

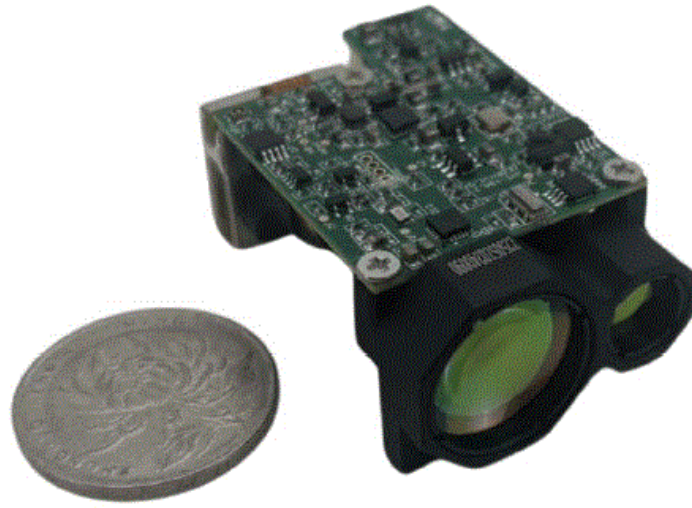


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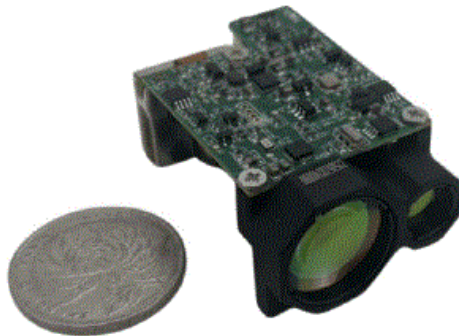
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ERDI TECH LRF0310C Single Pulse Laser Rangefinder Module



PRODUCT DESCRIPTION

- The LRF0310C 1535nm laser rangefinder module is a lightweight ($\leq 32\text{g}$), Class I eye-safe solution with a detection range of $\geq 3000\text{m}$ on NATO targets. It supports first/last target ranging, multi-target detection (up to 3), range gating, and firmware upgrades via serial port, making it ideal for border surveillance, UAVs, and optical pods.
- Built for reliability, this compact module delivers $\pm 1\text{m}$ accuracy, precision $\geq 98\%$, and low power consumption. Its rugged design meets MIL-STD-810G shock and vibration standards, ensuring stable performance in harsh environments from -40°C to $+70^{\circ}\text{C}$.



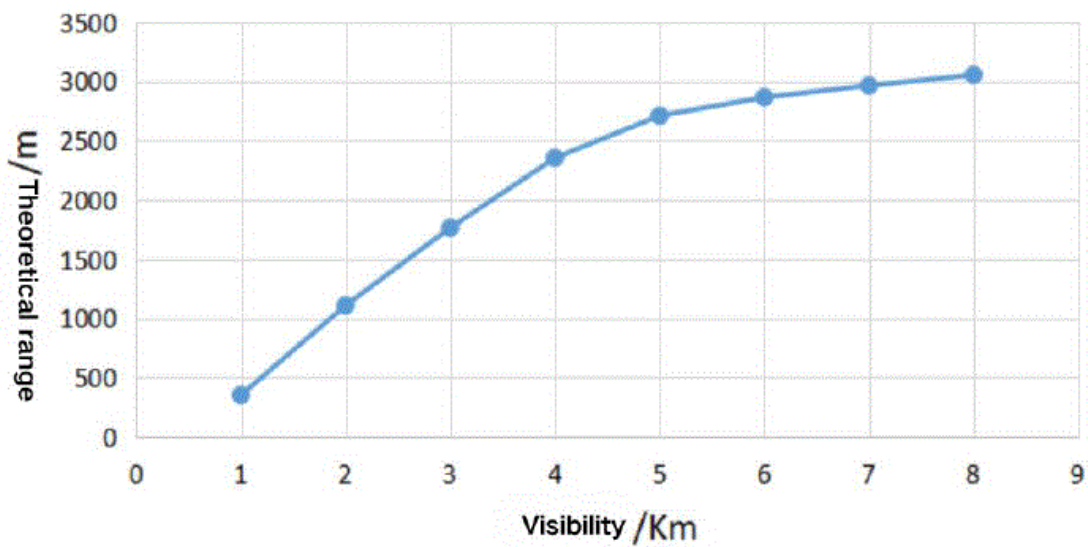
TECHNICAL SPECIFICATIONS

| PROJECT | PERFORMANCE INDICATORS |
|------------------|------------------------|
| Model | LRF0310C |
| Laser Wavelength | $1535\pm 5\text{nm}$ |

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|---|---|
| Eye- safety | Class I |
| Divergence Angle | ≤ 0.6 mrad |
| Laser Energy | ≥ 100 μ J |
| Launch Lens Diameter | $\Phi 8$ mm |
| Receiver Lens Diameter | $\Phi 16$ mm |
| Measuring Range Reflectance 30%; visibility ≥ 5 km. | NATO's Goals (2.3m \times 2.3m) ≥ 3000 m 2.3m \times 4.6m target board or vehicle, relative humidity $\leq 60\%$, visibility ≥ 8 km |
| Minimum Range | ≤ 15 m |
| Ranging Frequency | Single, 1Hz ~10Hz |
| Number of multi-target detections | Up to 3 targets |
| Ranging Accuracy | ± 1 m |
| Range Resolution | ≤ 20 m |

