

# **Swift Navigation Binary Protocol**

## **Protocol Specification 2.2.1**

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## **Overview**

The Swift Navigation Binary Protocol (SBP) is a fast, simple, and minimal binary protocol for communicating with Swift devices. It is the native binary protocol used by the Piksi GPS receiver to transmit solutions, observations, status, and debugging messages, as well as receive messages from the host operating system, such as differential corrections and the almanac. As such, it is an important interface with your Piksi receiver and the primary integration method with other systems.

This document provides a specification of SBP framing and the payload structures of the messages currently used with Swift devices. SBP client libraries in a variety of programming languages are available at <a href="http://docs.swiftnav.com/wiki/SwiftNav\_Binary\_Protocol">http://docs.swiftnav.com/wiki/SwiftNav\_Binary\_Protocol</a>.

## **Message Framing Structure**

SBP consists of two pieces:

- an over-the-wire message framing format
- structured payload definitions

As of Version 2.2.1, the frame consists of a 6-byte binary header section, a variable-sized payload field, and a 16-bit CRC value. All multibyte values are ordered in **little-endian** format. SBP uses the CCITT CRC16 (XMODEM implementation) for error detection<sup>1</sup>.

Offset (bytes)	Size (bytes)	Name	Description	
0	1	Preamble	Denotes the start of frame transmission. Always 0x55.	
1	2	Message Type	Identifies the payload contents.	
3	2	Sender	A unique identifier of the sender. On the Piksi, this is set to the 2 least significant bytes of the device serial number. A stream of SBP messages may also include sender IDs for forwarded messages. By default, clients of 'libsbp' use a sender id value of '0x42'. Sender id '0x42' is used to represent device controllers such as the Piksi Console.	
5	1	Length	Length (bytes) of the Payload field.	
6	Ν	Payload	Binary message contents.	
N + 6	2	CRC	Cyclic Redundancy Check of the frame's binary data from the Message Type up to the end of Payload (does not include the Preamble).	
	N + 8		Total Frame Length	

Table 2.0.1: Swift Binary Protocol message structure. N denotes a variable-length size.

## **NMEA-0183**

Swift devices, such as the Piksi, also have limited support for the standard NMEA-0183 protocol.

Note that NMEA-0183 doesn't define standardized message string equivalents for many important SBP messages such as observations, baselines and ephemerides. For this reason it is strongly recommended to use SBP for new development. NMEA-0183 output is provided primarily to support legacy devices.

 $<sup>^1</sup>$ CCITT 16-bit CRC Implementation uses parameters used by XMODEM, i.e. the polynomial:  $x^{16} + x^{12} + x^5 + 1$ . For more details, please see the implementation at https://github.com/swift-nav/libsbp/blob/master/c/src/edc.c#L59. See also A Painless Guide to CRC Error Detection Algorithms at  $http://www.ross.net/crc/download/crc_v3.txt$ 

## **Basic Formats and Payload Structure**

The binary payload of an SBP message decodes into structured data based on the message type defined in the header. SBP uses several primitive numerical and collection types for defining payload contents.

Name	Size (bytes)	Description
s8	1	Signed 8-bit integer
s16	2	Signed 16-bit integer
s32	4	Signed 32-bit integer
s64	8	Signed 64-bit integer
u8	1	Unsigned 8-bit integer
u16	2	Unsigned 16-bit integer
u32	4	Unsigned 32-bit integer
u64	8	Unsigned 64-bit integer
float	4	Single-precision float (IEEE-754)
double	8	Double-precision float (IEEE-754)
array	_	Fixed or variable length array of any fill type
string	_	Fixed or variable length string (NULL padded/terminated)
bitfield	_	A primitive type, typically a u8, can encode boolean and enumerated status flags.

Table 4.0.1: SBP primitive types

#### **Example Message**

As an example, consider this framed series of bytes read from a serial port:

55 02 02 cc 04 14 70 3d d0 18 cf ef ff ff ef e8 ff ff f0 18 00 00 00 05 00 43 94

This byte array decodes into a MSG\_BASELINE\_ECEF (see pg. 11), which reports the baseline position solution of the rover receiver relative to the base station receiver in Earth Centered Earth Fixed (ECEF) coordinates. The segments of this byte array and its contents break down as follows:

Field Name	Туре	Value	Bytestring Segment
Preamble	u8	0x55	55
Message Type	u16	MSG_BASELINE_ECEF	02 02
Sender	u16	1228	cc 04
Length	u8	20	14
Payload		_	70 3d d0 18 cf ef ff ff ef e8 ff ff
			f0 18 00 00 00 00 05 00
MSG_BASELINE_ECEF			
.tow	u32	$416300400~\mathrm{msec}$	70 3d d0 18
.X	s32	$-4145~\mathrm{mm}$	cf ef ff ff
.y	s32	$-5905 \mathrm{\ mm}$	ef e8 ff ff
.Z	s32	$6384~\mathrm{mm}$	f0 18 00 00
.accuracy	u16	0	00 00
.nsats	u8	5	05
.flags	u8	0	00
CRC	u16	0x9443	43 94

Table 4.0.2: SBP breakdown for MSG\_BASELINE\_ECEF

# **Message Types**

Packages define a logical collection of SBP messages. The contents and layout of messages in packages marked **stable** are unlikely to change in the future. **Draft** messages *will change with future development* and are detailed purely for *informational purposes only*. Many draft messages are implementation-defined, and some collections, such as the acquisition package, are used for internal development.

Package	Msg ID	Name	Size (bytes)	Description
Stable				
Logging	0x0401	MSG_LOG	N+1	Plaintext logging messages with levels
	0x0402	MSG_FWD	N+2	Wrapper for FWD a separate stream of infor-
				mation over SBP
Navigation	0x0102	MSG_GPS_TIME	11	GPS Time
	0x0103	MSG_UTC_TIME	16	UTC Time
	0x0208	MSG_DOPS	15	Dilution of Precision
	0x0209	MSG_POS_ECEF	32	Single-point position in ECEF
	0x020A	MSG_POS_LLH	34	Geodetic Position
	0x020B	MSG_BASELINE_ECEF	20	Baseline Position in ECEF
	0x020C	MSG_BASELINE_NED	22	Baseline in NED
	0x020D	MSG_VEL_ECEF	20	Velocity in ECEF
	0x020E	MSG_VEL_NED	22	Velocity in NED
	0x020F	MSG_BASELINE_HEADING	10	Heading relative to True North
	0x0210	MSG_AGE_CORRECTIONS	6	Age of corrections
Observation	0x004A	MSG_OBS	17N + 11	GPS satellite observations
	0x0044	MSG_BASE_POS_LLH	24	Base station position
	0x0048	MSG_BASE_POS_ECEF	24	Base station position in ECEF
	0x0081	MSG_EPHEMERIS_GPS_DEP_E	185	Satellite broadcast ephemeris for GPS
	0x0086	MSG_EPHEMERIS_GPS	183	Satellite broadcast ephemeris for GPS
	0x0082	MSG_EPHEMERIS_SBAS_DEP_A	112	Satellite broadcast ephemeris for SBAS
	0x0083	MSG_EPHEMERIS_GLO_DEP_A	112	Satellite broadcast ephemeris for GLO
	0x0084	MSG_EPHEMERIS_SBAS	110	Satellite broadcast ephemeris for SBAS
	0x0087	MSG_EPHEMERIS_GLO	118	Satellite broadcast ephemeris for GLO
	0x0085	MSG_EPHEMERIS_GLO_DEP_B	110	Satellite broadcast ephemeris for GLO
	0x0090	MSG_IONO	70	lono corrections
	0x0091	MSG_SV_CONFIGURATION_GPS	10	L2C capability mask
	0x0092	MSG_GROUP_DELAY_DEP_A	14	Group Delay
	0x0093	MSG_GROUP_DELAY	17	Group Delay
	0x0070	MSG_ALMANAC_GPS	96	Satellite broadcast ephemeris for GPS
	0x0071	MSG_ALMANAC_GLO	80	Satellite broadcast ephemeris for GLO
	0x0072	MSG_FCNS_GLO	38	GLONASS SV orbital and frequency slots map-
	OXOUTZ	TIDGLI OND GEO	30	ping information
Settings	0x00A1	MSG SETTINGS SAVE	0	Save settings to flash
Settings	0x00A1	MSG_SETTINGS_WRITE	N	Write device configuration settings
	0x00A4	MSG_SETTINGS_READ_REQ	N	Read device configuration settings
	0x00A4	MSG_SETTINGS_READ_RESP	N	Read device configuration settings
	0x00A3	MSG_SETTINGS_READ_RESF MSG_SETTINGS_READ_BY_INDEX_REQ	2	Read setting by direct index
	0x00A2	MSG_SETTINGS_READ_BY_INDEX_RESP	N+2	Read setting by direct index
	0x00A7	MSG_SETTINGS_READ_BY_INDEX_DONE	0	Finished reading settings
System			4	
System	0xFF00	MSG_STARTUP		System start-up message Status of received corrections
	0xFF02	MSG_DGNSS_STATUS	N+4	
	0xFFFF	MSG_HEARTBEAT	4	System heartbeat message

#### Draft

Acquisition	0x001F	MSG_ACQ_RESULT	16	Satellite acquisition result
	0x001E	MSG_ACQ_SV_PROFILE	35 <i>N</i>	Acquisition perfomance measurement and debug
Ext Events	0x0101	MSG_EXT_EVENT	12	Reports timestamped external pin event
File IO	0x00A8	MSG_FILEIO_READ_REQ	N + 9	Read file from the file system
1 110 10	0x00A3	MSG_FILEIO_READ_RESP	N+4	File read from the file system
	0x00A9	MSG_FILEIO_READ_DIR_REQ	N + 8	List files in a directory
	OxOOAA	MSG_FILEIO_READ_DIR_RESP	N+4	Files listed in a directory
	0x00AC	MSG_FILEIO_REMOVE	N	Delete a file from the file system
	OxOOAD	MSG_FILEIO_WRITE_REQ	N + 9	Write to file
	0x00AB	MSG_FILEIO_WRITE_RESP	4	File written to
lmu	0x0900	MSG_IMU_RAW	17	Raw IMU data
	0x0901	MSG_IMU_AUX	4	Auxiliary IMU data
Piksi	0x0069	MSG_ALMANAC	0	Legacy message to load satellite almanac
	0x0068	MSG_SET_TIME	0	Send GPS time from host
	0x00B6	MSG_RESET	4	Reset the device
	0x00B2	MSG_RESET_DEP	0	Reset the device
	0x00C0	MSG_CW_RESULTS	0	Legacy message for CW interference channel (Piksi = ¿ host)
	0x00C1	MSG_CW_START	0	Legacy message for CW interference channel
	0x0022	MSG_RESET_FILTERS	1	Reset IAR filters
	0x0023	MSG_INIT_BASE	0	Initialize IAR from known baseline
	0x0017	MSG_THREAD_STATE	26	State of an RTOS thread
	0x001D	MSG_UART_STATE	74	State of the UART channels
	0x0018	MSG_UART_STATE_DEPA	58	Deprecated
	0x0019	MSG_IAR_STATE	4	State of the Integer Ambiguity Resolution (IAR) process
	0x001B	MSG_MASK_SATELLITE	5	Mask a satellite from use in Piksi subsystems
	0x00B5	MSG_DEVICE_MONITOR	10	Device temperature and voltage levels
	0x00B8	MSG_COMMAND_REQ	N+4	Execute a command
	0x00B9	MSG_COMMAND_RESP	8	Exit code from executed command (device = ¿ host)
	0x00BA	MSG_NETWORK_STATE_REQ	0	Request state of Piksi network interfaces
	0x00BB	MSG_NETWORK_STATE_RESP	50	State of network interface
Tracking	0x0013	MSG_TRACKING_STATE	9 <i>N</i>	Signal tracking channel states
-	0x001C	MSG_TRACKING_IQ	8N + 5	Tracking channel correlations
User	0x0800	MSG_USER_DATA	Ν	User data

Table 5.0.2: SBP message types

# **Stable Message Definitions**

## Logging

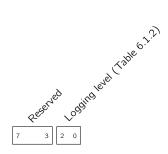
Logging and debugging messages from the device.

