TM-185A Temperature / Humidity Monitor TM-187A CO<sub>2</sub> Monitor User's Manual









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#### 1 Introduction

The meters are wall-mounted monitors, suitable for monitoring and recording environmental temperature, humidity and carbon dioxide. It also has 4~20mA/RS-485/dry contact industrial output, and is an indispensable instrument for improving air quality.

#### 2 Accessories

- 1 Meter
- 1 User's Manual
- 1 AC to DC adaptor
- 1 Wall Mount
- 1 USB cable and Installation disk

## 3 Safety



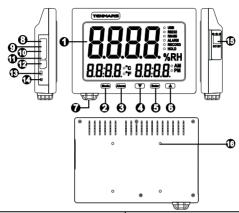
Note! Please refer to this manual. Improper use may damage the meter and its components.



Complies with European Directive.

- Do not operate in environments with flammable gas or humid environments.
- Do not place the meter in locations with high temperature, humid, or exposed to direct sunlight.
- Operating altitude: 2000 meters below sea level.
- Operation environment: Indoor use; contamination level class 2.
- EMC: EN61326-1:CISPR 11:Group 1, Class B
  - Class B Equipment is suitable for use in domestic establishments and outside facilities.
  - Group 1 RF energy generated is needed for internal functioning.

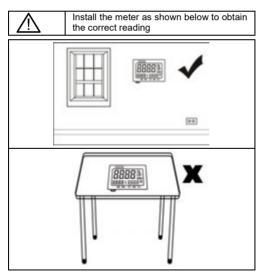
# 4 Meter description



1.LED display screen	Dry contact
2.Device setting button	10.4-20mA output
Mode	
3.Alarm setting button	11.RS-485 interface
(Alarm)	
4.Temperature unit	12. RS-232 interface
switching button	
5. Switch display button	13. USB interface
(Enter)	
6. Data lock button	14. Alarm signal output (2KHZ)
7. Temperature / humidity	15. DC power input
sensor	
8. AC power input	16. Standard VESA wall
	mount hole (100x100mm)
	(100×10011111)

## 5 Operation

- The device can be used once the correct power is connected.
- 2. Place it at a fixed location for approximately 30 minutes and wait for the test data to become stable.
- 3. Press the button to enter Device setting.(see 5.1)
- 4. Press the Alarm button to enter Alarm setting.(see 5.2)
- 5. Press the button to select Celsius °C or Fahrenheit ♥.
- Press the Enter button to select 12-hour mode, 24-hour mode or humidity display.
- Press the button to freeze the window and stop updating.



## 5.1 Device setting

Press the Mode button to enter Device setting; the setting contents are as follows:

RTC time  $\rightarrow$  Temperature ADJ(A  $^{\circ}\mathbb{C}$ )  $\rightarrow$  Humidity ADJ(A rH)  $\rightarrow$  Carbon dioxide ADJ (A CO2) $\rightarrow$ Current output (4-20) $^{\circ}\mathbb{C}$ / Rh/ CO2) $\rightarrow$  Computer interface (485/232) $\rightarrow$  Automatic recording  $\rightarrow$  Carbon dioxide self-calibration (AbC) $\rightarrow$  Return to testing mode.

Mode Select Device setting

Alarm Select digit to set

Lincreases and decreases the setting value

Enter Confirm & exits setting

- Temperature ADJ range: ±10°C/±18°F
- Humidity ADJ range: ±10%RH
- Carbon dioxide ADJ range: ±200 PPM
- Automatic recording time: 1 second ~ 24 hours
- Current output: Temperature; humidity; carbon dioxide, select one to output.
- Computer interface: USB; RS-232; RS-485, select one to output



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### 5.2 Alarm setting:

Press the Alarm button to enter Alarm setting; setting contents are as follows:

Temperature alarm( $^{\circ}\mathbb{C}$ )  $\rightarrow$  Humidity alarm(rH)  $\rightarrow$  Carbon dioxide alarm(CO2)  $\rightarrow$  Temperature threshold(9  $^{\circ}\mathbb{C}$ )  $\rightarrow$  Humidity threshold(9 rH)  $\rightarrow$  Carbon dioxide threshold(9 CO2)  $\rightarrow$  Buzzer switch(bEE)  $\rightarrow$  Dry contact switch(dry)  $\rightarrow$  Return to test mode

