Solar Argos/GPS 45g PTT

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SENSORS

The Solar Argos/GPS 45g PTT includes sensors to measure temperature, battery voltage, and activity. A multi-channel GPS receiver calculates position, altitude, course, and speed.

GENERAL ELECTRICAL SPECIFICATIONS

Operating frequency: 401.650 MHz \pm 36 kHz Power output: 200 mW output is standard⁺ Output impedance: 50 ohms Modulation tri-phase PSK: \pm 1.1 Rad \pm 0.1 Rad Quiescent current: <3 µA Spurious emissions: -45 dB Transmission interval: 60 seconds⁺⁺ Supply voltage: 3.6–4 volts Operating temperature range: -15–45°C

PHYSICAL SPECIFICATIONS

Dimensions*: Length 3.30 in (8.38 cm) x Width 1.15 in (2.92 cm) x Height 0.80 in (2.03 cm) **Weight**:** ~45 grams

Antenna: Hard nylon-coated flexible stranded marine-grade stainless steel, 7.00 in (17.78 cm) long, protruding from the back edge of the transmitter 45° to the bottom face

FEATURES

- Solar-powered, rechargeable battery
- Microprocessor-controlled power management
- Internal multi-channel micro-power GPS receiver
- SBAS capable (WAAS, EGNOS, and QZSS)
- GPS horizontal accuracy ±18 m
- GPS vertical accuracy ±22 m
- Programmable with up to 5 duty cycle seasons
- SiV[™] Technology
- Embedded CRC checksum with bit error detection
- Optional 2D Firmware
- Optional Seasonal GT[™] and Mortality GT[™]
- Configured for backpack attachment (with standard neoprene cushioning pad)
- Alternative color and matte*** finish options available
- Operating lifetime up to 3 years

CONSTRUCTION

The housing is constructed from a lightweight glass-reinforced epoxy composite material with a contiguous interior metal-plated coating. The unit is hermetically sealed with a metal-to-metal solder joint providing stability during changes in temperature and humidity. The solar array is encapsulated in silicone and covered with a polycarbonate window for added durability.

* Harnessing loops and neoprene pad not included in these dimensions.

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*** Matte finish does not apply to the polycarbonate window covering the solar array.

⁺ Adjustable between 100–500 mW.

⁺⁺ Can be optimized for your requirements at time of manufacture.

