

Semiconductor Sensors:

Ch6: Gas Sensors cont.

Electronic Nose



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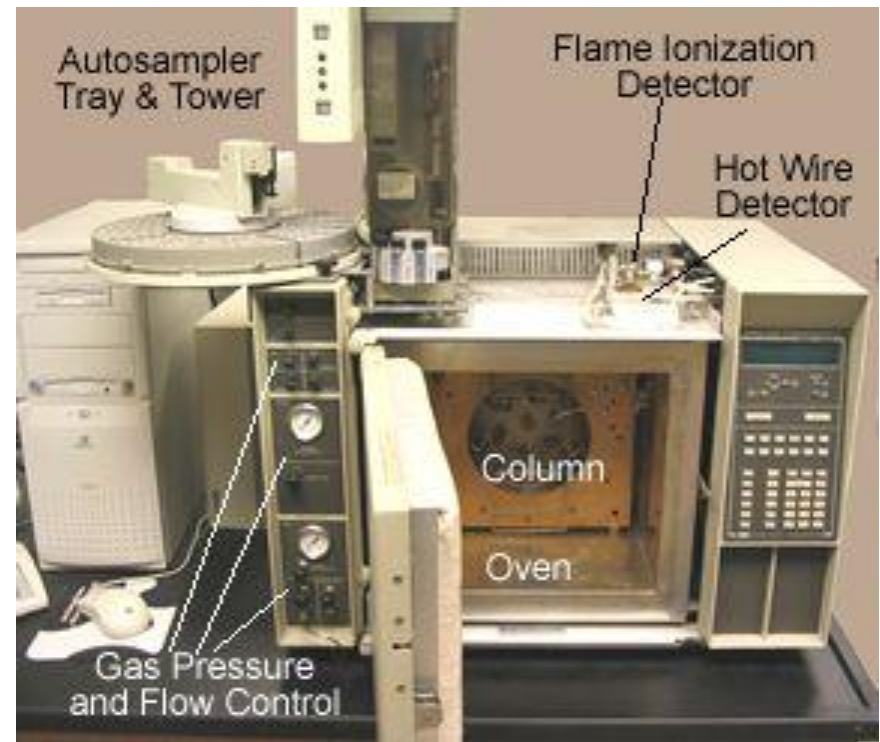
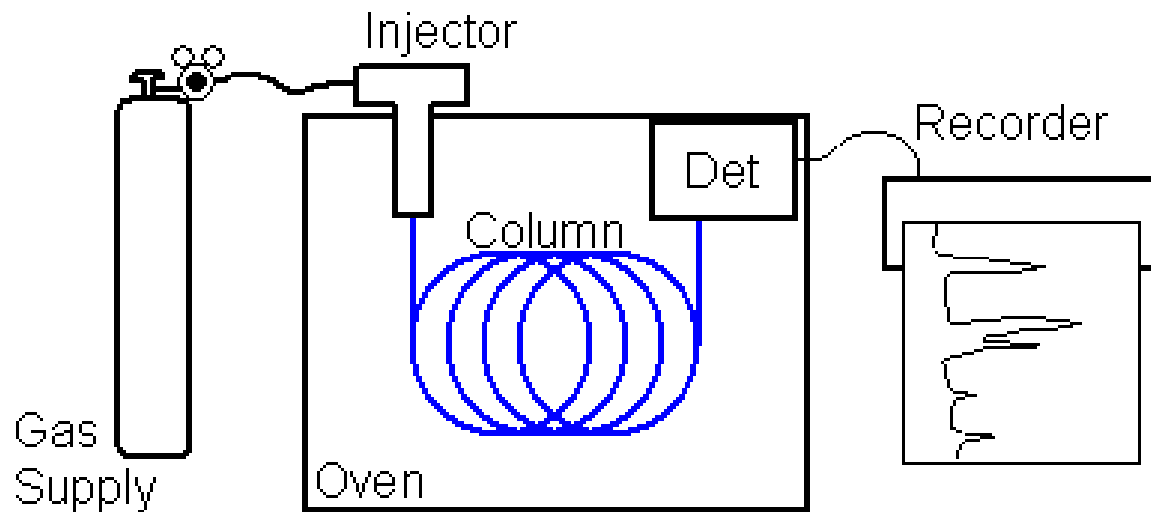
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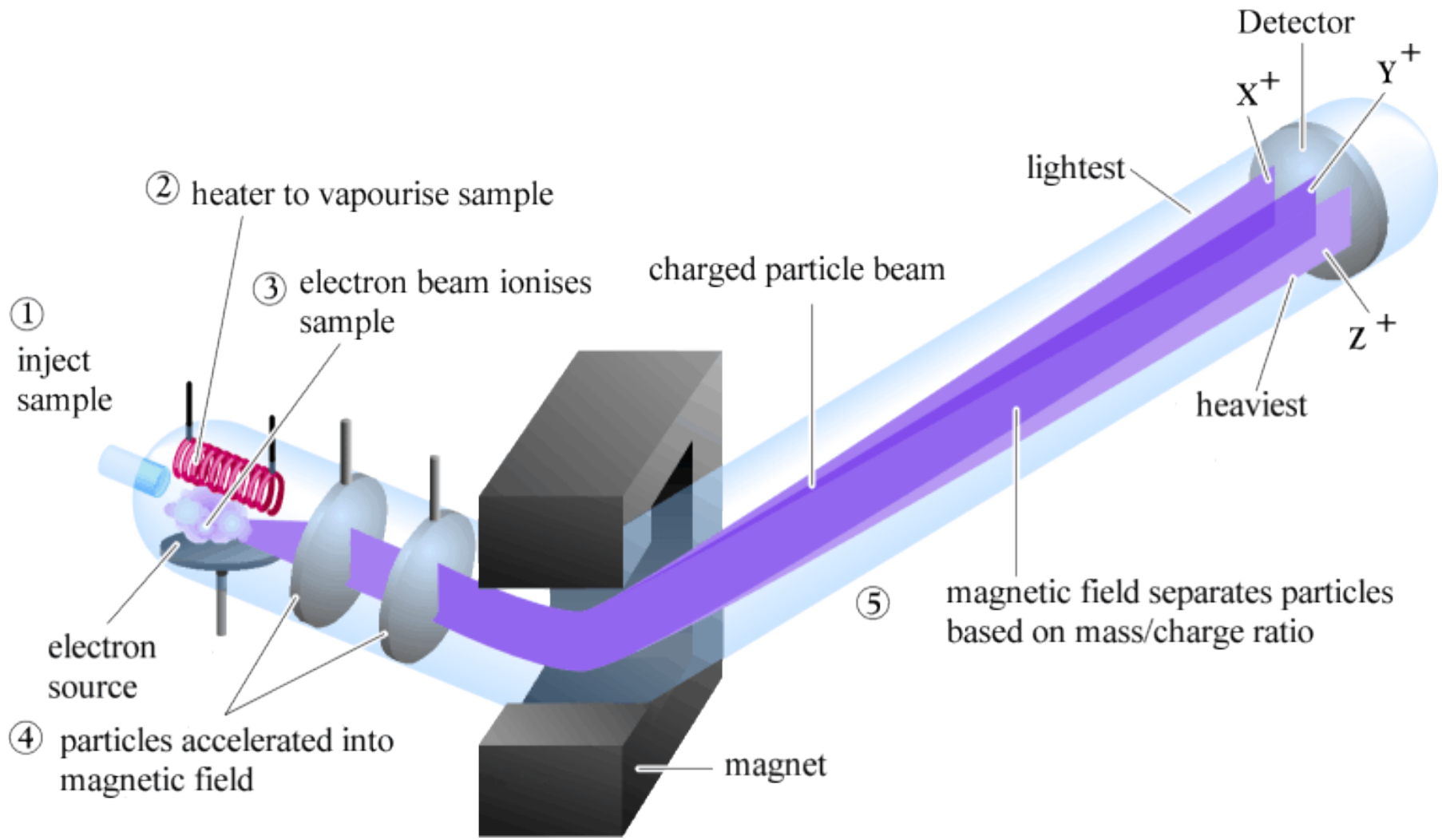
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The human nose has been used as an analytical tool in many industries to measure the quality of food, drinks, perfumes and also cosmetic and chemical products.

For this reason, **gas chromatography** and **mass spectrometry** have been employed to aid human panels to assess the quality of products through odour evaluation and identification and also to obtain more consistent results. However, these assistive techniques **are not portable**, they tend to be **expensive** and their performance is **relatively slow**.

