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Safety Precautions

Milesight will not shoulder responsibility for any loss or damage resulting from not following the instructions of this operating guide.

- The device must not be remodeled in any way.
- In order to protect the security of the device, please change the device password when first configuration. The default password is 123456.
- Do not place the device outdoors where the temperature is below/above operating range. Do not place the device close to objects with naked flames, heat source (oven or sunlight), cold source, liquid and extreme temperature changes.
- The device is not intended to be used as a reference sensor, and Milesight will not take responsibility for any damage which may result from inaccurate readings.
- The battery should be removed from the device if it is not to be used for an extended period. Otherwise, the battery might leak and damage the device. Never leave a discharged battery in the battery compartment.
- The device must never be subjected to shocks or impacts.

Declaration of Conformity

WS302 is in conformity with the essential requirements and other relevant provisions of the CE, FCC, and RoHS.



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| BE | BG | CZ | DK | DE | EE | IE | EL |
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FCC Statement:

Any Changes or modifications not expressly approved by the party responsible for compliance could void the user's authority to operate the equipment.

This device complies with part 15 of the FCC Rules. Operation is subject to the following two conditions:

1. This device may not cause harmful interference, and
2. This device must accept any interference received, including interference that may cause undesired operation.

Note: This equipment has been tested and found to comply with the limits for a Class B digital device, pursuant to part 15 of the FCC Rules. These limits are designed to provide reasonable protection against harmful interference in a residential installation. This equipment generates, uses and can radiate radio frequency energy and, if not installed and used in accordance with the instructions, may cause harmful interference to radio communications. However, there is no guarantee that interference will not occur in a particular installation. If this equipment does cause harmful interference to radio or television reception, which can be determined by turning the equipment off and on, the user is encouraged to try to correct the interference by one or more of the following measures:

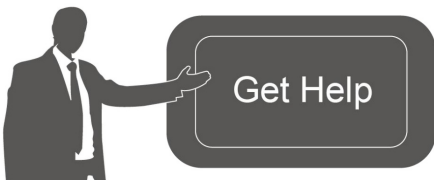
- Reorient or relocate the receiving antenna.
- Increase the separation between the equipment and receiver.
- Connect the equipment into an outlet on a circuit different from that to which the receiver is connected.
- Consult the dealer or an experienced radio/TV technician for help.

FCC Radiation Exposure Statement:

This equipment complies with FCC radiation exposure limits set forth for an uncontrolled environment. This equipment should be installed and operated with minimum distance 20cm between the radiator & your body. This transmitter must not be co-located or operating in conjunction with any other antenna or transmitter.

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Revision History

| Date | Doc Version | Description |
|--------------|-------------|-----------------|
| June 9, 2022 | V 1.0 | Initial Version |

Product Introduction

Overview

WS302 is a LoRaWAN® sound level sensor with an integrated microphone. WS302 can not only measure a wide range of noise levels and send various kinds of noise level values via LoRaWAN® network, but also supports multiple weighting measurements for different application scenarios. WS302 can be widely used in smart buildings, smart cities, schools, health monitoring, etc.

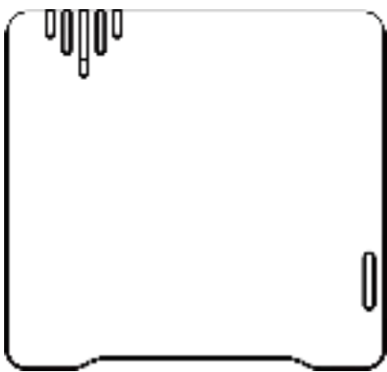
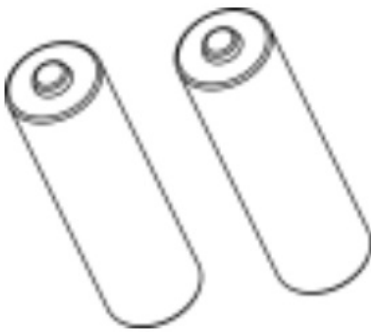

Sensor data are transmitted in real-time using the standard LoRaWAN® protocol. LoRaWAN® enables encrypted radio transmissions over long distances while consuming very little power. The user can obtain sensor data and view the trend of data change through Milesight IoT Cloud or through the user's own Application Server.

