M45051 **b60** 

**DOOR** EXPLORER &

**DOOR** SENSOR PRO 2024

USER MANUAL



# **Contents**

Legal History Copyright Disclaimer	4 4 5	Configuring the Uplink Frequency and Power  Door Explorer: Configuring the Echo Sounder  Calibrating the Pitch and Roll  Applying Offsets to Measurements  Testing Measures  Memory Card Recording  Saving a Configuration on Mosa2	31 32 34 37 37 38 41
Presentation	6	Exporting Sensor Configuration	43
Introduction	7	Importing a Sensor Configuration	44
Applications	7		
Safety Guidelines	10		
About Door Pro Sensors	10		
About Trawl Positioning	14	System Configuration and	
Description	15	Display	46
System Compatibility	15	Adding the Sensor to the Receiver	47
Technical Specifications	15	Adding the Sensor to the Receiver	47
Main Parts	18	Configuring Sensor Settings	48
Operational Mode Indicator	18	Configuring the System with the Position	ning
		Option	50
		. Configuring the Positioning Settings	50
		Calculations for the Positioning System	52
Sensor Configuration	21	Configuring Trawl Settings	54
Connecting the Sensor to Mosa2	22	Adding Data from External Devices	55
Battery Information	25	Receiving Warp Lengths from Scantrol	58
About the Virtual Water Switch Option	27	Configuring Data Display on Scala2	60
Diagnostic Information	27	Displaying Trawl Door 3D View	60
Configuring the Door Spread Settings	28	Displaying Door Explorer Echograms	64
Configuring the Trawl Node	30	Using the MultiDepth View on Scala2	68
		Using the <b>MultiTrawl</b> View on Scala2	71

Displaying Door Positioning Data	78	Appendix	112
Changing the Number of Trawls	81	Frequency Plan	113
Replaying Data Recorded on a Memory		Compatible NMEA Sentences from Winch	ı
Card	86	Control Systems, GPS and Compass	
		Devices	117
		Pocket Drawings	126
		Pocket Angle of Attack	127
Installation	88	Pocket for Door Explorer (XL-Pro) Sensors	128
Installation Principles	89		
Installing Sensor Pockets	93		
		Index	a
Maintenance and			
Troubleshooting	98		
Charging the Sensor with the Dock	99		
Cleaning the Sensor	100		
Maintenance Checklist	101		
Troubleshooting	102		
Warning icon on the Dock charger plug	102		
Mosa2 does not open due to error message	103		
Sensor does not connect correctly with Mo	sa2		
when using the Configuration Cable	103		
The Dock screen does not display all the de	etails		
of the Trident or Door Explorer sensor	104		
Chart and 3D Views Are Wrong	105		
In Scala2, <b>Lost</b> is displayed instead of sprea	ad		
distance	107		
The echogram display is interrupted	108		
The sensor is not running when testing out	of		
water	109		

111

**Support Contact** 

# Legal

# **History**

V1	04/19/22	First release
V2	08/26/22	<ul> <li>Now documents Scala2 version 02.10.x and Mosa2 version 02.11.x.</li> <li>Added frequency bandwidth schemas in Frequency Plan (on page 113).</li> <li>Added beamwidths in Technical Specifications (on page 15).</li> <li>Added sensor pocket drawing for the Door Explorer in Pocket Drawings (on page 126).</li> </ul>
V3	06/13/23	<ul> <li>Now documents Scala2 version 02.12.x</li> <li>Door Pro manuals are now separated in two manuals:         Door Explorer Pro and Spread Sensors Pro.     </li> <li>Removed mention of XXL bottle.</li> </ul>
V4	02/26/24	<ul> <li>Added beam angles drawings in Technical         Specifications (on page 15)     </li> <li>Added details in Configuring the Door Spread         Settings (on page 28).     </li> <li>Added drawing of roll angles when installing the Door         Explorer on trawl doors.     </li> </ul>
V5	09/27/24	<ul> <li>Now documents Scala2 version 02.14.x.</li> <li>Added Door Sensor product to the Door Explorer's manuals. This product has the same features as the Door Explorer, without the echogram.</li> <li>Removed mention of Stubby bottle.</li> </ul>

# Copyright

## © 2024 Marport. All Rights reserved.

No part of this document may be reproduced, stored in a retrieval system or transmitted in any form by any means; electronic, mechanical, photocopying or otherwise, without the express written permission

from Marport. "Marport", the Marport logo and Software Defined Sonar are registered trademarks of Marport. All other brands, products and company names mentioned are the trademark and property of its respective owners only. Marport is a division of Airmar Technology Corporation.

## **Disclaimer**

Marport endeavors to ensure that all information in this document is correct and fairly stated, but does not accept liability for any errors or omissions.

The present user guide is applicable for the following versions:

• Mosa2: 02.11.x

• Scala2: 02.14.x

If you use other versions, the visual interface and options may vary.



# Introduction & Presentation

# **Introduction and Presentation**

Get a basic knowledge of the sensor.

## Introduction

The Door Explorer and Door Sensor Pro sensors are part of a new generation of Marport sensors. They send the spread distance between the doors and clumps, depth, pitch, roll, water temperature and optionally positioning measurements. The Door Explorer also sends an echogram image of the area below or above the sensors.

Data received can be recorded on a built-in SD card and replayed in higher definition.

They can be installed on port, starboard doors and clumps.

The sensors can be installed on single, twin, triple, quadruple and penta trawls. Door and clump alignment can be monitored thanks to a real time 3D view of the trawl gear on Scala2 application.

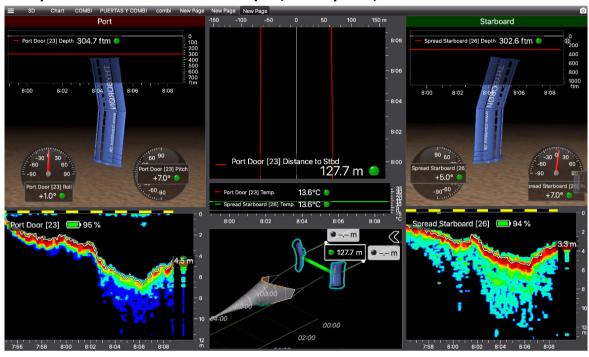
They are compatible with Marport Dock product, with which you can easily charge, monitor, configure and update the connected sensors (up to 4).

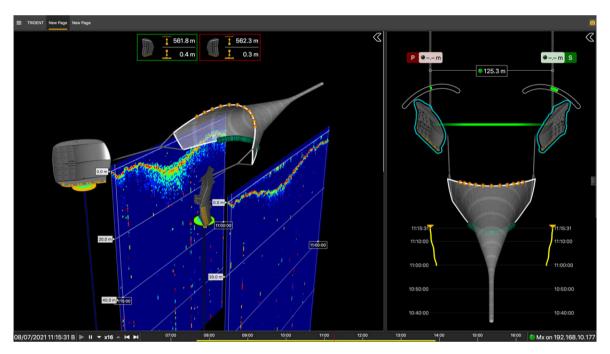
# **Applications**

Here are some examples of data received from the Door Explorer and Door Sensor Pro sensors displayed in Scala2.



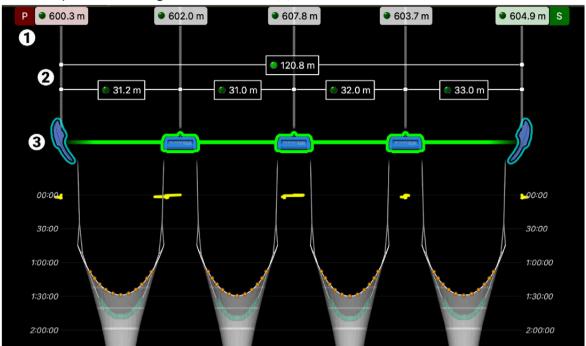
## Example of the MultiTrawl and MultiDepth (Door Explorer) views





Data displayed with the MultiTrawl 3D view

The view displays the warp lengths (1) when received from a winch control system, and the distances between the doors and clumps (2). The doors and clumps are highlighted in green when the position and alignment are correct (3). It switches to red if incorrect.



# **Safety Guidelines**

Important: To ensure proper and safe use of this equipment, carefully read and follow the instructions in this manual.

## **Basic good practices**

Never place the product in a hazardous and/or flammable atmosphere.

## Product installation and use

Install and use this product in accordance with this user manual. Incorrect use of the product may cause damage to the components or void the warranty.

Only qualified Marport dealers can do maintenance and repairs on internal components of the sensors.

### **Precautions**



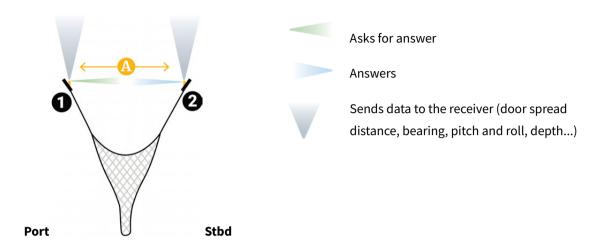
**CAUTION:** In case of water ingress in the product, do not charge it: battery may vent or rupture, causing product or physical damage.

## **About Door Pro Sensors**

- Note: Spread Sensors Pro (PRP and Digital), Door Explorer and Door Sensor Pro sensors can be mixed on a same installation.
- Important: You cannot mix Spread Sensors Pro (PRP and Digital) and Door Explorer with A1 door sensors on a same door spread installation because they cannot communicate with each other.

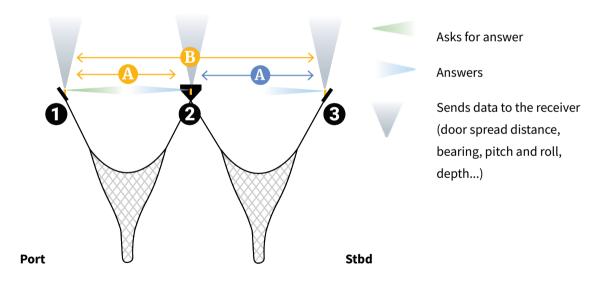


## Single trawl communication



• The port sensor (1) interrogates the starboard sensor (2) to know the distance between them (A). Then, it sends the distance to the receiver.

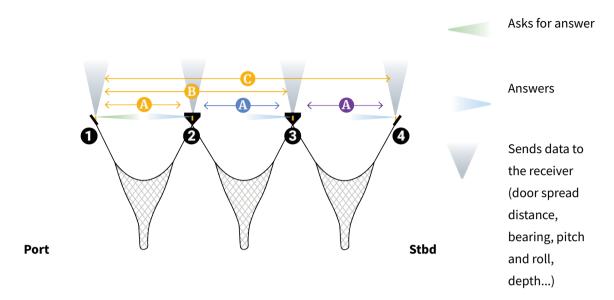
### Twin trawl communication



- The port sensor (1) interrogates the clump (2) and starboard sensors (3) to know the distance with each one. Then, it sends the two distances (yellow A, B) to the receiver.
- The clump sensor (2) listens to the answer of the starboard sensor. Then, it sends the distance between them (**blue A**) to the receiver.

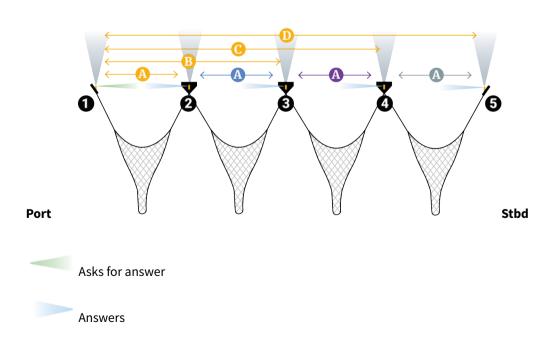


## **Triple trawl communication**



- The port sensor (1) interrogates the port clump sensor (2), the starboard clump sensor (3) and the starboard sensor (4) to know the distance with each one. Then, it sends the three distances (yellow A, B, C) to the receiver.
- The port clump sensor (2) listens to the answer of the starboard clump sensor. Then, it sends the distance between them (**blue A**) to the receiver.
- The starboard clump sensor (3) listens to the answer of the starboard sensor. Then, it sends the distance between them (**purple A**) to the receiver.

## **Quadruple trawl communication**



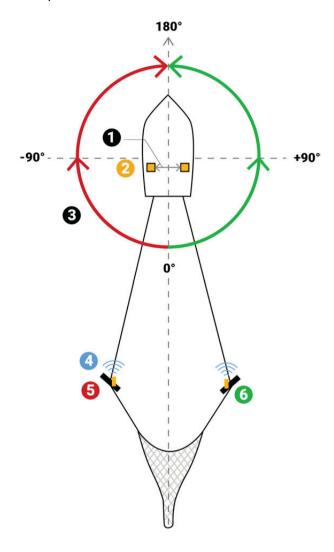


- Sends data to the receiver (door spread distance, bearing, pitch and roll, depth...)
- The port sensor (1) interrogates the port clump sensor (2), the center clump sensor (3), the starboard clump sensor (4) and the starboard sensor (5) to know the distance with each one. Then, it sends the four distances (yellow A, B, C, D) to the receiver.
- The port clump sensor (2) listens to the answer of the center clump sensor (3). Then, it sends the distance between them (blue A) to the receiver.
- The center clump sensor (3) listens to the answer of the starboard clump sensor (4). Then, it sends the distance between them (purple A) to the receiver.
- The starboard clump sensor (4) listens to the answer of the starboard sensor (5). Then, it sends the distance between them (gray A) to the receiver.



# **About Trawl Positioning**

This topic explains how the position of the trawl is calculated.



Angles are relative to the stern of the vessel. Angles toward port side are negative and angles toward starboard side are positive.

The distance is calculated from the warp lengths sent by a winch control system. Scala2 application can calculate the positioning of the trawl from this distance, the depth and bearing angle.

The distance between the two hydrophones (2) is called the baseline (1).

To have positioning data, the system must have the following equipment:

- 2 receiving hydrophones:
  - 2 passive hydrophones + wideband preamplifier (ref NC-2-02)
  - OR 2 active wideband hydrophones (ref. NC-1-08)
- Warp lengths
- Baseline calculation
- GPS and heading input
- Important: The two receiving hydrophones must have a minimum distance of **1 meter** between each other.
- Important: You need to remove the 50kHz notch filter on the wideband preamplifiers.
- Important: On M4 and M6 systems, the receiving hydrophones must be both connected to a hydrophone input between H1, H2 and H3 or both between H4, H5 and H6. The transmitting hydrophone must be connected to a different set of hydrophone inputs than the receiving hydrophones (for example, if the receiving hydrophones are connected to H1 and H2, the transmitting hydrophone must be connected to a hydrophone input between H4, H5 and H6).

# **Description**

## System Compatibility

The Door Explorer and Door Sensor Pro sensors are compatible with the following versions of Marport's software and equipment.

Mosa2	Door Explorer: 02.07.06 or later / Door Sensor Pro: 02.13.03 or later	
Scala2	Door Explorer: 02.04.05 or later / Door Sensor Pro: 02.14.x or later	
Mx receiver firmware	Door Explorer: 08.06.01 or later / Door Sensor Pro: 08.07.04	
Dock	Door Explorer: 01.01.00 or later / Door Sensor Pro: 01.02.00 or later	

# **Technical Specifications**

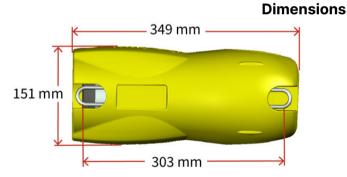
Uplink frequency	30 to 60 kHz
Range to vessel	up to 2500 m <sup>1</sup>



la	
Data update rate	• All: Echogram: 6 sec.
	• Single trawl:
	∘ Master: Spread, depth, pitch, roll: 6 sec Temp.: 8 sec.
	- Battery charge 24 sec.
	∘ Starboard: Depth, temp, pitch, roll, battery charge: 6
	sec.
	• Twin trawl:
	∘ Master: Spreads (2): 6 sec Depth, pitch, roll: 8 sec
	Temp., battery charge: 24 sec.
	∘ Clump: Spread, depth, pitch, roll: 6 sec Temp.: 8 sec.
	- Battery charge: 24 sec.
	<ul> <li>Starboard: Depth, temp, pitch &amp; roll, battery charge: 6</li> <li>sec.</li> </ul>
	• Triple trawl:
	<ul> <li>Master: Spreads (3): 9 sec Depth, pitch, roll: 8 sec</li> </ul>
	Temp., battery charge: 24 sec.
	• Clump: Spread, depth, pitch, roll: 6 sec Temp.: 8 sec.
	- Battery charge: 24 sec.
	<ul> <li>Starboard: Depth, temp, pitch, roll, battery charge: 6</li> </ul>
	sec.
	• Quad trawl:
	∘ Master: Spreads (4): 12 sec Depth, pitch, roll: 8 sec
	Temp., battery charge: 24 sec.
	∘ Clump: Spread, depth, pitch, roll: 6 sec Temp.: 8 sec.
	- Battery charge: 24 sec.
	<ul> <li>Starboard: Depth, temp, pitch, roll, battery charge: 6</li> </ul>
	sec.
Door sounder beamwidth (-3 dB, 360 kHz)	13°
Door spread sensor beamwidth	29°
(-3 dB, 144 kHz)	
Depth range	up to 1800 m
Depth resolution	0.1 m with 0.1% full scale
Pitch and roll angles	-64° to 63°

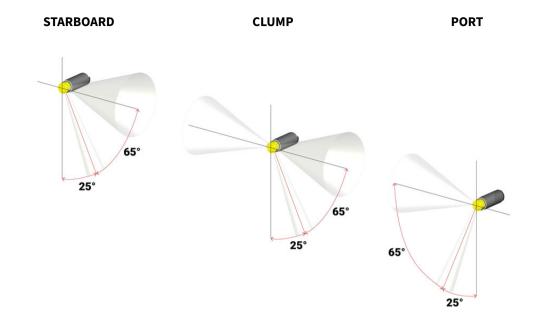
Pitch & roll accuracy	l°
Temp measurement range	-5° C to +45° C
Temp accuracy	±0.1° C
Typical battery life <sup>2</sup>	Up to approx. 9 days
Charging time	Standard: 8-12 hours <sup>3</sup>
Charging time	Fast Charge: 4 hours
Battery type	Lithium-Ion
Spread Sensor weight in air (with housing)	7.3 kg
Spread Sensor weight in water (with housing)	2.4 kg
Warranty	2 years (Sensor & Battery) <sup>4</sup>

1. Reference only. Depends on functions enabled. / 2. Depends on sensor uplink power and options. / 3. Based on average charging time. / 4. Marport Standard Marine Limited Warranty



## **Door Explorer Beam Angles**

Below are the angles between the down and the side beams:

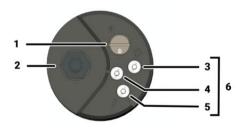


## Main Parts

This topic describes the housing and components of the sensor.

