

# Temp-485-Pt100

*A temperature sensor (Pt100 or Pt1000) communicating over the RS-485 bus with a simple communication protocol*



- **Temp-485-Pt100 “Box”** version
- **Temp-485-Pt100 “Cable”** version
- **Temp-485-Pt100 “FROST”** version
- **Temp-485-Pt100 “Head”** version
- **Temp-485-Pt100 “DIN”** version
- **Temp-485-2xPt100 “DIN”** version
- **Pt100** sensor, 2m cable **“PT30”**

## Device description

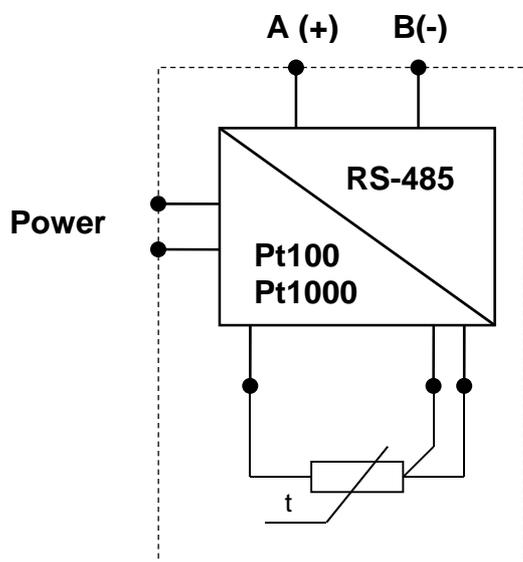
**Temp-485-Pt100** and **Temp-485-2xPt100** devices are thermometers communicating over the RS-485 bus. These thermometers use the Pt100 temperature sensor. The device is manufactured in several versions, which have identical functionality:

- **Temp-485-Pt100** the “**Box**” version  
A box for wall mounting which includes the RS-485 converter and a temperature sensor Pt100/A. This temperature sensor is in the measuring metal rod, which is lead out of the box. The box has an IP65 protection.
- **Temp-485-Pt100** the “**Cable**” version  
A box for wall mounting which includes the RS-485 converter and a temperature sensor Pt100/A. The sensor is connected to a 2m long cable, which is included in the supply.
- **Temp-485-Pt100** the “**Head**” version  
The “Head” version is a converter between the outside temperature sensor and a RS-485 bus, designed to be mounted in the unified “B” thermometer head. You need to connect a Pt100 platinum temperature sensor, which is not part of the shipment. You can use a 2- or 3-wire connection.
- **Temp-485-Pt100** the “**DIN**” version  
The „**DIN**” is a converter between the outside temperature sensor and a RS-485 bus. The converter is designed to be mounted on a DIN molding.  
You need to connect a Pt100 platinum temperature sensor, which is not part of the shipment. You can use a 2- or 3-wire connection.
- **Temp-485-2xPt100** the “**DIN**” version  
This unit is identical with the Temp-485-Pt100 „**DIN**” version, but you can connect two Pt100 sensors.

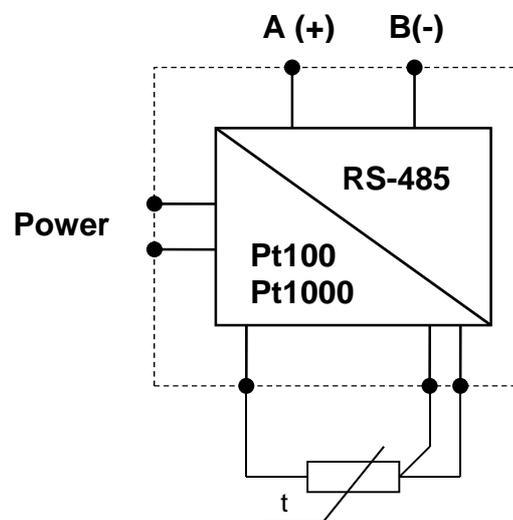
The measured temperature is transmitted over a simple text protocol in °C. You can connect up to 31 sensors on a 4-wire bus (two wires for the RS-485 bus, two wires for sensor’s powering).

The sensors can be powered from a independent power source and you can use only the 2 RS-485 wires. The RS-485 bus line can be up to 1200m long. The temperature sensors do not include a terminal resistor.

The thermometer uses a standard Pt100 platinum sensor. The sensor is either a part of the device (the „Box” version), or it can be connected using two or three wires.



