## <mark>HFC-Monitor</mark>

Hand-Foot-Clothing Contamination Monitor with large-area, thin-layer plastic scintillation detectors



Monitor for checking personnel before leaving a radiation controlled area.

## System Characteristics

- modern detector technology based on thin-layer plastic scintillation detectors
  no gas-filled detectors therefore considerable reduction of operating costs
  no gas supply required
- suitable for  $\alpha$  and  $\beta/\gamma$ -contamination measurement
- measuring electronics based on industrial grade PC
- operator-friendly user interface, large-area colour-LCD display for indication of measurement values
- nuclide selection menu, user-related nuclide pre-selection possible
- hand probe detachable therefore no additional frisker probe required
- integrated calibration software for quality check
- ergonomic housing design
- network-compatible
- link of HFC-monitors to central database with parameter setting features



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## **Technical Data**

Detector type:	large-area, thin-layer plastic scintillation detectors (PSD) with ZnS-coating for $\alpha$ and $\beta/\gamma$ measurements with integrated photomultiplier and detector electronics	Typ C-14
	For typical sensitivities see chart	CI-3
Measuring channels:		Co-
hands	2 PS-detectors (as desired also with 4 hand detectors)	Sr/\
- Hunds	1 detector per hand	I-13
	Start of measurement through light barriers	Am
• feet	2 PS-detectors, 1 detector per foot	Cs-
• body	right hand detector detachable for body measurement	
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Background		
subtraction:	with adjustable BG-measuring time, σ-threshold for new BG-me	asurem
Measuring		
electronics:	integrated industrial grade computer based on PC 104	
Keyboard:	foil keyboard	
Alarm:	separately adjustable for each detector	
Measuring value		
display:	selectable in cps or nuclide-related in Bq or Bq/cm <sup>2</sup> , integrated n	uclide
Measuring time:	adjustable in s	
Display:	large-area, graphic colour LCD display 10.4"	
Power requirement:	110 - 240 V, 50 - 60 Hz, 60 VA	
Dimensions:	approx. 1160 mm x 830 mm x 700 mm (h x w x d)	
Weight:	approx. 45 kg	
Housing:	ergonomically shaped plastic/stainless steel housing	
Interfaces:	- serial interface RS 232	
	- parallel printer interface	
	- external keyboard	

- USB-port
- network connection
- relay output for alarms

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Fig. 1: Detector display count rates of all detectors for function check



Fig. 3: Version with 2 detectors per hand, horizontally mounted

Typical sens	itivities:
C-14	8 %
CI-36	42 %
Co-60	22 %
Sr/Y-90	45 %
I-131	20 %
Am-241 α	13 %
Cs-137	35 %

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Fig. 3: Transponder for personrelated measurement



Fig. 4: Version with 2 detectors per hand, vertically mounted