

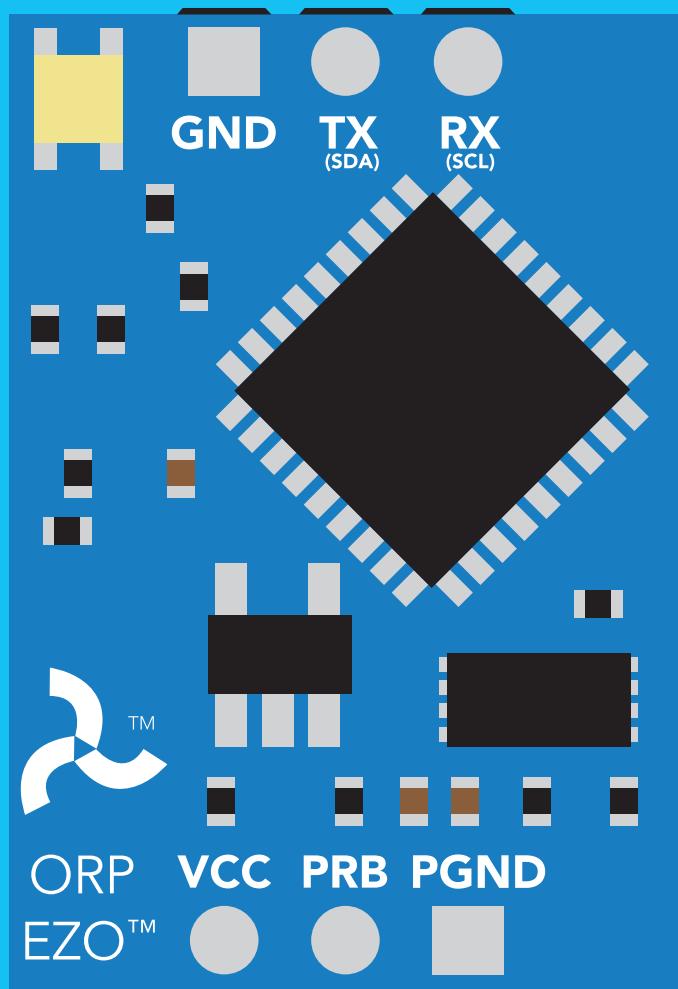
# EZO-ORP™

**Embedded ORP Circuit**

**ISO 11271 Compliant**

(determination of redox potential)

Reads	ORP
Range	-1019.9mV – 1019.9mV
Accuracy	+/- 1mV
Response time	1 reading per sec
Supported probes	Any type & brand
Calibration	Single point
Temp compensation	N/A
Data protocol	UART & I <sup>2</sup> C
Default I <sup>2</sup> C address	98 (0x62)
Operating voltage	3.3V – 5V
Data format	ASCII



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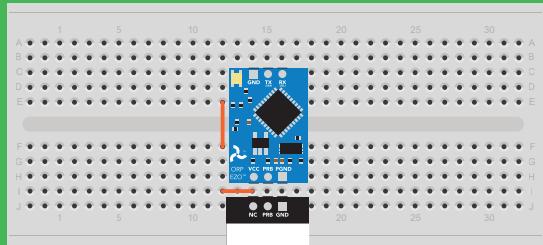
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**SOLDERING THIS DEVICE VOIDS YOUR WARRANTY.**

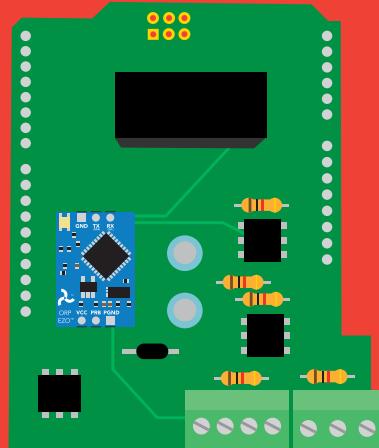
**This is sensitive electronic equipment. Get this device working in a solderless breadboard first. Once this device has been soldered it is no longer covered by our warranty.**

**This device has been designed to be soldered and can be soldered at any time. Once that decision has been made, Atlas Scientific no longer assumes responsibility for the device's continued operation. The embedded systems engineer is now the responsible party.**

**Get this device working in a solderless breadboard first!**



**Do not embed this device without testing it in a solderless breadboard!**



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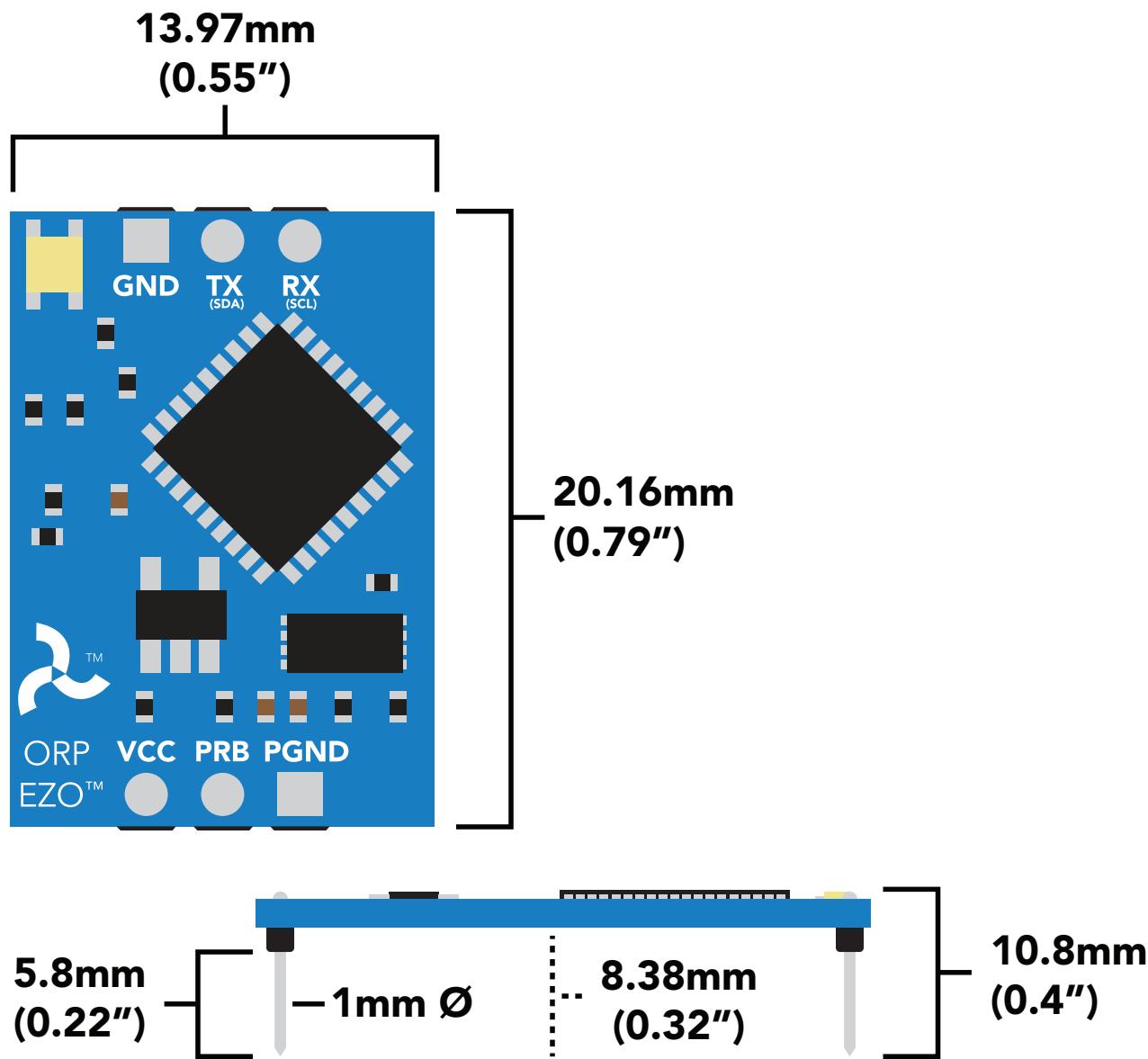
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# EZO™ circuit dimensions



## Power consumption

## Absolute max ratings

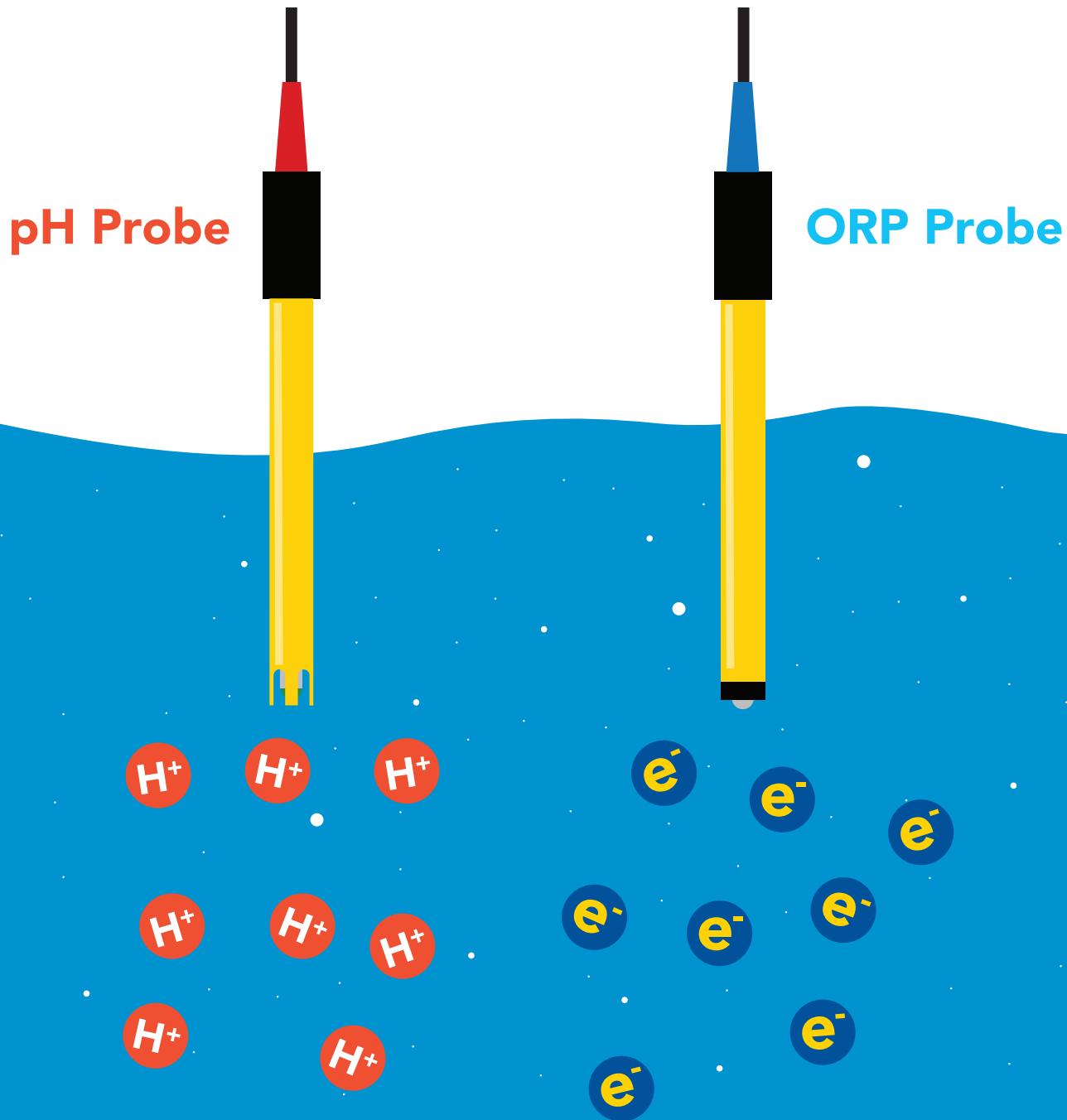
	LED	MAX	STANDBY	SLEEP
5V	ON	18.3 mA	16 mA	1.16 mA
	OFF	13.8 mA	13.8 mA	
3.3V	ON	14.5 mA	13.9 mA	0.995 mA
	OFF	13.3 mA	13.3 mA	

Parameter	MIN	TYP	MAX
Storage temperature (EZO™ ORP)	-65 °C		125 °C
Operational temperature (EZO™ ORP)	-40 °C	25 °C	85 °C
VCC	3.3V	5V	5.5V

# Operating principle

ORP stands for **oxidation/reduction potential**. Oxidation is the loss of electrons and reduction is the gain of electrons. The output of the probe is represented in millivolts and can be positive or negative.

Just like a pH probe measures hydrogen ion activity in a liquid; an ORP probe measures electron activity in a liquid. The ORP readings represents how strongly electrons are transferred to or from substances in a liquid. Keeping in mind that the readings do not indicate the amount of electrons available for transfer.

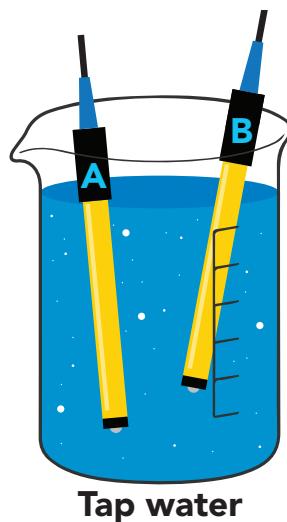


When reading the ORP of a liquid that has very few electrons available for transfer ORP readings can appear to be inconsistent.

The water is unreactive and has only trace amounts of electron movement. These readings are equivalent to the readings you see with an unconnected multimeter.

**-234.6**

Reading A

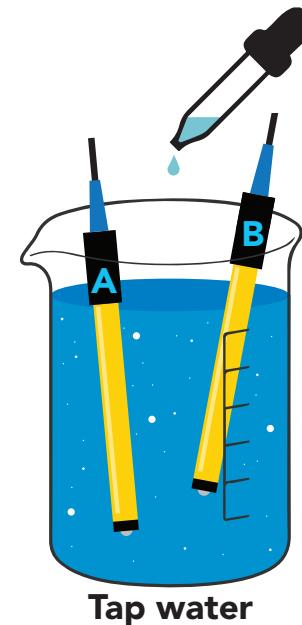


**24.2**

Reading B

**606.9**

Reading A

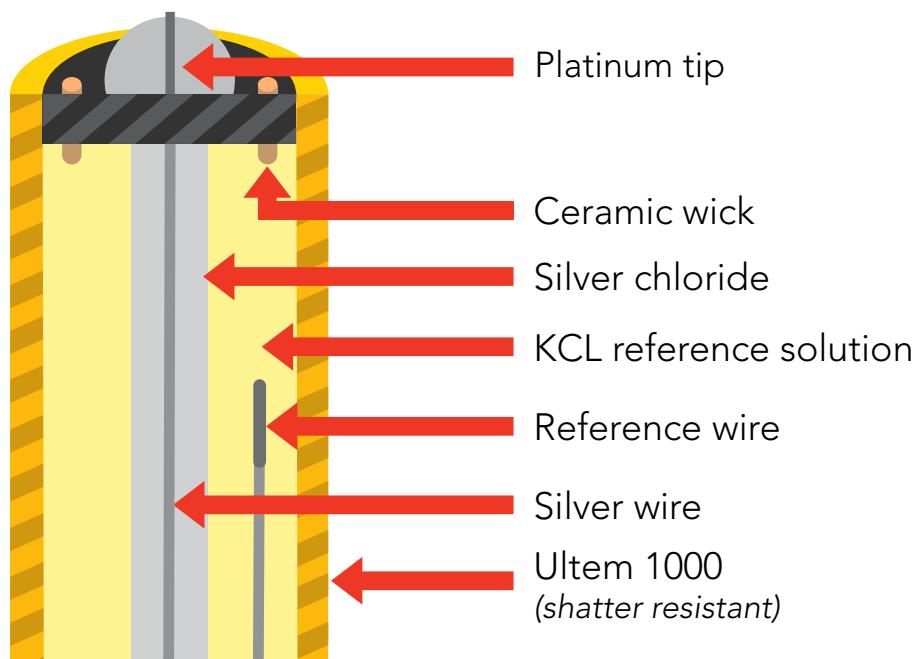


**605.3**

Reading B

Add just a drop of bleach  
(which is an oxidizing agent)

An ORP probe has a platinum tip that is connected to a silver wire, surrounded by silver chloride. That silver wire is then connected to a KCL reference solution. Because platinum is an unreactive metal it can “silently observe” the electron activity of the liquid without becoming apart of whatever reaction is occurring in the liquid.



