

# Remote Wireless Monitoring

# Halo Wireless Humidity Sensor

#### **General Description**

The Halo Wireless Humidity Sensor uses a high-end, factorycalibrated industrial humidity transducer to accurately measure relative humidity (RH) and temperature. The sensor comes in various leaded and non-leaded options.

#### **Key Features**

- Humidity Measurement Range: 0 to 100%
- Temperature Measurement Range:
  - Leaded:-25°C to 70°C (-13°F to 58°F)
  - Non-leaded: Limited to the operational range of the sensors body (enclosure and battery)
- Resolution: 0.01% RH, 0.01°C
- Typical Accuracy: +/- 2% RH, 0.3°C
- Configurable thresholds for critical condition monitoring

#### **Principles of Operation**

The Halo Wireless Humidity Sensor measures relative humidity (RH) and temperature on a user-configurable time interval or Heartbeat. The sensor uses a high-accuracy silicon based digital humidity/temperature element to produce % RH and temperature data. On each heartbeat, the current measurement is sent to the gateway, making the data available in Halo, or another approved data service.

A 7-month ISO-17025 (NIST) calibration certificate is an available option.

### **Example Applications**

- Ambient humidity/temperature monitoring
- Lab monitoring
- Indoor/outdoor environmental monitoring
- Greenhouse and grow house monitoring
- Smart machines and facilities
- **HVAC** operation & testing
- Data center monitoring
- Additional applications

#### **Features of Halo Sensors**

- Wireless range of 2,000+ feet through 18+ walls\*
- Frequency-Hopping Spread Spectrum (FHSS)
- Best-in-class interference immunity
- Best-in-class power management for longer battery life\*\*
- Encrypt-RF® Security (Diffie-Hellman Key Exchange + Advanced Encryption Standard (AES)-128 Cipher Block Chaining (CBC) for sensor data messages)
- Sensor logs 2000 to 4000 readings if the gateway connection is lost (non-volatile flash, persists through power cycling):
  - 10-minute Heartbeats = ~ 22 days
  - 2-hour Heartbeats = ~ 266 days
- Automatic over-the-air updates to sensor firmware (future-proof)
- Free Basic Online Wireless Sensor Monitoring and Notification System to configure sensors, view data, and send alerts via SMS text, email, and voice call



<sup>\*</sup>Actual range may vary depending on the environment and

<sup>\*\*</sup>Battery life is determined by the sensor reporting frequency and other variables. Other power options are also available.

Technical Specification – Halo Wireless Humidity Sensor				
	Range	0 to 100% RH (non-condensing)		
Humidity Measurement	Accuracy	± 2% RH (0 to 80%), ± 3% RH (80% to 100%)*		
	Resolution	0.01 %RH		
	Response time- Leaded sensor	40 seconds (8-second time constant)**		
	Response time- Non-leaded sensor	6+ hours (75-minute time constant)**		
	Range- Leaded sensor	-25°C to 70°C (-13°F to 158°F)***		
	Range- Non-leaded sensor:-	Limited to operational range of sensor body		
	Commercial	10°C to 50°C (50°F to 122°F)		
	Enterprise	-18°C to 55°C (0°F to 130°F) using alkaline batteries		
Temperature Measurement	Industrial	-40°C to 70°C (-40°F to 158°F)		
	Accuracy	± 0.3°C (0.54°F) Typical*		
	Resolution	0.01°C (0.018°F rounded to 0.01 decimal place)		
	Response time- Leaded sensor	15 seconds (3 second time constant)**		
	Response time- Non-leaded sensor	100 minutes (20 minute time constant)**		
	Tip dimensions	11 mm Wide x 4.5 mm Tall (0.44" Wide x 0.16" Tall)		
	Tip construction	PCA with high accuracy digital temp/humidity sensing		
		element, soldered interface wires, all wrapped in		
		waterproof heat shrink with small hole for air exchange.		
	Wire details	4-conductor, 26 AWG, stranded copper		
	Insulation	PVC, 0.010"		
	Shield	No		
Leaded Probe	Jacket	PVC (black)		
Leaded Probe	Overall Diameter	4.25 ± 0.2 mm (0.17" ± 0.007)		
	Ratings / Approvals	UL AWM STYLE 2464, cUL AWM I/II A 80°C 300V FT1 LF		
	Temperature Rating	-25°C to 80°C (-13°F to 176°F)		
	Voltage Rating	300 V Max		
	Dielectric Strength	1500 V RMS		
	Cable length	Standard: 0.9 m (3 ft)		
		Optional: 0.1, 3, 7.5 m (0.33, 10, 25 ft)		
	Data Logging	Sensor logs 2000 to 4000 readings if gateway connection is		
		lost (non-volatile flash, persists through power cycling): 10-		
Wireless		minute Heartbeats = ~22 days- 2-hour Heartbeats = ~266		
wireless	Wireless Protocol	days  Proprietary Frequency-Hopping Spread Spectrum (FHSS)		
		50 mW (900MHz), 25 mW (868 MHz), 10 mW (433 MHz)		
	Wireless transmission power (EIRP)	2,000+ ft. through 18+ walls with the Halo Gateway		
	Wireless range	Encrypt-RF ® (256-bit key exchange and AES-128 CTR)		
	Security  Pattery Voltage Pange	2.0 to 3.8 VDC		
	Battery Voltage Range Operating Altitude	-15.2 to 1,982 m (-50 to 6,500 ft) ****		
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	Storage Altitude Operating humidity	5 to 85% RH (non-condensing)		
	Certifications	900 MHz sensors: FCC ID: ZTL-G2SC1 and IC: 9794A-G2SC1.		
General	Certifications	868 and 433 MHz sensors tested and comply with: EN		
		55032: 2015/A11:2020; EN 55035:2017/A11:2020; ETSI EN		
	CC UK	300 220 V3.2.1 (2018-06); ETSI EN 301 489-3 V2.2.0. (2021-		
	FC Hollstry Canada C E CH	11); and ETSI EN 303 645. All sensors tested and comply		
		with: EN 61010-1 and EN 60950 and meet RoHS 2015/863		
		and REACH 224 (June 2022), according to IEC		
		63000:2016/AMD1:2022.		
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<sup>\*</sup>Refer to the humidity/temperature graphics below for more detailed information on the sensors accuracy and range.

