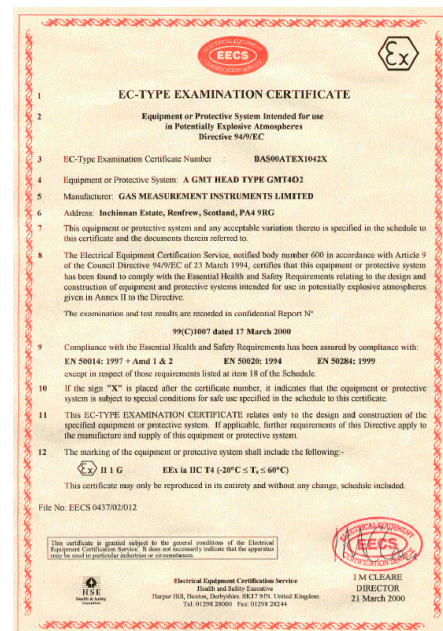


Sensor Specification

Nominal Range	0-20 ppm
Maximum Overload	200 ppm
Expected Operating Life	24 Months in Air at STP
Temperature Range	-20°C. to +50°C.
Pressure Range	Atmospheric $\pm 10\%$
Response Time	Typically 35 seconds to T90 Typically 10 seconds to T50.
Relative Humidity Range	15 to 90% non-condensing
Repeatability	2% of reading
Output Linearity	Linear
Warranty Life	12 Months from date of despatch
Calibration frequency	6 months recommended



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