

# 2CF3 GAS SENSOR

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## CiTiceL Carbon Monoxide (CO) Gas Sensor



Carbon Monoxide (CO) Sensor:  
**2CF3**  
Part Number: AB231-801

### DESCRIPTION

CiTiceL® 4 Series gas sensors are the industry standard for portable gas detectors. The range includes sensors which detect oxygen and toxic gases and fully certified pellistors for combustible gas detection.

### DOCUMENT PURPOSE

The purpose of this document is to present the performance specification of the 2CF3 Carbon Monoxide sensor.

This document should be used in conjunction with the Operating Principles (OP08) and the Product Safety Datasheet (PSDS 12).

The data provided in this document are valid at 20°C, 50 %RH, and 1013 mBar for three 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.

### APPLICATIONS

- Smoking cessation

### PORTFOLIO

The 4 Series CiTiceL® sensor family is part of the extensive line of Honeywell gas sensors. To learn more about the product, or the many other gas sensors in this series, [click here](#).

## FEATURES AND BENEFITS



Industry-leading reliability



Improved performance variability



Low hydrogen cross sensitivity

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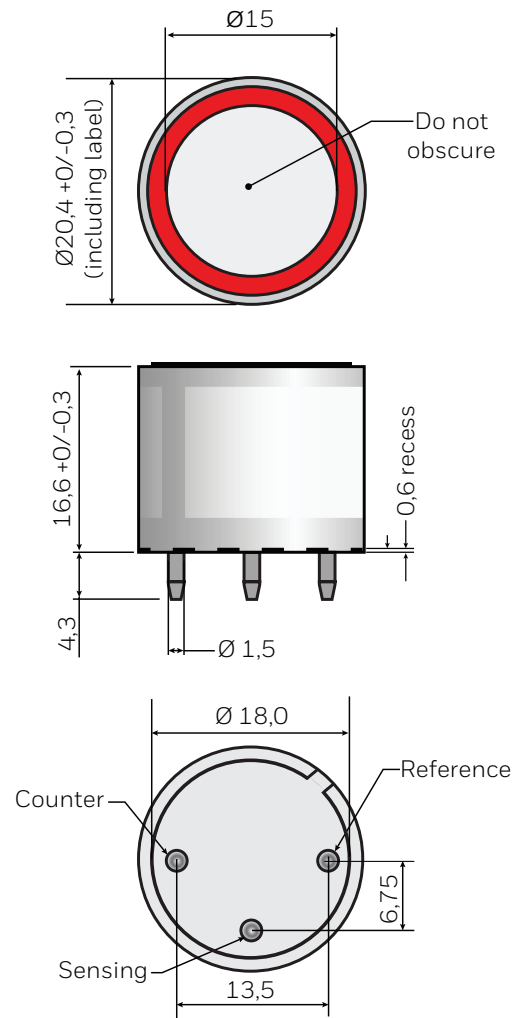
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**TABLE 1. TECHNICAL SPECIFICATIONS**

MEASUREMENT	
<b>Operating Principle</b>	3-electrode electrochemical
<b>Measurement Range</b>	0 ppm CO to 500 ppm CO
<b>Maximum Overload</b>	1000 ppm CO
<b>Filter</b>	To remove SO <sub>2</sub> and H <sub>2</sub> S
<b>Sensitivity*</b>	50 nA/ppm ±20 nA/ppm
<b>T90* Response Time</b>	< 17 seconds
<b>Baseline Offset</b> (clean air)*	-1 ppm to 3 ppm equivalent
<b>Zero Shift</b> (20°C to 40°C)	< 9 ppm equivalent
<b>Repeatability</b>	< 3 % of signal
<b>Linearity</b>	Linear
ELECTRICAL	
<b>Recommended Load Resistor</b>	10 Ohm
<b>Bias Voltage</b>	Not required
<b>Resolution</b>	Dependent on electronics (1 ppm when using recommended electronics)
MECHANICAL	
<b>Weight</b>	5 g (nominal)
<b>Housing Material</b>	ABS
<b>Orientation</b>	Any
ENVIRONMENTAL	
<b>Operating Temperature Range</b>	-20°C to 50°C
<b>Recommended Storage Temperature</b>	0°C to 20°C
<b>Operating Pressure Range</b>	1 atm ±10 %
<b>Operating Humidity Range</b>	15 %RH to 90 %RH non-condensing (Extended exposure to extreme humidity conditions will degrade sensor performance)
INTRINSIC SAFETY DATA	
<b>Maximum Current at 150 ppm</b>	0.1 mA
<b>Maximum o/c Voltage</b>	0.75 V
<b>Maximum s/c Current</b>	< 1.0 A
LIFETIME	
<b>Long-Term Output Drift</b>	< 10 % per annum
<b>Expected Operating Life</b>	2 years in clean air

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

### Product Dimensions



All dimensions in mm

All tolerances ±0,15mm unless otherwise stated

### IMPORTANT NOTE

Connection should be made via PCB sockets only. Soldering to the pins will seriously damage the sensor and invalidate the warranty.

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### Poisoning

CiTiceLs 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 CiTiceL as the solvent may cause crazing of the plastic

### Cross Sensitivity Data

Whilst CiTiceLs 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.**

**TABLE 2. CROSS SENSITIVITY**

Gas	Concentration Used (ppm)	Reading (ppm CO)
Hydrogen Sulfide, H <sub>2</sub> S	15	-0.5 < x\$ < 0.5
Sulfur Dioxide, SO <sub>2</sub>	5	0
Nitrogen Dioxide, NO <sub>2</sub>	5	< 0.5
Hydrogen, H <sub>2</sub>	100	-5 < x\$ < 5
Nitric Oxide, NO	35	12
Ethylene, C <sub>2</sub> H <sub>4</sub>	100	60

## WARRANTY/REMEDY

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## WARNING MISUSE OF DOCUMENTATION

- The information presented in this product sheet is for reference only. Do not use this document as a product installation guide.
- Complete installation, operation, and maintenance information is provided in the instructions supplied with each product.

**Failure to comply with these instructions could result in death or serious injury.**

## 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 jeopardize the safety of people and property.

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