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#### LETTER FROM THE EDITOR

#### X Marks the Spot

#### History's Documented Treasures Need Strict Conditions to Survive

Harrison Ford has always been one of my favorite actors, and I've always been a huge fan of his portrayal of Indiana Jones. In each of the films,



the character was seen navigating dangerous, complex traps in order to claim, or sometimes rescue, famous treasures that had been lost to time.

Something you never see Indiana rescue, though, is any type of written paper document. Why? Well, without perfectly maintained conditions, written documents will age, yellow, and dissolve. It's why historical documents like the Declaration of Independence, during the years that the Declaration was exhibited in the Patent Office, saw the effects of aging thanks to sunlight, fluctuating temperature, and relative humidity. Without strict environmental monitoring, the declaration, like many products you may produce, would end up lost to time.

In the pages that follow, you'll be able to read more about topics like this in order to help you keep your assets safe and your bottom line protected.

Thanks for reading, and I hope you enjoy our November issue.

Jenn Renoe

#### **ABOUT US**

Since 1923, Dickson has been changing the way organizations monitor their environments. By incorporating the best and newest innovations, Dickson enables organizations to manage compliance, asset protection, data analysis, and product quality with confidence. Today, Dickson provides validated solutions and services for over 80% of Fortune 100 companies in highly-regulated industries including healthcare, medical device, pharmaceutical, food, aerospace, and more. With the trust of over 80,000 customers worldwide, Dickson helps to protect billions of dollars worth of assets and remains the industry leader.

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### DICKSON

# YOUR SERVICE EXPERTS



MAPPING



CALIBRATION



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In most regulated industries, monitoring systems are not the only thing necessary for compliance. Turn to our team of experts for your compliance needs.

SERVICES BY DICKSON

# WE'RE EXPERTS IN MORE THAN MONITORING

Dickson's devices have been monitoring temperature for almost a century. Now you can leverage that experience and our knowledgeable team of experts to help manage your compliance process from start to finish.

Our experts are here for you.



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## MEET OUR DIRECTOR OF SERVICES

**Antoine Nguyen**Director of Services

Before coming to
Dickson, Antoine spent
more than 18 years in
validation with companies that answer
to FDA audit. With Antoine and his team
at the helm, you can feel confident that
your job is well cared for.

#### **MAPPING**

### ARE YOUR PL STOREL

Mapping the differences and changes in temperature within a three-dimensional space can be a daunting task, but the data is invaluable. Let us help keep your business fully compliant by documenting temperature distribution and provide you with the rationale for permanent monitoring placement to protect your temperature-sensitive products.

#### **VALIDATION**

## ARE YOUR SYSTE AS INT

Our team of compliance experts will help you meet your validation needs from start to finish. We'll test every aspect, ensure no detail is overlooked, and document the proper working order of your equipment or software system. With their expertise, you'll have documentation in hand that stands up to audits.

## RODUCTS SAFELY?



#### WAREHOUSE MAPPING

Temperature and humidity can impact materials in your warehouse. Locating the hot and cold spots now can mean less spoiled product and fewer failed audits later.



#### COLD STORAGE MAPPING

Every refrigerator and freezer has its own nuances. Is the temperature distribution even? A successful mapping will ensure your storage systems adhere to safety standards.



#### **CHAMBER MAPPING**

Are your chambers' conditions equal on the top and bottom shelves? Understanding the exact environmental conditions of any chamber is critical to ensure repetition and accuracy.

## MS OPERATING ENDED?



#### INSTALLATION QUALIFICATION

Let us verify your equipment has been properly installed and that it is ready to work per your specifications. Once that's in place we will work to establish a baseline for the equipment.



#### OPERATIONAL QUALIFICATION

We will confirm your equipment is operating appropriately within its outlined specifications. You will also receive verification that your system meets claims from all parameters.



#### PERFORMANCE QUALIFICATION

Dickson takes the time to authenticate your equipment is performing correctly and within specification. You can count on Dickson to verify that it is meeting your intended use.

#### **CALIBRATION**

### WHICH CALIBRATION DO YOUR AUDITORS REQUIRE?

Using Dickson's ISO 17025 A2LA accredited calibration laboratory is the best way to ensure that your Dickson instrument is calibrated properly. With over 90 years of experience, we have SOP's in place to ensure that each unit is calibrated to a precise and accurate specification.