# Power and data isolation

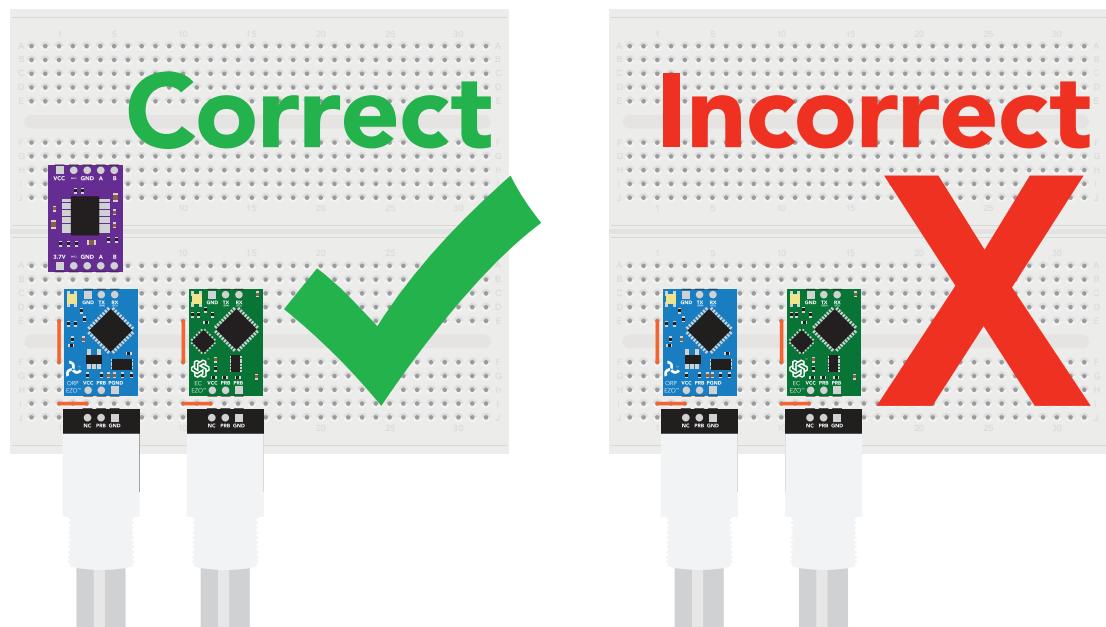
The Atlas Scientific EZO™ ORP circuit is a very sensitive device. This sensitivity is what gives the ORP circuit its accuracy. This also means that the ORP circuit is capable of reading micro-voltages that are bleeding into the water from unnatural sources such as pumps, solenoid valves or other probes/sensors.

When electrical noise is interfering with the ORP readings it is common to see rapidly fluctuating readings or readings that are consistently off. To verify that electrical noise is causing inaccurate readings, place the ORP probe in a cup of water by itself. The readings should stabilize quickly, confirming that electrical noise was the issue.



When reading ORP and Conductivity or Dissolved Oxygen together, it is **strongly recommended** that the EZO™ ORP circuit is electrically isolated from the EZO™ Conductivity or Dissolved Oxygen circuit.

Basic EZO™  
Inline Voltage Isolator



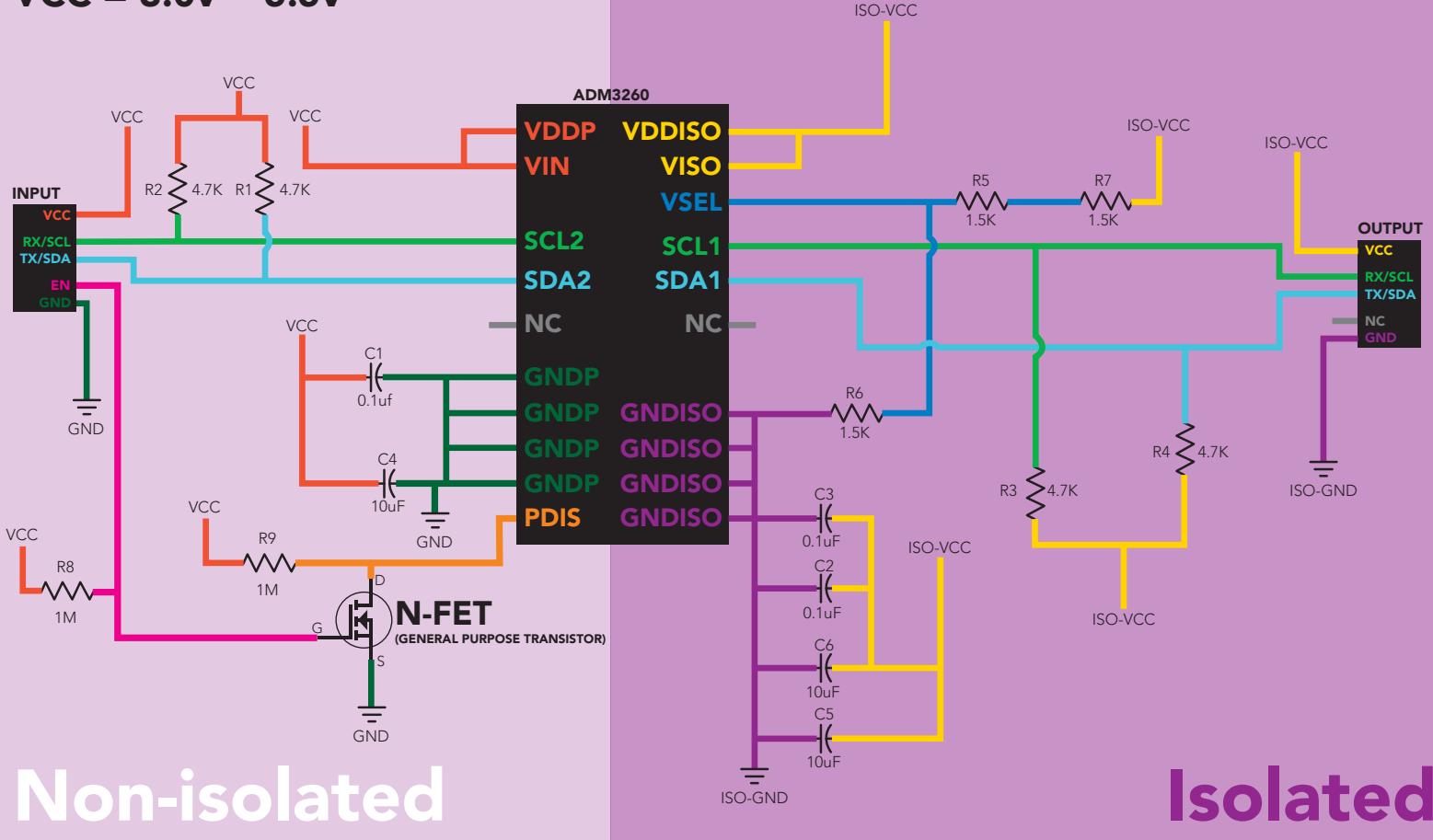
**Without isolation, Conductivity and Dissolved Oxygen  
readings will effect ORP accuracy.**

This schematic shows exactly how we isolate data and power using the and a few passive components. The ADM3260 can output isolated power up to 150 mW and incorporates two bidirectional data channels.

This technology works by using tiny transformers to induce the voltage across an air gap. PCB layout requires special attention for EMI/EMC and RF Control, having proper ground planes and keeping the capacitors as close to the chip as possible are crucial for proper performance. The two data channels have a  $4.7\text{k}\Omega$  pull up resistor on both the isolated and non-isolated lines (R1, R2, R3, and R4) The output voltage is set using a voltage divider (R5, R6, and R7) this produces a voltage of 3.9V regardless of your input voltage.

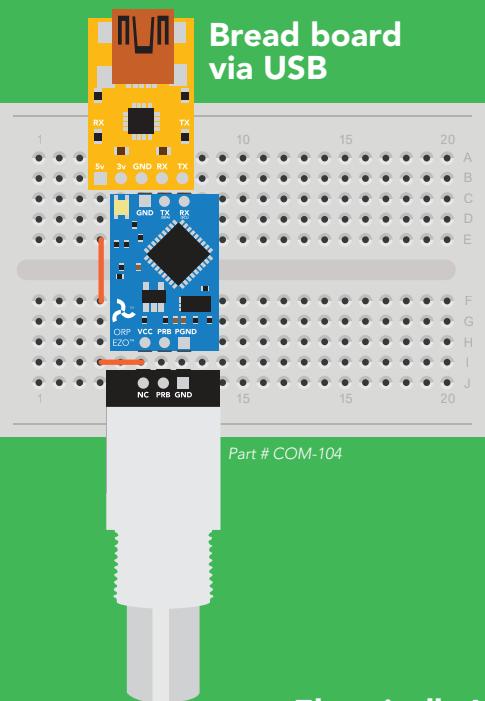
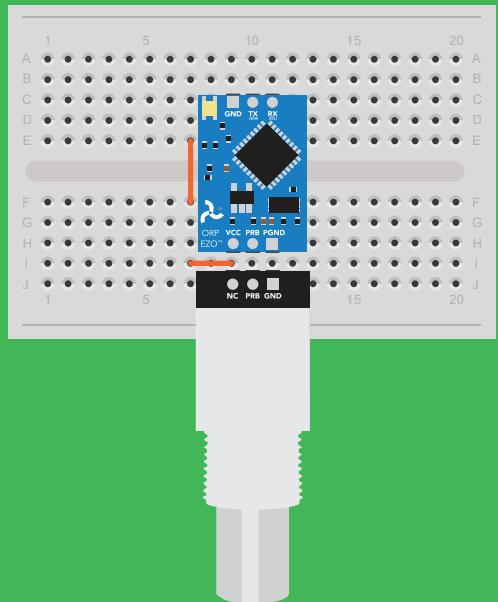
**Isolated ground is different from non-isolated ground, these two lines should not be connected together.**

**VCC = 3.0v – 5.5v**

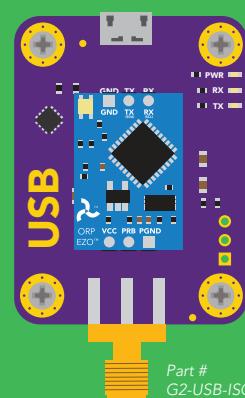


# ✓ Correct wiring

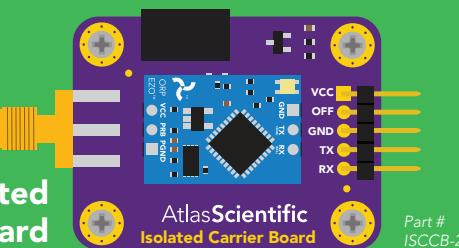
## Bread board



Carrier board      USB carrier board



Part # G2-USB-ISO



Part # ISCCB-2

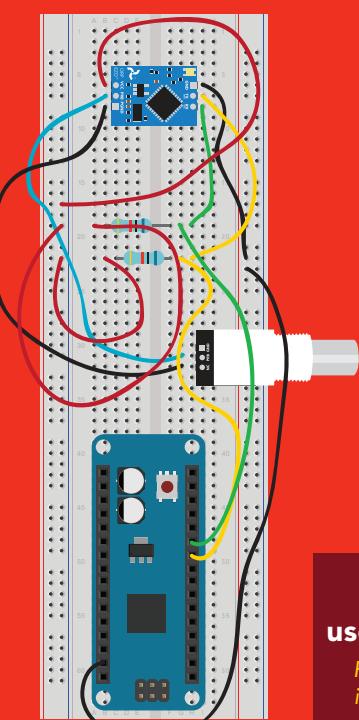
Electrically Isolated  
EZO™ Carrier Board

# ✗ Incorrect wiring

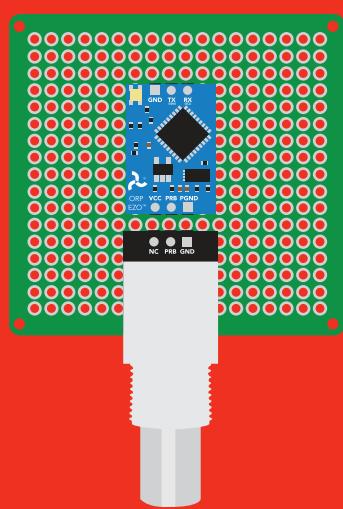
## Extended leads



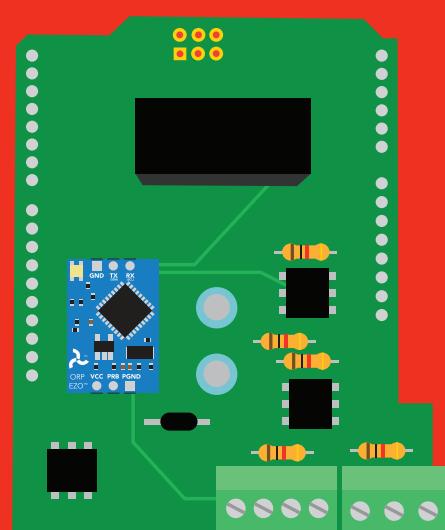
## Sloppy setup



## Perfboards or Protoboards



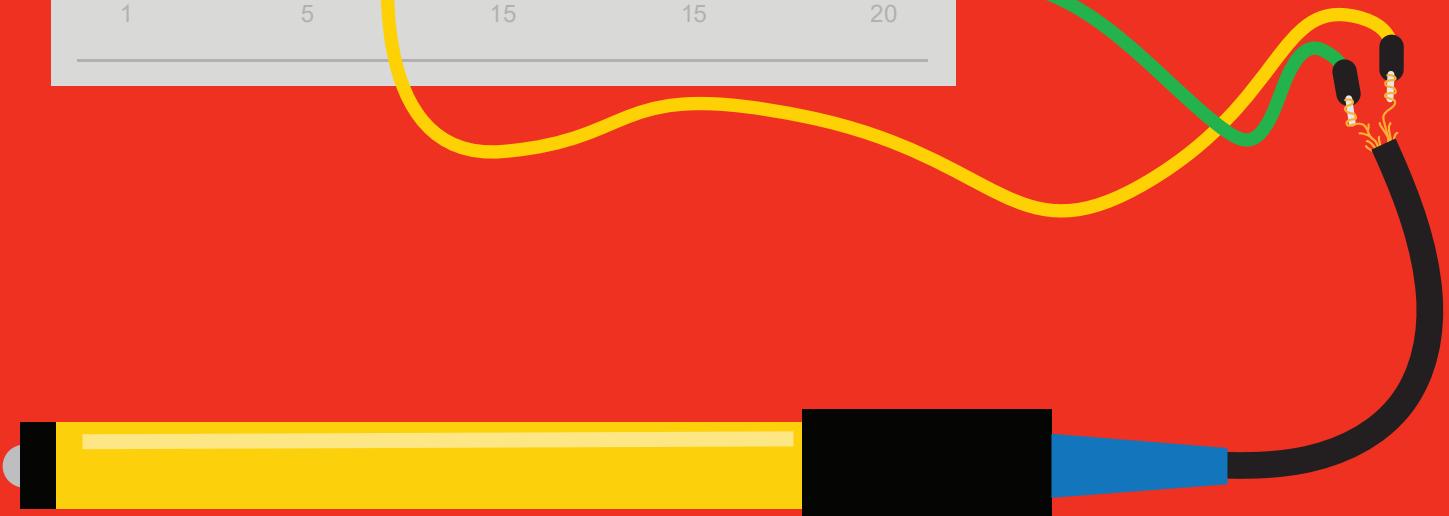
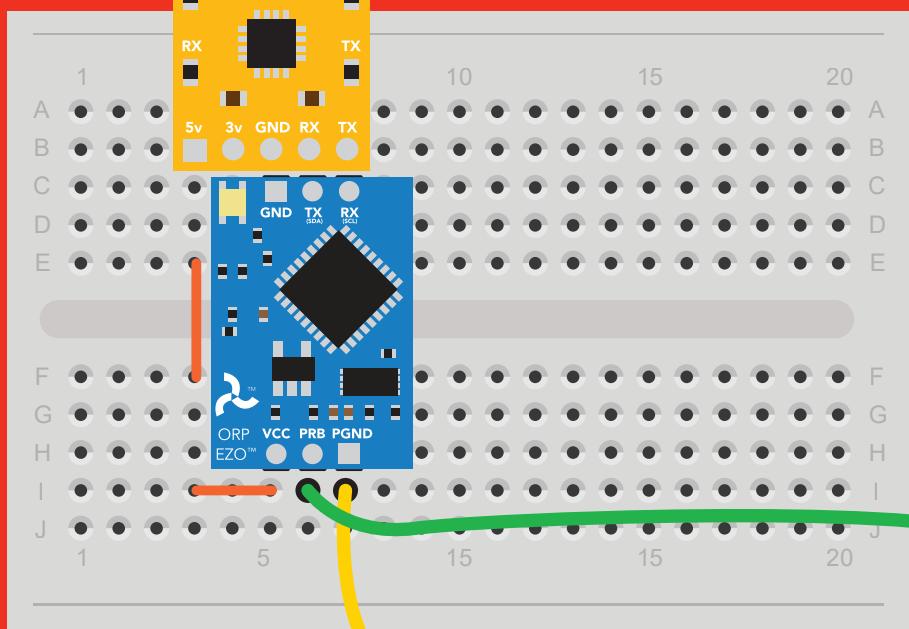
\*Embedded into your device



