

Product Data Sheet

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NH3 3E 1000 Ammonia Gas Sensor

Document Purpose

The purpose of this document is to present the performance specification of the NH3 3E 1000 ammonia gas sensor.

This document should be used in conjunction with Operating Principles (OP08) and the Product Safety Datasheet (PSDS Sensoric-Organic.pdf).

The data provided in this document are valid at 20°C, 50% RH and 1013 mBar for 3 months from the date of sensor manufacture.

Output signal can drift below the lower limit over time. For guidance on the safe use of the sensor, please refer to the Operating Principles OP08.

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Key Features & Benefits:

- Excellent stability
- Refrigeration applications
- Compact Size

Technical Specifications

MEASUREMENT

Operating Principle	3-electrode electrochemical
Measurement Range	0-1000 ppm NH ₃
Maximum Overload	5000 ppm
Lower Detection Limit	40 ppm
Filter	None
Sensitivity*	6 ± 3 nA/ppm
Response Time (T ₉₀)*	< 120 s <small>calculated from 4 minute exposure time</small>
Baseline Offset (clean air)*	< ±40 nA
Resolution	Dependent on Electronics : < 15 ppb when using recommended circuitry
Zero Shift (-40°C to +40°C)	< 14 ppm equivalent
Linearity	< 5% of full scale

ELECTRICAL

Bias Voltage	Not required
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MECHANICAL

Weight	2.7 g : Mini 5.0 g : 4-Series 7.1 g : 7-Series
Orientation	Membrane / filter pointing downwards or horizontal direction

ENVIRONMENTAL

Operating Temperature Range	-40°C to +40°C
Operating Pressure Range	Atmospheric ± 10%
Operating Humidity Range	15% to 90% RH non-condensing

INTRINSIC SAFETY DATA

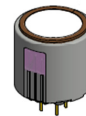
Maximum at 1000ppm	< 9 mA
Maximum o/c Voltage	< 500 mV
Maximum s/c Current	< 50 µA

LIFETIME

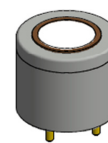
Long Term Output Drift*	< 10% per 6 months
Expected Operating Life	18 months in air
Storage Life	8 weeks in sealed container

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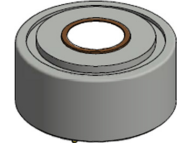
Mini



4 Series



7 Series



IMPORTANT NOTE: Connection should be made via PCB sockets only. Soldering to pins will render your warranty void.

Part Numbers

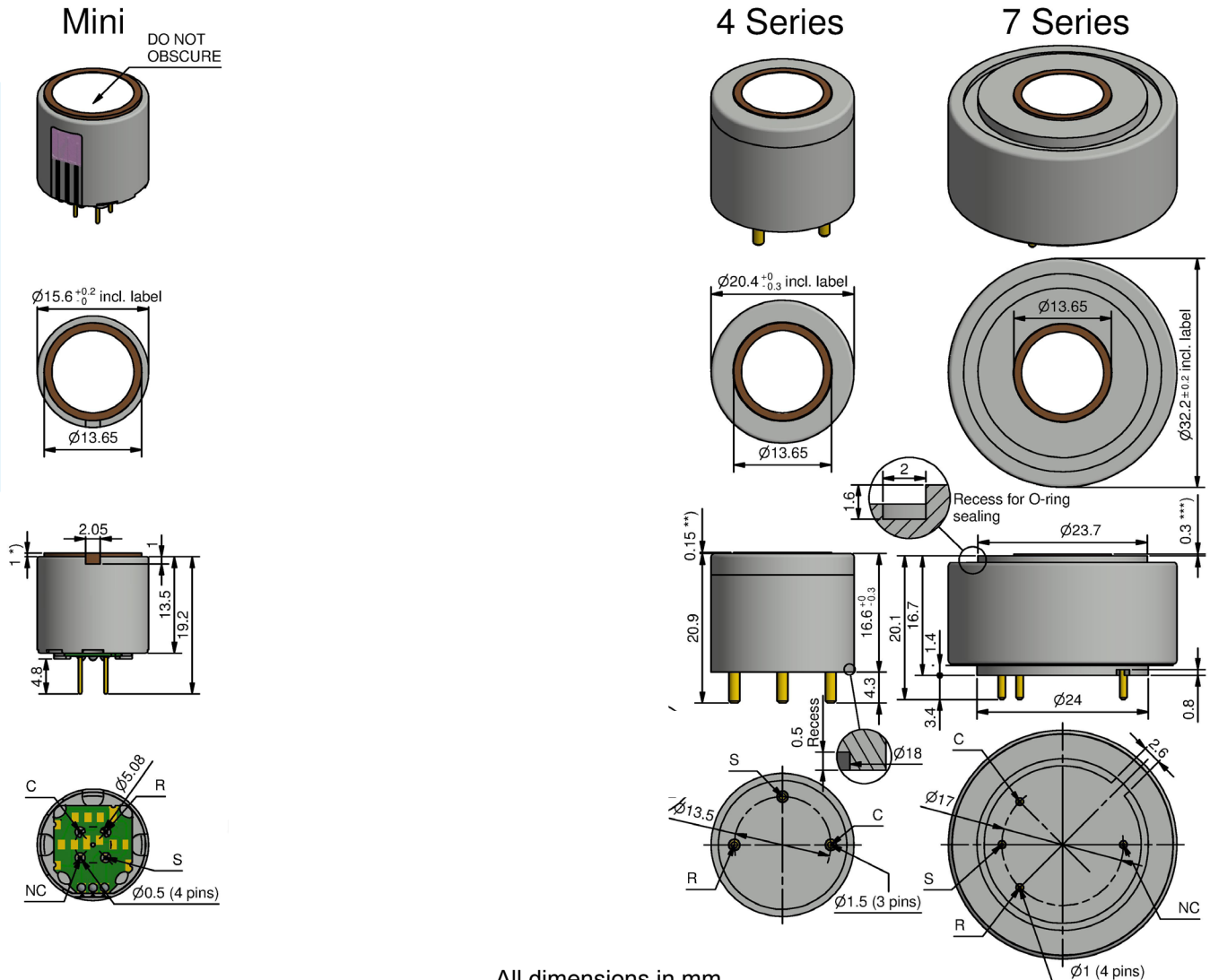
NH3 3E 1000	Part Number
Mini	1854-031-30009
4-Series	1854-031-30049
7-Series	1854-031-30079

