Cloud Height Detector (Ceiling) [Weather Station]



Attention:

The Cloud Height Detector is part of the Weather Station.

Summary

Based on the principle of LIDAR-measurements the ceilograph can detect cloud lower limits up to 15000m.

| Manufacturer | Vaisala |
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| Model | CL51 |
| Serial No. | F4060001 |
| Туре | meteorological package |
| REGISTRY-Link | REGISTRY (1409) |





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Position

| Info | xyz-position from Alignment Survey Report RV Polarstern (June 2016), located on top deck |
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| X | 61.871 m (X-0 is at the center of der rudder (ref. design drawing of the vessel), positive X-axis is forward and along vessel centerline) |
| Y | 8.916 m (Y-0 at centerline, positive Y-axis is portside) |
| Z | 29.206 m (Z-0 is set to the lowest point of the keel, positive Z-axis is upwards) |

Parameters

| Parameter | O2ARegistry Output Type | Unit |
|-----------|----------------------------|------|
| ceiling | distance | ft |

Documentation

• Ceilometer CL51 datasheet (Factsheet, 159 kB)