

Wireless 0-50 VDC Voltage Meters

General Description

The ALTA Wireless Voltage Meter measures the voltage between two electrical points. It can be connected to the power and ground of any voltage source and measure within stated accuracy up to 50 VDC. Perfect for measuring battery voltage at specified intervals where sensor data will be wirelessly sent to iMonnit, the online sensor monitoring system.

- Wireless interface for measuring voltage.
- Available in multiple voltage ranges. Measures voltage up to 50 VDC.

Principle of Operation

By connecting the leads on the ALTA Wireless Voltage Meter to the positive and ground terminals of a battery, users can measure battery voltage through the iMonnit Online Sensor Monitoring and Notification System. Notifications can be set up through the online system to alert the user when battery levels reach a certain point. The data is also stored in the online system and can be reviewed and exported as a data sheet or graph.

Example Applications

- Car Battery Monitoring
- Boat and Marine Battery Monitoring
- RV Battery Monitoring
- ATV / Motorcycle Battery Monitoring
- Lawn Mowers and Utility Vehicle Battery Monitoring
- And many more...

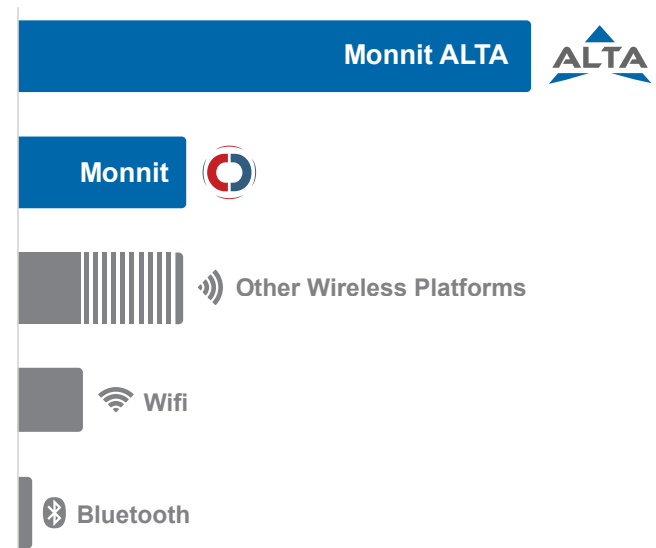
Features of Monnit ALTA Sensors

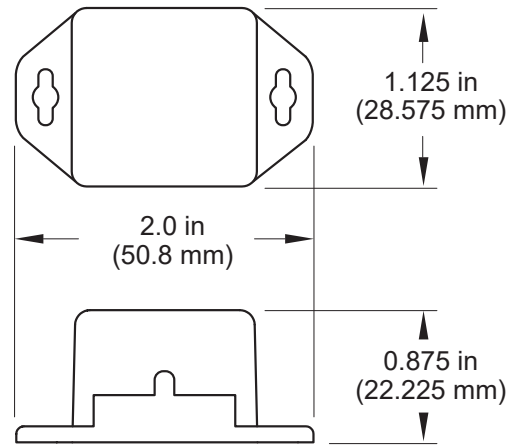
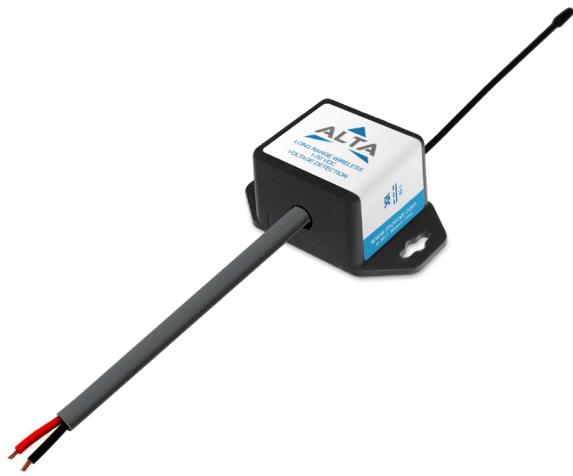
- Wireless range of 1,000+ feet through 12-14 walls.*
- Frequency Hopping Spread Spectrum (FHSS).
- Improved interference immunity.
- Improved power management for longer battery life.** (10+ years on AA batteries)
- Encrypt-RF™ Security (Diffie-Hellman Key Exchange + AES-128 CBC for sensor data messages).
- Onboard data memory / storage (up to 512 readings per sensor).
 - 10 min heartbeats = 3.5 days
 - 2 hour heartbeats = 42 days
- Over-the-air updates (future proof).
- Free iMonnit basic online wireless sensor monitoring and notification system to configure sensors, view data and set alerts via SMS text and email.

* Actual range may vary depending on environment.

