# **SOII**INSTRUMENTS

# C17-PRO VERTICAL DIGITAL INCLINOMETER SYSTEM

# **Advanced PRO Features**

- Robust reinforced Kevlar® cable, 6.8kN breaking strength
- Sim enabled large 8" display robust field tablet
- · Borehole recognition system
- Low wear, non slip stainless steel cable markers
- Auto run feature for rapid borehole runs
- Includes In-Profile borehole analysis software<sup>2</sup>
- Review datasets graphically upon completion of borehole run
- Small diameter probe for traversing tighter bend radius in inclinometer casing
- Over 40 hours reel battery life
- Permanently moulded cable for reliable connection and long service life



# Description

The Vertical Digital Inclinometer Pro System is used to measure lateral deflections within a borehole. The system comprises a biaxial probe, cable reel and ultra-rugged Field Tablet supplied with 'In-Port Pro' data capture software.

The probe incorporates MEMS technology allowing highly accurate and repeatable readings, transferred via a digital signal. Bluetooth communication enables a cable free data transmitting system with no connectors to corrode or break.

The robust reinforced Kevlar® cable consists of a non slip cable marker system which, when used in conjunction with the cable gate, provides highly accurate and repeatable depth control.

With all these combined features, the Vertical Digital Inclinometer Pro System is a robust and highly accurate system that is light, compact and easy to operate in any site environment.

# **Features**

- No connectors between probe, cable reel and Field Tablet
- Probe is manufactured from 316 Stainless Steel
- Precision sprung wheel assemblies
- Bluetooth connection between cable reel and Field Tablet
- Accurate and precise measurements using MEMS sensors
- Repeatable depth control using low wear stainless steel markers and cable gate system
- Ultra-rugged Field Tablet allows easy transfer of data
- Enhanced 'In-Port Pro' software to use with Field Tablet for easy data capture
- Large 8" high visibility touchscreen display

# Benefits

- Moulded cable connection eliminates water ingress and connection problems
- Digital signal allows interference-free data transmission
- Advanced electronics ensure long, trouble free use in a harsh site environment
- Easy data transfer via Bluetooth, direct connection or internet using Wi-Fi or GSM network
- Waterproof Field Tablet for continuous use in harsh site environments
- Very long battery life
- Lightweight and easily portable



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# MICROELECTROMECHANICAL SYSTEMS (MEMS)



Microelectromechanical Systems, or MEMS, is a technology that uses miniaturised mechanical and electromechanical elements that are made using the techniques of microfabrication. The physical dimensions of MEMS devices can vary from well below one micron all the way to several millimetres.

Our MEMS microsensor is a small discrete device that converts a measured mechanical signal, gravity (g) into a voltage signal.

# Operation

The inclinometer probe is inserted into the inclinometer casing and lowered to depth, ensuring the probe wheels are correctly aligned and slotted within the keyways of the casing. The probe is connected by a graduated cable to the cable reel.

Displacement readings are taken at regular intervals of 0.5m (2ft for imperial systems) within the casing (the gauge length between the probe wheels). This is measured and controlled by stainless steel markers crimped around the cable, these pass through a notch in the cable gate, giving an exact position for each reading.

By pressing the screen button or using auto run mode you can save readings from the MEMS sensors, which are transmitted to the Field Tablet from the cable reel via Bluetooth transmission.

An initial or 'base' set of inclinometer readings are obtained at each increment within the casing.

The summation of each incremental reading provides a profile of horizontal displacement of the casing as a function of depth.

When you take all subsequent readings at identical depths the comparison of successive casing profiles indicates the depth, direction, magnitude and the rate of change of movement.

You can see the clearest indication of movement by plotting the change in displacement of the casing against depth using 'In-Profile' Inclinometer Data Management Package.

# Associated products

For details on:	Catalogue code:
EC Casing	C9
Standard Casing	C18
'In-Profile' Software	C13
Inclinometer Test Probe	C10

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# **Applications**

Inclinometer systems are used to measure lateral displacement in the ground or structure. They are useful for determining the depth, direction, magnitude and rate of movement.

Typical applications include:

- Slope failures and landslides
- Shear and slip zones
- Diaphragm or sheet pile walls
- Monitoring bending in piles
- Verifying design assumptions and finite element analysis
- Embankments
- Dams
- Retaining walls



# THE TECHNICAL RATING FOR THIS PRODUCT:

As the correct installation of any monitoring sensor or system is vital to maximise performance and accuracy, Soil Instruments makes the following recommendations, for the skill level of the installation contractor.

ADDITIONAL SUPPORT

We offer installation and monitoring services to support this system. For more information please email: sales@soilinstruments.com or call: +44 (0) 1825 765044

BASIC







The installer is trained and experienced in the installation of this type of instrument or systems, and is ideally a specialist Instrumentation and Monitoring contractor.

