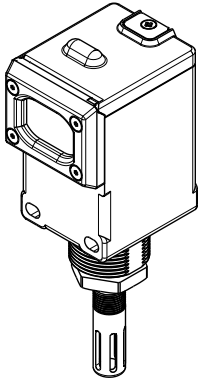


# Sure Cross® Wireless Q45THA All-in-One Temperature and Humidity Sensor Node



## Datasheet

Sure Cross® Wireless Q45 Sensors combine the best of Banner's flexible Q45 sensor family with its reliable, field-proven, Sure Cross wireless architecture to solve new classes of applications limited only by the user's imagination. Containing a variety of sensor models, a radio, and internal battery supply, this product line is truly plug and play.



The Wireless Q45THA All-in-One Temperature/Humidity Sensor Node combines a temperature and humidity probe with the reliable, field-proven, Sure Cross wireless architecture into one package, eliminating the need for ordering multiple components and reducing the physical size of the device. The industrial grade, battery-powered device can be used to wirelessly transmit temperature and humidity values to a wireless controller or Gateway for remote monitoring of critical systems.

### Benefits:

- Measures temperature and relative humidity
- Houses the sensor element in a robust case
- Adapter available for compressed air line temperature and humidity monitoring
- No additional sensor wiring
- Ideal for monitoring:
  - Refrigerators or chillers
  - Warehouses
  - Cleanrooms
  - Incubators
  - Storage rooms
  - Distribution Centers

## Quick Start Guide

Continue reading the datasheet for more detailed instructions.

1. Set the DIP switches.
2. Install the battery.  
The radio powers on automatically.
3. Bind the Q45THA to its Gateway (DXM Controller or DX80 Performance Gateway) and assign a node ID to the Q45THA.
4. Mount the Q45THA.
5. Collect the data with the DXM Controller or Gateway from Input 1 through 3 (relative humidity, temperature °C, and temperature °F, respectively).
6. Scale the data.  
The measured temperature = (Register Data ÷ 20). The relative humidity data does not require scaling.
7. Use the scaled data in the DXM Controller/Gateway to monitor the application, set triggers or alarms, and send data to PLC/HMI/Cloud platform for historical collection and visualization.

## Models

Model	Radio Frequency	Inputs
DX80N9Q45THA	900 MHz ISM Band	Temperature and relative humidity (%)
DX80N2Q45THA	2.4 GHz ISM Band	

To order an integrated battery model without the battery, add a **-NB** to the model number. If you purchase a model without the battery, Banner Engineering recommends battery model **BWA-BATT-006** or an equivalent AA size, 3.6 V lithium battery (ER14505).

## Overview

For the first five minutes after power is applied, the Node operates in fast sample mode, sampling and sending data every two seconds. After five minutes, the Node defaults to five-minute sample intervals.

To activate fast sample mode, single-click the binding button. The amber LED is ON solid during the fast sample mode.

To exit fast sample mode, click the binding button five times.

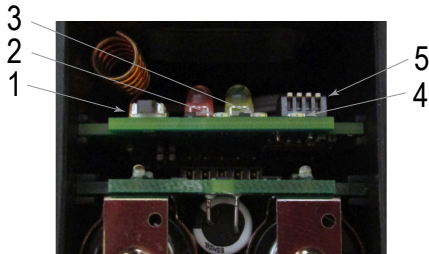


## Storage Mode

While in **storage mode**, the Q45THA's radio does not operate, to conserve the battery. To put any Q45THA into storage mode, press and hold the binding button for five seconds. The Q45THA is in storage mode when the LEDs stop blinking. To wake the device, press and hold the binding button (inside the housing on the radio board) for five seconds.

## Configuration Instructions

### Button and LEDs



- 1 Binding button
- 2 Red LED (flashing) indicates a radio link error with the Gateway.
- 3 Green LED (flashing) indicates a good radio link with the Gateway.
- 4 Amber LED is not used.
- 5 DIP switches

### DIP Switches

After making any changes to any DIP switch position, reboot the Q45 by triple-clicking the binding button, waiting a second, then double-clicking the binding button.

