

Marathon

MM, MR, FA, FR



High-Performance Pyrometers for Industrial Applications



Image below: Paper machine, UPM-Kymmene Papier GmbH & Co. KG Augsburg, Source: VDP



Marathon Series Highlights

- Broad temperature range from -40 to 3000 °C
- Superior optical resolution to 300:1
- Spot sizes down to 0.6 mm
- Fast response times down to 1 ms
- Easy adjustment with variable focus optics
- Through-the-lens sighting, optional with laser aiming or video function
- Video monitoring and image capture capability
- Compact, rugged housings with IP 65 (NEMA-4) rating
- Smart, two-way digital communications (RS485/232)
- Programmable relay output for control
- Simultaneous analogue and digital outputs



Marathon MM Series with Video Function: Temperature measurement range of -40 to 3000 °C, stainless steel housing, and high-resolution optics.

Marathon Series Pyrometers for Demanding Applications

High-performance Marathon Series pyrometers provide a complete solution for non-contact, real-time temperature monitoring within a temperature range of -40 to 3000°C. These include:

- One-Colour Pyrometers
- Ratio Pyrometers (Two-Colour Pyrometers)
- Fibre-Optic Pyrometers
- ThermoJacket and Accessories
- Configuration and Monitoring Software
- Field Calibration and Utilities Software

MR/FR Marathon Ratio Pyrometers provide fast, real-time monitoring for medium- and high-temperature applications. Ratio Pyrometers are used where the target is small, moving, or obstructed due to dust, smoke, and other particulates in the atmosphere.

FA/FR Marathon Fibre-Optic Pyrometers allow measurement of targets that would be otherwise inaccessible because of space constraints or harsh environments. Separated by a flexible fibre-optic cable, the optical head may be positioned near the target with the rugged electronics housing installed remotely in a convenient location.



Marathon MR Ratio Pyrometers

	Temperature Range*	Spectral Response	Opt. Resolution	Sighting	Model
One-Colour Pyrometer	-40 to 800 °C	8-14 µm	> 70:1	Trough-the-lens, Laser or Video	MMLT
One-Colour Pyrometer	250 to 2250 °C	5 µm	> 70:1	Trough-the-lens, Laser or Video	MMG5
One-Colour Pyrometer	250 to 1100 °C	3.9 µm	> 70:1	Trough-the-lens, Laser or Video	MMMT
One-Colour Pyrometer	300 to 2250 °C	1.6 µm	> 300:1	Trough-the-lens, Laser or Video	MM2M
One-Colour Pyrometer	450 to 3000 °C	1 µm	> 300:1	Trough-the-lens, Laser or Video	MM1M
Ratio Pyrometer	600 to 3000 °C	1 µm	> 130:1	Trough-the-lens	MR1
Fibre-Optic Pyrometer	475 to 3000 °C	1 µm	> 100:1	Laser**	FA1
Fibre-Optic Pyrometer	250 to 1700 °C	1.6 µm	> 100:1	Laser**	FA2
Fibre-Optic Pyrometer	750 to 1675 °C	1 µm	> 100:1	Laser**	FA1G
Fibre-Optic Ratio Pyrometer	500 to 2500 °C	1 µm	> 60:1	Laser**	FR1

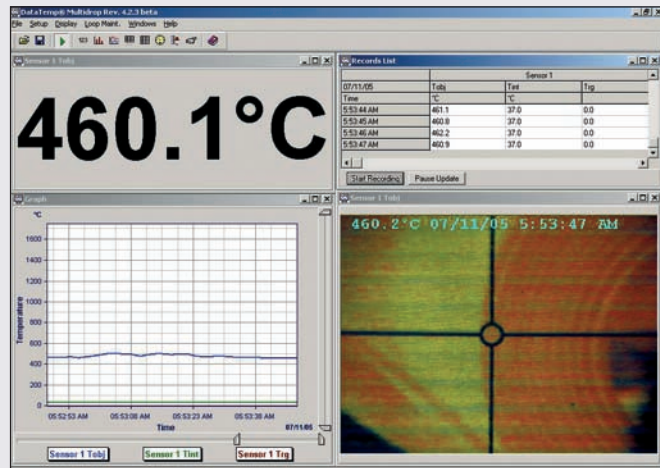
*Either one or up to three models cover the indicated temperature range

