

ALTAIR® 5X Multigas Detector

With MSA XCell® Sensor Technology



IT'S WHAT'S INSIDE THAT COUNTS Now with advanced PID for VOC detection

Save Time, Save Money, Save Lives

Building upon decades of sensor design experience, MSA has revolutionized sensor technology with design breakthroughs that improve performance.

- XCell exotic SO₂, NO₂, Cl₂, and NH₃ Sensors for expanded monitoring applications
- Sensor response and clear times in less than
 15 seconds for most common sensor configurations
- Bump test in less than 15 seconds for most common sensor configurations
- Span calibration time of 60 seconds for most common sensor configurations
- Greater signal stability and repeatability under changing or extreme environmental conditions
- All XCell Sensors are capable of plug-and-play installation for easy reconfiguration,

With reliable, extended-life XCell Sensors, there's no need to replace sensors after two years.

- Typical life greater than four years for combustible, O₂, CO/H₂S, NO₂, and SO₂ sensors
- Typical life greater than three years for NH₃ and Cl₂ sensors
- Combustible sensor proprietary operating mode helps maintain poison-resistance throughout sensor life
- End-of-sensor-life warning gives advanced notice to user, reducing service outages

Three-year back-to-back instrument warranty includes CO/H₂S/O₂/LEL/SO₂, NO₂ XCell and IR sensors

Two-year warranty on NH₃ and Cl₂; minimum 12-month warranty on other sensors

Count on the ALTAIR 5X Multigas Detector

Exclusive MotionAlert™ and InstantAlert™ features make the ALTAIR 5X Multigas Detector ideal for applications such as confined space monitoring. **MotionAlert** feature activates when a user becomes disabled and motionless, quickly alerting others as to the disabled user's location. And with a simple push of a button, **InstantAlert** feature enables users to manually warn others of potentially hazardous situations.

The ALTAIR 5X Detector is the long-life leader. To prove it, the instrument comes with a full three-year warranty,* an entire year longer than the industry average, so that you can depend upon the ALTAIR 5X Detector to withstand the punishment that other portable gas detectors can't.



Online Training and Product Simulation



MSA's online training and Web content include the ALTAIR 5X Multigas Detector simulator that takes viewers through instrument operation. This tool is found at www.msasafety.com/altair5x.

MSA-U® Training Center is a feature-rich online training center that offers specific care and use training for the ALTAIR 5X Detector. Detailed training reports are available for managers, while an end-of-course quiz ensures effective training with feedback on incorrect test answers. Visit www.MSAsafety.com/msau.

 $^{{\}it *Three-year warranty is for most common sensor configurations}.$

IT'S WHAT'S INSIDE THAT COUNTS

WORKERS who face potentially hazardous situations deserve the best protection available. At MSA, we work tirelessly to build smarter, better gas detection instruments upon which people of the world rely. First we introduced MSA's advanced technology with the ALTAIR 4X Multigas Detector with XCell Sensors. Now we're proud to offer the most advanced sensor technology available in a six-gas portable instrument:

the ALTAIR 5X Multigas Detector with XCell Sensor Technology and PID option.

Built upon Durability

The ALTAIR 5X Multigas Detector for LEL, O_2 and toxic gas detection is as tough and functional as it looks. A rugged, rubberized polycarbonate housing provides unsurpassed durability, including the ability to survive a 10-foot drop. Inside, a field-proven integral pump provides consistent gas flow without the concerns of externally-attached components. Ergonomic design, glove-friendly buttons and high-contrast display make the ALTAIR 5X Multigas Detector easy to use for all applications.



Powered by Performance

Toughness and durability are only part of the story. The real strength of the ALTAIR 5X Multigas Detector comes from state-of-the-art sensor technology. By miniaturizing sensor-controlling electronics and placing them inside the sensor itself, MSA XCell Sensors offer superior stability, accuracy, repeatability, and a typical life of more than double the industry average.

MSA XCell Sensors are a breakthrough in chemical and mechanical sensor design, enabling faster response and span calibration times, saving you time, calibration gas, maintenance costs, and in turn, money. But most importantly, saving seconds in response time can also mean saving lives.

In addition to MSA XCell Sensors, the ALTAIR 5X Detectorcan be equipped with advanced PID options for VOC detection. Our wide variety of IR sensors covers many gases and ranges including CO_2 .

ADDING MICROELECTRONICS inside the sensors provides more control and higher performance than previous generations.

Flexibility & Connectivity to Meet Your Needs

MSA's ALTAIR 5X Multigas Detector is configurable with either high-resolution color or monochrome LCD display with 18 built-in languages. MSA's Logo Express® Service is available to customize the color display. Interchangeable plug-and-play slots for MSA XCell Sensors indicated means that up to six gases can be monitored simultaneously.

