

Data logger for humidity
temperature

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Operating Manual

T-Logg 160



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1 General

The logger **T-Logg 160** is designed as a cost-efficient solution for monitoring humidity and temperatures. It enables an individual programming of the recording time. The last 16,000 measuring values can be stored in the memory. In addition, the LCD-display indicates both the temperature measured at the moment and the operating status of the logger.

2 Required accessory

The USB interface of your PC is used to program, start and read out the **T-Logg**.

For this following accessory is required:

- Interface converter **USB 100** or **USB 100 SL** for direct connection to the USB port of the PC, cable length approx. 1m.
- **MINISOFT** software (version 7.18 or later / free of charge) to start the logger and read out the logger data.
*Notice: It's also possible to use the T-Logg with the comprehensive software **GSOFT 40K** (version 7.18 or later).*

3 Safety instructions

This device has been designed and tested in accordance with the safety regulations for electronic devices.

However, its trouble-free operation and reliability cannot be guaranteed unless the standard safety measures and special safety advises given in this manual will be adhered to when using the device.

1. Trouble-free operation and reliability of the device can only be guaranteed if the device is not subjected to any other climatic conditions than those stated under 'Specification'
To protect the battery the max. permissible storage and transport temperature of the device is +85°C.
2. General instructions and safety regulations for electric, light and heavy current plants, including domestic safety regulations (e.g. VDE), have to be observed.
3. If device is to be connected to other devices (e.g. via PC) the circuitry has to be designed most carefully. Internal connection in third party devices (e.g. connection GND and earth) may result in not-permissible voltages impairing or destroying the device or another device connected.
4. If there is a risk whatsoever involved in running it, the device has to be switched off immediately and to be marked accordingly to avoid re-starting.

Operator safety may be a risk if:

- there is visible damage to the device.
- the device is not working as specified.
- the device has been stored under unsuitable conditions for a longer time.

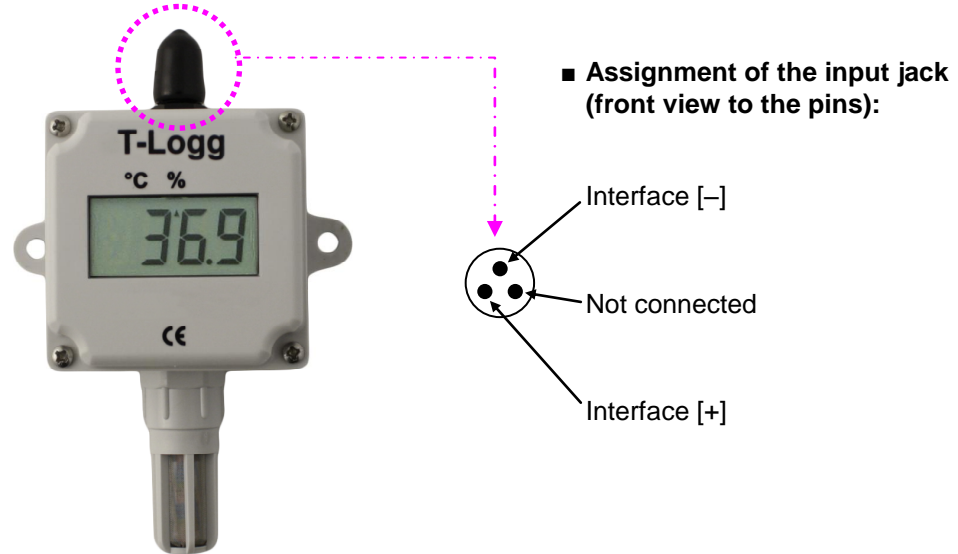
In case of doubt, please return device to manufacturer for repair or maintenance.

5. Warning:

Do not use this product as safety or emergency stop devices, or in any other application where failure of the product could result in personal injury or material damage.

Failure to comply with these instructions could result in death or serious injury and material damage!

