H₂S IN LIQUIDS PROCESS ANALYZER

Model 205 PermaStream | Crude Oil, Fuel Oil, Dirty/Clean Water, Drilling Fluid, Condensate, Diesel





Product Features

- Real-time & accurate measurement
- Measure H2S in crude, water, diesel, etc.
- Specific to H2S only, no false positives ever
- No field calibrations required
- No liquid sample conditioning required
- No sample filters required
- Only one tap-point needed for sample exit and return (when pitot probe is utilized)
- Fast response time
- Proven reliability
- Conformity to ASTM methods
- Set in-line at process pressure and flow

Applications

- Crude Oil (light/medium/heavy) Dirty/clean Water Diesel Fuel Oil Drilling Fluid Condensate Quality control
- Corrosion control Transportation safety Loading/unloading of trucks, rail cars, pipelines, etc. Compliance

No 'false positives' The only detection method specific to H2S only, proven by thousands of applications

<u>Ultra low-maintenance</u> Advanced Colorimetric-Rateometric Detector is guaranteed hassle-free for long term operation

<u>Dependable operation</u> No sample conditioning required; no filters, no pressure regulators, no pumps required

<u>No field calibrations</u> The analyzer does not require calibrations in the field even with unexpected process changes

Product Description

The effective procedure to measure H2S in crude oil and other opaque liquids requires the representative stripping of the H2S from the liquid into the gas phase for analysis by a gas H2S analyzer or sensor. Traditionally, headspace stripping columns have been used for this purpose but have become infamous for being problematic, high maintenance, and requiring many moving parts that break down over time.

Analytical Systems has overcome the shortfalls of the headspace stripping column by developing a reliable alternative; the state-of-the-art PermaStream utilizing KECO Membrane Technology. The PermaStream efficiently and reliably separates the H2S from the liquid sample for measurement in the gas phase by the H2S analyzer which is specific only to H2S and does not suffer from false positives. The PermaStream is a simple device that continuously provides an ultra-clean and dry sample to the H2S sensor. This results in radically reduced maintenance when compared to the headspace stripping column.

Analytical Systems is established as the world-wide leader in H2S in liquids analysis online due to the many benefits of PermaStream's exclusive technology. The 205 PermaStream is capable of measuring in ppb, ppm or even precent ranges and will never suffer from false-positives like other H2S detection methods.



Typical Specifications

DISPLAY

- Alpha Numeric LCD
- 128 x 64 pixel
- Back-lit display

TEMPERATURE RANGES

- 1°C to 50°C (operating) without cooling/heating
- 0°C to 70°C (storage)

ANALOG

- 4-20mA Isolated

ANALYTICAL PERFORMANCE

- Resolution: 1 ppb
- Accuracy: ±2%
- Repeatability: ±1%
- Linearity:±1%
- Drift: Nil
- Temp. Coefficient: 0.01% / °C
- Analysis time: 0.75 Second

DETECTION RANGES

- 0-1 ppm
- 0-10 ppm
- 0-50 ppm
- 0-100 ppm
- 0-500 ppm
- Percent ranges
- Customer specified (contact factory)

SAMPLING SYSTEM

- Carrier Air/Gas requirement: 15 psig constant and 150 ml/min flow rate
- Liquid requirement: Minimum 0.5 L/min flow and maximum 1,500 psig

WEIGHT

-~175 lbs (analyzer only, no options)

DIMENSIONS

- 3 ft X 3 ft X 1.5 ft

UTILITIES/SETTINGS

- 110VAC or 220VAC
- 100 Watts normal, 700 Watts max
- Carrier Air/Gas: 180 ml/min (15 psig max)
- Sample flow: 0.5 L/min minimum
- Sample pressure: 1,500 psig max

