

# **Infrared CO2 Sensor**

(Model: MH-Z1911A)

# **User's Manual**

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### MH-Z1911A Infrared CO2 Sensor

#### Profile

MH-Z1911A infrared CO2 sensor is intelligent sensor as shown in Figure 1,common type, small size, using non-dispersive infrared (NDIR) principle to detect the existence of CO2 in the air, with good selectivity, non-oxygen dependent and long life. Built-in temperature compensation, and it has UART output and PWM output. It is developed by the tight integration of mature infrared absorbing gas detection technology, precision optical circuit design and superior circuit design.



Pin type

Terminal type



#### **Features:**

- \*High sensitivity, low power consumption
- \*Good stability and consistency
- \*Temperature compensation, excellent linear output
- \*Multiple output modes: UART, PWM
- \*Long lifespan
- \*Anti-water vapor interference, anti-poisoning

#### **Applications:**

\*HVAC system \*Indoor air quality monitor \*Consumer CO2 meter \*Air purifier \*Smart home device

#### Main parameters:

Model No.	MH-Z1911A	Preheat time	1 min
Detection Gas	CO2	Response Time	T <sub>90</sub> < 120 s
Working	DC = 0 + 0.1 V	Working	-10 ~ 50 ℃
voltage		temperature	
Average	< 30mA (@5V nower supply)	Working humidity	0~95%RH(No
current			condensation)
Peak current	125mA (@5V power supply)	Storage	- <b>20~60</b> ℃
		temperature	
Interface level	3.3 V (Compatible with 5V)	Weight	5 g
Output signal	Serial Port (UART) (TTL level	Dotaction Pango	400~10000ppm
	3.3V)	Detection Range	(optional,see table 2)
	PWM	Lifespan	> 10 years

Table1



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Detection Gas	Formula	Detection Range	Resolution	Accuracy
Carbon Dioxide	CO2	400~2000ppm	1ppm	± (50ppm+5% reading value)
		400~5000ppm		
		400-10000ppm		

Table2 Detection range and accuracy

#### Appearance and structure:Pin type





**Pin Definition:** 

Pin	Pin Definition	
Vin	Positive pole of power (Vin)	HD 🔎
GND	Negative pole of power (GND)	
PWM	PWM	$R_{X} =$
Hd	HD(0 point calibration, low level lasting for over 7s is effective)	
Rx	UART(RXD)TTL Level data input	
Тх	UART(TXD)TTL Level data output	
	Table 3	



Figure 3 Pin Diagram

#### Terminal type:



#### **Cautions:**

- 1. Please avoid the pressure of its optical chamber from any direction, during welding, installation, and use.
- 2. When placed in small space, the space should be well ventilated, especially for diffusion window.
- 3. The module should be away from heat, and avoid direct sunlight or other heat radiation.
- 4. The module should be calibrated termly, the suggested period is no longer than 6 months.
- 5. Do not use the sensor in the high dusty environment for long time.
- 6. To ensure the normal work, the power supply must be among  $5.0V \pm 0.1V$  DC rang, the power current must be not less than 150mA. Out of this range, it will result in the failure of the sensor. (The concentration output is low, or the sensor cannot work normally.)
- 7. During the zero-point calibration procedure by manual or sending command, the sensor must work in stable gas environment (400ppm) for over 20 minutes.
- 8. Forbid using wave soldering for the sensor.

- 9. When soldering with soldering iron, set the temperature to be (350  $\pm$  5)  $^\circ$ C, and soldering time must be within 3 seconds.
- 10. We suggest customers to use the way of soldering the socket and plugging/pulling the sensors for easier maintenance.

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