# **ONSET**

## S-SMD-M005 Sensor

### 10HS Soil Moisture Smart Sensor

Measure soil moisture over a large volume of soil with the affordably-priced 10HS Soil Moisture Smart Sensor. This sensor integrates the field-proven 10HS Sensor and a 12-bit A/D, providing  $\pm 3\%$  accuracy in most soils conditions, and  $\pm 2\%$  accuracy with soil-specific calibration. The 10cm probes measure soil moisture over a larger volume of soil, helping to average out any soil variability. Readings are provided directly in volumetric water content. The sensor's high-frequency design minimizes salinity and textural effects and gives it a wide measurement range.



Also available in a wireless model for use with the HOBOnet Field Monitoring System.

### **Supported Measurements:**

Soil Moisture

#### **Key Advantages:**

- Measures a large 1-liter volume of soil, providing a more accurate picture of average soil moisture
- Provides data directly in volumetric water content
- High-frequency (70 MHz) circuit provides good accuracy even in high-salinity and sandy soils
- Compatible with Onset stand-alone and web-based weather stations

#### S-SMD-M005 Sensor Specifications

Measurement range in soil: 0 to 0.570 m/m (volumetric water content)

Accuracy:

 $\pm 0.033$  m /m ( $\pm 3.3\%$ ) typical 0 to  $+50^{\circ}$ C ( $+32^{\circ}$  to  $+122^{\circ}$ F) for mineral soils up to 10 dS/m

±0.020 m /m (±2%) with soil specific calibration

**Resolution:** 0.0008 m /m (0.08%)

**Soil probe dimensions:** 160 x 32 x 2 mm (6.5 x 1.25 x 0.08 in.)

Weight: 190 grams (6.7 oz)

Decagon probe part no.: 10HS

Sensor operating temperature:

0° to +50°C (+32° to +122°F). Although the sensor probe and cable can safely operate at below-freezing temperatures (to -40°C/F) and the smart sensor tube (the white portion of the sensor cable that houses the electronics) can be exposed to temperatures up to +70°C (+158°F), the soil moisture data collected at these extreme temperatures is outside of the sensor's accurate measurement range. Extended temperatures above +50°C (+122°F) will decrease logger battery life when using for the S-SMD-M005 smart sensor.

Volume of influence: 1 liter (33.8 oz)

Sensor frequency: 70 MHz

Bits per sample: 12

Number of data channels: 1

Measurement averaging option: No Cable length available: 5 m (16 ft)

Length of Smart Sensor network cable: 0.5 m (1.6 ft)

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