IkaScope WS200

Ultra portable, one channel, 30 MHz, wireless oscilloscope.

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IkaScope WS200 overview

IkaScope WS200 is an ultra portable oscilloscope probe. It weighs less than 60g and is designed to fit perfectly in your hand. With a Wifi connection to a smartphone, a tablet or a computer, signals can be displayed and measurements can be easily made.

Patented ProbeClick® technology transforms the probe tip into an intelligent part of the oscilloscope: The probe detects when pressure is applied or released, allowing measurement to be automatically started and stopped without the need of traditional RUN/STOP button.

Typical applications

IkaScope is designed to be mobile, hence applications that require quick, on-the-field measurements are a perfect match for this technology.

- Onsite maintenance and inspection
- Isolated measurements
- Design troubleshooting
- Education and research
- Manufacturing industry
- Aerospace industry
- Automotive industry

Product highlights

- 200 MSPS for a 30 MHz bandwidth and 4 Kpts memory.
- Works on Windows, Linux, MacOS, Android and iOS.
- 1 week battery life (20 measurements per day).
- Patented ProbeClick® technology
Main characteristics

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<td><strong>Sampling memory</strong></td>
<td>4 Kpts(^1)</td>
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<td><strong>Bandwidth (-3 dB)</strong></td>
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<td><strong>Waveform update rate</strong></td>
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<td><strong>Vertical resolution</strong></td>
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<td><strong>Maximum input voltage</strong></td>
<td>80 Vpp (±40V)</td>
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<td><strong>Offset range</strong></td>
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<td>≤ 1V/Div</td>
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<td><strong>Input to USB isolation(^2)</strong></td>
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<td><strong>Built-in battery</strong></td>
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<td><strong>Communication interface</strong></td>
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IkaScope WS200 Interfaces

1. Probe tip
2. Ground connection
3. Status LEDs and charging port
4. Battery status LED
5. Wifi status LED
6. USB (micro-B) charging port.

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\(^1\) Sampling memory is divided into 4x1Kpts burst buffers allowing minimum dead time between 4 consecutive triggers
\(^2\) According to measurements made on sample units taken from production batches.
\(^3\) Actual FPS (Frames Per Second) depend on Wifi network performance as well as display device performance.
**Principle of operation**

**How does it work?**

IkaScope can be seen as a wireless oscilloscope probe, that displays measured signals and is configured via remote screen (Tablet, smartphone or computer). Technically speaking, IkaScope WS200 integrates a full featured analog front end, a digital processing stage and a wifi module. First, measured signals are conditioned, then converted to digital values via a high speed 8-bits ADC. Finally, a digital processing stage streams the captured signal frames over a high speed wifi link.

**ProbeClick® technology**

IkaScope incorporates an intelligent probe tip (called ProbeClick®) that detects when pressure is applied. This allows important power saving since all power consuming circuitry is in stand-by when a measurement is not in progress. That same intelligent probe tip is used to turn ON IkaScope, which then turns OFF after 10 minutes of non activity. During that period IkaScope keeps wifi connexion active for optimal responsiveness when quick measurements need to be made.

**Connectivity options**

Since IkaScope is designed to be used in the office on the field, both Station and AP wifi modes are supported. In other words, IkaScope may as well connect to your office or home Wifi network (when configured to do so) or may create its own Wifi Access Point to which another display device may connect.

**Unpacking and first usage**

IkaScope relies on a free application for display, analysis and configuration. You should first start by downloading and installing it on your favorite platform. Check ikalogic.com website for latest download link or search “ikascope” in the application store of your mobile device.

**Turning ON IkaScope**

After unpacking a new IkaScope, turn it ON by pressing the probe tip on any rigid surface for more than 1 second. At the very first usage, IkaScope will not have any configured Wifi networks in its memory, so it will automatically switch to AP (access point) mode. When IkaScope is correctly turned ON and operating in AP mode, Wifi status LED should be blinking in white color.

⚠ In some situations, IkaScope battery may be fully discharged. If that’s the case, please connect your IkaScope to a USB port with the provided cable to recharge it. Refer to the LEDs Behavior section to ensure the battery is being correctly charged. You may continue using IkaScope while it is charging.