OR

#### 1-POINT **NIST**

- One specific temperature and/or humidity point (middle) calibration
- Good if your temperature or humidity varies little
- Specify the temperature and/or humidity point to best reflect your application

#### **3-POINT NIST**

- Three-point (high, middle, and low) temperature and/or humidity calibration
- Provides a larger proof of accuracy
- Specify the temperature and/or humidity points to best reflect your application

#### **INSTALLATION**

## HOW DO YOU IMPLEMENT NEW SYSTEMS?

Let us give you your time back by installing your loggers wherever, whenever. Once everything is up and running, we will test the devices to ensure they are working as intended.



Install DicksonOne units on your own.

By following along with our installation guide, it should take just a few minutes to set up each device in your system.





Let us help you with some of the heavy lifting.

Your team installs the units and we help manage the software's implementation, including alarms, locations, permissions, and more.





Sit back and we'll take care of everything.

We install the devices and set up the software on your behalf, and you have the peace of mind in knowing it has all been done right.

Whether you're a seasoned professional or working with your first environmental monitoring system, Our team is ready to assist you every step of the way.

## MEET OUR NEW BYRACHEL KELLETT SERVICE EXPERTS

t Dickson, we pride ourselves on being the compliance experts, especially when it comes to our services. That is why we have added a few new members to our elite team. Take some time to get to know our new validation engineers.



#### **Dustin Park**Validation Engineer

Dustin attended the University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign where he gained a Masters in Biomedical Engineering. He says, "My masters degree helps

me in being diligent and hard-working, and my past experiences also help as they gave me exposure to medical device companies."

When asked what drew him to Dickson, Dustin responded, "Dickson puts a focus on the end product being the best quality for customers and the culture of the company is definitely a plus!" As a diligent, self-motivated individual, he is most excited about the opportunity to learn and grow with many different exposures to pharmaceutical and medical device companies.

When Dustin is not on the job, he enjoys spending time with family and friends, Netflix binging, and rooting for the Lakers!



#### **Adam Schuller** Validation Engineer

Adam also attended the University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign where he studied Chemical Engineering. He was drawn to Dickson because of the

opportunity it provides for growth and responsibility.

When asked about what he brings to Dickson he

responded, "I previously worked for a company that specializes in validation and packaging. My primary role was being an engineering consultant for pharmaceutical companies. I also gained special skills in technical writing."

Adam's favorite part about being a member of the services team is being able to travel to customer sites and provide quality service. He is most excited about traveling, meeting new teammates, and increasing his role responsibilities.

In his free time, Adam enjoys swimming, exercising, attending concerts, and petting his dog.



**Isaac Gerke**Validation Engineer

Isaac earned his degree in Biomedical Engineering at Marquette University. While this is Isaac's first service role, he is very excited to travel and have direct

interaction with customers.

He expressed his interest in Dickson by stating, "My last position was at a large healthcare company, which has a huge corporate environment. I had heard from many people that smaller companies like Dickson have a much closer community and everyone I talked to during the interview process seemed to really like the company culture. I also love the idea of getting to travel for on site customer visits as a part of the job."

Isaac was the Excel expert in his past position and did a lot of VBA coding to automate various tasks. He is hoping to do more coding at Dickson in order to innovate and improve some processes for the team.

Outside of engineering, Isaac spends time as an environmental artist for a popular computer game. He also makes time to maintain his saltwater reef aquarium.

## DicksonOne isn't just a monitoring system.

It's a spend-more-time-with-patients, avoid-audit-findings, and cover-your-assets system.



### SIMPLE SCALABLE COMPLIANT



DicksonOne is a cloud-based environmental monitoring system featuring an easy-to-use interface for monitoring your critical variables, allowing you to remain compliant without taking up too much of your time. Plus with multiple alarm notification methods, you can ensure the right people are up-to-date on any excursion with time to act before something spoils.

Read on for more information on DicksonOne's 21 CFR Part 11 compliance, the system's intuitive interface, alarming, and more.

