

# Digiquartz® Depth Sensors

## Series 8000



Digiquartz® Depth Sensors provide the ultimate precision in water level measurements. Typical application accuracy of 0.01% is achieved even under difficult environmental conditions. Desirable characteristics include excellent long-term stability,  $1 \times 10^{-8}$  resolution, low power consumption, and high reliability. The remarkable performance of these depth sensors is achieved through the use of a precision quartz crystal resonator whose frequency of oscillation varies with pressure-induced stress. A quartz crystal temperature signal is provided to thermally compensate the calculated pressure and achieve high accuracy over a broad range of temperatures. The depth sensors include waterproof housings with integral shock protection.

High accuracy, resolution, and stability make Digiquartz® Depth Sensors ideal for applications such as Tsunami detection, wave and tide gauges, platform leveling, underwater pipe laying, and as depth sensors in ROVs and AUVs. All Depth Sensor ranges are available with either frequency outputs or integral intelligent electronics with bi-directional digital communications.

### Specifications

<b>Product</b>	Digiquartz® Depth Sensors
<b>Country of origin</b>	USA
<b>Manufacturer</b>	Paroscientific Inc

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Dual RS-232 and RS-485 interfaces allow complete remote configuration and control of all operating parameters, including resolution, sample rate, and choice of engineering units, integration time, and sampling requests. Commands include: Single sample and send, synchronized sample and hold, continuous sample and send, and special burst sampling modes.

New and enhanced features include support for both serial loop and multi-drop networking, selectable baud rates up to 115,200 baud, synchronization of measurements with timebased integration, 2 or 4 wire RS-485 transmission distances greater than 1 kilometer, improved high-speed continuous pressure measurements, a power management “sleep” mode, data formatting features, and unit identification commands.

All Digiquartz® transducers come with a limited five-year warranty with the first two years covered at 100%.

## Ranges

<b>Absolute</b>	0-10 m H <sub>2</sub> O to 0-7000 m H <sub>2</sub> O 0-30 psia to 0-10,000 psia
<b>Gauge</b>	0-10 m H <sub>2</sub> O to 0-140 m H <sub>2</sub> O 0-15 psi

## Features

- 0.01% Accuracy
- 1 x 10<sup>-8</sup> Resolution
- Unique Anti-Fouling Port
- Low Power Consumption
- High Stability and Reliability
- Fully Calibrated and Characterized
- ISO 9001 Quality System – NIST Traceable
- Frequency Outputs or Dual RS-232 and RS-485 Interfaces

## Application areas

- Hydrology
- Oceanography
- Tsunami Detection
- Wave and Tide Gauges
- Offshore Platform Leveling
- Dam and Reservoir Level Sensing
- Underwater Pipe Laying and Surveying
- Remotely Operated and Autonomous Underwater Vehicles

## Performance characteristics

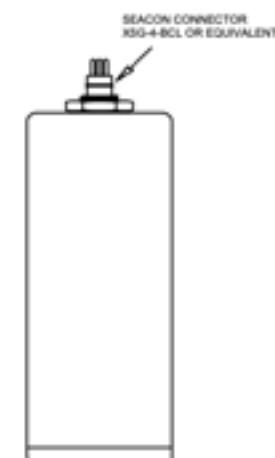
<b>Pressure Performance</b>	Accuracy typically better than 0.01% Full Scale (See SCD)
<b>Calibrated Temperature</b>	-2C to +40C
<b>Hysteresis</b>	8B $\leq \pm 0.01\%$ Full Scale 8DP $\leq \pm 0.005\%$ Full Scale
<b>Repeatability</b>	8B $\leq \pm 0.01\%$ Full Scale 8DP $\leq \pm 0.005\%$ Full Scale
<b>Over Pressure</b>	1.2 times Full Scale
<b>Thermal Sensitivity</b>	<0.0008% Full Scale /deg C
<b>Pressure Signal</b>	Nominal Frequency 37 to 42 KHz
<b>Temperature Signal</b>	Nominal Frequency 172 KHz