## **External View**

## **End cap**



- 1. Pressure sensor
- 2. Temperature sensor
- 3. Positive charge
- 4. Water switch
- 5. Negative charge
- 6. Shoulder bolts

# Operational Mode Indicator

A LED on the sensor's transducer indicates the operational mode of the sensor.

State	Situation	LED
Starting	Sensor has been switched on in water or with water switch.	Startup sequence: LED blinks green/off/red/off/green/red.  Then, fixed green for a 1 sec.
Running	Sensor is in water.      Water switch is on.	<ul> <li>For 1 min.: LED blinks red at the beginning of each uplink communication cycle.</li> <li>Or, LED blinks green / red if the product configuration is not valid.</li> </ul>
Configuring	<ul> <li>Sensor is out of water.</li> <li>User is testing and configuring using a Configuration Cable</li> <li>Sensor turns off after 10 min. without test or configuration operation.</li> </ul>	LED blinks green.
Charging	<ul> <li>Charger plug is connected.</li> <li>User is configuring at the same time via the Dock.</li> </ul>	

State	Situation	LED
		<ul> <li>LED blinks red.</li> <li>LED is fixed red after 10 sec. if connected to a charger other than the Dock.</li> </ul>
On deck	<ul> <li>Sensor has been hauled on deck.</li> <li>The virtual water switch is on.</li> <li>The sensor is locked in a low power state to not switch into running mode.</li> </ul>	LED blinks green every 4 sec.

# Sensor Configuration

# **Sensor Configuration**

Learn how to configure the sensor settings.



**Note:** To configure the sensor on Mosa2: Press command + A or click **Menu** and click **User Mode > Advanced**.

# **Connecting the Sensor to Mosa2**

To configure the sensor, you need to connect it to Mosa2 application, using either the Dock or the Configuration Cable.

Using a Dock Charger Plug

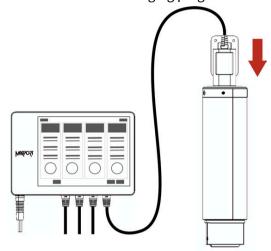
### **About this task**



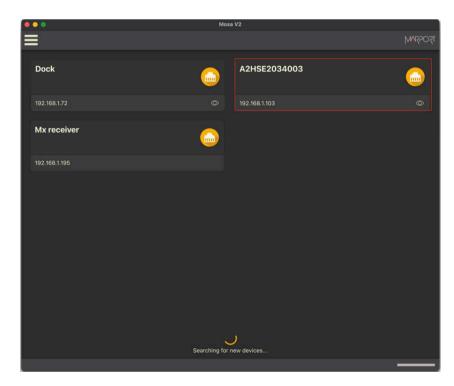
Tip: Refer to Dock user manual to have more details about the use of this product.

## **Procedure**

1. Connect one Dock charging plug to the sensor's endcap.



2. Mosa2 discovery page opens. The sensor is displayed.



- ∘ Click to open the sensor configuration page.
- · Click to show the deploy animation on the charger plug for 30 seconds.

# Using the Configuration Cable

Connect the Configuration Cable from the computer to the sensor to display the sensor configuration page on Mosa2.

## **About this task**

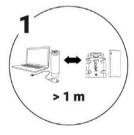


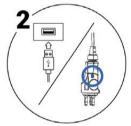
**Tip:** Refer to the Configuration Cable Quick Reference Guide available on our website for more details about the use of this product.

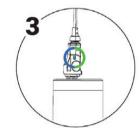
## **Procedure**

- 1. Move other electrical devices minimum 1 m away from the computer.
- Connect the USB connector directly to the computer.
   Mosa2 opens automatically and the startup wizard is displayed. The LED on the plug is solid blue.
- Connect the three-pin plug to the sensor.The LED on the plug blinks alternatively blue and green.
- 4. Wait a few seconds. The configuration page of the sensor is displayed on Mosa2. The LED on the plug is solid green.

## **Example**









### What to do next

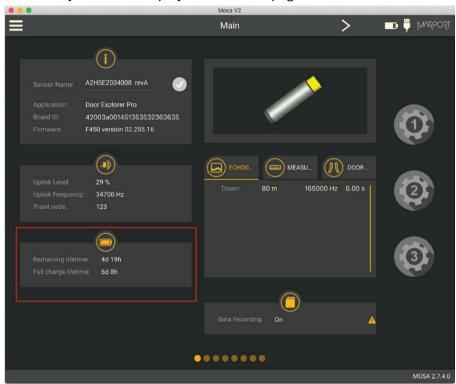
You can now configure the sensor.

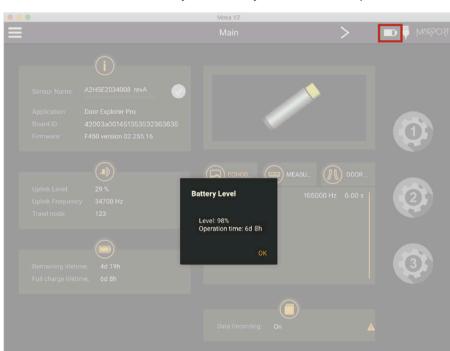


**Note:** You can keep the Configuration Cable continuously connected by USB, and virtually eject or connect it. When no sensor is connected to the Configuration Cable, click **Menu > Eject Config Plug** or **Connect Config Plug**. When ejected, you come back to the discovery page. It stays disconnected until you virtually connect to it or manually disconnect then connect it.

# **Battery Information**

The battery lifetime is displayed on the first page.





You can also check the battery level at anytime from the top bar:

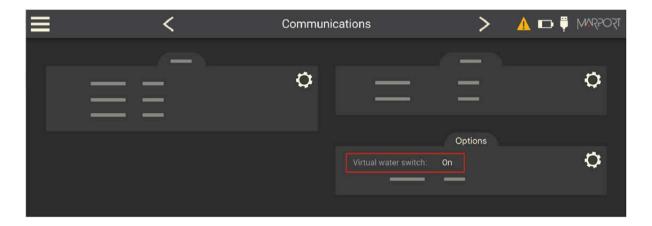
Note: When you change settings such as the uplink power or sounding range, it affects the battery consumption and remaining lifetime. The battery information will update after the sensor has been switched on and operating for 10 minutes.

# **About the Virtual Water Switch Option**

Mosa2 has a virtual water switch option that changes the conditions under which the sensor is running.



Note: The virtual water switch is available only for the Pro line of sensors (PCBA A2S Gen 2 and later, and all A2H versions). It is activated by default.



• When the virtual water switch is activated: the sensor runs when the depth is more than 2 meters and the water switch is in contact with water.

We recommend to activate it to prevent the sensor from running outside water. For example, if the sensor is hauled on deck and stays inside the net, the water switch remains wet and keeps emitting. This will significantly reduce the battery lifetime.



**Note:** When activated, an orange warning icon is displayed in the top bar.



• When the virtual water switch is deactivated: the sensor runs only when the water switch is in contact with water. The depth is not taken into account.

We recommend to deactivate it if the sensor is operating close to the surface or if you need to test the sensor in the office.

# **Diagnostic Information**

Scala2 and Mosa2 applications warn the user in case of water ingress in the sensor.



**Note:** Diagnostic information is available for Marport Pro sensors (A2S and A2H PCBA versions), from the firmware version **F450-02.02.00 or later** and Mosa2 version **02.11.08**.

In case of water ingress in the sensor, alarms are displayed in Scala2 Virtual Charger Room, in Mosa2 and on the charger plug when connected to the sensor.

• In **Expert** mode, Mosa2 displays a dialog at the start of the application and warning icon in the toolbar and diagnostic page:



• The charger plug displays a warning icon:



When the alarm appears, take the sensor out of water immediately and contact Marport support.



**Warning:** In case of water ingress in the product, do not charge it: battery may vent or rupture, causing product or physical damage.

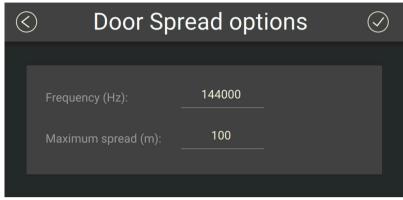
# **Configuring the Door Spread Settings**

Configure the communication settings between the door sensors.



## **Procedure**

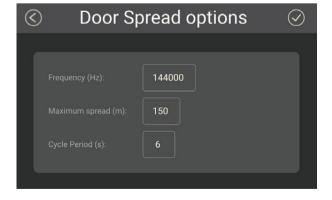
1. Go to the **Door Spread** page, then click in **Door Spread**.



- 2. Enter a frequency for the communication between all spread sensors.
  - **Note:** The frequency must be the same for all of them.
- 3. Enter the maximum spread between:
  - Master sensor placed on the port door: distance to the starboard door.
  - Starboard sensors placed on the clumps: distance to closest clump, toward port direction.
  - Starboard sensor: distance to the Master sensor or to the closest clump, toward port direction.
  - Note: You can set a spread distance between 50 and 800 meters. A lower maximum spread distance will save battery life. We recommend to put a value a little higher than the estimated distance to keep a safe margin.

We recommend these maximum spread values to save battery life:

Sensor	Max. spread
Master	300 to 400 m
Clump 1	200 m
Clump 2	200 m
Starboard	200 m



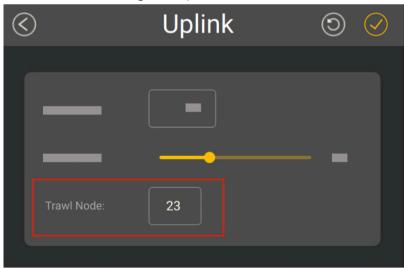
- **Trouble:** If you have communication issues, you can set a maximum spread higher than 200 meters, even if the real spread value is lower. This will increase the emission power level of 6 dB more than the default level. Be aware that this will reduce the battery life.
- 4. In **Cycle Period**, you can change the rate at which data are sent: between 2 and 15 seconds. Default rate for all door pro sensors is every 6 seconds.
  - **Note:** If you change the cycle period, the sensor will not be able to communicate with Spread Sensors Pro.
  - **Note:** Changing the cycle period impacts the battery life of the sensor. A slower rate will save battery life, but a higher one will reduce it.

# **Configuring the Trawl Node**

You need to give a trawl node to the sensor. It is the number corresponding to the position of the sensor on the trawl.

### **Procedure**

- 1. Go to the **Communications** page, then click in **Uplink**.
- 2. Enter a node according to the position of the sensor on the trawl.

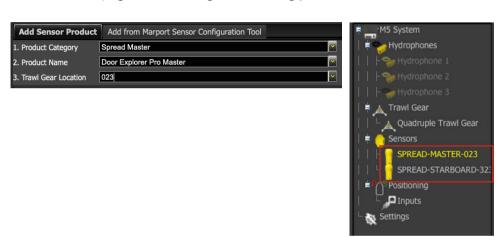


Sensor location	Trawl gear node
Port	23



Sensor location	Trawl gear node
Starboard	<ul> <li>Single trawl: 26</li> <li>Twin trawls: 123</li> <li>Triple trawls: 223</li> <li>Quadruple trawls: 323</li> </ul>
Clump	<ul> <li>Twin trawls: 26</li> <li>Triple trawls: 26, 123</li> <li>Quadruple trawls: 26, 123, 223</li> </ul>

Important: Make sure to put the same number when adding the sensor to Scala2 receiver page. If not, change it accordingly.



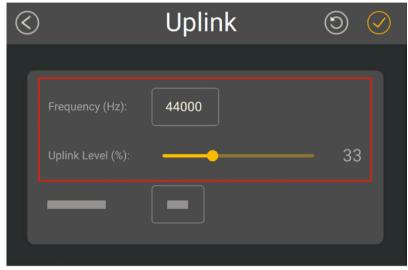
3. Click ②.

# **Configuring the Uplink Frequency and Power**

Configure the settings of the communication link between the sensor and the vessel.

## **Procedure**

1. Go to the **Communications** page, then click in **Uplink**.



- 2. Enter a frequency for the communication with the vessel. Default is 44,000 Hz.
- 3. Drag the slider to change the power of the uplink signal.
  - **Note:** A higher level of uplink power reduces the battery lifetime.

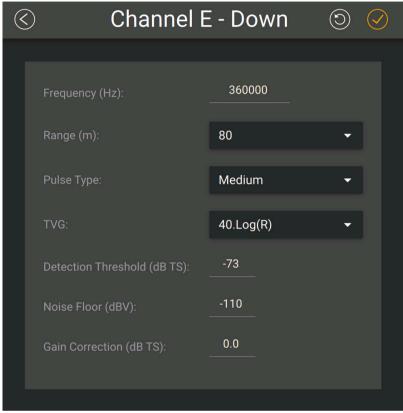
Recommended uplink powers	Conditions
33%	Works for most conditions.
100%	<ul> <li>Sensor is far from vessel - e.g. more than 800 m depending on conditions, high depth</li> <li>High level of interferences</li> <li>Issues receiving data</li> <li>Low SNR</li> </ul>

# **Door Explorer: Configuring the Echo Sounder**

Configure the echo sounder settings of the Door Explorer.

## **Procedure**

1. Go to the **Echo Sounder** page, then click on **Down Sounding**.



- 2. Set the Frequency (Hz) at 360,000 Hz.
- 3. The Range (m) of the sounding is fixed at 80 m when in operation, so you do not need to change it. The range is the maximum distance at which targets can be detected.
- 4. Select a **Pulse Type** to have an appropriate length of pulse according to the distance to the bottom:
  - **Short**: shallow waters (100 μs)
  - · **Medium**: moderate depth (300 μs)
  - Long: deep waters (500 μs)
  - **Important:** Pulse length is an important setting for the calibration of the sensor. If you change the pulse length on a sensor calibrated for target strength, you need to calibrate the sensor again.
- 5. Select a **TVG** setting to compensate the signal loss in water and have targets or sea bottom displayed in the same color on the echogram, whatever the distance from the sensor:

- 20 log: focus on bottom or school of fish.
- $\circ$  40 log: focus on individual targets.
- 30 log: compromise between the two above settings.
- 6. Do not change the other echo sounder settings.

# **Calibrating the Pitch and Roll**

You need to calibrate the pitch and roll of the sensors when placed on the trawl doors.

## Before you begin



**Tip:** Some trawl door manufacturers measure the pitch and roll offsets themselves and write them on the doors. Check on trawl doors.

#### About this task

A sensor pocket is usually welded to the door at a 15 to 20 degree vertical angle. This means that when trawl doors are vertical, the sensors will already have a pitch angle and maybe a roll angle. You need to calculate these angles and offset them in order to have 0° of pitch and roll when doors are vertical.

