

# Portable Gas Monitor GX-2012

### **Data Logger Management Program**

**SW-GX-2012(EX)** 

**Operating Manual** 

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### **Preface**

The operation procedures and precautions mentioned in this operating manual apply only for the specified use of the program. We do not hold ourselves responsible for uses not described in this operating manual.

This operating manual will not explain the basic common operations of Microsoft Windows 7, Windows 8 and Windows 10, such as selecting commands or setting dialog boxes. First-time users of Windows should read the Windows manual or other documents in advance to learn common operations of the operating system.



#### WARNING

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### **Necessity of pointing devices**

This software requires pointing devices such as a mouse or touchpad.

Keyboard-only operation is not supported.

### 1-1. Purpose and features of this program

This program is used to download data collected by the data logger function featured in GX-2012 to a PC to use the data effectively.

There are the following advantages in downloading data collected by the data logger function:

- · Gathered data can be viewed in a list.
- Gathered data can be viewed in graph and table formats.
- Graph and table data can be printed and stored on paper.
- Past data can be stored.
- Manual copying of data is no longer necessary.
- Able to know quickly which unit needs calibration, and perform calibration automatically.
- Able to manage more than one unit easily.



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## Installation and Uninstallation

### 2-1. Precautions on operating environment

This program can be used on Microsoft operating systems Microsoft Windows 7, Windows 8 and Windows 10. Please note that it cannot be used on other operating systems.

This program requires a maximum of 40 MB hard disk when it is installed. Moreover, on operation of the system, it requires hard disk capacity depending on the amount of data. Please use the program with sufficient disk capacity.



### Precautions on handling the CD-ROM

- 1. CD-ROM storage
  - Do not store the CD-ROM in a place exposed to direct sunlight or a place with high temperature and humidity.
- 2. CD-ROM drive to use
  - Avoid using a slot-loading CD-ROM drive.
  - The label attached on the CD-ROM might prevent CD-ROM from ejecting properly. Use a tray-type CD-ROM drive.

### 2-2. Software installation

Insert a disk which stores data of the program to a CD-ROM drive of a Windows-based PC. After a while, an installation screen will automatically start.

When the PC does not support the auto-start function of the CD-ROM, operate as follows:

- 1. From Explorer, open the CD-ROM drive.
- 2. Double-click the setup.exe file.

### 2-3. Installation procedure

 Start the setup program After inserting the CD-ROM or starting setup.exe, the following screen is displayed.



Accept the license

agreement

Click the "Next" button.

The following screen is displayed.

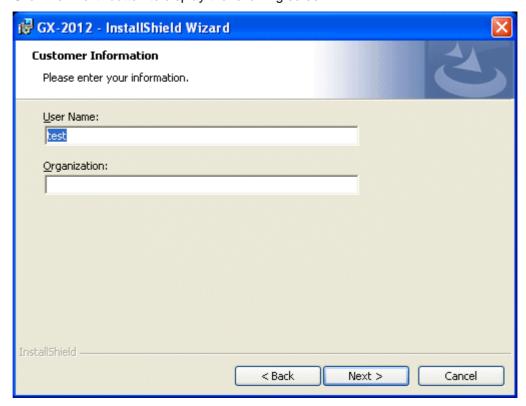


Click the "Next" button to continue the installation, or the "Cancel" button to abort the installation.



Fully understand the license agreement before continuing with the installation of the software.

 Customer Information Click the "Next" button to display the following screen.



Click the "Next" button.

### • Destination Folder



Click the "Next" button.

#### Start setup



Click the "Next" button to start installation.

#### Complete

When the setup process is completed, the following screen is displayed.



The program can be used immediately after setup.



### **CAUTION**

### Save past data for reinstallation

Please note the following when reinstalling the software:

- 1. Uninstall the software before reinstallation.
- 2. If the software is uninstalled after some operation, some files will remain on the PC. Of these files, GX2012.mdb is a database file. If past data needs to be saved, copy this file to a different location, and then delete the folder.



#### CAUTION

### Precautions when installing on Windows 7/8/10

This software requires a library, which consists of files such as various drivers, installed on the Windows system. The files are installed automatically during the installation of the software. When using Windows 7/8/10, installation of the system library requires administrator privileges. In this case, follow the instructions to log in as an administrator, and then install the system library. After installation, a dialog prompts to restart the system. Restart, log on again as a general user, and install the application.

(Both the library and the application are installed by clicking setup.exe in the CD-ROM. Installation with an administrator privilege is required only when the required library is not installed in the system folder.)



## When using the software under a network-connected environment

When installing on a network-connected PC running Windows 7/8/10, check the following points. IrDA communication utilizes a subset of TCP/IP technology (the communication technology used for the Internet, etc.) and uses a special set of communication groups and IP addresses. Because of this, some strong Internet security software might reject communication.

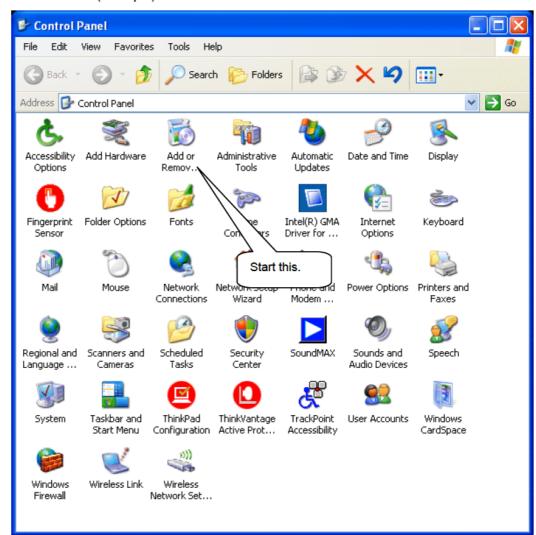
If possible, use a computer that is not connected to the network. When using a computer connected to the network, use with sufficient considerations on security settings.

### 2-4. Uninstallation

#### Startup

To uninstall the software, from the Start Menu of the Windows bar, click "Settings" and then start "Control Panel".

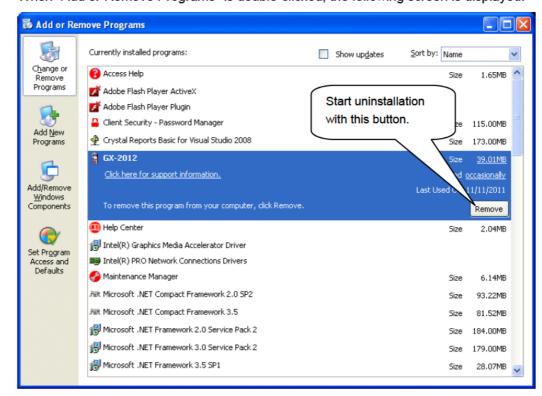
Control Panel (example)



From the Control Panel, double-click "Add or Remove Programs" to start.

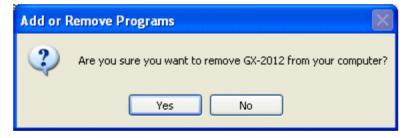
#### Select GX-2012

When "Add or Remove Programs" is double-clicked, the following screen is displayed.



#### Start deletion

Select "GX-2012" and click the "Remove" button.



Click "Yes" to start the uninstallation.



#### **CAUTION**

A message, "Do you want to remove the shared file?" might be displayed during uninstallation. Select No to All. Selecting Yes to All might affect other applications.

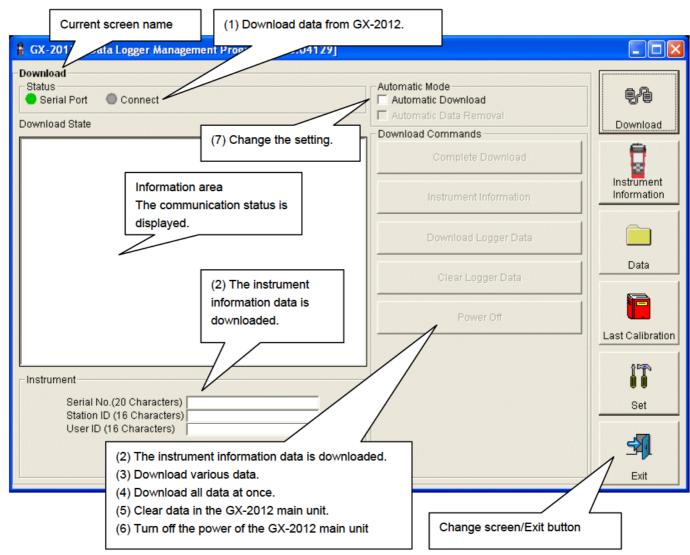
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## **How to Operate**

Double-click the "GX-2012" desktop shortcut, or click the "Start" menu, select "Programs" and click the GX-8000 program icon.

### 3-1. Download screen

After the splash screen, the download screen is displayed.



To perform data communication, place the GX-2012 main unit to an appropriate position, and with the program activated, turn on the power of the main unit. The program automatically judges whether or not communication is possible. If possible, the PC will be ready to receive the data.

### (1) Download data from GX-2012

- Prepare the main unit
- Start the software.
- With the GX-2012 main unit powered off, move it to a position capable of communication.
- 3. Turn on the GX-2012 main unit.



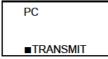
### **CAUTION**

Make sure to turn on the power of GX-2012 after placing it to a position capable of communication.