** Battery life is determined by sensor reporting frequency and other variables. Other power options are also available.

Wireless Range Comparison





ALTA Commercial Coin Cell Wireless 0-50 VDC Voltage Meter - Technical Specifications

Supply Voltage	2.0 - 3.8 VDC *
Current Consumption	0.2 μ A (Sleep Mode) 0.7 μ A (RTC Sleep) 570 μ A (MCU Idle) 2.5 mA (MCU Active) 5.5 mA (Radio RX Mode) 22.6 mA (Radio TX Mode)
Operating Temperature Range (Board Circuitry and Coin Cell)	-7°C to +60°C (20°F to +140°F) **
Optimal Battery Temperature Range (Coin Cell)	+10°C to +50°C (+50°F to +122°F)
Full Scale Voltage	0 - 50 VDC ***
Absolute Maximum Voltage	75 VDC ***
Sensor Resolution	0.025 VDC
Conversion Time	228 μ s
Accuracy	+/- 3% FS****
User Calibrated Accuracy	+/- 1% FS *****
Integrated Memory	Up to 512 sensor messages
Wireless Range	1,000+ ft. non-line-of-sight
Security	Encrypt-RF™ (256-bit key exchange and AES-128 CTR)
Weight	0.7 Ounces
Certifications	900 MHz product; FCC ID: ZTL- G2SC1 and IC: 9794A-G2SC1.



* Hardware cannot withstand negative voltage. Please take care when connecting a power device.

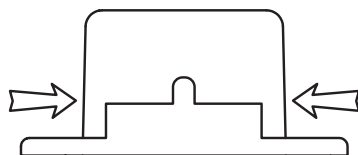
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*** The sensor is capable of measuring above 50 volts but may not meet the specified accuracy above this value.

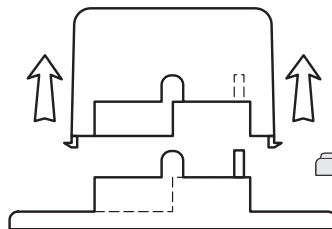
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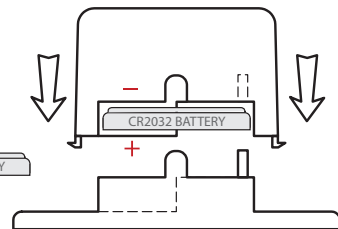
PinchPower™ Enclosures



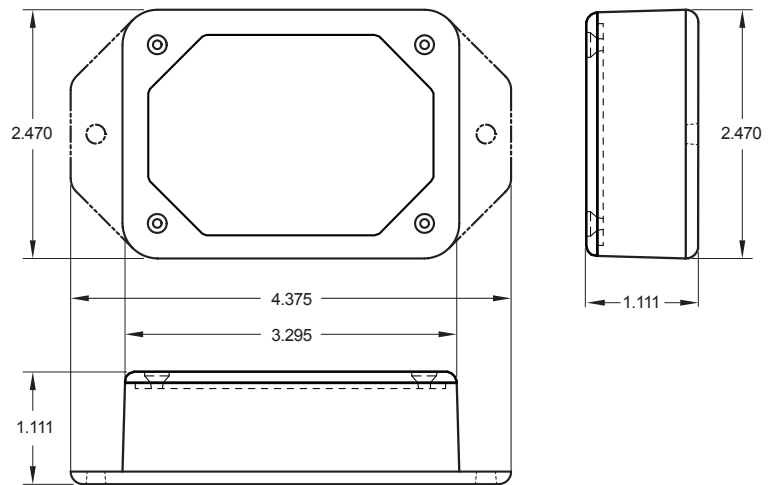
Pinch
(press in on the sides)



Pull
(sensor away from base)



Press
(sensor back into base)



ALTA Commercial AA Wireless 0-50 VDC Voltage Meter - Technical Specifications

Supply Voltage	2.0 - 3.8 VDC (3.0 - 3.8 VDC Using Power Supply) *
Current Consumption	0.2 μ A (Sleep Mode) 0.7 μ A (RTC Sleep) 570 μ A (MCU Idle) 2.5 mA (MCU Active) 5.5 mA (Radio RX Mode) 22.6 mA (Radio TX Mode)
Operating Temperature Range (Board Circuitry and Batteries)	-18°C to 55°C (0°F to 130°F) using alkaline -40°C to 85°C (-40°F to 185°F) using lithium **
Optimal Battery Temperature Range (AA)	+10°C to +50°C (+50°F to +122°F)
Full Scale Voltage	0 - 50 VDC ***
Absolute Maximum Voltage	75 VDC ***
Sensor Resolution	0.025 VDC
Conversion Time	228 μ s
Accuracy	+/- 3% FS****
User Calibrated Accuracy	+/- 1% FS *****
Integrated Memory	Up to 512 sensor messages
Wireless Range	1,000+ ft. non-line-of-sight
Security	Encrypt-RF™ (256-bit key exchange and AES-128 CTR)
Weight	3.7 Ounces
Certifications	900 MHz product; FCC ID: ZTL- G2SC1 and IC: 9794A-G2SC1.



