

# SERVERON® TM3™

## On-line DGA Monitor



## Protect Transformer Assets

- Avoid transformer failures
- Enable condition based maintenance
- Extend transformer life
- Defer capital expenditures
- Identify the most critical transformer fault types

### Product Summary

**Description:** Our industry leading on-line DGA monitors and TM VIEW™ software are monitoring generation, transmission and distribution power transformers worldwide. DGA (dissolved gas analysis) of transformer oil is the single best indicator of a transformer's overall condition. The Model TM3 is the only transformer condition alert system in its class that offers legitimate identification of the most critical transformer fault types. It correlates 3 fault gases (acetylene, ethylene, and methane), moisture-in-oil, oil temperature and ambient temperature to transformer load.

**Application:** Throughout your system there are transformers that are vital to the reliability of your grid – GSU's, large transmission transformers, and critical substation transformers. Serveron DGA transformer monitors provide the important and timely information needed to maintain the reliability and safety of transformer fleets.



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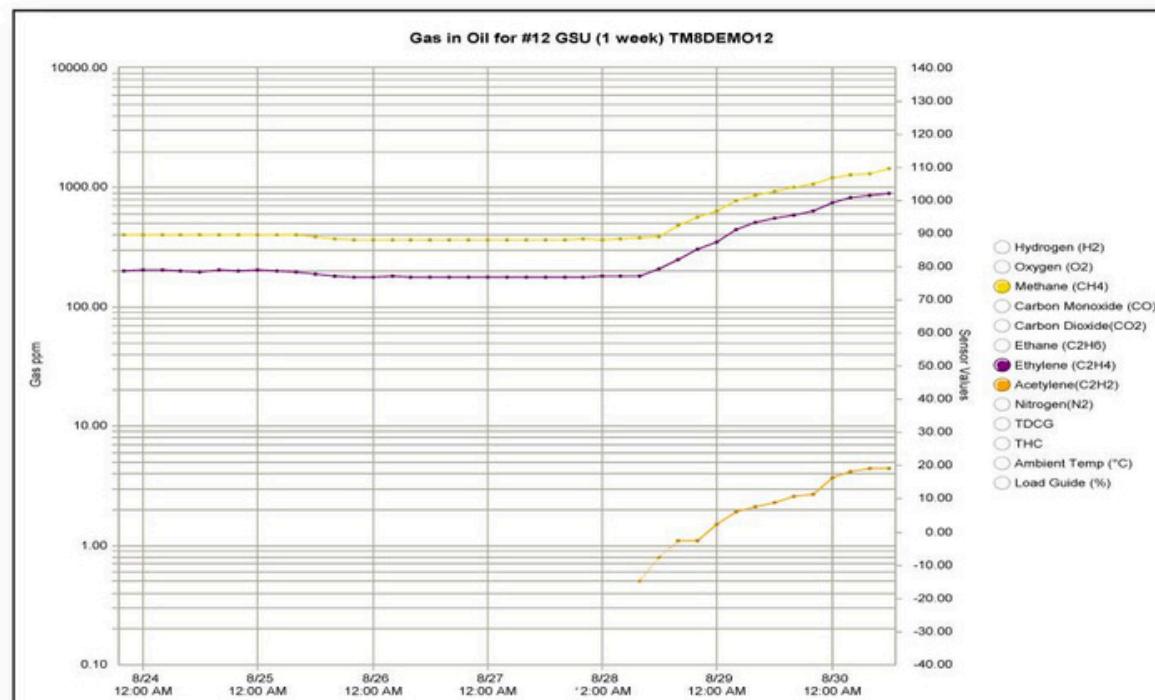
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## Comprehensive Data Requires Powerful Tools

- Serveron TM View™ software and services offer simple yet powerful analytical tools for transformer monitor management, data visualization and analysis.
- Seamlessly move from single user software to enterprise capability for large deployments of monitors in your fleet with our SmartSUB solution.
- SmartSUB includes the DGA analysis features of TM View and adds the ability of combining data from additional transformer condition based monitoring devices (tank pressure, cooling bank current, winding current & temperature, bushing monitor, partial discharge and others).