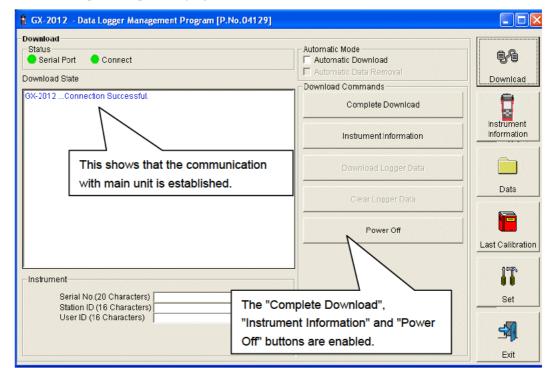
Communication will not be established when it is placed at a position capable of communication with the power turned on.

The message will be displayed as shown on the right on the LCD screen of the GX-2012 main unit.  $\rightarrow$ 

(Due to the display resolution of GX-2012, the message will be somewhat difficult to read.)



The following message is displayed in the Information Area.





### **CAUTION**

If the content of the Information Area is different from above, turn off the power of the GX-2012 main unit, check the position of the unit, and then turn on the power again.

When communication is established, the Status area changes as follows.



#### Serial Port:

Communication available: Green (PC port ready)

Communication not available: Red

#### Connect:

Communication ready: Gray

Communication in progress: Green

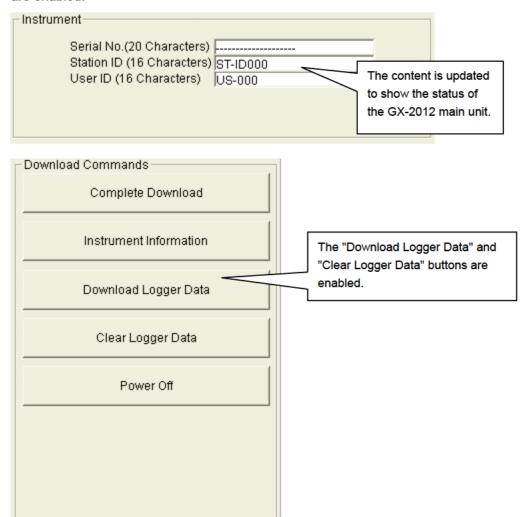
### (2) Download instrument information

 Download instrument information First, click the "Instrument Information" button to download instrument information data.



An animation is displayed during download.

When the Instrument Information data is downloaded, the content of the Instrument Information area is updated and the "Download Logger Data" and "Clear Logger Data" buttons are enabled.

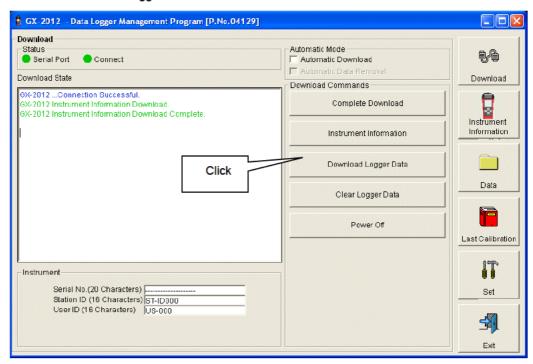


### (3) Download various data

- Trend data
- Event data

After the instrument information data is downloaded using the "Instrument Information" button, the "Download Logger Data" button is enabled.

Click the "Download Logger Data" button.



The download status is displayed in the information area.



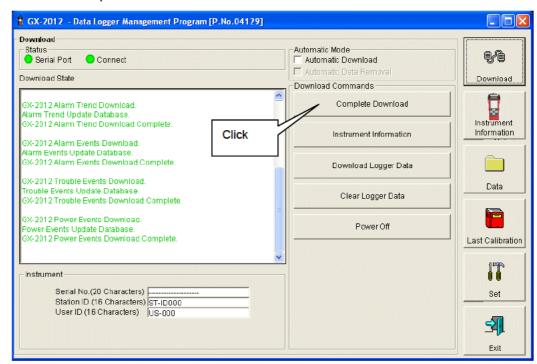
### **CAUTION**

During download of each data, other data accesses are prohibited. Therefore, other download buttons and the "Set" button are disabled.

### (4) Complete download

 Complete download The "Complete Download" button downloads "Instrument Information", "Interval Trend", "Alarm Trend", "Alarm Events", "Trouble Events" and "Power Events" data at once.

Click the "Complete Download" button.



The download status is displayed in the information area.



### **CAUTION**

During download of each data, other data accesses are prohibited. Therefore, other download buttons and the "Set" button are disabled.

### (5) Clear data in the GX-2012 main unit

• Data clear

Use the "Clear Logger Data" button to delete various data stored inside GX-2012.

Click the "Clear Logger Data" button.



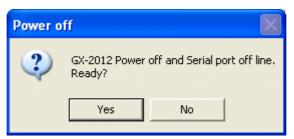
Click "Yes" to start clearing the data.

### (6) Turn off the power of the GX-2012 main unit

Power OFF

Use the "Power Off" button to turn off the power of the GX-2012 main unit and initialize the serial port of the PC.

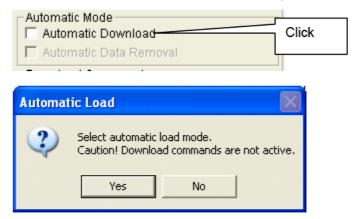
1. Click the "Power Off" button.



Click the "Yes" button to start the power off process of the GX-2012 main unit. After the serial port of the PC is initialized, it will be reset to the data download ready status.

### (7) Switch to automatic mode

 Automatic Download 1. Mark the Automatic "Download" checkbox (if not marked yet).



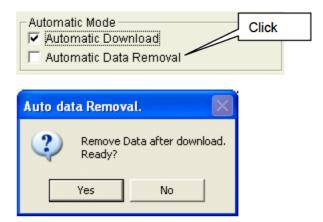
Click "Yes" to switch to Automatic Download. Click "No" to cancel mode change.

In this mode, after the GX-2012 main unit is powered on, the PC automatically downloads complete data and then turns off the power of the GX-2012 main unit. During automatic download, manual download is not available.

Automatic
 Data Removal

When Automatic Download is used, downloaded data can be automatically removed after download.

1. Mark the "Automatic Data Removal" checkbox.

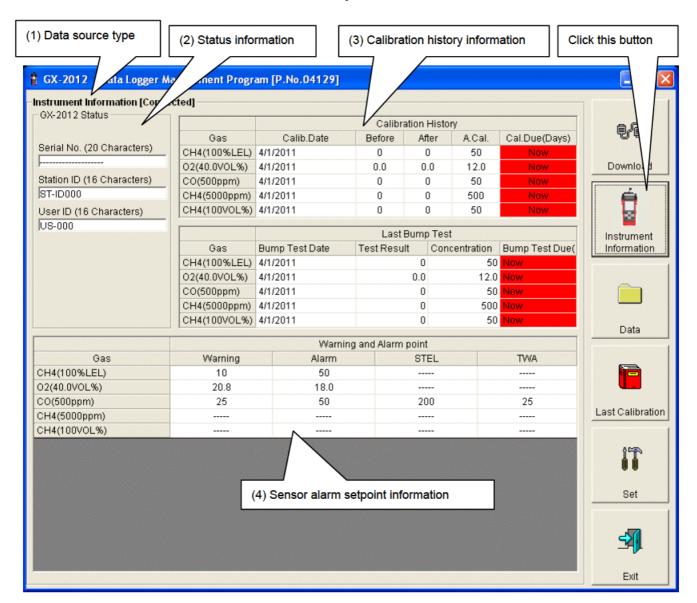


Click "Yes" to automatically remove data stored in GX-2012 after downloading complete data.

\* This setting is useful for shortening download time when repeating download and data removal processes.

### 3-2. Instrument Information screen

Click the "Instrument Information" button at the right side of the screen to switch to the following screen. This screen lists instrument information data for the currently connected GX-2012 main unit.





### **CAUTION**

This screen is read-only. Modification of data is not supported. -> See "3-6. Set screen". When the Instrument Information data is not downloaded, no data is displayed.

### (1) Data source type

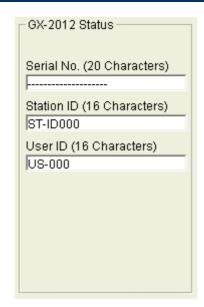
• Data source information

When the information of the multi-gas monitor main unit is displayed, the text [Connected] is displayed.



### (2) Status information

Information details



Serial No, Station ID and User ID stored inside the main unit are displayed.



This column is read-only. Modification of the data is not supported.

