Sulfur Dioxide Gas Sensor

(Model:MQ-E4-SO₂)

Manual

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MQ-E4-SO 2 Sulfur Dioxide Gas Sensor

Profile

MQ-E4-SO₂ sulfur dioxide gas sensor is constant potential electrolysis type. Oxidation-reduction reaction with sulfur dioxide 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 sulfur dioxide. So the concentration of the target gas could be got by measuring the value of current.

Features

Low power consumption, high precision, high sensitivity, wide linear range, good anti-interference ability, excellent repeatability and stability.

Main applications

It is used for hydrogen sulfide detection in industrial occasions and environmental protection field.

Detection Gas	Sulfur dioxide (SO ₂)	
Detection Range	0 \sim 20ppm	
Max range	200ppm	
Sensitivity	(0.8±0.2) μA/ppm	
Resolution	0.1ppm	
Response Time(T ₉₀)	≤30S	
Bias Voltage	0mV	
Load Resistance	100(recommended)	
Beneatability	<2% Output value	
Stability(/month)	<2%	
Output Linearity	Linear	
Zoro drift($20^{\circ} \sim 40^{\circ}$)		
	20°C ~ E0°C	
	-20 C - 50 C	
Humidity range	15 % ~ 90 % KH	
Pressure range	standard atmospheric	
Lifespan	2 years(in air)	

Technical Parameters Stable1.



Fig1.Sensor Structure

Basic Circuit





Fig2: MQ-E4-SO 2 test circuit





Fig5.Output of sensor at different temperature Cross Interference

Fig6.Zero output of sensor at different temperature

 $MQ-E4-SO_2$ sensor also can respond to other gases besides target gas SO₂. Following data are the response characteristics of the sensor to interferential gases at certain concentration for your reference.

Interferential Gas	Concentration	MQ-E4-SO ²
CO	200	<2.5
H_2S	50	<0.15
Cl ₂	10	<-0.6
C_2H_4	130	<5
H ₂	400	<1
Alcohol	1000	<1.5
NH_3	50	<0.1
PH ₃	20	<3
NO	35	0
Benzene	100	0
Methanol	200	<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 pure oxygen 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 and 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
- 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