#### Model ~ TBM-IC-HLS

## **FEATURES:**

- SEES X-Ray PULSE DOWN TO 0.002μR
- SEVEN DECADES
- 1pSv to 10 mSv
- WIDE RANGE: 0.1 mR/h to 1,000 R/hr (1 uSv/h to 10 Sv/h) RATE
- DIGITAL READOUT: 8 digit-rate, 8 digits integrate
- DOSE RATE & TOTAL DOSE READ OUT
- LIGHTWEIGHT 28 oz. (870 grams)
- TBM PACKAGE
- FLAT RESPONSE FREE AIR ION CHAMBER
- SEES BELOW 2 KEV GAMMA OR X-RAY
- SEES ALPHA, BETA, GAMMA, X-RAY
  - CORRECT RANGE for ANSI N42.33 \*
  - •OPTIONAL: RS-232 SERIAL PORT
  - IP63; CE MARK



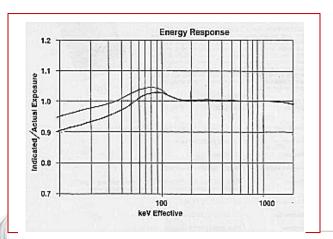
## **APPLICATION:**

Whenever a fast, sensitive ion chamber instrument is needed, the **TBM-IC-HLS** is the latest in a series. The **TBM-IC-HLS** ion chambers are lighter. Stable, essentially drift- free electrometer technology.

#### **DESCRIPTION:**

The **TBM-IC-HLS** consists of a 3.7" dia x 6" long. (9.4 x 15.2 cm) air ion chamber coupled to a stable solid state MOSFET input electrometer with built-in A to D converter to read out in two ranges directly in mR/hr or optional µSv/h Dose Rate.

- Integrated Dose reads in total R or optional total Sv.
- The Ion Chamber has 180 mg/cm<sup>2</sup> graphite lined methacrylate walls giving accurate "air equivalence".
- A thin (0.5 mg/cm<sup>2</sup>) Mylar window allows high sensitivity readings for Alpha and for low energy Beta such as C<sup>14</sup>.
- X-ray sensitivity is down to 2 KeV as well as higher energy Betas and Gammas.



\*Note: TA also makes ion chambers that measure up to 10 million R/hr

See ION CHAMBER COMPARISON CHART



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## **SPECIFICATIONS:**

**Detector:** Flat Response Air ion chamber 3.7" dia x 6" long. (9.4 x 15.2 cm) Nominal Internal volume

300 cc.

Wall & Cap: Methacrylate, graphite lined 180 mg/cm<sup>2</sup> walls and 540 mg/cm<sup>2</sup> cap "Air Equivalent".

**Energy Window:** 2.4" dia. x 0.5 mg/cm<sup>2</sup> Mylar.

Display: 6 digit LCD

**Alarm Indicator:** Green - Mid Range; Red - High Range

**Two Position Range Change Switches:** 

0.1 mR/hr to 1,000 R/h (1 μSv/h to 10 Sv/h) in two ranges. – Dose Rate

 $100 \mu R/h$  to 1 R/h(1 μSv/h to 10 mSv/h) - Dose Rate (Intermediate Range)

1 R/h to 1,000 Sv/h (10 mSv/h to10 Sv/h) - Dose Rate (High Range)

0.01 mR to 1,000 R (0.1 µSv to 10 Sv) - Total Dose

**Energy Range:** Sees Alpha, Beta, Gamma, X-Ray, C-14 Down to KeV axially with Cap Off

Radially & axially: Beta, Gamma, X-Ray to < 5KeV with Cap On

1 KeV - 10 MeV

**Electrometer:** Solid State MOSFET input. **Electronics:** A-D converter LCD drivers.

**Batteries:** 

1 set of Lithium batteries and charger

6 ea. (AA) - 1000hr.

