# Instructions for optical rain sensor

JXBS-3001-GXYL

**Ver1.0** 

# 第1章 Product profile

#### 1.1 Product Overview

The optical rainfall sensor adopts the principle of optical induction to measure the rainfall, and takes the infrared light as the measurement medium. A number of optical probes are built-in to avoid the detection interference of the external light and the fog water, making the measurement results more accurate. With traditional mechanical sensors, optical rainfall is small, high sensitivity, intelligent and easy to maintain. Both 485 output and 5V pulse output are supported.

#### 1.2 Main parameter

Parameters	技术指标
Accuracy	≤5%
Resolution	0.1mm
Maximum	0.4mm/s
instantaneous	
rainfall	
Rain diameter	4.7CM
Potter rate	2400/4800/9600
Output mode	RS485/5V pulse output
Power supply	12V-24V DC
Power	≤0.2W (12V DC , 25°C)

#### consumption

Work temperature -30 °C 至 +50 °C

Work humidity 0%-99%RH ( Relative humidity),

environment non-condensation

Working pressure standard atmosphere  $\pm$  10%

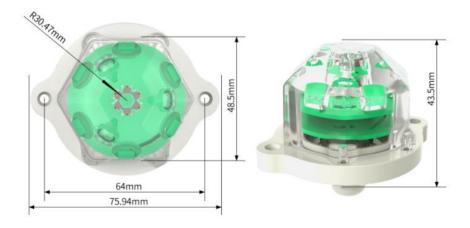
range

Device mounting 6.2-8.0CM

dimensions

Overall dimensions 75.94\*64\*45.5mm (Long \* wide \* high)

#### 1.3 Product appearance and size



# 第2章 Hardware connection

#### Check the equipment before installation

Nam	ie	Number			
Optical	rainfall	One			
sensor					
12V wa	terproof	1 (Optional)			
power sup	ply				
USB to	485	1 (Optional)			
equipmen	t				
Warranty	card /	One			
qualification					
certificate	!				

#### Interface specification

The wide voltage supply input 12-24V. During 485 signal line wiring, A/B lines can not be connected and the address between multiple devices on the bus can not be conflicting, as shown in the table:

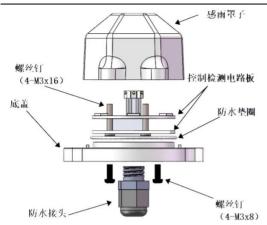
	Line color	说明
Power	Brown	Power supply is
supply	color	positive

Commu		(12-24VC	C)
nication Black		inNegative	power
	color	supply	
Power	Yellow	485-A	
supply (grey)			
color			
	Blue	in485-B	
	color		
White		in5VPulse	output
	color	port	

#### 2.1 Note:

- 2.2 Be careful not to connect the wrong line order, the wrong wiring will cause the equipment to burn down.
- 2.3 Sensors shall avoid contact with organic solvents, alcohol, coatings, oils and high concentrations of gases, also including silicone gel and other adhesives.
- 2.4 Senssensor cannot be used long term in environments containing corrosive gases that can damage the sensor.
- 2.5 It is not recommended to test sensors in unstandard methods, such as a lighter near the sensor, near alcohol, etc.
- 2.6 When 0.85 meters long wire is supplied by default, the customer can extend the wire or sequential wiring as required. Assembly and installation instructions

Assemblyinstructions



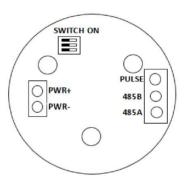
- (1) Assembly the sensor according to the figure above and pull the waterproof washers several times during installation so that it can easily fit. Apply some waterproof silicone grease to the waterproof washers and screws.
- (2) The rain sensor must ensure that the cover surface is dry before installation. Any water droplets can cause a measurement error. You can selectively use some desiccant inside. If the rainfall sensor can not drain the water in time, a small hole can be drilled at the bottom of the cover.
  - (3) Installation instructions
- (4) Install the optical rain sensor as the correct method, place it horizontally in place, noting that there cannot be any shelter above the sensor waterproof cover, incorrect installation will lead to measurement errors.
- (5) From the waterproof hole under the sensor, be sure to use the outdoor waterproof sealing wire. When fixed outdoors



in the open air, please secure the product steadily, or any shaking in the sun will cause additional errors.

