



# Formaldehyde sensor Datasheet

# SGX Solid Polymer Electrolyte Gas Sensors

The SGX series of PS1 and PS4 Electrochemical gas sensors are using a revolutionary 'Solid Polymer Electrolyte' technology that is based on the principle of catalytic reaction. The target gas to be measured generates a very small current, proportional to the gas concentration. Our technology offers a stable, high quality and cost-effective manufacturing process. The SGX solid polymer electrolyte gas sensors are available in a very small size, are highly sensitive, do not use power and have very low cross sensitivity from other gases.





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# **Technical Specifications**

### **Performance**

| Sensitivity                  | 35 ± 20 n A / ppm        |
|------------------------------|--------------------------|
| Measurement Range            | 0 – 5 ppm                |
| Zero Current                 | ± 2 nA                   |
| Maximum Overload             | 100 ppm                  |
| Response Time                | T50 < 20s,<br>T90 < 120s |
| Repeatability                | 1% Lower                 |
| Lower Detectable Limit (LDL) | ≤ 0.05 ppm               |
| Linear Range                 | 5 ppm                    |
| Resolution (16Bit ADC)       | 0.01ppm                  |

### **Environmental Details**

| Temperature Range        | -20°C to +55°C  |
|--------------------------|-----------------|
| Pressure Range           | 800 to 1200 hPA |
| Operating Humidity Range | 15-95% RH       |
| Storage Temperature      | 0 to 20°C       |

### **Lifetime Details**

| Long-Term Drift         | < 1 %/month      |
|-------------------------|------------------|
| Expected Lifetime       | > 3 years in air |
| Zero Drift in Clean Air | < 0.2 ppm        |
| Storage conditions      | 0-20°C           |
| Storage Life            | 12 months        |
| Warranty                | 12 months        |

### Operation

| Operating Principle       | ) | Amperometric,<br>3-electrode |
|---------------------------|---|------------------------------|
| Bias Voltage              | ) | 0 mV                         |
| Recommended Load Resistor |   | 100 Ω                        |
| Warm Up Time              | ) | < 60 s                       |

## Housing

| Housing Material | PPO                                  |
|------------------|--------------------------------------|
| Weight           | PS1-HCHO-5 < 0.7g<br>PS4-HCHO-5 < 6g |





### **Features**

- Small size
- · Wide temperature range
- Fast response time
- No electrolyte leakage
- · Low cost at large volumes
- · Strong signal to noise
- Individually calibrated (including test report)

# **Key applications**

- TLV Monitoring
- Indoor Air Aquality









### **Important Notes**

- All performance is based on conditions at 20°C, 50% RH and 1 atm, flow rate>150qcm/min, using SGX recommended circuitry.
- Sensor performance is temperature dependant; please contact SGX for temperature performance other than 20°C.
- Do not solder to the connector pins as this may damage the sensor and thereby invalidate the warranty.
- Details on recommended connector pins can be found in the Frequently Asked Questions within the Gas Sensor section of the SGX website.