WIND POWER

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## Reduce Uncertainty and Increase Profitability

The WINDCUBE® v2 has the most units deployed of any LIDAR used for Wind Power applications. It is the equipment of choice for wind measurements at any step of the wind farm construction, from site assessment, site suitability, commissioning to repowering.

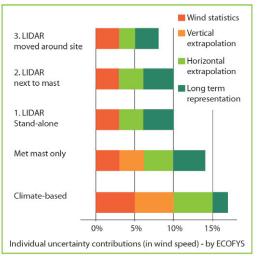
## Wind farm profitability

**The profitability of a wind farm rests upon reducing uncertainty** associated with wind ressource assessment and wind turbine optimization. Projects risks vary from site to site, depending upon wind farm size and site complexity.

In combination with traditional meterological met mast measuring for twelve to eigtheen months, a mobile LIDAR remote sensor collecting actual measurements is ideal for knowing the wind resource and reducing project risk.

**Providing bankable data to wind farm investors and owners,** the WINDCUBE v2 can make the difference between project success or failure. An analysis of return on investments found that the use of a LIDAR system can save a millions in equity investments.

**During the lifetime of windfarms,** due to the increasing height of the turbines and the on-going revision of the IEC 61400-12-1 standard, the WINDCUBE v2 becomes the equipment to be used to measure the wind speed across the entire rotor, and so make **an accurate power curve measurement.** 



Ref: Improved Bankability: The ECOFYS Position on LIDAR use

# WINDCUBE® v2: the 200m ultra-portable wind LIDAR profiler



Not all LIDARs are equal, the WINDCUBE v2 is recognized as the best in class LIDAR in the industry with the most accurate data, proven by independent studies. With hundreds of LIDAR systems in operation, WINDCUBE is the proven choice for wind assessment.

The ultra-portable WINDCUBE v2 Doppler LIDAR remote sensor collects measurements at heights up to 200 meters, mapping wind speed and direction, turbulence and wind shear. It is the lightest, most compact LIDAR available on the market.

The WINDCUBE v2 designed to be deployed on any site is now operating successfully in 5 continents. The major developers, consultants and manufacturers have selected the WINDCUBE v2 for its superior and reliable measurement accuracy, rapid deployment and ease of operation.



RECOGNITION

**Optional Features** 

#### **FCR™ Flow Complexity Recognition**

Supported by the 5fth vertical beam, FCR™ enables the WINDCUBE®v2 to provide highly accurate, bankable data in all terrain types. FCR™ combines hardware and software innovations to allow for direct, accurate wind speed measurements.

CFD Software Engine add-ons also available (Windsim, Meteodyn)



#### WINDCUBE® Power Pack

A power pack is the ultimate solution for remote locations. Ultra-portable, green and affordable, this stand-alone power supply is available worldwide.





#### WINDCUBE<sup>®</sup> Anywhere SAT / 3G

The built-in modem card provides a secured web-based interface from any location. The WINDCUBE® Anywhere option features:

- Remote access to real time data
- System health monitoring
- Data management

#### **GPS Geofencing Security**

The optional GPS geofencing security provides reliable, affordable peace of mind.

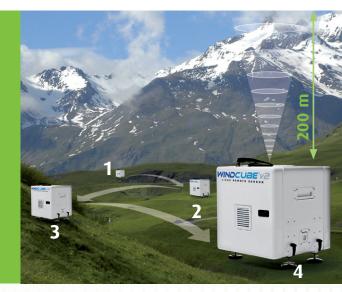


### PERFORMANCE

Range	40 to 200m
Data sampling rate	1s
Number of programmable heights	12
Wind speed accuracy	0.1 m/s
Wind seed range	0 to +60 m/s
Direction accuracy	2°

HARDWARE AND ENVIRONMENTAL		SOFTWARE / DATA	
Dimensions	L-W-H : 543 x 552x 540 mm	Data format	ASCII
Weight	45 kg	Data storage	SSD and compact flash (backup storage)
Power consumption	45 W nominal	Data transfer	LAN/USB
<ul> <li>Temperature range -30°C to +45°C/-22°F to 108°F</li> <li>Operating humidity: 0 to 100% RH (non-condensing)</li> <li>Housing classification IP67 (for inner racks)</li> </ul>	108°F • Operating humidity: 0 to 100% RH	Software features	<ul> <li>Configuration and control</li> <li>Real time display</li> <li>Diagnostic</li> </ul>
		• 1s/10min horizontal & vertical wind speed	
Safety	Class 1M IEC/ EN 60825-1	Output data	<ul> <li>Min &amp; Max</li> <li>Direction</li> <li>SNR Quality factor (data availability)</li> <li>GPS coordinates</li> </ul>
Compliance	CE		

- Ultra-portable (45kg) 10 minute installation
- Class 1 anemometer matched accuracy
- Complex terrain applications with FCR<sup>®</sup>: Flow Complexity Recognition
- Unmatched reliability and data availability
- Backed by industry leaders





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**LEOSPHERE** is a world leader in LIDAR (laser radar) atmospheric remote observations. The company develops, sells and services new turnkey remote-sensing instruments allowing wind measurement and aerosol (ice, ash, dust, smoke) characterization.

**LEOSPHERE** has deployed hundreds of LIDARs throughout the world in severe environments with the same concern of reliability, reduction of operational costs for clients, and dedication to atmospheric hazards control.



