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Stamolys CA71CR

Chromium analyzer

Compact photometric analysis system for the chromium measurement in industrial applications



Application

- \blacksquare Chromium monitoring in industrial sewage treatment plants
- Chromium monitoring in process industry

Your benefits

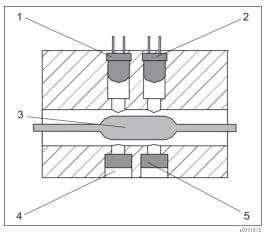
- Stainless steel or glass-fibre reinforced carbon housing available
- Two channel version available
- Measured value storage using integrated data logger
- Automatic calibration and self-cleaning
- Free selectable measuring, cleaning and calibration intervals

Function and system design

Measuring principle

After sample conditioning, the analyzer sample pump conveys a part of the filtrate to a mixing vessel. The reagent pump adds reagent at a specific ratio. As a result of the reaction, the sample turns a characteristic colour. The photometer determines the sample's absorption of an emitted light at a specific wavelength (s. Fig., Pos. 2). The wavelength is parameter specific. The absorbance is proportional to the concentration of the specified parameter in the sample (Pos. 3). Additionally, the absorption of a reference light is determined to receive a genuine measuring result. The reference signal is subtracted from the measuring signal to prevent any effects due to turbidity, contamination and ageing of the LEDs.

The temperature in the photometer is controlled thermostatically so that the reaction is reproducible and takes place within a short period of time.



- 1 Reference LED
- 2 Emitter LED
- 3 Sample
- 4 Reference detector
- 5 Measuring detector

Photometric principle

Chromium and chromate

Chromium appears in various oxidation numbers of which only the triad (Cr^{3+}) and the hexavalent forms (chromate, $Cr_2O_7^{2-}$) are of significance.

Chromate is used in galvanic baths and as a corrosion inhibitor in cooling towers. Chromium is also used in leather tanning, in the Photographic and Pigment Industry and for producing stainless steel. It gets into the water cycle through wastewater.

Chromate is known to be carcinogenic. Chromate concentrations of more than 3 μ g/litre in drinking water indicate possible pollution from industrial sources. Concentrations above 50 μ g/litre are sufficient grounds to reject the water supply.

Photometric chromate determination

Diphenyle carbacide method

Under acidic conditions, chromate and diphenyle carbacide (DPC) form a red-violet chelate complex. In this reaction chromate is reduced while DPC is oxidised to diphenyle carbacone.

With this method only Cr(VI) ions can be determined. Complex bonded chromate cannot be determined. The absorption is determined at a wavelength of 565 nm. The absorption intensity is proportional to the chromate concentration in the sample.

The reference wavelength is 880 nm.

Interferences

No interferences up to the given concentration:

Concentration [mg/l]	Interference					
1,000	CI-					
500	Na+, K+, Ca ²⁺					
100	Ag ⁺					
70	Cd ²⁺					
50	SO ₄ ²⁻ , CO ₃ ²⁻ , NO ₃ ⁻ , Zn ²⁺ , Ni ²⁺ , Co ²⁺					
10	Cu ²⁺ , Pb ²⁺ , Hg ²⁺					
4	Fe ³⁺					
1	Fe ²⁺ , Sn ²⁺					

Higher iron or copper concentrations cause decreases in measured value, while higher lead, mercury or tin contents cause increases in chromate measured value. Undissolved chromium cannot be determined by the current method.

Amines interfer in every concentration.

Sample conditioning

Micro/ultrafiltration (Stamoclean CAT430, optional)

A membrane filter element is suspended directly into the wastewater basin or channel. A hose pump is located in a pump box on the basin rim. The pump creates a vacuum between the membrane and the carrier plate of the filter element. This vacuum makes the filtrate pass through the filter membrane. Suspended materials, particles, algae and bacteria are collected on the surface of the membrane.

Due to alternating pumping and pause, intervals of more than one month are achieved between cleaning cycles. Parallel connection of two or four filter elements increases the sampling quantity up to approx. 1 l/h. The hose pump pressure transports the sample to a collecting vessel near the analyzer over a distance of 20 m. For distances up to 100 m the sample is transported to the collecting vessel by means of compressed air. The analyzers suck the needed sample volume from the collecting vessel.