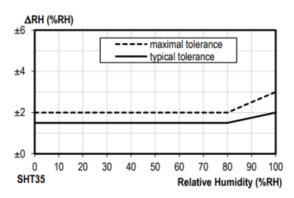
<sup>\*\*\*\*</sup>Operating and storage altitude without DC power supply is -30.48 to 9144 m (-100 to 30,000 ft).



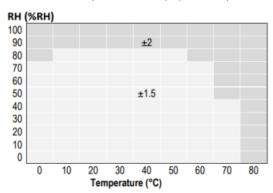
<sup>\*\*</sup>Response time (?of 99.3%) is significantly affected by air flow and the conditions present in the immediate vicinity of the sensing element.

<sup>\*\*\*</sup>High temperature limited by heat shrink at 70°C. The sensor electronics in the lead are rated to  $125^{\circ}$ C and will not fail at 70°C but the heat shrink and heat shrink adhesive may become malleable at this temperature compromising the waterproof seal.

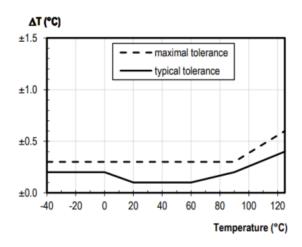
# Accuracy: Relative Humidity Measured (%) vs Relative Humidity Actual (%)



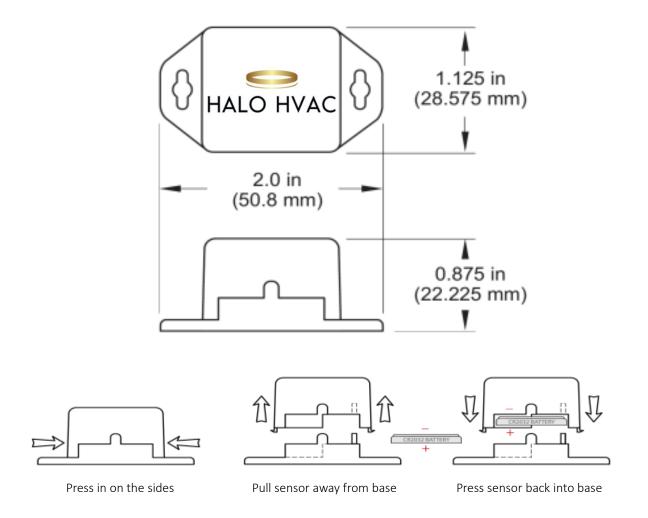
Accuracy: Relative Humidity Measured (%) vs Temperature Actual (°C)



## Accuracy: Temperature Measured (°C) vs Temperature Actual (°C)





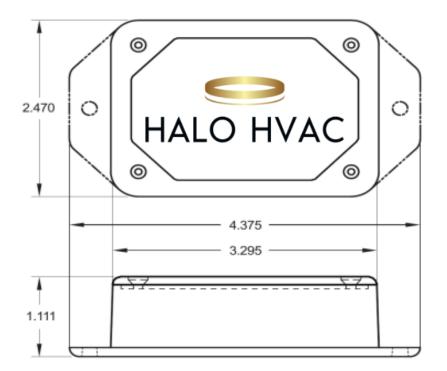


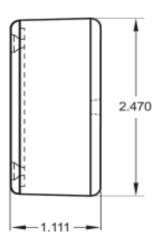
Technical Specification – Halo Commercial Wireless Humidity Sensor		
Battery*	1x 3.0V CR2032 Button Cell, 100 mAh	
Battery Life	2+ years expected	
Operating temperature range (non-leaded measurement range)	10°C to 50°C (50°F to 122°F)	
Wireless antenna type	1/4-wave, 20-gauge wire whip, 3.5" (900/868MHz), 7" (433MHz)	
Weight	0.7 oz	

<sup>\*</sup>Hardware cannot withstand negative voltage. Please take care when inserting and removing batteries.



