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Gasmet CMM is a complete emission monitoring system designed to meet the regulations for continuous mercury measurement standards in different combustion sources, such as coal fired power plants or waste incinerators. Relying on proven technologies it is a robust, reliable, and cost-effective measurement system to meet the latest standards. The system has low need for maintenance and provides an excellent solution for demanding industrial measurement conditions like other Gasmet analysers.

Gasmet CMM employs atomic fluorescence spectroscopy and thermal conversion of ionic mercury compounds to atomic mercury. It measures hot, wet and corrosive gas streams. No wet chemistry or gold amalgamation trap is needed. High inherent sensitivity of the atomic fluorescence spectroscopy enables extensive dilution of the sample gas. The diluted sample gas is transported to the analyser. Directly after thermal reduction of the mercury compounds the dry gas containing only atomic mercury is lead to the sample cell. Calibration of the whole system is performed with an automatic calibration unit capable of producing constant flow of atomic and (as an option) oxidised mercury

General parameters

Measuring principle: Cold vapour atomic fluorescence

(CVAF) with extractive filtration, dilution, and thermal conversion

Performance: Minimum range $0 - 5 \mu g/m^3$.

Minimum detection limit for total mercury 0.02 μg/m³ (complete

system, with dilution)

Operating temperature: 5 – 40 °C, non-condensing, dust

free ambient air

Storage temperature: -20 – 60 °C, non-condensing

Response time, T_{90}: Typically < 120 s, depending on the

sample line length and measurement time

Power supply: 100 – 115 or 230 V / 50 – 60 Hz

Operating system: Microsoft Windows CE

Application software: MAUI

Spectrometer with integrated thermal converter

Operation principle: Direct cold vapour atomic

fluorescence (CVAF) in vacuum

pressure

Detector: Photon detection unit with photon

counting

Source: Low pressure mercury vapour lamp

Operation wavelength: 253.7 nm

Sample conversion: Integrated high temperature

thermal converter

Calibrator for Hg⁰

Operation principle (Hg⁰): Vapour generation from saturated

source and dilution

Calibration gas: Dried, and Hg scrubbed instrument

air

Dilution gas flow control: MFC 0 - 20 l/min**Span gas flow control:** MFC 0 - 20 ml/min

Hg source temperature: 1 - 10 °C

Calibration concentration ranges converted to Hgo:

Saturated Hg source: $1 - 50 \mu g/m^3$

Measurement parameters

Zero point calibration: 24 hours **Span calibration:** 24 hours

Zero point drift: < 2% of measuring range per

calibration interval

Sensitivity drift: < 2% of measuring range per

calibration interval

Linearity deviation: < 2% of measuring range

Instrument air preparation

Instrument air inlet: 6 – 10 bar, 60 NI/min, 8 mm

Swagelok fittings

Instrument air filtration: 3-stage filter unit

Nitrogen generator: Capacity 99 % N₂, 8 l/min, 5-6 bars,

efficiency ratio 20 %

Calibration gas drying: Absorption dryer, capacity -30 °C

Mercury scrubber: Absorption scrubber

Vacuum pump: WOB-L piston twin headed

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Alarm outputs

System alarm: Gasmet CVAF mercury analyzer

and application software

Service request: Gasmet CVAF mercury analyzer

and application software

Maintenance status: Gasmet CVAF mercury analyzer

and application software

Result valid: Gasmet CVAF mercury analyzer

and application software

Concentration alarm: Gasmet CVAF mercury analyzer

and application software

Air conditioning

Cooling capacity: A35 °C / A35 °C 1500 W

Internal circulation: 500 m³/h

Dilution probe

Operating principle: Ejector with critical orifice

Material: SS 316, glass coated sample

wetted parts

Operating temperature: Maximum 250 °C (filter housing

temperature)

Filter element: Glass coated SS 316, 2 µm

Dust load: < 2 g/m³ **Flow alarm:** Yes

Sample gas pressure: 0.9 - 1.2 bars (in stack)
Sample gas temperature: 400 °C (max., in stack)

Heated probe tube

Material: SS 316, glass coated sample

wetted parts

Temperature: Maximum setting 250 °C

Length: 122 cm

Mounting flange: DP100PN16

Other materials, lengths, and temperatures are available on

request.

O₂ sensor

Sensor range: 0.1 - 25.0 %Accuracy: $\pm 2 \%$ Fs

Principle: Zirconium dioxide
Temperature: 250 °C max.

Heated line

Tube size: 2 * 6/8 mm

Core material: PFA Teflon core

Temperature: Maximum 200 °C

Fittings: 8 mm Swagelok

Power supply: 230 VAC or 115 VAC

Power density: 200 watts/meter

Dilution and flowback air: Unheated 2*4/6 mm Teflon core, 6

mm Swagelok

The maximum length for the heated line is 30 m with 230 VAC and 15 m with 115 VAC power supply. Analyzer and calibrator are connected to dilution probe with combined heated line which divides into two parts on both ends.

Electrical connections

Main supply: 3 * 16 A (up to 15 m sample line)

3 * 32 A (15 – 30 m sample line)

Power consumption: ~ 8 kW (the full CMM with heated

lines, 30 m)

Measuring data outputs

The CMM system is equipped with four analog outputs representing the result total Hg concentration with different ranges

ranges

Analog output range: 4 - 20 mA. Active, load 350 Ω max.

Enclosure

Material: Bake painted steel

Dimensions (mm): 2030 * 600 * 600 (cooling unit on

top)

Weight: 230 kg (full CMM cabinet)

27 kg (dilution probe + probe tube)

Protection: IP 54

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