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# Aquadopp Profiler 600 kHz - 500 m, Generation 2





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The Aquadopp Profiler is a highly versatile Acoustic Doppler Current Profiler (ADCP) available in four profiling range options, from < 1 m to > 85 m. The 600 kHz version has a current profiling range of up to 40 m. Designed for simple yet powerful operation, this current profiler is packed with features used by engineers and researchers to enable accurate and effective hydrodynamic data collection in a variety of environmental conditions.

See the details of the Generation 2 Aquadopp updates in the release notes here.

### **Highlights**

- ✓ Up to 40 m current profiling range
- ✓ Ideal for mean current measurements
- ✓ Easy to operate and deploy

### **Applications**

- Mean flow measurements with high focus on ease of use and simplicity
- Measurements in flow regimes with strong variations in flow speeds
- ✓ Studies of tidal currents
- Measurements of combinations of waves and currents
- ✓ Suitable for wave buoys

## Technical specifications

→ Water velocity measurements	
Nominal profiling range*	40 m
Cell size	0.5 - 4 m
Maximum number of cells	200
Minimum blanking	0.3 m
Velocity range (along beam)	±1 m/s, ±2.5 m/s, ±5 m/s
Accuracy	$\pm 1\%$ of measured value $\pm 0.5$ cm/s
Velocity range (horizontal)	±2.3 m/s, ±5.75 m/s, ±11.5 m/s
Horizontal velocity precision**	Typ. 1 cm/s
Maximum sampling rate (output)	1 Hz
Wave measurements	PUV (optional)
* Depending on scattering conditions	
** Consult instrument software	
→ Echo intensity	
Sampling	Same as velocity
Resolution	0.5 dB
Dynamic range	90 dB
Transducer acoustic frequency	600 kHz
Number of beams	3
Beam width	1.55° (3.1° total)
→ HR option	
Maximum profiling range	N/A
Cell size	N/A
Minimum blanking	N/A
Maximum number of cells	N/A
Range/Velocity limitations	N/A
Accuracy	N/A
Max. sampling rate	N/A
→ Sensors	
Temperature:	
Temp. range	-4 to +40 °C
Temp. accuracy/resolution	0.1 °C/0.01 °C
Temp. time response	<1 min
Compass:	Solid State Magnetometer
Accuracy/resolution	<2° for tilt <30°/0.01°
Tilt:	Solid State Accelerometer
Accuracy/resolution	0.2° for tilt <30°/0.01°
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→ Sensors	
Maximum tilt	Full 3D
Up or Down	Automatic detect
Pressure:	Piezoresistive
Range	30m/100m/500m
Accuracy/precision	0.5% FS / 0.005% of full scale
→ Data recording	
Capacity	16 GB
→ Real-time clock	
Accuracy	±1 min/year
Backup in absence of power	4 weeks
→ Data communications	
I/O	RS-422 (Inquire for RS-232)
Communication baud rate	9600 Baud-1.2 Mbaud (default 115200 Baud)
User control	Nortek Deployment Software or direct ASCII commands, with binary or ASCII data output
→ Connectors	
Bulkhead (Impulse)	MCBH-8-FS Brass
Cable	PMCIL-8-MP on 5m (default) polyurethane cable
→ Software	
Operating system	Agnostic
Functions	Deployment planning, instrument configuration, data retrieval and conversion. Online data display
→ Power	
DC input	9-24 VDC
Absolute maximum DC input	26 VDC
Maximum peak current	4.5 A
Power consumption	Consult Nortek Deployment Software
Sleep current	< 40 uA
Transmit power	Adjustable
→ Batteries	
Internal battery capacity	1-3x 50 Wh (Alkaline)
2-3x 165 Wh (Lithium)	
1-3x 76Wh (Li-Ion)	
Battery weight	430g per 50 Wh (Alkaline)
380g per 165 Wh (Lithium)	
300g per 76Wh (Li-lon)	
New battery voltage	13.5 VDC
→ Environmental	

Operating temperature	-5 to +40 °C
Storage temperature	-20 to +60 °C
Shock and vibration	Shock: IEC 60068-2-27, Vibration: IEC 60068-2-64
EMC	EN IEC 61000-6-2:2019, EN IEC 61000-6-4:2019
Depth rating	500 m
→ Materials	
Standard model	POM, Naval Brass, Titanium Gr.5, Epoxy
→ Dimensions	
Maximum housing diameter	75 mm
Maximum length	670mm
→ Weight	
Weight in air (without batteries)	3430 g
Weight in water (without batteries)	130 g
Weight in air, short housing (without batteries)	2830 g
Weight in water, short housing (without batteries)	580 g
→ Head configurations	
S6VP	Shallow water, 600 kHz, Vertical orientation, Profiler