pneumatic detector

A pressure-sensitive detector based on the pressure increase of a gas. A special type is the Golay cell where the pressure change is detected by observing the deflection off one of the chamber walls.

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