The DIP switches are in the OFF position, by default. To turn a DIP switch on, push the switch toward the battery pack. DIP switches one through four are numbered from left to right. The factory default sample and report rate is 5 minutes.

	DIP Switches							
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
900 MHz transmit power level: 1 Watt (30 dBm)	OFF *							
900 MHz transmit power level: 250 mW (24 dBm), DX80 compatibility mode	ON							
Reserved		OFF *						
Reserved			OFF *					
Reserved				OFF *				
Reserved					OFF *			
Modbus or software configured (overrides DIP switches)						OFF *	OFF *	OFF *
Sample/report rate of 15 minutes						OFF	OFF	ON
Sample/report rate of 5 minutes						OFF	ON	OFF
Sample/report rate of 64 seconds						OFF	ON	ON
Reserved						ON	OFF	OFF
Reserved						ON	OFF	ON
Reserved						ON	ON	OFF
Reserved						ON	ON	ON

Refer to the [Configuring for Sample on Demand](#) technical note for details on sampling on demand and using a host system.

### Transmit Power Levels

The 900 MHz radios transmit at 1 Watt (30 dBm) or 250 mW (24 dBm). The 250 mW mode reduces the radio's range but improves the battery life in short range applications. For 2.4 GHz models, this DIP switch is disabled. The transmit power for 2.4 GHz is fixed at about 65 mW EIRP (18 dBm).

### Sample and Report Rates

The sample interval, or rate, defines how often the Sure Cross device samples the input. For battery-powered applications, setting a slower rate extends the battery life.

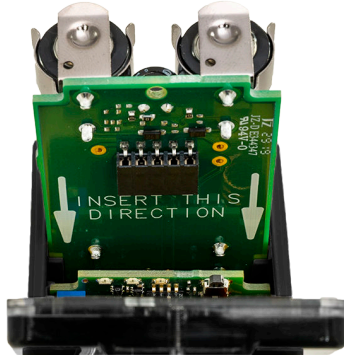
The report rate defines how often the Node communicates the I/O status to the Gateway. For *FlexPower*® applications, setting the report rate to a slower rate extends the battery life.

## Apply Power to the Q45

Follow these instructions to install or replace the lithium "AA" cell batteries.

As with all batteries, these are a fire, explosion, and severe burn hazard. Do not burn or expose them to high temperatures. Do not recharge, crush, disassemble, or expose the contents to water. Properly dispose of used batteries according to local regulations by taking it to a hazardous waste collection site, an e-waste disposal center, or other facility qualified to accept lithium batteries.

Figure 1. Q45 battery board



1. Loosen the clamp plate with a small Phillips screwdriver and lift the cover.
2. Slide the battery board out of the Q45 housing.
3. If applicable, remove the discharged batteries.
4. Install the new batteries. Use Banner's **BWA-BATT-006** replacement batteries or an equivalent 3.6 V AA lithium batteries, such as Xeno's XL-60F.
5. Verify the battery's positive and negative terminals align to the positive and negative terminals of the battery holder mounted within the case. Caution: There is a risk of explosion if the battery is replaced incorrectly.
6. Slide the board containing the new batteries back into the Q45 housing.
7. Close the cover and gently tighten the clamp plate with the small Phillips screwdriver.

## Bind to the Gateway and Assign the Node Address

Before beginning the binding procedure, apply power to all the devices. Separate the devices by two meters when running binding procedure. Put only one Gateway into binding at a time to prevent binding to the wrong Gateway.

1. On the Gateway: Enter binding mode.
  - For housed DX80 Gateways, triple-click button 2 on the Gateway. Both LEDs flash red.
  - For Gateway board modules, triple-click the button. The green and red LED flashes.
2. Assign the Q45THA a Node address using the Gateway's rotary dials. Use the left rotary dial for the left digit and the right rotary dial for the right digit. For example, to assign your Q45THA to Node 10, set the Gateway's left dial to 1 and the right dial to 0. Valid Node addresses are 01 through 47.



