

PRODUCT INFORMATION

TRAFFIC MANAGEMENT SENSOR

TRUGRD Stream



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1 USER SAFETY WARNING

Please read the entire document carefully before using the sensor.

INSTALLATION

Please pay attention to the details below before installing and connecting the sensor:

- Only use provided or approved equipment for the installation. Use stainless screws with the given metric thread. If other brackets than those provided are used, screw lengths must be adapted.
- Only skilled and instructed persons shall install and connect the sensor. Proper experience in working with mains voltage, electrical and electronic devices is required.
- Do not connect the sensor directly to the mains voltage; instead use the voltage specified for the product.
- Do not wire any connections when power is applied to the device.
- Ground devices carefully to prevent electrical shock.
- All connectors are pin-coded and fit in only one position. Also note the arrow indicating the top side of the sensor.
- Only use fully functional equipment (ladders, aerial work platform, etc.) when working above ground. Staff shall be capable of working at heights.
- Be cautious when installing the sensor on or around active roadways and pay attention to moving traffic.
- Mount the sensor carefully to prevent it from shifting or dropping.
- The sensor must be mounted to a stiff and solid support. Vibration, oscillation or other movement will reduce the sensor performance.
- Make sure that installation methods are in accordance with local safety policies and procedures as well as company practices.

OPERATION

Do not operate the sensor if the device itself or any cables are damaged.

Transmission of radio frequency waves starts after the sensor is powered up and stops when it is disconnected from power.

Using a JBOX or SRO does not influence the sensor performance. It is recommended that only one connection interface is used at a time.

For testing purposes, the sensor may be laid on its face when it is powered up, given that the surface or connectors will not be damaged this way. Be careful not to damage the camera. Please note that this position is not intended for permanent use.



The sensor may become hot during operation. Proper hand protection is recommended for maintenance work.



Do not dispose electrical and electronic equipment in household trash.

TECHNICAL SERVICE

Only use provided or approved equipment for operation. People other than authorized and approved electrical technicians shall NOT attempt to connect the device to a power supply, the Traffic Management Interface Board (TMIB) or other controllers, as there is a risk of electrical shock by unsafe handling of the power source.

Do not attempt to service or repair this device:

- No user-maintainable parts are contained in the device.
- To avoid electrical shock, do not remove or open the cover.
- Unauthorized opening will void all warranties.
- smartmicro is not liable for any damages or harms caused by unauthorized attempts to open or repair the device.

RADIATION

This product has been tested and found to comply with Part 15 Subpart C of the Federal Communications Commission (FCC) or the European RED directive, or other national rules, depending on the country where it may be in use.

Operation is subject to the following two conditions:

- This device may not cause harmful interference.
- This device must accept any interference received, including interference that may cause undesired operation.

This device generates radio frequency energy. There are strict limits on continuous emission power levels to provide reasonable protection against harmful interference when the equipment is operated in a commercial environment.

- Human exposure to transmitted waves from this device is generally considered as safe. Still, it is considered good practice that humans are not subject to higher radiation levels than necessary.

This device may interfere with other devices using the same frequency band.

2 SENSOR SPECIFICATIONS

TRUGRD Stream combines a video camera with a 24GHz radar for multi-lane, multi-object tracking traffic management applications that features 4D/UHD⁺ technology.

The video camera and the radar are integrated into one housing. The radar sensor and the video camera act as independent devices. The radar sensor carries out the detection.

The camera stream functions as an additional sensor modality to get an overview of the current traffic situation and to visually validate the output of the radar sensor.

2.1 MEASUREMENT PRINCIPLE OF THE RADAR SENSOR

The radar sensor measures range, radial speed, horizontal and vertical angle, reflectivity and more parameters of multiple stationary and moving reflectors (targets) simultaneously. It is capable of ultra-high definition (4D/UHD⁺). Through MIMO antenna operation and super resolution algorithms, the radar sensor achieves a particularly high azimuth angular separation capability (UHD⁺) and elevation measurement, depending on its configuration.

The radar sensor is almost unaffected by weather, temperature and lighting conditions.

4D/UHD⁺ MEASUREMENT

A 4D Doppler based radial motion detection principle is integrated:

- a) Direct unambiguous Doppler measurement (speed)
- b) Direct range measurement
- c) Direct azimuth angle measurement (horizontal angle)
- d) Direct elevation angle measurement (vertical angle)¹

Moving reflectors with an absolute radial speed component of typically >0.1m/s can be detected as well as stationary objects.

With its multi-target capability, the radar sensor can *detect* many reflectors within the field of view at a time (max. 256²). The field of view typically covers up to 12 lanes. Additionally, filter algorithms are implemented for the tracking of all detected reflectors over time. Those tracking algorithms are integrated in the sensor. Multiple objects (max. 256²) can be *tracked* simultaneously. Depending on the selected communication interface, the number of *reported* targets and objects may be limited, for example when using RS485 interface. Both, targets and objects, are sorted by range; those with short range are reported first.

¹ Configurations without elevation angle measurement (3D) are also available.

² Depending on the configuration.

The result of tracking is an object list with the following parameters:

- X-position
- Y-position
- Absolute velocity
- Heading angle
- Length
- Object ID and more

The sensor reports such a list of all tracked objects in every measurement cycle of typically 50 or 100ms length, depending on the application.

