

Kelman TRANSPORT X

Portable DGA and moisture in oil

Dissolved Gas Analysis (DGA) has long been recognized as the single most powerful technique for fault detection/prediction in mineral oil filled transformers. It has been at the forefront of progressive utilities' monitoring strategies for the last four decades to avoid expensive failures, extend the life of their ageing assets and help develop an asset replacement strategy.

Gas and moisture measurements have traditionally been performed by collecting an oil sample on site and sending it to a remote laboratory that would process the sample and eventually provide gas measurements that would then need to be analyzed by an expert. The length (and cost) of the cycle can vary from several hours to several days depending on the location and urgency.

The Kelman™ TRANSPORT X is a fully portable device that can be easily carried to site and quickly setup to analyze oil samples in the field. It can perform a full DGA and moisture measurement in approximately 30 minutes, enabling assessment of the situation on site. Hence it has often been referred to as a "lab in a box".

It is capable of analyzing mineral insulating oil for diagnostic gases and moisture to a resolution and accuracy comparable to that achieved in the laboratory. The Kelman TRANSPORT X has an embedded PC which allows for immediate analysis of the results utilizing popular embedded standard transformer diagnostic algorithms.

Key Benefits

- Fully portable and economical
- Measurement of all 7 diagnostic gases and moisture in oil
- Simple to use with on-screen step by step instructions
- Fast and full diagnostic in approximately 30 minutes
- Immediate insight into transformer condition
- Perfect for responding to alarms, trip events and for urgent field decision making
- Ideal complement to GE's single gas online DGA monitors for transformer diagnostics

Applications

As the average age of generation, transmission and distribution transformers increases, the possibility of rapid deterioration and even catastrophic failures also increases. Traditional annual lab DGA analysis is no longer sufficient and can now be complemented or even replaced with on-site DGA analysis using the Kelman TRANSPORT X.

The Kelman TRANSPORT X offers power utility and industrial sector customers accurate, economical and portable dissolved gas analysis and diagnostic in an easy to use portable field instrument. It is suited for monitoring mineral oil filled devices including:

- GSU and transmission transformers
- Mission critical industrial transformers
- Distribution transformers
- Buchholz relay gas

- Tap changer tanks
- Oil filled bushings
- Instrument transformers
- Oil filled circuit breakers

Full Portability

- Standalone DGA instrument capable of measuring all diagnostic gases plus moisture
- Controlled via touchscreen and embedded PC, no requirement for separate computer
- No consumable gases means this unit can operate autonomously in the field indefinitely
- Unit is just 11kg (24lb) and is contained within a rugged carry case

Cutting Edge Technology

- Automated headspace gas extraction
- State of the art Photo-Acoustic Spectroscopy (PAS) detector technology
- Capacitance moisture in oil sensor built-in within the instrument
- No field calibration required
- Capable of making a full DGA measurement in approximately 30 minutes

Ease of Use

- No consumable calibration or carrier gases necessary
- Minimal maintenance requirement
- Step by step instruction displayed on-screen
- Built-in printer for hard copy of results on site
- Over 16,000 records stored in internal memory
- Synchronizes results directly to GE's Perception™ software for historical analysis
- Easy CSV export format

Built-in Diagnostics

- On-board internationally recognized DGA diagnostic methods (Duval's triangle, Roger's ratio, Key Gas Methods, Japanese ETRA)
- More diagnostics by uploading data to Perception™ software



Application Example

The Kelman Transport \boldsymbol{X} is the ideal partner when used in conjunction with the GE line of single gas DGA monitors. These units (such as the Intellix™ GLA 100, Hydran™ 201Ti and Hydran M2) will monitor the transformer and raise an alarm when an abnormal level of fault gas is reached or when the rate of change of this gas level increases rapidly. Such events always require further investigation before a valid conclusion can be reached.

Traditionally, a sample would be taken and sent to a lab for analysis. This can be a lengthy process before a diagnostic can be made. By going to site with a Kelman Transport X, the sample can be taken and analyzed on site, giving comprehensive diagnostic information in approximately 30 minutes.



Intellix GLA 100





Hydran 201Ti Hvdran M2

Technical Specifications

MEASUREMENTS

Hydrogen (H₂) 5 - 5,000 ppm 1 - 50,000 ppm Carbon Monoxide (CO) 2 - 50,000 ppm Carbon Dioxide (CO2) Methane (CH₄) 1 - 50,000 ppm Acetylene (C₂H₂) 0.5 - 50,000 ppm Ethane (C₂H₆) 1 - 50,000 ppm 1 - 50,000 ppm Ethylene (C2H4)

Measurement Accuracy ±5% or ±2ppm (whichever is greater)

Moisture (H₂O) 0-100% relative humidity

Moisture in Oil Accuracy ±3ppm

*Accuracy quoted is the accuracy of the detectors during calibration; gas-in-oil measurement accuracy may be affected by sampling, oil type, environmental conditions and/or product usage cycle.

Note: For Buchholz gas samples LDL is 50 ppm, accuracy is $\pm 30\%$, for all gases.

Operating Temperature Range 0 to +50°C (+32°F to +122°F) Operating Altitude
Operating Pressure Maximum 2.000m 760 - 1040 millibar 115 - 230 Vac, 50/60Hz; 40 W Power Supply Enclosure IP20 (operating)

Oil Sample Volume 50 ml Gas Sample Volume

453 mm x 357 mm x 176 mm (unit only), 18.5" x 14.1" x 6.9" (unit only)

11 kg (24 lbs) (unit only)

Weight

FEATURES

6.5 inch, Color, Touchscreen LCD Size Resolution 640 x 480 Computer interface LISB CSV file format Output Hardcopy output 2 inch thermal printer

ADDITIONAL OPTIONS

Gas check kit for verification of on-going accuracy

Kit for collection and analysis of Buchholtz gas samples

Transit case provides extra protection during air travel and harsh environment transportation (IP66 rating when closed)

Sample cooler box to rapidly cool hot oil samples for immediate analysis, doubles as a secure sample transportation container $\,$

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