



SPACE

GNSS Receiver for Space Applications

Next generation GNSS receiver for space applications designed to meet the demanding needs of modern missions

What is Sextans GMV?

Sextans GMV is a software defined GNSS receiver which provides accurate position, navigation and timing information to support multiple spaceborne applications. Typical platforms include microsatellites and microlaunchers. **Sextans GMV** is multi-constellation and multi-frequency.

Sextans GMV has been engineered to provide a flexible, configurable, extendible capability for spaceborne missions. The product has been developed to meet the needs of providing position, navigation and timing for missions covering earth observations, telecommunications/IoT, navigation, science and exploration. It is suitable for use onboard cubesats, microsatellites or micro-launchers, whether individual satellites, multiple satellites or mega constellations. **Sextans GMV** can be configured to meet your mission needs.

For further information:

If you have an application for **Sextans GMV** and would like more information or to discuss your requirements, please contact the team: **sextans@gmv.com**





How does Sextans GMV work?

Sextans GMV can be deployed standalone or readily integrated into an existing OBC (depending on the processor power).

The modular architecture and RTEMS 5.0 operating system allows the **Sextans GMV** for Symmetric/
Asymmetric multiprocessing on a range of HW architectures. The flexibility of the **Sextans GMV** Receiver enables it to be customised to operate on a single processing core, or in parallel with other applications (e.g. guidance, navigation and control algorithms) on a multi-core processor.



Main features

- Dual constellation.
- Providing standalone precise navigation in-flight.
- Adaptability to different HW platforms.
- Configurability for different space mission requirements.
- Wide range of interfaces (HW and SW).
- Multiple navigation modes (LSQ, EKF).
- PPS & Timing functionality

Product roadmap

- GMV is developing a specific application of the Sextans receiver for reusable rocket within a project with ESA-FLPP named PANTHER
- Dual Frequency Receiver.

Data sheet

| Туре | Software Defined Radio GNSS Receiver |
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| Communication | - UART (RS-422) - PUS |
| Supported bands | - GPS L1 / Galileo E1 - GPS L5 / Galileo E5a (optional) |
| Platforms | - Zynq 7030 |
| Performance | - 10 m and 0.25 m/s in LSQ (single frequency mode) - Option of improving performance in Hybrid EKF mode (single frequency + IMU) - Short PVT reacquisition (<8s) |
| Acquisition / Tracking | - 5 min TTFF in cold start / 2 min TTFF in warm start - ACQ sensitivity of 40 dBHz in frequency domain and 28 dbHZ in time domain - TCK sensitivity of 28 dBHz - Up to 40 channels (single frequency) - Up to 12x2 channels (dual frequency) |
| Applications | - Microlaunchers - Qualification wrt typical environmental testing including: - Shock - Vibration - TVAC - EMC(EMI) Possibility of integrating an IMU within the casing |
| Navigation modes | - Least Square - Hybrid Kalman Filter (optional) |
| Outputs (1-10 Hz) | - PVT - Raw Measurements: Pseudoranges, Dopplers, Carrier Phases - Tracking outputs: Correlation IQ, Code and Phase errors - Processing status - Almanacs / Ephemerides |
| Mass | 570 g (without IMU)600 g |
| Volume | 155(L) x 77 (W)76 x 65 (H)54 mm ³ |
| Power Input | 15 – 50 V (DC) < 6 W (without IMU) < 8 W (with IMU) |

Sextans GMV is a modular system that allows the customer to:

- Configure its functionality and performance in-flight.
- Adapt to specific processors and processing budgets.
- Offers ease of SW upgrade including the core functions.
- Provides flexible interfaces with external hardware.



