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# AREA MONITORS GRAETZ WS05C-1/WS05C-2/WS05C-3

#### **Product features**

The area monitors WS05C-1, WS05C-2 and WS05C-3 are stationary room monitoring systems for the dose rate measurement of γ-radiation and X-rays, preferably used for the permanent monitoring of isotope laboratories, radiotherapy rooms, storage rooms for radioactive materials, etc.

## The WS05C is available in the following versions:

**WS05C-1:** Area monitor (1 measuring channel) with RS-232 interface for the

operation with any probe of the GRAETZ programme.

**WS05C-2:** Area monitor (2 measuring channels) with RS-232 interface for one

measuring channel, for the simultaneous operation of max. two different or similar probes – any of the GRAETZ programme.

**WS05C-3:** Area monitor (3 measuring channels) with RS-232 interface for one

measuring channel, for the simultaneous operation of max. three different or similar probes – any of the GRAETZ programme.

Each measuring channel indicates the measured values on a digital, illuminated LC display ( $60 \times 30 \text{ mm}$ ). For each measuring channel four individual dose rate alarm thresholds are free programmable over the whole measuring range of the connected probes.

When using  $\gamma$ -probes, the dose rate shown on the LC display is Sv/h. When an end-window probe for  $\alpha$ -/ $\beta$ -measurements or a Nal-scintillation probe for  $\beta$ -/ $\gamma$ -measurements is connected, the measured value is displayed in cps. Additionally to the digital display, the dose rate is also indicated in analogue form by a logarithmic bar graph.

The instrument is autoranging. When a measuring channel triggers a dose rate alarm, the integrated alarm light of the WS05C gives an optical and acoustical alarm.



WS05C-3

#### In the standard version:

Green  $\rightarrow$  "Ready for operation"

Orange  $\rightarrow$  "Alarm threshold exceeded"

Red  $\rightarrow$  "Error" (e.g. defective probe)

The red LED situated above the display indicates by which measuring channel the alarm has been triggered.

An RS-232 interface for one measuring channel is available for connecting the WS05C with a computer

### **Options**

- Relay output for an additional external alarm lamp for each measuring channel or a potential free relay output for each measuring channel instead of the relay output for the external alarm lamps (max. switching voltage/current: 24 V, 20 mA)
- Acoustic alarm disconnectible: only triggered when an alarm threshold is exceeded and the monitored room's door is open
- Emergency power supply (300 W) for the uninterruptible operation of the WS05C in case of mains failure
- **External alarm lamps** (optical/acoustical)
- Probe cable (standard length: 1.25 m), extension up to 100 m
- Time counter, configurable as:
  - · Operating time counter: Adds the time during which the wall station/the channel is switched on.
  - Alarm time counter: Adds the time in which the wall station/the channel triggered an alarm.
  - Error time counter: Adds the time in which the wall station/the channel displayed an error.

Adds the time in which a dose rate warning threshold was triggered

Special versions upon request





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#### **Technical Data WS05C**

**Types:** WS05C-1 for the connection of one probe (1 channel)

**WS05C-2** for the simultaneous connection of max. 2 probes (2 channels) **WS05C-3** for the simultaneous connection of max. 3 probes (3 channels)

**Probes:** The probes are preferably connected by means of a probe cable (up to 100 m) or directly to the

sockets of the WS05C.

**Measurand:** Ambient equivalent dose rate  $\dot{H}^*(10)$  for CE probes.

Measuring accuracy:  $\leq \pm 10\%$ 

**Display:** Each measuring channel is equipped with an illuminated LC display **Indication:** • Digital indication in Sv/h or cps, depending on the connected probe

· Analogue indication by a logarithmic bar graph

**Alarm:** • Probe failure alarm

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Alarm signals: • Integrated optical/acoustical signal, triggered when a connected probe signalises a dose rate

alarm (orange) and/or an error (red)

• Red LED for alarm indication when an alarm threshold is triggered (at each measuring channel)

Interface: RS-232 for one measuring channel (WS05C-2/WS05C-3 → first measuring channel)

Dose rate alarm

**thresholds:** 4 dose rate alarm thresholds for each measuring channel, programmable within the measuring

range of  $0.5 \mu Sv \le H^*(10) \le 10 Sv$ 

Dose alarm

thresholds: 4 dose alarm thresholds free for each measuring channel, programmable over the whole

measuring range of the connected probe(s)

**Temperature range:** 0°C up to +40°C for the area monitor

-30°C up to +60°C for the probes

**Humidity:** Max. 90% relative humidity

**Power supply:** 90 – 260 V AC 200 mA max. 50/60 Hz

**Housing:** Plastic, high-impact

**Dimensions:** Approx. 260 mm x 230 (455) mm x 150 mm

Weight: Approx. 2.8 kg

## **Available probes:**

Probe type	Measuring range Type of radiation	Energy range
18545 C	150 nSv/h ≤ Ḣ*(10) ≤ 200 μSv/h γ and X-rays	40 keV – 1.3 MeV
18550 C	10 μSv/h ≤ H*(10) ≤ 20 mSv/h γ and X-rays	40 keV – 1.3 MeV
18529 C	0.5 mSv/h ≤ Ḣ*(10) ≤ 10 Sv/h γ and X-rays	70 keV – 3 MeV
18509 C	50 µSv/h ≤ $\dot{H}$ *(10) ≤ 1 Sv/h y and X-rays	55 keV – 1.3 MeV
18526 D	Background approx. 25 cpm Approx. 4 cps at 1 μSv/h <sup>137</sup> Cs α, β, γ radiation	
NaI-Scintillation probe 2002	Background approx. 135 cps Approx. 1,500 cps at 1 μSv/h <sup>137</sup> Cs β / γ radiation	y radiation > 25 keV β radiation > 100 keV

For detailed information please see separate data sheed "GRAETZ probes".

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