



## Sensepoint XCD Remote Flammable Sensor

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The Sensepoint XCD Remote Flammable Sensor is a sensor for the detection of flammable gases, which is designed for use with the Sensepoint XCD RFD transmitter. It consists of two parts, the XCD sensor cartridge and the socket housing.

Two types of sensor are available: -

- Catalytic bead (CAT) - uses a catalytic pellistor sensor device
- Infrared (IR) – uses infrared technology. Versions for Methane, Propane and Carbon Dioxide are available.

All sensors provide a mV output which is used as part of a bridge measuring circuit.

The sensor must be fitted into a suitably approved Ex e or Ex d junction box fitted with an approved cable gland for external wiring.

Sensepoint XCD Remote Flammable Sensor is certified for hazardous areas to EN60079 / EN61241 and is protected against water and dust ingress to IP66 (with the weatherproof cap fitted). The sensor is available in M25 thread versions. The sensor accepts accessories from a specified range (see Accessories & Spare Parts).

### Information notices

The types of information notices used throughout this handbook are as follows:

#### WARNINGS

Indicates hazardous or unsafe practice that could result in severe injury or death to personnel.

**Caution: Indicates hazardous or unsafe practice which could result in minor injury to personnel, or product or property damage.**

*Note Provides useful/helpful/additional information.*

If more information outside the scope of this technical handbook is required please contact Honeywell Analytics.

### Associated Documents

SPXCDHMRFEFEN - Sensepoint XCD RFD Technical Manual

## 2. Safety

#### WARNINGS

1. This unit is intended for use at normal, or reduced, levels of atmospheric oxygen and pressure only, i.e. less than 21% oxygen and less than 1.1 bar. Oxygen deficient atmospheres (less than 10%V/V) may suppress the CAT sensor output.
2. Refer to local or national regulations relative to installation at the site. For Europe see EN60079-29-2, EN60079-14 and EN61241-14.
3. Operators should be fully aware of the action to be taken if the gas concentration exceeds the alarm level.
4. Installation should consider not only the best placing for gas leakage related to potential leak points, gas characteristics and ventilation, but also where the potential of mechanical damage is minimized or avoided.
5. Only assessed for ATEX for ignition hazards.

#### CAUTIONS

1. Atmospheres above 100% LEL may suppress the CAT sensor reading.
2. Do not modify or alter the sensor construction as essential safety requirements may be invalidated.
3. Install using suitably approved and certified Ex e or Ex d junction box, connectors and glands.
4. Dispose of in accordance with local disposal regulations. Materials used - Stainless Steel.
5. This equipment is designed and constructed as to prevent ignition sources arising, even in the event of frequent disturbances or equipment operating faults.  
*Note: The control card must have a suitably rated fuse.*

### 3. Installation

The Sensepoint XCD Remote Flammable Sensor should only be used with a Sensepoint XCD RFD Transmitter. The sensor can be located up to 30m (100 feet) from the transmitter. It must be fitted into a suitably approved Ex e or Ex d junction box fitted with an approved cable gland for external wiring.

Only a qualified installation engineer should install the sensor.

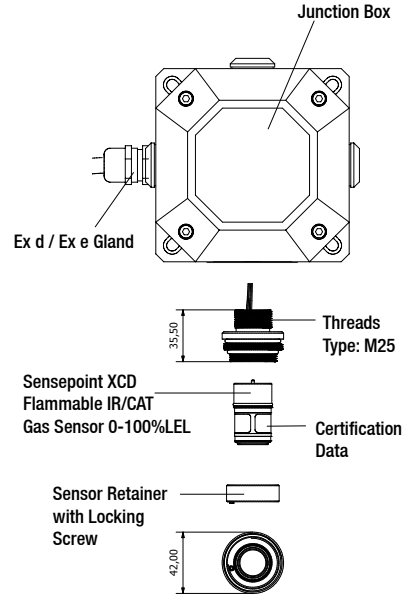
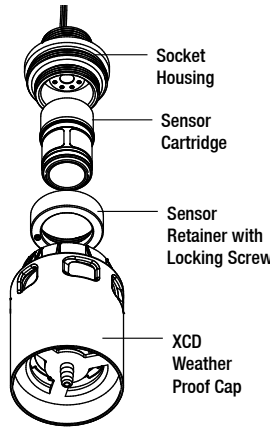
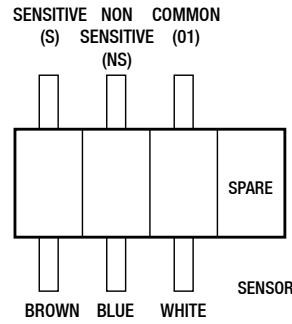
Install the sensor in a location free from direct heat sources. For optimum protection against water ingress ensure that the sensor is installed facing downwards. Mounting the sensor horizontally will impair IP rating and performance. The sensor must not point upwards.