Membrane filtration (Stamoclean CAT411, optional)

A sample flow of 0.8 to $1.8 \text{ m}^3/\text{h}$ is continuously conducted through the micro filter via a pressure pipe. A part of the sample passes the filter membrane and is then conveyed to the measuring device as filtrate.

Sampling is based on the cross flow filtration principle. The PTFE filter membrane separates particles with sizes $> 0.45 \ \mu m$ from the filtrate. These particles are collected in front of the membrane and are washed away with the sample flow.

The medium is conducted in a meander-like channel through the filter element. This results in a constantly high flow rate. The high flow rate generates the self cleaning effect. Therefore, mechanical drives for the generation of a flow at the filter surface are not necessary.

Backwash filter (Stamoclean CAT221, optional)

A sample flow of 1 to $2.5~\text{m}^3/\text{h}$ is permanently conveyed through the backwash filter by means of a sampling pump or compressed air or rinse water. The filtrate passes through the wedge wire sieve and is then transported to the measuring device.

Clogging is minimized by the flow at the wedge wire sieve. Automatic backwashing results in a filter operating time of several weeks.

The automatic backwashing and a small compressor or compressed air resp. rinse water supply guarantee low-maintenance and low-energy operation.

Customer specific solution

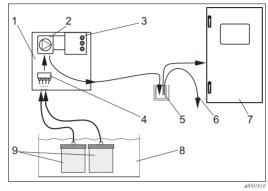
Before analysis, the sample has to be conditioned and to be transported to an external or to the delivered collecting vessel.

Measuring system

A complete measuring system comprises:

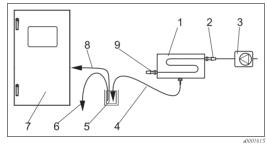
- An analyzer
- A sample conditioning system (optionally):
 - Micro filtration / ultra filtration Stamoclean CAT430 or Stamoclean CAT411
 - Backwash filter Stamoclean CAT221
 - Customer specific solution
- Collecting vessel (see product structure)

Micro / ultra filtration



Measuring system with Stamoclean CAT430

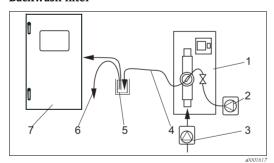
- 1 Control box
- 2 Pump
- 3 Control unit
- 4 Collecting unit (optional)
- 5 Collecting vessel
- 6 Overflow
- 7 Analyzer
- 8 Aeration basin
- 9 Membrane filter



Measuring system with Stamoclean CAT411

- Stamoclean CAT411
- 2 Inlet
- 3 Sample pump or hydraulic main
- 4 Filtrate line
- 5 Collecting vessel
- 6 Overflow
- 7 Analyzer
- 8 Analyzer sample line
- 9 Outlet

Backwash filter



Measuring system with Stamoclean CAT221

- Stamoclean CAT221
- 2 Compressor or compressed air
- 3 Sample pump or hydraulic main
- 4 Sample outlet
- 5 Collecting vessel
- 6 Overflow
- 7 Analyzer

Input

Measured variable	Cr (VI) [mg/l]			
Measuring ranges	0.10 2.50 mg/l (CR-A) 0.20 5.00 mg/l (CR-B)			
Wavelength	565 nm			
Reference wavelength	880 nm			

Output

Output signal	0/4 20 mA				
Signal on alarm	Contacts: 2 limit contacts (per channel), 1 system alarm contact optional: end of measurement (with two channel version display of channel no. available)				
Load	max. 500 Ω				
Data interface	RS 232 C				
Data logger	1024 data pairs per channel with date, time and measured value 100 data pairs with date, time and measured value for calibration factor determination (diagnostic tool)				
Load capacity	230 V / 115 V AC max. 2 A, 30 V DC max. 1 A				

Power supply

Electrical connection



Caution!

The following figure ($\rightarrow \square$ 1) shows the connection department sticker as an example. Terminal assignment and cable core colors can be different to the originals.

