## SPS-1000 Precision Positioner

**High-Performance Positioning System** 



Cobham Advanced Electronic Solutions, Lansdale, PA - USA

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# **SPS Series Precision Positioners**

# **Features**

- Cost-effective solution for precise positioning of payloads weighing up to 150 lbs.
- Easily adapted to T-bar, yoke or 3-axis configurations
- Brushless, direct drive motors reduce maintenance and EMI
- Zero backlash, highly reliable direct-drive eliminates gearboxes
- Lightweight 75 lbs. (positioner only)
- Angular resolution of 21 bits (3 µradians).
- High-speed microprocessor control
- C-based firmware: fast response, easy to use, flexible
- Controlled by analog joystick, or digitally via by PC.
- Suitable for military land, sea and airborne environments.

Cobham's standardized, commercial off-the-shelf (COTS) SPS Series of Precision Positioners are based on a scalable design resulting from over 25 years of satisfying demanding customer requirements. Precise positioning, high reliability, high payload to weight ratios, low maintenance and cost effective solutions are hallmarks of Cobham's SPS Series of Precision Positioners. As our customer, you will benefit from Cobham's proven experience in electronic imaging, signal processing, control systems and system integration.



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#### **SPS-1000 Performance Specifications\***

Resolution 21 bits (3  $\mu$ radians) Accuracy  $\pm 0.0057^{\circ}$  ( $\pm 100 \mu$ radians) Repeatability  $\pm 0.0014^{\circ}$  ( $\pm 25 \mu$ radians) Velocity  $0.01^{\circ}$  to  $90^{\circ}$ / sec (nominal)

Acceleration  $90^{\circ}$  /sec<sup>2</sup> (nominal) Travel  $\pm 176^{\circ}$  standard Azimuth  $\pm 180^{\circ}$  optional

Elevation -15° to +95° standard

Resonant Frequency Azimuth >30 Hz

(payload dependent) Elevation >40 Hz

Base Motion Stabilization with high performance-FOG (depending on PSD)

10 ft-lb EL

20 ft-lb AZ

#### **Coatings and Fittings**

Motor Torque, (Peak)

The pedestal is pre-treated with chemical conversion coating and finished by powder-coating. Alternately, it can be painted according to customer specifications. It is supplied with stow locks for safe transportation, a pedestal-safe switch allowing maintenance personnel to immobilize the pedestal during maintenance, mechanical end-stops and a payload-specific electrical interface.

#### Configuration

Pedestal Type Direct-drive, Elevation over Azimuth Post/T-Bar,

Yoke or 3-Axis

Drive Motors Brushless DC
Weight, Positioner 75 lb. (nominal)
Payload Up to 150 lb.

Mechanical

Mounting 9.612 inch dia. bolt circle, with 6 equally spaced

0.27 inch dia. holes

LOS 12.62 inches above the pedestal base

(Nominal) for Post and T-Bar configurations

18.00 inches for Yoke configuration

**Environmental** 

Temperature -30° to + 55°C
Rain Weather-tight seals

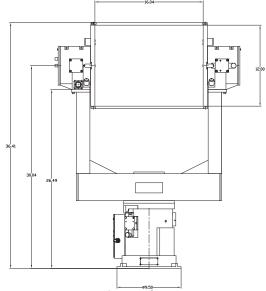
Relative humidity 98%

Shock & Vibration MIL Standard Levels

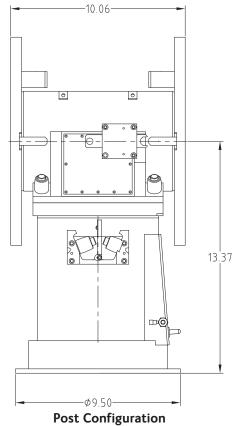
**Options** Transportable base

Sensors Joystick Payload/system integration
Slip rings Risers Remote stow pins
Leveling LOS Stabilization Optical encoders
Rotary joints Autotracker Turnkey systems
Drift control Video tracker Image stabilization

#### Mechanical Data (not to scale)



#### Yoke Configuration



#### **Power**

The Positioner derives its power from the servo control unit. The servo control unit operates from:

- 115/240 VAC, single-phase, 50/60 Hz power;
- 208 VAC (optional), three-phase, 50/60 Hz power;
- 24/28 VDC (optional).

<sup>\*</sup> Specifications subject to change without notice