**Temp-485-Pt100, version: Box**



**Temp-485-Pt100, version Cable, Head a DIN**

## Basic features

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- Temperature range -55°C to +640°C
- Accuracy:  $\pm 0,2^{\circ}\text{C}$   
( $\pm 0,3^{\circ}\text{C}$  if the „Head” and „DIN” version isn’t calibrated with the specific sensor).
- Every sensor is tested and calibrated
- Sensor type (Pt100 or Pt1000) auto detection
- The Pt100 can be connected with 2 or 3 wires.
- Can be used in industrial premises
- RS-485 communication
- A simple communication protocol, software selectable RS-485 address
- You can connect two Pt100 sensors to one DIN unit (Temp-485-2xPt100)
- RS-485 communication is compatible with our SNMP thermometer - Poseidon

## Applications

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- Wide temperature measuring systems
- Industrial measurements and regulations
- Measuring temperature in storage, manufacturing and industrial premises
- After interfacing with the Poseidon device – measuring in technological premises and transferring the data over Ethernet

## Temp-485-Pt100 “Box” version

The box version includes the Temp-485-Pt100 “Head” version together with the Pt100/A temperature sensor in one plastic box. This temperature sensor is in the measuring metal rod, which is lead out of the box.

The Temp-485-Pt100 „Box” version is designed for wall mounting; you can use the two mounting holes.

### Box dimensions

58 x 165 x 35 mm

Protection type (connection block box): IP65

Protection type (connection block): IP10

Operating temperature: **-25 to + 80 °C**

### Sensor type

Pt100/A

- input signal: range: **-30 - 200 °C**

- sensor connection: 2-wire

- accuracy: **± (0.25 + 0.002t) [°C]**

### Communication line

RS 485

- output, communication: ASCII (9600Bd 8N1)

- resolution: 0,01°C

- measurement frequency: 1/810 ms

- addressing: SW, defined by commands over RS-485

- line termination: none, outside termination

### Power voltage:

**8...28V DC** (polarity inversion protection)

- power consumption (measurement): typ. 2 mA

- power consumption (RS-485 transmit): typ. 60 mA

- wire connection: terminals CUU  
2,5 mm<sup>2</sup>

### Certifications:

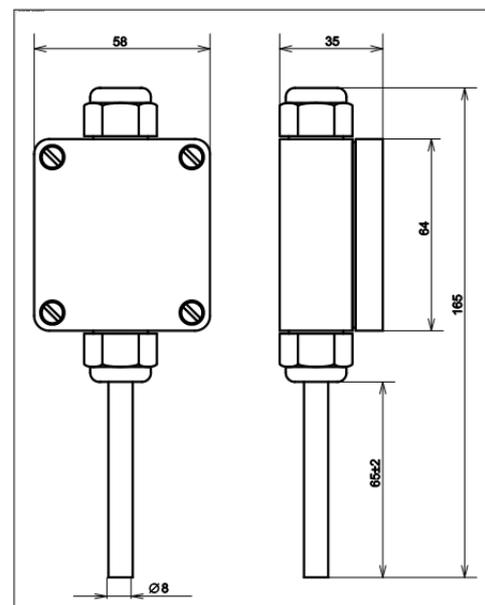
- Basic certification: EN 770

- EMC certification: EN 61326-1

- Security certification: EN 61010-1



**Note:** Pin description can be found in the Temp-485-Pt100 “Head” version description below.



### Mounting holes

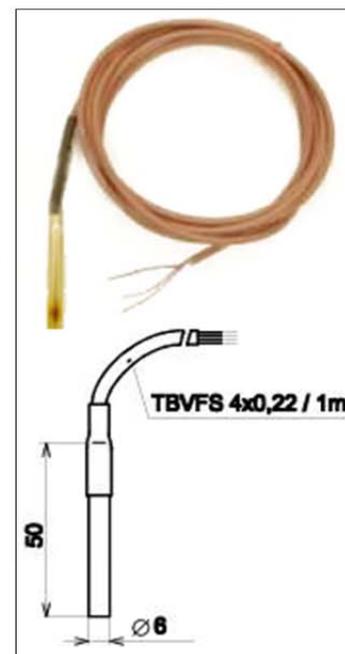
2x Ø 4,2 mm

46 mm

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## Temp-485-Pt100 “Cable” version

This version uses identical box, with only one cable grommet.  
The sensor is connected using a 2-wire cable (PT30) – included in the supply.



