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# Zephyr<sup>®</sup>

Air Quality Monitor



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# About EarthSense

EarthSense is a leading air quality specialist, providing services in air pollution monitoring, modelling and data through web services worldwide.

Based in the UK, EarthSense deliver innovative solutions, enabling the world to visualise and manage its air quality issues.

Our customers include smart city planners, environmental and occupational health officers, local authorities and systems integrators. Our highly accurate, usable data and analytics help inform strategies and secure investments through environmental evidence to make a real difference to human health.



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## Air Quality Monitoring Services

EarthSense offers a complete ambient air quality monitoring solution which enables its customers to measure a variety of criteria pollutants in near real-time & at high resolution through hardware and cutting-edge web platforms and API's.



### Hardware Zephyr® Air Quality Monitor

A small-form, indicative ambient air quality monitor measuring harmful particulates and gases in real-time.

### Data MappAir® Air Quality Model

Pollution model available on a global scale, right down to a street corner with multiple data inputs.

### Software MyAir® Air Quality App

A web app to analyse and download your air quality data. Also available as a mobile and public facing app.

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## Industry Awards



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## Expertise

### Dedicated In-house Experts

From our team of technical and software experts to our data scientists.

### In-house Calibration & Performance Certificates

Each Zephyr® is calibrated at the EarthSense manufacturing facility to MCERTS reference equipment standard to ensure the most accurate data & delivered with a calibration certificate.

### Complete Air Quality Monitoring Solution

From hardware, software data access & servicing all available through multi-year subscriptions to suit your project.

### Rich Academic History & Continued Growth

Born from 15 years of research at the University of Leicester, EarthSense has continued to grow since it's commercial inception in 2016 with Zephyrs deployed in 6 continents.

# Zephyr®

The Zephyr® is a small-form, indicative air quality monitor designed to measure ambient air pollution at localised levels at very high time-resolved resolutions up to 10 seconds. Deploying sensors helps to understand the pollution in a given area and, how local health is impacted by certain industry activities and lifestyle behaviours.

Using real-time measured air quality data enables our customers to build evidence-based mitigations, ensure compliance to regulations and drive behavioural change within communities.

Measure	Standard Cartridge	Enhanced Cartridge
NO   NO <sub>2</sub>	•	•
O <sub>3</sub>	•	•
PM <sub>1</sub>   PM <sub>2.5</sub>   PM <sub>10</sub>	•	•
CO		•
SO <sub>2</sub>		•
H <sub>2</sub> S		•
CO <sub>2</sub> (optional)		•
TVOC (optional)		•
Temperature, Pressure, Relative Humidity	•	•

## Data Communication



### Monitor up to 14 Harmful Gases & Particulates

Including nitrogen dioxide (NO<sub>2</sub>), Ozone (O<sub>3</sub>) and PM<sub>2.5</sub> in one compact device including temperature, pressure & humidity.

### Build Networks of Monitors Across Cities

At congested road junctions or hotspot areas across towns, cities and counties to understand pollution trends.

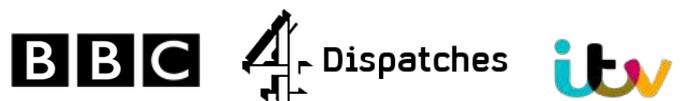
### Integrate Connected Hardware

Such as Met stations for added context around pollution and wind speed, direction, temperature and humidity.



## In the Media

The Zephyr® has been continuously featured in the press in news segments and documentaries.



### Use as a Static or Mobile Monitor

Fix to street infrastructure or use as a mobile device and attach to vehicles, bicycles and place inside backpacks.

### Easy to Replace Cartridge System

With dual cartridge slots to ensure no loss of data during cartridge swap over.

### Calibrated to Reference Site Standard

To MCERTS reference equipments standard for each Zephyr® at the EarthSense manufacturing facility.

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## Download Zephyr® Specification Sheet



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## Zephyr® Subscription

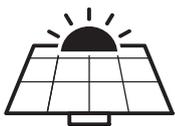
A Zephyr® subscription has the added value of on-going access to your data via the MyAir® web app, servicing and complimentary MappAir® modelling including pollution forecasts, trends and sources for your country.