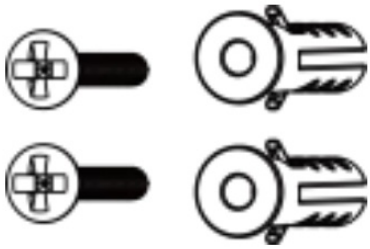

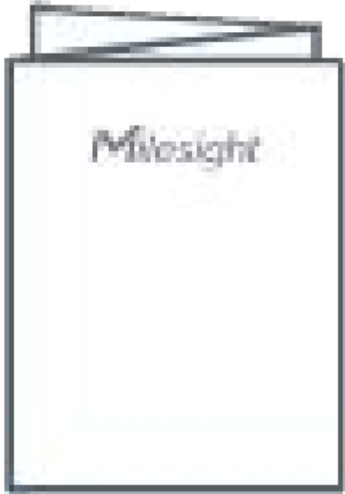

Features

- Robust LoRa connectivity for secure long range transmission
- Support multiple weighting measurements to suit different scenes
- Support measuring various kinds of values to judge the sound level accurately
- Easy configuration via NFC
- Equipped with LED indicator to indicate the threshold alarm
- Standard LoRaWAN® supported
- Milesight IoT Cloud compliant

Hardware Introduction

Packing List

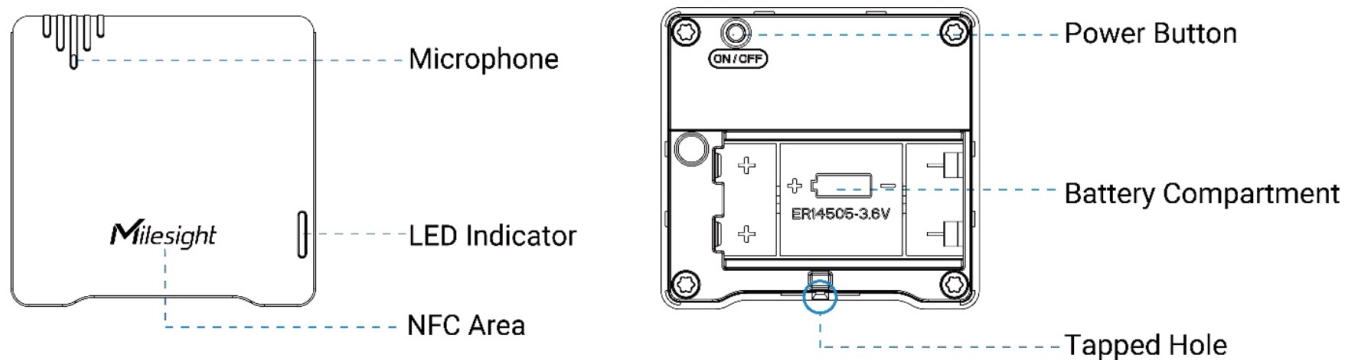
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| <p>1 x WS302 Device</p>  | <p>2 x ER14505 Li-SOCl2 Batteries</p>  | <p>1 x 3M Double-Sided Mounting Kits</p>  |
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| <p>2xWall Mounting Kits</p>  | <p>1 X Theft-Deterring Screw</p>  | <p>1 X Quick Guide</p>  |
| <p>1 X Warranty Card</p>  | | |



If any of the above items is missing or damaged, please contact your sales representative.