The ALTAIR 5X Detector is fully compatible with the MSA GALAXY® GX2 Automated Test System and MSA Link™ Pro and MSA Link Software to efficiently manage your entire fleet.



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ALTAIR 5X Multigas Detector Features

FULLY COMPATIBLE WITH MSA LINK AND LINK PRO SOFTWARE AND MSA GALAXY GX2 TEST SYSTEM

VARIETY OF OPTIONAL MSA INFRARED SENSORS

ROBUST INTEGRAL PUMP FOR CONSISTENT FLOW AND IMPROVED DURABILITY

HIGH CONTRAST COLOR OR MONOCHROME DISPLAY

ADVANCED OPTIONAL VOC DETECTION

18 LANGUAGE OPTIONS

LARGE BUTTONS FOR EASY OPERATION



ADVANCED MOTIONALERT

AND INSTANTALERT

FEATURES

MSA XCELL SENSORS

BLUETOOTH WIRELESS CONNECTIVITY

24-HOUR BUMP CHECKMARK

XCELL SENSOR END-OF-LIFE INDICATOR

DURABLE, RUBBERIZED HOUSING FOR SECURE GRIP

MSA-exclusive feature



Complete Solutions

The ALTAIR 5X Detector with advanced PID (photoionization) sensor option sets the gas detection bar even higher to meet evolving and diverse needs for VOC detection.

PIDs are required tools not only for industrial hygiene,
HazMat and specialized detection applications,
but are increasingly a key element for safety teams
and industrial operations. The unmatched durability
of the ALTAIR 5X Detector with advanced XCell Sensor
technology is now combined with PID to provide
a complete platform for users around the world.
What's more, PID instrument data can now seamlessly
integrate into MSA's proven fleet management
infrastructure.



Bluetooth Wireless Technology

By incorporating Bluetooth as a standard feature, MSA brings the benefits of wireless safety to everyone.

By downloading the free MSA ALTAIR Connect App from Google Play, any compatible Android device becomes an enhanced safety and productivity tool when paired with the ALTAIR 5X Detector.

- Get gas detection readings and man-down alerts
- · Configure instruments remotely
- · Automate gas detector records and events
- Drive greater productivity and greater workflow efficiency
- Achieve supervisory awareness of worker safety
- · Send gas alarms via text











Technical Specifications

Gas type	Range Resolution		
COMBUSTIBLE	0-100% LEL	1% LEL	
COMBUSTIBLE	0-5% Vol, CH ₄	0.05% Vol CH ₄	
OXYGEN	0-30%Vol	0.1%Vol	
CARBON MONOXIDE	0-2000 ppm	1 ppm	
CARBON MONOXIDE	0-10,000 ppm	10,000 ppm 5 ppm	
HYDROGEN SULFIDE	0-200 ppm	0-200 ppm 1 ppm	
HYDROGEN SULFIDE - LC	0-100 ppm	0.1 ppm	
SULFUR DIOXIDE	0-20 ppm	ppm 0.1 ppm	
CHLORINE	0-10 ppm	0.05 ppm	
AMMONIA	0-100 ppm	1 ppm	
NITROGEN DIOXIDE	0-20 ppm	0.1 ppm	
NITROGEN DIOXIDE (XCELL)	0-50 ppm	0.1 ppm	
CHLORINE DIOXIDE	0-1 ppm	0.01 ppm	
PHOSPHINE	0-5 ppm	0.05 ppm	
HYDROGEN CYANIDE	0-30 ppm	0.5 ppm	
CARBON DIOXIDE, CO2	0-10%Vol	0.01%Vol	
BUTANE, C4H10	0-25%Vol	0.1%Vol	
METHANE, CH4	0-100%Vol	1%Vol	
PROPANE, C3H8	0-100%Vol	1%Vol	
PID - 10.6EV	0-2000 ppm	0.1 ppm	

DROP TEST	10 feet			
HOUSING	Rugged rubberized armor			
WEIGHT	1 lb (without IR sensor)			
DIMENSIONS (L X W X D)	6.69" H x 3.49" W x 1.79" D without belt clip, PID, or IR sensor			
AUDIBLE ALARM	>95 dB typical			
VISUAL ALARM	2 ultra-bright LEDs, on top			
VIBRATING ALARM	Standard			
MOTION ALERT& INSTANT ALERT	Standard			
DISPLAY	High-contrast monochrome or color display			
BACKLIGHT	Adjustable time-out			
BATTERY	Rechargeable Li-ION or AA alkaline			
RUN TIME	20 hrs @ room temperature			
INGRESS PROTECTION	IP65			
STANDARD WARRANTY	3 years on CO, H ₂ S, LEL, O ₂ , SO ₂ , and IR sensors 2 years on NH ₃ , Cl ₂ sensors 1 year on other sensors			

For additional customized versions and calibration gases, use MSA's ATO ordering sheet or contact MSA Customer Service at 1-800-MSA-2222.