**Internal Battery**



**Mains Powered**



**Solar Power Option**



**Data Hosting & Access**



**Multi-year  
service plans**



**Maintenance &  
Warranty**

- ✓ Ongoing monitoring of sensor performance by our in-house data scientists
- ✓ Calibrated replacement cartridges
- ✓ Multi-year subscriptions available
- ✓ Access to your data via the MyAir® web app or an API
- ✓ Modelled MappAir® data for your country
- ✓ Interactive graphs & analytics for your data
- ✓ Customisable charting, time averaging for each Zephyr® & pollutant
- ✓ Downloadable data
- ✓ Minimal in-field interaction
- ✓ Full manufacturer warranty on hardware
- ✓ SIM card costs included

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# Data Access

Integrate your data via an API directly into an existing system or view, analyse and download your data via the EarthSense web app, MyAir®.

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## MyAir®

The MyAir® web app has been developed by EarthSense acting as the hub for viewing your mapped Zephyr® locations and accessing your measured pollution data. Zephyr® subscription users can also benefit from additional features including MappAir® modelled data for forecasting, pollution trends and sources.

### View Latest Zephyr® Measurements

Quick view of your Zephyr® measurements in near-real-time in an intuitive new dashboard.

### View Additional Data Overlays

Providing added context to your measured data including, MappAir®, AURNs and Air Quality Management Areas (UK only).

### See your Mapped Zephyr® Locations

Locate your Zephyr® monitors on an interactive map with additional satellite overlay giving you context to nearby roads, mines, quarries, open space, buildings and residential areas.

### View Your Integrated Met Data

Integrate third party data with RS232/RS485 port to understand how pollution behaves based on wind speed and direction.

### Multiple App Formats Available

Versatile web app with the capability of being used as web, mobile app or streamlined public facing app for municipalities.

### Access Historical Zephyr® Data

Access historical measured data through a variety of filters such as time averaging and key pollutants.

### Monitor Battery Levels & Access Certificates

View your Zephyr® location, battery levels and access your calibration certificates.

### Complimentary MappAir® Modelled Data

Global modelled MappAir® data included to provide added context to your measured data and help identify pollution trends for the wider area.

### In-house Developers

Focused on continuous product development and dedicated to creating new and useful features within the app

### 5 User Licenses Included\*

\*Per Zephyr® subscription; allowing you and your team to access data anytime, anywhere.



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# Applications



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## Governments & Environmental Monitoring

Local Authorities and government play a big part in managing ambient air pollution for the local area and helping to meet their air quality targets as set out by the World Health Organisation (WHO).

Real-time data equips environmental and occupational health officers, city planners and transport professionals with detail of how their city is living and breathing. Highlighting congested and polluted hotspots within towns and cities to help drive behavioural change in the community, implement road closures, ULEZ and CAZ.



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## Intelligent Transport Systems

Dynamically manage traffic flow with integrated air quality and traffic management technologies to improve congestion and resulting pollution in towns and cities. Use a network of Zephyrs across cities to send alerts to Variable Message Signs (VMS) to inform motorists of elevated levels of pollution and suggest cleaner routes. Install mobile sensors for geo-fencing of hybrid vehicles

Measured Zephyr® pollution data is compatible with traffic management systems such as Aimsun Live and Siemens Mobility Stratos.



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## Smart Cities & IoT

Deploy networks of Zephyrs and integrate with other data specialists that work across council departments, highways, town centre planning, strategic planning, and economic and regeneration development.

Identify how each dataset affects another to support future decisions about how to best manage footfall in shopping centres, traffic congestion, vehicle numbers in car parks, and their impact on air quality levels in cities and towns.



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## Chemical Manufacturing & Oil and Gas

Chemicals and petrochemical manufacturing and processing including the exploration for and refining of crude oil, produce airborne Volatile Organic Compounds (VOC) that may result in fugitive emissions of VOCs which catalyse the production of ozone, as well as immediate health risks for compounds such as benzene.

Zephyrs are capable of measuring Total Volatile Organic Compounds (TVOC) inside these facilities as well as in communities surrounding such facilities; identifying exposure to improve public and occupational health.

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## Construction & Engineering

Construction sites emit particulate matter emissions as a result of machinery, ground and demolition work. The Zephyr® can be used as both static sensors for building networks across construction sites or as mobile sensors to place around different locations of smaller sites. Particulate matter sampled in real-time gives construction companies, site managers and project managers insight into how their activity is impacting on the environment, the health of staff and the public. Data can be used to ensure compliance to environmental standards and requirements.



