



ELEMENTRAC[®]

ELEMENTRAC ONH-p
ELEMENTRAC ONH-p AUTOLOADER

EXCELLENCE IN ELEMENTAL ANALYSIS



| 1981

Foundation of
ELTRA GmbH

| 1984

Launch of the
C/S product line

| 1993

Development of
the ON analyzer

| 1999

Launch of the
ONH-2000 and
CS-2000
analyzers

| 2007

Development of
the thermogravi-
metric analyzer
THERMOSTEP

| 2012

ELTRA becomes
part of the
VERDER GROUP

| 2015

Launch of the
ELEMENTRAC
ONH-p

| 2016

Development of
ELEMENTRAC
CS-i

| 2018

Launch of the
ELEMENTRAC
CS-d

| 2021

Launch of the
ELEMENTRAC
ONH-p with
Autocleaner and
ELEMENTRAC
CS-r & CHS-r

| 2025

Launch of the
ELEMENTRAC
CN-r – ELTRA's
first protein
analyzer and
ELEMENTRAC
ONH-ps

ELTRA – ELEMENTAL ANALYZERS

EXCELLENCE IN ELEMENTAL ANALYSIS



Eltra GmbH in Haan, Germany

The history of ELTRA GmbH began in 1981 with the development of a carbon / sulfur analyzer for metals. Right from the start customer requirements were a priority, ensuring that ELTRA analyzers are easy to operate, have a long service life and provide reliable and precise measurement data even under harsh conditions, e.g. in a mine or near a blast furnace.

The best proof of our success are thousands of satisfied customers worldwide. They appreciate the reliability and flexibility of our analyzers, the good price-performance ratio of the instruments and consumables as well as the excellent after sales service. ELTRA analyzers are used in numerous industries, such as metal production and processing, aerospace, energy, medical technology, environment, but also in universities and research institutes.

ELTRA has been part of the Verder Group since 2012 and consistently invests in research and development. With the launch of the ELEMENTRAC series with powerful ELEMENTS software, ELTRA offers analyzers for fast and reliable O/N/H and C/S analysis that provide integrated solutions for special requirements in addition to modern design and convenient operation. The proprietary Dual Furnace Technology, for example, allows the analysis of organic and inorganic samples with one single instrument - a concept only offered by ELTRA.



SOLUTIONS FOR INORGANIC O/N/H ANALYSIS

ELTRA O/N/H ANALYZERS: ELEMENTRAC ONH-p

The elements oxygen, nitrogen and hydrogen are determined in the ELEMENTRAC ONH-p series via inert gas fusion. Metallic or ceramic samples are melted in the electrode furnace and the reaction gases CO_2 , N_2 and H_2 are measured in up to two infrared measuring cells and one thermal conductivity cell. The ELEMENTRAC ONH-p series is characterized by a short analysis time and high precision of the measured values.

ELEMENTRAC ONH-p

SOLUTIONS FOR INORGANIC O/N/H ANALYSIS

The ELEMENTRAC ONH-p series can be configured to measure various elements, desired concentration ranges and utilization of different carrier gases. In addition to the ONH configuration for measuring oxygen, nitrogen and hydrogen, ON analyzers for measuring oxygen and nitrogen and OH analyzers for determining oxygen and hydrogen are also available.

Of course, the ELEMENTRAC ONH-p may also be configured to measure single elements. Optionally, inexpensive argon may be used as a carrier gas to measure oxygen and nitrogen. Additional options, such as carrier gas pre-cleaning, autocleaner and autoloader, are available for all configurations.

CONFIGURATIONS OF THE ONH-p SERIES

ELEMENTRAC ONH-p	Oxygen, nitrogen, hydrogen
ELEMENTRAC OH-p	Oxygen, hydrogen
ELEMENTRAC ON-p	Oxygen, nitrogen



ELEMENTRAC ONH-p SERIES

OXYGEN, NITROGEN, HYDROGEN ANALYSIS VIA ELECTRODE FURNACE

BENEFITS

- | Easy to use
- | Convenient application of granules and powders
- | Precise analysis from ppm up to the percentage range
- | Quick analysis
- | Powerful options

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OPERATION AND ANALYSIS PROCESS

The ELEMENTRAC ONH-p determines the oxygen, nitrogen and hydrogen content in inorganic materials by melting them in a graphite crucible and extracting the bound gases using an inert carrier gas (e.g. helium or argon).

The high temperatures in the graphite crucible of up to 3000°C lead to a release of elemental nitrogen and hydrogen, while bound oxygen in the sample reacts with the carbon in the crucible to form carbon monoxide. This is oxidized to carbon dioxide over hot copper oxide and determined in up to two infrared measuring cells. Hydrogen and nitrogen are measured using a powerful thermal conductivity cell.