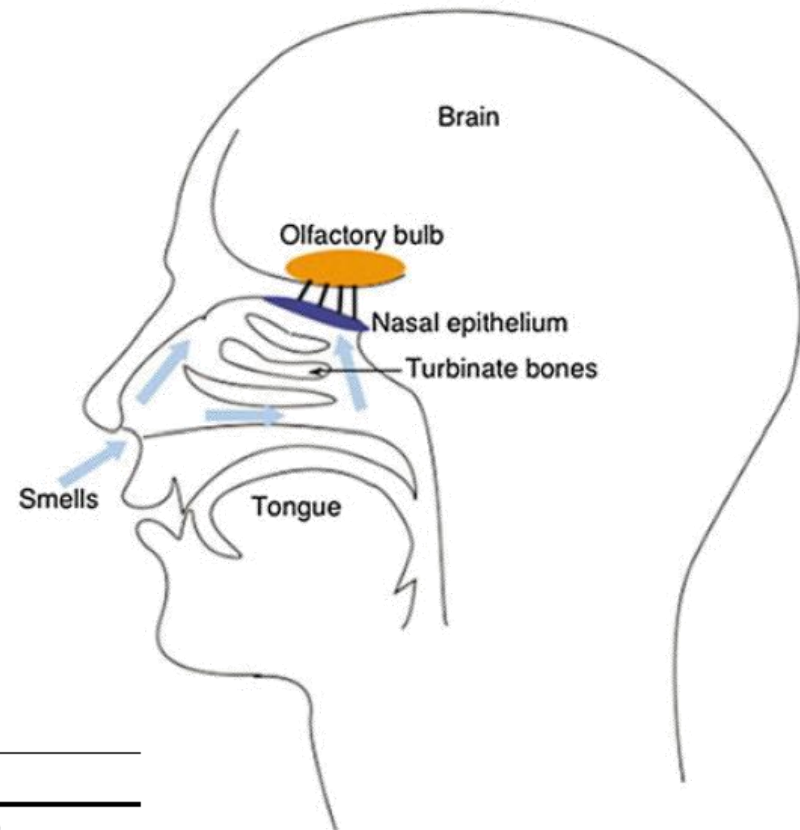
E-nose systems utilize an array of sensors to give a fingerprint response to a given odour, and pattern recognition software then performs odour identification and discrimination. The e-nose is a **cost-effective** solution to the problems associated with sensory panels and with chromatographic and mass-spectrometric techniques and can accommodate **real time performance in the field when implemented in portable form**.



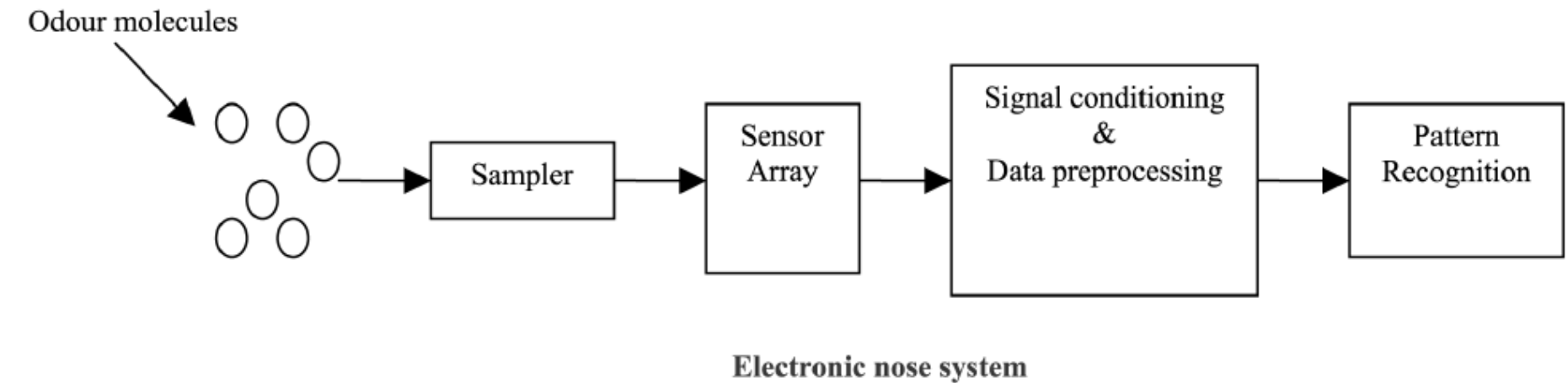
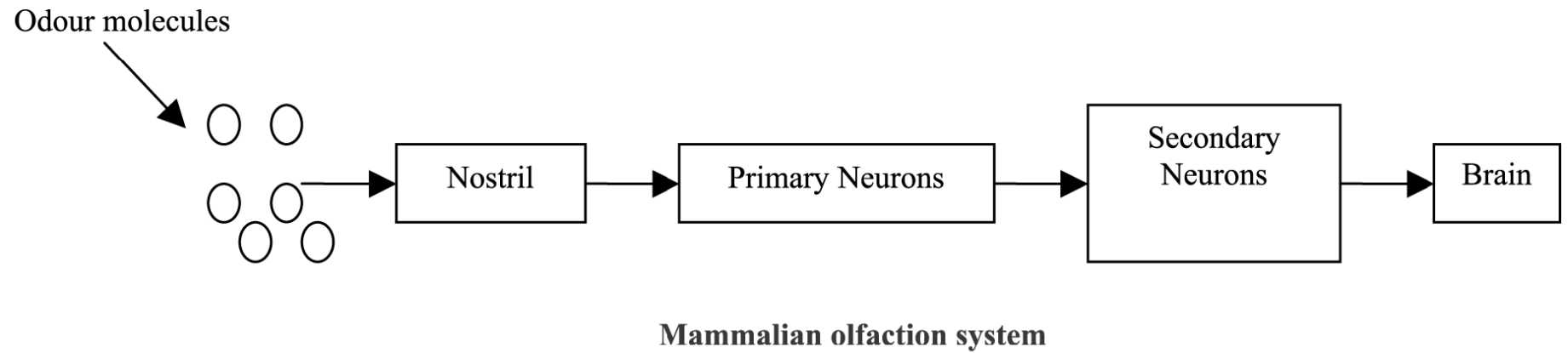


The fundamental processes that must occur for a mammalian nose to detect and identify an odor can be summarized as follows:

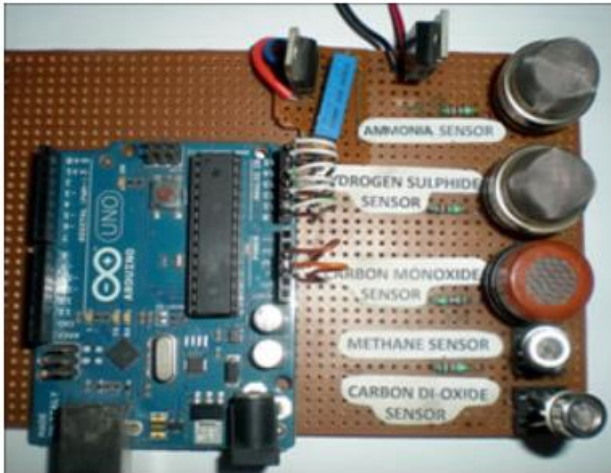
1. Sniffing
2. reception and binding
3. stimulus
4. transmission
5. recognition
6. action
7. cleansing



Primary odorant	Odor	Example
	Camphoric	Mothballs
	Musky	Perfume/Aftershave
	Roses	Floral
	Peppermint	Mint gum
	Ethereal	Dry cleaning fluid
	Pungent	Vinegar
	Putrid	Rotten Eggs



روشهای استفاده از حسگرهای گاز در بینی الکترونیکی



Lab scale design of portable gas mixture analysis system with Sensor array

<http://dst.gov.in/instrumentation-development-programme>

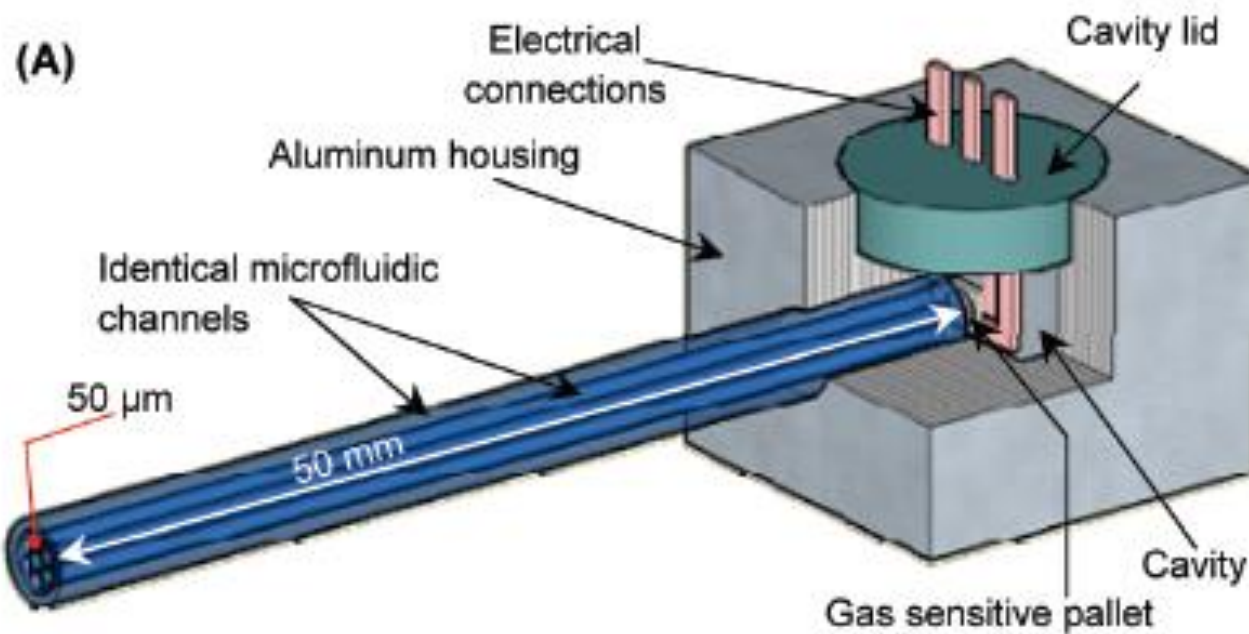
۱- آرایه واقعی

عیب: رانش غیر همسان حسگرها به مرور زمان

۲- استفاده از یک حسگر با مسیر نفوذ گاز

۳- استفاده از یک حسگر با دماهای سطح مختلف (آرایه مجازی با روش دمایی)

