

Model IQ1000 MEGA-CHANNEL Gas Detector



Description

The Matheson Model IQ1000 is a very unique gas detection instrument offering features not found in any other portable multi-channel monitor. Its innovative technology gives you the flexibility to monitor for more than 100 gases and vapors, without having to change sensors.

While the IQ1000 is a 1-4 channel instrument that can accommodate several types of sensors, units equipped with the MEGA-Gas sensor offer an exclusive "Gas Search" feature. This innovation enables the IQ1000 to scan the air to quickly determine if any of more than 100 gases or vapors are present. Additionally, ordering the IQ1000-14 provides a calibration curve for specific gases so the MEGA-Gas sensor can be set to monitor for a particular gas or vapor.

The IQ1000 is an intelligent, microprocessor based instrument that is operated through easy to follow menu driven controls. The viewing screen is a large 8 line, 40 character per line LCD supertwist display, with backlight switch and display contrast adjustment for easy viewing in any lighting condition.

The IQ1000 furnishes three user-adjustable alarm setpoints (low, mid, high) for each sensor, with both audible and visual alarm indicators. An alarm acknowledgement function silences the audible alarm while keeping the visual alarm active as long as the alarm condition exists.

An optional data logging feature stores months of readings for all four sensors, which can easily be downloaded to a printer or computer at a later date using its RS 232 serial interface. The IQ1000's optional data management software allows you to plot accumulated data and calculate time weighted averages. Data can also be exported to your favorite spreadsheet.

The IQ1000 will operate approximately 20 hours on its standard six size D alkaline batteries, or 14 hours on optional rechargeable NiCad batteries. The amount of battery power remaining is monitored on the LCD display.

Other features include touch of a button calibration, a built-in sampling pump with sampling wand, and weatherproof case. The IQ1000 also has UL Intrinsic Safety Approval for use in Class 1, Division 1, Group B, C, D.

Sensor Technologies

The IQ1000 can accommodate several kinds of sensor technologies. Which ones to select depends upon your application requirements.

The revolutionary MEGA-Gas Sensor is a specially developed solid state sensor capable of detecting over 100 gases and vapors. While it cannot readily differentiate between these gases, the MEGA-Gas sensor does enable you to perform a "Gas Search" of the air, as described above. In addition, because the IQ1000 is microprocessor controlled with 256K memory, it contains a complete library of the setup and calibration parameters for all 100+ gases that the MEGA-Gas sensor can detect. At the touch of a button, you can configure the instrument to monitor specifically for any one of these gases, and can then switch gases as frequently as you like without changing any sensors. See the table on the facing page for the MEGA-Gas sensor gas list.

Any of the more than 140 gas specific Solid State Sensors can be selected to provide more selective gas detection than the MEGA-Gas solid state sensor. (See the preceding page for a complete listing of available solid state sensors.)

Electrochemical Sensors, a popular sensor used in many gas detection instruments, can also be accommodated by the IQ1000. Choose from 11 available gases and vapors (ranges in ppm):

Ammonia (0-50, 0-100) Carbon Monoxide (0-50, 0-100) Chlorine (0-5, 0-10) Hydrogen (0-500) Hydrogen Chloride (0-25) Hydrogen Cyanide (0-25) Hydrogen Sulfide (0-20, 0-50) Nitric Oxide (0-50) Nitrogen Dioxide (0-10) Oxygen (0-25%) Sulfur Dioxide (0-10, 0-20)

For combustibles, a Catalytic Bead Sensor is available to detect for LEL levels of most combustible gases and vapors.

While there are hundreds of sensor combinations, keep the following guidelines in mind when customizing your Model IQ1000 detector: Channels 1 and 2 can be equipped with any of the four sensor types listed; Channels 3 and 4 can only be equipped with electrochemical sensors.





