

HMS-6x5 Multi-Sonar Tow System

Sub-bottom Profiling System with Combined Klein Powered Side Scan Sonar

Fully Integrated, Cost-effective, Compact Solution

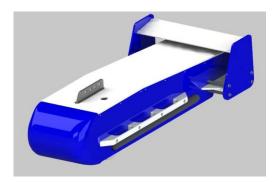
The HMS-625 Multi-Sonar Tow System is designed for applications that require high resolution side scan and sub-bottom imagery in depths of up to 3,000m. This combined side scan and sub-bottom survey tool offers a fully digital platform capable of collecting high resolution Klein powered side scan with FSI HMS-621 sub-bottom data, as well as a range of customer selected sensor data. The long range, high resolution side scan and sub-bottom CHIRP data along with the ancillary sensor capability provide the surveyor with a cost effective solution over multiple system and sensor surveys resulting in savings in both instrument cost and survey time.

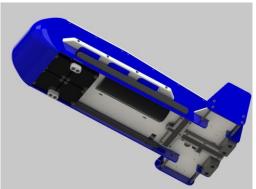
Single Workstation

- Klein powered side scan sonar, operating at 100/400 KHz simultaneously, allows 1,200 meter or greater swath, with resolution equivalent to much higher frequency systems at longer ranges.
- FSI HMS-621 CHIRP/CW based sub-bottom profiler, operating in the 1 to 10 KHz region, allows for extended sediment penetration with greatly improved resolution over conventional CW systems.
- Range, Gain, TVG, Pulse Width, and other programmable parameters are under user friendly software GUI control.
- Integrated CHIRPceiver True 24-bit data acquisition.>110 dB dynamic range.

Rugged Tow System

- A fully integrated digital platform with high performance CHIRP side scan and sub-bottom transducer arrays, digital multiplexor, subsea electronics, and RS-232 and power ports for optional sensors.
- Ruggedized, stable tow vehicle includes pitch, roll and heading sensors, optional position responder / transponder, plus other customer selected sensors.
- Broadband CHIRP match filter processing, combined with a narrow side scan sonar horizontal radiation pattern provides optimal cross-track and along track resolution.
- Horizontal beam width of 1° at 100 KHz and .3° at 400 KHz
- Tow System will operate in depths up to 2,000 meters (deeper versions available) and features low-maintenance construction









SYSTEM SPECIFICATIONS

TOWFISH

Sonar Frequency 100 / 400 KHz Klein Powered Sidescan Operating Depth 2,000 meters Deeper Options Available 25 to Over 600 meters on each channel Range

Range Settings 25 to 750m in 12 steps

Side Scan CHIRP frequency Range Simultaneous 100 KHz and 400 KHz CHIRP or CW Side Scan Transducers Multi-element array, dual channel 100 / 400 KHz,

Horizontal beam width of 1° at 100 KHz and .3° at 400 KHz;

Vertical beam 60°

Sub-Bottom Transducer 2X2 Transmit projector array; dipole dual hydrophone array;

30° conical radiation pattern

Selectable CHIRP bands from 1 KHz to 10 KHz (2 KW output),

synchronous with side scan

Frequency Resolution Processing Calibrated transmit waveform;

CHIRP or CW signal processing

True 24-bit data acquisition with >110dB dynamic range

Standard Sensors Fully calibrated Precision Pressure Sensor Module,

Heading, Pitch, and Roll

Optional Input Magnetometer input optionally available

Stainless steel, polyethylene

Construction Lenath 208.7 cm (82 inches)

38.4 cm X 53.3 cm (15.125 in X 21 in) Approximately 158 Kg (350 lbs) Approximately 45 Kg (100 lbs)

TOPSIDE DATA ACQUISITION COMPUTER

MS Windows OS Operating System

Large internal hard drive, writeable CD/DVD Storage

100/1000 base T Ethernet Network Interface

(compatible with ADSL communication interface) Four (4) RS-232 serial I/O ports, Multiple USB Ports I/O Ports Display

>24" Flat Panel LCD Display with video output for second display

TOPSIDE TRANSCEIVER

Power Supply Auto-sensing 100-240 VAC; output 380 VDC maximum Network Interface Ethernet

Dimensions 2U Rack Mount 48.3 cm (19 inches)

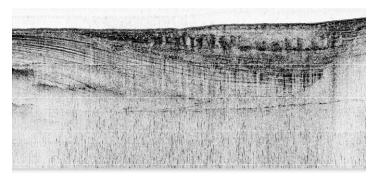
CABLES

Width x Height Weight in air

Weight in water

Deck Cable (Kevlar) 75 meter coax Armored Tow Cable Coax up to 8,000m





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