MaxiMet

GMX501 Compact Weather Station



The MaxiMet range of compact weather stations is designed and manufactured by Gill Instruments. MaxiMet products use reliable, high quality instruments to provide accurate meteorological information in a wide variety of applications.

GMX501 Features

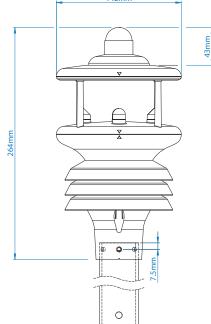
Temperature, humidity, pressure. A combined instrument mounted inside three double louvered, naturally aspirated radiation shields with no moving parts. The results are high performance across each measurement over long periods of time.

Solar radiation. An integrated solar radiation sensor/pyranometer. This highly accurate instrument uses a thermal sensor mounted at its base and protected by a single glass dome to record the amount of light in watts per metre². It is widely used in agrometeorological applications and for monitoring the performance of solar panels.

Wind. Wind speed and direction measurements are provided via an ultrasonic sensor and the addition of an electronic compass provides apparent wind measurements. Average speed and direction together with WMO averages and gust data is also provided. Add GPS (optional) to provide true wind and other features.



TEMP, HUMIDITY & PRESSURE SOLAR RADIATION WIND **PARAMETERS** ■ Air Pressure / Temperature Complies with ISO 9060 Wind speed & direction Solar radiation W/m² and WMO Guidelines ■ Relative / Absolute humidity Apparent and true wind (with GPS) Sunshine hours hrs Output in watts per metre² Naturally aspirated UV stable Temperature °C/°F/°K ■ WMO wind averages and gust ■ 180° hemispherical field of view radiation shield Relative humidity % Rh Compass Records sunshine hours ■ Protection against wind-blown Integrated Hukseflux precipitation/dust Hg, In Hg LP02 pyranometer Glass dome ■ Absolute humidity g/m³ **GPS (OPTION)** ■ Air density kg/m3



- Height above sea level *m*
- Sunrise/sunset
- Position of the sun
- Twilight
- Solar Noon
- MSL pressure

- Barometric pressure hPa, mbar, mm
- Wet bulb temperature °C/°F/°K
- Wind speed m/s, km/hr, mph, kts, ft/min
- Wind direction °
- Wind chill °C/°F/°K
- True/apparent wind
- Angle of Tilt
- Outputs RS232,422, 485, SDI-12, NMEA, MODBUS, Analogue (option)

All MaxiMet Models Feature

- **Quality Measurements**
- Lightweight and Robust
- Low Power Mode
- Free of Charge Software
- Gill Proven Reliability
- Compact Integrated Design
- Real Time Output
- Easy Installation
- Gill Customer Support
- 2 Year Warranty

^{*} Please see the manual for a full list of derived parameters



Applications

- Building and Industrial Controls
- Authorities
- Transport

- Coastal
- Agricultural
- Safety

- Educational
- Commercial
- Energy

WIND SPEED	
Range	0.01 m/s to 60 m/s
Accuracy	± 3% to 40 m/s, ± 5% to 60 m/s
Resolution m/s	0.01
Starting Threshold	0.01 m/s
Sampling Rate	1 Hz
Units	m/s, km/hr, mph, kts, ft/min

WIND DIRECTION	
Range	0-360°
Accuracy	± 3° to 40 m/s ± 5° to 60 m/s
Resolution	1°
Starting Threshold	0.05 m/s
Sampling Rate	1 Hz
Units	Degrees

TEMPERATURE	
Range	-40°C to +70°C
Resolution	0.1
Accuracy	± 0.3°C @ 20°C
Sampling Rate	1 Hz
Units	°C, °F, °K

HUMIDITY	
Range	0-100%
Resolution	1%
Accuracy	± 2% @ 20°C (10%-90% RH)
Sampling Rate	1 Hz
Units	% Rh, g/m ³

DEW POINT	
Range	-40°C to +70°C
Resolution	0.1
Accuracy	± 0.3°C @ 20°C
Units	°C, °F, °K
Sampling Rate	1 Hz

PRESSURE	
Range	300 to 1100 hpa
Resolution	0.1 hPa
Accuracy	± 0.5 hPa @ 25°C
Sampling Rate	1 Hz
Units	hPa, bar, mmHg, inHg

GLOBAL SOLAR RADIATION	
Wavelength Sensitivity	300 to 3000 nm
Output Range	0 to 1600 W/m ²
Resolution	1 W/m ²
DIN Standard	ISO 9060 Second Class
Sampling Rate	1 Hz
Units	W/m ²

OUTPUTS	
Output rate	1/s, 1/min, 1/hr
Digital Comms Modes	Serial RS232, RS422, RS485, SDI-12, NMEA, MODBUS, ASCII
Analogue Outputs	Available via separate optional device

POWER	
Power Supply	5 to 30 Vdc
Power (Nominal) 12 Vdc	25 mA continuous high mode. 0.7 mA eco-power mode (1 hour polled)

ENVIRONMENTAL CONDITIONS	
IP Rating	66
Operational Temperature Range:	-35°C to +70°C
EMC Standard:	BS EN 61326-2-1:2013 FCC, CFR Title 47, Part 15, Subpart B, Class A digital device
CE Marking	YES
RoHS compliant	YES
Weight	0.6 Kg
Origin	UK

Specifications may be subject to change without prior notice



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