4 Connection



5 Advice regarding state of logger upon delivery:

Upon its delivery the logger is in a kind of 'sleeping state': The display does not show anything, the power consumption is at its minimum.

The **T-Logg** 'wakes up' as a communication link with a software has been established. After that the message 'Stop' appears at display. The logger is ready for operation now.

6 Operating mode display:

The **T-Logg 100** is equipped with a 10 mm LCD display.

The main purpose of the LCD display is to indicate the temperature and humidity.

Depending on the operating mode of the logger, other messages will be displayed as well.

STOP

STOP:

The **T-Logg** is 'stopped'. No data are recorded. The logger memory is empty. The logger is reset and can be restarted.

HALT

HALT:

The **T-Logg** has been 'halted'. The stored data can be read. The logger memory is not empty.

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DISPLAY OF TEMPERATURE:

The small unit arrow points to °C. The logger is active. Measurements are carried out at certain intervals and will be stored. The temperature value will be displayed.

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DISPLAY OF HUMIDITY:

The small unit arrow points to %. The logger is active. Measurements are carried out at certain intervals and will be stored. The humidity value will be displayed.

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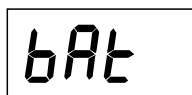
START DELAY:

The logger is active, but no data are recorded. As soon as the start delay time has expired, the logger will start recording in accordance with the starting conditions programmed before.

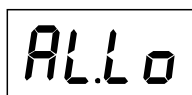
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START ALARM:

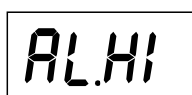
The logger is active, but no data are recorded. Recording will start as soon as the temperature and humidity are within the min. and max. alarm limits.

**BATTERY:**

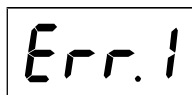
- Changing display **BAT** / Value:
The battery of the **T-Logg** is getting discharged soon.
Replace the battery briefly. Even so data logging is still active.
- Constant display **BAT**:
The Logger battery is empty now and data logging has been stopped.
Replace the battery immediately.

**ALARM LOW:**

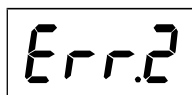
The measured value (unit arrow points to the concerned measuring) is below the min. alarm limit.

**ALARM HIGH:**

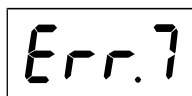
The measured value (unit arrow points to the concerned measuring) has exceeded the max. alarm limit.

**ERROR 1:**

The measured value has exceeded the measuring range of the logger.

**ERROR 2:**

The measured value has been fallen below the measuring range of the logger.

**ERROR 7:**

The **T-Logg** has detected a system fault.

- Remedy:
Remove battery and wait about 30 minutes. Then insert the battery again.
- If the error message displayed furthermore, please send the logger to the manufacturer to repair.

7 Battery service life and recording time

Measuring cycle:	4 sec.	10 sec.	15 min.	5 hours
Recording time:	17.8 hours	44 hours	166 days	Approx. 9 years
Battery service life:	—	Approx. 8 month	Approx. 3 years	—

Please note!

Short measuring cycles as well as frequently measuring data transfer result in a reduction of the battery service life!

Even if the T-Logg is connected, power consumption is increased. So it's important to connect the logger with the USB interface of the PC only as long as necessary!

8 Battery replacement

Notice:

As soon as **BAT** appears at display, the battery needs to be replaced. If battery voltage power decreases continuously, data logging will be stopped (compare with operating status 'HALT').

Available stored data remains in the memory and do not get lost. It's possible to read the measuring data after replacement of the battery.

The battery can only be replaced if the logger is opened and the sensor head and sensor is detached. This has to be done with special diligence due to the danger of damaging the device.

Please note: Malfunctions caused by inappropriate battery replacement are not included to guaranty.

If you do not want to replace the battery on yourself it is also possible to send the device to us. We will replace the battery cost-effectively and appropriately.

