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SOFTWARE VERSIONS



Features

- Instrument monitoring
- Recording of measured values on a PC
- Alarm functions
- Tabular and graphical display of measured values
- Room layout graphic with live measured values
- Instrument configuration
- Programming and data retrieval from data loggers
- Probe calibration and adjustment
- Psychrometric parameters
- Assignable user rights

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SOFTWARE EDITIONS

HW4 LITE

Visualization of measured values from the compact logger HL-20(D) and HC2-WIN-USB

A maximum of 3 instruments can be connected simultaneously

All functions of the Standard edition

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HW4 STANDARD

Single-user applications

Visualization of multiple loggers and measured values

Monitoring (1 instrument at a time), data logger programming, data retrieval, scaling, instrument settings, alarm function, service and configuration tool for ROTRONIC instruments, time synchronization, adjustment and calibration of ROTRONIC probes

No password protection

Order code: HW4-E-Vx

HW4 PROFESSIONAL

Network applications in the pharmaceutical and food industries

All functions of the Standard edition

Fulfils the requirements for electronic data records and signatures (FDA21 CFR Part 11, Annex 11)

Grouping of devices, graph overlays, printing of reports

Order code: HW4-P-Vx

HW4 Professional with water activity measurement

All functions of the Professional edition

AW Quick function for fast determination of water activity

Order code: HW4-P-QUICK-Vx

HW4 PROFESSIONAL WITH OPC SERVER

Network applications with integration into the customer's own software tools

All functions of the Professional edition

Contains an OPC server with which the data can be integrated into the customer's own software

Order code: HW4-P-OPC-Vx

HW4 VALIDATED SOFTWARE

For users subject to regulatory requirements (GxP)

All the functions of HW4 OPC

Includes HW4 e-compliance package

This comprehensive documentation package supports the user in the qualification/validation of HW4-based solutions

Order code: HW4-VAL-Vx

HW4 TRIAL VERSION

Full functionality of the Professional edition, including OPC functions

Limited trial period of max. 30 days

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QUALIFICATION / COMPUTERIZED SYSTEM VALIDATION

Data integrity and security are of essential importance today. Companies in the pharmaceutical, food, and medical technology industries must prove that their data is measured and managed reliably. For this they require software and devices that can be validated. Combining ROTRONIC HW4-compatible instruments and software, ROTRONIC provides solutions in which validation plays a central role. The instruments and software are validated and compatible with FDA 21 CFR Part 11 (directive of the US Food and Drug Administration, FDA) and GxP.

Function overview						
All versions of HW4 support the HygroLog HL-NT series, HL20, HygroFlex HF3-HF8, HygroLab C1, HygroPalm HP21 to HP23-A and future instruments.				ractivity	server	
You can find a compatibility list at www.rotronic.com	Lite	Standard	Professional	Professional with water activity	Professional with OPC server	HW4-VAL
HW4 product key	20 xxx	24 xxx	64 xxx	86 xxx	88 xxx	12 xxx
Viewing of measured values/Monitoring						
Display of measured values on a monitor for multiple instruments		~	V	~	V	V
Monitor display of measured values consolidated into groups			~	~	~	~
ROTRONIC networkable products (RS-485)			~	~	~	V
Archiving of data						
Automatic saving of the measured data (monitoring)			~	~	~	~
Simultaneous management of the log settings for instruments in a group			~	~	~	~
Display of measured values						
Numeric and graphic display	~	~	V	V	V	~
Graphic comparisons and overlay functions			~	~	~	V
Customer-specific room layout			~	~	~	~
Analysis and calculation tool						
Psychrometric parameters	V	~	V	V	V	~
Statistics	~	V	V	~	V	V
Printing/Reports						
Automatic generation of adjustment, calibration and configuration reports			V	V	V	~
Printout as table or graph	~	~	~	V	V	~
Users and passwords						
Password protection			V	V	V	~
User names and rights freely definable			~	V	V	V
Alarms						
Visual display of active alarms	~	V	V	V	V	V
Alarm via email, SMS, relay, report printout			~	~	~	V
Flexible programming of alarm priority possible for every instrument			V	V	V	~
OPC server (OLE for Process Control)						
Server client functions					~	V
Electronic record, electronic signature, audit trail						
Logging of all HW4 user events & automatic generation of reports			~	~	~	V
Data integrity guaranteed at all times			V	V	V	V