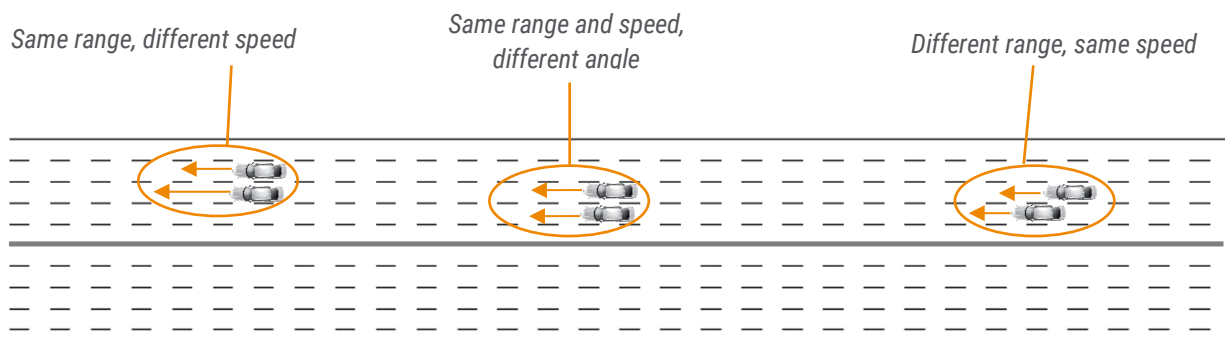
ULTRA-HIGH DEFINITION RESOLUTION - OBJECT SEPARATION PERFORMANCE

The sensor can separate objects even in areas where many vehicles are closely spaced: for example, in multi-lane scenarios with dense traffic like traffic jams, stop-and-go traffic or at busy intersections. The sensor measures object parameters in 4 dimensions: range, radial speed, azimuth and elevation angle – depending on the operational mode. It also separates in range cells, Doppler cells and azimuth beams (UHD⁺).

Individual reflectors are separated by detection algorithms if having either:

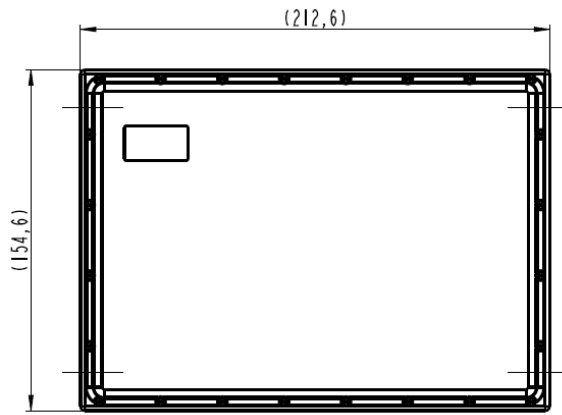
- A different radial speed value or
- A different range value or
- A different azimuth angular position

Tracking algorithms and the data base further support the separation of objects.

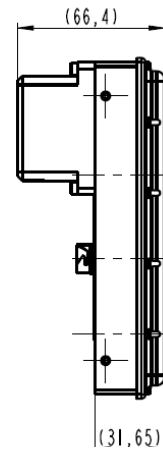


2.2 SENSOR DIMENSIONS

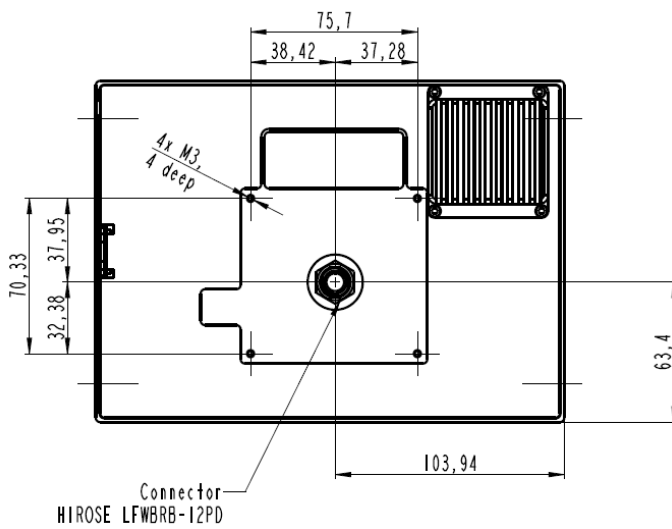
All values are given in mm.



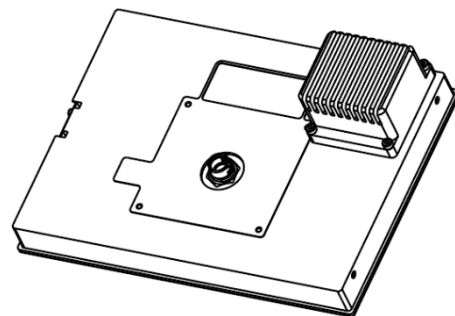
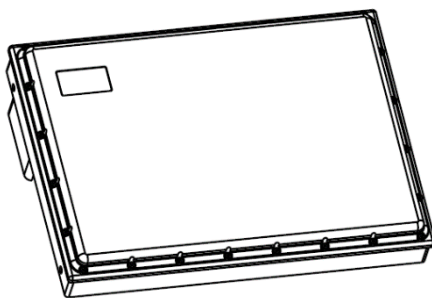
Sensor Front Side



Left Side

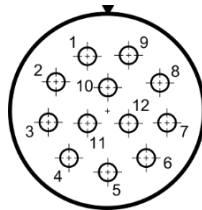


Sensor Rear Side



2.3 SENSOR CONNECTOR

The sensor connector is a 12-pin male (plug) circular bayonet type connector (waterproof IP67, series LF10WBRB-12PD, manufacturer Hirose, Japan). A female counterpart (socket), e.g. LF10WBP-12S, must be used to connect with the sensor.



