ECM NH₃ 5250

NH₃ Analyzer

Fast measurement of NH₃ (Ammonia) In Diesel and Lean-Burn Aftertreatment Systems

For Laboratory and In-Vehicle Use



Actual Size

Single/Dual Channel • Compact • Highly Integratable







Uses Direct-Insertion Ceramic Sensor



ECM's NH₃ 5250 is a versatile and rugged NH₃ analyzer for the development of diesel and lean-burn engine SCR (selective catalytic reduction) systems. NH₃ is measured using a ceramic sensor that is mounted in the exhaust of the engine. Ease-of-use, speed, compactness, and robustness are hallmarks of this technology. No sample lines or pumps are required, simplifying installation and giving fast response. Distances of up to 100 meters between the sensor and analyzer are possible with no loss in response time or accuracy. NH₃ sensors have their calibration stored in a memory chip in the sensor's connector. Calibration can be performed by the user (Zero, Span) and is written into the same memory chip. This allows sensors to be calibrated in a central location and distributed to users, ensuring consistent results throughout a large test facility.

The NH3 5250 can be used with all fuel types. All sensor parameters including sensor voltages, cell resistance, and heater voltage are available for display and output. A second NH3 channel can be added and displayed/output. For improved accuracy under pressure, a pressure compensation kit is available.

The NH₃ 5250 is remarkably compact and is suited for both dynamometer and in-vehicle applications. With six analog outputs, CAN, USB, and RS232 communication, the NH₃ 5250 can be integrated into any data acquisition system. To simplify in-vehicle use, the NH₃ 5250 can be turned on and off with a signal from the vehicle's ignition switch. This feature along with the analyzer's CAN communication capability makes it possible to use the NH₃ 5250 in the loop of a real-time emissions control strategy.

The control of urea injection in SCR systems is difficult. Not enough urea and NOx emisions rise. Too much urea and NH₃ emissions and urea use rise. Urea injection control during transient operation is especially difficult and requires fast NH₃ instrumentation. The NH₃ 5250 makes this difficult measurement with ease and is a necessary tool for the development of modern SCR systems.

Specifications

Ranges NH₃ 0 to 2000 ppm (for $\lambda > 1$)

Pressure 0 to 517 KPa (0 to 75 psia)

Accuracies NH₃ ± 5 ppm (0 to 200 ppm)

Pressure $\pm 5.2 \text{ KPa} (\pm 0.75 \text{ psia})$

Response Time Less than 1 s.

Analog Outputs 6 channels, 0 to 5V linearized and programmable

CAN Programmable communication protocol

USB, **RS232** Data transfer and control

Power 11 to 28 VDC, AC/DC (optional)

NH3 Sensor Thread 18mm x 1.5mm

Size and Cable 105mm (W) x 64mm (H) x 165mm (D), 4m cable (std), up to 100m (optional)

Operating Temp. Electronics: -40 to +85°C

Sensor: 450°C (maximum gas temperature for use)

700°C (maximum gas temperature without possibility of sensor damage)

Options Second NH₃ channel, Pressure Compensation Kit, Rackmount Kit (holds

up to 4 analyzers/8 channels), NH3 sensor simulator, Extension Cables, AC/DC Power Supply

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