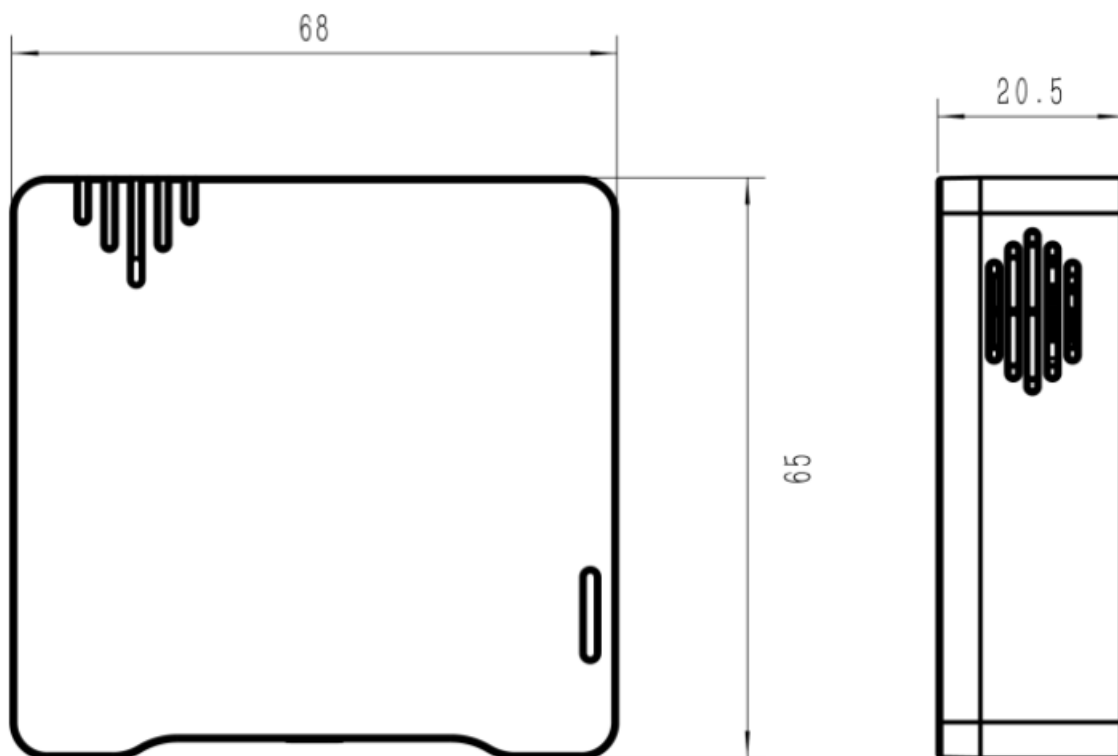
Hardware Overview



LED Patterns

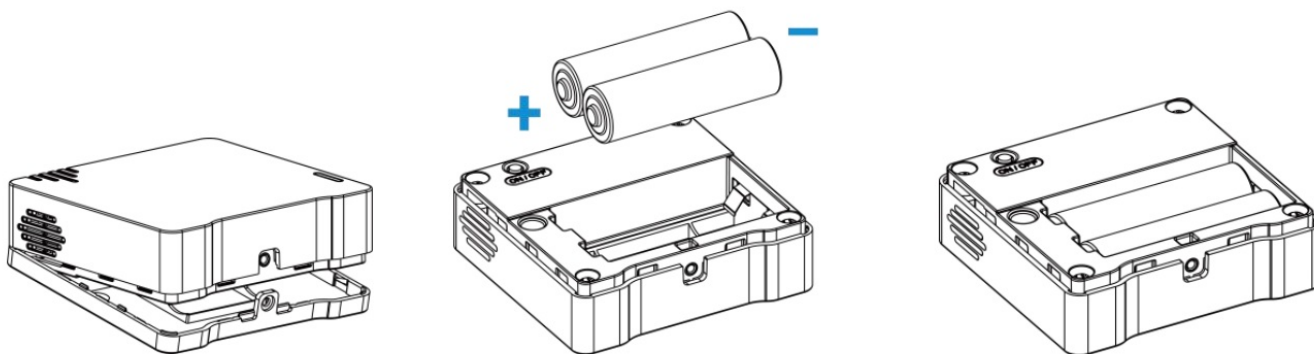
| Function | Action | LED Indicator |
|--------------------------|---|----------------------|
| Power ON/OFF | Press and hold the power button for more than 3 seconds | Power On: Off On |
| | | Power Off: On Off |
| Reset to Factory Default | Press and hold the power button for more than 10 seconds | Quickly Blinks |
| Threshold Alarm | When the level does not exceed the threshold | Green Blinks |
| | When the level exceeds the threshold for more than 1 minute | Red Blinks |

Dimensions (mm)



Power Supply

Remove the rear cover of the device to install the batteries, do not reverse the direction of the batteries when installing.



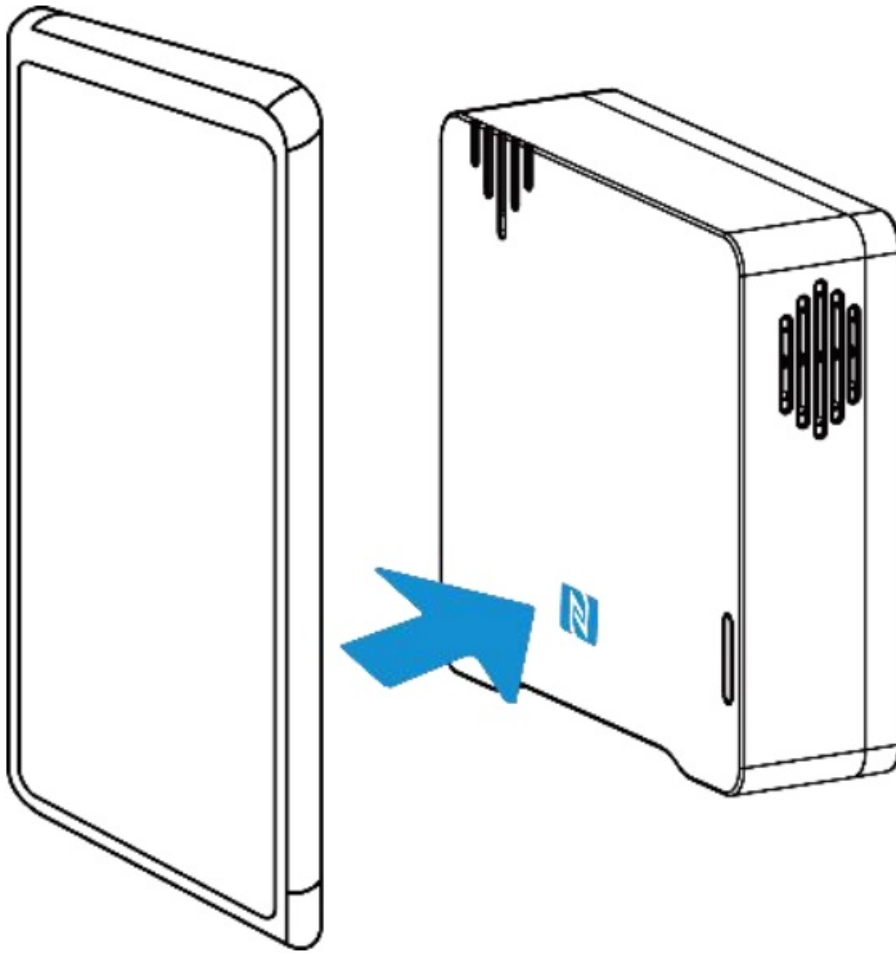
Note: The device can only be powered by ER14505 Li-SOCl₂ batteries.