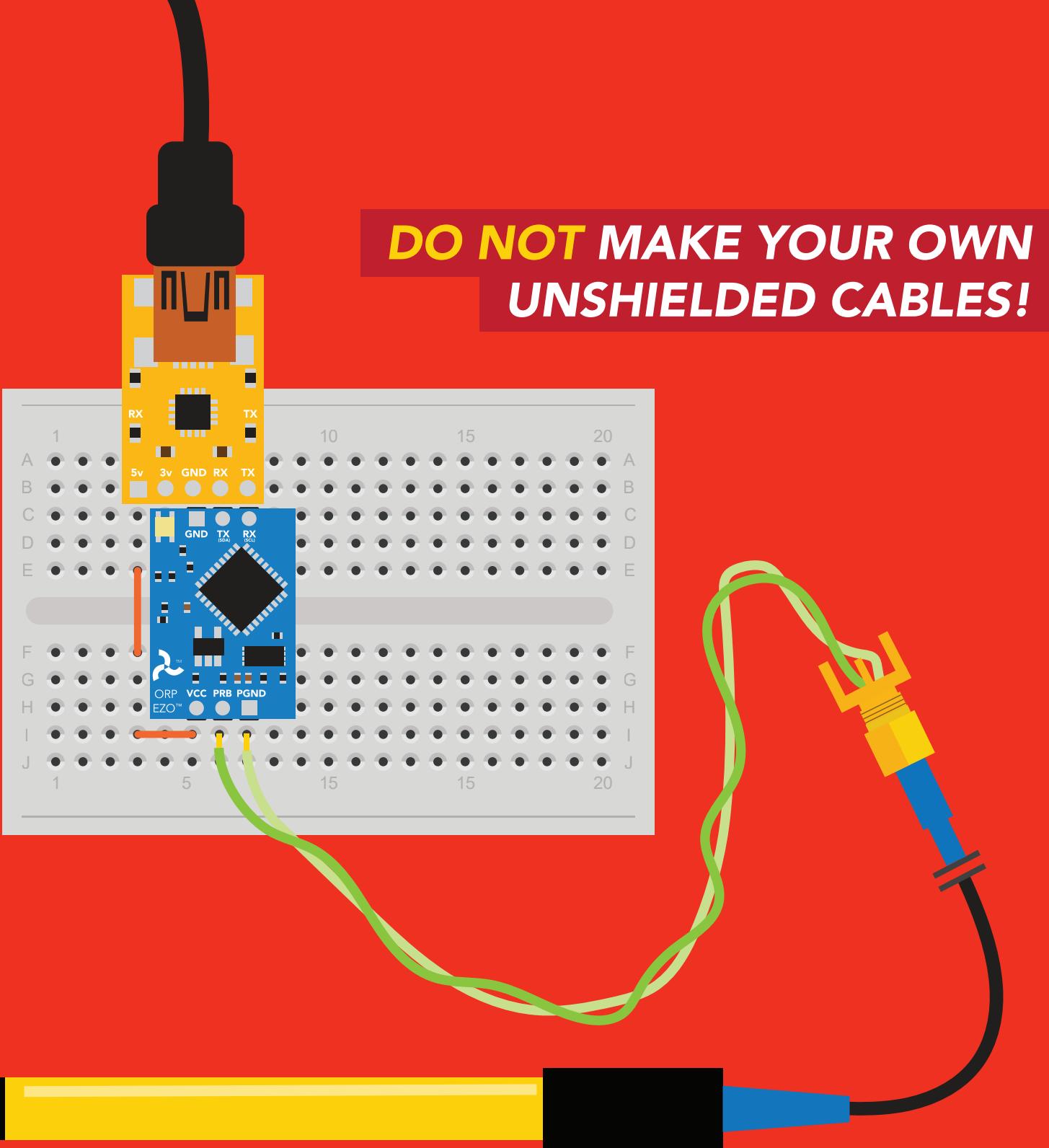
**NEVER**  
use Perfboards or Protoboards  
*Flux residue and shorting wires make it very hard to get accurate readings.*

\*Only after you are familiar with EZO™ circuits operation

**NEVER EXTEND THE CABLE  
WITH CHEAP JUMPER WIRES!**



**DO NOT CUT THE PROBE CABLE  
WITHOUT REFERING TO *THIS DOCUMENT!***



**ONLY USE SHIELDED CABLES.  
REFER TO [THIS DOCUMENT!](#)**

# Calibration theory

## Simple calibration

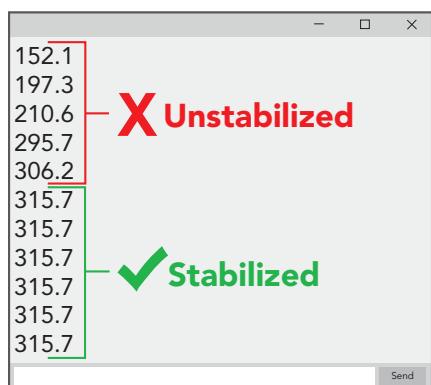
# UART mode

## Continuous readings

## Advanced calibration

I<sup>2</sup>C mode

Continuously request readings



The most important part of calibration is watching the readings during the calibration process.

It's easiest to calibrate the device in its default state (UART mode, with continuous readings enabled).

Switching the device to I<sup>2</sup>C mode after calibration **will not** affect the stored calibration. If the device must be calibrated in I<sup>2</sup>C mode be sure to **continuously request readings** so you can see the output from the probe.



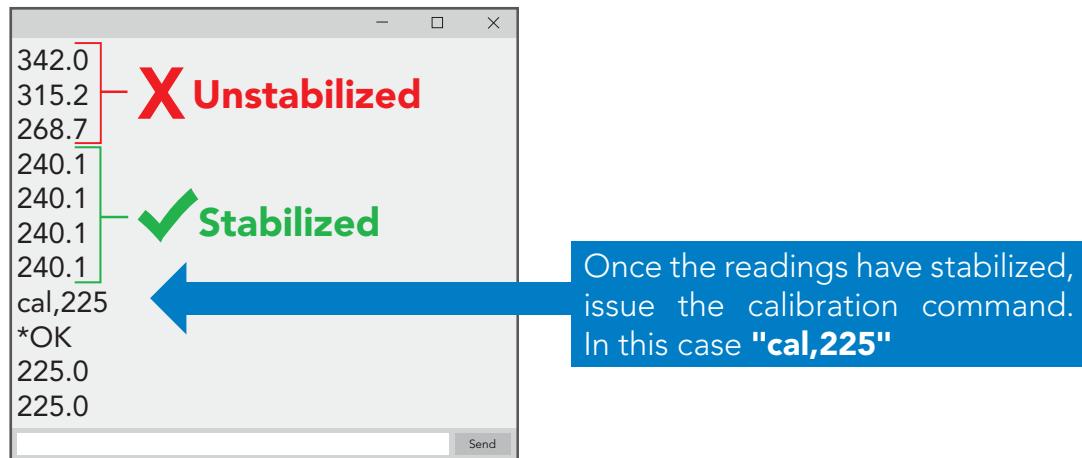
The Atlas Scientific EZO™ ORP circuit has a flexible calibration protocol, allowing single point calibration to ***any off the shelf calibration solution.***

However, If this is your first time calibrating the EZO™ ORP circuit, Atlas Scientific recommends using the 225mv calibration solution.



# Single point calibration

Remove the soaker bottle and rinse off the ORP probe. Remove the top of the **ORP 225mV** calibration solution pouch. Insert the ORP probe directly into the pouch, and let the probe sit in the calibration solution until the readings stabilize (*small movement from one reading to the next is normal*).



## Calibration should be done at least once per year

If the ORP that's being read is continuously on the extremes of the scale (~ -900mV or +900mV) calibration may have to be done more often. The exact frequency of calibration will have to be determined by your engineering team.

# Default state UART mode

Baud

9,600

Readings

continuous

Speed

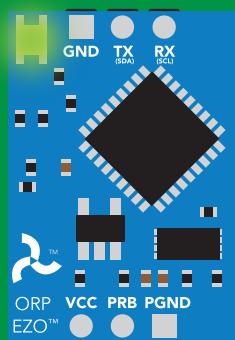
1 reading per second

LED

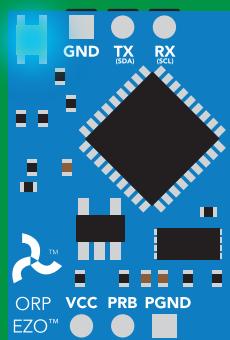
on



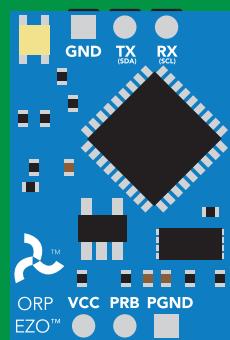
1,000 ms



Green  
Standby



Cyan  
Taking reading



Transmitting

 Available data protocols

**UART**

**Default**

**I<sup>2</sup>C**

 Unavailable data protocols

**SPI**

**Analog**

**RS-485**

**Mod Bus**

**4–20mA**

# UART mode

## Settings that are retained if power is cut

Baud rate  
Calibration  
Continuous mode  
Device name  
Enable/disable response codes  
Hardware switch to I<sup>2</sup>C mode  
LED control  
Protocol lock  
Software switch to I<sup>2</sup>C mode

## Settings that are **NOT** retained if power is cut

Find  
Sleep mode

# UART mode

8 data bits      no parity  
1 stop bit      no flow control

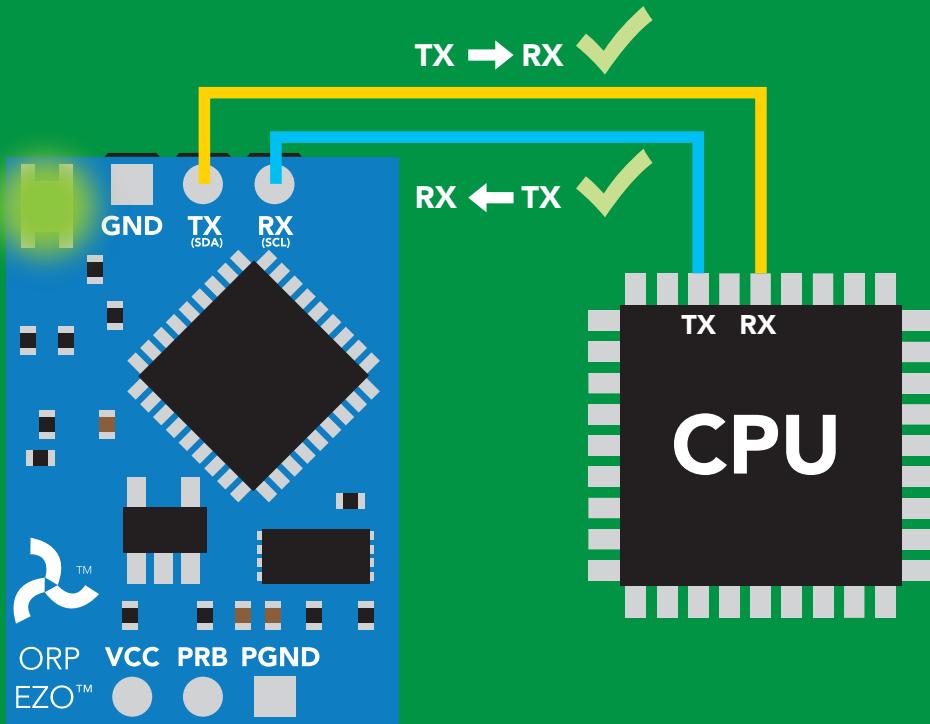
Baud 300  
1,200  
2,400  
**9,600 default**  
19,200  
38,400  
57,600  
115,200

**RX** Data in

**TX** Data out

**Vcc** 3.3V – 5.5V

0V      VCC      0V



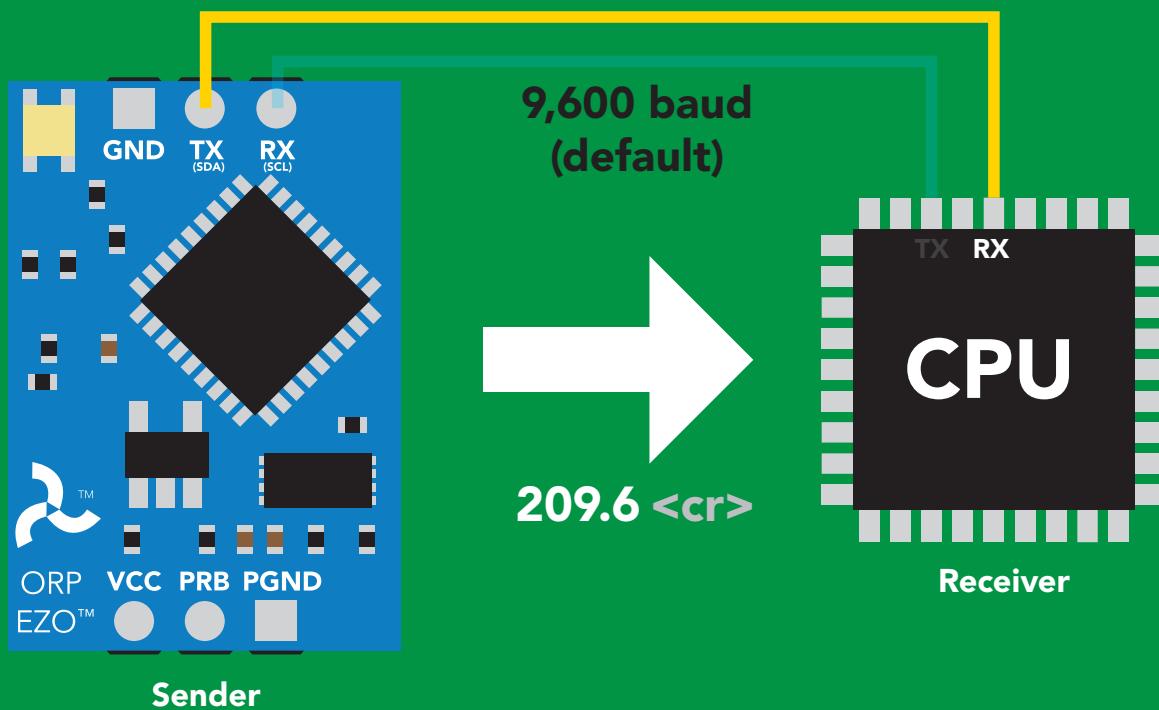
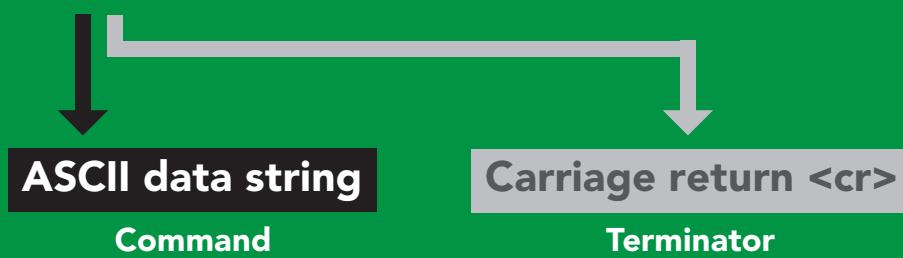
## Data format

Reading ORP  
Units mV  
Encoding ASCII  
Format string  
Terminator carriage return

Data type floating point  
Decimal places 1  
Smallest string 2 characters  
Largest string 40 characters