### (3) Calibration history information

#### Calibration history details

	Calibration History				
Gas	Calib.Date	Before	After	A.Cal.	Cal.Due(Days)
CH4(100%LEL)	4/1/2011	0	0	50	Now
O2(40.0VOL%)	4/1/2011	0.0	0.0	12.0	Now
CO(500ppm)	4/1/2011	0	0	50	Now
CH4(5000ppm)	4/1/2011	0	0	500	Now
CH4(100VOL%)	4/1/2011	0	0	50	Now

Contents:

Gas: Measured gas name (full scale)

Calib.Date: Date of last calibration

Before: Concentration before last calibration

After: Concentration after last calibration/calibration failure

A.Cal.: Concentration for automatic calibration

Cal.Due(Days): Guaranteed operating time without another calibration (when the

remaining time reaches 1 month, this item is displayed in red to

indicate a warning)

#### Bump test history details

	Last Bump Test				
Gas	Bump Test Date Test Result Concentration Bump Tes				
CH4(100%LEL)	4/1/2011	0	50	Now	
O2(40.0VOL%)	4/1/2011	0.0	12.0	Now	
CO(500ppm)	4/1/2011	0	50	Now	
CH4(5000ppm)	4/1/2011	0	500	Now	
CH4(100VOL%)	4/1/2011	0	50	Now	

Contents:

Gas: Measured gas name (full scale)

Bump.Date: Date of last bump test
Test Result Concentration: Last test result concentration
Test Gas Concentration: Last test gas concentration

Bump.Due(Days): Guaranteed operation time without another bump test

(when the remaining time reaches 1 month, this item is

displayed in red to indicate a warning)

### (4) Sensor alarm setpoint information

#### Details

		Warning and Alarm point					
Gas	Warning	Warning Alarm STEL TWA					
CH4(100%LEL)	10	50					
O2(40.0VOL%)	20.8	18.0					
CO(500ppm)	25	50	200	25			
CH4(5000ppm)							
CH4(100VOL%)							

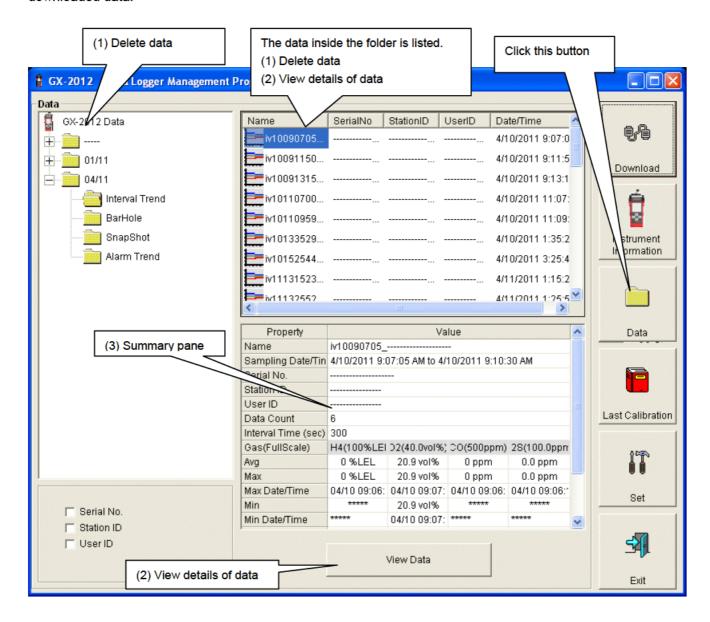
Contents:

Gas: Measured gas name

Warning: Concentration at first alarm setpoint
Alarm: Concentration at second alarm setpoint
STEL: Concentration at STEL alarm setpoint
TWA: Concentration at TWA alarm setpoint

### 3-3. Data screen

Click the "Data" button at the right side of the screen to switch to the following screen and view the list of downloaded data.



The operation of this screen is similar to the Windows Explorer. However, the following operations are not supported.

- 1. Rename data.
- 2. Move the data to another location.

Folders are displayed in an Explorer-like manner, with serial numbers, station IDs and User IDs displayed hierarchically in this order.

Folders and data names are formed under the following rules.

Folder name: 04/11 = Data of April 2011.

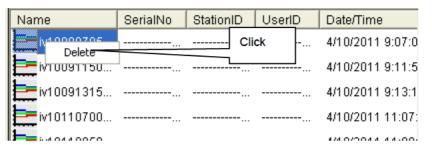
File name: iv22111930 3EB = Interval trend, 22nd day, 11:19:30 (Start date and time of logging)

al26150419\_3EB = Alarm trend, 26th day, 15:04:19 (Date and time of alarm occurrence)

The limit of data items to be stored in each folder depends on the memory limit of the PC. However, to maintain response speed, back up data files at least once a year. 4.

### (1) Delete data

- Delete
- 1. Click to select the data or folder to delete.
- 2. Right-click there (without moving the mouse).



Input password The Delete Menu is displayed. Click "Delete".

 The Password dialog is prompted. Enter the password and press the "Continue" button.

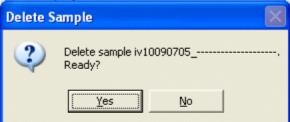




#### **CAUTION**

When "Continue" is pressed without entering the password, the delete operation is canceled.

When "Continue" is pressed with an appropriate password, the following message is displayed.



Click the "Yes" button to delete the data. Click the "No" button to cancel deletion of data.

### (2) View details of data

- View data details
- 1. Click the data to be viewed in detail. Check that the summary of the data is displayed in the summary pane, and click the "View Data" button.

or

2. Double-click the data to be viewed in detail.

For details on how to use the data details screen, see "3-4. Data View screen".

### (3) Summary pane

#### Details

When the selected data is a normal data, the summary of the data is displayed. Interval trend

Property		Value				
Sampling Date/Time	4/10/2011 9:07:0	4/10/2011 9:07:05 AM to 4/10/2011 9:10:30 AM				
Serial No.						
Station ID						
UserID						
Data Count	6					
Interval Time (sec)	300	300				
Gas(FullScale)	CH4(100%LEL)	O2(40.0vol%)	CO(500ppm)	H2S(100.0ppm)		
Avg	0 %LEL	20.9 vol%	0 ppm	0.0 ppm		
Max	0 %LEL	20.9 vol%	0 ppm	0.0 ppm		
Max Date/Time	04/10 09:06:15	04/10 09:07:06	04/10 09:06:15	04/10 09:06:15		
Min	****	20.9 vol%	****	****		
Min Date/Time	****	04/10 09:07:06	****	****		
Warning	10 %LEL	19.5 vol%	25 ppm	5.0 ppm		
Alarm	50 %LEL	23.5 vol%	50 ppm	30.0 ppm		
STEL	****	****	200 ppm	5.0 ppm		
TWA	****	****	25 ppm	5.0 ppm		

Name: Data name

Sampling Date/Time: Start and end of sampling date/time Serial No./Station ID/User ID: Status of the GX-2012 main unit

Data Count: Number of sampled data Interval Time (sec): Sampling interval (sec)

Gas(FullScale):

Avg:

Average value of gas

Max:

Maximum value of gas data

Max Date/Time: Date/time when the maximum value is logged

Min: Minimum value of gas data

Min Date/Time: Date/time when the minimum value is logged

Warning: First alarm setpoint
Alarm: Second alarm setpoint
STEL: STEL alarm setpoint
TWA: TWA alarm setpoint

#### Alarm events

DateTime	Gas	Event
4/19/2011 11:11:44 AM	CH4(100%LEL)	WARNING
4/19/2011 11:05:34 AM	CH4(100%LEL)	WARNING
4/19/2011 11:04:21 AM	CH4(100%LEL)	WARNING
4/19/2011 11:04:21 AM	CH4(100%LEL)	ALARM
4/19/2011 9:36:08 AM	O2(40.0vol%)	WARNING
4/18/2011 2:57:40 PM	O2(40.0vol%)	WARNING
1/1/2011 12:01:36 AM	O2(40.0vol%)	WARNING
1/1/2011 12:01:36 AM	CH4(100%LEL)	WARNING
1/1/2011 12:01:36 AM	CH4(100%LEL)	ALARM

DateTime: Date and time when the event occurred Gas: Naturally occurring or produced gas

Event: Event type

#### Alarm trend

Property	Value				
Name	al18145740				
Alarm Date/Time	4/18/2011 2:57:4	0 PM			
Serial No.					
Station ID					
User ID					
Data Count	720	720			
Interval Time (sec)	5				
Gas(FullScale)	CH4(100%LEL)	O2(40.0vol%)	CO(500ppm)	H2S(100.0ppm)	
Value	0 %LEL	10.1 vol%	****	****	
Warning	10 %LEL	19.5 vol%	25 ppm	5.0 ppm	
Alarm	50 %LEL	23.5 vol%	50 ppm	30.0 ppm	
STEL	****	****	200 ppm	5.0 ppm	
TWA	****	****	25 ppm	5.0 ppm	

Name: Data name

Alarm Date/Time: Date/time when the alarm is occurred Serial No./Station ID/User ID: Status of the GX-2012 main unit

Data Count:
Interval Time (sec):
Gas(FullScale):

Number of sampled data
Sampling interval
Gas (full scale)

Value: Concentration when the alarm is occurred

Warning: First alarm setpoint
Alarm: Second alarm setpoint
STEL: STEL alarm setpoint
TWA: TWA alarm setpoint

#### Calibration history

DateTime	Gas	Before	After
4/19/2011 11:10:11 AM	CH4(100%LEL)		
	O2(40.0vol%)		
	CO(500ppm)		
	H2S(100.0ppm)		
	CH4(100vol%)	45 vol%	50 vol%
4/19/2011 11:03:05 AM	CH4(100%LEL)	52 %LEL	50 %LEL
	O2(40.0vol%)		
	CO(500ppm)		
	H2S(100.0ppm)		
	CH4(100vol%)		
	Total	17	Datas

DateTime: Date and time when the event occurred

Gas: Gas

Before: Concentration before calibration
After: Concentration after calibration

#### Trouble events

DateTime	Gas/Body	Event
4/18/2011 2:57:49 PM	O2(40.0vol%)	Fail(Sens.)
4/18/2011 2:57:31 PM	Body	Fail(FLOW)
4/18/2011 2:55:22 PM	H2S(100.0ppm)	Fail(Sens.)
4/18/2011 2:55:22 PM	CO(500ppm)	Fail(Sens.)
4/18/2011 2:52:03 PM	Body	Fail(FLOW)
4/18/2011 2:51:57 PM	Body	Fail(FLOW)
4/14/2011 7:04:07 PM	H2S(100.0ppm)	Fail(Sens.)
4/14/2011 7:04:07 PM	CO(500ppm)	Fail(Sens.)