Operation Guide

NFC Configuration

WS302 can be configured via an-NFC supported mobile phone.

1. Download and install "Milesight ToolBox" App from Google Play or Apple App Store.
2. Enable NFC on the smartphone and open Milesight ToolBox.
3. Attach the smartphone with NFC area to the device to read device information.



4. Basic information and settings of devices will be shown on ToolBox if it's recognized successfully. You can read and configure the device by tapping the Read/Write button on the App. In order to protect the security of devices, password validation is required when first configuration. The default password is 123456.

Note:

1. Ensure the location of the smartphone NFC area, and it's recommended to take off the phone case.
2. If the smartphone fails to read/write configurations via NFC, keep the phone away and back to try again.
3. WS302 can also be configured by ToolBox software via a dedicated NFC reader provided by Milesight IoT, you can also configure it via TTL interface inside the device.

LoRaWAN Settings

LoRaWAN settings are used for configuring the transmission parameters in LoRaWAN® network. **Basic**

LoRaWAN Settings:

Go to Device -> Setting -> LoRaWAN Settings of ToolBox App to configure join type, App EUI, App Key and other information. You can also keep all settings by default.

Device EUI

24E124127A270222

App EUI

24E124C0002A0001

Application Port

85

Join Type

OTAA

LoRaWAN Version

V1.1.0

Application Key

Spread Factor

?

SF10-DR2

Confirmed Mode

?

☐

Rejoin Mode

?

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Set the number of packets sent

32

packets

ADR Mode

?

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| Parameters | Description |
|------------------|---|
| Device EUI | Unique ID of the device which can also be found on the label. |
| App EUI | Default App EUI is 24E124C0002A0001. |
| Application Port | The port used for sending and receiving data, default port is 85. |

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|--------------------------------|--|
| Join Type | OTAA and ABP modes are available. |
| Application Key | Appkey for OTAA mode, default is 5572404C696E6B4C6F52613230313823. |
| Device Address | DevAddr for ABP mode, default is the 5th to 12th digits of SN. |
| Network Session Key | Nwkskey for ABP mode, default is 5572404C696E6B4C6F52613230313823. |
| Application Session Key | Appskey for ABP mode, default is 5572404C696E6B4C6F52613230313823. |
| Spread Factor | If ADR is disabled, the device will send data via this spread factor. |
| Confirmed Mode | If the device does not receive ACK packet from network server, it will resend data once. |
| Rejoin Mode | Reporting interval ::: 30 mins: the device will send a specific number of LinkCheckReq MAC packets to the network server every 30 mins to validate connectivity; If there is no response, the device will re-join the network. Reporting interval > 30 mins: the device will send a specific number of LinkCheckReq MAC packets to the network server every reporting interval to validate connectivity; If there is no response, the device will re-join the network. |
| Set the number of packets sent | When rejoin mode is enabled, set the number of LinkCheckReq packets sent. |

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|-------------------|--|
| ADR Mode | Allow network server to adjust datarate of the device. |
| RX2 Data Rate | RX2 data rate to receive downlinks. |
| RX2 Frequency/MHz | RX2 frequency to receive downlinks. |

Note:

1. Please contact sales for device EUI list if there are many units.
2. Please contact sales if you need random App keys before purchase.
3. Select OTAA mode if you use Milesight IoT cloud to manage devices.
4. Only OTAA mode supports rejoin mode.