TYPICAL SAMPLE MATERIALS

Steel, iron, copper, titanium, ceramics



STEP 1: REGISTER THE SAMPLE IN THE ELEMENTS SOFTWARE

The sample is registered in the software using its ID. Its weight is automatically transferred by the balance.



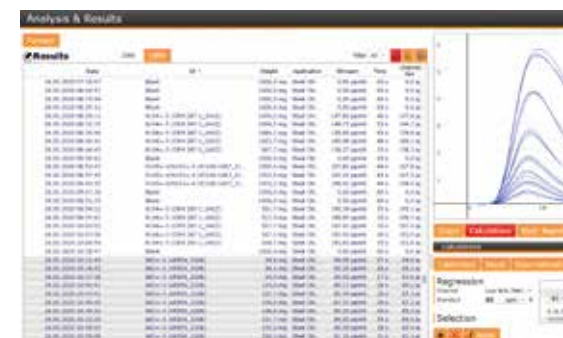
STEP 2: APPLICATION OF SAMPLES

The ELEMENTRAC ONH-p analyses sample quantities from a few mg to 2 grams safely and precisely. Rod-shaped or granular samples can be applied directly. For the analysis of powders, a capsule is recommended, which does not need to be closed.



STEP 3: ANALYSIS

An empty graphite crucible is placed on the lower electrode and the analysis is started in the ELEMENTS software, which controls all subsequent analysis steps.



STEP 4: DATA OUTPUT AND EXPORT

120 to 180 seconds after the start of the analysis, the measurement results will be available and may be exported via report or LIMS.

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SAFE ANALYSIS AND STANDARDS-COMPLIANT WORKING THROUGH PERFORMANCE DETAILS

FURTHER FEATURES AND OPTIONS

- | Powerful catalytic furnace
- | Closed gas circuit
- | Optional carrier gas pre-cleaning
- | Optional autocleaner
- | Optional autoloader

NEW SAMPLE PORT

The new sample port of the ONH-p ensures convenient operation and reproducible measurement results. Differently shaped samples, such as solid pieces, granules or powders in capsules, can be applied up to a weight of 2000 mg. They are quickly freed from the surrounding atmosphere with the help of pulsed carrier gas flushing in the sample port. Then they drop vertically into the preheated graphite crucible for analysis.

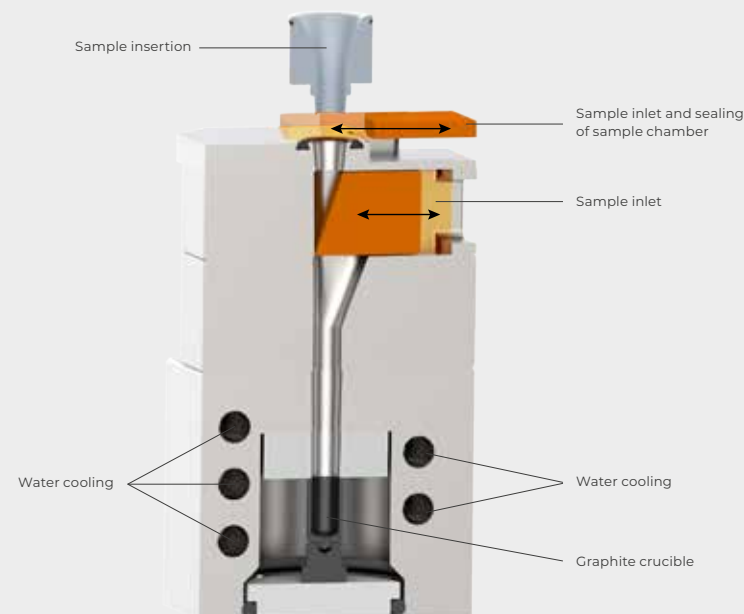
BENEFITS

- | Robust against dust development
- | No closing of capsules required
- | Direct application of up to 2000 mg
- | Low maintenance and wear



NEW: OPTIONAL AUTOCLEANER

Melting the sample in a graphite crucible at temperatures of up to 3000°C creates deposits on the upper electrode and in the furnace chamber, which can negatively affect the reproducibility of ONH measurements over the course of the day. The new optional autocleaner of the ELEMENTRAC ONH-p reliably removes these deposits and thus enables precise gas analysis even with high sample volumes.



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STANDARD-COMPLIANT OPERATION

The ELEMENTRAC ONH-p Series meets or exceeds the requirements of all current international standards.



