

# **BH-90A**

# PORTABLE SINGLE GAS DETECTOR User Manual

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To avoid personal safety injury, Instrument damage and potentially dangerous accident; do not use the product before reading this manual.

# 1. Description

BH-90a portable single gas detector can make continuous detection to combustible and toxic gases. It is suitable for combustible and toxic gas leakage detection in underground pipe or mines, keeps the workers safe, and prevents the facilities from being destroyed.

The detector, adopting excellent-quality sensor, makes detection in the way of natural diffusion. It has good sensitivity and reproducibility. The detector adopts embedded MCU controller, easy to operate.

The shell adopts special high strength material and anti-smooth rubber, with the characters of waterproof and dust-proof.

#### 2. Main features

#### 2.1 Features

- Advanced MCU control with low power consumption;
- Adjustable low and high alarm level;
- Adjustable calibrating level;
- High concentration protection for combustible gas;
- Self-test for the combustible gas sensor;
- Low battery indication;
- Self-adjustment function
- Visual and audible alarm with vibration;
- Advanced self-examination and self-renovation function;
- Password management to avoid wrong operation;
- Explosive proof housing.



# 2.2 Specifications

Range: See attached table 1.

**Gas Detected:** combustible gas (CH4,C3H8,H2) and toxic gas, oxygen, Other rare toxic gas like ammonia, NO, PH3, NH3, NO2, HCN, SO2 etc also available.

Can be pecified by the Customer in advance.

Alarm set points: see attached table 1.

Accuracy:  $\leq \pm 5\%$  F.S. Response time: T<30s

Indication: LCD indicates the time and state

Indication of alarm, fault and low voltage with LED, sound, vibration

**Operating Environment:** 

**Operating temperature:**  $-40^{\circ}\text{C} \sim 70^{\circ}\text{C}$  (for combustible gas)

**Operating temperature:**  $-10^{\circ}$ C  $\sim$ 55  $^{\circ}$ C (for toxic gas)

Humidity: <95%RH non-condensing

Operating voltage: DC3.7V Li battery 1500mAh

Working time: < 8h continuously

Charging time:  $4h{\sim}6h$ 

Sensor life: 2 years

Protection category: IP65

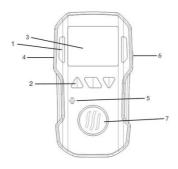
Weight: about 130g (including battery but without accessories)

**Dimension:** 109mm×60mm×30mm



# 3. Structure & Function

# 3.1 Appearance



No.	Name	No.	Name
1	Alarm light	5	Buzzer
2	Button	6	USB charging connection
3	LCD screen	6	Sensor
4	Back clip		

**3.2 Detector structure:** the main shell, circuit boards, batteries, display, sensors, chargers of the components.

3.3 Principle: Electrochemical and Catalytic sensor.



# 4. Operation & Function



# 4.1 Display Elements

CO	Gas type	10:45	Time
CITE (	Full Voltage	ppm	Concentration value
25.5°C	Temperature		

### 4.2 Push buttons

Push button	Description
<b>157</b>	<ul> <li>To active the detector, press and hold it for 5 seconds</li> <li>Press it to cancel the operation</li> <li>To deactivate the detector, press and hold it for 5 seconds</li> <li>Press it to set up the parameters</li> </ul>
▼ ▲	Can check parameters, alarm record, low alarm, high alarm, zero calibration, calibration, time set

## 4.3 Turn on

Press the button of for 5s and then release it. The interface shows "Starting", "LED Testing", and then vibrates with "Motor Testing", then beep and flashes with "Sound and Alarm Testing", shows low alarm value, high alarm value, detecting range, it enters in to detecting status.

At this time, it displays the concentration of gas in the environment as figure 1.



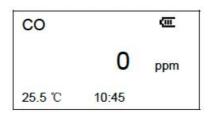
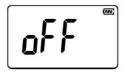


Fig. 1

#### 4.4 Turn off

To deactivate the detector, press 🍑 key, then it displays the following information.

At this time, the buzzer gives beep sound. After 3 seconds, when it displays the following figure on the screen, loosen the key. The detector is turned off.





**Attentions:** When the detector is not detecting status, press continuously till it returns to the detection mode.

# 4.5 Menu operating instructions

The user menu contains the following options:

Zero calibration, calibration, time set, alarm record, low alarm settings, high alarm settings, unit set.