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MEGA-GAS Sensor Gas List (gases with an * have a 100% LEL range)

	PPM		PPM		PPM		PPM
Gas	Range(s)	Gas	Range(s)	Gas	Range(s)	Gas	Range(s)
Acetic Acid	1000	Cyanogen Chloride	100	*Hexane	1000	Monoethylamine	500
Acetic Aldehyde	1000	*Cyclohexane	1000	Hexene	1000	*Naphtha	500
Acetone	1000	Cyclohexanol	2000	Hydrogen	500	Nonane	2000
Acetonitrile	200, 1000	Cyclopentane	1000	Hydrogen Bromide	100	*Pentane	1000
*Acetylene	1000	Diborane	10	Hydrogen Chloride	200	Pentanol	1000
Acrolein	50, 200	Dibromomethane	100	Hydrogen Cyanide	100	Pentene	1000
Acrylonitrile	1000	Dichlorobutane	1000	Hydrogen Sulfide	50	Phosphine	10
Allyl Methacrylate	1000	Dichloroethane	500	Isobutane	1000	*Propane	1000
Ammonia	200, 500	Dichlorosilane	100	Isobutanol	1000	*Propanol	500
Anisole	4000	Diesel Fuel	2000	*Isobutylene	1000	*Propylene	1000
Arsine	10	Diethyl Benzene	2000	*Isopropanol	1000	Propylene Oxide	100, 1000
Benzene	100	Epichlorohydrin	100	JP-4	2000	Silane	50
Boron Trichloride	1000	*Ethane	1000	JP-5	2000	*Styrene	100% LEL
Boron Trifluoride	2000	*Ethanol	1000	*Methane	1000	Sulfur Dioxide	50
Butadiene	100	*Ethyl Acetate	500	*Methanol	500	Tetrahydrofuran	200, 1000
*Butane	1000	*Ethyl Benzene	1000	Methyl Acrylate	500	Toluene	200
*Butanol	2000	Ethyl Chloride	100	Methyl Bromide 50		Trichloroethane	100
*Butene	1000	*Ethyl Ether	500	Methyl Butanol 2000		Trichloroethylene	500
Butyl Acetate	1000	*Ethylene	1000	Methyl Chloride			200
Carbon Disulfide	50, 1000	Ethylene Oxide	50	*Methyl Ethyl Ketone 100		Trifluoroethanol	1000
Carbon Monoxide	500	Formaldehyde	100	Methyl Isobutyl Carbinol 2000		Trimethylamine	500
Carbon Tetrachloride	1000	Formic Acid	2000	Methyl Isobutyl Ketone 1000		Vinyl Acetate	50
Carbonyl Sulfide	100	Freon 22	1000	Methyl Mercaptan	50	Vinyl Chloride	50
Cellosolve Acetate	2000	Freon 502	1000	*Methyl Methacrylate	500	Xylene	1000
Chloroform	200	Gasoline	1000	Methylene Chloride	100, 500		

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External Interface:

Approvals:

Power: 6 size D alkaline batteries standard, Optional rechargeable

NiCad system

Operating Time: 20 hours on alkaline batteries, 14 hours on NiCad battery
Sampling: Built-in sample pump with sampling wand draws up to

1000 cc/min

Controls: Touch button. Optional magnetic

switches

Display: Backlit LCD supertwist with contrast adjustment. 8 lines,

40 characters per line. With optional data logging feature, RS-232 using a DB-9

connector (1200-38400 baud)

Temperature: 32° F to 122° F (0° Cto 50° C) operating

4° F to 140° F (-20° C to 60° C) storage

 $\begin{array}{lll} \mbox{Humidity:} & 0.95\% \mbox{ RH non-condensing} \\ \mbox{Size:} & 9.0"\mbox{L} \times 4.5"\mbox{W} \times 5.4"\mbox{H} \\ \mbox{(229mm} \times 114\mbox{mm} \times 137\mbox{mm}) \\ \mbox{Weight:} & 6 \mbox{ lbs } (2.7\mbox{kg) including batteries} \end{array}$

UL Intrinsic Safety Approval for Class 1, Division 1, Group B, C, D

Warranty: locations 1 Year

Ordering Information				
Model				
Number	Description			
IQ1000-01	Mega-Channel Gas Detector with One Sensor			
IQ1000-02	Mega-Channel Gas Detector with Two Sensors			
IQ1000-03	Mega-Channel Gas Detector with Three Sensors			
IQ1000-04	Mega-Channel Gas Detector with Four Sensors			
IQ1000-11	Optional Rechargeable NiCad Battery System			
IQ1000-12	Optional Data Logging System			
IQ1000-13	Optional Data Management Software			
IQ1000-14	Optional Special Gas Calibration.			
	Order for each gas desired.			