

# SprintIR™

## 20Hz High-Speed & Low-Power Carbon Dioxide Sensor

*SprintIR* is a high speed (20Hz vs. normal 2Hz sensors) and low power (35mW<sup>4</sup>) CO<sub>2</sub> sensor. It is ideally suited for battery operation, portable instruments and HVAC. Two models are available: 2,000ppm and 10,000ppm (1%) CO<sub>2</sub>. Based on infrared LED and detector technology and innovative optical designs, the SprintIR offers the fastest and lowest power NDIR sensor available.



- High-speed response
- Ultra-low Power 35mW
- Measurement ranges from 2,000ppm to 1%
- Low noise measurement (<10ppm)
- 3.3V supply
- Peak current only 100mA

### Models

2,000ppm (GC-0013)

10,000ppm (1%) (GC-0008)

# Specifications

## *General Performance*

### **Warm-up Time**

- < 10s

### **Operating Conditions**

- 0°C to 50°C (standard)
- -25°C to 55°C (extended range)
- 0 to 95% RH, non-condensing

### **Recommended Storage**

- -30°C to +70°C

## *CO2 Measurement*

### **Sensing Method**

- Non-dispersive infrared (NDIR) absorption
- Patented Gold-plated optics
- Patented Solid-state source and detector

### **Sample Method**

- Diffusion

### **Measurement Range**

- 0-2,000ppm, 0-10,000ppm (1%) CO2
- Extended range models (up to 100%) available

### **Accuracy**

- $\pm 50$  ppm  $\pm$  3% of reading<sup>1</sup>

### **Non Linearity**

- < 1% of FS

## Pressure Dependence

- 0.13% of reading per mm Hg

## Operating Pressure Range

- 950 to 1050 bar<sup>2</sup>

## Response Time

- 30 secs to 2 mins (user Configurable)<sup>3</sup>
- Reading refreshed twice per second<sup>3</sup>

## Electrical/Mechanical

### Power Input

- 3.25V to 5.5V DC
- Peak Current 100mA<sup>4</sup>
- Average Current < 15mA<sup>4</sup>

### Power Consumption

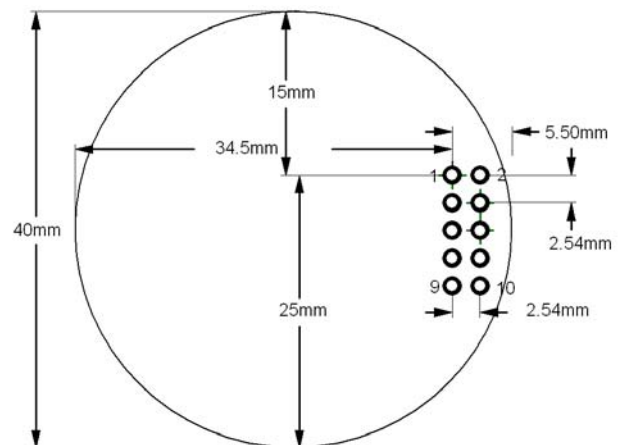
- 35 mW<sup>4</sup>

### Wiring Connections

- 2x5 0.1" header

View from underside (connector side)

1	GND	2	N/C
3	3.3V (nominal)	4	N/C
5	Rx	6	N/C
7	Tx	8	Nitrogen Zero
9	Analog (0.1 to 3.3V)	10	Fresh Air Zero



*Note that the drawing shows details of the PCB inside the sensor casing. The outside dimension of the sensor casing is 43mm.*

Pin 2 should not be connected. Pins 4 and 6 do not require connection and are internally connected to GND.

The zeroing options are for hardware zeroing (both active low). These functions can also be implemented by sending a serial command (recommended).

Typical connections for digital interface are GND, 3.3V, Rx and Tx.

The analog (voltage) output is available only when specified. Otherwise, N/C.

The serial connection is 9600baud, 8 bit, no parity, 1 stop bit. There is no hardware flow control. Note that Vh for the serial Rx and Tx lines will be 3V regardless on the supply voltage.

**Note 1:** All measurements are at STP unless otherwise stated.

**Note 2:** External Pressure calibration required to eliminate pressure dependence.

**Note 3:** User Configurable Filter Response.

**Note 4:** Power measurements for standard CO2 sensor with 2 readings / second

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