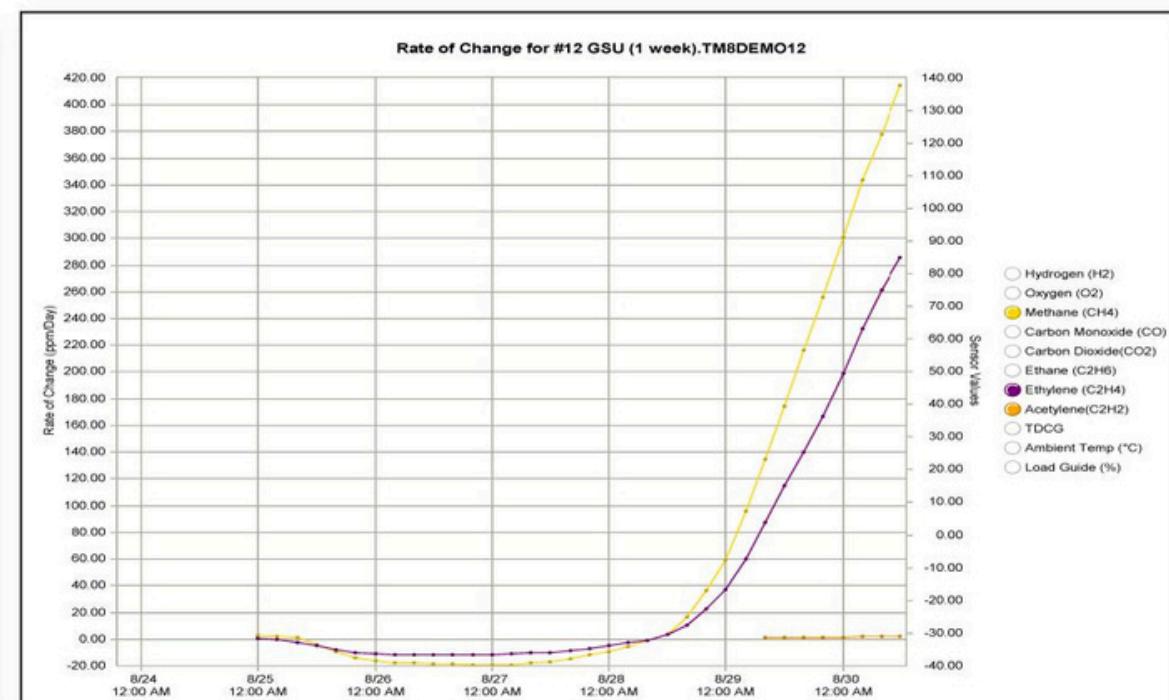
### Gas-in-Oil Trend Chart

- On-line correlation of 3 duval triangle gases identifies the most critical transformer fault types.