When calibrating the pitch and roll on Mosa2, you can select between three calibration types:

- **Automatic**: select if you do not know the offsets. In this case, the doors need to be taken out and placed on the ground in order to calibrate the pitch and roll.
- **Manual**: select if you already know the pitch and roll offsets, for example if they are written on the doors.
- Import offset: select if you need to apply the same offsets as those from a previous installation, using the \*.A2C configuration file (for example when replacing the sensor). See Exporting Sensor Configuration (on page 43) to know how to get the configuration file

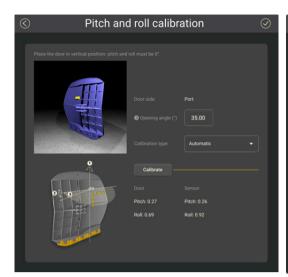
## **Procedure**

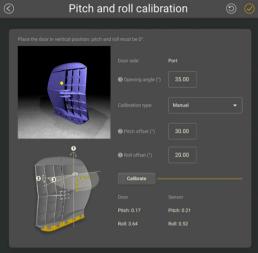
- 1. Remove all rigging, shackles and attachment points from the doors.
- 2. Remove the net gear attached to the door.
- 3. Using a crane or forklift, place the door on a flat surface, such as a dock or similar location.
- 4. Using the necessary rigging, hang doors with angles as close to 0 degree as possible on the vertical and horizontal plane. Use a carpenter level to help you.
- 5. Insert the sensor in the pockets on the doors.





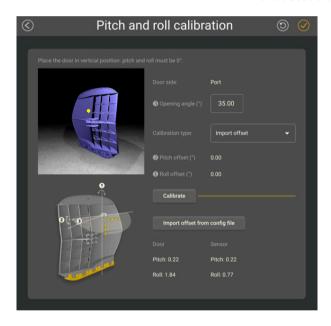
- 6. Connect the sensor to the Dock or Configuration Cable to connect to Mosa2.
- 7. From Mosa2, go to **Measurements** page and click in **Motion**.
- 8. Check on the bottom of the window that the pitch and roll of the door are close to 0 degree.
- 9. From **Opening Angle**, enter the angle between the door and the sensor (horizontal plane) in degrees. If you do not know the angle, ask the manufacturer for the angle of attack. If you cannot know the angle, you can put 35° but be aware that a wrong angle impacts pitch and roll measurements.
- 10. Select the Calibration type:
  - Automatic: make sure the doors are in vertical position, then click Calibrate.
  - Manual: enter the offset values manually, then click Apply offset.
  - Import offset: click Import offset from config file and select the \*.A2C configuration file from a previous installation.
- 11. When the calibration is finished, click .





Automatic calibration

**Manual** calibration



Import offset

12. If you need to update the Accelerometer coefficients, download the last XML test file from MASP and connect in **Expert** mode.

## Results

The sensor is calibrated.

# **Applying Offsets to Measurements**

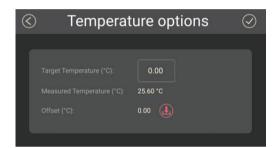
You can apply offsets to temperature and depth measurements if the measured values do not correspond to the environment of the sensor.

## **Procedure**

- 1. Go to **Measurements** page and click next to depth or temperature to apply offsets.
- 2. Enter a target value. Click .

  The measured value becomes the same as the target value. The value of the offset is displayed.





3. If you need to reuse offsets from a previous configuration, click then select the configuration file (\*.A2C).

# **Testing Measures**

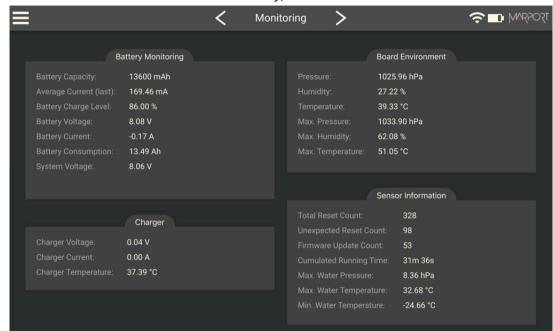
You can test the measures taken by the sensor (e.g. battery level, temperature, depth) to check that there are no faults.

#### About this task

You can test the sensor in water or in air. In air, the following measures will be wrong: height, conductivity.

#### **Procedure**

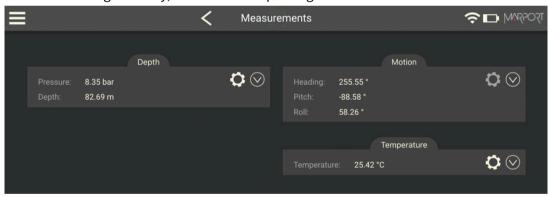
- 1. Press command + A or click **Menu** and click **User Mode > Advanced**.
- 2. Go to the Monitoring page.



You can check information about the battery, board and sensor.

3. Go to the **Measurements** page.

You can see the values of the activated measures, such as depth, temperature. If the sensor is working correctly, measures are updating.



- 4. Click to check and, if necessary, adjust data measured by the sensor:
  - **Depth**: Place your sensor on a desk or on the ground and enter 0 in **Target Depth**.
  - **Temperature**: Enter the estimated temperature of your environment.
  - Motion: Calibrate the door sensors.

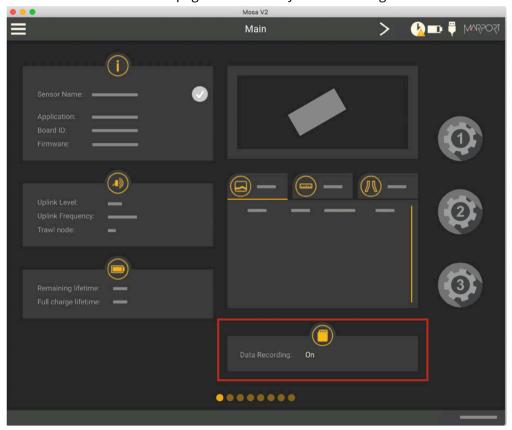
# **Memory Card Recording**

This topic explains the memory card recording feature (this feature is optional).

# **Overview**

Data recorded on the memory card are in higher resolution, with a higher refreshing rate and you can see target strength values without uplink sound transmission loss.

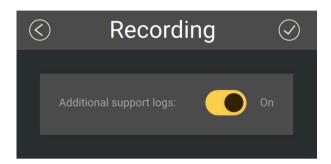
You can see on Mosa2 main page if the memory card recording feature is activated:



# **Additional settings**

We recommend to activate the support logs to help support teams for error diagnosis.

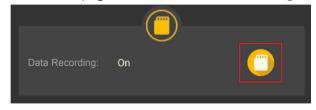
- 1. Go to the **Communications** page, then click in **Recording**.
- 2. Activate Additional support Log.



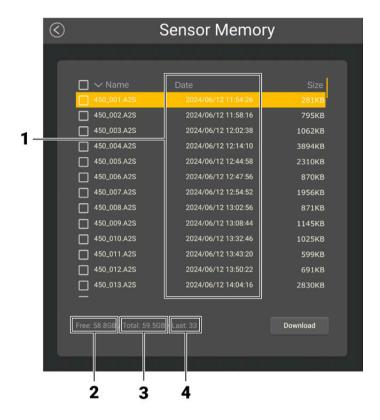
# Getting data from the memory card

The last 99 recorded sensor data files and last 99 battery files are displayed. Two types of files are on the memory card:

- Files containing measures recorded by the sensor. Their name begins by "450". These data are more precise and recorded more often than data received on the receiver. One file corresponds to a tow (time between entering and leaving water). The recording date displayed in the second column is synchronized with your computer time.
- BATT = Files created when the sensor is charging (1 file per charging cycle). They are useful for support teams for troubleshooting.
- Note: The first time the sensor connects to Mosa2 or if the sensor desynchronizes, a clock with a warning icon is displayed in the top toolbar. Click it to synchronize the time of the SD card with the computer's time.
- **Note:** When downloading the files, we recommend to connect the sensor to Mosa2 using the Dock or the Configuration Cable for a better transfer of data.
  - 1. Press command + E or click **Menu** and click **User Mode > Expert**.
  - 2. On the first page, click in **Data Recording**.



Recorded files are displayed. Click the title of the columns to sort them by their name, date or size.



- 1. Time of end of towing
- **2.** Free memory
- 3. Total memory size
- 4. Index of the last file written

See **Replaying Data Recorded on a Memory Card (on page 86)** to learn how to replay these data in Scala2.

# **Saving a Configuration on Mosa2**

You can save different configurations of the sensor to be able to quickly change the configuration when you change your fishing method.

# Before you begin

• You have finished configuring the sensor.

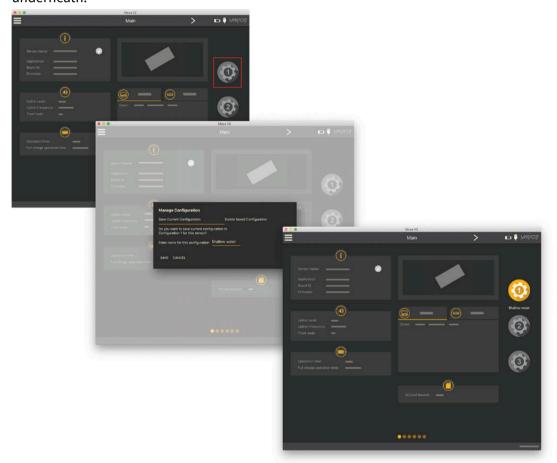
#### **About this task**

You can have up to three different configurations for the sensor. When you change your fishing method, you can apply a corresponding configuration in one click. For example:

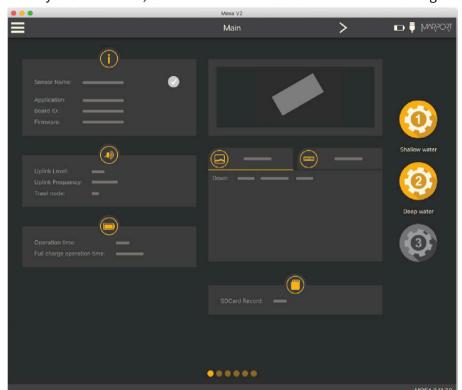
- If fishing in shallow water, you can use a configuration with an uplink level of 20%, a short pulse and a short range.
- If fishing in greater depths, you can change for a configuration with an uplink level of 100%, a long pulse and a long range.

# **Procedure**

- 1. When you are finished configuring the sensor, for example to use the sensor in shallow water, click one of the wheel icon on the first page of Mosa2.
- 2. In the window that appears, enter a name for the configuration and save it. The wheel icon becomes orange and the name of the configuration is displayed underneath.



3. To create another configuration, for example this time to use the sensor in deep waters, change the settings of the sensor on Mosa2.



4. When you are finished, click the second wheel icon and save the configuration.

- 5. If you need to change the sensor configuration back to the first configuration (shallow water), click the corresponding wheel.
  - The configuration is applied.
- 6. If you need to make changes to a configuration:
  - a. Change settings.
  - b. Maintain the click on the corresponding wheel until the Manage Configuration window appears.
  - c. Click **OK** in **Save Current Configuration**.
- 7. To delete a configuration:
  - a. Maintain the click on the corresponding wheel until the Manage Configuration window appears.
  - b. Click **OK** in **Delete Saved Configuration**.

# **Exporting Sensor Configuration**

You can export the sensor settings you configured on Mosa2 on a file. You can afterward use this file when configuring a similar sensor.

# Before you begin

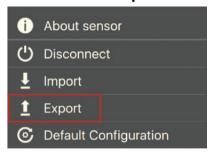
• You are finished configuring the sensor.

#### About this task

If you have issues with your sensor, send this file to support teams.

## **Procedure**

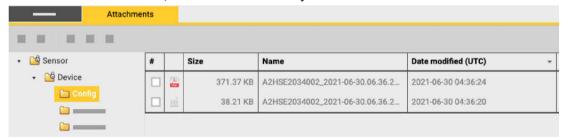
1. Click Menu = > Export.



2. From the window that appears, choose a folder on your computer to save the file and click Open.

# Results

The configuration file is exported and saved on your computer as an A2C file. If you are connected to the Internet, it is also automatically sent to MASP in XML and PDF files.



# **Importing a Sensor Configuration**

You can apply to a sensor a configuration that has already been made on another sensor.

# Before you begin

• You have exported a configuration (see Exporting Sensor Configuration (on page 43)) and have the \*.A2C or XML configuration file.

## **About this task**

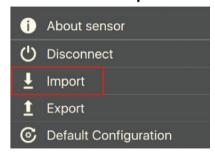
Only the following settings are imported: trawl node, recording settings (SD card, support logs), communication options (virtual water switch, simulation mode), uplink level and frequency, echo sounder settings.



**Important:** If the new configuration changes the echo sounder settings, you must recalibrate the sensor for target strength value.

## Procedure

- 1. Press command + A or click **Menu** and click **User Mode > Advanced**.
- 2. Click Menu = > Import.



3. From the window that appears, select the \*.A2C or XML configuration file.

# **Results**

The configuration is loaded into the sensor.

# System Configuration & Display

# **System Configuration and Display**

Learn how to configure the receiver and display the sensor data in Scala2 application.

# **Adding the Sensor to the Receiver**

You need to add the sensors to the receiver in order to display their data on Scala2.

For compatibility details, see System Compatibility (on page 15).

# Adding the Sensor to the Receiver

You need to add the sensors to the receiver using the system web page.

## **Procedure**

- 1. From Scala2, click **Menu =** > **Expert Mode** and enter the password copernic.
- 2. Right-click the IP address of the receiver at the bottom of the page, then click **Configure Receiver**.
- 3. From the left side of the receiver page, click **Sensors**.



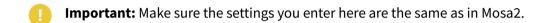
4. From the page **Add Sensor Product**, select the options according to your type of sensor:

Product Category	Product Name	Trawl Gear Location
Spread Master	Door Explorer Pro Master	23
	Door Explorer Master	
	Door Sensor Pro Master	
Spread Starboard	Door Explorer Pro Starboard	∘ Single trawl: 26 ∘ Twin trawls: 123

Product Category	Product Name	Trawl Gear Location
	Door Explorer Starboard	• Triple trawls: 223
	Door Sensor Pro Starboard	∘ Quadruple trawls: 323
Spread Clump	Door Explorer Pro Clump	<ul> <li>Twin trawls: 26</li> <li>Triple trawls: 26, 123</li> <li>Quadruple trawls: 26, 123,</li> <li>223</li> </ul>
	Door Sensor Pro Clump	

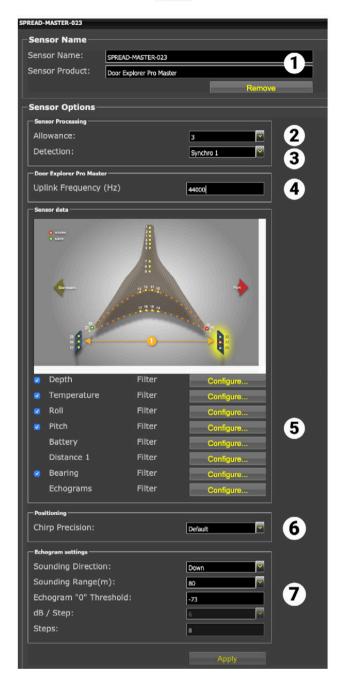
# **Configuring Sensor Settings**

You need to complete communication settings when you add the sensor to the receiver.

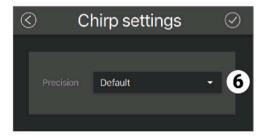












- 1 Sensor name displayed in Scala2 and its features.
- This setting helps detecting the signal of the sensor among other sensor or echosounder signals.

  Change default setting only if you have issues receiving data.

	<ul> <li>Choose between 0-2 only if no interferences on the vessel (not recommended).</li> <li>3 is default setting.</li> <li>Choose between 4-6 if you have issues receiving data. It allows you to receive more data, but be aware they might be wrong data.</li> </ul>
3	This setting also helps detecting the sensor signal. Leave default setting at Synchro 1.
4	Enter the same frequency as the one entered for the uplink frequency in Mosa2.
5	Click <b>Configure</b> to change filters applied on incoming data. Filters are particularly useful to reduce interferences on the Door Explorer echogram data.  Tip: Please refer to Scala2 user guide for more information about the filters.
6	Select the same chirp precision as the one set in Mosa2.
7	Door Explorer only: do not change these settings.

## What to do next

Configure the positioning settings if the sensor has the positioning option.

# **Configuring the System with the Positioning Option**

If the sensors have the positioning option, you need to configure the system in order to receive the trawl position and display it in Scala2.

# Configuring the Positioning Settings

Configure the positioning settings on the system web page to correctly receive the positioning data from the sensors.

# Before you begin

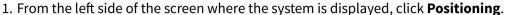
You have added the sensors to the receiver.



**Tip:** A spreadsheet is available on the **Useful Resources** page of Marport support website to help you complete this page.



## **Procedure**





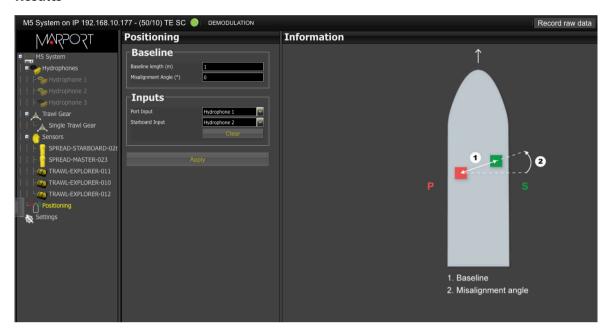
The positioning configuration page appears.