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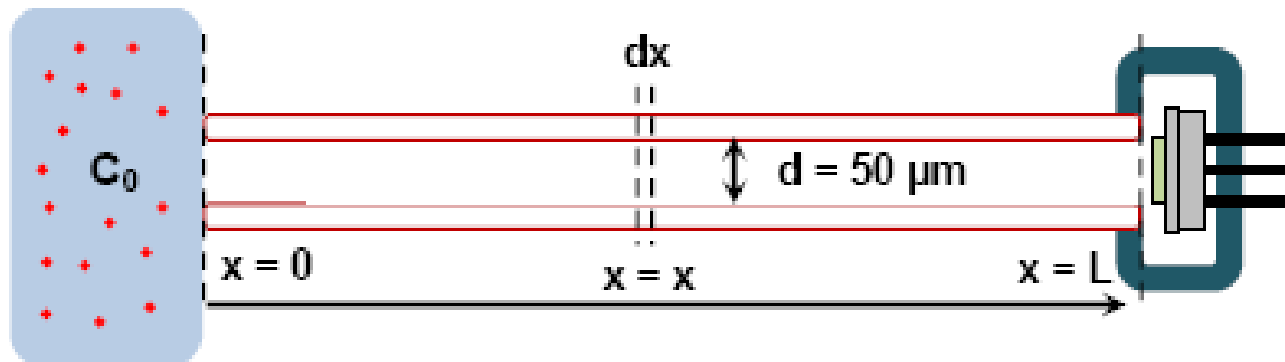


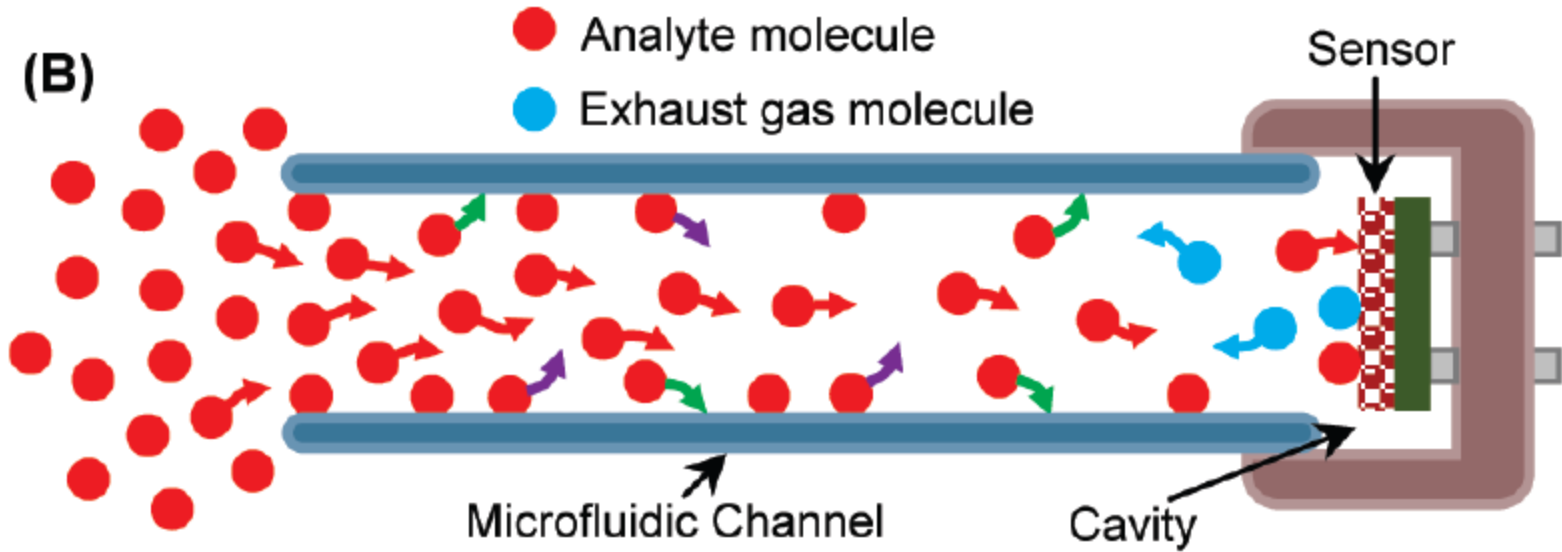
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In a microfluidic channel, by definition in the 1 mm to 1 μm diameter range, the only processes of significance at isothermal and isobar conditions are the concentration gradient caused molecular diffusion and the molecular interactions with the channel walls. Then, $C(x,t)$ is determined by the following "diffusion-physisorption equation":

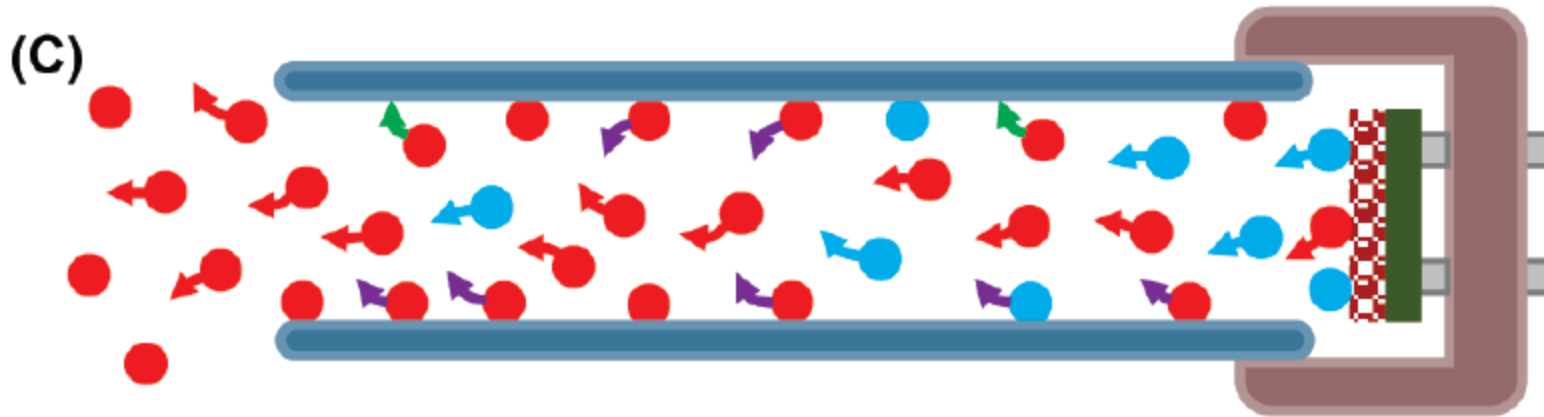
$$\frac{\partial C(x,t)}{\partial t} = D \frac{\partial^2 C(x,t)}{\partial x^2} - \frac{\partial C_s(x,t)}{\partial t}$$

wherein, D is the diffusivity of the target molecule (TM) in the background gas, and $C_s(x,t)$ is the amount of TMs physisorbed to the channel wall per unit volume of the channel.