DateTime: Date and time when the event occurred

Gas/Body: Naturally occurring or produced gas, or the GX-2012 main unit (Body)

Event: Event type

#### Bump test

DateTime	Gas	Test Result	Concentration	Judge
4/15/2011 3:45:56 PM	CH4(100%LEL)	2 %LEL	50 %LEL	FAIL
	O2(40.0vol%)	20.9 vol%	12.0 vol%	FAIL
	CO(500ppm)			
	()			
	CH4(100vol%)			
4/15/2011 3:44:21 PM	CH4(100%LEL)	2 %LEL	50 %LEL	FAIL
	O2(40.0vol%)	20.9 vol%	12.0 vol%	FAIL
	CO(500ppm)			
	()			
	CH4(100vol%)			
	Total	14	Datas	

DateTime: Date and time when the event occurred

Gas: Gas

Test Result: Test result concentration Concentration: Test gas concentration

Judge: Test judgment

#### Bar hole

Property	Value					
Name	iv15171348	iv15171348				
Sampling Date/Time	4/15/2011 5:13:4	8 PM to 4/15/2011	1 5:14:19 PM			
Serial No.						
Station ID						
UserID						
Interval Time (sec)	30	30				
Gas(FullScale)	CH4(100%LEL)	O2(40.0vol%)	()	()		
Avg	0 %LEL	20.9 vol%				
Max	0 %LEL	20.9 vol%				
Max Date/Time	04/15 17:13:48	04/15 17:13:48				
Min	****	20.9 vol%	****	****		
Min Date/Time	****	04/15 17:13:48	****	****		
Warning	10 %LEL	19.5 vol%				
Alarm	50 %LEL	23.5 vol%				
STEL	****	****				

Name: Data name

Sampling Date/Time: Start and end of sampling date/time Serial No./Station ID/User ID: Status of the GX-2012 main unit

Interval Time (sec): Sampling interval (sec)

Gas(FullScale):

Avg:

Average value of gas

Max:

Maximum value of gas data

Max Date/Time: Date/time when the maximum value is logged

Min: Minimum value of gas data

Min Date/Time: Date/time when the minimum value is logged

Warning: First alarm setpoint
Alarm: Second alarm setpoint
STEL: STEL alarm setpoint
TWA: TWA alarm setpoint

#### Snapshot

Property	Value				
Name	ss10142110	ss10142110			
Sampling Date/Time	4/10/2011 2:21:1	4/10/2011 2:21:10 PM			
Serial No.					
Station ID					
UserID					
Gas(FullScale)	CH4(100%LEL) O2(40.0vol%) CO(500ppm) H2S(100.0ppm)				
Concentration	0 %LEL	20.9 vol%	0 ppm	0.0 ppm	

Name: Data name

Sampling Date/Time: Recorded date/time

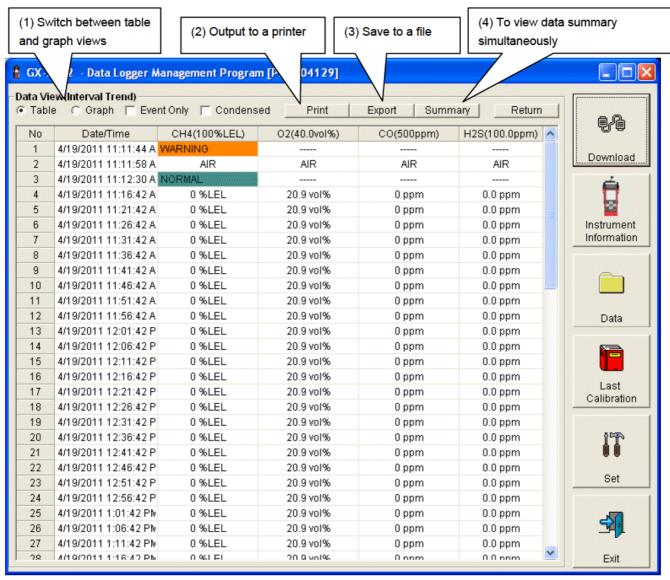
Serial No./Station ID/User ID: Status of the GX-2012 main unit

Gas(FullScale): Gas (full scale)

Concentration: Gas concentration of the recorded date/time

### 3-4. Data View screen

This screen displays the details of each data in a table or a graph.



- □ Event Only: Displays event data only.
- □ Condensed: Displays data which shows some change in sample data.



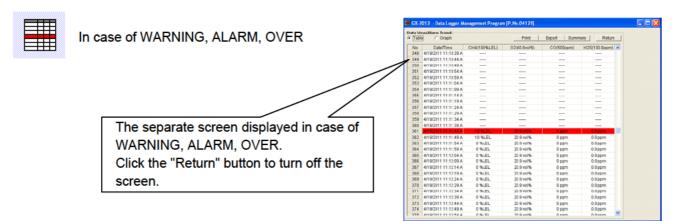
### CAUTION

Graph is not available when the number of samples is five or less.

In the table for the Alarm Trend data, the data where the alarm occurred is painted in red.

Among the event data, when the mouse cursor is pointed to WARNING, ALARM or OVER, the cursor changes to the following.

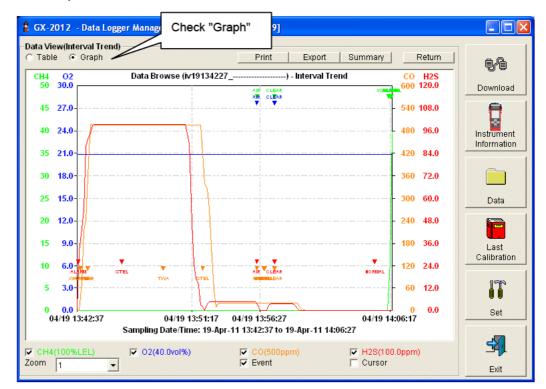
When in this state, clicking the cell triggers a search for the corresponding trend data. If it exists, it can be displayed in a separate screen.



<sup>\*</sup> In the table for the Alarm Trend data, the data where the alarm occurred is painted in red.

### (1) Switch between table and graph views

 Switch to graph view 1. From the Table and "Graph" radio buttons at the top left of the screen, select "Graph".



Use checkboxes and a combo box at the bottom of the screen to perform various operations on the view.



Checkboxes at the top of the screen (gas name): Select these boxes to toggle on/off each gas data.

"Zoom" combo box: Use this box to select the magnification ratio of the horizontal axis, according to the number of samples.

"Event" checkbox: Select this box to display event information markers, such as alarms. "Cursor" checkbox: Select this box to display a cursor on the graph.



#### CAUTION

The maximum value of the graph's vertical axis is automatically adjusted based on the following definitional equations.

When the maximum value of data without event is "x", if full scale is 10 or above, the equation will be  $Ymax = \{int(x / 10) + 1\} * 10$ . If full scale is below 10, the equation will be  $Ymax = \{int(x) + 1\}$ , where "int" means to round off the decimal part.



### CAUTION

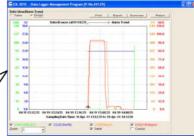
A graph is not displayed unless there are five or more normal concentration data. Data that contains only events cannot be drawn as a graph, because no concentration data is included.

Among the event data, when the mouse cursor is pointed to WARNING, ALARM or OVER, the cursor changes to the following. When in this state, clicking the graph triggers a search for the corresponding trend data. If it exists, it can be displayed in a separate screen.



In case of WARNING, ALARM, OVER

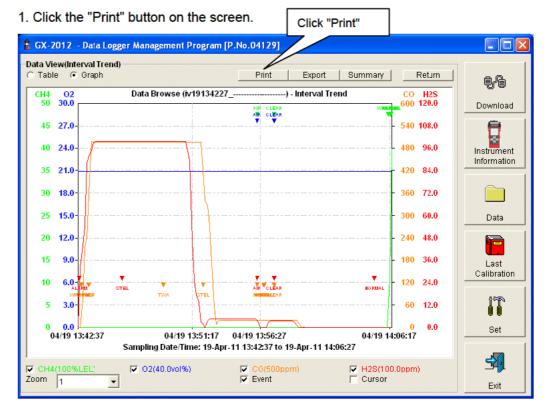
The separate screen displayed in case of WARNING, ALARM, OVER.
Click the "Return" button to turn off the screen.



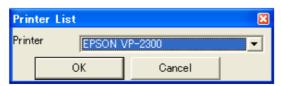
### (2) Output to a printer

Print

The content currently displayed on the Data View screen can be output to a printer.



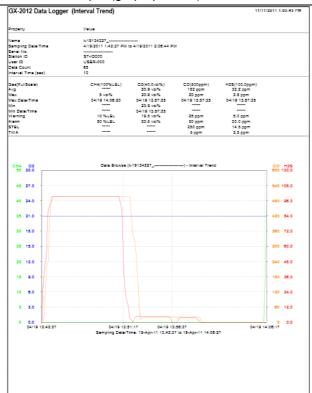
The Printer List screen is displayed. Select the printer to use and click the "OK" button.



