

STAR® 3300 Water MTU

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HOURLY READS

The 3300 water MTU delivers hourly, timestamped interval-usage data, providing detailed information about water usage and identifying anomalies such as potential leaks and meter tampering.

TIME SYNCHRONIZATION

The 3300 water MTU features time synchronization to ensure a complete system read snapshot at one time. The Utility can then uses the consumption from one point in time data to reconcile the amount of water entering the system to the billable water that is consumed, thus identifying the probability of system leaks.

SYSTEM DATA SUPPORT

The STAR Network system provides full data support from the meter to your utility office. The system's Network Control Computer (NCC) manages and searches MTU data, tracks MTU installations, configures system settings and user roles, and creates reports to monitor MTUs in logical groups or by individual accounts.

STANDARD SYSTEM REPORTS

- · Total consumption
- · Constant Consumption
- · Zero consumption
- Missing reads
- Reception report
- · Tamper report
- MTU:DCU redundancy
- · Duplicate meter serial number request
- Duplicate MTUs report

FEATURES AND BENEFITS

- 20-year lithium-ion battery
- Two-way communication
- · Captures hourly meter data
- Provides system-wide time synchronization
- Supports up to 9-digit registers
- Operates over FCC-licensed radio frequencies







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SPECIFICATIONS

Network type Two-way¹

Transmit/receive frequency 450-470 MHz (FCC licensed)
Antenna Internal or remote external

Installation locations Interior wall mount, exterior wall mount, pit/vault, remote antenna through-the-lid²

Read interval Hourly-top of the hour readings, default user configurable

Transmit interval Four times per day default

Inputs Single or dual ports

Wire length 12 feet-22 AWG solid wire, with various industry-standard connectors available

Battery life 20 years^{3,4}
End point to end point time difference < 1 min

Physical characteristics 6.38" W x 4.25" H x 1.44" D

Weight 1 lb
Color Gray

Operating temp range -40°C to +70°C

Operating humidity0% - 100% submersible (IP68 rated)Transmit power optionsStandard and extended range availableApprovalsFCC part 90 : Industry Canada RSS-119

Warranty 20 years⁵

Meter compatibility All major manufacturers of water meters

Network topology STAR Network
Network compatibility Aclara DCU II

Handheld interfaceWindows based deviceMeter interfacePulse or encoder

Data resolution 4–9 digits⁶

Maximum meter pulse frequency Three pulses per second⁷

Notes:

- 1. Two-way communication for time synchronization and time management
- 2. Pit/vault installation under non-metallic lid, or under metallic lid using through-the-lid remote antenna
- 3. Battery life is stated at default settings
- 4. Standard range
- 5. Refer to Aclara standard warranty for details
- 6. Reports all digits that are electronically available from register
- 7. Pulse input only

Specifications are subject to change without notice.

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