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To measure urban background levels of air quality can be a challenge. The monitoring site needs to be representative for background levels and not dependent on changes in local traffic. A large number of gaseous components need to be measured with high accuracy and high availability.

The OPSIS DOAS system is different and provides the user with a fast system that gives high availability at low cost.

The OPSIS system is based on a non-contact DOAS method, using an optical path. The optical light is transferred in an optical fibre to the analyser and one analyser can operate several paths.

A single OPSIS system can measure all relevant gaseous components, such as NO, NO_2, SO_2, O_3, BTX, HNO_2, NO_3, formaldehyde, and NH_3.

RETURN OF INVESTMENT

The cost of investing in an OPSIS system is small compared to the money that is spent on maintaining old and complex conventional analysers.

The OPSIS system has low cost of ownership based on few moving parts, long intervals between calibrations, easy operation and low energy consumption.

TEST AND APPROVALS

The OPSIS system has been tested and approved by a number of international, recognized institutes and authorities, for example TÜV, MCERTS, U.S. EPA, and Chinese EPA.

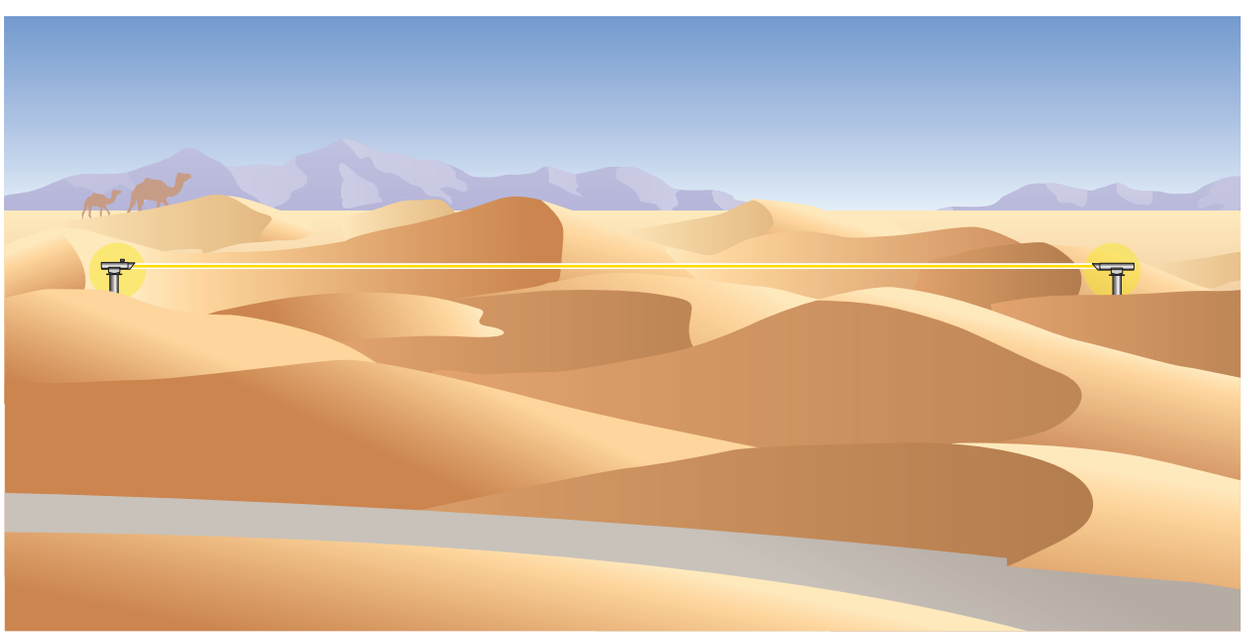
The system meets and exceeds the requirements in EN 15267.

OPSIS PRODUCT PORTFOLIO

OPSIS has a full product portfolio for measurement of gases in a range of applications. The basic air quality monitoring system can be extended to include additional features, such as