#### **Dickson**One

#### **⊘ SIMPLE**

DicksonOne touchscreens and data loggers collect temperature, humidity, and differential pressure data and automatically deliver it to the DicksonOne cloud application. No more downloading data or changing charts—DicksonOne does all the work for you.

- Easily navigate the system with DicksonOne's intuitive interface
- Use the dashboard page to view all loggers by location at-a-glance
- View trend graph and data summary with just one click
- O Set up recurring reports, delivered how and when you want them
- Access your data 24/7 from any internet-connected device

#### **⊘ SCALABLE**

DicksonOne is for monitoring systems of any size. Whether you're monitoring a single fridge or chambers around the world, all of your data ends up in a single, online platform.

- No limit on adding unique user names and passwords
- Apply alarm conditions and notifications to multiple devices and channels at once with alarm templates
- Conveniently create, edit, and manage alarm notifications and recipients for all locations in one place with escalation policies

#### **⊘ COMPLIANT**

In highly compliant environments that are heavily regulated, there are a lot of boxes you need to check to ensure you're ready for an audit. Here are a few of the boxes our system checks:

- 21 CFR Part 11 compliance
- Secure transmission of data and unlimited data storage
- NIST and A2LA (ISO 17025) accredited Calibration Lab
- VFC-approved system for monitoring vaccine refrigerators

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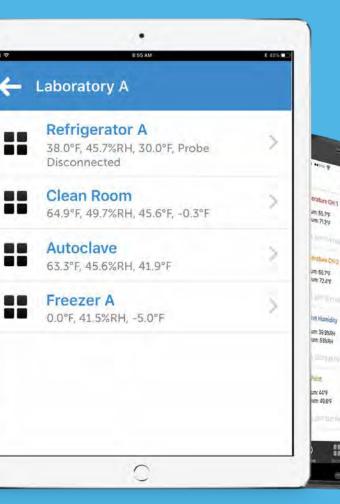
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66.7°F

67.6°F

51.1%RH

48.9°F



We'll notify you when there's reason to worry.



#### Choose **when** you'd like to be notified:

Set up alarms for high/low variable readings and receive notifications when devices aren't reporting or a probe has been disconnected.



#### Choose **how** you'd like to be notified:

Be notified via text, phone, email, or audible alarm whenever an alarm condition is met.



Knowing all of your company's nuances through cloud-based monitoring and data collection can give you the confidence you need for total compliance. With DicksonOne's custom reporting feature, you'll get just that.

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#### DlcksonOne TWP Touchscreen with POE

Dimensions: 8.5 x 1.75 x 7" | Display Dimensions: 8" Diagonal Display Type: LCD Touchscreen

#### The Touchscreen

A capacitive 8" touchscreen offers our best user experience ever, and now features customizable views, alarms, and more. Plus, with DicksonOne compatibility, you get your data at your fingertips, and wherever else you might need it.

- Intuitive user-interface makes it easy to view and manage your data
- Automatically calculates and updates summary data for the selected time range
- Includes passcode protection for unit security

#### Replaceable Sensors™

With Dickson's patent pending Replaceable Sensors, you can recalibrate any DicksonOne device on the fly without having to send in your device. Just order a newly calibrated sensor, receive it in the mail, and plug it into the unit in a motion that's as simple as swapping batteries in your television remote.



#### Recalibrate in less than a minute!

Just unplug the current sensor and plug in the newly calibrated sensor.



#### Select the sensor that's right for your application:



Single or Dual K-Thermocouple Temperature Sensor



Platinum RTD Temperature Sensor



Single or Dual Temperature Thermistor Sensor with buffer solution



Differential Pressure Sensor



Ambient Temperature or Temperature & Humidity Sensor



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DICKSONONE ENABLED	•	•	o l
WIFI/ETHERNET	<b>②</b>	<b>•</b>	<b>•</b>
REPLACEABLE SENSOR PORTS	1	2	2
RELAYS		Optional	Optional
PROXIES		<b>•</b>	•
VIEW HISTORICAL DATA AT THE POINT OF MONITORING		•	•
POWER OVER ETHERNET	w/ Adapter		•
SCREEN SPECS	Segmented Display	8" LCD Touchscreen	8" LCD Touchscreen
BACKUP BATTERY	1 Week	70 Hours	70 Hours
BACKUP STORAGE	400,000 Points	1,000,000 Points	1,000,000 Points

#### Yearly DicksonOne Subscription Plans





Enjoy the flexibility of a monthly plan with prorated devices and the ability to add devices when you're ready.







useum and archive storage is important. At Dickson, we don't make lasers to safeguard rare artifacts against the greatest thieves in the world. Instead, we make data loggers that measure and record temperature, humidity, and pressure. Not nearly as cool, but possibly more important.

