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Technical specifications Version 1.0

### **OPC-R2** Particle Monitor



Measurement *Based on 50% detection efficiency at	Particle range* Size categorisation Sampling interval Total flow rate Max particle count rate Max coincidence probability 0.35µm	µm spherical equivalent size (based on RI of 1.5 Number of software bins Histogram period (seconds) L/min (typical) Particles/second %concentration at 10 <sup>6</sup> particles/L	5) 0.30 to 12.4 16 2 to 30 0.24 10,000 0.7
Power	Measurement mode	mA (typical)	110
	Standyby mode	mA (typical)	< 5
	Voltage range	VDC	4.8 to 5.2
	Switch-on transient	mW for 1ms	< 5000
Key specifications	Digital interface	(No data storage)	SPI Mode 1
	Laser classification	As enclosed housing	Class 1
	Temperature range	°C	-10 to 40
	Humidity range	% rh (continuous)	0 to 95 (non-condensing)
	Warranty	Months	12
	Weight	g	< 30

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#### Figure 1 Particle size distribution for 0.75 and 3 um PSL spheres using the OPC-R2 and the Alphasense software



Figure 1 shows the OPC-R2 particle size distribution for the test aerosol.

#### Figure 2 Comparison of PM2.5 monitoring with TSI OPS 3330 and DustTrak instruments



#### PM2.5 ug/m3

Figure 2 shows a comparison of PM2.5 monitoring by an OPCR series sensor and TSI OPS 3330 and DustTrak instruments. All are set at 5s averaging and are sampling the ambient air of a work shop, the raw 3330 data has been used to calculate a PM figure.

OPC-R2 performance at small particle sizes is improved over the OPC-R1. PM2.5 and PM10 performance are very similar.

#### Figure 3 Comparison of PM10 monitoring with TSI OPS 3330 and DustTrak instruments



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