3. On the Q45: Loosen the clamp plate on the top of the Q45THA and lift the cover.
4. Enter binding mode on the Q45THA by triple-clicking the Q45THA's button. The red and green LEDs flash alternately and the sensor searches for a Gateway in binding mode. After the Q45THA is bound, the LEDs stay solid momentarily, then they flash together four times. The Q45THA exits binding mode.
5. Label the sensor with the Q45THA's Node address number for future reference.
6. Repeat steps 2 through 5 for as many Q45THAs as are needed for your network.
7. On the Gateway: After binding all Q45THAs, exit binding mode.
  - For housed DX80 Gateways, double-click button 2.
  - For board-level DX80 Gateways, double-click the button.

For Gateways with single-line LCDs: After binding your Q45THA to the Gateway, make note of the binding code displayed under the Gateway's \*DVCFG menu, XADR submenu on the LCD. Knowing the binding code prevents having to re-bind all Q45THAs if your Gateway is ever replaced.

## Bind a Q45 Node to a DXM and Assign the Node Address

These instructions apply to the Wireless DX80 Q45 and Q120PPB models.

Before beginning the binding procedure, apply power to all the devices. Separate the radios by two meters when running the binding procedure. Put only one DXM Gateway into binding mode at a time to prevent the Q45 from binding to the wrong Gateway.

1. On the DXM: Use the arrow keys to select the **ISM Radio** menu on the LCD and click **ENTER**.
2. Highlight the **Binding** menu and click **ENTER**.
3. Use the arrow keys to select the Node address to bind the Q45 to.
4. On the Q45: Loosen the clamp plate on the top of the Q45 and lift the cover.
5. Enter binding mode on the Q45 by triple-clicking the binding button. The red and green LEDs flash alternately and the sensor searches for a Gateway in binding mode. After the Q45 binds, the LEDs stay solid momentarily, then they flash together four times. The Q45 exits binding mode.
6. Label the sensor with the Q45's Node address number for future reference.

7. On the DXM: Click **BACK** to exit binding for that specific Node address.
8. Repeat steps 3 through 7 and change the Node address for as many Q45s as are needed for your network.
9. On the DXM: After you have finished forming your network, click **BACK** until you reach the main menu.

### Modbus Holding Registers

I/O #	Modbus Holding Register		I/O Type	I/O Range		Holding Register Representation	
	Gateway	Any Node		Min.	Max.	Min.	Max.
1	1	1 + (Node# × 16)	Relative Humidity (%RH)	0	100.00	0	10000
2	2	2 + (Node# × 16)	Temperature °C	-1638.3	1638.4	-32768	32767
3	3	3 + (Node# × 16)	Temperature °F	-1638.3	1638.4	-32768	32767
		...					
7	7	7 + (Node# × 16)	Reserved				
8	8	8 + (Node# × 16)	Device Message				
		...					
15	15	15 + (Node# × 16)	Control Message				
16	16	16 + (Node# × 16)	Reserved				

The measured temperature = (Modbus register value) ÷ 20.

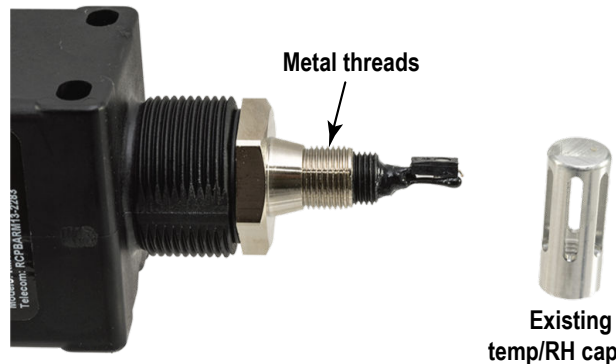
### Installing the BWA-FTH-001 Adapter

Use the **BWA-FTH-001** NPT adapter to monitor temperature and humidity across compressed air lines with the Q45THA All-in-One Temperature and Humidity Sensor Node. Do not use the adapter and probe assembly to monitor liquid temperature.



