

# Self-Aspirated Radiation Shield Model 8141

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#### **Overview**

The Self-Aspirated Radiation Shield is designed to house temperature and humidity sensors in an environment protected from the thermal effects of solar radiation and precipitation. This shield is typically used in applications where the AC power required by motor-aspirated radiation shields is not available.

#### **Models**

Three models are available to accommodate any one of several temperature and relative humidity sensors. A threaded hex plug adapter secures the sensor inside the shield, while providing easy access to the probe at time of calibration.

#### **Features**

The shield is constructed of 12 thermoplastic discs that block direct and reflected solar radiation from all angles, while permitting air flow past the sensor due to convection and wind. The disc material is specially formulated for high reflectivity and low thermal conductivity, and is resistant to ultraviolet light for improved weatherability.

### **Mounting**

The shield mounts to a vertical mast or tower leg with an outside diameter of 1-2 inches (25-50 mm). Mounting hardware and sensor hex plug adapter are included.

## **SPECIFICATIONS**

| Parameter                | Specification   |  |
|--------------------------|---|--|
| Capacity                 | One probe (humidity, temperature, or humidity/temperature combination)  |  |
| Radiation Error          | Dependent on solar radiation intensity and wind speed velocity  |  |
| At 1080 W/m <sup>2</sup> | 0.7° F (0.4° C) RMS @ 6.7 MPH (3 m/s)<br>1.3° F (0.7° C) RMS @ 4.5 MPH (2 m/s)<br>2.7° F (1.5° C) RMS @ 2.2 MPH (1 m/s) |  |
| Material                 | White thermoplastic, UV stabilized; gloss white painted aluminium mouting bracket with stainless steel U-bolt.          |  |
| Operating<br>Temp. Range | -58° to +122° F<br>(-50° to +50° C)   |  |
| Mounting                 | U-Bolt fitting 1-2" (25-50 mm) O.D. vertical pipe   |  |

## **ORDERING INFORMATION**

| Part Number | Description                        |  |
|-------------|------------------------------------|--|
| 8141-A      | SARS for 5120 & 5129 series probes |  |
| 8141-B      | SARS for 4470 & 4480 series probes |  |
| 8141-D      | SARS for 5190 series probes        |  |
| 8141-001    | User's Manual for 8141 series SARS |  |
| 81413       | Adapter Plug: 0-12 mm              |  |
| 81414       | Adapter Plud: 15 mm                |  |

## **DIMENSIONS & WEIGHTS**

| Unit Size           | 4.7" Diameter x 10.6" H<br>(12 x 27 cm)     |
|---------------------|---|
| Unit Weight         | 1.5 lb (0.7 kg)                             |
| Shipping Dimensions | 11.25" x 8" x 6"<br>(28.6 x 20.3 x 15.2 cm) |
| Shipping Weight     | 3 lb (1.4 lkg)                              |



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