



## STRAPDOWN GRAVIMETRY



**iCORUS**

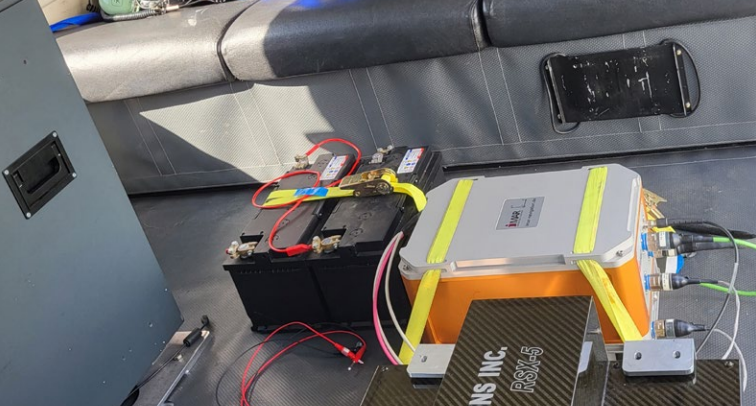
High-Precision Airborne  
Strapdown Gravimeter  
containing INS/GNSS  
for data acquisition



## iCORUS Features

**iCORUS** provides gravimetric disturbances / gravity gradiometric measurements, gyro compassing and data for **inertial navigation** (PNT - Position, Navigation & Timing), **surveying, guidance and stabilization**. It contains dedicated, high performance gyros and accelerometers, an advanced GNSS engine and a dedicated signal acquisition and processing based on **iMAR's more than 30 years experience** in designing and manufacturing highly accurate inertial measurement systems for surveying, navigation and control. **iCORUS** also shows significant advantages regarding weight, power consumption, robustness and maintenance, compared to other commonly used systems.

- Reference class gyros & accelerometers
- Airborne and shipborne approved designs
- Simple and fully autonomous operation
- User access to all raw sensor data
- No recovery time required after turns
- Turbulence robustness up to 20 g
- ITAR-free



## Technical Data

Performance	Value	Remark
Gravity (post-proc.)	<1.0 mGal ~ 2.0 mGal ~ 0.8 -1.0 mGAL	nominal, experienced value without bias removal after line-wise bias removal
Resolution 50...100 s	1.5 km (@ 30 m/s, 50 s)	depending on speed
Operation range	+/- 20 g	very robust also against strong turbulences

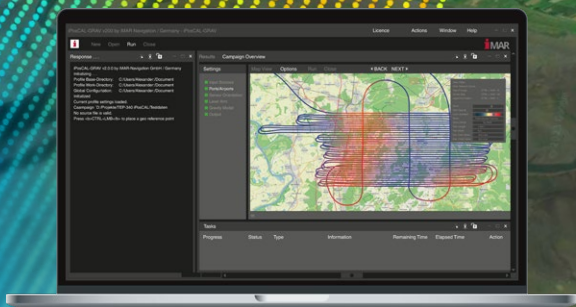
### Operational Parameters

Power Supply	16...34 V DC, 250 W • 50 ms hold up time according to DO160G • continuous over-voltage protection up to 60 V for the INS
Performance Temp. Range	+/- 15 K around initial set value
Operational Temperature	-30...+45 °C
Weight, Power Consumption	iCORUS-02 standard version: ~ 18.5 kg / typical < 50 W (initial < 250 W)
Installation	easy to mount via 4 screws

### Output

Data Output	raw data of IMS / GNSS incl. time stamps and system status • position, heading, roll, pitch, angular rate, velocity (body and nav frame) • data format can be processed directly by iPosCAL-GRAV
Time Stamping	data sampling accuracy better 1 $\mu$ s • time-stamped according to PPS - jitter < 1 ms
Data Storage	128 GByte on internal non-volatile memory (raw data of > 700 flight hours)

