

# Carbon Monoxide Gas Sensor

## (Model: ME4-CO-E4)

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#### ME4-CO-E4 Carbon Monoxide Gas Sensor

#### Profile

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ME4-CO-E4 carbon monoxide gas sensor is constant potential electrolysis type. Oxidation-reduction reaction with carbon monoxide and oxygen take place respectively on the working electrode and on the counter electrode. The process releases electric charge and generates current. The current is in direct proportion to the concentration of carbon monoxide. So the concentration of the target gas could be got by measuring the value of current. The 4<sup>th</sup> electrode (auxiliary electrode) is used to compensate the zero current, to make it has the characteristics of strong signal level and low zero current.



#### Features

High precision, high sensitivity, short response time, good anti-interference ability, high resolution, wide linear range

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#### **Main applications**

**Technical Parameters** 

Urban atmospheric monitoring, enterprise environmental monitoring, emission gas monitoring, emergency environmental monitoring, and environmental evaluate monitoring.

Detection Gas	Carbon monoxide (CO)	
Detection Range	0~1000ppm	
Max Range	2000ppm	
Sensitivity	0.3~0.5µA/ppm	
Resolution	<10ppb	
Response Time (T90)	< 30S	
Load Resistance	33-100 $\Omega$ (recommended)	
Output Linearity	linear	
Stability (/month)	<10 %	
Zero drift (-20°C $\sim$ 40°C)	$<\pm100$ ppb	
Temperature range	-30°C~50°C	
Humidity range	15 % ~90 % RH	
Pressure range	80-120kPa	
Lifespan	2years (in air)	





#### **Cross Interference**

ME4-CO-E4 sensor also can respond to other gases besides target gas CO. Following data are the response characteristics of the sensor to interferential gases at certain concentration for your reference.

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Interferential Gas	Concentration	ME4- CO-E4/ppm
H <sub>2</sub> S	5	<1
NO2	5	<1
CL2	5	<1
SO2	5	<0.1
NO	5	<-3
H2	100	<10
C2H4	100	<1
NH3	20	<0.1

#### Cautions!

- Tin soldering is prohibited.
- Before using, power on to aging for more than 48 hours is necessary.
- Pins can't be broke off or bent.
- Don't disassemble the sensor to avoid the damage caused by electrolyte leakage.
- Avoid contacting organic solvent (including Silicone rubber and other adhesive), coatings, medicine, oil and high concentration gases.
- All the electrochemical sensors shall not be encapsulated completely by resin materials, and shall not immerse in oxygen-free environment, otherwise, it will damage the function of sensor
- All electrochemical sensors shall not be applied in corrosive gas environment, or the sensor will be damaged
- Zero calibration should be finished in clean air.
- During test and usage, sensors should avoid the gas inflow vertically
- The side for inflow can't be choked and polluted.
- The laminating film above the sensor surface can't be uncovered or damage.
- Excessive impact or vibration should be avoided
- It takes some time for the sensor to return to normal state after it is applied in high concentration gas
- Working electrode and reference electrode of the sensor shall be in short circuit when stored



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- Prohibit to use the hot cement or sealant of which the curing temperature is higher than 80 °C to make the capsulation for the sensor.
- Prohibit storage and usage for long time in alkaline gases with high concentration.
- Do not use the sensor when the shell is damaged

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