

Digital Microwave Sensor for Measuring Moisture or Dissolved Solids

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The Hydro-Probe SE is a high temperature microwave sensor designed for use in liquids such as concentrates, solutions or any process where the level of dissolved solids requires measurement.

The sensor is manufactured from materials that are safe for food contact enabling installation in food production or similar environments. Typical applications include measuring in an evaporator when reducing liquids or any process where an exact measurement of moisture in a liquid is required.



Features

- Designed for installation in a pressurised environment.
- Digital technology provides precise linear moisture measurement.
- Choice of measurement modes for optimising sensor performance in a variety of applications and material types.
- Advanced Digital Signal Processing provides a clear signal with rapid response.
- Averaging and signal smoothing functions.
- Configurable digital input / outputs.
- Configurable alarms.
- Fast response to changing conditions with 25 measurements per second.
- Consistent performance with no need for recalibration except for use with different materials.
- Stand alone or simple integration into a new or existing automation system.
- Not affected by dust or colour.

Display and Control Options

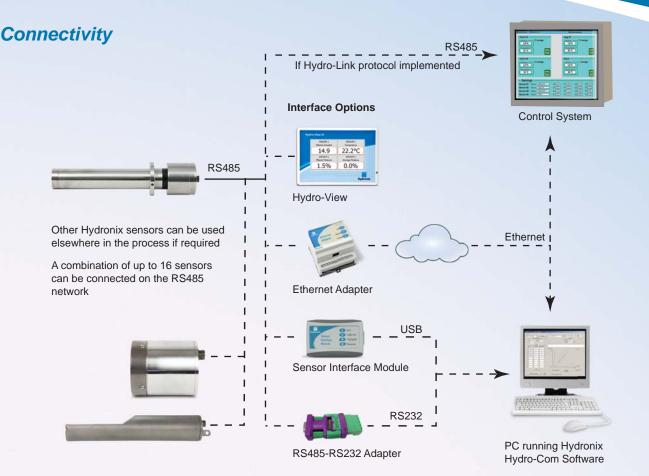
Hydronix has a range of display and control options

| SENSOR 1 | SENSOR 1 |
|-------------------|------------------|
| Filtered Unscaled | Temperature |
| 14.9 | 22.2°C |
| SENSOR 1 | SENSOR 1 |
| Filtered Moisture | Average Moisture |
| 1.5% | 0.0% |

Configure and Calibrate

Easily configure and calibrate the sensor using Hydro-Com Software





Typical Applications:

Hydronix sensors can be used in many industries that require moisture to be measured before further processing takes place. Typical examples include applications that use a Calandria or a spray dryer.



Reducing Liquids

The concentration of a liquid in an evaporation process can be measured.



Alcohol

The sensor can measure moisture levels in alcohols during processing.





Oils

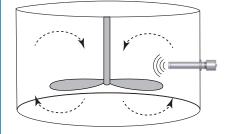
Moisture can be measured in many organic oils including vegetable and olive oil.

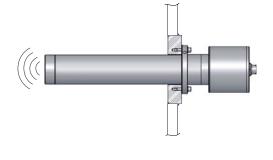
Waste Processing

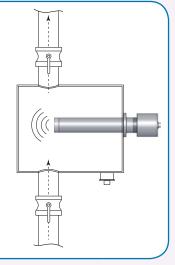
The concentration of solids can be measured during the processing of biological waste.

Typical Installations

The Hydro-Probe SE can be mounted into a vessel or pipeline.







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Technical Information

Construction

Body: 316 Stainless Steel. Faceplate: Ceramic. O-Rings: EPDM.

Fixing

The sensor must be placed in the flow of material and is attached to the vessel using the bolted flange.

Measurement Range

Moisture: 0-100%, material dependant. Brix: >50° Bx.

Penetration of Field

Approximately 75-100mm, material dependant.

Operating Temperature

Materials Section: 0 to 125°C. Electronics Section: 0 to 60°C. The sensor will not measure ice.

Refresh Rate

25 times per second.

Analogue Outputs

Two configurable 4-20mA or 0-20mA current loop source available for Unscaled, moisture, Brix or material temperature.

Digital (Serial) Communication

Opto-Isolated RS485 2-wire port. RS232, Ethernet and USB adaptors available.

Programming details to access sensor values and parameters are available on request.

Discrete Input/Output

One discrete input, one discrete I/O.

Environmental

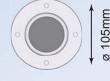
Pressure: Full vacuum to 6 Bar gauge. Electronics Section Protection: IP67.

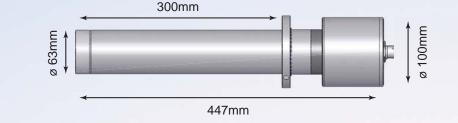
Extension Cable

Up to six twisted pairs, 22AWG, 0.35mm² conductors. Screen braid with 65% minimum coverage plus aluminium/polyester foil. 100m maximum cable.

Power Supply

+15V to +30V DC, 200mA max operating, 1 Amp startup.







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| Part Number | Description |
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| HPSE | Hydro-Probe SE - Standard Mode for normal digital or analogue connection |
| 3010 | Mounting Boss |
| 3020 | PTFE Gasket for mounting flange |
| 0975 | 4m Sensor Cable with military specification sensor connector |
| 0975-10m | 10m Sensor Cable with military specification sensor connector |
| 0975-25m | 25m Sensor Cable with military specification sensor connector |
| 0067 | Terminal Box (IP66, 10 Terminals) |
| 0116 | 24VDC Power Supply 30 watt for up to 4 Sensors |
| 0049A | RS232-485 Adapter DIN rail mounting |
| 0049B | RS232-RS485 Converter, 9 pin D-type to Terminal Block |
| SIM01-A | USB Sensor Interface Module including cables and power supply |
| EAK01 | Ethernet Adapter Kit |
| EPK01 | Ethernet Power Kit |
| SEEW | 4 Year extended warranty option |

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