Basic Settings

Go to Device Setting ->Basic-> Basic Settings of Tool Box App to change the reporting interval, etc.

General Settings



Reporting Interval



2



min

LED Indicator



Frequency Weighting 

A



Fast Time Weighting 



Change Password



| Parameters | Description |
|---------------------|---|
| Reporting Interval | Reporting interval of noise level and battery level to the network server. Default: 10 mins, Range: 1 – 1080 mins |
| LED Indicator | Enable or disable the indicator threshold alarm feature in chapter 2.3 . |
| Frequency | Choose A weighting or C weighting to detect environmental sound. |
| Weighting | A-weighting: suitable for normal environment like office, hospital, residential, etc. C-weighting: suitable for noisy environment (> 100dB) like factories, construction yards, dancing halls, etc. |
| Fast Time Weighting | Enable or disable fast time weighting, this suits the environment in which sound has great fluctuation. It will increase power consumption as well as shorten the battery life. |
| Change Password | Change the password for ToolBox App to write this device. |

Advanced Settings

Calibration Settings

Go to Device Setting-> Basic-> Calibration Settings of ToolBox App to set the numeral calibration of sound pressure level. With the calibration value saved, the device will add the calibration value to the raw value in each report automatically.

Calibration Settings



Sound Pressure Level (SPL)



Numerical Calibration

Current Value: 71.1 dBA

Calibration Value

0.0

dBA

Final Value: 71.1 dBA

Threshold Settings

Go to Device-> Settings-> Threshold Settings of ToolBox App to enable the threshold settings and input the threshold. It will upload the current data once when SPL value exceeds the threshold for more than one minute.

Threshold Settings



When the value is over the threshold, the device will report immediately.

Sound Pressure Level (SPL)



Over / dBA

55.0

Maintenance

Upgrade

1. Download firmware from Milesight website to your smartphone.
2. Open Toolbox App and click “Browse” to import firmware and upgrade the device.

Note:

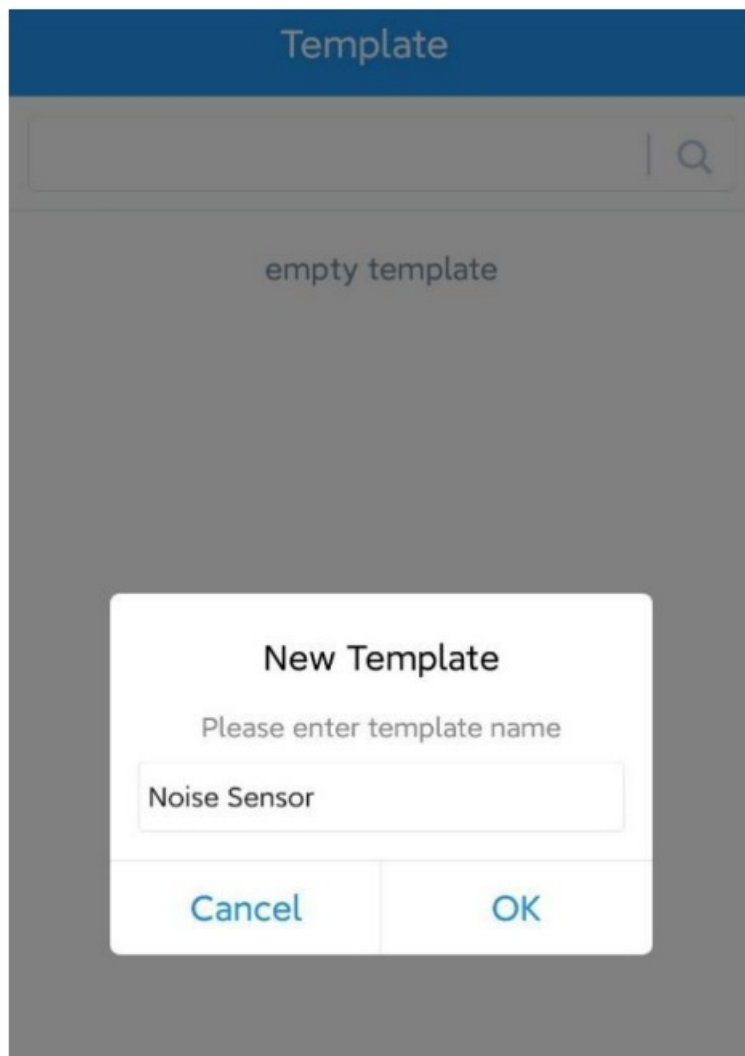
1. Operation on Tool Box is not supported during an upgrade.
2. Only Android version of ToolBox supports the upgrade feature.

| Status | Setting | Maintenance |
|-------------------|------------------|-------------|
| SN | 6743C13353300001 | |
| Model | WS302-868M | |
| Firmware Version | V1.1-a09 | |
| Hardware Version | V1.0 | |
| Manual Upgrade | | |
| <div>Browse</div> | | |

Backup






WS302 supports configuration backup for easy and quick device configuration in bulk. Backup is allowed only for devices with the same model and LoRa frequency band.