## GRAVIMETRY POST-PROCESSING



**iPosCAL-GRAV**

**INS/GNSS Post-Processing  
& Calculation Software  
for Field Operators  
and Experts**

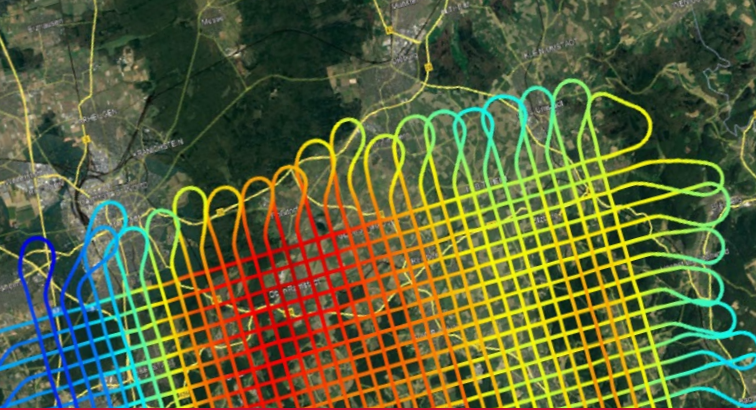


## iPosCAL-GRAV Features

**iPosCAL-GRAV** is designed for airborne or shipborne gravimetry data processing, showing its full potential **in combination with** iMAR's **iCORUS** strapdown gravimeters. On top of the basic **iPosCAL-Suite** features for **IMS/GNSS-based surveying**, like the precise determination of position, velocity and attitude over time, it offers additional functionalities:

The automated determination of survey line endings, an automated generation of cross-over statistics as well as basic cross-over network adjustment methods, the generation of gravity map images and many more.

- Determination of Gravity
- Easy to use by wizard guided setup configuration and processing
- Expert settings for experienced users
- Ultra fast processing at high accuracy - 5 sec processing per 1h measurement data
- Automated batch-processing capability
- Output: CSV, KML, NetCDF and more



## Technical Data

Input Data & Formats	Value
Inertial Data	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• iXCOM PostProcLog (directly generated by iCORUS and any other INS/GNSS system with iMAR's iNAT architecture)</li> <li>• ASCII / .csv</li> </ul>
Gravimetry	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• iXCOM GravLog (iCORUS family)</li> <li>• optional terrestrial gravity tie value at port/airport to obtain absolute gravity estimates</li> </ul>
GNSS Data	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• binary files from GNSS eng. of type MOSAIC (Septentrio™) or OEM77xx (NovAtel™), generated by iCORUS</li> <li>• RINEX 3.x (raw GNSS observations)</li> <li>• Waypoint™ GravNav™ ASCII files</li> </ul>
Output Data (excerpt)	Remark
Position	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• latitude / longitude / ellipsoidal height &amp; time</li> </ul>
Velocity	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• North-East-Down or body fixed</li> <li>• Front-Starboard-Down</li> </ul>
Attitude	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• roll / pitch / heading</li> <li>• 3x3 rotation matrix or quaternion</li> </ul>
Gravity	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Gravity, Gravity Disturbances (Gravity Gradiometry)</li> </ul>
Quick Look Data	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• even available without accessible RTK correction in the field</li> </ul>
Output File Formats	
ASCII / .csv	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• customizable format</li> </ul>
Binary	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• iXCOM format and Matlab™ format *)</li> </ul>
kml	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• GoogleEarth™ format</li> </ul>
NetCDF data	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• for integration with GMT</li> </ul>

\*) scripts for Matlab™ / Python and C++ SDK available

- accuracy < 1 mGal •
- 20 g turbulence resistance •
- wide temperature range •
- light-weight, low power •
- plug'n'play solution •
- no scheduled maintenance •



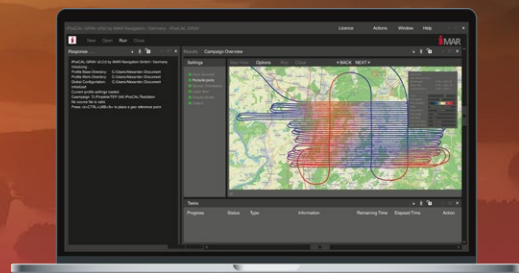
- powerful post-processing
- gradiometry processing
- ultra fast processing
- suitable for laptop and server
- open data interface
- interface to iCORUS family

## iCORUS-02



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## iPosCAL-GRAV



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