*View on solder cup side of socket showing the pin numbering
(rear view of female counterpart to be connected to sensor)*

Sensor connector pin out model giving pin descriptions:

Pin No.	Function	Wire Color (MEDI type #KU110C12J002)
1	Sensor Ethernet TX H	Gray / red
2	Sensor Ethernet TX L	Red / blue
3	Sensor RS485 RX L	Pink
4	Sensor RS485 RX H	Gray
5	Sensor RS485 TX L	Brown
6	Sensor RS485 TX H	White
7	Sensor_GND	Blue
8	Sensor_Vcc	Red
9	Sensor Ethernet RX L	Black
10	Sensor Ethernet RX H	Purple
11	CAN H	Green
12	CAN L	Yellow

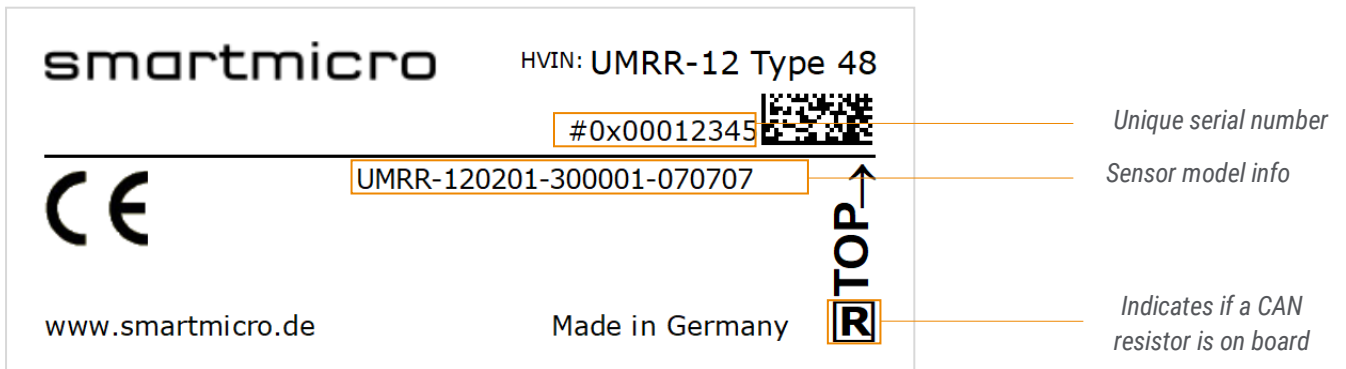
Please note that in the standard configuration the sensor does have a 120 Ohms resistor on board (CAN bus termination between CAN L and CAN H). Likewise, for the RS485 data interface there is a 120 Ohms resistor on board of the sensor. This resistor is required at either end of a CAN / RS485 bus.

Several cable sets for initial operation and test purposes are offered by smartmicro, to deliver a fast set-up of a sensor system. Among those preconfigured ready-to-run cables as well as cable stumps (pig tail cables or various lengths) which carry the connector on one side and open wires on the other.

2.4 SENSOR AND HARDWARE IDENTIFICATION

The sensor housing is tagged with a type sticker containing the product description and the serial number. It also indicates which side of the sensor is the top side.

Sticker example:



Additionally, the DSP board and the RF board have their own unique serial numbers.

3 GENERAL PERFORMANCE DATA

The video camera is mechanically integrated into the housing of the radar sensor. The radar sensor and the video camera act as independent devices.

Mechanical Details	
Weight	≤ 1575g ≤ 55.5oz
Dimensions (H/W/D)	212.6 x 154.6 x 31.65mm 8.37 x 6.09 x 1.25in (plus camera module and connector)

MECHANICAL INTEGRATION

The video camera and the radar sensor have the same azimuth angle. The elevation angle between the camera and the radar, however, is offset by three degree, because the camera is aligned to show the details at short distance (steeper elevation angle), while the radar sensor is aligned to detect targets at further distances.

MOUNTING POSITION

The device is usually mounted on a vertical pole at the roadside; no setback is required. Other mounting positions (gantry, mast arm, luminaire) are possible.

START-UP TIME

After powering up or resetting, device readings meet the specified performance in <30s.

