

Overview

The Sentry IT Infrared (IR) Combustible Gas Sensor Module is network-enabled to provide the interface needed to your plant-wide control system, whether it be 4-20 mA, Modbus, HART, relay contacts or SentryBus. This USA-made, stand-alone smart gas sensor module is loaded with features you need. As usual, Sierra Monitor A gas detector with a Sierra Monitor pedigree, Factory Mutual approved and ready to Manage Your Gas Risk. The 5100-28-IT provides all the built-in features desired by instrumentation and safety professionals, including:

- 365-day calibration interval
- FM and UL Approval for performance & safety
- SIL-2 certified
- Modbus RTU RS-485 interface
- 4-20 mA output isolated and non-isolated
- HART Interface option
- SMC Sentry digital bus interface
- ATEX Certified
- Optional alarm relays - Alarm, Warning, Trouble
- Aluminum or 316 Stainless Steel enclosure
- Non-intrusive calibration
- Integral scrolling LED display
- Optional remote sensor
- Remote alarm reset capable



The 5100-28-IT can be used as a 4-20 mA component or as a Modbus RTU node. For higher level system capability, the module can interface directly to Sierra Monitor’s Sentry Controller. As part of a Sentry system the user gains capability of system Modbus serial communications, extensive diagnostic features, area and zone alarm management, InSite Application and multiplexing sensor connections.

Factory Mutual (FM) Approval for performance, electrical safety and environmental parameters including Class 1, Div. 1, Groups B, C, D and Class I, Zone 1, Group IIB+H₂. The 5100-28-IT is also SIL-2 Certified and meets UL2075 requirements for gas detectors.

How It Works

Most combustible gases absorb infrared light energy at defined wavelengths, providing an absorption signature for that gas. The principle of an infrared detector is based upon the absorption of the infrared light at a specific wavelength as it passes through the gas. More light is absorbed as the amount of absorbing gas increases. The detector measures the energy from an infrared light beam at a wavelength that is absorbed by the gas and compares it to the energy emitted by the source. The difference in energy received by the detector indicates the level of gas in the atmosphere.

Features

- Yearly calibration interval
- Single man, Non-intrusive calibration
- Network-compatible with Modbus, 4-20 mA, Sentry PSG Bus, 4-20mA with HART, alarm relays
- FM and UL Approved for Performance and Hazardous Areas
- SIL-2 Certified
- Bright scrolling LED display

Benefits

- Longest rated and FM-approved calibration cycle for any infrared gas detector - reduced maintenance & cost of ownership
- Able to calibrate module without declassifying the area
- Easily meets users’ needs for access to critical plant safety information
- Proven and approved for installation in areas where combustible gases are located
- Meets long term reliability design standards
- Ease of calibration and easy access to gas concentration, relay status and diagnostics

Specifications *

Sensor

Type: Infrared, Dual Wavelength

Performance

Default Range: 0-100% LEL Methane

Optional Range: 0-100% by vol. Methane

Repeatability: +/-1% LEL

Accuracy: +/- 1% for 0-50% LEL range
 +/- 2% for 51-100% LEL range
 +/- 1% full scale per month

Zero Drift: +/- 1% full scale per month
 @ 20°C (68°F) ambient
 (max +/- 3% full scale per year)

Sensor Life: Typically >5 years

Heated Sensor: Heated cell to prevent condensation

Response Time: T90<10sec**

Output

Display: Fixed and Scrolling LED

Signal Output: Sentry digital bus
 Analog 4-20 mA Linear
 3-wire Non-Isolated
 4-wire Isolated
 Serial RS-485 Modbus RTU

Relay: Optional

HART: Optional

Power

Power consumption: 3 watts maximum

Input voltage: 24V DC nominal: 10-30V DC

Options

Relays: 5 amp Alarm, Warning (0.25 amp Trouble)
 5A@ 250V AC, 5A@ 30V DC (Alarm, Warning)
 Board includes auxiliary connection for Sentry multiplexing

HART: Termination board includes HART, Modbus RS-485, 4-20mA, Digital Input, 2A Relay output, No Sentry Bus

Remote Sensor: Up to 100 feet (30.4m)

Operating Range

Ambient Temp Range: -40° to 140°F (-40° to 75°C)

Relative Humidity: 0-95% Non-Condensing

Construction

Dimensions: (HxWxD)
 (A1 & A2) = 7.8 x 5.7 x 3.9 in
 (19.8 x 14.5 x 9.9 cm)
 (S1 & S2) = 7.5 x 4.4 x 4.9 in
 (19 x 11 x 12 cm)

Weight: (A1 & A2) = 3.4 lb. (1.5 Kg)
 (S1 & S2) = 7.2 lb. (3.3 Kg)

Enclosure: Epoxy coated Aluminum or 316 Stainless Steel

Housing: AL or SS (same as enclosure)

Enclosure Hazardous Area Classification:
 Explosion proof, Class I, Div. 1, Groups A, B, C, D
 Class I, Zone 1, Group IIC, IP66, IP65, NEMA 4X,T6
 TA = -40°C to 60°C IIC GD, Ex d IIC

2 Year Warranty

Approvals

UL2075
ATEX II 2 G, Ex d IIB+H2 T6 Gb, Ta = -40°C to 60°C

FM Approval 6320: Combustible Gas Detector Performance

FM Approval 3600: Class I Div. 1, Groups B, C, D
 3615, 3810

SIL-2 Certified: IEC 61508

CSA: C22.2 Approved

ABS: Certificate of Design Assessment

CQST: Compulsory Certification

CCOE/PESO: Declaration of Conformity

IECEX: Certificate of Conformity

ANSI/ISA: 12, 13, 01



* Specifications subject to change without notice

** T60<10 sec NRTL Approved option for noise suppression

Ordering Information: The following part number is essential in selection of the correct product. Please build up the desired part by inserting the code for each element into the appropriate space (i.e. 5100-12-IT-S1-02-00-0).

Model	Gas	Series	Enclosure	Relay/Connection Output	Gas Type	Sensor Protection	Remote Option	Approvals
5100	-28	-IT						
			↓ - A1 = AL ¾" NPT - A2 = AL M20x1.5 - S1 = SS ¾" NPT - S2 = SS M20x1.5	↓ - 01 = No Relays (std) - 02 = Relays Option - 05 = HART Option	↓ - 01 = Methane (Std) - 03 = Propane ***	↓ - 0 = Standard - 2 = Conformal Transmitter - 3 = Severe Service Environment	↓ - 0 = None - 1 = Remote Sensor	↓ - C = ATEX - A = CCC

*** Use propane as calibration gas

Accessories

5311-00 Rainshield
 5311-02 Rainshield with calibration port

Calibration Accessories

5358-01 Calibration Head, Standard
 5360-00 Calibration Gas Delivery Fitting

Calibrators High Capacity

1250-01 Gas Sensor Calibration Kit, Type A
 1260-02 Combustible Gas 50% LEL Gas Cylinder Type A
 1260-00 Zero air Cylinder
 1260-28 Propane 50% LEL Cylinder