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|---------------------------|-------------------|
| Precision Rate | $\geq 98\%$ |
| False Alarm Rate | $\leq 1\%$ |
| Supply Voltage | 4.5V 16V |
| Standby power consumption | ≤ 0.6 W |
| Average power consumption | ≤ 1.5 W@1Hz |
| Peak Power Consumption | ≤ 7 W@12V |
| Weight | $\leq 32 \pm 1$ g |

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|-----------------------|--|
| Dimension (L×W×H) | 48mm×30.5mm×21mm |
| Operating Temperature | -40 +70 °C |
| Storage Temperature | -55 +75 °C |
| Impact Resistance | Meet the MIL-STD-810G testing standard |
| Vibration Resistance | Meet the MIL-STD-810G testing standard |



OUTLINE DIMENSION

(mm)

The overall dimensions of the mechanical and optical interfaces are shown in Figure 2.

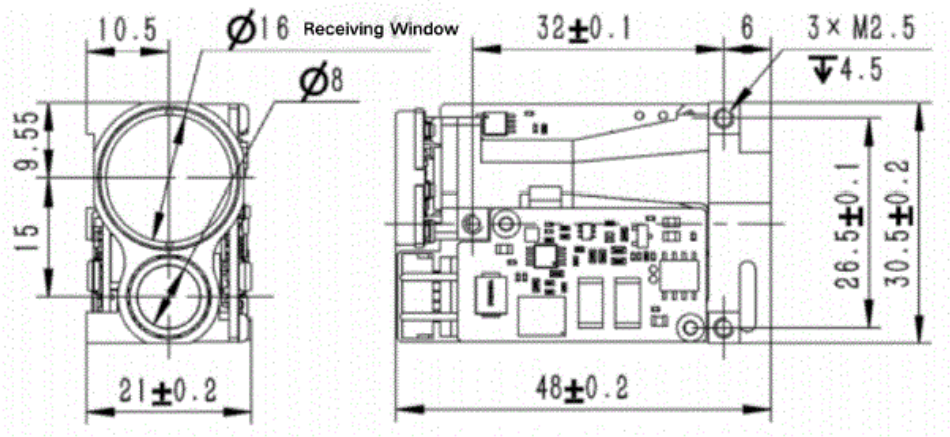


Figure 2 Mechanical and Optical Interface Diagram

The position of the center of mass is shown in Figure 3.

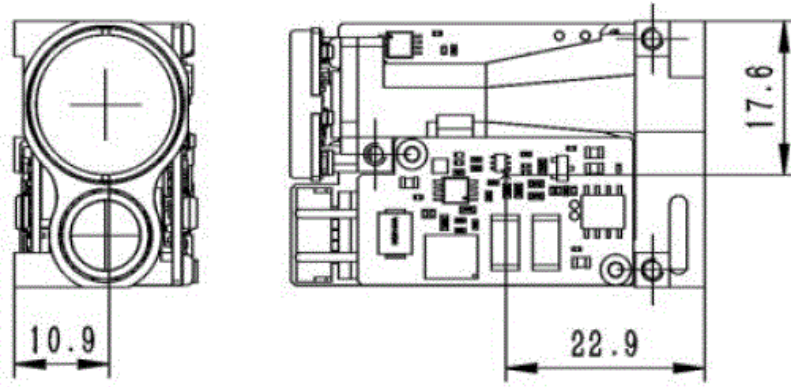


Figure 3 Schematic Diagram of the Center of Mass Position

PIN INTERFACE

Interface definition: The host computer communicates and tests with the rangefinder through a 6PIN connector. The pin definitions of the power supply and communication ports on the rangefinder side are shown in Table 2.

Table 2 Pin Definitions of Power Supply and Communication Ports on the Rangefinder Side

| Pin | Definition | Description | Cable color |
|-----|------------|--|-------------|
| P-1 | VIN+ | Power supply, 4.5–16V | |
| P-2 | VIN- | Power supply, ground | |
| P-3 | POWER_ON | Module power switch, TTL_3.3V level; | |
| P-4 | UART_TX | Module on (>2.7V), module off (<0.3V) | |
| P-5 | UART_RX | Serial port transmitting end, TTL_3.3V level | |
| P-6 | GND | Serial port receiving end, TTL_3.3V level | |

EMBEDDED SOFTWARE

Protocol description

Communication rate and format

Format standard

- **Baud rate:** 115200bps (ex factory) / 57600bps / 9600bps
- **Byte data format:** 1 start bit, 8 data bits, 1 stop bit, no verification

Basic packet format

| | of bytes) | | |
|--------------------|-----------|--------------------------|---|
| Frame header | 2 | 0xE E 0x1 6 | Fixed value |
| Data length | 1 | 2~9 | The data length is the total number of bytes in the three parts: device code, command code and command parameters |
| Equipment code | 1 | 0x0 3 | Fixed value, LRF S Series ranging module |
| Command code | 1 | 0~2 55 | Indicates the control object of the current control command |
| Command parameters | 0~4 | 0~2 55 | Indicates the control object parameters of the current control command |
| Checksum | 1 | 0~2 55 | Checksum is the sum of all byte data in the three parts of equipment code, command code and command parameters, with the lower 8 bits |

control command (system → ranging module)

