

WSK-900-0001

Refrigeration Monitoring Kit, Cellular Interface



General Description

This kit contains a complete IoT sensor network. It is the ideal solution to remotely monitor (2) refrigeration units . It features the Smart.Hub (Pro, Cellular version) with power supply and antennas for cloud connectivity and (2) Whisker.Block® sensor modules. The sensor blocks are for measuring the ambient internal temperature of refrigerators or freezers.

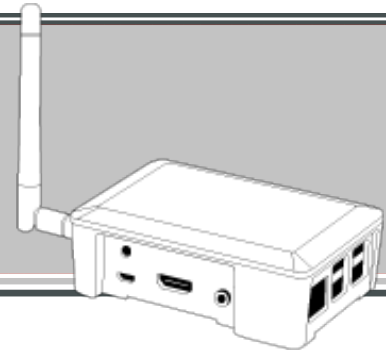
This bundle contains the following components:

Quantity	Part Number	Description
1	WH1-9-00-PDNCN-N	Smart.Hub™ Pro, Cellular Interface Whisker.io™, Smart.Hub™, Pro, 900MHz, Cellular, 120VAC
2	WB1-9-00-NNNNNNNN-0000-LR	Whisker.Block®, Internal Temp 900MHz, battery powered, int. antenna, int. temperature



WH1-9-00-PDNCN-N

Smart.Hub™ Pro, Cellular Interface



General Description

The Smart.Hub™ Pro is a versatile and reliable IOT gateway device for use in indoor applications. Smart.Hub™ products are gateways used to move data from Whisker.Block® sensor blocks and end user customized Whisker.Engine™ based sensor nodes to the Whisker.io™ cloud platform.

Features

- Plug and play operation
- Ethernet & Cellular options
- Data buffering during loss of connectivity
- Supports all Whisker.io Cloud services
- Works with 3rd party platforms via Whisker.io Forwarding
- Supports two-way communication with field devices – monitor and control
- Communicate with field devices over distances more than 1.6 kilometers.

Robustness and Reliability

If the hub loses connectivity to the Internet, it will buffer all incoming messages from field devices to storage on the SD card. When hub connectivity is restored, the messages will be sent to the cloud for storage and forwarding. In the event of catastrophic failure, the data on the SD card can be recovered using our Data Recovery App (Windows).

Throughput

The number of devices that can be supported by this hub varies with the reporting rate of the connected devices. This is a single channel hub, which ultimately determines its limitations; with a single channel, this hub can process about 1,800 messages an hour. The following table estimates device capacity for several different update rates.

Update Rate	Estimated number of devices
5 Minutes	250
1 Hour	1500
4 Hours	5000
24 Hours	10000

This hub supports two-way communications with field devices that support the Whisker.io™ protocol. For battery powered devices, the hub will queue down-stream messages (commands) and send them to the device when it reports in at its sampling interval; therefore, the command latency is equivalent to the update rate of the device. For line powered devices, commands are sent immediately, with a latency of less than 1 second.

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Storage



Devices that are configured with the storage service will persist their historic data in the Whisker.io cloud, making it available for visualization and analysis using our Whisker.io™ Portal web-based software.

Alerting



Rules based alerting allows a text or email to be sent when the specified condition is met and when it clears.

Dashboard



Secure, user friendly dashboard with visualization through gauges, graphs, sensor signal strength and fuel gauges.