# Receiving data from device

2 parts



## Advanced

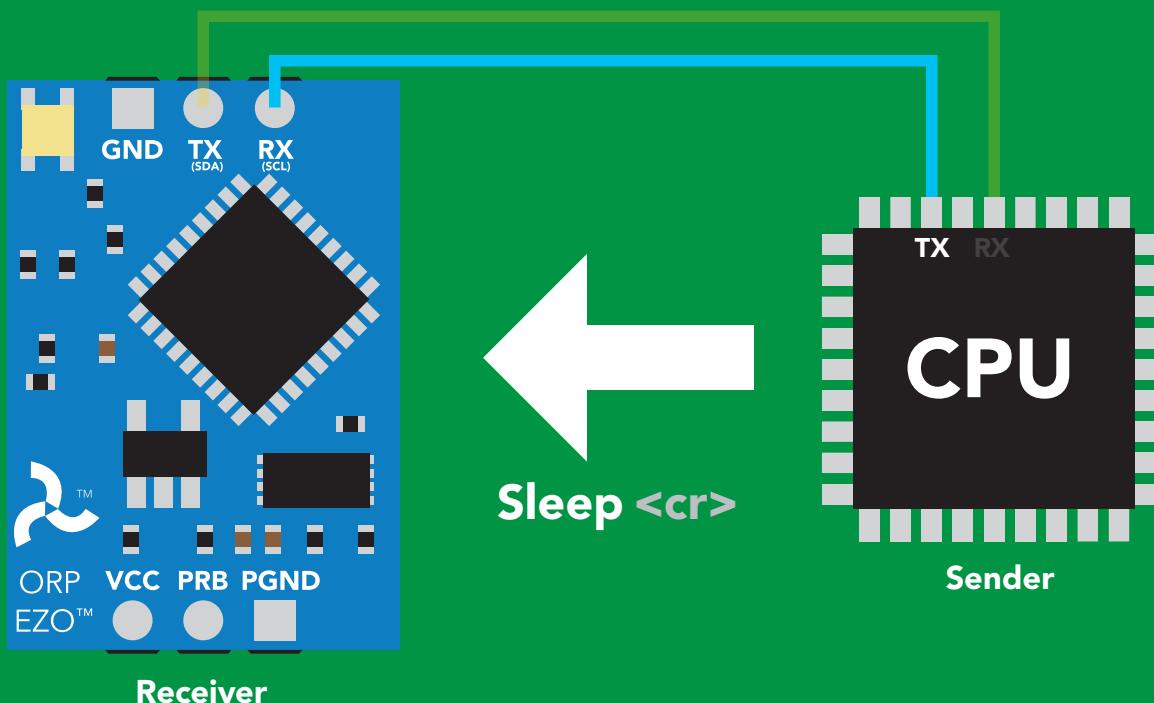
ASCII: 2 0 9 . 6 <cr>

Hex: 32 30 39 2E 36 0D

Dec: 50 48 57 46 54 13

# Sending commands to device

2 parts



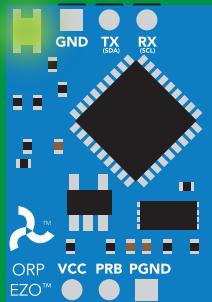
## Advanced

ASCII: S I e e p <cr>

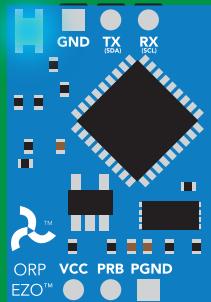
Hex: 53 6C 65 65 70 0D

Dec: 83 108 101 101 112 13

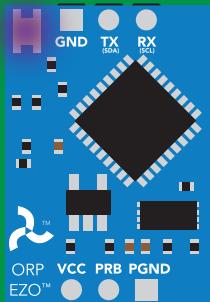
# LED color definition



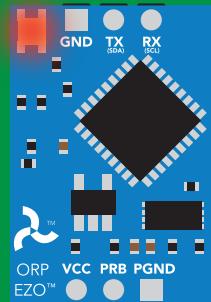
**Green**  
UART standby



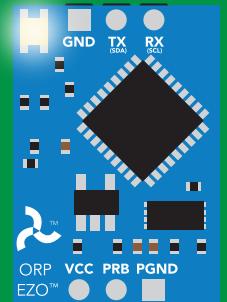
**Cyan**  
Taking reading



**Purple**  
Changing baud rate



**Red**  
Command not understood



**White**  
Find

**5V**      LED ON  
                +2.2 mA

**3.3V**      +0.6 mA

# UART mode

## command quick reference

All commands are ASCII strings or single ASCII characters.

Command	Function	Default state
Baud	change baud rate	pg. 34 9,600
C	enable/disable continuous reading	pg. 24 enabled
Cal	performs calibration	pg. 26 n/a
Export	export calibration	pg. 27 n/a
Factory	enable factory reset	pg. 36 n/a
Find	finds device with blinking white LED	pg. 23 n/a
i	device information	pg. 30 n/a
I2C	change to I <sup>2</sup> C mode	pg. 37 not set
Import	import calibration	pg. 28 n/a
L	enable/disable LED	pg. 22 enabled
Name	set/show name of device	pg. 29 not set
Plock	enable/disable protocol lock	pg. 35 disabled
R	returns a single reading	pg. 25 n/a
Sleep	enter sleep mode/low power	pg. 33 n/a
Status	retrieve status information	pg. 32 n/a
*OK	enable/disable response codes	pg. 31 enable

# LED control

## Command syntax

L,1 <cr> LED on **default**

L,0 <cr> LED off

L,? <cr> LED state on/off?

### Example

L,1 <cr>

\*OK <cr>

L,0 <cr>

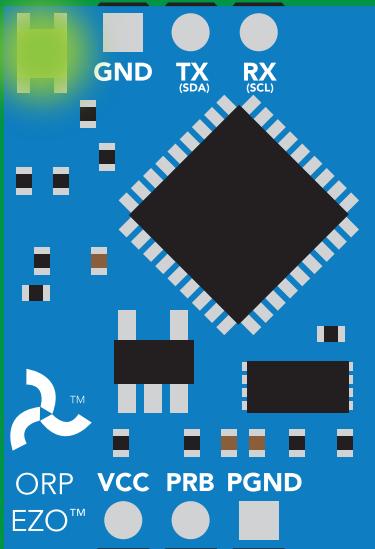
\*OK <cr>

L,? <cr>

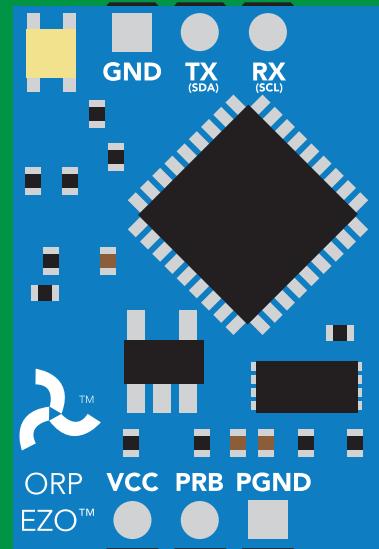
?L,1 <cr> or ?L,0 <cr>

\*OK <cr>

L,1



L,0



# Find

## Command syntax

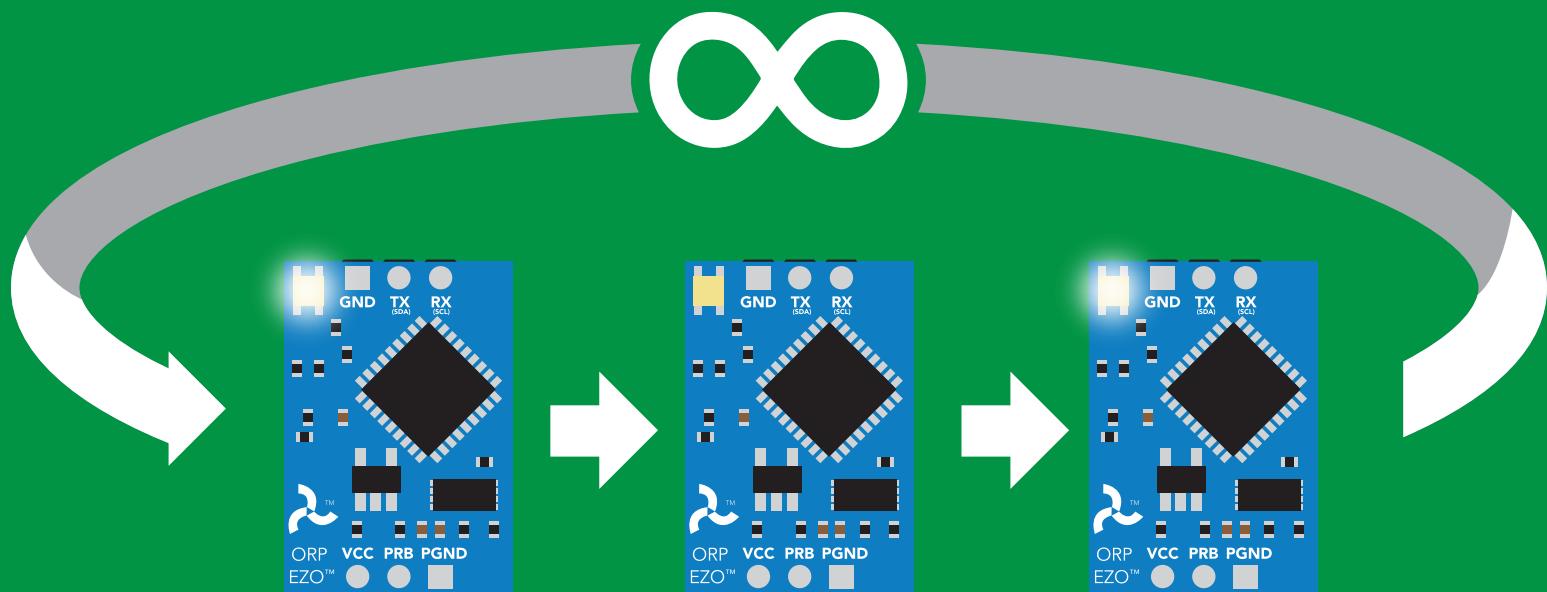
This command will disable continuous mode  
Send any character or command to terminate find.

Find <cr> LED rapidly blinks white, used to help find device

## Example Response

Find <cr>

\*OK <cr>



# Continuous reading mode

## Command syntax

- C,1 <cr> enable continuous readings once per second **default**
- C,n <cr> continuous readings every n seconds (n = 2 to 99 sec)
- C,0 <cr> disable continuous readings
- C,? <cr> continuous reading mode on/off?

## Example      Response

C,1 <cr>

\*OK <cr>  
ORP (1 sec) <cr>  
ORP (2 sec) <cr>  
ORP (n sec) <cr>

C,30 <cr>

\*OK <cr>  
ORP (30 sec) <cr>  
ORP (60 sec) <cr>  
ORP (90 sec) <cr>

C,0 <cr>

\*OK <cr>

C,? <cr>

?C,1 <cr> or ?C,0 <cr> or ?C,30 <cr>  
\*OK <cr>

# Single reading mode

## Command syntax

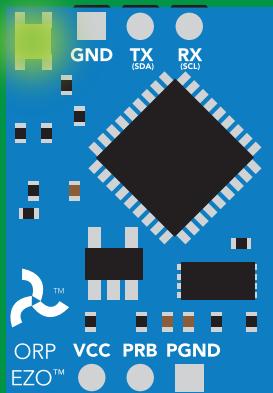
R <cr> takes single reading

### Example Response

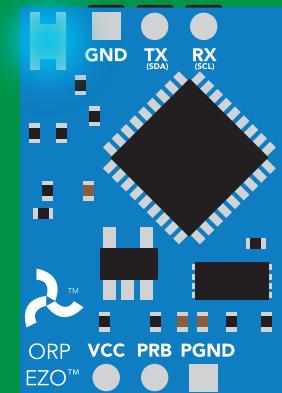
R <cr>

209.6 <cr>

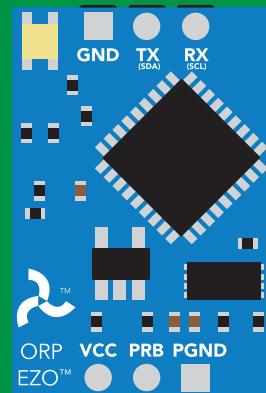
\*OK <cr>



Green  
Standby



Cyan  
Taking reading



Transmitting



# Calibration

## Command syntax

The EZO™ ORP circuit can be calibrated to any known ORP value

- Cal,n <cr>** calibrates the ORP circuit to a set value
- Cal,clear <cr>** delete calibration data
- Cal,? <cr>** device calibrated?

## Example

**Cal,225 <cr>**

## Response

**\*OK <cr>**

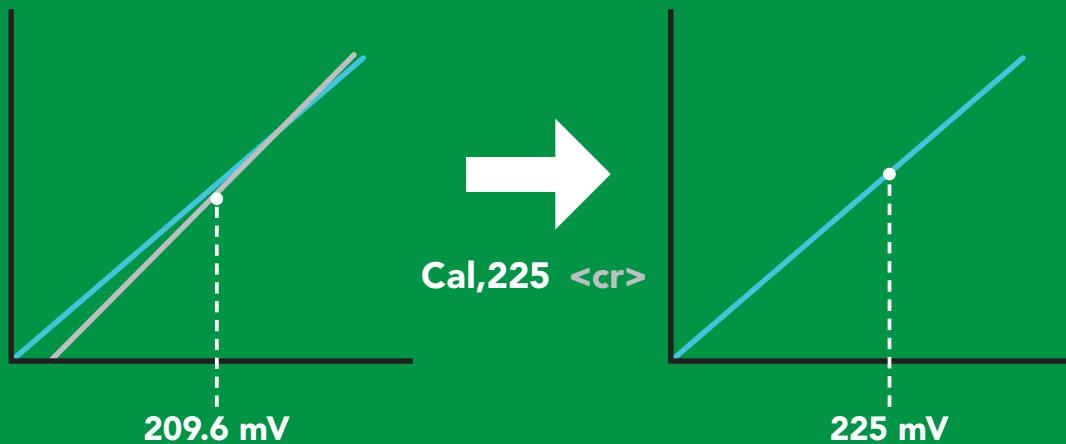
**Cal,clear <cr>**

**\*OK <cr>**

**Cal,? <cr>**

**?Cal,0 <cr> or ?Cal,1 <cr>**

**\*OK <cr>**



# Export calibration

## Command syntax

Export: Use this command to download calibration settings

**Export,? <cr>** calibration string info

**Export <cr>** export calibration string from calibrated device

## Example

Export,? <cr>

## Response

10,120 <cr>

### Response breakdown

10, 120

# of strings to export

# of bytes to export

Export strings can be up to 12 characters long,  
and is always followed by <cr>

Export <cr>

59 6F 75 20 61 72 <cr> (1 of 10)

Export <cr>

65 20 61 20 63 6F <cr> (2 of 10)

(7 more)

⋮

Export <cr>

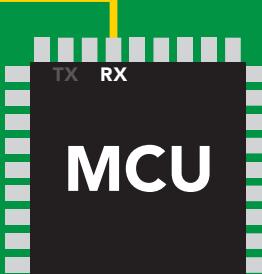
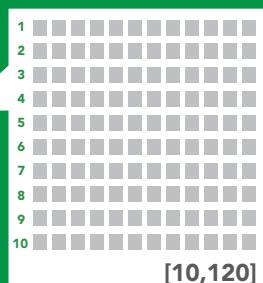
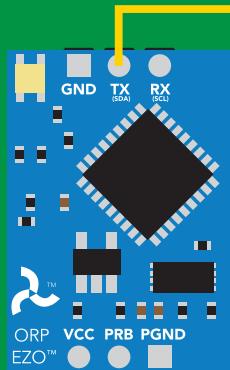
6F 6C 20 67 75 79 <cr> (10 of 10)

Export <cr>

\*DONE

Disabling \*OK simplifies this process

Export <cr>



\*DONE

# Import calibration

## Command syntax

Import: Use this command to upload calibration settings to one or more devices.

**Import,n <cr> import calibration string to new device**

## Example

Import, 59 6F 75 20 61 72 <cr> (1 of 10)

Import, 65 20 61 20 63 6F <cr> (2 of 10)

⋮

Import, 6F 6C 20 67 75 79 <cr> (10 of 10)

## Response

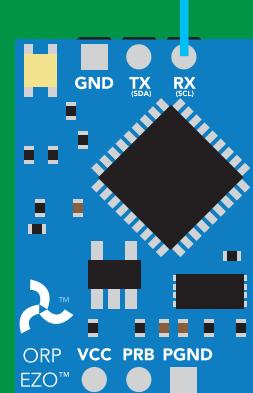
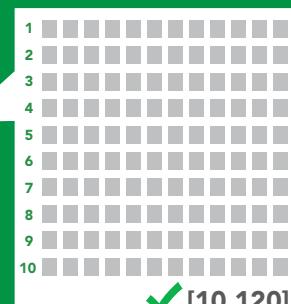
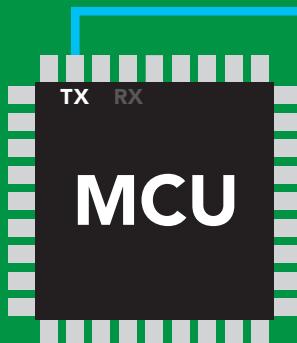
\*OK <cr>

\*OK <cr>

⋮

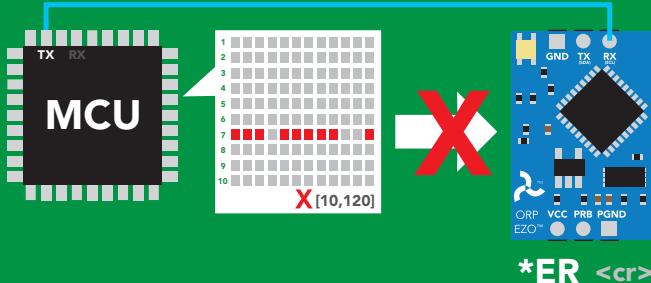
\*OK <cr>

**Import,n <cr>**



\*OK <cr>

system will reboot



\*ER <cr>

\* If one of the imported strings is not correctly entered, the device will not accept the import, respond with \*ER and reboot.