 $-4^{\circ}$  F to  $122^{\circ}$  F ( $-20^{\circ}$  C to  $50^{\circ}$  C); RH: 0-90% **Operating Temp:** 

Weight & Dimensions:

**Dimensions:** 6" x 4" x 12" (15 cm x 10 cm x 30 cm) including handle.

Weight: 28 oz. complete with battery. (870 grams)

### **Options:**

- Readout in Si units: Sv and Sv/h.
- Thicker chamber wall to 1g/cm<sup>2</sup>
- Thin Cap same thickness as chamber side wall (180 mg/cm<sup>2</sup>).
- Closed chamber (no mylar window).
- Alarm light on mR/h- Rate Mode
- RS-232 Serial Output

\*ANSI N42.33 Portable Radiation Detection Instrumentation for Homeland Security – Type 2 - Hazard Assessment





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- ❖ Technical Associates thin wall lon Chambers provide detection axially below 1 KeV Gamma or X-Ray, and below 100 KeV Beta.
- Other market brands have thicker chamber walls of which can lead to 0 readings (false negative) even though significant exposure.
- **❖ TA's TBM-IC (Ion Chamber) instruments detect and thus protects the workforce from lower energy X-Ray exposure.**
- ❖ Not pressurized, therefore safe for shipment
- Pin hole leak in chamber does not create a risk of declining reading because it is not pressurized.

### ION CHAMBERS - AIR AND SURFACE - PART I ~ UNDERWATER - PART II

	ION CHAMBERS - AIR AND SURFACE - PART I								
	Model	Range	Decades	Chamber Volume	Features	Lock Out Features			
1	CURIE- H3-PLO	0.1 to 10,000 mCi (10 C) 3.7 to 10 <sup>6</sup> Bq to 37 to 10 <sup>10</sup> Bq	5	53 cc	HIGH RANGE TRITIUM WIPE TEST COUNTER 3" Sample drawer	HIGH RANGE TRITIUM  Sample Measurement Range Is Up To 10 Curies.  Display Units User Settable: Femto Amps, µCi, DPM, Bq,  No Counting Gas Or LSC Cocktail Required  ~Does Not Generate Waste~			
2	TBM- ACC-X	50 mR/s 500 mSv/s	4	450	ULTRA HIGH ENERGY BETA, GAMMA, COSMIC RAYS Sealed Plasma Chamber. Detects accelerator produced pulses and radiation.	HIGH ENERGY EVENT DETECTOR  The ONLY portable accelerator plasma chamber® that will detect accelerator produced pulses and radiation.  NOTE: Uses a unique plasma chamber that prevents high ion recombination to achieve a strong accurate signal.  NOTE: Use in high energy accelerator - LINAC			





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3	TBM-IC- AJI	0.05-10 R/h 0 μSv/h to 100,000 μSv/h (In a single range)	5.5	1,000 cc	ALPHA, BETA, GAMMA More stable below 2mR/h.	Enhanced sensitivity with large volume chamber.  NOTE: Preferred unit by medical users.  (In a single range) Removable Beta Cap
6	TBM-IC-BW (3) Models A, B, C (In a single range)	(A) 0.01 to 1,000 R/h  0.1 μSv/h to 10 Sv/h  (B) 0.005 mR/h-1,000 R/h  50 nSv/h to 5 Sv/h  (C)  1.0 μR/h to100 R/h  10 nSv/h to 1 Sv/h	5	(A) 300 cc	ALPHA, BETA, GAMMA All-around Multi- purpose with Wide versatility (A) Standard 0.01R/h to 1,000 R/h. 0.1 µSv/h to 10 Sv/h	MULTIPLE-USE  With the Beta cap removed TBM-ICs can measure Alphas 3.5 MeV/h, and low energy Betas of 100 KeV/h and Gammas down to 1 KeV/h.  Touch Screen Display  (In a single range) Removable Beta Cap (A) and (B)
5	TBM-IC- HLS	0.1mR/h to 1,000 R/h 1 μSv/h to 10 Sv/h (In a single range)	7	300 cc	ALPHA, BETA, GAMMA Toggle switch to additional second range to 1,000 R/h.	HOMELAND SECURITY VERSION  NOTE: . This ultra-wide range conforms to ANSI N42.33 Homeland Security Type 2  (In a single range) Removable Beta Cap
4	TBM-IC- LR	0.1 to 1 R/h 1.0 uSv/h to 10 Sv/h (In a single range)	5	2,000 cc	ALPHA, BETA, GAMMA Sees 10 times lower, 2 liter chamber.	ULTRA-LOW RANGE SENSITIVITY.  NOTE: with extra-large volume chamber – 2 liter detects background levels in 10 sec.  (In a single range) Removable Beta Cap
6	TBM-IC- MARK V	0.1 to 10 R/h 0 μSv/h to 100,000 μSv/h (In a single range)	5	300 cc	ALPHA, BETA, GAMMA All-around Multi- purpose with Wide versatility from 0.1 mR/h - 10 R/h.	MULTIPLE-USE  With the Beta cap removed TBM-ICs can measure Alphas and low energy Betas of 30 KeV and Gammas down to 1 KeV.  NOTE: Most popular model.  (In a single range) Removable Beta Cap