- 2. In **Baseline**, enter the baseline distance and the misalignment angle.
  - **Note:** The baseline is very important to have accurate positions of the doors.
  - Important: If the starboard hydrophone is placed further aft, add a negative (-) sign before the angle.
- 3. In **Inputs**, enter the port and starboard hydrophones, according to the hydrophone configuration.



- Note: On M4 and M6 systems, the receiving hydrophones must be both connected to a hydrophone input between H1, H2 and H3 or both between H4, H5 and H6.
- 4. Click Apply.

## Results

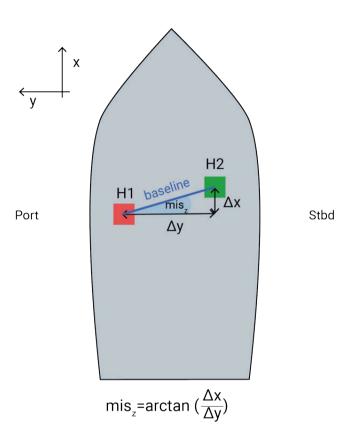


# Calculations for the Positioning System

When configuring the positioning system on the system web page (Scala2 receiver page), you must consider the position of the hydrophones. When they are misaligned, you can calculate their misalignment angle with the following calculations.

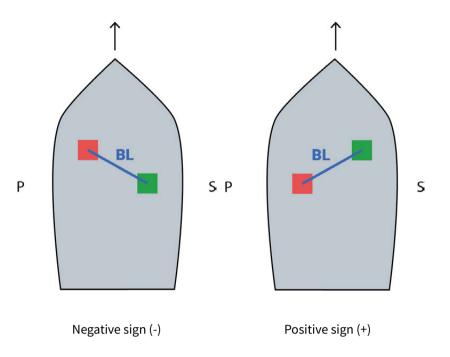
- **Tip:** A spreadsheet is available on the **Useful Resources** page of Marport support website to help you complete this page.
- **Note:** Baseline length is the distance between two hydrophones. It must be in meters.

The misalignment angle (angular offset around Z axis) is calculated with the following formula: Direction of the vessel



# **Sign of Angles**

You need to add a negative sign (-) to the result if the starboard hydrophone is placed further aft. The sign of the angles is important to receive correct positioning data.

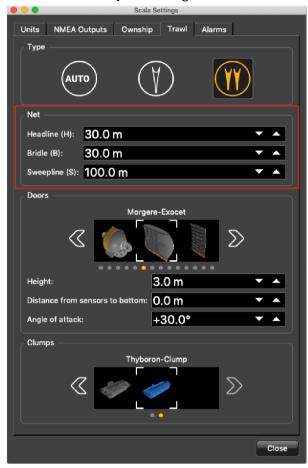


**Configuring Trawl Settings** 

You need to configure trawl settings to display the trawl on the chart and vessel 3D overview.

## **Procedure**

- 1. Click Menu = > Settings.
- 2. From the tab **Trawl**, complete **Headline (H)**, **Bridle (B)** and **Sweepline (S)** with accurate measurements of your trawl gear.



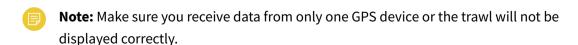
# Adding Data from External Devices

You need to add to Scala2: warp lengths, GPS coordinates and heading data received from devices such as winch control systems or GPS compass.

## **About this task**

See to know which NMEA sentences are compatible.





**Note:** Warp lengths can be received from a winch control system, or entered manually in the control panels, under **Manual Estimation**. If no warp lengths, the positioning will be calculated from the bearing, spread distance and depth data sent by the Spread sensors. However, we strongly recommend to receive warp lengths from a winch control system. Without it, the accuracy of the positioning will be reduced.

## **Procedure**

1. In the control panels, click **NMEA Inputs > Add Input**.



- 2. Choose the type of connection between serial port, UDP or TCP socket.
- 3. If using a serial port:
  - a. In **Port**, select the incoming data you want to add.
  - b. In **Baud**, choose the transmission speed (bit per second).
  - c. Leave the other default parameters if you have no specific requirements.
  - d. Select a different input format if you have Marelec or Rapp Marine/Rapp Hydema equipment. Otherwise, select **Standard NMEA format**.
  - e. To broadcast the data received on this serial port to other equipment than Scala2, select **Output to UDP**, then enter a port above 1000 and enter 255.255.255.255 to broadcast to all equipments, or enter a different subnet mask.
- 4. If using UDP:
  - a. Enter the port of the server sending data.
- 5. If using TCP:

- a. Enter the IP address of the server and the port.
- b. Select a different input format if you have Marelec or Rapp Marine/Rapp Hydema equipment. Otherwise, select **Standard NMEA format**.
- c. To broadcast the input data to other equipment than Scala2, select **Output to UDP**, then enter a port above 1000 and enter 255.255.255 to broadcast to all equipments, or enter a different subnet mask.
- 6. Click OK.

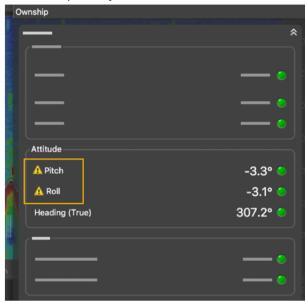
# **Results**

NMEA data appears in the **NMEA Inputs** control panel and in the **Ownship** panel. LEDs blink green when data is received (it may be steady green if data is received continuously). When communication with the NMEA devices is lost, LEDs do not blink anymore.



3

**Trouble:** If you see a warning sign in front of data, it means that you receive the same data from more than one device. Right-click the data, then click **Configure Data** and select the primary source.



# Receiving Warp Lengths from Scantrol

You can output warp length data from Scantrol iSYM Trawl Control application to Scala2 software.

# **About this task**



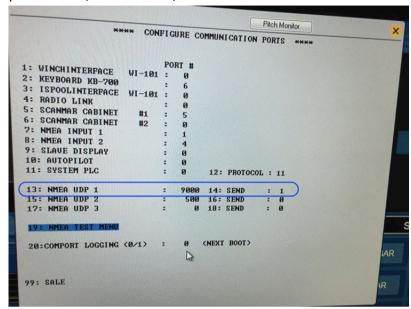
**Note:** In this procedure, data are transmitted via a UDP port but a connection via a serial port can be possible.

# Procedure

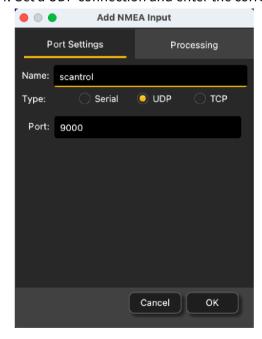
1. Scantrol and Marport computers must be connected together via an Ethernet wired network. Both computers must be on the same sub-network to communicate with each other: 192.168.0.XX.

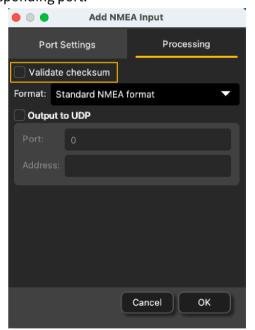
For example, the network IP address can be set at **192.168.0.10** on Scantrol computer and at **192.168.0.12** on Marport computer. The subnet mask address is 255.255.255.0 for both.

2. Go to iSYM's **Configure Communication Ports** menu, then in **13: NMEA UDP 1** enter a port number, such as 9000, and set **SEND** to 1.



- **Note:** The port number must be different from the one on which Scala2 sends data (if applicable).
- 3. In Scala2, open the control panels then click **NMEA Inputs > Add Input**.
- 4. Set a UDP connection and enter the corresponding port.





5. Clear the Validate Checksum checkbox.



**Important:** If you do not clear this checkbox, you will not receive the data from Scantrol.

#### Results

Scantrol data are displayed in Scala2.



# **Configuring Data Display on Scala2**

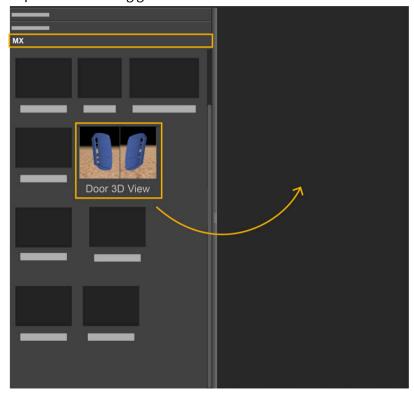
Connect in **Customize** mode to configure the display of data. From the top left corner of the screen, click **Menu =** > **Customize** and enter the password eureka.

# Displaying Trawl Door 3D View

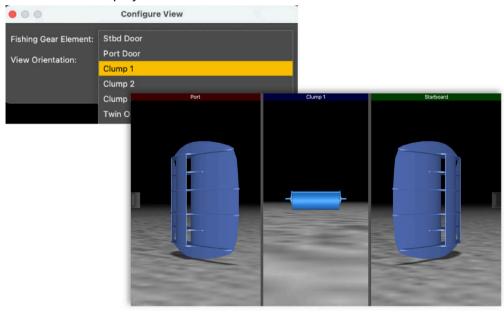
You can display a 3D view of the trawl doors and clump(s). This way, you can see the movements of the doors and clump.

# **Procedure**

Open the customization panel and go to the Mx panel. Click + drag the Door 3D View
to the page and select the fishing gear element. If you have twin trawls, you can display
the clump and if you have twin outrigger trawls, you can set which doors are displayed.
Repeat for all fishing gear elements.



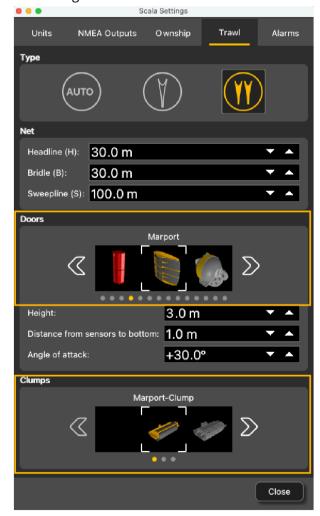
The 3D view is displayed:



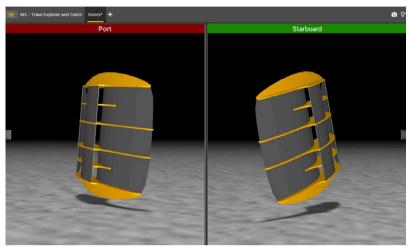
- **Tip:** You can change the fishing gear element anytime: right-click the 3D view and click **Configure**.
- 2. You can also change the viewing angle: looking from the trawl toward the vessel (front), or from the vessel toward the trawl (back).



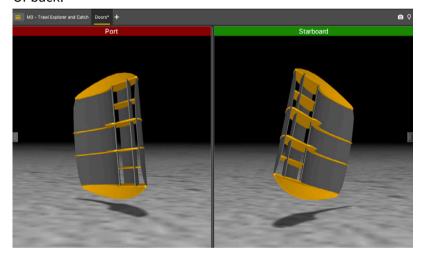
- 3. To change the door or clump model:
  - a. From the top left corner, click **Menu > Settings**.
  - b. Click the **Trawl** tab and select the models of doors and clumps from the lists, using left and right arrows.



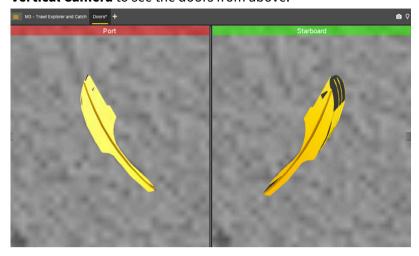
- 4. To change the view angle of the door, right-click the 3D view and choose:
  - Horizontal Camera to see the doors from the front.



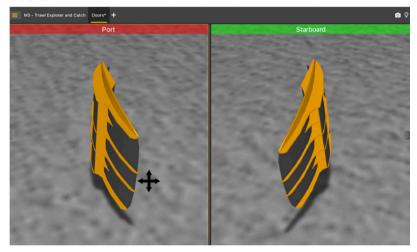
∘ Or back.



• **Vertical Camera** to see the doors from above.



Free Camera to adjust the viewing angle yourself, by clicking and dragging the 3D doors.



5. To display the ground, right-click the 3D view and select **Display Ground**. You should leave the ground displayed in order to see if the doors are touching it.

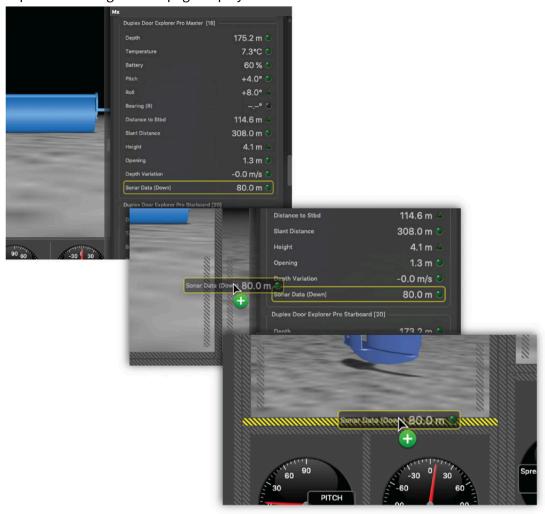
# Displaying Door Explorer Echograms

Adding an Echogram to a Page

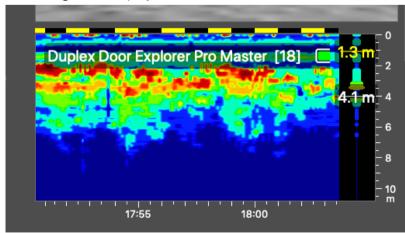
You can display echograms from Door Explorer sensors in order to see how the doors are placed above the sea bottom.

# **Procedure**

 Open the control panels and from the Mx tab, click + hold Sonar Data from a Door Explorer and drag it to the page display.



The echogram is displayed.



2. Deactivate the Customize mode when you have finished customizing pages: click **Menu Solution > Customize** again.

Changing the Distance from the Door Explorer to the Bottom

You can change the distance at which the echogram begins.

## About this task

By default, the echogram is displayed beginning from the sensor position. You can increase the distance at which the echogram begins to:

- Have distance to bottom values beginning from the shoes, instead of from the sensor position.
- Remove the echo of the shoes from the echogram.

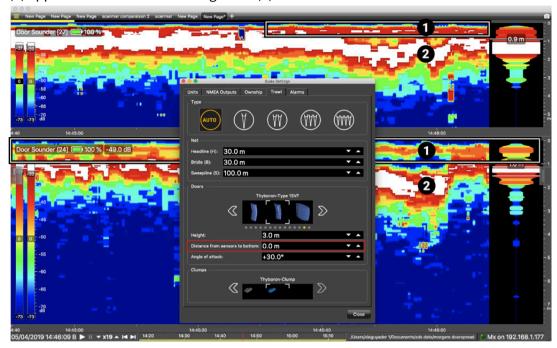
## **Procedure**

- 1. Click **Menu > Settings**, then go to the **Trawl** tab.
- 2. In **Doors > Distance from sensors to bottom**, enter the distance of the Door Explorer from the door shoes.

The echoes of the shoes do not appear anymore on the echogram.



The image below shows the default echogram. You can see that the echoes of the shoes (1) appear above the echo of the ground (2).



The image below shows the echogram when a distance is added. Now, you can only see the echo of the ground (2).



# Using the MultiDepth View on Scala2

You can display a 3D view showing the trawl gear and the echogram images received from the Door Explorer sensors.

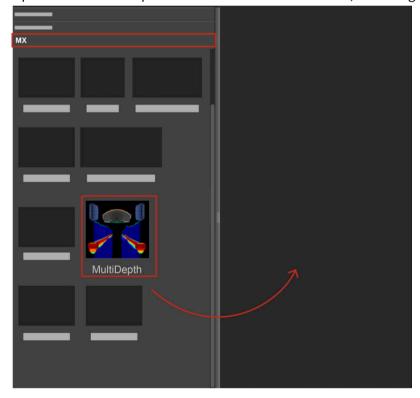
# Displaying the MultiDepth View

# Before you begin

Go to **Menu > Settings > Trawl**, then select **Auto** to automatically detect the number of trawls or select manually the type of trawl gear in use. If you change the trawl gear, change this setting accordingly.

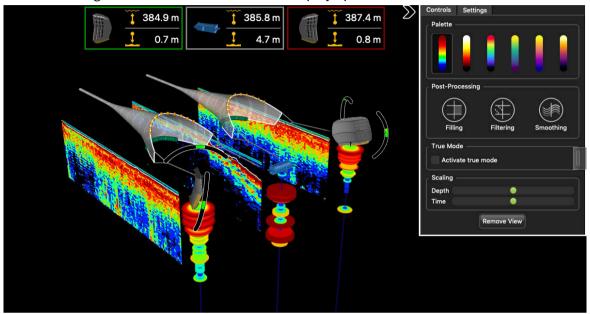
# **Procedure**

- 1. Click **Menu > Customize** and enter the password eureka.
- 2. Open the **Customize** panel on the left side of the screen, then drag **MultiDepth** to a page.

