# WT901BLECL Attitude Angle Sensor SPECIFICATION



Model: WT901BLECL

Description: 10-axis Bluetooth 4.0 attitude angle sensor with battery

**Production Standard** 

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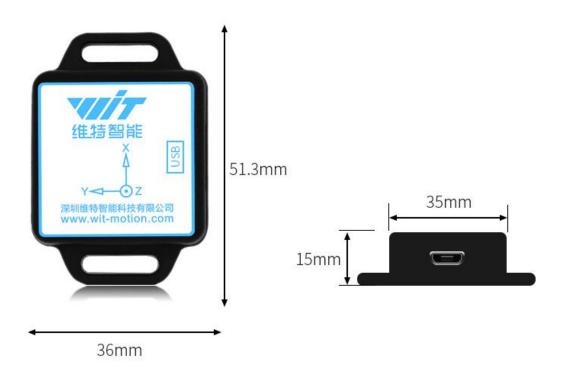
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#### 1 Description

- ♦ Module integrates high-precision gyroscopes, accelerometer, mpu9250 geomagnetic sensor, high-performance microprocessors and advanced dynamics solves dynamic Kalman filter algorithm to quickly solve the current real-time movement of the module attitude .
- ◆ The use of advanced digital filtering technology, can effectively reduce the measurement noise and improve measurement accuracy.
- ♦ Integrates gesture solver, with dynamic Kalman filter algorithm, can get the accurate attitude in dynamic environment, attitude measurement precision is up to 0.05 degrees with high stability, performance is even better than some professional Inclinometer!
- lacktriangle Integrate voltage stabilization circuit, working voltage is 3.3v  $\sim$  5v, pin level compatible 3.3V and 5V embedded system .
- ♦ High-performance cortex-M0 core processor runs at up to 48MHz, taking into account low power consumption and high performance.
- ◆ BLE4.0 wireless transmission, transmission stability, distance greater than 10 meters.
  - Low power consumption, long standby time, self-contained battery.

#### 2 Product Size



#### 3 Features

- 1. Voltage: 3.3V~5V
- 2. Consumption current: <16mA (normal) Standby current: <0.1mA
- 3, Volume: 51.3mm X 36mm X 15mm
- 4. Measuring dimensions:

Acceleration: X Y Z
Angular velocity: X Y Z
Attitude angle:X Y Z
Magnetic field: X Y Z
Atmospheric pressure:YES

- 6. Range: Acceleration: ± 16g, Angular velocity: ± 2000 ° / s, Angle:X Z ±180° Y ±90°
- 7. Stability: Acceleration: 0.01g, Angular speed 0.05° / s.
- 8. Attitude measurement stable: X Y 0.05° Z:1°
- 9. Data output: Acceleration, Angular velocity, Angle, Magnetic field, Pressure, Height, Port status
- 10. The data output frequency: 0.1Hz ~50Hz (10Hz default)
- 11 Data Interface: UART(TTL, Baud rate 115200)
- 12. Expansion port function: Analog input (0~VCC, Digital input, Digital output)
- 13. Bluetooth transmission distance: >10m
- 14、BLE4.0: Support Android /IOS

#### 4 Axial Diron

As shown in the figure above, the coordinates of the module are indicated, and the upper is the X-axis, the left is Y axis, the Z axis is perpendicular to the surface of the paper to yourself. The direction of rotation is defined by the right hand rule. that is, the thumb of the right hand is pointed to the axial direction, and the four is the direction of the bending of the right hand.

#### 5 Method

## 5.1 Connect App

1. Connect USB-micro data line (Ignore when the battery is powered)



2. Turn on the phone APP, click "scan" and then search the Bluetooth which is called WT901BLE.



3. Click the Bluetooth and then you can get the data.

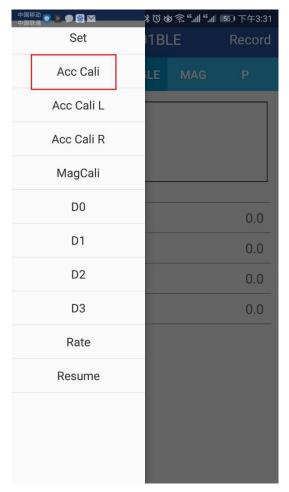
#### **5.2Module Calibration**

The module need to be calibrated before the module is used. The calibration of WT901BLECL includes accelerometer calibration and magnetic calibration.

#### 5.2.1 Accelerometer Calibration

The accelerometer calibration is used to remove the zero bias of the accelerometer. When the sensor is out of the factory, there will be different degrees of bias error. After manual calibration, the measurement will be accurate.