Click the "OK" button to start the printout.

Click the "Cancel" button to cancel the printout and return to the previous screen.

#### Printout example (graph printout)



#### Printout example (table printout)

	12 Data Logger (In	terval Trend)				1/2011 1:03:55 P		
Property		Value						
(ame		h/19134227						
	Date/Time	4/19/2011 1:42:27 PM	to 4/19/2011 2:05:44	PM				
Serial No.								
Station ID		ST-10000						
User ID		USER-000						
Data Count		65						
nterval Ti	me (sec)	10						
as(FullS	relat	CH4(100%LEL)	G2(40.0ve(%)	CO(\$00nom)	H25(100.0nom)			
Avg.			20.9 vol%	182 gpm	32.2 ppm			
Vax		5 val%	20.9 vol%	20 ppm	3.5 ppm			
Visc Dated	Time	04/19 14:06:20	04/19 13:57:35	04/19 13:57:35	04/19 13:57:35			
/in			20.9 val%					
/in Date/	Time		04/19 13:57:35					
Verning		10 % LEL	19.5 vol%	25 ggm	5.0 ppm			
Vann		50 %LEL	23.5 vol%	50 ppm	20.0 ppm			
STEL				250 ppm	14.5 ggm			
WA				5 pgm	2.5 ppm			
No 1	Date/Time 4/19/2011 1:42:35 PM	CH4(100%LEL)	G2(40.0vol%)	CO(500ppm)	HZS(100.0ppm) WARNING			
2	4/19/2011 1:42:35 PM 4/19/2011 1:42:37 PM	0 WLEL	20.9 vol94					
	4/19/2011 1:42:37 PM 4/19/2011 1:42:42 PM	0 %LEL	20.9 verific	0 pgm	1.0 ppm ALARM			
2								
•	4/19/2011 1:42:47 PM 4/19/2011 1:42:52 PM	0 WLEL	20.9 vol%	0 ppm ALARM	32.0 pgm			
	4/19/2011 1:42:52 PM 4/19/2011 1:42:52 PM			ALARM WARNING				
	4/19/2011 1:42:52 PM 4/19/2011 1:42:57 PM	D WLEL	20.9 vp/%		44.0 com			
į.	4/19/2011 1:42:57 PM 4/19/2011 1:42:07 PM	D WLEL		75 ggm				
			20.9 vel%	214 ppm	54.0 ggm			
9	4/19/2011 1:42:17 PM	0 %LEL	20.9 vol%	242 ppm	55.0 ggm			
10	4/19/2011 1:42:25 PM 4/19/2011 1:42:27 PM	DALEL	20.9 ve/%	OVER	92.5 ppm			
11		O WLEL		395 ggm				
	4/19/2011 1:43:37 PM		20.9 vol%	497 ppm	94.5 ppm			
13	4/19/2011 1:42:47 PM	0 WLEL	20.9 vol%	495 ggm	99.0 ppm			
14	4/19/2011 1:43:57 PM	D WILEL	20.9 val%	495 ggm	99.5 ppm			
15	4/19/2011 1:46:00 PM 4/19/2011 1:49:05 PM			TWA	STEL			
17	4/19/2011 1:49:05 PM 4/19/2011 1:50:47 PM	D WLEL	20.9 vp/%	195 ppm	99.5 com			
17	4/19/2011 1:50:47 PM 4/19/2011 1:50:57 PM	O WLEL	20.9 vol16 20.9 vol16	495 ggm 495 ggm	99.5 ppm 94.5 ppm			
18	4/19/2011 1:50:57 PM 4/19/2011 1:51:07 PM	O WLEL	20.9 vol16 20.9 vol16	495 ppm 495 ppm	94.5 ppm 89.0 ppm			
20	4/19/2011 1:51:07 PM 4/19/2011 1:51:17 PM	D WLEL	20.9 val%		89.0 ppm 47.0 ppm			
20	4/19/2011 1:51:17 PM 4/19/2011 1:51:27 PM	D WLEL	20.9 vol16 20.9 vol16	495 ppm 495 ppm	47.0 ppm 25.0 ppm			
21	4/19/2011 1:51:27 PM 4/19/2011 1:51:37 PM	DWIEL	20.9 vene 20.9 vene	495 ggm 495 ggm	23.0 ppm 17.5 ppm			
22	4/19/2011 1:51:37 PM	DWIEL	20.9 vel%	495 ggm 495 ggm	17.5 ppm 13.5 ppm			
23	4/19/2011 1:51:47 PM 4/19/2011 1:51:57 PM	O WLEL	20.9 vene 20.9 vene					
24 25	4/19/2011 1:51:57 PM 4/19/2011 1:52:07 PM	D WLEL	20.9 vol16	495 ppm 421 ppm	3.0 ppm			
25 26	4/19/2011 1:52:07 PM 4/19/2011 1:52:05 PM	0 %LEL	20.9 vol%	421 ggm STEL	2.0 ppm			
27	4/19/2011 1:52:17 PM	DALEL	20.9 ve/%	340 ggm	0.0 ppm			
25	4/19/2011 1:52:17 PM	DWLEL	20.9 vol16	240 ggm 325 ggm	0.0 ggm 3.5 ggm			
29	4/19/2011 1:52:27 PM 4/19/2011 1:52:37 PM	DWIEL	20.9 vone 20.9 vone	220 ggm	3.5 ppm 4.5 ppm			
29	4/19/2011 1:52:37 PM 4/19/2011 1:52:47 PM	DWIEL	20.9 vents	271 ggm 172 ggm	4.5 ppm 4.5 ppm			
21	4/19/2011 1:52:47 PM 4/19/2011 1:52:57 PM	DWLEL	20.9 vone 20.9 vone	172 ggm	4.5 ppm 4.5 ppm			
21	4/19/2011 1:52:57 PM 4/19/2011 1:53:07 PM	DNUEL	20.9 verse 20.9 verse	33 ggm 9 ggm	4.5 ppm 4.5 ppm			
22	4/19/2011 1:52:07 PM	DWIEL	20.9 volve	15 com	4.5 ppm 4.5 ppm			
34	4/19/2011 1:52:17 PM	DWLEL	20.9 vone 20.9 vone	10 ppm 20 ppm	4.5 ppm 4.5 ppm			
25	4/19/2011 1:52:27 PM 4/19/2011 1:58:07 PM	DWIEL	20.9 vene 20.9 vene	20 ppm 20 ppm	4.5 ppm 4.5 ppm			
	4/19/2011 1:56:07 PM 4/19/2011 1:56:13 PM				4.5 ppm			
26	4/19/2011 1:56:13 PM 4/19/2011 1:56:17 PM	AIR Dunith	AIR 20.9 vol%	AIR 20 ppm	AIR 3.0 nom			
25	4/19/2011 1:56:17 PM 4/19/2011 1:56:27 PM	DANTEL	20.9 volte 20.9 volte	20 ppm	2.0 ppm 0.0 ppm			
29	4/19/2011 1:56:27 PM 4/19/2011 1:56:44 PM	O WELEL	20.9 (6)%	NORMAL	0.0 ppm			
40	4/19/2011 1:56:44 PM 4/19/2011 1:56:44 PM			NORMAL Fall(Alt)				
	4/19/2011 1:56:44 PM 4/19/2011 1:56:45 PM			FBI(Air) STEL				
				TWA				
41	4/19/2011 1:55:45 PM							

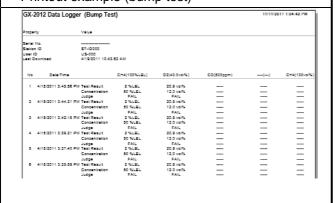
#### Printout example (calibration history)

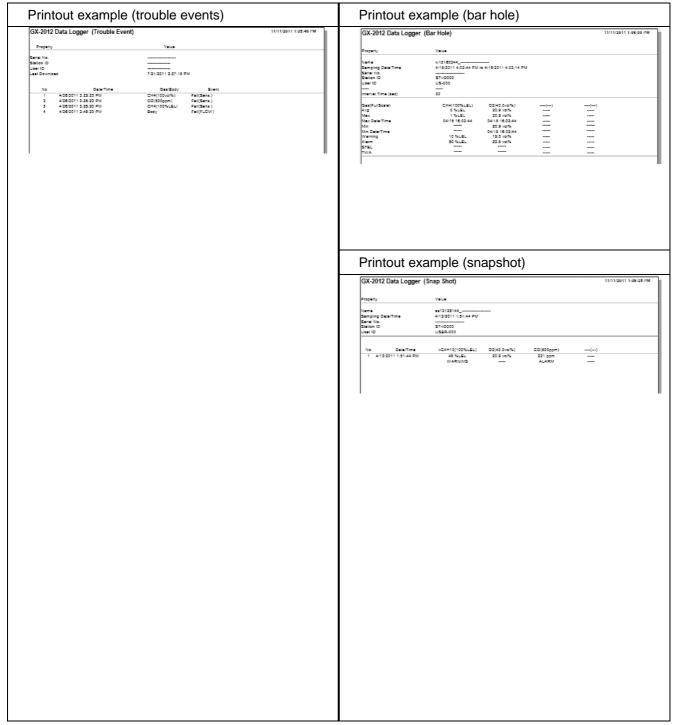
Proper	ty	Value								
Serial	No.									
Station	10	\$T-ID000								
User ID US-00		US-000	5-000							
Last D	lownload	4/19/2011 10	:43:53 AM							
No	DatelTime		CH4(100%LEL)	O2(40.0vol%)	CD(500ggm)	CH4(5000ggm)	CH4[100vb			
1	4/15/2011 3:46:56 PM	Refore	2 WLEL	20.9 ve/%						
		After								
2	4/15/2011 3:45:21 PM	Refore	2 % LEL	20.9 ve/%	****					
		After								
3	4/15/2011 3:43:18 PM	Before	2 WLEL	20.9 vol%						
		After								
4	4/15/2011 3:40:21 PM	Refore	ZWLEL	20.9 vol%						
		After								
5	4/15/2011 3:28:41 PM	Refore	ZNIEL	20.9 vol%						
		After			*****					
	4/15/2011 3:37:00 PM	Refore	2 % LSL	20.9 ve/%						
		After								
7	4/15/2011 3:35:20 PM	Refore	2 % LSL	20.9 ve/%						
		After								