#### $MSG_LOG - 0x0401 - 1025$

This message contains a human-readable payload string from the device containing errors, warnings and informational messages at ERROR, WARNING, DEBUG, INFO logging levels.

Offset (bytes)	Size (bytes)	Format	Units	Name	Description
0	1	u8		level	Logging level
1	Ν	string		text	Human-readable string
	N + 1				Total Payload Length

Table 6.1.1: MSG\_LOG 0x0401 message structure



Field 6.1.1: Logging level (level)

Value	Description
0	EMERG
1	ALERT
2	CRIT
3	ERROR
4	WARN
5	NOTICE
6	INFO
7	DEBUG

Table 6.1.2: Logging level values (level[0:2])

#### $MSG_FWD - 0x0402 - 1026$

This message provides the ability to forward messages over SBP. This may take the form of wrapping up SBP messages received by Piksi for logging purposes or wrapping another protocol with SBP.

The source identifier indicates from what interface a forwarded stream derived. The protocol identifier identifies what the expected protocol the forwarded msg contains. Protocol 0 represents SBP and the remaining values are implementation defined.

Offset (bytes)	Size (bytes)	Format	Units	Name	Description
0 1	1 1	u8 u8		source protocol	source identifier protocol identifier
2	N N + 2	string		fwd_payload	variable length wrapped binary message  Total Payload Length

Table 6.1.3: MSG\_FWD 0x0402 message structure

## **Navigation**

Geodetic navigation messages reporting GPS time, position, velocity, and baseline position solutions. For position solutions, these messages define several different position solutions: single-point (SPP), RTK, and pseudo-absolute position solutions.

The SPP is the standalone, absolute GPS position solution using only a single receiver. The RTK solution is the differential GPS solution, which can use either a fixed/integer or floating carrier phase ambiguity. The pseudo-absolute position solution uses a user-provided, well-surveyed base station position (if available) and the RTK solution in tandem.

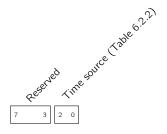
#### MSG\_GPS\_TIME — 0x0102 — 258

This message reports the GPS time, representing the time since the GPS epoch began on midnight January 6, 1980 UTC. GPS time counts the weeks and seconds of the week. The weeks begin at the Saturday/Sunday transition. GPS week 0 began at the beginning of the GPS time scale.

Within each week number, the GPS time of the week is between between 0 and 604800 seconds (=60\*60\*24\*7). Note that GPS time does not accumulate leap seconds, and as of now, has a small offset from UTC. In a message stream, this message precedes a set of other navigation messages referenced to the same time (but lacking the ns field) and indicates a more precise time of these messages.

Offset (bytes)	Size (bytes)	Format	Units	Name	Description
0	2	u16	weeks	wn	GPS week number
2	4	u32	ms	tow	GPS time of week rounded to the nearest millisecond
6	4	s32	ns	ns_residual	Nanosecond residual of millisecond-rounded TOW (ranges from -500000 to 500000)
10	1	u8		flags	Status flags (reserved)
	11				Total Payload Length

Table 6.2.1: MSG\_GPS\_TIME 0x0102 message structure



Field 6.2.1: Status flags (reserved) (flags)

Value	Description
0	None (invalid) GNSS Solution

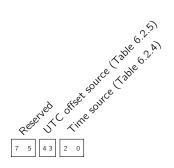
Table 6.2.2: Time source values (flags[0:2])

#### $MSG\_UTC\_TIME - 0x0103 - 259$

This message reports the Universal Coordinated Time (UTC). Note the flags which indicate the source of the UTC offset value and source of the time fix.

Offset (bytes)	Size (bytes)	Format	Units	Name	Description
0	1	u8		flags	Indicates source and time validity
1	4	u32	ms	tow	GPS time of week rounded to the nearest millisecond
5	2	u16	year	year	Year
7	1	u8	months	month	Month (range 1 12)
8	1	u8	day	day	days in the month (range 1-31)
9	1	u8	hours	hours	hours of day (range 0-23)
10	1	u8	minutes	minutes	minutes of hour (range 0-59)
11	1	u8	seconds	seconds	seconds of minute (range 0-60) rounded down
12	4	u32	nanoseconds	ns	nanoseconds of second (range 0-999999999)
	16				Total Payload Length

Table 6.2.3: MSG\_UTC\_TIME 0x0103 message structure



Field 6.2.2: Indicates source and time validity (flags)

Value	Description
0	None (invalid)
1	GNSS Solution

Table 6.2.4: Time source values (flags[0:2])

Value	Description
0	Factory Default
1	Non Volatile Memory
2	Decoded this Session

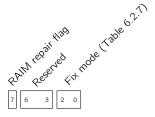
Table 6.2.5: UTC offset source values (flags[3:4])

#### $MSG_DOPS - 0x0208 - 520$

This dilution of precision (DOP) message describes the effect of navigation satellite geometry on positional measurement precision. The flags field indicated whether the DOP reported corresponds to differential or SPP solution.

Offset (bytes)	Size (bytes)	Format	Units	Name	Description
0	4	u32	ms	tow	GPS Time of Week
4	2	u16	0.01	gdop	Geometric Dilution of Precision
6	2	u16	0.01	pdop	Position Dilution of Precision
8	2	u16	0.01	tdop	Time Dilution of Precision
10	2	u16	0.01	hdop	Horizontal Dilution of Precision
12	2	u16	0.01	vdop	Vertical Dilution of Precision
14	1	u8		flags	Indicates the position solution with which the DOPS message corresponds
	15				Total Payload Length

Table 6.2.6: MSG\_DOPS 0x0208 message structure



Field 6.2.3: Indicates the position solution with which the DOPS message corresponds (flags)

Value	Description
0	Invalid
1	Single Point Position (SPP)
2	Differential GNSS (DGNSS)
3	Float RTK
4	Fixed RTK

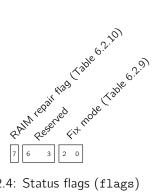
Table 6.2.7: Fix mode values (flags[0:2])

#### MSG\_POS\_ECEF — 0x0209 — 521

The position solution message reports absolute Earth Centered Earth Fixed (ECEF) coordinates and the status (single point vs pseudo-absolute RTK) of the position solution. If the rover receiver knows the surveyed position of the base station and has an RTK solution, this reports a pseudo-absolute position solution using the base station position and the rover's RTK baseline vector. The full GPS time is given by the preceding MSG\_GPS\_TIME with the matching time-of-week (tow).

Offset (bytes)	Size (bytes)	Format	Units	Name	Description
0	4	u32	ms	tow	GPS Time of Week
4	8	double	m	Х	ECEF X coordinate
12	8	double	m	У	ECEF Y coordinate
20	8	double	m	z	ECEF Z coordinate
28	2	u16	mm	accuracy	Position accuracy estimate.
30	1	u8		$n_{-}sats$	Number of satellites used in solution
31	1	u8		flags	Status flags
	32				Total Payload Length

Table 6.2.8: MSG\_POS\_ECEF 0x0209 message structure



Field 6.2.4: Status flags (flags)

Value	Description
0	Invalid
1	Single Point Position (SPP)
2	Differential GNSS (DGNSS)
3	Float RTK
4	Fixed RTK

Table 6.2.9: Fix mode values (flags[0:2])

Value	Description
0	No repair
1	Solution came from RAIM repair

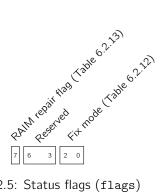
Table 6.2.10: RAIM repair flag values (flags[7])

#### $MSG_POS_LLH - 0x020A - 522$

This position solution message reports the absolute geodetic coordinates and the status (single point vs pseudo-absolute RTK) of the position solution. If the rover receiver knows the surveyed position of the base station and has an RTK solution, this reports a pseudo-absolute position solution using the base station position and the rover's RTK baseline vector. The full GPS time is given by the preceding MSG\_GPS\_TIME with the matching time-of-week (tow).

Offset (bytes)	Size (bytes)	Format	Units	Name	Description
0	4	u32	ms	tow	GPS Time of Week
4	8	double	deg	lat	Latitude
12	8	double	deg	lon	Longitude
20	8	double	m	height	Height above WGS84 ellipsoid
28	2	u16	mm	$h_{-}$ accuracy	Horizontal position accuracy estimate.
30	2	u16	mm	v_accuracy	Vertical position accuracy estimate.
32	1	u8		n_sats	Number of satellites used in solution.
33	1	u8		flags	Status flags
	34				Total Payload Length

Table 6.2.11: MSG\_POS\_LLH 0x020A message structure



Field 6.2.5: Status flags (flags)

Value	Description
0	Invalid
1	Single Point Position (SPP)
2	Differential GNSS (DGNSS)
3	Float RTK
4	Fixed RTK

Table 6.2.12: Fix mode values (flags[0:2])

Value	Description
0	No repair
1	Solution came from RAIM repair

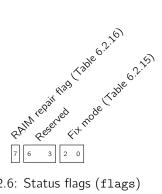
Table 6.2.13: RAIM repair flag values (flags[7])

#### MSG\_BASELINE\_ECEF — 0x020B — 523

This message reports the baseline solution in Earth Centered Earth Fixed (ECEF) coordinates. This baseline is the relative vector distance from the base station to the rover receiver. The full GPS time is given by the preceding MSG\_GPS\_TIME with the matching time-of-week (tow).

Offset (bytes)	Size (bytes)	Format	Units	Name	Description
0	4	u32	ms	tow	GPS Time of Week
4	4	s32	mm	X	Baseline ECEF X coordinate
8	4	s32	mm	У	Baseline ECEF Y coordinate
12	4	s32	mm	Z	Baseline ECEF Z coordinate
16	2	u16	mm	accuracy	Position accuracy estimate
18	1	u8		$n\_sats$	Number of satellites used in solution
19	1	u8		flags	Status flags
	20				Total Payload Length

Table 6.2.14: MSG\_BASELINE\_ECEF 0x020B message structure



Field 6.2.6: Status flags (flags)

Value	Description
0	Invalid
1	Reserved
2	Differential GNSS (DGNSS)
3	Float RTK
4	Fixed RTK

Table 6.2.15: Fix mode values (flags[0:2])

_	Value	Description
(	0	No repair
-	1	Solution came from RAIM repair

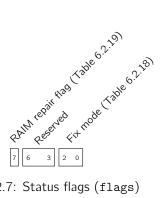
Table 6.2.16: RAIM repair flag values (flags[7])

#### MSG\_BASELINE\_NED — 0x020C — 524

This message reports the baseline solution in North East Down (NED) coordinates. This baseline is the relative vector distance from the base station to the rover receiver, and NED coordinate system is defined at the local WGS84 tangent plane centered at the base station position. The full GPS time is given by the preceding MSG\_GPS\_TIME with the matching time-of-week (tow).

Offset (bytes)	Size (bytes)	Format	Units	Name	Description
0	4	u32	ms	tow	GPS Time of Week
4	4	s32	mm	n	Baseline North coordinate
8	4	s32	mm	е	Baseline East coordinate
12	4	s32	mm	d	Baseline Down coordinate
16	2	u16	mm	$h\_accuracy$	Horizontal position accuracy estimate
18	2	u16	mm	$v_{\mathtt{-}}$ accuracy	Vertical position accuracy estimate
20	1	u8		$n\_sats$	Number of satellites used in solution
21	1	u8		flags	Status flags
	22				Total Payload Length

Table 6.2.17: MSG\_BASELINE\_NED 0x020C message structure



Field 6.2.7: Status flags (flags)

Value	Description
0	Invalid
1	Reserved
2	Differential GNSS (DGNSS)
3	Float RTK
4	Fixed RTK

Table 6.2.18: Fix mode values (flags[0:2])

Value	Description
0	No repair
1	Solution came from RAIM repair

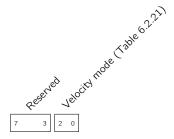
Table 6.2.19: RAIM repair flag values (flags[7])

#### $MSG_VEL_ECEF - 0x020D - 525$

This message reports the velocity in Earth Centered Earth Fixed (ECEF) coordinates. The full GPS time is given by the preceding MSG\_GPS\_TIME with the matching time-of-week (tow).