## Temp-485-Pt100 "Frost"

Temperature sensor for very low temperatures. The probe in a stainless steel housing measures temperatures from -190°C to +200°C (-310°F to +392°F), accuracy  $\pm 0.2^\circ\text{C}$  (Pt100).

The RS-485 converter is built into a wall-mountable, IP67 box. Operating temperature is  $-25^\circ\text{C}$  to  $+80^\circ\text{C}$  ( $-13^\circ\text{F}$  to  $+176^\circ\text{F}$ ).

Typical applications include temperature measurement in the pharmaceutical industry or freezing plants.



- **Environment:** Indoor or outdoor use – IP67, wall mount
- **Supplied probe:** External Pt100 sensor for low temperatures (stainless steel housing, 2m cable)
- **Temperature range of the supplied probe:**  $-190^\circ\text{C}$  to  $+200^\circ\text{C}$  ( $-310^\circ\text{F}$  to  $+392^\circ\text{F}$ ) / 2m
- **Accuracy:**  $\pm (0.36 + 0.005t) [^\circ\text{C}]$
- **Operating temperature:** The converter works from  $-25$  to  $+80^\circ\text{C}$  ( $-13$  to  $+158^\circ\text{F}$ )
- **Interface:** RS-485, terminals
- **Compatible with:** Poseidon 2250
- **Power supply:** From the Poseidon (12V), or 8..28VDC

## Temp-485-Pt100 “Head” version

Temp-485-Pt100 “Head” version is a converter designed for mounting in the unified thermometer head.

You need to connect a Pt100 temperature sensor which is not part of the shipment. The converter uses a RS-485 to communicate with a supervisor. The communication speed is 9600 Bd with 8N1 parameters.

The converter can be used in industrial premises.

### Box dimensions

∅ 42mm / height: 29 mm

Protection type (connection block box): IP65

Protection type (connection block): IP10

### Converter operating temperature

- sensor type: Pt100 or Pt1000
- input signal: Pt100 ( IEC 751)  
range: **-55 .. 640 °C**
- sensor connection: 3- or 2-wire
- max. wire calibrated resistance: < 20 Ω /1 wire
- wire resistance influence: < ± 0,1°C
- error of measurement: 0,03% from the range
- current consumption (measurment): < 0,6 mA

### Communication line

RS 485

- output, communication: ASCII (9600Bd 8N1)
- resolution: 0,01°C
- measurement frequency: 1/810 ms
- digital filter: FIR 1. class
- addressing: SW, by RS-485
- line termination: none, outside termination

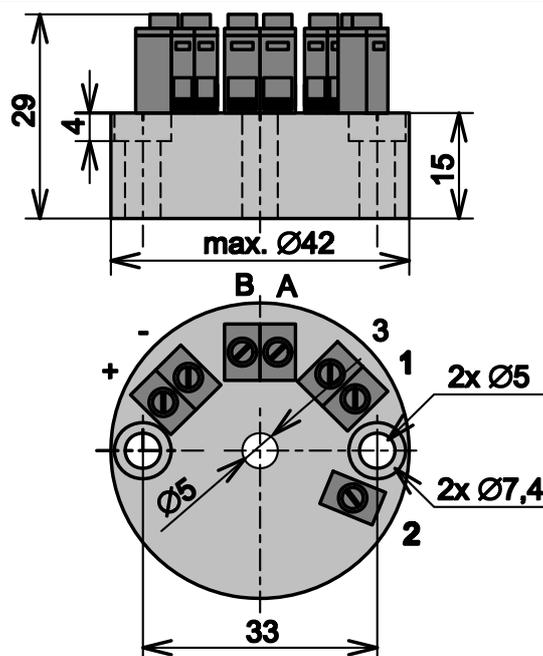
### Power voltage

8...28V DC

- power consumption: (polarity protection)  
typ. 2 mA, typ. 60 mA  
when transmitting
- wire connection terminal: CUU 2,5 mm2

### Certifications:

- Basic certification: EN 770
- EMC certification: EN 61326-1
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A: RS-485 A (+)

B: RS-485 B (-)

+: power 8...28 V DC

-: power (GND)

