



*Supplement of*

**Technical Note: A fully automated purge and trap GC-MS system for quantification of volatile organic compound (VOC) fluxes between the ocean and atmosphere**

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## 1 Supplementary information

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//Arduino code for auto purge and trap system.
This code reads a relay trigger from the Unity2 and
controls
//two valves which fill and empty the purge tube.
Outputs to an LCD screen.
//it also runs isothermal heating control of the purge
tube in the background.
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const int TDrelaypin = 7; // Pin attached to
TD sample valve relay
const int SolenoidApin = 13; // Pin attached to
solenoid via a transistor and relay
const int SolenoidBpin = 8; //same as above
const int LM35Pin = A3; //analog in with LM35
temp senor attached
const int heaterPin = 10; //PWM output to SSR to
control heating tape
const int tempsetpoint = 50; //what temp do you
want the tube to be?
const int manualtriggerpin = 6;
const int omegaSSRout = 9;
const int peristaltic = 0;
const int floatswitch = A5;
const int omegatempvalue = 2;

float tempC;
float tempdiff;
int extrapower = 1;
boolean Running = false;
boolean linespurged = false;
boolean tubefilled = false;
boolean tubepurged = false;
boolean tubeflushed = false;
long countdownitem = 0;
long countdown = 0;
long count = 0;
long triggertime = 0;
long currenttime = 0;
long previoustemptime = 0;
int dataupdatespeed = 1000;
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long filterpurgeinterval = 280000; //105000
long linepurgeinterval = 305000; //125000
long fillinterval = 351500; //156500 adjust this to
set the time in ms for the tube to fill for. 46.5sec
=30mL
long flushinterval = 2146500; //1325000 time(ms)
from triggertime until the water is emptied to waste
long flushtime = 2166500; //1345000 time(ms) that
it empties the water for (from triggertime)
int LM35value = 0; //value read from temp sensor
int heatervalue = 0; //PWM value to trim heater by
long POS = 0; //percentage of setpoint
int mappedLM35 = 0;

LiquidCrystal lcd(12, 11, 5, 4, 3, 2);

void setup() {
// set up the LCD's number of columns and rows:
lcd.begin(20, 4);
// initialize serial communications at 9600 bps:
analogReference(INTERNAL); //analog scale to
1.1V for better resolution!
pinMode(TDrelaypin, INPUT); //specify the pin
modes
pinMode(SolenoidApin, OUTPUT);
pinMode(SolenoidBpin, OUTPUT);
pinMode(omegaSSRout, OUTPUT);
pinMode(peristaltic, OUTPUT);
pinMode(floatswitch, INPUT);
pinMode(manualtriggerpin, INPUT);
digitalWrite(SolenoidApin, LOW);
digitalWrite(SolenoidBpin, LOW);
digitalWrite(peristaltic, HIGH);
}
void loop() {
int floatswitchstate = digitalRead(floatswitch);
if (floatswitchstate == LOW)
{digitalWrite(peristaltic, LOW);
lcd.setCursor(0,0);
lcd.print(" LEAK DETECTED!!!! ");}
if (floatswitchstate == HIGH) {
lcd.setCursor(0,0);
if (tempC < (tempsetpoint-1)){
lcd.print("Tube is below temp!!");} else
lcd.print("Automated Purge&Trap");}
}
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Running = false;
lcd.setCursor(0,1);
lcd.print(" Waiting for sample ");
tubeflushed = true;
} }
if (currenttime - previoustemptime > dataupdate-
speed) {
previoustemptime = currenttime;
lcd.setCursor(0, 3);
lcd.print("Tube = ");
lcd.print(tempC,1);
lcd.print((char)223);
lcd.print("C ");
lcd.setCursor(14,3);
lcd.print(" P=");
lcd.print(temppercent,0);
lcd.print("% ");

if (Running == true) {
countdown = countdownitem - (currenttime - trig-
ertime);
lcd.setCursor(8,2);
lcd.print(countdown/1000);
lcd.print("sec ");
// lcd.setCursor(15,3);
// lcd.print("TRUE ");
}
else {lcd.setCursor(8,2);
lcd.print(" ");
// lcd.setCursor(15,3);
// lcd.print("FALSE");
}}}

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