1. Go to the ‘Template’ page on the App and save current settings as a template. You can also edit the template file.
2. Select one template file that is saved in the smartphone and click “Write”, then attach it to another device to write the configuration.



Note: Slide the template item left to edit or delete the template. Click the template to edit the configurations.

Template

| | | | |
|---|-------------------------|---|------------------------|
| <input type="text"/> | | <input type="text"/> | |
|  | EM500-UDL-868M_20201124 | Last Modified Time: 2020-11-24 17:06:26 | |
|  | EM300-TH-915M_20210112 | Last Modified Time: 2021-01-12 14:35:12 | |
|  | UC512-DI-868M_20210128 | Last Modified Time: 2021-01-28 16:57:20 | |
|  | UC501-470M_20210201 | Last Modified Time: 2021-02-01 11:29:43 | |
|  | M_20210208 | Last Modified Time: 2021-02-08 16:44:37 | |
| | | Edit | Delete |

Reset to Factory Default

Please select one of the following methods to reset the device:

Via Hardware: Hold on to the reset button inside the device for more than 10s. After the reset is complete, the indicator will blink in green twice, and the device will reboot.

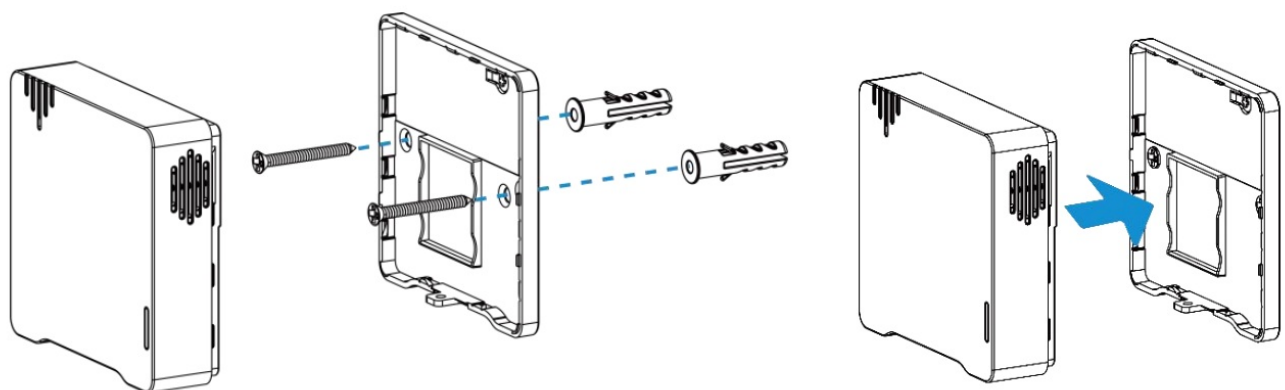
Via ToolBox App: Go to Device -> Reset to click "Reset", then attach smartphone with NFC area to device to complete reset.

| Status | Setting | Maintenance |
|-------------------------|------------------|-------------|
| SN | 6743C13353300001 | |
| Model | WS302-868M | |
| Firmware Version | V1.1-a09 | |
| Hardware Version | V1.0 | |
| Manual Upgrade | | |
| Browse | | |
| Restore Factory Default | | |
| Reset | | |

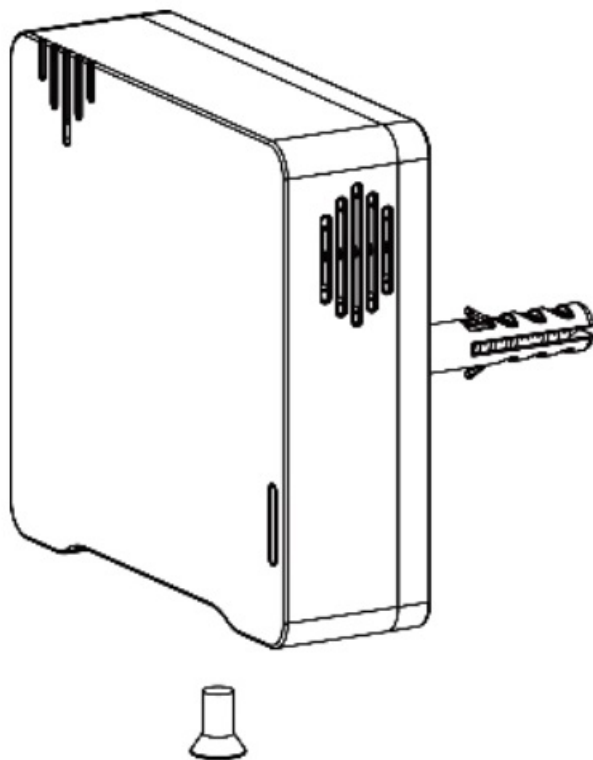
Installation

Fixed by Screws:

