

# CERTIFICATE

## of Product Conformity (QAL1)

Certificate No.: 0000040216\_02

**AMS designation:** Model 5030i SHARP with PM<sub>10</sub> pre-separator for suspended particulate matter PM<sub>10</sub>

**Manufacturer:** Thermo Fisher Scientific  
27, Forge Parkway  
Franklin, MA 02038  
USA

**Test Laboratory:** TÜV Rheinland Energy GmbH

This is to certify that the AMS has been tested and found to comply with the standards:  
VDI 4202-1 (2010), VDI 4203-3 (2010), EN 12341 (1998),  
Guide to the Demonstration of Equivalence of Ambient Air Monitoring Methods (2010),  
EN 15267-1 (2009) and EN 15267-2 (2009)

Certification is awarded in respect of the conditions stated in this certificate  
(this certificate contains 9 pages).

The present certificate replaces certificate 0000040216\_01 of 01 April 2019.



Suitability Tested  
Equivalent to  
2008/50/EC  
EN 15267  
Regular Surveillance  
[www.tuv.com](http://www.tuv.com)  
ID 0000040216

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(BAnz) of 01 April 2014

This certificate will expire on:  
30 June 2025

German Federal Environment Agency  
Dessau, 01 July 2020

TÜV Rheinland Energy GmbH  
Cologne, 30 June 2020



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Test institute accredited to EN ISO/IEC 17025 by DAkkS (German Accreditation Body).  
This accreditation is limited to the accreditation scope defined in the enclosure to certificate D-PL-11120-02-00.

<b>Test Report:</b>	936/21209885/G dated 20 September 2013
<b>Initial certification:</b>	01 April 2014
<b>Expiry date:</b>	30 June 2025
<b>Certificate:</b>	Renewal (of previous certificate 0000040216_01 dated 01 April 2019 valid until 30 June 2020)
<b>Publication:</b>	BAnz AT 01.04.2014 B12, chapter IV number 7.3

### **Approved application**

The certified AMS is suitable for continuous ambient air monitoring of suspended particulate matter, PM<sub>10</sub> (stationary operation).

The suitability of the AMS for this application was assessed on the basis of a laboratory test and a field test performed at four different sites and/or different periods.

The AMS is approved for an ambient temperature range of +5 °C to +40 °C.

The notification of suitability of the AMS, performance testing and the uncertainty calculation have been effected on the basis of the regulations applicable at the time of testing. As changes in legal provisions are possible, any potential user should ensure, in consultation with the manufacturer, that this AMS is suitable for monitoring the AMS readings relevant to the application.

Any potential user should ensure, in consultation with the manufacturer, that this AMS is suitable for the intended purpose.

### **Basis of the certification**

This certification is based on:

- Test report no. 936/21209885/G dated 20 September 2013 issued by TÜV Rheinland Energie und Umwelt GmbH
- Suitability announced by the German Federal Environment Agency (UBA) as the relevant body
- The ongoing surveillance of the product and the manufacturing process



Publication in the German Federal Gazette: BAnz AT 01.04.2014 B12, chapter IV number 7.3, UBA announcement dated 27 February 2014:

**AMS designation:**

Model 5030i SHARP with PM<sub>10</sub> pre-separator for suspended particulate matter PM<sub>10</sub>

**Manufacturer:**

Thermo Fisher Scientific, Franklin, USA

**Field of application:**

For continuous ambient air monitoring of suspended particulate matter, PM<sub>10</sub> (stationary operation)

