



Potassium Ion Sensors



ELECTRO-CHEMICAL DEVICES

Features

- Model S80 Universal Style Sensors
- Multiple materials of construction
- Integral Signal Conditioner
- Replaceable Electrode Cartridge
- Dual Channel Analyzers, pH/pION, pION/pION

Benefits

- Insertion, Immersion or Valve Retractable Service
- 316 Stainless Steel, Titanium, Hastelloy
- Noise free transmission
- Simple and Economical Service
- Mix and Match your choice of measurements



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Description

The Model S80 universal sensors provide a stable and economical platform for the in line measurement of pH, ORP, Specific Ion, Dissolved Oxygen, Conductivity or Resistivity. The Model S80 is an insertion or immersion style sensor for use in pipe Tees or on the end of a Stand Pipe for immersion into a tank or pond. The Model S80 is also available as a valve retractable design allowing insertion or removal of the sensor into a pipe without interrupting the process flow. Both sensor designs use easily replaceable electrode cartridges. ECD offers several ion selective electrode cartridges suitable for continuous online measurement.

The Potassium Ion Electrode is a combination electrode with a sensing element made of a PVC membrane containing an ion selective ionophore, valinomycin, and a double junction reference electrode. The Potassium Ion Selective Electrode cartridge develops a millivolt potential proportional to the concentration of potassium ions in the measured solution. The typical output is 50mV to 60mV per decade of change in concentration. The Potassium Ion sensors are used with the Model T80 Transmitter with its dual channel mix and match capabilities. The analyzer will measure potassium ions from 20 ppb to 39,000 ppm in the optimum pH range of 4-11 pH. In the acidic solutions the potassium ion electrode, K^+ , is interfered by the hydrogen ions, H^+ , and in alkaline pH solutions, above

pH 11, the active ionophore in the membrane is attacked by the caustic diminishing response and destroying the electrode. For measurements below 1 ppm potassium the pH of the solution should be above pH 4.5.

Ammonium ions, cesium ions, thallium ions and hydrogen ions all interfere with the potassium measurement. Cesium ions are the worst with 10 cesium ions generating the same signal as 1 potassium ion, ammonium is around 30:1 and thallium is around 300:1. Other ions also interfere but to a much lower level, lithium at 3500:1, sodium at 12,000:1 and silver at 30,000:1.

The sensor is calibrated using two standard solutions differing in concentration by a factor of 10, i.e. 10 ppm and 100 ppm. The calibration sets the slope of the electrode, mV/decade, and the zero potential for the sensor.

The process solution's ionic strength, temperature and pH value may differ widely from the calibration solution. These factors will affect the zero potential of the potassium sensor causing an offset, but they will typically not affect the slope. To eliminate the offset perform a standardization. Once the sensor has stabilized in the process solution take a grab sample from the process and determine the potassium ion concentration. Adjust the analyzer to read this laboratory determined value. It is recommended to verify the readings on a weekly basis.

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Specifications

Model S80 Potassium Sensors

Combination electrode cartridge with an ion selective PVC membrane and a double junction, NaCl/KCl-AgCl, reference electrode, signal conditioner, ATC

Electrode Slope

54 ± 5 mV per decade of concentration change

Measurement Range

Potassium: 20 ppb to 39,000 ppm

pH: 2.5 to 11 pH

Temperature Range

0° C to 40° C (32° F to 104° F)

Pressure Range

0 - 50 psig (0 - 3.5 barg)

Response Time

T90 in 10 seconds

Electrode Life

6 to 12 months

Interfering ions

Cesium, 10:1, Ammonium 30:1, sodium 12,000:1

Wetted Materials

Radel, epoxy, PVC, PTFE, 316 SS, Viton O-Ring

Process Connections

S80 Insertion: ¾" MNPT compression fitting

S80 Valve Retractable: 1" MNPT Ball Valve

Model T80 Transmitter

General purpose, ½ DIN, NEMA 4X, 110/220 VAC, 24 VDC or 4-20 mA loop powered, CE Marking, single or dual channel, (1) or (2) 4-20 mA outputs, optional (3) Alarm Relays 250 VAC 3 amp, MODBUS RTU (standard) or HART 7, Auto ranging display, ppb → ppm → ppthousand

Part No.	Model and Product Description
S80-00-0002-0100-082	S80 Potassium, K ⁺ insertion style sensor with ¾" 316 SS compression fitting, 316 SS body, ¾" Diameter. x 10" length, 10 ft cable
S80-00-0002-0300-082	S80 Potassium, K ⁺ insertion style sensor with ¾" 316 SS compression fitting, 316 SS body, ¾" Diameter. x 10" length, 30 ft cable
S80-01-0131-0110-082	S80 Potassium, K ⁺ Valve Retractable Style with 1" Ball Valve Assembly, 316 SS body, ¾" Diameter x 17" length, 10 ft cable
S80-01-0131-0310-082	S80 Potassium, K ⁺ Valve Retractable Style with 1" Ball Valve Assembly, 316 SS body, ¾" Diameter x 17" length, 30 ft cable
T80-10-21-00-1	Model T80 Single Channel Transmitterr, 110/220 VAC, (1) 4-20 mA outputs, (3) Alarm Relays, UM
T80-11-21-20-1	Model T80 Dual Channel Transmitterr, 110/220 VAC, (2) 4-20 mA outputs, (3) Alarm Relays, UM

Part No.	Spare Parts and Accessories Description
2005034.VIT	Potassium Ion Electrode, Radel body, double junction Teflon Ref, 20 ppb -39,000 ppm, 0°-40°C
2010443	Potassium Ion Calibration Solution, 1 ppm
2010441	Potassium Ion Calibration Solution, 10 ppm
2010444	Potassium Ion Calibration Solution, 100 ppm

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