**INTERMEDIATE** 



The installer already has previous experience and/or training in the installation of this instrument or system.

**BASIC** 



As a minimum the installer has read and fully comprehends the manual, and if possible has observed these instruments or systems being installed by others.

# **Specifications**

### Probe Probe gauge length 500mm (metric system) or 24" [imperial system] Probe diameter 25.4mm

Calibrated ranges ±30° (±250mm) [±12"] Resolution 0.005mm [0.0002"] Sensor accuracy ±0.02% full scale (±0.1mm) Operating temperature -20 to +70°C

Repeatability ±0.005% full scale ±2.0mm System accuracy<sup>1</sup> (over 30m) Minimum casing internal diameter 38mm

Maximum casing internal diameter 83mm Minimum traversable bend radius<sup>3</sup> 2.06m

### Cable

Type	Kevlar® re-enforced Polyurethane coated 4 core cable	
Weight	82g per metre (approx)	
Cable marker	Stainless Steel	
Breaking strength	6.8kN	
Cable diameter	7.5mm	

### Cable Reel

483 x 385 x 315mm Dimensions Battery life 40 hrs' continuous use

### Weight (complete with probe)

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30 metre	9kg
50 metre	11kg
100 metre	15Kg

# Field Tablet

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Display	8", high visibility display
Connectivity	Bluetooth© 4.1, Wi-Fi© 802.11 b/g/n/ac, 4G LTE
Dimensions	244 x 158 x 23mm
Weight	750 g
Camera	13MP (Rear facing) / 5 MP (Front facing)
Operating Temperature	-10 to +50°C
Battery Life	Up to 8 hours
Ingress Protection	IP68
GPS	A-GPS and GPS
Ports	OTG USB, Dual slim slot

 $<sup>^1\!</sup>Derived\ empirically\ from\ surveys\ that\ include\ systematic\ and\ random\ errors\ introduced\ by\ casing,\ probe\ and\ operator.$ 

Achieved using Soil Instruments Easy Connect (EC) Casing installed within 3° of vertical and operated in accordance with the user manual. <sup>2</sup>In-Profile' Basic included. Advanced version available as option. <sup>3</sup>Based on Soil Instruments 70mm EC Casing and moulded probe.

# **Ordering information**

### Vertical Digital Inclinometer System

Includes biaxial 500mm probe, cable, cable reel & charger, cable gate, calibration certificate and manual.

### For use with up to 85mm outer diameter casing.

C17-PRO-30M	30metre cable length, ±250mm/500mm (±30 arc degree)	
C17-PRO-50M	50metre cable length, ±250mm/500mm (±30 arc degree)	
C17-PRO-75M	75metre cable length, ±250mm/500mm (±30 arc degree)	
C17-PRO-100M	100metre cable length, ±250mm/500mm (±30 arc degree)	
C17-PRO-150M	150metre cable length, ±250mm/500mm (±30 arc degree)	
C17-PRO-200M	200metre cable length, ±250mm/500mm (±30 arc degree)	

### Imperial Digital Inclinometer System

Includes biaxial 2 foot length probe, cable, cable reel & charger, cable gate, calibration certificate and manual.

### For use with up to 85mm outer diameter casing.

C17-PRO-100F	24inch Probe with 100feet cable Length (±30 arc degree)
C17-PRO-200F	24inch Probe with 200feet cable Length (±30 arc degree)
C17-PRO-300F	24inch Probe with 300feet cable Length (±30 arc degree)

### Field Tablet

C17-PRO-CT8 Field Tablet Loaded with In-Port Pro Software

### Vertical Digital Inclinometer Detachable Reel and Cable

# Includes cable, cable reel & charger, cable gate and manual.

C17-PRO-30MD	30metre cable length
C17-PRO-50MD	50metre cable length
C17-PRO-75MD	75metre cable length
C17-PRO-100MD	100metre cable length
C17-PRO-150MD	150metre cable length
C17-PRO-200MD	200metre cable length

# Imperial Digital Inclinometer Reel & Cable

# Includes cable, cable reel & charger, cable gate and manual.

C17-PRO-100FD	100feet cable Length
C17-PRO-200FD	200feet cable Length
C17-PRO-300FD	300feet cable Length

### Detachable Probe

# Includes biaxial probe and calibration certificate.

# For use with up to 85mm outer diameter casing.

C17-PRO-PM 0.5m ±250mm/500mm (±30 arc degree)

C17-PRO-PI 24 Inches Probe lengh ±12inches/24Inches (±30 arc degree)

# In-Profile Data Managment Package

C13-PRO In-Profile licence key

# Inclinometer Accessories

C17-5.1-SQR Optional square cable gate for 50x50mm square steel casing. (For digital inclinometer systems only)



