MX Soil Moisture and Temperature Data Logger MX2306, MX2307





Low-cost, fully integrated soil moisture loggers with Bluetooth wireless data offload. Available in two models – one that measures soil moisture (HOBO MX2306) and one that measures both soil moisture and temperature (HOBO MX2307) – these loggers are ideal for researchers and growers looking for the accurate data they need to save water, improve crop yields, reduce harmful runoff, and protect ecosystems.

With just a mobile phone, tablet, or Windows laptop running Onset's free HOBOconnect app, users get convenient wireless setup and data download via Bluetooth when within 100 feet of the logger – making it easy to retrieve data from hard-to-access field locations. And for indoor areas, such as greenhouses, users can add the MX Gateway for remote access to data in Onset's cloud-based HOBOlink software.

Features:

- Ready to deploy, with pre-attached sensors
- Easy configuration and data offload with the free HOBOconnect app
- Durable TEROS 10 soil moisture sensor lasts over 10 years in the field
- For use in both mineral soils and soilless media
- Sturdy, sharp stainless-steel spikes for easy installation and better soil contact
- Option to view data in Percent of Field Capacity



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Technical Specifications:

Soil Moisture: Volumetric Water Content (VWC)

Measurement Range* : 0.00 to 0.64 m³/m³ in mineral soils

0.00 to 0.70 m³/m³ in soilless media

Accuracy : $\pm 0.031 \text{ m}^3/\text{m}^3$ typical in mineral soils that have solution EC <8 dS/m

±0.051 m³/m³ typical in soilless media

Resolution : $0.001 \text{ m}^3/\text{m}^3$

Dielectric Measurement

Frequency : 70 MHz

Temperature Sensor (MX2307)

Range : -40 to 100°C (-40 to 212°F), with tip and cable immersion in fresh water up to

50°C (122°F) for one year

Accuracy : ± 0.25 °C from -40 to 0°C (± 0.45 from -40 to 32°F)

 ± 0.2 °C from 0 to 70°C (± 0.36 from 32 to 158°F)

±0.25°C from 70 to 100°C (±0.45 from 158 to 212°F)

Resolution : $0.04^{\circ}C$ $(0.072^{\circ}F)$

Drift : <0.01°C per year (0.018°F per year)

Response Time : 3 minutes in air moving 1 m/s; 20 seconds in stirred water

4 minutes in air moving 1 m/s with RS3-B Solar Radiation Shield

Logger

Operating Range : -25° to 60°C (-13° to 140°F)

Radio Power : 1 mW (0 dBm)

Transmission Range : Approximately 30.5 m (100 ft) line-of-sight

Wireless Data Standard : Bluetooth Low Energy (Bluetooth Smart)

Logging Rate : 1 second to 18 hours

Logging Modes : Fixed interval (normal, statistics) or burst

Memory Modes : Wrap when full or stop when full

Start Modes : Immediate, push button, date & time, or next interval

Stop Modes : When memory full, push button, date & time, or after a set logging period

Time Accuracy : ±1 minute per month 0° to 50°C (32° to 122°F)

Battery Type : 2/3 AA 3.6 Volt lithium, user replaceable



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Battery Life : 2 years, typical with logging interval of 1 minute and Bluetooth Always On

enabled; 5 years, typical with logging interval of 1 minute and Bluetooth Always On disabled. Faster logging intervals and statistics sampling intervals, burst logging, remaining connected with the app, excessive downloads, and

paging may impact battery life.

Memory : 110,000 measurements, maximum (472 kB)

Full Memory Download Time : Approximately 60 seconds; may take longer the further the device is from the

logger

Dimensions : Logger housing: 10.8 x 5.08 x 2.24 cm (4.25 x 2.0 x 0.88 in.)

Soil moisture sensor: 7.5 x 5.1 x 2.4 cm (2.95 x 2.02 x 0.95 inches)

Soil moisture sensor needle length: 5.4 cm (2.13 inches)

Soil moisture sensor needle diameter: 0.32 cm (0.13 inches)

Temperature sensor (MX2307) diameter: 0.53 cm (0.21 in.)

Sensor cable length : 2 m (6.56 ft)

Weight : MX2306: 229 g (80 oz), MX2307: 267 g (94 oz)

Materials : Logger: Acetal, silicone gasket, stainless steel screws

Soil Moisture Sensor: ASA plastic body with polyurethane epoxy filling and

stainless steel pins

Temperature Sensor (MX2307): Stainless steel waterproof tip

Cable: PVC, UV resistant and rodent repellent (soil moisture sensor cable)

Environmental Rating : Temperature sensor and cable (MX2307): Immersion in water up to 50°C

(122°F) for 1 year