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Standards, laws, directives, instructions						
US FDA: 21 CFR 11			~	V	V	~
US FDA: 21 CFR 210-211, Drugs and 21 CFR 110, Human Food			~	~	~	~
EU Guidelines of good manufacturing practice of medicinal products			~	~	~	~
EU Annex 11 to the EU Guidelines of Good manufacturing practice			~	~	~	~
of medicinal products						
Validation						
System Qualification Guide CD (only in English)						~
Water activity measurement						
AwQuick and AwE				~		~
Supported interfaces						
RS-232, USB, Ethernet, WLAN	~	~	~	~	~	~
RS-485			~	~	~	~
Instrument-specific functions						
Instrument settings, scaling, programming, data retrieval, data logging function	~	~	~	~	~	~
Adjustment and calibration of ROTRONIC probes	~	~	~	~	~	~
Simultaneous adjustment of probes in one group			~	~	~	~
Time synchronization for HygroLog NT Data Loggers		~	~	~	~	~
Supported operating systems Microsoft Windows XP Service Pack 2, Vista, Windows 7, Windows 8						



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FUNCTIONS

VIEWING OF MEASURED VALUES/MONITORING

Viewing of measured values is very easy and user-friendly. Data files for any device shown in the device tree can be copied and opened directly with the HW4 explorer. The data is presented in table or graphical formats.

The graph module can be configured by the user.

ROOM LAYOUT

For clear presentation of the measured values, the room layout of the building or machine can be stored within the HW4 software.

Drawings and images can be imported in BMP or JPG format. Once the room layout has been imported, the probes can be placed in the room layout and their measured values shown.



ARCHIVING OF DATA/FILE FORMATS

The data can be written automatically to different files.

For example, the user can configure the system to create a new file every day, every week or every month.

The file formats can be defined by the user. The formats .xls and .log are available for log files. The .log format saves the data in a binary format that can only be read by HW4, while the .xls format can be opened with an editor or Excel. The data can also be exported in other formats.



INSTRUMENT CONFIGURATION

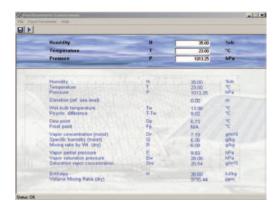
The HW4 software can be used to adjust the settings of ROTRONIC instruments and probes. Depending on the instrument and probe, the following functions and settings can be changed:

- Assignment and scaling of transmitter outputs
- Definition of alarm values
- Relay switch points
- Adjustment and calibration of probes

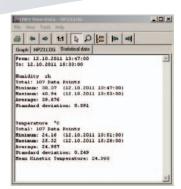


ANALYSIS AND CALCULATION TOOL PSYCHROMETRIC PARAMETERS

All ROTRONIC instruments measure relative humidity and temperature. These two values can be used to calculate other psychrometric values such as dew point, mixing ratio, enthalpy and wet bulb temperature. The calculation module in HW4 software uses WMO*-verified formulas for these calculations and allows users to define their own parameters (e.g. mixing ratio & temperature) as input values in order to calculate the relative humidity from them. Other advanced options such as dew/frost point differentiation are also included.



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STATISTICAL FUNCTIONS

For many users detailed data, which can be very extensive, is not necessarily of much interest. For them it is merely important that the measured values lie within a certain range. This is the role of the statistical function.

It shows the following values:

- min., max. and mean value (during a defined period or during the time of an alarm)
- standard deviation
- mean kinetic temperature
- number of measured values
- total time measurements exceeded a certain value

USERS AND PASSWORDS

User names and passwords can be defined and assigned freely.

Every user can be granted different rights. Users can be blocked and reactivated again. Users that have been deleted cannot be recreated under the same name.

ALARMS

In monitoring mode HW4 can trigger an alarm when certain events occur. Such an event can be when a device or a file storage path is not available, when measured values lie outside defined limits or when a data logger sends an error message. The following actions can be carried out when an alarm occurs:

- reporting of the alarm on the screen
- sending of emails
- switching of relays
- starting of applications

OPC SERVER (OBJECT LINKING AND EMBEDDING FOR PROCESS CONTROL)

HW4-OPC contains an OPC server with which the measured values can be integrated into the customer's own software.