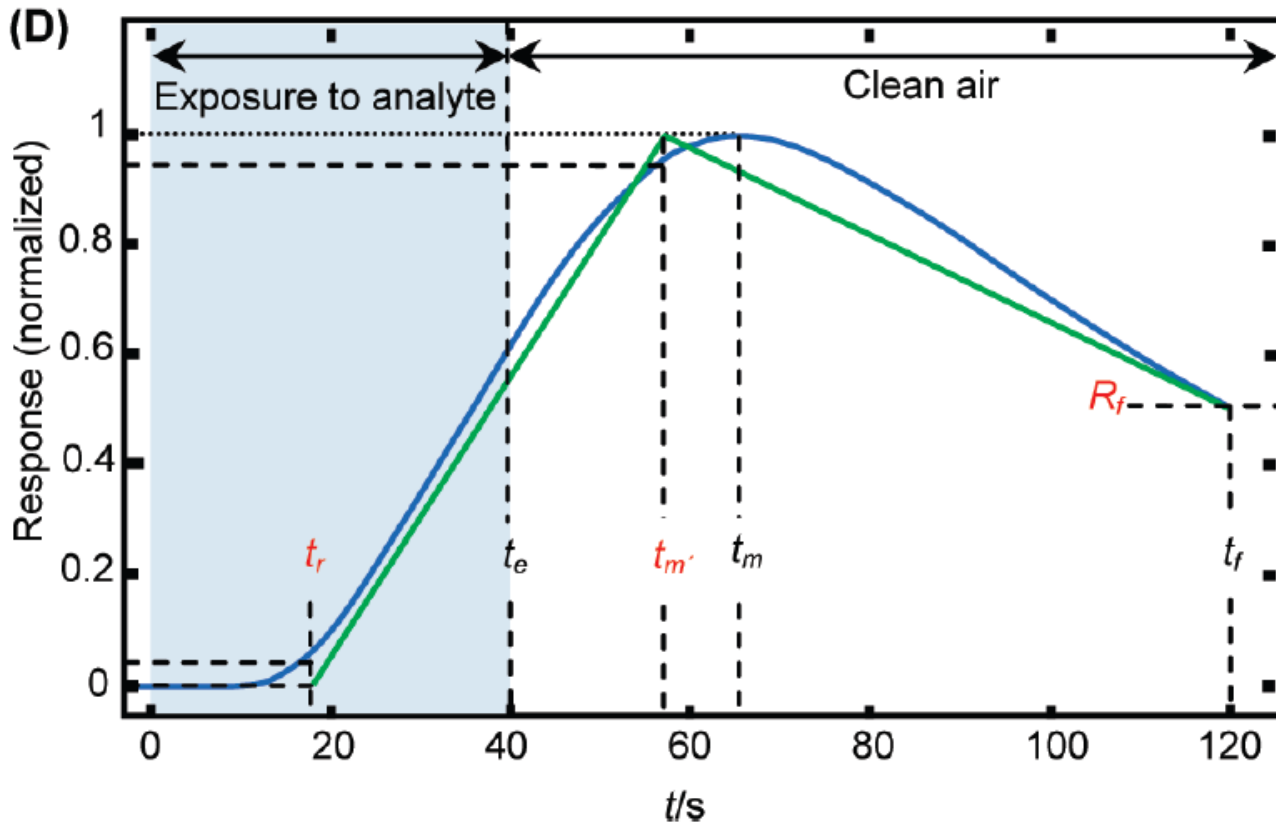




Analyte diffusion along one channel. Physisorption to the walls reduces the effective diffusion rate. The red, green, violet, and blue arrows illustrate the diffuse-in, physisorption, desorption, and diffuse out processes, respectively.

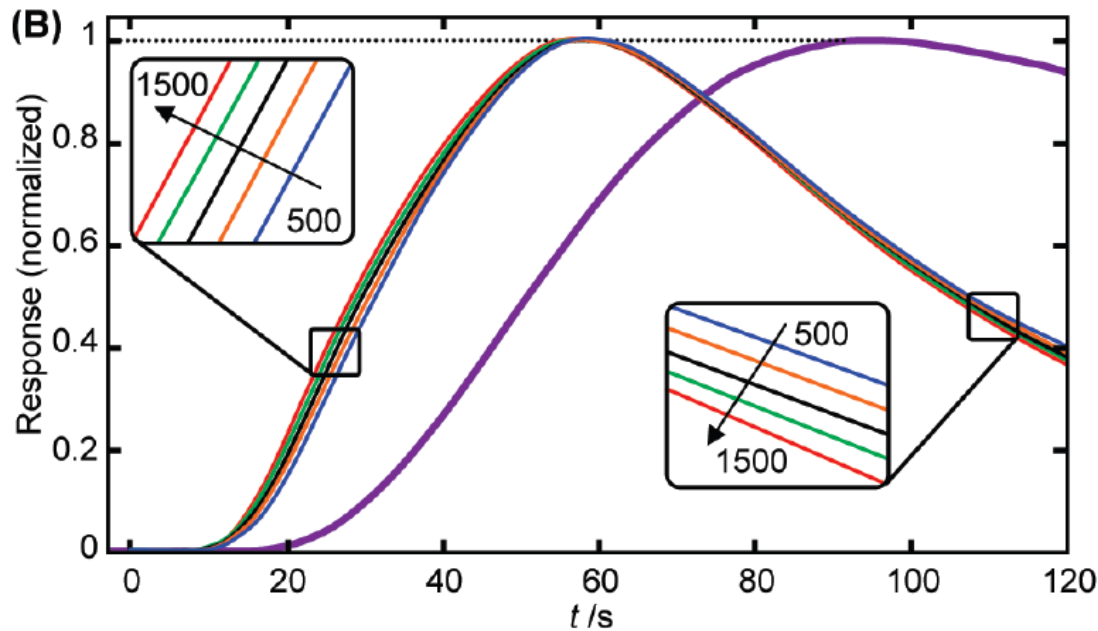
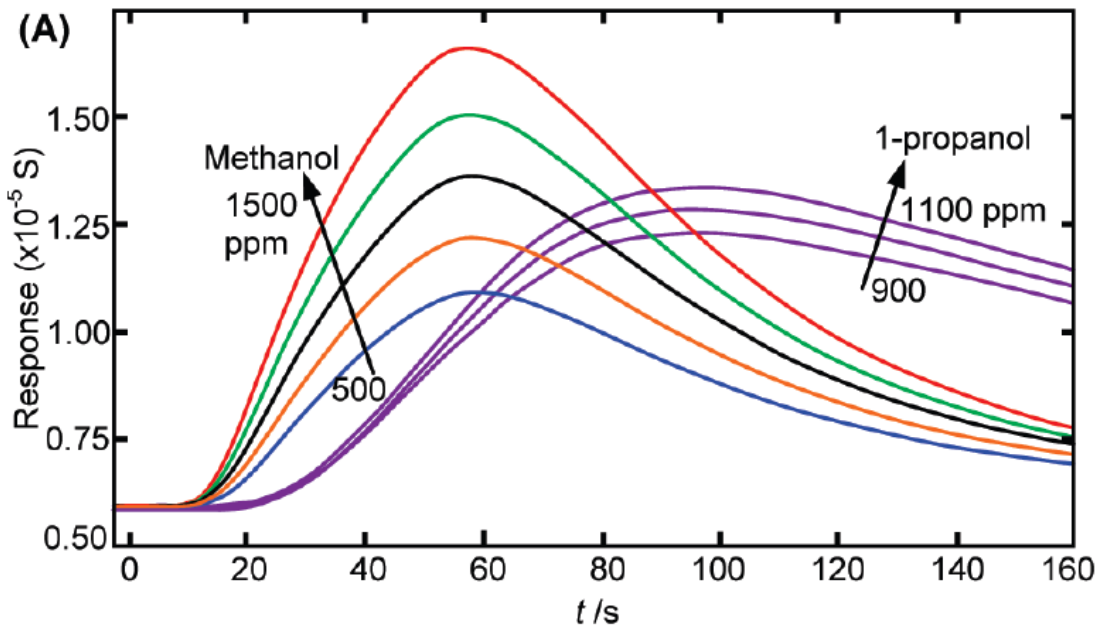


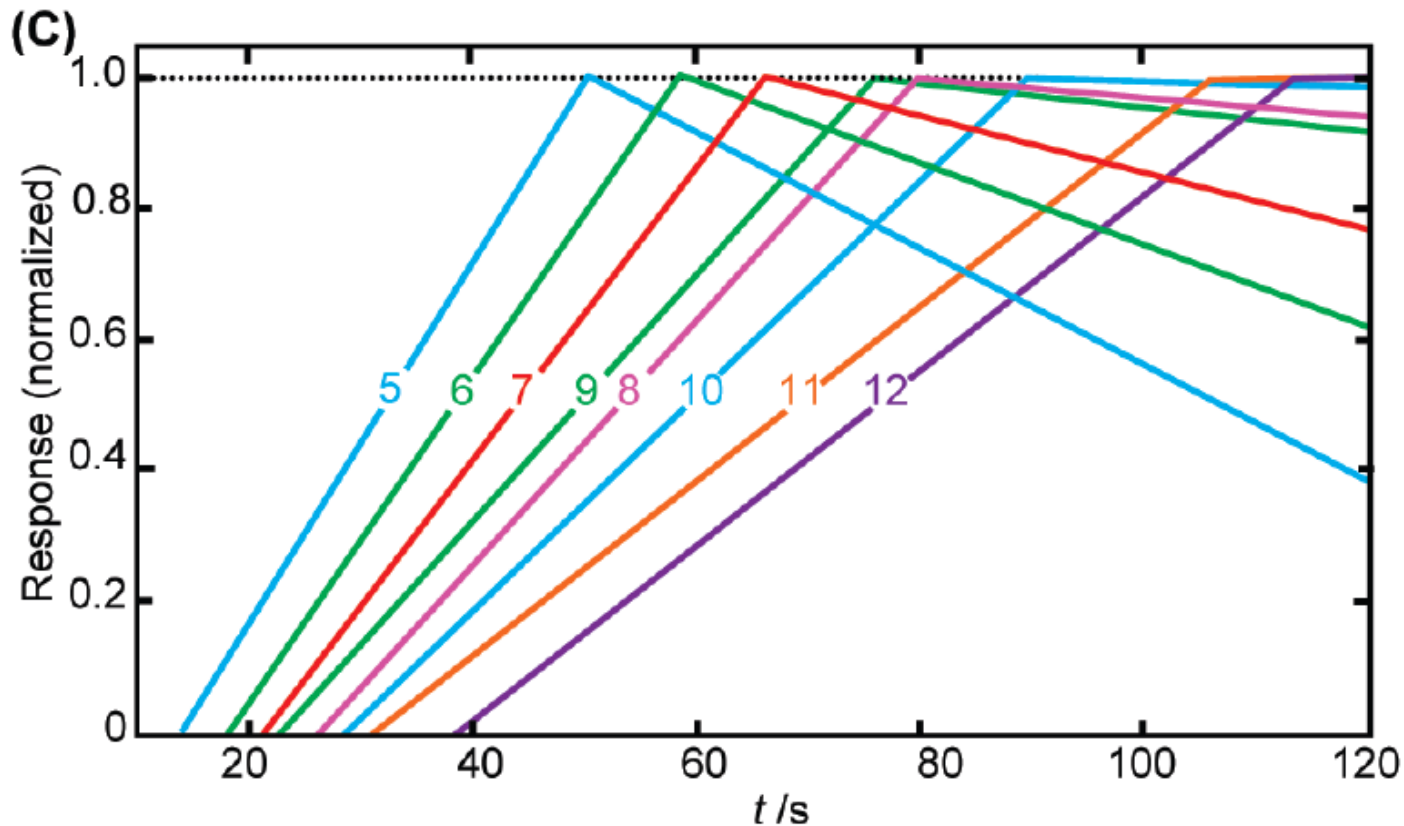
The same as in part B when the channel is reconnected to the clean air reservoir. The pace of analyte depletion is determined by the desorption rate of the molecules and its diffusivity in air.



