

ABB MEASUREMENT & ANALYTICS | DATA SHEET

LGR-ICOS™ GLA131 Series Microportable Greenhouse Gas Analyzers



Sensitive, fast and compact analyzers for measurement of CH₄, CO₂ and H₂O

Measurement made easy

LGR-ICOS™ GLA131 Series Microportable analyzers

Features and benefits

- Lightweight: less than 5.5 kg (12 pounds) with battery (included)
- Continuous measurements
- Data reported every second with high sensitivity
- Ideal for soil flux studies and field measurements of greenhouse gases
- Extremely wide linear range, CH₄ range up to LEL (optional)
- No cross interferences
- Operates directly on DC power
- Fast gas flow response time (1 second, 1/e)
- Records data within 20 seconds after power on
- Multiple data outputs and internet connectivity
- Recirculating capabilities (inlet/outlet)

Overview

The ABB LGR-ICOS gas analyzers build on the heritage and extensive track record of Los Gatos Research analyzers, using patented Off-Axis Integrated Cavity Output Spectroscopy (OA-ICOS) technology, the latest evolution in tunable diode laser absorption spectroscopy.

ABB's new microportable gas analyzers (M-GGA-918 and M-GPC-918) report measurements of methane, carbon dioxide and water vapor simultaneously in a package that is compact, crushproof and travels anywhere. Small enough to be hand-carried (even onboard aircraft) and requiring less than 35 watts, the M-GGA-918 and M-GPC-918 offers opportunities to measure greenhouse gases anywhere.

As with all LGR-ICOS analyzers, the M-GGA-918 and M-GPC-918 are fast and simple to use which makes them ideal for field studies, compliance monitoring, air quality studies and soil flux studies, and wherever sensitive measurements of greenhouse gases are needed.

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The M-GGA-918 and M-GPC-918 begin recording data within 20 seconds after power on so users do not have to wait for a long warm-up period for the system to thermally equilibrate.

ABB's patented OA-ICOS technology, a fourth-generation cavity enhanced absorption technique, has many advantages over older, conventional and delicate cavity ringdown spectroscopy and direct absorption techniques. LGR-ICOS analyzers are easier to operate and more robust, thus providing users with higher performance and reliability at lower operating costs.

The M-GGA-918 and M-GPC-918 analyzers have an internal computer that can store data practically indefinitely on an SD card and send real time data to a tablet, smartphone or other WiFi device. The analyzer includes control and analysis software.

Accessories, Maintenance & Options

ACC-MICRO-KIT	Accessory kit for microportable Includes shoulder strap and collapsible wand
ACC-MICRO-AC	AC Power adapter for microportable
ACC-WIFI-iPad	Wireless User Interface - Apple iPad with WiFi router Provides full instrument control and provides touch- screen video display, keyboard and mouse.
ACC-WIFI-Android	Wireless User Interface - Samsung Galaxy Tab S3 with WiFi router provides full instrument control and provides touch-screen video display, keyboard and mouse.
MTN-MICRO2	Maintenance kit for microportable
MTN-CLEAN-M	Mirror cleaning kit for microportable
OPT- EXTENDED-CH4	Extended range for CH4 measurement Extends normal 0-100 ppm range to 0-5% (M-GGA-918) Extends normal 0-100 ppm range to 0-1000 ppm (M-GPC-918)
MIU-8	Multiport Inlet Unit 8 channels - External hardware (includes 8 solenoid valves) and internal software package which enables fully integrated, programmable selection from up to 8 separate sources.

Ordering information

- LGR-ICOS™ M-GGA-918
- LGR-ICOS[™] M-GPC-918

Specifications

Precision (1 σ , 1 sec / 10 sec / 100 sec):

CH₄: 4 ppb /1.2 ppb / 0.5 ppb	
CO2: 0.6 ppm / 0.25 ppm / 0.1 ppm	[M-GGA-918]
CO₂: 6 ppm / 2 ppm / 1 ppm	[M-GPC-918]
H₂O: 200 ppm / 60 ppm / 30 ppm	

Measurement rate:

0.01 - 1 Hz (user selectable)

Measurement ranges (meets all specifications):

CH₄: 0 – 100 ppm (standard range)	
CH₄: 0 – 5% (extended range)	[M-GGA-918]
CH₄: 0 – 500 ppm (extended range)	[M-GPC-918]
CO₂: 0 – 20000 ppm	
H₂O: 0 – 30000 ppm	

Sampling conditions:

Sample temperature: -40 – 50 °C Operating temperature: 5 – 45 °C Ambient humidity: 0 - 98% relative humidity non-condensing

Flow time response:

1 second (1/e)

Data outputs:

WiFi, Ethernet, USB, MIU connection (8 ports), Serial(RS-232)

Power requirements:

10-30 VDC or 110/240 VAC		
35 watts	[M-GGA-918]	
27 watts	[M-GPC-918]	
120W Power supply/charger included		
99.9Wh internal battery included, 3 hours autonomy		

Dimensions:

12cm H x 34 cm W x 29.5 cm D 6 in. H × 13.4 in. W × 11.6 in. D

Weight:

6.1 kg (13.5 pounds) with internal battery

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