

# Redefining NIR based PAT!

## **SentroPAT Compact**

**The SentroPAT Compact** is a flexible, robust NIR analyzer for non-destructive online monitoring of powders and granules in pharmaceutical and food manufacturing. The system provides high-value process insight during product development and robust measurements for commercial operation. This compact system builds on technological innovations from Sentronic developed over 30 years in supporting in-line analysis.

## High Performance Diode Array Spectrometer

The heart of the NIR analyzer is a rugged InGaAs diode array spectrometer. High spectral resolution, high wavelength accuracy, and low noise ensure robust measurements in demanding applications. Superior system-to-system comparability simplifies method transfer between instruments. The high accuracy and comparability are complemented by superior long-term stability achieved using internal intensity and wavelength standards.

### **Fast Process Insights**

The SentroPAT Compact is designed to be compatible with many process interfaces, such as tablet feed frames, powder blending systems, fluid bed systems as well as a variety of unit operations simulators. Internal standards ensure robust measurements even when a process is run for days or weeks. The compact, simple design makes it easy to move the system around a manufacturing rig and get data where and when it is needed.

#### **Flexibility and Simplicity**

The focus areas of design and development were ease-of-use and maximum robustness: All optical connections are contained within the SentroPAT Compact, avoiding the need for optical cables to be run across the process environment. The internal standards can eliminate the need for primary standards to be on the process floor for system suitability checks or routine reference measurements. The internal NIR sources are designed to last the lifetime of the instrument. No wear parts are required to be changed by the system owner or as part of routine service. The smooth surfaces of the unit can be easily cleaned and are manufactured using materials commonly used in cGMP manufacturing environments.

#### **Intuitive Software**

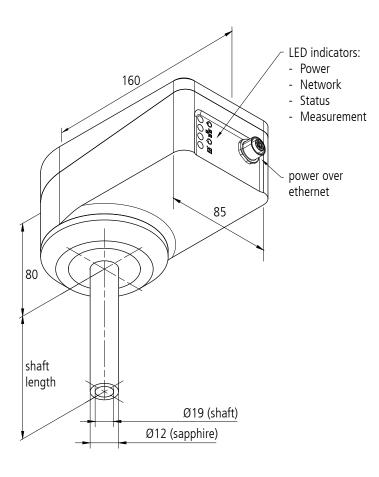
The SentroPAT Compact is operated by our SentroSuite GMP software which can be installed on a dedicated PC or on any PC in the network. Many features of SentroSuite GMP software comply with commonly required aspects of 21CFR part 11 regulations. Additionally, the system can be controlled by third party interfaces such as SIPAT, SynTQ or ProaXesS.



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## Dimensions



Product Versions				
Product number	Product Name	Tip Length (mm)	ATEX	
2530000200240	SentroPAT Compact NIR / 1100-1900 / 512 / 65	65	No	
2530000100236	SentroPAT Compact NIR / 1100-1900 / 512 / 100	100	No	
2530000500234	SentroPAT Compact NIR / 1100-1900 / 512 / 200	200	No	
2530000300247	SentroPAT Compact NIR / 1100-1900 / 512 / 300	300	No	

## **Technical Parameters**

Spectrometer				
Technology		diode array spectrometer		
Wavelength range		1 100 – 1 900 nm		
Spectral resolution (FWHM)		NMT10 nm		
Optics / Light	source			
Technology		Diffuse reflectance		
Measurement distance		Direct contact with sample material		
Measurement diameter		ca. 5 mm		
Illumination		Two integrated tungsten bulbs; expected lifetime; depending on use case ≥10 years		
Internal reference		Amorph PTFE based intensity standard		
Probe window heating		sapphire window can be heated at up to 70°C to prevent probe fouling (functionality is process dependent)		
System				
Embedded Controller		Linux based controller		
Connections		Power over ethernet IEEE 802.3at (PoE+)		
Dimensions	Housing Probe tip	160 x 100 x 85 mm ¾" diameter; length 65; 100; 200 or 300 mm		
Materials of construction	Housing Probe tip	Aluminium anodized Sapphire and stainless steel 1.4404; no sealings		
Mounting		Different flange designs available		
Installation conditions				
Temperaturs	Housing Probe tip	15°C – 30°C 0°C – 80°C		
Pressure rating	Probe tip	0 – 40 bar		
Software				
Application software		SentroSuite GMP installation on external PC		
Software interface		Variety of interface options to third party software		
Ratings / Classifications				
System		IP65, GMP		
Probe tip		FDA approved material incl. certificate		
Spectroscopic		USP<(1)856>; EP 2.2.40		

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