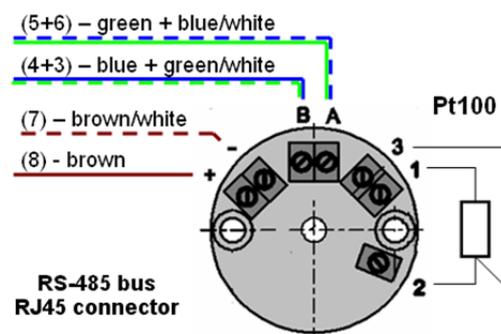
1: Pt100 sensor (typ. Red wire)

2: Pt100 sensor (typ. White wire)

3: Pt100 sensor (typ. Black wire)  
compensation input for the  
Pt100 sensor – if you use the  
2-wire connection, you need  
to **connect this to pin 2!**

### Note

You need to connect Pin 3 with pin 2 either on the side of the converter (2 wire, not compensated) or on the Pt100 sensor (3 wire connection, compensated).



### Pt100 wiring:

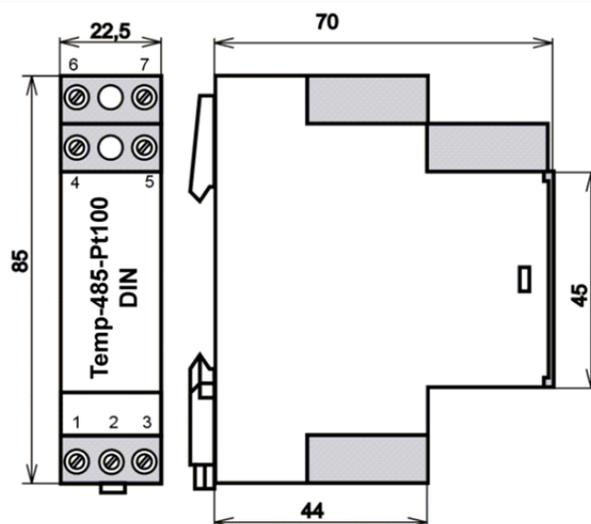
- 1: white
- 2: red
- 3: blue
- black not connected

## Temp-485-Pt100 “DIN” version

The „DIN” version is a temperature converter between an outside temperature sensor and the RS-485 bus. The converter can be mounted on a DIN molding.

You need to connect a Pt100 temperature sensor which is not part of the shipment. The converter uses a RS-485 to communicate with a supervisor. The communication speed is 9600 Bd with 8N1 parameters.

The converter can be used in industrial premises.



**Box dimensions** 22,5 x 85 x 70 mm

- mounting:

molding 35 mm

- protection type (box): IP40

- protection type (connection block): IP10

Converter operating temperature: -25...+ 80°C

**Wire connection:** terminals, CUU 2,5 mm<sup>2</sup>

**Power voltage:** 8...28V DC

- power consumption (measurement): typ. 2 mA

- power consumption (RS-485 transmit): typ. 60 mA

DIN

**1:** Pt100 sensor (typ. Red wire)

**2:** Pt100 sensor (typ. White wire)

**3:** Pt100 sensor (typ. Black wire) compensation input for the Pt100 sensor – if you use the 2-wire connection, you need to **connect this to pin 2!**

**4B:** RS-485 B (-)

**5A:** RS-485 A (+)

**6-:** power (GND)

**7+:** power 8...28 V DC

**Note:** You need to connect Pin 3 with pin 2 either on the side of the converter (2 wire connection, not compensated) or on the side of the sensor (3 wire connection, compensated).

**Sensor type** Pt100 or Pt1000  
- input signal: Pt100 (IEC 751),  
- Temperature range: -55...640 °C

- sensor connection: 3- or 2-wire  
- max. wire calibrated resistance: < 20 Ω /1 wire  
- wire resistance influence: ± 0,1°C  
- error of measurement: 0,03% form range  
- current consumption (measure): <0,6 mA

