



**METER**

## ATMOS 22 ULTRASONIC ANEMOMETER

### SENSOR DESCRIPTION

The ATMOS 22 Ultrasonic Anemometer is designed for continuous monitoring of wind speed and direction (see [Measurement Specifications](#)). Ultra-low power consumption and a robust, no moving parts design that prevents errors because of wear or fouling, make the ATMOS 22 ideal for long-term, remote installations.

**NOTE:** The ATMOS 22 replaces the DS-2 (discontinued) and the outputs and order are not the same as the DS-2. Any DS-2 replaced by the ATMOS 22 will require data acquisition system reprogramming based on information located in the tech note [Integrators replacing DS-2 with ATMOS 22](#).

### APPLICATIONS

- Weather monitoring
- Microenvironment monitoring
- In-canopy wind measurement
- Spatially distributed environmental monitoring
- Wind profiling
- Crop weather monitoring
- Fire danger monitoring/mapping
- Weather networks

### ADVANTAGES

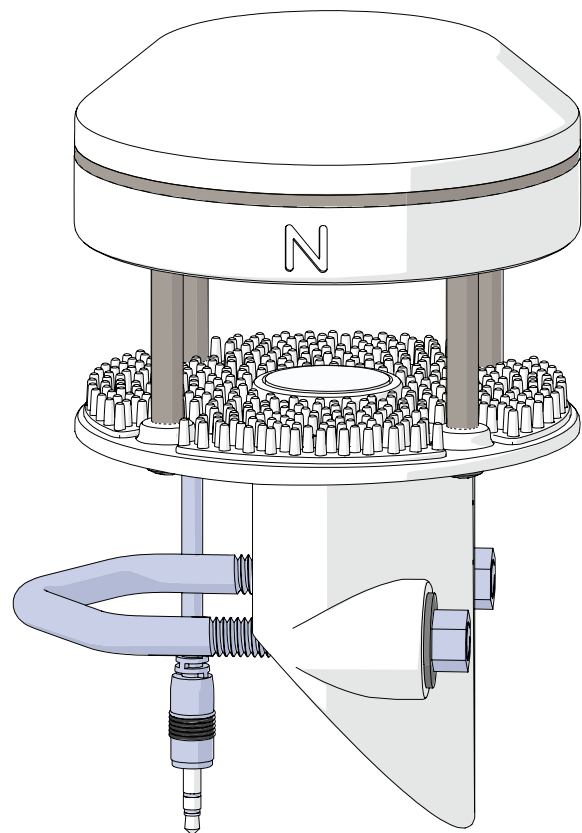
- Robust, no moving parts design
- Small form factor
- Low-input voltage requirements
- Low-power design supports battery-operated data loggers
- Supports the SDI-12 three-wire interface
- Tilt sensor informs user of out-of-level conditions
- No configuration necessary

### PURPOSE OF THIS GUIDE

METER provides the information in this integrator guide to help ATMOS 22 Ultrasonic Anemometer customers establish communication between these sensors and their data acquisition equipment or field data loggers. Customers using data loggers that support SDI-12 sensor communications should consult the data logger user manual. METER sensors are fully integrated into the METER system of plug-and-play sensors, cellular-enabled data loggers, and data analysis software.

### COMPATIBLE FIRMWARE VERSIONS

This guide is compatible with firmware versions 1.03 or newer.



**Figure 1** ATMOS 22 Ultrasonic Anemometer

## SPECIFICATIONS

### MEASUREMENT SPECIFICATIONS

<b>Horizontal Wind Speed</b>		<b>Tilt</b>	
Range:	0–30 m/s	Range:	0°–180°
Resolution:	0.01 m/s	Resolution:	0.1°
Accuracy:	The greater of 0.3 m/s or 3% of measurement	Accuracy:	±1°
<b>Wind Gust</b>		<b>Dimensions</b>	
Range:	0–30 m/s	10 cm diameter x 16 cm height	
Resolution:	0.01 m/s	<b>Cable Length</b>	
Accuracy:	The greater of 0.3 m/s or 3% of measurement	5 m (custom cable lengths are available for an additional cost)	
<b>Wind Direction</b>			
Range:	0°–359°		
Resolution:	1°		
Accuracy:	±5°		

### ELECTRICAL AND TIMING CHARACTERISTICS

<b>Supply Voltage (VCC) to GND</b>		<b>Operating Temperature Range</b>	
Minimum	3.6 VDC continuous	Minimum	–40 °C
Typical		Typical	
Maximum	15.0 VDC continuous	Maximum	50 °C
<b>Digital Input Voltage (logic high)</b>		<b>Power Up Time (SDI ready)—aRx! Commands</b>	
Minimum	2.8 V	Minimum	
Typical	3.0 V	Typical	10 s
Maximum	15.0 V	Maximum	
<b>Digital Input Voltage (logic low)</b>		<b>Power Up Time (SDI ready)—Other Commands</b>	
Minimum	–0.3 V	Minimum	
Typical	0.0 V	Typical	800 ms
Maximum	0.8 V	Maximum	
<b>Power Line Slew Rate</b>		<b>Measurement Duration</b>	
Minimum	1.0 V/ms	Minimum	
Typical		Typical	110 ms
Maximum		Maximum	3,000 ms
<b>Current Drain (during measurement)</b>		<b>COMPLIANCE</b>	
Minimum	0.05 mA	Manufactured under ISO 9001:2015	
Typical	0.125 mA	EM ISO/IEC 17050:2010 (CE Mark)	
Maximum	0.5 mA		
<b>Current Drain (while asleep)</b>			
Minimum	0.05 mA		
Typical	0.125 mA		
Maximum	0.15 mA		