1. Remove the rear cover of the device, screw the wall plugs into the wall, and fix the rear cover with screws on it, then install the back of the device.

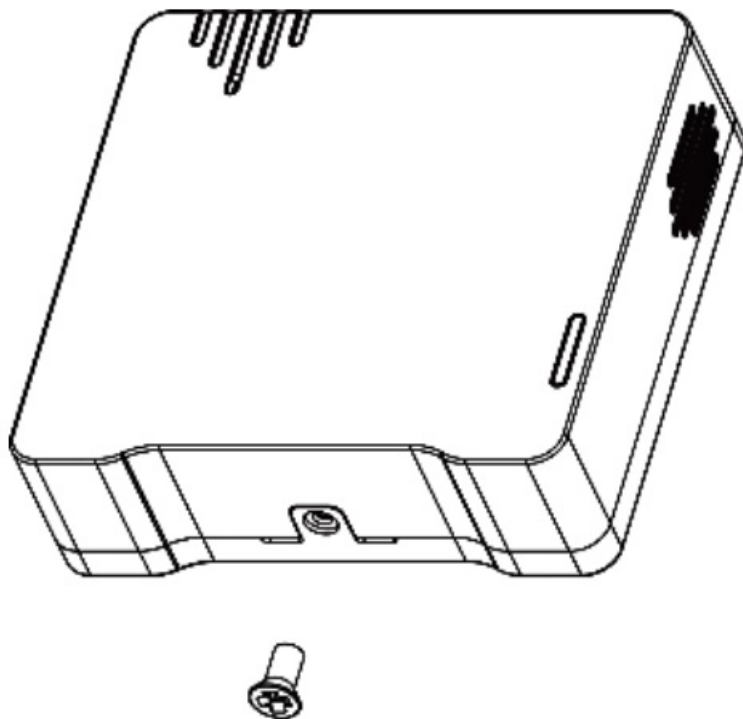


2. Fix the bottom of the device to the rear cover with the theft-deterrent screw.

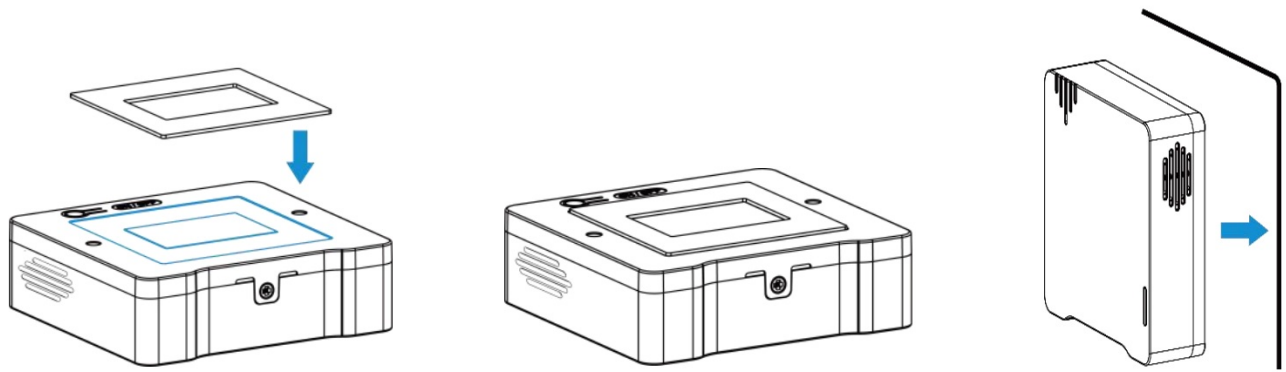


Fixed by 3M Tape:

1. Fix the bottom of the device to the rear cover with the theft-deterrent screw.



2. Paste 3M double-sided tape to the back of the device, then tear the other side off and place it on a flat surface.



Note:

In order to ensure the best detection, please install the device as follows:

- The recommended installation height is 1.2 m to 1.5 m.
- The distance between the device and walls or reflectors should be at least 1 m, and the distance between the device and doors or windows should be about 1.5 m.
- Do not install the device close to the noise source.
- The microphone on the device should not be blocked or trapped by obstacles.
- Recommend installing the device to the ceiling when you need to measure sound level in a small room.