Offset (bytes)	Size (bytes)	Format	Units	Name	Description
0	4	u32	ms	tow	GPS Time of Week
4	4	s32	mm/s	x	Velocity ECEF X coordinate
8	4	s32	mm/s	У	Velocity ECEF Y coordinate
12	4	s32	mm/s	Z	Velocity ECEF Z coordinate
16	2	u16	mm/s	accuracy	Velocity accuracy estimate (not implemented). Defaults to 0.
18	1	u8		n_sats	Number of satellites used in solution
19	1	u8		flags	Status flags
	20				Total Payload Length

Table 6.2.20: MSG\_VEL\_ECEF 0x020D message structure



Field 6.2.8: Status flags (flags)

Value	Description
0	Invalid
1	Measured Doppler derived
2	Computed Doppler derived

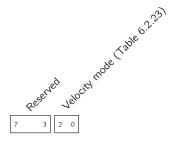
Table 6.2.21: Velocity mode values (flags[0:2])

#### $MSG_VEL_NED - 0x020E - 526$

This message reports the velocity in local North East Down (NED) coordinates. The NED coordinate system is defined as the local WGS84 tangent plane centered at the current position. The full GPS time is given by the preceding MSG\_GPS\_TIME with the matching time-of-week (tow).

Offset (bytes)	Size (bytes)	Format	Units	Name	Description
0	4	u32	ms	tow	GPS Time of Week
4	4	s32	mm/s	n	Velocity North coordinate
8	4	s32	mm/s	е	Velocity East coordinate
12	4	s32	mm/s	d	Velocity Down coordinate
16	2	u16	mm/s	$h_{-}$ accuracy	Horizontal velocity accuracy estimate (not implemented). Defaults to 0.
18	2	u16	mm/s	$v_{-}accuracy$	Vertical velocity accuracy estimate (not implemented). Defaults to 0.
20	1	u8		$n\_sats$	Number of satellites used in solution
21	1	u8		flags	Status flags
	22				Total Payload Length

Table 6.2.22: MSG\_VEL\_NED 0x020E message structure



Field 6.2.9: Status flags (flags)

Value	Description			
0	Invalid			
1	Measured Doppler derived			
2	Computed Doppler derived			

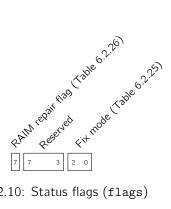
Table 6.2.23: Velocity mode values (flags[0:2])

#### MSG\_BASELINE\_HEADING — 0x020F — 527

This message reports the baseline heading pointing from the base station to the rover relative to True North. The full GPS time is given by the preceding MSG\_GPS\_TIME with the matching time-of-week (tow). It is intended that time-matched RTK mode is used when the base station is moving.

Offset (bytes)	Size (bytes)	Format	Units	Name	Description
0 4 8 9	4 4 1 1	u32 u32 u8 u8	ms mdeg	tow heading n_sats flags	GPS Time of Week Heading Number of satellites used in solution Status flags
	10				Total Payload Length

Table 6.2.24: MSG\_BASELINE\_HEADING 0x020F message structure



Field 6.2.10: Status flags (flags)

Value	Description
0	Invalid
1	Reserved
2	Differential GNSS (DGNSS)
3	Float RTK
4	Fixed RTK

Table 6.2.25: Fix mode values (flags[0:2])

Value	Description
0	No repair
1	Solution came from RAIM repair

Table 6.2.26: RAIM repair flag values (flags[7])

#### $MSG\_AGE\_CORRECTIONS - 0x0210 - 528$

This message reports the Age of the corrections used for the current Differential solution

Offset (bytes)	Size (bytes)	Format	Units	Name	Description
0 4	4 2	u32 u16	ms deciseconds	tow age	GPS Time of Week Age of the corrections (0xFFFF indicates invalid)
	6				Total Payload Length

Table 6.2.27: MSG\_AGE\_CORRECTIONS 0x0210 message structure

### **Observation**

Satellite observation messages from the device.

#### MSG\_OBS — 0x004A — 74

The GPS observations message reports all the raw pseudorange and carrier phase observations for the satellites being tracked by the device. Carrier phase observation here is represented as a 40-bit fixed point number with Q32.8 layout (i.e. 32-bits of whole cycles and 8-bits of fractional cycles). The observations are be interoperable with 3rd party receivers and conform with typical RTCMv3 GNSS observations.

Offset (bytes)	Size (bytes)	Format	Units	Name	Description
0	4	u32	ms	header.t.tow	Milliseconds since start of GPS week
4	4	s32	ns	header.t.ns_	residual of millisecond-rounded TOW (ranges from -500000 to 500000)
8	2	u16	week	header.t.wn	GPS week number
10	1	u8		header.n_obs	Total number of observations. First nibble is the size of the sequence (n), second nibble is the zero-indexed counter (ith packet of n)
17N + 11	4	u32	2 cm	obs[N].P	Pseudorange observation
17N + 15	4	s32	cycles	obs[N].L.i	Carrier phase whole cycles
17N + 19	1	u8	cycles / 256	obs[N].L.f	Carrier phase fractional part
17N + 20	2	s16	Hz	obs[N].D.i	Doppler whole Hz
17N + 22	1	u8	Hz / 256	obs[N].D.f	Doppler fractional part
17N + 23	1	u8	dB Hz / 4	obs[N].cn0	Carrier-to-Noise density. Zero implies invalid cn0.
17 <i>N</i> + 24	1	u8		obs[N].lock	Lock timer. This value gives an indication of the time for which a signal has maintained continuous phase lock. Whenever a signal has lost and regained lock, this value is reset to zero. It is encoded according to DF402 from the RTCM 10403.2 Amendment 2 specification. Valid values range from 0 to 15 and the most significant nibble is reserved for future use.
17 <i>N</i> + 25	1	u8		obs[N].flags	Measurement status flags. A bit field of flags providing the status of this observation. If this field is 0 it means only the Cn0 estimate for the signal is valid.
17N + 26	1	u8			a€onstellation-specific satellite identifier
17N + 27	1	u8		obs[N].sid.c	o&egnal constellation, band and code
	17N + 11				Total Payload Length

Table 6.3.1: MSG\_OBS 0x004A message structure

Value	Description
0	Invalid pseudorange measurement
1	Valid pseudorange measurement and coarse TOW decoded

Table 6.3.2: Pseudorange valid values (flags[0])

Value	Description
0	Invalid carrier phase measurement
1	Valid carrier phase measurement

Table 6.3.3: Carrier phase valid values (flags[1])

Value	Description
0	Half cycle phase ambiguity unresolved
1	Half cycle phase ambiguity resolved

Table 6.3.4: Half-cycle ambiguity values (flags[2])

Value	Description
0	Invalid doppler measurement
1	Valid doppler measurement

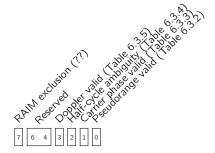
Table 6.3.5: Doppler valid values (flags[3])

Value	Description
0	No exclusion
1	Measurement was excluded by SPP RAIM, use with care

Table 6.3.6: RAIM exclusion values (flags[7])

Value	Description
0	GPS L1CA
1	GPS L2CM
2	SBAS L1CA
3	GLO L1CA
4	GLO L2CA
5	GPS L1P
6	GPS L2P

Table 6.3.7: values (sid.code[0:7])



Field 6.3.1: Measurement status flags. A bit field of flags providing the status of this observation. If this field is 0 it means only the Cn0 estimate for the signal is valid. (flags)



Field 6.3.2: Signal constellation, band and code (sid.code)

#### MSG\_BASE\_POS\_LLH — 0x0044 — 68

The base station position message is the position reported by the base station itself. It is used for pseudo-absolute RTK positioning, and is required to be a high-accuracy surveyed location of the base station. Any error here will result in an error in the pseudo-absolute position output.

Offset (bytes)	Size (bytes)	Format	Units	Name	Description
0	8	double	deg	lat	Latitude
8	8	double	deg	lon	Longitude
16	8	double	m	height	Height
	24				Total Payload Length

Table 6.3.8: MSG\_BASE\_POS\_LLH 0x0044 message structure

#### MSG\_BASE\_POS\_ECEF — 0x0048 — 72

The base station position message is the position reported by the base station itself in absolute Earth Centered Earth Fixed coordinates. It is used for pseudo-absolute RTK positioning, and is required to be a high-accuracy surveyed location of the base station. Any error here will result in an error in the pseudo-absolute position output.

Offset (bytes)	Size (bytes)	Format	Units	Name	Description
0	8	double	m	X	ECEF X coodinate
8	8	double	m	у	ECEF Y coordinate
16	8	double	m	z	ECEF Z coordinate
	24				Total Payload Length

Table 6.3.9: MSG\_BASE\_POS\_ECEF 0x0048 message structure

#### $MSG\_EPHEMERIS\_GPS\_DEP\_E - 0x0081 - 129$

The ephemeris message returns a set of satellite orbit parameters that is used to calculate GPS satellite position, velocity, and clock offset. Please see the Navstar GPS Space Segment/Navigation user interfaces (ICD-GPS-200, Table 20-III) for more details.

Offset (bytes)	Size (bytes)	Format	Units	Name	Description
0	2	u16		common.sid	L.sa€onstellation-specific satellite identifier.  Note: unlike GnssSignal16, GPS satellites  are encoded as (PRN - 1). Other constel-
					lations do not have this offset.
2	1	u8		common sid	co&egnal constellation, band and code
3	1	u8			l.resespeted
4	4	u32	ms		. toMilliseconds since start of GPS week
8	2	u16	week		wnGPS week number
10	8	double	m	common.ura	
18	4	u32	S		_in <b>t@rve</b> lfit interval
22	1	u8			id Status of ephemeris, $1 = \text{valid}$ , $0 = \text{invalid}$
23	1	u8			chapter 20.3.3.3.1.4 SBAS: 0 = valid, non-zero = invalid GLO: 0 = valid, non-zero =
0.4	0	م ا مار د مام	_	+ 3	invalid
24 32	8 8	double double	S	tgd	Group delay differential between L1 and L2 Amplitude of the sine harmonic correction
32	O	double	m	c_rs	term to the orbit radius
40	8	double	m	c_rc	Amplitude of the cosine harmonic correction
<del>1</del> 0	O	double	111	C_I C	term to the orbit radius
48	8	double	rad	c_uc	Amplitude of the cosine harmonic correction
40	O	double	Tau	C_uc	term to the argument of latitude
56	8	double	rad	c_us	Amplitude of the sine harmonic correction
	· ·	4045.0		0_42	term to the argument of latitude
64	8	double	rad	c_ic	Amplitude of the cosine harmonic correction
					term to the angle of inclination
72	8	double	rad	c_is	Amplitude of the sine harmonic correction
					term to the angle of inclination
80	8	double	rad/s	dn	Mean motion difference
88	8	double	rad	mO	Mean anomaly at reference time
96	8	double		ecc	Eccentricity of satellite orbit
104	8	double	$m^{(1/2)}$	sqrta	Square root of the semi-major axis of orbit
112	8	double	rad	omega0	Longitude of ascending node of orbit plane
					at weekly epoch
120	8	double	rad/s	omegadot	Rate of right ascension
128	8	double	rad	W	Argument of perigee
136	8	double	rad	inc	Inclination
144	8	double	rad/s	${\tt inc\_dot}$	Inclination first derivative
152	8	double	S	af0	Polynomial clock correction coefficient (clock bias)
160	8	double	s/s	af1	Polynomial clock correction coefficient (clock drift)
168	8	double	s/s^2	af2	Polynomial clock correction coefficient (rate of clock drift)
176	4	u32	ms	toc.tow	Milliseconds since start of GPS week
180	2	u16	week	toc.wn	GPS week number
182	1	u8		iode	Issue of ephemeris data
183	2	u16		iodc	Issue of clock data
	185				Total Payload Length

Table 6.3.10: MSG\_EPHEMERIS\_GPS\_DEP\_E 0x0081 message structure



Field 6.3.3: Signal constellation, band and code (common.sid.code)

Value	Description
0	GPS L1CA
1	GPS L2CM
2	SBAS L1CA
3	GLO L1CA
4	GLO L2CA
5	GPS L1P
6	GPS L2P

Table 6.3.11: values (common.sid.code[0:7])

### $\mathsf{MSG\_EPHEMERIS\_GPS} - 0\mathsf{x}0086 - 134$

The ephemeris message returns a set of satellite orbit parameters that is used to calculate GPS satellite position, velocity, and clock offset. Please see the Navstar GPS Space Segment/Navigation user interfaces (ICD-GPS-200, Table 20-III) for more details.

