

# MXA-5000

# Advanced Collision Avoidance with Real-time Vessel Traffic Information



# **Dual Channel Receive Capability**

The MXA-5000 receives both Ch. 87B (161.975MHz) and Ch. 88B (162.025MHz) simultaneously. This dual channel receive makes the MXA-5000 more flexible for obtaining AIS information from AIS transponders that operate on only one channel. In addition, the MXA-5000 also receives both Class A and Class B AIS data.

# **Dual Mode Data Output**

The MXA-5000 has two data output. One is RS-422 for connection with equipment such as marine radar or GPS chart-plotter. Those equipments which accept the VDM sentence format will show the AIS data on the display.

The second is RS-232C for PC connection. When using with AIS plotter software\*, the MXA-5000 allows you to monitor other vessel traffic on your PC.

\* Not supplied from Icom.

# **Built-in Antenna Splitter to Share One Antenna**

The MXA-5000 can be installed between a VHF antenna and a VHF radio. While receiving a VHF radio signal\*, the MXA-5000 receives AIS data. When you transmit from the connected VHF radio, the Tx signal bypasses the MXA-5000 to protect the internal circuit. \* Insertion loss: 3.5dB (approx.)

# **GPS Data Multiplex**

When connected a GPS receiver to the MXA-5000, GPS position information such as RMC, GGA, GNS and GLL formats can be multiplexed with AIS data (VDM format) and simplifies wiring.

# **Compact Size and Light Weight Body**

The MXA-5000 is only 132(W)×34(H)×155(D)\* mm and weighs only 400g\* for easy and flexible installation.

\* Mounting bracket is not included in the dimensions and weight.

The above background illustration shows AIS screen image only.

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# What is AIS?

Icom's MXA-5000 AIS (Automatic Identification System) receiver will pick up real-time transmissions from vessels that use an AIS transponder. Such transponders are now required for SOLAS vessels by SOLAS regulations.

The AIS transponder sends accurate navigation information such as:

- Static Information Vessel call sign, name, MMSI number, dimensions, type
- Voyage-Related Information Draft, cargo type, destination and estimated time of arrival
- Dynamic Information Time in universal time, coordinated, latitude/longitude position, course over ground, speed over ground, heading, rate of turn, navigational status.

For more details, please refer to

"http://www.navcen.usca.gov/enav/AIS/default.htm"

# **SPECIFICATIONS**

## **GENERAL**

• Frequency coverage : 161.975MHz (Ch 87B) and

162.025MHz (Ch 88B) Simultaneous receive : 16K0F1D (GMSK)

 Receive emission designator

• Antenna impedance :  $50\Omega$ 

• Usable temperature range: -20°C to +60°C : -4°F to +140°F

• Power supply requirement: 12.0V DC (10.8-15.6V)

Current drain (12.0V DC) : 0.25A
Weight (approx:) : 400g; 14.1oz
Mounting brackets attached 460g; 1.0lb

### **RECEIVER**

Sensitivity : -116dBm typ.
 Adjacent Ch selectivity : More than 70dB
 Spurious response : More than 70dB
 Intermodulation : More than 65dB
 Hum and noise ratio : More than 40dB
 Conducted spurious : Less than -57dBm

emission

# DATA INTERFACE

• Data Input Interface Sentence format Input level : IEC 61162-1:2000 (4,800bps) RMC, GGA, GNS, GLL Less than 2mA (When 2V applied)

Data Output Interface : IEC 61162-2 (38,400bps)
 To navigation equipment RS-422 balanced

Sentence format VDM

Output level 5V, 40mA Max.

To PC Sentence format RS-232C unbalanced VDM

Output level

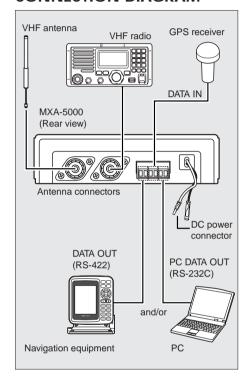
±5V, ±35mA typ.

Measurements made in accordance with IEC 62287-1.

All stated specifications are subject to change without notice or obligation.

# **DIMENSIONS** 154.5mm 6<sup>3</sup>/<sub>32</sub> in 5mm; 3/16 in ; 23/8 in 3/16 in × 1 142mm; 519/32 in 13.2mm 13.2mm; <sup>17</sup>/<sub>32</sub> in 17/32 in 131.6mm; 5<sup>3</sup>/<sub>16</sub> in 33.5mm; 1<sup>5</sup>/<sub>16</sub> in 5.5mm 5/32 in Supplied accessories: Mounting bracket kits DC power cable

# **CONNECTION DIAGRAM**



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