For connecting your analyzer only use the terminal assignment of the connection department sticker in the device $(\rightarrow \bigcirc 2)!$

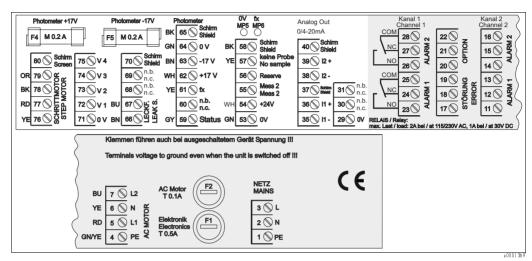


Fig. 1: Example of the connection sticker

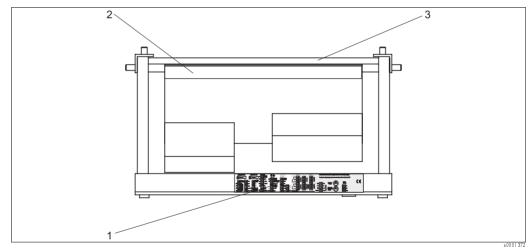


Fig. 2: Analyzer from top (open version resp. swung out)

- 1 Connection department sticker
- 2 Printed circuit board with terminal strip
- 3 Backside of the analyzer

Supply voltage 115 V AC / 230 V AC ±10%, 50/60 Hz			
Power consumption	approx. 50 VA		
Current consumption	approx. 0.2 A at 230 V approx. 0.5 A at 115 V		
Fuses	1 x time-lag 0.5 A for electronics 2 x medium time-lag 0.2 A for photometer 1 x time-lag 0.5 A for motors		

Performance characteristics

Time between two measurements	t_{mes} = reaction time + rinse time + waiting time + rinse again time + filling time + sampling time + reagent refusal time (min. waiting time = 0 min)
Maximum measured error	$\pm 2~\%$ of measuring range end
Measuring interval	t _{mes} to 120 min
Reaction time	1 minute
Sample requirement	15 ml (0.004 US.gal.) per measurement
Reagent requirement	3 x 0.21 ml (0.000055 US.gal) 0.91 l (0.24 US.gal) per reagent per month with 10 minute measuring interval
Calibration interval	0 to 720 h
Rinse interval	0 to 720 h
Rinse time	selectable from 20 to 300 s (standard = 60 s)
Rinse again time	30 s
Filling time	22 s
Maintenance interval	6 months (typical)
Servicing requirement	15 minutes per week (typical)

Environment

Ambient temperature	5 40 °C (41 104 °F), avoid strong fluctuations below the condensation limit, installation in usual, clean rooms outdoor installation only possible with protective devices (customer supplied)				
Humidity					
Ingress protection	IP 43				

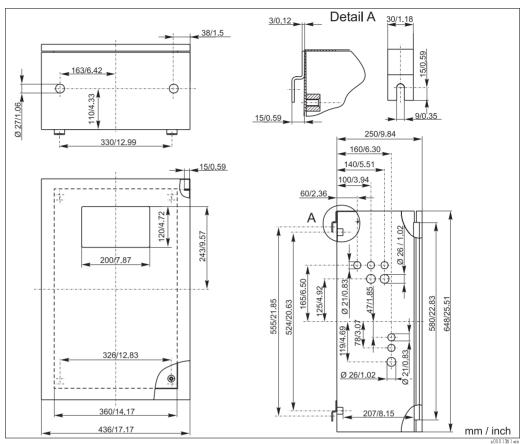
Process

Sample temperature	5 to 40 °C (41 to 104 °F)			
Sample flow rate	min. 5 ml (0.0013 US.gal.) per min			
Consistence of the sample	low solid content (< 50 ppm)			
Sample inlet	pressureless			

