



SDHmini

The Model SDHmini portable hygrometer sets new industry standards for dewpoint measurement.

A portable dewpoint hygrometer which offers quick and reliable spotcheck measurements of dewpoint and trace moisture content for industrial applications. This robust and lightweight instrument features an intuitive menu structure and advanced features which will enable the user to perform measurements in the toughest of environments, quicker and easier than ever before.

The robust housing not only contains the moisture sensor, desiccant chamber and gas sample ports but also incorporates the signal conditioning circuitry, memory management and a full colour graphics LCD. The on-board rechargeable lithium-ion battery, when fully charged, provides over 150 hours of continuous operation.



The unit operates with the following ten language options: English, German, French, Spanish, Portuguese, Russian, Italian, Chinese, Japanese and Korean.

Powerful microelectronics provide automatic calibration with real time data logging graphical formats for the capture and display of up to 300,000 data points with USB and Bluetooth interfaces for PC communication and printing.



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Features

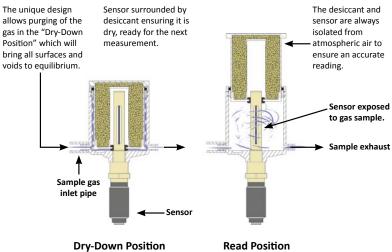
- Automatic Calibration (AutoCal)
- Desiccant dry down assembly for high speed measurements
- User selectable engineering units °C, °F, ppm(v), ppm(w), g/m³, lbs/MMscf
- Accuracy of ±2 °C (±3.6 °F)
- Full colour graphics LCD display, with secondary display
- 10 language options
- Various measurement ranges available from -100 °C to +20
 °C dewpoint

- Rechargeable battery over 150 hours of continuous operation on full charge
- Advanced data logging and download to PC
- USB charging/connection to PC interface
- Bluetooth connection/printing
- Robust and durable enclosure, designed for use in the toughest environments
- Truly portable and lightweight: less than 1.75 kg (3.8 lbs)
- Calibration Certificate traceable to National & International Humidity Standards
- (Ex) also available



Desiccant Dry-Down Technology

General Assembly Diagram



Keeping the sensor dry between tests ensures that the SDHmini is ready to carry out rapid spot checks. The unique design of the desiccant head achieves this by surrounding the sensor with desiccant, keeping the sensor dry. The head is then lifted for sampling, exposing the sensor to the sample gas.

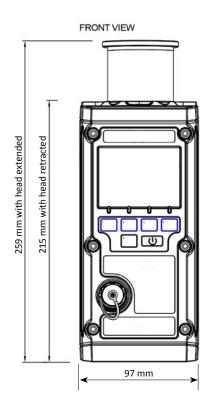
Between tests, the sensor is not allowed to come into contact with ambient air. The chamber is designed so that the void space and chamber wall surfaces are purged with sample gas before exposure of the sensor, giving faster, more accurate and reliable results.

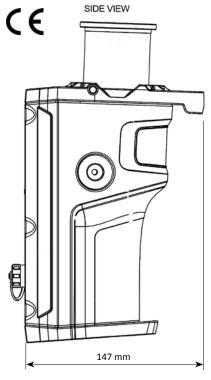
Automatic Calibration

The most important and unique feature of the SHAW system is the automatic calibration facility. Each SHAW sensor is precisely manufactured to saturate with water vapour at its design maximum. Hence, when the sensor is exposed to moisture above its maximum operating range, it will rapidly come into equilibrium and cease to respond to any further increase in moisture. This forms the basis of automatic calibration (AutoCal).

The SHAW sensor can be checked by simply exposing it to any atmosphere which is wetter than the operating range of the sensor (usually room air is sufficient) by raising the desiccant chamber and performing the AutoCal feature on the instrument. The sensor is now set up with the instrument and ready for use.

AutoCal can be carried out in-situ and without the need for any special equipment or skilled personnel. The net result is reduced downtime, minimal calibration costs and immediate verification of the system.







Specifications

DEWPOINT SENSOR

Sensing Element

SHAW Ultra High Capacitance Aluminium Oxide Sensor

Ranges

Dewpoint = 0.1 °C/0.1 °F resolution

 P (Purple):
 -100 to 0 °C dewpoint, 0-6,000 ppm(v)

 S (Silver):
 -100 to -20 °C dewpoint, 0-1,000 ppm(v)

 G (Grey):
 -80 to 0 °C dewpoint, 0-6,000 ppm(v)

 R (Red):
 -80 to -20 °C dewpoint, 0-1,000 ppm(v)

 B (Blue):
 -80 to +20 °C dewpoint, 0-23,000 ppm(v)

AutoCal

Field calibration/electronic span check facility. Performed by user following simple menu driven instructions.

