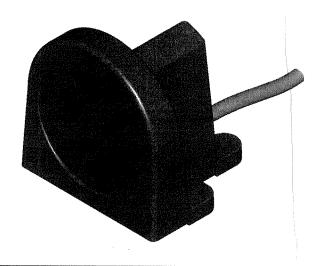


## Vansco True Ground Speed Sensor

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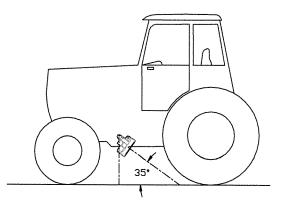
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The True Ground Speed Sensor combines state-of-the-art electronics design and manufacturing. The electronics are encapsulated in a rugged plastic enclosure to ensure reliable operation in harsh environments. Complete testing and certification of the product has been done to deliver a reliable and accurate speed signal for the OEM or retrofit electronics markets.

The radar provides a standard square wave output. This industry-standard output gives a continuous ground speed signal whenever the vehicle is moving.

The sensor can be installed at a height between 2 and 4 feet (0.6 - 1.2 m) above the ground or above the top of a crop. The small size of the sensor simplifies mounting on the vehicle.

The True Ground Speed Sensor has been subjected to the full spectrum of tests specified in the ASAE EP-455 Standard for electronics on mobile equipment, including temperature, vibration, moisture, dust, electrical, and electromagnetic tests. Test results show that this sensor meets and exceeds the standards set by government agencies and industry committees for North American use.



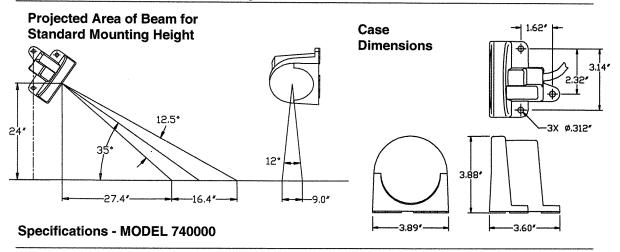


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Velocity Range 0.6 to 44 mph (1 to 70 km/hr)

Accuracy < ± 3% for 0.6-2 mph (1-3 km/hr) < ± 1% for 2-44 mph (3-70 km/hr)

**Beam Footprint** Elliptical, 16.4" (41.7 cm) major axis & 9.0" (22.9 cm) minor axis at 24"

(61 cm) mounting height 12.5° in the vertical plane & 12°

wide, symmetric around centerline

of sensor

Beam Pattern

Mounting Angle 35° depressed below horizontal, rear facing (preferred to reduce

potential damage) or forward facing

Mounting Height 12" to 48" (0.3 to 1.2 m) above the

ground or above the top of the crop, typical mounting height 24" (0.6 m)

Mounting Fasteners Three (3) of 1/4" - 20 UNC cap screws or M6 screws

Overall Dimensions 3.9" x 3.9" x 3.6" (9.9 cm x 9.9 cm x 9.2 cm)

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Weight Approximately 460 grms w/ cable Materials Enclosure: black Nylon, glass

reinforced

Cable Cable: water resistant 18 AWG 4/C

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Cable length: ≈20' (≈51 cm)
Connector Standard: FMC, F20B-14A624-EA

Pin 1 +12V DC (nominal 12V battery voltage)

Pin 2 "Radar Present Line" +12V unless otherwise specified

Pin 3 Ground

Pin 4 Speed Signal Output

Mating Connector FMC, E6DB-14A464-NA

Other connectors available by custom order.

Electrical Supply Max. 120 mA @ 12 V DC

+9 to 16V DC input voltage range

Output Frequency 58.9 Hz/mph @ 35° mounting angle

Other frequencies are available by

custom order

Square Wave

Output

ZOH ≈ 1000 ohms ZOL ≤ 100 ohms

VOH  $\approx$  +V(battery) - 1.0 V VOL  $\leq$  1.0 V at 15 mA I out (max.) = 25 mA

Electrical Protection Signal to ground & signal to power

supply protection

Electrical transient protection per ASAE EP-455 Standard

Step Response ≤ 20

≤ 200 milliseconds delay

Start/Stop Delay

≤ 12 inches (25 cm)

Microwave Freq.

24.125 GHz (standard)

Tolerance ± 50 MHz

Microwave Power

500mW, EIRP

**Approvals** 

RSS-210 (Industry Canada)

FCC (Part 15, USA)

Environmental Compliance

EN ISO 14982

ASAE EP-455 which includes standards for reverse polarity, EMI, electrical transients (such as load dump, inductive load switching), chemical corrosion, dust, salt spray, rain, wash, mechanical shock, and

vibration.

Operating Temp.

-40C to +85C (-40F to 185F)