For the NH3 3E 1000 with 4-20 mA output, refer to the NH3 3E 1000 Transmitter datasheet

*** Specifications are valid at 20°C, 50% RH and 1013 mBar, using recommended circuitry. Performance characteristics outline the performance of sensors supplied within the first 3 months. Output signal can drift below the lower limit over time.**

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Product Dimensions



All dimensions in mm
All tolerances ± 0.15 mm unless otherwise stated

S Sensing
C Counter
R Reference
NC Not Connected

*) Projection 0.6 - 1.25 mm depending on gastype
**) Projection up to 0.4 mm for 4 Series
***) Projection up to 0.55 mm for 7 Series

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Plugs and customised adaptations available on request

This drawing may be subject to corrections or changes without prior notice

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Poisoning

Sensors are designed for operation in a wide range of environments and harsh conditions. However, it is important that exposure to high concentrations of solvent vapours is avoided, both during storage, fitting into instruments, and operation.

When using sensors with printed circuit boards (PCBs), degreasing agents should be used before the sensor is fitted. Do not glue directly on or near the sensors as the solvent may cause crazing of the plastic.

WARNING: Under certain and infrequent conditions, electrochemical sensors may not perform to specification without warning. Where life safety is a performance requirement of the product, we recommend that all sensors and instruments using sensors are checked for response to gas before each use.

Cross Sensitivity Table

Whilst sensors are designed to be highly specific to the gas they are intended to measure, they will still respond to some degree to various other gases. The table below is not exclusive and other gases not included in the table may still cause a sensor to react.

IMPORTANT NOTE : The cross sensitivity data shown below does not form part of the product specification and is supplied for guidance only. Values quoted are based on tests conducted on a small number of sensors and any batch may show significant variation. For the most accurate measurements, an instrument should be calibrated using the gas under investigation.

Gas	Concentration Used (ppm)	Reading (ppm NH ₃)
Carbon Dioxide, CO ₂	5000	0
Alcohols	1000	yes
Carbon Monoxide, CO	100	100
Hydrogen Sulfide, H ₂ S	20	80
Sulfur Dioxide, SO ₂	20	3
Nitrogen Dioxide, NO ₂	10	-20
Hydrogen, H ₂	3000	1100
Chlorine, Cl ₂	5	-15
Ozone, O ₃	0.25	-1
Hydrogen Chloride, HCl	10	0

SAFETY NOTE

This sensor is designed to be used in safety critical applications. To ensure that the sensor and/or instrument in which it is used, are operating properly, it is a requirement that the function of the device is confirmed by exposure to target gas (bump check) before each use of the sensor and/or instrument. Failure to carry out such tests may jeopardise the safety of people and property.

Every effort has been made to ensure the accuracy of this document at the time of printing. In accordance with the company's policy of continued product improvement, the manufacturer reserves the right to make product changes without notice. The products are always subject to a programme of improvement and testing which may result in some changes in the characteristics quoted. As the products may be used by the client in circumstances beyond the knowledge and control of the manufacturer, we cannot give any warranty as to the relevance of these particulars to an application. It is the clients' responsibility to carry out the necessary tests to determine the usefulness of the products and to ensure their safety of operation in a particular application.