

GM-330, SiRFstarIII

Easy to Use GPS Smart Antenna

Module with RF Connector

RoHS
Compliant



Overview

GM-330 is an easy to use, ultra-high performance, low power GPS smart antenna module with patch antenna and MCX RF connector. The built-in rechargeable backup battery allows for faster position fixing. The built-in SiRFstarIII chip and our experienced design provide fast acquisitions and excellent tracking performance.

Applications

- Camera detector
- Automatic vehicle location

Features

- Easy to use with **built-in patch antenna, backup battery, RF, and 12-pin digital connectors.**
- **MCX, SMA, I-PEX RF** connectors available
- Antenna **open/short detection** and **short-circuit protection** (optional)
- Default **TTL** with **RS-232** option
- GPIO-controlled **power saving control pin**
- 25x25x4 (mm) patch antenna exhibits best GPS signal reception
- Excellent EMI protection and minimum RF efforts
- Based on SiRF's GSC3f low power single chip
- High performance: -159dBm tracking sensitivity
- Low power: **26/31mA** at continuous tracking
- SBAS (WAAS, EGNOS, MSAS) support
- Industrial operating temperature range: -40 ~ 85°C

Technical Specifications

Receiver Performance Data

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| Receiver Type | 20-channel, L1 frequency, C/A code |
| Horizontal Position Accuracy | < 2.5m (Autonomous) < 2.0m (WAAS) (50% 24hr static, -130dBm) |
| Velocity Accuracy | <0.01 m/s (speed) <0.01° (heading) (50% @ 30m/s) |
| Time To First Fix | Autonomous |
| Hot start | <1sec |
| Warm start | <35sec |
| Cold start | <42sec (50% -130dBm) |
| Sensitivity (Autonomous) | -142dBm (acquisition) -159dBm (tracking) (-142dBm 28dB-Hz with 4dB noise figure) |
| Max. Update Rate | 1Hz |
| Max. Altitude | <18,000 m |
| Max. Velocity | <1,852 km/hr |
| Protocol Support | NMEA v3.00, SiRF Binary 4800~115200 bps N,8,1; GGA, GSA, GSV, RMC, VTG |
| SBAS Support | WAAS, EGNOS |
| Dynamics | <4g |

Electrical Data

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| Power Supply | 3.3 ~ 5.5 V (3.0V still workable) |
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| | with backup battery not being fully charged.) |
| Power Consumption (w/o active antenna) | 26mA/average tracking (TTL) 31mA/average tracking (RS-232) |
| TTL I/O | V _{IH} : 2~3.15V, V _{IL} : 0~0.85V V _{OH} : >2.1V, V _{OL} < 0.72V |
| Protocols | NMEA, SiRF Binary |

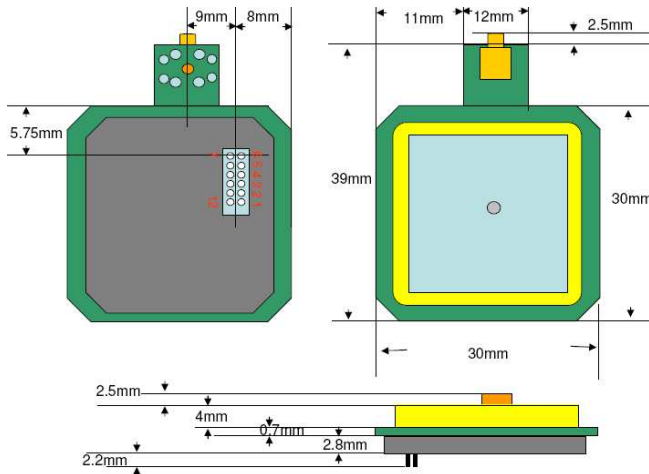
RF Interface

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| Built-in patch antenna | 25x25x4 mm ³ |
| External RF connector | MCX (default) SMA, I-PEX (optional) |

Environmental Data

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| Operating temperature | -40 ~ 85°C except backup battery: -20~60°C |
| Storage temperature | -40 ~ 85°C except backup battery: -40~60°C |

Mechanical Data (GM-330)



12-pin Header Interface, pitch 1.27mm

| Pin | Name | Function | I/O |
|------|---------------------|---|----------------------|
| 1,12 | NC ⁰ /or | Normal: 0, Power off: 1 (option 2) / or | Input ² / |

| | RS232-TX ¹ / or PWR_SAV ² | RS232 level serial data output from GPS (option 1)/ or NC (default setting) | or Output ¹ |
|------|---|--|------------------------|
| 2,11 | VCC | Power supply (DC 3.3~5.5V) | Input |
| 3,10 | TTL-TX | TTL level serial data output (from GPS) | Output |
| 4,9 | TTL-RX | TTL level serial data input (into GPS) | Input |
| 5,8 | GND | Ground | Input |
| 6 | Reset ⁰ / or RS232-RX ¹ /or NC ² | Active low (250ms) reset signal. Keep float if it is not used. (default setting) / or RS232 level serial data input into GPS (option 1)/ or NC (option 2). | Input |
| 7 | Reserved | Reserved for testing. If this pin is used as a reset pin, connect it with pin 6. | Input |

Note. 0/1/2 : default/option 1/option 2 setting

On-board LED option

The GPS fix status could be indicated by an optional on-board LED. Default is without this LED.

LED always ON: not fixed; LED blinks: position fixed

Ordering Information

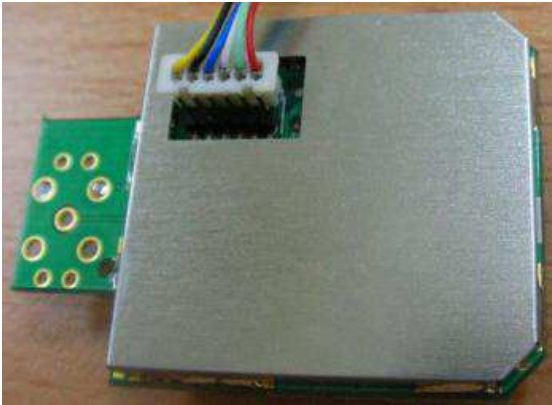
GM-330X

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| A | 9600bps, N-8-1, GGA, GSA, RMC, VTG@1Hz, GSV@1/5Hz Interface: null, 12-pin, default setting w/o power control, w/o antenna open/short |
| M | 9600bps, N-8-1, GGA, GSA, RMC, VTG@1Hz, GSV@1/5Hz Interface: MCX, 12-pin, default setting w/ power control, w/o antenna open/short |
| Q | 19200bps, N-8-1, RMC @1Hz Interface: SMA, 12-pin, default setting w/ power control, w/ antenna open/short |

- Other configurations could be customized based on MOQ.

Application of GPS Mouse with External RF Connector

GM-330 could be connected as a GPS-mouse with the optional RF connector. Connect pin 1~6 to a 6-pin pitch 1.25mm wire to board connector for power and data communication as shown below.



GM-330D example



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