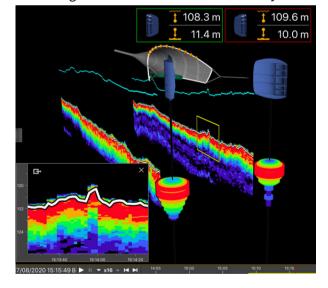


## Results

The view is displayed. You can see the depth (distance from the sensor to the sea surface) and height (distance from the sensor to the seabed) of the sensors above the 3D view. Click the arrow on the right side of the view to show the display options.

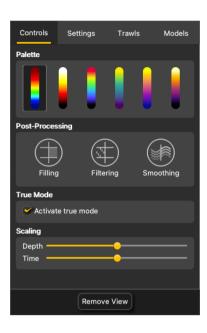


To zoom on a specific area of the echogram, deactivate the **Customize** mode, then right-click the echogram and move the mouse while you hold down the right button.



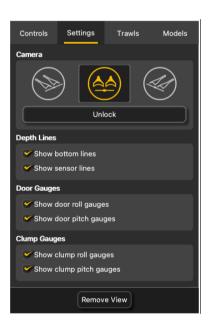
**Display Options** 

You can change the display of the **MultiDepth** view using a setting panel. Click the arrow on the right side of the view to show the display options.



## **Controls**

- Palette: echogram color palettes
- Post-Processing
  - Filling: add a background to the echogram with a coordinate grid showing depth and time values.
  - Filtering: display filtered data. See Configuring Sensor Settings (on page 48).
  - Smoothing: set smoother transitions between the colors in the echogram.
- **True Mode**: select to see the echogram beginning from the water surface. If not selected, the echogram begins from the sensor position.
- Scaling: zoom in and out of the echogram depth or time.



# **Settings**

- Camera:
  - Click the icons to change the viewing angle of the 3D view.
  - Lock/Unlock: unlock to use to mouse to change the viewing angle and lock to deactivate the mouse control.
- Depth Lines:
  - **Show bottom lines**: show the detected seabed.
  - Show sensor lines: show the sensor position on the echogram.
- Door Gauges and Clump Gauges:
  - Show roll gauges and Show pitch gauges: displays angular gauges to help with door pitch and roll monitoring.

# Trawls



**Trawl Setup**: select **Auto** to automatically detect the number of trawls or select manually the type of trawl gear in use. If you change the trawl gear, change this setting accordingly.

# **Models**



You can change the model of trawl doors or clumps.

Click the arrows to select the model. The 3D view will change accordingly.

# Using the MultiTrawl View on Scala2

You can display a global 3D view of the trawl gear.

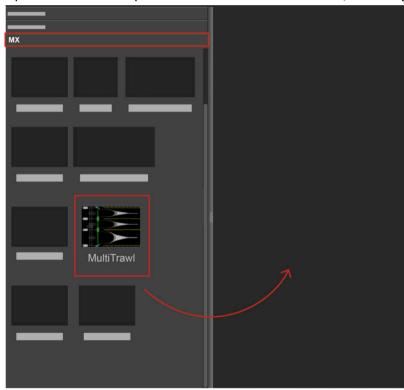
# Displaying the MultiTrawl View

# Before you begin

- Go to **Menu** > **Settings** > **Trawl**, then select **Auto** to automatically detect the number of trawls or select manually the type of trawl gear in use. If you change the trawl gear, change this setting accordingly.
- Make sure you receive warp lengths from NMEA inputs.

## **Procedure**

- 1. Click **Menu** > **Customize** and enter the password eureka.
- 2. Open the **Customize** panel on the left side of the screen, then drag **MultiTrawl** to a page.



3. Click the arrow on the right side of the view to show the display options. See **Display Options (on page 72)**.

# **Display Options**

You can change the display of the **MultiTrawl** using customization panels. Right-click the view to open them.



#### **Controls**



- **Trawl Setup**: select **Auto** to automatically detect the number of trawls or select manually the type of trawl gear in use. If you change the trawl gear, change this setting accordingly.
- Door Spread:
  - Current value: current total spread distance.
  - Nominal value: total spread distance you want to have.
     If the value of the current distance becomes larger or smaller than the nominal value, the alignment axis appears in red.
  - **Tolerance**: tolerance threshold between the current and nominal values.
- **Reset nominal**: if the current spread distance is correct, click to make this distance the nominal value.
- **Track History**: zoom in and out of the time scale of the trawl tracks.

#### **Settings**



- Clump Spreads:
  - Show distances: real values of spread between two door sensors.



Show projections:

 calculated values of
 linear spread between
 door sensors. These
 values have a yellow dot
 instead of a green dot.





**Note:** Spread distances and projection distances should be the same. If not, it means the doors or clumps are not aligned.

- **Time Ticks**: select **Show dates** to show the current time on the timescale or **Show delays** to show the time that has elapsed since the trawl was put in water.
- **Warp Labels**: display the warp lengths received from a winch control system or the slant distance received from a Duplex sensor.
- Door Gauges and Clump Gauges:
  - Show roll gauges and Show pitch gauges: displays angular gauges to help with door pitch and roll monitoring.



Settings

Show distances
Show projections

Show dates

Show delays

Show door roll gaugesShow door pitch gauges

Show clump roll gauges

Show clump pitch gauges

Remove View

**Door Gauges** 

Models

Controls

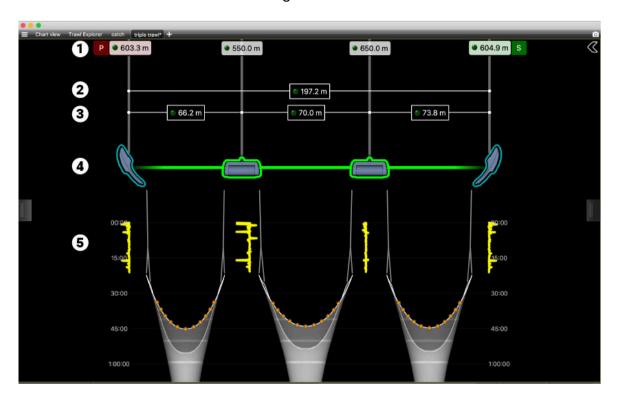
#### Models



You can change the model of trawl doors or clumps.

Click the arrows to select the model. The 3D view will change accordingly.

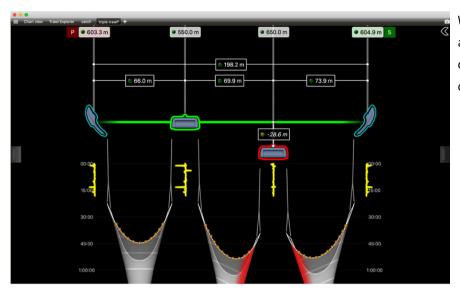
#### Understanding the MultiTrawl View



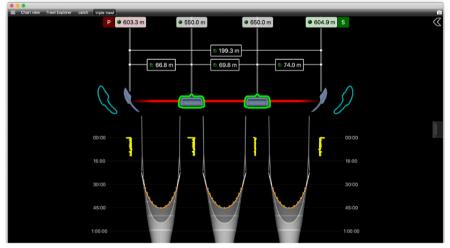
- 1. Warp lengths, received from a winch control system using NMEA sentences.
- 2. Total spread distance.
- 3. Spread distances between doors and clumps (or between doors for a single trawl).
- 4. 3D representation of the position of the doors and clumps. Alignment is correct when the doors are inside their outline, clumps are framed in green and axis is green.
- 5. Track of the trawl doors and clumps. Timescale is on both sides of the trawls. Timescale can show the current time or the time that has elapsed since the trawl was put in water. In this example, the elapsed time is displayed.



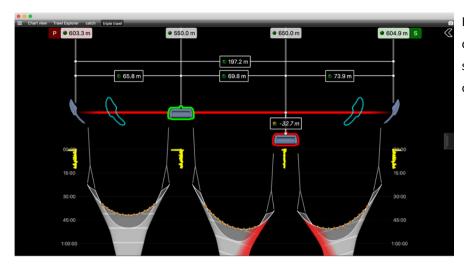
#### **Examples of data received**



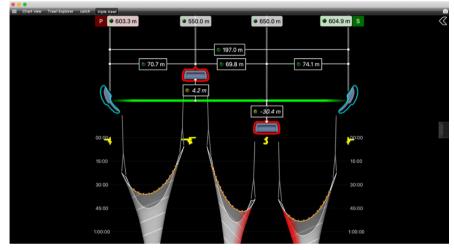
When a door or clump is out of alignment, it is displayed in red. The distance from the alignment axis is displayed above.



In this case, the current spread distance is inferior to the nominal spread distance that was set. Doors are shown out of their expected position and axis is in red.



In this case, the current spread distance is superior to the nominal spread distance. One of the clump is out of alignment.



In this case, both clumps are out of alignment.

Important: If you do not receive warp lengths, Scala2 is not able to show the correct position of the clumps. By default, Scala2 will display the clumps in a static position out of the alignment axis, closer to the vessel.

#### **Displaying Door Positioning Data**

If the door sensors have the positioning option, you can display views showing the trawl position.

#### **Doors Positioning Data**

You can display data related to the position of the doors.

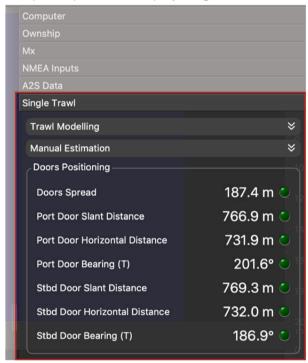
#### Before you begin



**Note:** Minimum data required to display **Doors Positioning** are GPS positioning, depth, door spread distance, port and starboard door bearings. However, we strongly recommend to receive warp lengths from a winch control system. Without it, the accuracy of the positioning will be reduced.

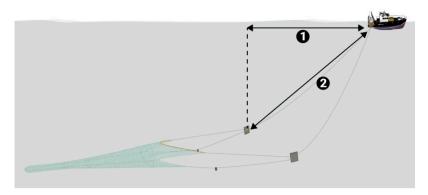
#### **Procedure**

In the control panels, go to the trawl data. The name of the panel depends on the trawl gear setup. The panel can display **Single Trawl**, **Twin Trawl**, **Triple Trawl** or **Quad Trawl**.





**Tip:** This panel displays the door horizontal distance (1) and estimated slant distance (2) to the boat:



Displaying the Chart View

#### Before you begin

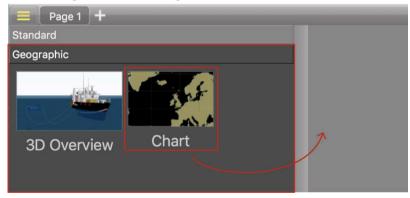
• You must be in **Customize** mode to do this task.

#### You must have:

- Incoming GPS data and heading data.
- Warp lengths or Duplex sensors giving distance to vessel.
- Spread sensors sensors with bearing measurement.

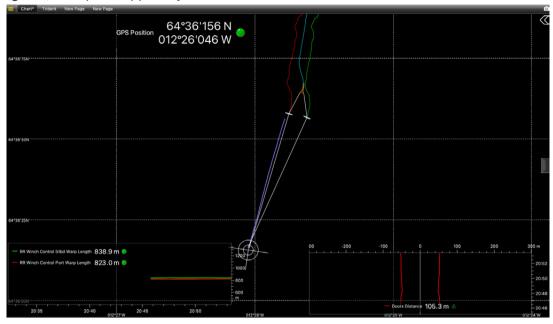
#### **Procedure**

- 1. Open the customization panel, then go to **Geographic**.
- 2. Click + drag **Chart** to the page.



3. Drop it in a yellow area.

The chart view is displayed. The heading of the vessel, the port (red) and starboard (green) door paths appear by default.



4. Click the arrow on the right side of the view to show the display options.



**Trouble:** If the view looks empty it might be because the view is not centered on the vessel. Open the setting menu and click **View > Center on Ownship** or **Center on Ownship and Trawl**.

#### **Bearing Angles**

#### **Procedure**

Scala2 displays the relative (R) bearing angles of the doors. Angles are relative to the stern of the vessel. Angles toward port side are negative and angles toward starboard side are positive. See **About Trawl Positioning (on page 14)** for drawings.

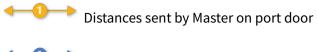
#### **Changing the Number of Trawls**

You need to remove specific clumps when reducing the number of trawls in water.

To have correct door spread values displayed on Scala2, you need to be careful when you reduce the number of trawls. Door sensors are configured to operate on specific locations on doors and clumps. If the composition of the trawl gear does not correspond to the configuration of the sensors, spread data will not be displayed.



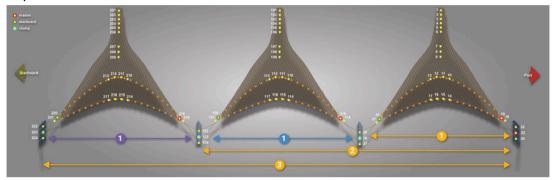
#### Triple trawl



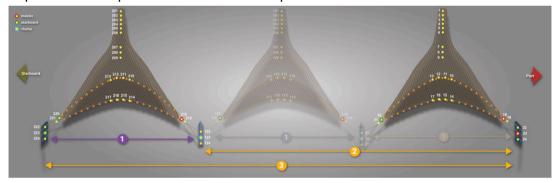
Distance sent by inner port clump

Distance sent by inner starboard clump

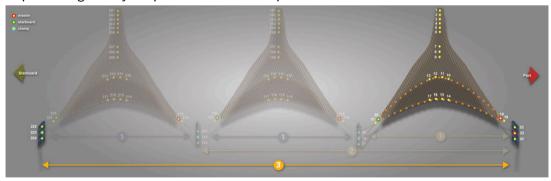
• Triple trawl:



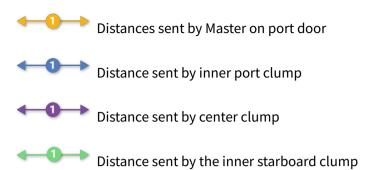
• Triple to twin: keep the inner starboard clump in water.



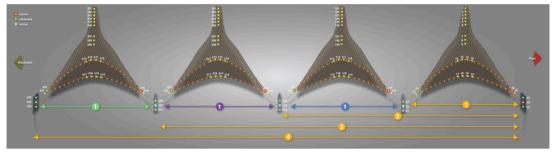
• Triple to single: only keep the starboard and port trawl doors in water.



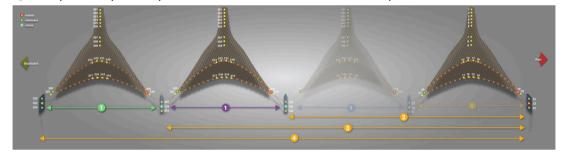
#### Quadruple trawl



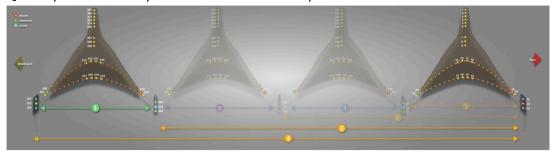
#### • Quadruple trawl:



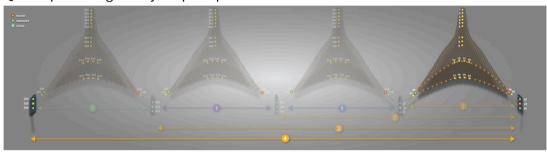
• Quadruple to triple: keep the center and inner starboard clump in water.



• Quadruple to twin: keep the inner starboard clump in water.

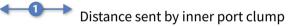


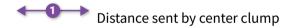
• Quadruple to single: only keep the port and starboard doors in water.

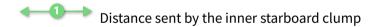


#### Penta trawl



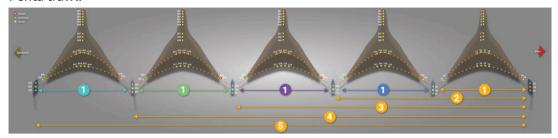




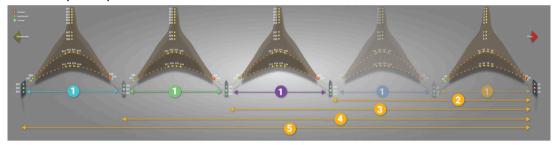




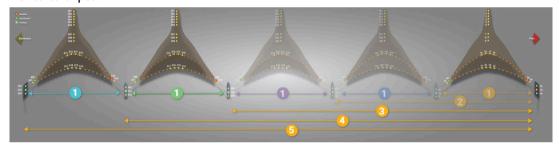
#### • Penta trawl:



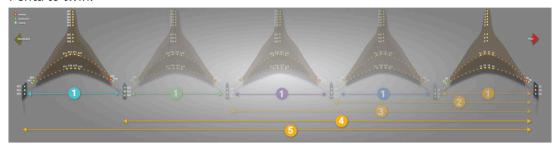
#### • Penta to quadruple:



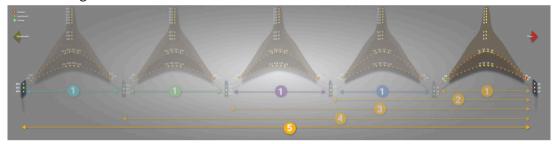
#### • Penta to triple:



• Penta to twin:



• Penta to single:



#### **Replaying Data Recorded on a Memory Card**

In Scala2, you can replay data that has been recorded in high definition on the sensor memory card.

