



# LD142-M7-R-0,2-I1/S773 DIGITAL READOUT USER GUIDE

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## 1. Technical Specifications

Display resolution 0.001", 0.01mm, 1/64"

System accuracy ±0.05 typ.

Repeat accuracy ± 1 digit

Display range -999999 to 999999

Measurement speed up to 5 m/s

Operating temperature range 32° to 122°F

0° to 50°C

Storage temperature range -4° to 176°F

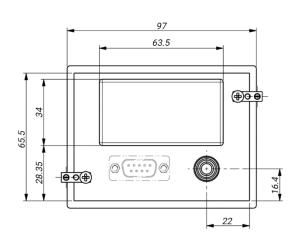
-20 to 80°C

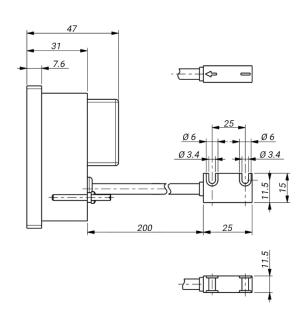
Protection level IP60 front

IP40 back

Power supply (1) C battery (1.5V)

Consumption  $\sim 700 \,\mu A$ 





\*dimensions in mm

## 2. Safety Summary

We strongly recommend the user manual and the installation guidelines to be read and followed carefully:

- Sensor head should be installed as close as possible to the display.
- Avoid running the sensor cable near high voltage power cables (e.g. drive cables).
- Avoid mounting the sensor head near capacitive or inductive noise sources such as relays, motors and switching power supplies

#### 2.1. General safety

- Always adhere to the professional safety and accident prevention regulations applicable to your country during device installation and operation.
- Installation must be carried out by qualified personnel only, with power supply disconnected and stationary mechanical parts.
- The device must be used only for the purpose appropriate to its design: use for purposes other than those for which it has been designed could result in serious personal and/or the environment damage, and warranty will be void.
- High current, voltage and moving mechanical parts can cause serious or fatal injury.
- Do not use in explosive or flammable areas.
- Failure to comply with these precautions or with specific warnings elsewhere in this manual violates safety standards of design, manufacture, and intended use of the equipment.
- Failure to comply with any guidelines in the manual will result in all warranties becoming void.
- Hymark assumes no liability for the customer's failure to comply with these requirements.

## 2.2. Electrical safety

Read carefully the instructions given in this user guide, which is an integral part of the device documentation.

- Turn OFF power supply before connecting the device.
- In compliance with 2014/30/EU norm on electromagnetic compatibility, following precautions must be taken:

- before handling and installing the equipment, discharge electrical charge from your body and tools which may come in touch with the device.
- power supply must be stabilized without noise; install EMC filters on device power supply if needed.
- always use shielded cables (twisted pair cables whenever possible).
- avoid cables runs longer than necessary.
- avoid running the signal cable near high voltage power cables.
- mount the device as far as possible from any capacitive or inductive noise source; shield the device from noise source if needed to guarantee a correct working of the device.
- avoid using strong magnets on or near by the unit.
- minimize noise by connecting the shield to ground. Make sure that
  ground is not affected by noise. The connection point to ground can be
  situated both on the device side and on user's side. The best solution to
  minimize the interference must be carried out by the user. Provide the
  ground connection as close as possible to the unit.

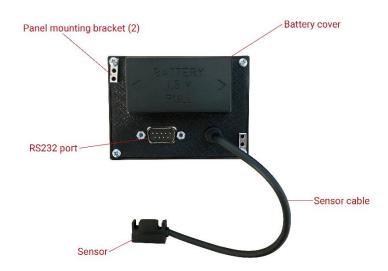
#### 2.3. Mechanical safety

Read carefully the instructions given in this user guide, which is an integral part of the device documentation.

- Install the device following strictly the information in the "Mounting Instructions" section.
- Mechanical installation must be carried out with stationary mechanical parts.
- Do not disassemble the device unless otherwise indicated in the documentation.
- Do not tool the device unless otherwise indicated in the documentation.
- Delicate electronic equipment: handle with care; do not subject the device to knocks or shocks.
- Respect the environmental characteristics of the product.
- We suggest installing the sensor in a manner that provides protection against
  waste, especially swarf as turnings, chips, or filings. Should this not be possible,
  please make sure that adequate cleaning measures (as for instance brushes,
  scrapers, jets of compressed air, etc.) are in place to prevent the sensor and the
  magnetic tape from jamming.