3.1 RADAR SENSOR PERFORMANCE DATA

Parameter	Typical Values at 12.7dBm	Typical Values at 20dBm
Operating Frequency ³	24.0...24.25GHz	
Range ⁴	Minimum ⁵	1.5m 4.9ft
	Max.: Pedestrian ⁶	90m 295ft
	Max.: Bike ⁶	130m 426ft
	Max.: Passenger Car ⁶	200m 656ft
	Max.: Truck ⁶	300m 984ft
	Instrumented ⁵	150, 200 or 300m 492, 656 or 984ft
	Separation ⁵	2 or 4m 6.6 or 13ft
Speed ⁵	Accuracy	< ±0.25m < ±0.82ft or 1% (bigger of)
	Min. Abs. Radial Speed	0.1m/s or 0.36km/h 2.2mph [0 for stationary target detection]
	Min./Max.	-216...+216 or -320...+320km/h -134.2...+134.2 or -198.6...+198.6mph
	Separation	0.23m/s or 0.78m/s
Angle	Accuracy ⁷	< ±0.1m/s or < ±0.28m/s; or ± 1% (bigger of)
	Field of View: Azimuth ⁸	-55...+55°
	Field of View: Elevation ⁸	-10...+10°
	Separation: Azimuth ⁹	< 6°
	Accuracy: Azimuth ¹⁰	< 0.5°
Accuracy: Elevation ¹⁰	≤ 1°	
Further Information		
Initialization Time	< 30s	
Processing Latency	4 cycles	
Operating Voltage ¹¹	7...32V	
Power Consumption ¹²	11W	
Bandwidth	< 250MHz	
Max. Transmit Power (EIRP)	< 12.7dBm	< 20dBm
Operating & Storage Temperature	-40...+74°C -40...+165°F	
Interfaces ¹³	RS485 full duplex; Ethernet 10/100 ¹⁴ ; 1xCAN V2.0b (passive)	
Connector	Hirose LF10 series	
Shock / Vibration	100g _{rms} / 14g _{rms}	
Relative Humidity	0...95% (non-condensing)	
IP ¹⁵	67	
Pressure or Transport Altitude	0...10000m 0...32800ft	

³ In certain regions, the frequency interval starts at 24.05GHz.

⁴ Depending on the configuration.

⁵ Depending on the waveform.

⁶ Typical values; all values given for bore sight; they may vary depending on the clutter environment. Please note that the radar system can neither achieve a detection probability of 100% nor a false alarm rate equal to zero.

⁷ The speed accuracy is measured at bore sight on an object with a constant radial speed.

3.1.1 SELF-DIAGNOSIS

The radar sensor cyclically reports a status message providing the following information: sensor run time, sensor cycle time, sensor mode and diagnosis information.

The sensor has a self-diagnosis feature to allow limited fail-safe capabilities, detecting for example:

- Sensor blindness
- Rain
- Misalignment in roll or pitch angle
- Detection and suppression of interference

3.1.2 SENSOR NETWORK

Sensors are typically used standalone. However, at intersections up to four sensors can be connected to one TMIB (interface board to intersection controllers; available as accessory) using separate configurable frequency channels, which avoid mutual interference.

3.2 VIDEO CAMERA PERFORMANCE DATA

Parameter	Typical Values
Camera Module	
Resolution	2 megapixels (1920 x 1080 pixel)
Color Filter	Color camera with IR Cut Filter
Video Codec	H.265, H.264, MJPEG
Frame Rate	Up to 30 fps in 1920 x 1080 resolution
Standards	Supporting ONVIF Profile S
Operating Conditions ¹⁶	-34...+74°C -29...+165°F
Lens	
Angle Field of View	56°

CAMERA FIELD OF VIEW

Using the integrated camera, four lanes (16m horizontal width) in a distance of 25m (distance of the sensor to the stop bar) are covered.

⁸ The total field of view is an angle interval in which reflectors can be detected; 3dB field of view is narrower.

⁹ At 30dB S/N.

¹⁰ The typical value is measured at a target output level at bore sight, for a point reflector showing >23dB SNR. Errors may increase towards larger angles.

¹¹ Measured at the connector for min. voltage slew rate of 500V/s or max. voltage rise time of 15ms. The supply source impedance is 0.5 Ohms.

¹² May vary between 8 and 14W depending on supply voltage and temperature; power consumption increases with supply voltage and with temperature. The typical value is given for 12V at 25°C.

¹³ It is recommended to use an external surge protection for power, CAN, RS485, Ethernet and other interface ports.

¹⁴ Ethernet 10/100 is not yet available.

¹⁵ IP67 only when connector or cap is attached.

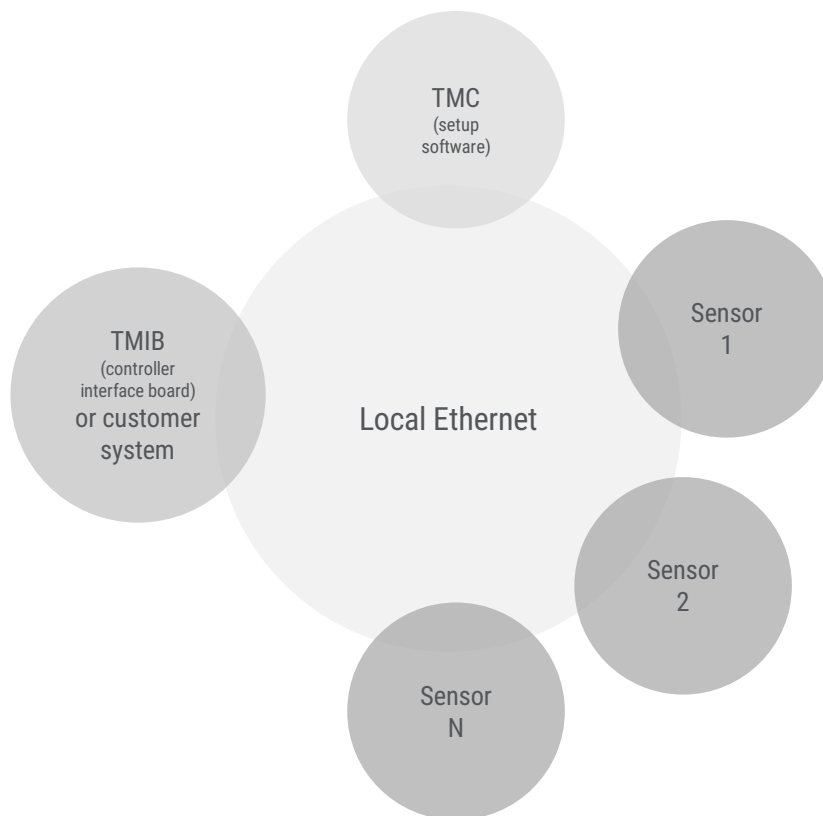
¹⁶ Extreme temperatures may reduce the camera performance.

