

FEATURES

- New ANSI compatible design
- New Smaller Housing design made of Polycarbonate with Glass Fiber Reinforcement
- Compatible with ANSI C12.18-1996 or 2006 standards
- Designed for Desktop and Laptop computers
- Compatible with virtually all utility meters, registers and recorders
- USB 1.1 and USB 2.0 communication
- Powered by computer's USB port
- Straight cord, 6 feet long (2 Meters)
- Even lighter weight for reduced fatigue, wear and tear
- Powerful magnets in probe head for attaching to meter's optical port



OVERVIEW

The NEW **iP501-330 '2S'** USB Optical Probes are designed for reading and programming **ANSI** electrical power meters. In addition, they incorporate a new smaller housing design that make them even lighter weight but still rugged with their Polycarbonate Glass Fiber Reinforcement material.

These probes are configured for use with Desktop and Laptop computers employing USB 1.1 or 2.0 compatible interface ports. Their optical circuitry supports **ANSI C12.18-1996** or **2006** communications protocols. They are compatible with virtually all ANSI utility meters, registers and recorders. They derive power from the USB ports so there is no need for external Battery Packs or AC Adapters.

These probes come with Windows Device Drivers Software that create a Virtual Serial Port to communicate with the meter manufacturer's windows based software. Installation and configuration instructions are included with the probes.

The NEW **iP501-330 '2S'** Optical Probes solve problems relating to mechanical wear-out due to the demanding environment under which probes are constantly subjected to. We address this problem using the most rugged mechanical and electrical design in the industry. These probes are designed with an almost indestructible Polycarbonate head that contains powerful magnets that ensure a good retention when attached to the meter's optical port. They are designed with a Straight Black PVC molded cable 6.5 feet long (2 meters) that withstands the outside rugged environment. This claim is backed with an aggressive warranty and service policy.

TECHNICAL **SPECIFICATIONS**

Mechanical Specifications

Physical size Length 2.14", Width 1.38", Height 1.14"

Cable Type Straight, Black PVC Jacket Cable Length 6Feet (2 Meters) Long Connector USB standard "A" plug

Weight Complete assembly weighs a maximum of 5.6 ounces (0.35 lbs)

Finish Probe Head Light Gray Polycarbonate One-year (1) warranty for parts and labor Reliability

Electrical Specifications

Acts as a device to a host PC USB port Signal Spec.

Compatibility ANSI C12.18-1996 or 2006 Power Req. +5V DC powered by USB port

Controlled by meter for OPTOCOM interface, USB 1.1 (250K bps), USB Data Rate

2.0 (12M bps) for non-OPTOCOM meters

880 nm bi-directional IR interface Optical

Drivers for multiple platforms; Windows 98/2000/XP/VISTA/Win7, Mac OS-9, Mac Software

OS-X, Linux 2-40 and greater

Environmental Specifications

Temperature Operating -30° to 60° C; Storage -40° to +85° C

Meets the requirements of a numbers of tests including those for Thermal Ruggedness

Shock, Humidity, Water Resistance, RF Susceptibility, ESD, Drop, Random Vibration, Solar Radiation, Salt, Fog and Low Pressure.

PC Interface USB 1.1 or 2.0 Port

Some Compatible Meters

2550, 2650, All Alpha, Alpha T, A3, Alt, Alr-al, 2430, others

Aptech/Robinton LPR1, LPR2, LPR3, SR500, TR403, TR804

General Electric KV, KV2, KV2-C, others

CTR101, CTR102, DC, DCR, DD, DG100, DT, DX, DXR, SD100, Siemens (Landis&Gyr)

SM101, SM301, TMC101, LINC, DCRMA, DDMA, S4 family, AX

series, RX series, MAXSYS 2410, MAXSYS 2510, Quad 4, others

Metricom

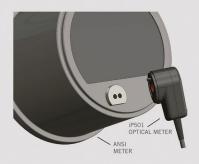
S100, S200, Quad 4 ION 7000 series, 8000 series Pwr Measurement

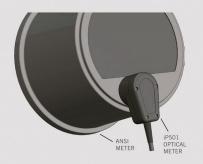
Itron (Schlumberger) Datastar, Fulcrum, MT100, MT200, Quantum, Q1000, Sentinel, Centron, Vectron

Synergistics

Transdata EMA, Mark V Others To be added

METER ATTACHMENT **ILLUSTRATION**







***NOTE: Please follow the procedure "iP501 USB Probe Drivers Installation Instructions" to install the optical probe windows driver software in PC prior to using the iP501 USB optical probes.



ABOUT US

- We were founded in 2010 with one purpose in mind: to provide high-quality products, services, and support to customers in the utility meter reading industry.
- We manufacture optical probes for reading and programming ANSI and IEC electric meters.
- We carry the most durable, mechanical and electrical design in the industry.
- Our probes can be configured to interface with virtually any handheld computer or PDA available in today's market.

DURABLE & RUGGED OPTICAL PROBES

Our iP500 Series probes feature a highly-resistant aluminum head and now our iP501 Series probes feature a light-weight Polycarbonate head, both designed with powerful magnets to ensure great retention when attached to the meter's optical ports.





PROBES FOR HANDHELDS

Our universal optical probes can be configured to interface with handhelds such as DAP Technologies, Itron, Intermec, Radix, and others.

PROBES FOR PCS

Our probes are designed to interface with desktop or laptop PC computers through serial RS232 or USB communication ports.

CUSTOMIZED SOLUTIONS

We specialize in the production, repair & maintenance of the most popular probes in the market!

We design, manufacture and market a range of optical probes designed to program and read electric and gas meters that incorporate the ANSI Type 2 as well as IEC Flag optical ports.

YOUR METER READING SOLUTION

No matter what computer you are using out in the field for your meter data collection, you can be sure that we can provide an optical probe for that application.

REPAIRS & MAINTENANCE

