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HF/MF Antenna Interface

Product concerned

Product Names:

3011 "DGPS Sensor" (P0101723), 3011 "DGPS Receiver" (P0101724)

With HF / MF internal receiver

Product Family:

Marine Survey

PROBLEM / ANOMALY

It has been reported spurious temporary losses of reception of HF / MF DGPS stations on board vessels. The loss usually affects only a range of frequencies and therefore a back-up frequency can be used.

After analysis, it appears that this loss of reception is due to external interference on the antenna cable.

2. SOLUTION

THALES Navigation recommends the installation of an antenna interface / noise rejector between the RF input connector on the unit rear / front panel and the antenna cable.

The noise rejector part number is: P073815A

3. CUSTOMER NOTIFICATION

All customers / channels will receive this Product Marketing Update.



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4. INSTALLATION ON NEW UNITS

Starting 1 Jan. 2003, all new units equipped with a HF/MF radio receiver will be shipped with an antenna interface / noise rejector included.

5. RETROFIT

Starting 1 Jan. 2003, the antenna interface / noise rejector will be available for shipment.

Customers experiencing spurious HF/MF reception losses can order this antenna interface / noise rejector from their local reseller.

The noise rejector part number is: P073815A

Contact your local reseller or our website (www.thalesnavigation.com) for more information.