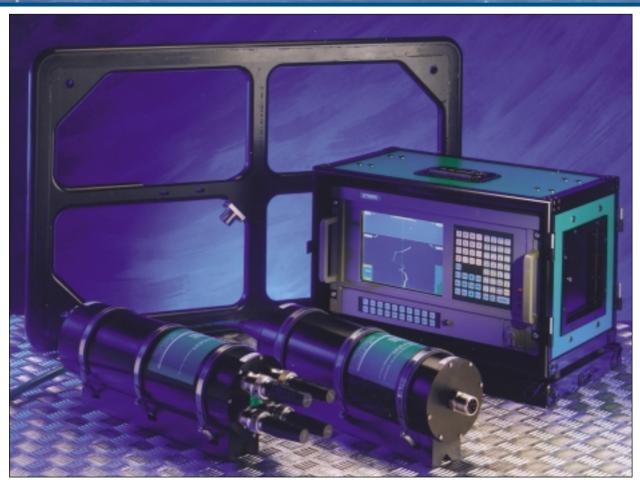
TSS 340 PIPE & CABLE TRACKING SYSTEM



GENERAL DESCRIPTION

"Advanced technology for versatile and accurate pipe & cable surveying"

As commercial. legal and environmental considerations demand that subsea pipelines and cables are correctly installed and maintained in good order, there is a constant demand to verify their location, condition and burial status. This requirement is complicated by the ever changing seabed topography.

The TSS 340 is a radically different approach to pipe and cable surveys. Target detection is by pulse induction which provides considerable advantages over magnetometer based systems.

The TSS 340 can locate any conductive material, exposed or buried. The TSS 340 outputs highly accurate survey data, on any type of subsea pipeline or cable from large gaslines down to small non-armoured communications cables. It is also effective for use in ordnance retrieval and debris clearance projects.

The major advantage of the TSS 340 is that terrestrial magnetism has no effect on data output, which allows accurate survey in areas around subsea structures.

A fully integrated system, the TSS 340 combines location, steerage and accurate depth of burial survey data to suit a wide variety of operations.

- · Pipeline installation, burial and survey
- · Cable installation, burial and survey
- Salvage operations
- Ordnance retrieval
- · Site and debris clearance
- Mine countermeasures

Features

Pulse Induction Technology

Comprehensive software display and menu structure

Quality Control envelope and flag

Modular design of system components

Fully integrated system with altimeter, spares and documentation

Comprehensive data output string

Benefits

Detects any conductive target, cancels out subsea vehicle regardless of heading and allows survey around subsea structures

Simple to use

On-line and logged indication of system performance limits

Installation onto a wide range of subsea vehicles

Simple to install and service

Ease of data processing and interface to survey equipment

Technical Specifications:

SUBSEA ELECTRONIC POD (SEP)

Dimensions Weight

SDC Communications

140mmØ x 460mm In air: 10.0Kg In water: 2.0Kg

2-wire 20mA digital current loop or 4-wire 20mA digital current loop or RS232 via one or two

twisted pair, or multiplexer

POWER SUPPLY

POD (PSU)

Dimensions Weight Voltage Input

140mmØ x 440mm In air: 10Kg In water: 2.0Kg 110V a.c. (input range 100-130V a.c.)

Option: 240V a.c. (input range 200-260V a.c.)

ROV Connection Via 8 way water proof connector

SEARCH COILS

Dimensions Weight Material **Connection Cable** 1000mm x 600mm x 30mm (3 off required) In air: 8.0Kg each In water 2.5Kg each High density polyethylene (HDPE) 4m length Option: 6m length

SURFACE DISPLAY

CONSOLE (SDC)

SDC Hardware

Description Disk Size **Ports** Interface to 102-Key keyboard, 14" colour VGA monitor, standard 19" rack mount housing weighing 40.0Kg 80386DX 25MHZ running MS-DOS Version 5.0 Hard drive: 210MB Floppy drive: 1.4MB (31/2")

4 serial, 2 parallel

20mA current loop, datalogger. altimeter, printer, video in/out PAL format (optional NTSC format). Option:

Analogue output

Voltage Input **Power Consumption** Input Frequency Shock Resistance

110/240V a.c. (input range 98-132V a.c./196-264V a.c.) 400VA 48-62Hz

Operating: Better than 5g for <10mS Non operating: Better than 40g for <10mS

COIL MOUNTED ALTIMETER

DEPTH RATING

Dimensions Frequency

47mmØ x 155mm 500KHz Range

Connection Cable

Min: 10cm Max: 3m 4m length Option: 7m length

All subsea components are depth rated to 3000mm. Option: 3000m

FIELD SUPPORT KIT Supplied as part of the recommended system

Typical Tracking Chart: Standard Pipeline

Diameter =91cm (36 inch)

True Lateral Offset (cm)

	<u>†</u> 290	<u>†</u> 270	<u>†</u> 250	<u>†</u> 230	<u>‡</u> 210	<u>†</u> 190	<u>†</u> 170	<u>†</u> 150	<u>†</u> 130	<u>†</u> 110	<u>‡</u> 90	<u>†</u> 70	<u>†</u> 50	<u>†</u> 30	<u>†</u> 10	0
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Target Scaling = 2260μV

Threshold = $15\mu V$

