

## WeatherStation® Instrument Calibration Certificate

| Model:            |  |
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| ID:               |  |
| Calibration Date: |  |
| Manufacturer:     |  |
| Test Procedure:   |  |

The WeatherStation® Instrument passes testing for IPX6 heavy seas water standards (excepting units equipped with RH sensors, which meet IPX4) and the IEC 60945 standards for exposed units<sub>1</sub>. All units are calibrated in an onsite wind tunnel<sub>2</sub>.

## **Unit Test Results:**

| Test Performed        | Logged Value | Test Requirement              |
|-----------------------|--------------|-------------------------------|
| 0 Knot Wind           |              | Less than 1 Knot Max          |
| 50 Knot Cal 4         | PASS         | Within 2 Knots RMS            |
| Humidity              |              | Within ±5 % RH                |
| Temperature 5         |              | Within ±1.1 °C                |
| Pressure              |              | Within ±2 mBar                |
| Rate Gyro – Dynamic 6 |              | Under 4 deg/sec average error |
| Rate Gyro – Static    |              | Within ±40 Deg/min            |
| Pitch                 |              | Within 1°                     |
| Roll                  |              | Within 1°                     |

## Ambient (Local) Test Conditions 3:

Humidity: Temperature: Pressure:

## **Equipment List**

- Wind Tunnel Calibration
  - o United Sensor Corp. Pitot Tube Calibrated to NIST traceable pitot tube
  - o MKS Instruments Pressure Sensor
  - BK Precision® 5491A Multimeter
- Ambient Temperature Readings (Temperature, humidity and pressure)
  - o Vaisala® PTU200
- Rate Gyro Testing
  - SEI A2 Absolute encoder
  - US Digital R164 Motor Controller
- 1 After multiple heat cycles above 65° C (149°F) wind anemometer performance may require recalibration to remain within specifications at wind speeds above 50 knots (92.6 km/h).
- 2 The on site wind tunnel is calibrated with a pitot tube, which in turn was calibrated with a NIST traceable pitot tube.
- 3 Ambient conditions measured with a Vaisala PTU300. Temperature, humidity and pressure readings compared to Vaisala PTU300. The temperature, pressure and humidity readings from the Vaisala® instruments were calibrated by Vaisala® against instruments calibrated to NIST traceable instruments.
- $4\,-\,$  Units are calibrated at knots with a 75 point correction curve.
- 5 Unit temperature and humidity recorded with 4+ knots of wind present.
- 6 Test conducted at a rate of turn of 70 degrees per second.