Offset (bytes)	Size (bytes)	Format	Units	Name	Description
0	1	u8		common.sid	.sa€onstellation-specific satellite identifier
1	1	u8		common.sid	co&egnal constellation, band and code
2	4	u32	S	common.toe.tobeconds since start of GPS week	
6	2	u16	week	common.toe.wnGPS week number	
8	8	double	m	common.ura	User Range Accuracy
16	4	u32	S	common.fit	_int@rvelfit interval
20	1	u8		common.val	id Status of ephemeris, $1 = \text{valid}$ , $0 = \text{invalid}$
21	1	u8		common.hea	hthSateBite health status. GPS: ICD-GPS-200, chapter 20.3.3.3.1.4 SBAS: 0 = valid, non-zero = invalid GLO: 0 = valid, non-zero = invalid
22	8	double	S	tgd	Group delay differential between L1 and L2
30	8	double	m	c_rs	Amplitude of the sine harmonic correction term to the orbit radius
38	8	double	m	c_rc	Amplitude of the cosine harmonic correction term to the orbit radius
46	8	double	rad	c_uc	Amplitude of the cosine harmonic correction term to the argument of latitude
54	8	double	rad	c_us	Amplitude of the sine harmonic correction term to the argument of latitude
62	8	double	rad	c_ic	Amplitude of the cosine harmonic correction term to the angle of inclination
70	8	double	rad	c_is	Amplitude of the sine harmonic correction term to the angle of inclination
78	8	double	rad/s	dn	Mean motion difference
86	8	double	rad	mO	Mean anomaly at reference time
94	8	double		ecc	Eccentricity of satellite orbit
102	8	double	$m^{(1/2)}$	sqrta	Square root of the semi-major axis of orbit
110	8	double	rad	omega0	Longitude of ascending node of orbit plane at weekly epoch
118	8	double	rad/s	omegadot	Rate of right ascension
126	8	double	rad <sup>′</sup>	W	Argument of perigee
134	8	double	rad	inc	Inclination
142	8	double	rad/s	${\tt inc\_dot}$	Inclination first derivative
150	8	double	S	af0	Polynomial clock correction coefficient (clock bias)
158	8	double	s/s	af1	Polynomial clock correction coefficient (clock drift)
166	8	double	s/s^2	af2	Polynomial clock correction coefficient (rate of clock drift)
174	4	u32	S	toc.tow	Seconds since start of GPS week
178	2	u16	week	toc.wn	GPS week number
180	1	u8		iode	Issue of ephemeris data
181	2	u16		iodc	Issue of clock data
	183				Total Payload Length

Table 6.3.12: MSG\_EPHEMERIS\_GPS 0x0086 message structure



Field 6.3.4: Signal constellation, band and code (common.sid.code)

Value	Description
0	GPS L1CA
1	GPS L2CM
2	SBAS L1CA
3	GLO L1CA
4	GLO L2CA
5	GPS L1P
6	GPS L2P

Table 6.3.13: values (common.sid.code[0:7])

#### $MSG\_EPHEMERIS\_SBAS\_DEP\_A - 0x0082 - 130$

Offset (bytes)	Size (bytes)	Format	Units	Name	Description	
0	2	u16		common.sid.	sa€onstellation-specific satellite identifier.	
					Note: unlike GnssSignal16, GPS satellites	
					are encoded as (PRN - 1). Other constel-	
					lations do not have this offset.	
2	1	u8		common.sid.	co&egnal constellation, band and code	
3	1	u8		common.sid.	re <b>Resend</b> ed	
4	4	u32	ms	common.toe.	toMilliseconds since start of GPS week	
8	2	u16	week	common.toe.	wnGPS week number	
10	8	double	m	common.ura	User Range Accuracy	
18	4	u32	S	common.fit_intarvalfit interval		
22	1	u8		common.valid Status of ephemeris, $1 = valid$ , $0 = invalid$		
23	1	u8		common.healthSateBite health status. GPS: ICD-GPS-200,		
					chapter 20.3.3.3.1.4 SBAS: $0 = \text{valid}$ , non-	
					zero = invalid GLO: 0 = valid, non-zero =	
					invalid	
24	24	double[3]	m	pos	Position of the GEO at time toe	
48	24	double[3]	m/s	vel	Velocity of the GEO at time toe	
72	24	double[3]	$m/s^2$	acc	Acceleration of the GEO at time toe	
96	8	double	S	a_gf0	Time offset of the GEO clock w.r.t. SBAS	
					Network Time	
104	8	double	s/s	$a_gf1$	Drift of the GEO clock w.r.t. SBAS Network	
					Time	
	112				Total Payload Length	

Table 6.3.14: MSG\_EPHEMERIS\_SBAS\_DEP\_A 0x0082 message structure



Field 6.3.5: Signal constellation, band and code (common.sid.code)

Value	Description				
0	GPS L1CA				
1	GPS L2CM				
2	SBAS L1CA				
3	GLO L1CA				
4	GLO L2CA				
5	GPS L1P				
6	GPS L2P				

Table 6.3.15: values (common.sid.code[0:7])

#### MSG\_EPHEMERIS\_GLO\_DEP\_A — 0x0083 — 131

The ephemeris message returns a set of satellite orbit parameters that is used to calculate GLO satellite position, velocity, and clock offset. Please see the GLO ICD 5.1 "Table 4.5 Characteristics of words of immediate information (ephemeris parameters)" for more details.

Offset (bytes)	Size (bytes)	Format	Units	Name	Description
0	2	u16		common.sid	1.sa€onstellation-specific satellite identifier.  Note: unlike GnssSignal16, GPS satellites are encoded as (PRN - 1). Other constellations do not have this offset.
2	1	u8		common.sid	1.co&egnal constellation, band and code
3	1	u8			l.re <b>Serve</b> æd
4	4	u32	ms	common.toe	e.toMilliseconds since start of GPS week
8	2	u16	week	common.toe	e.wnGPS week number
10	8	double	m	common.ura	u User Range Accuracy
18	4	u32	S	common.fit_int@rrvalfit interval	
22	1	u8		common.val	.id Status of ephemeris, $1 = \text{valid}$ , $0 = \text{invalid}$
23	1	u8		common.hea	althSateBite health status. GPS: ICD-GPS-200, chapter 20.3.3.3.1.4 SBAS: 0 = valid, non-zero = invalid GLO: 0 = valid, non-zero = invalid
24	8	double		gamma	Relative deviation of predicted carrier frequency from nominal
32	8	double	S	tau	Correction to the SV time
40	24	double[3]	m	pos	Position of the SV at tb in PZ-90.02 coordinates system
64	24	double[3]	m/s	vel	Velocity vector of the SV at tb in PZ-90.02 coordinates system
88	24	double[3]	m/s^2	acc	Acceleration vector of the SV at tb in PZ-90.02 coordinates sys
	112				Total Payload Length

Table 6.3.16: MSG\_EPHEMERIS\_GLO\_DEP\_A 0x0083 message structure



Field 6.3.6: Signal constellation, band and code (common.sid.code)

Value	Description
0	GPS L1CA
1	GPS L2CM
2	SBAS L1CA
3	GLO L1CA
4	GLO L2CA
5	GPS L1P
6	GPS L2P

Table 6.3.17: values (common.sid.code[0:7])

#### MSG\_EPHEMERIS\_SBAS — 0x0084 — 132

Offset (bytes)	Size (bytes)	Format	Units	Name	Description
0	1	u8		common.si	d.sa€onstellation-specific satellite identifier
1	1	u8			id.co&gnal constellation, band and code
2	4	u32	S	common.to	be.to&econds since start of GPS week
6	2	u16	week	common.to	be.wnGPS week number
8	8	double	m	common.ur	a User Range Accuracy
16	4	u32	S	common.fi	it_interval
20	1	u8		common.va	alid Status of ephemeris, $1 = \text{valid}$ , $0 = \text{invalid}$
21	1	u8		common.he	ealthSateBite health status. GPS: ICD-GPS-200, chapter 20.3.3.3.1.4 SBAS: 0 = valid, non-zero = invalid GLO: 0 = valid, non-zero = invalid
22	24	double[3]	m	pos	Position of the GEO at time toe
46	24	double[3]	m/s	vel	Velocity of the GEO at time toe
70	24	double[3]	m/s^2	acc	Acceleration of the GEO at time toe
94	8	double	S	a_gf0	Time offset of the GEO clock w.r.t. SBAS Network Time
102	8	double	s/s	a_gf1	Drift of the GEO clock w.r.t. SBAS Network Time
	110				Total Payload Length

Table 6.3.18: MSG\_EPHEMERIS\_SBAS 0x0084 message structure



Field 6.3.7: Signal constellation, band and code (common.sid.code)

Value	Description				
0	GPS L1CA				
1	GPS L2CM				
2	SBAS L1CA				
3	GLO L1CA				
4	GLO L2CA				
5	GPS L1P				
6	GPS L2P				

Table 6.3.19: values (common.sid.code[0:7])

#### MSG\_EPHEMERIS\_GLO — 0x0087 — 135

The ephemeris message returns a set of satellite orbit parameters that is used to calculate GLO satellite position, velocity, and clock offset. Please see the GLO ICD 5.1 "Table 4.5 Characteristics of words of immediate information (ephemeris parameters)" for more details.

Offset (bytes)	Size (bytes)	Format	Units	Name	Description	
0	1	u8		common.si	d.sa€onstellation-specific satellite identifier	
1	1	u8		common.sid.co&egnal constellation, band and code		
2	4	u32	S	common.toe.toseconds since start of GPS week		
6	2	u16	week	common.to	e.wnGPS week number	
8	8	double	m	common.ur	a User Range Accuracy	
16	4	u32	S	common.fi	t_int@rvelfit interval	
20	1	u8		common.va	lid Status of ephemeris, $1 = \text{valid}$ , $0 = \text{invalid}$	
21	1	u8		common.he	althSaitelite health status. GPS: ICD-GPS-200, chapter 20.3.3.3.1.4 SBAS: 0 = valid, non-zero = invalid GLO: 0 = valid, non-zero = invalid	
22	8	double		gamma	Relative deviation of predicted carrier frequency from nominal	
30	8	double	S	tau	Correction to the SV time	
38	8	double	S	d_tau	Equipment delay between L1 and L2	
46	24	double[3]	m	pos	Position of the SV at tb in PZ-90.02 coordinates system	
70	24	double[3]	m/s	vel	Velocity vector of the SV at tb in PZ-90.02 coordinates system	
94	24	double[3]	m/s^2	acc	Acceleration vector of the SV at tb in PZ- 90.02 coordinates sys	
	118				Total Payload Length	

Table 6.3.20: MSG\_EPHEMERIS\_GLO 0x0087 message structure



Field 6.3.8: Signal constellation, band and code (common.sid.code)

Value	Description				
0	GPS L1CA				
1	GPS L2CM				
2	SBAS L1CA				
3	GLO L1CA				
4	GLO L2CA				
5	GPS L1P				
6	GPS L2P				

Table 6.3.21: values (common.sid.code[0:7])

#### MSG\_EPHEMERIS\_GLO\_DEP\_B — 0x0085 — 133

The ephemeris message returns a set of satellite orbit parameters that is used to calculate GLO satellite position, velocity, and clock offset. Please see the GLO ICD 5.1 "Table 4.5 Characteristics of words of immediate information (ephemeris parameters)" for more details.