Mechanical construction

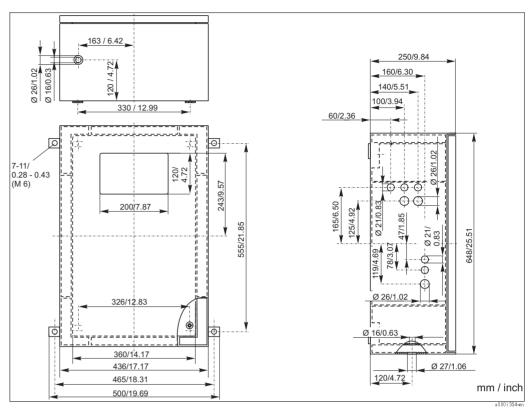
Design, dimensions

Stainless steel housing



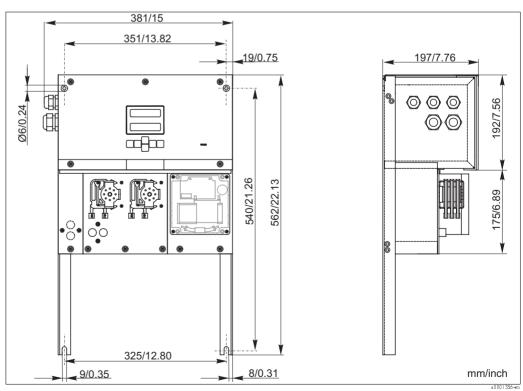
Stainless steel version

GFR housing



GFR version

Open version



Open version (without housing)



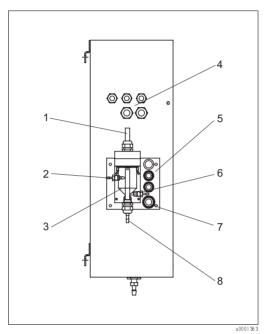
Note!

With the open version, you need an additional platform for the reagents. Mount this platform max. 35 cm (14 inch) below the pumps. The reagent bottels have the following dimensions: $90 \times 90 \times 215 \text{ mm}$ (3.54 x 5.54 x 8.46 inch). The number of bottles varies from 2 to 5 depending on the analyzer version.

For some versions, the outlet pipe must be installed right of the analyzer. See the supplement to the Operating Instructions.

The outlet pipe must be mounted to a wall so that the sample outlet hoses from the photometer have a gradient of 5 to 10 %. If neccessary, extend the hoses.

Collecting vessel



4 x Ø 6.6 Ø 34/25 4 x Ø 5.5/10.4 Ø 56 Ø 50H7 Ø 24

Collecting vessel at analyzer (optional)

- Ventilation
- Sample inlet from sampling 2
- Collecting vessel 3
- 4 Electrical connections
- Analyzer sample inlet

Collecting vessel dimensions

- variable, freely adjustable dimensions
- 6 Sampling for analyzer
- Analyzer outlet
- 8 Sample overflow

Weight	
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GFR housing approx. 28 kg (61.7 lb) Stainless steel housing approx. 33 kg (72.8 lb) Without housing approx. 23 kg (50.6 lb)

Material

Housing: Stainless steel 1.4301 (AISI 304) or

glass-fibre reinforced carbon(GFR)

Polycarbonate[®] Front windows: C-Flex®, Norprene® Endless hose: Tygon®, Viton® Pump hose: Tygon[®], silicone Valves:

Connecting the sample line

One channel version

Collecting vessel (at analyzer, with or without level measurement)

Connection hose ID 3.2 mm (0.13")

Customer collecting vessel

Connection hose ID 1.6 mm (0.06")

Max. distance from collecting vessel to analyzer 1 m (3.28 ft) Max. height difference from collecting vessel to analyzer 0.5 m (1.64 ft)

Two channel version

- Depending on the ordered version, one or two collecting vessels (with or without level measurement) are included in the scope of delivery.
- Level measurement is only possible for one channel.
- Only one collecting vessel can be mounted at the housing. The second is to be placed nearby the analyzer.

Sample outlet

Connection Hose ID 6.4 mm (0.25")

 $-\,$ Max. length of closed loop: 1 m (3.28 ft)

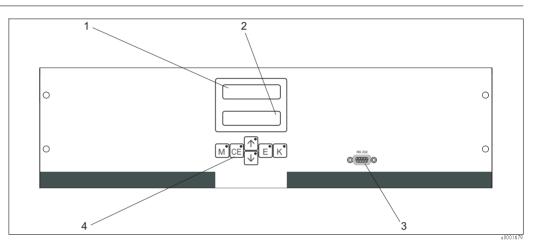
- Open outlet downgrade installed

- No combination of several devices to a closed-loop system

Min. volume per measurement 20 ml (0.005 US.gal.)