Replacement:

1. Remove the 4 screws at the front of the logger with a small screwdriver and remove the cover from housing.



2. Screw off the sensor tube's protective head.

Note: The sensor is very damageable and not protected any more. You have to handle it with care and protect it from dirt.



3. Unplug the sensor by pulling it carefully to front. Touch the sensor only in the range of the connection pins.

Note: The connection pins can break if they are inappropriately handled!



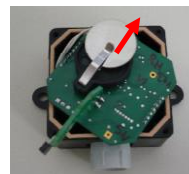
4. Pull off the white foam rubber to the front over the sensor-connector.



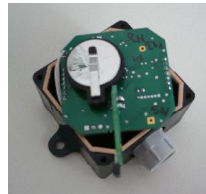
5. Take out the PCB and deposit it carefully beside the housing with the LCD display face down. Take care not to damage the gasket.



6. Push out the button cell carefully from socket (in direction of the arrow in the picture).



7. Insert the new button cell (type CR 2032) with correct polarity in the socket (the positive pole is on the retaining bracket).



8. Induct the sensor connection into the hole of the probe tube and put the board into the housing.

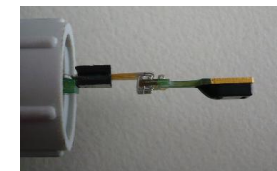


9. Thread the foam rubber onto the connector again and move it back into the probe tube.



10. Plug the sensor element to the connector (mind right mounting position).

Note: The connection pins can break if they are inappropriately handled!



11. Screw the protective head on the sensor tube.



12. Reassemble the cover to the housing.



Finished

Environmental Reference! Empty and defective batteries must not be disposed in the regular domestic waste. Return the used batteries to an authorised battery collecting point or send the batteries directly to us (sufficiently stamped).



9 Specification:

Measuring range:

humidity: 0.0 ... 100.0 %RH (rec. operating range: 10 – 90 %RH)
temperature: -25.0 ... +60.0 °C

Resolution: 0.1 %RH and 0.1 °C (display and memory)

Accuracy: (at nominal temperature)

humidity: $\leq \pm 3$ %RH (at range 10 – 90 %RH)
temperature: ± 0.3 °C ± 0.017 * (T - 25°C)

Sensor: mounted in sensor tube

Display: LCD display, 10 mm high, 4-digit

Recording interval: 4s to 5h

Measuring value memory: 16.000 values (temperature + humidity)

Memory type:

FILLING MEMORY:

>> Once the memory is filled with data, the recording will automatically be halted.

RING MEMORY:

>> The old data will be overwritten in case of memory overflow.

Recording time: approx. 18 hours up to 9 years, depending on measuring cycle.

Nominal temperature: +25 °C

Working temperature: -25 ... +60 °C

Storage temperature: -30 ... +85 °C

Battery: CR 2032, exchangeable.

Battery service life: approx. 3 years (if interval is 15 min.), depending on measuring cycle and operating temperature.

Interface: Serial interface, 3-pin miniature plug.

Data communication: via interface converter.

Dimensions / housing: 48.5 x 48.5 x 35.5 mm (H x W x D), plug, fixation flap and sensor tube not included. Housing made of shock resistant plastic, transparent front made of polycarbonate, splash water-proof: IP 65 (without protection cap).

Sensor tube:

approx. Ø 15 mm, made of polyamide, screw-type plastic protection cap for quick response, made of polycarbonate protection cap: IP40

EMC:

The **T-Logg 160** have been manufactured in accordance with the regulations concerning EMC (2004/108/EG).

The device meets EN61326-1.

Additional error: < 1%.

Note: avoid ESD in the area of the sensor protection cap!

10 Disposal instructions:

The device must not be disposed in the regular domestic waste. Send the device directly to us (sufficiently stamped), if it should be disposed. We will dispose the device appropriate and environmentally sound.