In the mainstream movie, *National Treasure*, star Nicholas Cage succeeds in stealing the Declaration of Independence. This historic document is currently housed in a bulletproof case, which is both temperature-controlled and filled with argon gas to guard against decomposition. Next time you are in someone's basement or attic, take a look and see if you can find any old paperback books lying around. The pages are yellow, right? This happens to paper over time, specifically if it is stored in an unstable environment.

While the Declaration of Independence, United States Constitution, Magna Carta, and the Mona Lisa are extreme cases of document preservation, there are countless museums and archives around the world housing documents that they want to preserve for longer than 20 years.

The key to achieving this is temperature and humidity control. Those two things, above all else, will help shape a rare documents' life in a museum or archive. The Library of Congress offers this advice, "Good storage significantly prolongs the preservation of paper materials and includes a cool (about 70° or below), relatively dry (about 35% relative humidity), clean and stable environment (avoid attics, basements, and other locations with his risk of leaks and environmental extremes)."

That is where data loggers come in. Data loggers, temperature sensors, and temperature alarms help museums and archives across the world store their documents safely. When a traveling art exhibition moves from one museum to the next, the owners of that art want to be sure that it is kept out of environmental extremes. Data loggers allow the hosting museums to prove to the owners that their works of art were kept at safe temperatures and humidity.

In case of emergency, data loggers are your cheapest insurance policy. When a heater or air conditioning unit fails, wireless data loggers can send you text, email, and phone call alerts as soon as the environment your documents are in is above or below a certain threshold.

So now that you know the importance of archival and museum monitoring, it is time to find the perfect monitoring system. Here are some questions to consider.

What is your budget? Figure out how much you have to spend, as it will inform your every decision the rest of the way. Even if you are on a tight budget, you still have options.

What are you storing, and where are you storing it? Documents, sculptures, furniture, mummies, dinosaurs? If you are in an archive, you may be storing brittle old documents in a large facility that only you and your coworkers are allowed in. If you are an art gallery, you may have nothing in storage, instead everything may be in plain sight of anyone who walks through your door. Also, for all you museums and art galleries, here is something to think about: do you have temporary or visiting exhibits? Many times, these will require additional temperature and RH monitoring.

Do you already have a validated, sophisticated, temperature and humidity control system in your facility? For some, adding temperature and RH monitors will serve as backup devices for your already amazing HVAC control system (we are looking at you, Smithsonian). For others, no control other than a thermostat in the reading room exists. Many of you may be somewhere in the middle. Figure out what your current capabilities are, and then think of how you can assuage those vulnerabilities with further temperature and humidity monitoring.

What kind of documentation do you need? What kind of documentation do you want? Are you required by your governing agency, grantee, city department, or some other auditing body to guard against deterioration? Do you have to validate anything? Museums usually get a lot more leeway in this regard, in respect to other industries that are required to monitor their environment. The second question is more relevant: what kind of documentation do you want? What do you want to know about the temperature and humidity of your environment? Which leads into our next question...

What kind of analysis would you like to do? As the concluding question, we feel it wraps things up nicely. What do you want to get out of temperature monitoring? Why do it in the first place? What kind of information do you want to attain, analyze, and then re-attain?

With this knowledge, you will be able to accurately and successfully monitor and preserve important museum artifacts. American novelist James A. Baldwin once said, "People are trapped in history and history is trapped in them," which is even more reason to keep archived history preserved for many years to come.



### DICKSON

## PRODUCT INNOVATORS



DICKSONONE DEVICES



DATA LOGGERS



REPLACEABLE SENSORSTM



CHART RECORDERS

Since 1923, we've strived to incorporate the best and newest technologies into our products to bring you monitoring solutions of the highest caliber. We maintain the world's widest selection of top quality instruments customized to fit your monitoring needs. From chart recorders to the new DicksonOne, we are constantly creating, which has made us an industry leader in environmental monitoring.

