

Data Transmission via IRIDIUM Satellite

for surface water, groundwater and meteorological stations



- Worldwide data transmission coverage (incl. polar regions)
- Robust Iridium modem design enables data transmission under any climatic condition
- Permanent data transmission possible, no time-slots (-frames)
- Current data always available
- Communication with all SEBA data loggers
- Time- & cost-effective modem and data transmission
- Low energy consumption



Iridium TRANS Modem



Iridium antenna













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Description Iridium Communication System

The Iridum Satellite Transmission System consists of currently 66 active communication satellites which enable a worldwide data transmission coverage by a Low Earth Orbit (LEO) Satellite Network. The data transmission rate of 2400 baud is accelerated through the implementation of the compression-code AMBE (Advanced Multi Band Excitation). SEBA IRIDIUM-Trans makes use of this technology - which makes it a modern, reliable and economic data transmission system.



Monitoring stations equipped with an IRIDIUM modem can be retrieved either from a central standard PC with IRIDIUM Modem or with an IRIDIUM satellite mobile phone.

Technical Data



The main component is an optimized transceiver which operates like a standard modem. Almost every data logger and sensor is suitable for the connection via the RS232 port and therefore integrable with all SEBA measuring systems.

The transceiver with the intelligent technique of SEBA Iridium controller is specially produced for the requirements of hydrometeorological stations which makes it a unique solution for the transmission of monitoring data from (remote) field stations.

IRIDIUM Modem:

Frequency: Duplex Method: Antenna Impedance: Power Supply: Peak Input current max.: Power - during transmission: - during reception:

Connectors: Antenna Connector: SIM Chip: Operation temperature: Humidity:

Storage temperature: Protection class: 1616MHz to 1626,5MHz TDD (Time Domain Duplex) 50 Ohm nom. 12V (10...18VDC) 0,5A with 12VDC

7W (max) 0.6W DC-Power, RS232 50 Ohm TNC-connector SIM-Slot integrated -20°C to +60°C < 85% realtiv humidity without protection housing 100% with protection housing -40°C to +85°C IP54

Technical Data:

Solar panel: Data logger: Sensors: 50W/12V MDS-5 (see separate brochure) Water Level, Water quality,

Meteorological Sensors





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