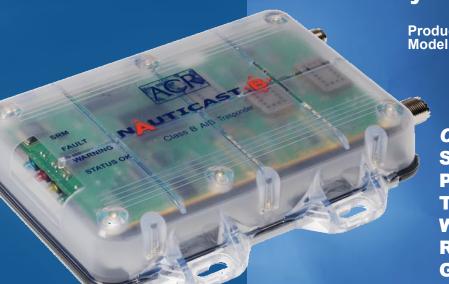
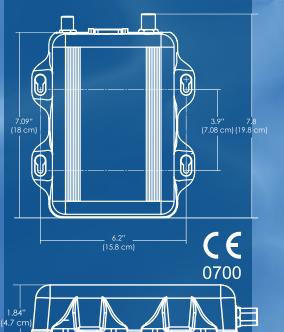


# Class B-Automatic Identification System Transponder



Product No.: 2680 Model No.: AIS-300

Class B Transponder
Small in Size
Plug and Play
Transmits and Receives
Water Resistant
Remote SRM Switch
GPS Receiver



The Nauticast-B transponder is a plug and play AIS solution. Enjoy the benefits of the AIS system knowing larger commercial vessels are aware of your position increasing your personal <u>safety while navigating</u> at sea.

Unlike receive only AIS devices which do not transmit vessel information to surrounding traffic, the Nauticast-B system allows you to virtually participate in neighboring vessels maneuvering activities for collision avoidance. Announce your identity, position, speed and course over ground to oncoming traffic allows for increased security that you will be seen in low visibility conditions.

Avoid not being seen because of extreme weather conditions or busy vessel traffic environments. Generate a safety distress message to surrounding AIS equipment, including vessels, base-stations, and possibly SAR teams. All in all, it is a horizon expanding experience; especially in combination with an electronic chart system.



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#### **FEATURES**

#### Size it Up!

The Nauticast's alluring measurements are 7.8 x 6.2 x 1.84" (18 x 15.8 x 4.7 cm). It's a lightweight at 13.2 oz. (375 g) and won't take up much space mounted under the dash. Position the Safety Switch on your console for easy access in case of an accident

Plug and Play

Inventive technology at its best! Three sockets suffice to connect power, sensors, and antennas; and initial transponder operation is up and running within minutes.

Plug & Play system includes: Class B AIS Transponder, GPS antennas, data/power cables and optional remote Safety Message switch

## **Safety Relate Message/Stealth**The remote SRM button saves the

precise coordinates of the incident and immediately generates safety distress message to surrounding vessels

Or configure the SRM switch to allow you to operate in stealth mode only, receiving AIS data and not sharing for added security to avoid being detected by pirating vessels.

Data cable directly interfaces with your chart plotter or laptop

**ACR AIS products undergo stringent** quality testing and with thousands of AIS transponders on the market, the Nauticast brand is a tried and tested system which has already gained substantial market penetration in this young market

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For over 50 years, ACR has built quality products knowing they are used to save lives. Please call or write for a complete catalogue of safety and survival products.

7.8 x 6.2 x 1.84" (18 x 15.8 x 4.7 cm) **Dimensions** 

Weight 13.2 oz. (375 g)

DC (9.6-15.6V). Average power consumption 4W. **Power** 

Peak current rating 2A.

**GPS** Receiver AIS Internal, IEC 61108-1 compliant

**Electrical Interfaces** RS232 38.4kBaud Bidirectional

VHF Antenna connector (UHF female bulkhead Connectors

connector)

GPS Antenna connector (TNC female bulkhead

connector)

Interface Cable 15 pin DSUB connector with 4 leads: Data-RS232;

Data-RS422; Remote switch; Power

Transmitter x1

Receiver x 2 (one receiver time shared between AIS

and DSC)

AIS1:161.975 MHz Frequency 156.025-162.025 MHz in 25kHz steps

AIS2: 162.025 MHz Frequency 156.025-162.025 MHz in 25kHz steps

2W (33dBm ± 1.5 dB)

**Channel Bandwidth** 25kHz **Channel Step** 25kHz

25 kHz GMSK (AIS, TX and RX) 25 kHz AFSK (DSC, RX only) **Modulation Modes** 

**Bit Rate** 9600 b/s  $\pm$  50 ppm (GMSK) 1200 b/s ± 30 ppm (FSK)

**RX Sensitivity** Sensitivity - 107 dBm 25kHz (message error rate

20%)

Co-channel 10dB

Adjacent Channel 70dB IMĎ 65dB **Blocking 84dB** 

IEC 60945, IP 67

**Indicators** 

-13° to 131°F (-25° to 55°C) **Operating Temperature** 

Power, TX timeout, status, pre-set SRM sent or

Silent Mode

**Operator Controls** Optional pre-set safety related message (SRM)

transmit button or Silent Mode (No transmit, user

configured)

