

User Manual

LogiCO2®-Scout

App available for free at:



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LogiCO2®-Scout: Portable Bluetooth CO2-sensor for smartphone (below mentioned the "Scout").



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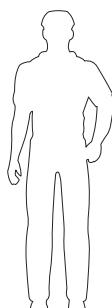
Please read these instructions carefully prior to start-up and use. These instructions should be saved for future reference and passed on to any subsequent owner. Failure to follow any of these instructions could result in bodily harm or death, and could void product warranties. LogiCO2 International AB, its affiliates and third party providers assume no responsibility for claims arising from improper or careless use or handling of its products. Retain this instruction.

Important Safety Information!

The Scout is an instrument that measures the CO2 concentration in the ambient air. Through Bluetooth the Scout sends the measurements to a smartphone with the Scout App, enabling a person to know if it is safe or not to enter a place that may contain high levels of CO2 ("Danger Zone"). The reading of the concentration is done safely OUTSIDE the Danger Zone. Since a CO2 reading normally takes at least 30 seconds to complete, and the human body reacts in about 2 seconds, it is dangerous to rely on a Scout mounted on your belt, or otherwise carried on a person. Before conducting the actual Danger Zone testing, always conduct a CO2 reading in fresh outdoor air to ensure that the Scout is calibrated (see Fresh Air Testing below).

When testing a Danger Zone, the Scout should be placed into the LogiCO2® foam ball provided with the Scout (below mentioned the "Foam Ball") and rolled into the Danger Zone, where the measurement is made in accordance with these instructions. The value is displayed on the phone outside the Danger Zone using the LogiCO2-app.

The Scout does not have a digital display and does not display the CO2 levels. If the alarm sounds, it should be treated as a potentially serious condition.



CO2 Concentration Levels (%) and Effects

(%)	Effect
20.0	Death within a few seconds.
10.0	Convulsion, Unconsciousness, Death.
7.0	Dizziness, Vomiting, Headache, Reduced blood supply to brain.
4.0	IDLH -Immediate Danger to Life and Health.
3.0	Normal exhale concentration; increased breath and pulse rates.
1.0	Shortness of breath possible.
0.5	Maximum for working conditions (TWA 8 hr.PEL).
0.1-0.2	Recommended max value in public areas.
0.04	Fresh air.

Function

The Scout is a portable CO₂ sensor with Bluetooth communication. It works together with a smartphone app called "LogiCO₂-Scout" (iPhone or Android) (the "App"), in which the current CO₂ concentration is displayed on the screen. The App enables fresh air calibration as well as Time Weighted Average ("TWA") measurement. It also has a battery indicator and a graphical log.

The App displays the actual CO₂ concentration. Depending on the measured levels, the App will display a warning and emit warning sounds. Charge the Scout with the provided USB (USB to micro-USB) charging cable. The Scout uses state-of-the art Non Dispersive IR technology to measure the CO₂ concentration. Once started, the Scout will not turn off automatically. To save battery time, turn it off by pushing the on/off button (3 seconds).

The Scout can also be used as a work environment sensor to measure the average CO₂ levels over an 8 hour work day ("TWA monitoring") in accordance with the US Occupational Safety and Health Administrations ("OSHA") regulations.



WARNING! The Scout is used only to measure CO₂ in the ambient air. It is NOT designed to detect smoke, fire, carbon monoxide, or any other poisonous gas. If used for TWA measuring purposes the Scout does NOT replace a fixed mounted CO₂ sensor.

First Start and Charging

First start: The Scout is delivered in "Deep-Sleep-Mode*". To start the Scout for the first time, shortly connect it to a USB charger with the enclosed cable. The App shows the battery charging status.

Charging: When charging the Scout, the LED flashes quickly red and green. When the Scout is fully charged, the LED turns green.

When starting the Scout; if the LED on the Scout lights green followed by a short red blink and then goes dark, the battery needs to be charged. Do not use the Scout unless fully charged.

Low battery warning: Low battery status is indicated with a blinking green LED and a beeping buzzer.

Charge only within 0-45°C / 32-113°F temperature.

*Deep-Sleep-Mode is a battery saving mode for long time storage (more than 2 months). This mode prevents the Scout from being unintentionally turned on. To enter the Deep-Sleep-Mode, turn off the Scout by pressing and holding the on/off-button until the LED flashes white three times (approx. 6 seconds). In the Deep-Sleep-Mode it is only possible to turn on the Scout by connecting it to a USB charger.

Connection with Android or iPhone Smartphone

Download the App "LogICO2-Scout" from App Store or Google Play. Start the App and the Scout is in operation, but not connected to a smartphone. GREEN LED on the Scout indicates that the Scout is in operation, but not connected to a smartphone. BLUE LED indicates connection with a smartphone.