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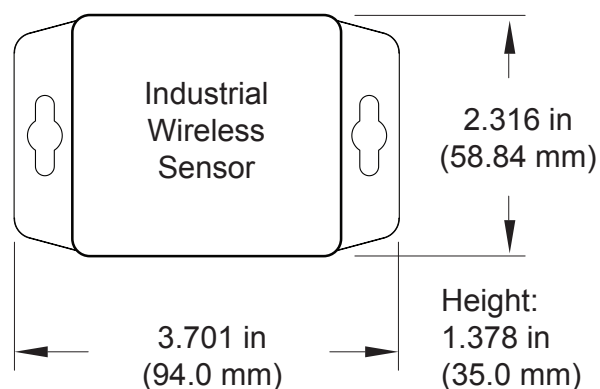
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Power Options

The standard version of this sensor is powered by two replaceable 1.5 V AA sized batteries (included with purchase). This sensor is also available with a line power option. The line powered version of this sensor has a barrel power connector allowing it to be powered by a standard 3.0 - 3.6 V power supply. The line powered version also uses two standard 1.5 V AA batteries as backup for un-interrupted operation in the event of line power outage. Power options must be selected at time of purchase, as the internal hardware of the sensor must be changed to support the selected power requirements.



ALTA Industrial Wireless 0-50 VDC Voltage Meter - Technical Specifications

Supply Voltage		2.0 - 3.8 VDC (3.0 - 3.8 VDC Using Power Supply) *
Current Consumption		0.2 μ A (Sleep Mode) 0.7 μ A (RTC Sleep) 570 μ A (MCU Idle) 2.5 mA (MCU Active) 5.5 mA (Radio RX Mode) 22.6 mA (Radio TX Mode)
Operating Temperature Range (Board Circuitry and Battery)		-40°C to +85°C (-40°F to +185°F) **
Included Battery	Max Temperature Range:	-40° to +85°C (-40° to +185°F)
	Capacity:	1800 mAh
Optional Solar Feature	Solar Panel:	5VDC / 30mA (53mm x 30mm)
	Charging Temperature Range:	0° to 45°C (32° to 113°F)
	Max Temperature Range:	-20° to 60°C (-4° to 140°F)
	Included Rechargeable Battery:	600 mAh / >2000 Charge Cycles (80% of initial capacity)
Full Scale Voltage		0 - 50 VDC ***
Absolute Maximum Voltage		75 VDC ***
Sensor Resolution		0.025 VDC
Conversion Time		228 μ s
Accuracy		+/- 3% FS****
User Calibrated Accuracy		+/- 1% FS *****
Integrated Memory		Up to 512 sensor messages
Wireless Range		1,000+ ft. non-line-of-sight
Security		Encrypt-RF™ (256-bit key exchange and AES-128 CTR)
Weight		4.7 Ounces
Enclosure Rating		NEMA 1, 2, 4, 4x, 12 and 13 rated, sealed and weather proof
UL Rating		UL Listed to UL508-4x specifications (File E194432)
Certifications		900 MHz product; FCC ID: ZTL- G2SC1 and IC: 9794A-G2SC1.



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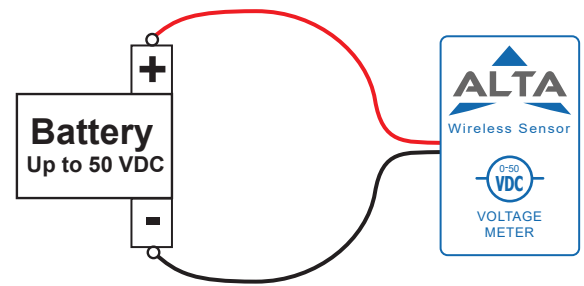
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Proper Installation:

If the sensor is not connected to the battery (power source) properly, it will appear that the sensor is broken. Please follow this wiring diagram to ensure proper performance and detection.



Commercial Grade Sensors:

Monnit 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 burn-out.

- Corrosive gas or deoxidizing gas - chlorine gas, hydrogen sulfide gas, ammonia gas, sulfuric acid gas, nitric oxides gas, etc.).
- Volatile or flammable gas.
- Dusty conditions.
- Under low or high pressure.
- 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 product within the specified temperature range. Higher temperature may cause deterioration of the characteristics or the material quality.

Industrial Grade Sensors - Type 1, 2, 4, 4X, 12 and 13 NEMA Rated Enclosure:

Monnit's 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 as well as the damaging effects of water (rain, sleet, snow, splashing water, and hose directed 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

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