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Underwater Sound Solutions

BII-7090 Series Specification

Vibration Insensitive Hydrophone. When suspended from a ship or boat, buoy, or used in towed array, the hydrophone experiences a large movement and induced vibration resulting from surface waves, currents, hydrodynamic flow turbulence, cable movement, etc... BII-7090 series hydrophones cancel the translational acceleration in their axial direction and have low acceleration sensitivity in other directions. They can be deployed in these harsh fields and reduce spurious signals caused by induced vibration. A hydrophone with omnidirectional or toroidal response pattern has streamlined hemispherical dome which minimizes drag forces and hydrodynamic noises caused by the hydrophone in motion or the flow past the hydrophone. Optional mounting parts are available for installation on portablemounting apparatus, submersibles, pipe, tank, or vessel.

Typical Applications	
Marine Seismic Detector/Exploration/Survey	Underwater Sound Listening and Recording
Monitoring Seismic Sources/Airgun/Watergun	Oil-filled Streamer Element/Sonobuoy

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The hydrophone is tested in wa	ater unless stated otherwise.					
BII-7090 series are the upgrada	tion of BII-7010, BII-7070, and BII-7	'140 series. Please refer to th	nese hydrophones for general informatic	on.		
Hydrophone:	BII-7090 Series					
	Custom-fit182 to -210 dB V/µPa without preamp. Variation: ± 2 dB.					
Sensitivity @ 1 kHz:	Sensitivity Loss over Extension Cable (dB) = $20*\log[C_h/(C_h+C_c)]$. C _h : Hydrophone Capacitance; C _c : Capacitance of Extension Cable. Cable is of 100 pF/meter roughly. Valid for hydrophone without preamplifier.					
Usable Frequency in Water:	Available from 0.1 Hz to 450 kHz.	Specify frequency range whe	en ordering.			
Usable Frequency in Air:	Available from 1 Hz to 20 kHz. Spe	ecify frequency range when	ordering.			
Directivity Pattern:	Bespoke. Conical, Omnidirectiona	l and Toroidal Beams are av	ailable.			
Accoloration Sonsitivity:	1. ≤ (40 to 100) (dB re μ Pa/(m/s ²)					
Acceleration Sensitivity:	2. 90 to 140 (dB re μ Pa/(m/s ²) in other directions of the hydrophone.					
Preamplifier:	1. default: No Preamp.					
	2. Customization: Built-in Preamp	. Refer to BII-1000 series pre	eamp.			
	Single Ended or Differential.					
Signal Output Type:	 Default: Single Ended Output (SE). Append SE to the listed part number. Differential Output (DF), Append DF to the listed part number. 					
Maximum Operating Depths						
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	2. Free-hanging with Male Underv	water Connector (FHLIMC)				
	3. Thru-hole Mounting with Single					
	4. Thru-hole Mounting with Doub					
Mounting Options:	5. Bolt Fastening Mounting (Plasti					
	6. Bolt Fastening Mounting (Stainless Steel) (BFMSS)					
	7. Flush Mounting (FSM)					
	8. Custom-fit					
Interface:	Shielded Cable, Wires, and Solder					
	1. Coax RG174/U (RG174) (for Single Ended Output ONLY)					
	2. Coax RG178/U (RG178) (for Single Ended Output ONLY)					
Cable Options:	3. Coax RG58/U (RG58) (for Single					
	4. Shielded Cable with Twisted Pair, ΦD=3.6 mm (SC36) 5. Shielded Cable with Pubber Jacket, ΦD=6.5 mm (SC65)					
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	1. Default: 6 m.					
Cable Length:	2. Custom-fit Cable Length.					
	1. Default: Wire Leads (WL)					
	2. BNC Male (BNC) (for Single Ended Output ONLY)					
	3. 3.5 mm (%") TRS Plug (TRS35)					
	4. ¼" (6.35 mm) TRS Plug (TRS635)					
Connector:	5. XLR Plug (XLR)					
	6. Underwater Mateable Connector (UMC)					
	7. MIL-5015 Style (5015) 8. Custom (custom)					
	Note: Underwater Mateable Connector is for underwater uses. Other connectors and wire leads are for dry uses and are					
	non-waterproof.					
Size:	Customization.					
Weight:	\geq 0.55 kg with 10 m cable. Actual weight depends on Mounting Parts, Cable Types and Length.					
	1. Default: -10 °C to +60 °C or 14 °		0 · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·			
Operation Temperature:	2. Bespoke High Temperature Transducer: -10 °C to 120 °C, or 14 °F to 248 °F. Append HT to part number.					
Storage Temperature:	-20 °C to +60 °C or -4 °F to 140 °F.					
Wiring of Differential:	Two Conductor Shielded Cable	Underwater Connector	AWG26 Wires	Solder Pins		
Signal +	White or Red	Pin 2	White or Red	Pin 1		
Signal -	Black	Pin 1	Black	Pin 3		
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Common & Shielding	Shield	Pin 3	Green		Pin 2
Wiring of Single Ended:	Two Conductor Shielded Cable	Underwater Connector	AWG26 Wires	Coax with Wire Leads	Solder Pins
Signal	White or Red	Pin 2	White or Red	Center Contact	Pin 1
Signal Common	Black	Pin 1	Black	Shield	Pin 2
Shielding	Shield	Pin 3	N/A	Shield	N/A
Do NOT use the hydrophone a	s a sound projector in the air otherv	vise the hydrophone will be	damaged.		
Sound Measurement in Air: T	he hydrophones can be used to dete	ect sounds in air. The sensitiv	vity in air is same to	the one in water in low fre	equency range.

Acceleration Cancellation in axial direction of the hydrophone.



Physical Size, Shape, and Orientation (Dimensional Unit: mm):