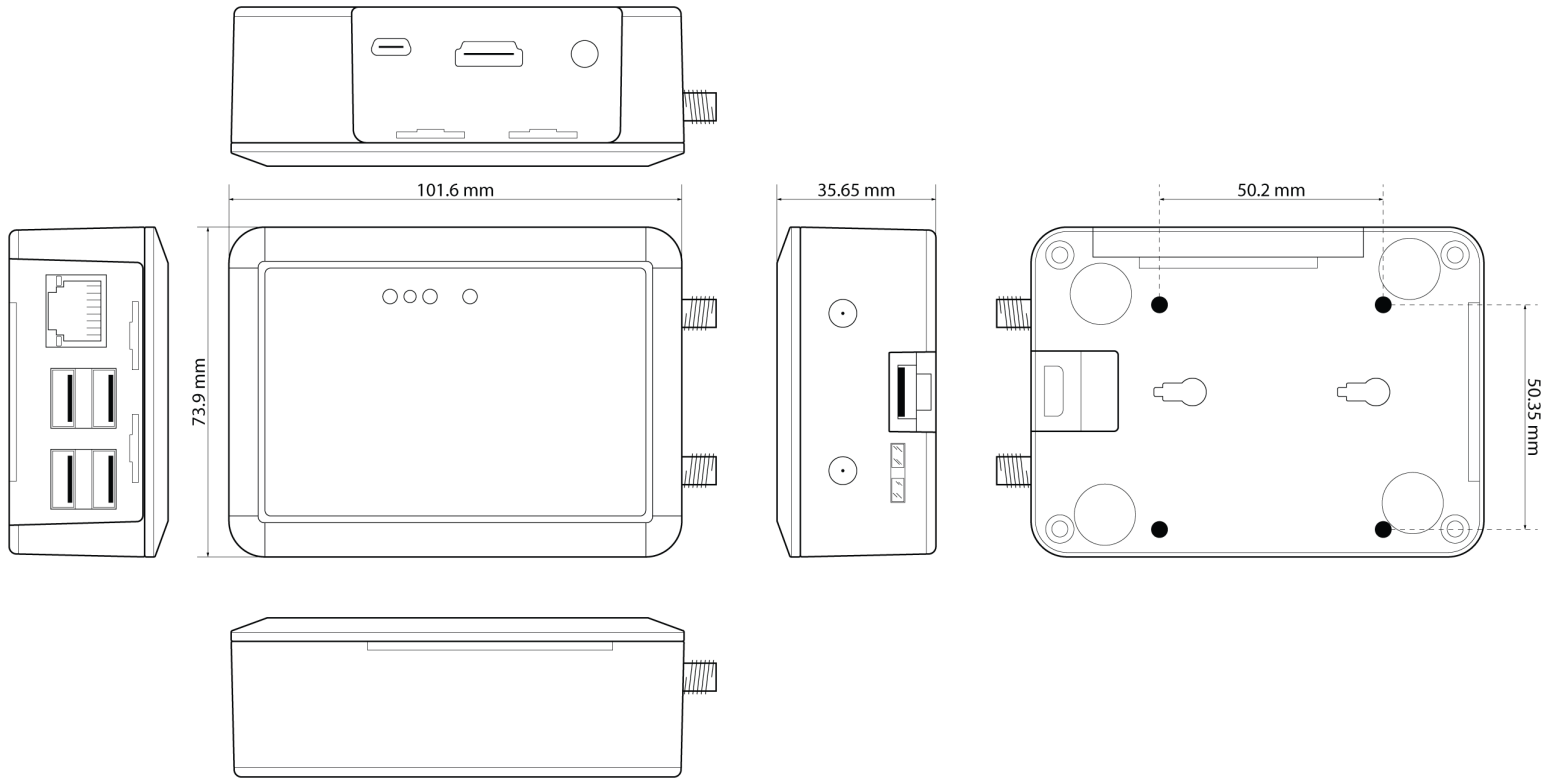
Forwarding



The forwarding service allows two-way communications between Whisker.io devices and third party platforms such as Amazon, ThingLogix, etc.



Mechanical



Connectivity Options

Every Whisker.io™ Hub can connect to the Internet via Ethernet. Hubs that are purchased with the Cellular option can also connect via Cellular.

Installation and Setup

All Whisker.io™ hubs are truly plug-and-play, requiring no provisioning or setup in the field. Simply mount the hub, connect it to power, and wait for all the status lights to come on.

Once a hub is installed, it is automatically configured to work with devices within its transmission range.

Order Information

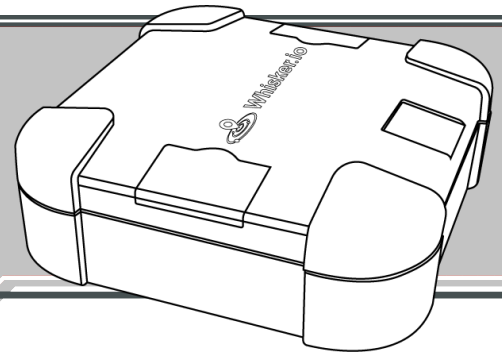
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WH1-9-00-PDNCN-N	Whisker.io™, Smart.Hub™, Pro, 900MHz, Cellular, 120VAC



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Whisker.Block®, Internal Temp



General Description

Whisker.Blocks® are long-range, wireless sensors that come in a variety of I/O and power configurations. These sensor blocks use our proprietary long range wireless communication technology, ensuring reliable and robust operation.

They can be configured for battery or external power. When powered from internal batteries, the sensors can operate for 10 or more years, depending on the sensors use and configuration. Each sensor is housed in a durable, IP67 enclosure that supports a variety of mounting methods. External sensors are connected via one or two 4-pin M8 style waterproof connectors, depending on how many external channels are configured.

The long range, exceptional battery life, and flexible I/O configurations of the Whisker.Block® make it the perfect choice for nearly any IoT application.

Power

This Whisker.Block® is powered internally using a 3.7V, 5.2A-H LiThCl battery pack that should give 10+ years of service life before a battery change is required, assuming a 5 minute update period.

Range

They come in a variety of configurations with multiple external channels for various analog and digital inputs. In an unobstructed, outdoor line-of-site environment, the sensor should be able to communicate for more than 0.8 kilometers assuming a receiving antenna elevation of 3.0 meters. If the receiving antenna is raised to 6.1 meters or more, the range should increase to more than 1.6 kilometers.