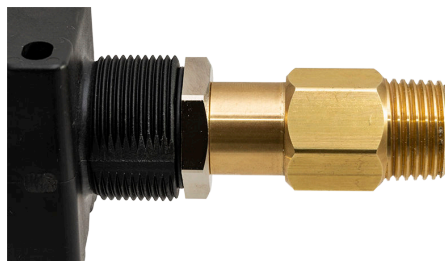
**Important:** Do not contaminate the black threads or any portion of the sensing devices to avoid damaging the probes and giving erroneous measurements. An airtight seal is required between the M12×1 connection of the Q45THA and the NPT adapter to ensure a proper temperature and humidity measurement.

Figure 2. Installing the BWA-FTH-001 adapter



1. Remove the existing temperature-humidity cap at the base of the Q45THA Sensor Node.
2. Apply thread sealant to the metal threaded portion of the temperature and humidity sensor. Banner recommends using a non-hardening, high-pressure-rated pipe thread sealant such as Rectorseal T PLUS 2 or an equivalent.
3. Carefully thread the BWA-FTH-001 adapter onto the Q45THA Sensor Node.

Figure 3. The BWA-FTH-001 adapter installed



## Accessories

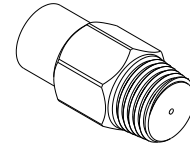
### BWA-BATT-006

- 3.6 V Lithium AA cell
- Two batteries



### BWA-FTH-001

- M12 × 1 mm female to 1/2-inch NPT male adapter
- Brass



## Temperature-Humidity Filter Caps

### FTH-FIL-001

- Aluminum grill filter cap (factory default, ships with the M12FT\*Q and Q45 All-in-One sensors)



### FTH-FIL-002

- Stainless steel, sintered to 10 micrometer porosity (for high dust environments.)



## Specifications

### Performance Radio with Internal Antenna Specifications

#### Radio Range<sup>1</sup>

900 MHz, 1 Watt (Internal antenna): Up to 3.2 km (2 miles) with line of sight  
 2.4 GHz, 65 mW (Internal antenna): Up to 1000 m (3280 ft) with line of sight

#### Antenna Minimum Separation Distance

900 MHz, 150 mW and 250 mW: 2 m (6 ft)  
 900 MHz, 1 Watt: 4.57 m (15 ft)  
 2.4 GHz, 65 mW: 0.3 m (1 ft)

#### Radio Transmit Power

900 MHz, 1 Watt: 30 dBm (1 W) conducted (up to 36 dBm EIRP)  
 2.4 GHz, 65 mW: 18 dBm (65 mW) conducted, less than or equal to 20 dBm (100 mW) EIRP

#### Spread Spectrum Technology

FHSS (Frequency Hopping Spread Spectrum)

#### 900 MHz Compliance (1 Watt)

FCC ID UE3RM1809: FCC Part 15, Subpart C, 15.247  
 IC: 7044A-RM1809  
 IFT: RCPBARM13-2283

#### 2.4 GHz Compliance

FCC ID UE300DX80-2400: FCC Part 15, Subpart C, 15.247  
 Radio Equipment Directive (RED) 2014/53/EU  
 IC: 7044A-DX8024

#### Link Timeout

Gateway: Configurable via User Configuration Software  
 Node: Defined by Gateway

### Wireless Q45THA Sensor Node Specifications

#### Temperature

Measuring Range: -40 °C to +85 °C (-40 °F to +185 °F)<sup>2</sup>  
 Resolution: 0.1 °C