**Measuring range during performance testing:**

Component	Certification range	Unit
PM <sub>10</sub>	0–1 000	µg/m <sup>3</sup>

**Software version:**

V02.00.00.232+

**Restrictions:**

None

**Notes:**

1. The requirements of the variation coefficient R<sup>2</sup> as per Standard EN 12341 were not fulfilled by both test systems for the locations Cologne (winter), Bornheim (summer) and Teddington (summer).
2. The reference equivalence function for Teddington (summer) is not within the limits of the acceptance range as per Standard EN 12341.
3. The measuring system complies with the requirements of guideline "Demonstration of Equivalence of Ambient Air Monitoring Methods" for the component PM<sub>10</sub>.
4. The measuring system must be operated inside a lockable measurement container.
5. The instrument must be calibrated on-site regularly using a gravimetric PM<sub>10</sub> reference method in accordance with EN 12341.
6. It is recommended to operate the measuring system with the threshold for the relative humidity being 58%, especially at sites where the ratio of volatiles in suspended particulate matter is particularly high.
7. The test report on performance testing is available on the internet at [www.qal1.de](http://www.qal1.de).

**Test Laboratory:**

TÜV Rheinland Energie und Umwelt GmbH, Cologne  
Report no.: 936/21209885/G dated 20 September 2013

Publication in the German Federal Gazette: BAnz AT 05.08.2014 B11, chapter V notification 27, UBA announcement dated 17 July 2014:

**27 Notification as regards Federal Environment Agency (UBA) notice of 27 February 2014 (BAnz AT 01.04.2014 B12, chapter IV number 7.3)**

The flow and vacuum sensor of the Model 5030i SHARP measuring system with PM<sub>10</sub> pre-separator for suspended particulate matter PM<sub>10</sub> manufactured by Thermo Fisher Scientific will be equipped with an inner parylene coating in the future. The associated sensor plate is positioned vertically inside the instrument. Moreover, the measuring system will be equipped with a pressure relief valve placed between pump outlet and by-pass filter.

Statement issued by TÜV Rheinland Energie und Umwelt GmbH  
dated 29 March 2014

Publication in the German Federal Gazette: BAnz AT 02.04.2015 B5, chapter IV notification 26, UBA announcement dated 25 February 2015:

**26 Notification as regards Federal Environment Agency (UBA) notices of 27 February 2014 (BAnz AT 01.04.2014 B12, chapter IV number 7.3) and of 17 July 2014 (BAnz AT 05.08.2014 B11, chapter V 27<sup>th</sup> notification)**

The latest software version of the of the model 5030i SHARP with PM<sub>10</sub> pre-separator for suspended particulate matter PM<sub>10</sub> manufactured by Thermo Fisher Scientific is:

V 02.02.05 (111578-00).

The valve for the automatic zero point checks will have a nickel-plated housing and be equipped with a Viton elastomer seal in the future.

Statement issued by TÜV Rheinland Energie und Umwelt GmbH  
dated 22 September 2014

Publication in the German Federal Gazette: BAnz AT 15.03.2017 B6, chapter V notification 2, UBA announcement dated 18 February 2016:

**2 Notification as regards Federal Environment Agency (UBA) notices of 27 February 2014 (BAnz AT 01.04.2014 B12, chapter IV number 7.3) and of 25 February 2015 (BAnz AT 02.04.2015 B5, chapter IV 26<sup>th</sup> notification)**

The model 5030i SHARP with PM<sub>10</sub> pre-separator for particulate matter PM<sub>10</sub> manufactured by Thermo Fisher Scientific can also be operated with the GAST 87R647-PDS-HV-913 vacuum pump.

Statement issued by TÜV Rheinland Energie und Umwelt GmbH  
dated 22 October 2015



Publication in the German Federal Gazette: BAnz AT 22.07.2019 B8, chapter V notification 23, UBA announcement dated 28 June 2019:

**23 Notification as regards Federal Environment Agency (UBA) notices of 27 February 2014 (BAnz AT 01.04.2014 B12, chapter IV number 7.3) and of 22 February 2017 (BAnz AT 15.03.2017 B6, chapter V 2<sup>nd</sup> notification)**

Instead of the MOLON MOTOR & COILCORP engine type CHM-2401-1M, a TEPUMOTOR type TP-77 engine can be used for the model 5030i SHARP measuring system with PM<sub>10</sub> pre-separator, for suspended particulate matter PM<sub>10</sub> fraction, manufactured by Thermo Fisher Scientific.