| Command code | explain | Command parameter bytes |
|---------------------|---------------------------------------|--------------------------------|
| 0x01 | Equipment self inspection | 0 |
| 0x02 | Single ranging | 0 |
| 0x03 | Set first / last / multiple targets | 1 |
| 0x04 | Continuous ranging | 0 |
| 0x05 | Stop ranging | 0 |
| 0xA0 | Set baud rate of laser ranging module | 4 |
| 0xA1 | Set continuous ranging frequency | 2 |
| 0xA2 | Set minimum gating distance | 2 |
| 0xA3 | Query minimum gating distance | 0 |
| 0xA4 | Maximum gating distance | 2 |
| 0xA5 | Query the maximum gating distance | 0 |
| 0xA6 | Query FPGA software version number | 0 |
| 0xA7 | Query MCU software version number | 0 |
| 0xA8 | Query hardware version number | 0 |
| 0xA9 | Query Sn number | 0 |
| 0x90 | Total times of light output | 0 |

| | | |
|------|--|---|
| 0x91 | Query the power on and light out times this time | 0 |
|------|--|---|

Response data (ranging module → system)

| Command code | explain | Command parameter bytes |
|--------------|--|-------------------------|
| 0x01 | Equipment self inspection | 4 |
| 0x02 | Single ranging | 7 |
| 0x03 | Set first / last / multiple targets | 0 |
| 0x04 | Continuous ranging | 4 |
| 0x05 | Stop ranging | 0 |
| 0x06 | Ranging abnormality (only when the state in the ranging abnormality command is abnormal, the command is returned after the response command of single ranging or continuous ranging is returned) | 4 |
| 0xA0 | Set baud rate of laser ranging module | 4 |

| | | |
|------|-----------------------------------|---|
| 0xA1 | Set continuous ranging frequency | 2 |
| 0xA2 | Set minimum gating distance | 2 |
| 0xA3 | Query minimum gating distance | 2 |
| 0xA4 | Maximum gating distance | 2 |
| 0xA5 | Query the maximum gating distance | 2 |

| | | |
|------|--|---|
| 0xA6 | Query FPGA software version number | 4 |
| 0xA7 | Query MCU software version number | 4 |
| 0xA8 | Query hardware version number | 4 |
| 0xA9 | Query Sn number | 3 |
| 0x90 | Total times of light output | 3 |
| 0x91 | Query the power on and light out times this time | 3 |

Operation process

After the ranging module is powered on, it is in the standby mode by default. It needs to enable the module power switch (power_on is pulled up) for about 0.5 s (the driving capacitor completes charging), and then all the command operations in 6.2 below can be carried out.

Specific agreement

Equipment self inspection 2.1.1 Send to laser ranging module:

| Byte | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |
|----------|------|------|------|------|------|------|
| Describe | 0xEE | 0x16 | 0x02 | 0x03 | 0x01 | 0x04 |

Laser ranging module return:

| Byte | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 |
|----------|------|------|------|------|------|---------|---------|---------|---------|----------|
| Describe | 0xEE | 0x16 | 0x06 | 0x03 | 0x01 | Status3 | Status2 | Status1 | Status0 | Checksum |

- Status3: reserved
- Status2: echo intensity 0x00~0xFF
- Status1: bit0 — FPGA system status; 1 Normal 0 Exception
bit1 — laser light output state; 1 light output 0 no light
- bit2 — main wave detection status; 1 main wave 0 no main wave
- bit3 — echo detection status; 1 echo 0 no echo
- bit4 — bias switch status; 1 bias on 0 bias off
- bit5 — bias output state; 1 the bias voltage is normal 0 bias abnormal
- bit6 — temperature state; 1 the temperature is normal 0 temperature abnormal
bit7 — light output off state; 1 valid 0 invalid
- Status0: bit0 — 5v6 power status; 1 normal 0 exception

Single ranging

Send to laser ranging module:

| Byte | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |
|----------|------|------|------|------|------|------|
| Describe | 0xEE | 0x16 | 0x02 | 0x03 | 0x02 | 0x05 |

Laser ranging module return:

| Byte | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 |
|------|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
|------|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|

| | | | | | | | | | | |
|----------|------|------|------|------|------|--------|-----------------------------------|-----------------------|------------------------------|----------|
| Describe | 0xEE | 0x16 | 0x06 | 0x03 | 0x02 | Status | Ranging value integer high 8 bits | Ranging value integer | Ranging value decimal places | Checksum |
|----------|------|------|------|------|------|--------|-----------------------------------|-----------------------|------------------------------|----------|

| | | | | | | | | | | |
|--|--|--|--|--|--|--|--|--------------|--|--|
| | | | | | | | | lower 8 bits | | |
|--|--|--|--|--|--|--|--|--------------|--|--|

When ranging the first / last target:

- **Status:** 0x00 indicates that the ranging result is a single target; 0x01 indicates that there is a front target in the ranging result; 0x02 indicates that there is a rear target in the ranging result; 0x03 reserved;
- 0x04 indicates that the ranging result is out of range; 0x05 reserved;

In case of multi-target ranging:

- **Status_ bit3~0**
- 0x0 indicates that the ranging result is a single target;
- 0x1 indicates that there is a front target in the ranging result; 0x2 indicates that there is a rear target in the ranging result;
- 0x3 indicates that the ranging result has front target and rear target; 0x4 indicates that the ranging result is out of range;
- 0x5 reserved; Status_ bit7~4
- 0x0 ~ 0xf indicates the current distance result number; Value range [0, N-1], number of targets $1 \leq N \leq 16$;
- Range value = range value integer high 8 bits $\times 256$ + range value integer low 8 bits + range value decimal bits $\times 0.1$, unit m

