EM® 2040 MKII

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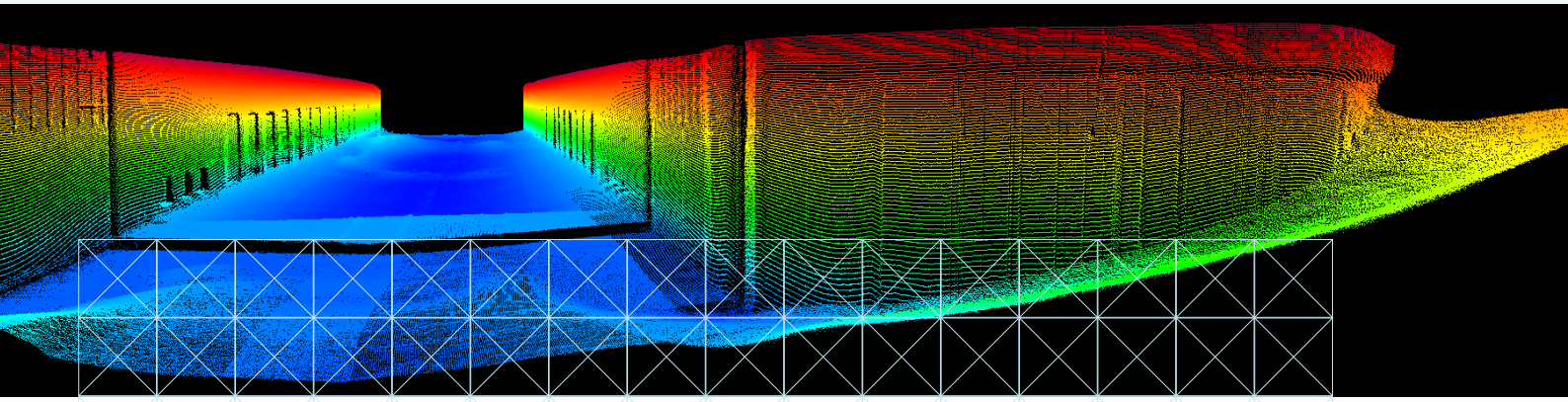

MULTIBEAM ECHO SOUNDER

The EM 2040 MKII is a true wide band high resolution shallow water multibeam echo sounder, an ideal tool for any high resolution mapping and inspection application. With this release, Kongsberg Maritime has upgraded the hardware and software to increase the swath and improve the data quality of our EM 2040 series.

Key facts

The system fulfils, and even surpasses, IHO-S44 Special Order and the more stringent LINZ specification.

The EM 2040 was the first 3-sector broadband multibeam echo sounder in the market, now available as a 200 - 700 kHz system. The operator can on the fly choose the best operating frequency for the application: 300 kHz for near bottom, 200 kHz for deeper waters and 400 - 700 kHz for very high resolution inspection. 600 kHz wide area high frequency mapping mode offers an unprecedented 100-120° swath width. 700 kHz inspection mode provides the highest resolution available contained within a narrow 30° swath.

By alternating between the frequency modes per ping, the system is capable of providing the operator with Multi Frequency Backscatter of up to 5 frequencies in a single pass. The same functionality allows the system to alternate between a full swath mode and a high resolution mode providing full coverage while maintaining ultra high resolution over a target.

Due to the large operating bandwidth, the system has an output sample rate up to 60 kHz. The system can effectively operate with very short pulse lengths, the shortest pulse being 14 microseconds giving a raw range resolution (CT/2) of 10.5 mm.

The angular coverage for the 200 and 300 kHz is up to 170°, with coverage up to 8 times water depth on a flat bottom. For a dual transducer system, 220° angular coverage or 10 times the water depth is achieved on a flat bottom.

Components

The EM 2040 MKII is a modular system, fully prepared for upgrading to cater for more demanding applications. The basic system has four units: a transmit transducer, a receive transducer, a processing unit and a hydrographic workstation.

The EM 2040 MKII receiver is 0.5° and is delivered with a 0.25° or 0.5° transmitter(s). The transmit fan is divided into three sectors pinging simultaneously at separate frequencies ensuring a strong and beneficial dampening of multibounce interference.