#### Printout example (alarm events)

GX-2012 Da	ata Logger (Alarm Even	t)		11/11/2011 1:05:00 PW
Property		Value		
Serial No.				
Station ID				
User ID				
Les! Download		5/5/2011 4:31:12 P	м	
No	Date/Time	Gas	Event	
1 8	MS(2011 4:09:42 PM	CH4(100%LEL)	OVER	
2 5	5/5/2011 4:09:42 PM	CH4(100%LEL)	ALARM	
3 8	5/5/2011 4:09:42 PM	CH4(100%LEL)	WARNING	
4 5	5/5/2011 4:09:42 PM	G2(40.0ve(%)	WARNING	
	MS(2011 4:09:42 PM	CD(500gpm)	WARNING	
6 4	k/26/2011 3:37:53 PM	G2(40.0vo(%)	WARNING	
7 4	V18/2011 4:31:05 PM	G2(40.0ve/%)	WARNING	
8 4	M15/2011 4:31:00 PM	G2(40.0vol%)	WARNING	
	M15/2011 4:30:56 PM	CD(500gpm)	WARNING	
10 4	V15/2011 4:30:55 PM	G2(40.0ve/%)	WARNING	
11 4	V18/2011 4:30:51 PM	G2(40.0ve/%)	WARNING	
12 4	V15/2011 4:30:49 PM	G2(40.0vo(%)	WARNING	
13 4	V15/2011 4:30:47 PM	G2(40.0ve/%)	WARNING	
	V15/2011 4:30:43 PM	G2(40.0vo(%)	WARNING	
	V18/2011 4:30:39 PM	G2(40.0ve/%)	WARNING	
	V15/2011 4:30:33 PM	G2(40.0vo(%)	WARNING	
	V18/2011 4:30:30 PM	G2(40.0ve/%)	WARNING	
15 4	V15/2011 4:30:14 PM	G2(40.0vol%)	WARNING	
	V15/2011 4:30:05 PM	O2(40.0ve/%)	WARNING	
	V15/2011 4:29:55 PM	G2(40.0ve/%)	WARNING	
	V18/2011 4:29:54 PM	G2(40.0ve/%)	WARNING	
22 4	V15/2011 4:29:49 PM	CD(500ppm)	WARNING	

### Printout example (bump test)







### Note on printer settings

- (1) Detailed printer settings depend on the printer used. Please see the operation manual of the printer.
- (2) This program does not support Print Area setting. Therefore, usage such as printing only part of the selected data is not possible.
- (3) Copies can be changed only when the setting is available from the printer.

  When the setting is changed in this way, the change affects other applications subsequently used.

  (For example, when Copies is changed to 2, a printout operation from another application might also result in two copies.)

When printer settings are changed in this program and then a printout is required from another application, check printer settings of that application before printing.

### (3) Printing CALIBRATION REPORT

### • CALIBRATION REPORT

The instrument is capable of viewing or printing CALIBRATION REPORT for a passed calibration.

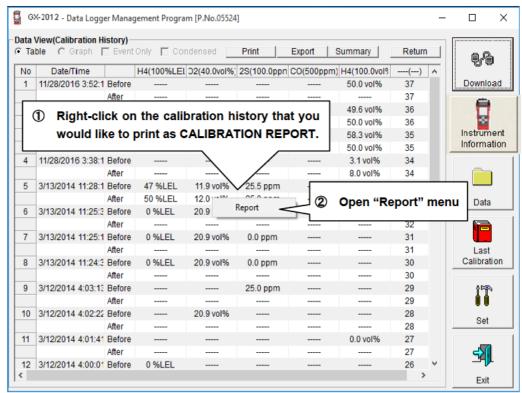
ISSUE DATE			3/13	/2014			
LABORATORY NAME							
LABORATORY ADDRESS							
REPORT NUMBER	923c6840-ec8b-4c25-ad35-7265ffab52bb-3						
	Serial						
	Manufacturer RIKEN KEIK		KEIKI				
GAS DETECTOR DATA	Model GX-2012						
	Station ID	tation ID ST-ID000					
	User ID						
STANDARD OR REGULATION USED							
TRACEABILITY							
	GAS		CH4(%LEL)	O2(vol%)	H2S(ppm)		
	Range		0-100%LEL	0-40.0vol%	0-100.0ppm		
CALIBRATION RESULT	Gas concentration		50 %LEL	12.0 vol%	25.0 ppm		
	Reading before			11.9 vol%	25.5 ppm		
	Reading after ca	libration	50 %LEL	12.0 vol%	25.0 ppm		
	Result		PASS	PASS	PASS		
ENVIRONMENTAL CONDITIONS							
OBSERVATIONS							
EXECUTOR							
		1/1		<u> </u>			

### **CAUTION:**

Can not print CALIBRATION REPORT, if the calibration is not performed successfully.

## CALIBRATION REPORT window

 To open "Report" menu, right-click on the calibration history that you would like to print.

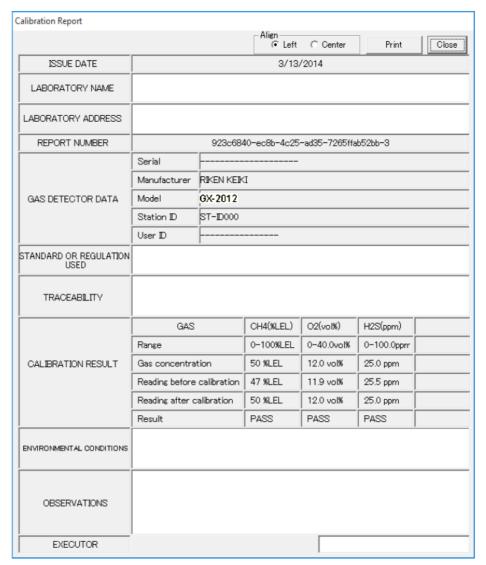


#### **CAUTION:**

If a calibration has been performed successfully, values appear on the sheet : "Before" and "After".

When a calibration has failed or NOT been performed, [.....] will appear. If all gas concentration shows [.....], you could not open CALIBRATION REPORT.

Clicking "Report" menu opens CALIBRATION REPORT window. You can enter some information at this page.



#### **CAUTION:**

The information you can enter is;

- LABORATORY NAME
- · LABORATORY ADDRESS
- STANDARD OR REGULATION USED
- **·TRACEABILITY**
- · ENVIRONMENTAL CONDITIONS
- **·OBSERVATIONS**
- **·EXECUTER**

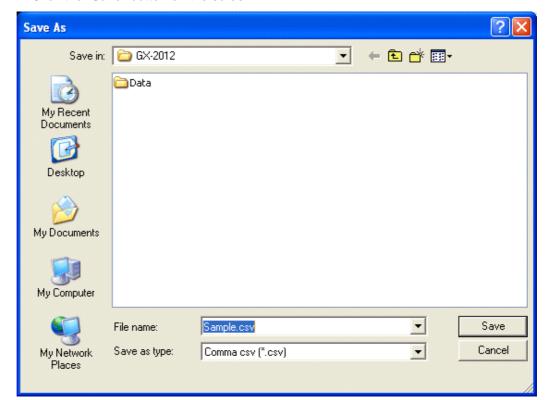
Information is saved if the calibration report is printed. If it is not printed and click "Close", the information entered is not saved.

A calibration report which is not entered any information shows most recent entered information from other CALIBRATION REPORT.

## (4) Save to a file

Save

1. Click the "Save" button on the screen.



Specify the location and the file name, and click the "Save" button to store the data. Click the "Cancel" button to cancel the save operation.

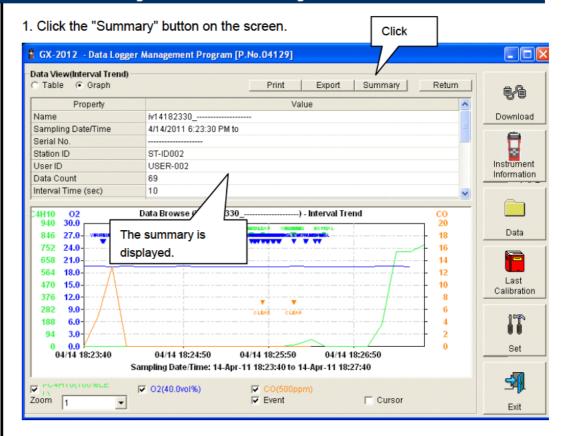


When a table is displayed, the content of the table is saved in the Excel CSV format.

