

A. Typical Applications

Item	Parameter
Description	Multi-purpose precision locator receiver with fully integrated RTK GNSS
Uses	 Locating & pinpointing the position of buried pipes, cables, and sondes Detailed position mapping of buried utilities Surveying

B. Characteristics

Item	Parameter
Construction	High impact thermoplastic (ABS) injection molded housing
Weight	5.5lbs (2.5kg)
Dimensions	14.7in(L) x 4.9in(W) x 29.8in(H) (374mm x 125mm x 758mm)
Display Type	High-Visibility Color Display 4.3"/10cm with 480 x 272 resolution
Receiver Antennas	 Two sets of 3D antennas GNSS Antenna 2G/3G/4G LTE Cellular Antenna
Battery	 Six x AA Alkaline batteries Rechargeable custom Lithium-ion batteries with 100-240V AC mains charger
Battery Life	 Alkaline – typically 6 hours of intermittent use at 70°F (21°C) Lithium-ion – typically 14 hours of intermittent use at 70°F (21°C) (with full backlight turned on). Re-charging cycles approx. 500 times life cycle. Battery life varies with temperature.
Environmental	- IP65 and NEMA 4
External Connectors	 Accessory Socket – to charge the internal batteries and attach accessories Mini USB socket for data transfer and programming
Temperature Range	- Operating: -4°F to 122°F (-20°C to 50°C) - Storage: -40°F to 140°F (-40°C to 60°C)
Compliance and Approvals	 Complies with European standard CE (Directive 99/5/EC) EN 55011 EN 61000-4-2: A1 & A2 EN 61000-4-3



	EN 04000 4 0 44
	• EN 61000-4-8: A1
	• ETSI EN 300 330-2
	• ETSI EN 301 489-1
	• ETSI EN 301 489-3
	- Complies with FCC Rules Part 15
	CFR 47 part 2
	• CFR 47 Part 15
Standard Accessories	- USB data transfer cable
(comes with receiver)	- Custom lithium-ion battery pack
	- 100-240V AC mains charger
	- Six x AA Alkaline battery holder
	- User handbook
	- Carry bag
Compatible	- A-frame fault locator
Accessory Options	- Remote Antenna (Stethoscope)
	- Vehicle Charging DC Lead
	- Choice of either: factory fitted Radio Link to a Loc3 series transmitter <u>or</u> a factory fitted internal Bluetooth Module
	- Range of Sondes (waterproof, self-contained transmitters for use in pipes & ducts)

C. RTK

Item	Parameter
GNSS Features	 Satellite Tracked: - GPS/QZSS, GLONASS, Galileo, BeiDou GPS L1C/A L2C, GLO L1OF L2OF, GAL E1B/C E5b, BDS B1I B2I, QZSS L1C/A L2C Position accuracy RTK 0.01 m + 1 ppm CEP Convergence time RTK < 10 sec Acquisition: Cold starts = 24s, Reacquisition = 2s Dependent on atmospheric conditions, baseline length, GNSS antenna, multipath conditions, satellite visibility, and geometry
NTRIP	 Compatible with Casters with RTCM3.x output messages Real-time reference station connection status displayed on the receiver Real-time horizontal accuracy in 2DRMS
Cellular Connection	 4G with 3G fallback LTE FDD bands 2, 4, 5, 7, 17 UMTS/HSPA [MHz]850, 900, 1700, 1900, 2100