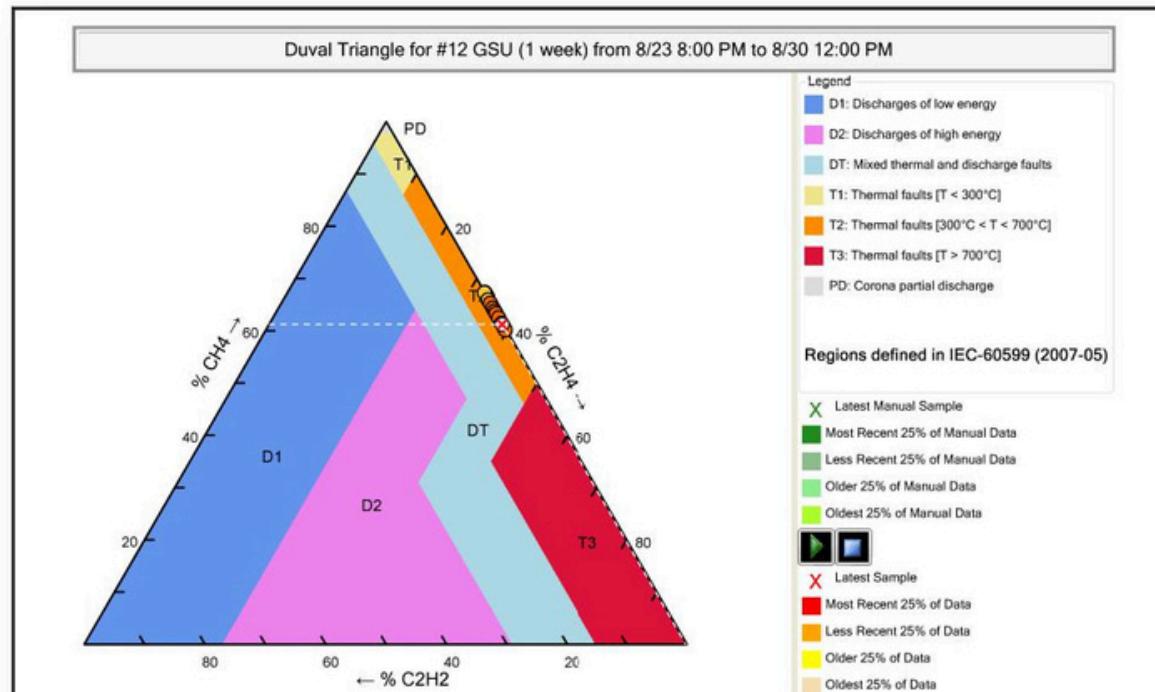
### Rate of Change

- Alarms triggered by exceeding rate of change limits allow for early detection of incipient faults.



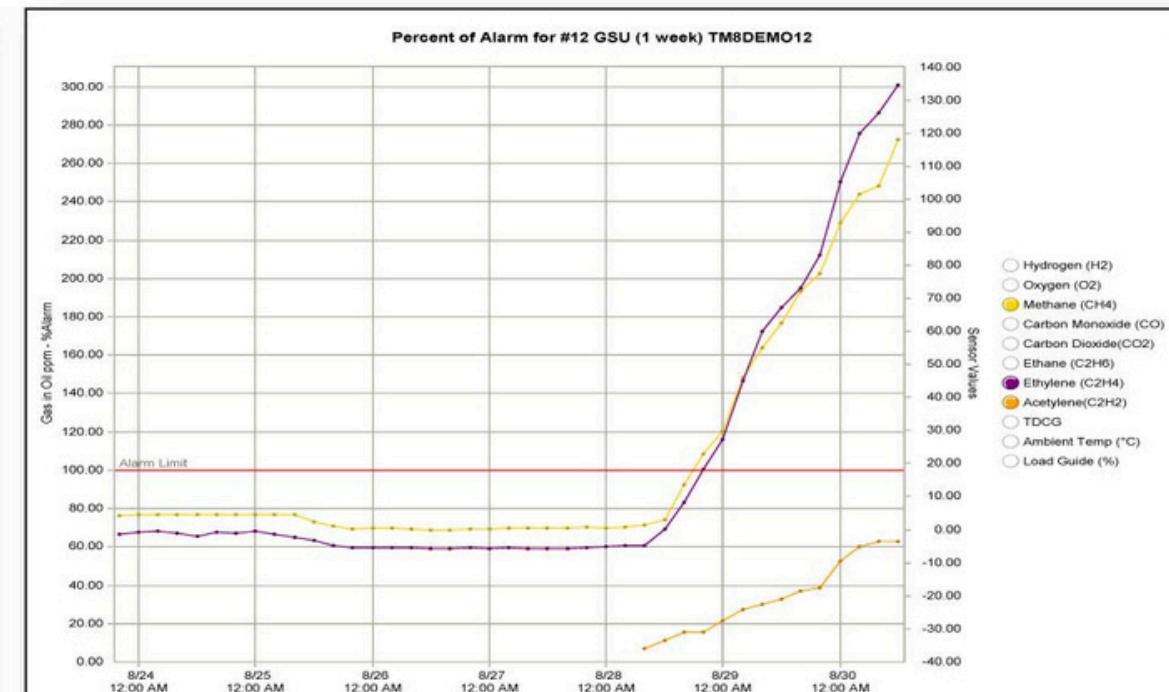
### Duval Triangles

- Multiple Duval Triangles provide diagnostic outcomes for various combinations of the fault gases (IEC 60599-2007-05).



