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CME-6211

Low noise force-balance broadband seismometer

Features:

High performance broadband seismometer Wide dynamic range Easy installation No mass lock or mass centering needed Built-in calibration coil 0.0083 (120 sec) – 50 Hz bandwidth 2000 V/(m/s) sensitivity 20V peak-to-peak differential output Self-noise below NLNM in 10 sec – 5 Hz frequency range Low power consumption Installation tilts up to 15 degrees



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The CME-6211 seismometers is primarily intended for use on a stationary seismic stations, but can also be used in the field measurements. The CME-6211 model has an improved isolation from unwanted atmospheric pressure and ambient temperature changes.

This seismometer contains 3 identical symmetrically installed transducers, which

form an angle of 45° to the vertical axis and of 120° with respect to each other in horizontal plane (the so-called Galperin configuration). The transformation to the Cartesian coordinates (Z, X, Y) is performed by the electronic summation with according coefficients. The feedback coil of each transducer may act as a calibration coil and let form and control the standard sensor's responses.

Like other molecular-electronic instruments, the 6211 seismometer is very rugged and does not require any special means or procedures for transportation and installation. The only procedure to start the operation is to place the seismometer on a rigid horizontal surface, turn the power on and wait for several minutes. The seismometer can be used in various areas including permanent stations and field experiments.

Sensor type	Molecular-electronic seismic sensor, Galprin configuration
Axes	Triaxial, orthogonal - Up, North, East
Sensitivity	$2000 \frac{V}{m/\sec}$
Clip level	10 <i>mm</i> /sec
Bandwidth	0.008 (120 sec) – 50 Hz (standard) 0.0167 (60 sec) – 50 Hz (optional)
Dynamic range at 1 Hz	140 dB
Cross-axis coupling	-50 dB
Nonlinearity at 1 Hz	0.2%
Temperature range	-40°C - +55°C (-40°F - 131°F) (standard) -12°C - +55°C (10.4°F - 131°F) (optional)
Cold-start time	20 - 60 min
Maximum installation tilt	±15°
Leveling, mass locking	Not required
Integral noise in the band 0,008 (120 sec) – 20 Hz 0,1 (10 sec) – 20 Hz	9.8 nm/sec (19.6 μV) 2.8 nm/sec (5,6 μV)

Sensor specifications*

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Electrical specifications*

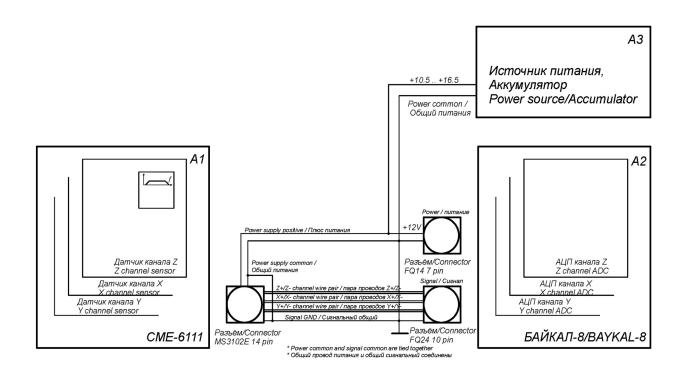
Supply voltage	12 V Nominal 10.5-16 V permissible
Supply current	30mA (standard)

Mechanical specifications*

Connector type	Amphenol MS-3102E type, 10 pin
Dimensions	Diameter 254 mm(10") Height with handle 260 mm(10.24")
Weight	12.2 kg (26,9 lbs)
Case	Aluminum/stainless steel

Case accessories

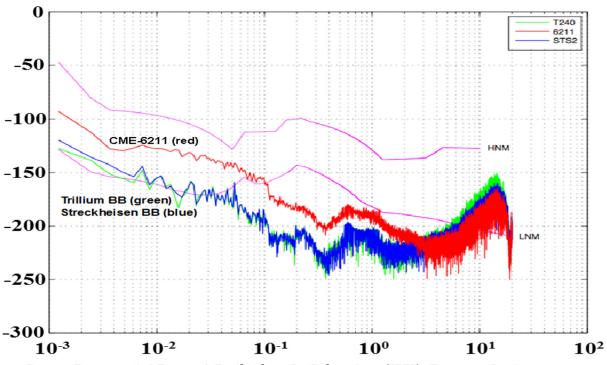
Bubble level, handle, 3 feet sets, 2 pointers



CME-6211 seismometer typical wiring diagram

* - Some of presented features and parameters apply to specific versions of the seismometer. Specifications are subject to change without notice.

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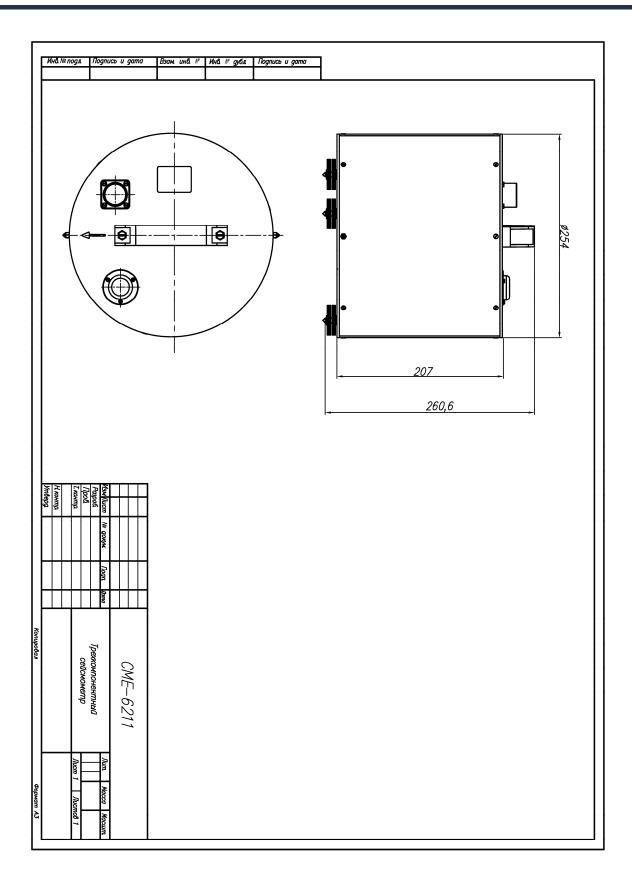


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CME-6211 seismometer outline drawing