Offset (bytes)	Size (bytes)	Format	Units	Name	Description
0	1	u8		common.si	d.sa€onstellation-specific satellite identifier
1	1	u8		common.si	d.co&egnal constellation, band and code
2	4	u32	S	common.to	e.to&econds since start of GPS week
6	2	u16	week	common.to	e.wnGPS week number
8	8	double	m	common.ur	a User Range Accuracy
16	4	u32	S	common.fi	t_intarvelfit interval
20	1	u8		common.va	lid Status of ephemeris, $1 = \text{valid}$ , $0 = \text{invalid}$
21	1	u8		common.he	althSateBite health status. GPS: ICD-GPS-200, chapter 20.3.3.3.1.4 SBAS: 0 = valid, non-zero = invalid GLO: 0 = valid, non-zero = invalid
22	8	double		gamma	Relative deviation of predicted carrier frequency from nominal
30	8	double	S	tau	Correction to the SV time
38	24	double[3]	m	pos	Position of the SV at tb in PZ-90.02 coordinates system
62	24	double[3]	m/s	vel	Velocity vector of the SV at tb in PZ-90.02 coordinates system
86	24	double[3]	m/s^2	acc	Acceleration vector of the SV at tb in PZ-90.02 coordinates sys
	110				Total Payload Length

Table 6.3.22: MSG\_EPHEMERIS\_GLO\_DEP\_B 0x0085 message structure



Field 6.3.9: Signal constellation, band and code (common.sid.code)

Value	Description
0	GPS L1CA
1	GPS L2CM
2	SBAS L1CA
3	GLO L1CA
4	GLO L2CA
5	GPS L1P
6	GPS L2P

Table 6.3.23: values (common.sid.code[0:7])

#### $MSG_{-}IONO - 0x0090 - 144$

The ionospheric parameters which allow the "L1 only" or "L2 only" user to utilize the ionospheric model for computation of the ionospheric delay. Please see ICD-GPS-200 (Chapter 20.3.3.5.1.7) for more details.

Offset (bytes)	Size (bytes)	Format	Units	Name	Description
0	4	u32	S	t_nmct.tow	Seconds since start of GPS week
4	2	u16	week	$t\_nmct.wn$	GPS week number
6	8	double	S	a0	
14	8	double	s/semi-circle	a1	
22	8	double	s/(semi- circle)^2	a2	
30	8	double	s/(semi- circle)^3	a3	
38	8	double	S	b0	
46	8	double	s/semi-circle	b1	
54	8	double	s/(semi- circle)^2	b2	
62	8	double	s/(semi- circle)^3	b3	
	70				Total Payload Length

Table 6.3.24: MSG\_IONO 0x0090 message structure

### ${\sf MSG\_SV\_CONFIGURATION\_GPS-0x0091-145}$

Please see ICD-GPS-200 (Chapter 20.3.3.5.1.4) for more details.

Offset (bytes)	Size (bytes)	Format	Units	Name	Description
0 4 6	4 2 4	u32 u16 u32	s week	t_nmct.tow t_nmct.wn 12c_mask	Seconds since start of GPS week GPS week number L2C capability mask, SV32 bit being MSB, SV1 bit being LSB
	10				Total Payload Length

Table 6.3.25: MSG\_SV\_CONFIGURATION\_GPS 0x0091 message structure

#### $MSG\_GROUP\_DELAY\_DEP\_A - 0x0092 - 146$

Please see ICD-GPS-200 (30.3.3.3.1.1) for more details.

Offset (bytes)	Size (bytes)	Format	Units	Name	Description
0	4	u32	ms	t_op.tow	Milliseconds since start of GPS week
4	2	u16	week	t_op.wn	GPS week number
6	1	u8		prn	Satellite number
7	1	u8		valid	bit-field indicating validity of the values, LSB indicating tgd validity etc. $1 = \text{value}$ is valid, $0 = \text{value}$ is not valid.
8	2	s16	s * 2^-35	tgd	
10	2	s16	s * 2^-35	isc_l1ca	
12	2	s16	s * 2^-35	isc_12c	
	14				Total Payload Length

Table 6.3.26:  $MSG\_GROUP\_DELAY\_DEP\_A$  0x0092 message structure

#### MSG\_GROUP\_DELAY — 0x0093 — 147

Please see ICD-GPS-200 (30.3.3.3.1.1) for more details.

Offset (bytes)	Size (bytes)	Format	Units	Name	Description
0	4	u32	S	t_op.tow	Seconds since start of GPS week
4	2	u16	week	t_op.wn	GPS week number
6	2	u16		sid.sat	Constellation-specific satellite identifier.  Note: unlike GnssSignal16, GPS satellites are encoded as (PRN - 1). Other constellations do not have this offset.
8	1	u8		sid.code	Signal constellation, band and code
9	1	u8		sid.reserved	Reserved
10	1	u8		valid	bit-field indicating validity of the values, LSB indicating tgd validity etc. 1 = value is valid, 0 = value is not valid.
11	2	s16	s * 2^-35	tgd	
13	2	s16	s * 2^-35	isc_l1ca	
15	2	s16	s * 2^-35	isc_12c	
	17				Total Payload Length

Table 6.3.27: MSG\_GROUP\_DELAY 0x0093 message structure



Field 6.3.10: Signal constellation, band and code (sid.code)

Value	Description
0	GPS L1CA
1	GPS L2CM
2	SBAS L1CA
3	GLO L1CA
4	GLO L2CA
5	GPS L1P
6	GPS L2P

Table 6.3.28: values (sid.code[0:7])

#### $MSG\_ALMANAC\_GPS - 0x0070 - 112$

The almanac message returns a set of satellite orbit parameters. Almanac data is not very precise and is considered valid for up to several months. Please see the Navstar GPS Space Segment/Navigation user interfaces (ICD-GPS-200, Chapter 20.3.3.5.1.2 Almanac Data) for more details.

Offset (bytes)	Size (bytes)	Format	Units	Name	Description
0	2	u16		common.sid	.sa€onstellation-specific satellite identifier.  Note: unlike GnssSignal16, GPS satellites are encoded as (PRN - 1). Other constellations do not have this offset.
2	1	u8		common.sid	.co&egnal constellation, band and code
3	1	u8			.re <b>Serve</b> ded
4	4	u32	S	common.toa	.to&econds since start of GPS week
8	2	u16	week	common.toa	.wnGPS week number
10	8	double	m	common.ura	User Range Accuracy
18	4	u32	S	common.fit	_intarvalfit interval
22	1	u8		common.val	id Status of almanac, $1 = \text{valid}$ , $0 = \text{invalid}$
23	1	u8		common.hea	1thSateBite health status for GPS: - bits 5-7: NAV data health status. See IS-GPS-200H Table 20-VII: NAV Data Health Indications bits 0-4: Signal health status. See IS-GPS-200H Table 20-VIII. Codes for Health of SV Signal Components. Satellite health status for GLO: See GLO ICD 5.1 table 5.1 for details - bit 0: C(n), "unhealthy" flag that is transmitted within non-immediate data and indicates overall constellation status at the moment of almanac uploading. '0' indicates malfunction of n-satellite. '1' indicates that n-satellite is operational
					bit 1: Bn(ln), '0' indicates the satellite is
24	Q	double	rad	mO	operational and suitable for navigation.
32	8	double	rad		Mean anomaly at reference time
40	8 8	double	$m^{(1/2)}$	ecc	Eccentricity of satellite orbit
48	8	double	m^(1/2) rad	sqrta	Square root of the semi-major axis of orbit
40	0	double	Tau	omega0	Longitude of ascending node of orbit plane at weekly epoch
56	8	double	rad/s	omegadot	Rate of right ascension
64	8	double	rad	W	Argument of perigee
72	8	double	rad	inc	Inclination
80	8	double	S	af0	Polynomial clock correction coefficient (clock
					bias)
88	8	double	s/s	af1	Polynomial clock correction coefficient (clock drift)
	96				Total Payload Length

Table 6.3.29: MSG\_ALMANAC\_GPS 0x0070 message structure



Field 6.3.11: Signal constellation, band and code (common.sid.code)

Value	Description
0	GPS L1CA
1	GPS L2CM
2	SBAS L1CA
3	GLO L1CA
4	GLO L2CA
5	GPS L1P
6	GPS L2P

Table 6.3.30: values (common.sid.code[0:7])

#### $MSG\_ALMANAC\_GLO - 0x0071 - 113$

The almanac message returns a set of satellite orbit parameters. Almanac data is not very precise and is considered valid for up to several months. Please see the GLO ICD 5.1 "Chapter 4.5 Non-immediate information and almanac" for details.

Offset (bytes)	Size (bytes)	Format	Units	Name	Description
0	2	u16		common.sid.s	Sa€onstellation-specific satellite identifier.  Note: unlike GnssSignal16, GPS satellites are encoded as (PRN - 1). Other constellations do not have this offset.
2	1	u8			င <b>်္မ</b> gnal constellation, band and code
3	1	u8		common.sid.n	
4	4	u32	S		င်ဝန်ာင်conds since start of GPS week
8	2	u16	week	common.toa.v	nGPS week number
10	8	double	m	common.ura	User Range Accuracy
18	4	u32	S		ntarvalfit interval
22	1	u8			1 Status of almanac, $1 = \text{valid}$ , $0 = \text{invalid}$
23	1	u8		common.healt	Ch Saite lite health status for GPS: - bits 5-7:  NAV data health status. See IS-GPS-200H  Table 20-VII: NAV Data Health Indications bits 0-4: Signal health status. See IS-GPS-200H Table 20-VIII. Codes for Health of SV Signal Components. Satellite health status for GLO: See GLO ICD 5.1 table 5.1 for details - bit 0: C(n), "unhealthy" flag that is transmitted within non-immediate data and indicates overall constellation status at the moment of almanac uploading. '0' indicates malfunction of n-satellite. '1' indicates that n-satellite is operational bit 1: Bn(ln), '0' indicates the satellite is operational and suitable for navigation.
24	8	double	rad	lambda_na	Longitude of the first ascending node of the orbit in PZ-90.02 coordinate system
32	8	double	S	t_lambda_na	Time of the first ascending node passage
40	8	double	rad	i	Value of inclination at instant of t_lambda
48	8	double	s/orbital pe- riod	t	Value of Draconian period at instant of t_lambda
56	8	double	s/(orbital pe- riod^2)	t_dot	Rate of change of the Draconian period
64	8	double	•	epsilon	Eccentricity at instant of t_lambda
72	8	double	rad	omega	Argument of perigee at instant of t_lambda
	80				Total Payload Length

Table 6.3.31: MSG\_ALMANAC\_GLO 0x0071 message structure



Field 6.3.12: Signal constellation, band and code (common.sid.code)

Value	Description
0	GPS L1CA
1	GPS L2CM
2	SBAS L1CA
3	GLO L1CA
4	GLO L2CA
5	GPS L1P
6	GPS L2P

Table 6.3.32: values (common.sid.code[0:7])

#### $MSG\_FCNS\_GLO - 0x0072 - 114$

The message reports mapping information regarding GLONASS SV orbital and frequency slots. Mapped as follow: index (SV orbital slot) fcns[index] 0 0xFF 1 FCN for SV orbital slot 1 . . . . . 28 FCN for SV orbital slot 28 29 0xFF 30 0xFF 31 0xFF

Offset (bytes)	Size (bytes)	Format	Units	Name	Description
0 2 6	2 4 32	u16 u32 u8[32]	week ms	wn tow_ms fcns	GPS Week number GPS Time of week GLONASS fequency number per orbital slot. Value of 0xFF indicates this slot does not have a mapping.
	38				Total Payload Length

Table 6.3.33: MSG\_FCNS\_GLO 0x0072 message structure

## **Settings**

Messages for reading and writing the device's device settings.

Note that some of these messages share the same message type ID for both the host request and the device response. See the accompanying document for descriptions of settings configurations and examples:

https://github.com/swift-nav/piksi\ firmware/blob/master/docs/settings.pdf

#### $MSG\_SETTINGS\_SAVE - 0x00A1 - 161$

The save settings message persists the device's current settings configuration to its onboard flash memory file system.