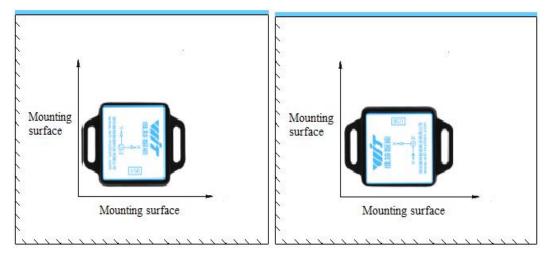
1. Methods as below: Firstly keep the module horizontally stationary, click "Acceleration", after  $1{\sim}2s$  the acceleration X Y Z value will at 0 0 1. X Y angle:  $0^{\circ}$  . After calibration the value will be accurate.



#### 2、Accelerometer Calibration L, Accelerometer Calibration R

In the case that the surface is not very flat, and the data is still in error after the calibration, the calibration L and R can be used for re-calibration. Methods as below:

The module is still at left, click on the calibration L, 2S after and then put the module to the right and click on the calibration R, so that the X Y-axis angle is accurate when used after two calibrations.

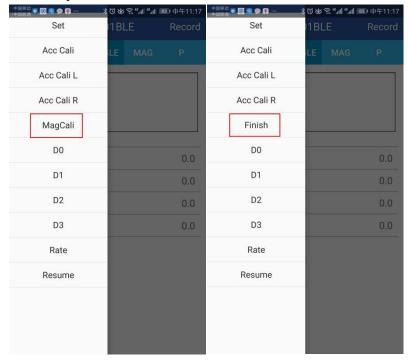


### 5.2.2 Magnetic Calibration

Magnetic field calibration is used to remove the magnetic field sensor's zero offset. Usually, the magnetic field sensor will have a large zero error when it is manufactured. If it is not calibrated, it will bring about a large measurement error and affect the accuracy of the Z-axis angle measurement of the heading angle.

Calibration methods as follow:

- 1. When calibrating, first connect the module and the computer, and place the module in a place far away from the disturbing magnetic field (ie, more than 20 CM away from magnets and iron, etc.), and then open the upper computer software.
- 2. Click the "Magnetic Field Calibration" and rotate  $360^\circ$  around the X axis of the module (you can rotate around the Y axis or the Z axis first). Rotate a few turns, then turn  $360^\circ$  around the Y axis. Then turn  $360^\circ$  around the Z axis, then turn a few turns at random, then click the "Finish" to complete the calibration.



Note: The data displayed on the APP will not change when the calibration is completed. After the calibration is completed, the data will continue to be transmitted back. When the calibration is added, the module should be stationary. When the magnetic field is calibrated and used, it must be kept away from the magnetic field interference.

## 5.2.3 Calibration by Instruction

1.Instruct Accelerometer Calibration:

First keep the module horizontal and still, send the instruction: FF AA 01 01 00, after

1~2s the acceleration X Y Z value will at 0 0 1. X Y angle: 0°. After calibration the value will be accurate.

#### 2. Accelerometer Calibration L/R:

Keep the module is still at left, send the instruction L: FF AA 01 05 00

After 2s, turn the module to the right side and send the instruction R: FF AA 01 06 00

Calibrate two times the data will be accurate.

#### 3. Instruct Magnetic Calibration:

When calibrating, place the module in a place far away from the disturbing magnetic field (ie, more than 20 CM away from magnets and iron, etc.). Send the instruction: FF AA 01 07 00 Rotate 360° around the X axis of the module (you can rotate around the Y axis or the Z axis first). Rotate a few turns, then turn 360° around the Y axis. Then turn 360° around the Z axis, then turn a few turns at random, then click the "Finish" to complete the calibration.

Send the instruction: FF AA 01 00 00 to finish the calibration. Send the instruction: FF AA 00 00 to save the Configuration.

## **5.3 Restore Factory Setting**

Method: After connecting the WT901BLECL and APP via Bluetooth, click the "Resume" .Reconnect the module after recovery.

## 5.4 Sleep/ Wake up

Enter the sleep mode right two methods. One is to disconnect the Bluetooth connection directly, and the module will go directly to sleep mode. The other is to send a serial port command, the instruction content is 5 hexadecimal data: 0xff 0xaa 0x67 0x01 0x00

There are two ways to wake up the module. One is to directly search for and connect to Bluetooth. The module will wake up automatically and start working. The other is wake-up from the serial port. Any serial port command can be sent to wake up the module.

