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# SBE 37-SI MicroCAT CT(D)

The SBE 37-SI MicroCAT is a high-accuracy conductivity and temperature (pressure optional) recorder with Serial RS-232 interface and memory. Externally powered, it can be used for moored applications requiring fast sampling. The MicroCAT is useful as a stand-alone monitoring device and is easily integrated with other instrumentation platforms.

Data is output in real-time and can be recorded in memory; memory capacity exceeds 530,000 samples. Measured data and derived variables (salinity, sound velocity, depth, density) are output in engineering units.

### Features

- Moored Conductivity, Temperature, and Pressure (optional), with user-programmable sampling 6-sec to 6-hour intervals, or continuous (1.0 sec without pressure, 1.5 sec with pressure).
- RS-232 interface.
- Internal memory, external power.
- Expendable anti-foulant devices for bio-fouling protection.
- 350 m plastic or 7000 m titanium housing.
- Seasoft<sup>®</sup> V2 Windows software package (setup, data upload, and data processing).
- Field-proven MicroCAT family, with more than 10,000 instruments deployed.
- Five-year limited warranty.

## Components

- Unique internal-field conductivity cell permits use of expendable anti-foulant devices, for long-term bio-fouling protection.
- Aged and pressure-protected thermistor has a long history of exceptional accuracy and stability.
- Optional strain-gauge pressure sensor with temperature compensation is available in eight ranges (maximum depth 7000 m).



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#### **Options**

- Plastic (350 m) or titanium (7000 m) housing.
- RS-232 or RS-485 interface.
- No pressure, or strain-gauge pressure sensor in one of 8 ranges.
- XSG or wet-pluggable MCBH connector.
- No factory-supplied mount, wire mounting clamp and guide, or brackets for mounting to a flat surface.

### **Measurement Range**

Conductivity	0 to 7 S/m (0 to 70 mS/cm)
Temperature	-5 to 45 °C
Optional Pressure	20 / 100 / 350 / 600 / 1000 / 2000 / 3500 / 7000 (meters of deployment depth capability)



Initial Accuracy	
Conductivity	± 0.0003 S/m (0.003 mS/cm)
Temperature	± 0.002 °C (-5 to to 35 °C); ± 0.01 °C (35 °C to 45 °C)
Optional Pressure	$\pm$ 0.1% of full scale range

Typical Stability	
Conductivity	0.0003 S/m (0.003 mS/cm) per month
Temperature	0.0002 °C per month
Optional Pressure	0.05% of full scale range per year

Resolution	
Conductivity	0.00001 S/m (0.0001 mS/cm)
Temperature	0.0001 °C
Optional Pressure	0.002% of full scale range

Acquisition Time	1.0 - 2.6 sec/sample (see manual)
External Power	0.5 Amps at 8.5-24 VDC
Memory Capacity	530,000 samples CTD
Housing, Depth Rating, & Weight (without pressure sensor or clamps)	Plastic: 350 m, 2.2 kg in air, 1.2 kg in water Titanium: 7000 m, 2.9 kg in air, 1.9 kg in water





Optional Wire Mounting Clamp and Guide

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