Alarm Select Alarm setting

Mode Select digit to set

▲ & ▼ Increases and decreases the setting value

Enter Confirm & exits setting

- Temperature alarm range:-20°C~70°C/-4°F~158°F
- Humidity temperature range:5~95%RH
- Carbon dioxide range:1~9999 PPM
- Temperature threshold range: -10~0°C/-18~0°F
- Humidity threshold range: -10~0%RH
- Carbon dioxide threshold: -999~0 PPM

## 5.3 Hide/display testing screen

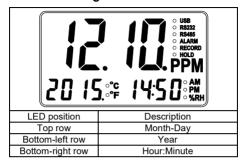
Enter + Alarm Hide/display humidity test value

+ W Hide/display temperature test value

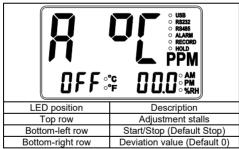
**Enter** + Hide/display <u>carbon dioxide</u> test value



#### 5.4 Clock setting



# 5.5 Calibration of Adjustment

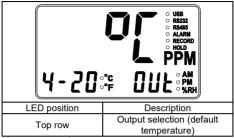


Deviation correction formula

(Default test value + deviation value)= displayed test value



#### 5.6 Current output



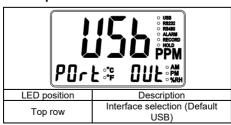
Current output formula

{[Displayed test value-lower test limit] ÷ (upper test limit-lower test limit)] x 16} +4

Example 1: Displayed temperature test value is  $25^{\circ}$ C, upper temperature test limit is  $70^{\circ}$ C, lower temperature test limit- $20^{\circ}$ C, the result when set into the formula is 12mA.

Example 2: Displayed humidity test value is 33%RH, upper temperature test limit is 100%RH, lower temperature test limit is 0%RH, the result when set into the formula is 9.28mA

## 5.7 Computer interface



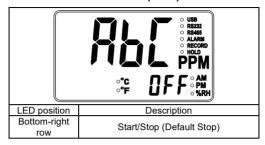
#### 5.8 Automatic recording



LED action	Device status
Constantly off	Stop Automatic recording
Constantly On	Start Automatic recording
Quick flash	Writing record data
Continuous	Memory full; please download data as
flash	soon as possible

- Suggested Automatic recording interval is greater than 5 seconds; if set lower than 5 seconds the continuity of the data cannot be guaranteed.
- Setting the record interval to less than 5 seconds may cause continuous flashing; please be aware.

### 5.9 CO2 self-calibration (ABC)



Before starting the carbon dioxide self-calibration function, please first place the device in a well-ventilated environment and provide sufficient power. The self-calibration function takes 180 hours (approximately 7.5 days); during this period the power of the device cannot be turned off. Suggested optimal carbon dioxide concentration is between 400-500 PPM.

Do not start the carbon dioxide self-calibration function (ABC) in places with poor ventilation or where the stability of the power system cannot be guaranteed for extended periods of time in order to prevent unnecessary damage to the sensor.



#### 5.10 Alarm mode

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	OFF \$ 250%					
LED position	Description					
Top row	Alarm stalls					
Bottom-left row	Start/Stop (Default Stop)					
Bottom-right row	Alarm value (Default 25℃; 50%RH; 1500 PPM)					
LED position	Description					
Top row	Alarm OFF difference range					
Bottom-left row	Start/Stop (Default Stop)					
Bottom-right row	Threshold value (Default 0)					

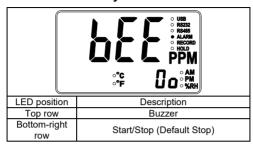
When Alarm mode is started, the indicator will automatically light up when "displayed test value"  $\geq$  "alarm value"; the buzzer or dry contact setting will also start if set as enabled.