**First connection**

At this stage, you should configure your display device (Smartphone, tablet or computer) to connect to the Wifi network created by IkaScope. This network’s SSID will start with “IKASCOPE” and will end with the serial number of your IkaScope device.
When your display device is connected to IkaScope’s wifi network, you may launch IkaScope application and follow further instructions to display measured signals.

**AP vs Station connection**

Although IkaScope can be used in AP mode with its full performance, we recommend configuring IkaScope to connect to existing wifi networks. This way, it won’t be necessary to change wifi settings of the display device for each and every usage.

**LEDs behavior**

There are 2 LEDs on the back of IkaScope probe. Refer to “IkaScope WS200 interfaces” chapter for more info about those LEDs.

**Battery status LED**

Normally, battery status LED is turned off. If the battery is empty (less than 20% capacity) it will blink in orange color. When you plug in a USB charger, it will either glow in orange to indicate that charging is in progress, or glow in green that charging is complete (battery is recharged to 100%).

**Wifi Status LED**

Wifi status led can show two colors: Blue or White, depending on the Wifi operating mode. White means AP mode (Access point, i.e., IkaScope created it own access point), while blue color means station mode.

If the LED is blinking it means no connection is made yet, when the LED is fixed, it means that a connexion was established. By connection here, we mean a “network connection”.

**Software quick start guide**

Software follows a very similar user interface on all platforms composed of the following sections

1. IkaScope general menu that gives you access to connection options (mainly to connect the application to a specific IkaScope WS200 device)
2. Menus for Measurements, cursors, trigger and annotations.
3. Autoset button
4. History feature, to restore previously measured signals.
5. Status and tips bar: Important information and hits are shown here.
7. Time/voltage gain and offset configuration.
8. Device status.

For detailed software manual, please check [www.ikalogic.com](http://www.ikalogic.com).

**Measuring your first signal**

When IkaScope and the companion application are connected to the same network (either in AP or Station modes), you can start making measurements.
When both IkaScope and the application are correctly connected, the connection icon should be green as in the following screenshot.

Note: *IkaScope device must be turned ON to be connected to a network. If all LEDs are switched OFF, please turn ON IkaScope by pressing on the probe tip for 1 second.*

Finally, press IkaScope probe tip on the pad where an electric signal needs to be measured. You should hear a “click” sound, and feel a vibration in the device: This means that data is being streamed to the application. Keep the pressure on the tip until you see signals appearing in the application (This can take between 100 and 800 milliseconds).

**Mechanical data**

Weight: 60 gm (2.12 ounces)  
Dimensions:

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**Safety information**

Keep away from children’s sight. Do not expose to water, heat or moisture. Do not point probe tip toward body parts. Use only to measure electrical signals within ±40 Volts range. Do not use in a system in which the failure of the product might result in personal injury. Only recharge from a USB port. Please read/refer to the knowledge base section on ikalogic.com for more information.

**Certifications and regulations**

IkaScope WS200 complies with the following regulations  
- FCC  
- CE  
- ROHS  
- REACH  
- WEEE  

IkaScope contains a lithium battery. Both the product and the battery were tested according to:  
- PI965 AIR  
- PI965 SEA  
- PI967 AIR  
- PI967 SEA  
- UN38.3  

IkaScope contains a Wifi module that complies with following regulations  
- CE  
- FCC  
- GITEKI  
- KCC  

All test certificates can be provided upon request.
What’s in the box

IkaScope WS200 is shipped with the following accessories:

- Ground connection probe.
- Protective cap.
- USB charging cable.
- Quick start guide.

Software technical requirements

Download the IkaScope app on [www.ikalogic.com](http://www.ikalogic.com) so you can use your device on your favorite platform.

Technical requirements:

Desktop

- Windows 7/8/10 with OpenGL 2.0 or later (OpenGL ES excluded)
- Mac OS 10.9 with OpenGL 2.0 or later (OpenGL ES excluded)
- Ubuntu 14.04 with OpenGL 2.0 or later (OpenGL ES excluded)

Tablet/Smartphone

- Android 5.0 or later
- iOS 8 or later

Ordering information

For ordering information, please check for nearest distributor on [www.ikalogic.com](http://www.ikalogic.com) or contact us for any inquiry at [contact@ikalogic.com](mailto:contact@ikalogic.com).
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