

ACCELEROMETER & BOTTOM PRESSURE RECORDER



The RBR*quartz*³ APT is a combined triaxial quartz accelerometer and a bottom pressure recorder. The alliance of a 20Hz strong- and weak-motion seismometer, and the pressure measurement with 10ppb resolution make this instrument ideal for deep-sea early earthquake warning and tsunami monitoring. The RBR*quartz*³ APT is designed for both autonomous installation or real-time cabled observatories with ethernet connectivity. Designed for rapid ROV deployment, the instruments penetrates sea bed sediments and has good seismic coupling.

FEATURES













The RBR*quartz*³ APT uses proven proprietary RBR technology and the Paroscientific Digiquartz® transducers to achieve 10ppb depth resolution with sub-second integration times. The short integration time consumes less power during sampling resulting in significantly longer deployments between battery replacements. User selectable integration time for each reading means you can adjust the resolution to your measurement needs. Dataset export to Matlab, Excel, OceanDataView®, or text files makes post processing with your own algorithms effortless.



RBR quartz3



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10ppb PRESSURE RESOLUTION WITH BROADBAND ACCELEROMETER

Specifications

Physical

Storage: 240M readings Power: 24Wh battery External power: 9V-18V

Communication: TCP/IP socket over Ethernet

Clock drift: ±60 seconds/year

NTP clock sync when available

Size: ~880mm x Ø60.3mm

Weight: ~5.7kg

Temperature

Range: -2 to 45°C

Depth

Range: 700 / 1400 / 2000 / 3000 / 4000 / 7000m (dbar)
Initial accuracy: ±0.01% FS (full scale)
Resolution: 10ppb full scale (1s integration)
Overpressure: 1.2 times rated pressure
Thermal sensitivity: <0.0008% FS per °C

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Accelerometer

Range: ±3g Resolution: <100ng



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