

SmartGNUREM Neutron Monitor with MCA

Detector

- new spherical REM counter Guided Neutron Unit with boron loaded polyethylene moderator and lead liner to boost the high energy response
- spherical 2" diameter proportional detector with Helium-3 gas filling
- increased sensitivity of 5.76 pulses / nSv resp. 1.6 cps / μSv/h (1MeV)
- energy response according to ICRP 74, corresponds to ambient dose equivalent
- REM response from thermal till fast neutrons, from 0.025eV up to 1TeV
- measurement of neutron ambient dose and dose rate equivalent H*(10)
- weighs only 10.1kg, less than other commercially available neutron monitors

Electronics

- multi-channel analyser SMC 2100 / MCA wi 2048 channels, direct on handle of the sphere
- MCA with serial interfaces RS232 and RS48 for PC connection and link-up
- 4.3" colour display with touch functions, resolution 480x272 pixels
- storage of measuring values on Micro SD card
- readout of measuring values and spectra via USB connection
- battery and mains operation

Firmware and Software

- Firmware for SmartDisplay
 - measurement of neutron dose and dose rate H*(10) and of total dose
 - acquisition of neutron reaction spectrum • ³He (n,p) T•
 - single measurement, series of measurements or continuous runs
 - time or pulse pre-selection
- Software AM-SMCA01 for Windows operating systems







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Technical Data

multi-channel analyser

shaping time 3µs and 9µs peak times

2048 channels channel number up to 100'000cps pulse rate

up to 2²⁴ pulses / channel pulse content

detector measurand H*(10)

> neutrons from (thermal) 0.025eV till 1TeV neutron

5.76 pulses / nSv resp. 1.6 cps / µSv/h (1MeV) sensitivity

suppression ratio better than 3000:1 sensitivity in the range from 3MeV till 7MeV

connections

gamma

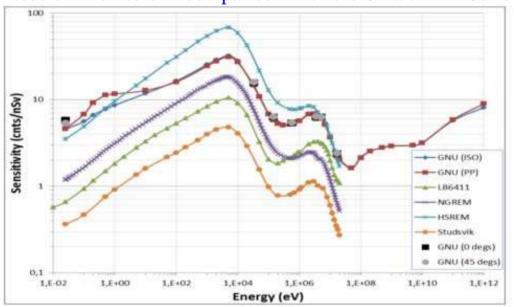
interfaces MCA with RS232 & RS485, SmartDisplay with USB

3x R20 batteries or 5Vdc (2.5V till 5V) power supply

sphere with 240mm diameter construction

> total mass 10.1kg

Neutron Monitors in comparison with the SmartREM Series



Source: Nuclear Instruments & Methods in Physics Research

SmartREM -	Sensitivity	Energy Range	Sphere	Total
Series	counts/nSv	37 3	Diameter mm	Mass kg
SmartREM	2.66	10 MeV	208	6.5
SmartHSREM	7.85	10 MeV	214	6.6
SmartLINUSREM	1,27	10 GeV	240	10.0
SmartGNUREM	5.76	10 GeV	240	10.1

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