# Naming device

## Command syntax

Do not use spaces in the name

Name,n <cr> set name

n = 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16

Name, <cr> clears name

Up to 16 ASCII characters

Name,? <cr> show name

## Example

## Response

Name, <cr>

\*OK <cr> name has been cleared

Name,zzt <cr>

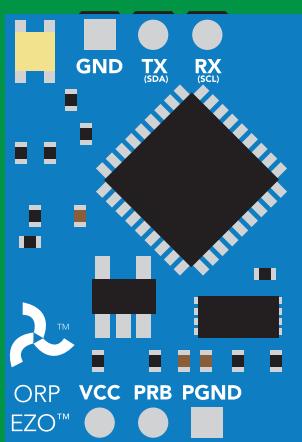
\*OK <cr>

Name,? <cr>

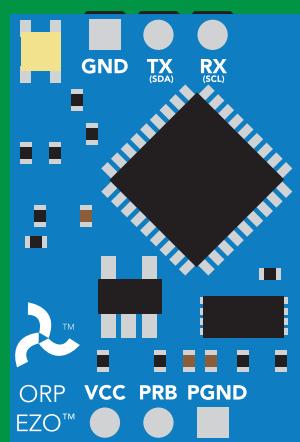
?Name,zzt <cr>

\*OK <cr>

Name,zzt



Name,?



\*OK <cr>

?Name,zzt <cr>

\*OK <cr>

# Device information

## Command syntax

**i <cr> device information**

### Example      Response

i <cr>

?i,ORP,1.97 <cr>  
\*OK <cr>

### Response breakdown

?i, ORP, 1.97  
↑      ↑  
Device   Firmware

# Response codes

## Command syntax

\*OK,1 <cr> enable response **default**  
\*OK,0 <cr> disable response  
\*OK,? <cr> response on/off?

### Example

R <cr>

**209.6 <cr>**

**\*OK <cr>**

**\*OK,0 <cr>**

**no response, \*OK disabled**

R <cr>

**209.6 <cr> \*OK disabled**

**\*OK,? <cr>**

**?\*OK,1 <cr> or ?\*OK,0 <cr>**

### Response

### Other response codes

\*ER unknown command  
\*OV over volt (VCC>=5.5V)  
\*UV under volt (VCC<=3.1V)  
\*RS reset  
\*RE boot up complete, ready  
\*SL entering sleep mode  
\*WA wake up

These response codes  
cannot be disabled

# Reading device status

## Command syntax

Status <cr> voltage at Vcc pin and reason for last restart

### Example      Response

Status <cr>

?Status,P,5.038 <cr>

\*OK <cr>

### Response breakdown

?Status, P, 5.038  
↑                    ↑  
Reason for restart      Voltage at Vcc

#### Restart codes

P	powered off
S	software reset
B	brown out
W	watchdog
U	unknown

# Sleep mode/low power

## Command syntax

Send any character or command to awaken device.

**Sleep <cr>** enter sleep mode/low power

### Example

**Sleep <cr>**

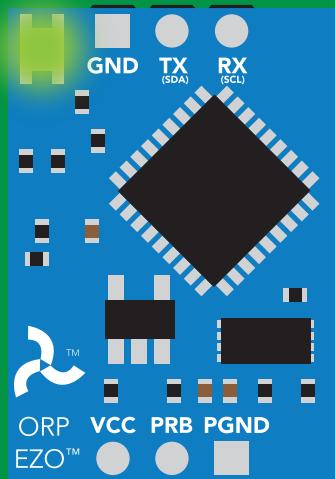
**\*OK <cr>**

**\*SL <cr>**

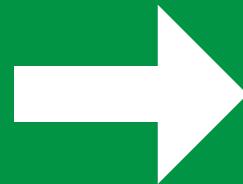
### Any command

**\*WA <cr> wakes up device**

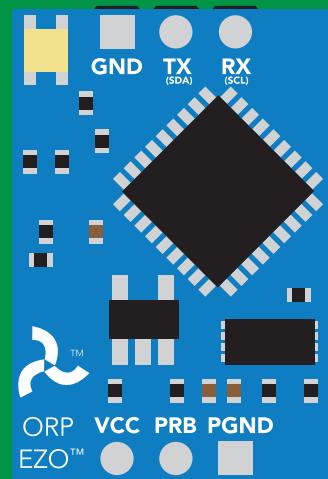
	STANDBY	SLEEP
<b>5V</b>	<b>16 mA</b>	<b>1.16 mA</b>
<b>3.3V</b>	<b>13.9 mA</b>	<b>0.995 mA</b>



**Standby  
16 mA**



**Sleep <cr>**



**Sleep  
1.16 mA**

# Change baud rate

## Command syntax

Baud,n <cr> change baud rate

### Example

Baud,38400 <cr>

### Response

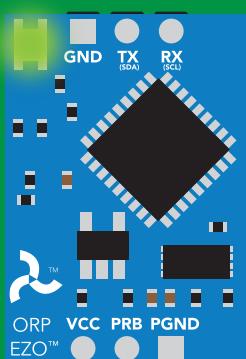
\*OK <cr>

Baud,? <cr>

?Baud,38400 <cr>

\*OK <cr>

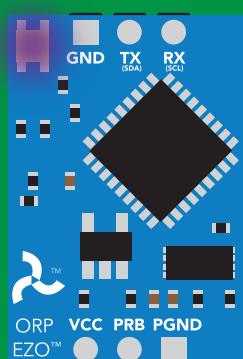
n = [ 300  
1200  
2400  
**9600 default**  
19200  
38400  
57600  
115200 ]



Standby



Baud,38400 <cr>

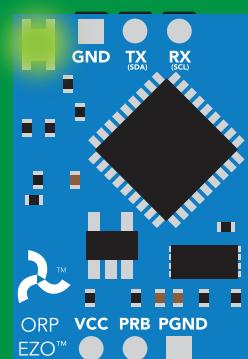


Changing  
baud rate

\*OK <cr>



(reboot)



Standby

# Protocol lock

## Command syntax

Locks device to UART mode.

Plock,1 <cr> enable Plock

Plock,0 <cr> disable Plock **default**

Plock,? <cr> Plock on/off?

## Example

Plock,1 <cr>

\*OK <cr>

Plock,0 <cr>

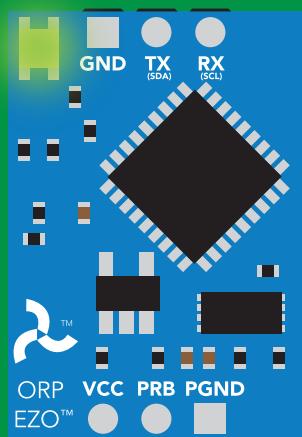
\*OK <cr>

Plock,? <cr>

?Plock,1 <cr> or ?Plock,0 <cr>

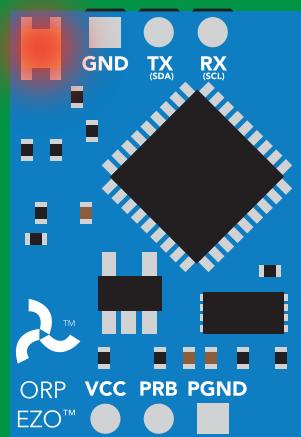
## Response

Plock,1



\*OK <cr>

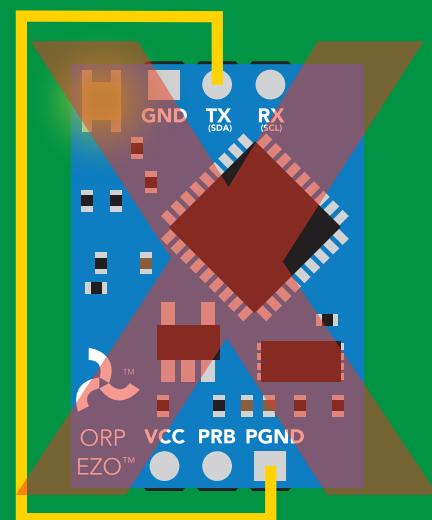
I2C,100



cannot change to I<sup>2</sup>C

\*ER <cr>

Short



cannot change to I<sup>2</sup>C

# Factory reset

## Command syntax

Clears calibration  
LED on  
"\*OK" enabled

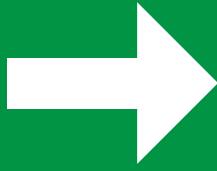
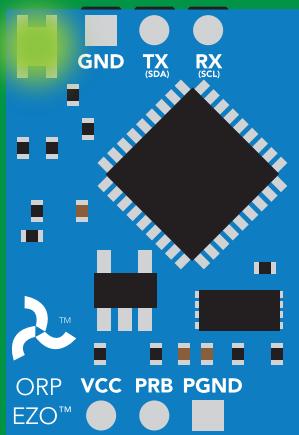
Factory <cr> enable factory reset

## Example Response

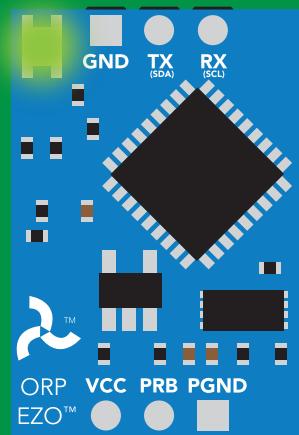
Factory <cr>

\*OK <cr>

Factory <cr>



(reboot)



\*OK <cr>

\*RS <cr>

\*RE <cr>

Baud rate will not change

# Change to I<sup>2</sup>C mode

## Command syntax

Default I<sup>2</sup>C address 98 (0x62)

I<sup>2</sup>C,n <cr> sets I<sup>2</sup>C address and reboots into I<sup>2</sup>C mode

n = any number 1 – 127

## Example      Response

I<sup>2</sup>C,100 <cr>

\*OK (reboot in I<sup>2</sup>C mode)

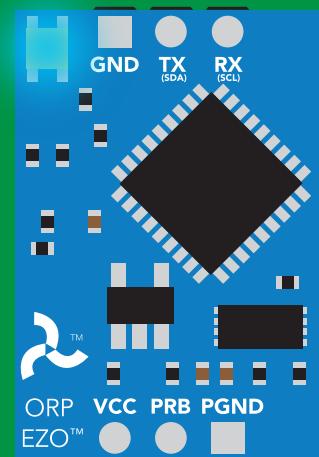
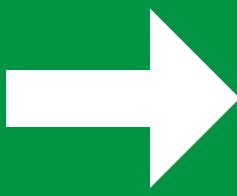
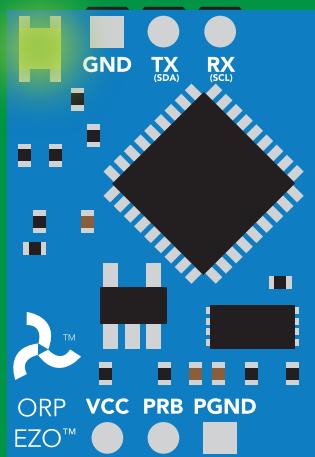
## Wrong example

I<sup>2</sup>C,139 <cr> n > 127

## Response

\*ER <cr>

I<sup>2</sup>C,100



Green  
\*OK <cr>

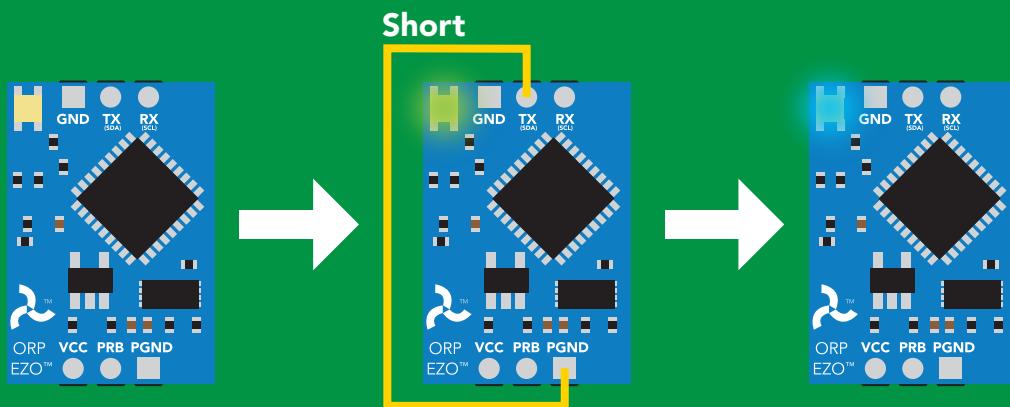
Blue  
now in I<sup>2</sup>C mode

# Manual switching to I<sup>2</sup>C

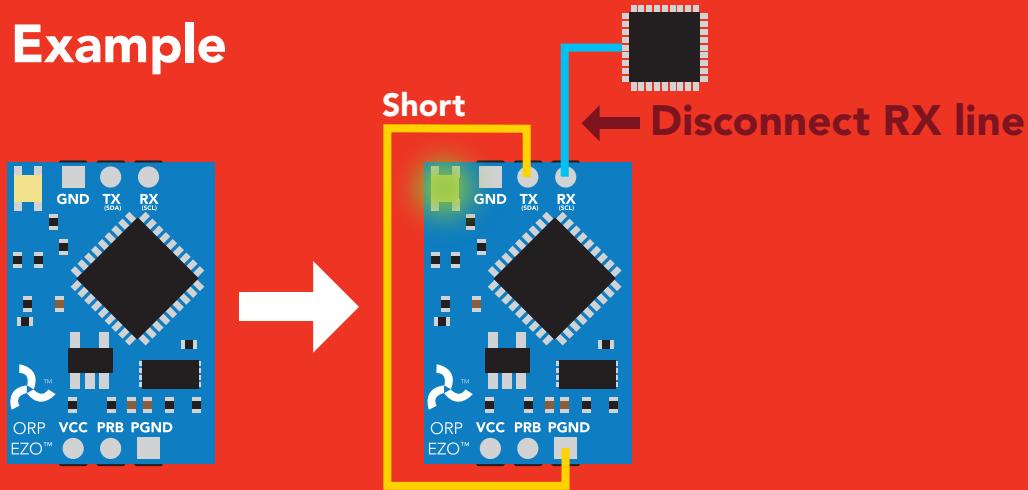
- Disconnect ground (power off)
- Disconnect TX and RX
- Connect TX to PGND
- Confirm RX is disconnected
- Connect ground (power on)
- Wait for LED to change from Green to Blue
- Disconnect ground (power off)
- Reconnect all data and power

Manually switching to I<sup>2</sup>C will set the I<sup>2</sup>C address to 98 (0x62)

## Example



## Wrong Example



# I<sup>2</sup>C mode

The I<sup>2</sup>C protocol is **considerably more complex** than the UART (RS-232) protocol. Atlas Scientific assumes the embedded systems engineer understands this protocol.

