FieldForce







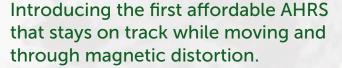












Unmanned vehicles are performing progressively more complex tasks – and requiring increasingly robust and accurate heading and orientation information. But existing AHRS modules leave too much room for error. They lose heading when encountering magnetic distortion; they suffer from errors when experiencing erratic motion; and often don't provide accurate headings, even in a static environment. And at more than \$2000 for a MEMS-based AHRS, it's no wonder AHRS have only been integrated by a select few customers.



When there's no room for error, TRAX stays on track.

The new FieldForce® Trax AHRS module provides unparalleled heading accuracy when static, while moving and through magnetic distortion. Trax employs a patented Kalman filtering algorithm that intelligently fuses PNI's patented Reference Magnetic Sensors with gyros and accelerometers to overcome errors due to erratic motion and changes in the local magnetic field.



When exposed to magnetic distortion, TRAX maintains accurate heading — while the leading AHRS is thrown off track.

And Trax is priced for commercial use - delivering more reliable heading than AHRS modules that cost twice as much.

Features:

- High accuracy
- Magnetic distortion compensation
- Multiple field calibration options
- Low power consumption
- RS232 and USB interface
- RoHs compliant

Specifications¹

Performance Specifications	Heading	Range	360°
		Static Accuracy	0.3 °rms
		Dynamic Accuracy	2 °rms
		Accuracy in Presence of Magnetic Transient	2 rms
		Resolution	0.1°
		Repeatability	0.05 rms
	Tilt	Range	±90 of pitch, ±180 of roll
		Accuracy	.2° rms
		Resolution	0.1°
		Repeatability	0.05° rms
	Maximum Dip Angle		85°
/O Characteristics	Communication Interface		RS232 & USB
Mechanical Characteristics	Dimensions (lxwxh)		3.5 x 4.3 x 1.3 cm
	Weight		9 gm
Power Requirements	Supply Voltage (unregulated)		3.6 - 5 VDC
	Current Draw (continuous output)		80 mA
Temperature	Operation		-40°C to +85°C
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For availability, ordering information and most current specifications, please visit www.pnicorp.com





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3-AXIS



HARD AND SOFT IRON CORRECTION



INTEGRATED PROCESSOR



LOW POWER



DYNAMIC MOTION CONTROL

PNI MAGNETO-INDUCTIVE ORIENTATION
SENSORS can tell you if something is up or
down, sideways or facing east. They can tell
you where in space your handheld is, or track
movement across a screen or down a ravine.
They're reliably accurate underwater, in space,
in a car, and at extreme temperatures — all
with pin-point accuracy, and using far less
power than other technologies.

PNI uses the existing power of the earth's magnetic field to measure position, orientation and heading, applying its patented Magneto-Inductive technology in each of its sensors and modules.

Many of today's leading companies are using PNI technology in their marquee products and across a wide spectrum of applications, including compassing, surveying equipment, sonar, robotics, vehicles and oceanography equipment.