When used in environments where line of sight cannot be obtained or where there are many reflective obstacles in the transmission path, the range will degrade due to multi-path fading. It is impossible to predict the transmission range of a Whisker.Block® in any specific situation, so we do encourage users to take advantage of our site survey tools to ensure coverage exists anywhere a sensor is to be deployed. For more information on site survey techniques, see application note .

Internal Channels

This Whisker.Block® is configured with two (2) internal channels:



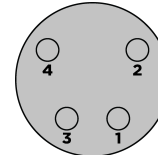
Battery Voltage



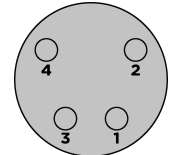
Ambient Temperature

External Connections

This Whisker.Block® has no configured external channels



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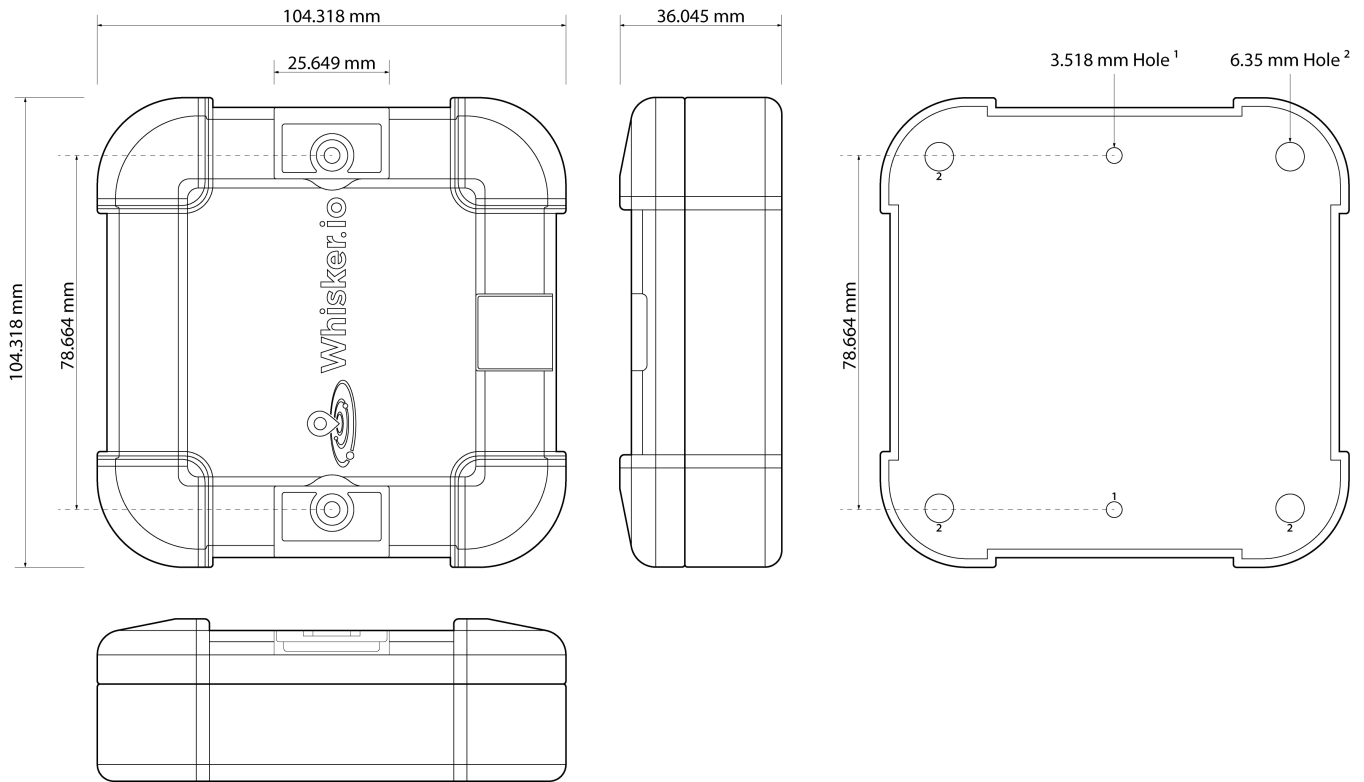


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Electrical Specifications

Parameter	Minimum	Typical	Maximum	Units
Battery Life—Standard Pack	N/A	10	20	Years
Operating Temp. Range	-40		+85	Degrees Celsius
Transmission Range		0.8-1.6		kilometers ¹
Frequency Range	902		928	MHz
Internal Temperature Measurement Range	-40		+85	Degrees Celsius
Internal Temperature Measurement Accuracy	-1		1	Degrees Celsius
Sensor Sample Rate		5		Minutes

1) Typical range: Outdoors, line of sight, unobstructed, antenna elevation 3 meters. Max range: Outdoors, line of sight, unobstructed, antenna elevation 12 meters

Order Information

Part Number	Description
WB1-9-00-NNNNNNNN-0000-LR	900MHz, battery powered, int. antenna, int. temperature



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