# This sensor reports the relative humidity in % and temperature in °C or °F.





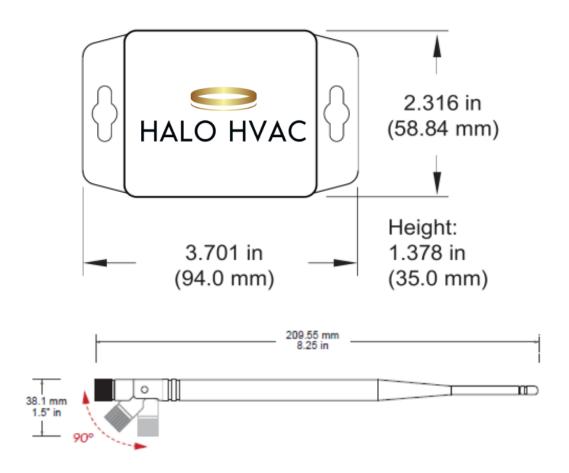
Technical Specification – Halo Enterprise Wireless Humidity Sensor		
Battery*	2x 1.5V AA Alkaline, 1500 mAh, (standard)	
	2x 1.5V AA Lithium, 3000 mAh, (optional)	
Battery Life	10+ years expected	
External line-power option**	Input voltage: 5.0-12.0 V	
	Power jack: 2.1 x 5.5 mm barrel, center positive	
Operating temperature range (non-leaded	-18°C to 55°C (0°F to 130°F)- AA Alkaline Batteries	
measurement range)***	-25°C to 60°C (-13°F to 140°F)- AA Lithium L91 Batteries	
	0°C to 40°C (32°F to 104°F)- US 5V Power Supply	
	10°C to 40°C (50°F to 104°F)- International 5V Power Supply	
Wireless antenna type	1/4-wave, 20 gauge wire whip, 3.5" (900/868MHz), 7" (433MHz)	
Weight	3 oz. (85.05 g) with no lead	
	3.7 oz. (105 g) with 0.9 m (3.0') lead	

<sup>\*</sup>Hardware cannot withstand negative voltage. Please take care when inserting and removing batteries.



<sup>\*\*</sup>Batteries will provide backup power in the case the external power is removed.

<sup>\*\*\*</sup>Operating below 0°C (-32°F) degrees will reduce battery life.



Technical Specification – Halo Industrial Wireless Humidity Sensor		
Battery	1x 3.6V AA Lithium Thionyl Chloride, 1500mAh, pre-installed	
Battery Life	10+ years expected	
Operating temperature range (non-leaded measurement range)*	-40°C to 85°C (-40°F to 185°F)	
Wireless antenna type	1/2-wave waterproof dipole with RP-SMA connector and swivel neck; dBi of 3.0 (900/868MHz) or 2.5 (433 MHz); length of 8.27" (210mm) (900/868MHz) or 7.68" (195mm) (433 MHz); diameter at thickest point of 0.55" (14mm)	
Weight	4.7 oz. (133 g) with 0.15 m (6.0") lead 5.2 oz. (147 g) with 0.9 m (3.0') lead	
Enclosure rating	IP-65 (dust-proof and waterproof but not submersible) NEMA 1, 2, 4, 4x, 12, and 13 rated, sealed, and weatherproof UL Listed to UL508-4x specifications (File E194432)	

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#### **Commercial-Grade Sensors**

Halo commercial-grade sensors are designed for applications in ordinary environments (normal room temperature, humidity, and atmospheric pressure). Do not use these sensors under the following conditions as these factors can deteriorate the product characteristics and cause failures and burnout.

- Corrosive gas or deoxidizing gas: chlorine gas, hydrogen sulfide gas, ammonia gas, sulfuric acid gas, nitric oxide gas, etc.
- Volatile or flammable gas
- Dusty conditions
- Low-pressure or high-pressure environments
- Wet or excessively humid locations
- Places with salt water, oils, chemical liquids, or organic solvents
- Where there are excessively strong vibrations
- Other places where similar hazardous conditions exist

Use these products within the specified temperature range. Higher temperatures may cause deterioration of the characteristics or the material quality.

#### **Industrial-Grade Sensors**

Halo industrial sensors are enclosed in reliable, weatherproof NEMA-rated enclosures. Our NEMA-rated enclosures are constructed for both indoor or outdoor use and protect the sensor circuitry against the ingress of solid foreign objects like dust and the damaging effects of water.

- Safe from falling dirt
- Protects against wind-blown dust
- Protects against rain, sleet, snow, splashing water, and hose-directed water
- Increased level of corrosion resistance
- Will remain undamaged by ice formation on the enclosure



# HALO HVAC