## 3. Component Identification





Note: DRO is powered by (1) C battery and will not power off. The battery will need to be replaced approximately every 9-12 months depending on use and battery capacity. An industrial grade battery is recommended for maximum battery life.

#### 4. Installation Instructions

#### 4.1. Mounting the display

There are two options for mounting the display:

- 1. Panel mount using the supplied hardware
- 2. Mount using a U-bracket (sold separately)

It is recommended to mount the display as close to the sensor as possible and ensuring adequate protection from physical or electrical damage.

#### Panel mounting

- 1. Insert the display without panel mounting brackets through the panel cut-out (about 94 W x 68 H mm).
- 2. Fasten the panel mounting brackets to the back of the display and then tighten the two M3 x 30 screws in the bars against the panel frame, ensuring the display is fixed and stable.

## 4.2. Mounting the sensor

The sensor can be fixed by means of two M3 screws inserted in the buttonholes.

Make sure that the gap between the sensor and the magnetic tape complies with the values in Figure 1 along the entire measuring length.

Avoid contact between the parts. You can check planarity and parallelism between the sensor and the magnetic tape using a feeler gauge.

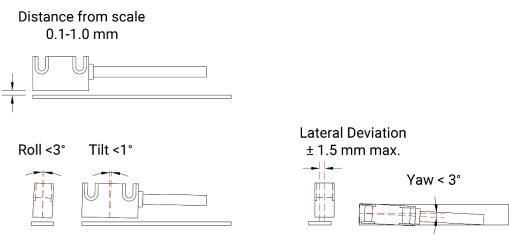


Figure 1

## 5. Setup

#### 5.1. Button functions



#### **5.2. Quick functions (button shortcuts)**

By default, quick functions are disabled. Quick functions can be individually enabled in the parameter settings.

## Reset (zero-setting)

Press button for 3 seconds to access the reset function ("rE5EL" will be displayed).

Press button to exit the function (no reset).

Press button twice to confirm the reset operation ("donE" will be displayed).

Displayed value = rEF + GF5 + GF5x (where GF5x is the Offset value currently set if  $F\_aF5$  is set to "YE5").

The reset function is enabled only if  $F_r$ 5t parameter is set to "YE5".

#### Incremental/absolute measurement

Press and buttons simultaneously to switch from absolute (decimal point lit solidly) to incremental (blinking decimal point) measurement and vice versa.

Zero setting in incremental mode (refer to section 6.2.1 Reset (zero-setting)) does not change the absolute value in the background.

The function is enabled only if F\_rEL parameter is set to "YE5".

## Inch/metric display mode

Inch/mm display mode can be switched by pressing button for 3 seconds.

The function is enabled only if  $F_{-nn}$ ! parameter is set to "YE5".

## **Changing the Offset value**

Press and buttons simultaneously to display the Offset value 1 (DF5 1). Use and ADJ buttons to change the value and save pressing button.

©F5 2 and ©F5 3 Offset values can be changed only in set up menu.

Offset function is enabled if F\_oF5 parameter is set to "YE5".

button scrolls through OF5 1, OF5 2 and OF5 3 values.

OF5 1 = current value + OF5 1 + rEF

OF5 2 = current value + OF5 1 + OF5 2 + rEF

OF5 3 = current value + OF5 1 + OF5 3 + cEF

## Fractional inch offset display

The fractional inch display mode allows to set offset values (aF5x) in the following way:

- 1st digit blinking -- increases 1/64" pressing button.
- 2nd digit blinking -- increases 1/32" pressing button.
- 3rd digit blinking -- increases 1/16" pressing ADJ button

- 4th digit blinking -- increases 1/8" pressing button.
- 5th digit blinking -- increases 1" pressing ADJ button.
- 6th digit blinking -- increases 10" pressing button.

## Reference (Preset) setting

Press and buttons simultaneously to display the Preset value rEF. Use buttons to change the value and save pressing key.