## Electrical characteristics

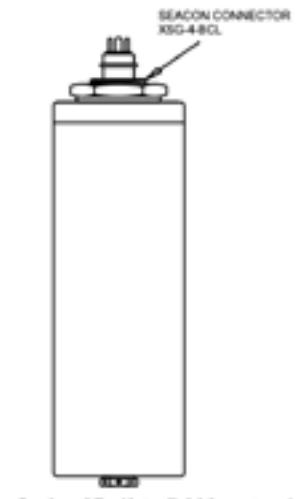
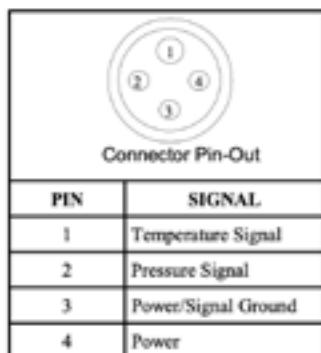
<b>Input Voltage</b>	+6 (Min) to +25 VDC
<b>Current Consumption</b>	1.3 mA @ 6VDC (Typical)
<b>Output Signal</b>	Nominal square wave of 4 volts amplitude peak-to-peak, capacity coupled with source impedance <1,000 Ohms

## Environmental characteristics

<b>Weight</b>	8B Dry: 2.55 lbs (1.156 Kg) Max 8DP Dry: 3.48 lbs (1.58 Kg) Max 8DP 700m Dry: 5.00 lbs (2.26 Kg) Max
<b>Housing Materials/Wetted</b>	8B - Stainless Steel 8DP-PVC Type 1 or Acetal, White



Series 8DP (0-700 meters)



Series 8B (0 to 7,000 meters)

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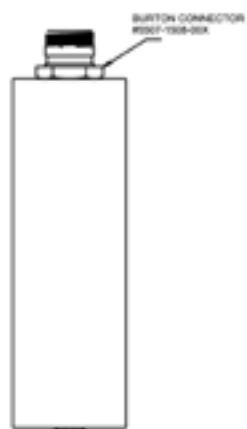
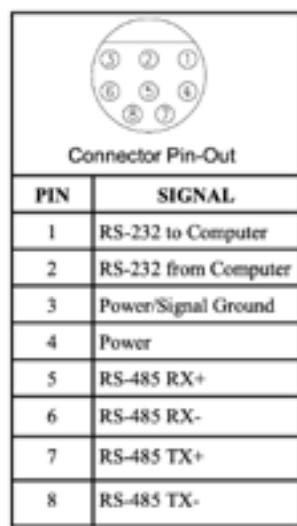
<b>Input Voltage</b>	+6 (Min) to +16 VDC
<b>Current Consumption</b>	16.5 mA Quiescent, 32 mA max @ +6 VDC
<b>Output Signal</b>	RS-232 meets EIA/TIA specs RS-485 meets EIA/TIA specs

## Environmental characteristics

<b>Weight</b>	8CB Dry: 2.94 lbs (1.33 Kg) Max 8CDP Dry: 3.48 lbs (1.58 Kg) Max 8CDP 700m Dry: 5.0 lbs (2.26 Kg) Max
<b>Housing Materials/Wetted</b>	8CB - Stainless Steel 8CDP-PVC Type 1 or Acetal, White



Series 8CDP (0 to 700 meters)



Series 8CB (0 to 7,000 meters)

## Depth Sensors

Depth	Model	Frequency Outputs		
Meters of H2O	Model	Part Number	Dimensions inch (cm) Dia.	Length
<b>Series 8DP Absolute Depth Sensors*</b>				
0-10	8DP010-2	1116-004-0	3.50(8.9)	8.92(22.7)
0-20	8DP020-2	1116-006-0	3.50(8.9)	8.92(22.7)
0-60	8DP060-2	1116-008-0	3.50(8.9)	8.92(22.7)
0-130	8DP130-2	1116-010-0	3.50(8.9)	8.92(22.7)
0-200	8DP200-2	1116-012-0	3.50(8.9)	8.92(22.7)
0-270	8DP270-2	1116-014-0	3.50(8.9)	8.92(22.7)
0-700	8DP700-2	1116-035-0	3.50(8.9)	14.51(36.8)

