

Leica Viva GNSS GS14 receiver Datasheet



Proven GNSS Technology

Built on years of knowledge and experience, the Leica GS14 delivers the hallmarks of Leica GNSS – reliability, availability and accuracy.

- Leica SmartCheck – RTK data-processing to guarantee correct results
- Leica SmartTrack – advanced four constellation tracking guarantees most accurate signals
- Leica xRTK – delivers more positions in difficult environments



Unlimited Series

The Leica GS14 Unlimited is your safe investment for the future.

- Future proof – lean back and observe GNSS modernisation with future proof hardware
- Integrated mobile communications and UHF radio modems (receive and transmit)
- GPS, Glonass, Galileo and BeiDou provide maximum performance. Additional support of BeiDou only and Glonass only positioning.





Rugged

The Leica GS14 is built for the most demanding environments.

- IP68 protection against dust and continuous immersion
- Built for extreme temperatures of -40°C to $+65^{\circ}\text{C}$
- Integrated mobile communication antenna technology to avoid breaking, losing or forgetting antenna

Technical Specifications

Leica GS14 GNSS Receiver	Leica GS14 Single Frequency	Leica GS14 Performance	Leica GS14 Professional	Leica GS14 Professional with BeiDou	Leica GS14 Unlimited
Supported GNSS systems					
GPS L2	○	●	●	●	●
GLONASS	○	○	●	●	●
Galileo	○	○	●	●	●
BeiDou	-	-	-	●	●
RTK Performance					
DGPS / RTCM	○	●	●	●	●
RTK unlimited	○	●	●	●	●
Network RTK	○	●	●	●	●
Position Update & Data Recording					
5 Hz positioning	●	●	●	●	●
20 Hz positioning	○	●	●	●	●
Raw data logging	●	●	●	●	●
RINEX logging	○	○	●	●	●
NMEA out	○	○	●	●	●
Additional Features					
RTK reference station functionality	○	●	●	●	●
3.75G Phone modem	●	●	●	●	●
UHF radio modem (receive and transmit)	○	○	○	○	●
● = Standard ○ = Optional - = not available					
 GNSS Performance	GNSS technology		Leica patented SmartTrack technology: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Advanced measurement engine • Jamming resistant measurements • High precision pulse aperture multipath correlator for pseudorange measurements • Excellent low elevation tracking • Very low noise GNSS carrier phase measurements with <0.5 mm precision • Minimum acquisition time 		
	No. of channels		120 / 500+ ¹ channels		
	Max. simultaneous tracked satellites		Up to 60 Satellites simultaneously on two frequencies		
	Satellite signals tracking		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • GPS: L1, L2, L2C • GLONASS: L1, L2 • Galileo, QZSS² • BeiDou B1, B2 • SBAS: WAAS, EGNOS, GAGAN, MSAS 		
	Reacquisition time		< 1 sec		
	Position latency		Typically 0.02 sec		
	Position accuracy		Typically 25 cm		
 Measurement Performance & Accuracy	Accuracy (rms) code differential with DGPS / RTCM³		Typically 25 cm		
	Accuracy (rms) with Real-time-Kinematic (RTK)³		Compliance with ISO17123-8		
	Standard of compliance		Compliance with ISO17123-8		
	Single Baseline (<30 km)		Horizontal: 8 mm + 1 ppm Vertical: 15 mm + 1 ppm		
	Network RTK		Horizontal: 8 mm + 0.5 ppm Vertical: 15 mm + 0.5 ppm		
	Accuracy (rms) with post processing³		Horizontal: 3 mm + 0.1 ppm		
	Static (phase) with long observations		Vertical: 3.5 mm + 0.4 ppm		
	Static and rapid static (phase)		Horizontal: 3 mm + 0.5 ppm		
			Vertical: 5 mm + 0.5 ppm		
	Kinematic (phase)		Horizontal: 8 mm + 1 ppm		
			Vertical: 15 mm + 1 ppm		
	On-the-fly (OTF) Initialisation		Leica SmartCheck technology		
	RTK technology		Leica SmartCheck technology		
	Reliability		Better than 99.99% ⁴		
	Time for initialisation		Typically 4 sec ⁴		
OTF range		Up to 70 km ²			
Network RTK		VRS, FKP, iMAX			
Supported RTK network solutions		VRS, FKP, iMAX			
Supported RTK network standards		MAC (Master Auxiliary Concept) approved by RTCM SC 104			

¹ The Unlimited series has free future upgrade to 500+ channels.

² Support of QZSS is incorporated and will be provided through future firmware upgrade.

³ Measurement precision, accuracy and reliability are dependent upon various factors including number of satellites, geometry, obstructions, observation time, ephemeris accuracy, ionospheric conditions, multipath etc. Figures quoted assume normal to favourable conditions. Times required are dependent upon various factors including number of satellites, geometry, ionospheric conditions, multipath etc. A full BeiDou and Galileo constellation will further increase measurement performance and accuracy.