Statement issued by TÜV Rheinland Energy GmbH dated 6 March 2019

### Certified product

This certification applies to automated measurement systems conforming to the following description:

The model 5030i SHARP ambient air measuring system consists of the PM<sub>10</sub> sampling head, the heated sampling tube (dynamic heating system DHS), the (optional) extension tube, the ambient air sensor (incl. radiation protection shield), the vacuum pump, the nephelometer assembly (=SHARP optics module) the central unit 5030i (=SHARP Beta module, identical with model 5014 i Beta) incl. fiberglass filter belt, the respective corresponding connection lines, cables and adapters, the roof duct incl. flange and the manual in German.

The model 5030i SHARP ambient air measuring system is based on the combination of the measuring principles particle light dispersion (nephelometry) and beta attenuation. The term SHARP stands for "Synchronised Hybrid Ambient Real-time Particulate".

The particle sample passes through the PM<sub>10</sub> sampling head at a flow rate of 1 m<sup>3</sup>/h (=16.67 l/min) and flows to the actual model 5030i SHARP measuring system via the heated sampling tube (DHS = dynamic heating system).

The nephelometer assembly is located beneath the heated tube. The fine dust passes laterally through the insulated nephelometer and then flows into the radial tube above the radiometric assembly. The nephelometer consists of a light-dispersion based photometer with a pulsed near-IR LED which works with a central wavelength of 880 nm.

A radial, insulated tube connects to the sampling tube at the point where the nephelometer is attached to the housing of the measuring system. The nephelometer can thus be easily detached from the actual measuring system. The model 5030i SHARP measuring system (nephelometer measurement with radiometric measurement combination) can thereby be easily converted into the model 5014i BETA measuring system.

After the particle sample has passed through the nephelometer the particles are separated on the fiberglass filter tape of the radiometric measurement. The filter tape is located between the proportional detector and the <sup>14</sup>C beta emitter. The beta ray travels upwards through the filter tape and the accumulating dust layer. The increasing dust load attenuates the beta ray intensity, which in turn reduces the beta intensity measured by the proportional detector. The mass on the filter tape is calculated from the continuous integrated count rate.

In order to maintain the sample flow at its nominal value the flow and the regulation of the proportional valve are measured continuously.

The PM concentrations are displayed at the front of the measuring system as SHARP- (=hybrid values), PM (= radiometric measurement values (the same as in model 5014i BETA)) and NEPH (=scattered light measurement values). The measurement values can be provided as data in a variety of output forms (analogue, digital, Ethernet).

#### General remarks

This certificate is based upon the equipment tested. The manufacturer is responsible for ensuring that on-going production complies with the requirements of the EN 15267. The manufacturer is required to maintain an approved quality management system controlling the manufacturing process for the certified product. Both the product and the quality management systems shall be subject to regular surveillance.

If a product of the current production does not conform to the certified product, TÜV Rheinland Energy GmbH must be notified at the address given on page 1.

A certification mark with an ID-Number that is specific to the certified product is presented on page 1 of this certificate.

This document as well as the certification mark remains property of TÜV Rheinland Energy GmbH. Upon revocation of the publication the certificate loses its validity. After the expiration of the certificate and on request of TÜV Rheinland Energy GmbH this document shall be returned and the certificate mark must no longer be used.

The relevant version of this certificate and its expiration date are also accessible on the internet at [qal1.de](http://qal1.de).



### **Document history**

Certification of the Model 5030i SHARP with PM<sub>10</sub> pre-separator is based on the documents listed below and the regular, continuous surveillance of the manufacturer's quality management system:

### **Initial certification according to EN 15267**

Certificate no. 0000040216: 29 April 2014  
Expiry date of the certificate: 31 March 2019  
Test report: 936/21209885/G dated 20 September 2013  
TÜV Rheinland Energie und Umwelt GmbH, Cologne  
Publication: BAnz AT 01.04.2014 B12, chapter IV number 7.3  
UBA announcement dated 27 February 2014