3.3 ETHERNET CONNECTION¹⁷

The sensor supports UDP via Ethernet in a Local Area Network (LAN). Communication over low bandwidth environments or routed networks such as the world wide web are not supported.

Features:

- Ethernet standards IPv4, ARP, IGMP, IP multicast and UDP
- Support of DHCP
- smartmicro's proprietary communication protocol "smartmicro transport protocol" with:
 - o IP/UDP Multicast based discovery protocol
 - o Client ID based setup
 - o Sensor data transmission



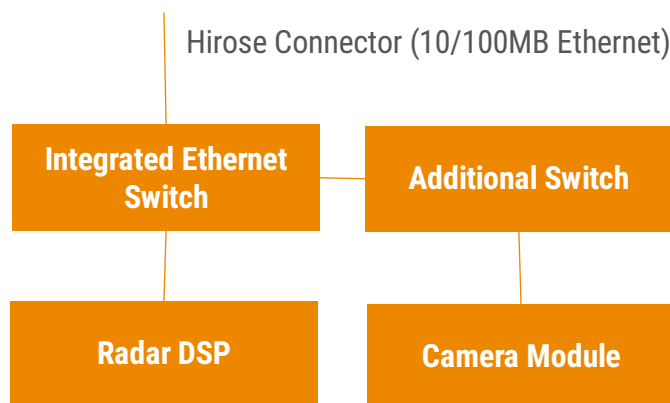
¹⁷ Ethernet is not yet available.

3.4 CONNECTION OF THE RADAR SENSOR AND THE CAMERA

The camera that is integrated into the radar sensor sends image data over a network with configurable resolution, framerate and video codecs. The camera can be accessed over the same Ethernet adapter as the radar sensor, but under a different IP address. The video camera can be configured through its webserver.

Note: The sensor can only be connected via the Ethernet adapter and not via RS485 or CAN.

Internal block diagram:



OUTPUT DATA

The output of the camera module is an encoded video stream transmitted over RTSP. The properties of the stream can be configured to meet different constraints, for example, as H.264.

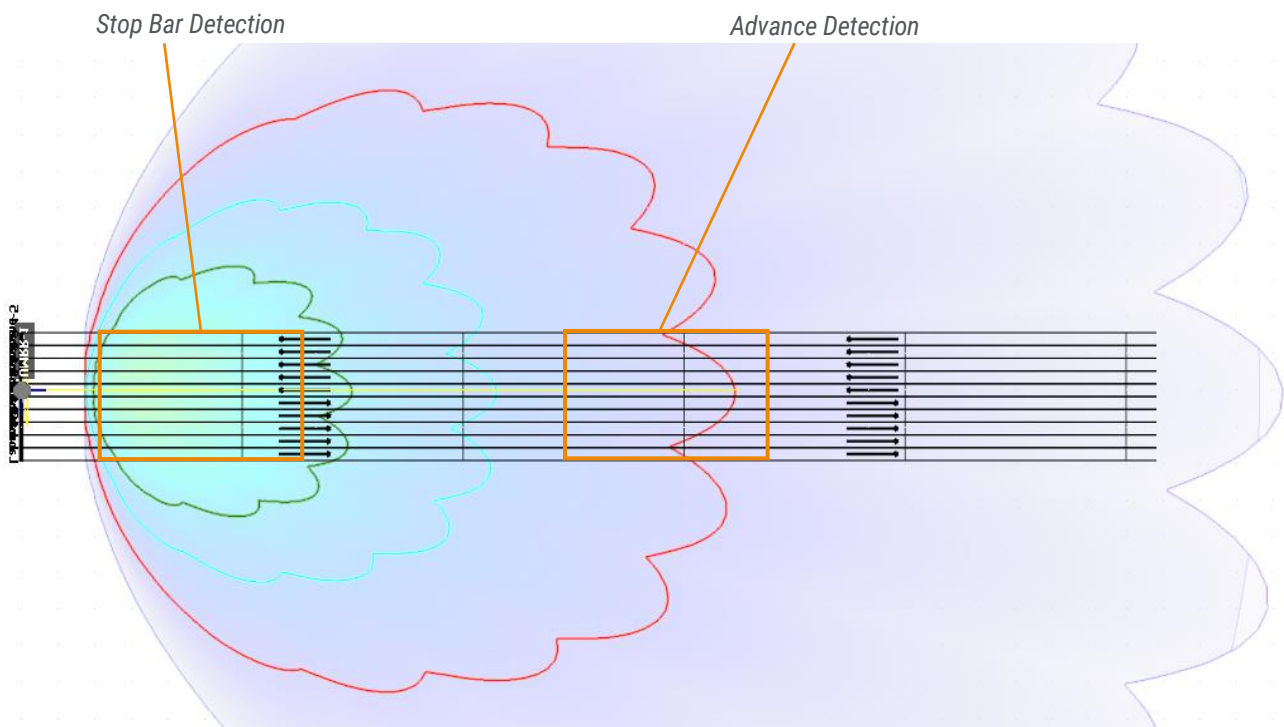
4 APPLICATION-SPECIFIC CHARACTERISTICS

The sensor can be used for the following different applications: intersection management, arterial management and enforcement.