Offset (bytes)	Size (bytes)	Format	Units	Name	Description
	0				Total Payload Length

Table 6.4.1: MSG\_SETTINGS\_SAVE 0x00A1 message structure

## $MSG\_SETTINGS\_WRITE - 0x00A0 - 160$

The setting message writes the device configuration.

Offset (bytes)	Size (bytes)	Format	Units	Name	Description
0	N	string		setting	A NULL-terminated and delimited string with contents [SECTION_SETTING, SETTING, VALUE]. A device will only process to this message when it is received from sender ID 0x42.
	Ν				Total Payload Length

Table 6.4.2: MSG\_SETTINGS\_WRITE 0x00A0 message structure

## ${\sf MSG\_SETTINGS\_READ\_REQ-0x00A4-164}$

The setting message reads the device configuration.

Offset (bytes)	Size (bytes)	Format	Units	Name	Description
0	N	string		setting	A NULL-terminated and delimited string with contents [SECTION_SETTING, SETTING]. A device will only respond to this message when it is received from sender ID 0x42.
	Ν				Total Payload Length

Table 6.4.3: MSG\_SETTINGS\_READ\_REQ 0x00A4 message structure

## $MSG\_SETTINGS\_READ\_RESP - 0x00A5 - 165$

The setting message reads the device configuration.

Offset (bytes)	Size (bytes)	Format	Units	Name	Description
0	N	string		setting	A NULL-terminated and delimited string with contents [SECTION_SETTING, SETTING, VALUE].
	Ν				Total Payload Length

Table 6.4.4: MSG\_SETTINGS\_READ\_RESP 0x00A5 message structure

#### $MSG\_SETTINGS\_READ\_BY\_INDEX\_REQ - 0x00A2 - 162$

The settings message for iterating through the settings values. It will read the setting at an index, returning a NULL-terminated and delimited string with contents [SECTION\_SETTING, SETTING, VALUE]. A device will only respond to this message when it is received from sender ID 0x42.

Offset (bytes)	Size (bytes)	Format	Units	Name	Description
0	2	u16		index	An index into the device settings, with values ranging from 0 to length(settings)
	2				Total Payload Length

Table 6.4.5: MSG\_SETTINGS\_READ\_BY\_INDEX\_REQ 0x00A2 message structure

#### $MSG\_SETTINGS\_READ\_BY\_INDEX\_RESP - 0x00A7 - 167$

The settings message for iterating through the settings values. It will read the setting at an index, returning a NULL-terminated and delimited string with contents [SECTION\_SETTING, VALUE].

Offset (bytes)	Size (bytes)	Format	Units	Name	Description
0	2	u16		index	An index into the device settings, with values ranging from 0 to length(settings)
2	N	string		setting	A NULL-terminated and delimited string with contents [SECTION_SETTING, SET-TING, VALUE].
	N + 2				Total Payload Length

Table 6.4.6: MSG\_SETTINGS\_READ\_BY\_INDEX\_RESP 0x00A7 message structure

## ${\sf MSG\_SETTINGS\_READ\_BY\_INDEX\_DONE - 0x00A6 - 166}$

The settings message for indicating end of the settings values.

Offset (bytes)	Size (bytes)	Format	Units	Name	Description
	0				Total Payload Length

Table 6.4.7: MSG\_SETTINGS\_READ\_BY\_INDEX\_DONE 0x00A6 message structure

## **System**

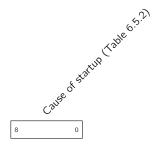
Standardized system messages from Swift Navigation devices.

#### MSG\_STARTUP — 0xFF00 — 65280

The system start-up message is sent once on system start-up. It notifies the host or other attached devices that the system has started and is now ready to respond to commands or configuration requests.

Offset (bytes)	Size (bytes)	Format	Units	Name	Description
0	1	u8		cause	Cause of startup
1	1	u8		startup_type	Startup type
2	2	u16		reserved	Reserved
	4				Total Payload Length

Table 6.5.1: MSG\_STARTUP 0xFF00 message structure



Field 6.5.1: Cause of startup (cause)

Value	Description
0	Power on
1	Software reset
2	Watchdog reset

Table 6.5.2: Cause of startup values (cause [0:8])

	(Sab)	, (v.	3
	(sr		
8		0	

Field 6.5.2: Startup type (startup\_type)

Value	Description
0	Cold start
1	Warm start
2	Hot start

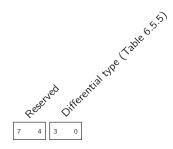
Table 6.5.3: values (startup\_type[0:8])

#### $MSG_DGNSS_STATUS - 0xFF02 - 65282$

This message provides information about the receipt of Differential corrections. It is expected to be sent with each receipt of a complete corrections packet.

Offset (bytes)	Size (bytes)	Format	Units	Name	Description
0	1	u8		flags	Status flags
1	2	u16	deci-seconds	latency	Latency of observation receipt
3	1	u8		$num\_signals$	Number of signals from base station
4	N	string		source	Corrections source string
	N + 4				Total Payload Length

Table 6.5.4: MSG\_DGNSS\_STATUS 0xFF02 message structure



Field 6.5.3: Status flags (flags)

Value	Description
0	Invalid
1	Code Difference
2	RTK

Table 6.5.5: Differential type values (flags[0:3])

#### MSG\_HEARTBEAT — 0xFFFF — 65535

The heartbeat message is sent periodically to inform the host or other attached devices that the system is running. It is used to monitor system malfunctions. It also contains status flags that indicate to the host the status of the system and whether it is operating correctly. Currently, the expected heartbeat interval is 1 sec.

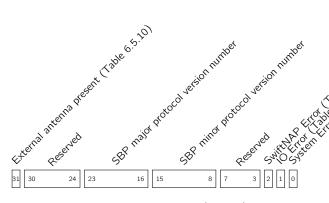
The system error flag is used to indicate that an error has occurred in the system. To determine the source of the error, the remaining error flags should be inspected.

Offset (bytes)	Size (bytes)	Format	Units	Name	Description
0	4	u32		flags	Status flags
	4				Total Payload Length

Table 6.5.6: MSG\_HEARTBEAT 0xFFFF message structure

Value	Description
0	System Healthy
1	An error has occurred

Table 6.5.7: System Error Flag values (flags[0])



Field 6.5.4: Status flags (flags)

Value	Description
0	System Healthy
1	An IO error has occurred

Table 6.5.8: IO Error values (flags[1])

Value	Description
0	System Healthy
1	An error has occurred in the SwiftNAP

Table 6.5.9: SwiftNAP Error values (flags[2])

Value	Description
0	No external antenna detected
1	External antenna is present

Table 6.5.10: External antenna present values (flags[31])

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## **Acquisition**

Satellite acquisition messages from the device.

#### $MSG\_ACQ\_RESULT - 0x001F - 31$

This message describes the results from an attempted GPS signal acquisition search for a satellite PRN over a code phase/carrier frequency range. It contains the parameters of the point in the acquisition search space with the best carrier-to-noise (CN/0) ratio.

Offset (bytes)	Size (bytes)	Format	Units	Name	Description
0	4	float	dB Hz	cn0	CN/0 of best point
4	4	float	chips	ср	Code phase of best point
8	4	float	hz	cf	Carrier frequency of best point
12	2	u16		sid.sat	Constellation-specific satellite identifier.  Note: unlike GnssSignal16, GPS satellites are encoded as (PRN - 1). Other constellations do not have this offset.
14	1	u8		sid.code	Signal constellation, band and code
15	1	u8		sid.reserved	Reserved
	16				Total Payload Length

Table 7.1.1: MSG\_ACQ\_RESULT 0x001F message structure



Field 7.1.1: Signal constellation, band and code (sid.code)

Value	Description
0	GPS L1CA
1	GPS L2CM
2	SBAS L1CA
3	GLO L1CA
4	GLO L2CA
5	GPS L1P
6	GPS L2P

Table 7.1.2: values (sid.code[0:7])

#### MSG\_ACQ\_SV\_PROFILE — 0x001E — 30

The message describes all SV profiles during acquisition time. The message is used to debug and measure the performance.

Offset (bytes)	Size (bytes)	Format	Units	Name	Description
35N + 0	1	u8		acq_sv_profile[N].job_type	SV search job type (deep, fall-back, etc)
35N + 1	1	u8		$acq\_sv\_profile[N].status$	Acquisition status 1 is Success, 0 is Failure
35N + 2	2	u16	dB- Hz*10	acq_sv_profile[N].cn0	CN0 value. Only valid if status is '1'
35N + 4	1	u8	ms	<pre>acq_sv_profile[N].int_time</pre>	Acquisition integration time
35N + 5	2	u16		acq_sv_profile[N].sid.sat	Constellation-specific satellite identifier.
					Note: unlike GnssSignal16, GPS satellites are encoded as (PRN - 1). Other constellations do not have this offset.
35N + 7	1	u8		$acq\_sv\_profile[N].sid.code$	Signal constellation, band and code
35N + 8	1	u8		<pre>acq_sv_profile[N].sid.reserved</pre>	Reserved
35N + 9	2	u16	Hz	acq_sv_profile[N].bin_width	Acq frequency bin width
35N + 11	4	u32	ms	acq_sv_profile[N].timestamp	Timestamp of the job complete event
35N + 15	4	u32	us	acq_sv_profile[N].time_spent	Time spent to search for sid.code
35N + 19	4	s32	Hz	acq_sv_profile[N].cf_min	Doppler range lowest frequency
35N + 23	4	s32	Hz	acq_sv_profile[N].cf_max	Doppler range highest frequency
35N + 27	4	s32	Hz	acq_sv_profile[N].cf	Doppler value of detected peak. Only valid if status is '1'
35N + 31	4	u32	chips*10	$acq\_sv\_profile[N].cp$	Codephase of detected peak. Only valid if status is '1'
	35 <i>N</i>				Total Payload Length

Table 7.1.3: MSG\_ACQ\_SV\_PROFILE 0x001E message structure



Field 7.1.2: Signal constellation, band and code  $(acq\_sv\_profile[N].sid.code)$ 

Description
GPS L1CA
GPS L2CM
SBAS L1CA
GLO L1CA
GLO L2CA
GPS L1P
GPS L2P

Table 7.1.4: values (acq\_sv\_profile[N].sid.code[0:7])

## **Ext Events**

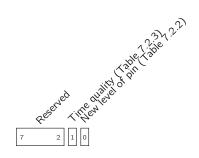
Messages reporting accurately-timestamped external events, e.g. camera shutter time.

#### $MSG_EXT_EVENT - 0x0101 - 257$

Reports detection of an external event, the GPS time it occurred, which pin it was and whether it was rising or falling.

Offset (bytes)	Size (bytes)	Format	Units	Name	Description
0	2	u16	weeks	wn	GPS week number
2	4	u32	ms	tow	GPS time of week rounded to the nearest millisecond
6	4	s32	ns	ns_residual	Nanosecond residual of millisecond-rounded TOW (ranges from -500000 to 500000)
10	1	u8		flags	Flags
11	1	u8		pin	Pin number. $09 = DEBUG09$ .
	12				Total Payload Length

Table 7.2.1: MSG\_EXT\_EVENT 0x0101 message structure



Field 7.2.1: Flags (flags)

Value	Description					
0	Low (falling edge)					
1	High (rising edge)					

Table 7.2.2: New level of pin values (flags[0])

Value	Description
0	Unknown - don't have nav solution
1	Good (¡ 1 microsecond)

Table 7.2.3: Time quality values (flags[1])

#### File IO

Messages for using device's onboard flash filesystem functionality. This allows data to be stored persistently in the device's program flash with wear-levelling using a simple filesystem interface. The file system interface (CFS) defines an abstract API for reading directories and for reading and writing files.

Note that some of these messages share the same message type ID for both the host request and the device response.

