

Tops Instruments Supplies Co.

## Tilt90

infrastructures.

slopes.

Variants

### LS-G6-TIL90-X / LS-G6-TIL90-I

Tiltmeters for monitoring applications provide measurements of

For example they can be applied to vertical structures as columns,

piers, pylons, facades or retaining walls to track the changes in

installed to verify over time the geometry and stability of tunnels,

railway tracks (cant, twist and vertical alignment) or bridges decks.

embankments and mines monitoring to control the stability of the

The Loadsensing Tilt90 is now available with an external antenna

applications as railway tracks where it's important to minimise the

for full range capabilities or with an internal antenna for

inclinations and detect differential settlement; or they can be

Tiltmeters have been as well extensively used in landslides,

changes from the vertical level, either on the ground or in structures. This makes them key sensors to monitor inclinations,

movements and differential settlements of slopes or



LS-G6-TIL90-X Loadsensing Tilt90 with an external antenna

LS-G6-TIL90-I Loadsensing Tilt90 with an internal antenna



#### Measure tilt from different angles

The Loadsensing Tilt90 has an extremely accurate tri-axis sensor with an extended range of up to 90 degrees. This provides additional flexibility and multiple orientation options during installation.

#### Long-range and low-power

The Tilt90 is capable of transmitting data via long-range radio to a gateway up to 15 km/9 miles aways. It is also extremely low power and robust and can operate for several years unattended relying solely on the replaceable internal batteries.

#### **Easy and Efficient Network Management**

One Loadsensing gateway can support hundreds of Loadsensing edge devices in the same network that are also measuring other sensors installed in the monitoring sections. Loadsensing edge devices can also be easily configured and connected with a USB cable and an Android phone. The device network can also be easily managed through the Connectivity Management Tool.

## **FEATURES** Wireless sensor. An integrated unit (2-in-1 sensor + data logger). 3-axis inclination with respect to gravity's direction and a range of $\pm$ 90° Long-range communications (up to 15km / 9 miles). Long battery life (> 10 years @ 1h / 6h sampling rate).

High accuracy and repeatability.

potential risk for external parts.

Reduced size (103x100x61 mm, internal antenna version).

Two versions available - external and internal antenna.

Robust, small and weather-proof box.

Easy configuration.

#### APPLICATIONS

#### Railway track monitoring.

Building response to tunneling and excavation-induced ground movements.

Foundations and deep excavations.

Landslides and slope stability.

Bridge and structural health monitoring.

Embankments





## **Main specifications**

#### GENERAL

Battery life estimation <sup>1</sup>	Barcelona temperature profile	Singapore temperature profile	Estimations for	
sampling rate 30 sec	4.8 months	4.5 months	Saft LSH 14	
sampling rate 5 mins	3.3 years	3 years	on the life time	
sampling rate 1 h / 6h	>10 years	>10 years	model.	
Battery type	2 x 3.6V C-Size user replaceable high energy density batteries (recommended Saft LSH 14).			
Sampling rate	30 seconds	to 1 day.		
TILTMETER				
Туре	Tilt angle calculated from 3-Axis MEMS Accelerometer.			
Range <sup>2</sup>	±90°			
Axes	3-axis inclination measurement with respect to gravity's direction. Reports the two axes of rotation from the horizontal plane in any orientation.			
Node	LS-G6-TIL	90-X L	S-G6-TIL90-I	
Accuracy within ± 4°	± 0.005°	:	± 0.006°	
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Temperature sensor resolution	0.1 °C
Temperature sensor accuracy	±0.5 °C

<sup>1</sup> Typical Europe radio configuration. Spreading factor 9, radio transmit power 14dBm; considering Barcelona and Singapore temperature profiles; consumption varies depending on sampling rate and environmental and wireless network conditions

 $^{\rm 2}$  The recommended measuring range is  $\pm 85^{\circ}\!.$  Outside of this range, the margin of error increases. However, when one of the axes is close to 90°, the other axis will be close to 0° and measuring the same inclination.

#### **MEMORY - CIRCULAR BUFFER STRUCTURE**

Memory records: Up to 140 000 readings including time and 3 axes.