4.1 INTERSECTION MANAGEMENT: STOP+ADVANCE

At intersections the sensor is typically used for combined stop bar detection (true presence detection) and lane-specific advance detection (exploiting the long-range). Other features of the sensor are:

- Queue length measurement
- Custom trigger conditions (e.g. location, vehicle speed, classification)
- ETA measurement
- Speed measurement



- Legend:
- Trucks
 - Passenger Cars
 - Motorbikes
 - Pedestrians

For all configurations:

Parameter	Typical Values (min...max.)	
Mounting Height ¹⁸	6m (1...10m) 20ft (3...33ft)	
Angle ¹⁹	Sensor Azimuth Angle	-10° (-25...+25°)
	Sensor Elevation Angle ²⁰	-2° (-6...0°)
Stop Bar Distance ²¹	25m (20...90m) 82ft (66...295ft)	
Advance Detection Distance	90m (50...150m) 295ft (164...492ft)	

Overview of configurations; all configurations listed are also available with high power mode (20dBm) for increased range:

Application	EIRP	Bandwidth	Instrumented Range	Sensitivity (Passenger Car)	Speed Interval	Cycle Time	4D (Elevation)
Stop+Advance 3D/UHD+	12.7dBm	100MHz	300m	200m	-216...+216km/h	100ms	No
Stop+Advance 4D/UHD+ ²²	12.7dBm	100MHz	300m	160m	-216...+216km/h	100ms	Yes

¹⁸ The mounting height may affect the maximum detection range. Occlusion needs to be considered.

¹⁹ The best performance is typically achieved at the center of the given angular range.

²⁰ These values are application specific. For gantry montage a steeper elevation angle is possible but limiting the maximum range. A negative elevation angle means that the sensor is pointing towards the road.

²¹ Do not use stop bar distances below 20m (at max. sensor elevation mounting angle -9°). Outside the recommended range, vehicle drops are more likely.

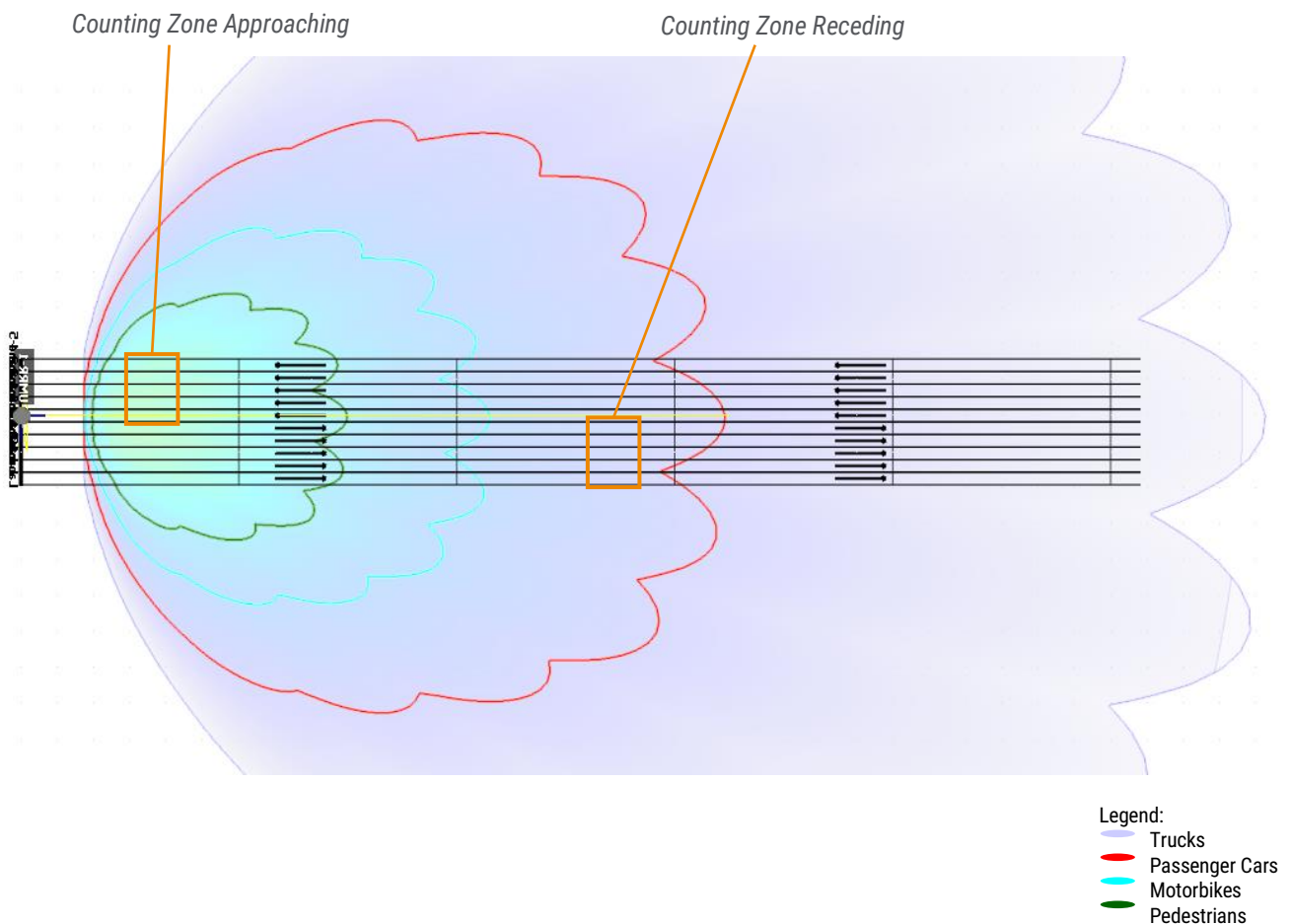
²² Not available yet.

