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Status:	**Current**	Issue No: 1	Issue 0 (2022-02-28)
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Applicant: **MSA - The Safety Company / Mine Safety Appliance Company**
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United States of America

Equipment: **Infrared Gas Monitor type PrimaX IR; Gas Detector Controller type PrimaX IR+**

Optional accessory:

Type of Protection: **Equipment protection by flameproof enclosures "d"; Equipment dust ignition protection by enclosure 't'**

Marking: IECEx FMG 21.0033X

PrimaX IR Gas Monitor:

Ex db IIC T4 Gb Ta = -50°C to +80°C

Ex tb IIIC T130°C Db Ta = -50°C to +80°C

IEC 60079-29-1

PrimaX IR+ Gas Detector Controller:

Ex db IIC T4 Gb Ta = -50°C to +80°C

Ex tb IIIC T130°C Db Ta = -50°C to +80°C

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Approved for issue on behalf of the IECEx Certification Body: **J. E. Marquedant**

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This certificate is issued as verification that a sample(s), representative of production, was assessed and tested and found to comply with the IEC Standard list below and that the manufacturer's quality system, relating to the Ex products covered by this certificate, was assessed and found to comply with the IECEx Quality system requirements.This certificate is granted subject to the conditions as set out in IECEx Scheme Rules, IECEx 02 and Operational Documents as amended

STANDARDS :
The equipment and any acceptable variations to it specified in the schedule of this certificate and the identified documents, was found to comply with the following standards

IEC 60079-0:2017 Edition:7.0	Explosive atmospheres - Part 0: Equipment - General requirements
IEC 60079-1:2014 Edition:7.0	Explosive atmospheres - Part 1: Equipment protection by flameproof enclosures "d"
IEC 60079-29-1:2016 Edition:2.0	Explosive atmospheres – Part 29-1: Gas detectors – Performance requirements of detectors for flammable gases
IEC 60079-31:2013 Edition:2	Explosive atmospheres - Part 31: Equipment dust ignition protection by enclosure "t"

This Certificate **does not** indicate compliance with safety and performance requirements other than those expressly included in the Standards listed above.

TEST & ASSESSMENT REPORTS:
A sample(s) of the equipment listed has successfully met the examination and test requirements as recorded in:

Test Reports:

US/FMG/ExTR21.0037/00 US/FMG/ExTR21.0037/01 US/FMG/ExTR22.0017/00

Quality Assessment Report:

FR/INE/QAR08.0011/12

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EQUIPMENT:
Equipment and systems covered by this Certificate are as follows:

Infrared Gas Monitor type PrimaX IR

Gas Detector Controller type PrimaX IR+

SPECIFIC CONDITIONS OF USE: YES as shown below:
See Annex

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Equipment (continued):

Subject and Type

Infrared Gas Monitor type PrimaX IR

Description

The infrared gas monitor type PrimaX IR is a stationary gas detector for the measurement of hydrocarbon gases in ambient air under atmospheric conditions.

The infrared gas monitor type PrimaX IR contains an infrared sensor for gas measurement and electronic boards; it uses a cartridge type heater located near the window and mirror.

The infrared gas monitor type PrimaX IR is designed in type of protection Flameproof Enclosure “db” and Equipment dust ignition protection by enclosure "tb”.

The connection of the gas monitor to other flameproof enclosures could be done via a M25 or a 3/4 NPT thread.

Specifications - The manufacturer’s specifications are as follows:

Operating Temperature: -50°C to +80°C

Storage Temperature: -50°C to +80°C

Relative Humidity: 15 to 95% RH

Supply Parameters: 18-32 Vdc, 24 Vdc (Nominal), 6 watts maximum

Measurement Signal: 4-20mA

Calibration: Calibration Cap or HART

Firmware Version: 3.6

Use of the following outputs for Safety Relevant Purposes:

4-20 mA output for measured values

Use of the following accessories:

Calibration Cap, part number 1011874 (IECEx LCI 10.0038X)

HART Calibration cover part number 10122228

Flow cap part number 10113100

Environmental Guard part number 10113663

Insect screen part number 10116419

Aluminum junction box kit part number 10117607 (NPT) and 10117606 (M25) (IECEx BVS 12.0057X)

316 Stainless steel junction box kit part number 10117608 (NPT) and 10117609 (M25) (IECEx FMG 07.0003U)

PrimaX IR link version 1.06

Measurement of the following gases

Methane, Propane, Ethylene, Propylene oxide, Acetone, Cyclopentane,Ethyl acetate 0-100% LEL

i-butane 0-70% LEL

propylene, Ethane, 0-50% LEL

n-butane, n-pentane, toluene 0-30% LEL

n-Hexane 0-10% LEL

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a = Target Gas: 11, 12, 14, 15, 17, 19, 20, 27, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 37, 39, 41, 42, 43, 62 or 63.

b = Approval Agency: A.

c = Thread Type: M or N.

