

## Sensor Quality Index

**Tested PM-sensors** 

**Dylos DC1700** 

Honeywell **HPMA** 115S0

Plantower PMS7003

Shinyei PPD60PV

Winsen ZH03B

Nova Fitness SDS011

Shinyei PPD42NS\*

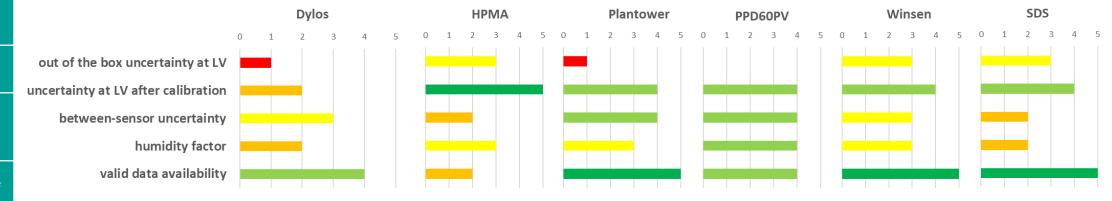
Alphasense OPC-N2\*

\*excluded from test due to technical problems

## **PM-sensors**

out of the box uncertainty at limit value (%) uncertainty at limit value after calibration (%) between-sensor uncertainty (%) humidity factor data availability (#valid hours)

| 5         | 4      | 3      | 2      | 1      |
|-----------|--------|--------|--------|--------|
| excellent | good   | ok     | poor   | bad    |
| <15       | <25    | <50    | <100   | >100   |
| <15       | <25    | <50    | <100   | >100   |
| <10       | <15    | <20    | <30    | >30    |
| <1.25     | <1.5   | <2     | <3     | >3     |
| >35000    | >30000 | >25000 | >20000 | <20000 |



Note that, depending on the use case, different sensor criteria may be more important.

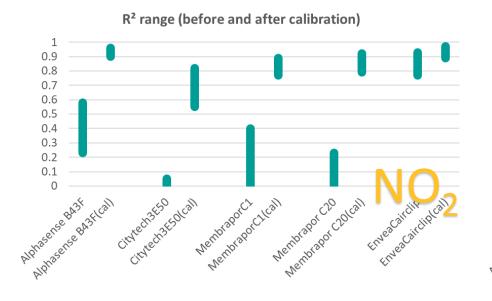
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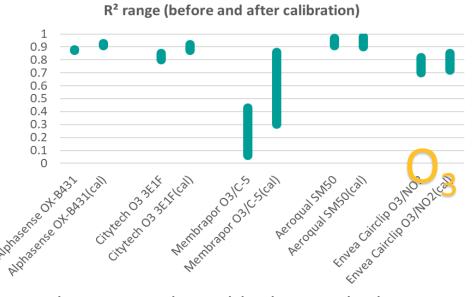


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## **Gas-sensors**

| Tested NO <sub>2</sub> - sensors | Tested O <sub>3</sub> -<br>sensors |  |
|----------------------------------|------------------------------------|--|
| Alphasense                       | Alphasense                         |  |
| NO2-B43F                         | OX-B431                            |  |
| Citytech NO2                     | Citytech O3                        |  |
| 3E50                             | 3E1F                               |  |
| Envea Cairclip                   | Envea Cairclip                     |  |
| NO2                              | O3/NO2                             |  |
| Membrapor                        | Aeroqual                           |  |
| NO2/C-1                          | SM50                               |  |
| Membrapor                        | Membrapor                          |  |
| NO2/C-20                         | 03/C-5                             |  |





Almost all  $NO_2$  and  $O_3$  sensors need a calibration in order to provide usable data. Only the uncalibrated Aeroqual SM50  $O_3$ -sensor had a good correlation and small bias compared to the reference.

Since the sensor performance will depend largely on calibration approach, we decided not to rank the devices.

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