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		0.1 to 50,000 mR/h			GAMMA & HIGH BETA	MILITARY VERSION.
7	TBM-IC- MVR	1.0 μSv/h to 0.5 Sv/h (In a single range)	5.5	450 cc	Rugged aluminum chamber. Up to 50R/h.	<b>NOTE:</b> Rugged for use in power plants, industry, and military. (In a single range)
	TBM-ICP	0.1 mR/hr to 50,000 mR/hr (1 µSv/h to 0.5 Sv/h)	5.5	450cc	BETA, GAMMA, X- RAY Portable Micro Ion Chamber	Rugged aluminum chamber. Up to 50R/h.  NOTE: Rugged for use in power plants, industry, and military
		0.01 R/h to 50 R/h				WORLD'S ONLY 20 NANOSECOND PULSED X-RAY DETECTOR.
		0.1 μSv/h to 500 mSv/h				Wide Energy Response (In a single range)
8	TBM-IC PULSE-X	(In a single range) PULSE MODE	5	450 cc	PULSED X-RAY Sealed Plasma Chamber. Detects pulsed X-Ray response.	<b>NOTE:</b> Uses a unique plasma chamber that prevents high ion recombination to achieve a strong accurate signal.
		1.0 mR/h to 50 R/h				Suitable for Pulse Width: 20 nanoseconds to continuous emission
		10 μSv/h to 500 mSv/h				Repetition Rates: Single pulse to 1000/second and above
		(In a single range) (8 digits)				Wide Energy Response: 2 KeV to 10 MeV & above
						PORTABLE WIDE RANGE RADON
	TBM-IC- RN	10 pCi/l to 1 μCi/l	4 600 cc.	000		10 pCi/l in 5 seconds & detects public release level in less than 10 minutes.
		370 Bq/m <sup>3</sup> to 3.7 x			WIDE RANGE RADON	Two non-pressurized ion chambers are included; an open screen
9		(In 10 <sup>7</sup> Bq/l		600 CC.	Optional: 4 cfm pump for solid wall chamber	chamber, (no pump required) and a solid wall chamber , (pump required).
		a single range)				(In a single range)
						NOTE: *less than 1 minute Indication FOR VERY HIGH LEVELS.
		1mR/h -10 R/h			X-RAY	X-RAY COMPLIANCE METER
10	TBM-IC- XRAY	0 μSv/hr to 100,000 μSv/hr	5	300 cc	Includes required 10cm <sup>2</sup> aperture sleeve. X-Ray	(In a single range)
		(In a single range)			compliance meter.	NOTE: Complies with FDA regulation 21 CFR1020.40





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# **ION CHAMBERS - UNDERWATER - PART II**