### PRODUCTS



#### DICKSONONE

#### **DICKSONONE TOUCHSCREEN**

A capacitive 8" touchscreen offers our best user experience ever and now features customizable views, alarms, and more. Plus, with the option for DicksonOne compatibility, you get your data at your fingertips and wherever else you might need it.

TWE WiFi/Ethernet Connection —	STARTING AT \$524
TWP Power Over Ethernet	STARTING AT \$599

Ambient Operating Temperature Conditions: 32°F to 140°F (-0°C to 60°C)

Battery Backup: 70 Hours

Data Capacity: Approx 1,000,000 sample points (backup)

Dimensions: 8.5 x 1.75 x 7" Display Dimensions: 8" Diagonal Display Type: LCD Touchscreen

Sensor Type: Replaceable Sensor(s) (sold separately)

Download Type: WiFi/Ethernet

Alarm Type(s): Text, Email, Phone Call, Audio/Visual



#### DICKSONONE DATA LOGGER

The DicksonOne data logger collects temperature, humidity, and differential pressure data and automatically delivers it to the DicksonOne cloud application. From there, you can access your secure data from any internet-connected device, anywhere in the world. No more downloading data or changing charts—DicksonOne does all the work for you.

#### DWE WiFi/Ethernet Connection STARTING AT \$350

Ambient Operating Temperature Conditions: 32°F to 158°F (-0°C to 70°C)

Data Capacity: Approx 400,000 sample points (backup)

Dimensions: 1.7 x 4.25 x 4.25" Display Type: Digital

Sensor Type: Replaceable Sensor(s) (sold separately)

Download Type: WiFi/Ethernet

Alarm Type(s): Text, Email, Phone Call, Audio/Visual





#### DicksonOne

#### 21 CFR Part 11 Compliant. Scalable. Simple.

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#### **ATA LOGGERS**

#### TOUCHSCREEN Compatible with DicksonWare 2.0

#### **TSB** Touchscreen - USB

\$424

Ambient Operating Temperature Conditions: 14°F to 140°F (-10°C to 60°C)

Battery Backup: 70 Hours

Data Capacity: Approx 1,000,000 sample points (backup)

Dimensions: 8.5 x 1.75 x 7" Display Dimensions: 8" Diagonal Display Type: LCD Touchscreen

Sensor Type: Replaceable Sensor(s) (sold separately)

Alarm Type(s): Audio/Visual

#### **DISPLAY** Compatible with DicksonWare 2.0

**SP425** Display Temperature Data Logger

Range: -4°F to 158°F (-20°C to 70°C)

Accuracy: +1.2°F from -4°F to 158°F (+0.7°C from -20°C to 70°C)

#### TP425 Display Temperature & Humidity Logger

\$269

\$172

Range: -4°F to 158°F (-20°C to 70°C)

Accuracy: ±0.8°F from 20°F to 120°F (±0.44°C from -6°C to 48°C) Humidity: ±2% RH from 0 to 60%; ±3% RH from 60 to 95%

#### **DSB** Display Temperature & Humidity Logger

\$309

Ambient Operating Temperature Conditions: 32°F to 158°F (-0°C to 70°C)

Battery Type: 2 AA Batteries (AC Power Adapter sold separately)

Battery Life: Approx 2 years

Data Capacity: Approx 400,000 readings

Sensor Type: Replaceable Sensor(s) (sold separately)

Alarm Type(s): Audio/Visual

#### **COMPACT** Compatible with DicksonWare 2.0

#### **SP125** Temperature Data Logger

\$129

\$215

Range: -10°F to 176°F (-23°C to 80°C)

Accuracy: ±-1.2°F from -10°F to 176°F (±-0.7°C from -23°C to 80°C)

#### TP125 Temperature & Humidity Logger

Range: -10°F to 176°F (-23°C to 80°C)

Accuracy: +0.8°F from 20°F to 120°F (+0.44°C from -7°C to 49°C) Humidity: ±2% RH from 0 to 60%; ±3% RH from 60 to 95%