D. Operational

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Information Displayed	Status Bar Information:
	- Antenna configuration: Peak, Peak with arrows, Null, Broad, Delta Null, Omni Directional Peak, Omni Directional Broad
	- Line location - depth & current measurement
	- Battery condition
	- Speaker volume
	- Bluetooth and GNSS status (If fitted)
	- Cellular connection status
	- Radio link to transmitter status (if fitted)
	Locate screen (Classic display):
	- Signal strength - moving bar graph & numeric value
	- Bar graph color-coded indicating distortion level
	- Peak level indicator
	- Proportional left/right indication
	- Compass: full 360°-line direction indicator
	- Gain level (in dB)
	- Frequency selected
	- Product configuration menu & submenus including RTK and GNSS status and data logging transfer status.
	- Customer definable start-up screen
	- Depth and current
	- Warnings (if activated)
	- Plug and play automatic recognition of accessories
	- Accessory specific custom screens
	Information screen:
	- GPS co-ordinates
	- Real-time horizontal accuracy in 2DRMS
	- Signal current and depth value
	- Log number
	- Spirit level used to calculate offset correction
	Alternative locate screens:
	- Transverse Graph Screen - visual assessment of locate quality and distortion
	- Sonde Locate Screen – directing arrow to move to the Sonde position along the polar axis



	Vector Locate Screen – fully-automatic locate including offset, depth and locate uncertainty
	 Plan View Screen – fully-automatic graphical representation of the cable position independent of cable direction including depth/current and locate uncertainty.
Configuration	Intuitive setup menu enables the user to configure:
	- Set up frequency selection to toggle by "f" pushbutton
	- Setup location mode selection to toggle by "m" pushbutton
	- Setup screen views selection to toggle by long press "m" pushbutton
	- Units of measure (feet/meters)
	- Sound (Pitch) – normal/modulated
	- Language
	- Continuous depth/current options
	- Loudspeaker level
	- Backlight
	- Bluetooth pairing if fitted
	- Transmitter Radio Link if fitted
	- Warnings (Excessive Tilt, Overhead Signal, Shallow Cable, Signal Overload)
	- Auto shut down – configurable to power down at five minutes, ten minutes, or never
	- RTK set-up
	- Data transfer to cloud set-up
Data Logging	- 50 million record internal storage
	 Data can also be transferred for storage, via cellular connectivity, into the cloud using the Vivax-Metrotech application, VMMAP
	- All parameters stored at each location including depth, current, date, time, mode, gain setting, frequency, locate uncertainty, longitude, latitude, and height above sea-level
Data Transfer	 Uses Vivax-Metrotech "MyLocator3" software application available free of charge from www.vivax-metrotech.com. Data can be saved in xls, txt, shp, csv and kml (Google Earth) formats. The transfer is via a USB cable connection from the locator to the host PC.
	Or
	- Cellular transfer via the "cloud" using Vivax-Metrotech application software, VMMap
Operating	- Configurable frequencies from 98 Hz to 200 kHz
Frequencies	Power 50Hz and 60Hz
	Radio 22.7kHz, 10kHz bandwidth
Operating Modes	- Classic Locate (Signal strength bar graph)
	- Transverse Graph Mode



	Plan View (Omni Directional)Vector Locate (Lateral Position & Depth)Sonde Locate	
Gain / Scaling Control	Manual gain using "+" or "- "with one touch to return to 60% of FSD, "+" or "- "used to rescale the vector screen dependent on cable depth and offset	
Accuracy	Locate pinpointing accuracy:	 Over 9ft (3m) – 5% of th depth Up to 9ft (3m) – 3% of the depth
	Depth measurement accuracy:	3% of the depth
	Current measurement accuracy:	 5% of actual current – over 9ft (3m) 3% of actual current – up to 9ft (3m)
	Depth range:	Dependent on the strength of signal radiating to the locator
	Performance rated using a single undistorted signal source	
Compatible Transmitters	Loc3-5Tx, Loc3-10Tx, Loc-5STx, and any Vivax-Metrotech transmitter with matching frequencies	

E. Shipping and Packaging

Item	Parameter
Shipping Weight	10.8lbs (4.9kg) (receiver only)
Shipping Dimension	16.5in(L) x 11in(W) x 27.6in(H) (420mm x 280mm x 700mm) (receiver only)

F. Warranty

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Warranty	- Two years - Optional extended warranty available

G. Firmware Updates

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Software	The software can be upgraded using a PC with a USB port. Programs & locator software are available via MyLocator3 app

All products are designed and manufactured per ISO 9001:2015.

Disclaimer: Product and accessory specifications and availability information are subject to change without prior notice.