



- Number of samples: 48 with 500 ml sample bags.
- Power: 24 user replaceable "D" cell alkaline batteries.
- Patented multi-port valve isolates each sample.
- Optional programmable biofouling pre- and post- acid flushes clean intake.
- Sample collection with or without pre-filters.
- For more information about this sampler, see the <u>RAS</u> pages at mclanelabs.com.

# Remote Access Sampler - 500 ml

### Application:

The Remote Access Sampler (RAS-500) is a deep ocean or coastal time-series water sampler that autonomously collects pure, unbiased specimens using a user-defined sample schedule. The RAS-500 collects ambient water and suspended material in individual clear or opaque sample bags for biological, dissolved major and minor nutrient, dissolved trace metal, or dissolved organic carbon analysis.

#### Features:

Sample bags are available with Jaco fittings. Water flows directly to sample bags without passing through the pump. Non-volatile memory stores critical deployment data.

#### Sample schedule options:

User-defined schedule controls sampling event time limits, data collection periods, flow and volume of collected samples. Programmable controls also define volume and frequency of optional acid flushes and rinsing cycles.

#### Customized hardware and software:

Customization includes optional in-line prefilters on each sample. An optional external temperature sensor is also available.

#### **Deployment:**

Deploys from different mooring types such as a standalone mooring, bottom lander, or tethered from a ship.

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## Remote Access Sampler - 500 ml Specifications

DIMENSIONS:	Height:	128 cm (50 in)
	-	73 cm (29 in)
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WEIGHT (APPROX):	In air (sample tubes empty):	
	In air (sample tubes filled):	
	In water:	~57 kg (125 lbs)
MULTI-PORT VALVE:	Number of ports:	50 (48 samples)
	Material:	HYDEX plastic valve stators and Kynar plastic rotor
	Drive:	High torque stepper motor with 100:1 planetary gear head
	Positioning:	Optical sensor with slotted disk
SAMPLE BAGS (48):	Size:	Approximately 500 ml
	Material:	2 mil Tedlar® (clear), 4 mil Mylar
		laminated (opaque) or 4 mil Kynar (clear)
PUMP:	Flow rate:	75 ml/min fixed rate (±3% error)
	Туре:	Gear pump
	Drive:	Brushless 3 phase DC motor
CONTROLLER:	Pressure housing:	Aluminum, 6061-T6 hard coat anodized
	Power supply:	36 VDC
	Power consumption:	3.5 Ah (1 year deployment)
	Communications:	Serial (RS-232)
OPERATIONS:	Maximum depth:	5,500 m
	•	24 user replaceable "D" cell alkaline batteries
	Min/Max deployment time:	10 minutes per sample/18 months
	Operating temperature:	0° to 35° C
FRAME:	Material:	316 electro-polished stainless steel
		(titanium available)
	-	In-line mooring, weldment, 4 in-line
	-	19 mm (3/4"), insulated
	Maximum in-line tension:	2,300 kg (5,000 lbs)
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