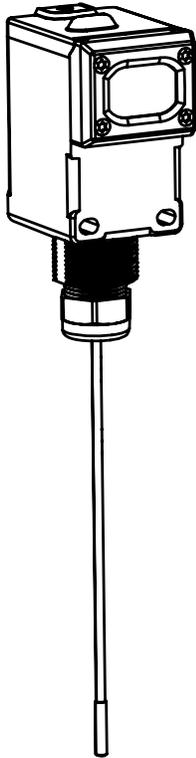


Sure Cross® Wireless Q45TA All-in-One Thermistor Sensor Node



Datasheet



Sure Cross® Wireless Q45 Sensors combine the best of Banner's flexible Q45 sensor family with its reliable, field-proven, Sure Cross wireless architecture to solve new classes of applications limited only by the user's imagination. Containing a variety of sensor models, a radio, and internal battery supply, this product line is truly plug and play.

The Wireless Q45TA All-in-One Thermistor Sensor Node combines a temperature sensor probe with the reliable, field-proven, Sure Cross wireless architecture into one package, eliminating the need for ordering multiple components. The industrial grade, battery-powered device can be used to wirelessly transmit temperature values to a wireless controller/Gateway for remote monitoring of critical systems.

The Wireless Q45TA All-in-One Thermistor Sensor Node:

- Measures temperature using a 1.8 meter thermistor probe
- Tracks materials as they are moved around a facility or between buildings
- Measures building and control processes easily
- Provides the temperature data needed to make critical shutdown decisions when the temperature becomes dangerously high
- Non-invasive add-on for industries that need to track manufacturing tolerances and provide data to customers



Important: Please download the complete Wireless Q45TA All-in-One Thermistor Sensor Node technical documentation, available in multiple languages, from www.bannerengineering.com for details on the proper use, applications, Warnings, and installation instructions of this device.



Important: Por favor descargue desde www.bannerengineering.com toda la documentación técnica de los Wireless Q45TA All-in-One Thermistor Sensor Node, disponibles en múltiples idiomas, para detalles del uso adecuado, aplicaciones, advertencias, y las instrucciones de instalación de estos dispositivos.



Important: Veuillez télécharger la documentation technique complète des Wireless Q45TA All-in-One Thermistor Sensor Node sur notre site www.bannerengineering.com pour les détails sur leur utilisation correcte, les applications, les notes de sécurité et les instructions de montage.



Important:

- **Electrostatic discharge (ESD) sensitive device**
- ESD can damage the device. Damage from inappropriate handling is not covered by warranty.
- Use proper handling procedures to prevent ESD damage. Proper handling procedures include leaving devices in their anti-static packaging until ready for use; wearing anti-static wrist straps; and assembling units on a grounded, static-dissipative surface.



WARNING:

- **Do not use this device for personnel protection**
- Using this device for personnel protection could result in serious injury or death.
- This device does not include the self-checking redundant circuitry necessary to allow its use in personnel safety applications. A device failure or malfunction can cause either an energized (on) or de-energized (off) output condition.



Important:

- **Never operate a 1 Watt radio without connecting an antenna**
- Operating 1 Watt radios without an antenna connected will damage the radio circuitry.
- To avoid damaging the radio circuitry, never apply power to a Sure Cross® Performance or Sure Cross MultiHop (1 Watt) radio without an antenna connected.



Models

Model	Radio Frequency	Inputs
DX80N9Q45TA	900 MHz ISM Band	Temperature

To order an integrated battery model without the battery, add a **-NB** to the model number. If you purchase a model without the battery, Banner Engineering recommends battery model **BWA-BATT-006**.

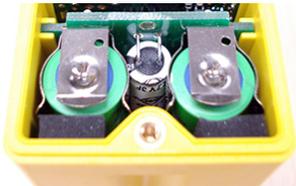
Operating Instructions

Storage Mode

While in **storage mode**, the Q45TA's radio does not operate. The Q45TA ships from the factory in storage mode to conserve the battery. To wake the device, press and hold the binding button (inside the housing on the radio board) for five seconds. To put any Q45TA into storage mode, press and hold the binding button for five seconds. The Q45TA is in storage mode when the LEDs stop blinking.