To set your EZO™ device into I<sup>2</sup>C mode [click here](#)

## Settings that are retained if power is cut

Calibration  
Change I<sup>2</sup>C address  
Hardware switch to UART mode  
LED control  
Protocol lock  
Software switch to UART mode

## Settings that are **NOT** retained if power is cut

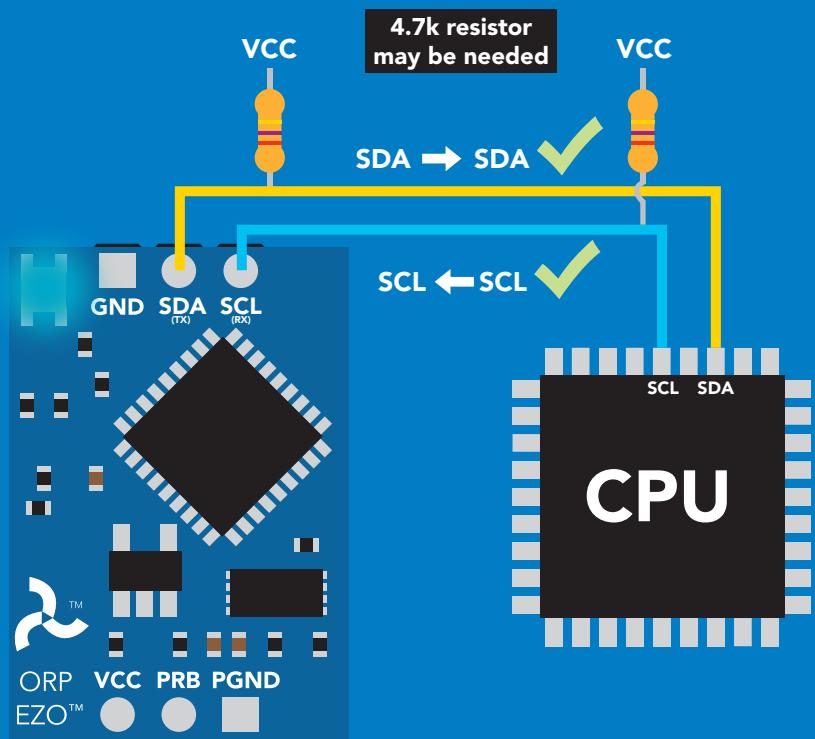
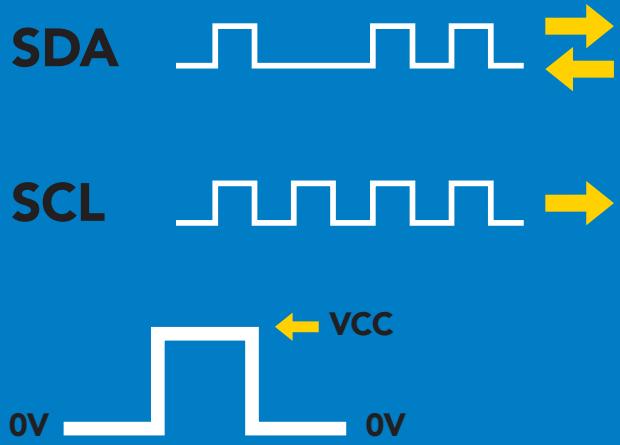
Find  
Sleep mode

# I<sup>2</sup>C mode

I<sup>2</sup>C address (0x01 – 0x7F)  
**98 (0x62) default**

V<sub>cc</sub> 3.3V – 5.5V

Clock speed 100 – 400 kHz



## Data format

Reading ORP  
Units mV  
Encoding ASCII  
Format string

Data type floating point  
Decimal places 1  
Smallest string 2 characters  
Largest string 40 characters

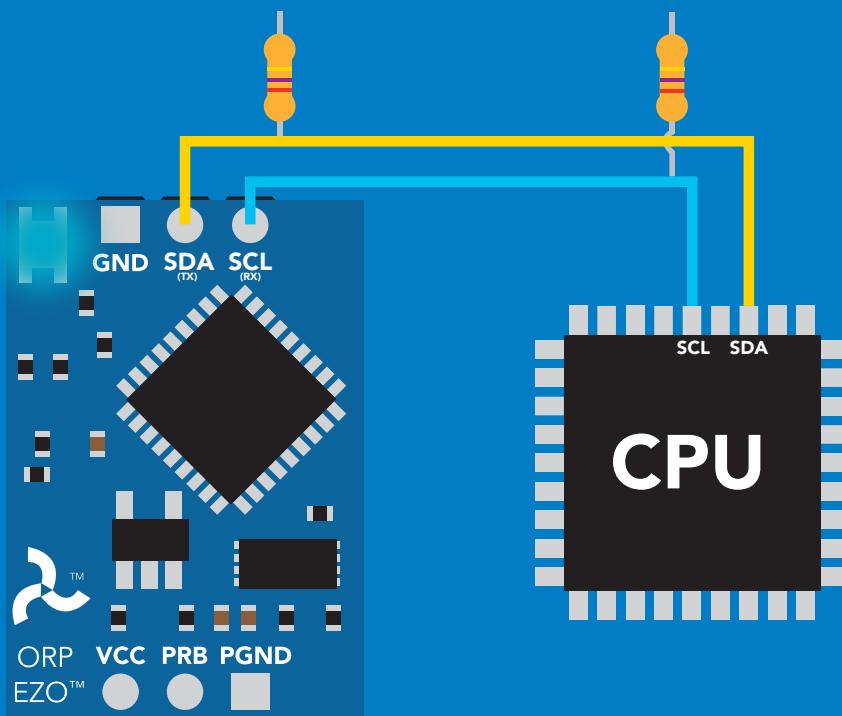
# Sending commands to device

5 parts

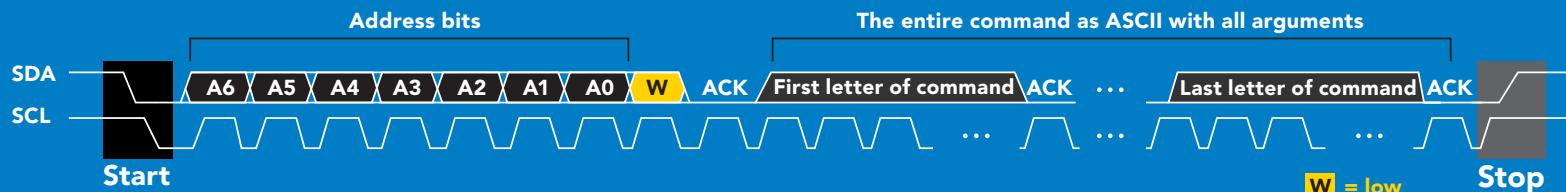


## Example

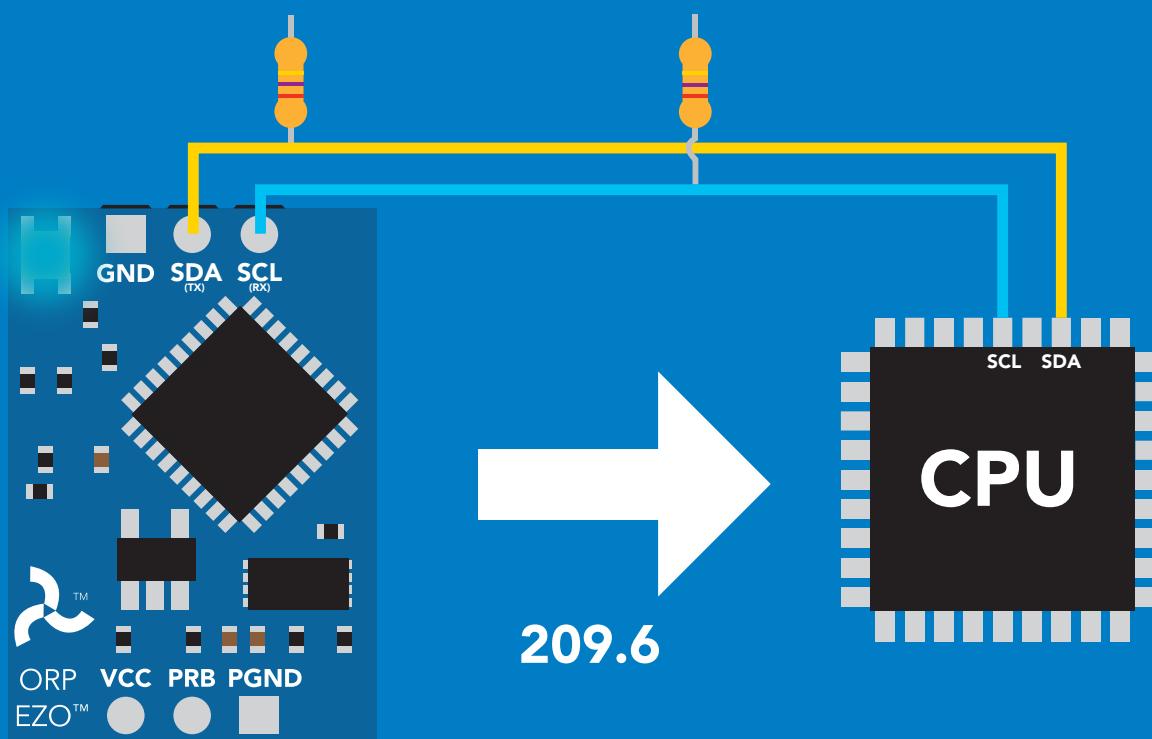
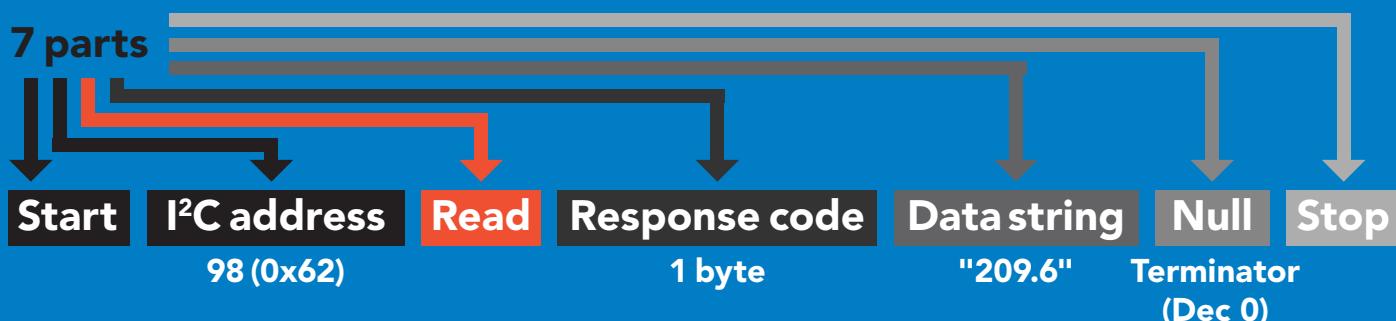
Start    98 (0x62)    Write    Sleep    Stop  
I<sup>2</sup>C address                      Command



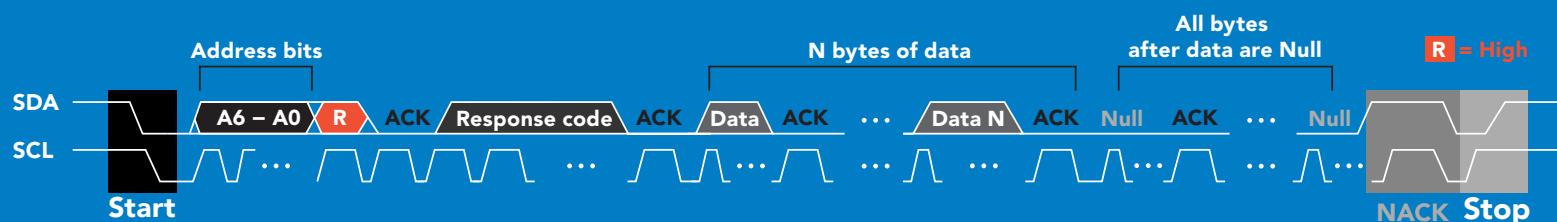
## Advanced



# Requesting data from device



# Advanced

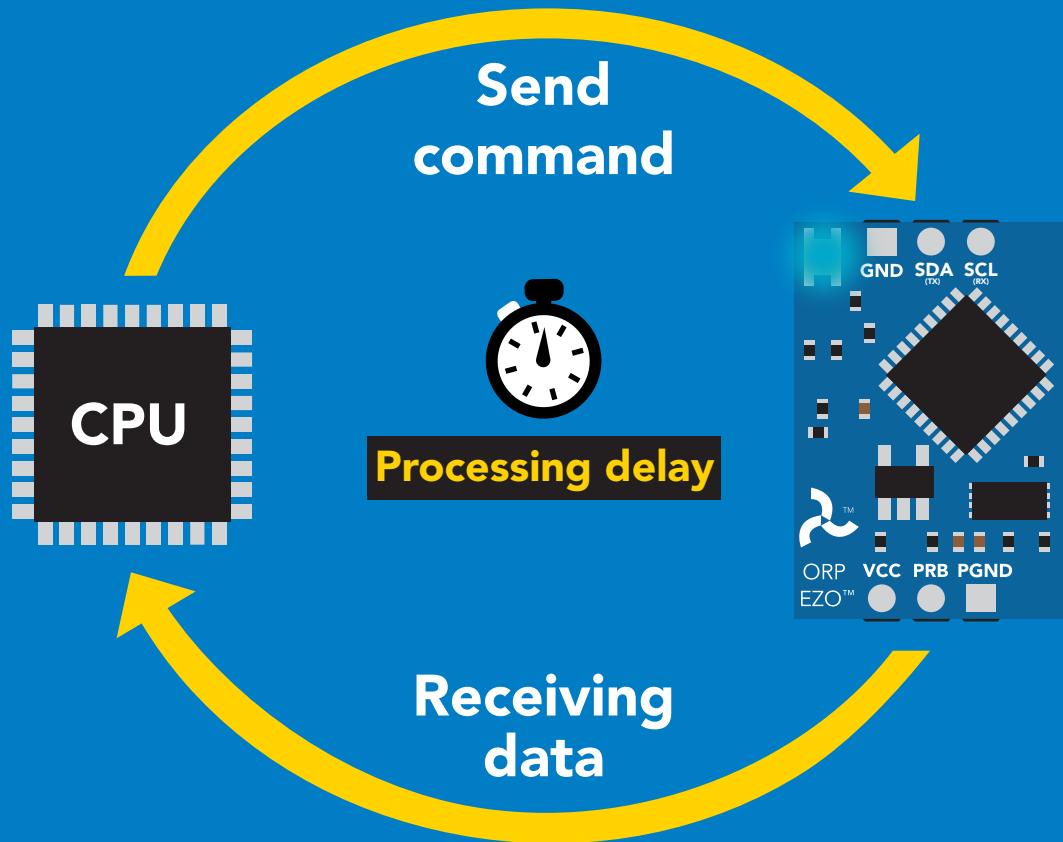


1 50 48 57 46 54 0 = 209.6  
Dec      ASCII      Dec

# Response codes

After a command has been issued, a 1 byte response code can be read in order to confirm that the command was processed successfully.

*Reading back the response code is completely optional, and is not required for normal operation.*



## Example

```
I2C_start;  
I2C_address;  
I2C_write(EZO_command);  
I2C_stop;
```

```
delay(300); →  Processing delay
```

```
I2C_start;  
I2C_address;  
Char[ ] = I2C_read;  
I2C_stop;
```

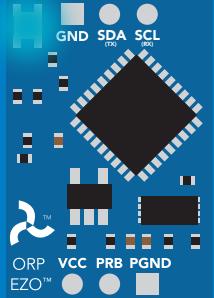
If there is no processing delay or the processing delay is too short, the response code will always be 254.

### Response codes

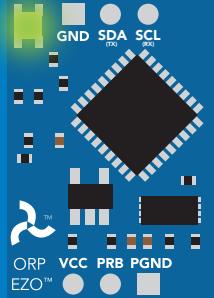
Single byte, not string

255	no data to send
254	still processing, not ready
2	syntax error
1	successful request

# LED color definition

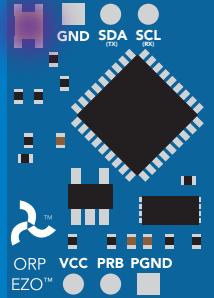


# I<sup>2</sup>C standby

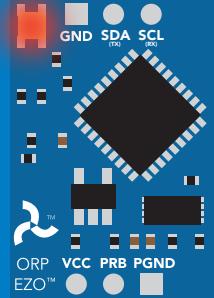


# Green

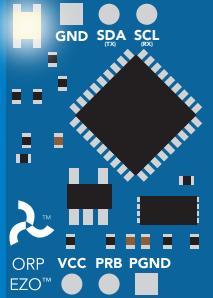
# Taking reading



# Changing I<sup>2</sup>C address



# Command not understood



# White

## Find

5V	LED ON +2.2 mA
3.3V	+0.6 mA

# I<sup>2</sup>C mode

## command quick reference

All commands are ASCII strings or single ASCII characters.

Command	Function	
Baud	switch back to UART mode	pg. 59
Cal	performs calibration	pg. 49
Export	export calibration	pg. 50
Factory	enable factory reset	pg. 58
Find	finds device with blinking white LED	pg. 47
i	device information	pg. 53
I2C	change I <sup>2</sup> C address	pg. 57
Import	import calibration	pg. 51
L	enable/disable LED	pg. 46
Name	set/show name of device	pg. 52
Plock	enable/disable protocol lock	pg. 56
R	returns a single reading	pg. 48
Sleep	enter sleep mode/low power	pg. 55
Status	retrieve status information	pg. 54

# LED control

## Command syntax

300ms  processing delay

L,1 LED on **default**

L,0 LED off

L,? LED state on/off?

