

## **NEXSENS X2-SDL-I Submersible Data Logger User Guide**

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## X2-SDL-I Quick Start Guide

For best results, setup your new system in the office/lab. Collect a few data points and become familiar with the system prior to field deployment.

Go to WQDataLIVE.com/Getting-Started

- 1. Create a new account or sign into an existing account.
- 2. Choose or create a project by selecting the Projects link in the bottom right footer of the page.
- 3. Go to the ADMIN tab located at the top of the project dashboard and click Settings.

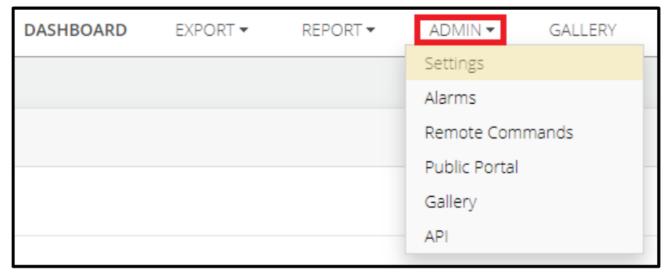


Figure 1: Admin | Settings tab on WQData LIVE.

- 4. From there, choose the Project/Site pull-down menu and select the site for the new data logger. If a site has not been created, select New Site.
- 5. Enter the claim code listed below into the space provided under Assigned Devices.



- 6. Click Add Device. a. The logger will now be visible in the Assigned Devices list.
- 7. Scroll down to the Advanced Device Remote Configuration tab, open the drop-down menu, and select the logger within the site name. a. Enter key 'nexsens' to access the Advanced Device Remote Configuration settings.
- 8. Scroll down to Transmission Settings and choose Iridium Satellite from the drop-down menu under New Value.

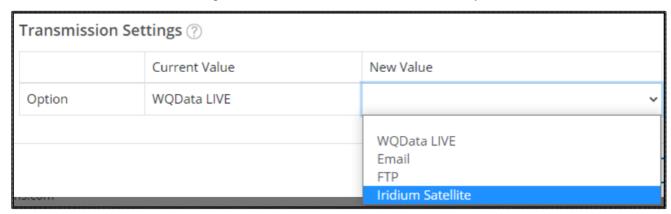


Figure 2: WQData LIVE logger transmission settings.

- 9. Enter the following settings into the available fields and then click SAVE:
  - o Modem IMEI
  - o Email Server: imap.gmail.com
  - (Insert this server name if using Gmail; however, any host domain will work.)
  - o IMAP Port: 993 (Usually 143, or 993 when using SSL)
  - o Pull down and select 'Yes' and input the email address and password

for the Custom Transmit Email, along with the email address for the

Custom Command Email.

- Custom Transmit Email
- Receives emails sent from the logger to WQData LIVE.
- Custom Command Email
- Sends queue commands from WQData LIVE to the logger.
- o Select 'Yes' for Use SSL for IMAP

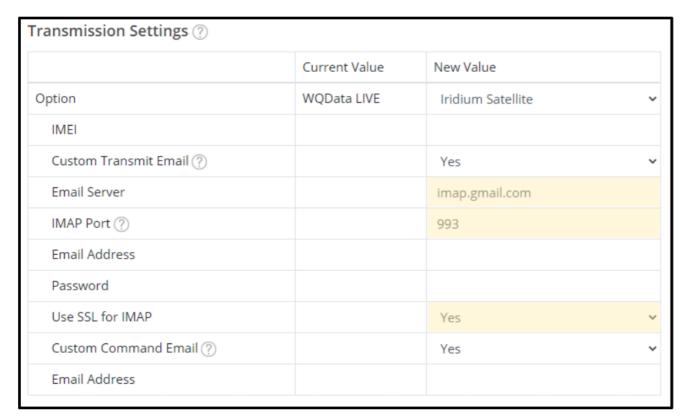


Figure 3: Setting up iridium satellite communication.

- 10. Move the system outside to an area devoid of overhead obstructions.
- 11. Remove the required blank sensor plugs (P0/P1/P2) and connect all sensors. a. If ports arrive labeled by sensor, establish the connections as indicated.
- 12. Remove the white antenna cap and install (16) D-Cell batteries.



Figure 4: Installation of (16) D-Cell batteries.

- 13. Thread the battery lid back onto the X2-SDL-C and listen for one beep to indicate power.
- 14. Wait up to 60 seconds for audible recognition of cellular signal strength. a. Two consecutive beeps indicate sufficient signal strength. b. Three beeps indicate insufficient signal. Move the X2-SDL-I to a location with less overhead obstruction and re-apply power.
- 15. Wait up to 20 minutes for sensor detection to complete. Refresh WQData Live and confirm all sensor parameters are shown.
- 16. Return to the Advanced Device Remote Configuration tab.
- 17. Scroll down to the Transmit Flag section and expand the list for all sensors.

Transmit Flag ?		
Parameter	Current Value	New Value
▼ X2 Meta Parameters		
Processor Power	No	~
RTC Power	No	~
Primary Power	Yes	Yes 🕶
Secondary Power	No	~
Sensor Power	No	~
Total System Current	No	~
Sensor Current	No	~
Internal Pressure	No	~
Internal Temperature	No	~
Internal Humidity	No	Yes 🕶
Cell Signal Strength	No	Yes 🗸
Cell Status	No	Yes 🕶

Figure 5: Setting transmit flags for logger parameters.

18. Change the New Value next to each parameter to Yes for any parameters that should be uploaded via satellite and No to disable unwanted parameters.

Note that the number of transmitted parameters, sensor logging intervals, and system transmission intervals all affect satellite data usage and telemetry costs.

Ensure that the configured iridium data plan can support the desired system settings.

19. Click SAVE at the bottom of the configuration menu. a. At the next scheduled transmission interval, the parameter settings will be applied. Data will begin to upload on the transmission interval after these changes are applied.

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