#### Accuracy

-40 °C to 0 °C: ± 0.6 °C  
 0 °C to 60 °C: ± 0.4 °C  
 +60 °C to +85 °C: ± 1.2 °C

#### Humidity

Measuring Range: 0 to 100% relative humidity (RH)  
 Resolution: 0.1% relative humidity

#### Accuracy:

±2% at 25 °C  
 ±3% at 0 °C to 70 °C and 10-90% RH  
 ± 7% at 0 °C to 70 °C and 0-10 % or 90-100 % RH

#### Default Sensing Interval

5 minutes

#### Typical Battery Life

See chart

#### Indicators

Red and green LEDs (radio function)

#### Construction

Molded reinforced thermoplastic polyester housing, oring-sealed transparent Lexan® cover, molded acrylic lenses, and stainless steel hardware. Designed to withstand 1200 psi washdown.

#### Certifications



(NOM approval only applies to 900 MHz models)

<sup>1</sup> Range depends on the environment and decreases significantly without line of sight. Always verify your wireless network's range by performing a Site Survey.

<sup>2</sup> Operating the devices at the maximum operating conditions for extended periods can shorten the life of the device.

## Environmental Specifications

### Operating Conditions

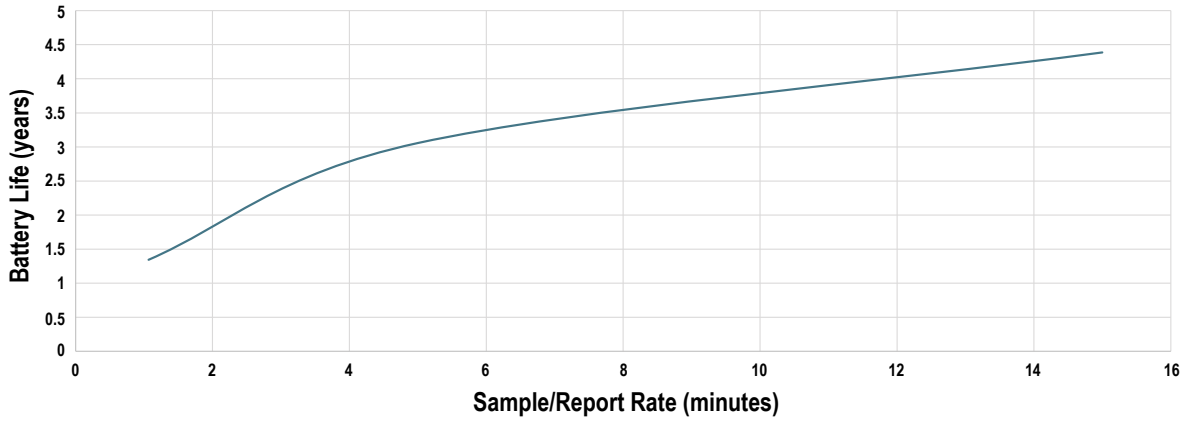
-40 °C to +70 °C (-40 °F to +158 °F); 90% at +50 °C maximum relative humidity (non-condensing)  
Radiated Immunity: 10 V/m (EN 61000-4-3)