## Example

L,1

  
Wait 300ms

**1**  
Dec  
0  
Null

L,0

  
Wait 300ms

**1**  
Dec  
0  
Null

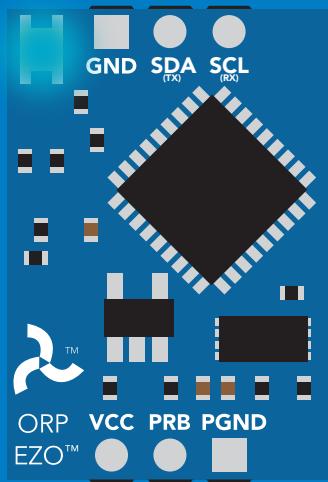
L,?

  
Wait 300ms

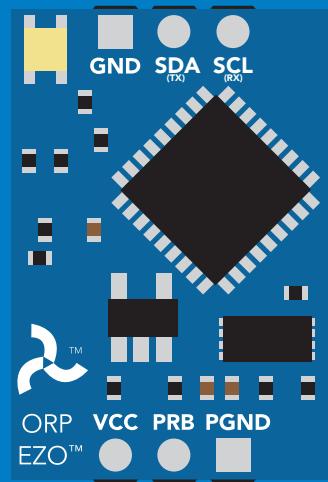
**1**  
Dec  
?L,1  
ASCII  
0  
Null

or

**1**  
Dec  
?L,0  
ASCII  
0  
Null



L,1



L,0

# Find

300ms  processing delay

## Command syntax

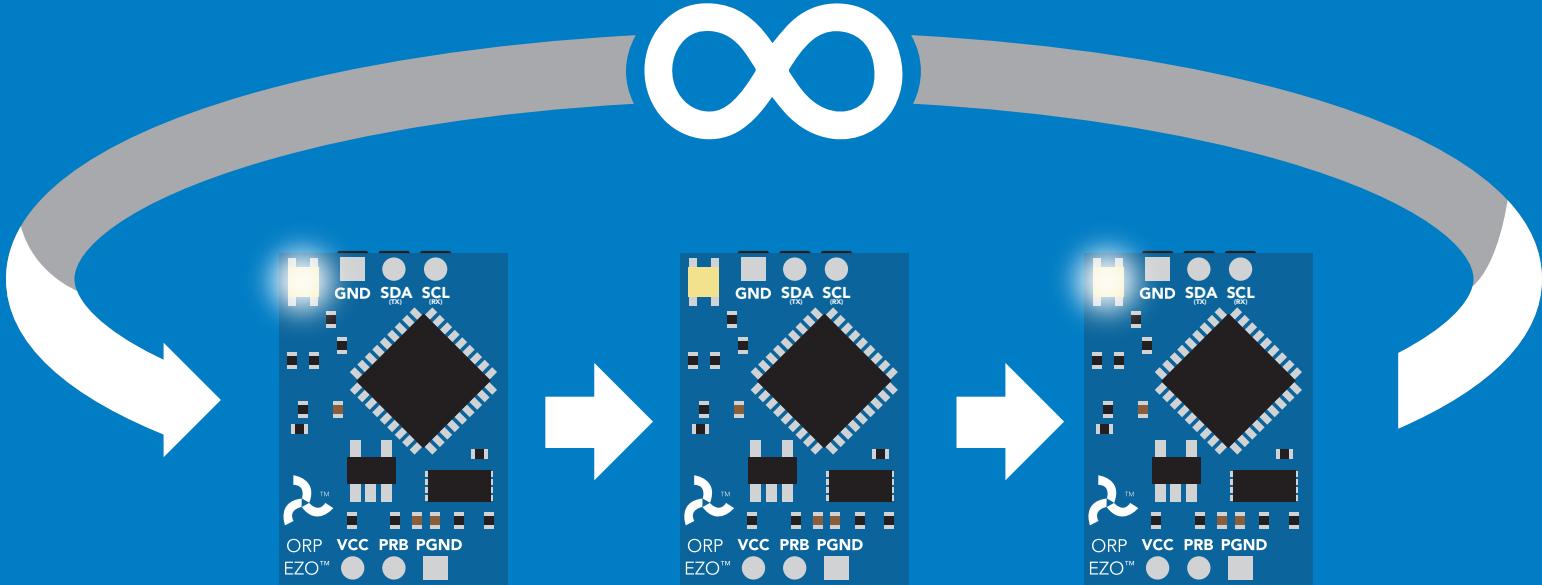
This command will disable continuous mode  
Send any character or command to terminate find.

Find LED rapidly blinks white, used to help find device

## Example Response

Find

 Wait 300ms  
**1** Dec **0** Null



# Taking reading

## Command syntax

900ms  processing delay

R return 1 reading

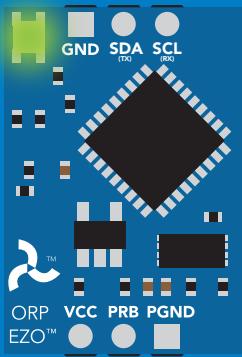
## Example

## Response

R

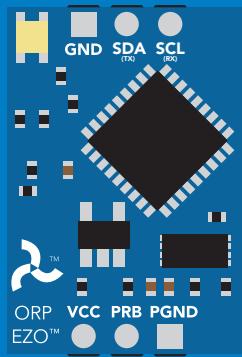
  
Wait 900ms

1	209.6	0
Dec	ASCII	Null

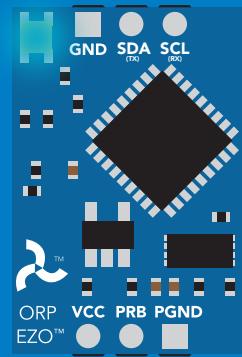


Green

Taking reading



Transmitting



Blue

Standby

# Calibration

## Command syntax

900ms  processing delay

**Cal,n** calibrates the ORP circuit to a set value

**Cal,clear** delete calibration data

**Cal,?** device calibrated?

The EZO™ ORP circuit can be calibrated to any known ORP value

## Example

## Response

**Cal,225**

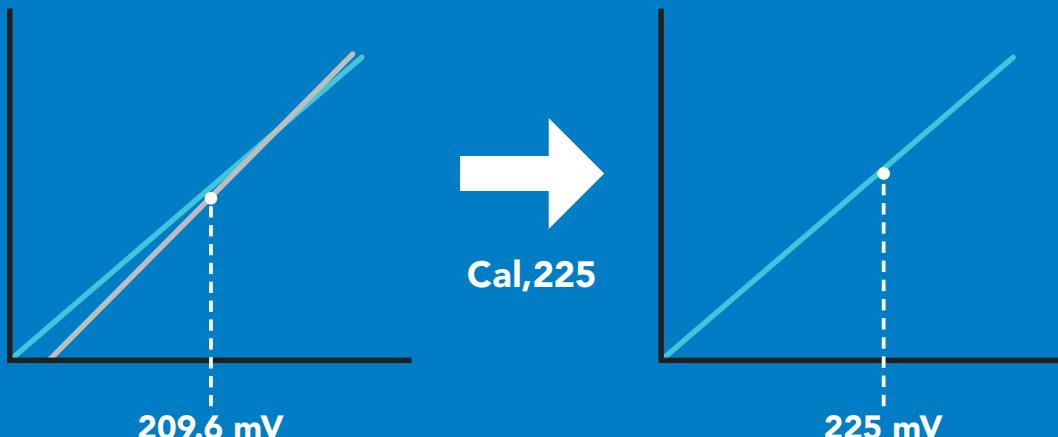
 Wait 900ms  
1 Dec 0 Null

**Cal,clear**

 Wait 300ms  
1 Dec 0 Null

**Cal,?**

 Wait 300ms  
1 Dec ?Cal,0 0 or 1 Dec ?Cal,1 0 ASCII Null Null



# Export calibration

300ms  processing delay

## Command syntax

Export: Use this command to download calibration settings

Export,? calibration string info

Export export calibration string from calibrated device

## Example

(optional)

Export,?

## Response



Wait 300ms

1 Dec 10,120 ASCII 0 Null

### Response breakdown

10, 120

↑ ↑

# of strings to export

# of bytes to export

Export strings can be up to 12 characters long

Export



Wait 300ms

1 Dec 59 6F 75 20 61 72 0 Null

(1 of 10)

Export



Wait 300ms

1 Dec 65 20 61 20 63 6F 0 Null

(2 of 10)

(7 more)

⋮

Export



Wait 300ms

1 Dec 6F 6C 20 67 75 79 0 Null

(10 of 10)

Export



Wait 300ms

1 Dec \*DONE 0 Null

# Import calibration

300ms  processing delay

## Command syntax

Import: Use this command to upload calibration settings to one or more devices.

Import,n    import calibration string to new device

## Example

Import, 59 6F 75 20 61 72

(1 of 10)

Import, 65 20 61 20 63 6F

(2 of 10)

⋮

Import, 6F 6C 20 67 75 79

(10 of 10)

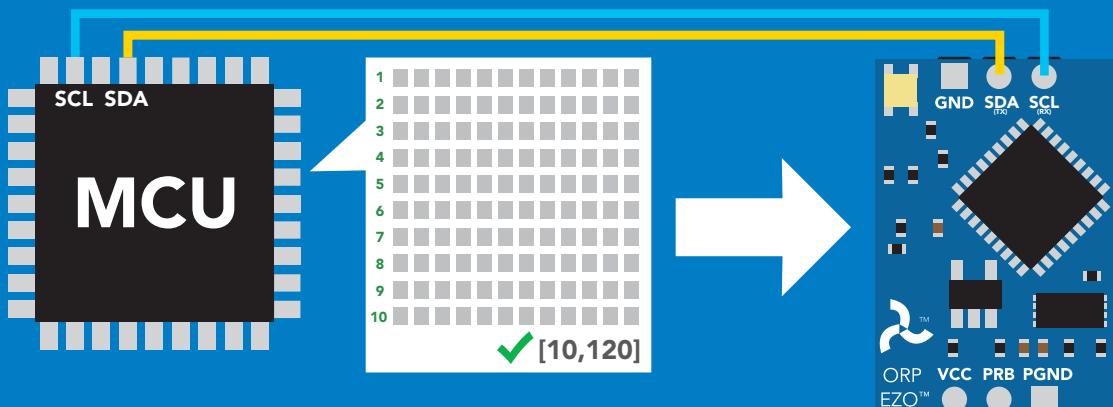
## Response

 1 0 Null  
Wait 300ms

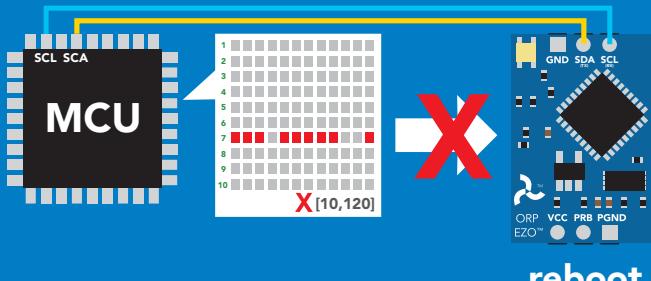
 1 0 Null  
Wait 300ms

⋮  
 1 0 Null  
Wait 300ms

Import,n



system will reboot



\* If one of the imported strings is not correctly entered, the device will not accept the import and reboot.

# Naming device

300ms  processing delay

## Command syntax

Do not use spaces in the name

Name,n    set name

n =

1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16

Name,    clears name

Up to 16 ASCII characters

Name,?    show name

## Example

## Response

Name,



1  
Dec  
0  
Null

name has been cleared

Name,zzt



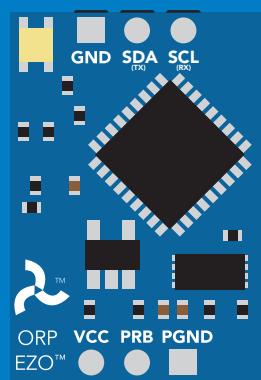
1  
Dec  
0  
Null

Name,?



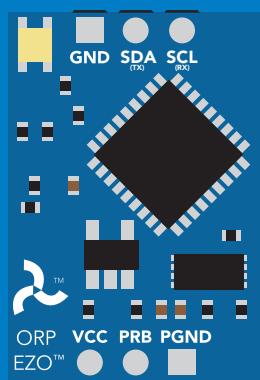
1  
Dec  
?Name,zzt  
ASCII  
0  
Null

Name,zzt



1 0

Name,?



1 ?Name,zzt 0

# Device information

Command syntax

300ms  processing delay

i device information

Example Response

i



Wait 300ms

1  
Dec

?i,ORP, 19.7  
ASCII

0  
Null

Response breakdown

?i, ORP, 1.97  
↑ ↑  
Device Firmware

# Reading device status

## Command syntax

300ms  processing delay

Status voltage at Vcc pin and reason for last restart

## Example Response

Status



Wait 300ms

1

?Status,P,5.038

Dec

ASCII

0

Null

## Response breakdown

?Status, P,  
Reason for restart      5.038  
                            Voltage at Vcc

### Restart codes

P	powered off
S	software reset
B	brown out
W	watchdog
U	unknown

# Sleep mode/low power

## Command syntax

**Sleep** enter sleep mode/low power

Send any character or command to awaken device.

### Example

### Response

**Sleep**

**no response**

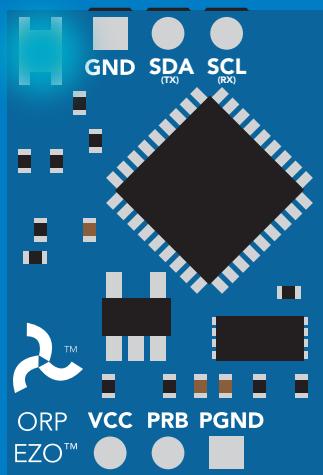
Do not read status byte after issuing sleep command.

**Any command**

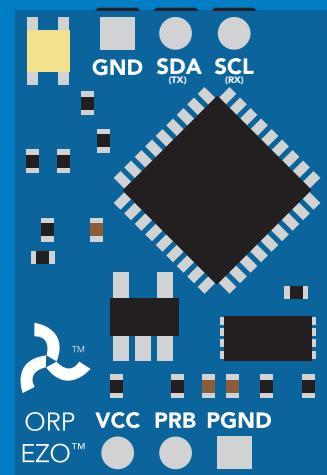
**wakes up device**

	STANDBY	SLEEP
<b>5V</b>	<b>16 mA</b>	<b>1.16 mA</b>

<b>3.3V</b>	<b>13.9 mA</b>	<b>0.995 mA</b>
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Standby



Sleep

# Protocol lock

## Command syntax

300ms  processing delay

Plock,1 enable Plock

Locks device to I<sup>2</sup>C mode.

Plock,0 disable Plock

default

Plock,? Plock on/off?

## Example

Plock,1

 Wait 300ms

1  
Dec  
0  
Null

Plock,0

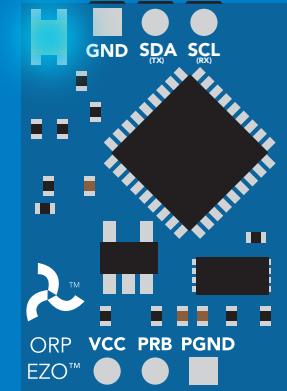
 Wait 300ms

1  
Dec  
0  
Null

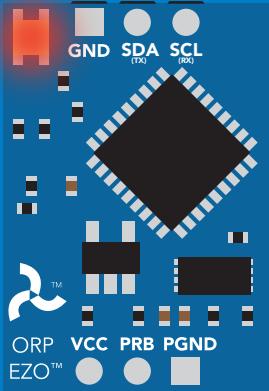
Plock,?

 Wait 300ms

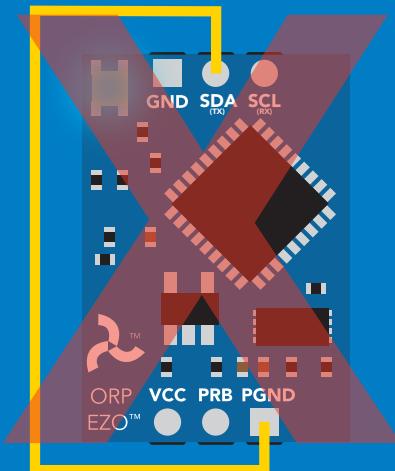
1  
Dec  
?Plock,1  
ASCII  
0  
Null



Baud, 9600



cannot change to UART



cannot change to UART

# I<sup>2</sup>C address change

## Command syntax

300ms  processing delay

I<sup>2</sup>C,n sets I<sup>2</sup>C address and reboots into I<sup>2</sup>C mode

## Example Response

I<sup>2</sup>C,100

device reboot

(no response given)

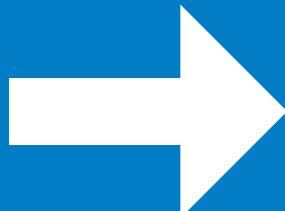
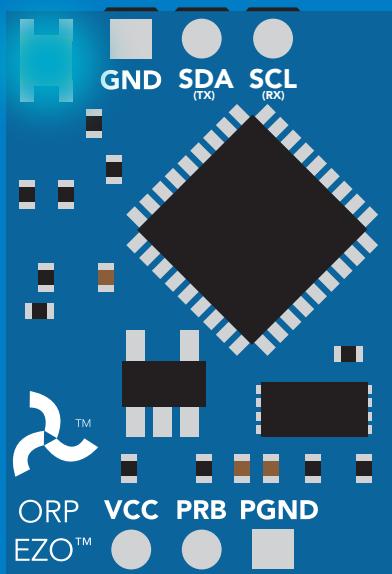
## Warning!

