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1300A Series Micro Beacon



The 1300A Series Micro Beacon is an evolution of the popular 300 Series that has been designed to add extra versatility to the Micro Beacon range. Ideal for use in shallow water environments, and operation in confined space.

As with its predecessor, the 1300A Series Micro Beacon has an external connector that allows it to operate from a ROV 24V power supply and for channel selection via a USB adaptor cable.

Key Features

- Rechargeable NiMH batteries
- USB PC connectivity via 5 pin connector
- Charging via USB with onboard charge indicator
- Easy channel configuration via beacon editor app
- AAE Sigma Spread Spectrum technology
- Operates from a 24V power supply
- Responder interface
- Legacy support for almost all industry USBL systems currently in use

Applications

- General purpose tracking and positioning applications
- Diver tracking
- Static and dynamic operations e.g. ROV, and sidescan sonar

Technical Specification

MODEL TYPES – PHYSICAL SPECIFICATION

Housing material; Hard anodised aluminium

| | Beam Pattern | SPL | Survival Depth | Diameter | Length | Weight air/water |
|-------|--------------|-------|----------------|----------|--------|------------------|
| 1319A | ±90° | 183dB | 600m | 52mm | 298mm | 999g/438g |



ELECTRICAL SPECIFICATION

Battery

| Battery type Charge Time | Rechargeable; NiMH Computer USB port: 8 hours maximum Mains USB dedicated charge port adaptor: 4.0 hours maximum |
|------------------------------------|---|
| Listening life Operational life | 30 days minimum (at 2°C) Dependent on pulse rate and operational mode 30 hours at 1.0pps (AAE Spread Spectrum mode) Operational life reduced when used with non AAE USBL systems |

Configuration

| Transmit frequency range | 21.5 - 30.5kHz |
|--------------------------|--------------------------------|
| Receive frequency range | 16.0 - 26.5kHz |
| Turnaround time | Dependent on channel selection |
| Transmit pulse width | Dependent on channel selection |

External Inputs

| Connector type | MCBH5M |
|-----------------------|-------------------------------|
| USB interface | USB 1.1/2.0 (driver required) |
| Responder key | Positive 5-20 Volts |
| External Power/Charge | 24 Volts @ 100mA |
| Ground | Common ground |
| On/Off | Via connector shorting link |

USBL COMPATIBILITY

| AAE Nexus | |
|--------------|-----------|
| AAE Easytrak | |
| AAE V-Nav | |
| Kongsberg | HPR/HiPAP |
| iXBlue | GAPS |
| Sonardyne | USBL |

OPTIONS

Compatibility with USBL systems not listed above

Remote transducer (supplied with Model BCN-1310A electronic bottle) RM91S/RM91SR, omni-directional, depth rated to 1000m. Interconnect cable, 600mm as standard

Please consult the AAE sales team for further information



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