

## Wireless DC Voltage Detection Sensors (1-200 VDC)

### General Description

The DC Voltage Detector detects the presence or absence of electricity. It is intended for use on battery or other DC sources, up to 200 Volts. Not intended for use with AC Voltages. It is perfect for batteries, adapters, solar equipment, vehicles or machinery, and any other electrical appliance monitoring. The sensor triggers on voltage presence to voltage Absence and vice versa. The data is displayed as “Voltage Detected” or “No Voltage”.

- Detects presence or absence of Voltage
- Voltage presence detected above ~2 Volts
- Voltage absence detected below ~1.8 Volts
- Detects voltages up to 200 Volts
- Reverse voltage protection, up to 200 Volts

### Principle of Operation

The DC Voltage Detector detects the presence or absence of voltage. The sensor triggers on voltage presence to voltage absence and vice versa. The data is displayed as “Voltage Detected” or “No Voltage”. If no change is observed within the heartbeat interval, the state is continuously reported on the heartbeat interval. Transitions and heartbeat data is logged into a cloud service. The user can set the system to send an alert on either state, or on the transition of states.

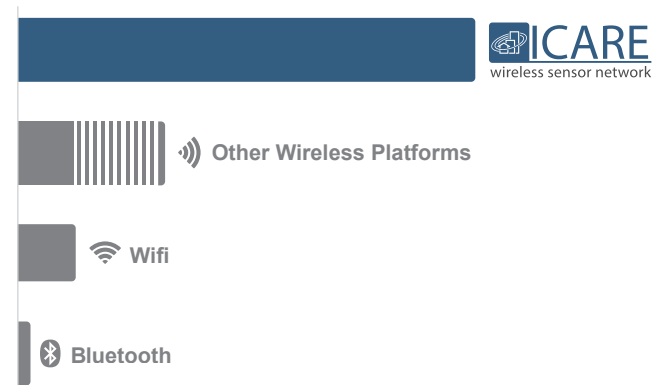
### Example Applications

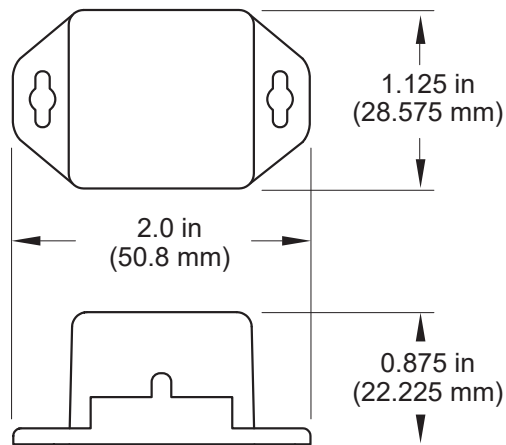
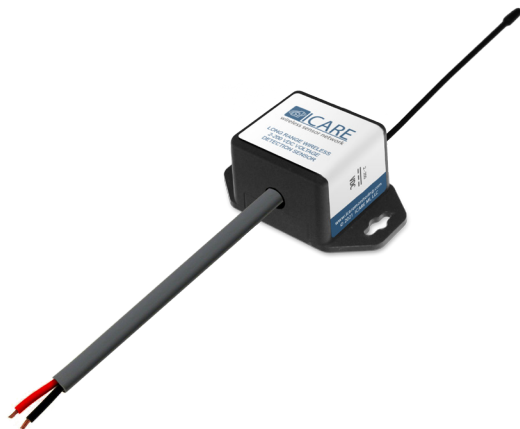
- Battery Power
- Relays/Switches
- Appliances
- Adapters
- Solar
- Power Supplies
- Sump Pumps
- Many additional applications

### Features of ICARE Sensors



- Wireless range of 1,200+ feet through 12+ walls \*
  - Frequency-Hopping Spread Spectrum (FHSS)
  - Improved interference immunity
  - Improved power management for longer battery life \*\* (12+ years on AA batteries)
  - Security (Diffie-Hellman Key Exchange + AES-128 CBC for sensor data messages)
  - Onboard data memory stores up to 3200 readings per sensor:
    - 10-minute heartbeats = 22 days
    - 2-hour heartbeats = 266 days
  - Over-the-air updates (future proof)
  - Online wireless sensor monitoring and notification system to configure sensors, view data and set alerts via SMS text and email
- \* Actual range may vary depending on environment.  
 \*\* Battery life is determined by sensor reporting frequency and other variables. Other power options are also available.

