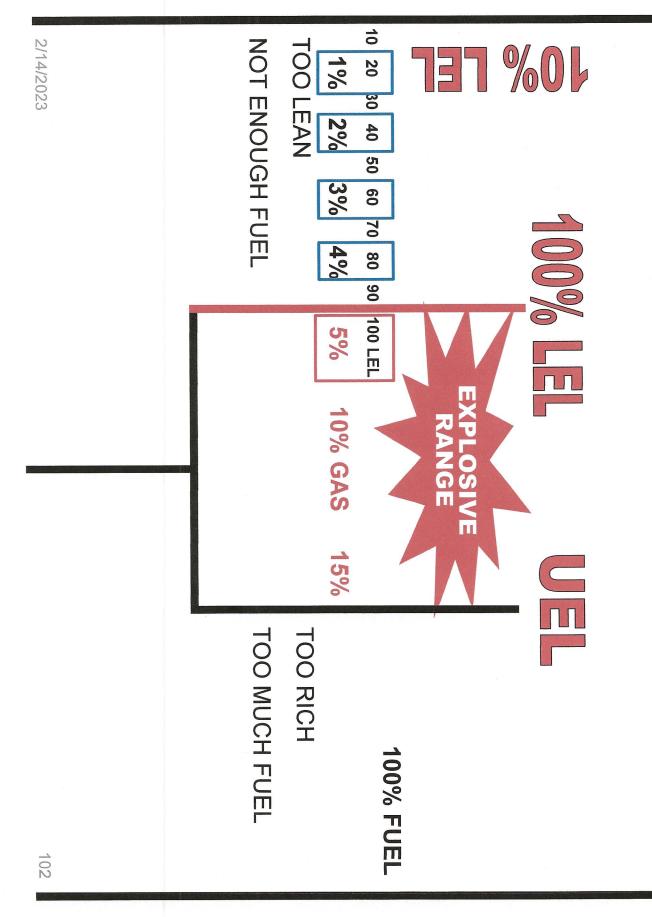
## FLAMMABLE RANGE



# METHANE GAS CONVERSION CHART

2.5	2.0	1.5	1.0	0.5	0.1	% GAS
50.0	40.0	30.0	20.0	10.0	2.0	% LEL
25.000	20,000	15,000	10,000	5,000	1,000	PPM
	5.0	4.5	4.0	3.5	3.0	% GAS
	100.0	90.0	80.0	70.0	60.0	% LEL
management of the control of the con	50,000	45,000	40,000	35,000	30,000	PPM

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## SENSOR COMPARISON

### CATALYTIC BEAD

- → Lowest Sensing = 500 PPM
- → Due to Field Conditions Like Air

Movement, it may actually be

3000 PPM

→ T90 Time maybe 30 Sec

### METAL OXIDE

→ All Gas Utilities use These

→ 0-999 PPM

→ Instant Alarm

→ Can use as Leak Finder

→ Long Life

→ Minimal Calibration/Maintenance

→ Detects Other Flammables





### SENSIT TECHNOLOGIES | SENSOR CROSS SENSITIVITY CHART

### SENSIT GOLD G2, GOLD, GOLD CGI, HXG-2D, HXG-3

**NOTE**: READINGS RELATIVE TO METHANE CALIBRATION. READINGS MAY VARY BASED ON SENSOR AGE AND CONDITION.

GAS OR VAPOR	FORMULA	SENSITIVITY(PPM)	100 LEL %	READING @ 10% LEL
Butane	(CH3) 3CH	25	2	3%
Hydrogen	H2	50	4	8%
MEK	CH3COCH2CH3	100	1.8	0.6%
Methane	CH4	10	5	10%
Methanol	СНЗОН	50	6	2.5%
N-Hexane	CH3(CH2)4CH3	400	1.2	0.2%
Pentane	C5H12	25	1.5	5%
Propane	C3H8	10	2.2	6%
R-22	CHCLF2	50	N/A	N/A
R-507	R125 + R143A	100	N/A	N/A
R-410A	R32 + R125	100	N/A	N/A



### **Important Information for Homeowners!**

The Waukee Fire Department would like to provide important information to Waukee residents who have Corrugated Stainless Steel Tubing (CSST) gas pipe in their home.



### What is CSST pipe?

CSST pipe is a flexible, metal gas piping system used in many homes constructed or remodeled since the early 1990s.

The corrugated tubing can be identified by a yellow plastic coating. The picture to the right shows what yellow CSST looks like. You commonly will see it where your water heater, furnace, or fireplace are located.



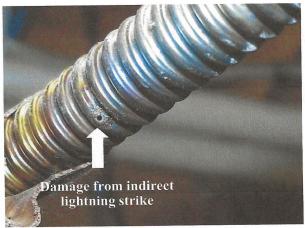
### What's the Potential Issue?

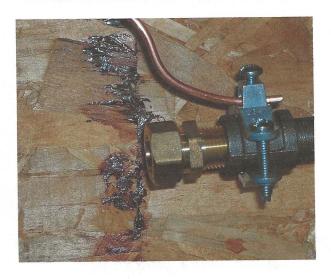
Many installations of CSST prior to 2010 do not have the appropriate bonding and grounding needed for the tubing.

Proper bonding and grounding may reduce the risk of damage or fire from a lightning strike. Even a nearby lightning strike that does not strike a structure directly can cause damage to CSST tubing that is not properly bonded and grounded.

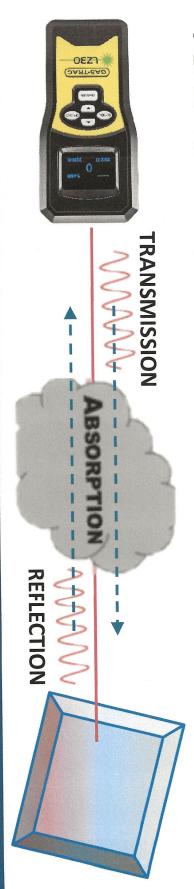


If you do not see any metal clamps or copper wire where your gas line enters your home from the outside or on any black iron pipe near CSST in your utility room, you are encouraged to contact an electrician or your home builder to assist you in determining the appropriate bonding and grounding that may be needed for the CSST in your home.





### TDLAS – how it works



Methane (or any gas) absorbs a specific wavelength of light

The LZ30's laser emits the wavelength that is absorbed by methane

The amount of laser light absorbed is proportional to the amount of methane in the path of the beam

The gas concentration is expressed as PPM-M – parts per million meter Concentration x plume width