When a graph is displayed, the bitmap of the graph is saved.

## (5) To view data summary simultaneously

Summary view

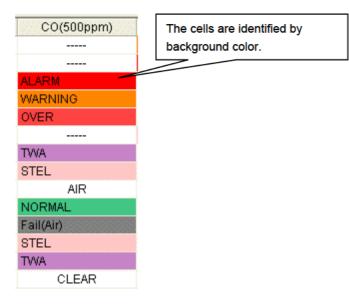


When the "Summary" button is clicked, the summary view is cleared.

## (6) Table details

Event color

The cells that display gas concentration are painted according to the event occurred at that time.



FAIL: Gra Fault
WARNING: Orange First alarm
ALARM: Red Second alarm
STEL: Pink STEL alarm
TWA: Light purple TWA alarm

NORMAL: Deep green Recovery from the above state

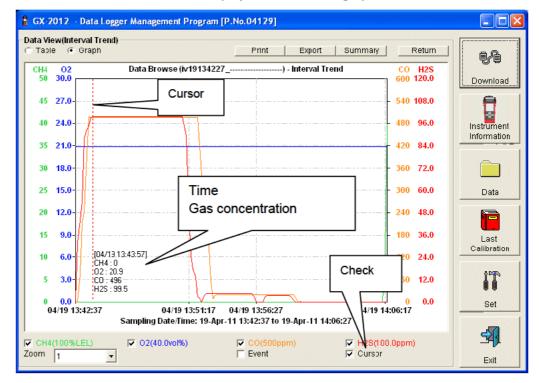
OVER: Light red Over full scale

AIR: Transparent Operation CLEAR: Transparent Operation

## (7) Graph details

Cursor

1. Click the Cursor checkbox to display a cursor on the graph.



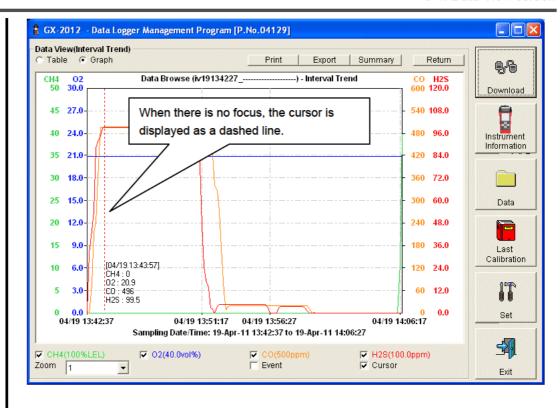
Use the left and right keys to move the cursor left and right, and the up and down keys to move the time and concentration views up and down. The Shift key can be used together to speed up the cursor.



#### **CAUTION**

Cursor operation is not available when a window irrelevant to the program is opened and the focus is moved outside the graph area.

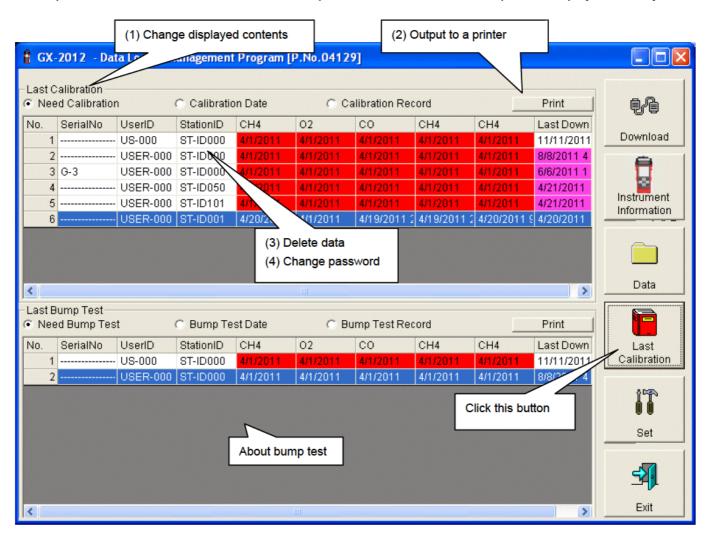
The cursor itself is displayed as a dashed line. To restore focus, click inside the graph area.



3 How to Operate 3-5. Last Calibration screen

## 3-5. Last Calibration screen

The expiration dates of the data downloaded in the past can be checked. The bump test is displayed similarly.



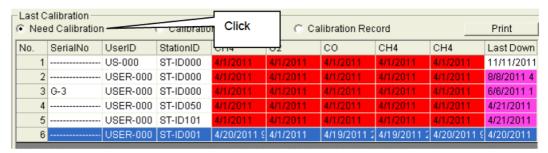


This table is read-only. Modification of the table is not supported.

### (1) Change displayed contents

Expired data

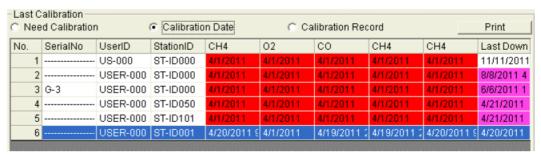
1. Click the "Need Calibration" radio button.



Among the GX-2012 main units connected in the past (in other words, the main units from which Instrument Information data is downloaded), this table extracts and displays the records which have an expired calibration date.

List view

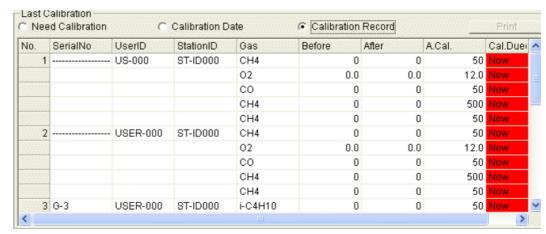
Click the "Calibration Date" radio button.



Data for the GX-2012 main units connected in the past is listed. (Of the data with the same serial number, user ID and Station ID, the newest data is displayed.)

Detailed view

1. Click the "Calibration Record" radio button.



Data for GX-2012 main units connected in the past is listed in the same format as the Instrument Information screen.

For details on the displayed items, see "3-2. Instrument Information screen, (3) Calibration history information".

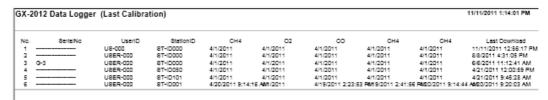
## (2) Output to a printer

Print

The last calibration date of each unit can be printed out using "Need Calibration" or "Calibration Date".

The Printer List screen is displayed. Select the printer to use and click the "OK" button.

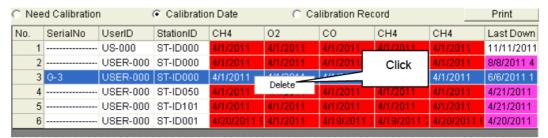




### (3) Delete data

Delete

1. Move the mouse to the data that needs to be deleted, and right-click the data.





#### CAUTION

Deletion of data is available only in "Need Calibration" and "Calibration Date" views

It is not available in the "Calibration Record" view.

Input password 1. When the "Delete" button is clicked, the Password dialog is prompted. Enter the password and press the "Continue" button.





### **CAUTION**

When "Continue" is pressed without entering the password, the delete operation is canceled.

2. When "Continue" is pressed with an appropriate password, the following message is displayed.



Click the "Yes" button to delete the data. Click the "No" button to cancel deletion of data. 3 How to Operate 3-5. Last Calibration screen

## (4) Change password

• Input password

1. Display the Password dialog in the same way as deleting the data, and click "Change Password".



2. Enter an appropriate password and click the "Current password" button. The following message is displayed.



- 3. Enter the new password and click the "New Password" button.
- The Password dialog is prompted again. Enter the same new password and click "New Password".



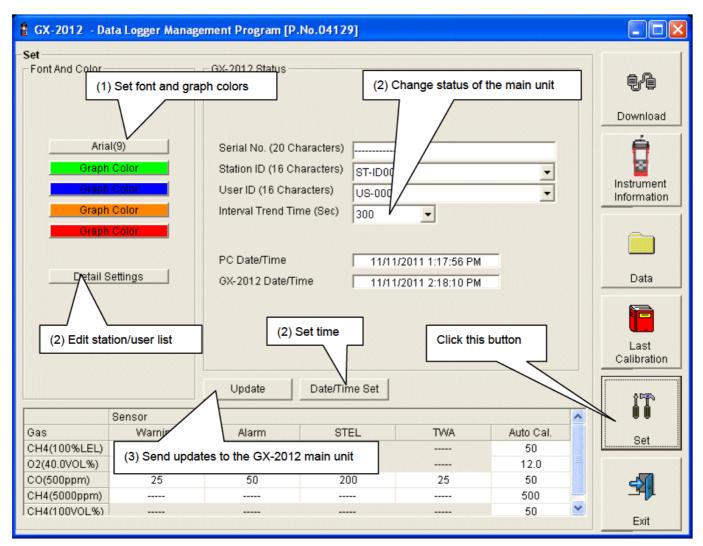
Click "OK" to update the password.



The password immediately after installation is "Riken". (Case-sensitive)

## 3-6. Set screen

In this screen, display settings of the screen and the detailed settings of the unit can be specified.





#### **CAUTION**

The data specified and/or changed must be sent to the GX-2012 main unit using the "Update" button.