#### **6 Communication Protocol**

#### 6.1 Module to APP

Module upload Flag=0x61 (Angle, Angular velocity, Acceleration) data default.

Flag=0x71(Magnetic field, Air pressure and altitude, Port status) need to send the corresponding register instruction.

Bluetooth upload data: Bluetooth uploads up to 20 bytes per data.

## 6.1.1 Acceleration, Angular velocity, Angle, Data pack(default)

Packet	Flag	bit	axL	axH	 YawL	YawH
header	1Byte					
1Byte						
0x55	Flag		0xNN	0xNN	 0xNN	0xNN

Note: 0xNN is a accurate value you received. Data return sequence: Acceleration X Y Z Angular velocity X Y Z Angle X Y Z , low byte first, high byte last.

Flag = 0x61 Data content: 18Byte is Acceleration, Angular velocity, Angle.

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0x55	Packet header				
0x61	Flag bit				
axL	X Acceleration low 8 byte				
axH	X Acceleration high 8 byte				
ayL	Y Acceleration low 8 byte				
ауН	Y Acceleration high 8 byte				
azL	Z Acceleration low 8 byte				
azH	Z Acceleration high 8 byte				
wxL	X Angular velocity low 8 byte				
wxH	X Angular velocity high 8 byte				
wyL	Y Angular velocity low 8 byte				
wyH	Y Angular velocity high 8 byte				
wzL	Z Angular velocity low 8 byte				
wzH	Z Angular velocity high 8 byte				
RollL	X Angle low 8 byte				
RollH	X Angle high 8 byte				
PitchL	Y Angle low 8 byte				
PitchH	Y Angle high 8 byte				
YawL	Z Angle low 8 byte				
YawH	Z Angle high 8 byte				

Acceleration calculation method: Unit: g

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a_x = ((axH << 8)|axL)/32768*16g(g is Gravity acceleration, 9.8m/s^2)
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 $a_y = ((ayH \le 8)|ayL)/32768*16g(g \text{ is Gravity acceleration}, 9.8m/s^2)$ 

 $a_z = ((azH << 8)|azL)/32768*16g(g is Gravity acceleration, 9.8m/s^2)$ 

Calculation method: Unit: °/s

 $w_x = ((wxH \le 8)|wxL)/32768*2000(^{\circ}/s)$ 

 $w_y = ((wyH \le 8)|wyL)/32768*2000(^{\circ}/s)$ 

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w_z = ((wzH \le 8)|wzL)/32768*2000(^{\circ}/s)
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Calculation method: Unit: °

Roll (x axis) Roll=((RollH<<8)|RollL)/32768\*180(°)

Pitch (y axis) Pitch=((PitchH<<8)|PitchL)/32768\*180(°)

Yaw angle (z axis) Yaw=((YawH<<8)|YawL)/32768\*180(°)

#### Note:

- 1. Attitude angle use the coordinate system for the Northeast sky coordinate system, the X axis is East,the Y axis is North, Z axis toward sky. Euler coordinate system rotation sequence defined attitude is z-y-x, first rotates around the Z axis. Then, around the Y axis, and then around the X axis.
- 2. In fact, the rotation sequence is Z-Y-X, the range of pitch angle (Y axis) is only ±90 degrees, when the pitch angle (Y axis) is bigger than 90 degrees and the pitch angle (Y axis) will become less than 90 degrees. At the same time, the Roll Angle(X axis) will become larger than 180 degree. Please search on Google about more information of Euler angle and attitude information.
- 3. Since the three axis are coupled, the angle will be independent only when the angle is small. It will be dependent of the three angle when the angle is large when the attitude angle change, such as when the X axis close to 90 degrees, even if the attitude angle around the X axis, Y axis angle will have a big change, which is the inherent characteristics of the Euler angle.

#### Explanation:

- 1. The data is sent in hexadecimal format, not ASCII code.
- 2. Each data is transmitted in descending order of high byte and high byte, and the two are combined into one signed short type of data.

X axis acceleration data Ax: AxL is low byte, AxH is high byte, conversion method as below:

Presume Data is a real data, DataH is high byte, DataL is low byte, so: Data=((short)DataH<<8)|DataL. Please note that DataH need to transform a signed short type of data and then shift. The Data type has a signed short type, so that it display negative number.