	ULTRA HIGH RANGE ION CHAMBERS - RUGGED WATER PROOF DESIGN						
	Model	Range	Decades	Chamber Volume	Features	Lock Out Features	
					GAMMA & NEUTRON	VERY HIGH RANGE GAMMA & NEUTRON	
		0.1KR/h to		lon	System includes CP- MU electronics unit and dual probes:	Dual INLINE Detector Two Channel System	
11	CP-MU-	1000.0 KR/h 100 R/h to 10 <sup>6</sup>	4	Chamber 1 cc	(1)Gamma – Ion Chamber and	RS-232 communications for data collection or remote computer	
11	GN	R/h 1 Sv/h to 10,000	4	Proportion al Chamber	(1) Neutron – Proportional Chamber	readout.	
		Sv/h		60-foot low noise cable, up to 10 <sup>6</sup> R/h	NOTE: Rugged Water proof design allows for underwater Ultra High-level		
					OPTIONAL: 100 ft cable	monitoring in reactor and in spent fuel pool to 10 <sup>6</sup> R/h.	
	CP-MU- 10K	0.1 R/h to 10,000 R/h 1R/h to 10 <sup>4</sup> R/h			GAMMA	VERY HIGH RANGE GAMMA	
				100 cc	System includes CP- MU electronics unit	Works as both underwater and as a Super High Range Survey Meter.	
12		1 μSv/h to 10 mSv/h Sv/h	5		and one stainless steel chamber/probe.	RS-232 communications for data collection or remote computer	
		Optional: 0.1 –			60-foot low noise cable, up to 10 <sup>6</sup> R/h	readout.  NOTE: Rugged Water proof design	
		20,000 R/h			OPTIONAL: 100 ft cable	allows for underwater Ultra High-level monitoring in reactor and in spent fuel pool to 10 <sup>4</sup> R/h.	
					GAMMA	VERY HIGH RANGE GAMMA	
13	CP-MU- D1	0.1-1,000 KR/h 1Sv/h to 10KSv/h	4	1 cc	System includes CP- MU electronics unit and one stainless steel chamber/probe.	RS-232 communications for data collection or remote computer readout.	
					60-foot low noise cable, up to 10 <sup>6</sup> R/h	NOTE: Rugged Water proof design allows for underwater Ultra High-level	
					OPTIONAL: 100 ft cable	monitoring in reactor and in spent fuel pool to 10 <sup>6</sup> R/h.	





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					GAMMA	MID RANGE GAMMA
14	CP-MU- D100	1mR/h to 10,000 R/h 1R/h to 10 <sup>4</sup> R/h		100 cc	System includes CP- MU electronics unit and one aluminum chamber/probe.	RS-232 communications for data collection or remote computer readout.
	D100	10 mSv/h to 100 Sv/h		60-foot low noise cable, up to 10 <sup>3</sup> R/h	NOTE: Rugged Water proof design	
					OPTIONAL: 100 ft cable	allows for monitoring in both reactor and spent fuel pools to 10 <sup>3</sup> R/h.
					LOW RANGE GAMMA	LOW RANGE GAMMA
15	CP-MU- D1000	0.1 to 1,000 R/h 1 uSv/h to 10 Sv/h	4	1,000 cc	System includes CP-MU electronics unit and one aluminum chamber/probe.	RS-232 communications for data collection or remote computer readout.
					60-foot low noise cable, up to 10 <sup>3</sup> R/h	<b>NOTE:</b> Rugged Water proof design allows for monitoring in both reactor and spent fuel pools to 10 <sup>3</sup> R/h.
					OPTIONAL: 100 ft cable	
					GAMMA	DUAL DETECTOR SYSTEM ULTRA- HIGH AND LOW
	CP-MU-7-	1.0 to 10 million		1 cc & 1,000 cc	System includes CP- MU-7 electronics and dual probes: (2) Gamma – Ion Chambers	RANGES  RS-232 communications for data collection or remote computer readout.
16	D1 & D1000	10mSv/h to 100KSv/h	7		(1)High Range and (1)Low Range	NOTE: Rugged Water proof design
				60-foot low noise cable, up to 10 <sup>7</sup> R/h	allows for Ultra High-Level monitoring in both reactor and spent fuel pools to 10 <sup>3</sup> R/h	
				OPTIONAL: 100 ft cable	Unplug one detector and plug in the other to switch ranges	





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