Depth	Model	Frequency Outputs		
Meters of H2O	Model	Part Number	Dimensions inch (cm) Dia.	Length
<b>Series 8DP Gauge Depth Sensors*</b>				
0-10	8DP010-GV-2	1117-002-0	3.50(8.9)	8.92(22.7)
0-15	8DP015-GV-2	1117-010-0	3.50(8.9)	8.92(22.7)
0-20	8DP020-GV-2	1117-004-0	3.50(8.9)	8.92(22.7)
0-70	8DP070-GV-2	1117-006-0	3.50(8.9)	8.92(22.7)
0-100	8DP100-GV-2	1117-012-0	3.50(8.9)	8.92(22.7)
0-140	8DP140-GV-2	1117-008-0	3.50(8.9)	8.92(22.7)

Depth	Model	Frequency Outputs		
Meters of H2O	Model	Part Number	Dimensions inch (cm) Dia.	Length
<b>Series 8B High Pressure Absolute Depth Sensors *</b>				
0-1400	8B1400-2	1036-002-0	1.61(4.0)	9.85(25.0)
0-2000	8B2000-2	1036-004-0	1.61(4.0)	9.85(25.0)
0-4000	8B4000-2	1036-006-0	1.61(4.0)	9.85(25.0)
0-7000	8B7000-2	1036-008-0	2.17(5.5)	10.68(27.1)

## Depth Sensors

Depth	Model	Intelligent		
Meters of H2O	Model	Part Number	Dimensions inch (cm) Dia.	Length
<b>Series 8CDP Intelligent Depth Sensor</b>				
0-10	8CDP010-I	1705-001-0	3.50(8.9)	8.55(21.7)
0-20	8CDP020-I	1705-002-0	3.50(8.9)	8.55(21.7)
0-60	8CDP060-I	1705-003-0	3.50(8.9)	8.55(21.7)
0-130	8CDP130-I	1705-004-0	3.50(8.9)	8.55(21.7)
0-200	8CDP200-I	1705-005-0	3.50(8.9)	8.55(21.7)
0-270	8CDP270-I	1705-006-0	3.50(8.9)	8.55(21.7)
0-700	8CDP700-I	1705-007-0	3.50(8.9)	10.50(26.7)

Depth	Model	Frequency Outputs		
Meters of H2O	Model	Part Number	Dimensions inch (cm) Dia.	Length
<b>Series 8CDP Intelligent Depth Sensors</b>				
0-10	8CDP010-GVI	1706-001-0	3.50(8.9)	8.80(22.4)
0-15	8CDP015-GVI	1706-002-0	3.50(8.9)	8.80(22.4)
0-20	8CDP020-GVI	1706-003-0	3.50(8.9)	8.80(22.4)
0-70	8CDP070-GVI	1706-004-0	3.50(8.9)	8.80(22.4)
0-100	8CDP100-GVI	1706-005-0	3.50(8.9)	8.80(22.4)
0-140	8CDP140-GVI	1706-006-0	3.50(8.9)	8.80(22.4)

Depth	Model	Frequency Outputs		
Meters of H2O	Model	Part Number	Dimensions inch (cm) Dia.	Length
<b>Series 8B High Pressure Absolute Depth Sensors *</b>				
0-1400	8CB1400-I	1700-001-0	1.61(4.0)	10.83(27.5)
0-2000	8CB2000-I	1700-002-0	1.61(4.0)	10.83(27.5)
0-4000	8CB4000-I	1700-003-0	1.61(4.0)	10.83(27.5)
0-7000	8CB7000-I	1700-004-0	2.17(5.5)	10.83(27.5)