4.2 ARTERIAL MANAGEMENT: FORWARD+

On highways and country roads, the sensor can be utilized to count and classify traffic. Usually, statistic details are selected and reported in configurable intervals. Otherwise, already collected statistic data can be retrieved in push mode. Every vehicle can be displayed as per vehicle record (PVR) in real-time.

Other features of the sensor are wrong way detection, support of incident detection and speed measurement. The sensor delivers the following data:

- Classification
- Volume
- Occupancy
- Average speed
- Vehicle presence
- 85 percentile speed
- Headway
- Gap
- Wrong-way detection



For all configurations:

Parameter		Typical Values (min...max.)
Mounting Height ²³		6m (1...10m) 20ft (3...33ft)
Angle ²⁴	Sensor Azimuth Angle	-10° (-25...+25°)
	Sensor Elevation Angle ²⁵	-2° (-6...0°)
Counting Zone ²⁶	Approaching	30m (from 90 to 20m) 98ft (from 295 to 66ft)
	Receding	120m (from 70 to 30m) 394ft (from 230 to 427ft)
Setback		1m (0...10m) 3ft (0...33ft)
Further Information		
Counting Accuracy ²⁷		> 95%
Classification Accuracy ²⁷		> 80%
Classes		7 (Pedestrian, Bicycle, Motorbike, Passenger Car, Transporter, Truck/Bus, Long Truck)

Overview of configurations; all configurations listed are also available with high power mode (20dBm) for increased range:

Application	EIRP	Bandwidth	Instrumented Range	Sensitivity (Passenger Car)	Speed Interval	Cycle Time	4D (Elevation)
Forward+ 3D/UHD+	12.7dBm	100MHz	300m	200m	-216...+216km/h	100ms	No
Forward+ 4D/UHD+ ²⁸	12.7dBm	100MHz	300m	160m	-216...+216km/h	100ms	Yes

²³ The mounting height may affect the maximum detection range. Occlusion needs to be considered.

²⁴ The best performance is typically achieved at the center of the given angular range.

²⁵ These values are application specific. For gantry montage a steeper elevation angle is possible but limiting the maximum range. A negative elevation angle means that the sensor is pointing towards the road.

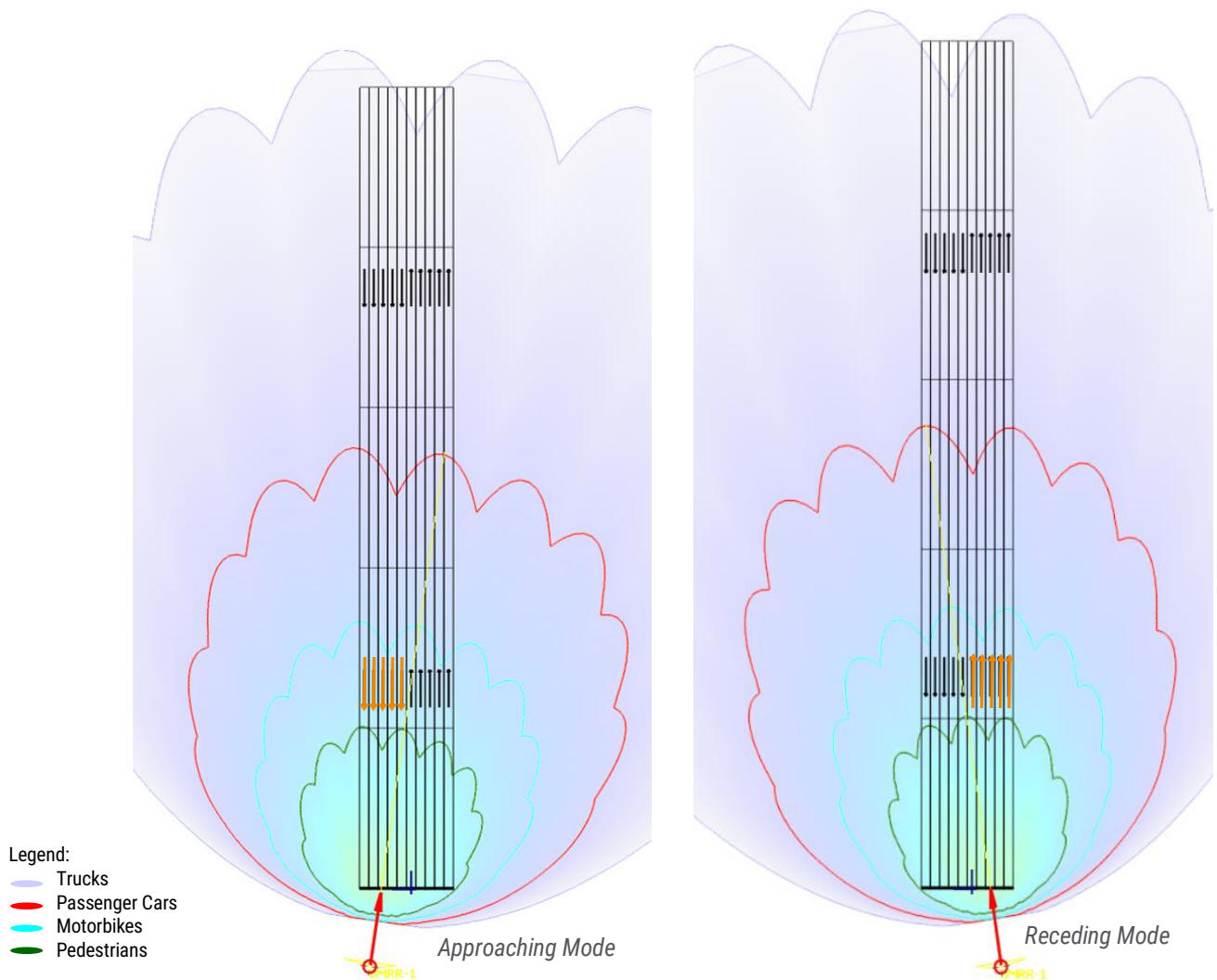
²⁶ Outside the recommended range, vehicle drops are more likely.

