

# SiRFDiRect Evaluation Kit

Complete Evaluation of the Enhanced GPS + Dead Reckoning Software



# PRODUCT OVERVIEW

Watch the magic of reliable navigation—even in extremely obstructed environments—as you evaluate SiRFDiRect™ enhanced GPS + Dead Reckoning software. Designed for complete portability and ease of use, the SiRFDiRect Evaluation Receiver provides everything needed for a mobile testing environment: serial and USB ports, Dead Reckoning sensors, LED indicators, and a mounting arm to secure the receiver during in-vehicle testing.

## **SOFTWARE SUITE**

#### **Software Tools**

An extensive suite of software tools is provided with this Evaluation Kit to help you understand what the receiver is doing and why.

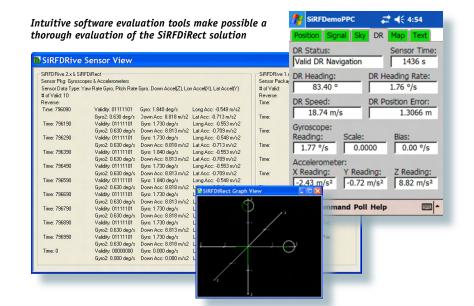
- SiRFDemo: a PC tool that can monitor the Evaluation Receiver in real time, log data for later analysis, and configure the operating parameters of the receiver.
- > SiRFDemoPPC: similar in function as SiRFDemo, but is designed to run on a Pocket PC for maximum mobility.
- SiRFView: with data already collected in the field, SiRFView quickly provides various graphical displays and map overlays for closer analysis.
- SiRFFlash: a flash programming utility that can be used to upgrade the software running on the Evaluation Receiver.

#### THE EVALUATION RECEIVER

Flexibility and ease of use are assured with the SiRFDiRect Evaluation Kit.

#### **Features**

- ➤ Operates in either SiRF® Binary or NMEA protocol
- Receiver can be reprogrammed with new software releases
- Configurable serial port and a USB port when USB is the preferred communication method
- Equipped with Dead Reckoning accelerometers and an angular rate gyroscope
- Clearly labeled switches and COM ports
- Highly sophisticated receiver configuration software tools
- Sturdy casing and attachment arm suitable for use in the most challenging of evaluation environments



#### **SPECIFICATIONS**

Autonomous	uracy¹ <2.5 m	
Velocity Accuracy <sup>2</sup> Speed Heading	$< 0.01 \text{ m/s}  < 0.01^{\circ}$	
Time To First Fix <sup>3</sup> Hot Start Warm Start Cold Start	<1 s <35 s <35 s	

## Receiver

GPS Engine GSC3f/LP
Tracking L1, C/A Code
Channels 12
Max update rate 1 Hz
Max altitude/velocity 60,000 ft/1,000 knots
Protocol support SiRF Binary, NMEA

## **Interfaces**

 RS-232
 2 RS-232 ports

 USB
 1 x Type B port

 1PPS output
 Female SMA

 GPS RF input
 Female SMA

#### Antenna

Type Magnetic active patch Frequency  $1575.42 \pm 1.023$  MHz Power requirements  $3 \pm 0.5$  VDC Gain  $16 \pm 2$  dB

#### Power

Supply voltage 9-24 VDC
Typ. current @ 9 V (full power) <80 mA

#### **Environmental**

Temperature 0 - 60°C Humidity up to 90% NC

### **Dead Reckoning Performance<sup>4</sup>**

GPS outage up to 10 sec:

Horizontal position error <10 m Heading error <0.5°

GPS outage up to 1 min:

Horizontal position error < 225 m Heading error < 5°

1.50% 24 hr static @ -130 dBm  $\,$  2. Simulator derived, 50% @ 30 m/s  $\,$  3. 50% @ -130 dBm  $\,$  4. GPS navigation > 2 min, speed > 3 m/sec, with two 90 deg turns.

# **ORDERING INFORMATION**

Part Number Description

9900-0276 SiRFDiRect Evaluation Kit

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#### **EVALUATION KIT CONTENTS**

The SiRFDiRect Evaluation Kit provides all of the necessary hardware, software, and documentation to effectively evaluate the performance and suitability of the SiRFDiRect enhanced GPS+Dead Reckoning software. The Evaluation Kit contains the following items:

- A fully operational Evaluation Receiver based on the GSC3f/LP single-chip GPS solution
- > Receiver software
- Extensive software tools suite including SiRFDemo, SiRFDemoPPC, SiRFView, and SiRFFlash
- Detailed documentation including an evaluation kit user guide, software tool user guides, and a quick start guide to help you get everything up and running in the shortest possible time
- > Active 3 V GPS patch antenna with 5 meter cables
- ➤ 100-240 VAC @ 47/63 Hz power supply including international plug adapters
- > 12 V cigarette lighter adapter
- > Two serial cables
- > One USB cable
- Mounting arm for in-vehicle testing
- > A mini USB optical mouse
- ➤ A convenient 33 x 10 x 28 cm carrying case

#### THE SIRF ADVANTAGE

SiRF established the industry benchmark for well-designed evaluation kits, and combined with award-winning SiRFstarIII $^{\text{TM}}$  architecture, this toolkit provides you with an ideal evaluation experience.

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