Set first / last / multiple targets

Send to laser ranging module:

| Byte | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 |
|----------|------|------|-------------------|------|------|--------|----------|
| Describe | 0xEE | 0x16 | 0x03(data length) | 0x03 | 0x03 | Target | Checksum |

- Target 0x01 Set the first target ranging; 0x02 set terminal target ranging;
- 0x03 set multi-target ranging;

2.3.2 Laser ranging module return:

| Byte | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |
|----------|------|------|------|------|------|------|
| Describe | 0xEE | 0x16 | 0x02 | 0x03 | 0x03 | 0x06 |

Continuous ranging

Send to laser ranging module:

| Byte | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |
|----------|------|------|------|------|------|------|
| Describe | 0xEE | 0x16 | 0x02 | 0x03 | 0x04 | 0x07 |

Laser ranging module return:

| Byte | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 |
|------|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
|------|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|

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|----------|-------|------|------|------|------|--------|--------------------------------------|---------------------------------------|------------------------------|----------|
| Describe | 0x EE | 0x16 | 0x06 | 0x03 | 0x04 | Status | Ranging value integer high 8 bits | Ranging value integer lower 8 bits | Ranging value decimal places | Checksum |
|----------|-------|------|------|------|------|--------|--------------------------------------|---------------------------------------|------------------------------|----------|

When ranging the first and last targets:

- **Status:** 0x00 indicates that the ranging result is a single target; 0x01 indicates that there is a front target in the ranging result; 0x02 indicates that there is a rear target in the ranging result; 0x03 reserved;
- 0x04 indicates that the ranging result is out of range; 0x05 reserved;

In case of multi-target ranging:

- Status_bit3~0
- 0x0 indicates that the ranging result is a single target;
- 0x1 indicates that there is a front target in the ranging result; 0x2 indicates that there is a rear target in the ranging result;
- 0x3 indicates that the ranging result has front target and rear target; 0x4 indicates that the ranging result is out of range;
- 0x5 reserved; Status_bit7~4
- 0x0 ~ 0xf indicates the current distance result number; Value range [0, N-1], number of targets $1 \leq N \leq 16$;

Stop ranging

Send to laser ranging module:

| Byte | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |
|----------|------|------|------|------|------|------|
| Describe | 0xEE | 0x16 | 0x02 | 0x03 | 0x05 | 0x08 |

Laser ranging module return:

| Byte | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |
|----------|------|------|------|------|------|------|
| Describe | 0xEE | 0x16 | 0x02 | 0x03 | 0x05 | 0x08 |

Ranging anomaly

Laser ranging module return:

| Byte | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 |
|----------|------|------|------|------|------|---------|---------|---------|---------|----------|
| Describe | 0xEE | 0x16 | 0x06 | 0x03 | 0x06 | reserve | reserve | reserve | Status1 | Checksum |

- Status1: bit0 — FPGA system status; 1 normal 0 exception Bit1 — laser light output state; 1 light output 0 no light
- Bit2 — main wave detection status; 1 main wave 0 no main wave
- Bit3 — echo detection status; 1 echo 0 no echo
- Bit4 — bias switch status; 1 bias on 0 bias off
- Bit5 — bias output state; 1 The bias voltage is normal 0 bias abnormal
- Bit6 — temperature state; 1 The temperature is normal 0 abnormal temperature
- Bit7 — light output off state; 1 valid 0 is invalid This instruction is returned only when bit0~7 in status1 is abnormal.

Set baud rate of laser ranging module

Send to laser ranging module:

| Byte | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 |
|----------|------|------|------|------|------|------------|------------|----------|----------|----------|
| Describe | 0xEE | 0x16 | 0x06 | 0x03 | 0xA0 | BaudHigh24 | BaudHigh16 | BaudLow8 | BaudLow0 | Checksum |

Laser ranging module return:

| Byte | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 |
|----------|------|------|------|------|------|------------|------------|----------|----------|----------|
| Describe | 0xEE | 0x16 | 0x06 | 0x03 | 0xA0 | BaudHigh24 | BaudHigh16 | BaudLow8 | BaudLow0 | Checksum |

Set continuous ranging frequency**Send to laser ranging module:**

| Byte | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 |
|---|------|------|-------------------|------|-------|------|-----|----------|
| Describe | 0xEE | 0x16 | 0x04(data length) | 0x03 | 0x0A1 | Freq | Num | Checksum |
| Freq 0x01~0x0A Single / continuous ranging frequency Num 0x00 reserve | | | | | | | | |

Laser ranging module return:

| | | | | | | |
|----------|------|------|------|------|------|------|
| Describe | 0xEE | 0x16 | 0x02 | 0x03 | 0xA1 | 0xA4 |
|----------|------|------|------|------|------|------|

Set minimum gating distance**Send to laser ranging module:**

| Byte | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 |
|--|------|------|-------------------|------|------|-------|-------|-----------|
| Describe | 0xEE | 0x16 | 0x04(data length) | 0x03 | 0xA2 | DIS_H | DIS_L | Check_sum |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> DIS_H Distance high 8 bits DIS_L Distance lower 8 bits DIS 10~20000 Minimum gating distance range, in M | | | | | | | | |