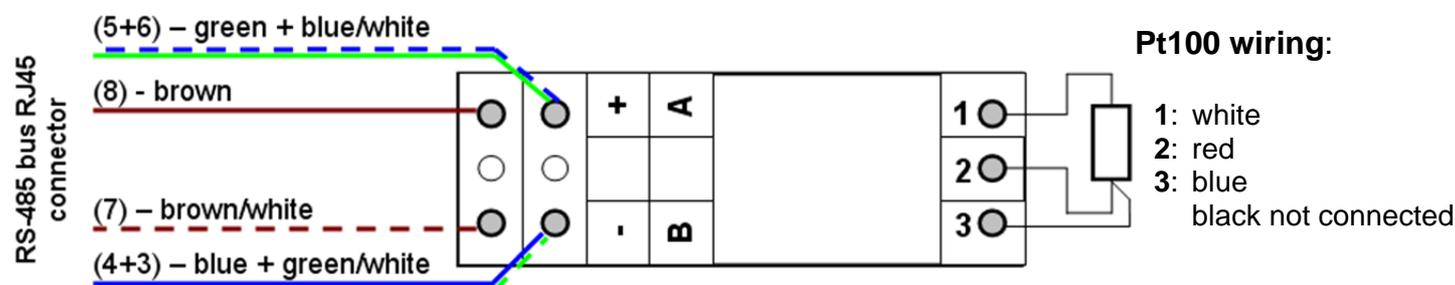
**Communication line** RS 485  
- output, communication: ASCII (9600Bd 8N1)  
- resolution: 0,01°C

- measurement frequency: 1/810 ms  
- digital filter: FIR 1. class

- addressing: address defined by RS-485  
- line termination: none, outside termination

### Certifications:

- Basic certification: EN 770  
- EMC certification: EN 61326-1  
- Security certification: EN 61010-1



## Temp-485-2xPt100

The “Temp-485-2xPt100” version is a temperature converter between two outside temperature sensors and the RS-485 bus. The converter can be mounted on a DIN molding.

You need to connect a Pt100 temperature sensor which is not part of the shipment. The converter uses a RS-485 to communicate with a supervisor. The communication speed is 9600 Bd with 8N1 parameters. The converter can be used in industrial premises.

There are 2 temperature sensors connected to this device, and two RS485 addresses on the communication protocol. But it's still one device only, so you can assign new address with using “T#<new address>” command. You can define only first sensor's address in this way (upper case - for example „A”). The second sensor address is on the lower case character address (for example „a”). Both addresses are assigned at once, with the capital letter.



### Box dimensions

	22,5 x 85 x 70 mm
- mounting:	DIN molding, 35 mm
- protection type (connection block box):	IP40
- protection type (connection block):	IP10

- 1, 2: first Pt100 sensor  
 3: compensation wire for the 3-wire connection.  
 4, 5: second Pt100 sensor  
 6: compensation wire for the 3-wire connection.

Converter operating temperature: -25...+ 80°C

Wire connection terminals CUU  
 2,5 mm<sup>2</sup>

- 7B: RS-485 B (-)  
 8A: RS-485 A (+)  
 9-: power (GND)  
 10+: power 8...28 V DC

### Power voltage:

	8...28V DC
- power consumption (measurement):	typ. 2 mA
- power consumption (RS-485 transmit):	typ. 60 mA

### Note

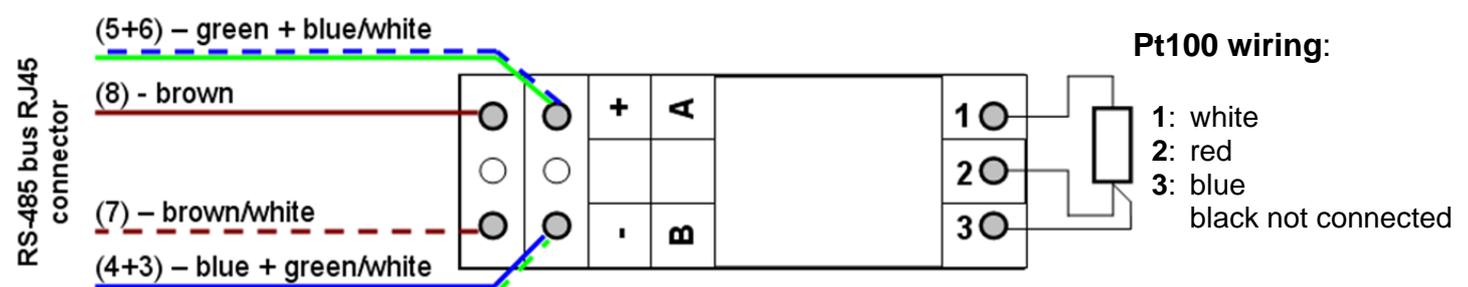
*the compensation pin must be connected with pin 2 or 5 on the converter or sensor side.*