## 6.1.2 Single Return Register Data Packet

Single Return Data Packet need to send register instruction first:

--XX is register number. The register number please refer to 7.3. Example as below:

Function	Instruction					
Read magnetic field	FF AA 27 3A 00					
Read air pressure and altitude	FF AA 27 45 00					
Read port status	FF AA 27 41 00					
Read quaternion	FF AA 27 51 00					
Read temperature	FF AA 27 40 00					

After send instruction, the module turn back a data packet 0x55 0x71. There are register address and 7 registers data (Fixed upload 8 registers). Return data format as below:

Start register(2 byte) + register data(16 byte, 8 registers)

		Start	Start	Start(No.1)	Start(No.1)	 No.8	No.8
Packet	Sign	register	register	register	register	 register	register
header		low	high	data low	data high	data low	data high
		byte	byte	byte	byte	byte	byte
0x55	0x71	RegL	RegH	0xNN	0xNN	 0xNN	0xNN

Note: 0xNN is a accurate value, low byte first, high byte last.

#### 1. Magnetic field output

0x71	0x3A	0x00	HxL	HxH	HyL	НуН	HzL	HzH		
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Calculated formular: Unit: mG

Magnetic field (x axis) Hx=((HxH<<8)|HxL)

Magnetic field (y axis) Hy=((HyH <<8)|HyL)

Magnetic field (z axis) Hz =((HzH<<8)| HzL)

EX: Send instruction to read magnetic field in APP: FF AA 27 3A 00 (Please refer to 7.2.8) The module return data to APP: 55 71 3A 00 68 01 69 00 7A 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 Total: 20 bytes.

Calculate the no.5 to no.10 bytes as described above, magnetic field x=360, y=105,z=122

#### 2. Air pressure and altitude output

0x55	0x71	0x45	0x00	P0	P1	P2	P3	Н0	H1	H2	Н3	
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#### Calculated formular:

Air pressure P = ((P3 << 24) | (P2 << 16) | (P1 << 8) | P0 (Pa)

Atitude output H = ((H3 << 24)) (H2 << 16) (H1 << 8) H0 (cm)

EX: Send instruction to read Air pressure and altitude data in APP: FF AA 27 45 00 (Please refer to 7.2.8) The module return data to APP: 55 71 45 00 E2 88 01 00 56 18 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 Total: 20 bytes.

Calculate the no.5 to no.12 bytes as described above, p=100578 pa,H=6230 cm

#### 3. Port status data output

0x55
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#### Calculated formular:

D0 = (D0H << 8)|D0L

D1 = (D1H << 8)|D1L

D2 = (D2H << 8)|D2L

D3 = (D3H << 8)|D3L

#### Explanation:

When the port mode is set to analog input, the port status data represents the analog voltage. The actual voltage is calculated according to the following formula:

U=DxStatus/1024\*Uvcc

 $U_{vcc}$  is chip supply voltage, there is LDO in it, If the module supply voltage > 3.5V,  $U_{vcc}$  is 3.3V. If the module supply voltage <3.5V,  $U_{vcc}$ =voltage-0.2V.

When the port mode is set to digital input, the port status data indicates the digital level status of the port, with a high level of 1 and a low level of 0.

The port status data is 1 when the port mode is set to high output mode.

The port status data bit is 0 when the port mode is set to low output mode.

#### 4, Quaternion output

	0x55	0x71	0x51	0x00	O0L	O0H	O1L	O1H	O2L	O2H	O3L	ОЗН	
- 1						_	_	_	_			_	

Calculated formular:

Q0=((Q0H<<8)|Q0L)/32768

Q1=((Q1H<<8)|Q1L)/32768

Q2=((Q2H<<8)|Q2L)/32768

Q3=((Q3H<<8)|Q3L)/32768

Checksum:

Sum = 0x55 + 0x59 + Q0L + Q0H + Q1L + Q1H + Q2L + Q2H + Q3L + Q3H

#### 4. Temperature output

	0x55	0x71	0x40	0x00	TL	TH	
- 1							

Calculated formular:

T=((TH<<8)|TL) /100 °C

#### 6.2 APP to Module

Send instruction:

## 6.2.1 Read register value

FF AA 27 XX 00 Read	d register value
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--XX is register.

EX: Read magnetic field: FF AA 27 3A 00

Read air pressure and altitude: FF AA 27 45 00

Read port status: FF AA 27 41 00 Read quaternion: FF AA 27 51 00 Read temperature: FF AA 27 40 00

After send instruction, the module turn back a data packet 0x55 0x71. There are register address and 7 registers data (Fixed upload 8 registers). Return data format please refer to 7.1.2.

