



# NEWSLETTER

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As we kick off 2026, the Safety Inc. group is energized by a new year focused on protection, preparedness and performance.

The first quarter is a critical time for reviewing safety programs, refreshing training and ensuring equipment is ready for the demands ahead. A strong start sets the tone for the entire year and we're committed to helping our industrial partners begin 2026 with confidence and clarity.

Winter conditions bring unique challenges across industrial environments, like cold stress and reduced visibility to increased risk of slips, equipment failures, and confined space hazards. Q1 is the ideal time to reinforce winter safety practices, inspect gas detection and life-safety equipment and confirm emergency response readiness. Proactive planning now helps reduce downtime, protect workers and maintain compliance during the harshest months of the year.

Looking ahead, Safety Inc. remains focused on delivering trusted safety solutions, expert support and practical guidance tailored to real-world industrial conditions. As projects ramp up and crews face seasonal risks, we're proud to supporting our customers with safer jobsites, stronger safety cultures and a successful year.



As industrial fire risks continue to demand proactive safety measures, Draeger flame detectors stand out as a critical component of comprehensive fire protection strategies. Designed for use alongside gas detection systems, Draeger offers a broad range of high-performance flame detectors to address both hydrocarbon and non-hydrocarbon fire potentials across industrial facilities. These include traditional IR, UV and UV-IR technologies as well as advanced visual flame detection systems that overcome common limitations of conventional detectors by providing full field-of-view detection, immunity to rain, dust, snow, and humidity, and even optional video recording of alarm events for post-incident analysis.

For industries where early and reliable fire detection can be the difference between containment and catastrophe, Draeger's detectors deliver rapid response and exceptional false-alarm immunity. Models such as the triple IR Draeger Flame 1500 provide fast hydrocarbon fire detection with robust housings and built-in verification testing, while advanced imaging detectors

like the Flame 5000 offer extended coverage and digital video processing to enhance situational awareness.

Whether deployed in petrochemical plants, refineries, power generation, or other high-risk environments, Draeger flame detectors deliver rugged durability, reliable operation in harsh conditions, and integration flexibility that helps protect personnel, assets, and operations.

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With decades of expertise in flow measurement, KROHNE is a global leader in electromagnetic flowmeter technology. The OPTIFLUX series delivers highly accurate, reliable flow measurement for conductive liquids across a wide range of industries and applications. Engineered for both standard and demanding conditions, these meters perform consistently in applications involving corrosive media, high solids content, extreme temperatures, and challenging installation environments. KROHNE electromagnetic flowmeters are designed to ensure long-term stability, minimal maintenance, and dependable performance in critical process operations.

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Kurz Instruments Inc. offers insertion, in-line, multipoint, and portable flow meters designed for industrial gas flow monitoring in applications such as stacks, ducts, flares, emissions, biogas, and chemical processes. Renowned for accuracy, reliability, and repeatability in challenging dry or wet gas environments. With advanced diagnostics, temperature compensation, and unique constant temperature technology, these devices prevent sensor burnout, ensure stable zero points and deliver precise mass flow measurements. Kurz meters are trusted across industries, including combustion air, aeration, digester gas, flare stack monitoring and compressed air systems.

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Draeger portable detector tubes and chip measurement systems offer industrial safety professionals a versatile, reliable solution for on-the-spot gas analysis when continuous monitors aren't practical. Draeger's classic detector tubes are simple glass vials filled with a reactive reagent and used with hand-held pumps like the Accuro® to draw a sample of air — the reagent changes color to indicate gas concentration quickly and intuitively, often in under a few minutes. These short-term tubes can detect hundreds of gases and vapors right in the field without complex equipment or training, making them ideal for leak checks, confined space evaluations, and preliminary hazard assessments.

For even greater precision, Draeger's Chip Measurement System (CMS) combines MicroTubes with an opto-



electronic reader to deliver highly accurate, low-level measurements while still maintaining portability and ease of use. These systems bring lab-quality spot detection to onsite safety checks, enhancing visibility into toxic or hazardous gas presence. Together, Draeger's portable tubes and CMS technology provide a cost-effective, flexible toolkit that supports regulatory compliance and strengthens workplace safety across industries.

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iFacility Services offers expert calibration and repair services for portable and fixed gas detection instruments, ensuring compliance with ISO 17025 and factory specifications using NIST traceable standards. Calibration services are available for single-gas, multi-gas, and multi-gas with PID systems, with all work fully documented for accurate record-keeping. On-site services are provided across six New England states and Upstate New York, minimizing downtime with pre-scheduled visits. Instruments can also be shipped to a state-of-the-art calibration lab. Multi-year service contracts for regular calibration and maintenance are available to meet annual, quarterly, or monthly needs.

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