Human Interface

Display and operating elements



Display and operating elements

- 1 LED (measured value)
- 2 LC display (measured value and status)
- 3 Serial interface RS 232
- 4 Operating keys and control LEDs

Certificates and approvals

C € approval

Declaration of conformity

The product meets the legal requirements of the harmonised European standards. The manufacturer confirms compliance with the standards by affixing the CE symbol.

Test reports

Quality certificate

Depending on the order code, you receive a quality certificate.

With the certificate the manufacturer confirms compliance with all technical regulations and the successful individual testing of your product.

Ordering information

Product structure

	Meas	suring	uring range					
	Α	0.1 2.5 mg/l Cr (VI)						
	В	0.2	0.2 5 mg/l Cr (VI)					
	Y	Specia	Special version acc. to customer;s specification					
		Samp	le tran	sfer				
		1						version)
		2	From t	wo mea	suring po	oints (tw	o-ch ann	el version)
			Powe	r supp	ly			
			0	230 V	AC / 50) Hz		
			1	115 V	AC / 60) Hz		
			2		AC / 60			
			3 230 V AC / 50 Hz					
				Collecting vessel for up to 3 analyzers				
				Α			ting vess	
				В		-		rithout level measurement
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				D With two collecting vessels without level measurement [two-channel version]				
					Hous	ing vei	sion	
					1	Withou	ut housin	g
					2	With C	GFR hous	ing
				3 With stainless steel 1.4301 (AISI 304) housing				
						Com	munica	tion
						Α	0/4	20 mA, RS 232
							Addit	ional equipment
							1	Quality certificate
							2	Quality certificate + set of inactive reagents
							3	Quality certificate + three sets of inactive reagents
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Scope of delivery

The scope of delivery comprises:

- an analyzer with mains plug
- a cleaning injector
- a tin of silicone spray
- a Norprene hose, length 2.5 m (8.2 ft), ID 1.6 mm (0.06")
- **a** C-flex hose, length 2.5 m (8.2 ft), ID 6.4 mm (0.25")
- **a** C-flex hose, length 2.5 m (8.2 ft), ID 3.2 mm (0.12")
- two hose fittings of each size:
 - 1.6 mm x 1.6 mm (0.06" x 0.06")
 - 1.6 mm x 3.2 mm (0.06" x 0.12")
 - 6.4 mm x 3.2 mm (0.25" x 0.12")
- two T-hose fittings of each size:
 - 1.6 mm x 1.6 mm x 1.6 mm (0.06" x 0.06" x 0.06")
 - 3.2 mm x 3.2 mm x 3.2 mm (0.12" x 0.12" x 0.12")
- 4 edge covers
- a quality certificate
- Operating Instructions (English).



Note!

Please, order reagents separately with analyzer version CA71XX-XXXXXX1.

With all other versions, inactive reagents are included in the scope of delivery. You have to mix the reagents before using them. Please, read the instructions attached to the reagents.

Accessories

Reagents and standard solutions	 Reagent set active, 1 l reagents CR1+CR2 each; order no. CAY846-V10AAE Reagent set inactive, 1 l reagents CR1+CR2 each; order no. CAY846-V10AAH Standard solution 1 mg/l Cr (VI); order no. CAY848-V10C10AAE Standard solution 2 mg/l Cr (VI); order no. CAY848-V10C20AAE
Cleaner for hoses	 Cleaning agent, alkaline, 100 ml; order no. CAY746-V01AAE Cleaning agent, acidic, 100 ml; order no. CAY747-V01AAE
Collecting vessel	for sampling from pressurised systemsresults in an unpressurised continuous sample stream
	 Collecting vessel without level measurement; order no. 51512088 Collecting vessel with level measurement (conductive); order no. 51512089
Maintenance kit	 Maintenance kit CAV 740: 1 set pump hoses yellow/blue 1 set pump hoses black/black 1 set hose connectors per hose set order no. CAV 740-1A
Additional accessories	 Interference suppressor for control, power and signal lines order no. 51512800 Silicon spray order no. 51504155 Valve set, 2 pieces, for two-channel version order no. 51512234 Upgrade kit for upgrading from one-channel to two-channel version order no. 51512640

Documentation

- Technical Information Stamoclean CAT430, TI 338C/07/en
- Technical Information Stamoclean CAT411, TI 349C/07/en
 Technical Information Stamoclean CAT221, TI 384C/07/en

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