#### **About this task**



**Note:** Data in high definition is available only when downloading it from the sensor memory (A2S files). Data received in Scala2 will have a lower definition (SDS files).

#### **Procedure**

- 1. Download from Mosa2 the files recorded on the sensor memory.
- 2. Right-click the timeline and click **Change Directory** to choose the source directory where the files are stored.

In the replay bar, the recording period of the files in high definition is displayed in green.



In the control panels, data that was received in live is displayed in the **Mx** panel and data recorded on the SD card is displayed in the **A2S Data** panel.



3. Go to the control panels, then click and drag data from the **A2S Data** panel to a page.

# Installation

# Installation

Learn how to install the sensor on the trawl gear.

### **Installation Principles**

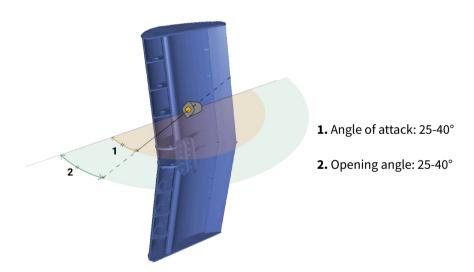
Door sensors need to be installed in pockets welded on trawl doors. Carefully read these installation principles before installing sensor pockets.



**Note:** For bottom trawling, install sensors on the lower part of doors.

#### **Angle of Attack**

The angle of attack is the angle of the door in relation to the towing direction. This angle is important for the efficiency of the doors. It varies between trawl door models, so refer to manufacturer to know the exact angle. The angle is usually from 25° to 40°.

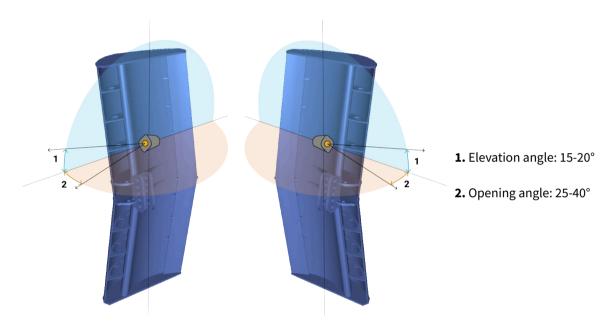


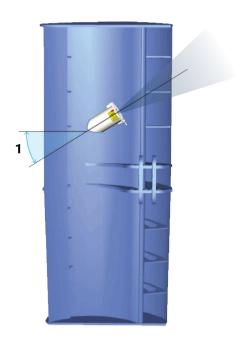
#### **Opening and Elevation Angles**

The opening and elevation angles depend on the pocket installation on the door.

The opening angle is the horizontal angle of the pocket in relation to the door. It should be between 25° and 40°. Opening angles should be in line with the angle of attack. You need to indicate the opening angle on Mosa2.

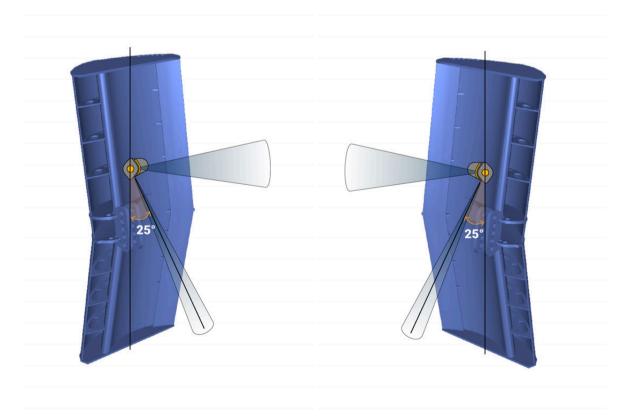
The elevation angle, or tilt angle, is the vertical angle of the pocket in relation to the door. It should be between 15° and 20°. The sensor must point toward the vessel: adjust the elevation angle based on the operational depth of the door during fishing operations.





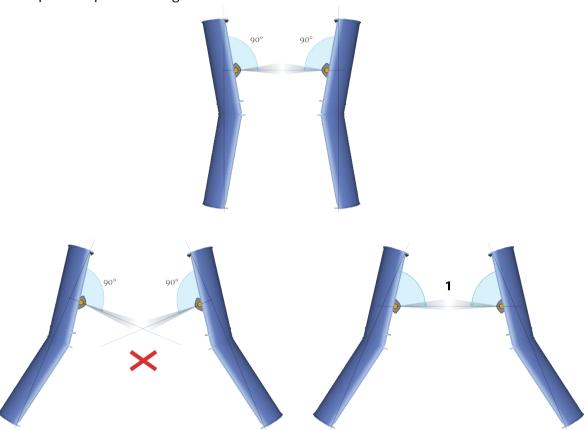
1. Elevation angle: 15-20°

The down sounder of the Door Explorer must have a roll angle of 25° in relation to the door. If not, the door will disturb the signal.



#### **Roll Angles**

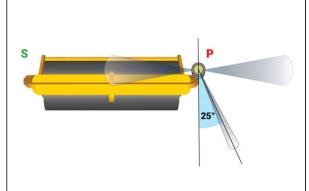
Roll angle of the sensors depends on the tilt of the doors when fishing. If doors are straight during fishing, you can apply a roll angle of 90°. If doors are tilted inward during fishing, slightly roll the pocket so that lines of communication between the sensors stay aligned. If not, you will have sporadic spread readings.



1. Adapt roll angles of pockets according to the tilt of the doors.

#### **Installing a Door Explorer on a Clump**

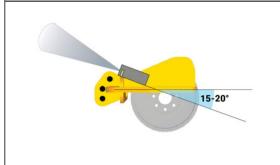
The sensor must be installed on the **port** side of the clump so that the clump does not block the down sounding.



The roll of the sensor must be 0°, so that the down sounding has an angle of 25° toward the port side.

This way, the down sounding will not be blocked by the clump.

Make sure the soundings toward port and starboard doors are not disturbed either.



The sensor must have an elevation angle between 15° and 20° in order to communicate with the vessel.

In the same way as for the doors, adjust the angle according to the depth of the clump during fishing operations.

## **Installing Sensor Pockets**

You need to install pockets on each trawl door to hold the door sensors.

#### Before you begin

• Read **Installation Principles (on page 89)** to become familiar with installation requirements.

See Pocket Drawings (on page 126) to know which installation you need.

#### **About this task**

- Important: Make sure you install the sensor pockets in accordance with the installation principles (on page 89): pockets are important for the correct functioning of the sensors. If they are misaligned or if the pocket hides the sensor signal, you will have issues receiving data.
- Important: We strongly recommend to have alignment bars inside the pockets to hold the sensor in the correct position.

- Important: Take care to gather as much information as possible from the trawl doors manufacturer before installation, such as the angle of attack and towing angle.
- Note: If your door model have the doors rigged "nose up" or "nose down", you need to change the angle of the door pockets so that the sensor always point toward the bottom of the ship when being towed.

Nose down (left) and nose up (right)



Note: If you use the sensors for bottom trawling, install pockets on the upper part of trawl doors. Make sure the pocket's position does not influence too much the center of gravity of the door. Refer to door manufacturer for details.

#### Procedure

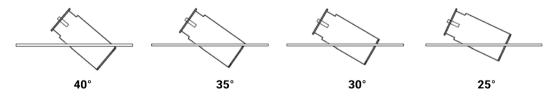
- 1. Use drawings of door pockets to mark the shape to be cut off: **Pocket Drawings (on page 126)**.
  - Note: Ask your local Marport sales office for scaled templates of door pockets.

2. Cut round openings in the doors.



3. Place the sensor pocket with the bottom portion sticking out of back side of the door.

Adjust accordingly to the elevation angle and angle of attack you need (see **Pocket Angle of Attack (on page 127)**). Picture below shows angles of attack seen from above the door.



- 4. You can trace a line with a marker around the pocket at the point it enters the door to remember the correct position.
- 5. Check if angles are correct:

- a. Weld only a few points on two sides of the pocket to hold it on the door.
- b. Slide the sensor inside the pocket.
- c. Open Mosa2 software.
- d. Activate and deactivate the water switch to connect the sensor to Mosa2 via a wireless signal.
- e. Go to **Measurements** page and click in **Motion**.
- f. Check on the bottom of the window that the pitch and roll of the door are close to 0 degree.
- g. If you do not have Mosa2 software, manually check the angles.
- 6. If values are not correct, move the pocket, then check again.
- 7. If values are correct, permanently weld the pocket to the door.

8. We recommend to use a protective cage made of metal bars around pockets to protect sensors, like the examples below.





**Note:** Make sure there is sufficient space between the protective cage and the sensor pocket, so that if the cage becomes bent, you can still remove the sensor.

# Maintenance & Troubleshooting

# **Maintenance and Troubleshooting**

Read this section for troubleshooting and maintenance information.



**Important:** Only an approved Marport dealer can access the internal unit. Warranty will become void if anyone other than an approved dealer tries to do internal maintenance duties on the product.

#### **Charging the Sensor with the Dock**

Connect a sensor to one of the 4 charging connectors of the Dock to display its level of charge.

#### Before you begin

• Make sure the Dock is connected to a power supply and turned on.

#### **About this task**



**Warning:** In case of water ingress in the product, do not charge it: battery may vent or rupture, causing product or physical damage.



**Note:** For Dock products with serial number before DOC2400000: Do not leave the sensors connected on a charger that is switched off. If the charger is not connected to the mains voltage, the sensor switches on and this will drain the battery.



**Note:** Avoid full discharges and charge the battery whenever possible, at any battery level. Lithium-ion batteries do not have a charge memory, so they do not need full discharge cycles.

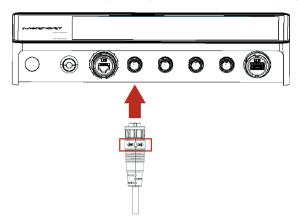
#### **Procedure**

1. Before charging the sensor: wash with fresh water and dry the sensor. This prevents corrosion of the charging pins.

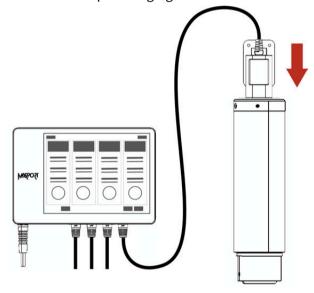


**Important:** Check that the charging pins are not damaged. If they are, contact your local Marport dealer for replacement.

2. Connect the charger plug to one of the 4 charging ports.



3. Connect the 3-pin charging connector to the sensor charging pins.



#### Results

The Dock screen and the Virtual Charger Room display the state of charge of the sensor.

# **Cleaning the Sensor**

You need to regularly clean the sensor for proper performance.

Wash the sensor with fresh water and dry it before you charge or store it.

Regularly check that the sensor is clean. If not:

- Wash away mud or debris with warm water.
- Use Isopropyl alcohol to clean the end cap and transducer. Use a steel wool pencil to clean the shoulder bolts, and very fine sandpaper (180 grit) to clean between them.
  - **Notice:** Do not use highly abrasive materials or jet wash.
  - Notice: Special care should be taken with sensors and components sensitive to mechanical shock or contamination.

#### **Maintenance Checklist**

We recommend you to follow this maintenance schedule for better performance and to avoid any trouble with the equipment.

	T
Before use	<ul> <li>Check that all attachment equipment are not worn or torn. Replace when appropriate.</li> <li>Check that the sensor is clean. See         Cleaning the Sensor (on page 100) for cleaning procedures.     </li> <li>Check the battery level 24 hours before use and recharge if necessary.</li> </ul>
After use	Wash the sensor with fresh water.
Between uses	When the sensor is not in use, store in a dry area, without humidity, at a temperature between -10° and 70 °C (14 to 158 °F).
Not used for more than 3 months	<ul> <li>Do not leave the batteries at full charge or discharged for a long period of time or they will wear out.</li> <li>Every 6 months, put the sensor in charge for less than an hour.</li> </ul>
Every 2 years	The sensor must be returned to an approved Marport dealer for inspection and maintenance.

If the sensor has not been not used for more than 3 months, we highly recommend to check the following points before using it:

- Make sure the sensors on the end cap are in good condition and clean.
- Connect the sensor to a charger and check the charging status.
- Switch on the sensor by activating the water-switch, then listen for a ping noise and check if you see the LED switched on.
- Test the sensor measures with Mosa2: depth, temperature, pitch, roll, and if applicable: spread distance, echogram, catch status, speed measures (using the EM log tester).
- If you have a test hydrophone, check the reception in the wheelhouse with Scala2.

#### **Troubleshooting**

Learn how to solve common problems.

#### Warning icon on the Dock charger plug

The sensor is not detected by the Dock and there is a warning icon on the Dock charger plug.



- → The shoulder bolts are dirty or damaged.
  - Clean them using a swab or Q-tip with Isopropyl alcohol.
  - Fully clean the surface from debris and inspect the surface for burrs or pitting.
  - If not taken care of, there is a risk of short circuit.
- → If you have inspected the shoulder bolts and the problem persists, it means water may have leaked into the sensor.
  - Connect the sensor to Mosa2 to check if there is a diagnostic alarm:
    - 1. Connect the sensor to a Dock charger plug or connect a Configuration Cable from the computer to the sensor, and open Mosa2.
    - 2. From Mosa2, go to the **Diagnostic** page and check the alarms.



- If there is an alarm or if the sensor is not detected by Mosa2, disconnect it from the Dock and do not charge it until it is inspected by a technician.
- Send the sensor back for servicing to a Marport office.
  - Important: Only Marport technicians can open the sensor to access the internal components.
  - A

**CAUTION:** In case of water ingress into the sensor, battery may vent or rupture, causing product or physical damage.

#### Mosa2 does not open due to error message

Mosa2 displays an error message saying it cannot be opened.

- → Your Mac security preferences do not allow you to open applications not downloaded from the App Store.
  - From the upper left corner of the screen, click Apple menu > System Preferences > Security & Privacy.
  - 2. Click the lock icon and enter the password, if applicable.
  - 3. At **Allow apps downloaded from**, select **Anywhere**, then close the dialog box.
  - 4. macOS Sierra or later: Anywhere option is not displayed by default. To display Anywhere:
    - a. Click the magnifying glass from the top right corner of your screen and type

      Terminal.
    - b. Click **Terminal** from the results.
    - c. Enter in the terminal: sudo spctl --master-disable.
    - d. Press Enter.

**Anywhere** option is now displayed in **Security & Privacy** preferences.

# Sensor does not connect correctly with Mosa2 when using the Configuration Cable

- **Remember:** If the sensor does not connect correctly with Mosa2, always:
  - Disconnect both USB connector and three-pin plug.
  - Connect again the Configuration Cable.
  - Make sure the three pins are fully inserted inside the sensor.



- → Mosa2 does not automatically open when connecting the Configuration Cable.
  - Check that you see Marport Captain icon in the desktop taskbar. If you do not see it: close, then open Mosa2. The icon should appear in the taskbar.
    - Note: Marport Captain is a program running in the background. It allows Mosa2 automatic opening and displays shortcuts to Mosa2 and Scala2 applications installed on the computer. It should not be closed.
  - If the problem persists, install Mosa2 again.
- → At the end of step 2 of the startup wizard, the sensor does not respond. Mosa2 displays a red cross and the Configuration Cable LED is red.
  - Check that no other instance of Mosa2 application is already running on the computer. If this is the case, close both applications, then open only one.
  - Or else, connect the sensor to a charger and wait until it is fully charged.
- → The sensor has been disconnected from Mosa2.
  - Check that the Configuration Cable is not connected to a USB hub. The Configuration Cable must be connected directly to the computer.
  - If the computer goes to sleep mode, the sensor may be disconnected. Change the settings on your computer to increase the time before sleep mode.
  - If the problem persists, connect the sensor to a charger and wait until it is fully charged. Then try again to connect.
- → Mosa2 displays a critical error message.
  - Disconnect both USB connector and three-pin plug. Then, connect again the Configuration Cable. If the message is still displayed, it means there is an issue with the sensor's components. Contact Marport support.

# The Dock screen does not display all the details of the Trident or Door Explorer sensor

When connecting a Trident or Door Explorer sensor to a Dock charger plug, the Dock screen displays only the level of charge of the sensor and the sensor cannot be configured on Mosa2.

→ The firmware version of the sensor is earlier than FIRM450-02.01.15.

Update the sensor firmware to an A2S firmware version **FIRM450-02.01.15 or above**, and bootloader version **FIRM445-02.00.06** or above, using the Configuration Cable connected to the computer.

See.

#### Chart and 3D Views Are Wrong

Tip: If the position of the trawl is wrong, open the control panels and click Reset Trawl

Position in Trawl Modeling data.



#### The trawl is placed incorrectly

- → The positioning settings may be incorrect.
  - 1. From Scala2, click **Menu** = > **Expert Mode**.
  - 2. Right-click the IP address of the receiver at the bottom of the page, then click **Configure Receiver**.
  - 3. From the left side of the screen where the system is displayed, click **Positioning**.