As an option the EM 2040 MKII can be delivered with dual swath capability, allowing a sufficient sounding density to meet survey coverage standards along track while maintaining a high vessel speed. A single transmitter with dual receiver setup fully exploits the unique angular coverage of our three-sector transmitter for full 220° angular coverage per ping.

The specialised dual transmitter and receiver setup is ideal where mounting requires a large separation of receivers, where mounting the transmitter at the keel is not an option or for ROV pipeline surveying and free span detection. This configuration transmits on a single sector per transmitter with selectable frequency in steps of 10 kHz from 200 to 400 kHz.

The standard depth rating of the EM 2040 MKII transducers is 6000 m, making it ideal for operation on subsea vehicles such as ROVs or AUVs.

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FEATURES

Included Features

- 200-400 kHz wide frequency range
- Seabed image
- Water column display and logging with SIS
- FM chirp
- Roll, pitch and yaw stabilisation
- Short pulse lengths, large bandwidth
- Transmit and receive nearfield focusing
- Depth rated to 6000 m

Optional features

- Dual swath
- 600 kHz and 700 kHz modes
- EM® MultiFrequency Mode
- Extra detections
- Water column phase logging
- Dual RX
- Dual TX

TECHNICAL SPECIFICATIONS

Frequency range	200 to 700 kHz
Max ping rate	50 Hz
Swath coverage sector	Up to 170° (single receiver) / 220° (dual receiver)
Beam patterns	Equiangular, equidistant high density and ultra high density
No. of beams per ping	512 (Single RX)/1024 (Single RX, Dual Swath)/1600 (Dual RX, Dual Swath)
Roll stabilised beams	± 15°
Pitch stabilised beams	± 10°
Yaw stabilised beams	± 10°

Coverage example for EM 2040 with bottom type rock (BS = - 10 dB), NL = 45 dB, FM enabled

Operating mode	Cold ocean water			Cold fresh water		
EM 2040-04:	**Max depth**	**Max coverage single RX**	**Max coverage dual RX**	**Max depth**	**Max coverage single RX**	**Max coverage dual RX**
200 kHz	635 m	920 m	980 m	1360 m	1990 m	2110 m
300 kHz	480 m	670 m	760 m	740 m	1100 m	1270 m
400 kHz	315 m	410 m	430 m	430 m	570 m	610 m
600 kHz	95 m	130 m	-	115 m	150 m	-
700 kHz	55 m	27 m	-	60 m	30 m	-
EM 2040-07:						
200 kHz	600 m	880 m	930 m	1300 m	1870 m	2000 m
300 kHz	465 m	640 m	725 m	700 m	1050 m	1200 m
400 kHz	300 m	385 m	410 m	375 m	540 m	570 m
600 kHz	85 m	120 m	-	105 m	140 m	-
700 kHz	50 m	25 m	-	55 m	28 m	-

Pulse lenghts

200 kHz		300 kHz		400 kHz	600 kHz	700 kHz
CW	**FM**	**CW**	**FM**	**CW**	**CW**	**CW**
19 to 324 µs	1.5 to 12 ms	19 to 324 µs	1.5 to 6 ms	14 to 108 µs	100 to 410 µs	70 µs

	Beamwidth					Physical dimensions (excluding connectors and mounting arrangements)	
	200 kHz	**300 kHz**	**400 kHz**	**600 kHz**	**700 kHz**	**Dimensions**	**Weight**
TX EM 2040-04	0.7°	0.5°	0.4°	0.25°	0.225°	727 x 142 x 150 mm (LxWxH)	45 kg
TX EM 2040-07	1.5°	1°	0.7°	0.5°	0.45°	407 x 142 x 150 mm (LxWxH)	23 kg
RX	1.5°	1°	0.7°	0.5°	0.45°	407 x 142 x 136 mm (LxWxH)	22 kg
Processing Unit (2U for 19" rack)						482.5 x 424 x 88.6 mm (WxDxH)	10.5 kg
Portable Processing Unit (IP67)						370 x 390 x 101 mm (WxDxH)	10.5 kg

Laptop, Hydrographic Work Station (HWS) and monitor can be delivered on request.

Specifications subject to change without any further notice.

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