

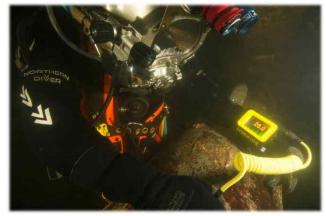
# **CYGNUS DIVE Mk2 Ultrasonic Thickness Gauge**

Measures metal thickness to determine wastage or corrosion accurately, quickly and without removing protective coatings.



# Manufactured in the UK, Cygnus DIVE is designed for the professional diver.

The Cygnus DIVE is a wrist-mountable, simple to operate, robust underwater ultrasonic thickness gauge which provides an invaluable free hand while performing remaining metal thickness measurements. The Cygnus pioneered Multiple Echo technique is the heart of the electronics and ensures protective coatings up to 20 mm thick are completely ignored, there is no need to remove protective coatings. Additionally, all measurements are automatically checked and verified by the multiple echo technique electronics.



The large, bright colour AMOLED display is easily viewable by both the diver and his camera even in the poorest visibility and the operation of the gauge couldn't be simpler, only two buttons for easy navigation of the intuitive, clear menus.

The completely new feature of the DIVE MK 2 is the added flexibility of Single Echo mode where Twin Crystal probes can be used. This feature is useful for some specific situations including on; uncoated surfaces that have extreme front face and back wall corrosion, anchor chain links and highly attenuative materials such as cast iron.

## **Key Features**

- Wrist-mountable giving the diver a free hand
- Large, bright colour AMOLED display, highly viewable by diver and camera in poor visibility
- A-Scan display to assist with measurement verification
- Auto-Log Data Logging option, no log button to press stores up to 5,000 measurements with A-Scans
- Multiple Echo means no need to remove protective coatings up to 20 mm thick
- Error-checked Multiple Echo measurements to ensure genuine, verified measurements are displayed
- Deep Coat mode to measure through coatings up to 20 mm thick
- Single Echo mode with Twin Crystal probes
- Probes are connected to the DIVE with a coiled double jacket cable which will extend up to 1 metre
- Pressure tested to 300 metres
- Rechargeable Lithium-Ion battery giving up to 11 hours continuous operation.

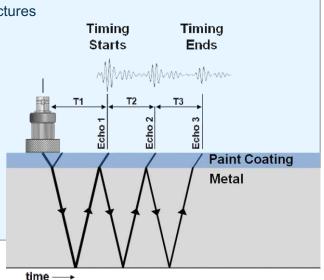




# **Benefits of Cygnus Multiple Echo**

- Measures remaining metal thickness of corroded and coated structures
- All measurements are error checked using 3 return echoes to give repeatable, reliable results
- Accepted by all major classification societies
- Greatly reduces inspection time and costs
- Echo strength indicator to aid measurement.

With Multiple Echo, readings are taken by measuring the time delay between any three consecutive backwall echos. The time of T1 (coating thickness) is ignored. The times of T2 and T3 are equal to the time that it takes to travel through the metal. Only by looking at three echoes can the measurements be automatically verified (where T2 = T3).



### **Options and Accessories**

#### **Data Logging**

Adds data logging capability to the gauge. Supplied with CygLink v4 software for data transfer. Measurements can be recorded in either a linear or grid format.

#### CygLink v4 Software

CygLink v4 is a Windows® application and has two functions:

- It is used to transfer information from a data logging gauge to a computer. This can then be used to create reports, analysed, stored and exported.
- As part of the CygLink Surface Display and Control Kit it can be used to provide a top side view of the survey. An
  umbilical cable is required to connect the gauge to the computer. This also allows the gauge set-up to be controlled
  from the surface, including logging readings during the survey.

Information displayed by CygLink includes; measurements, A-Scans, battery level, velocity of sound, measurement units, Deep Coat status and operating mode.



Once the survey results are in CygLink there is a range of different ways to view the data. This includes; linear, grid, colour 2D and 3D representations. The data can be exported to a spreadsheet program e.g. Excel.

