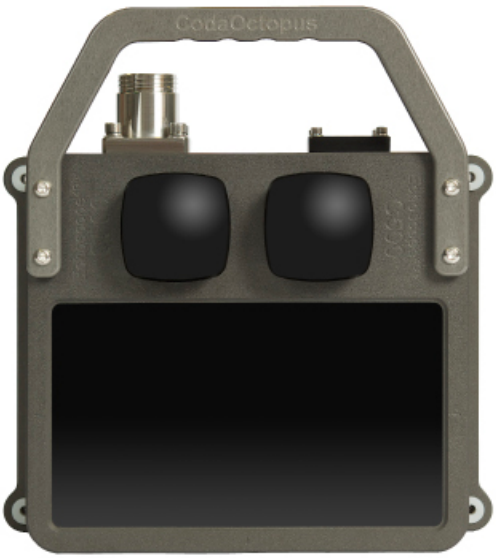
Coda Octopus
Sound Underwater Intelligence

/Echoscope[4G]® C500

Fourth Generation of Echoscope® Sonars

Lighter/Smaller/Less Power Requirements
More Versatile Deployments Possible
Shallow Water Depth Rating
Ideal size/weight for ROV/AUV applications



250-4000m Depth Rating

Benefits

Improved situational awareness
Highest definition of multibeam data output in the world
Real time decision making
Increased productivity
Maintain subsea operations in zero visibility
Enhanced safety
Expert 24x7 Technical Support

The Echoscope[4G]® C500. Even more compact real-time 3D sonar for ROV/AUV applications

The new Echoscope[4G] C500 is one of the latest of our real-time 3D imaging sonar platform. The Echoscope[4G] C500 builds on the advantages of our Compact range by offering an even lighter, smaller and easier-to-integrate system.

The 4G platform is delivered in a smaller, lighter housing which will, for the first time, give customers with smaller inspection class ROV/AUVs the opportunity to integrate a real-time 3D sonar, for improved situational awareness, dynamic operation monitoring and real-time 3D mapping in low visibility water conditions.

The C500 generates a complete 3D model composed of over 8,000 soundings from each and every acoustic transmission. This 3D model is refreshed up to 20 times per second with each new transmission.

The Echoscope[4G] C500 offers two different models with a wide range of flexible applications:

	Frequency	Angular Coverage
Dual Frequency	375,630kHz	50°x50°, 24°x24°
Triple Frequency	240,375,630kHz	90°x44°, 50°x50°, 24°x24°

With sounding densities far in excess of those generated by other sonars, combined with the new increased 20Hz ping rate, the C500 presents unrivalled clarity of dynamic operations and moving objects in video-like data format in low-visibility water conditions.

All the Echoscope[4G] range take advantage of patented statistical rendering techniques to further enhance the clarity of the image, presenting the user with an intuitive and easy-to-interpret image. In mapping and inspection tasks, the ping geometry of the C500 will allow a target to be visualized many times in a single pass, with each view to be taken from a different angle. This allows complex subsea structures to be mapped with a level of confidence and detail far beyond anything that can be achieved using alternative methods.

Whether deployed on inland waterway work or large scale offshore projects, the Echoscope[4G] C500 real-time 3D sonar will provide clear imagery of the underwater environment.

New Features

- Lighter/Smaller/Reduced Power Requirements
- Increased ping rate now 20Hz
- Reduced range resolution to 2 cm
- Reduced minimum range now 0.5m
- Programmable TVG
- Standard 100mb Ethernet for ROV/AUV applications

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Technical Specifications		
Performance (by Model)	**Dual Frequency**	**Triple Frequency**
Frequency	375 and 630kHz software switchable	240,375 and 630kHz software selectable
Number of beams	128 x 128 (16,384 total)	128 x 128 (16,384 total)
Maximum range*	120m (394 ft) at 375kHz 80m (262 ft) at 630kHz	150m (492 ft) at 240kHz 120m (394 ft) at 375kHz 80m (262 ft) at 630kHz
Minimum range*	0.5m (1.64ft)	0.5m (1.64ft)
Range resolution	3cm (1.2in)*	3cm (1.2in)*
Update rate (ping rate)	Up to 20 Hz software selectable	Up to 20 Hz software selectable
Angular coverage	50°x50°, 24°x24°	90°x44°, 50°x50°, 24°x24°
Beam spacing	375kHz: 0.39°x0.78° 630kHz: 0.19°x0.38°	240kHz: 0.70°x0.69° 375kHz: 0.39°x0.78° 630kHz: 0.19°x0.38°
*The actual working range will depend on the target's size, reflectivity, and the level of detail required for the application		
Physical		
Dimensions (h x w x d) (excluding connectors and handles)	232mm x 301mm x 146mm (9.1in x 11.8in x 5.7in)	265mm x 301mm x 157mm (10.4in x 11.8in x 6.2in)
Dimensions (h x w x d) (including Echoscope® Protective Cover)	242mm x 311mm x 149mm (9.5in x 12.2in x 5.9in)	270mm x 311mm x 160mm (10.6in x 12.2in x 6.3in)
Weight in Air	12.9 kg (28.4 lbs)	13.3 kg (29.3 lbs)
Weight in Water	8.2 kg (18.1 lbs)	8.6 kg (19.0 lbs)
Power Consumption	2 - 6A at 24Vdc **An, up to, 10 A inrush for less than 20 µs may occur on start-up.	2 - 6A at 24Vdc **An, up to, 10 A inrush for less than 20 µs may occur on start-up.
Depth Rating	250m (820ft), 600m (1,968ft), 3,000m (9,842ft) with 4,000m (13,123ft) option**	250m (820ft), 600m (1,968ft), 3,000m (9,842ft) with 4,000m (13,123ft) option**
Interfaces		
Sonar head to PSU	Power: 24V DC Control: RS232 Serial Cable Data: 100Mb Industry Standard Ethernet Single cable for power, data and control	Power: 24V DC Control: RS232 Serial Cable Data: 100Mb Industry Standard Ethernet Single cable for power, data and control
*Depending on operating mode		
**Available upon request		

Echoscope® Features

- High definition 3D sonar image generated in real-time
- Mosaicking capability
- Displays complex moving structures accurately
- Accurate even in turbid water
- Accurate geo-referenced data
- Versatile DTM output options
- Very easy to use even by non sonar experts such as crane operators and law enforcement officers

Echoscope[4G®] Protective Cover Included

The Echoscope[4G] C500 sonar is supplied with a replaceable encapsulating cover for the sonar head, protecting the hard-anodized aluminium housing from light impact, scratching and marine fouling. The protective cover can be removed for general cleaning of the unit and removal of any marine fouling from the cover. Made from Derlin™, the cover is a lightweight, easy to install protection accessory.

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