#### SK550 Compact Temperature Data Logger \$699

Coin-Sized Temperature Logger Pack of 12

Range: -4°F to 158°F (-20°C to 70°C)

Accuracy: ±1.8°F from -4°F to 158°F (±1°C from -20°C to 70°C)

#### **TK550** Compact Temperature & Humidity Logger \$999

Coin-Sized Temperature & Humidity Logger Pack of 12

Range: -4°F to 158°F (-20°C to 70°C)

Accuracy: +1.8°F from -4°F to 158°F (+1°C from -20°C to 70°C) Humidity:  $\pm 2\%$  RH from 0 to 60%;  $\pm 3\%$  RH from 60 to 95%



TSB





TP425



DICKSON

SP125





#### DATALOGGERS

#### INDICATORS No software required

#### MM120 Vaccine Alarm Thermometer

\$53

1-Probe Vaccine Alarm Thermometer, Battery Powered Temperature Range: -50°F to 122°F (-50°C to 50°C) Accuracy: ±1.8°F from 0° to 122°F (±1°C from -18°C to 50°C)

#### MM125 Vaccine Alarm Thermometer

\$64

2-Probe Vaccine Alarm Thermometer, Battery Powered Temperature Range: -58°F to 122°F (-50 to 50°C) Accuracy: ±1.8°F from 0° to 120°F (±1°C from -18°C to 49°C)

#### **D182** Infrared Thermometer

\$60

Non-Contact Infrared Thermometer, Lightweight, Easy-Grip, Battery Powered Temperature Range: -58°F to 986°F (-50°C to 530°C) Accuracy: ±2% of Reading or 2°C, Whichever is Greater

#### **D186** Infrared Thermometer

\$149

Non-Contact Infrared Thermometer Lightweight, Easy-Grip. Battery Powered. Temperature Range: -67°F to 536°F (-55 to 280°C)

Accuracy: ±1°F from 32°F to 150°F (±0.6C from 0°C to 66°C)

#### TC700 Touchscreen Handheld Indicator

\$299

Instant Temperature Data, No-Slip Silicone Cover, Battery Powered Temperature Range: -200°F to 1999°F (-128°C to 1093°C) Accuracy: +1.8°F from -22°F to 122°F (+1C from -30°C to 50°C)

#### TH700 Touchscreen Handheld Indicator

\$299

Instant Temperature/Humidity Data, No-Slip Silicone Cover, Battery Powered Humidity Range: 0 to 95% RH (non-condensing) Temperature Range: -40°F to 185°F, (-40°C to 85°C) Accuracy: ±0.8°F from 20°F to 122°F (±0.45°C from -6°C to 50°C)

#### HIGH TEMP Compatible with DicksonWare 2.0

HT300 Waterproof, High Temperature Data Logger \$349

HACCP and FDA Compliant, USB Download, IP68 Rating Temperature Range: -40°F to 257°F, -40°C to 125°C Accuracy: ±1.8°F from -40°F to 257°F (±1°C from -40°C to 125°C)

#### HT350 High Temperature Process Logger

\$349

HACCP Approved, K-Thermocouple Probe, USB Download Temperature Range: -40°F to 257°F (-40 to 125°C) Accuracy: ±1.8°F from -22°F to 122°F (±1C from -30°C to 50°C)



















#### DICKSONWARE

Why go digital? That's easy.

DicksonWare allows you to store and share data easily with others in your organization by displaying downloaded data. For more information, visit DicksonData.com/Dicksonware.



#### PATENT PENDING REPLACEABLE SENSORSTM

#### REPLACEABLE SENSORS (PATENT PENDING)

Now, you have the option to calibrate the sensor as opposed to the unit. By splitting up the sensor from the data logger and chart recorder, we've created a plug-and-play device that will keep you in compliance and save you time and resources.