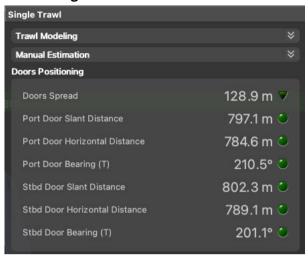


4. Check that the settings are correctly completed. See **Configuring the Positioning Settings (on page 50)** 

There is no trawl on Scala2, MaxSea or Olex

Trawl settings may be incorrect.

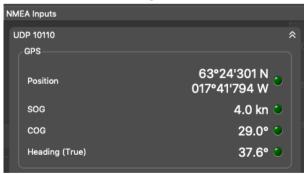
1. Open the control panels and check from the Trawl data that you see data in **Doors Positioning**.



- 2. Click Menu = > Settings > Trawl.
- 3. Check that **Headline (H)**, **Bridle (B)** and **Sweepline (S)** dimensions are completed according to your trawl model.

There is no trawl or vessel

- → You may have no GPS coordinates or heading data.
  - 1. Open the control panels, then go to **NMEA Inputs** and check that you receive GPS coordinates and heading data.



2. If not, check that you have correctly configured the NMEA input(s): **Adding Data from External Devices (on page 55)**.

The trawl seems shrunken

→ Bearing angles may be incorrect.

Check the baseline dimensions you entered in the **positioning settings (on page 50)** in the system web page (or Scala2 receiver page).

The vessel and trawl have erratic movements: they jump, zigzag, move forward and backward

→ You have two GPS inputs. Coordinates can be slightly different between the two GPS so the position of the trawl changes according to one or the other.

Open the control panels and check if you receive coordinates from two GPS in **NMEA Inputs**. If so, remove one of the devices.

Positioning on SeapiX: Port/starboard trawl doors are reversed

- → NMEA output sentence may be wrong.
  - 1. Go to **Settings > NMEA Outputs**.
  - 2. Click the edit icon in front of the corresponding NMEA output.
  - 3. Click **Data to Emit** tab, then check that **Emit trawl positioning sentence** is set to **Best sentence for Seapix (\$PTSAL)**.

In Scala2, Lost is displayed instead of spread distance

It is written **Lost** instead of spread distance data.



- → Trawl doors may not be aligned or may lay on their side.
  - 1. Check the pitch and roll.
  - 2. If needed, pull the warps to align the doors or set them back upright.
- → Master and Starboard sensors have been inverted on the doors. In that case, you will also have wrong pitch and roll values.
  - Open the pocket and check the top of the housing of the sensor: the one with a green
    marker must be on the starboard side and the one with a red marker on the port side.
    If there is no marker on the top, remove the sensor and check on the side if there is a
    marker. The side of the transducer with a circle must be oriented towards the outside.
- → If you used to have correct data and suddenly lost them, the up or down component in the transducer may be broken.

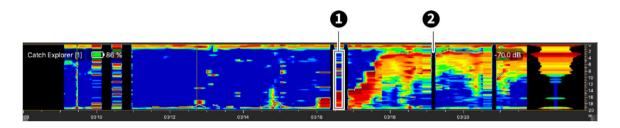


- 1. Remove sensors from the doors and check from the office if **Lost** is still displayed.
- 2. If yes, see with support service for repair.

#### The echogram display is interrupted

The echogram displayed in Scala2 has black gaps, as shown on the picture below.

There is a loss of communication between the sensor and the boat. If the acoustic signal from the sensor is not received, the last sonar data is repeated for a few seconds, then stopped. This will show black lines on the echogram.



1. Repeated sonar data / 2. Loss of reception

Do the following actions to diagnose the issue:

- 1. Check the frequencies of the other sensors and make sure there is enough distance between them.
- 2. Check the noise on the spectrum (see ). If the frequency where the sensor is placed is too noisy, change for a less noisy frequency.
  - Important: Do not forget to also change the frequency on the system web page in Scala2.
- 3. You can change the echogram filter settings on the system web page:
  - a. From Scala2, click **Menu =** > **Expert Mode** and enter the password copernic.
  - b. Right-click the IP address of the receiver at the bottom of the page, then click **Configure Receiver**.
  - c. From the left side of the page, click the name of the sensor.
  - d. From the sensor configuration page, click **Configure** next to **Filter**.
  - e. From NBTE Echograms Filter, select **Echosounder and Interference Reduction Medium** or **High**.

#### The sensor is not running when testing out of water

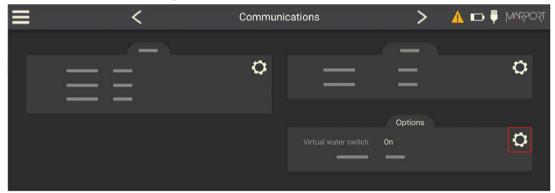
You activated the sensor water switch outside water or in a low level of water (for example for testing purpose) but it does not switch to running mode and does not emit any data.

The virtual water switch option may be activated in Mosa2. When this option is activated, the sensor runs only at a depth more than 2 meters. For more details, read **About the Virtual Water Switch Option (on page 27)**.

1. Connect the sensor to Mosa2 and check if there is an orange warning sign at the top of the window. If yes, it means the virtual water switch is on.



2. Go to **Communications** page, then in **Options**, click .



3. Deactivate the **Virtual water switch** option.



## **Support Contact**

You can contact your local dealer if you need maintenance on your Marport products. You can also ask us at the following contact details:

#### **FRANCE**

Marport France SAS 8, rue Maurice Le Léon 56100 Lorient, France supportfrance@marport.com

#### **NORWAY**

Marport Norge A/S Breivika Industrivei 69 6018 Ålesund, Norway supportnorge@marport.com

#### **SPAIN**

Marport Spain SRL Camino Chouzo 1 36208 Vigo (Pontevedra), Spain supportspain@marport.com

#### USA

Marport Americas Inc. 12123 Harbour Reach Drive, Suite 100 Mukilteo, WA 98275, USA supportusa@marport.com

#### **ICELAND**

Marport EHF
Tónahvarf 7
203 Kopavogur, Iceland
supporticeland@marport.com

#### **SOUTH AFRICA**

Marport South Africa Cape Town, Western Cape 11 Paarden Eiland Road Paarden Eiland, 7405 csanter@marport.com

#### **UNITED KINGDOM**

Marport UK Ltd
32 Wilson Street
Peterhead, AB42 1UD, United Kingdom
gyoungson@marport.com



# **Appendix**

## **Appendix**

## **Frequency Plan**

It is important to carefully plan the setup of your sensors before adding them to the system. You can create a table with a list of frequencies and complete it when you add sensors.

#### Frequencies and intervals

The diagrams below show the bandwidth of the different types of Marport sensors and intervals you must respect when adding other sensors.

PRP sensors (e.g. Catch sensor, Trawl Speed, Spread sensor...)

100 Hz
100 Hz
100 Hz

Example: If the frequency of the sensor is 40kHz, there should be no sensors between 39.9 and 40.1kHz.

FREQUENCY

Marport Pro sensors (e.g. Trident, Door Explorer,
Door Sensor Pro, all Navigator range except Catch)

200 Hz

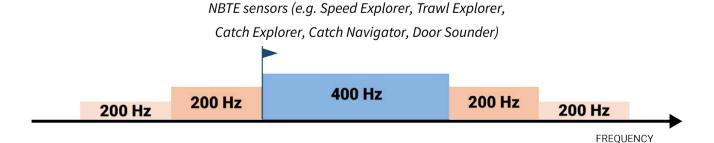
200 Hz

200 Hz

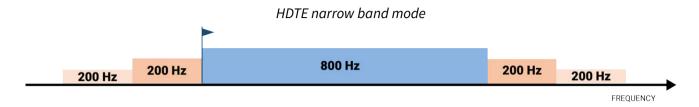
200 Hz

FREQUENCY

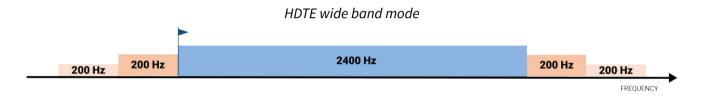
Example: If the frequency of the sensor is 40kHz, there should be no sensors between 39.8 and 41.2kHz.



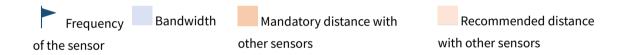
Example: If the frequency of the sensor is 40kHz, there should be no sensors between 39.8kHz and 40.6kHz.



Example: If the frequency of the sensor is 40kHz, there should be no sensors between 39.8kHz and 41kHz.



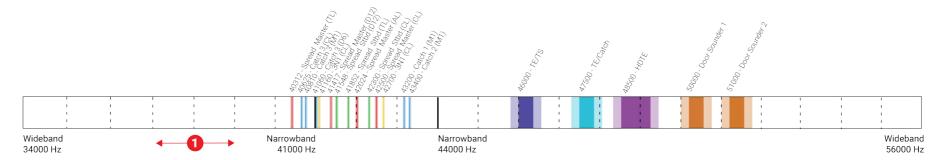
Example: If the frequency of the sensor is 40kHz, there should be no sensors between 39.8kHz and 42.6kHz.



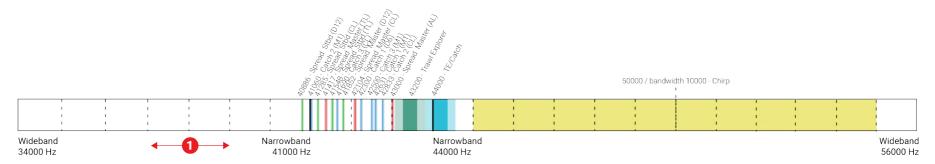
#### **Examples of frequency allocations**

- We recommend to allocate frequencies between 34 and 56 kHz for wideband hydrophones and between 41 kHz and 44 kHz for narrowband hydrophones.
- Echosounders are usually placed around 38 kHz, make sure to allow enough distance with them.

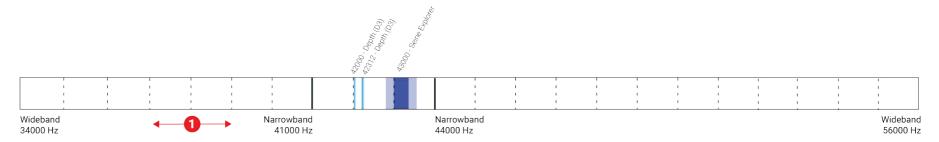
Example of a system with Spread, Catch, Trawl Speed sensors and Speed Explorer, Catch Explorer, HDTE and Door Sounder.



Example of a system with Spread sensors with positioning, Catch sensors, Trawl Explorer and Catch Explorer.



Example of a system for purse seining, with a Seine Explorer and depth Seine sensors.



- Bandwidth
- Mandatory distance with other sensors
- Avoid allocating frequencies between 37 and 39 kHz because this range is generally used by echosounders.

## Compatible NMEA Sentences from Winch Control Systems, GPS and Compass Devices

You can add to Scala2 measures coming from winch control systems that use the following NMEA sentences.

#### **NMEA 0183 Standard Sentences**

Symbol (\*) indicates which parts of the sentence Scala2 uses.

NMEA Sentence	Format	First compliant version of Scala
GGA - Global Positioning System Fix Data	\$  GGA, hhmmss.ss, aaaa.aa, b, cccc.cc, d, e, ff, g, g, h.h,  M, i.i, M, j.j, kkkk*hh <cr><lf>  1. \$: Talker identifier*  2. GGA: Sentence formatter*  3. hhmmss.ss: UTC of position*  4. aaaaa.aa, b: Latitude North/South (N/S)*  5. cccc.cc, d: Longitude East/West (E/W)*  6. e: GPS quality indicator  7. ff: Number of satellites in use (00-12)  8. g.g: Horizontal dilution of precision  9. h.h, M: Antenna altitude above/below mean sea level (geoid), meters*  10. i.i, M: Geoidal separation, meters  11. j.j: Age of differential GPS data  12. kkkk: Differential reference station ID  13. *hh: Checksum*</lf></cr>	1.0.0.0
GLL - Geographic Position - Latt/Long	\$GLL, aaaa.aa,L,bbbbb.bb,L,hhmmss.ss,C,d*hh <cr><lf>  1. \$: Talker identifier* 2. GLL: Sentence formatter* 3. aaaa.aa,L: Latitude North/South (N/S)* 4. bbbbb.bb,L: Longitude East/West (E/W)* 5. hhmmss.ss: UTC of position* 6. C: status (A: data valid / V: data not valid)*</lf></cr>	1.2.6.0

NMEA Sentence	Format	First compliant version of Scala
	7. d: Mode indicator	
	8. *hh: Checksum*	
	\$GNS,hhmmss.ss,aaa.aa,L,bbbbb.bb,L,cc,	
	dd,e.e,f.f,g.g,h.h,i.i,a*hh <cr><lf></lf></cr>	
	1. \$: Talker identifier*	
	2. GNS: Sentence formatter*	
	3. hhmmss.ss: UTC of position*	
	4. aaaa.aa,L: Latitude North/South (N/S)*	
	5. bbbbb.bb,L: Longitude East/West (E/W)*	
GNS - GNSS Fix Data	6. cc: Mode indicator	1.0.0.0
	7. dd: Total number of satellites in use (00-99)	
	8. e.e: Horizontal dilution of precision	
	9. f.f: Antenna altitude above/below mean sea	
	level (geoid), in meters*	
	10. g.g: Geoidal separation, meters	
	11. h.h: Age of differential data	
	12. i.i: Differential reference station ID	
	13. *hh: Checksum*	
	\$HDG,a.a,b.b,M,c.c,M*hh <cr><lf></lf></cr>	
HDG - Heading, Deviation & Variation	1. \$: Talker identifier*	
	2. HDG: Sentence formatter*	
	3. a.a: Sensor magnetic heading (degrees)*	
	4. b.b,M: Magnetic deviation (degrees), Easterly/	1.0.0.0
	Westerly (E/W)*	
	5. c.c,M: Magnetic variation (degrees), Easterly/	
	Westerly (E/W)*	
	6. *hh: Checksum*	
	\$HDT,a.a,T*hh <cr><lf></lf></cr>	
HDT - Heading, True	1. \$: Talker identifier*	1.0.0.0
	2. HDT: Sentence formatter*	

NMEA Sentence	Format	First compliant version of Scala
	3. a.a,T: Heading (degrees) True*	
	4. *hh: Checksum*	
RMC - Recommended		
Minimum Navigation	\$	
Information	RMC, aaaaaa, A, bbbb.bbb, B, ccccc.ccc, C, ddd.d, eee.e,	
	ffffff,ggg.g,G,H*hh <cr><lf></lf></cr>	
	1. \$: Talker identifier*	
	2. RMC: sentence formatter*	
	3. aaaaaa: Time (UTC)*	
	<ol> <li>A: Status, A = data valid, V = navigation receiver warning*</li> </ol>	
	5. bbbb.bbb, B: Latitude, N/S*	2220
	6. ccccc.ccc, C: Longitude, E/W*	2.2.2.0
	7. ddd.d: Speed over ground (knots)*	
	8. eee.e: Course Over Ground (degrees True)*	
	9. ffffff: Date: ddmmyy*	
	10. ggg.g, G: Magnetic variation (degrees E/W)*	
	11. H: mode indicator: A=Autonomous,	
	D=Differential, E=Estimated, M=Manual input,	
	S=Simulator, N=data not valid (sentence is not	
	accepted if mode indicator = N)*	
	12. *hh: Checksum*	
	\$VHW,a.a,T,b.b,M,c.c,N,d.d,K*hh <cr><lf></lf></cr>	
	1. \$: Talker identifier*	
	2. VHW: Sentence formatter*	
VHW - Water Speed	3. a.a,T: Heading, degrees True*	
and Heading	4. b.b,M: Heading, degrees Magnetic*	1.4.0.0
	5. c.c,N: Speed, knots*	
	6. d.d,K: Speed, km/hr	
	7. *hh: Checksum*	

\$VTG, a.a, T, b.b, M, c.c, N, d.d, K*hh <cr><lf>  1. \$: Talker identifier*  2. VTG: Sentence formatter*  3. a.a, T: Course over ground, degrees, True*  4. b.b, M: Course over ground, degrees, Magnetic  5. c.c, N: Speed over ground, knots*  6. d.d, K: Speed over ground, km/hr*</lf></cr>	NMEA Sentence	Format	First compliant version of Scala
7. *hh: Checksum*	Over Ground and	<ol> <li>\$: Talker identifier*</li> <li>VTG: Sentence formatter*</li> <li>a.a.,T: Course over ground, degrees, True*</li> <li>b.b,M: Course over ground, degrees, Magnetic</li> <li>c.c,N: Speed over ground, knots*</li> <li>d.d,K: Speed over ground, km/hr*</li> </ol>	1.3.3.0

## **Proprietary Sentences**

Symbol (\*) indicates which parts of the sentence Scala2 uses.