In the detection state, press key, the screen displays the following screen, directly into user menu as shown in figure 2:



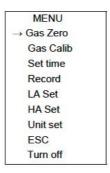
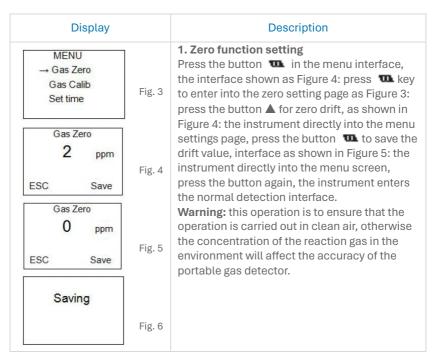
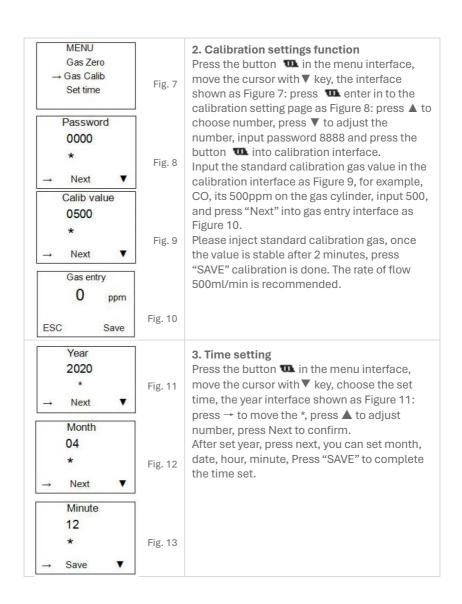


Fig. 2

# Parameter setting of the detector









Record 11.29.12.36: 65 11.10.12.36: 165 ESC Delete  Deleting	Fig. 14	4. Alarm Record Enter alarm record interface, display date and max alarm value, it saves the max alarm value every 3 minutes as shown Figure 14, "11.29.12.36" means 29th November 12:36, "65" display the max alarm value within 3 minutes. Press "ESC" return to main interface, Press ▼ to delete the record as shown Figure 15.
Low alarm set  050  * ppm  → Save ▼	Fig. 16	5. Low alarm setting Enter LA set "menu, use ▲ to adjust the cursor, use ▼ to adjust the value, choose the right value and press "SAVE". then it will return the normal detecting interface show as Figure 16. If no special requirement, please do not revised alarm value.
		6. High alarm setting The setting is same as low alarm setting. Note: High alarm value never lower than low alarm value. If no special requirement, please do not revised alarm value.
Unit set  → ppm  mg/m³  Save	Fig. 17	7. Unit set Enter "Unit set" function show as Figure 17, choose the suitable unit and save it. Note, this function can be used on the PPM unit gas.
MENU Unit set  → ESC Turn off	Fig. 18	8. ESC Under the menu function interface, choose ESC, press to return normal detecting interface.
YES OR NO	Fig. 19	9. Turn off Under the menu function interface, choose "Turn off", press ▲ to turn off, press ▼ to return normal detecting interface.



#### 4.6 Alarm information

The following table shows the details of each alarm:

## Alarm type

#### Low alarm:

Short slow alarm tone;

The alarm indication is yellow;

The red alarm light flashes;

Device vibrates.

# High alarm:

Abnormal harsh alarm tone;

The alarm indication is red;

The red alarm light flashes;

Device vibrates.

#### Low battery alarm:

When the device is in low battery, it will give slow short alarm every minute to remind user

## 4.7 Charging

Please charge the detector when it shows low battery, or the detector can't be turned on due to low battery. Before charging, please turn off the detector to avoid any potential damage. When the battery mark on the screen is full and doesn't change any more, it means the charging is completed, you can pull off the charger.

**Warning:** During charging status, the detector can't detect the gas leakage. Please do not try to charge it at testing places to avoid fire or explosion. Please do not charge it when the detector is working to avoid potential damage.