### Wireless Range Comparison





## Commercial Coin Cell Wireless DC Voltage Detection Sensor | Technical Specifications

|   |  |
|---|--|
| Supply voltage  | 2.0–3.6 VDC *  |
| Current consumption   | 0.2 $\mu$ A (sleep mode), 0.7 $\mu$ A (RTC sleep), 570 $\mu$ A (MCU idle), 2.5 mA (MCU active), 5.5 mA (radio RX mode), 22.6 mA (radio TX mode)  |
| Operating temperature range (board circuitry and coin cell) | -7°C to +60°C (20°F to +140°F) **  |
| Optimal battery temperature range (coin cell)               | +10°C to +50°C (+50°F to +122°F)   |
| Maximum rated input voltage                                 | 200.0 Volts ***  |
| Minimum rated input voltage                                 | -200.0 Volts ***   |
| Voltage detection threshold                                 | Present above ~2.3 VDC, Absent below ~1.8 VDC (Indeterminant from 1.8 to 2.3 VDC) ****   |
| Trigger   | Transmits data upon state change   |
| Open circuit reading  | Voltage absent   |
| Input Impedance   | 2 MOhm   |
| Response Time   | ~2 Seconds   |
| Leaded wire specification                                   | 2 Wires, 1 ft (12 in), Red (+), Black (-), 22 AWG (Custom lengths available upon request)  |
| Integrated memory   | Up to 3200 sensor messages   |
| Wireless range  | 1,200+ ft non-line-of-sight  |
| Security  | 256-bit key exchange and AES-128 CTR   |
| Weight  | 0.7 ounces   |
| Certifications  | <div style="display: flex; align-items: center; gap: 10px;">   <span>Industry Canada</span> </div> 900 MHz wireless product;<br>FCC ID: ZTL-G2SC1 and IC: 9794A-G2SC1. |

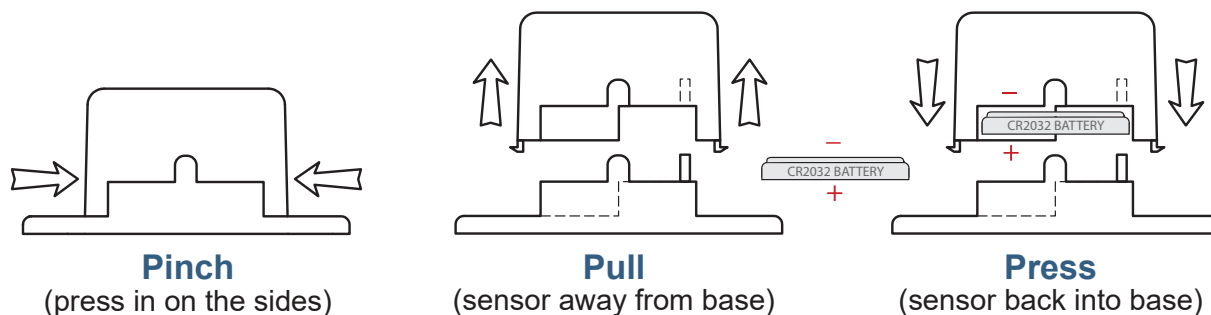
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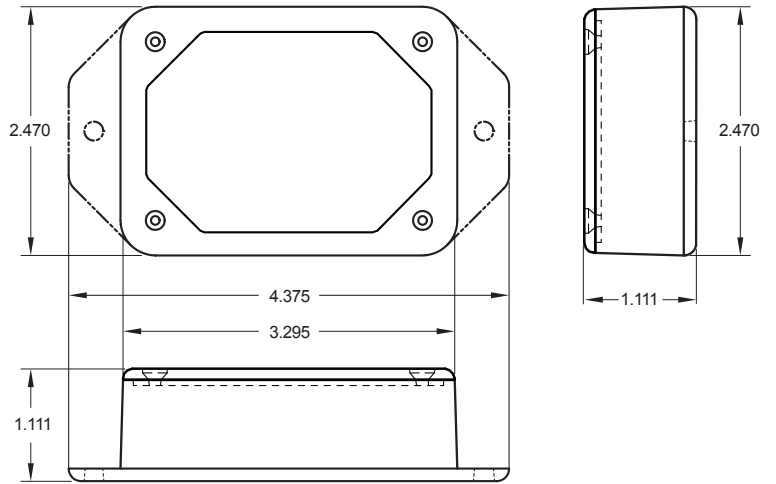
\*\* At temperatures above 100°C, it is possible for the board circuitry to lose programmed memory.

