

VERY LOW-COST WIRELESS HYDROGEN LEAK DETECTION FOR HYDROGEN INFRASTRUCTURE

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Element One Hydrogen Leak Detection Technologies

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Element One Thin Film Hydrogen Sensor



Self-fusing Tape -- Changes Color in Presence of Hydrogen

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Color Change of DetecTape Sensing Hydrogen Leak from Flange

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DetecTape Before Hydrogen



DetecTape After Hydrogen



Hydrogen Sensor in Test Chamber Connected Wirelessly--Zigbee

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Benchtop Flammable Gas Testing System

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W020722 M42 --2% H2 in Air in SSTA Resistance (M Ohms) Vs. Time (mins)

Zigbee in SSTA

W020722 M42 --100% H2 in Benchtop Resistance (M Ohms) Vs. Time (s) Zigbee in Benchtop



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Hydrogen Sensor Interrogated Wirelessly RFID

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Hydrogen Sensor on RFID Tag

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Future Work

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Field Testing of Multiple Sensors Meshed in Single Network planned by First Quarter 2024 Incorporating:

•User Interface for Ease of Monitoring

•Data Collection and Cloud Storage

•Both Mobile (Cell Phone) and Control Room Alerts Identifying Leak Location

Summary

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- Element One's DetecTape and Wireless Thin Film Sensors can be used together for low-cost hydrogen leak detection at multiple potential leak sources
- Both Zigbee and RFID can be used for remote interrogation and monitoring

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 Widely deployed low-cost Thin Film Sensors and DetecTape rapidly identify location of hydrogen leaks for safety, cost-savings, and reduction of potentially harmful effect on green house gases



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