

ATR Family

Supercritical Fluids Golden Gate™ ATR

A high temperature, high pressure, low volume FTIR accessory developed for the study of supercritical fluids and polymers.

The Supercritical Fluids analyzer version of the Golden Gate™ Diamond ATR is designed for operation at extreme temperatures and pressures.

The diamond ATR element is high temperature metal bonded into a tungsten carbide disk, avoiding the use of adhesives or resins that may be dissolved or attacked by the chemical aggressiveness of supercritical fluids. The sample chamber has been specially constructed using stainless steel and is capable of withstanding pressures up to 6000 p.s.i. and temperatures up to 300°C

The high thermal conductivity of the diamond element is ideal for fast temperature equilibrium and accurate temperature measurement, reducing analysis time and increasing sample throughput. The analyzer is equipped with a thermal protection system to prevent thermal runaway.



Applications

- Supercritical and near supercritical fluids
- Extreme condition analysis of polymers
- In-situ ATR studies at high temperatures and pressures

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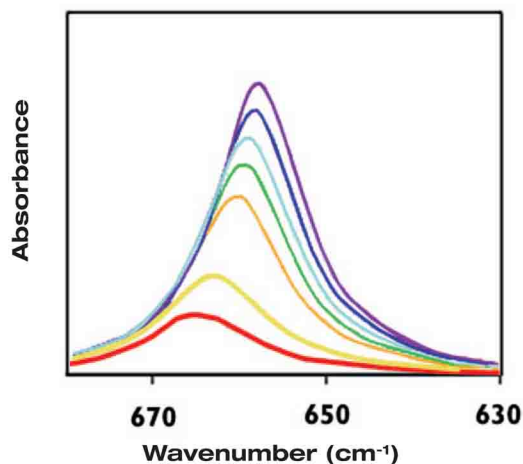
Specifications

- Pressures up to 6000 p.s.i.
- Temperature controlled to 300°C
- Low volume stainless steel sample cell 28µl
- Standard 1/16th inch fittings
- CE Marked
- Fits in standard FTIR instrument sample compartments

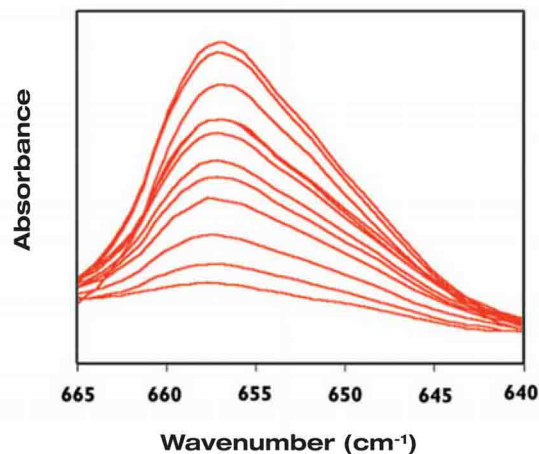
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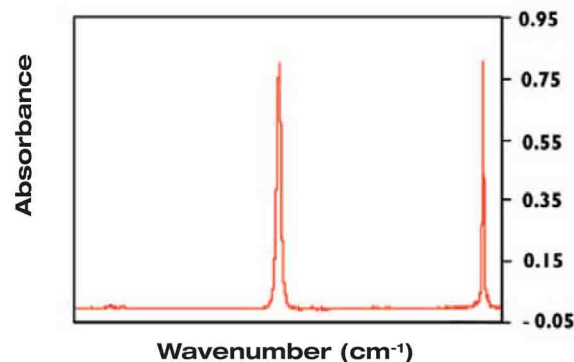
Spectra Samples



ATR spectra showing the effect of pressure of scCO₂ on the bending v₂ mode of CO₂



Time-resolved ATR spectra of diffusion of CO₂ into a syndiotactic polystyrene pellet subjected to scCO₂



ATR spectrum of supercritical CO₂ at temperature 40°C and pressure 3350 p.s.i. obtained with the single-reflection diamond ATR accessory

Ordering Information

GS10586-2 Golden Gate™ supercritical fluids analyzer system

Includes optical unit with supercritical fluids analyzer diamond top-plate, temperature controller, Benchmark™ baseplate and purge bellows. Specify KRS-5 or ZnSe lenses.

GS10585 Golden Gate™ supercritical fluids analyzer top-plate

Includes supercritical fluids analyzer diamond top-plate and temperature controller.

Please specify instrument make and model, required voltage and country of use.

The temperature controller is supplied without any computer connection, if required please specify:

- GS28000 RS232 connection kit
- GS28001 USB connection kit
- GS28002 RS485 connection kit

Spares

- GS10587 Graphite gaskets (pkt 10)
- GS10504 Torque wrench (requires GS10588)
- GS10588 2.5mm hexagonal head bit for torque wrench

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