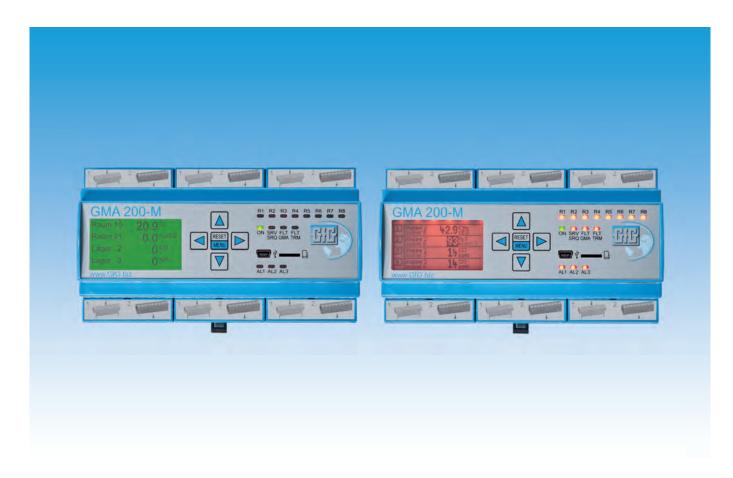
# **Controller GMA200-MT**

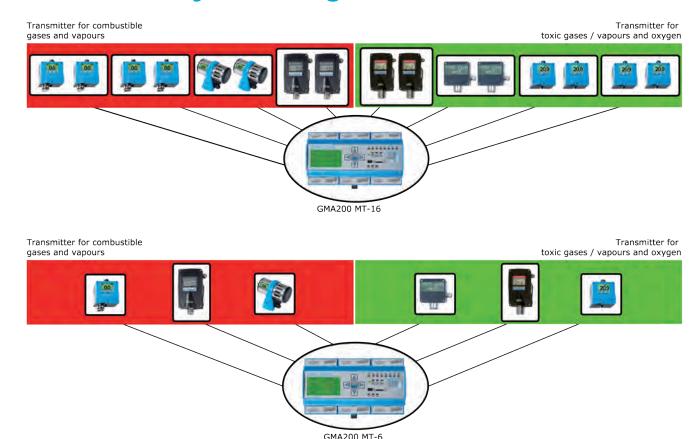
High-performance gas warning system for various requirements to measure gas hazards



- Freely programmable connection of detectors for measuring combustible and toxic gases / vapours and oxygen
- Freely programmable relays
- Flexible, reliable and economic
- Clearly structured, backlit graphical LCD with traffic light function
- SIL certification
- DIN rail assembly
- Other measuring devices / transducers with 4-20 mA output signal can be connected



## **Decisive safety advantage**



### **GfG**

For more than 50 years, the key goal of the company GfG has been to meet the highest demands of occupational health and safety, industrial equipment reliability and environmental protection by developing innovative and reliable gas warning systems.

Development of the new gas warning system GMA200 satisfies these requirements while taking into account suitability testing in line with ATEX Directive 94/9/EC, if switching functions for explosion protection are intended via the gas warning system. It also meets the requirements on gas warning systems without necessary ATEX certification and functional safety requirements (SIL).

## Design of the gas warning system GMA200

The design of the gas warning system GMA200 ensures flexible, simple and clearly structured operation in industrial and commercial applications for measuring combustible

and toxic gases / vapours, and for measuring oxygen concentrations. The compact design of the GMA200 as a DIN rail module enables the cost-effective and space-saving installation in, e.g., existing control cabinets.

# Modular design of the gas warning system GMA200 MT6 / MT16:

Up to 16 detectors can be connected to the gas warning system GMA200. A software program enables the quick and easy configuration of the measuring points even for already installed gas warning systems GMA200. Measuring point designations, the detector type, the type of gas and measuring range as well as three individual or specified alarm thresholds can be programmed for each measuring point using the configuration software.

A microprocessor evaluates the analogue input signals of the connected detectors.

## **Integrated relays**

In view of the increasing requirements being placed on safety measures up to redundant protection against gas hazards, complex gas warning systems are in demand.

The gas warning system GMA200 is equipped with 8 internal relays. 6 relays can be freely configured using the software program in order to implement safety measures and alarms. The configuration software offers numerous and flexible options, e.g., the assignment of one or several measuring points to relays, single alarms per measuring point and alarm threshold, configuration of collective or group alarms, fault messages and voting functions. Two further relays are available, i.e. for safety-related fault messages and for maintenance.

## **Relay modules**

Using a relay module GMA RT, it is possible to extend the gas warning system GMA200 by 16 further freely configurable relays. A total

# Universal: various detectors can be connected and evaluated

of 4 additional relay modules and thus 64 additional relays can be managed via the gas warning system GMA200. Digital connection of the relay module GMA RT to the gas warning system GMA200 enables the local positioning of the relay modules.