This function is enabled only if F\_rEF parameter is set to "YE5".

## 5.3. Parameter settings (MENU 1)

The DRO has two menu levels

- 1. MENU 1: parameter settings
- 2. MENU 2: RS-232 serial interface (refer to section 5.4 MENU 2)

To enter the parameter settings menu, press and hold button for 3 seconds, "5ELUP" will be displayed. Press button to enter MENU 1 or Press button to enter MENU 2.

Entering MENU 1 will display "Lo IL". Press button to cycle through MENU 1 parameters.

Press and hole button for 3 seconds to exit the setup at any point.

The following chart outlines all the possible options for the various parameters in the DRO.

Note – Factory settings are highlighted in Red and **Bolded** in the following table. The DRO can be rest to default parameters by executing the following procedure:

- 1. Remove the battery and wait 10 seconds.
- 2. Press button while inserting the battery. "dEFPRr" will be displayed to indicate the default parameters have been set.

Parameter	Description
Un 1E	Determines what type of measuring the DRO will perform (linear or angular) as well as, the unit of measure (inches, mm, degrees).  dEc - Linear measurement display in decimal  FrEE - Display with conversion factor  dL I - Angular display (-∞0.1°0.0°+0.1°+∞)  dL2 - Angular display (359.9°0.0°359.9°0.0°)  IdEc - Inch display mode  IFrct - Fractional inch mode (separated with decimals, e.g. 15  13/64" would display 15.13.64)  = save  set = next parameter  for 3 seconds = exit

\*parameter only available when Unit = FrEE, dG1, or dG2.

Allows operator to set a conversion factor to display non-metric units, angles, or used as a scaling factor to correct linear inaccuracies. When active, the scaling factor is always on and affects the measurements throughout the entire measuring range.

## Value range:

FrEE = 0.00001-9.99999 (1.00000) d5 !, d52 = 0.00001 - 9.99999

#### Example 1

We want to display a 90° angle (from 0° to 90°) with 0.1° resolution on a 250 mm diameter rotary table. The measurement length is 250 \* 3.14 = 785.4 mm

on  $360^{\circ}$ , thus it is 785.4 / 4 = 196.35 on  $90.0^{\circ}$ .

con = 900 / 19635 = 0.045836

con

#### Example 2

We want to display angles with 0.1° resolution on a 114.5 mm diameter magnetic ring. The circumference is 114.5 \* 3.14 = 359.53 mm

con = 3600 / 35953 = 0.10013

#### Example 3

In a linear measurement application, the display is reading longer than the actual distance. The displayed measurement is 1.510, but the actual distance is 1.500.  $\epsilon_{BD} = 1.510 / 1.500 = 0.993377$ 

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= save



= next parameter



for 3 seconds = exit

rE5	*parameter only available when Unit = dEC, FrEE, dG1, dG2, or IdEC  Sets the resolution of the display.  Options:  Un It (dEc, FrEE, dG I, or dG2) - 0.001, 0.005, 0.01, 0.05, 0.1, 0.5, 1  Un It (IdEc) - 0.0001, 0.0005, 0.001, 0.005, 0.01, 0.05, 0.1  * = save  SET = next parameter  SET for 3 seconds = exit
d Ir	Sets the counting direction of the sensor.  UP - up (standard counting direction)  dn - down (inverted counting direction)  = save  = next parameter  for 3 seconds = exit

F_nn l	Enables switching back and forth between inches and millimeters by holding down  SE5 – enabled (holding for 3 seconds changes the unit of measure)  DO – disabled (can only change unit of measure in parameters menu)  SET = next parameter  SET for 3 seconds = exit
F_rEL	Enables the absolute/incremental measurement function.  9E5 – Enabled (allows changing the DRO to incremental measuring by pressing and simultaneously)  no – Disabled (DRO stays in absolute measuring)  = save  = next parameter  for 3 seconds = exit

	Turns the referencing/zeroing function on or off.
F_r5Ł	Seconds will reference the DRO to the datum value + any programmed offsets − rEF + aF5 ! + aF5x where aF5x is the Offset value currently set.)  no − Disabled
	= save  set = next parameter  for 3 seconds = exit
F - FF	Allows modification of the datum value (Preset) the DRO references to by pressing and simultaneously.  SET and ADJ simultaneously.  SES – Enabled  Disabled
F_rEF	= save  set = next parameter  for 3 seconds = exit