Replace or Install the Batteries

To replace the lithium "AA" cell battery, follow these steps. As with all batteries, these are a fire, explosion, and severe burn hazard. Do not burn or expose them to high temperatures. Do not recharge, crush, disassemble, or expose the contents to water. Properly dispose of used batteries according to local regulations by taking it to a hazardous waste collection site, an e-waste disposal center, or other facility qualified to accept lithium batteries.

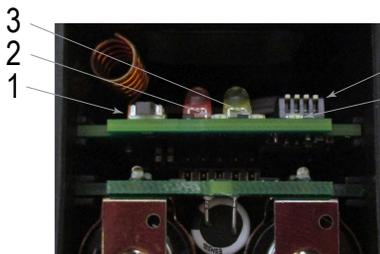


1. Lift the plastic cover.
2. Slide the board containing the batteries out of the Q45TA housing.
3. Remove the discharged batteries and replace with new batteries. Use two 3.6 V AA lithium batteries, such as Xeno's XL-60F or equivalent.
4. Verify the battery's positive and negative terminals align to the positive and negative terminals of the battery holder mounted within the case. Caution: There is a risk of explosion if the battery is replaced incorrectly.
5. Slide the board containing the new batteries back into the Q45TA housing.

The replacement battery model number is BWA-BATT-006. For pricing and availability, contact Banner Engineering.

Configuration Instructions

Button and LEDs



- 1 Button
- 2 Red LED (flashing) indicates a radio link error with the Gateway.
- 3 Green LED (flashing) indicates a good radio link with the Gateway.
- 4 Amber LED is not used.
- 5 DIP Switches

DIP Switches

After making any changes to any DIP switch position, reboot the Q45TA by triple-clicking the button, waiting a second, then double-clicking the button.

The DIP switches are in the OFF position, by default. To turn a DIP switch on, push the switch toward the battery pack. DIP switches one through four are numbered from left to right. The factory default sample and report rate is 5 minutes.

	DIP Switches							
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
900 MHz transmit power level: 1 Watt (30 dBm)	OFF *							
900 MHz transmit power level: 250 mW (24 dBm), DX80 compatibility mode	ON							
Reserved		OFF *						
Reserved			OFF *					
Reserved				OFF *				
Reserved					OFF *			
Modbus or software configured (overrides DIP switches)						OFF *	OFF *	OFF *
Sample/report rate of 15 minutes						OFF	OFF	ON
Sample/report rate of 5 minutes						OFF	ON	OFF
Sample/report rate of 64 seconds						OFF	ON	ON
Reserved						ON	OFF	OFF
Reserved						ON	OFF	ON
Reserved						ON	ON	OFF
Reserved						ON	ON	ON

Transmit Power Levels

The 900 MHz radios transmit at 1 Watt (30 dBm) or 250 mW (24 dBm). While the Performance radios operate in 1 Watt mode, they cannot communicate with the older 150 mW radios. To communicate with 150 mW radios, operate this radio in 250 mW mode. For 2.4 GHz models, this DIP switch is disabled. The transmit power for 2.4 GHz is fixed at about 65 mW EIRP (18 dBm), making the 2.4 GHz Performance models automatically compatible with older 2.4 GHz models.

Sample and Report Rates

The sample interval, or rate, defines how often the Sure Cross device samples the input. For battery-powered applications, setting a slower rate extends the battery life.

The report rate defines how often the Node communicates the I/O status to the Gateway. For *FlexPower*® applications, setting the report rate to a slower rate extends the battery life.

What is Sampling on Demand?

Sample on demand allows a host system to send a Modbus command to any register and require the inputs to immediately sample the sensor and report readings back to the host system. Sampling on demand can be used between the normal periodic reporting.