### Percent of Alarms

- Provides a quick assessment of fault gas level relative to alarm set point.



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### Accuracy and Reliability with low Total Cost of Ownership (TCO)

- The Model TM3 measures key fault gases using a single Gas Chromatography (GC) measurement system. Gas Chromatography is the accepted measurement science for DGA and is the only DGA measurement technology specified in IEEE, ASTM, CIGRE and IEC standards.
- Serveron has delivered more GC based DGA monitors with industry leading accuracy than any other vendor.
- On-board automated calibration verification ensures performance to specification throughout the entire operating life of the monitor.
- Performs accurate DGA analysis on mineral and ester-based insulating fluids.

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### Low Total Cost of Ownership (TCO)

- Field-proven reliability combined with low lifetime maintenance requirements offers superior value.
- Economical maintenance costs compared to other multi-gas monitors.
- All scheduled maintenance can be performed on-site for minimal disruption to monitor up-time.

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### Avoid transformer failures

- Continuous trending of key fault gases gives early and immediate notification of incipient faults that can lead to transformer failure.
- Many transformer failures can be prevented through the correlation of DGA data to real events.
- Acetylene, ethylene and methane fault gases, oil temperature, ambient temperature, transformer load and moisture in-oil are correlated by the Model TM3.
- The Model TM3 is the only transformer condition alert system in its class that offers legitimate identification of the most critical transformer fault types. These critical fault types—partial discharge, arcing and thermal faults—can develop in a short period of time and lead to transformer failure.

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### Enable condition based maintenance

- Only comprehensive on-line monitoring can provide the information that enables continuous transformer condition assessment.
- Data from the Model TM3 supports IEEE and IEC diagnostic tools for rapid warning and diagnosis of developing faults.

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### Extend transformer life and defer capital expenditures

- Comprehensive analysis of key fault gases, moisture and other key parameters enables intelligent management of transformers, extending their useful life and deferring capital expenditures.

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## TECHNICAL SPECIFICATIONS

<b>DGA Method: Laboratory Grade Gas Chromatography</b>		<b>Accuracy<sup>1</sup></b>	<b>Repeatability<sup>2</sup></b>	<b>Range<sup>3</sup></b>		
	Methane (CH <sub>4</sub> )	±5% or ±5 ppm	<1%	5-7,000 ppm		
	Ethylene (C <sub>2</sub> H <sub>4</sub> )	±5% or ±3 ppm	<1%	3-5,000 ppm		
	Acetylene (C <sub>2</sub> H <sub>2</sub> )	±5% or ±1 ppm	<2%	1-3,000 ppm		
All specifications are independent of oil temperature and gas pressure levels.						
1) Percent or PPM - whichever is greater						
2) At the calibration level						
3) Gas-in-Oil						
<b>Additional Monitoring Options</b>	Moisture-in-Oil	<b>Accuracy<sup>4</sup></b>		<b>Range</b>		
		±2%		0-100% RS		
		< 10% of reading for oil temperature > 30°C		0 to 80 <sup>5</sup> ppm		
	Oil Temperature	< 18% of reading for oil temperature < 30°C		0 to 80 <sup>5</sup> ppm		
		0.1°C (typically)		-40°C to +180°C		
4) Includes non-linearity and repeatability						
5) Upper range limited to saturation						
<b>Gas Analysis Parameters</b>	Oil Sampling Rate	Oil sampling is continuous and gas analysis intervals are user-selectable from 2 hours to 12 hours (Default: 4 hours). Automatic schedule acceleration when rate of change alarm limit is exceeded (Default: 1 hr)				
	Data Management	All data is date and time stamped and up to two years of data is stored in memory				
	Automated Calibration Verification	System performs periodic automated calibration verification to National Institute of Standards and Technology (NIST) traceable gas standard				
<b>Alarms</b>	Two individually programmable relays	50 VDC or 240 VAC @ 3 A max. (125 VDC @ 1 A max.); relay contacts operate as normally open or normally closed				
	Supported Alarms	Gas Caution & Alarm for Level (ppm), Rate-of-Change (ppm/day), Power and/or Service Event				
<b>External Sensor Inputs</b>	Analog Inputs	Three (3) analog 4 to 20 mA inputs, ambient temperature sensor included. Optional sensors include transformer load guide and moisture-in-oil with temperature probe (uses 2 inputs)				