\*\*\* Connecting to voltages over the rated voltage can damage the hardware.



\*\*\*\* The sensor may indicate present or absent in the indeterminant range.

### Pinch For Battery Access





## Commercial AA Wireless DC Voltage Detection Sensor | Technical Specifications

|   |  |
|---|--|
| Supply voltage  | 2.0–3.6 VDC (3.0–3.6 VDC using power supply) *   |
| Current consumption   | 0.2 $\mu$ A (sleep mode), 0.7 $\mu$ A (RTC sleep), 570 $\mu$ A (MCU idle), 2.5 mA (MCU active), 5.5 mA (radio RX mode), 22.6 mA (radio TX mode)  |
| Operating temperature range (board circuitry and batteries) | -18°C to 55°C (0°F to 130°F) using alkaline<br>-40°C to 85°C (-40°F to 185°F) using lithium **   |
| Optimal battery temperature range (AA)                      | +10°C to +50°C (+50°F to +122°F)   |
| Maximum rated input voltage                                 | 200.0 Volts ***  |
| Minimum rated input voltage                                 | -200.0 Volts ***   |
| Voltage detection threshold                                 | Present above ~2.3 VDC, Absent below ~1.8 VDC<br>(Indeterminant from 1.8 to 2.3 VDC) ****  |
| Trigger   | Transmits data upon state change   |
| Open circuit reading  | Voltage absent   |
| Input Impedance   | 2 MOhm   |
| Response Time   | ~2 Seconds   |
| Leaded wire specification                                   | 2 Wires, 1 ft (12 in), Red (+), Black (-), 18 AWG<br>(Custom lengths available upon request)   |
| Integrated memory   | Up to 3200 sensor messages   |
| Wireless range  | 1,200+ ft non-line-of-sight  |
| Security  | 256-bit key exchange and AES-128 CTR   |
| Weight  | 3.7 ounces   |
| Certifications  | <div style="display: flex; align-items: center; gap: 10px;">   <span>Industry Canada</span> </div> 900 MHz wireless product;<br>FCC ID: ZTL-G2SC1 and IC: 9794A-G2SC1. |

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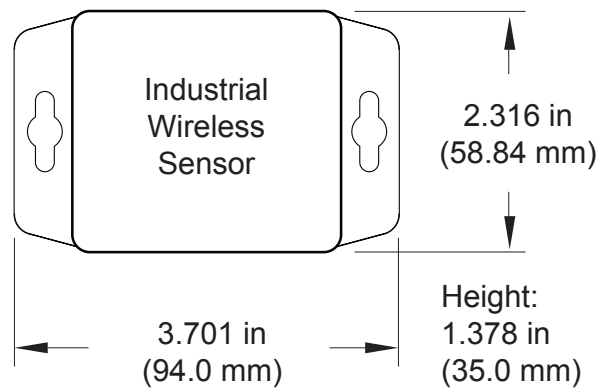
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## Power Options

The standard version of this sensor is powered by two replaceable 1.5 V AA sized batteries (included with purchase). This sensor is also available with a line power option. The line powered version of this sensor has a barrel power connector allowing it to be powered by a standard 3.0–3.6 V power supply. The line powered version also uses two standard 1.5 V AA batteries as backup for uninterrupted operation in the event of line power outage. Power options must be selected at time of purchase, as the internal hardware of the sensor must be changed to support the selected power requirements.