#### 2.7 Dial-up switch description

The operating mode of the rainfall sensor can be selected, as well as the output function. After removing the base, you can find the code dial-up switch on the PCB surface. The code selection function can only read the configuration when electrified.



The SWITCH ON position in the figure is the dial-up switch position, which represents the b3, b2, b1. from top to bottom The operating mode of the rainfall sensor can be selected, as well as the output function.

Note: O represents Open (ON), 1 represents Close (OFF), and X represents anywhere

Rain measuring mode:

b1	b2	b3
1	1	×

A rain measurement mode produces an effective pulse for every 0.1mm of accumulated rainfall.485 Output rainfall, which can be cleared by writing 0 to the register address of 1a.

#### Output



#### waveform:

Rain	b2	b3
mode:b1		
0	1	×

Discharge waveform



In rain

sensing mode, an effective pulse was output for 1 minute for about 0.05ml raindrops perceived. After 1 minute, every 10 seconds, if a rain drop is detected, otherwise the output was terminated.

# 第3章 Communicating protocol;

#### 3.1 Basic communication parameters

Parameters	Content
Cocoding	Eight-bit binary
Data bit	Eight bits
Parity check bit	None
Stop the bit	The 1-bit is available
Error calibration	CRC lengthy cycle code
The Porter rate	The 2400bps/4800bps/9600 bps is available,
	with a factory default of 9600bps
Code	Eight-bit binary

#### 3.2 Data frame format definition

The Modbus-RTU general inquiry protocol is adopted in the following format:

Time of the initial structure> =4 bytes

Address code: = 1 bytes

Function code = 1 bytes

Data Zone = N bytes

Error check the = 16-bit CRC code

Time to end the structure> =4 bytes

Address code: The address of the transmitter, unique in the polling network (factory default 0x01). Function code: the command sent by the host function prompt, this transmitter only uses the



function code 0x03(to read the memory data).

Data area: the data area is the specific polling area, noting that 16bits data high bytes are in frontCRC Code: A two-byte check code.

#### Ask about the frames

Addres Address	Address	Address code
s code s code code	code	
Functio Functio Function	Function	Function code
Acknowledgement	frame	
Acknowledgement Addres Address Address	frame Address	Address code Address code

## 3.3 Register address

Register	Register	Register address	Regist
address	address		er
			addres
			S
0001H	40002	24 / 2 rainfall (in	24 / 2
		0.1mm)	rainfall (in
			0.1mm)
0003H	40004	Read-only	Read-only
0105H	40106	Rainfall (in 0.1mm)	Rainfall (in
			0.1mm)
0100Н	40101	Read-only	Read-only

0101H	40102	Clear the rain to zero	Clear	the
			rain to	zero

# 3.4 Communication protocol examples and interpretation Read the rainfall value of the device address, 0x01

Ask the frame

Addres s code	Addre ss code		ldress de	Address code		Address code	Address code
0x01	0x03	0x	00,0x03	0x00, 0x01	(	)x74	0x0A
Address	Addres	S	Address	Address		Addres	Addres
code	code		code	code		s code	s code
0x01	0x03		0x02	0x00, 0x03		0xF8	0x45

#### 3.4.1 Rainfall:

# 3.4.2 0003 H(hexadecimal) =3=> rainfall =0.3mmManual clear the rainfall at the equipment address 0x01

Ask the frame

Addres s code	Addre ss code	Address code	Address code	Address code	Address code
0x01	0x06	0x00, 0x10 5	0x00, 0x00	0x98	0x37

Acknowledgement frame

Addres Addre Addre	ss Address	Address	Address
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s code	ss	code	code	code	code
	code				
0x01	0x06	0x00, 0x10	0x00 0x00	0x98	0x37
		5			

Note: The rain is automatically started and recalculated after each outage. The rain within 24 hours is automatically cleared after 24 hours and power-off.