<b>Sensor type</b>	Pt100 or Pt1000
- input signal:	Pt100 (IEC 751),
- Temperature range:	-55...640 °C
- sensor connection:	3- or 2-wire
- max. wire calibrated resistance:	< 20 Ω /1 wire
- wire resistance influence:	± 0,1°C
- error of measurement:	0,03% form range
- current consumption (measure):	<0,6 mA

<b>Communication line</b>	RS 485
- output, communication	ASCII (9600Bd 8N1)
- resolution:	0,01°C
- measurement frequency:	1/810 ms
- digital filter	FIR 1. class
- addressing:	software address by RS-485
- line termination:	none, outside termination

### Certifications:

- Basic certification:	EN 770
- EMC certification:	EN 61326-1
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## Setting sensor address

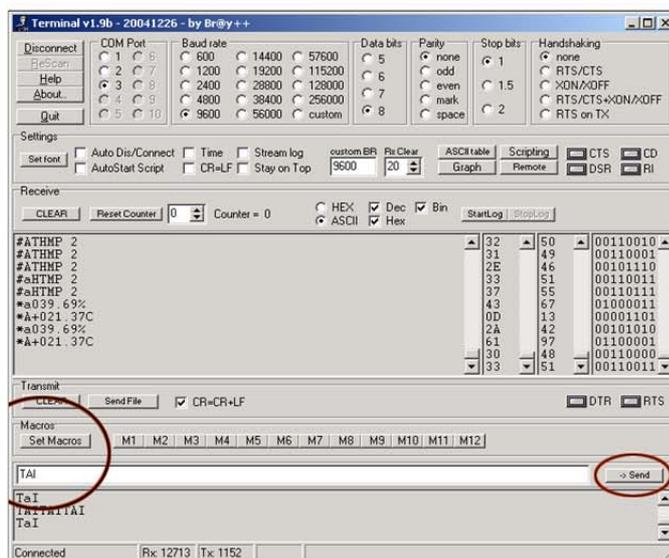
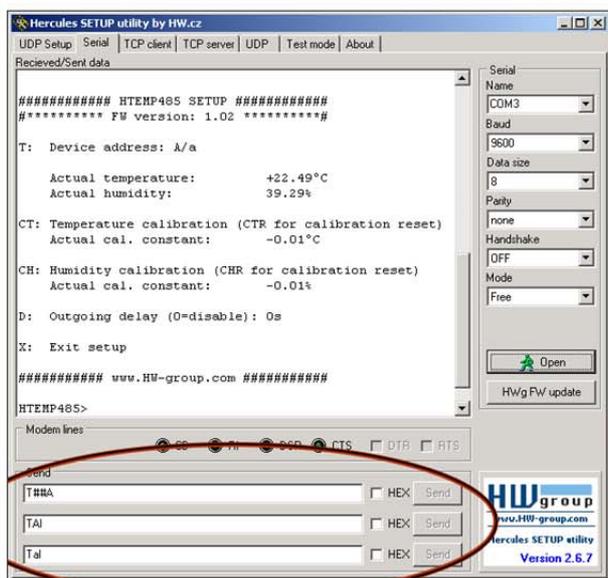
The RS-485 address must be unique and can be chosen using the „**T#<address>**“ command. This command can be used only if there is one sensor connected on the RS-485 line.

The command must be sent as a sequence of characters, with max. 1s delay between characters.

If you have a double sensor, the address is assigned to both sensors at once. The first sensor gets the capital letter address, the second sensor has a lowercase letter address.

## Notes

- If you set the address using the „T#A” macro containing the „#” character, you need to double this character, because it is often used for inserting decimal value.



**Communication protocol**

The sensor works in question – answer mode. The response time is max. 20ms.

Communication bus ..... RS-485

Address range ..... “A” .. “Z” (except „T”) and “a” ..”z” (25 + 26 addresses)

Communication..... ASCII, described below

Response times..... max. 20 ms per command

Speed.....9600 baud

Data bits .....8

Parity .....none

Stop bits..... 1

**Temperature reading**

Function	Command syntax	Example
temperature request	T<address>I	TAI
answer from sensor (all OK)	*<address><temp><CR>	*A+025.51C
answer from sensor (error)	*<address>Err<CR>	*AErr

<address> is a character from „A” to „Z” and „a” .. „z”, except „T”,

<CR> is a 0xD or 13 dec character – line end

<temp> has two decimal places \*A+025.55C

**Device identification**

Function	Command syntax	Example
device type request	T<address>?	TA?
answer from sensor (all OK)	*<address><Identification><cr>	*ATemp-485-Pt100

<Identification> a „Temp-485-Pt100” or „Temp-485-Pt1000” string

Sensor type detection is automatic, the identification is for user information only.

