

Spar 300 Family Data Sheet V1.6

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A. Spar Receiver Hardware

Item	Parameter
Construction	High impact thermoplastic (ABS) injection molded housing
	32-mm (1.25") diameter carbon-fiber reinforced pole separating two sensors
	Brass inserts hold two quick-release stainless steel spuds
Weight	1.4 kg (3.1 lb)
Dimensions	61 cm X 11 cm (24" X 4.5")
Antennas	Total of six antennas
Host Interface	RS-232 or Bluetooth, fixed baud rate: 115,200 bits per second
Other I/O	USB device for Spar software updates, option upgrades, (internal USB hub)
Approvals	CE:
	- Radiated emissions: EN61000-6-4
	- Electrostatic discharge: EN61000-4-2
	- Radiated RF immunity, EN 61000-4-3
	- Power frequency magnetic field immunity: EN61000-4-8
	FCC Part 15, Class A digital device, unintentional radiator
Fully qualified	Model: RN41
Class 1 Bluetooth	- Contains Transmitter Module FCC ID: T9JRN41-3
2.1/2.0/1.2/1.1	- EUROPE EN 300 328-1, EN 300 328-2 2.4GHz
module	- CANADA IC Contains transmitter module IC: 6514A-RN413
	- Bluetooth LISTED B013180
Other	RoHS compliant
	IEEE 802.15.4
	- Model: JN5148-001-M03
	- Contains FCC ID: TYOJN5148M3
	- CANADA IC Contains IC: 7438A-CYO5148M3
Accessories	- Two 4,000mAh camcorder battery, replaceable, allows for approximately 10 hours of
	operation
	- 1-hour dual-battery quick charger with AC/12VDC input
	- USB data cable
	- Soft carry bag
Software	Trimble Access [™] (available from Trimble)
Optional Accessories	Vivax-Metrotech 10W Transmitter Loc-10Tx, with special low 32 Hz frequency
Custom Accessories	982 Hz high power sonde for geospatial positioning of ducts and pipes
Third-Party Accessories	- Carbon fiber range pole with brackets for Spar, Tablet, and GNSS antenna
	- Mounting brackets and quick-release clamps

B. Spar Measurement Features

Item	Parameter
Construction	- Single Spar mode supported by both Spar 300 and Spar 300 PPS
	 Dual Spar mode supported only by Spar 300 PPS with built-in PPS module for signal synchronization
	- Sonde or line geospatial mapping
	- Spar height above ground
	- Units of measure (feet/meter)
	- Language
Operating Frequencies	22, 32, 50, 60, 64, 80, 98, 100, 120, 128, 491, 512, 640, 577, 815, 982, 1024
	1520, 8192, 8440, 9820 Hz









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Pinpointing	Single Spar
Performance	Geospatial position pinpointing accuracy:
(with undistorted	- Up to 9ft (3m) – 5% of radial distance to targeted utility or Sonde ¹
signal source)	Current measurement accuracy:
	- Up to 9ft (3m) - 5% of actual current
	Dual Spar
	Geospatial position pinpointing accuracy:
	- Up to 33ft (10m) – 5% of radial distance to targeted utility or Sonde ¹
	Current measurement accuracy:
	- Up to 33ft (10m) - 5% of actual current
Geospatial Information	 Geospatial solution data logging is always active. All results (depth, offset, range, yaw, and AC current are stored in the selected folder, based on:
	 User selected update on time interval (200 msec to 10 sec), distance step (centimeters to meters), or manual command.
	 User selected tolerance mask for both horizontal and vertical expected error. Locate confidence can be merged with the GNSS RMS error. Points will only be logged if the aggregate error is less than the specified values. All raw field and body orientation data is logged: enables playback offline with different settings (averaging, logging interval, tolerances)
Locating Information	- Signal strength: screen-based spatial locating tiles the map view with color
(descriptions may refer	representing signal strength. Permits a rapid acquisition of the utility target to begin
to optional software components)	model-based location.
components)	- Compass: line direction indicator for both upper and lower 3-axis sensors
	- Internal battery condition
	- Operating frequency
Transmitter	Any standard locating transmitter is supported at the above stated frequencies. No
Compatibility	special modulation method is required. No line transmitter is required when tracking Sondes
	Using the SONDH982 sonde transmitter, a high power, current stabilized 982 Hz sonde
	accessory

C. Spar Receiver Sensitivity1 (at 1 meter, or 3.2 feet)

Item	Parameter		
Sensitivity	Item	Locate ²	3-D Geospatial Solution ³
	50/60 Hz Power	5 mA	50 mA
	491, 512,640 Hz	500 μΑ	5 mA
	8192, 8440, 9820 Hz	25 μΑ	250 μΑ
	 Sensitivity is dependent on field conditions, primarily interference sources. Spar results are always presented with expected RMS accuracy, which will take into account all on-site field conditions 		
	- 2. Sensitivity at which s	spatial locating can disting	guish a doubling of signal level.
	· ·	ion sensitivity is the level istorted) field conditions	at which a 5% accurate solution is

D. Spar Environmental Specifications

Item	Parameter
Temperature Range	Operating: -4°F to 122°F (-20°C to 50°C)
	Storage: -40°F to 140°F (-40°C to 60°C)
Weather	IP54 and NEMA 4
Shipping Weight	4kg

All products are designed and manufactured in accordance with ISO 9001:2008 Updated: October 2017









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Shipping Dimension	72 X 15 X 20 cm (28 X 6 X 8 inches)
Humidity	95% non-condensing
Shock	MIL-STD 810F, Fig. 516.5-10
	(40g, 11ms, saw-tooth)
Vibration	MIL-STD 810F, Fig. 514.5C-17

E. Spar Warranty

Item	Parameter
Warranty	12 months

F. Overall Geospatial Positioning Accuracy

Item	Parameter
For spar versions with	Total accuracy is derived by taking the square root of the sum-of-squares of the GNSS
internal Ashtech MB100	accuracy and the locating accuracy. This is done on every measurement result
GNSS Board	automatically, and presented as the effective tolerance of the 3-D utility position.

Disclaimer: Product and accessory specification and availability information is subject to change without prior notice.

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