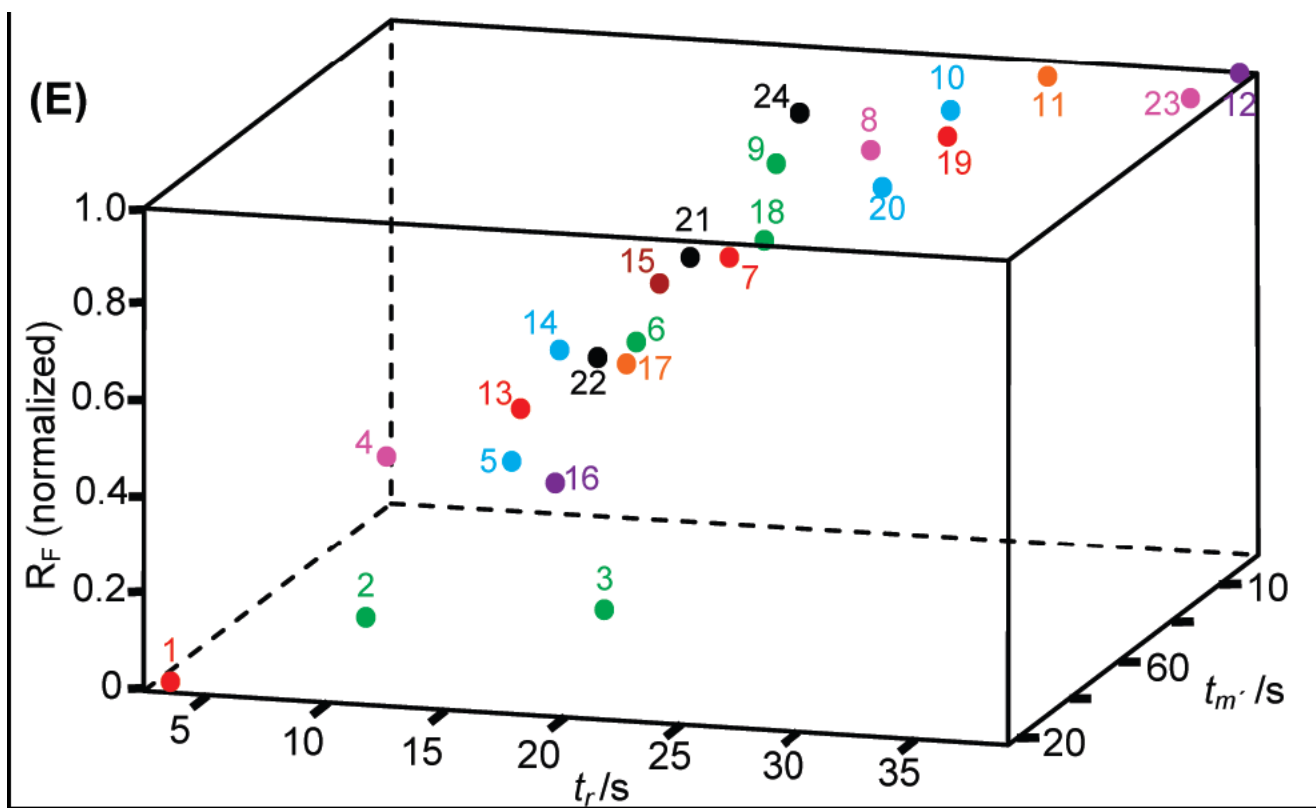
An experimental normalized response profile and its “line diagram”. The line diagram is specified by determining t_r and t_m' , moments where the response profile reaches 5% and 95% of its maximum level, respectively, and R_f , the dimensionless magnitude of the profile at t_f .

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در غلظت‌های متفاوت و اثر
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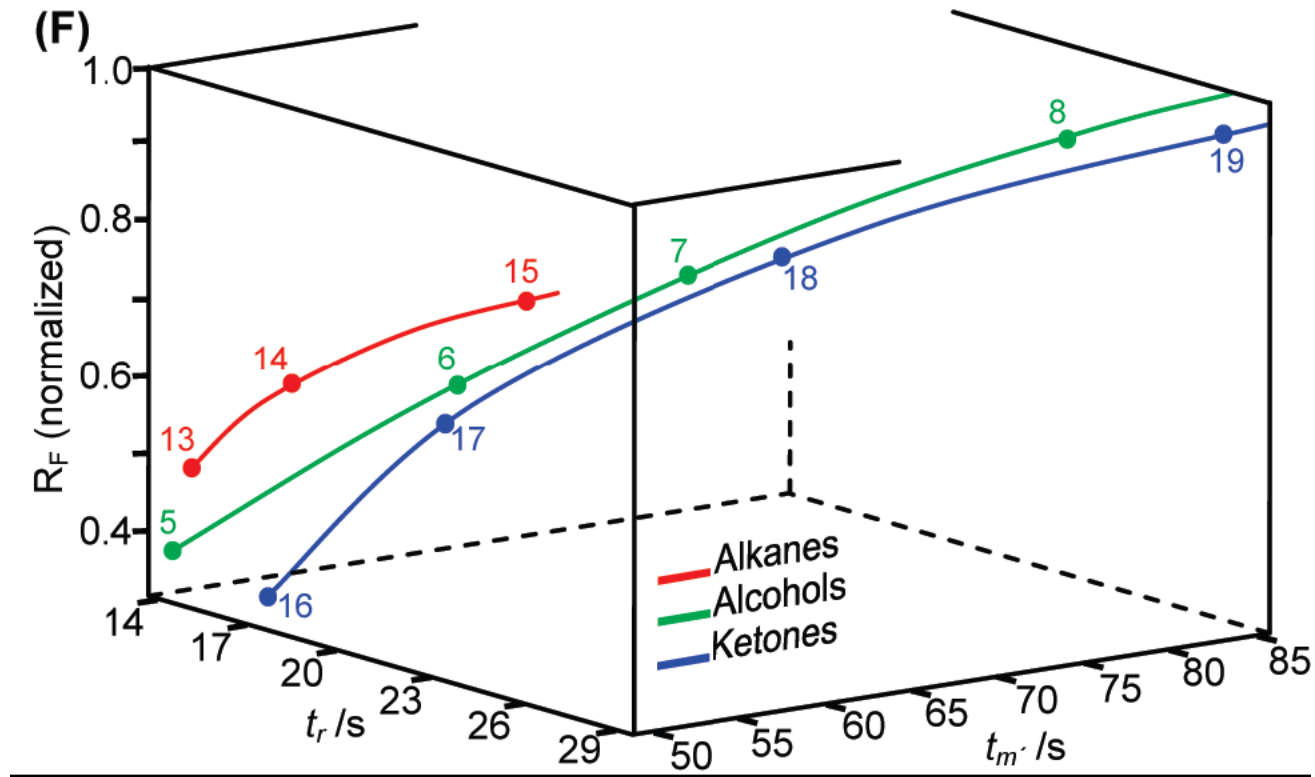


hydrogen (1), carbon monoxide (2), argon (3), oxygen (4), methanol (5), ethanol (6), isopropanol (7), 1-propanol (8), *tert*-butanol (9), 2-butanol (10), iso-butanol (11), 1-butanol (12), methane (13), *n*-butane (14), *n*-pentane (15), acetone (16), butanone (17), 2-pentanone (18), methyl isobutyl ketone (19), chloroform (20), toluene (21), benzene (22), carbon tetrachloride (23), and ammonia (24).