Settings:

In settings, ensure that Bluetooth is activated, In the App click  (settings symbol) and under Active Alarms ensure that Pre-alarm, High alarm (STEL), TWA alarm (PEL) and Lost communication are activated.

NOTE! Only use the smartphone App to connect to the Scout. Do not pair/connect via the smartphones Bluetooth settings.

Android:

Pic.1: Tap on "Scan devices".

Pic.2: Tap on "LOGICO2-x" to connect. If more than one Scout is within the smartphones range, they will all be visible in the "Scanning for devices"-list. To be sure that you connect to your own Scout, tap on "Check". If it is "your Scout", the LED on it will flash blue twice.

Pic.3: Connected. When connected, the LED on the Scout turns blue and the App will start showing the CO2 concentration.

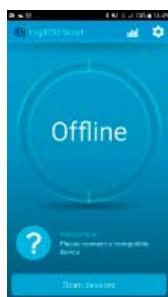
iPhone:

Pic.4: Tap CONNECT to connect with the Scout.

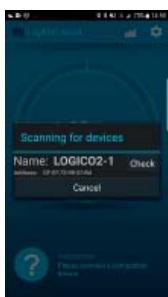
Pic.5: When connected, the LED on the Scout turns blue and the App will start showing the CO2 concentration.

IMPORTANT! Ensure that the volume on the iPhone is on max level.

Pic. 1



Pic. 2



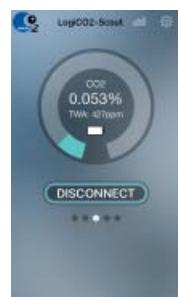
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Pic. 5



Connection Trouble

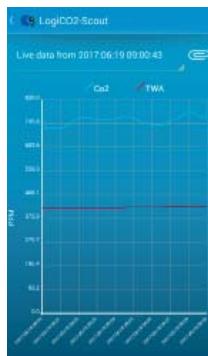
If there are problems connecting the Scout to your smartphone, turn the Scout off and on to clear its "connection memory". If there are still problems, turn your smartphone off and on to reset its Bluetooth communication function. **NOTE!** Only use the smartphone App to connect to the Scout. Do not pair/connect via the smartphones Bluetooth settings.

Logging

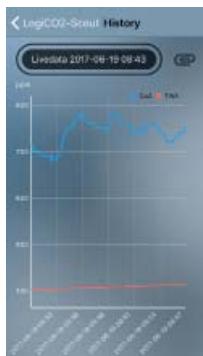
It is possible to see graphs of both TWA measurements as well as actual CO₂ measurements. Tap on the graph symbol in the upper right corner of the App. The X-axis represents time and the Y-axis represents the CO₂-concentrations.

The logging graph will be saved in the phone. Graphs can be sent as csv-files via e-mail.

Android



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Fresh Air Testing



WARNING! Always conduct a fresh air test, and calibrate the Scout if necessary, prior to each actual Danger Zone testing.

Note: Normal fresh outdoor air has a CO₂ concentration of 0,03 to 0,05% (average 0,04%) depending on different factors, such as: geographical location, time of season and altitude.

Procedure:

1. Start the Scout outside. Choose a place with fresh outdoor air protected from rain. Also avoid sources of high CO₂ concentration such as smoke from fire, ventilation exhaust and crowded areas. Avoid breathing on the Scout during the fresh air testing.
2. Connect the Scout with the smartphone and ensure that there is a blue LED light.
3. Check that the app shows a reading for at least 2 minutes.
4. If a fresh air testing indicates CO₂ levels between 0,03% and 0,05% proceed with CO₂ Danger Zone testing (See section How to Conduct a CO₂ Danger Zone Testing below).
5. If the Scout shows a CO₂ value below 0,03% or higher than 0,05%, you must calibrate the Scout. (See Calibration section below)

Calibration



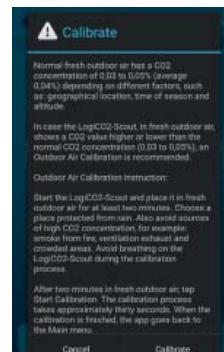
WARNING! Do not calibrate the LogiCO2-Scout indoors. Always conduct calibration outside in fresh air.

Procedure:

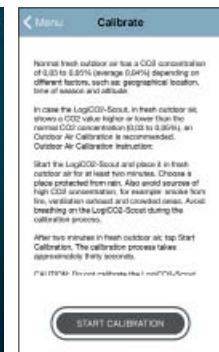
1. Start the Scout outside. Choose a place with fresh outdoor air protected from rain. Also avoid sources of high CO₂ concentration such as smoke from fire, ventilation exhaust and crowded areas. Avoid breathing on the Scout during the calibration.
2. Connect the Scout with the smartphone and ensure that there is a blue LED light.
3. After two minutes in fresh outdoor air, tap Start CALIBRATE in the upper right corner of the App. The calibration process takes approximately thirty seconds.
4. Follow the fresh air calibration instructions in the App.