AREA CLASSIFICATIONS

- Class 1 Division 1
- Class 1 Division 2
- Zone 1 or Zone 2

AVAILABLE OPTIONS

- Concentration relay alarms
- Diagnostic/fault relay alarms
- Low flow relay alarms
- RS-232/485 Modbus
- Data Logger for data download to PC
- Remote monitoring/control with PC
- Automatic calibration

TECHNOLOGIES

- PermaStream™(ASI Membrane Technology)
- Rateometric-Colorimetric Tape

Advantages

<u>No 'false positives'</u> The only detection method specific to H2S only, proven by thousands of applications

<u>Ultra low-maintenance</u> Advanced Colorimetric-Rateometric Detector is guaranteed hassle-free for long term operation

<u>Dependable operation</u> ASI Membrane Technology eliminates liquid carry-over that plague **headspace stripping columns**<u>No field calibrations</u> The analyzer does not require calibrations in the field despite any unexpected process changes



Advantages of KECO Tape Detector For PermaStream H2S in Liquids Analyzers

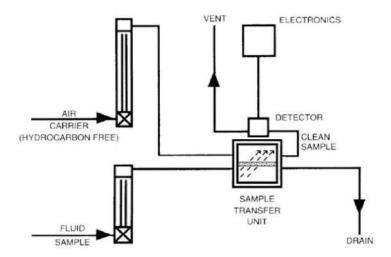
- ✓ **Specific only to H₂S** No known cross-interferences proven by thousands of world wide applications
- ✓ No calibrations required Based on exclusive KECO Membrane Technologies and advanced Tape detector
- ✓ Analyzer measurements correlates to ASTM analytical method
- ✓ Automatic self-zero The KECO H₂S analyzer does not suffer from a 'zero drift' as seen in other analyzers thus eliminating zero gas requirements
- ✓ Versatile The analyzer will not suffer in the event of process changes no matter how drastic
- ✓ Wide Range Ability The analyzer is capable of measuring from the PPB levels through PPM up to saturation
- ✓ Hassle free KECO advanced Tape detector only needs 2 to 4 tape changes per year (typical) on standard 100 foot tape roll
- ✓ **Linear Response** The analyzer is innately linear in response, no need to calibrate in the field
- ✓ **Field-proven technology** The PermaStream analyzer is field-proven by installations all over the world and trusted by major oil & gas companies worldwide including Preferred Vendor status



Field Calibrations Not Required for Model 205

The 205 series H2S in Liquids Analyzers do not require routine calibrations in the field. This is due to the long-term stability of the calibration performed in the factory laboratory that is measured in multiples of years. The analyzers maintain a stable factory calibration over many years as a result of two principle technologies: The Sample Transfer Stripper (STS) or PermaStream and the tape method detection technology.

Firstly, the STS or PermaStream in the 205 series analyzers creates an "ultra-pure" sample to the detector at all times. The liquid sample continuously passes one side of the permeable membrane. The H2S in the sample passes through the membrane as a representative gas phase. Clean and dry carrier air/nitrogen then sweep the H2S on the other side of the membrane to the detector. The membrane acts as an ideal filter preventing mists, debris and any liquids from passing thru the membrane and contaminating the detector. This makes an ideal environment for the detector at all times.



Secondly, the detection technology used in the 205 series analyzers is the ASTM approved colorimetric-radiometric tape method. The tape method is intrinsically linear and does not suffer "zero drift" or offset over time like traditional sensors. This is because the zero reading is irrelevant to the analysis. Measurement of hydrogen sulfide (H₂S) concentration by the use of H₂S sensing tape is based on the physical constants and chemical factors which are described in the following paragraphs.

The mathematical formulations demonstrate the calculation precision that is achieved by the application. Detection of H₂S concentrations by the use of H₂S sensing tape is achieved by exposing the film to an H₂S sample through an aperture in the sample flow system, called the sample chamber. The reaction of photographic film to the light is an analogy to the way that chemically saturated H₂S sensing tape reacts to hydrogen sulfide. The chemical formulation for this reaction is as follows:

$$H_2O$$

Pb(OAc)₂ + $H_2S \rightarrow \rightarrow \rightarrow$ PbS + 2HOAc
White colored

This reaction has three characteristics which allow it to be applied with unique analytical precision:



- 1. The reactants are colorless (white).
- 2. The product (PbS) is colored.
- 3. In more than a century of use, hydrogen sulfide is the only reactant ever found that produces a colored product.