Subject and Type

Gas Detector Controller type PrimaX IR+

Description

The gas detector controller type PrimaX IR+ is a stationary gas detector controller for the measurement of hydrocarbon gases in ambient air under atmospheric conditions.

The gas detector controller type PrimaX IR+ contains electronic boards used to display gas concentrations from a 4-20mA gas detector.

The gas detector controller type PrimaX IR+ is designed in type of protection Flameproof Enclosure “db” and Equipment dust ignition protection by enclosure "tb”.

The connection of the gas detector controller to other flameproof enclosures or detectors could be done via a M25 or a 3/4 NPT thread.

Specifications - The manufacturer’s specifications are as follows:

Operating Temperature: -50°C to +80°C

Storage Temperature: -50°C to +80°C

Relative Humidity: 15 to 95% RH

Supply Parameters: 18-32 Vdc, 24 Vdc (Nominal), 6 watts maximum

Optional Relay Contacts: 30VDC 2 AMPS MAX

Measurement Signal: 4-20mA

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DETAILS OF CERTIFICATE CHANGES (for issues 1 and above)
Addition of PrimaX IR+ Gas Detector Controller. Addition of ExTR for alternate cement materials for PrimaX IR Gas Monitor. Other minor documentation changes not affecting the equipment safety.

Annex:

Annex to Certificate IECEx FMG 21.0033X Issue 1.pdf

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PrimaX IR Infrared Gas Monitor

Specific Conditions of Use:

1. The gas monitor PrimaX IR is equipped with a tapered NPT thread or a metric thread for mounting to a connection enclosure of protection type increased safety “e” or protection type flameproof enclosure “d”.
2. When mounting the gas monitor to an enclosure of protection type flameproof enclosure “d”, the reference pressure of the separate enclosure for the connection must not exceed 10.5 bar. The test of the mechanical strength of the separate enclosure for the connection and the test of the connecting thread with respect to explosion hazards must be ensured within the framework of the type test of the electrical apparatus, which is attached to the gas monitor PrimaX IR. The threaded hole to which the gas monitor is attached must meet the requirements of section 5.3 (Table 4/5) of IEC 60079-1.
3. Due to the limitations on the potting used for the wire bushing on the PrimaX IR, the service temperature within the separate enclosure (the enclosure the PrimaX IR is mounted to) must not exceed 120°C.
4. When mounting the gas monitor to enclosures in type of protection increased safety “e”, the mechanical resistance and the IP protection (IP6X) of the mounted enclosure has to be ensured by the type test of the electrical apparatus being mounted to the gas monitor. After mounting of the gas monitor onto an enclosure in type of protection increased safety “e”, the clearances and creepage distances must meet the requirements of Table 2 of IEC 60079-7. The non-shielded cables of the gas monitor must be routed and connected so as to be mechanically protected and corresponding to the temperature resistance of the cables as per 4.6.2, 4.8.2 and 4.9 of IEC 60079-7.
5. For dust applications, any intensive electrostatic charging processes to the instrument label has to be prevented.
6. The ¾” NPT fixture has to be sealed with 2 layer PTFE sealing tape or according to the instructions of the manufacturer of the enclosure with NPT thread; when removed, new PTFE sealing has to be used after reinstalling.
7. The gas monitor PrimaX IR must be screwed into the housing wall such that it is secured against self-loosening. The specified minimum thread depth of the add-on housing has to be observed.
8. The gas monitor PrimaX IR must be included into the earthing and equipotential bonding of the complete system, including the enclosure it is connected to.
9. The screw heads are filled with potting to prevent self-loosening and unauthorized entry. The user may not open the enclosure. Opening of the device will invalidate the type approval.

PrimaX IR+ Gas Detector Controller

Specific Conditions of Use:

1. The PrimaX IR+ has not been evaluated to the performance requirements of IEC 60079-29-1 and shall not be used to execute safety critical functions.
2. The flameproof joints of the equipment are not intended to be repaired. For maintenance or repair, contact the manufacturer.
3. The ¾” NPT fixture has to be sealed with 2 layer PTFE sealing tape or according to the instructions of the manufacturer of the enclosure with NPT thread; when removed, new PTFE sealing has to be used after reinstalling.