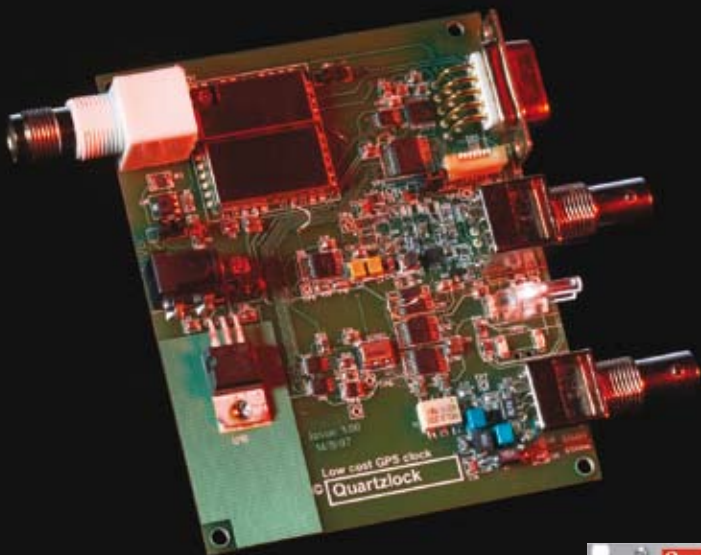


Breakthrough, Economy GPS Timing & Frequency Standards



Description

The Quartzlock E8-X represents a breakthrough in exceptionally low cost, traceable, **calibration-free "off air" frequency & time standards**. These references maintain the high frequency & time accuracy required for demanding applications.

Low distortion 10MHz Sine & 1PPS outputs.

Features

- 1×10^{-12} accuracy
- No Drift
- High Stability
- 1 Year Warranty
- Lowest Cost Available
- Very long production life & support. Quartzlock 2A (E8-X predecessor) series has been in production for > 30 years (3 generations)
- Many versions of the E8-X are available. PCB, Mill, Low & Very Low Noise etc.

Benefits

- No Calibration Required
- Traceable Reference, nationally & internationally

Applications:

- **Calibration of:** Counters, Frequency Meters, Spectrum & Network Analysers, Synthesizers, & Communication Analysers
- **Reference for:** VHF, UHF & PMR TX, CDMA, Tetra, DTV & DAB
- Production Test Frequency Standard
- Network Time Protocol use in Financial, Utilities, Security & Communications Timing
- OEM
- **Standard for:** Calibration Labs, Radio Workshops, Labs and Stations

Quality:

- Quartzlock's Hydrogen Maser based laboratory is used in production test & QA to ensure compliance with offset and stability specifications.

Survey, Satellite Azimuth & Elevation, Navigation, Timing & Signal Quality Monitoring

These software packages will find educational survey and GMSS applications. Demonstration of the location timing and navigation functions are provided.



Quartzlock GPS instruments have been designed to work with various external software packages such as WinOncore. We accept no responsibility for accuracy or performance of these external programs.

These programmes enable the main parameters of the GPS signals to be easily verified, particularly input signal level and satellites in view.

WinOncore12 has been designed for use as an evaluation and testing tool in conjunction with Motorola's GT, UT and M12 Oncore GPS receivers. This utility will aid the user in initializing and operating the Oncore receiver, displaying, plotting and printing data from the receiver, and recording and replaying data files.

Other Oncore receivers such as the VP, Basic or XT Oncore may also be used with WinOncore12; however, not all of the input and output (I/O) messages are defined. If you are using a receiver which supports I/O messages not defined in WinOncore12, you may customize support for each desired message in the Command Manager.

WinOncore12 supports both NMEA and Motorola Binary protocol, and thus may be used to record live data or playback previously recorded data from a NMEA (*.GPS) file or Motorola Binary (*.bin) file.

WinOncore12 will run under Windows 95/98/2000 and NT.

