

HALO LP H₂O Trace Level Moisture Analyzer

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Designed for trace level moisture analysis, the HALO LP H₂O offers:

- Low parts per billion (ppb) moisture detection capability in NH₃ and PH₃
- Absolute measurement (freedom from calibration gases)
- Wide dynamic range—over four orders of magnitude
- Low cost of ownership and operational simplicity
- Clean technology—no external calibration gases required
- Compact analyzer footprint
- User-programmable alarms immediately notify on high events

Simple Trace Moisture Detection in Hydride Gases

Semiconductor and High Brightness LED manufacturers rely on ultra-high purity process gases such as ammonia and phosphine to build the high-tech products such as smartphones, LED TVs and light bulbs, and CPU and memory chips that consumers desire. Residual moisture in these critical gases degrade device performance, reduce yield, and negatively impact product and corporate profitability. The HALO LP H₂O analyzer is designed to provide users with a simple, cost-effective, and compact analyzer for ensuring trace levels of moisture in NH₃ and PH₃ are within the required specifications.

Incorporating an absolute pressure controller, the LP (low pressure) version of this analyzer allows users to measure moisture in hydride gases with unmatched accuracy, reliability, and speed of response. Evidenced by our global installed base of over 1600 sensors, users enjoy the freedom from requirements such as periodic sensor maintenance, span calibrations, purifier replacement and pump rebuilds that are commonplace with other technologies. As a result, Tiger Optics' HALO LP H₂O is relied on as an industry leader in the detection of trace moisture levels in ammonia and phosphine for electronic manufacturers and specialty gas suppliers worldwide.



HALO LP H₂O

Trace Level Moisture Analyzer



Performance		
Operating range	See table below	
Detection limit (LDL,	See table below	
24 h peak-to-peak variation)		
Sensitivity (3σ)	See table below	
Precision (1σ, greater of)	± 1% or 1/3 of Sensitivity	
Accuracy (greater of)	± 4% or 1/2 of LDL	
Speed of response	< 3 minutes to 95%	
Environmental conditions	10°C to 40°C	
	30% to 80% RH (non-condensing)	
Storage temperature	-10°C to 50°C	

Gas Handling System and Conditions*		
Wetted materials	316L stainless steel	
	(optional Hastelloy®)	
	10 Ra surface finish	
Gas connections	1/4" male VCR inlet and outlet	
Leak tested to	1×10^{-9} mbar l / sec	
Inlet pressure	10 – 125 psig (1.7 – 9.6 bara)	
Outlet pressure	<10 Torr (13 mbar)	
Flow rate	Up to 1.0 slpm	
Sample gases	NH ₃ , PH ₃ , and inert matrices	
Gas temperature	Up to 60°C	

Dimensions	H x W x D [in (mm)]	
Standard sensor	8.73 x 8.57 x 23.6 (222 x 218 x 599)	
Sensor rack	8.73 x 19.0 x 23.6 (222 x 483 x 599)	
(fits up to two sensors)		
Weight		
Standard sensor	33 lbs (15.0 kg)	
Electrical		
Alarm indicators	2 user programmable	
	1 system fault	
	Form C relays	
Power requirements	90 – 240 VAC, 50/60 Hz	
Power consumption	40 Watts max.	
Signal output	Isolated 4–20 mA per sensor	
User interfaces	5.7" LCD touchscreen	
	10/100 Base-T Ethernet	
	802.11g Wireless (optional)	
	RS-232	
	Modbus TCP (optional)	

Performance, H ₂ O:	Range	LDL	Sensitivity
In Ammonia	0 – 20 ppm	12 ppb	9 ppb
In Phosphine [†]	0 – 10 ppm	12 ppb	9 ppb
In Nitrogen	0 – 6 ppm	1.4 ppb	1.0 ppb
In Argon	0 – 4 ppm	1.4 ppb	1.0 ppb

^{*}Vacuum source required

Contact us for additional analytes and matrices.

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[†]Low leak rate vacuum pump required