⁴ Might vary due to atmospheric conditions, signal multipath, obstructions, signal geometry and number of tracked signals.

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Hardware



Weight & Dimensions	
Weight (GS14)	0.93 kg
Weight	2.90 kg standard RTK rover including controller, batteries, pole and bracket
Dimension (GS14) (diameter x height)	190 mm x 90 mm
Environmental Specifications	
Temperature, operating	-40° C to +65° C, compliance with ISO9022-10-08, ISO9022-11-special, MIL STD 810G Method 502.5 II, MIL STD 810G Method 501.5 II
Temperature, storage	-40° C to +80° C, compliance with ISO9022-10-08, ISO9022-11-special, MIL STD 810G Method 502.5 I, MIL STD 810G Method 501.5 I
Humidity	100%, compliance with ISO9022-13-06, ISO9022-12-04 and MIL STD 810G Method 507.5 I
Proof against: water, sand and dust	IP68 according IEC60529 and MIL STD 81G Method 506.5 I, MIL STD 810G Method 510.5 I and MIL STD 810G Method 512.5 I Protected against blowing rain and dust Protected against temporary submersion into water (max. depth 1,4 m)
Vibration	Withstands strong vibration during operating, compliance with ISO9022-36-08 and MIL STD 810G Method 514.6 Cat.24
Drops	Withstands 1.0 m drop onto hard surfaces
Functional shock	40 g / 15 to 23 msec, compliance with MIL STD 810G Method 516.6 I No loss of lock to satellite signal when used on a pole set-up and submitted to pole bumps up to 100 mm
Topple over	Withstands topple over from a 2 m survey pole onto hard surfaces
Power & Electrical	
Supply voltage	Nominal 12 V DC Range 10.5 – 28 V DC
Power consumption	Typically: 2.0 W, 270 mA UHF transmit: 3.3 W, 270 mA
Internal power supply	Recharge & removable Li-Ion battery, 2.6 Ah / 7.4 V, 1 battery fit into receiver
Internal power supply, operation time	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 10.00 h static observations⁵ 7.00 h receiving RTK data with internal UHF radio⁵ 5.00 h transmitting RTK data with internal UHF radio⁵ 6.00 h receiving / transmitting RTK data with internal modem⁵
External power supply	Rechargeable external NiMH battery 9 Ah / 12 V
Certifications	Compliance to: FCC, CE, PTCRB Local and operator specific approvals (as IC Canada, C-Tick Australia, Japan, China, AT&T)

Memory & Data Recording



Memory	
Memory medium	Removable microSD Card: 1 GB
Data capacity	1 GB is typically sufficient for about GPS & GLONASS (8+4 satellites) 280 days raw data logging at 15 s rate
Data Recording	
Type of data	Onboard recording of: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Leica GNSS raw data RINEX data
Recording rate	Up to 20 Hz

User Interface



Buttons	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ON / OFF button Function button
Button functionality	Function button: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Easy switch between Rover / Base mode Easy "Here" positioning functionality
Led status indicator	Bluetooth®, position, RTK Rover status, RTK Base status, data logging, internal power status, external power status
Additional user interface	Additional web interface functionality provides full status indicator and configuration options

Communications



Communication ports	1 x USB / RS232 Lemo 1 x Bluetooth® port, Bluetooth® v2.00+ EDR, class 2
Built-in Data Links	
Radio modem	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Fully integrated, fully sealed receive and transmit radios SATEL, Pacific Crest and TrimTalk support 403 – 473 MHz bandwidth Output power 1W max.
UHF antenna options	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> External UHF antenna connector (Type QN)
GSM / UMTS phone modem	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Fully integrated, fully sealed 3.75G phone modem Quad-Band GSM / GPRS: 850 / 900 / 1800 / 1900 MHz Penta-Band UMTS: 800 / 850 / 900 / 1900 / 2100 MHz DynDNS service support – Base station supports up to 10 rovers via TCP/IP
GSM / UMTS antenna	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Integrated GSM / UMTS antenna
External Data Links	
Radio modems	Support of any suitable UHF / VHF radio
GSM / UMTS / CDMA phone modems	Support of any suitable GSM / GPRS / UMTS / CDMA modem
Landline phone modems	Support of any suitable landline phone modem
Communication Protocols	
Real-time data formats for data transmission and reception	Leica proprietary formats (Leica, Leica 4G) CMR, CMR+
Real-time data formats according RTCM standard for data transmission and reception	RTCM 2.2, RTCM 2.3, RTCM 3.0, RTCM 3.1, RTCM 3.2 MSM Full support of RTCM 3 Transformation Message
NMEA output	NMEA 0183 V 4.00 and Leica proprietary

⁵ Might vary with temperatures, age of battery, transmit power of data link device.



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