MINIATURE
HIGH PERFORMANCE
Inertial Sensors

Navigation, Motion
& Heave Sensing

ELLIPSE SERIES sets up new standard for miniature and cost-effective inertial systems with an extremely rugged design, cutting-edge sensors, enhanced capabilities, and advanced algorithms.
Ellipse Series - High-end technology in the smallest package

**Robust L1/L2 RTK**
with no extra charge

**New 64bit processor**
for maximum performance

**Best performance and SWaP of its category**

**Easy integration**
Get more out of your Ellipse with Qinertia Post-processing software (INS)

Ellipse Series is a successful line of industrial-grade inertial sensors known for their high level of robustness. This 3rd generation embeds a 64Bit microprocessor running latest generation algorithms. All the INS/GNSS are now provided with multi-band RTK receiver for centimetric position and more accurate orientation.

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**Product Line**

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Features Inherited from High End INS/GNSS

Best-in-class IMU | Advanced Algorithms | Easy Integration

» Industrial grade MEMS, superior vibration rejection
» Extensive test and calibration from -40 to 85°C with individual calibration report
» Integrated hard & soft magnetic disturbances calibration tools

» Real-time fusion of inertial with aiding sensors (GNSS, RTK, DMI, DVL, etc.)
» Robust position with invalid GNSS measurements detection and RAIM

» Select your motion profile to automatically adjust Kalman filter and dynamic constraints for optimal performance
» Automatic lever arm estimation (Enter rough lever arms, Ellipse will refine them automatically)

High Accuracy Heave

Ellipse Marine version delivers a 5-cm accurate heave which automatically adjusts to the wave period.

Ellipse is a cost-effective alternative solution for instrumented buoys, helideck, or boat motion monitoring applications.
All you need to quickly get started

Development Kit

The Development kit comes with your first Ellipse. It contains:

» Your Ellipse sensor calibration report
» A Quick start guide
» All required accessories depending on the chosen model (USB cable, Antenna(s), Development boards)

The SDK contains the sbgcenter which allows visualization, configuration, analysis, and export to Excel, Matlab, Google Earth formats as well as code examples for easy integration.

Services

As expert of inertial navigation, we are at your side, helping you to get the most of your sensor:

» Free technical support by phone and email
» Unlimited firmware updates
» Dedicated support platform (Knowledge center, documentation, etc.)
» Custom remote initiation or on-site training on demand

Qinertia

Get more with your Ellipse INS using Qinertia (in option):

» Detailed analysis after the mission
» Replay the sensor data with different configuration
» Refine the mechanical installation (GNSS lever arm) to the centimeter level for improved real time behavior
» Reach ultimate sensors performance using Forward/Backward/Merge processing

Dynamics Analysis

Navigation

Autonomous Industrial Vehicles
Specifications

ACCUITY (RMS) 360° sensing in all axes, no mounting limitation

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<td>Roll / Pitch</td>
<td>0.1°</td>
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<td>Heading</td>
<td>0.8° Magnetic(²)&lt;br&gt;0.2° Dual antenna 2m&lt;br&gt;0.2° Single antenna with dynamics&lt;br&gt;0.1° PPK(³)</td>
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<td>Velocity(⁴)</td>
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<td>1.2 m Single Point&lt;br&gt;1 m SBAS&lt;br&gt;1 cm RTK / PPK(³) + 1 ppm</td>
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INTERFACES

Available data Euler angles, quaternion, velocity, position, heave, calibrated sensor data, delta angles & velocity, barometric data, status, GPS data, UTC time, GNSS raw data (Post-processing), etc.

Aiding sensors GNSS, Odometer, RTCM

Output rate 200 Hz, 1,000 Hz (IMU data)

Main Serial Interface RS-232, RS-422, USB - up to 921,600 bps

Serial protocols Binary eCom, NMEA, ASCII, TSS

CAN interface CAN 2.0A/B - up to 1 Mbit/s

Pulses Inputs: Events, PPS, DMI (Direction or quadrature)<br>Outputs: Synchronization (PPS)<br>Model A/N/D: 2 inputs / 1 output<br>Model E: 4 inputs / 2 outputs

SENSORS

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<th>Accelerometers</th>
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<td>Gain stability</td>
<td>1000 ppm</td>
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<td>Random walk Noise density</td>
<td>57 µg/√Hz</td>
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<td>Bias in-run instability(⁵)</td>
<td>14 µg</td>
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<td>50 µg/° RMS</td>
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<td>Alignment error</td>
<td>&lt; 0.05°</td>
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<td>Bandwidth</td>
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¹ Allan Variance, @ 25°C

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ORDERING INFORMATION

Pick one of each category

MODEL

A: AHRS<br>E: Externally Aided INS<br>N: INS with integrated RTK GNSS<br>D: INS with dual antenna RTK GNSS

VERSION

Marine: 8 g – 450°/s<br>Land Air: 16 g – 450°/s<br>High Dynamics: 40 g – 1000°/s

PACKAGE

BOX RS-232 / 422<br>BOX RS-232 / CAN<br>OEM TTL

INTERNAL GNSS (N & D MODELS)

Features SBAS, RTK, RAW


Update rate 5 Hz

Cold start / Hot start < 24 s / < 2 s

PRESSURE SENSOR (models E/N/D)

Resolution 1.2 Pa / 10 cm / 0.3 ft

Pressure accuracy ± 50 Pa / ± 200 Pa Relative / Absolute

MECHANICAL

Box version are IP68, resistant to dust and water. OEM version are PCB mounted for tight integration.

ELECTRICAL & ENVIRONMENTAL

Input voltage 5 - 36 V

Power consumption A/E: < 460 mW<br>N/D: < 1,000 mW

Specified temperature -40 to 85 °C

Shock limit 2,000 g

Operating vibration 8 g RMS (20 Hz to 2 k Hz per MIL-STD 810G)

MTBF 50,000 hours
SBG Systems is a leading supplier of inertial motion sensing solutions. The company provides a wide range of inertial solutions from miniature to high accuracy. Combined with cutting-edge calibration techniques and advanced embedded algorithms, SBG Systems products are ideal solutions for industrial & research projects such as unmanned vehicle control, antenna tracking, camera stabilization, and surveying applications.

PRODUCT LINES

**Ellipse Micro**

**Ekinox Series**

**Apogee Series**

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