1. Isolate all associated power supplies and ensure that they remain **OFF** during the installation procedure. Ensure a gas free atmosphere.
2. Install the junction box.  
*See the manufacturer's instructions.*
3. Remove the junction box lid.
4. Fit the Sensepoint XCD Remote Flammable sensor to the junction box.  
*Ensure that the junction box thread and the sensor thread are compatible. Push the sensor wires through the cable entry in the junction box and screw the sensor body firmly home into the entry. Lock the sensor in place with a suitable lock-nut.*
5. Fit the ferrite filter (supplied with the XCD RFD transmitter).  
*Open the ferrite filter, wind the sensor leads 2 turns round the ferrite filter and close the ferrite filter. Refer to the Sensepoint XCD RFD Technical Handbook for more detail.*
6. Connect the sensor wiring to the junction box terminal strip.  
*See the subsequent wiring diagram.*
7. Fit a suitable gland to the box, secure the control system cable and connect the field wiring to the terminal strip.  
*See the subsequent wiring diagram. Use multicore cable, three wire minimum, of conductor size 0.5 to 2.0mm<sup>2</sup> max. Recommendation is AWM2464 AWG20-AWG14 Shield.*
8. Refit the junction box lid.
9. Fit the Weatherproof Cap.

### 3. Installation

Refer to the Sensepoint XCD RFD Technical Handbook for instructions on commissioning, calibration and maintenance of the sensor.

#### Wiring Connections



### 4. Accessories and Certification

| Description  | Part Number  |
|--|--|
| Complete replacement sensor Cartridge:<br>• Flammable CAT 0-100%LEL<br>• Propane IR 0-100%LEL (20,0 to 100.0%LEL)<br>• Carbon Dioxide IR 0-2.00%VOL only<br>• Methane IR 0-100%LEL | SPXCDXSFXS*<br>SPXCDXSPXS*<br>SPXCDXSB1SS*<br>SPXCDXSRXS |
| Sensor Retainer with locking screw   | SPXCDSRLS  |
| XCD Weather proof cap  | S3KWP  |
| Junction Box   | 00780-A-0100   |

\*Contact Honeywell for availability

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The Sensepoint XCD Remote Flammable Sensor is a sensor for the detection of flammable gases, which is designed for use with the Sensepoint XCD RFD transmitter

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2004/108/EC EMC Directive  
94/9/EC ATEX Directive – Equipment for use in Potentially Explosive Atmospheres

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EN 50270:2006 Electromagnetic Compatibility – Electrical apparatus for the detection and measurement of combustible gases, toxic gases or oxygen. (EMC Test Report: KTL 09-2342-0007)  
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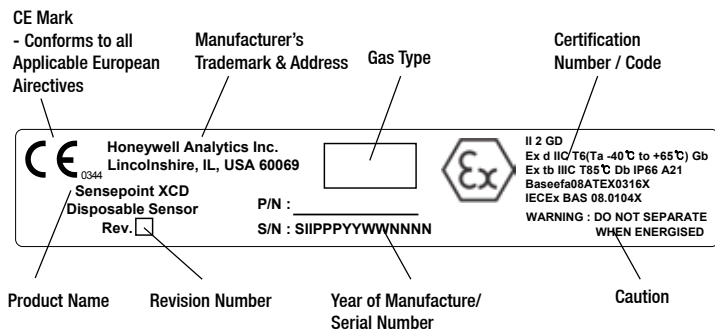
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