The Ghost Overlay offers the option to pause an A-Scan that can be used as a reference trace.

Measurements can be made on an A-Scan using two cursors.

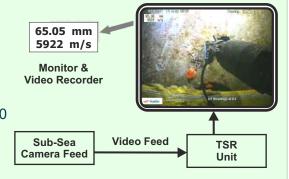
#### **Topside Repeater Remote Display Kit**

The Cygnus Top Side Repeater is a remote display unit connected to the DIVE gauge with an umbilical cable. It displays the thickness measurements at the surface in real-time during the survey.

#### **Topside Repeater with Video Overlay**

The Top Side Repeater can also overlay the real-time thickness measurement on to a composite video signal, displaying it on the monitor screen / video recording of the survey.

Umbilical cables can be supplied made to custom lengths up to 500 metres





#### HelmetView™ Display

Remote display with fixing bracket for Kirby Morgan® helmets with an accessory mounting point.

#### **Standard Kit Content**

- Cygnus DIVE gauge
- 2 rechargeable batteries
- Fast charger
- Multiple Echo (through coating) probe (2.25 MHz 13mm)
- User manual
- Spare membranes
- Membrane key
- Test block
- Surface and membrane couplant.



# **Technical Specifications**

**Display** 2.8" quarter VGA colour AMOLED (320 x 240 pixels)

Large clear thickness measurement (15 mm high numbers), viewable from all angles

A-Scan display with automatic X axis

Battery level, signal strength, probe type, velocity

Measurement mode and units indication

**Battery** Single 3.6V Li-ion 8.2 W battery

11 hours continuous measurement Low battery warning 'alert' message

Measurement

Modes

Multiple Echo (three back-wall echoes) using Single Crystal (zero-degree) probes - automatically

ignores surface coatings and measures only metal thickness Single Echo (first back-wall echo) using Twin Crystal probes

**Deep Coat** In Multiple Echo mode, allows measurement to be made through thicker coatings of

suitable materials (>20 mm)

**Probes** Single Crystal probes:

2.25 MHz 13 mm (standard) S2C

2.25 MHz 19 mm S2D 3.5 MHz 13 mm S3C 5.0 MHz 6 mm S5C

Twin Crystal probes:

2.0 MHz 13 mm x 2 (for cast irons etc.) T2C

5.0 MHz 8 mm x 2 (standard) T5B

**Probe Cables** Double outer jacket in tough PU. Coloured yellow for easy locations underwater.

Coiled for ease of use. Fischer S105 series connectors.

Measurement

Multiple Echo (through coatings) with Single Crystal probes: Ranges

2.25 MHz = 3.0 to 250 mm3.5 MHz = 2.0 to 150 mm5.0 MHz = 1.0 to 50 mm

Single Echo with Twin Crystal probes: 5.0 MHz = 1.5 to 50 mm (in steel)2.0 MHz = 2.5 to 150 mm (in steel)

Measurement Resolution

Multiple Echo with Single Crystal probes - 0.1 mm or 0.05 mm Single Echo with Twin Crystal probes - 0.1 mm or 0.01 mm

**Measurement Units** mm or inches

**Probe Zero** Fully automatic probe zeroing for all probes types

V-Path Correction Automatic V-Path correction for all Twin Crystal probes

**Velocity Range** 2000 to 9000 m/s in 1 m/s setps

**Pulser** Twin channel 70 V spike pulser

Receiver / 10 MHz bandwidth, 120 dB range, automatic TCG

**Amplifier** 60 MHz measurement time-base

**Data Logging** One-handed automatic logging of stable measurements.

Capacity for up to 5000 points including 640 point A-Scan data.

**Data Output** RS-485 single pair, half duplex for surface connection

Computer CygLink v4 allows remote logging and viewing of A-Scan graphs.

**Software** Survey and report generation to PDF file. Graphic analysis of data and statistical calculations.

Designed for Windows 7 and Windows 8.

