

# **SWiFT** CTD

## **CTD Profiler**

Designed from the outset with the intention of a seamless workflow, the SWiFT CTD profiler provides survey-grade sensor technology coupled with the convenience of Bluetooth connectivity and rechargeable batteries. An integral GPS module, to geo-locate each profile, completes the package. Data can be easily and quickly downloaded and reviewed wirelessly, via Bluetooth, using the Ocean software available for iOS, Android and PC device and instantly shared, in industry standard data formats through email and cloud services. A USB Cable and Bluetooth adapter are provided.

In addition to the directly measured Conductivity, Temperature and Depth measurements, Salinity, Density and Sound Velocity is calculated using the UNESCO international standard algorithm and Chen and Millero equation.

With an operational battery life of up to 5 days and the convenience of charging via USB, SWiFT CTD is intended for offshore, coastal, harbour and inland environmental and hydrographic survey use to 500m and offers the highest quality CTD profiles in a compact, robust and portable package.

Optionally, there is a deployment cage available to bolt onto the instrument to help get the SWiFT CTD to depth in fast-flowing currents.

# **DATA SHEET**

## **Product Details**



MULTI-PARAMETER CTD



SOUND









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Rechargeable Battery





## **Sensor Specifications**

The SWiFT CTD is fitted with Valeport's conductivity sensor, temperature compensated piezo-resistive pressure transducer and a new fast response thermistor temperature sensor.

Conductivity	
Range	0-80 mS/cm
Resolution	0.001 mS/cm
Accuracy	±0.01 mS/cm
Temperature	
Range	-5°C – +35°C
Resolution	0.001°C
Accuracy	±0.01°C
Pressure	
Range	50 Bar
Resolution	0.001% FS
Accuracy	±0.01% FS

#### **Calculated Parameters and Accuracy**

Calculations based on the UNESCO international standard algorithm and Chen and Millero equation  $\,$ 

Sound Velocity	~0.25 m/s
Salinity	±0.01 PSU
Density	±0.01 kg/m³

## **Physical**

Depth Rating	ceramic core
Materials	Housing - Titanium   Sensor Guard - Acetal   Temperature Sensor - Titanium   Pressure Sensor - Titanium   Conductivity Sensor - Polyurethane coated titanium with

Depth Rating	500m	
Dimensions	ø78mm x Length 350mm	
Weight	2.7kg (in air) /1.65kg (in water)	



## Communications (set up and data offload)

USB Serial

Bluetooth v4 - low energy

Electrical	
Battery	Internal rechargeable Li-ion battery pack
Battery life	5 days continuous operation
Charging	USB Typically, 1 hour fast charge will give 12 hours operation

#### Software

iOS and Android Valeport Ocean App for Bluetooth compatible mobile devices – instrument set up, data offload, display and translation to common data formats. Valeport's Ocean PC software, with both USB cable and Bluetooth connectivity, for instrument setup, data extraction, display and translation to common data formats.

Instrument and data time is synchronised to GPS, UTC.

#### Ordering

0660049-50	SWiFT CTD Profiler Titanium housing rated to 500m
Supplied with	PC Bluetooth adapter USB interface and charging cable 1.5 A charger Valeport Ocean software Operating manual System transit case



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