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The unit’s dimensions are shown in Figure 1.

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**Fitting the Pyrolyzer Module**

1. Disconnect power to the detector.
2. Unscrew the thumbscrew on the front panel.
3. Remove the cover by pulling it forward off the chassis (See Figure 2).
4. Unscrew the two retaining screws located at the bottom front of the chassis.
5. Pull the chassis forward to disconnect it from the mounting bracket assembly (see Figure 3).
6. Thread the connector and wire harness from the pyrolyzer through the rectangular access in the bottom of the mounting bracket.
7. Secure the wires with a retention clip (if available).
8. Plug the connector into the socket (con5) at the bottom left of the terminal board.
9. Align the fitting at the top rear of the pyrolyzer with the sample inlet and outlet ports at the bottom of the mounting bracket.
10. Connect the pyrolyzer to the detector with the three provided mounting screws (see Figure 4).

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**Reassembling the Detector**

1. Align:
   a. the PCB at the top rear of the chassis with the PCB connector at the top of the mounting bracket and
   b. the two tubes at the bottom rear of the chassis with the two tubes on the bottom of the mounting bracket.
2. Slide the chassis backward on the mounting bracket assembly so that the PCB, connector, and tubes engage fully. Push the chassis backward on the mounting bracket. CAUTION: The LCD is fragile. Do not apply pressure to its surface.
3. Tighten the retaining screws to secure the chassis to the mounting bracket.
4. Insert the sensor cartridge (see Figure 1) into the sensor cartridge chamber (Figure 5) and refer to the Sensor Cartridge Installation Quick Start Guide (MIDAS-A-021).
5. Set the power switch to the “on” position.
6. Refit the ventilated top by aligning the slots on either side with the locating tabs on the mounting bracket assembly and pushing the cover horizontally until seated.
7. Tighten the thumbscrew on the front panel.

Figure 5: Reassembling the detector

Figure 6: Refitting the top cover

7. Tighten the thumbscrew on the front panel.

Configuring the Detector

1. After completion of the startup sequence, press the “▲” button for a few seconds to select the setup menu.
2. Enter the passcode (if necessary).
3. Use the “▲” or “▼” buttons to select the setup menu “R” icon. Press the “▼” to accept.
4. Use the “▲” or “▼” buttons to select the set alarms “• ALm” submenu. Press “▼” to accept.
5. The flashing gas ID code and the gas cylinder and alarms icon “•” will appear.
6. Use the “▲” or “▼” buttons to change the gas ID number to that of the target gas. Press “▼” to accept.
7. Continue to accept or change the rest of the alarm settings. For further details on these settings, refer to the Midas Operating Instructions (part number MIDAS-A-001).
8. Press “▼” to update all changes (“UPdt” will be displayed).
9. Press “X” twice to return to normal operation.