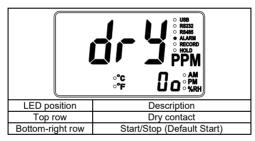
If a threshold value is set, it will automatically stop when "alarm value + threshold value" > "displayed test value". When the "displayed test value" is once again  $\geq$  "alarm value", it will automatically start again without the need to reset it.

If no threshold value is set, press any button to reset the alarm; if alarm is disabled, Alarm setting must be restarted



## 5.11 Buzzer and dry contact



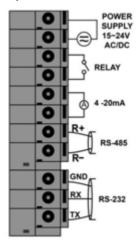


# 5.12 Changing humidity / temperature sensor

Before changing the humidity / temperature sensor, please disconnect all power, follow the instructions in the user's manual and operate in a safe environment.

- Remove the screws and protection cap
- Remove the old sensor
- Take out the new sensor and install it according to the direction illustrated in the figure
- Install the protection cap and screws
- Restart and set the ADJ settings to disabled or reset.

# 5.13 Installation figure (Electrical connections)





#### 6 Software Installation

The desktop software supports the Windows XP/ 7 / 8 / 10 operating systems

 Place the included CD into the CD/DVD-ROM of the PC and complete the installation sequence: Click execute program.



 When the desktop program installation is complete; remove the CD from the CD/DVD-ROM drive.

 Connect the PC with this monitor and first confirm the interface settings, then connect the cable according to the following description.

Interface	Monitor	PC terminal
	RX	TX
RS-232	TX	RX
	GND	GND
RS-485	R+	R-
K3-400	R-	R+
USB	*	USB

 Execute PC desktop software program: Double-click on the desktop program (CO2 Monitor) or (Temperature-Humidity Monitor) with the left mouse button to execute the desktop program.



# 7 General Specifications

- Read value display: Double LED display
- Temperature display unit: ℃; ℉
- Clock function
- Data lock function (HOLD)
- Alarm function
- Overload display: "OL" or "-OL"
- Memory can store a maximum of 60,000 data entries
- $\bullet \quad \text{Operation power consumption:} \leq \ 7W$
- Operation temperature and humidity: 0°C~50°C, relative humidity under 80%
- Storage temperature and humidity: -10℃~60℃, relative humidity under 80%
- Weight: Approximately 1000 grams
- Dimensions: 260 (length)×178 (width) ×47 (height) mm
- Transformer specifications

External AC to DC 9~15V power supply (Note the polarity).

Specifications: Voltage DC 12V (9.0~15.0 VDC MAX) Current: ≥ 1000mA.

Plug: The pin in the center connects to the positive electrode and the outer case is negative electrode

Diameter: 5.5mm: internal diameter: 2.1mm





# 8 Electrical Specifications

	Temperature	-20℃~70℃ -4~158˚F	
Measurement range	Humidity	1~99%RH	
range	Carbon dioxide	1~9999 PPM	
Resolution	Temperature / humidity	0.1	
rvesolution	Carbon dioxide	1	
	Temperature	±1℃(5℃~60℃) ±2℉(41℉~140℉) Other ranges ±2℃/±4℉	
Accuracy	Humidity	±5%RH (20~80%RH@25℃) Other ranges ±8%RH	
, 100a.ac,	Carbon dioxide	±70PPM or ±5% (≦2000PPM) Other ranges ±7%	
	Analog output	±0.3mA or ±2% (load≤250Ω)	
Power	AC input	24Vac/Vdc±20% (50~60Hz)	
	DC input	9~15V	
Update rate	Once per second		
Computer interface	USB; RS-232; RS-485		
Dry contact specification	Maximum 1A @30Vdc (Normal open)		
Transmission format	115200bps 8:N:1		



#### 9 Maintenance

- Please read the user's manual carefully to check whether there are any operating errors.
- Do not place the meter in locations that have high temperature, humidity or that are exposed to direct sunlight.

# 10 Cleaning

Please use soft dry cloth to wipe it clean when cleaning; do not wipe it with wet cloth, liquids or water etc.

# 11 Disposal



Note: This symbol indicates that this product and its peripheral accessories must be recycled and processed; do not discard directly with trash in order to prevent environmental pollution.



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