Laser ranging module return:

| Byte | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 |
|--|------|------|-------------------|------|------|-------|-------|-----------|
| Describe | 0xEE | 0x16 | 0x04(data length) | 0x03 | 0xA2 | DIS_H | DIS_L | Check_sum |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> DIS_H Distance high 8 bits DIS_L Distance lower 8 bits DIS 10~20000 Minimum gating distance range, in M | | | | | | | | |

Query minimum gating distance

Send to laser ranging module:

| Byte | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |
|----------|------|------|------|------|------|------|
| Describe | 0xEE | 0x16 | 0x02 | 0x03 | 0xA3 | 0xA6 |

Laser ranging module return:

| Byte | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 |
|----------|------|------|-------------------|------|------|-------|-------|-----------|
| Describe | 0xEE | 0x16 | 0x04(data length) | 0x03 | 0xA3 | DIS_H | DIS_L | Check_sum |

- DIS_H Distance high 8 bits DIS_L Distance lower 8 bits
- DIS 10~20000 Minimum gating distance range, in M

Set maximum gating distance

Send to laser ranging module:

| Byte | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 |
|--------------|------|------|-----------------------|------|------|-------|-----------|---------------|
| descri be | 0xEE | 0x16 | 0x04(data le ngth) | 0x03 | 0xA4 | DIS_H | DIS _L | Check_su m |

- DIS_H Distance high 8 bits DIS_L Distance lower 8 bits
- DIS 10~20000 Minimum gating distance range, in M

Laser ranging module return:

| Byte | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 |
|--------------|------|------|-----------------------|------|------|-------|-----------|---------------|
| descri be | 0xEE | 0x16 | 0x04(data le ngth) | 0x03 | 0xA4 | DIS_H | DIS _L | Check_su m |

- DIS_H Distance high 8 bits DIS_L Distance lower 8 bits
- DIS 10~20000 Minimum gating distance range, in M

Query maximum gating distance

Send to laser ranging module:

| Byte | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |
|------|---|---|---|---|---|---|
|------|---|---|---|---|---|---|

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|----------|------|------|------|------|------|------|
| describe | 0xEE | 0x16 | 0x02 | 0x03 | 0xA5 | 0xA8 |
|----------|------|------|------|------|------|------|

Laser ranging module return:

| Byte | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 |
|--|------|------|-------------------|------|------|-------|-------|-----------|
| describe | 0xEE | 0x16 | 0x04(data length) | 0x03 | 0xA5 | DIS_H | DIS_L | Check_sum |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> DIS_H Distance high 8 bits DIS_L Distance lower 8 bits DIS 10~20000 Minimum gating distance range, in M | | | | | | | | |

Query FPGA software version number

Send to laser ranging module:

| Byte | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |
|----------|------|------|------|------|------|------|
| describe | 0xEE | 0x16 | 0x02 | 0x03 | 0xA6 | 0xA9 |

Laser ranging module return:

| Byte | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 |
|----------|------|------|------|------|------|---------|------|---------|--------|-----------|
| describe | 0xEE | 0x16 | 0x06 | 0x03 | 0xA6 | Version | Date | MonYear | Author | Check_sum |

| | | |
|-------------|-----------|--|
| • Version | bit7~bit4 | Major version number 1~15 |
| • bit3~bit0 | | Minor version number 0~15 eg 0x10——V1.0 |
| • Data | Date 1~31 | |
| • MonYear | bit7~bit4 | month 1~12 |
| • bit3~bit0 | | particular year 0~15 Corresponding to 2020-2035 Auth |
| | or 0x6c | cliu |
| • 0x5d | | dwu |
| • 0xcc | | cycheng |

Query MCU software version number

Send to laser ranging module:

| Byte | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |
|----------|------|------|------|------|------|------|
| describe | 0xEE | 0x16 | 0x02 | 0x03 | 0xA7 | 0xAA |

Laser ranging module return:

| Byte | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 |
|----------|------|------|------|------|------|---------|------|---------|--------|----------|
| describe | 0xEE | 0x16 | 0x06 | 0x03 | 0xA7 | Version | Date | MonYear | Author | Checksum |

- Version bit7~bit4 Major version number 1~15
- bit3~bit0 Minor version number 0~15 eg 0x10——V1.0
- Data Date 1~31
- MonYear bit7~bit4 month 1~12
- bit3~bit0 particular year 0~15A ,Corresponding to 2020-2035 Author
- 0x00 jyang
- 0xf1 llfu
- 0x01 zqxiong

Query hardware version number2.15.1 Send to laser ranging module:

| Byte | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |
|----------|------|------|------|------|------|------|
| describe | 0xEE | 0x16 | 0x02 | 0x03 | 0xA8 | 0xAB |

Laser ranging module return:

| Byte | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 |
|------|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
|------|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|

| | | | | | | | | | | |
|----------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|-------|------|-----------|
| describe | 0xEE | 0x16 | 0x06 | 0x03 | 0xA8 | MBVS | CTVS | APDVS | LDVS | Check_sum |
|----------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|-------|------|-----------|

- MBVS Motherboard hardware version number CTVS Control board hardware version number
- Apdvs: detection board hardware version number LDVS Driver board hardware version number
- Bit7 ~ bit4 major version number (1 ~ 15) bit3 ~ bit0 minor version number (0 ~ 15)
- eg 0x10——V1.0

Query Sn number

Send to laser ranging module:

| Byte | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |
|----------|------|------|------|------|------|------|
| describe | 0xEE | 0x16 | 0x02 | 0x03 | 0xA9 | 0xAC |