Ordering Information

DESCRIPTION	DN		UI	P/N	CSA P/N		
INSTRUMENT ONLY KITS							
ALTAIR 5X [TAIR 5X DETECTOR MONO, (LEL, O ₂ , CO, H ₂ S)		10116924		10115118		
ALTAIR 5X [IR 5X DETECTOR MONO, (LEL, O ₂ , CO, H ₂ S, SO ₂)				10115119		
	ALTAIR 5X DETECTOR COLOR, (LEL, O ₂ , CO, H ₂ S, PID)		101165445				
STANDARD KITS - MONOCHROME DISPLAY, 10-FT SAMPLING LINE, 1-FT PROBE							
ALTAIR 5X DETECTOR MONO, (LEL, O ₂ , CO, H ₂ S)		10116926 10115120					
	LITAIN 5X DETECTOR MONO, (LEL, O ₂ , CO, H ₂ S, SO ₂)				10115141		
DELUXE KITS - COLOR DISPLAY, 10-FT SAMPLING LINE, 1-FT PROBE							
ALTAIR 5X DETECTOR COLOR, (LEL, O ₂ , CO, H ₂ S)			10116928 10115142				
	NATION SX DETECTOR COLOR, (LEL, O ₂ , CO, H ₂ S, SO ₂)				10115143		
	ALTAIR 5X DETECTOR COLOR, (LEL, O ₂ , CO, H ₂ S, SO ₂)		10110929				
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ALTAIR 5X GALAXY GX2 AUTOMATED TEST SYSTEM – N. America Configuration							
	1 CYLINDER, CHARGING		10128626				
	UP TO 4 CYLINDERS, CHARGING		10128625				
	1 CYLINDER, NON-CHAR	GING	101	28628			
	UP TO 4 CYLINDERS, NON-CHARGING		10128627				
CALIBRATIO	ON GAS						
Description				Part No.			
		34 I	L	58 L	116L		
1.4	5% CH4, 15% O₂, 60 PPM CO, 20 PPM H₂S	10048280		10045035	10150595		
1.45% CH ₄	, 15% O ₂ , 60 PPM CO, 20 PPM H ₂ S, 10 PPM SO ₂	10098855		10117738	10150622		
		34 L		58 L	100L		
	100 PPM ISOBUTYLENE	<u> </u>			494450		
SENSOR SP	ARE PARTS/REPLACEMENTS						
	KIT, XCell Ex SENSOR, COMBUSTIBLE	10106722					
	KIT, XCell O ₂ SENSOR KIT, XCell CO/H ₂ S TWO-TOX SENSOR	10106729					
	KIT, XCell CO/H ₂ S I WO-TOX SENSOR	10106725 10121213					
KIT	T, XCell CO H ₂ -RES/H ₂ S TWO-TOX SENSOR	10121213					
	KIT, XCELL CO-HC SENSOR	10121214					
	KIT, XCell NO ₂ /CO TWO-TOX SENSOR	10121217					
	KIT, REPLACEMENT, HCN			10106375			
	KIT, XCell Cl ₂ SENSOR REPLACEMENT	10106728					
	KIT, REPLACEMENT, CIO ₂	10080222					
	KIT, XCell SO ₂ SENSOR REPLACEMENT	10106727					
	KIT, REPLACEMENT, NO ₂ KIT, XCell NH ₃ SENSOR REPLACEMENT	10080224					
	KIT, REPLACEMENT, PH ₃	10106726 10116638					
	KIT, REPLACEMENT, NO	10114750					
	KIT, REPLACEMENT, PID 10.6EV SENSOR	10165271					
ACCESSORI	ES						
	USB IR RECEIVER	10082834					
	BATTERY PACK, ALKALINE			10114837			
CERTIFICAT	IONS/APPROVALS						
USA	Class I, Division 1, Groups A, B, C & D Class II, Division 1, Groups E, F & G Class III, Division 1 Ambient temperature: -40°C to +50°C; T4						
ALTAIR 5X Multigas Detector with alkaline battery pack T3/T4							

ALTAIR 5X or ALTAIR 5X iR Multigas Detector with rechargeable battery pack T4

Authorised distributor



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