



# TEMPERATURE

## STAINLESS STEEL SHEATH THERMISTOR AND RTD SENSORS

### KTM\*S, KTM\*SC SERIES

#### DESCRIPTION

The Precon **Stainless Steel Sheath Sensors** provide remote temperature sensing for building automation systems and mechanical equipment room instrumentation. The active sensing element is a highly stable thermistor material or platinum RTD.

The sensing element is rugged and sealed with a thermally conductive compound in a versatile 3" (7.6 cm)-long stainless steel tube. The probe is waterproof, and the sensor is ideal for use in refrigeration cases or as a strap-on sensor for pipes.

#### KTM\*S

The **KTM\*S Stainless Steel Sheath Sensors** are suitable for direct application to pipe surfaces for chilled or hot water measurement. They are also used for freezer cases where moisture protection is important. These rugged strap-on sensors come with 8' (2.4m), 24-gauge zipcord leads.

#### KTM\*SC

The **KTM\*SC Stainless Steel Sheath Sensors** come with a rugged, 25' (7.6m) cable that allows for termination away from areas of condensation. It is an ideal choice for freezer case applications.

#### APPLICATION

**Strap-on Applications:** Where it is not practical to install immersion wells, the **Stainless Steel Sheath Sensors** may be strapped to the pipe. The **-C** option provides a 25' (7.6m) rugged cable that may be strapped on the outside of the pipe insulation. Pipe strap accessory (**APB-28**) provides a bracket under the insulation to hold the sensor securely in place.



#### FEATURES

- **Three-year warranty**
- **Wide selection of thermistor and RTD curves**
- **Tip sensitive for precise temperature response**
- **Durable 304 stainless steel casing**
- **Easy to mount to wall, box, or pipe**
- **Waterproof probe**

#### SPECIFICATIONS

##### Accuracy

<b>Thermistor</b>	$\pm 0.50^{\circ}\text{F}$ ( $\pm 0.28^{\circ}\text{C}$ )
<b>RTD</b>	$\pm 0.60^{\circ}\text{F}$ ( $\pm 0.33^{\circ}\text{C}$ )

##### Sensor types

<b>Thermistor @ 77°F</b>	2.252 k $\Omega$ , 3 k $\Omega$ , 10 k $\Omega$ , 20 k $\Omega$ , 100k $\Omega$
<b>RTD @ 32°F</b>	Platinum 100 $\Omega$ , 1000 $\Omega$ , 385 curve Platinum 1000 $\Omega$ , 375 curve

##### Temperature range

<b>Thermistor</b>	-30° to 230°F (-34° to 110°C)
<b>RTD</b>	-68° to 240°F (-55° to 115°C)

##### Temperature response

<b>Thermistor</b>	Negative temperature coefficient
<b>RTD</b>	Positive temperature coefficient

##### Stability

<b>Thermistor</b>	0.24°F (0.13°C) over five years
<b>RTD</b>	<0.09°F (0.05°C) over five years

##### Heat dissipation

2.7 mW/°C (power needed to raise the temperature by 1°C)

##### Connections

8' (2.44m), 24 AWG zipcord using crimp or solder connection, type 71 & 81 have 18" leads

##### Mounting

Directly to wall or pipe using standard clips and brackets

##### Warranty

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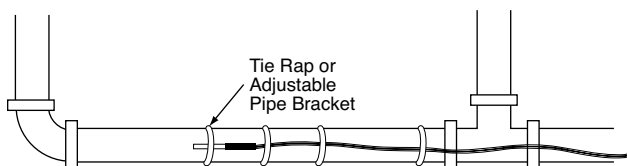
#### MOUNTING/WIRING

##### Mounting

Secure to wall or pipe using cable ties, clips, or brackets.