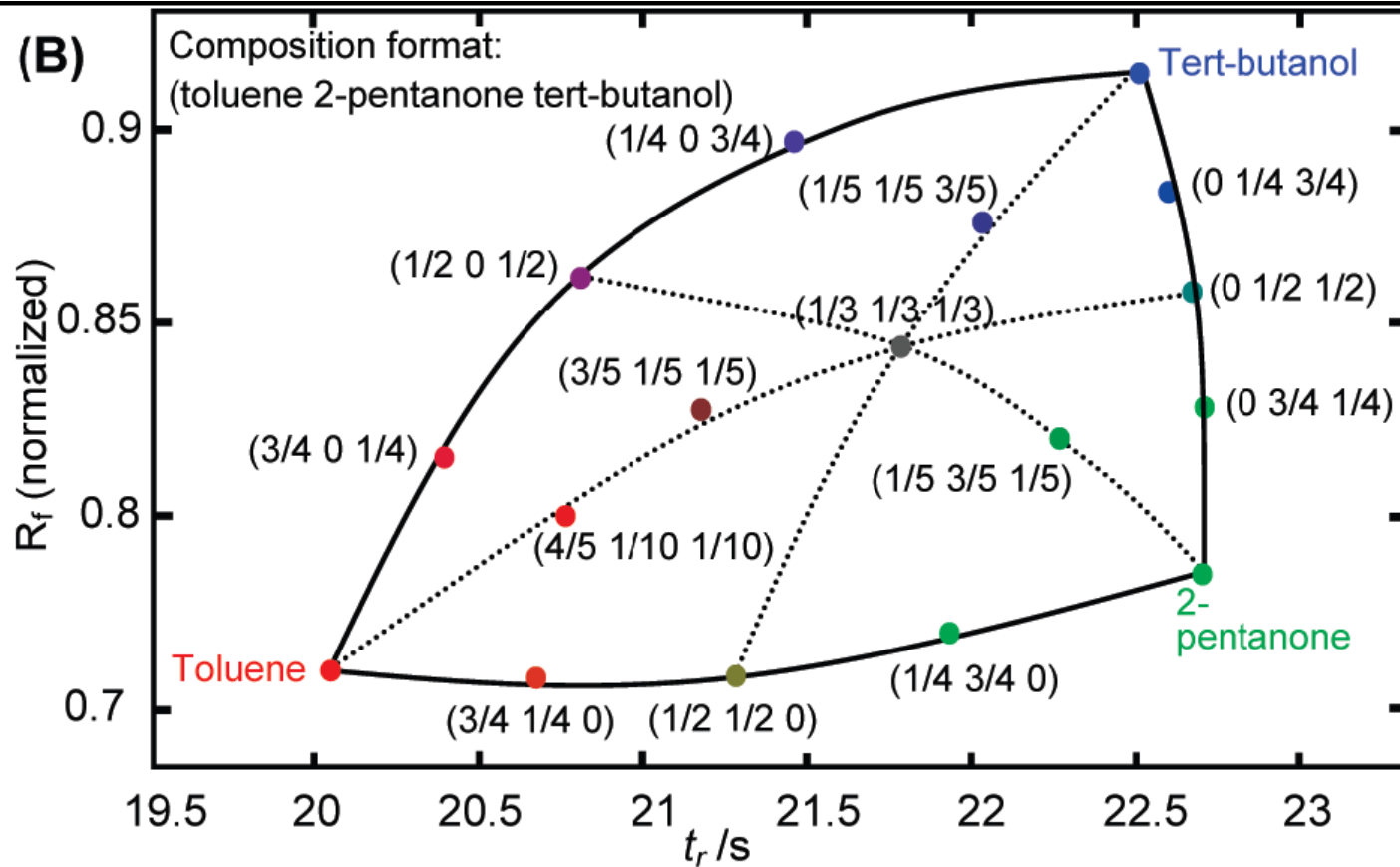
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قابلیت جداسازی خانواده گازها



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قابلیت تشخیص مخلوط گازی



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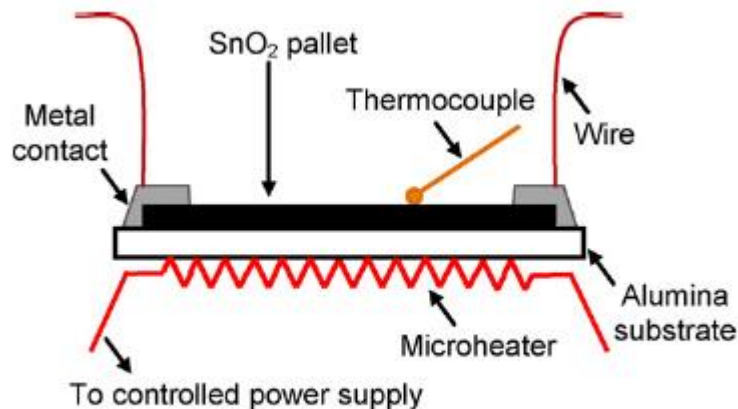
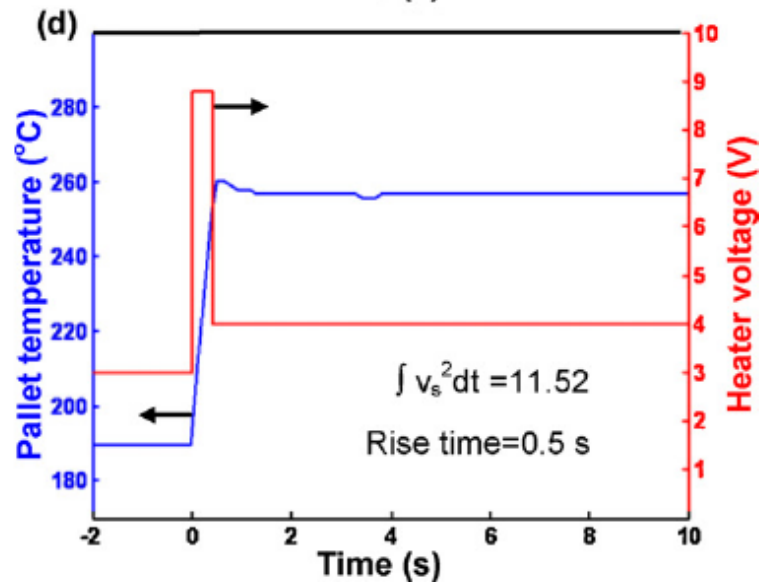
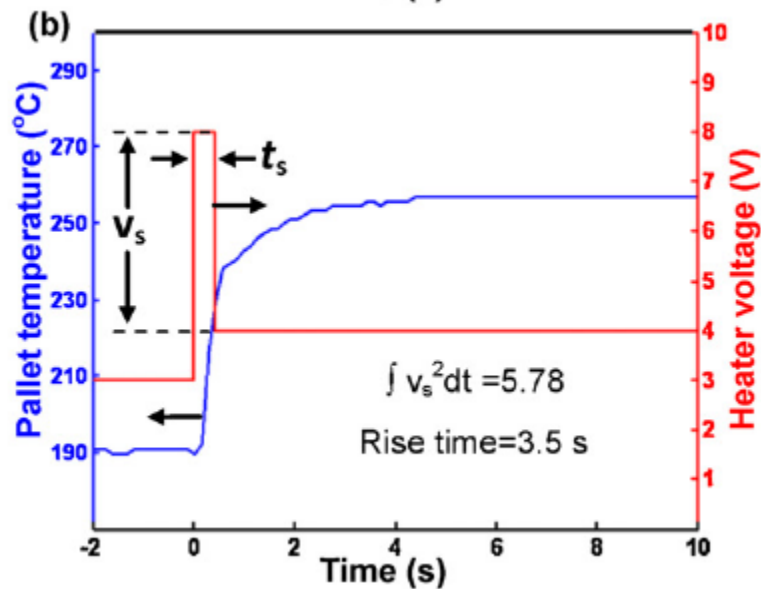
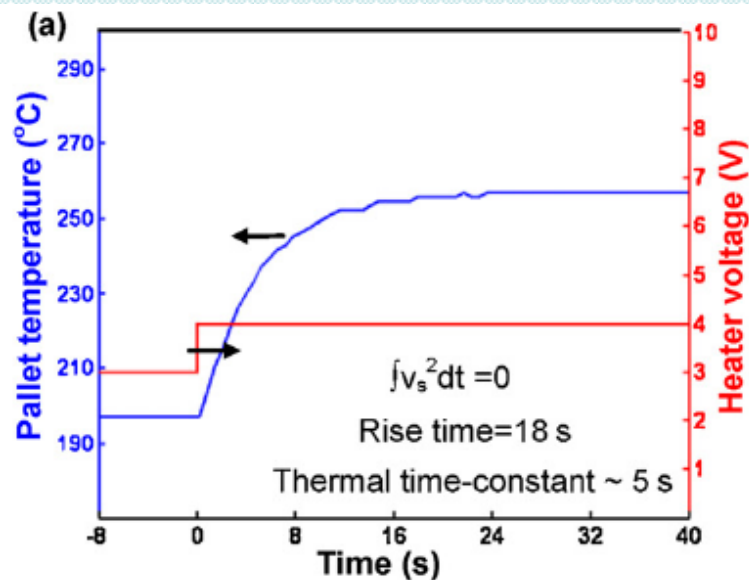


Fig. 1. Schematics of a generic metal oxide gas sensor (colored online).