**Note:** Make sure full charge for at least once within 1 months If do not use it for a long time.



# 5. Possible fault and corresponding solution

Possible fault	Possible reason	Corresponding solution	
No response to	Wrong alarm point	Please reset the alarm point	
alarm	Fault of electric circuit	Please contact the manufacturer	
No response to gas	Zero drift	Calibrate zero point	
detected	Fault of electric circuit	Please contact the manufacturer	
	Sensor is overdue	Please contact the manufacturer	
Inaccurate		to replace the gas sensor	
indication	Uncalibrated for long time	Please calibrate it in time	
Insufficient working	Fault of charger	Please change charger	
hours	Fault of the device	Please contact the manufacturer	
Cannot charge	Fault of charger	Please change charger	
electricity	Fault of the device	Please contact the manufacturer	

#### 6. Notices

- 6.1 Falling down from high places or strong shake is prohibited.
- 6.2 The detector may not work properly at interferential high-concentration gas.
- 6.3 To avoid incorrect result or possible damage to the detector, please operate and handle the detector in accordance with the manual.
- 6.4 The detector should be not stored or used neither under the circumstance with caustic gas (such as Cl<sub>2</sub>), nor under the other rugged circumstances, including excessive high or low temperature, high humidity, electromagnetic field, and strong sunshine.
- 6.5 If there is dust on the surface of the detector after a long-term use, please clean it lightly with clean, soft cloth. The surface may be scraped or destroyed with caustic solvent or hard things.
- 6.6 To assure the testing accuracy, the detector should be calibrated periodically. And the calibration period should be less than one year.



6.7 Please put the used Lithium batteries to the appointed places or send to our company. Don't discard them into the dustbin randomly.

# 7. Standard accessories:

Gas detector	1 pc
Calibration cap	1pc
Charger	1pc
Suitcase packaging	1pc
Warranty card	1pc
Quality card	1pc

# **Declaration**

To keep continued product improvement, AquaGas Pty Ltd reserves the right to change design features without prior notice.

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# **AFFIX. TABLE 1**

Model	Range	L-alarm	H-alarm
BH-90A-CH4	0-100%LEL	20%LEL	50%LEL
BH-90A-C3H8	0-100%LEL	20%LEL	50%LEL
BH-90A-H2	0-100%LEL	20%LEL	50%LEL
BH-90A-H2	0-1000ppm	35ppm	250ppm
BH-90A-H2S	0-100ppm	10ppm	15ppm
BH-90A-H2S	0-100ppm	10ppm	20ppm
BH-90A-CO	0-1000ppm	35ppm	200ppm
BH-90A-CO	0-1000ppm	30ppm	60ppm
BH-90A-C2H4O	0-20ppm	10ppm	15ppm
BH-90A-C2H4	0-100%LEL	20%LEL	50%LEL
BH-90A-C2H4	0-20ppm	5ppm	10ppm
BH-90A-02	0-30%vol	19.5%vol	23.5%vol
BH-90A-C2H5OH	0-100%LEL	20%LEL	50%LEL
BH-90A-NH3	0-100ppm	25ppm	50ppm
BH-90A-CL2	0-20ppm	5ppm	10ppm
BH-90A-O3	0-20ppm	5ppm	10ppm
BH-90A-O3	0-10ppm	2ppm	5ppm
BH-90A-O3	0-50ppm	5ppm	10ppm
BH-90A-SO2	0-20ppm	2ppm	5ppm
BH-90A-SO2	0-100ppm	2ppm	5ppm
BH-90A-PH3	0-20ppm	0.3ppm	5ppm
BH-90A-PH3	0-5ppm	0.3ppm	2ppm
BH-90A-CO2	0-5000ppm	1000ppm	2000ppm
BH-90A-CO2	0-50000ppm	1000ppm	2000ppm
BH-90A-NO	0-250ppm	20ppm	50ppm
BH-90A-NO2	0-20ppm	5ppm	10ppm
BH-90A-HCN	0-500ppm	10ppm	20ppm
BH-90A-HCN	0-50ppm	10ppm	20ppm
BH-90A-HCL	0-50ppm	10ppm	20ppm
BH-90A-CH2O	0-10ppm	2ppm	5ppm
BH-90A-VOC	0-100ppm	20ppm	50ppm
BH-90A-VOC	0-1000ppm	50ppm	200ppm
BH-90A-C6H6	0-100ppm	20ppm	50ppm