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HOBO® RXW-T12-xxx Sensor

HOBOnet TEROS 12 Soil Moisture/Temp/EC

The HOBOnet TEROS 12 is a wireless sensor that works with the HOBOnet system to not only provide advanced soil moisture (volumetric water content) measurements with better accuracy and precision but also measure soil temperature and electrical conductivity. Designed to withstand harsh environmental conditions, these durable sensors last up to 10 years, so you can leave them in the field for extended periods of time. Sharpened stainless-steel probe tips make installation easy, even in hard soil, and a large volume of influence provides more accurate results.

The HOBOnet system is a cost-effective and scalable wireless sensor network for web-enabled monitoring of field conditions for applications such as crop management, research, and greenhouse operations. And because it's wireless, you can deploy a network of sensors to easily monitor multiple points with a single system, while avoiding the risk of long cables that can interfere with field operations and are potentially vulnerable to nearby lightning strikes.

Sensors are easily linked to the network, and data can be accessed through HOBOlink®, Onset's innovative cloud-based software platform.



Electrical Conductivity (soil), Soil Moisture and Soil Temperature

Key Advantages:

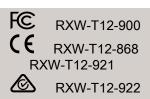
- Soil moisture (volumetric water content), soil temperature, and electrical conductivity measurements with one device
- Sensor lasts up to 10 years in the field
- Largest volume of influence (1010 mL) relative to sensor size, resulting in more accurate soil
 moisture measurements
- Easy installation with sharpened stainless-steel probes that are more resistant to damage/deterioration
- · Less sensor-to-sensor variability



HOBO RXW-T12-xxx Sensor Specifications

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| Measurement Range* | 0.00 to 0.70 m /m in mineral soils |
| Accuracy | ± 0.030 m /m ($\pm 3\%$) typical from 0 to 50°C (32 to 122°F); ± 0.020 m /m ($\pm 2\%$) with soil specific calibration |
| Resolution | 0.001 m /m |
| Dielectric Measurement Frequency | 70 MHz |
| Геmperature** | |
| Measurement Range | -40 to 60°C (-40 to 140°F) |
| Accuracy | ±0.5°C (0.9°F) from -40 to 0°C (-40 to 32°F) ±0.3°C (0.54°F) from 0 to 60°C (32 to 140°F) |
| Resolution | 0.1°C (0.18°F) |
| Bulk Electrical Conductivity (EC) | |
| Measurement Range | 0 to 20 dS/m (bulk) |
| Accuracy | ±5% of reading + 0.01 dS/m from 0 to 10 dS/m ±8% of reading from 10 to 20 dS/m |
| Resolution | 0.001 dS/m |
| Wireless Mote | |
| Operating Temperature Range | Sensor: -40 to 60°C (-40 to 140°F) Mote: -25° to 60°C (-13° to 140°F) with rechargeable batteries -40 to 70°C (-40 to 158°F) with lithium batteries |
| Radio Power | 12.6 mW (+11 dBm) non-adjustable |
| Transmission Range | Reliable connection to 457.2 m (1,500 ft) line of sight at 1.8 m (6 ft) high Reliable connection to 609.6 m (2,000 ft) line of sight at 3 m (10 ft) high |
| Wireless Data Standard | IEEE 802.15.4 |
| Radio Operating Frequencies | RXW-T12-900: 904–924 MHz RXW-T12-868: 866.5 MHz RXW-T12-921: 921 MHz RXW-T12-922: 916–924 MHz |
| Modulation Employed | OQPSK (Offset Quadrature Phase Shift Keying) |
| Data Rate | Up to 250 kbps, non-adjustable |
| Duty Cycle | <1% |
| Maximum Number of Motes | 50 motes per one HOBOnet Wireless Sensor Network |
| Battery Type/ Power Source | Two AA 1.2V rechargeable NiMH batteries, powered by built-in solar panel or two AA 1.5 V lithium batteries for operating conditions of -40 to 70°C (-40 to 158°F) |
| Battery Life | With NiMH batteries: Typical 3–5 years when operated in the temperature range -20° to 40°C (-4°F to 104°F) and positioned toward the sun (see Deployment and Mounting), operation outside this range will reduce the battery service life With lithium batteries: 1 year, typical use |
| Memory | 16 MB |
| Dimensions | Sensor: 7.47 x 9.4 x 2.39 cm (2.94 x 3.7 x 0.94 inches) Sensor needle length: 5.4 cm (2.13 inches) Sensor needle diameter: 0.32 cm (0.13 inches) Cable length: 5 m (16.4 ft) Mote: 16.2 x 8.59 x 4.14 cm (6.38 x 3.38 x 1.63 inches) |
| Weight | RXW-T12-xxx sensor and cable: 245 grams (8.64 oz) Mote: 223 g (7.87 oz) |
| M. L. 2-1- | Sensor: ASA plastic body with polyurethane epoxy filling and stainless steel pins |
| Materials | Cable: PVC, UV resistant and rodent repellent Mote: PCPBT, silicone rubber seal |

Compliance Marks



- * The sensor data can be post-calibrated if necessary (e.g. the sensor is used in non-mineral soil types or higher than standard accuracy is required). Users can apply a calibration equation to the data exported from HOBOlink. The VWC range will depend on the calibration equation.
- ** Temperature measurement, for applicable sensors, may not be accurate if sensor is not fully immersed in medium of interest, due to longer equilibration time.





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