

Beacon OEM Receiver



Marine Radiobeacon receiver (283.5 to 325 kHz) or Beacon receiver complies with Broadcast Standard for the USCG DGPS Navigation Service COMDTINST M16577.1. Beacon receiver is designed to receive pseudorange corrections transmitting by Radiobeacon stations. Maritime Radiobeacon DGNSS systems according to RTCM SC-104 version 2.3 are usually capable of broadcasting the following RTCM messages: 1, 2, 3, 5, 6, 7, 9, 15 (seldom), and 16. Radiobeacons are widely used throughout the world. DGNSS Radiobeacon transmissions meet stringent integrity and reliability requirements mandated by the International Association of Lighthouse Authorities.

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General Specification

- \bullet Input Voltage: 4.2 V ± 5 %
- Power Consumption: <1 W
- Operation Temperature: -40°C ... +60°C
- Storage Temperature: -40°C ... +80°C
- Dimensions: L: 80 mm x W: 46.5 mm x H: 7.6/9.5 mm
- Weight: 41 g

Features

- DSP-Modem
- Multi-Modulation Technologies
- Zero-IF Technologies
- Up to 115200 bps Serial Interface Data Rate
- Compact Design

External Connectors:

J300 Beacon/GNSS RF Input Connector MMCX RIGHT ANGLE PCB JACK, AMPHENOL P/N 908-24100.

Through the central pin of the connector J300 the power is being supplied to the antenna LNA. The internal power supply provides 4.2 V DC and max 0.2 A. If an antenna needs another voltage, the external power supply should be connected to the pin 10 of main connector J1. If jumper R117 is installed, the antenna supply voltage through the central pin of J300 is equal to the external voltage applied to this pin. The external voltage should be in range +5 ... +15 VDC and the current is less than 0.2 A.

Main Connector

16-Lead Header Connector, ECS Corp. P/N 9616-D1-01-03

PIN #	Signal Designator	Signal name	Description	I/O	Comments
1	GND	GND	Ground	-	Signal and Chassis Ground
2	DSP UART 1	TXD	Transmitted Data	TTL Input	Serial Data Input
3	DSP UART 2	RXD	Received Data	TTL Output	Output for received serial data
4	DPORT5	DTR or DP/MP	Data Terminal Ready	TTL Input	Control line can be used as a backup method for entering Command mode: (0V to 3.3V) transition: Maintenance Mode; (3.3V to 0V) transition: Data Mode An internal 100K pull-up enables Data Mode if this signal is left unconnected. Maintenance Mode is also accessible by transmitting an escape sequence.
5	DPORT1	CTS	Clear to Send	TTL Output	Used to control datat flow from the user to the radio: (0V) –Datat buffer not full, (3.3V) – Data buffer full
6	TTLI1	SLEEP	Sleeps/ wakes radio Receive only	TTL Input	In sleep mode, all radio functions are disabled consuming less than 50µA. An internal 10K pull-down wakes up the radio if this signal is left unconnected. At wake up, any user programmed configuration settings are refreshed from flash memory, clearing any temporary settings that may have been set: (3.3V) – Sleep Radio; (0V) – Wake Radio As an option could be used as TTL Input Line 1.
7	DPORT3	DCD	Data Carrier Detect	TTL Output	Used by remotes to indicate that the remote has successfully acquired the signal from base station: (0V) – Carrier detected (synchronized); (3.3V) – No carrier detected (not synchronized)
8	DPORT4	RTS	Request to Send	TTL Input	Gates the flow of receive data from the radio to the user on or off. An internal 10K pull-down enables data receive if this signal is left unconnected. In normal operation, this signal should be asserted: (0V) – Receive data (RxD) enabled (3.3V) – Receive data (RxD) disabled
9	DPORT2	DSR	Data Set Ready	TTL Output	Used to control data flow from the user to the radio: (0V) – Receive buffer has data to transfer; (3.3V) – Receive buffer is empty
10	ANT_DC	ANT_DC	External Power for Antenna LNA	Power Input	External Power for Antenna LNA +5+15 VDC
11	TTLO1	TTLOUT1	TTL Output Line 1	TTL Output	Reserve line
12	TTLO2	TTLOUT2	TTL Output Line 2	TTL Output	Reserve line
13	GND	GND	Ground	-	Signal and Chassis Ground
14	TTLI2	TTLIN	TTL Input line	TTL Input	An internal 100K pull-up resistor is applied.
15	VCC42	PWR	Power Supply	External	Regulated positive 4.2V DC from ext. Power Supply
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Component	Details	
Frequency Range	283.5 - 325 kHz	
Channel Spacing	500 Hz	
Bit Rates	50, 100, 200 bps (manual or Auto selection)	
Channels	2-channel, parallel operating	
Operation Mode	manual/automatic	
Adjacent Channel Rejection	65 dB ± 1 dB @ for ± 400 Hz	
Cold Start Time	<1 min	
Warm Start Time	<2 seconds	
Modulation	Minimum Shift Keying (MSK)	
Sensitivity	1.5 μV/m	
Dynamic Range	100 dB	
Frequency Offset	± 0.5 Hz (~ 1.5 ppm)	
Correction Output Protocol	RTCM SC-104	





