



# TTM635/637VME & TTM350/357VXI

# VME/VXI Time & Frequency Processors

### **KEY FEATURES**

- 6U, Single Width VME or VXI Module
- · GPS or Time Code Inputs
- · Time Code Output
- 1PPS Pulse Rate Output/Interrupt
- Frequency Outputs (1, 5, 10 MHz)
- · External Event Capture/Interrupt
- Programmable Periodic Output/Interrupt
- Programmable Time Strobe Output/Interrupt
- · Battery Backed Clock
- · Extensive Driver Support

Symmetricom's TTM635/637VME and TTM350/357VXI time and frequency processor modules provide precision time and frequency reference to the host computer and peripheral data acquisition systems. Time is acquired from either the GPS satellites using a supplied antenna/receiver (TTM637VME and TTM357VXI only) or from time code signals, typically IRIG B. Integration of the module is facilitated with optional drivers for several operating systems (see Options). Time is displayed on the front panel (hours, minutes, seconds) via LED digits.

Central to the operation of the module is a disciplined 10 MHz oscillator and 100 nanosecond clock. Current time (days to 100 nanoseconds) can be accessed across the bus with zero latency, which allows for very high speed time requests. The oscillator is rate matched (disciplined) to the input time

source and drives the precision 10 MHz frequency output and time code generator circuitry. If the time source is lost, the module will continue to maintain time (flywheel). If power is lost, a +/-10 PPM battery backed clock is available to maintain time.

Both time code generation and translation are supported. The generator supplies IRIG B or IRIG H time code output that is synchronized to the input time source. The translator decodes IRIG B, 2137 or XR3 time code inputs.

An event time capture feature provides a means of latching the time of an event input and/or generating a bus interrupt that is coincident with an external TTL pulse. The module can also be programmed to generate a periodic pulse rate/interrupt as well as to generate a strobe/interrupt at a single predetermined time.



VME Time & Frequency Processor (shown with optional on-board GPS receiver, TTM637VME).

# TTM635/637VME - TTM350/357VXI Specifications

## **ELECTRICAL SPECIFICATIONS**

· Real time clock

100 nanoseconds Bus request resolution: Bus request latency: Zero Major time format: Binary or BCD Minor time format: Binary

· Time code translator

Time code formats: IRIG A, IRIG B (modulated or DCLS)

XR3, 2137 (modulated only)

Modulation ratio: 3.1 to 6.1

500 mV to 5 V P-P Input amplitude: Input impedance: >10K $\Omega$  (AC coupled)

· Time code generator

Time code format: IRIG B (modulated or DCLS) IRIG H (DCLS only) Output amplitude: 0 V to 10 V P-P (adjustable)

DC level shift: TTL/CMOS

• Timing functions

Heartbeat (TTL,  $50\Omega$ ): Programmable periodic 2.3 mHz to 2.5 MHz

Time strobe (TTL,  $50\Omega$ ): Programmable, 1mS through hrs Event capture (TTL,  $50\Omega$ ): 100 nS resolution, zero latency 1PPS pulse rate (TTL,  $50\Omega$ ): Positive edge on-time

• Disciplined oscillator

Frequency: 10 MHz

Outputs (50): 1, 5, or 10 MHz (selectable) Rate accuracy

5.0E-8 short term (tracking) Standard VCXO: 5.0E-7/day long term (flywheeling)

Optional oven oscillator: 2.0E-9 short term (tracking)

5.0E-8/day long term (flywheeling)

GPS, time code, 1PPS, 10 MHz Sync sources:

VME/VXI Bus

Size: 6Ux160 mm; B size, single A16, AM codes \$29 and \$2D, Address space:

64 bytes

Data transfer: D16

D08(0), I(1-7), ROAK Interrupter: Power: +5 VDC @ 1.5 A +12 VDC @ 50 mA

+12 VDC @ 250 mA (GPS) -12 VDC @ 30 mA

• GPS Subsystem (TTM637VME & TTM357VXI only)

Time accuracy: <±1 microsecond

10 to 20 meters SEP (SA off) Position accuracy:

Maximum velocity: 300 meters/second (1,080 KPH)

Number of channels:

1.575 GHz (L1, C/A code) Receiver frequency: Time to first fix: Brief power off: 1.5 min. (1. 3 and 4 satellites) Solution modes:

1. 3 and 4 satellites

Environment

Temperature Module Ant/Rec Operating: 0°C to 70°C -30°C to + 70°C -50°C to 125°C -55°C to +100°C Storage:

Humidity

5% to 95%\* 95% Operating:

\*non-condensing

#### OPTIONS

- Spare or Extended Antenna Cable<sup>2</sup>
- Spare RF Antenna
- GPS In-line amplifier for cable runs up to 300' (91m)
- GPS Antenna down/up converter for cable runs up to 1500' [457 m]
- · GPS Antenna splitter kit
- Lightning Arrestor
- 'D' Connector (J1) to BNC Adapter
- Ovenized Crystal Oscillator
- Isolation Transformer Time Code Input
- Conformal Coat
- Ruggedized Version

### ORDERING INFORMATION

 TTM635VME-VCXO VME IRIG board w/Standard Crystal Oscillator TTM637VME-VCXO VME GPS board w/Standard Crystal Oscillator<sup>1</sup> TTM350VXI-VCXO VXI IRIG board w/Standard Crystal Oscillator TTM357VXI-VCXO VXI GPS board w/Standard Crystal Oscillator1 TTM635VME-OCXO VME IRIG board w/Ovenized Crystal Oscillator TTM637VME-OCXO VME GPS board w/Ovenized Crystal Oscillator<sup>1</sup> TTM350VXI-0CX0 VXI IRIG board w/Ovenized Crystal Oscillator TTM357VXI-OCXO VXI GPS board w/Ovenized Crystal Oscillator

VME and VXI cards all use a common design. The main difference is that the VXI modules do not include the P2 bus connector. When ordering, please specify VME or VXI to ensure system compatibility.



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<sup>1</sup> includes GPS antenna/receiver and 50' (15 m) cable

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> contact factory regarding longer cabling requirements