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## OSA 3230 Cesium Clock

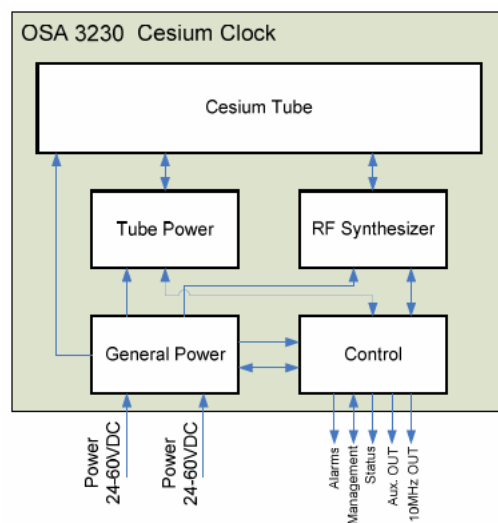


### Features

- Performances exceeding ITU-T G.811 / Stratum 1 PRC
- Accuracy better than  $\pm 1 \times 10^{-12}$  during entire life
- Long life 10 years cesium tube
- Extremely compact size — 3U high (5.24") — less than 8" depth, compatible with ETSI and 19" standards
- Front or Rear access connectors (depending on configuration)
- Single 10 MHz output
- Programmable 1 / 5 / 10 MHz TTL output
- Redundant DC power supply inputs
- Remote control and monitoring via RS232 (fully manageable locally and remotely) using SyncView Plus management system.
- Optional Ethernet Timing output module

Telecommunication networks require highly accurate clocks for the effective transmission of digital signals. One of the primary objectives of telecommunication networks is to guarantee, at the connection between different networks, a slip rate of less than one slip in 72 days.

Meeting these stringent specifications requires the implementation of a Primary Reference Clock (PRC) that must generate signals with an accuracy better than  $1E-11$ , at all times. Generally, this is achieved using Cesium clock technology, often combined with GPS receivers as backup sources. Unlike off-air receivers, Cesium clocks are autonomous, self-contained primary references immune from external influences.



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## Highlights

The Brandywine's OSA 3230 Cesium Clock is specifically designed and produced with the latest technology to serve complex applications where an extremely accurate reference signal is needed in a minimum size.

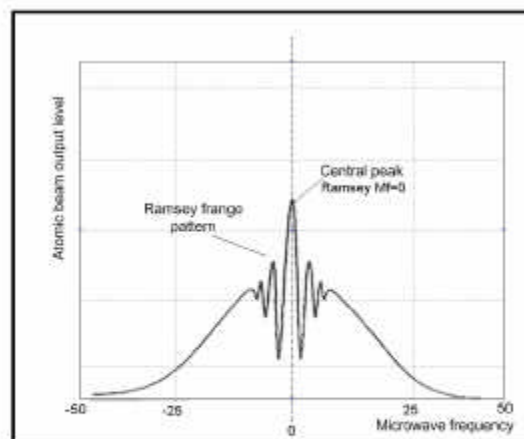
The OSA 3230 Cesium Clock offers a unique set of operational features and performance, including greatly enhanced and easy integration into industrial, professional time and frequency host systems. With its long life cesium tube, the OSA3230 will meet the requirements where G.811 performances are needed over a long period of time.



**OSA3230 Front access connector**

## Applications

- Primary Reference Source for PRC system requiring a signal conform to G.811/ Stratum 1
- Wireline / Wireless Operators
- Railways / Energy Companies
- Utilities



**Typical atomic beam current from which the clock signal is derived (central peak)**

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## Technical Specifications

### Cesium performances characteristics

|   |                         |
|---|-------------------------|
| Frequency accuracy  | $\pm 1 \times 10^{-12}$ |
| Frequency deviation over full operating conditions<br>-5°C to +55°C | $\pm 2 \times 10^{-12}$ |
| Reproducibility   | $\pm 1 \times 10^{-12}$ |

|              |                        |
|--------------|------------------------|
| Settability: |                        |
| Resolution   | $< 1 \times 10^{-14}$  |
| Range        | $\pm 1 \times 10^{-9}$ |

|              |            |
|--------------|------------|
| Warm-up time | 45 minutes |
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### Outputs

#### Direct frequency output

|              |            |
|--------------|------------|
| Frequency    | 10MHz      |
| Output level | 7dBm @ 50Ω |
| Connector    | BNC        |

#### Programmable auxiliary output

|              |                       |
|--------------|-----------------------|
| Frequency    | 1 / 5 / 10MHz         |
| Output level | 0 / 5V HCMOS (square) |
| Connector    | BNC                   |

### Power Supply

#### DC Power input:

|                   |   |
|-------------------|---|
| Voltage           | 48V DC nominal floating<br>(24V to 60V) |
| Power feeds       | Dual                                    |
| Power consumption | 40W @25°C (warm-up max. 50W)            |

### Management

#### Communication port

|      |   |
|------|---|
| Port | 2x RS-232C on SUBD-9 (1x front + 1x rear side) for local management and / or remotely using SyncView Plus™ Management System and UMI (Universal Management Interface) |
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#### Alarms

|                |                      |
|----------------|----------------------|
| Relay contacts | 3 x alarm indication |
|----------------|----------------------|

#### Front panel LED indication

|                  |                |
|------------------|----------------|
| Normal operation | Green          |
| Warm-up          | Green-blinking |
| Standby mode     | Yellow         |
| Initialization   | Red-blinking   |
| Alarm            | Red            |

### Mechanical

|                  |   |
|------------------|---|
| Size (H x W x D) | 19": 5.19" x 19" x 7.56"<br>(32 x 483 x 192mm)<br>ETSI: 5.19" x 19" x 7.56"<br>(32 x 483 x 192mm) |
| Mounting         | 3U high 19" or ETSI mounting<br>Rear or Front Access connectors                                   |
| Weight:          | 27lb (excluding packaging)  |

### Environmental Conditions

|                      |  |
|----------------------|--|
| Operating conditions | EN 300 019-1-3, class 3.2<br>(temperature range extended fr<br>- 5°C to +55°C) |
| Transportation       | EN 300 019-1-2, class 2.2  |
| Storage              | EN 300 019-1-1, class 1.1  |
| Humidity             | Up to 95%  |
| Atmospheric pressure | 70 kPa to 106 kPa  |
| DC magnetic field    | $\pm 1$ Gauss maximum  |
| Safety               | EN 61010-1   |
| EMC & ESD            | EN 50081-1, EN 50082-1<br>IEC 801 parts 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6                       |



OSA3230 Connector panel overview

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