Laser ranging module return:

| Byte | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 |
|------|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
|------|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|

| | | | | | | | | | |
|----------|------|------|------|------|------|---------|-------|-------|-----------|
| describe | 0xEE | 0x16 | 0x05 | 0x03 | 0xA9 | MonYear | Num_H | Num_L | Check_sum |
|----------|------|------|------|------|------|---------|-------|-------|-----------|

- Monyear: bit7 ~ bit4 months (1 ~ 12)
- Bit3 ~ bit0 years (0 ~ 15), corresponding to 2020 ~ 2035
- Num_H: The number is 8 digits high
- Num_50: Lower 8 digits of No
- Num 1 ~ 999 No

Query Sn number

Send to laser ranging module:

| Byte | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |
|----------|------|------|------|------|------|------|
| describe | 0xEE | 0x16 | 0x02 | 0x03 | 0x90 | 0x93 |

Laser ranging module return:

| Byte | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 |
|----------|------|------|------|------|------|-------|-------|-------|-----------|
| describe | 0xEE | 0x16 | 0x05 | 0x03 | 0x90 | PNUM3 | PNUM2 | PNUM1 | Check_sum |

- **PNUM3**: total light output times, bit23 ~ bit16
- **PNUM2**: total light output times, bit15 ~ bit8
- **PNUM1**: total light output times, bit7 ~ bit0

Total times of light output

Send to laser ranging module:

| Byte | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |
|----------|------|------|------|------|------|------|
| describe | 0xEE | 0x16 | 0x02 | 0x03 | 0x91 | 0x94 |

Laser ranging module return:

| Byte | |
|--|--|
| describe | |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • PNUM3: total light output times, bit23 ~ bit16 PNUM2: total light output times, bit15 ~ bit8 • PNUM1: total light output times, bit7 ~ bit0 | |

Instruction example

Equipment self inspection

- **SEND:** ee 16 02 03 01 04
- **RCV:** ee 16 06 03 01 ff 00 f7 ff f9

Set first target

- **SEND:** ee 16 03 03 03 01 07
- **RCV:** ee 16 02 03 03 06

| | |
|---|--|
| Single ranging <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • SEND: ee 16 02 03 02 05 • RCV: ee 16 06 03 02 04 00 00 00 09 | Set end goal <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • SEND: ee 16 03 03 03 02 08 • RCV: ee 16 02 03 03 06 |
|---|--|

| | |
|---|--|
| Continuous ranging <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • SEND: ee 16 02 03 04 07 • RECV: ee 16 06 03 04 04 00 00 00 0 b • RECV: ee 16 06 03 04 04 00 00 00 0 b RECV: | Set multiple targets <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • SEND: ee 16 03 03 03 03 09 • RECV: ee 16 02 03 03 06 |
| Stop ranging <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • SEND: ee 16 02 03 05 08 • RECV: ee 16 02 03 05 08 | Set continuous ranging frequency 1Hz <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • SEND: ee 16 04 03 a1 01 00 a5 • RECV: ee 16 02 03 a1 a4 |
| | Set continuous ranging frequency 5Hz <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • SEND: ee 16 04 03 a1 05 00 a9 • RECV: ee 16 02 03 a1 a4 |

INSTRUCTIONS FOR USE

- In order to enable the operators to safely and correctly use various functions of the LRF0105C miniature laser rangefinder product, this operation and maintenance manual provides instructions on its operation and maintenance.
- It is applicable to the operators and maintenance personnel of this product.
- The LRF0105C miniature laser rangefinder (hereinafter referred to as the laser rangefinder) is a precision optoelectronic product that emits laser towards the measured target and calculates the distance information based on the laser flight time. This laser rangefinder achieves communication through the Uart (TTL_3.3V) communication interface, and is characterized by outstanding performance and simple operation. The laser of this rangefinder is prohibited from direct exposure to human eyes.

Recommendations for Optical Window Selection and Coating

Material Recommendations

The optical glass H-K9L is recommended as the material for the optical window. H-K9L is the most common colorless optical glass, suitable for the laser range of 300nm to 2100nm. It has a high cost-performance ratio and superior physical properties.

Processing Recommendations

- The wedge angle tolerance of the optical window should be as small as possible. It is recommended that the wedge angle tolerance $\leq 3'$ (tolerance grade \leq level 7);
- The optical surface of the optical window should be as smooth as possible. It is recommended that the arithmetic average deviation of the profile (Ra) is 0.012.