Accuracy

 \pm 2 °C (\pm 3.6 °F) dewpoint NPL traceable -90 °C to +20 °C (-130 °F to +68 °F)

Sensor Calibration

Supplied with Certificate of Calibration traceable to National and International Standards

Pressure Correction

Integral calculator to display pressure dewpoints. Gauge pressure can be entered in kPa, kg/cm², bar or psi.

• Temperature Coefficient

Temperature compensated for operating range.

Repeatability

Better than ±0.3 °C dewpoint

• Response Times

Wet to dry: -10 °C to -60 °C - less than 120 seconds

Dry to wet: -100 °C to -20 °C - less than 20 seconds

Sample Flow Rate

Flow independent but ideally 2 to 5 litres per minute. Max: 10 litres/min

Calibration Warranty

12 months from date of dispatch

ELECTRICAL

Electromagnetic Compatibility (EMC) EMC Directive 89/336/EEC, amended

95/31/EEC

Display

Full colour graphics LCD, 320 x 240 (24 bits) resolution

Power Supply

Rechargeable Li-ion battery. Battery charger included.

Battery Life

In excess of 150 hours of use between charges

Time to Full Charge

12 hours

Resolution

0.1 °C, 0.1 °F dewpoint or 0.1 ppm(v)

Repeatability

Better than ±0.2 °C dewpoint

MECHANICAL

• Dimensions and Weight

Overall dimensions: 97 mm (w) x 147 mm (d) x 211 mm (h (259 mm with head extended)) $(3^{1}\%_{6} \times 5^{2}\%_{2} \times 8\%_{6} (10^{1}\%_{64})$ inches) 1.75 kg (3.8 lbs)

Operating Pressure

Maximum 0.3 bar/4 psi

Operating Humidity (External) Maximum - 95% RH non-condensing

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Operating Temperature

-20 °C to +50 °C (-4 °F to +122 °F)

Storage Temperature

-30 °C to +7 0 °C (-22 °F to +158 °F)

Sensor Protection

316 sintered stainless steel filter - 50 micron

Weatherproof Classification IP66/NEMA 4X

Mechanical Warranty

24 months in case of faulty workmanship and defective parts

Type L - Data Logging Version

Data Logging

300,000 readings. Date and time stamped data, stored in chosen units of measurement, for download to PC.

Data Location

20 separate Location IDs can be entered (alpha-numerical) by user for data collection at pre-programmed locations.

Sampling Rates

User selectable (in intervals of 5 seconds) from once every 5 seconds to once a day.

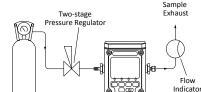
Data Display

Numerical and graphical

Real Time Recording

Device can be programmed to monitor, record and graphically present data in real time directly to PC.

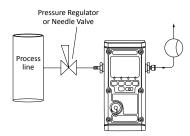
Guide to Installation



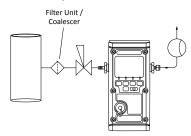
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Cylinder Gas

Clean Gas

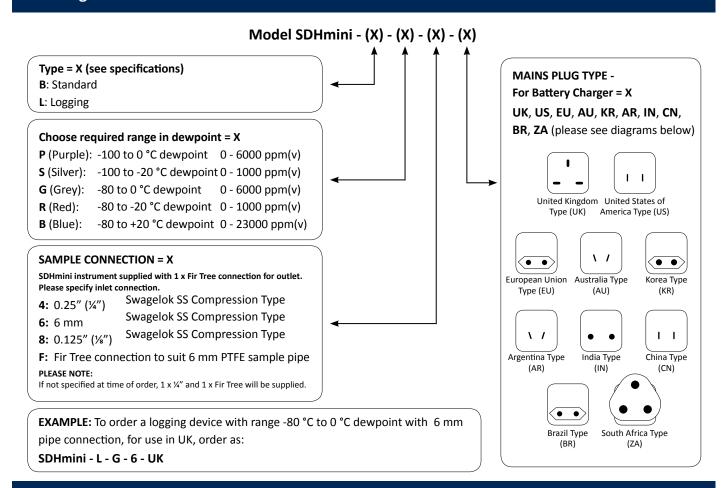


Gas with Particulate or Liquid Contamination





Ordering Information



Related Products

Service Kit Includes:

- Desiccant
- Head seal kit
- Grommet
- Silicone grease
- Batteries

Bluetooth Mobile Printer (suitable for logging version only)

- IP54 rated rugged design
- 1.2 m drop resistant
- Long-lasting battery life
- · High printing speed
- Slim, lightweight design









Includes as Standard

- SDHmini instrument
- Anti-static carry case
- USB charging cable
- Fir Tree fitting plus 1 x fitting as ordered
- AC/DC adaptor
- Calibration Certificate
- Two metres PTFE sampling pipe
- Instruction manual
- Pressure calculator
- USB flash drive with Shaw SDHmini User Tool software
- Instruction Manual
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