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- Particle size distribution measurement
- Wide particle size range
- Complete sampling setups also for high temperature applications



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The DLPI+ (Dekati® Low Pressure Impactor) is a 14-stage cascade impactor that is used to determine airborne particle mass size distribution. The DLPI+ classifies and collects particles into 13 size fractions in the range of 16 nm - 10 µm. In each size fraction, the particles are collected on 25 mm collection substrates that are weighed before and after the measurement to obtain gravimetric size distribution of the particles. A chemical analysis of the size classified particles can also be performed. The DLPI+ impactor can be used in various particle measurement applications and the High Temperature version of the DLPI+ can also be heated up to 180 °C for direct sampling of high temperature aerosols.



Applications

- · Combustion process studies
- · Air quality measurements
- · Occupational health and safety studies
- Engine exhaust measurements
- Blow-by gas emission measurements
- Nanoparticle measurements

Accessories

- Spare set of impactor collection plates
- High Temperature DLPI+ for direct hot aerosol sampling up to 180 °C
- Vacuum pumps
- Aluminium and polycarbonate collection substrates Ø25 mm
- Dekati[®] Collection Substrate Spray for substrate greasing
- · Sampling lines for emission measurements
- · Sampling inlets for air quality measurement

Features

- Gravimetric particle size distribution 16 nm 10 μm
- 14 size fractions, uppermost stage collects >10 µm particles
- 10 lpm sample flow rate
- · Particle collection area Ø25 mm
- Integrated impactor low pressure (40 mbar) measurement and adjustment, no flow control needed
- Well characterized impactor with low inter-stage particle losses*
- Can be upgraded into a complete ELPI®+ (Electrical Low Pressure Impactor) system for real-time data
- · Provided with a data processing spread sheet
- Stainless steel stages for operation even in harsh environments
- Standard DLPI+ for up to 50 °C measurements
- Sampling from up to 180 °C with the High Temperature DLPI+
- · Each unit manufactured and calibrated in Finland
- Complete measurement solutions available for different applications

* Järvinen, A., Aitomaa, M., Rostedt, A., Keskinen, J. & Yli-Ojanperä, J. 2014. Calibration of the new electrical low pressure impactor (ELPI+). 2014. J. Aerosol Sci. 69, pp. 150-159.

Impactor cut points

| Stage | D50% [µm] |
|-------|-----------|
| 15 | 10 |
| 14 | 5.3 |
| 13 | 3.6 |
| 12 | 2.5 |
| 11 | 1.6 |
| 10 | 0.94 |
| 9 | 0.60 |
| 8 | 0.38 |
| 7 | 0.25 |
| 6 | 0.15 |
| 5 | 0.094 |
| 4 | 0.054 |
| 3 | 0.030 |
| 2 | 0.016 |

Each DLPI+ unit is individually calibrated before delivery; the calibration includes detailed determination of the exact sample flow rate and D50% values. The values presented in this table are nominal values at 20 °C. Effect of temperature on the impactor calibration values can be calculated with the provided data processing spread sheet.

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