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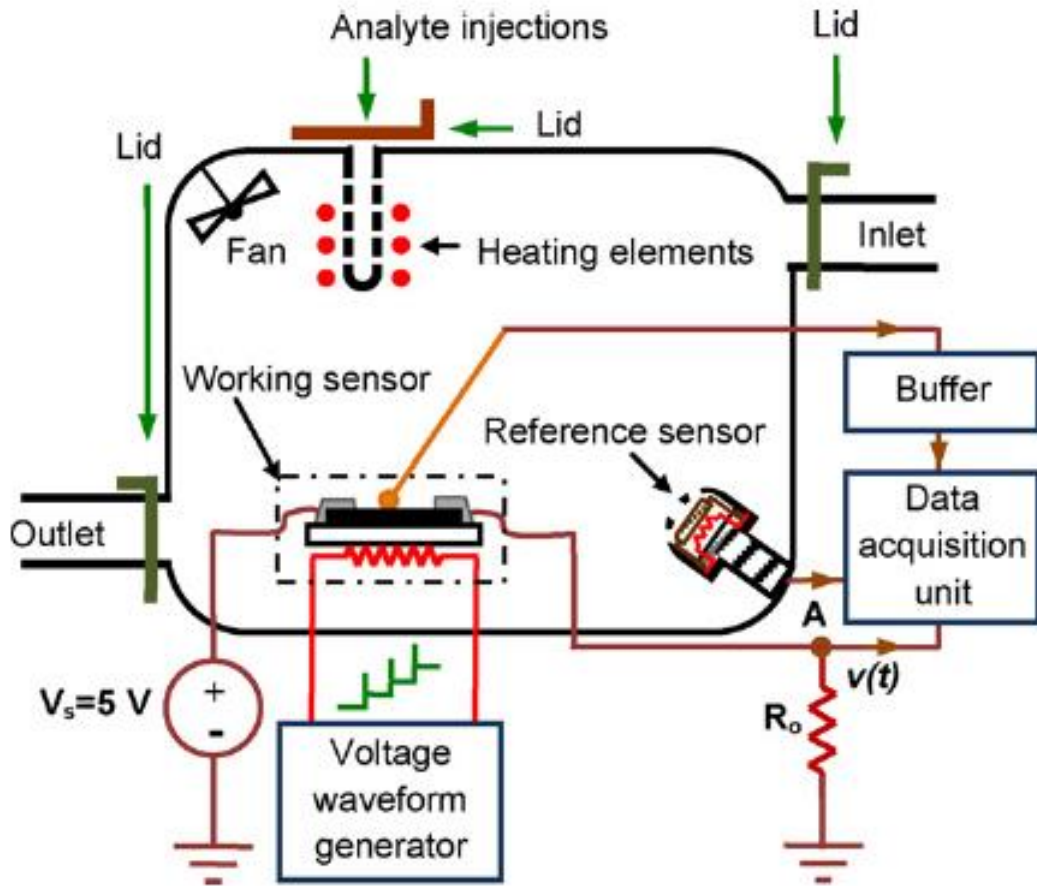
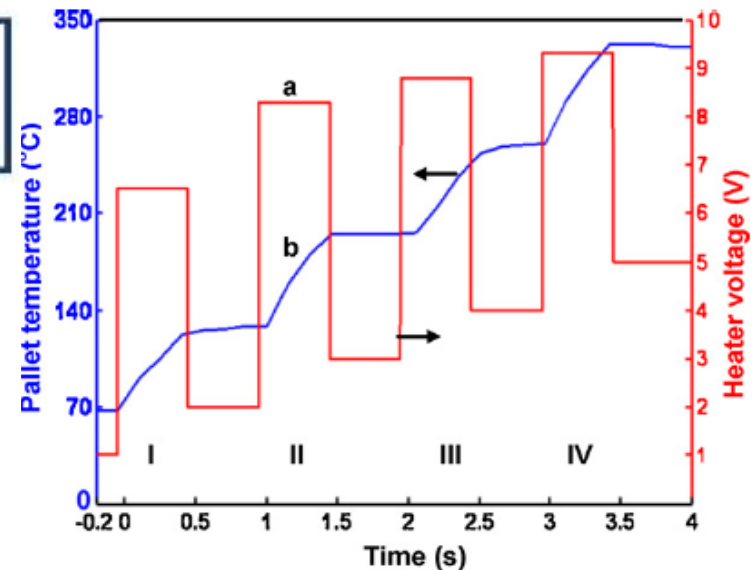
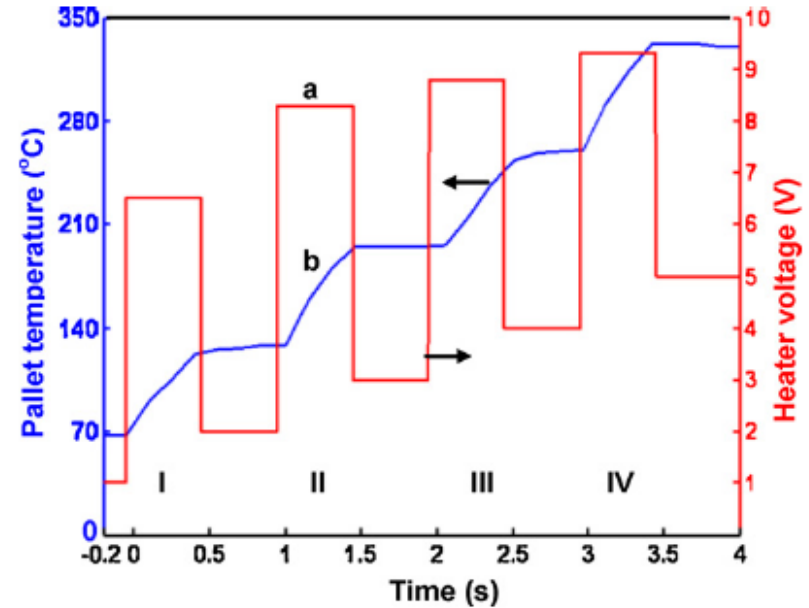
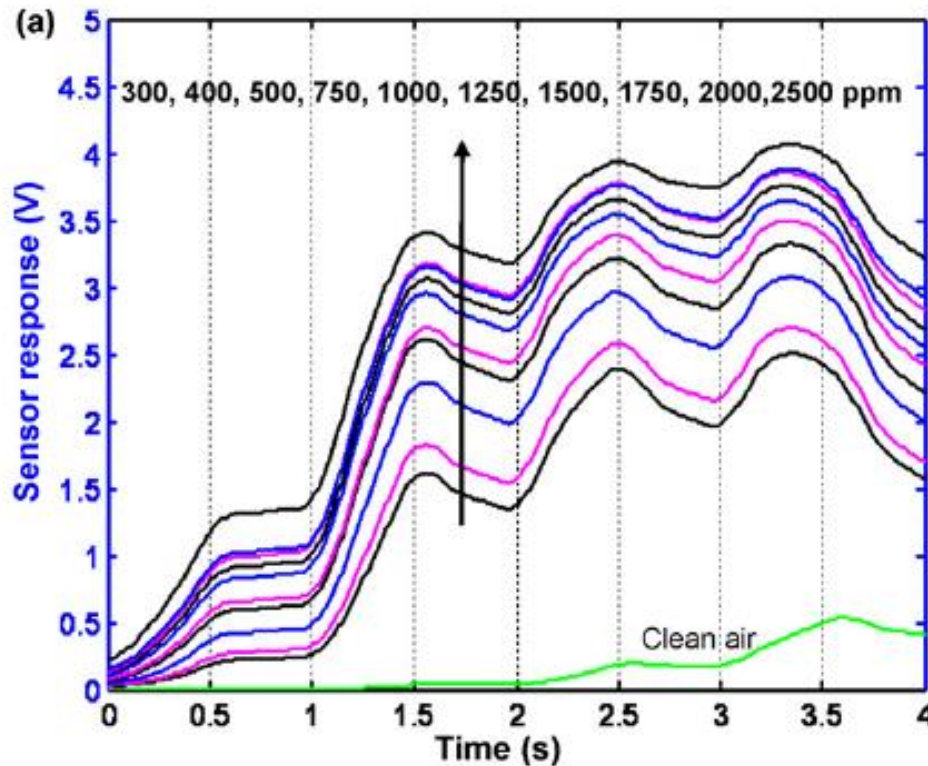


Fig. 5. The schematics of the experimental setup (colored online).