#### MECHANICAL

Node	LS-G6-TIL90-X	LS-G6-TIL90-I
Box dimensions (WxLxH):	100x100x61 mm.	100x100x61 mm.
Overall dimensions:	150x120x61 mm (excluding antenna).	103x100x61 mm.
Operating temperature:	-40°C to 80°C (-40°F to 175°F).	
Weather protection:	IP68 (at 2 m for 2 hours).	
Weight (excluding batteries):	606 g	390 g
Antenna:	External: 100 mm length (including connector).	Internal.
Mounting options:	Clearance holes for M4 hexagon socket head cap screws in bottom. Blind holes for M5 screws on the lateral side.	
USB (configuration/ext. power):	Internal mini USB.	
Box material:	Aluminium alloy.	Aluminium alloy.
Lid material	Aluminium alloy.	Polycarbonate.
Batteries:	from 1 up to 2.	
Vibration resistance	Do not subject the device to accelerations that exceed higher levels of accelerations than +-8g. For higher levels we recommend to use the LS-G6-TIL90-I.	Do not subject the device to accelerations that exceed higher levels of accelerations than +-80g. Test: Random vibration test railroad profile according to level C.2 (on sleeper) of standard EN 50125-3:2003+COR R2010 standard and methodology of the EN 60068-2-64:2008 standard.
Impact resistance <sup>3</sup>	Drop from 1 meter onto a concrete surface (20 000g).	

#### CONNECTIVITY

Web browser software

CMT Edge - from version 2.5 onwards CMT Cloud - from version 1.4.0 onwards

Standard CSV download, FTP push, Modbus TCP, MQTT<sup>4</sup> and API access.

Works with the new Worldsensing Android app. To download, paste this link in your browser https://info.worldsensing.com/mobileapp.

<sup>3</sup> The tiltmeter has good impact resistance. However it should be treated carefully like any precision instrument.

<sup>4</sup> MQTT available upon request





An inner view of the Tilt90s.

The nodes are autonomous battery-powered devices with C-size batteries that can last several years with minimal to zero maintenance required.

RADIO - ISM sub 1 GHz operating frequency bands adjustable			
	External antenna (LS-G6-TIL90-X)	Internal antenna (LS-G6-TIL90-I)	
Range open sight	15 km	10 km	
Range city street	4 km	2 km	
Range manhole in a city street	2 km	1 km	
Tunnel	4 km	2 km	

Notes: The distances have been tested by Worldsensing and have been accomplished in actual projects using the standard antenna. However, radio range depends on the environment so these distances are only indicative. Consult with us for your application.

Bidirectional communications: Remote sampling rate change / Clock synchronization.

Maximum link budget: 151 dB / 157 dB.

Configuration: Star (no repeaters needed).

#### ACCESSORIES

Other mounting brackets and accessories available upon request. Magnetic mounting options undergoing development.

LS-ACC-IN15-VP	Mounting plate for vertical mounting; attachment option: anchor rods.
LS-ACC-IN15-HP	Versatile plate for horizontal surface mounting; attachment option: anchor rods or glue; includes a threaded hole available for installing a monitoring prism or a button head screw for precise levelling.
LS-ACC-IN-HPTM	Horizontal surface mounting plate for track monitoring; attachment option: glue.
LS-ACC-IN15DP	Versatile double plate for horizontal surface mounting; suitable for applications that need to eliminate the need to open the casing during installation; attachment option: glue; includes a threaded hole available for installing a monitoring prism or a button head screw for precise levelling.
LS-ACC-ANC⁵	Kit of 3 anchor rods for injection. M8, 110 mm Length, nuts and washers included.
LS-ACC-ANTC	Antenna cable extension RP-SMA to RP-N, 2.5m, compatible with Edge devices.
LS-ACC-CELL-1C	Saft LSH 14 C-size spiral cell (5.8Ah).
LS-ACC-MAG <sup>6</sup>	Kit of 3 magnets, 0 32 mm, strength approx. 30 kg, screws included.

 <sup>6</sup> The kit of 3 anchors and 3 chemical capsules can be used to fix the following mounting kits: LS-ACC-IN15-HP, LS-ACC-IN15-VP, LS-ACC-IN15-DP.
 <sup>6</sup> The kit of 3 magnets can be used to fix the LS-ACC-IN15-VP mounting plate. Only available within Europe.



Tilt90-x mounted on a vertical mounting plate (LS-ACC-IN15-VP) for wall mounting. Anchor rods (LS-ACC-ANC) for injection are positioned.



The Tilt90s mounted on a versatile horizontal surface mounting plate (LS-ACC-IN15-HP). The plate has three clearance holes for M8 anchor rods and an M8 threaded hole available for installing a monitoring prism or a button head screw for precise levelling.



The Tilt90-i with the LS-ACC-IN-HPTM horizontal surface mounting plate for track monitoring.

#### SERVICES

WS-S-TILT-CAL Wireless Tiltmeter Recalibration Service. Includes the replacement of the screws and the verification of the different mechanical elements. Shipment to and from Worldsensing warehouse excluded.

# Installation orientation options based based on the x, y and z axes





Tilt90-x mounted on a vertical mounting plate (LS-ACC-IN15-VP) for wall mounting through the magnets (LS-ACC-MAG).



The Tilt90-i mounted on a double plate for horizontal surface mounting (LS-ACC-IN15DP). This is suitable for applications that need to eliminate the need to open the casing during installation. The plate includes a threaded hole available for installing a monitoring prism or a button head screw for precise levelling.

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