Allows adding offset values to the DRO measurements. oF5 (can be adjusted by pressing and simultaneously. oF52 and oF53 can be adjusted in the parameter menu only. Operators can select which offsets to apply by pressing apple.
YE5 - Enabled  Disabled
*IfF_oF5 was previously set to YE5 and a value is entered for oF5  the value must be changed to 0 before changing F_oF5 to no or the offset will continue to be applied
= save  set = next parameter  for 3 seconds = exit
This value is your datum/Preset (the value that the DRO resets to when is held down for 3 seconds).  Value can be changed either in parameters menu or by pressing and and simultaneously  Value range (-999999 to 999999, 000000)
*this parameter is only available if F_r 5L is set to YE5.
= save  set = next parameter  for 3 seconds = exit

0F5 I	This is the first offset value; it is added to the current position value. This value can be adjusted by pressing and simultaneously  Value range (-999999 to 999999, 000000)  *this parameter is only available if F_oF5 is set to YE5  = save  SET = next parameter  for 3 seconds = exit
0F5 2	This is the second offset value; it is added to the current position value + aF5 1. This value is only adjustable through the parameter menu.  Value range (-999999 to 999999, 000000)  *this parameter is only available if F_aF5 is set to YE5  = save  SET = next parameter  for 3 seconds = exit

0F5 3	This is the third offset value; it is added to the current position value + oF5 (1+oF5) 2. This value is only adjustable through the parameter menu.  Value range (-999999 to 999999, 000000)  *this parameter is only available if F_oF5 is set to YE5  = save  SET = next parameter  for 3 seconds = exit
rESEŁ	When the setup is carried out, the display shows rE5EL.  Press button twice to reset the display and exit the set up (Preset and Offset values are calculated). "donE will be displayed.  Press button to exit the set up without resetting the display.  "no r5L" will be displayed.

## 5.4. Parameter settings (MENU 2)

Parameter	Description
Rd xx	Device address (00 - 31, <b>00</b> )  Sets the device address for serial connection. Valid values are from 01 to 31, 00 is reserved to broadcast mode.  Use set and buttons to set the address  = save  = next parameter  for 3 seconds = exit
H cntr	Hour meter (1/10 h)  Elapsed time indication (display connected to battery). Resolution is 1/10 of an hour (6 minutes).  = save  = next parameter  for 3 seconds = exit

## 6. Changing the Battery

The battery is located on the rear of the DRO behind a plastic cover. To remove the cover, push in on the ends and pull straight out.



With the cover removed, you can see that the battery is held in by two plastic fingers, one on top and one on the bottom.

Push one of these fingers away from the battery while removing the positive end, as shown.





Pivot the battery from the negative end until it clears the plastic fingers and can be fully removed.

Note – During battery replacement, you should never use tools to remove the battery or pry against the DRO housing. This can result in the battery compartment pulling loose from the DRO or the solder joints between the battery connectors and the circuit board being pulled loose. For proper battery removal push out on the tabs securing the battery while pulling out on the positive end and it will come free.

Damage caused by improper battery removal will not be covered under warranty

#### 7. RS-232 Serial Interface

Communication can be made with the DRO using the equipped RS-232 serial interface on the back of the readout.

Paramters: 9600 Baud rate, 8Bit, no Parity, 1 Stop bit, Xon/Xoff

#### 7.1. Serial commands

Serial commands must have the following structure:

#### |ADCMND=XCRLF

I	Vertical bar; PC keyboard symbol. Indicated beginning of a command.
AD	Device address (01 to 31), must be two digits.
CMND	Command (see Command list)
Х	Value to be sent if requested
CR	Carriage return = message completed
LF	Line feed = new command in the following line

Upon receipt of a wrong command, the DRO will respond with the same command +? and checksum.