### **Notifications in accordance with EN 15267**

Statement issued by TÜV Rheinland Energie und Umwelt GmbH dated 29 March 2014  
Publication: BAnz AT 05.08.2014 B11, chapter V notification 27  
UBA announcement dated 17 July 2014  
(Design changes)

Statement issued by TÜV Rheinland Energie und Umwelt GmbH dated 22 September 2014  
Publication: BAnz AT 02.04.2015 B5, chapter IV notification 26  
UBA announcement dated 25 February 2015  
(Design and software changes)

Statement issued by TÜV Rheinland Energie und Umwelt GmbH dated 22 October 2015  
Publication: BAnz AT 15.03.2017 B6, chapter V notification 2  
UBA announcement dated 22 February 2017  
(Design changes)

### **Renewal of the certificate**

Certificate no. 0000040621\_01: 01 April 2019  
Expiry date of the certificate: 30 June 2020

### **Notifications in accordance with EN 15267**

Statement issued by TÜV Rheinland Energy GmbH dated 06 March 2019  
Publication: BAnz AT 22.07.2019 B8, chapter V notification 23  
UBA announcement dated 28 June 2019  
(Design changes)

### **Renewal of the certificate**

Certificate no. 0000040216\_02: 01 July 2020  
Expiry date of the certificate: 30 June 2025

Calculation of total uncertainty

PM10 5030i Sharp	23,8% $\geq 28 \mu\text{g m}^{-3}$	Orthogonal Regression				Betw een Instrument Uncertainties	
	$W_{CM} / \%$	$n_{c-s}$	$r^2$	Slope (b) +/- $u_b$	Intercept (a) +/- $u_a$	Reference	Candidate
All Data	9.2	202	0.967	1.009 +/- 0.013	-0.392 +/- 0.327	0.63	1.10
< 30 $\mu\text{g m}^{-3}$	8.0	161	0.903	0.986 +/- 0.024	0.109 +/- 0.431	0.63	1.13
$\geq 30 \mu\text{g m}^{-3}$	13.7	41	0.938	1.112 +/- 0.044	-5.181 +/- 1.940	0.63	1.22

  

SN3	Dataset	Orthogonal Regression				Limit Value of 50 $\mu\text{g m}^{-3}$	
		$n_{c-s}$	$r^2$	Slope (b) +/- $u_b$	Intercept (a) +/- $u_a$	$W_{CM} / \%$	% $\geq 28 \mu\text{g m}^{-3}$
Individual Datasets	Bornheim Winter	42	0.976	0.987 +/- 0.024	0.975 +/- 0.745	8.46	42.9
	Cologne Winter	43	0.947	1.033 +/- 0.037	-1.570 +/- 1.256	12.91	53.5
	Bornheim Summer	71	0.952	0.986 +/- 0.026	0.461 +/- 0.534	8.69	9.9
	Teddington Summer	46	0.855	0.975 +/- 0.056	0.655 +/- 0.813	7.25	0.0
Combined Datasets	< 30 $\mu\text{g m}^{-3}$	161	0.899	0.982 +/- 0.025	0.625 +/- 0.439	7.85	4.3
	$\geq 30 \mu\text{g m}^{-3}$	41	0.938	1.102 +/- 0.044	-4.835 +/- 1.911	13.38	100.0
	All Data	202	0.966	0.994 +/- 0.013	0.286 +/- 0.329	9.29	23.8

  

SN4	Dataset	Orthogonal Regression				Limit Value of 50 $\mu\text{g m}^{-3}$	
		$n_{c-s}$	$r^2$	Slope (b) +/- $u_b$	Intercept (a) +/- $u_a$	$W_{CM} / \%$	% $\geq 28 \mu\text{g m}^{-3}$
Individual Datasets	Bornheim Winter	42	0.981	1.027 +/- 0.022	-0.073 +/- 0.689	9.19	42.9
	Cologne Winter	45	0.944	1.049 +/- 0.038	-2.653 +/- 1.250	13.58	51.1
	Bornheim Summer	75	0.935	1.017 +/- 0.030	-1.191 +/- 0.623	10.35	9.3
	Teddington Summer	46	0.833	0.921 +/- 0.057	0.304 +/- 0.831	16.19	0.0
Combined Datasets	< 30 $\mu\text{g m}^{-3}$	167	0.876	0.996 +/- 0.027	-0.601 +/- 0.485	9.32	4.2
	$\geq 30 \mu\text{g m}^{-3}$	41	0.929	1.128 +/- 0.048	-5.747 +/- 2.091	14.88	100.0
	All Data	208	0.960	1.029 +/- 0.014	-1.242 +/- 0.359	10.32	23.1