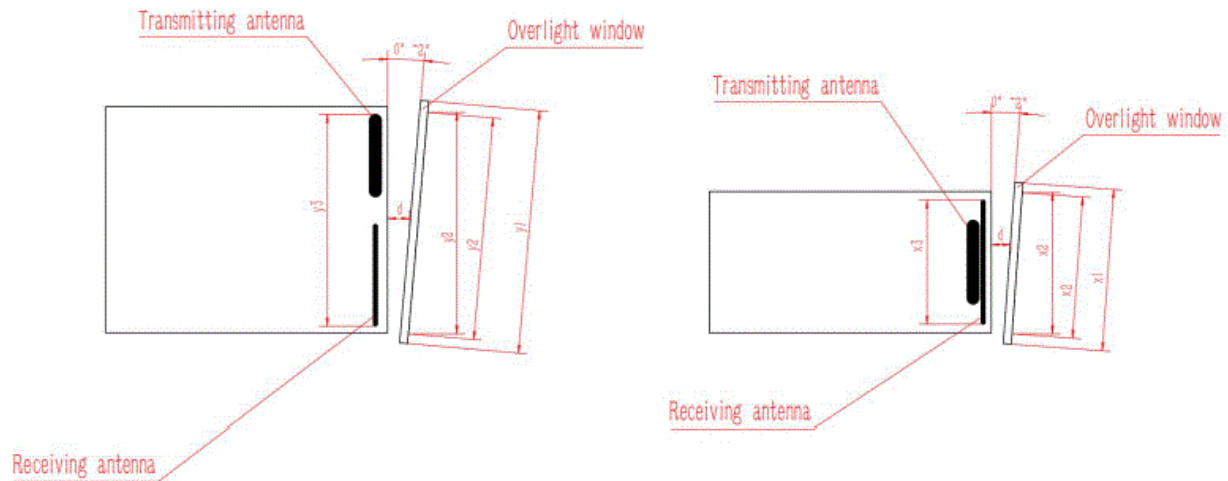
Coating Recommendations

- For the optical window of the 1535nm laser rangefinder, it is recommended to coat an anti-reflective film in the range of 1525nm to 1545nm, with a transmittance of $\geq 99\%$.
- According to the specific usage environment of the product, other protective films such as a hydrophobic film or a hard film can be additionally selected for coating on the outer surface of the optical window. For the remaining indicators, refer to MIL-STD-810G, and the transmittance should be $\geq 97\%$.

Recommendations for the Shape and Use of the Optical Window

- The effective aperture of the optical window depends on different products. Its external dimension should ensure that the effective aperture of the optical window – the outer diameter of the optical window $\geq 2\text{mm}$, and the outer diameter of the rangefinder antenna – the projected dimension of the effective aperture of the optical window $\geq 1.5\text{mm}$. The schematic diagram is shown as follows. Since the optical window has a certain absorption of the laser, it is recommended that the thickness of the optical window itself be controlled within 2 to 4mm according to the external dimension.
- Since the optical window has a high transmittance, it is recommended that the axial deviation between the emitting optical axis and the normal of the optical window be controlled within 0° to 2° . The schematic diagram of the position of the optical window

and the two lens barrels is shown as follows. At the same time, the air gap between the optical window and the rangefinder should be as small as possible. Figure 4 shows the schematic diagrams of the placement of the optical window in two ways.



- The effective aperture of the optical window y_2 – the outer diameter of the optical window $y_1 > 2\text{mm}$
- The outer diameter of the rangefinder antenna y_3 – the projection size of the effective aperture of the optical window $y_2 > 1.5\text{mm}$
- The air gap d between the optical window and the rangefinder should be as small as possible
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- The outer diameter of the rangefinder antenna x_3 – the projection size of the effective aperture of the optical window $x_2 > 1.5\text{mm}$
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Schematic diagrams of two ways of the external dimensions and placement of the optical window

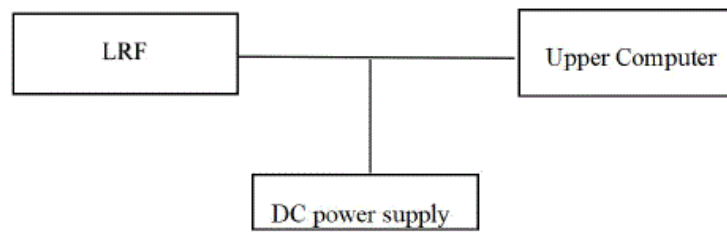
Operation In order for you to fully understand all the functions of this system and correctly master the installation, operation and maintenance methods, please read the content of this chapter carefully before installing and using this system.

Power-on Operation

Before Power-on

Connect the laser rangefinder, the debugging cable, the DC power supply and the host

computer as shown in the figure.



Schematic Diagram of the Connection

Power-on

Power-on operation: Connect the power supply.

Power-off Operation

Before Power-off

Before powering off, it should be confirmed that the working processes and tasks of each product are in the ended state, and the program is exited.

Power-off

Power-off steps: Disconnect the power supply.

Operation

Ranging Mode

Operation method of the ranging mode:

- Send the “Single Ranging” command to the laser rangefinder. The laser rangefinder will perform single ranging and report the ranging status and the distance value.
- Send the “1Hz Ranging” command to the laser rangefinder. The laser rangefinder will perform ranging once per second and report the ranging status and the distance value.
- Send the “Stop Ranging” command to stop ranging.
- Send the “5Hz Ranging” command to the laser rangefinder. The laser rangefinder will perform ranging five times per second and report the ranging status and the distance value.
- Send the “Stop Ranging” command to stop ranging.
- Send the “10Hz Ranging” command to the laser rangefinder. The laser rangefinder will

perform ranging ten times per second and report the ranging status and the distance value.

- Send the “Stop Ranging” command to stop ranging.

Distance Gating Setting

Distance gating means setting a section of gating distance (represented in hexadecimal) within the ranging capability range. The target distance information lower than the gating value will not be sent back, and the ranging value higher than the gating value within the measurement range is the effective ranging value.

If setting is required, the operation method is as follows:

- Send the “Gating Value Setting” command to the laser rangefinder.
Send the “Ranging” command to the laser rangefinder. The laser rangefinder will perform ranging, determine whether the sent-back distance value is greater than the distance gating value, and then report the ranging result.
- Send the “Stop Ranging” command to stop the ranging operation. If the distance gating function is not needed, the initial settings need to be manually restored (set the gating value to 0).