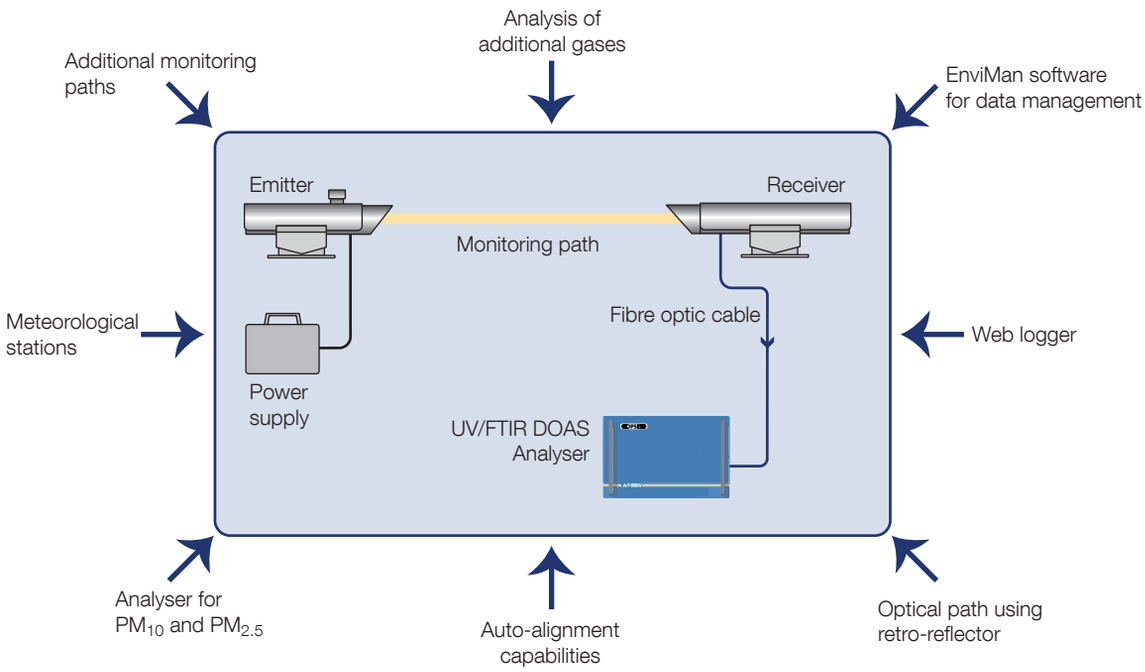
- software for data management,
- meteorological stations,
- manual and automatic calibration,
- auto-alignment capabilities,
- analyser for PM_{10} and $PM_{2.5}$,
- automatic dust sampling of $PM_{2.5}$ and PM_{10},
- additional monitoring paths,
- analysis of additional gases, and
- web transfer unit that enables clients to download data automatically and simultaneously, independent of where they are located.

For further information, please visit www.opsis.se.



OPSIS air quality monitoring system monitors the background levels far from emission sources.

SYSTEM OVERVIEW



PERFORMANCE DATA

(typical data which may vary depending on application)

Compound	**Max. measurement range**[1] (500 m path)[2]	**Lowest measurement range according to EN 15267**	**Min. detectable quantities** (monitoring path 500 m, measurement time 1 min.)
AR500/AR520 UV/IR DOAS Series Analyser			
NO_2	0–2000 µg/m³	0–400 µg/m³	1 µg/m³
SO_2	0–5000 µg/m³	0–700 µg/m³	1 µg/m³
O_3	0–1000 µg/m³	0–360 µg/m³	2 µg/m³
NO	0–2000 µg/m³[3]	0–100 µg/m³[4]	2 µg/m³
NH_3	0–500 µg/m³[3]	0–100 µg/m³[4]	2 µg/m³
NO_3	0–500 µg/m³	0–10 µg/m³[4]	0.1 µg/m³
HNO_2	0–2000 µg/m³	0–100 µg/m³[4]	1 µg/m³
Formaldehyde	0–2000 µg/m³	0–100 µg/m³[4]	2 µg/m³
AR550 FTIR DOAS Series Analyser			
CO	0–1000 mg/m³[3]	0–1000 mg/m³[4]	100 µg/m³
CO_2	0–100 g/m³[3]	0–100 mg/m³[4]	1 mg/m³
CH_4	0–100 mg/m³[3]	0–10 mg/m³[4]	50 µg/m³
H_2O	0–100% Vol.[3]	0–10 g/m³[4]	0.1% vol.

Accuracy
Better than 2% of measured value or equal to the detection limit (whichever is greater).

Span drift
Less than 2% per year.
Please, refer to QAL1 documents.

Zero drift
Less than 2% of measurement range per year.
Please, refer to QAL1 documents.

Linearity error
Less than 1% of measurement range.

[1] Higher measurement ranges are possible depending on application and compound.
[2] Recommended monitoring path length: 300 to 800 m.
[3] Based on 200 m path. Recommended monitoring path length: 100 to 200 m.
[4] Lowest measurement range.

- Max. length of fibre optic cable: please refer to product sheet P9.

FACTORY TESTED SYSTEMS
WITH DELIVERY ON TIME.

Ambient Air Quality Monitoring by OPSIS

One analyser for all gases

Cost-effective, open-path technology

High availability

Representative path-integrated data

Direct monitoring of NO_2

Gas calibration only once per year

Low energy consumption

Operates with a minimum of maintenance

Approved by MCERTS, TÜV, U.S. EPA, and Chinese EPA

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Please contact your OPSIS supplier to discuss your particular system requirements, including the compounds you wish to monitor. Separate product and other industrial application sheets are available. Specifications subject to change without notice.

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