The analytical precision of this technology is ASTM approved (ASTM 4084-82). The rate (r) of this reaction (forming PbS) is as follows:

$$r = k Pb(OAc)_2x H_2S$$

Where k, the proportionality factor, is called the rate constant.

NOTE: The very large (more than 1000 times) concentration of Pb(OAc)₂ on the H₂S sensing tape simplifies the reaction as follows:

[Pb(OAc)₂]₀ = [Pb(OAc)₂]₁ - PbS₁ = K₂
(<.1%) Therefore,
$$r_n = kk_2(H_2S - PbS_n)$$

For simplicity $kk_2 = K$
 $r_n = K(H_2S = PbS_n)$

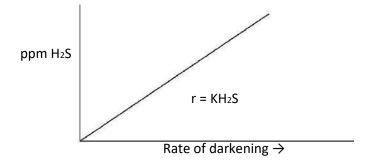
By maintaining a constant H₂S concentration, with continuous flow of the sample into the sample chamber, the rate of reaction equation is further reduced to:

$$r = KH2S$$

Therefore, by maintaining the control conditions of:

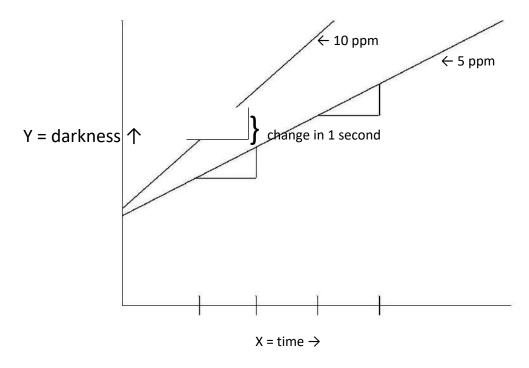
- 1. A constant quantity of Pb(OAc)2
- 2. Constant H₂S concentration.
- 3. Constant moisture
- 4. Constant flow rate

then the rate of reaction (i.e. the rate of darkening) is linearly proportional H₂ S concentration. Measuring the rate of darkening is therefore directly equivalent to measuring the H₂S concentration.





In actual practice, the rate of darkening is determined by measuring the change in darkness from second to second.



In other words, you don't care how dark the spot is, only how fast it is getting darker. This is like the highway patrol officer. He does not care how far you have driven, only how fast you are going right now. This is why the tape method of analysis does not suffer from a zero drift.

The Sample Transfer Stripper or PermaStream combined with the tape method of detection gives the 205 series H2S in Liquids analyzer a calibration stability measured in multiples of years. This means field calibrations are rarely, if ever recommended.

However, if calibrations are required as part of a standard method or local facility requirements, a simple gas phase calibration can be performed with an H2S standard bottle balanced with air or nitrogen. However, it is not recommended to calibrate using a calibration gas because we believe the factory calibration is more precise. If a gas calibration is performed, we recommend placing the analyzer back in the Factory Calibration state before placing the analyzer back online. Instructions can be found in the user manual.

If, after properly setting up and running the analyzer, you feel the analyzer should be reading a different value, this may be due to discrepancies between the analyzer's reading and the reading from the cross-check device such as a laboratory analyzer, etc. This is because the Model 205 and the laboratory analyzer are likely using two different principles of operation, two different standards, and two different operators.

