

## Sensoterra

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## Single depth soil moisture probe

### Technical data sheet

Version 1.1

## General

<b>Measurement</b>	Soil moisture			
<b>Probe lengths</b>	15 cm	30 cm	60 cm	90 cm
<b>Dimensions</b>	20 x 8 x 8 cm	35 x 8 x 8 cm	65 x 8 x 8 cm	95 x 8 x 8 cm
<b>Weight</b>	0.21 kg	0.26 kg	0.35 kg	0.42 kg
<b>Power</b>	Non-replaceable internal Lithium battery included			
<b>Operating voltage</b>	3.0 V			
<b>Life expectancy</b>	3 - 10 years			
<b>Operating environment</b>	- 20 to + 80 degrees Celsius			
<b>Waterproof enclosure</b>	Suitable for outdoor environments			
<b>Warranty</b>	1 year			
<b>Installation requirements</b>	By hand or rubber hammer			

## Soil moisture

<b>Measurement protocol</b>	Soil resistivity and capacitance
<b>Measurement output</b>	Volumetric Water Content (%)
<b>Measurement volume</b>	6.2 cm <sup>3</sup>
<b>Default reading rate</b>	One reading per hour
<b>Memory</b>	Last 6 measurements
<b>Resolution</b>	Reported to the nearest 0.1 %
<b>Range</b>	0 to the maximum water capacity of the soil by total volume - 53% for clay, 40% for sand and 83% for peat
<b>Accuracy</b>	±20% relative accuracy at pF>=2
<b>Operating environment</b>	Up to EC of 0.5 mS/cm
<b>Soil compatibility</b>	Factory calibrated for 3 common soil types, as well as a generic soil. Custom specified calibration on request.

## Communication

<b>Wireless protocol</b>	LoRaWAN
<b>Frequency</b>	North America: 902-928 MHz Europe: 863-870 MHz Australia: 915-928 MHz Asia: 920-923 MHz
<b>Transmit power</b>	North America: up to 20 dBm Europe: up to 14 dBm Australia: up to 20 dBm
<b>Default transmission rate</b>	Between 4 - 24 uploads per day
<b>Data interface</b>	SoilWare platform (Web browser, iOS or Android)
<b>Data storage</b>	Sensoterra database
<b>Export data</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Excel download</li> <li>- Open RESTful API</li> <li>- SenML server push notification</li> <li>- GeoRSS feed</li> </ul>
<b>LoRaWAN connectivity</b>	3 years included

Date	Revision	Author	Summary of changes
17-11-2017	1.1	RB	Added Australian frequency
9-6-2017	1.0	RB	Initial version