**Calculation of the total uncertainty, corrected by the slope and intercept**

PM10 5030i Sharp Slope and Intercept Corrected	23.8% $\geq 28 \mu\text{g m}^{-3}$	Orthogonal Regression				Between Instrument Uncertainties	
	$W_{CM} / \%$	$n_{c-s}$	$r^2$	Slope (b) +/- $u_b$	Intercept (a) +/- $u_a$	Reference	Candidate
All Data	9.6	202	0.967	1.000 +/- 0.013	0.003 +/- 0.324	0.63	1.09
< 30 $\mu\text{g m}^{-3}$	8.5	161	0.903	0.976 +/- 0.024	0.504 +/- 0.427	0.63	1.12
$\geq 30 \mu\text{g m}^{-3}$	13.8	41	0.938	1.102 +/- 0.044	-4.729 +/- 1.922	0.63	1.21

  

SN3	Dataset	Orthogonal Regression				Limit Value of 50 $\mu\text{g m}^{-3}$	
		$n_{c-s}$	$r^2$	Slope (b) +/- $u_b$	Intercept (a) +/- $u_a$	$W_{CM} / \%$	% $\geq 28 \mu\text{g m}^{-3}$
Individual Datasets	Bornheim Winter	42	0.976	0.978 +/- 0.024	1.358 +/- 0.738	8.82	42.9
	Cologne Winter	43	0.947	1.023 +/- 0.037	-1.159 +/- 1.244	13.10	53.5
	Bornheim Summer	71	0.952	0.976 +/- 0.026	0.850 +/- 0.529	9.12	9.9
	Teddington Summer	46	0.855	0.965 +/- 0.055	1.048 +/- 0.805	7.89	0.0
Combined Datasets	< 30 $\mu\text{g m}^{-3}$	161	0.899	0.972 +/- 0.025	1.016 +/- 0.435	8.34	4.3
	$\geq 30 \mu\text{g m}^{-3}$	41	0.938	1.092 +/- 0.043	-4.387 +/- 1.893	13.54	100.0
	All Data	202	0.966	0.985 +/- 0.013	0.676 +/- 0.326	9.65	23.8

  

SN4	Dataset	Orthogonal Regression				Limit Value of 50 $\mu\text{g m}^{-3}$	
		$n_{c-s}$	$r^2$	Slope (b) +/- $u_b$	Intercept (a) +/- $u_a$	$W_{CM} / \%$	% $\geq 28 \mu\text{g m}^{-3}$
Individual Datasets	Bornheim Winter	42	0.981	1.018 +/- 0.022	0.318 +/- 0.683	9.37	42.9
	Cologne Winter	45	0.944	1.039 +/- 0.037	-2.231 +/- 1.238	13.78	51.1
	Bornheim Summer	75	0.935	1.007 +/- 0.030	-0.785 +/- 0.618	10.70	9.3
	Teddington Summer	46	0.833	0.911 +/- 0.057	0.701 +/- 0.823	16.69	0.0
Combined Datasets	< 30 $\mu\text{g m}^{-3}$	167	0.876	0.986 +/- 0.027	-0.196 +/- 0.480	9.81	4.2
	$\geq 30 \mu\text{g m}^{-3}$	41	0.929	1.117 +/- 0.047	-5.288 +/- 2.072	14.97	100.0
	All Data	208	0.960	1.019 +/- 0.014	-0.837 +/- 0.355	10.60	23.1