Further discrepancy between the model 205 and a lab analyzer may be in the sample handling. The Model 205 is operating in a "closed loop" system. No H2S is escaping during the measurement. However, which



a lab analyzer a sample must somehow be collected and transported and finally measured by the lab instrument. This leaves the sample exposed to the environment and therefore could result in the evaporation of H2S. H2S is a very volatile component that is prone to dissipation if not handled correctly in a closed system.

If the need to calibrate the analyzer still exists, or if the stripping efficiency of the STS is questioned, the analyzer should first be cleaned to insure contamination has not affected the membrane stripping efficiency over an extended period of time. Next a liquid standard can be prepared and used to validate the analyzer reading. If this is not successful a calibration kit can be purchased from Analytical Systems KECO and the analyzer re calibrated. This requires the factory to send a "Calibration Module" that can be uploaded to the analyzer to modify the calibration. To prepare a Calibration Module, the factory must know 1) the present reading of the Model 205, and 2) the "correct" value the Model 205 is believed should be reading.

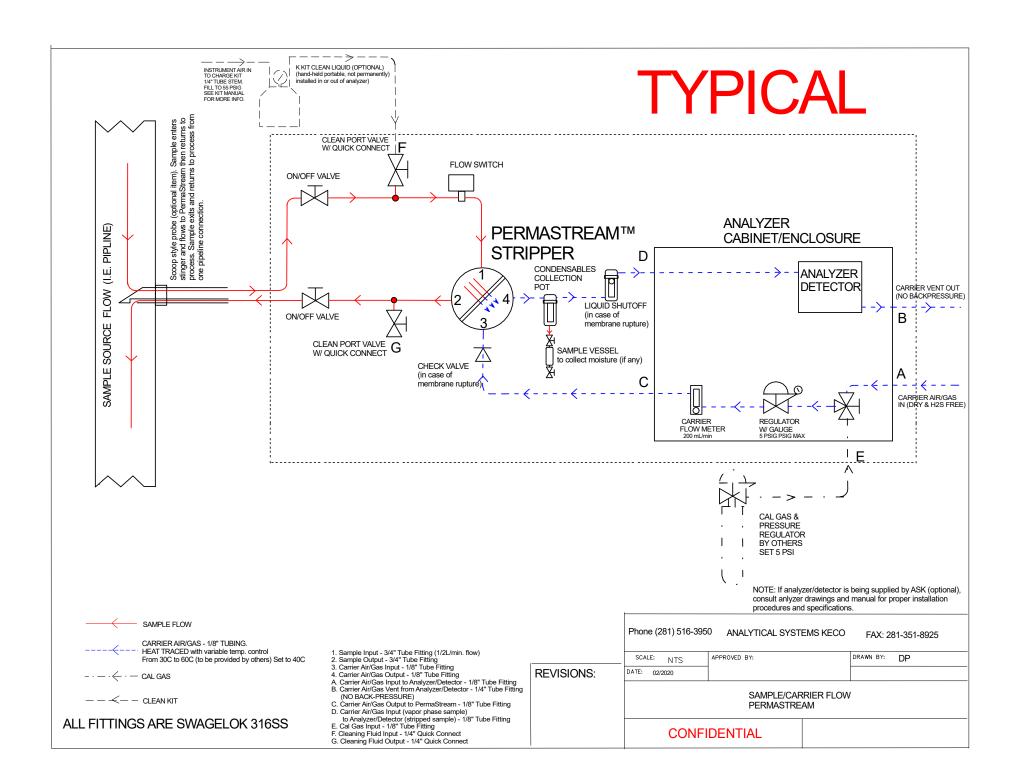


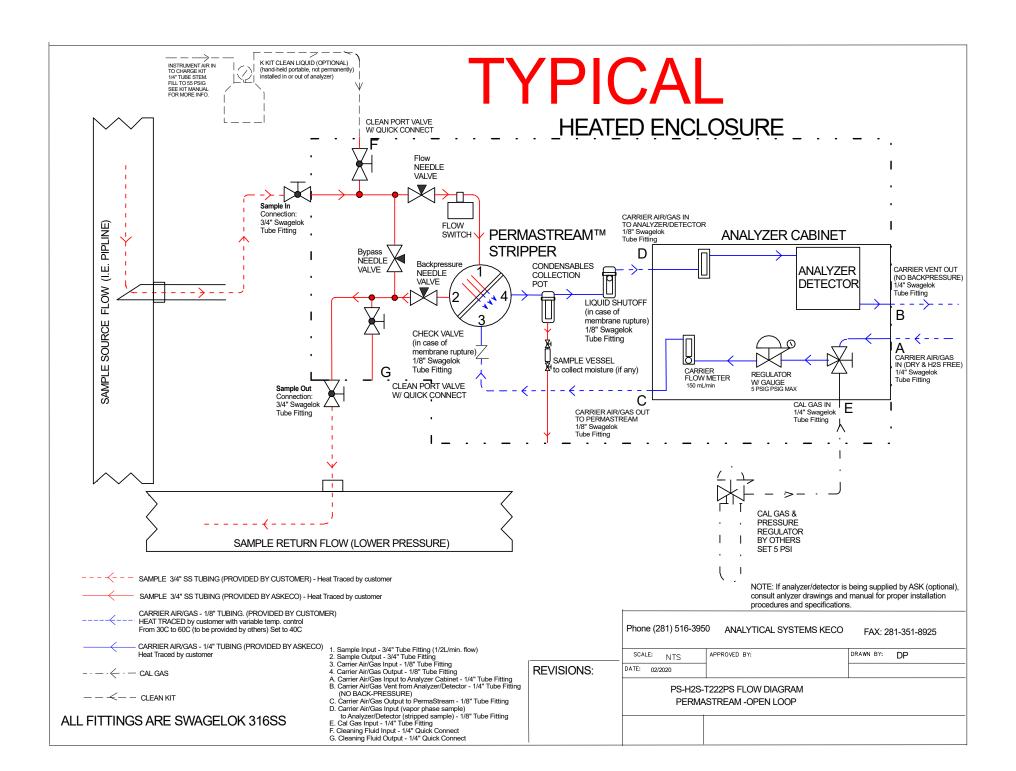
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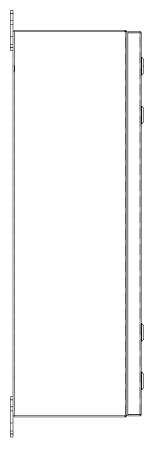
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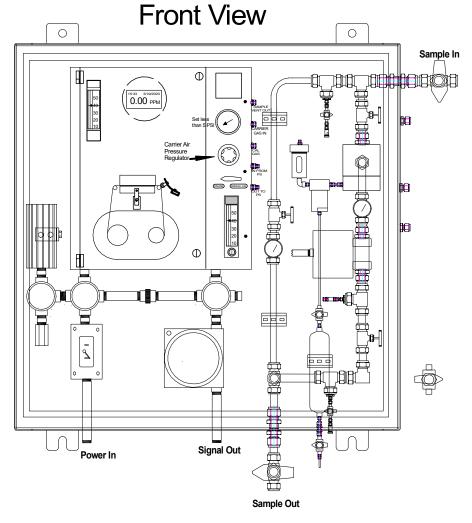
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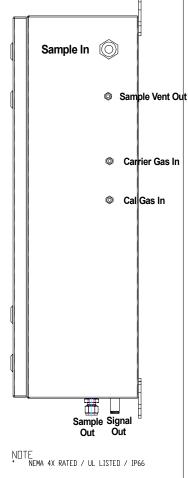


Left Side View





Right Side View



Vent Out 1/4" OD (no backpressure)
Sample In 3/4" OD
Sample Out 3/4" OD
Carrier Air Supply In 1/4" OD (15-20PSIG, >200ml/min)
Signal Out 1/2" Conduit
Power In 1//2" Conduit

Typical

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