| Industrial Wireless DC Voltage Detection Sensor   Technical Specifications |  |   |
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| Supply voltage   | 2.0–3.6 VDC (3.0–3.6 VDC using power supply) *   |   |
| Current consumption  | 0.2 $\mu$ A (sleep mode), 0.7 $\mu$ A (RTC sleep), 570 $\mu$ A (MCU idle), 2.5 mA (MCU active), 5.5 mA (radio RX mode), 22.6 mA (radio TX mode)  |   |
| Operating temperature range (board circuitry and battery)                  | -40°C to +85°C (-40°F to +185°F) **  |   |
| Included battery   | Max temperature range  | -40° to +85°C (-40° to +185°F)                        |
|  | Capacity   | 1500 mAh  |
| Optional solar feature   | Solar panel  | 5VDC/30mA (53mm x 30mm)                               |
|  | Charging temperature range   | 0° to 45°C (32° to 113°F)                             |
|  | Max temperature range  | -20° to 60°C (-4° to 140°F)                           |
|  | Included rechargeable battery  | 600 mAh/>2000 charge cycles (80% of initial capacity) |
|  | Solar efficiency   | Optimized for high and low-light operation ***        |
|  | Charging efficiency  | 40% ***   |
|  | Luminous sustainability  | Minimum of 250 LUX ***                                |
| Maximum rated input voltage  | 200.0 Volts ****   |   |
| Minimum rated input voltage  | -200.0 Volts ****  |   |
| Voltage detection threshold  | Present above ~2.3 VDC, Absent below ~1.8 VDC (Indeterminant from 1.8 to 2.3 VDC) *****  |   |
| Trigger  | Transmits data upon state change   |   |
| Open circuit reading   | Voltage absent   |   |
|  | 2 MOhm   |   |
|  | ~2 Seconds   |   |
| Leaded wire specification  | 2 Wires, 1 ft (12 in), Red (+), Black (-), 18 AWG (Custom lengths available upon request)  |   |
| Integrated memory  | Up to 3200 sensor messages   |   |
| Wireless range   | 1,200+ ft non-line-of-sight  |   |
| Security   | 256-bit key exchange and AES-128 CTR   |   |
| Weight   | 4.7 ounces   |   |
| Enclosure rating   | NEMA 1, 2, 4, 4x, 12 and 13 rated, sealed and weather proof  |   |
| UL rating  | UL Listed to UL508-4x specifications (File E194432)  |   |
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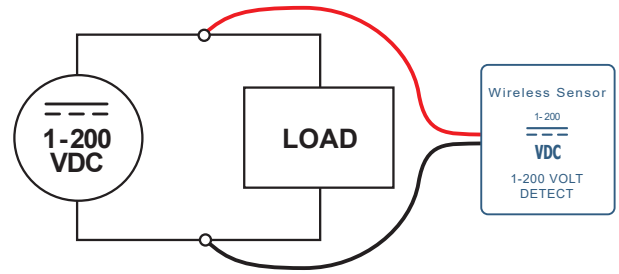
\*\*\* Solar circuitry works indoors with low light. Light present 25% of day yields 125% of operating power to support 10-minute heartbeats.

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## Proper Installation

If the sensor is not connected to the power source properly, it will appear that the sensor is broken. Please follow this wiring diagram to ensure proper performance and detection.



## Commercial Grade Sensors

ICARE commercial grade sensors are designed for applications in ordinary environments (normal room temperature, humidity and atmospheric pressure). Do not use these sensors under the following conditions as these factors can deteriorate the product characteristics and cause failures and burnout.

- Corrosive gas or deoxidizing gas: chlorine gas, hydrogen sulfide gas, ammonia gas, sulfuric acid gas, nitric oxides gas, etc.
- Volatile or flammable gas
- Dusty conditions
- Low-pressure or high-pressure environments
- Wet or excessively humid locations
- Places with salt water, oils chemical liquids or organic solvents
- Where there are excessively strong vibrations
- Other places where similar hazardous conditions exist

Use these products within the specified temperature range. Higher temperature may cause deterioration of the characteristics or the material quality.

## Industrial Grade Sensors | Type 1, 2, 4, 4X, 12 and 13 NEMA Rated Enclosure

ICARE's Industrial sensors are enclosed in reliable, weatherproof NEMA-rated enclosures. Our NEMA-rated enclosures are constructed for both indoor or outdoor use and protect the sensor circuitry against the ingress of solid foreign objects like dust as well as the damaging effects of water (rain, sleet, snow, splashing water, and hose-directed water).

- Safe from falling dirt
- Protects against wind-blown dust
- Protects against rain, sleet, snow, splashing water, and hose-directed water
- Increased level of corrosion resistance
- Will remain undamaged by ice formation on the enclosure



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