NMEA Sentence	Format	First compliant version of Scala
ATW - Naust Marine winch control system	\$NMATW, aaaaaa, bbbbbbb, cccccc, dddddd, eeeeee, fffffff, ggggg, hhhhhh, iiiii, jjjjj, kkkkk, lllll, mm:mm*hh <cr><lf>  1. \$NMATW: Talker identifier + sentence formatter*  2. aaaaaa: Winch starboard tension (kg)*  3. bbbbbb: Winch port tension (kg)*  4. cccccc: Winch middle tension (kg)*  5. dddddd: Winch starboard length (meter or feet)*  6. eeeeee: Winch port length (meter or feet)*  7. ffffff: Winch middle length (meter or feet)*  8. ggggg: RPM starboard  9. hhhhh: RPM port  10. iiiii: RPM middle  11. jjjjjj: Line speed starboard (meter or feet/min)  12. kkkkk: Line speed port (meter or feet/min)  13. lllll: Line speed middle (meter or feet/min)  14. mm:mm: Towing time (meter or feet/min)</lf></cr>	1.2.0.0

NMEA Sentence	Format	First compliant version of Scala
FEC - Furuno attitude message	<ol> <li>\$PFEC, GPatt, aaa.a, bb.b, cc.c, *hh<cr><lf></lf></cr></li> <li>\$PFEC: Talker identifier + sentence formatter*</li> <li>GPatt: Global positioning attitude, sentence formatter</li> <li>aaa.a: Heading true*</li> <li>bb.b: Pitch*</li> <li>cc.c: Roll*</li> <li>*hh: Checksum*</li> </ol>	1.0.5.0
KW - Karmoy Winch	\$KWIN,a,b.b,T,c.c,M,d.d,rpm*hh <cr><lf></lf></cr>	1.6.25.0
	<ol> <li>\$KWIN: Talker identifier + sentence formatter*</li> <li>a: Winch 0 = Stbd / Trawl 1 = Port Trawl Winch</li> <li>b.b, T: Tensions (tons)</li> <li>c.c, M: Length (meters)</li> <li>d.d, rpm: Speed (rpm)</li> </ol>	
MA DD - Marelec winch length and tension	# MA DD dd/mm/yy hh:mm:ss LB aaaam LS bbbbm LM  ccccm TB ddddK TS eeeeK TM ffffK gg <cr><lf>  1. # MA DD: talker identifier* 2. dd/mm/yy: date 3. hh:mm:ss: time 4. LB aaaam: Shooted length portside in meters* 5. LS bbbbm: Shooted length starboard in meters* 6. LM ccccm: Shooted length center in meters* 7. TB ddddK: Tension of portside in kg* 8. TS eeeeK: Tension of starboard in kg* 9. TM ffffK: Tension of center in kg* 10. gg: system in 00 = MANUAL (stop), 10 = auto shooting, 20 = auto fishing, 30 = auto hauling, 40 = slow tension alarm without propeller reduction, 41 = slow tension alarm with</lf></cr>	1.2.0.0

NMEA Sentence	Format	First compliant version of Scala
	propeller reduction, 50 = fast tension alarm without propeller reduction, 51 = fast tension alarm with propeller reduction*	
MPT TXOR - Marport, transducer orientation	\$PMPT,TXOR,aa.a,bb.b,cc.c,d*hh	2.0.0.0
	<ol> <li>\$PMPT: talker identifier + sentence formatter.</li> <li>TXOR: Transducer Orientation</li> <li>aa.a: pitch*</li> <li>bb.b: roll*</li> <li>cc.c: yaw*</li> </ol>	
	6. s: V = valid / N = not valid*	
NAV - Ifremer proprietary sentence	\$NANAV,04/ 09/yy,hhmmss.sss,NASYC,N,48,22.92315,W,004,28.909 D,00.0,WG84,04/09/13, 13:05:37.000, COU,346.08,-00.22,+00.13,+00.00, +00052.172,000,0000	1.0.0.0
IFM - Ifremer versatile sentence	<pre>\$PIFM, EU, MES, dd/mm/yy, hh: hh: ss.sss, TRFUN,  ±a, bb, ccccc, dddd, e.e, f, ggggg, hhhh, i.i, j, <cr><lf>  1. \$PIFM: Talker identifier + sentence formatter*  2. OCGYR: pitch, roll, heading  3. TRFUN: winch lengths (starboard, port) and winch tensions (starboard, port)</lf></cr></pre>	1.0.0.0
SYN - Winch Syncro 2020, winch length and tension	\$WMSYN,aaa.a,m,bbb.b,m,ccc.c,m,ddd.d,m,ee.e,t,ff t,gg.g,t,hh.h,t,0.5,r,0.7,r,1.6,s,2.0,s,0,0,1,0,0 45.5,c,33.0,p,32.8,p*31  1. \$WMSYN: Talker identifier + sentence formatter* 2. aaa.a: winch starboard length in meters* 3. bbb.b: winch inner starboard length in meters* 4. ccc.c: winch inner port length in meters* 5. ddd.d: winch port length in meters* 6. ee.e: winch starboard tension in tons*	

NMEA Sentence	Format	First compliant version of Scala
	7. ff.f: winch inner starboard tension in tons*	
	8. gg.g: winch inner port tension in tons*	
	9. hh.h: winch port tension in tons*	
	10. Other strings are not used.	
	<pre>\$WMSYN,aaa.a,c,bbb.b,c,ccc.c,c,dd.d,t,ee.e,t,ff.f</pre> t*hh <cr><lf></lf></cr>	
	<ol> <li>\$WMSYN: Talker identifier + sentence formatter*</li> <li>aaa.a,l: Starboard wire length (m=meter)*</li> <li>bbb.b,l: Mid wire length (m=meter)*</li> <li>ccc.c,l: port wire length (m=meter)*</li> <li>dd.d,t: Starboard wire tension, tons*</li> <li>ee.e,t: Mid wire tension, tons*</li> <li>ff.f,t: Port wire tension, tons*</li> </ol>	1.6.19.0
TAWWL - RappHydema, PTS Pentagon warp length	@TAWWL,a,M,b,M,c,M*hh <cr><lf> See below. M = meter</lf></cr>	1.4.4.0
	@TAWWL,x,y,z*hh <cr><lf></lf></cr>	1.6.19.0
TAWWT - RappHydema, PTS Pentagon warp tension	<pre>@TAWWT,a.a,T,b.b,T,c.c,T*hh<cr><lf></lf></cr></pre> See below. T = tons	1.4.4.0
	@TAWWT,a.a,b.b,c.c*hh <cr><lf>  1. @TAWWT: Talker identifier + sentence formatter*  2. a.a: Starboard winch tension*  3. b.b: Port winch tension*  4. c.c: Middle winch tension*</lf></cr>	1.6.19.0
WCT - Warp length and tension (Silecmar)	\$SIWCT, aaa, bbb, ccc, d.d, e.e, f.f*hh <cr><lf>  1. \$SIWCT: Talker identifier + sentence formatter*  2. aaa: Port winch cable, meters*  3. bbb: Starboard winch cable, meters*  4. ccc: Clump winch cable, meters*</lf></cr>	1.2.6.0

NMEA Sentence	Format	First compliant version of Scala
	5. d.d: Tension in the port winch, tons*	
	6. e.e: Tension in the starboard winch, tons*	
	7. f.f: Tension in the clump winch, tons*	
	8. *hh: Checksum*	
WIDA1 - Kongsberg warp		
length (single to triple trawls)	<pre>\$WIDA1,aa,bbbb,cc,0,dd,eeee,ff,1,g,h,i,2,k,1,m,3 *hh<cr><lf></lf></cr></pre>	
	1. \$WIDA1: Talker identifier + sentence formatter*	
	2. aa: port wire tension, tons*	
	3. bbbb: port wire out, meters*	
	4. cc: port wirespeed, m/min	
	5. 0: port*	
	6. dd: starboard wire tension, tons*	
	7. eeee: starboard wire out, meters*	
	8. ff: starboard wirespeed, m/min	2.2.2.0
	9. 1: starboard*	
	10. g: port mid wire tension, tons*	
	11. h: port mid wire out, meters*	
	12. i: port mid wirespeed, m/min	
	13. 2: port mid*	
	14. k: stb mid wire tension, tons*	
	15. l: stb mid wire out, meters*	
	16. m: stb mid wirespeed, m/min	
	17. 3: starboard mid*	
	18. *hh: Checksum*	
	\$SCWLP,a.a,M,b.b,M*hh <cr><lf></lf></cr>	
WLP - Scantrol	\$SCWLP: Talker identifier + sentence formatter*	
winch length (port)	2. a.a,M: paid out wire in meters*	1.0.6.0
	3. b.b,M: wirespeed in meters/sec., positive when	
	paying out wire	
	4. *hh: Checksum*	
WLS - Scantrol winch length (starboard)	\$SCWLS,a.a,M,b.b,M*hh <cr><lf></lf></cr>	1.0.6.0

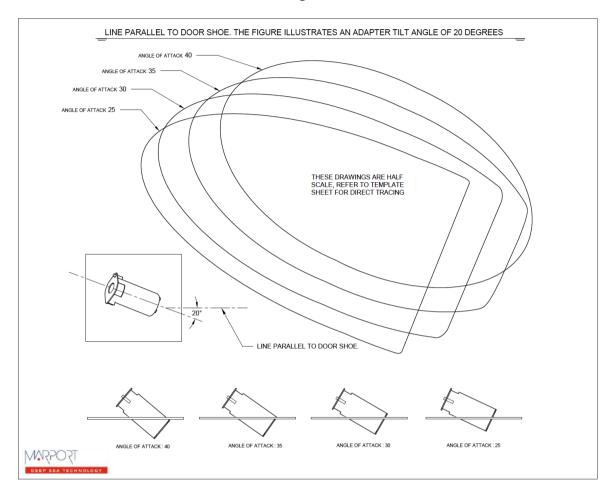
NMEA Sentence	Format	First compliant version of Scala
	<ol> <li>\$SCWLS: Talker identifier + sentence formatter*</li> <li>a.a,M: paid out wire in meters*</li> <li>b.b,M: wirespeed in meters/sec., positive when paying out wire</li> <li>*hh: Checksum*</li> </ol>	
WLC - Scantrol winch length (clump)	\$SCWLC,a.a,M,b.b,M*hh <cr><lf>  1. \$SCWLC: Talker identifier + sentence formatter*  2. a.a,M: paid out wire in meters*  3. b.b,M: wirespeed in meters/sec., positive when paying out wire  4. *hh: Checksum*</lf></cr>	1.0.6.0
WLD - Scantrol winch length (triple trawl - port clump)	\$SCWLD, a.a, T*hh <cr><lf>  1. \$SCWLD: Talker identifier + sentence formatter*  2. a.a,M: paid out wire in meters*  3. b.b,M: wirespeed in meters/sec., positive when paying out wire  4. *hh: Checksum*</lf></cr>	2.0.0.0
WLE - Scantrol winch length (quad trawl - center clump)	\$SCWLE, a.a, T*hh <cr><lf>  1. \$SCWLE: Talker identifier + sentence formatter*  2. a.a,M: paid out wire in meters*  3. b.b,M: wirespeed in meters/sec., positive when paying out wire  4. *hh: Checksum*</lf></cr>	2.0.0.0
WTP - Scantrol winch tension (port)	\$SCWTP, a.a, T*hh <cr><lf>  1. \$SCWTP: Talker identifier + sentence formatter*  2. a.a,T: tension in tons*  3. *hh: Checksum*</lf></cr>	1.0.6.0

NMEA Sentence	Format	First compliant version of Scala
WTS - Scantrol winch tension (starboard)	\$SCWTS, a.a, T*hh <cr><lf>  1. \$SCWTS: Talker identifier + sentence formatter*  2. a.a,T: tension in tons*  3. *hh: Checksum*</lf></cr>	1.0.6.0
WTC - Scantrol winch tension (clump)	\$SCWTC, a.a, T*hh <cr><lf>  1. \$SCWTC: Talker identifier + sentence formatter*  2. a.a,T: tension in tons*  3. *hh: Checksum*</lf></cr>	1.0.6.0
WTD - Scantrol winch tension (triple trawl - port clump)	\$SCWTD, a.a, T*hh <cr><lf>  1. \$SCWTD: Talker identifier + sentence formatter*  2. a.a,T: tension in tons*  3. *hh: Checksum*</lf></cr>	2.0.0.0
WTE - Scantrol winch tension (quad trawl - center clump)	\$SCWTD, a.a, T*hh <cr><lf>  1. \$SCWTD: Talker identifier + sentence formatter*  2. a.a,T: tension in tons*  3. *hh: Checksum*</lf></cr>	2.0.0.0

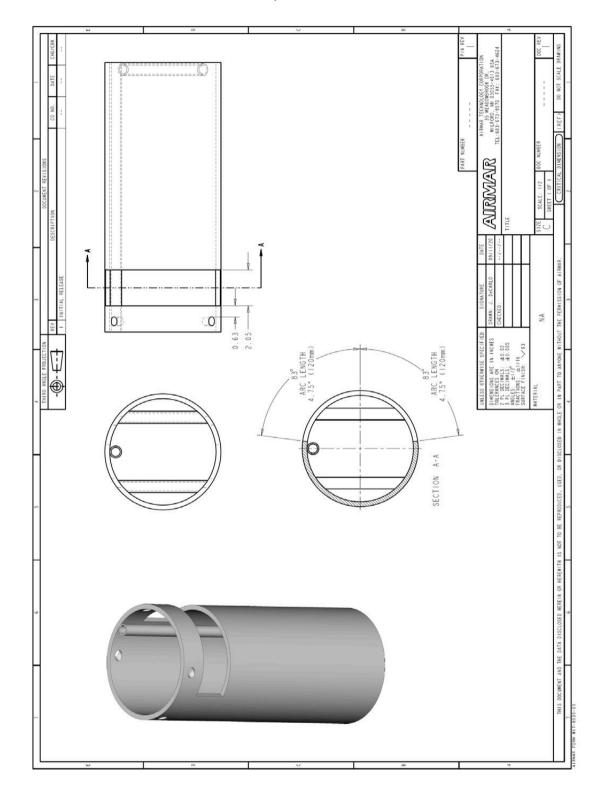
## **Pocket Drawings**

Drawings to manufacture door sensor pockets to be placed on trawl doors. Ask your local Marport Office for scaled templates.

## Pocket Angle of Attack



## Pocket for Door Explorer (XL-Pro) Sensors



## Index

Numerics	Communication
3D	Between trawls <b>10</b>
Clump <b>60</b>	Protocol <b>10</b>
Doors <b>60</b>	Compatibility <b>10</b>
Trawl <b>68, 72</b>	Configuration Cable 22
	Troubleshooting <b>103</b>
	Contact <b>111</b>
A	
Alarms	
Concept 27	D
Angle of attack <b>89</b>	Diagnostic <b>27</b>
8	Dimensions 15
	Dock
	Charging <b>99</b>
	Connecting to Mosa2 22
В	Door spread
Battery	Settings 28
Lifetime <b>25</b>	
Bearing <b>78</b>	
Boat code <b>113</b>	
	E
	Echo sounder <b>32</b>
	Echogram
С	Display <b>64</b>
Calibration	Distance to bottom <b>64</b>
Pitch and roll <b>34</b>	Elevation angle <b>89</b>
Channel code <b>113</b>	
Charging	
, See Dock	
Chart view	
Display <b>78</b>	Γ
Wrong <b>105</b>	
Cleaning <b>100</b>	

Cannot start 103	
Error message 103	
Opening <b>22</b>	
Mosa2 configuration	
Change <b>41</b>	
Delete <b>41</b>	
Export <b>43</b>	
•	
Save <b>41</b>	
Motion <b>34</b>	
_	
G	
N	
NMEA inputs	
Adding <b>55</b>	
Compatibility <b>117</b>	
2	
•	
Temperature 37	
Temperature 37	
	Error message 103 Opening 22 Mosa2 configuration Change 41 Delete 41 Export 43 Import 44 Save 41 Motion 34 MultiDepth Controls 69 Displaying 68 Settings 69 Multitrawl view Display options 72 Displaying 72 Examples 76 Trawl setup 72  N NMEA inputs Adding 55

Operational modes <b>18</b>	Sounding  Down <b>32</b> Frequency <b>32</b> Length <b>32</b> Range <b>32</b>
Pitch and roll Calibration 34 Incorrect 107 Pocket Drawings 126 Elevation angle 127	TVG <b>32</b> Up <b>32</b> Spread distances Lost <b>107</b>
Installation <b>93</b> Positioning About <b>14</b> Calculations <b>52</b> Data display <b>78</b> Receiver settings <b>50</b> Trawl settings <b>54</b>	T Technical specifications 15 Tilt angle 89 Trawl 3D 60 Modeling 54 Node 30 Settings 54 Setup 81
Receiver Adding to 47 Compatibility 47 Compatible firmware 47 Sensor settings 48 Replay A2S files 86	U Uplink Frequency 31 Power 31
SD card Downloading data 38 Recording 38 Time synchronization 38	V Virtual water switch 27, 109

### W

Warning 27
Warp length
Adding 55
NMEA sentences 117
Scantrol 58

#### X

XL bottle
Components 18
End cap 18
Housing 18