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Meteorological Sensor System MSS-1000



GENERAL

Applied Technologies, Inc., proudly presents our newest instrument, a Meteorological Sensor System. Originally designed and developed to meet the challenging requirements of a military application, the system is manufactured to the highest quality standards for reliability and accuracy

This system combines the most frequently required meteorological sensors into a single easy-to-use package. A single processor, controls all sensors, provides for synchronized measurements, and all the data are output in a single packet.

Additionally, this high quality sensor package has the added benefit of a 2-Axis Accelerometer to provide tilt, but can also be used to provide the two axes of acceleration. With the GPS and accelerometers, this is a great platform for a mobile application.

FEATURES

- **Basic Sensors**
 - Unit ID
 - Wind Speed & Direction
 - Temperature
 - Barometric Pressure
 - Relative Humidity
 - GPS Position & Timing & Altitude
 - Sea Level Pressure (calculated)
 - Dew Point (calculated)
- **State-Of-The-Art Processor**
- **RS-232 Output can be continuous, or timed**
- **Compact Size**
- **Light Weight**
- **Low Power**
- **Internal Status Monitor**
- **Solid-State sensors – no moving parts**
- **Power Saving Modes**
- **All parameters in Engineering Units**
- **Standard Output in ASCII Format**
- **Comma Delimited Serial Output**

OPTIONS

- **Data Telemetry – spread spectrum transceivers at 915 MHz or 2.45 GHz**
- **Other output formats available**
- **NiMH Rechargeable Batteries**
- **Backup Battery**
- **Compass Heading**
- **2-Axis Accelerometer for Tilt**
- **Ruggedized Tripod (1.8m height)**

SPECIFICATIONS

Sensors

Operational

Wind Speed	0 – 60 m/s
Accuracy	± 2%
Resolution	0.1 m/s
Wind Direction	0 – 359 degrees
Accuracy	± 3 degrees for wind speeds > 0.5 m/s
Resolution	1°
Wind Gust	Capable of reading >60 m/s
Temperature	-40°C to 70°C
Accuracy	±0.4°C
Resolution	0.1°C
Response Time	5 seconds
Pressure	600 – 1200 mb
Accuracy	±2.0 mb
Resolution	0.1 mb
Relative Humidity	0 – 100%
Accuracy	±2%
Resolution	0.1%
Dew Point (calculated)	
Accuracy	±0.5°C
Resolution	0.1°C
Sea Level Pres. (calculated)	
Accuracy	±0.1” Hg
Resolution	0.1” Hg
GPS Position	
Accuracy	±3 to 10 meters
Resolution	0.1 degree (or better)
GPS Timing	
Accuracy	±10mSec
Update Rate	3 seconds
GPS Altitude	
Accuracy	<20 meters
Resolution	0.1 meters
Compass Heading (magnetic)	
Accuracy	±1 degrees
Resolution	1.0 degrees
2-Axis Accelerometer	
Accuracy	±1 degree
Resolution	1.0 degrees

Power Requirements	+12 VDC
Quiescent	20 mA
Transmitting	200 mA
Power Modes	Sleep Hibernate
Sample Rate (Selectable)	5 sec. to 9999 sec.
Analog Conversion	10 bits (Standard) 12, 16 bits (Optional)
Output BAUD Rate	9600
Operating Temp	-40°C to 70°C
Size	19” tall x 6” diameter (including sonic)
Weight	Approx. 6 lbs.