Android and iPhone: Tap on the Gear in the upper right corner of the App and then tap on Calibrate.
Follow the fresh air calibration instructions in the App.

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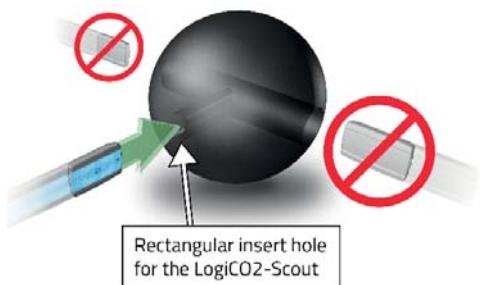


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How to Conduct a CO₂ Danger Zone Testing

1. Turn on the Scout and connect to a smartphone. Double check that the LED light is blue.
2. Conduct a Fresh Air Testing, and calibrate the Scout if testing indicates CO₂ values less than 0.03% or above 0.05%.
3. Insert the Scout far enough into the Foam Ball's rectangular hole until the LED is visible through one of the round air inlet holes. Double check, using one of the round air inlet holes, that the blue LED light is still on.



4. Ensure that the App shows reading.
5. Gently roll the Foam Ball into the Danger Zone.



WARNING! Be sure to roll the Foam Ball along the ground and do NOT toss it up in the air. (The range between the Scout and the smartphone can be up to 100 feet. The communication distance can be less depending on structures and other environmental conditions between the Scout and the smartphone).

6. Check that there is a reading for at least 30 seconds to ensure reading of CO₂ level is completed.
7. **In case of a Red High Alarm** (Dangerous CO₂ level warning. CO₂ levels at 3% or above): **Do NOT enter the Danger Zone. LEAVE THE AREA IMMEDIATELY and call 911.** Failure to do so can cause bodily harm and death.
8. In case of a Pre-Alarm (CO₂ levels at 1.5% or above): Open doors and windows as much as possible. Call service to locate the leak. A service technician should only enter the Danger Zone under the supervision of another person.

Dangerously High CO₂ Concentration

When the CO₂ concentration is over 3%, the Scout and the smartphone will start emitting warning sounds ("Red High Alarm"). The Scout and the smartphone will emit lower warning sounds at 1,5% CO₂ levels ("Pre-Alarm").

Red High Alarm: Do NOT enter the Danger Zone. Leave the area immediately and call 911.

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Pre-Alarm: Open doors and windows as much as possible. Call service technician.

IMPORTANT! A service technician should only enter the Danger Zone under the supervision of another person.

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TWA (Time Weighted Average) Monitoring

It is unhealthy for humans to be exposed to more than the Hygienic Limit Value of CO₂ during an 8-hour working day. The Hygienic Limit Value exposure of CO₂ over 8 hours/day in the USA and most other countries is 0,5% or 5000 ppm CO₂. Time Weighted Average (TWA) is the average concentration of CO₂ over an 8-hour period.

The Scout can be used to measure TWA. When used for this purpose, always conduct a Fresh Air Testing as described above before use. If needed, calibrate the Scout according to these instructions. Ensure that fixed mounted CO₂ sensors are installed in accordance with safety regulations.

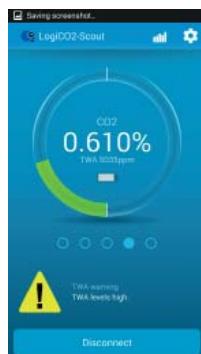
The Scout and the smartphone will emit warning sounds when TWA exceeds 0,5% or 5000 ppm CO₂ ("TWA-Alarm").

In case of a TWA-Alarm: Open doors and the windows as much as possible. Find the source or the reason for the high CO₂ concentration. If not found, call service. A service technician should only enter the Danger Zone under the supervision of another person.



WARNING! If used for TWA measuring purposes the Scout does NOT replace a fixed mounted CO₂ sensor.

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Technical Specifications

Operating Principle: Non-dispersive infrared (NDIR)

Measurement range: 0-6% volume CO₂

Battery information

Powered: Li-Ion 3,6V, 1150mAh

Operating time: Approx. 12h

Charging: With a USB - Micro USB cable to a normal smartphone charger

Charging time: Approx. 2,5h

LED indications

Green:

Operation, no connected smartphone.

Blue:

Bluetooth communication with smartphone.

Red, blinking:

Battery charging, shown together with green or blue indication.

Warning levels: 1,5% and 3% CO₂ concentration, 5000 ppm TWA alarm.

Weight: 75 g / 2.65 oz

Dimension (HxWxD): 90.6 x 57.1 x 20mm / 3.6" x 2.2" x 0.8"

Product features

LogiCO₂-Scout



Foam ball





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