

Technical Support Bulletin 2004-2

SBE 41CP Configuration

Alert Level: IMPORTANT

Software Version: All Instrument: McLane Moored Profiler (MMP) Subject: SBE 41CP Configuration

Summary: A feature of the Seabird SBE 41CP CTD allows the pressure and/or the sample number to be output to the serial I/O while profiling. This may be useful for a bench test, but it is undesirable during a deployment. The MMP software is not expecting the extra characters from the CTD serial I/O and will flag an unexpected response error. Suppressing the pressure and sample number output from the serial I/O while the CTD is profiling will not affect the data being collected by the CTD.

Technical Details: Any Seabird SBE 41CP CTD that is shipped from McLane Research Laboratories, Inc. will be properly configured prior to shipment. Execution of the following commands guarantee the correct configuration for a Seabird SBE 41CP CTD:

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Sensor Utilities: <1> CTD Communication <4> CTD Temperature Record <2> CTD Pressure <5> ACM Communication <3> CTD Average Pressure <6> ACM Tilt and Compass
System Evaluation: <7> Motor Operation <9> Independent Watchdog <8> Brake on. Change?
System Options Tests: <a> Acoustic Telemetry <f> Chl à Fluorometer <i> Inductive Telemetry <t> IR Turbidity <p> Acoustic Transponder</p></t></i></f>
Exit: <m> Main Menu</m>
Selection ? 1
Applying power and enabling COMMs to CTD ready.
Initializing TT8 communication channels TX channel open. RX channel open.
Hailing frequencies open. <ctrl>-<c> to terminate session.</c></ctrl>
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