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## Industrial Processes

Processes such as waste treatment plants are synonymous with foul odours and smells. Community concerns can be appropriately investigated through monitoring and evidence-based strategies can be put to action for residents of surrounding areas.

Smelters are well known for the release of CO, CO<sub>2</sub>, and Particulate Matter (PM). Through combining personal exposure with environmental sampling using the Zephyr® sensor, employee and community health risks can be closely monitored and managed.



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## Mining & Quarrying

Activities at mines and quarries create fine particle matter (PM) emissions and its therefore important ensure local and national air quality standards and surrounding communities are not adversely affected by these types of industries. This type of air pollution can have a direct impact on the health of workers communities and given the remote location of mines and quarries, it may be difficult to accurately measure such emissions. Requiring little infrastructure to install & operate, the Zephyr® is capable of measuring PM<sub>1</sub>, PM<sub>2.5</sub> & PM<sub>10</sub>. Data can help occupational health & safety officers and ventilation officers.



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## Power Plants

Coal fired power plants can produce significant airborne particulate matter (PM) and greenhouse gas emissions.

The Zephyr® air quality monitor can closely monitor the emissions in real-time from these sources and data can be used to illustrate pollution patterns and create alerts for the generators and receptors of these emissions of imminent exposure risk.

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# Case Studies

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to view full case studies.

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## Leicester City Council

EarthSense worked with Leicester City Council to create a pollution map of Leicester which focused on identifying wood burning smoke emissions within the City.

Using a combination of the MappAir® 10-metre resolution city model, a wood burning smoke estimate, traffic data, Computational Fluid Dynamics (CFD) and a network of Zephyr® air quality monitors, the Council were able to identify particulate levels within the City, enabling improved guidance towards reduced smoke emissions and improved public health.



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## London Borough of Newham Council

Zephyr® monitors were deployed at nine primary school sites in the borough to measure air quality during peak travel times. Zephyr® measurements evidenced how nearby idling vehicles were depleting air quality at each location and potentially harming the health of children, giving the council evidence-based reasoning to introduce timed road closures.

London Borough of Newham also deployed Zephyrs at the Nightingale Hospital, London to measure air quality surrounding the location built to manage public health following the outbreak of Covid-19.



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## Coventry City Council

EarthSense worked alongside Coventry City Council to integrate Zephyr® air quality data with existing traffic management systems. A network of 12 solar powered and hard-wired Zephyr® air quality monitors were deployed in areas of the city centre identified as having high levels of congestion and air pollution.

This data was used to trigger messaging about pollution (nitrogen dioxide, NO<sub>2</sub>) levels and encourage usage of alternative routes via Variable Messaging Signs (VMS) to divert motorists away from heavily congested roads and pollution hotspots.



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# What our Customers Say

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This ambitious project will play a vital role in helping us build a clear picture of the sources of PM<sub>2.5</sub> pollution, which parts of the city are most affected and the impact that domestic wood burning is having on local air quality.

This important study will put us ahead of the curve and help us take decisive local action to tackle potentially harmful effects. It's fantastic that we have been able to benefit from the skills, expertise and knowledge of our local partners EarthSense.

Cllr Adam Clarke | Deputy City Mayor  
Leicester City Council

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Poor air quality is an ever-increasing problem, with road transport contributing significantly to urban pollution. That's why Siemens Mobility Limited exclusively partnered with air quality experts EarthSense, fully integrating the Zephyr® air quality sensor with our traffic signals and systems.

Local authorities can now monitor air quality in real time and make meaningful and timely interventions through Siemens Mobility's traffic management system, implementing strategies based on reliable pollution data and prevailing air quality levels.

Matthew Vincent  
Siemens Mobility

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Air pollution is a growing public health concern. We're taking early measures with the aim of encouraging motorists to make small changes to help reduce the pollution levels and traffic congestion before it's too late and we're forced to introduce chargeable clean air zones.

We are keen to use the Zephyr® air quality sensors on a long-term basis to better manage our air quality going forward.

Shamala Evans  
Coventry City Council

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Working with over 100 towns and cities, we are heavily involved in helping places become more digitised and using data to help benefit local visitors, residents, and the business community.

Intelligent data sets are crucial for the management of economic growth and regeneration, and the focus on the environment, means air quality will play a very big part in all our futures. Adding this data to set to our already established services will be an integral part of our reporting going forward.

Dan Coombs  
Proximity Futures

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