²⁷ This is a typical value for a sensor that is properly installed at a suitable location. The counting and classification accuracy mainly depend on the mounting height and the traffic density as well as other factors.

²⁸ Not available yet.

4.3 TRAFFIC ENFORCEMENT: RED-LIGHT AND SPEED ENFORCEMENT

For traffic enforcement purposes the sensor can be used for combined lane-specific speed and red-light enforcement. The sensor can track up to 256 objects simultaneously.



For all configurations:

Parameter	Typical Values (min...max.)	
	Approaching Mode	Receding Mode
Mounting Height ²⁹	4m/6m (1...10m) 13/20ft (3...33ft)	4m (1...10m) ²⁹ 13ft (3...33ft)
Angle ³⁰	Sensor Azimuth Angle	20° (-35...+35°)
	Sensor Elevation Angle ³¹	-6° (-9...0°)
Photo Trigger Distance ³²	35m (20...50m) 115ft (66...164ft)	45m (20...50m) 148ft (66...164ft)
Further Information		
Speed Accuracy ³³	< ±0.28m/s ±1% (bigger of)	
Track Initialization Time	6...10 cycles	

Overview of configurations; all configurations listed are also available with high power mode (20dBm) for increased range:

Application	EIRP	Bandwidth	Instrumented Range	Sensitivity (Passenger Car)	Speed Interval	Cycle Time	4D (Elevation)
Red-Light Enforcement 3D/UHD+	12.7dBm	200MHz	150m	1600m	-320...+320km/h	50ms	No
Speed Enforcement 3D/UHD+	12.7dBm	200MHz	150m	160m	-320...+320km/h	50ms	No
Red-Light Enforcement 4D/UHD+ ³⁴	12.7dBm	200MHz	150m	1600m	-320...+320km/h	50ms	Yes
Speed Enforcement 4D/UHD+ ³⁴	12.7dBm	200MHz	150m	160m	-320...+320km/h	50ms	Yes

²⁹ The mounting height may affect the maximum detection range. Occlusion needs to be considered.

³⁰ The best performance is typically achieved at the center of the given angular range.

³¹ These values are application specific. For gantry montage a steeper elevation angle is possible but limiting the maximum range. A negative elevation angle means that the sensor is pointing towards the road.

³² Outside the recommended range, vehicle drops are more likely.

³³ The speed accuracy is measured on an object having a constant radial speed, at bore sight.

³⁴ Not available yet.

5 COMPLIANCES³⁵

The sensor model complies with the following EU directives:

- RED 2014/53/EU
- RoHS 2011/65/EU
- EC 1907/2006 REACH

Applied standards:

- Spectrum Usage:
 - o EN 300 440 V2.1.1
- EMC:
 - o EN 301 489-1 V2.2.0
 - o EN 301 489-3 V2.1.1
- Health and Safety:
 - o EN 62311: 2008
 - o EN 62368-1: 2014 + AC: 2015

With regard to operating conditions like temperature, vibration etc., this sensor model was tested and certified by independent test labs to comply with:

- NEMA TS-2 2003

Regarding spectrum usage, this sensor model was tested and certified by independent test labs (formally approved by a test lab or notified body):

- EU RED directive
- FCC part 15.245 and 15.249
- RSS-310
- RSS-210

This sensor model is also generally compliant with the following regional regulations (but may not be formally tested/approved):

- SRRC
- KCC
- MIIT
- NCC

Note: This statement of compliance means that the sensor allows operation compliant to the listed standards. However, not all standards are certified through test labs. Formal frequency approval or registration is not accomplished for all countries. In certain countries or regions, a customer-specific local frequency approval is reasonable. smartmicro supports customers throughout this process.

For certain configurations of this sensor the accuracy of the speed (and other) measured values was tested and certified by the Swiss Federal Institute of Metrology METAS.

³⁵ The listed compliances will be available soon.

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