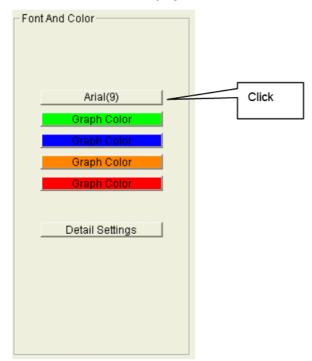
#### **CAUTION**

The font setting is applied on the next startup.

## (1) Change font and graph colors

Change the font

1. Click the area that displays the font.



The font setting dialog is displayed. Specify an appropriate font.

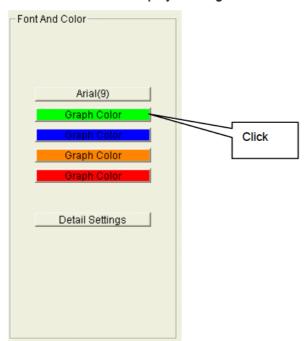


#### CAUTION

When an extremely large font is used, the screen might be hard to view. This change will be effective on the next startup.

Change the graph color

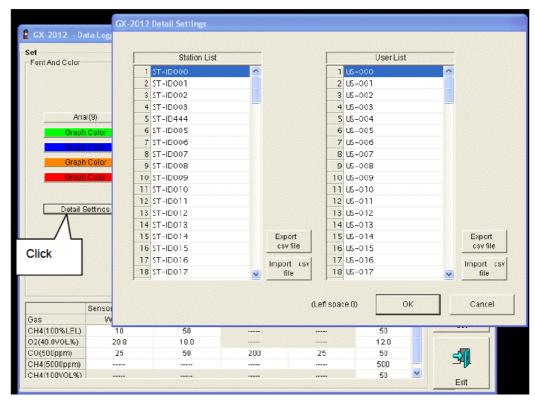
The display colors mapped for the gases in the graph can be changed. 1.Click the area that displays each gas.



The color selection dialog is displayed. Specify an appropriate color.

### (2) Change status of the main unit

 Edit station/user list 1. Edit the station/user ID list. Click "Detail Settings".



The edit dialog is displayed. The station list contains stations up to Number 256. Up to 16 characters of alphabets, numerics, spaces, hyphens and slashes can be entered.

\* In the GX-2012 main unit, only the first eight characters are displayed. We recommend to use up to eight characters of only upper-case alphabets and/or numerics.

Export csv file: The data is exported to a file. A text file is created using the "Number,data" format.

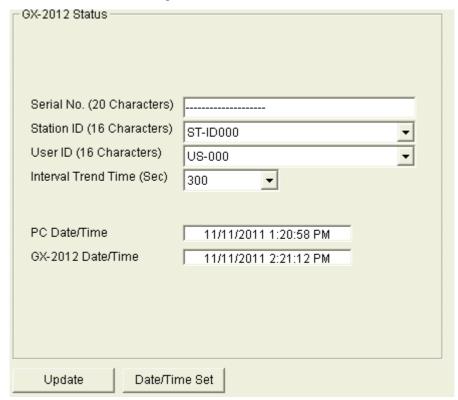
Import csv file: Data is loaded from a text file that follows the "Number,data" format. If the data contains unsupported letters, or the data is too long, the background color of the corresponding cells is changed to red.

\* If any cells have red background, OK cannot be selected.



#### Change

2. In the status area, change the desired data.



The contents of Serial No. (20 Characters) can be changed.

Interval Trend Time (Sec), Station ID (16 Characters), and User ID (16 Characters) can be selected and changed from the list.

The "Date/Time Set" button can be used to align the internal clock of the GX-2012 main unit ("GX-2012 Date/Time") to the set time of the PC ("PC Date/Time").



#### CAUTION

The date/time areas cannot be entered directly.



#### **CAUTION**

The settings of the GX-2012 main unit are not modified except "Date/Time Set" by this change. Make sure to click Update to send the change request process to the main unit.

## (3) Send updates to the GX-2012 main unit

• Send updates

1. Modify the places to change and click the "Update" button.



When the "Yes" button is clicked, the changes are sent to the GX-2012 main unit and stored there.

When the "No" button is clicked, update is canceled.



#### CAUTION

The changes cannot be undone. Before clicking "Update", it is possible to revert to the data stored in the main unit by clicking the "Instrument Information" button on the Download screen to download the instrument information data.

## **Data Maintenance**

Depending on usage (such as loading data many times in a single day), the number of data might increase drastically. In such a case, it might be difficult just to find the desired data. In addition, there is a possibility of losing valuable data caused by an unexpected trouble of the PC.

To prepare for such unexpected events, a periodical backup of the data is recommended.

## 4-1. Details of data storage structure

Data is stored in the installation folder of the GX-2012 program.

1) File name: GX2012.mdb

File type: Microsoft Jet 3.6 database file

2) File name: Data

File type: Folder Trend data files are organized under year/month folders

## 4-2. Backup

Although it depends on usage, we recommend the data to be copied to another hard disk device or an auxiliary storage device (such as an MO drive or CD-R drive).

To restore data, copy it to the installation folder of the GX-2012 executable. The program searches for data on startup and the data will be available to view.

# **Operating Precautions**

When using the program, take sufficient considerations on the following points:

- (1) When downloading data, check that GX-2012 is placed at an appropriate position. If the position is not appropriate, download cannot be performed properly.
- (2) When downloading, avoid similar operations using another application. (For example, performing IR communication during data download)
- (3) Do not kill the program (for example, by using Ctrl + Alt + Del). This program saves setting parameters on the shutdown process to prepare for the next startup. Therefore, if the program is killed, the next startup might fail.
- (4) Do not modify a data file directly.

# **Troubleshooting**

Symptoms	Causes	Solutions	
Communication is not possible.	The position of the main unit is inappropriate. An obstacle is in the way.	Change the position of the main unit.	
	There is another device that uses IR.	Turn off the other devices, or prevent its interference.	
Error occurs during communication.	There is a scattered light outside.	Eliminate the device that uses IR.	
	The GX-2012 unit moved during communication.	Do not move the unit during communication.	
Something is wrong in the communication data.	There is a scattered light outside.	Eliminate the device that uses IR.	

If an error still persists despite the above actions, please contact RIKEN KEIKI.

## IrDA Specifications

## 7-1. About infrared communication

Communication with the main unit is performed via infrared communication (IrDA protocol).

Check that the computer to be used is capable of infrared communication.

Also, place the units so the infrared communication port of the main unit and the communication port of the PC directly face each other, and prevent interference of other lights.



#### CAUTION

This program can establish communication with the GX-2012 main unit only in an environment with IrDA enabled. Check that the PC has a built-in IrDA device, and that it is enabled.

If the computer does not have a built-in IrDA device (this applies to most desktop PC and some notebook PC), use a separately sold IrDA-USB converter.

## 7-2. Display of communication ready status

At the start of communication, the operating system recognizes existence of an infrared device and displays an icon on the task bar.

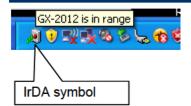
By that icon, the communication status can be understood to some extent.



#### **CAUTION**

The displayed content might differ depending on the operating system and IrDA driver settings.

# 7-2-1. Task bar icon when the operating system recognizes GX-2012



The IrDA symbol is displayed, and when the cursor is pointed over the symbol, the message "GX-2012 is in range" is displayed.

# 7-2-2. Task bar icon when communication between the data logger program and the GX-2012 main unit is in progress



The IrDA symbol changes to an animation icon that shows communication, and when the cursor is pointed over the symbol, the message "Wireless link with GX-2012 at xxxx bps" is displayed.

\* "xxxx" shows communication speed, which is normally 57600 bps. Depending on the environment, the rate might drop to a value around 38400 bps.



#### **CAUTION**

Due to overhead in internal process of the GX-2012 main unit and/or the data logger program, there is little difference in overall communication time if the communication rate is 38400 bps or above. This is because a relatively long time is required to create data within the GX-2012 main unit and to analyze the downloaded data by the data logger program.

## File Structure

This chapter explains the details about file contents at installation and during operation.

## 8-1. Current directory immediately after installation

File name	Details
GX2012.exe RkIrDA11.ocx Filemove.avi	GX-2012 main unit Infrared communication component Animation file that shows that data download is in progress

## 8-2. Current directory during operation

File name	Details
GX2012.exe RkIrDA11.ocx Filemove.avi	GX-2012 main unit Infrared communication component Animation file that shows that data download is in progress
GX2012.ini GX2012.dat GX2012.mdb Data Serial.log	GX-2012 initialization file File for data downloading Database file (Microsoft Jet 3.6 database) Save directory for trend data files Recording of data that flowed through communication port since startup of the program (for investigation and maintenance)



#### **CAUTION**

Files and directories below the double line are created after startup of the program.

# **Software Specifications**

Name of product (name of program)	GX-2012 Data Logger Management Program
Model	SW-GX-2012(EX)
Executable file name	GX2012.EXE
Supported OS	Microsoft Windows 7 Windows 8 Windows 10
Program capacity	Main program: Approx. 3 MB/Library: Approx. 5.2 MB (Uses up to 40 MB of disk space on installation)
Communication of the main unit	Infrared (conforming to IrDA 1.1 protocol) Standard communication settings Baud rate: 57600 bps (maximum) Data bit: 8 bits Stop bit: 1 bit Parity: Even parity
Transfer time	Maximum 3 minutes (standard communication setting, with maximum amount of data)
Medium	One CD-ROM
Package contents	Operating Manual (this document) Product warranty and registration card License agreement

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