To use the Sample on Demand feature requires using a host-controlled system capable of sending Modbus commands to the master radio.

Sample an Input Using a Host System

To sample the input, have the Host System write to the Node's register 15. To calculate which register this is for your Node, use this equation: $15 + (\text{Node \#} \times 16)$.

1. From the host system, write 0x13xx to the Node's register 15, where xx defines the input you want to sample.

For Input	Write Value (in hex)	Write Value (in decimal)
1	0x1301	4865
2	0x1302	4866
3	0x1304	4868
4	0x1308	4872
5	0x1310	4880
6	0x1320	4896
All Inputs	0x133F	4927

2. To send the Sample on Demand command to more than one input, add together the binary representation values. For example, to demand a sampling of inputs 1, 2, and 3, the Hex command is 0x1307.

Bind to the Gateway and Assign the Node Address

Before beginning the binding procedure, apply power to all the devices. Separate the devices by two meters when running binding procedure. Put only one Gateway into binding at a time to prevent binding to the wrong Gateway.

1. Enter binding mode on the Gateway.
 - For housed DX80 Gateways, triple-click button 2 on the Gateway. Both LEDs flash red.
 - For Gateway board modules, triple-click the binding button. The green and red LED flashes.
2. Assign the Q45TA a Node address using the Gateway's rotary dials. Use the left rotary dial for the left digit and the right rotary dial for the right digit. For example, to assign your Q45TA to Node 10, set the Gateway's left dial to 1 and the right dial to 0. Valid Node addresses are 01 through 47.



3. Loosen the clamp plate on the top of the Q45TA and lift the cover.
4. Enter binding mode on the Q45TA by triple-clicking the Q45TA's binding button. The red and green LEDs flash alternately and the sensor searches for a Gateway in binding mode. After the Q45TA is bound, the LEDs stay solid momentarily, then they flash together four times. The Q45TA exits binding mode.
5. Label the sensor with the Q45TA's Node address number for future reference.
6. Repeat steps 2 through 5 for as many Q45TAs as are needed for your network.
7. After binding all Q45TAs, exit binding mode on the Gateway.
 - For housed DX80 Gateways, double-click button 2 on the Gateway.
 - For board-level DX80 Gateways, double-click the binding button on the Gateway.

For Gateways with single-line LCDs: After binding your Q45TA to the Gateway, make note of the binding code displayed under the Gateway's *DVCFG menu, XADR submenu on the LCD. Knowing the binding code prevents having to re-bind all Q45TAs if your Gateway is ever replaced.

Bind to a DXM Gateway and Assign the Node Address

Before beginning the binding procedure, apply power to all the devices. Separate radios by two meters when running binding procedure. Put only one DXM Gateway into binding at a time to prevent binding to the wrong Gateway.

1. On the DXM radio using the arrow keys select the **ISM Radio** menu on the LCD and click **ENTER**.
2. Highlight the **Binding** menu and click **ENTER**.
3. Use the arrow keys to select the Node address to bind the Q45TA to.
4. Loosen the clamp plate on the top of the Q45TA and lift the cover.
5. Enter binding mode on the Q45TA by triple-clicking the power/binding button. The red and green LEDs flash alternately and the sensor searches for a Gateway in binding mode. After the Q45TA binds, the LEDs stay solid momentarily, then they flash together four times. The Q45TA exits binding mode.
6. Label the sensor with the Q45TA's Node address number for future reference.
7. Click **BACK** on DXM to exit binding for that specific Node address.
8. Repeat steps 3 through 7 changing the Node address for as many Q45TAs as are needed for your network.
9. Click **BACK** on DXM until back to the main menu when finished binding.