**Option

DataTemp Multidrop—Windows Software for Remote Sensor Configuration and Process Monitoring

Video Function

For greatly improved remote monitoring, the Marathon MM sensor series provides an optional built-in video camera. The video signal can be sent to a surveillance monitor or imported directly into DataTemp Multidrop Software on a PC. The software's video function includes automatic image capture, which visually documents exactly when temperatures fall outside of specified limits, and which products were affected.



Plot the temperature values of an MM sensor with a video image. High and low alarms are shown, making it easy to identify out-of-range conditions. DataTemp Multidrop software makes it easy to remotely configure smart MM sensors from the safety of the control room.

Easy Setup and Installation

Installation of Marathon Series pyrometers is easy with the built-in user interface that displays the target temperature and allows adjustment of sensor parameters. Through-the-lens sighting, video or laser aiming help pinpoint the measurement target, and variable-focus optics provide versatility for initial setup and continued operation. And Marathon DataTemp Multidrop Software makes it easy to configure or fine-tune your sensor or a network of sensors remotely.



Marathon FR and FA1G models are fibre optic sensors, whose measurement heads withstand ambient temperatures up to 315°C without cooling. Easy monitoring with the built-in display. Designed for networked installations (RS485).

ThermoJacket and Accessories



The ThermoJacket protective enclosure enables use in ambient temperatures up to 315°C.

Marathon sensors are supported by rugged accessories, like the ThermoJacket enclosure that provides environmental protection with integral water cooling and air purging. Marathon integrated sensors can be installed or removed while the ThermoJacket is in its mounted position. Additional accessories are available for customised installations.

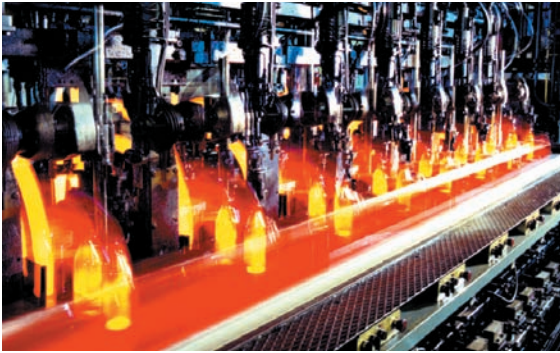
Optional furnace wall mounting systems allow fast, production-specified installation of the sensor heads. These accessories protect the mechanical components of the sensor and provide air purge to keep the optics free of moisture and dust.

Marathon Series Applications

The advanced electro-optical design of Marathon pyrometers ensures high accuracy in difficult applications. Proprietary electronics enable user-selectable response times down to 1 ms. This high speed is coupled with superior optical resolution for small or distant targets. Finally, the entire electro-optical system has been optimised to yield excellent performance over a wide measurement and ambient temperature range.

Applications:

- Metals processing
- Molten metal/forging
- Hot rolling mills
- Rod/wire mills
- Heat treating & annealing
- Induction heating
- Laser welding
- Lightbulb & halogen lamp production
- Paper production
- Thermoforming
- Glass melting
- Semiconductor furnaces
- Food industry
- Cement & lime kilns
- Refuse burning



From the molten state through to the cooling process, continuous temperature monitoring ensures that glass retains its properties as it travels through the manufacturing process.



Monitoring temperature of molten metal prior to and during pouring ensures correct metallurgical properties.



Monitoring edge temperature and drying uniformity results in higher yields and reduced downtime during paper production.



Accurately measuring temperature of slabs, billets, or blooms on a hot rolling mill ensures consistent product quality.

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