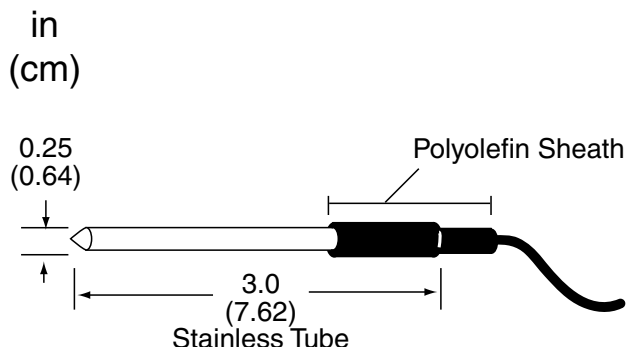
##### Wiring

Terminate with butt splices or solder connections. Wire nuts are not recommended.



When used as a strap-on sensor, best results are obtained when conductive compound (**TCC-12**) is applied between the sensor and the pipe. In addition, the sensor should be inserted under insulation with at least 2' (0.61m) on each side of the sensor. Adjustable pipe bracket **APB-28** is available for use with this sensor.

#### DIMENSIONS



MODEL	DESCRIPTION
<b>KTM3S</b>	10,000 $\Omega$ stainless steel thermistor @ 77°F (25°C), Type III (gray leads)
<b>KTM21S</b>	2252 $\Omega$ stainless steel thermistor @ 77°F (25°C), Type II (green leads)
<b>KTM22S</b>	3000 $\Omega$ stainless steel thermistor @ 77°F (25°C), Type II (blue leads)
<b>KTM24S</b>	10,000 $\Omega$ stainless steel thermistor @ 77°F (25°C), Type II (yellow leads)
<b>KTM27S</b>	100,000 $\Omega$ stainless steel thermistor @ 77°F (25°C), Type II (gray leads)
<b>KTM42S</b>	20,000 $\Omega$ stainless steel thermistor @ 77°F (25°C), Type IV (green leads)
<b>KTM81S</b>	100 $\Omega$ stainless steel RTD @ 32°F (0°C), 385 platinum curve (yellow leads)
<b>KTM85S</b>	1000 $\Omega$ stainless steel RTD @ 32°F (0°C), 385 platinum curve (blue leads)
<b>KTM91S</b>	1000 $\Omega$ stainless steel RTD @ 32°F (0°C), 375 platinum curve (green leads)
<b>OPTIONS</b> (List options in alphabetical order with dashes)	
<b>C</b>	25' (7.6m) 22 AWG cable (not available with <b>XZ</b> option)
<b>QD</b> ¼	Nylon insulated Quick Disconnect ¼"
<b>X25</b>	25' (7.6m) lead length 24 AWG (KTM*S only)
<b>XCP25</b>	25' (7.6m) Non-shielded 22AWG plenum cable
<b>XD</b>	Dual sensors in one probe (Not with XC, XCP25)
<b>XL</b>	Custom length insertion probes 1" to 60"
<b>XN</b>	NIST Certificate of conformance
<b>XN1</b>	NIST certificate, one reference point 32°F(0°C)
<b>XN2</b>	NIST certificate, two reference points 32°F/158°F(0°C/70°C)
<b>XN3</b>	NIST certificate, three reference points 32°F/77°F/158°F(0°C/25°C/70°C)
<b>XP</b>	Matched sensor pair, matched to $\pm 0.1^\circ\text{F}$ , $0.05^\circ\text{C}$ (must order two sensors)
<b>XZ</b>	Three wire RTD connections (optional only on Type 81, standard on Type 71, not available with XC25 and XCP25)

**KTM3S**

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**Example:** **KTM3S-C** 10,000 $\Omega$  stainless steel sheath thermistor with 25' (7.6m) cable

#### RELATED PRODUCTS

<b>UR</b>	Moisture-resistant three-wire butt splice
<b>APB-28</b>	Adjustable pipe bracket 2" to 8" (5.1 to 20.3 cm)
<b>TCC-12</b>	Single application thermal conductive compound
<b>TCC-111</b>	Thermal conductive compound 111 ml tub
<b>PN-46</b>	Aluminum mounting clip
<b>#20</b>	Strap-on sensor self-vulcanizing stretch tape, 6' (1.83m) roll, 1" (2.54cm) wide