## Sensor address setup

You **must have only one unit connected to a RS-485 bus**, or you will change all your unit's addresses! You must send the whole command within 3 seconds (be careful when typing on a keyboard).

**Warning:** The address will be changed, only if it's first received command after power-up.

Function	Command syntax	Example
Address change	T#<new address>	T#A
answer from sensor	*<new address>OK<CR>	*AOK

<address> is a character from „A” to „Z” and „a” .. „z”, **except „T”**

<cr> is a 0xD or 13 dec character – line end

**Note:** *When you set the **Temp-485-2xPt100** device, you only need to setup one address; the other sensor will get the lowercase letter of the address you assigned.*

## Reading one sensor in the line

The „\$” is used as a common address, so all the sensors will reply. This is the way to determine a sensor address if you have only one sensor connected.

Function	Command syntax	Example
temperature request	T\$I	T\$I
answer from sensor	*<address><temp><CR>	*A+025.51C

<CR> is a 0xD or 13 dec character – line end

<temp> is in the *\*A+025.55C* format

## Temperature sensor Pt100 – type PT30

A Pt100 temperature sensor device is recommended to be used with the above thermometers. This temperature sensor is in the measuring metal rod and connected with a 4-wire cable.

The sensor can be bind to the measured system in any suitable way.

### Sensor

- metal rod length
- sensor diameter
- protection type
- housing

Pt100/A  
50 mm  
6 mm (+ insulation)  
IP67  
stainless steel EN17248  
(DIN 1.4300 or ASTM 302)

### Connecting cable

- cable type:
- temperature range:
- cable ends

typically 2m  
4 x 0,22mm<sup>2</sup> teflon insulation, metal covering, silicone sleeve  
-55 to 200°C  
not-insulated, tin-plated

- coloring

white + black, red + blue  
(wires marked with „+” are connected)

- Accuracy:

$\pm(0.15+0.002t)$  [°C]

### Certifications:

- Basic certification:
- EMC certification:
- Security certification:

EN 771  
EN 61326-1  
EN 61010-1

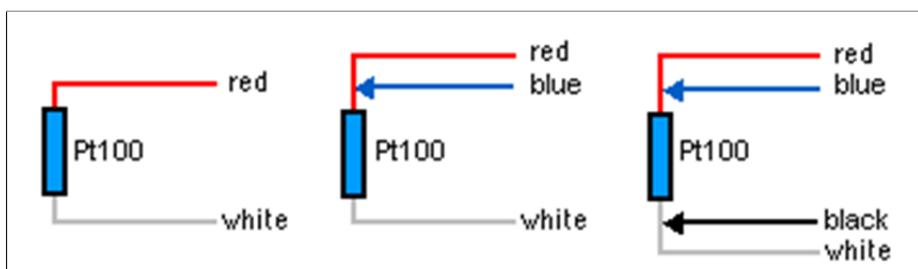
### Some basic parameters

Pt100/A accuracy

$\Delta t = \pm(0.15 + 0,002 \times |t|)$  [°C]

Pt100/B accuracy

$\Delta t = \pm(0,30 + 0,005 \times |t|)$  [°C]



- If you need longer wires (more than 2 meters), choose wires with bigger diameter for more accurate measurement.
- If you are using a 3-wire connection, you must use three identical wires to connect the sensor.

## Application tips

- **Is it better to choose Pt100 or Pt1000?**  
The Pt100 sensor consumes more current, so we recommend it for industrial usage, if you need to connect the sensor using thin wires, choose the Pt1000.
- **Which cables can I use?**  
For sensors cabling, the most economical solution is using a twisted pair (TP) cable, which is used for wiring computer networks.
- **2- or 3-wire connection**  
We recommend using a 3-wire connection if the Pt-100 sensor is farther than 50cm from the converter (the „Head” and „DIN” versions). This will compensate the wire resistance influence. You must use 3 identical wires for the measurement to be accurate.

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