

# C3™ and C6P™ Submersible Fluorometers



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These Submersible Fluorometers can be configured with up to three or six optical sensors ranging from deep ultraviolet to the infrared spectrum. Internal memory storage capacity combined with an external submersible lithium ion battery allow the C3 or C6P to run during extended or short-term deployments. Each unit comes with a factory-installed temperature sensor. Factory-installed depth sensors and copper-armed mechanical wipers are also available. The durable delrin housing is highly resistant to harsh environments. Antifouling copper tape pieces are included for placement on the C3 optical head to reduce bio-fouling on and around the sensors. An antifouling copper plate is available as an option for both the C3 and C6P for longer deployments. The Integrator Firmware option is recommended when the C3 or C6P is used as part of a continuous sampling system that requires 24/7 streaming data collection. C-Soft Windows™ based software allows for intuitive calibration, datalogging set-up and file management capabilities as well as data integration.

## Customized Optical Sensors

Choose up to six optical sensors to be factory installed for a variety of applications.

### Available Optical Sensors

- Blue Green Algae
    - Phycoerythrin (marine)
    - Phycocyanin (freshwater)
  - CDOM/FDOM
  - Chlorophyll *in vivo*
    - Blue excitation
    - Red excitation
  - Fluorescent Dye Tracing
    - Fluorescein
    - PTSA
    - Rhodamine
  - Hydrocarbons
    - Crude Oil
    - Refined Fuels
  - Turbidity
  - Wastewater Monitoring
    - Optical Brighteners
    - Tryptophan
- Contact us for Custom Optics*

## Highlights of the C3 & C6P

- 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 or 6 Optical Sensors
- Temperature Sensor Included
- Optional Depth Sensor
- Optional 3-Brush Mechanical Wiper with Copper Arms **New**
- All Plastic Housing
- Robust Memory – Over 60,000 Data Lines!
- Easy to Use Software with Data Management Capabilities
- Optional C-ray Deployment Body Enables Horizontal Towing of the C3



Digital integration with a CTD profiler or third party platform  
(Analog adapter available for C3)



Extended Deployments in the Self-Contained Mode with Submersible Battery



Reduced Bio-Fouling with Antifouling Copper Tape or Copper Plate and Copper Wiper



Solid Secondary Standard used to check signal stability or correlate to a primary standard

**Reliable Instruments for an Unreliable World**

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Application	Minimum Detection Limit	Linear Range	Physical Specifications	
CDOM/FDOM	0.1 ppb* 0.5 ppb**	0-1,500 ppb* 0-3,000 ppb**	Weight in Air	1.64 kg; 3.6 lbs (C3) 2.54 kg; 5.6 lbs (C6P)
Chlorophyll <i>in vivo</i> Blue excitation Red excitation	0.03 µg/L 0.3 µg/L	0-500 µg/L 0-500 µg/L	Length	23 cm; 9.1 in (C3) 27.43 cm; 10.8 in (C6P)
Fluorescein Dye	0.01 ppb	0-500 ppb	Diameter	10 cm; 3.9 in (C3) 13.84 cm; 5.25in (C6P)
Oil - Crude	0.2 ppb**	0-1,500 ppb**	Material	Delrin Plastic
Oil - Fine	0.4 ppm***	0-20 ppm***	Temperature	-2 to 50 degrees C.
Optical Brighteners	0.6 ppb**	0-2,500 ppb**	Depth	0 to 600 meters
Phycocyanin	2 ppb <sup>PC</sup>	0-4,500 ppb <sup>PC</sup>	Electrical Specifications	
Phycocerythrin	0.1 ppb <sup>PE</sup>	0-750 ppb <sup>PE</sup>	Output	Digital (ASCII) Analog (0 - 5 volt)- optional C3 only
PTSA Dye	0.1 ppb**	0-650 ppb**	Interface	RS232 Interface
Rhodamine Dye	0.01 ppb	0-1,000 ppb	Minimum Sample Interval	1 Second
Tryptophan	3 ppb	0-5,000 ppb	Minimum Power Supply	8 - 30 volts; 5 watts
Turbidity	0.05 NTU	0-1,500 NTU	Maximum Current Draw @ 12 volts	- operational 200 mA (C3) / 300 mA (C6P) - sleep mode 3 mA

\* Quinine Sulfate  
 \*\* PTSA (1,3, 6, 8 - Pyrenetetrasulfonic Acid Tetrasodium Salt)  
 \*\*\* BTEX (Benzene, Toluene, Ethylbenzene, Xylenes)  
<sup>PC</sup> Phycocyanin pigment from Prozyme diluted in Deionized water  
<sup>PE</sup> Phycocerythrin pigment from Prozyme diluted in Deionized water

## Available Accessories

3-Brush Mechanical Wiper  
 Pressure Sensor  
 Antifouling Copper Tape (9) (C3 only)  
 Antifouling Copper Plate  
 Analog Output Adapter (C3 only)  
 Submersible Battery Pack  
 High Capacity Submersible Battery Pack  
 Battery Pack Bracket  
 Flow Cap  
 Shade Cap (Recommended for most deployments)  
 Shade Cap Weight  
 C-ray Towed Deployment Body (C3 only)  
 C-ray Shade Cap (C3 only)  
 Solid Secondary Standard  
 UV Solid Secondary Standard

0.6 Meter Pigtail Interface Cable  
 Communication & Integration Cable w/ Locking Sleeve  
 Digital Converter Kit\*  
 10 Meter Extender Cable  
 25 Meter Extender Cable\*  
 Integrator Firmware

\*Digital Converter Kit is required for cable lengths greater than 10 meters

## OIL SPILL RESPONSE FOR SMART PROTOCOL (C3)

SMART Firmware  
 C-ray Shade Cap  
 C-ray Deployment Body

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