#### RKTC/RKTC2 Single/Dual K-Thermocouple Temperature Sensor –

Temperature Range: -300°F to 2000°F (-184°C to 1093°C) Accuracy: +1.8°F from -22°F to 122°F (+1°C from -30°C to 50°C)

#### RTHM/RTHM2 Single/Dual Glycol Thermistor Sensor \$110

Temperature Range: -58°F to 158°F (-50°C to 70°C)

Accuracy: ±0.9°F from -58°F to 68°F (±0.5°C from -58°C to 20°C)

#### **RTRH** Temperature and Humidity Sensor \$110

Temperature Range: -40°F to 185°F (-40°C to 85°C)

Temperature Accuracy: ±0.8°F from 20°F to 120°F (±0.44°C from -6°C to 48°C)

Humidity Accuracy: ±-2% RH from 5.0 to 95% RH

#### **RRTD** Platinum Temperature Sensor

\$225

Cable Length: 6ft (182cm)

Temperature Range: -148°F to 350°F (-100°C to 176°C)

Accuracy: ±0.5°F from -148°F to 350°F (±0.3°C from -100°C to 176°C)

#### **DIFFERENTIAL PRESSURE**

We've expanded our catalog to include differential pressure monitoring with a new sensor for DicksonOne. Get data delivered to DicksonOne with programmable alerts via text, call, or email to let you know when your pressure is out of control.

#### **RS080** Differential Pressure Sensor (2") \$149

Measurement Range: + 2 inches H<sub>2</sub>O Accuracy: ±0.06 inches H<sub>2</sub>O

#### **RS081** Differential Pressure Sensor (0.5")

Measurement Range: ± 0.5 inches H<sub>2</sub>O Accuracy: ±0.015 inches H₂O



















Note: Replaceable sensors for DSB and chart recorders have different part numbers



#### **ZERO DOWN TIME**

Take the old sensor off. Put the new sensor on. It's that simple.



#### **COMPLIANT**

Sensors come with your choice of NIST or A2LA calibration certificates



#### **COST-EFFECTIVE**

Backup units are no longer needed. Pay for a sensor, not an extra device.



#### CHART RECORDERS

#### **8" CHART RECORDERS**

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Temperature	
KT8P0 ————————————————————————————————————	\$471
<b>KT8P2</b> 8" (203mm) Temperature Chart Recorder with Replaceable Sensor, AC Power (Battery Back-Up), and Display; Range Based on Chart	\$528
KT8P3  8" (203mm) Temperature Chart Recorder with Replaceable Sensor, AC Power (Battery Back-Up), Display, and Alarm; Range Based on Chart	\$642
KT856	<b>\$820</b> Power

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Temperature & Humidity	
TH8P0  8" (203mm) High-Resolution Temperature & Humidity Chart Recorder of Battery Operation and Replaceable Sensor; 32°F to 122°F (0°C to 50°C)	<b>\$550</b> with
TH8P2  8" (203mm) High-Resolution Temperature & Humidity Chart Recorder with Display and Replaceable Sensor; Range Based on Chart	\$642
TH8P3  8" (203mm) High-Resolution Temperature & Humidity Chart Recorder with Display, Alarm, and Replaceable Sensor; Range Based on Chart	\$766
TH8P5 ————	\$820

8" (203mm) High-Resolution Temperature & Humidity Chart Recorder with Display, Alarm, Relays, and Replaceable Sensor; Range Based on Chart

Pressure	
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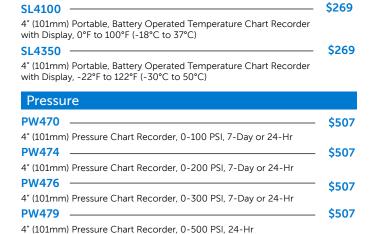


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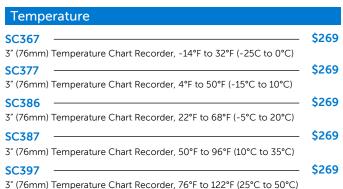




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# TAKING FLIGHT

A Proactive Approach to the Perils of Air Freight Shipping

BY RACHEL KELLETT

re you worried about getting perishable, temperature-sensitive air-freight to its destination without compromising its value? Whether your freight must remain within a certain temperature range at all times or just needs to stay above freezing, taking the right steps to ensure a safe, timely delivery does not have to be a troublesome task.

