



mRO-50 Ruggedized

Low SWaP-C Mini-Rubidium Oscillator

The mRO-50 Ruggedized is a breakthrough microwave optical double resonance (MODR) low SWaP-C Miniaturized Rubidium Oscillator designed to meet the latest commercial, military and aerospace requirements where time stability and power consumption are critical.

It provides a one day holdover below 1µs and a retrace below 1E-10 in a form factor (50.8 x 50.8 x 20mm) that takes up only 51 cc of volume (about one-third of the volume compared to standard rubidiums) and consumes only 0.36W of power, which is about ten times less than existing solutions with similar capabilities.



Miniature, Low SWaP-C, ultra-portable high precision & performance Atomic Frequency Source

Key Features

Frequency Stability - ADEV

1s < 4E-11 (Option S) 100s < 4E-12 (Option S)

Phase Noise (SSB)

10Hz < -97 (Option S) 100Hz < -120 (Option S) 1KHz < -135 (Option S)

Aging (After 30 days)

Per day < (option A) 5E-12 / day

Warm up time

< 2 min

Operating Temp -40° to +80°C

DC power 0.45W @5V

and 0.36W @3.3V (option)

Cell lifetime/MTBF 10 years/155860 hours at +25°C

Vibration 7.7 grms/axis per MIL-STD-810,

Fig 514.7E-1, Category 24

Shock MIL-STD-202G, Test Condition A,

50g, 11 ms, half sine

Applications

The mRO-50 Ruggedized Oscillator provides accurate frequency and precise time synchronization to mobile applications, such as military radio-pack systems in GNSS denied environments. Its wide-ranging operating temperature of -40° to +80°C is also ideal for UAVs and underwater applications.

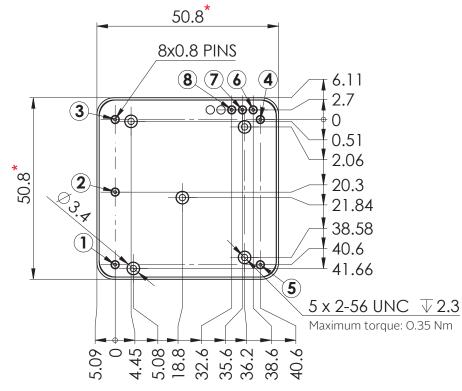
Applications: Military comms, Radars, Low Earth Orbit, Electronic Warfare, Airborn & Avionics, UAV/UGV/USV/UUV and other harsh environments.



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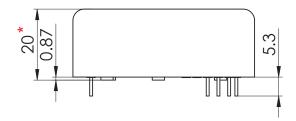
Package:

(all dimensions in mm)



* ± 0.4 mm

All other quotes are \pm 0.2 mm



Pin Layout:

PIN FUNCTION

- 1 Frequency Adjust (Analog O-3V)
- 2 GND
- 3 10MHz square output (0-3V)
- 4 GND
- 5 Power 5V or 3.3V depending on model
- 6 /LOCK (Bit)
- 7 TxD
- 8 RxD

Patent numbers:

China: ZL 2014 8 0075019.0

USA: 10,191,452 B2

EU: 3102983

Japan : JP 6416921



SPECIFICATIONS

ELECTRICAL

Туре	mRO-50 Ruggedized	
	Standard version	Options
Frequency	10 MHz	
Frequency change within operating temperature range	≤ 6 x 10 ⁻¹⁰ over -40°C to +80°C	
Linear drift measured over minimum 14 days After 3 months operations :	< 1 x 10 ⁻¹¹ / day	(option code A) < 5 x 10 ⁻¹² / day
Short term stability 1 sec 10 sec 100 sec	$\leq 6 \times 10^{-11}$ $\leq 1.9 \times 10^{-11}$ $\leq 6 \times 10^{-12}$	(option code S) ≤ 4 x 10 ⁻¹¹ ≤ 1.3 x 10 ⁻¹¹ ≤ 4 x 10 ⁻¹²
Phase noise (10 MHz) in dBc/Hz 1 Hz 10 Hz 100 Hz 1000 Hz 10000 Hz	≤ -66 ≤ -95 ≤ -120 ≤ -135 ≤ -140	(option code S) ≤ -70 ≤ -97 ≤ -120 ≤ -135 ≤ -140
Frequency retrace (in stable temperature, gravity, pressure and magnetic field conditions)	< 1 x 10 ⁻¹⁰ within 1 h after 24 h off	
Warm-up time	Lock < 2 minutes at over the full temperature rang	ge
Analog frequency adjustment. For stable operation, an external voltage shall be applied (cf. the manual of the mRO-50 for electrical scheme)	1 x 10 ⁻⁸ ± 20% (3.3V) 1 x 10 ⁻⁸ ± 20% (5V)	
Digital frequency adjustment range with serial RS-232 port.	Fine: ± 7 x 10 ⁻⁹ (resolution: 3 x 10 ⁻¹²) Coarse: ± 1 x 10 ⁻⁷ (resolution: 1.24x 10 ⁻⁹)	
Output level	Square wave O-3V	
Spurious f _o ± 100kHz	<-80dBc	
Supply voltage Max Power Supply Ripple	5V < 50 mV peak to peak (from 1Hz to 1MHz frequency band)	3.3V (option code 3.3 V) < 5 mV peak to peak (from 1Hz to 1 MHz frequency band)
Input power @ 25°C	o.57W steady state 2.5W start-up (typical values)	3.3V (option code 3.3 V) o.5W steady state 1.7W start-up (typical values)
Lock Indicator Unlocked Locked	> 3 V < 0.4 V	

ENVIRONMENTAL

Туре	mRO-50 Ruggedized
Magnetic field sensitivity	< 1 x 10 ⁻¹⁰ / Gauss
Storage Temperature	- 55°C to + 105°C
Operating Temperature	-40°C to +80°C (maximum temperature of the thermal chamber with air flow around unit)
Overall Environment Effects Altitude (qualification ongoing) Vibration, Shocks (qualification ongoing)	Meets or exceeds: MIL-STD-810H, Method 500.6 MIL-STD-810H, Test Condition A, Method 514.8 Annex E general exposure 7.7g _{RMS'} (no loss of lock) MIL-STD-202G, 50g, 11 ms, half sine
Humidity (qualification ongoing)	MIL-STD-810H, Method 507.6 35°C, 95% relative humidity
g-tip-over test	2 x 10 ⁻¹⁰ / g on worst sensitive axis



PHYSICAL

Туре	mRO-50 Ruggedized
Size	50.8 x 50.8 x 20 mm (± 0.4 mm) 2" x 2" x 0.787"
Weight	80 g max. 2.82 oz. max.
Volume	< 52 cc

MBTF

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MORE ON APPLICATIONS

The mRO-50 Ruggedized design has been improved to reduce power consumption and size to meet the latest requirements necessary to support various levels of military and commercial applications.



GNSS operation through interfere
Low Earth Orbit satellite missions



Military communication systems

Key Infrastructure Emergency Veh

Radars

Aircraft and UAVs



Secured telecomUnderwater geological applicationAutonomous carsAircrafts