Timing & Frequency Standards

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SPECIFICATION													
Outputs	a) Sinewave, 10MHz, 12dBm +/- 2dBm into 50 Ohms Harmonics < -50dBc Spurii <-75dBc b) TTL, 3.3VCMOS, 1pulse per second (4ns std dev)												
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Lock Indicator	On - Not Locked Off - Locked, Low Phase Error Short flash every second - Locked, High Phase Error												
GPS Indicator	Green - Indicates number of satellites used in time solution Amber - Indicates number of satellites tracked but not used in time solution												
Warm Time	<15 minutes to specified accuracy												
Power Supply & Antenna	6 to 12V dc (ac psu provided) GPS antenna supplied												
Current Consumption	250mA typical												
Size	<table border="0"> <tr> <td>E8-X</td> <td>105 x 30 x 125mm desktop module</td> </tr> <tr> <td>E8-X PCB OEM</td> <td>100 x 120mm</td> </tr> <tr> <td>E8-X MIL</td> <td>CNC machined microwave housing</td> </tr> </table>	E8-X	105 x 30 x 125mm desktop module	E8-X PCB OEM	100 x 120mm	E8-X MIL	CNC machined microwave housing						
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OPTION 41

Interface	Shared between DPLL and GPS receiver
DPLL	9.6kbaud, RS232, PC compatible (8bits no parity, no handshake)
GPS	9.6kbaud, Motorola binary format (8bits no parity, no handshake)
DPLL Tracking	5mHz to 500mHz typical in 8 binary Bandwidths increments default 20mHz

Low Noise Options (48)(contact Quartzlock)

Short Term Stability	Phase Noise			
tau	Allan Variance			
	(typ -dBc/Hz)			
	Options (contact Quartzlock)			
1s	x10 ⁻¹¹	1Hz	69	90
10s	x10 ⁻¹¹	10Hz	98	120
100s	x10 ⁻¹²	100Hz	120	130
1000s	x10 ⁻¹²	1kHz	130	145
10000s	x10 ⁻¹²	10kHz	140	145
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Option 43

PCB version

Option 44 for OEM qty use

OCXO type case enclosure for PCB mounting. 1 output

Option 45

MIL spec environmental in CNC machine housing

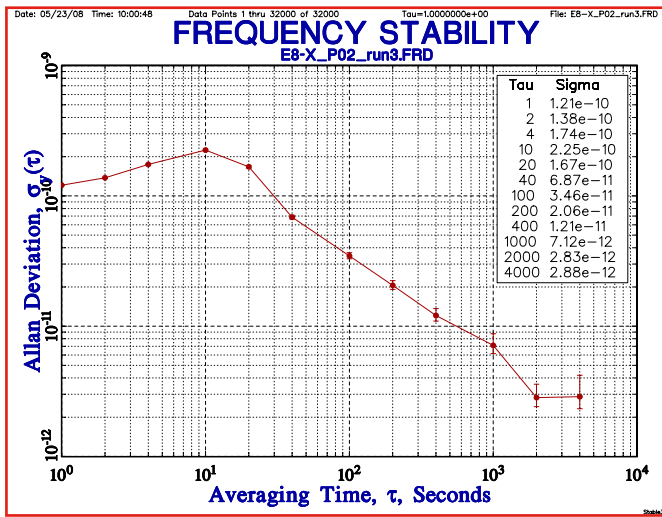
Option 46

Antenna & PSU

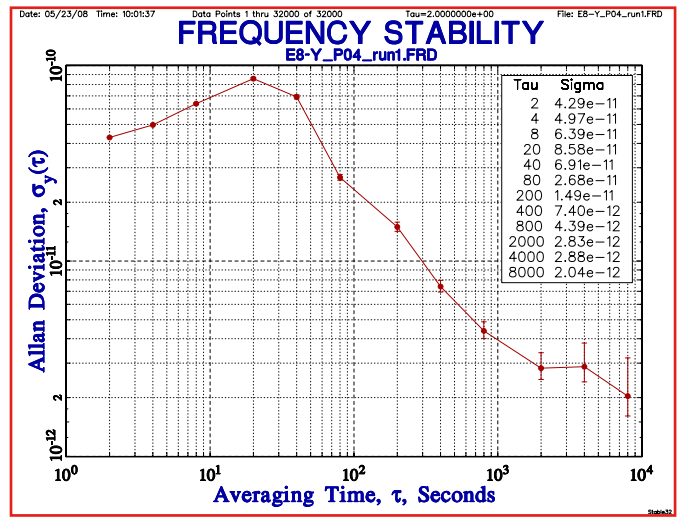
Option 47

High gain antenna & PSU

E8-X Short Term Stability



E8-X



E8-X with low noise option

Phase Noise Plots available – contact Quartzlock

Two oscillator options are available to suit customer requirements, see options listed on page 3.

The E8-X may be built into 1U rack format, see E8000.

The E8010 is a GPS disciplined Rubidium in 1U rack format, ask Quartzlock for details.



The E8-X is supplied with wall plug power supplies with international connector fittings. A GPS antenna is supplied.



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