The local and thus flexible installation of the relay modules results in large cost savings due to the reduced cabling and assembly tasks.

## Availability of the gas warning system GMA200

Besides the traditional voltage supply, the gas warning system GMA200 can also be operated with a redundant, safety-related voltage supply and therefore meets the highest demands of functional safety and the required permanent availability of gas warning systems for detecting potential gas hazards.



The status of the gas warning system GMA200 – operation, fault, service – is shown via LEDs.

## **Graphical display**

The clearly structured layout of the gas warning system GMA200 enables the quick detection of hazardous situations. Currently measured values are permanently



GMA200-MT 6 with a display for quick and safe evaluation

displayed in the LCD graphical display. In the event of gas alarms, the display lighting is automatically activated with a red background. Additionally, the LED display for Alarm 1, Alarm 2, Alarm 3 is shown.

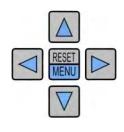
In the event of an alarm, the status of the active relays 1-8 is displayed simultaneously via LEDs.

The integrated memory enables the reading of alarm levels and minimum / maximum values per measuring point at the LCD for an initial, quick hazard assessment.

## **Data logger function**

The gas warning system GMA200

can be equipped with a microSD card for saving the measured values. The measured values, mean values, alarm events and faults are permanently stored at individually configurable intervals, and can be read out for evaluation.



## Operation via keyboard

Five buttons e n a b l e o p e r a t i o n at the gas warning system GMA200. The

main functions of the keyboard are the acknowledgement of alarms and the menu-driven operation of the GMA200. Information on the status of the gas warning system, detector and the relays can be retrieved in the operating menu.

## Configuration

A USB port at the gas warning system GMA200 can be used for connection to the configuration software.



GMA200-RTD with a display for remote measured value display

# GMA200 MTechnical Data



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## Measuring gases:

combustible and toxic gases and vapours, oxygen For all GfG transmitters

## GMA200 DIN rail (dimensions):

approx. 160 x 90 x 65 mm (W x H x D)

**Display and control elements:** Backlit LCD graphical display 33 x 53 mm with 132 x 65 pixels 5 buttons (left, right, up, down, OK) 8 LEDs: 4x red, 1x green, 3x yellow

### Connection options:

Gas warning system GMA200 - MT 6: Up to 6 analogue detectors and / or up to 32 digital detectors Gas warning system GMA200 – MT 7 -16: Up to 16 analogue detectors and / or up to 32 digital detectors

16 analogue inputs 4...20 mA or 0.2-1 mA max. 50 Ohm input resistance

## 2 digital inputs:

Acknowledgement of alarms can be freely configured

2x RS485 BUS, e.g., for the connection of external relay modules or digital transmitters in BUS wiring

## 1x RS485 BUS for the

digital transfer of measured and output data to a higher-level control centre or with master functionality of a GMA200 for the connection of relay modules GMA200-RT

## **Outputs:**

6 relays (normally open contact), freely configurable for single alarms per measuring point and alarm threshold, configuration of collective or group alarms, fault messages and voting functions

1 relay for maintenance and 1 for fault messages (closed-circuit principle)

2 analogue outputs:

4-20mA / 600 Ohm max. resistance, freely configurable

## External relay module:

Up to 64 additional freely configurable

(due to additional relay modules, each with 16 relays)

can be configured for single alarms per measuring point and alarm threshold, configuration of collective or group alarms, fault messages and voting function

3 independent threshold alarms per measuring point for Alarm 1, Alarm 2 and Alarm 3

Can be freely set in the measuring

### **Alarm functions:**

exceeding, not achieved acknowledgeable (additional horn only), non-acknowledgeable non-self-locking / self-locking

## Data storage:

Measured values can be stored on an SD card for the permanent data recording of measured values, alarms and faults

Intervals can be set (5 sec.-60 min.), recording of instantaneous and mean values, minimum/maximum concentration can be selected per measuring channel

## **Ambient temperature:**

-20 °C .. + 50 °C Operation: -30 °C .. + 60 °C Storage:

Power supply: 2 x 24 V DC, 20-30 V (1 x redundant voltage supply)

## Power consumption:

Gas warning system GMA 200-MT6: 30 W incl. connected detectors Gas warning system GMA 200-MT16: Relay module GMA 200 RT: 6 W

## Protection classes/Approvals: Housing:

IP20

## ATEX approval

Applied for in accordance with ATEX 94/9/EC

### **Electrical safety:**

EN 61010: 2010 Degree of soiling 2 Overvoltage category III for relay contacts

## Electromagnetic compatibility:

EN 50270: 2006

Emitted interference type class I Interference resistance type class II

## Metrological suitability testing:

Applied for according to DIN-EN 60079-29-1