### Environmental Rating

NEMA 6P, IEC IP67

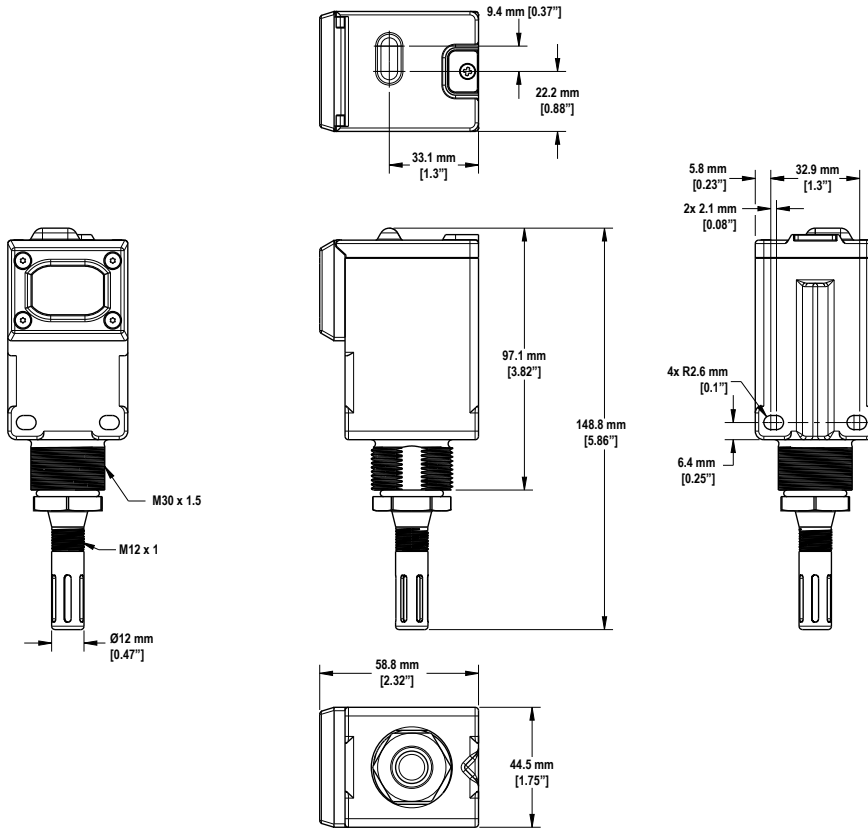
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## Battery Life



## Dimensions

All measurements are listed in millimeters, unless noted otherwise.



## Warnings

**Install and properly ground a qualified surge suppressor when installing a remote antenna system.** Remote antenna configurations installed without surge suppressors invalidate the manufacturer's warranty. Keep the ground wire as short as possible and make all ground connections to a single-point ground system to ensure no ground loops are created. No surge suppressor can absorb all lightning strikes; do not touch the Sure Cross® device or any equipment connected to the Sure Cross device during a thunderstorm.

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**Important:** Please download the complete Wireless Q45THA All-in-One Temperature/Humidity Sensor Node technical documentation, available in multiple languages, from [www.bannerengineering.com](http://www.bannerengineering.com) for details on the proper use, applications, Warnings, and installation instructions of this device.



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**WARNING:**

- **Do not use this device for personnel protection**
- Using this device for personnel protection could result in serious injury or death.
- This device does not include the self-checking redundant circuitry necessary to allow its use in personnel safety applications. A device failure or malfunction can cause either an energized (on) or de-energized (off) output condition.



**Important:**

- **Never operate a 1 Watt radio without connecting an antenna**
- Operating 1 Watt radios without an antenna connected will damage the radio circuitry.
- To avoid damaging the radio circuitry, never apply power to a Sure Cross® Performance or Sure Cross MultiHop (1 Watt) radio without an antenna connected.



**Important:**

- **Electrostatic discharge (ESD) sensitive device**
- ESD can damage the device. Damage from inappropriate handling is not covered by warranty.
- Use proper handling procedures to prevent ESD damage. Proper handling procedures include leaving devices in their anti-static packaging until ready for use; wearing anti-static wrist straps; and assembling units on a grounded, static-dissipative surface.

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Antenas SMA	Modelo	Antenas Tipo-N	Modelo
Antena, Omni 902-928 MHz, 2 dBd, junta de caucho, RP-SMA Macho	<b>BWA-902-C</b>	Antena, Omni 902-928 MHz, 6 dBd, fibra de vidrio, 1800mm, N Hembra	<b>BWA-906-A</b>
Antena, Omni 902-928 MHz, 5 dBd, junta de caucho, RP-SMA Macho	<b>BWA-905-C</b>	Antena, Yagi, 900 MHz, 10 dBd, N Hembra	<b>BWA-9Y10-A</b>

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