Nr.	Name
ISO 17053:2005	Steel and iron – Determination of oxygen – Infrared method after fusion under inert gas
ISO 22963:2008	Titanium and titanium alloys – Determination of oxygen – Infrared method after fusion under inert gas
DIN 54387-3:2016	Test of ceramic raw and basic materials – part 3 – Determination of oxygen and total nitrogen
DIN EN 3976:2007	Aerospace series – titanium and titanium alloys – chemical analysis for the determination of hydrogen content
DIN EN ISO 10720:2007 DIN EN ISO 15351:2010	Steel and iron – determination of nitrogen content
DIN EN ISO 21068-3:2008	Chemical analysis of silicon-carbide containing raw materials and refractory products – determination of nitrogen and oxygen

Nr.	Name
ASTM E 1019-18	Determination of carbon, sulfur, nitrogen and oxygen in steel, iron, nickel
ASTM E 1409-13	Determination of oxygen and nitrogen in titanium
ASTM E 1447-09	Determination of hydrogen in reactive metals
ASTM C 1494-13(18)	Determination of mass fraction of carbon, nitrogen and oxygen silicon nitride
ASTM C 1457-18	Determination of total hydrogen content of uranium oxide
ASTM E 2575-19	Determination of oxygen in copper
ASTM E 2792-13	Determination of hydrogen in aluminium



THE ELTRA APPLICATION LABORATORY

For many common samples, such as brass or ceramics, there are no published standards regarding oxygen, nitrogen or hydrogen analysis via electrode furnaces. So as to ensure safe and reliable measurements, the ELTRA laboratory in Haan is available for application advice and free sample measurements, including all ELTRA analyzers.

The participation in interlaboratory tests (e.g. ASTM powder metallurgy) and the certification of reference materials (e.g.: ECRM 268-1; ECRM 049-1) ensures a consistently high analytical quality.



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ELEMENTRAC[®] ONH**AUTOLOADER ONH-p**

- | **OPTIONAL SAMPLE FEEDING OF UP TO 32 SAMPLES**
- | **AUTOMATED ANALYSIS OF PINS OR POWDERS IN CAPSULES**
- | **OPTIONAL SUPPLY OF ADDITIONAL FLUXES**

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STEP 1: REGISTER THE SAMPLE IN THE ELEMENTS SOFTWARE

Enter samples into the sample list of the ELEMENTRAC ONH-p.



STEP 2: INSERT THE SAMPLE

Feed samples individually to the carousel or apply the entire carousel.



STEP 3: ANALYSIS

Where necessary, refill the crucible and start the analysis.

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OPTIONAL AUTOMATED SAMPLING

Reliable automated O/N/H analysis is particularly challenging for inorganic samples, but is mastered to perfection by the optional autoloader of the ONH-p. A component with innovative functions is available for each sub-task of the automated analysis process.

A sample carousel in the upper part of the furnace feeds the samples and any additional flux required (e.g. tin tablets) to the ELEMENTRAC ONH-p, while in the lower part of the furnace, a gripper inserts and removes the required graphite crucibles.

The efficient and user-friendly analysis process is supported by easy filling of the crucible magazine, as well as a sample carousel that can be exchanged in one move of the hand where necessary.

ELEMENTRAC ONH-p AUTOSAMPLER

SOLUTIONS IN DETAIL



INNOVATIVE CRUCIBLE MAGAZINE

- | Easy to fill
- | Capacity of 100 crucibles
- | Automatic alignment of the crucibles for measurement



INTEGRATED WASTE BIN

- | For up to 120 crucibles
- | Integrated level sensor
- | Easy to empty



DETACHABLE SAMPLE CAROUSEL

- | Solid samples up to 1 g
- | Titanium samples in nickel baskets
- | Granules, powder in capsules
- | Alternating application of flux and sample
- | (e.g. H analysis in titanium with tin tablets)

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THE ELEMENTS SOFTWARE

The O/N/H analyzers of the ELEMENTRAC series are controlled by the innovative ELEMENTS software. All essential functions are located in the main window (analyses and results), while less important functions, such as application settings or the device status, can be called up in other windows. Windows are controlled and changed using a PC mouse or function keys.



Analytical control samples, drift samples, autoloading and manual sample lists

This screenshot shows a detailed view of a CRM database. It features a large table with columns for sample identification, concentration, and other relevant data. The table is organized and easy to navigate, with orange highlights indicating specific rows or sections.