The International Air Transport Association (IATA) states that a shipment is perishable if its contents will deteriorate over a period of time when exposed to severe environmental conditions, such as extreme temperatures or humidity. Examples of these perishable products include, but are not limited to, pharmaceuticals, chemicals, batteries, seafood, dairy, plants, meat, fruits, and vegetables. Temperature control within the cargo holds of most aircraft is limited and wide variations can occur throughout the entire hold. These variations depend upon placement, location, time at altitude, and the duration of the flight. However, the greatest and most frequent vulnerability to temperature exposure occurs on the airport tarmac when goods are exposed to outside elements before aircraft loading, or during unloading.

#### One industry that is particularly concerned

with temperature and humidity controlled air freight is the pharmaceutical industry, including the transportation and logistics providers that move, store, process, and deliver their products. According to IATA, by 2021 world sales of drugs and of biologics such as vaccines and insulin will top \$396 billion, in a global bio-pharma market exceeding \$1.47 trillion. Twenty percent of pharmaceutical products require active temperature-control, which could include refrigeration or freezing. This means that proper temperature monitoring is a key component in order to protect valuable product.

Another industry with need for temperature controlled air freight is the seafood industry. According to Seafood Scotland, exports moving from Scotland to Asia have risen more

than 400 percent since 2007. Among other types of seafood, the main list of goods are shellfish, salmon, whitefish and pelagic.

"Seafood now accounts for the largest rise in Scotland food shipments" says Natalie Bell, trade marketing manager for Europe, the Middle East and Asia at Seafood Scotland. Seafood poses an extreme risk of spoiling when exposed to high temperatures making temperature control and monitoring crucial in the shipping process.

**Spoilage from heat isn't the only thing** to worry about when it comes to air shipping. While some items are required to maintain freezing temperatures during transportation, other items such as chemicals cannot reach freezing temperatures. That being said, what steps can be taken to ensure a successful delivery?

First, highly temperature-sensitive items should be kept in temperature controlled docks and storage facilities pending the time it is ready to move to the aircraft. Always protect refrigerator and freezer products with gel packs, dry ice, foam sheets, or other insulating material. For extra protection, pre-cool the package container before packing the product. Fill all void space with dunnage such as loose fill peanuts to prevent product movement. If the shipment contains liquid or perishable products that can melt or thaw, bag the products or line the insulated container using a minimum 2-mil watertight plastic bag. Seal the package in an outer box with pressure sensitive tape applied to all flaps and seams.

Finally, the best way to prevent perishable product loss is to communicate with your shipping team about proper temperature sensitive product handling. Include temperature data loggers within the packaging of each shipment and aircraft cargo hold. Monitoring the temperature will guarantee that your shipment never went out of regulation temperature range. If rare events such as equipment failure or accidents happen to occur while the shipment is in transit, having a plan in place will make it easier to overcome the situation.



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# A DICKSON CUSTOMER SUCCESS STORY

**Client:** Cygnus Technologies

**Goal:** Cygnus Technologies, a company that provides specialized products to the pharmaceutical and biotechnology industries, needed a solution to help them continue to achieve their goal of meeting their standards as well as ensuring product quality within their cold storage units.

**Reasons:** Prior to the installation of their new system, they were using thermometers with glass bottle sensors that they had to visually monitor inside their numerous refrigerators and freezers. If a temperature excursion occurred during off hours, they would not be aware for some time.

**Capabilities:** DicksonOne offers them the ability to have a system in place that allows sensors in all areas to continuously monitor and capture their cold storage temperatures automatically. The system sends excursion alerts at any time to notify end-users of a potential temperature deviation, as well as allows users to comment on alerts. Additionally, automated reports are sent to the end-user via email.

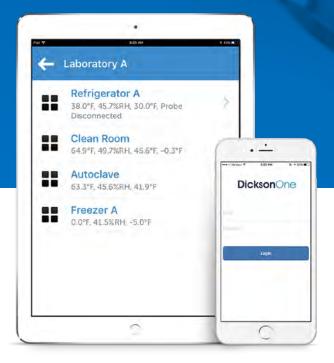
**Results:** Dickson was able to help Cygnus achieve their goals, which has resulted in compliance and further ensured the quality of their products. In the past year, DicksonOne was able to help identify two temperature escalations by alerting personnel via phone, text message, or email. These alerts allowed the personnel to respond quickly enough to prevent loss of material. Also, their QA Manager receives monthly reports with a summary of the temperature data, which he can then print and review.

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