#### MSG\_FILEIO\_READ\_REQ — 0x00A8 — 168

The file read message reads a certain length (up to 255 bytes) from a given offset into a file, and returns the data in a MSG\_FILEIO\_READ\_RESP message where the message length field indicates how many bytes were successfully read. The sequence number in the request will be returned in the response. If the message is invalid, a followup MSG\_PRINT message will print "Invalid fileio read message". A device will only respond to this message when it is received from sender ID 0x42.

Offset (bytes)	Size (bytes)	Format	Units	Name	Description
0	4	u32		sequence	Read sequence number
4	4	u32	bytes	offset	File offset
8	1	u8	bytes	chunk_size	Chunk size to read
9	Ν	string		filename	Name of the file to read from
	N + 9				Total Payload Length

Table 7.3.1: MSG\_FILEIO\_READ\_REQ 0x00A8 message structure

#### $MSG\_FILEIO\_READ\_RESP - 0x00A3 - 163$

The file read message reads a certain length (up to 255 bytes) from a given offset into a file, and returns the data in a message where the message length field indicates how many bytes were successfully read. The sequence number in the response is preserved from the request.

Offset (bytes)	Size (bytes)	Format	Units	Name	Description
0 4	4 <i>N</i>	u32 u8[N]		-	Read sequence number Contents of read file
	N + 4				Total Payload Length

Table 7.3.2: MSG\_FILEIO\_READ\_RESP 0x00A3 message structure

#### MSG\_FILEIO\_READ\_DIR\_REQ — 0x00A9 — 169

The read directory message lists the files in a directory on the device's onboard flash file system. The offset parameter can be used to skip the first n elements of the file list. Returns a MSG\_FILEIO\_READ\_DIR\_RESP message containing the directory listings as a NULL delimited list. The listing is chunked over multiple SBP packets. The sequence number in the request will be returned in the response. If message is invalid, a followup MSG\_PRINT message will print "Invalid fileio read message". A device will only respond to this message when it is received from sender ID 0x42.

Offset (bytes)	Size (bytes)	Format	Units	Name	Description
0	4	u32		sequence	Read sequence number
4	4	u32		offset	The offset to skip the first n elements of the file list
8	N	string		dirname	Name of the directory to list
	N + 8				Total Payload Length

Table 7.3.3: MSG\_FILEIO\_READ\_DIR\_REQ 0x00A9 message structure

#### MSG\_FILEIO\_READ\_DIR\_RESP — 0x00AA — 170

The read directory message lists the files in a directory on the device's onboard flash file system. Message contains the directory listings as a NULL delimited list. The listing is chunked over multiple SBP packets and the end of the list is identified by an entry containing just the character 0xFF. The sequence number in the response is preserved from the request.

Offset (bytes)	Size (bytes)	Format	Units	Name	Description
0 4	4 <i>N</i>	u32 u8[N]		-	Read sequence number Contents of read directory
	N + 4				Total Payload Length

Table 7.3.4: MSG\_FILEIO\_READ\_DIR\_RESP 0x00AA message structure

### $MSG_FILEIO_REMOVE - 0x00AC - 172$

The file remove message deletes a file from the file system. If the message is invalid, a followup MSG\_PRINT message will print "Invalid fileio remove message". A device will only process this message when it is received from sender ID 0x42.

Offset (bytes)	Size (bytes)	Format	Units	Name	Description
0	Ν	string		filename	Name of the file to delete
	Ν				Total Payload Length

Table 7.3.5: MSG\_FILEIO\_REMOVE 0x00AC message structure

#### MSG\_FILEIO\_WRITE\_REQ — 0x00AD — 173

The file write message writes a certain length (up to 255 bytes) of data to a file at a given offset. Returns a copy of the original MSG\_FILEIO\_WRITE\_RESP message to check integrity of the write. The sequence number in the request will be returned in the response. If message is invalid, a followup MSG\_PRINT message will print "Invalid fileio write message". A device will only process this message when it is received from sender ID 0x42.

Offset (bytes)	Size (bytes)	Format	Units	Name	Description
0	4	u32		sequence	Write sequence number
4	4	u32	bytes	offset	Offset into the file at which to start writing in bytes
8	Ν	string		filename	Name of the file to write to
9	N	u8[N]		data	Variable-length array of data to write
	N + 9				Total Payload Length

Table 7.3.6: MSG\_FILEIO\_WRITE\_REQ 0x00AD message structure

#### $MSG_FILEIO_WRITE_RESP - 0x00AB - 171$

The file write message writes a certain length (up to 255 bytes) of data to a file at a given offset. The message is a copy of the original MSG\_FILEIO\_WRITE\_REQ message to check integrity of the write. The sequence number in the response is preserved from the request.

Offset (bytes)	Size (bytes)	Format	Units	Name	Description
0	4	u32		sequence	Write sequence number
	4				Total Payload Length

Table 7.3.7: MSG\_FILEIO\_WRITE\_RESP 0x00AB message structure

## Imu

Inertial Measurement Unit (IMU) messages.

## $MSG_IMU_RAW - 0x0900 - 2304$

Raw data from the Inertial Measurement Unit, containing accelerometer and gyroscope readings.

Offset (bytes)	Size (bytes)	Format	Units	Name	Description
0	4	u32	ms	tow	Milliseconds since start of GPS week. If the high bit is set, the time is unknown or invalid.
4	1	u8	ms / 256	tow_f	Milliseconds since start of GPS week, fractional part
5	2	s16		acc_x	Acceleration in the body frame X axis
7	2	s16		$acc_y$	Acceleration in the body frame Y axis
9	2	s16		acc_z	Acceleration in the body frame Z axis
11	2	s16		gyr_x	Angular rate around the body frame X axis
13	2	s16		gyr_y	Angular rate around the body frame Y axis
15	2	s16		gyr_z	Angular rate around the body frame Z axis
	17				Total Payload Length

Table 7.4.1: MSG\_IMU\_RAW 0x0900 message structure

#### MSG\_IMU\_AUX — 0x0901 — 2305

Auxiliary data specific to a particular IMU. The 'imu\_type' field will always be consistent but the rest of the payload is device specific and depends on the value of 'imu\_type'.

Offset (bytes)	Size (bytes)	Format	Units	Name	Description
0	1	u8		$imu_type$	IMU type
1	2	s16		temp	Raw IMU temperature
3	1	u8		$imu\_conf$	IMU configuration
	4				Total Payload Length

Table 7.4.2: MSG\_IMU\_AUX 0x0901 message structure



Field 7.4.1: IMU type (imu\_type)

Value	Description
0	Bosch BMI160

Table 7.4.3: IMU Type values (imu\_type[0:7])

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Field 7.4.2: IMU configuration (imu\_conf)

Value	Description
0	+/- 2g
1	+/- 4g
2	+/- 8g
3	+/- 16g

Table 7.4.4: Accelerometer Range values (imu\_conf[0:3])

Value	Description				
0	+/- 2000 deg / s				
1	+/- 1000 deg / s				
2	+/- 500 deg / s				
3	+/- 250 deg / s				
4	+/- 125 deg $/$ s				

Table 7.4.5: Gyroscope Range values (imu\_conf [4:7])

## **Piksi**

System health, configuration, and diagnostic messages specific to the Piksi L1 receiver, including a variety of legacy messages that may no longer be used.

### MSG\_ALMANAC — 0x0069 — 105

This is a legacy message for sending and loading a satellite alamanac onto the Piksi's flash memory from the host.

Offset (bytes)	Size (bytes)	Format	Units	Name	Description
0			Total Payload Length		

Table 7.5.1: MSG\_ALMANAC 0x0069 message structure

## $MSG\_SET\_TIME - 0x0068 - 104$

This message sets up timing functionality using a coarse GPS time estimate sent by the host.

Offset (bytes)	Size (bytes)	Format	Units	Name	Description
	0				Total Payload Length

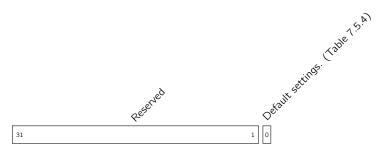
Table 7.5.2: MSG\_SET\_TIME 0x0068 message structure

## $MSG_RESET - 0x00B6 - 182$

This message from the host resets the Piksi back into the bootloader.

Offset (bytes)	Size (bytes)	Format	Units	Name	Description
0	4	u32		flags	Reset flags
	4				Total Payload Length

Table 7.5.3: MSG\_RESET 0x00B6 message structure



Field 7.5.1: Reset flags (flags)

Value	Description			
0	Preserve existing settings.			
1	Resore default settings.			

Table 7.5.4: Default settings. values (flags[0])

#### $MSG_RESET_DEP - 0x00B2 - 178$

This message from the host resets the Piksi back into the bootloader.

Offset (bytes)	Size (bytes)	Format	Units	Name	Description
	0				Total Payload Length

Table 7.5.5: MSG\_RESET\_DEP 0x00B2 message structure

#### $MSG_CW_RESULTS - 0x00C0 - 192$

This is an unused legacy message for result reporting from the CW interference channel on the SwiftNAP. This message will be removed in a future release.

Offset (bytes)	Size (bytes)	Format	Units	Name	Description
	0				Total Payload Length

Table 7.5.6: MSG\_CW\_RESULTS 0x00C0 message structure

#### $MSG_CW_START - 0x00C1 - 193$

This is an unused legacy message from the host for starting the CW interference channel on the SwiftNAP. This message will be removed in a future release.

Offset (bytes)	Size (bytes)	Format	Units	Name	Description
	0				Total Payload Length

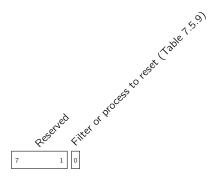
Table 7.5.7: MSG\_CW\_START 0x00C1 message structure

#### MSG\_RESET\_FILTERS — 0x0022 — 34

This message resets either the DGNSS Kalman filters or Integer Ambiguity Resolution (IAR) process.

Offset (bytes)	Size (bytes)	Format	Units	Name	Description
0	1	u8		filter	Filter flags
	1				Total Payload Length

Table 7.5.8: MSG\_RESET\_FILTERS 0x0022 message structure



Field 7.5.2: Filter flags (filter)

Value	Description				
0	DGNSS filter				
1	IAR process				

Table 7.5.9: Filter or process to reset values (filter[0])

#### $MSG_INIT_BASE - 0x0023 - 35$

This message initializes the integer ambiguity resolution (IAR) process on the Piksi to use an assumed baseline position between the base station and rover receivers. Warns via MSG\_PRINT if there aren't a shared minimum number (4) of satellite observations between the two.

Offset (bytes)	Size (bytes)	Format	Units	Name	Description
	0				Total Payload Length

Table 7.5.10: MSG\_INIT\_BASE 0x0023 message structure

#### $MSG_THREAD_STATE - 0x0017 - 23$

The thread usage message from the device reports real-time operating system (RTOS) thread usage statistics for the named thread. The reported percentage values must be normalized.

Offset (bytes)	Size (bytes)	Format	Units	Name	Description
0	20	string		name	Thread name (NULL terminated)
20	2	u16		cpu	Percentage cpu use for this thread. Values range from 0 - 1000 and needs to be renormalized to 100
22	4	u32	bytes	${\tt stack\_free}$	Free stack space for this thread
	26				Total Payload Length

Table 7.5.11: MSG\_THREAD\_STATE 0x0017 message structure

#### MSG\_UART\_STATE — 0x001D — 29

The UART message reports data latency and throughput of the UART channels providing SBP I/O. On the default Piksi configuration, UARTs A and B are used for telemetry radios, but can also be host access ports for embedded hosts, or other interfaces in future. The reported percentage values must be normalized. Observations latency and period can be used to assess the health of the differential corrections link. Latency provides the timeliness of received base observations while the period indicates their likelihood of transmission.

