

TMS3700

Multi-port NTP server with GNSS & IRIGB reference

The TMS3700 is rack unit equipment able to provide a high stability time source to any Ethernet TCP/IP network.

This timeserver uses the NTP (Network Time Protocol) and TP (Time Protocol) to synchronize all the computers connected to the network.

NTP Server

The TMS3700 server is NTP-Primary server type with the following functions

- Level 1 server, compliant with NTP protocol release 3.0 or 4.0
- Mode: server (question/answer) or broadcast

The client's computers could be synchronized with a precision of 1 to 10 ms, depending on network load.

The TMS3700 uses two independent sources to get the time and to ensure synchronization:

- An integrated GNSS receiver.
- An IRIGB external reference input. Priority is given to the GNSS source when available because of its greater precision.

Multiports

The NTP service is available on 3 ports:
• 10/100 Mbps Ethernet port shared with supervisory functions

• two ports 10/100/1000 Mbps dedicated to the NTP service

Irig-B

The IRIGB input uses the standard 1 KHz amplitude modulated signal compliant with IRIGB STANDARDS 200-98.

Remote control

Remote monitoring of the equipment is made by the network link (port 10/100 Mbs) using the integrated web server.

Interfaces

A Pulse top second (1PPS) synchronous with internal time is available at the output. This signal allows the verification of the synchronization on the IRIGB signal.

An RS232 connection allows access for maintenance of equipment, mainly updates of the internal software..

GNSS

GNSS receiver is dedicated to time applications, it is able to acquire 12 satellites or more (depending of receptor type) simultaneously. It delivers a high precision top second.

Oscillator

An internal OCXO type oscillator allows a time stability of 1x10-9/day in free running mode. (GNS & IRIGB loss)

Configuration

The entire configuration of the equipment is contained in a removable Micro SD memory SDCARD.

This approach allows a fast and safe reconfiguration in case of replacement of the unit..



TMS3700 front face of the equipment













Features

NTP/SNTP

(Network Time Protocol): NTP (RFC 1305) SNTP (RFC 1361) port UDP 123.

Server configuration: V3, V4 or V3/V4 automatic.

TP (Time Protocol) DAY TIME

Time (RFC 868) using port UDP37

HTTP:

Web pages for remote control.

Connectors:

TNC for GNSS antenna BNC isolated: IRIGB input BNC for 1PPS output. BNC for 10 MHz output SUB'D 9 pins female for the console serial link. RJ45 for the network links.

1PPS accuracy

± 100 ns relative to UTC when locked to GNSS.

± 500 ns relative to the beginning of the IRIGB frame when the equipment is synchronized by IRIGB.

Network interface:

Ethernet IEEE 802.3. 10/100 Base TX.

IRIGB code:

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IRIG-B, signal amplitude modulated 1/3, 1/1 – isolated by transformer. Code input are compliant with the "year" information.

Internal reference:

Oscillator type OCXO OSTAR 10 MHz. Output : 10 MHz sinus +13 dBm/50 Ω . Long term stability in free running mode:

<1.10-9 / day, <4.10-8 / month, <3.10-7 / year. Disciplined mode: < 1.10-10.

Dimensions:

Rack 1U, 19", depth: 350 mm Weight: 3 kg Consumption: 20 W

MTBF:

TMS3700 : 100 000 h

Power supply:

Power supply 230V AC: Female CEE 2P+T with filter & swith On/Off

Voltage: 85-264VAC / 47-440Hz Consumption: < 20W at 230VAC/50

Ordering:

TMS3700: standard unit