

HiTemp140X2 Series

High Temperature Dual Probe Data Logger Series

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Product Overview

The HiTemp140X2 Series of dual probe high temperature data loggers are comprised of a stainless steel data logger body and feature either two remote temperature probes one ambient and one remote temperature probe combination. This data logger series offers extreme flexibility for high temperature monitoring applications.

The dual probes of the HiTemp140X2 Series allow for simultaneous temperature monitoring and are ideal for applications such as oven mapping, surface temperature monitoring, autoclave validation, food processing, sterilization processes and much more.

The HiTemp140X2-TD data logger models feature a 2 inch rigid, fast response, transitional diameter probe to measure ambient temperature, combined with a second stainless steel bendable or flexible RTD probe option.

The HiTemp140X2-FP data logger models feature a 12 inch, 36 inch or 72 inch, lightweight flexible RTD probe, combined with a second stainless steel bendable probe or a second flexible RTD probe.

Water Resistance

The HiTemp140X2 Series data loggers are rated IP68 and are fully submersible. They can be placed in environments up to 230 ft (70 m) of water.

Bend Radius

The bendable RTD probe on the HiTemp140X2 Series data loggers can be bent to a .25 inch bend radius. The probe should not be bent within 1 inch of either weld joint.

Temperature Channels

All HiTemp140X2 Series data loggers feature two temperature channels. The channel number for each probe is identified on the top of the logger as shown to the right. The MadgeTech 4 Software will list the temperature channels in sequence, listing channel 1 first and channel 2 second, under the data logger device ID as shown below.



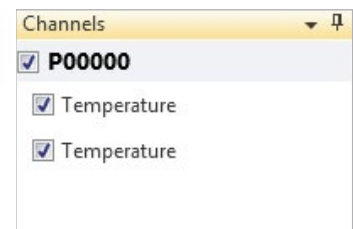
Rigid Transitional Diameter Probe (TD)



Flexible RTD Probe (FP)



Stainless Steel Bendable RTD Probe (PT)



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Installation Guide

Installing the Software

The Software can be downloaded from the MadgeTech website at madgetech.com. Follow the instructions provided in the Installation Wizard.

Installing the Docking Station

IFC400 or IFC406 (sold separately) — Connect the device into a USB port with the interface cable. The drivers will install automatically.

Device Operation

Connecting and Starting the Data Logger

1. Once the software is installed and running, plug the interface cable into the docking station.
2. Connect the USB end of the interface cable into an open USB port on the computer.
3. Place the data logger into the docking station.
4. The data logger will automatically appear under **Connected Devices** within the software.
5. For most applications, select **Custom Start** from the menu bar and choose the desired start method, reading rate and other parameters appropriate for the data logging application and click **Start**. (*Quick Start applies the most recent custom start options, Batch Start is used for managing multiple loggers at once, Real Time Start stores the dataset as it records while connected to the logger.*)
6. The status of the device will change to **Running**, **Waiting to Start** or **Waiting to Manual Start**, depending upon your start method.
7. Disconnect the data logger from the interface cable and place it in the environment to measure.

Note: The device will stop recording data when the end of memory is reached or the device is stopped. At this point the device cannot be restarted until it has been re-armed by the computer.

Downloading Data from a Data Logger

1. Place the logger into the docking station.
2. Highlight the data logger in the **Connected Devices** list. Click **Stop** on the menu bar.
3. Once the data logger is stopped, with the logger highlighted, click **Download**. You will be prompted to name your report.
4. Downloading will offload and save all the recorded data to the PC.

Trigger Settings

The device can be programmed to only record based off user configured trigger settings.

1. In the **Connected devices** panel, select the intended device to change the settings.
2. On the **Device** tab, in the **Information** group, click **Properties**. Users can also right-click on the device and select **Properties** in the context menu.
3. Click **Trigger** and configure the Trigger settings. Trigger formats are available in Window and Two Point (bi-level) mode. Window mode allows for one range of temperature monitoring and two point mode allows for two ranges.

Set Password

To password protect the device so that others cannot start, stop or reset the device:

1. In the **Connected Devices** panel, click the device desired.
2. On the **Device** Tab, in the **Information** Group, click **Properties**. Or, right-click the device and select **Properties** in the context menu.
3. On the **General** Tab, click **Set Password**.
4. Enter and confirm the password in the box that appears, then select **OK**.

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Device Maintenance

O-Rings

O-ring maintenance is a key factor when properly caring for the HiTemp140X2 Series data loggers. The O-rings ensure a tight seal and prevent liquid from entering the inside of the device. Please refer to the application note **O-Rings 101: Protecting Your Data**, found at madgetech.com, for information on how to prevent O-ring failure.

Battery Replacement

Materials: ER14250MR-145 Battery

1. Unscrew the bottom of the logger and remove the battery.
2. Place the new battery into the logger. Note the polarity of the battery. It is important to insert the battery with positive polarity pointing upward towards the probe. Failure to do so could result in product inoperability or potential explosion if exposed to high temperatures.
3. Screw the cover back onto the logger.

Recalibration

Notice: Steam Sterilization Applications

The pervasive nature of pressurized steam creates a very difficult environment for electronics. Please refer to the following preventative maintenance procedure when using this device in steam sterilization applications. Additionally, this device is not ideal for steam sterilization applications above 121 °C/1.1 bar.

Preventive Maintenance

After every 3 hours of steam exposure:

1. Remove the endcap and battery from the device (ref. battery change procedure on Product User Guide)
2. Place open logger (minus battery) in an oven at 120 °C (250 °F) for a minimum of 30 minutes
3. Remove logger from oven and allow to cool to room temperature
4. Re-assemble the logger with the battery (note polarity) and endcap

Note: This product is rated for use up to 140 °C (284 °F). Please heed the battery warning. The product will explode if exposed to temperatures above 140 °C (284 °F).

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Published specifications can be used to determine maximum allowable exposure times for the HiTemp140 with Thermal Shield at different temperatures beyond the normal operating range of the logger. Both the data logger and Thermal Shield must be at ambient temperature (approximately 25 °C) before being placed in the extreme temperature environment.

Immediately following exposure to high temperature, the data logger should be removed from the thermal shield (using appropriate precautions, as it could be VERY hot) OR the data logger and shield should be placed in a water bath (approximately 25 °C) for at least 15 minutes to allow it to cool. Failing to do this may allow heat trapped in the Thermal Shield to continue to heat the data logger to potentially unsafe levels.

If your application involves a ramp up to a temperature above 140 °C and/or any complex temperature profile that isn't simply a constant temperature, please contact MadgeTech to determine whether the HiTemp140 with Thermal Shield is suitable.

Please provide MadgeTech with a detailed description of your temperature profile, including temperatures, durations, ramp times, and process media (air, steam, oil, water, etc.) If MadgeTech is unable to definitively calculate the suitability of our product for your application, we can provide a test unit outfitted with a high temperature indicator sticker. This sticker has an indicator dot which will turn black if exposed to temperatures above 143 °C. Apply the sticker to the bottom of the data logger itself (not the thermal shield), remove the battery for safety, place the data logger into the thermal shield and run the assembly through the proposed temperature program. The first indicator dot on the sticker will turn black at 143 °C. If that happens, the HiTemp140 with thermal shield is not appropriate for the application and we will work to find a solution that is.



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- Visit our Resources online at madgetech.com/resources.
- Contact our friendly Customer Support Team.



MadgeTech 4 Software Support:

- Refer to the built-in help section of the MadgeTech 4 Software.
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