Offset (bytes)	Size (bytes)	Format	Units	Name	Description
0	4	float	kB/s	uart_a.tx_throughput	UART transmit throughput
4	4	float	kB/s	uart_a.rx_throughput	UART receive throughput
8	2	u16		uart_a.crc_error_count	UART CRC error count
10	2	u16		uart_a.io_error_count	UART IO error count
12	1	u8		uart_a.tx_buffer_level	UART transmit buffer percentage utilization (ranges from 0 to 255)
13	1	u8		uart_a.rx_buffer_level	UART receive buffer percentage utilization (ranges from 0 to 255)
14	4	float	kB/s	uart_b.tx_throughput	UART transmit throughput
18	4	float	kB/s	uart_b.rx_throughput	UART receive throughput
22	2	u16	,	uart_b.crc_error_count	UART CRC error count
24	2	u16		uart_b.io_error_count	UART IO error count
26	1	u8		uart_b.tx_buffer_level	UART transmit buffer percentage utilization (ranges from 0 to 255)
27	1	u8		uart_b.rx_buffer_level	UART receive buffer percentage utilization (ranges from 0 to 255)
28	4	float	kB/s	uart_ftdi.tx_throughput	UART transmit throughput
32	4	float	kB/s	uart_ftdi.rx_throughput	UART receive throughput
36	2	u16	/ -	uart_ftdi.crc_error_count	UART CRC error count
38	2	u16		uart_ftdi.io_error_count	UART IO error count
40	1	u8		uart_ftdi.tx_buffer_level	UART transmit buffer percentage utilization (ranges from 0 to 255)
41	1	u8		uart_ftdi.rx_buffer_level	UART receive buffer percentage utilization (ranges from 0 to 255)
42	4	s32	ms	latency.avg	Average latency
46	4	s32	ms	latency.lmin	Minimum latency
50	4	s32	ms	latency.lmax	Maximum latency
54	4	s32	ms	latency.current	Smoothed estimate of the current latency
58	4	s32	ms	obs_period.avg	Average period
62	4	s32	ms	obs_period.pmin	Minimum period
66	4	s32	ms	obs_period.pmax	Maximum period
70	4	s32	ms	obs_period.current	Smoothed estimate of the current period
	74				Total Payload Length

Table 7.5.12: MSG\_UART\_STATE 0x001D message structure

## ${\sf MSG\_UART\_STATE\_DEPA - 0x0018 - 24}$

Deprecated

Offset (bytes)	Size (bytes)	Format	Units	Name	Description
0	4	float	kB/s	uart_a.tx_throughput	UART transmit throughput
4	4	float	kB/s	uart_a.rx_throughput	UART receive throughput
8	2	u16		uart_a.crc_error_count	UART CRC error count
10	2	u16		uart_a.io_error_count	UART IO error count
12	1	u8		uart_a.tx_buffer_level	UART transmit buffer percentage utilization (ranges from 0 to 255)
13	1	u8		uart_a.rx_buffer_level	UART receive buffer percentage utilization (ranges from 0 to 255)
14	4	float	kB/s	uart_b.tx_throughput	UART transmit throughput
18	4	float	kB/s	uart_b.rx_throughput	UART receive throughput
22	2	u16		uart_b.crc_error_count	UART CRC error count
24	2	u16		uart_b.io_error_count	UART IO error count
26	1	u8		uart_b.tx_buffer_level	UART transmit buffer percentage utilization (ranges from 0 to 255)
27	1	u8		uart_b.rx_buffer_level	UART receive buffer percentage utilization (ranges from 0 to 255)
28	4	float	kB/s	uart_ftdi.tx_throughput	UART transmit throughput
32	4	float	kB/s	uart_ftdi.rx_throughput	UART receive throughput
36	2	u16	•	uart_ftdi.crc_error_count	UART CRC error count
38	2	u16		uart_ftdi.io_error_count	UART IO error count
40	1	u8		uart_ftdi.tx_buffer_level	UART transmit buffer percentage utilization (ranges from 0 to 255)
41	1	u8		uart_ftdi.rx_buffer_level	UART receive buffer percentage utilization (ranges from 0 to 255)
42	4	s32	ms	latency.avg	Average latency
46	4	s32	ms	latency.lmin	Minimum latency
50	4	s32	ms	latency.lmax	Maximum latency
54	4	s32	ms	latency.current	Smoothed estimate of the current latency
	58				Total Payload Length

Table 7.5.13: MSG\_UART\_STATE\_DEPA 0x0018 message structure

#### $MSG_IAR_STATE - 0x0019 - 25$

This message reports the state of the Integer Ambiguity Resolution (IAR) process, which resolves unknown integer ambiguities from double-differenced carrier-phase measurements from satellite observations.

Offset (bytes)	Size (bytes)	Format	Units	Name	Description
0	4	u32		num_hyps	Number of integer ambiguity hypotheses remaining
	4				Total Payload Length

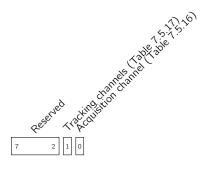
Table 7.5.14: MSG\_IAR\_STATE 0x0019 message structure

#### MSG\_MASK\_SATELLITE — 0x001B — 27

This message allows setting a mask to prevent a particular satellite from being used in various Piksi subsystems.

Offset (bytes)	Size (bytes)	Format	Units	Name	Description
0	1	u8		mask	Mask of systems that should ignore this satellite.
1	2	u16		sid.sat	Constellation-specific satellite identifier.  Note: unlike GnssSignal16, GPS satellites are encoded as (PRN - 1). Other constellations do not have this offset.
3	1	u8		sid.code	Signal constellation, band and code
4	1	u8		sid.reserved	Reserved
	5				Total Payload Length

Table 7.5.15: MSG\_MASK\_SATELLITE 0x001B message structure



Field 7.5.3: Mask of systems that should ignore this satellite. (mask)

Value	Description
0	Enabled
1	Skip this satellite on future acquisitions

Table 7.5.16: Acquisition channel values (mask[0])

Value	Description
0	Enabled
1	Drop this PRN if currently tracking

Table 7.5.17: Tracking channels values (mask[1])

	Value	Description
	0	GPS L1CA
	1	GPS L2CM
ಎ	2	SBAS L1CA
(abe 15.18)	3	GLO L1CA
ale,	4	GLO L2CA
	5	GPS L1P
0	6	GPS L2P

Table 7.5.18: values (sid.code[0:7])

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7	0

Field 7.5.4: Signal constellation, band and code (sid.code)

#### MSG\_DEVICE\_MONITOR — 0x00B5 — 181

This message contains temperature and voltage level measurements from the processor's monitoring system and the RF frontend die temperature if available.

Offset (bytes)	Size (bytes)	Format	Units	Name	Description
0	2	s16	V * 1000	dev_vin	Device V_in
2	2	s16	V * 1000	$cpu\_vint$	Processor V_int
4	2	s16	V * 1000	cpu_vaux	Processor V_aux
6	2	s16	degrees C * 100	$cpu\_temperature$	Processor temperature
8	2	s16	degrees C * 100	fe_temperature	Frontend temperature (if available)
	10				Total Payload Length

Table 7.5.19: MSG\_DEVICE\_MONITOR 0x00B5 message structure

#### MSG\_COMMAND\_REQ — 0x00B8 — 184

Request the recipient to execute an command. Output will be sent in MSG\_LOG messages, and the exit code will be returned with MSG\_COMMAND\_RESP.

Offset (bytes)	Size (bytes)	Format	Units	Name	Description
0 4	4 <i>N</i>	u32 string		-	Sequence number Command line to execute
	N + 4				Total Payload Length

Table 7.5.20: MSG\_COMMAND\_REQ 0x00B8 message structure

#### MSG\_COMMAND\_RESP — 0x00B9 — 185

The response to MSG\_COMMAND\_REQ with the return code of the command. A return code of zero indicates success.

Offset (bytes)	Size (bytes)	Format	Units	Name	Description
0	4 4	u32 s32		sequence code	Sequence number Exit code
	8				Total Payload Length

Table 7.5.21: MSG\_COMMAND\_RESP 0x00B9 message structure

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#### $MSG_NETWORK_STATE_REQ - 0x00BA - 186$

Request state of Piksi network interfaces. Output will be sent in MSG\_NETWORK\_STATE\_RESP messages

Offset (bytes)	Size (bytes)	Format	Units	Name	Description
0			Total Payload Length		

Table 7.5.22: MSG\_NETWORK\_STATE\_REQ 0x00BA message structure

#### $MSG\_NETWORK\_STATE\_RESP - 0x00BB - 187$

The state of a network interface on the Piksi. Data is made to reflect output of ifaddrs struct returned by getifaddrs in c.

Offset (bytes)	Size (bytes)	Format	Units	Name	Description
0	4	u8[4]		ipv4_address	IPv4 address (all zero when unavailable)
4	1	u8		ipv4_mask_size	IPv4 netmask CIDR notation
5	16	u8[16]		$ipv6\_address$	IPv6 address (all zero when unavailable)
21	1	u8		ipv6_mask_size	IPv6 netmask CIDR notation
22	4	u32		$rx\_bytes$	Number of Rx bytes
26	4	u32		${\sf tx\_bytes}$	Number of Tx bytes
30	16	string		$interface\_name$	Interface Name
46	4	u32		flags	Interface flags from SIOCGIFFLAGS
	50				Total Payload Length

Table 7.5.23: MSG\_NETWORK\_STATE\_RESP 0x00BB message structure

# **Tracking**

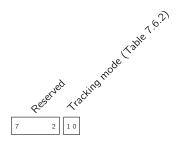
Satellite code and carrier-phase tracking messages from the device.

#### $MSG_TRACKING_STATE - 0x0013 - 19$

The tracking message returns a variable-length array of tracking channel states. It reports status and carrier-to-noise density measurements for all tracked satellites.

Offset (bytes)	Size (bytes)	Format	Units	Name	Description
9N + 0	1	u8		states[N].state	Status of tracking channel
9N + 1	2	u16		states[N].sid.sat	Constellation-specific satellite identifier.
					Note: unlike GnssSignal16, GPS satellites are encoded as (PRN - 1). Other constellations do not have this offset.
9N + 3	1	u8		states[N].sid.code	Signal constellation, band and code
9N + 4	1	u8		states[N].sid.reserved	Reserved
9N + 5	4	float	dB Hz	states[N].cn0	Carrier-to-noise density
	9 <i>N</i>				Total Payload Length

Table 7.6.1: MSG\_TRACKING\_STATE 0x0013 message structure



Field 7.6.1: Status of tracking channel (state)

Value	Description
0	Disabled
1	Running

Table 7.6.2: Tracking mode values (state[0:1])

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7	0	

Field 7.6.2: Signal constellation, band and code (sid.code)

Value	Description		
0	GPS L1CA		
1	GPS L2CM		
2	SBAS L1CA		
3	GLO L1CA		
4	GLO L2CA		
5	GPS L1P		
6	GPS L2P		

Table 7.6.3: values (sid.code[0:7])

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#### MSG\_TRACKING\_IQ — 0x001C — 28

When enabled, a tracking channel can output the correlations at each update interval.

Offset (bytes)	Size (bytes)	Format	Units	Name	Description
0	1	u8		channel	Tracking channel of origin
1	2	u16		sid.sat	Constellation-specific satellite identifier.  Note: unlike GnssSignal16, GPS satellites are encoded as (PRN - 1). Other constellations do not have this offset.
3	1	u8		sid.code	Signal constellation, band and code
4	1	u8		sid.reserved	Reserved
8N + 5	4	s32		corrs[N].I	In-phase correlation
8N + 9	4	s32		corrs[N].Q	Quadrature correlation
	8N + 5				Total Payload Length

Table 7.6.4: MSG\_TRACKING\_IQ 0x001C message structure



Field 7.6.3: Signal constellation, band and code (sid.code)

Value	Description		
0	GPS L1CA		
1	GPS L2CM		
2	SBAS L1CA		
3	GLO L1CA		
4	GLO L2CA		
5	GPS L1P		
6	GPS L2P		

Table 7.6.5: values (sid.code[0:7])

## **User**

Messages reserved for use by the user.

### MSG\_USER\_DATA — 0x0800 — 2048

This message can contain any application specific user data up to a maximum length of 255 bytes per message.

Offset (bytes)	Size (bytes)	Format	Units	Name	Description
0	Ν	u8[N]		contents	User data payload
	Ν				Total Payload Length

Table 7.7.1: MSG\_USER\_DATA 0x0800 message structure