

Model 52-1-1 Personnel Beta/Gamma Portal Monitor



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Features

- Sets Up in Minutes
- Easy to Transport & Operate
- 4 Plastic Scintillator Side Detectors
- Angled Display for Ease of Use
- Detector LEDs Indicate Alarm Location
- 81 cm (32 in.) Wide Opening
- Meets FEMA-REP-21



Operation and display panel



Introduction

The Model 52-1-1 Portal Monitor is used for Beta/Gamma personnel contamination monitoring and meets the FEMA standard for Emergency Response Portal Monitoring (FEMA-REP-21). It is designed to be set up in five minutes or less without tools and then easily disassembled for convenient transportation and storage. The Model 52-1-1 includes a wheeled, lockable transport/storage case and a clear weather-protection sleeve.

This portal monitor can be operated in a walk-through basis with a quick scan occurring while a person is positioned within the portal. The non-volatile parameters are preset at the factory to detect a 1.0 μCi ^{137}Cs source in a 10 $\mu\text{R/hr}$ background field, in accordance with the FEMA standard. Microprocessor-based electronics ensure ease of setup and reliability. Daylight-visible status LEDs indicate count-cycle status. Loud audible signals that may be adjusted or turned off by the operator accompany the LEDs for additional indication. The Model 52-1 features flexible options for powering the device making it a versatile and portable for many situations. See details below.

Specifications

Part Number: 48-3258

SENSITIVITY: This instrument will detect the beta gamma emissions from a 1.0 μCi ^{137}Cs source when it is located at mid-frame of the portal monitor in a 10 $\mu\text{R/hr}$ background (per the suggested standard in FEMA report "Contamination Monitoring Standard for a Portal Monitor Used for Emergency Response," Sept. 1992).

DISPLAY (Setup): 2-line by 20-character LCD shows background rates from all detectors and sigma values above background, display is backlit when operated from AC power

DISPLAY (User): five large status LEDs on one side of portal, and detector LEDs to show alarm location

COUNT TIME: adjustable from 0-20 seconds ("0" setting is for walk-through mode)

LED INDICATORS:

- ENTER/CHECKING: (green LED) indicates system is ready for use, flashing LED indicates a count is in progress
- INCOMPLETE/UPDATING: (amber LED) indicates the user has vacated the portal before counting was completed or that an update is in progress
- ALARM: indicated by red LED and user-adjustable audible signal (greater than 60 dB at 61 cm [24 in.]
- FAILURE: (red LED) indicates a high or low background

INFRARED SENSOR: senses portal occupancy

PARAMETERS: all parameters are stored in non-volatile memory

DETECTORS: 4 ea. 2.75 L (168 in³) of plastic scintillators (total 11 L [672 in³])

OUTPUT: RS-232 and relay output connectors located on the bottom of the electronics chassis

TEMPERATURE RANGE: -20 to 50 °C (-4 to 122 °F)

CONSTRUCTION: aluminum housing with beige powder coat

PORTAL DIMENSIONS: 211 x 102 x 45 cm (83 x 40 x 17.5 in.) (H x W x L)

PORTAL INSIDE DIMENSIONS: 206 x 81 cm (81 x 32 in.) (H x W)

WEIGHT: 32 kg (70 lb), approximately 45 kg (100 lb) in case

POWER OPTIONS

- 85 to 250 Vac 50/60 Hz using supplied power supply (12 Vdc wall adapter)
- Supplied 12 Vdc cigarette lighter adapter cable
- 3 or 6 "D" cell batteries. Battery life: typically 69 hours for six batteries or 28 hours for three batteries

WEATHER PROTECTION: Crystal clear polypropylene tubing is provided to sleeve over monitor whenever protection against wet weather conditions is desired.

TRANSPORT/STORAGE CASE DIMENSIONS: 122 x 61 x 30.5 cm (48 x 24 x 12 in.) (H x W x D)

OPTIONAL VEHICLE MONITOR CONVERSION KIT FOR MODEL 52-1 SERIES: enables the user to reconfigure the Model 52-1 Series personnel portal monitor to a vehicle monitor. Includes stands and cable, monitor available separately. Part Number 4215-374



Right: Shown configured as vehicle monitor using optional Conversion Kit (P/N 4215-374)

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