Changing the I<sup>2</sup>C address will prevent communication between the circuit and the CPU until the CPU is updated with the new I<sup>2</sup>C address.

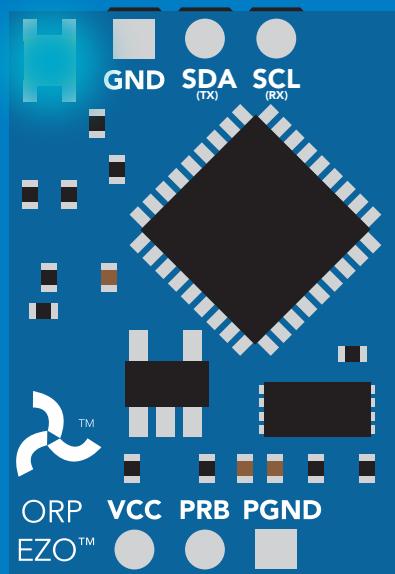
Default I<sup>2</sup>C address is 98 (0x62).

n = any number 1 – 127

I<sup>2</sup>C,100



(reboot)



# Factory reset

## Command syntax

Factory reset will not take the device out of I<sup>2</sup>C mode.

Factory enable factory reset

I<sup>2</sup>C address will not change

## Example Response

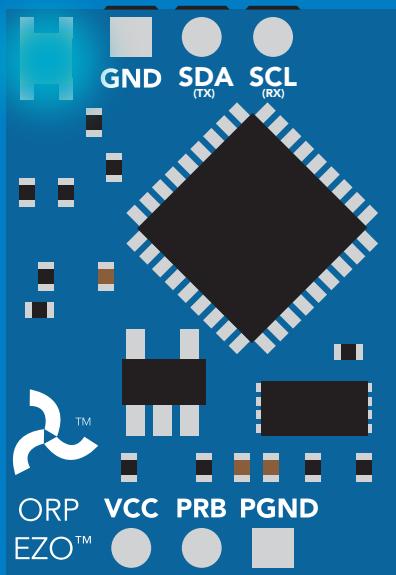
Factory

device reboot

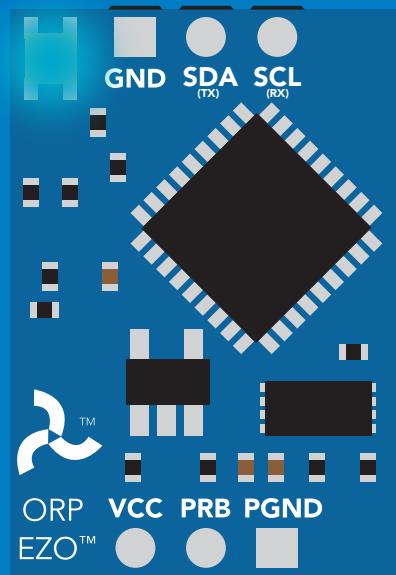
(no response given)

Clears calibration  
LED on  
Response codes enabled

Factory



(reboot)



# Change to UART mode

## Command syntax

Baud,n switch from I<sup>2</sup>C to UART

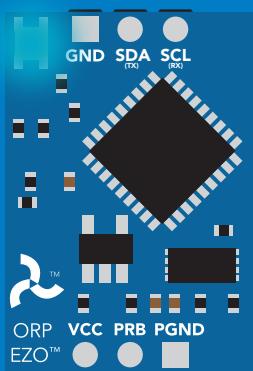
### Example      Response

Baud,9600

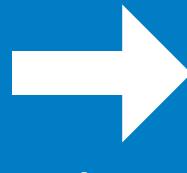
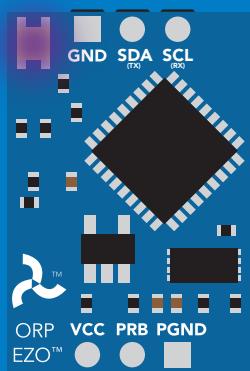
reboot in UART mode

(no response given)

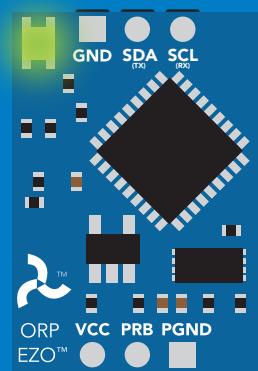
n = [ 300  
1200  
2400  
9600  
19200  
38400  
57600  
115200 ]



Baud,9600



(reboot)

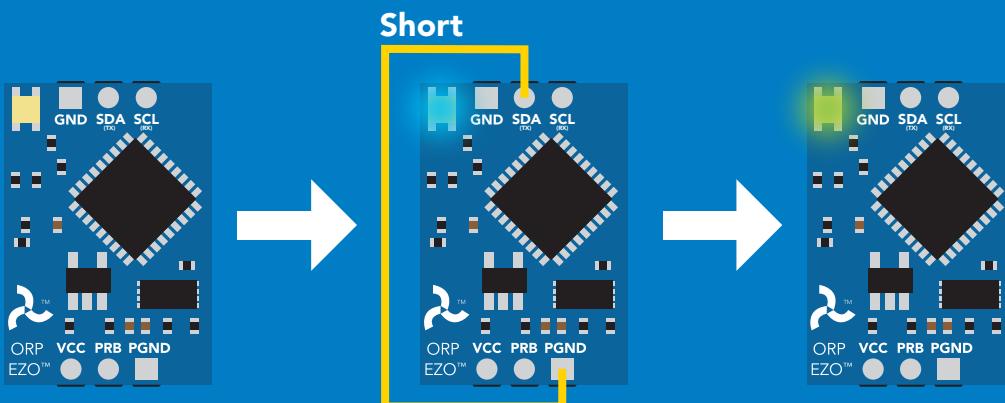


Changing to  
UART mode

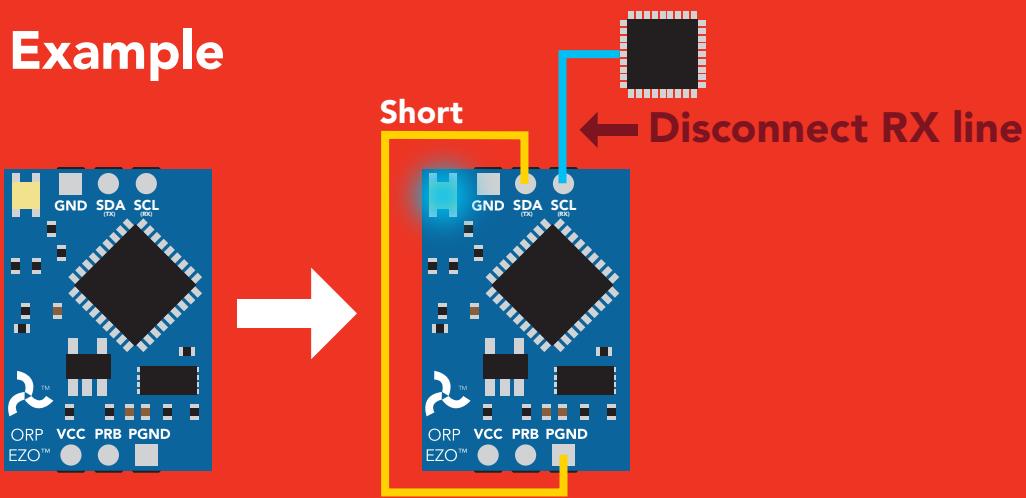
# Manual switching to UART

- Disconnect ground (power off)
- Disconnect TX and RX
- Connect TX to PGND
- Confirm RX is disconnected
- Connect ground (power on)
- Wait for LED to change from Blue to Green
- Disconnect ground (power off)
- Reconnect all data and power

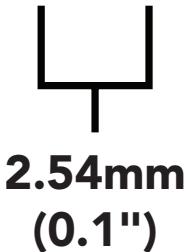
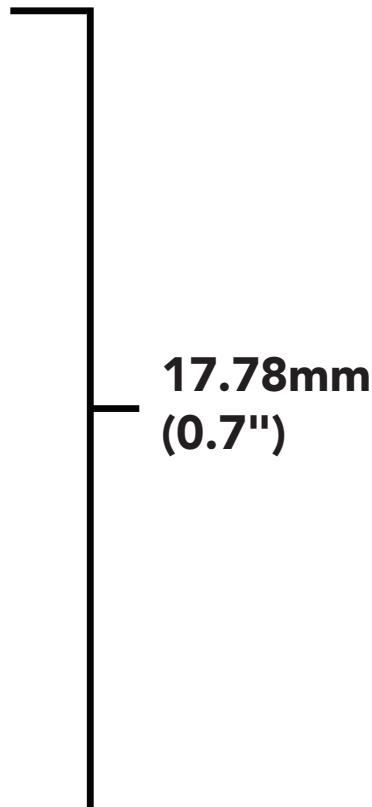
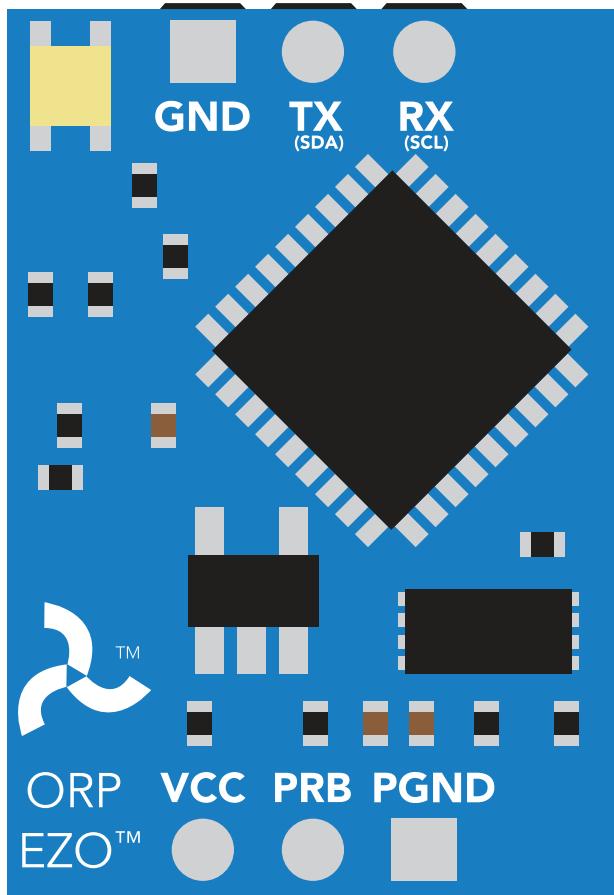
## Example



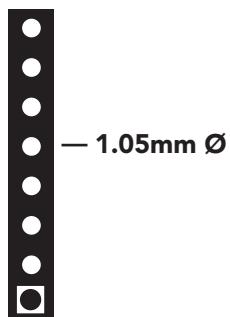
## Wrong Example



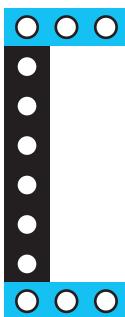
# EZO™ circuit footprint



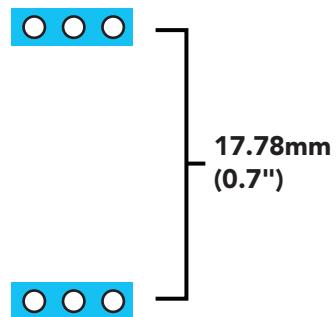
**1** In your CAD software place a 8 position header.



**2** Place a 3 position header at both top and bottom of the 8 position.



**3** Delete the 8 position header. The two 3 position headers are now 17.78mm (0.7") apart from each other.



# Datasheet change log

## Datasheet V 5.0

Revised naming device info on pages 29 & 52.

## Datasheet V 4.9

Revised single point calibration information and art on pg 13.

## Datasheet V 4.8

Moved Default state to pg 14.

## Datasheet V 4.7

Updated firmware to V2.11 on pg 63.

## Datasheet V 4.6

Revised response for the sleep command in UART mode on pg 33.

## Datasheet V 4.5

Revised calibration theory on page 12, and added more information on the Export calibration and Import calibration commands.

## Datasheet V 4.4

Revised isolation schematic on pg. 10

## Datasheet V 4.3

Changed "Max rate" to "Response time" on cover page.

## Datasheet V 4.2

Removed note from certain commands about firmware version.

## Datasheet V 4.1

Added information to calibration theory on pg 8.

## Datasheet V 4.0

Revised definition of response codes on pg 42.

## Datasheet V 3.9

Revised isolation information on pg 9.

## Datasheet V 3.8

Revised Plock pages to show default value.

## Datasheet V 3.7

### **Added new commands:**

"Find" pages 23 (UART) & 46 (I<sup>2</sup>C).

"Export/Import calibration" pages 27 (UART) & 49 (I<sup>2</sup>C).

Added new feature to continuous mode "C,n" pg 24.

## Datasheet V 3.6

Revised circuit illustrations throughout datasheet.

## Datasheet V 3.5

Added accuracy range on cover page, and revised isolation info on pg 10.

## Datasheet V 3.4

Revised entire datasheet.

# Firmware updates

V1.5 – Baud rate change (Nov 6, 2014)

- Change default baud rate to 9600

V1.6 – I<sup>2</sup>C bug (Dec 1, 2014)

- Fixed I<sup>2</sup>C bug where the circuit may inappropriately respond when other I<sup>2</sup>C devices are connected.

V1.7 – Factory (April 14, 2015)

- Changed "X" command to "Factory"

V1.95 – Plock (March 31, 2016)

- Added protocol lock feature "Plock"

V1.96 – EEPROM (April 26, 2016)

- Fixed bug where EEPROM would get erased if the circuit lost power 900ms into startup

V1.97 – EEPROM (Oct 10, 2016)

- Fixed bug in the cal clear command, improves how it calculates the ORP
- Added calibration saving and loading

V2.10 – (May 9, 2017)

- Added "Find" command.
- Added "Export/import" command.
- Modified continuous mode to be able to send readings every "n" seconds.

V2.11 – (July 17, 2017)

- Fixed bug where calibration would restore itself after restart, despite being cleared.

V2.12 – (Oct 18, 2021)

- Internal update for new part compatibility.

V2.13 – (Nov 12, 2021)

- Fixed bug in I<sup>2</sup>C mode with timing and sleep mode.

# Warranty

Atlas Scientific™ Warranties the EZO™ class ORP circuit to be free of defect during the debugging phase of device implementation, or 30 days after receiving the EZO™ class ORP circuit (which ever comes first).

## The debugging phase

The debugging phase as defined by Atlas Scientific™ is the time period when the EZO™ class ORP circuit is inserted into a bread board, or shield. If the EZO™ class ORP circuit is being debugged in a bread board, the bread board must be devoid of other components. If the EZO™ class ORP circuit is being connected to a microcontroller, the microcontroller must be running code that has been designed to drive the EZO™ class ORP circuit exclusively and output the EZO™ class ORP circuit data as a serial string.

**It is important for the embedded systems engineer to keep in mind that the following activities will void the EZO™ class ORP circuit warranty:**

- **Soldering any part of the EZO™ class ORP circuit.**
- **Running any code, that does not exclusively drive the EZO™ class ORP circuit and output its data in a serial string.**
- **Embedding the EZO™ class ORP circuit into a custom made device.**
- **Removing any potting compound.**

# Reasoning behind this warranty

Because Atlas Scientific™ does not sell consumer electronics; once the device has been embedded into a custom made system, Atlas Scientific™ cannot possibly warranty the EZO™ class ORP circuit, against the thousands of possible variables that may cause the EZO™ class ORP circuit to no longer function properly.

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- 1. All Atlas Scientific™ devices have been designed to be embedded into a custom made system by you, the embedded systems engineer.**
- 2. All Atlas Scientific™ devices have been designed to run indefinitely without failure in the field.**
- 3. All Atlas Scientific™ devices can be soldered into place, however you do so at your own risk.**

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