Modbus Registers

I/O #	Modbus Holding Register		I/O Type	I/O Range		Holding Register Representation	
	Gateway	Any Node		Min.	Max.	Min.	Max.
1	1	1 + (Node# × 16)	Reserved (default value of 1)	0	1	0	1
2	2	2 + (Node# × 16)	Temperature °C	-1638.3	1638.4	-32768	32767
3	3	3 + (Node# × 16)	Temperature °F	-1638.3	1638.4	-32768	32767
		...					
7	7	7 + (Node# × 16)	Reserved				
8	8	8 + (Node# × 16)	Device Message				
		...					
15	15	15 + (Node# × 16)	Control Message				
16	16	16 + (Node# × 16)	Reserved				

The temperature = (Modbus register value) ÷ 20.

Specifications

Performance 900 MHz Radio Specifications for Internal Antennas

Radio Range

900 MHz, 1 Watt (Internal antenna): Up to 3.2 km (2 miles) with line of sight

Antenna Minimum Separation Distance

900 MHz, 1 Watt: 4.57 m (15 ft)

Radio Transmit Power

900 MHz, 1 Watt (Internal antenna): 25 dBm Conducted

Spread Spectrum Technology

FHSS (Frequency Hopping Spread Spectrum)

900 MHz Compliance (1 Watt)

FCC ID UE3RM1809: FCC Part 15, Subpart C, 15.247
 IC: 7044A-RM1809
 IFT: RCPBARM13-2283

Link Timeout

Gateway: Configurable via User Configuration Software
 Node: Defined by Gateway

Wireless Q45TA Thermistor Sensor Node Specifications

Thermistor Probe

Cable length: 1.8 m
 Cable Material: PVC
 Tube/Thermistor: Copper Plated/PS103G2
 Range: -20 °C to 105 °C (-4 °F to 221 °F)
 Accuracy: ± 0.2%

Default Sensing Interval

5 minutes

Typical Battery Life

See chart

Indicators

Red and green LEDs (radio function)

Construction

Molded reinforced thermoplastic polyester housing, ring-sealed transparent Lexan® cover, molded acrylic lenses, and stainless steel hardware. Designed to withstand 1200 psi washdown.

Certifications



(NOM approval only applies to 900 MHz models)

Environmental Specifications

Operating Conditions

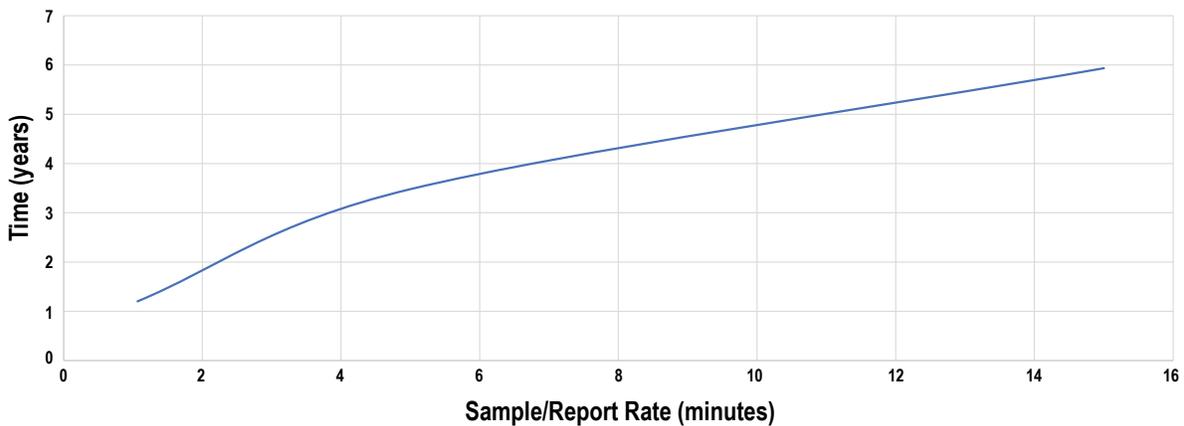
-40 °C to +70 °C (-40 °F to +158 °F); 90% at +50 °C maximum relative humidity (non-condensing)
 Radiated Immunity: 10 V/m (EN 61000-4-3)