Self-check Mode

The operation method of the self-check:

Send the “Self-check Inquiry” instruction to the laser rangefinder. The laser rangefinder starts to conduct a self-check and sends back information such as the current ambient temperature and working status.

Inspection and Maintenance

General Inspection

Visual inspection and power-on inspection should be carried out when the product is used for the first time and after the resource module is replaced. For products in normal use, only power-on inspection is required before use.

Visual Inspection

The steps of visual inspection are as follows:

- Check whether the appearance of the product is normal;
- Check if there is any error in the cable connection, and the connection should be firm.

Power-on Inspection

The steps of power-on inspection are as follows:

- Complete the power-on operation according to the steps in 3.1;
- Start the self-test module;
- After the inspection is completed, complete the power-off operation according to the steps in 3.2.

Regular Maintenance

The laser rangefinder does not need maintenance under normal working conditions. Maintenance is required if it is stored in a dust-free environment for more than one year. The maintenance content includes:

General Inspection

Conduct a general inspection of the product when it is not energized. The steps are as follows:

- All marks and numbers on the product and the test cable plug (socket) should be correct and clear;
- All kinds of screws on the panel should be tightened;
- It should be ensured that there are no attachments such as light spots, pockmarks, water stains, mold, fingerprints, dust particles, etc. and cracks that hinder normal observation on the optical glass of the product as seen visually.

Power-on Inspection

Conduct a comprehensive inspection and maintenance of the laser rangefinder when it is powered on. The content includes:

- Turn on the power of the product in sequence;
- Complete the power-on operation according to the steps in 3.1;
- Start the product self-test module and complete the product self-test;

- Complete the power-off operation according to the steps in 3.2.

Analysis of Fault Symptoms and Troubleshooting Methods

- The laser rangefinder is a precision product. When a fault occurs, the entire device needs to be returned to the factory for fault analysis, location, and repair. Self-repair is not allowed.
- Common fault symptoms and troubleshooting methods are shown in the following table.

Common Fault Symptoms and Troubleshooting Methods

| Fault Symptoms | Possible Reasons | Inspection Method | Measures for Troubleshooting |
|--|---|--|---|
| The product cannot be powered on normally. | <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Faults in the power supply and connection cables.• Circuit faults. | Check the power supply and the connection cable. | <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Replace the power supply or the connection cable.• In case of a circuit fault, contact the manufacturer for assistance in solving the problem. |

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| Cannot return communication information. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Fault of the connection cable • Abnormal power supply • Communication fault of the laser rangefinder | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Check whether the connection cable is normal. • Check whether the power supply is normal. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Replace the connection cable and the power supply. • For communication problems, contact the manufacturer for assistance in solving them. |
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Requirements for Packaging, Transportation and Storage

Packaging

For the products that have been unsealed and need to be restocked, they should be packaged according to the original packaging. When the products need to be returned to the factory, the original packaging should be used as much as possible. When other forms of packaging are used, it should not cause a decrease in product performance or damage to the products.

Transportation

The products that have been repacked can be transported by means of automobiles, trains, airplanes, ships, etc. During transportation, the packaged items should be fixed on the means of transportation to avoid phenomena such as impact, rough handling, and being exposed to rain and snow. For the road transportation and railway transportation environments, refer to MIL-STD-810G.

Storage

The repacked products shall not be stored in the open air in the wild. They should be stored in a warehouse with a storage temperature of 0°C to +30°C, a relative humidity not exceeding 80%, free from the erosion of corrosive substances, strong mechanical vibration and impact, and strong magnetic fields.

SAFETY PRECAUTIONS

In order to use this product safely, please read this instruction manual carefully before operating the product.

- This laser rangefinder is a precision optical and mechanical product. Operating it in violation of the regulations may lead to dangerous laser injury. Do not open or adjust any part of the laser rangefinder, and do not attempt to repair or adjust the performance of the laser rangefinder by yourself.
- Pay attention to electrostatic protection: The electronic components of the laser rangefinder are sensitive to electrostatic discharge. Do not touch any electronic devices without protective measures.
- Only turn on the power of the laser rangefinder for operation within the specified voltage and power range.
- It is prohibited to touch the optical lenses with fingers or hard objects (to prevent oil contamination or scratching of the lenses).
- It is prohibited to measure high-reflectivity targets at too close a distance (to prevent damage to core components of the detector, etc.).
- It is prohibited to store the laser rangefinder under non-specified conditions (such as a highly polluted environment, exceeding the storage temperature range, etc.).
- It is prohibited for the laser rangefinder to be subjected to strong mechanical impacts (vibration, impact, dropping, etc.).



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FAQ

What is the maximum range of this laser rangefinder module?

The maximum measuring range of this module is 3000m on NATO targets.


Can this module be used for UAV applications?

Yes, this module is suitable for UAVs among other applications like border surveillance and optical pods.

How many targets can be detected simultaneously?

This module supports multi-target detection of up to 3 targets at a time.

Documents / Resources

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|  | ERDI TECH LRF0310C Single Pulse Laser Rangefinder Module [pdf] Instruction Manual LRF0310C Single Pulse Laser Rangefinder Module, LRF0310C, Single Pulse Laser Rangefinder Module, Pulse Laser Rangefinder Module, Laser Rangefinder Module, Rangefinder Module |
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