### **DATA SHEET**

## CO<sub>2</sub> Sensors

# Robust Range—ExplorIR®-W



- Low power / energy consumption—3.5mW
- Measures up to 100% CO<sub>2</sub> concentration
- Miniature format; vibration and shock resistant
- Solid-state; no moving parts, no heated filaments
- Digital (UART) output
- > 15 years lifetime
- Optional temperature & humidity outputs available







Power Consumption



Operating Temp





Output Digital



Response Time

DESIGN • MANUFACTURE • CUSTOMISE • CONFIGURE





Reliable in harsh, volatile environments

**X TECHNICAL SPECIFICATIONS** 

- Ideal for low power and battery applications
- Up to 50X lower power than typical NDIR CO<sub>2</sub> sensors
- Low maintenance
- Suitable for wireless, portable, wearable and self-powered
   sustain.

### **✓** CO₂ MEASUREMENT SPECIFICATIONS

Sensing method Non-dispersive infrared (NDIR)

absorption

Sample method Diffusion

Measurement range 0—5%, 0—20%, 0—100% Accuracy<sup>d</sup>  $\pm 70$ ppm /  $\pm 5$ % of reading

(100% range ±300ppm ±5% of

reading)
< 1% of FS

Non linearity

(voltage output)

Pressure dependence<sup>e</sup>

0.15% of reading per mbar in normal atmospheric conditions

Operating pressure range<sup>f</sup> 500mbar—10bar

900-1100mbar (with T and RH)

Response time, T90<sup>9</sup> 10sec—2mins (configurable via

filter and application)

Reading refreshed twice per sec.

Power consumption<sup>a</sup>

Supply voltage<sup>a</sup>

Current<sup>a</sup>

33mA Peak 3.5mW (at 3.3V)

(3.3V recommended)

<1.5mA (average)

3.2—5V<sub>DC</sub>

Output type 3.3V TTL level UART

Temperature

Operating: 0°C to +50°C (standard)

-25°C to +55°C (extended)

Storage: -30°C to +70°C

Humidity<sup>b</sup> 0—95% Rh, non-condensing

Start-up time<sup>c</sup> 1.2s

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- Power measurements for standard CO<sub>2</sub> sensor with 2 readings per second. Temperature & humidity measurements increase power consumption.
- For extended operation in high temperature and humidity environments, contact SST
- c) Time to a valid reading is determined by digital filter setting; typically, 4-8 seconds.
- d) All measurements are at NTP unless otherwise stated.
- e) Calibrated for 1013mbar. External pressure calibration required
- f) External pressure calibration required.
- g) Response time to a step change in gas level is dependent on application/filter/flow rate/diffusion.



### **Temperature & Humidity Measurement<sup>h</sup>**

Sensing method Humidity; Capacitive

Temperature; Bandgap

Measurement range -25°C to +55°C

0—95% Rh

Resolution 0.08°C

0.08% Rh

Absolute accuracy ± 1°C 0°C to 55°C

± 3% Rh 20°C to 55°C

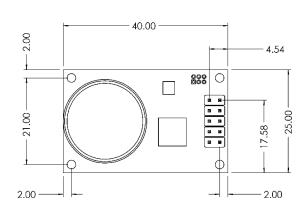
± 2°C over full temp. range ± 5% Rh over full temp. range

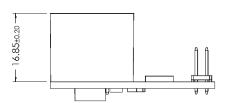
Repeatability  $\pm 0.1^{\circ}$ C

± 0.1% Rh

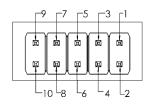
## OUTLINE DRAWING & ELECTRICAL CONNECTIONS

2x5 0.1" header. PIN 1 is identified on the dimensional drawing. All dimensions shown in mm.

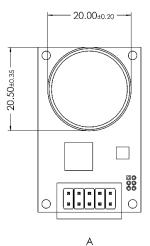










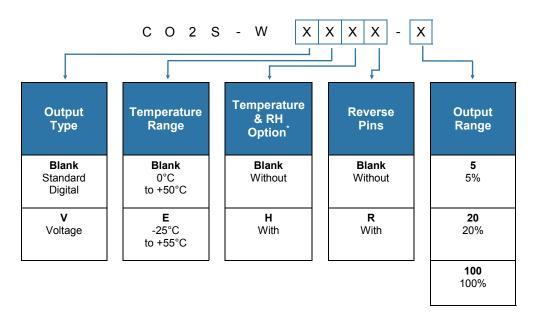


FUNCTION	PIN #	PIN#	FUNCTION
FRESH AIR ZERO	10	9	ANALOGUE OUTPUT
NITROGEN ZERO	8	7	SENSOR Tx (OUT)
GND	6	5	SENSOR Rx (IN)
GND	4	3	+3.3V
N/C	2	1	GND





Generate your specific part number using the convention shown below. Use only the numbers that correspond to the sensor option you require — omit those you do not.



<sup>\*</sup> NOTE: Temperature & humidity option not available on voltage output variant.

#### **EXAMPLES:**

- CO2S-WHR-100 = Standard digital output, 0°C to 50°C, with temperature & humidity option, with reverse pins, without split, 100%
- CO2S-WV-20 = Voltage output, 0°C to 50°C, without temperature & humidity option (option not available with voltage output), without reverse pins, 20% range.



Do not exceed maximum ratings and ensure sensor(s) are operated in accordance with their requirements.

Carefully follow all wiring instructions. Incorrect wiring can cause permanent damage to the device.

Do NOT use chemical cleaning agents.

Failure to comply with these instructions may result in product damage.



### INFORMATION

As customer applications are outside of SST Sensing Ltd.'s control, the information provided is given without legal responsibility. Customers should test under their own conditions to ensure that the equipment is suitable for their intended application.

For technical assistance or advice, please email:

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