Example: sent command is |02azs, the response 02azs?EF

Any common terminal program can be used for communication with the DRO (e.g. Hyperterminal). Commands will be sent after confirmation by ENTER key (Carriage Return)

Responses have the following structure:

#### ADCMND:SXXXXXXXXCHKSCR

AD	Device address
CMND	Command

S	+/- sign	
XXXXXXX	Value	
	Checksum The checksum corresponds to the least significant byte resulting from the sum of the hex values of all transmitted characters.	
CHKS	Example: The displayed position is 8.29. The position of the device with address 01 is read by means of the  01TPOS command:  01TPOSCRLF = 7C 30 31 54 50 4F 53 0D 0A The response is: 01TPOS:+000008299FCR = 30 31 54 50 4F 53 3A 2B 30 30 30 30 38 32 39 9F 0D The sum of hex values of all characters is as follows: 30+31+54+50+4F+53+3A+2B+30+30+30+30+30+38+32+39 = 39F The least significant byte of 39F is 9F which is the checksum.	
CR	Carriage return = message completed	

## 7.2. Serial command list

The device address in each command in the following table is indicated with **AD**. Unless otherwise indicated, the device address must be set to a value between 01 and 31 for the serial commands to function.

00RSET	The address of all connected devices is set to zero (0).	
00INIT=X	[01 to 31]	
	Sets the address of all connected devices to X (must be set to a value between 01 and 31)	
00DADR	Displays the device address until button is pressed.	
<b>AD</b> RADR=X	Changes the current device address (AD) to X.	
	Response: ADTADR:+XCHKSCR (CHKS is the checksum, X is the value, CR is the Carriage Return).	

<b>AD</b> TPOS	Shows the current position of the device. Resolution is 0.01 mm or 0.001 inch depending on DRO settings.	
<b>AD</b> RDIR=X	[0, 1] Sets the counting direction.  0: Up - standard direction 1: dn - reverse direction  Response: ADTDIR:+0000000XCHKSCR	
<b>AD</b> RUNI=X	[0-5] Sets the measurement unit and the display mode.  0: dec – decimal mode 1: free – free conversion factor 2: dG1 – Angular display (-∞0.1°0.0°+0.1°+∞) 3: dG2 – Angular display (359.9°0.0°359.9°0.0°) 4: Idec – decimal inch display mode 5: IFrct – fractional inch display mode (separated with decimals, e.g. 15 13/64" would display 15.13.64)  Response: ADTUNI:+00000000XCHKSCR	
<b>AD</b> TUNI	Shows the measurement unit currently set.  Response: ADTUNI:+0000000XCHKSCR	
<b>AD</b> RRES=X	[1, 5, 10, 50, 100, 500, 1000] Sets the linear resolution in mm or <i>inch</i> .  1: 0.001 or 0.0001 5: 0.005 or 0.0005 10: 0.01 or 0.001 50: 0.05 or 0.005 100: 0.1 or 0.01 500: 0.5 or 0.05 1000: 1 or 0.1  Response: ADTRES:+XCHKSCR	

<b>AD</b> TRES	Shows the current resolution setting.
	Response: ADTRES:+XCHKSCR
<b>AD</b> RCON=X	Sets the conversion factor (c@n). [FrEE: 0.00001 - 1.00000] [dG1 or dG2: 0.00001 - 9.99999]
	Response: ADTCON:+XCHKSCR
IADTCON	Shows the value of the current conversion factor (c@n).
ADTCON	Response: ADTCON:+00X.XXXXCHKSCR
<b>AD</b> RMMI=X	[0,1] Sets the display mode between mm and inch.
	0: mm 1: inch
	Response: ADTMMI:+0000000XCHKSCR
<b>AD</b> RRAE=X	[0, 1] Enables the absolute/incremental measurement function.
	0: Off 1: On
	Response: ADTRAE:+0000000XCHKSCR
<b>AD</b> TRAE	Shows the current setting of the absolute/incremental function.
	0: Off 1: On
	Response: ADTRAE:+0000000XCHKSCR