Convenient CRM database



Support of linear, quadratic and cubic regression



Integrated, powerful report designer



APPLICATIONS

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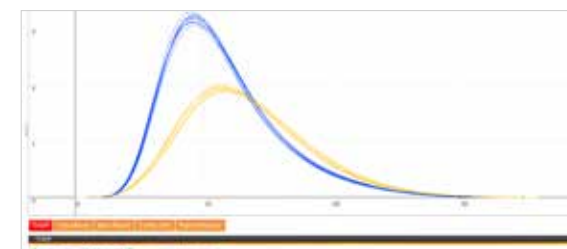


O/N ANALYSIS IN STEEL GRANULES

Sample feeding	Directly into the sample lock
Sample weight	Up to 2000 mg (depending on sample)
Analysis time	160 seconds
ELTRA application note	1072

Weight (mg)	Oxygen (ppm)	Nitrogen (ppm)
1018	99.7	148.8
1057	96.5	152.6
1036	99.3	150.3
1027	99.1	150.6
1015	97.7	151.5
1021	102.0	150.1
1020	98.4	153.4
1035	99.2	150.0
1029	99.8	149.0
1011	98.1	153.4

Mean value	99.0	151.0
Deviation	1.5	1.7
Rel. deviation	1.5 %	1.1 %



Sample ZRM 284-2	Oxygen Yellow peak	X-axis Measuring time (Sec)
	Nitrogen Blue peak	Y-axis Intensity (V)

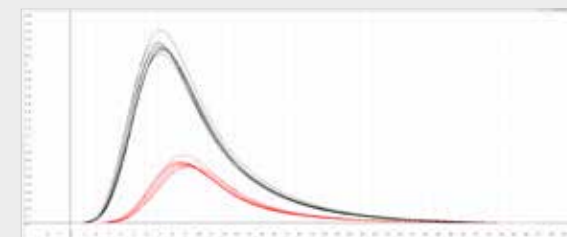


O/N ANALYSIS IN FERROVANADIUM

Sample feeding	Sample in capsule
Sample weight	Up to 250 mg (depending on the sample)
Analysis time	155 seconds
ELTRA application note	1101

Weight (mg)	Oxygen (%)	Nitrogen (%)
154.31	0.893	0.474
132.53	0.904	0.485
135.61	0.889	0.488
133.66	0.865	0.470
134.28	0.883	0.483
134.54	0.867	0.469
136.71	0.883	0.474
138.16	0.869	0.478
140.96	0.869	0.475
134.39	0.888	0.484

Mean value	0.881	0.478
Deviation	0.013	0.006
Rel. deviation	1.5 %	1.4 %



Sample Euronorm 593-1	Oxygen Black peak	X-axis Measuring time (Sec)
	Nitrogen Red peak	Y-axis Intensity (V)

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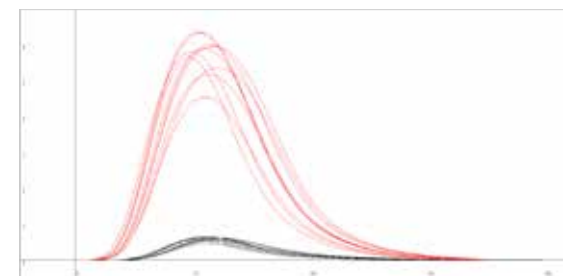


O/N ANALYSIS IN SILICON NITRIDE

Sample feeding	Sample in capsule
Sample weight	Up to 20 mg
Analysis time	155 seconds
ELTRA application note	1099

Weight (mg)	Oxygen (%)	Nitrogen (%)
12.7	1.96	37.83
14.0	2.10	38.23
18.8	2.02	38.08
15.2	2.06	38.01
18.0	2.02	38.27
16.7	2.10	38.07
17.1	2.05	37.88
18.0	2.11	38.38
18.2	2.11	38.10
15.9	2.13	37.99

Mean value	2.07	38.08
Deviation	0.05	0.17
Rel. deviation	2.6 %	0.5 %



Sample	Oxygen	X-axis
ERM – ED 101 (Elemental Micro)	Black peak	Measuring time (Sec)
	Nitrogen	Y-axis
	Red peak	Intensity (V)

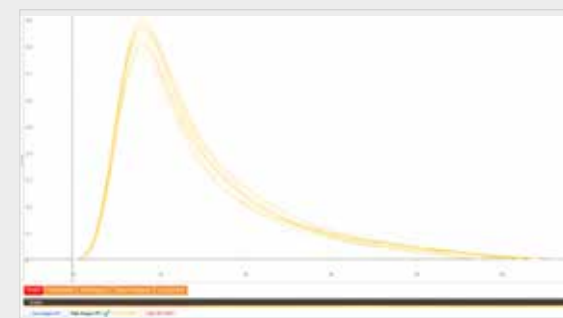


H ANALYSIS IN TITANIUM

Sample feeding	Direct
Sample weight	Up to approx. 250 mg
Analysis time	170 seconds
ELTRA application note	1075

Weight (mg)	Hydrogen (ppm)
106	48.84
105	54.03
106	44.40
107	51.69
105	54.77
105	49.43
106	47.01
104	50.71
105	48.30
103	52.73

Mean value	50.19
Deviation	3.24
Rel. deviation	6.4 %



Sample	Hydrogen	X-axis
AR 642 (Lot 319B)	Yellow peak	Measuring time (Sec)
		Y-axis
		Intensity (V)

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