Device Payload

All data are based on the following format (HEX), the Data field should follow little endian:

| Channel1 | Type1 | Data1 | Channel2 | Type2 | Data2 | Channel3 | ... |
|----------|--------|----------------|----------|--------|----------------|----------|-----|
| 1 Byte | 1 Byte | N Bytes | 1 Byte | 1 Byte | M Bytes | 1 Byte | ... |

Basic Information

WS302 reports basic information of sensor whenever joining the network.

| Channel | Type | Description |
|---------|-----------------------|---------------------------------------|
| ff | 01 (Protocol Version) | 01 => V1 |
| | 09 (Hardware Version) | 01 40 => V1.4 |
| | 0a (Software Version) | 0114=>V1.14 |
| | Ob (Power On) | Device is on |
| | Of (Device Type) | 00: Class A, 01: Class B, 02: Class C |
| | 16 (Device SN) | 16 digits |

Example:

| 017564 055b 05 3f02 da01 6a02 | | |
|-------------------------------|------------------|--|
| Channel | Type | Value |
| 01 | 75 (Battery) | 64 => 100% |
| Channel | Type | Value |
| 05 | 5b (Noise Level) | 05 => A-weighting + enable fast time weighting 3f 02 => 0 2 3f = 575, LAF = 575+10 = 57.5 dBA da 01 => 01 da = 474, LAeq = 474+10 = 47.4 dBA 6a 02 => 02 6a = 618, LAFmax = 618+10 = 61.8 dBA |

Downlink Commands

WS302 supports downlink commands to configure the device. The application port is 85 by default.

| Channel | Type | Description |
|---------|-----------------------------|---|
| ff | 03 (Set Reporting Interval) | 2 Bytes, unit: s |
| | 06 (Set Threshold Alarm) | 5 Bytes Byte 1-3: 0a0000 Byte 4-5: threshold value*10 |
| | 2f (LED Indicator) | 00: disable, 01: enable |
| | 5d (Set Weighting Mode) | 2Bytes Byte 1: 01: A-weighting, 02: C-weighting Byte 2: 00: disable time weighting, 01: enable fast time weighting |
| | 10 (Reboot Device) | 1 Byte, ff |

Example:

1. Set reporting interval as 20 minutes.

| | | |
|----------|-----------------------------|--|
| Ffo3b004 | | |
| Channel | Type | Value |
| ff | 03 (Set Reporting Interval) | b0 04 => 04 b0 = 1200s = 20 minutes |

2. Set weighting mode to A-weighting and disable fast time weighting.

| | | |
|----------|-------------------------|--|
| Ff5d0100 | | |
| Channel | Type | Value |
| ff | 5d (Set Weighting Mode) | 01: A-weighting, 00: disable time weighting |

3. Enable threshold alarm and set threshold value as 65 dB.

| | | |
|----------------|--------------------------|------------------------------------|
| Ff060a00008a02 | | |
| Channel | Type | value |
| ff | 06 (Set Threshold Alarm) | 8a 02=>02 8a = 650 650/10=65 dB |

4. Reboot the device.

| | | |
|---------|---------------|---------------|
| Ff10ff | | |
| Channel | Type | Value |
| ff | 01 (Reboot) | ff (Reserved) |

Appendix

Sound Level Guidelines


It's recommended to maintain environmental noises below 70 dBA over 24 hours (75 dBA over 8-hours) to prevent noise-induced hearing loss.

| | |
|----------------------|---------------------------|
| Source | Sound Pressure level(Dba) |
| Threshold of hearing | 0 |
| Breathing | 10 |

| | |
|--------------------------------------|-----|
| Rustling leaves | 20 |
| Whispering | 30 |
| Quiet library or residential area | 40 |
| Quiet office | 50 |
| Normal conversation | 60 |
| Busy traffic, normal radio | 70 |
| Noisy restaurant | 80 |
| Heavy truck, hair drier, power tools | 90 |
| Subway train | 100 |
| Construction noise | 110 |
| Rock concert, thunder | 120 |
| Threshold of pain | 130 |



Documents / Resources

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| <div><div>Milesight</div><div>Sound Level Sensor Featuring LoRaWAN® WS302 User Guide</div><div></div></div> | <div><div>Milesight WS302 LoRaWAN Sound Level Sensor [pdf] User Guide</div><div>WS302, LoRaWAN Sound Level Sensor, Sound Level Sensor, LoRaWAN Level Sensor, Level Sensor, Sensor</div></div> |
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