



## **WeatherStation® Instrument Calibration Certificate**

Model: ID: PB200 2250048

**Calibration Date:** 

2250048 5/14/2011

Manufacturer:

Airmar Technology Corporation, Milford NH USA

**Test Procedure:** 

96-154-02

The WeatherStation® Instrument passes testing for IPX6 heavy seas water standards (excepting units equipped with RH sensors, which meet IPX4) and the IEC 60945 standards for exposed units<sub>1</sub>. All units are calibrated in an onsite wind tunnel<sub>2</sub>.

## **Unit Test Results:**

Test Performed	Logged Value	Test Requirement
0 Knot Wind	0.7	Less than 1 Knot Max
50 Knot Cal ₄	PA <b>S</b> S	Within 2 Knots RMS
Humidity	N/A	Within ±5 % RH
Temperature 5	22.7	Within ±1.1 °C
Pressure	1001.3	Within ±2 mBar
Rate Gyro – Dynamic 8	N/A	Under 4 deg/sec average error
Rate Gyro – Static	N/A	Within ±40 Deg/min
Pitch	0.0	Within 1°
Roll	0.0	Within 1°

## Ambient (Local) Test Conditions 3:

**Humidity:** 

31.7 %RH

Temperature:

23.7 Dea C

Pressure:

1001.4 mBars

## **Equipment List**

- Wind Tunnel Calibration
  - United Sensor Corp. Pitot Tube Calibrated to NIST traceable pitot tube
  - o MKS Instruments Pressure Sensor
  - o BK Precision® 5491A Multimeter
- Ambient Temperature Readings (Temperature, humidity and pressure)
  - o Vaisala® PTU200
- Rate Gyro Testing
  - o SEI A2 Absolute encoder
  - o US Digital R164 Motor Controller
- 1 After multiple heat cycles above 65° C (149°F) wind anemometer performance may require recalibration to remain within specifications at wind speeds above 50 knots (92.6 km/h).
- 2 The on site wind tunnel is calibrated with a pitot tube, which in turn was calibrated with a NIST traceable pitot tube.
- 3 Ambient conditions measured with a Vaisala PTU300. Temperature, humidity and pressure readings compared to Vaisala PTU300. The temperature, pressure and humidity readings from the Vaisala® instruments were calibrated by Vaisala® against instruments calibrated to NIST traceable instruments.
- 4 Units are calibrated at 50 knots with a 75 point correction curve.
- 5 Unit temperature and humidity recorded with 4+ knots of wind present.
- 6 Test conducted at a rate of turn of 70 degrees per second.