

# Fungal Growth Rate at a Glance

Prevent fungal damage by predicting the start of fungal growth.

## **Prevent Fungal Occurrence in Business Critical Locations**



Countries and regions where wireless operation is currently supported: Japan, U.S.A., Canada, EU, Norway, Switzerland, Turkey, Russia, Singapore, Thailand, Vietnam, and India

## What is the Fungal Index?



Fungal index, which predicts how easy it is for fungi to grow, was developed by Keiko Abe, Doctor of Agriculture and Director of the Japan Institute of Environmental Biology. Because fungal growth has a direct correlation with temperature and relative humidity, expected occurrence can be predicted. Mainly, this index can be used to express the indoor environment for fungal growth quantitatively. (Japanese Patent Number 2710903)

Fungal Index	Period of time until the start of fungal growth	Period of time until fungal contamination (estimate)	Locations in a home (example)	
1	2 months	10 years or more	Dry areas	
2	1 month	8 years	Living spaces Closets	
5	2 weeks	3 years		
10	5 days	2 years	Shoe storage	
20	3 days	1 year	Basements and crawl spaces Bathrooms Inside an air conditioner	
50	1 day	4 months		
100	12 hours	2 months		
200	6 hours	1 month	running in cool mode	

\*Fungal contamination may be confirmed quicker in environments that are already contaminated or rich in nutrients necessary for fungal growth



### 2 Collect and manage data

Data is collected and centrally managed on a terminal. Up to 100 devices can be registered.

Microorganism Cellular Physiology. Received the Japan Society for Bioscience Biotechnology, and Agrochemistry's scholarship in 1985, for research in morphology changes in yeast. Developed the "fungal index" (Japanese Patent Number 2710903) which predicts the occurrence of indoor fungal growth. After establishing the Institute of Environmental Biology, she has been engaged in controlling fungal

growth through environmental control.





Developer of the "Fungal Index"

Director of the Institute

Doctor of Agriculture

Keiko Abe

Graduate of Chiba University, Faculty of Horticulture, Department of Agricultural Chemistry. Completed Tokyo University Graduate School Doctorate. Majored in

of Environmental Biology

Personal computer

\*Only Windows and Android™ are supported

## Specifications

Supported	<ul> <li>Windows PC or Windows tablet (Use bundled software)</li> <li>Android™ smartphone or Android™ tablet (Download app from Google Play)</li> </ul>	
devices	WIRELESS LOGGING STATION LR8410     *The settings can only be configured from supported devices.	Function
Control and communi- cations	Bluetooth® 2.1+EDR Communications range: 30 m, line-of-sight (*Depends on the performance of the communication device)	Countries where wir certification been acq
Display contents	Temperature, humidity, fungal index (0 to 200), growth prediction (5 levels)	
Input	1 temperature channel + 1 humidity channel (HUMIDITY SENSOR Z2010 or HUMIDITY SENSOR Z2011 is required (sold separately))	
Output	Outputs warning signals	
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Recording intervals	0.5 to 30 sec, 1 to 60 min, 14 selections	
Function	Scaling, energy saver, etc.	
Countries where wireless certification has been acquired	Japan, U.S.A., Canada, EU, Norway, Switzerland, Turkey, Russia, Singapore, Thailand, Vietnam, and India	
Power source	AC ADAPTER Z2003 (sold separately) AA alkaline batteries (LR6) ×2 Continuous operating time: 3 months (Recording interval: 1 minute, Bluetooth® OFF) External power 5 to 13.5 V DC USB bus powering is also possible (conversion cable required)	
Dimensions and mass	$85$ mm (3.35 in) W $\times$ 61 mm (2.40 in) H $\times$ 31 mm (1.22 in) D (Excluding protrusions), 95 g (3.3 oz) (Not including the battery)	

\*Only the temperature and humidity sensors affect the measurement accuracy and are subject to calibration. The LR8514 logger does not require calibration.

## Options

HUMIDITY SENSOR Z2010 (50 mm) HUMIDITY SENSOR Z2011 (1.5 m) CONNECTION CABLE L1010

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Precaution: Although the fungal index is a highly reliable index based on academic research, it does not assure that absolutely no fungus will grow in environments with a low fungal index.

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WIRELESS FUNGAL LOGGER LR8520

CD-R (Instruction Manual, Logger Utility)  $\times$  1, Measurement Guide  $\times$  1, Caution for

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