Environmental Rating

NEMA 6P, IEC IP67

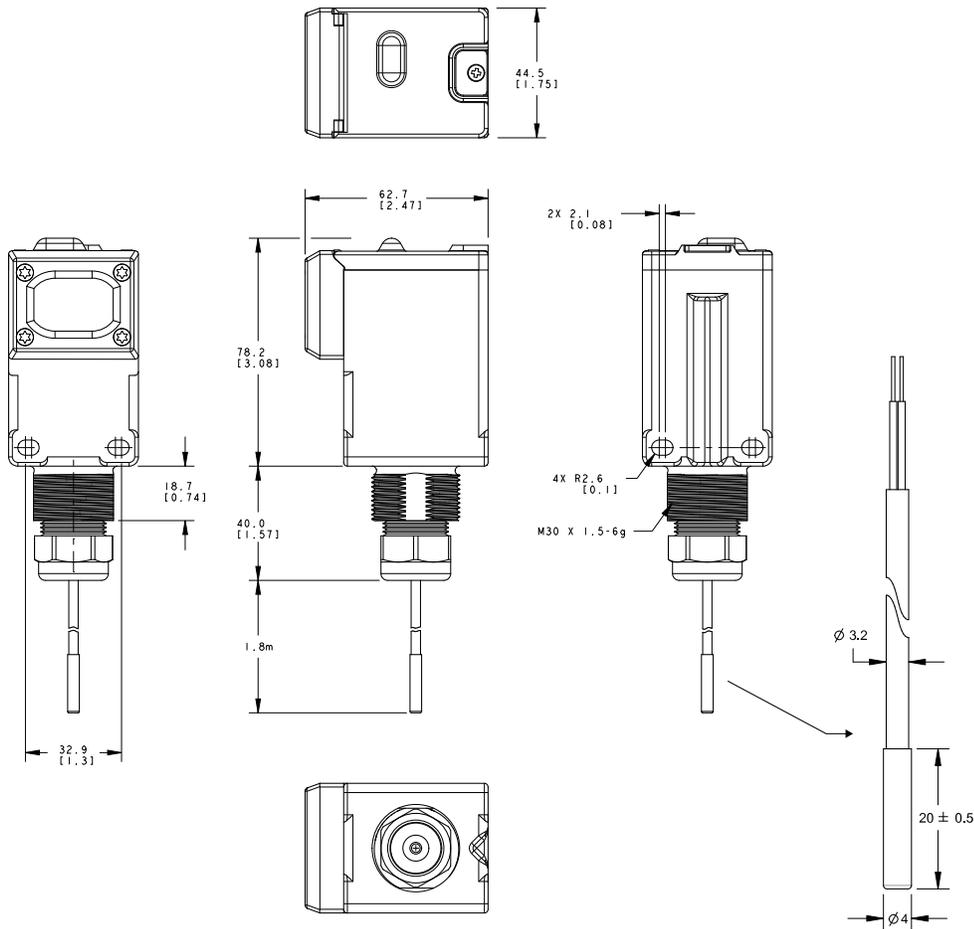
Operating the devices at the maximum operating conditions for extended periods can shorten the life of the device.

Battery Life Performance Curve



Dimensions

All measurements are listed in millimeters, unless noted otherwise.



Accessories

BWA-BATT-006—3.6 V Lithium AA cell for Wireless Q45 Sensors, 2 batteries

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Antenas SMA	Modelo	Antenas Tipo-N	Modelo
Antena, Omni 902-928 MHz, 2 dBd, junta de caucho, RP-SMA Macho	BWA-902-C	Antena, Omni 902-928 MHz, 6 dBd, fibra de vidrio, 1800mm, N Hembra	BWA-906-A
Antena, Omni 902-928 MHz, 5 dBd, junta de caucho, RP-SMA Macho	BWA-905-C	Antena, Yagi, 900 MHz, 10 dBd, N Hembra	BWA-9Y10-A

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