## 6.2.2 Accelerometer Calibration and Magnetic Calibration

FF	AA	01	01	00	Accelerometer Calibration
FF	AA	01	05	00	Accelerometer Calibration L
FF	AA	01	06	00	Accelerometer Calibration R
FF	AA	01	07	00	Magnetic Calibration
FF	AA	01	00	00	Magnetic Calibration Finish

## **6.2.3 Save Settings**

FF AA 00 SAVE 00	Save Settings
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SAVE: Set

0: Save current configuration

1: Restore default configuration and save

#### 6.2.4 Set Return Rate

FF AA 03 RATE 00 Se	Set return rate
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RATE: return rate

0x01: 0.1Hz

0x02: 0.5Hz

0x03: 1Hz

0x04: 2Hz

0x05: 5Hz

0x06: 10Hz (default)

0x07: 20Hz

0x08: 50Hz

0x09: 100Hz

#### **6.2.5 Set Port D0**

	UE	DOMODE	00	Set nort D0
II AA	UL	DOMODE	UU	Set port D0

D0MODE: D0

0x00: Analog input (default)

0x01: Digital input

0x02: Output digital high level 0x03: Output digital low level

#### 6.2.6 Set Port D1

FF AA 0F D1MODE 00	Set port D1
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D1MODE: D1

0x00: Analog input (default)

0x01: Digital input

0x02: Output digital high level

0x03: Output digital low level

#### **6.2.7 Set Port D2**

FF AA 10 D2MODE 00 Set port D2

D2MODE: D2

0x00: Analog input (default)

0x01: Digital input

0x02: Output digital high level 0x03: Output digital low level

## **6.2.8 Set Port D3**

FF AA 11 D3MODE 00 Set port D3

D3MODE: D3

0x00: Analog input (default)

0x01: Digital input

0x02: Output digital high level 0x03: Output digital low level

Note: After the above settings are completed, you must send a save command to save.

## 6.3 Register address

Address	Symbol	Mean	
0x00	SAVE	Save current configuration	
0x01	CALSW	Calibration	
0x02	KEEP		
0x03	RATE	Return rate	
0x04	BAUD	UART Baud rate	
0x05	AXOFFSET	X Acceleration zero offset	
0x06	AYOFFSET	Y Acceleration zero offset	
0x07	AZOFFSET	Z Acceleration zero offset	
0x08	GXOFFSET	X Angular velocity zero offset	
0x09	GYOFFSET	Y Angular velocity zero offset	
0x0a	GZOFFSET	Z Angular velocity zero offset	
0x0b	HXOFFSET	X Magnetic field zero offset	
0x0c	HYOFFSET	Y Magnetic field zero offset	
0x0d	HZOFFSET	Z Magnetic field zero offset	
0x0e	D0MODE	D0	
0x0f	D1MODE	D1	
0x10	D2MODE	D2	
0x11	D3MODE	D3	
0x12	KEEP		

0x13	KEEP		
0x14	KEEP		
0x15	KEEP		
0x16	KEEP		
0x17	KEEP		
0x18	KEEP		
0x19	KEEP		
0x19	KEEP		
0x1b	KEEP		
0x30	YYMM	Year, Month	
0x31	DDHH	Date, Hour	
0x32	MMSS	Minute, Second	
0x33	MS	Millisecond	
0x34	AX	X Acceleration	
0x35	AY	Y Acceleration	
0x36	AZ	Z Acceleration	
0x37	GX	X Angular velocity	
0x38	GY Y Angular veloci		
0x39	GZ	Z Angular velocity	
0x3a	HX	X Magnetic field	
0x3b	HY	Y Magnetic field	
0x3c	HZ	Z Magnetic field	
0x3d	Roll	X Angle	
0x3e	Pitch	Y Angle	
0x3f	Yaw	Z Angle	
0x40	TEMP	Module temperature	
0x41	D0Status D0 Status		
0x42	D1Status D1 Status		
0x43	D2Status	D2 Status	
0x44	D3Status	D3 Status	
0x45	A45 PressureL Pressure low byte		
0x46	PressureH Pressure high byte		
0x47	HeightL	Height low byte	
0x48	HeightH	Height high byte	
0x49	KEEP		
0x4a	KEEP		
0x4b	KEEP		
0x4c	KEEP		
0x4d	KEEP		
0x4e	KEEP		
0x4f	KEEP		
0x50	KEEP		

0x51	Q0	Quaternion Q0
0x52	Q1	Quaternion Q1
0x53	Q2	Quaternion Q2
0x54	Q3	Quaternion Q3

# 7 Application Area

Agricultural machinery



Solar energy



Medical instruments



Internet of things



Power monitoring



Construction machinery



Geological monitoring





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