FEATURES

- Ultra low noise
- Three component
- 0.003 to 5 Hz
 (optional to 16 Hz)

The Model KS-1 is very broadband, observatory grade, Seismometer System. It is a direct off-spring of the well-known, time proven, Model **KS-54000** borehole seismometer used AFTAC in their detection arrays and by IRIS in their global network. It has a response flat to velocity from about 0.003 to 5 Hz (an optional version with acceleration output goes up to 16Hz). This instrument family is known worldwide as the standard for low noise studies of very long period earth motion.

KS-1 uses the same electronics as **KS-54000** and was re-packaged for surface installations; it requires only about 2.4W at 24 Vdc.

KS-1 comes in two separate modules, one containes the three orthogonally mounted sensors, the other the electronics. Leveling is done manually by adjusting the feet; an air bubble indicator is provided.



VERY BROADBAND SEISMOMETER

MODEL KS-1



Sensor package



Electronics package

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VERY BROADBAND SEISMOMETER MODEL KS-1 SPECIFICATIONS

OPERATING CHARACTERISTICS

Configuration Three-component

Outputs, Seismic Data

Number and

Three, differential

Type

Sensitivity Standard 2,400 V-sec/m

(other values possible)

Response Flat to velocity from 0.003 to

5 Hz (optional to 16 Hz)

Distortion Less than 100 ppm to ½ full

scale

Noise see figure below for KS-54000

Level 40 V_{p-p}, maximum

Output, Mass Monitor

Number and

Three, single-ended

Type

Sensitivity 510 V-sec²/m, nominal

Response Flat to acceleration, dc to

4.2 Hz

Level 20 V_{D-D}, maximum

Calibration Input

acceleration

Capacitive

Mode

Equivalent to flat earth velocity

Type Voltage - sine wave, pulse, etc.

Level 20 V_{p-p}, maximum

Power Requirements

Operating 24 Vdc, 100 mA, nominal

ENVIRONMENTAL CHARACTERISTICS

Operating -25° to +60°C, no convections

Temperature

Storage -55° to $+85^{\circ}$ C

Temperature

PHYSICAL CHARACTERISTICS

Dimensions of Sensor Package

Height 13.5 in (34 cm)

Diameter 10.75 in (27 cm)

Net Weight 95 lbs (43 kg)

Dimensions of Electronics Package

Length 26 in (66 cm)

Diameter 5.125 in (13 cm)

Net Weight 10 lbs (4.5 kg)