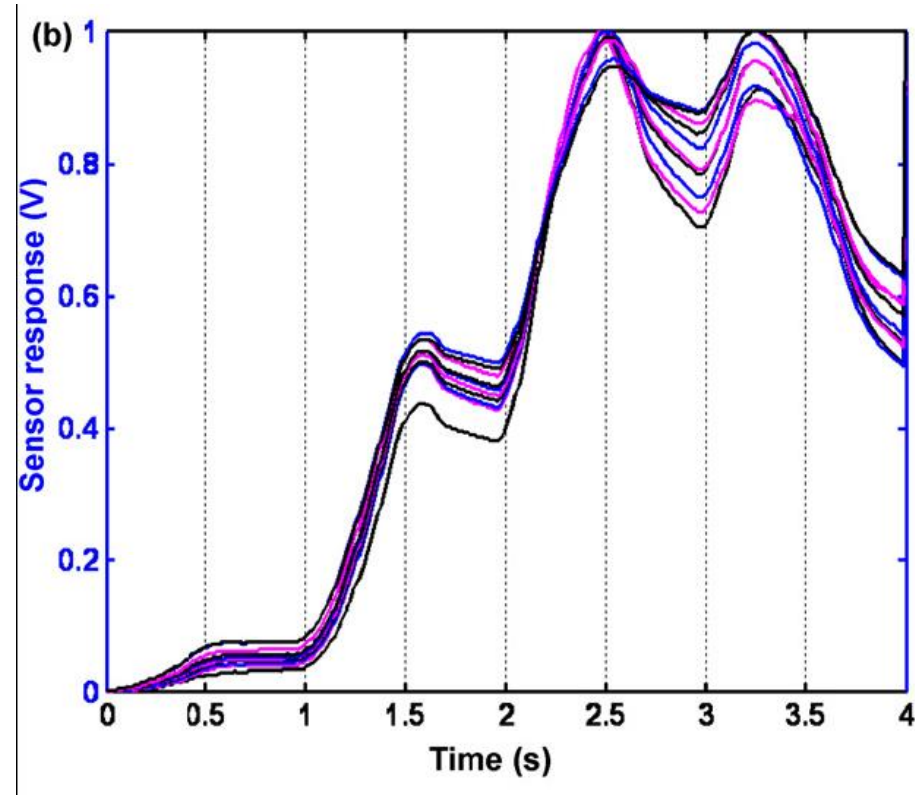
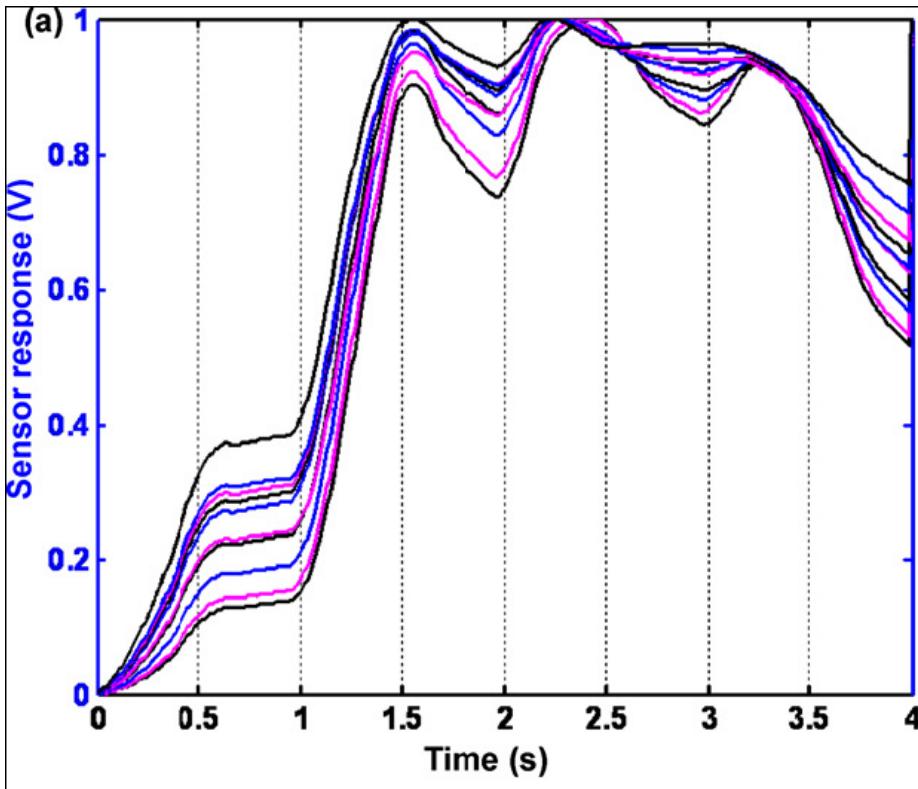


بینی الکترونیکی - نوع ۳ (استفاده از مدولاسیون دمایی)



Raw response patterns recorded for 2-propanol

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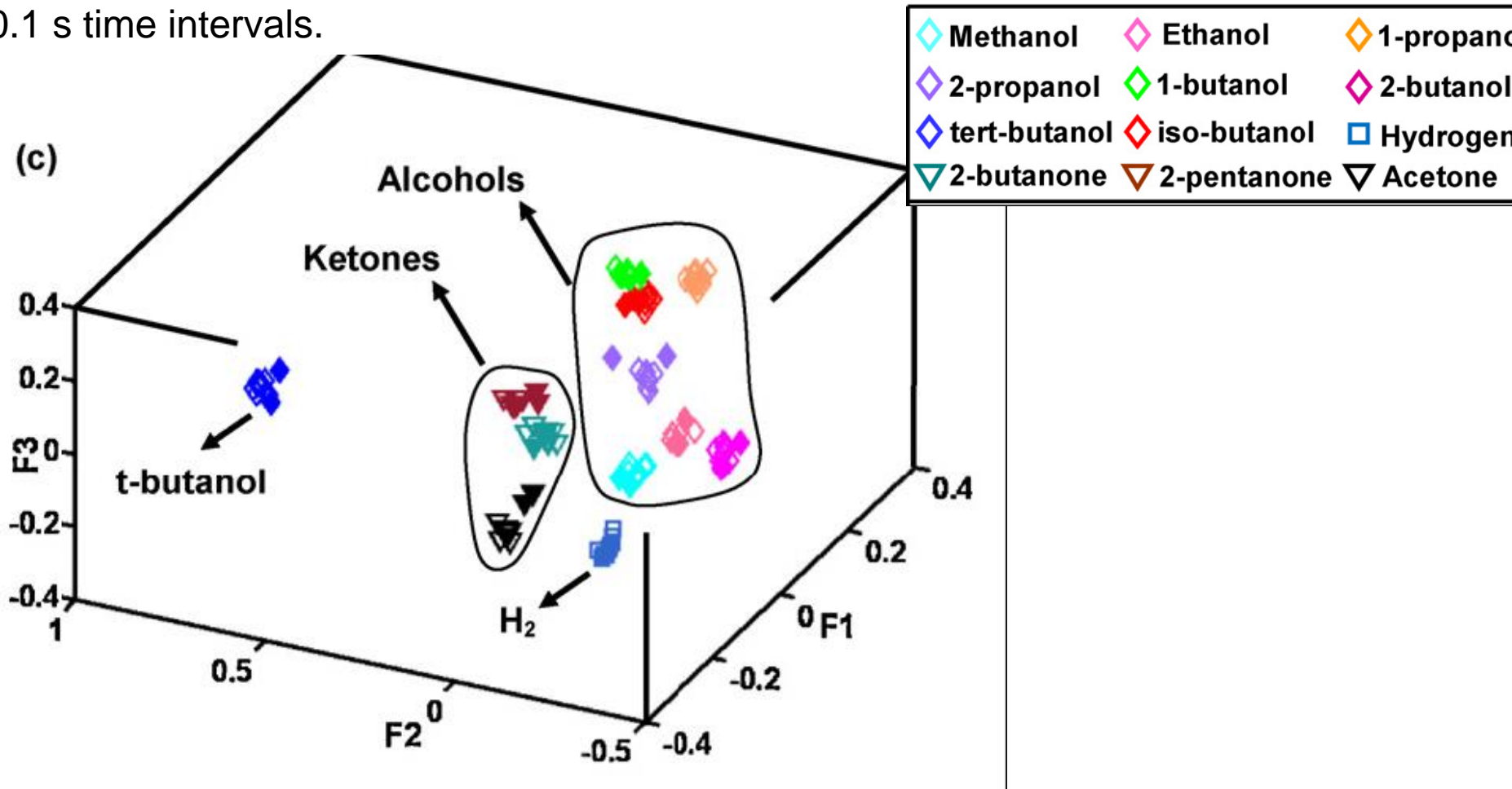


Baseline-corrected and normalized response patterns related to 2-propanol (a), acetone (b)

Hosseini-Babaei, Faramarz, and Amir Amini. "A breakthrough in gas diagnosis with a temperature-modulated generic metal oxide gas sensor." *Sensors and Actuators B: Chemical* (2012).

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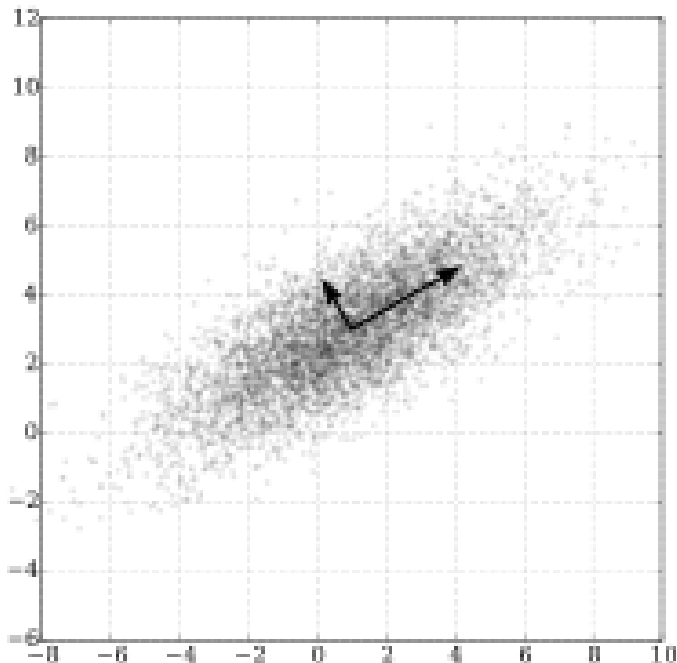
Each normalized temporal response pattern is defined with 40 samples each taken at 0.1 s time intervals.



Feature space presentation resulted from PCA mapping of the feature vectors related to all recorded response patterns demonstrating the segregation of the different classes;

Principal component analysis (PCA) is probably the most popular multivariate statistical technique.

PCA analyzes a data table representing observations described by several dependent variables, which are, in general, inter-correlated. Its goal is to extract the important information from the data table and to express this information as a set of new orthogonal variables called *principal components*.



PCA of a multivariate Gaussian distribution centered at $(1, 3)$ with a standard deviation of 3 in roughly the $(0.866, 0.5)$ direction and of 1 in the orthogonal direction. The vectors shown are the eigenvectors of the covariance matrix scaled by the square root of the corresponding eigenvalue, and shifted so their tails are at the mean.