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<b>Communications</b>	Standard Interfaces	RS-232, RS-485, Ethernet Fiber (100Base-FX),	
	Optional Interfaces	Cellular modem, Ethernet Copper (10/100Base-TX), Wireless Radio, V.92 Internal POTS modem	
	Supported Protocols	TCP/IP, DNP3, Modbus RTU, ASCII, OPC and IEC 61850	
<b>Environmental Specifications</b>	Operating Temperature	-50°C to +55°C	
	Cold Start Temperature	-20°C	
	Operating Humidity	5% to 95% RH, non-condensing	
	Oil Inlet Pressure	0 to 45 psi (0 to 3 bar)	
	Storage Temperature	-40°C to +75°C	
	Storage Humidity	5% to 95% RH, non-condensing	
<b>Physical Specifications</b>	Product Dimensions	HxWxD: 22.0 in x 20 in x 11.2 in (55.9 cm x 50.8 cm x 28.4 cm)	
	Packaging Dimensions	26.4 in x 26.4 in x 15.9 in (67 cm x 67 cm x 40.3 cm)	
	Product Weight	65 lb (29.5 kg)	
	Shipping Weight	70 lb (31.8 kg) (monitor package only)	
	Enclosure Rating	NEMA 4X, IP66	
<b>Input Power Requirements</b>	Voltage	115 VAC or 230 VAC ±15%	
	Frequency	50/60 Hz	
	Current	6 A maximum @ 115 V; 3 A maximum @ 230 V	
<b>Radiated and Conducted Emissions</b>	Specification	Test Method	
	Radiated Emissions	EN 61326-1: 2006	CISPR 11:2009 A1:2010 Class A
	Conducted Emissions	EN 61326-1: 2006	CISPR 11:2009 A1:2010 Class A
	Current Harmonics	EN 61000-3-2:2006	EN 61000-3-2:2006 A1:2009 Class A
	Voltage Fluctuations	EN 61000-3-3:2008	EN 61000-3-3:2008 Class A
<b>Radiated and Conducted Immunity</b>	Specification	Test Method	
	ESD	EN 61326-1:2006	IEC61000-4-2:2009
	Radiated Immunity	EN 61326-1:2006	IEC61000-4-3:2006 A2:2010
	EFT	EN 61326-1:2006	IEC61000-4-4:2004 A1:2010
	Surge	EN 61326-1:2006	IEC61000-4-5:2006
	Conducted RF Immunity	EN 61326-1:2006	IEC61000-4-6:2009
	Magnetic Field Immunity	EN 61326-1:2006	IEC61000-4-8:2010
	Voltage Dips & Interrupts	EN 61326-1:2006	IEC61000-4-11:2004
<b>Safety</b>	Specification		
	IEC 61010-1	IEC 61010-2-81	
	UL 61010-1 (2nd Edition)	CSA-C22.2 No. 61010-1-04	



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### On-line DGA Analysis Across Your Power Transformer Fleet

Leading utilities around the globe deploy the Serveron line of transformer monitors to provide superior asset protection for their transformer fleets across generation, transmission and distribution. With a low total cost of ownership, reliable field-proven performance and global customer service, Serveron transformer monitors set the standard for on-line DGA monitoring. Our transformer monitors can be deployed stand-alone or as part of the Qualitrol SmartSUB condition based monitoring system for transformers and other critical substation assets.



#### About Serveron®

Serveron transformer condition assessment and management tools are critical to utilities in improving grid reliability while optimizing the management and economics of their asset base. We are a leader in on-line DGA monitoring of power transformers with solutions across the entire power transformer fleet. Serveron is a QUALITROL Company.

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