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<b>AD</b> RRLA=X	[0, 1] Switches from absolute display mode to incremental display mode.  0: absolute 1: incremental  Response: ADTRLA:+0000000XCHKSCR	
<b>AD</b> TRLA	Shows the absolute/incremental display mode currently set.  0: absolute 1: incremental  Response: ADTRLA:+0000000XCHKSCR	
I <b>AD</b> RRSE=X	[0, 1] Enables the Reset function (holding button to reset/zero the display).  0: Off 1: On Response: ADTRSE:+0000000XCHKSCR	
<b>AD</b> TRSE	Shows the current setting of the Reset function.  0: Off 1: On  Response: ADTRSE:+0000000XCHKSCR	
<b>AD</b> RRFE=X	[0, 1] Enables the Preset function (pressing the simultaneously).  0: Off 1: On Response: ADTRFE:+0000000XCHKSCR	

<b>AD</b> TRFE	Shows the current setting of the Preset function.
	0: Off 1: On
	Response: ADTRFE:+0000000XCHKSCR
	[0, 1]
	Enables the Offset function (pressing the simultaneously).
<b>AD</b> ROFE=X	0: Off 1: On
	Response: ADTOFE:+0000000XCHKSCR
	Shows the current setting of the Offset function.
<b>AD</b> TOFE	0: Off 1: On
	Response: ADTOFE:+0000000XCHKSCR
<b>AD</b> RREF=X	[-999999 to 999999] Sets the Reference (or Preset) value for the measurement system. The value has a resolution of 0.01 mm or 0.001 inch depending on the display settings.
	Response: ADTREF:XCHKSCR
<b>AD</b> TREF	Shows the current Reference value.
PAPTICE	Response: ADTREF:XCHKSCR
<b>AD</b> ROF1=X	[-999999 to 999999] Sets the Offset1 value (oF5!). The value has a resolution of 0.01.
	Response: ADTOF1:XCHKSCR

<b>AD</b> TOF1	Shows the current Offset1 value (aF5 1).	
	Response: ADTOF1:XCHKSCR	
<b>AD</b> ROF2=X	[-999999 to 999999] Sets the Offset2 value (aF52). The value has a resolution of 0.01.	
	Response: ADTOF2:XCHKSCR	
<b>AD</b> TOF2	Shows the current Offset2 value (oF52).	
	Response: ADTOF2:XCHKSCR	
<b>AD</b> ROF3=X	[-999999 to 999999] Sets the Offset3 value (aF53). The value has a resolution of 0.01.	
	Response: ADTOF3:XCHKSCR	
<b>AD</b> TOF3	Shows the current Offset3 value (aF53).	
	Response: ADTOF3:XCHKSCR	
<b>AD</b> TALL	Commands the transmission of all parameter settings. The display sends back the responses reported under each parameter in sequence.	

#### 7.3. SPC accessories

Using our SPC accessories, you can quickly and easily export the current displayed value to a PC by pressing button. The SPC accessories function as a keyboard wedge and can transmit the current displayed value to any PC program that can accept a keyboard input.



# 8. Troubleshooting

Problem	Solution
DRO will not power on	The DRO is constantly under power. If your DRO is not on, the battery may be dead. Replace the battery.
DRO will not zero/reference	If you cannot get your DRO to zero or reference, the "F_r5L" parameter has been changed to "no". Follow the procedures for changing "F_r5L" to "Yes".  If your DRO allows you to reset to zero but does not allow you to change the Preset value, parameter "F_rEF" has been changed to "no". Follow the procedure for changing "F_rEF" to "Yes".
When resetting the DRO, it resets to a value other than zero	If you are attempting to zero the system and your DRO resets but it resets to a value other than zero, a Preset value has been entered in the DRO. To change the Preset back to zero, press and buttons simultaneously and change the displayed value to 0.0.  Press button to exit.
DRO reading erratically or measurements are off varying amounts at various points	Examine the magnetic tape for signs of damage.  If there is no damage, check the mounting tolerances of your sensor to ensure they are within the required mounting tolerances.

## 9. Warranty

Hymark warrants this product for a period of twelve (12) months from the date of shipment. During the warranty period, under authorization from Hymark, return component parts freight prepaid. The company will repair or replace, at its option, any part found to be defective in material or workmanship, without charge to the owner for parts, service labor, or associated shipping costs. This same protection will extend to any subsequent owner during the warranty period. It does not apply to damage caused by accident, misuse, fire, flood, acts of God, or from failure to properly install, operate, or maintain the product in accordance with the printed instructions provided.

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