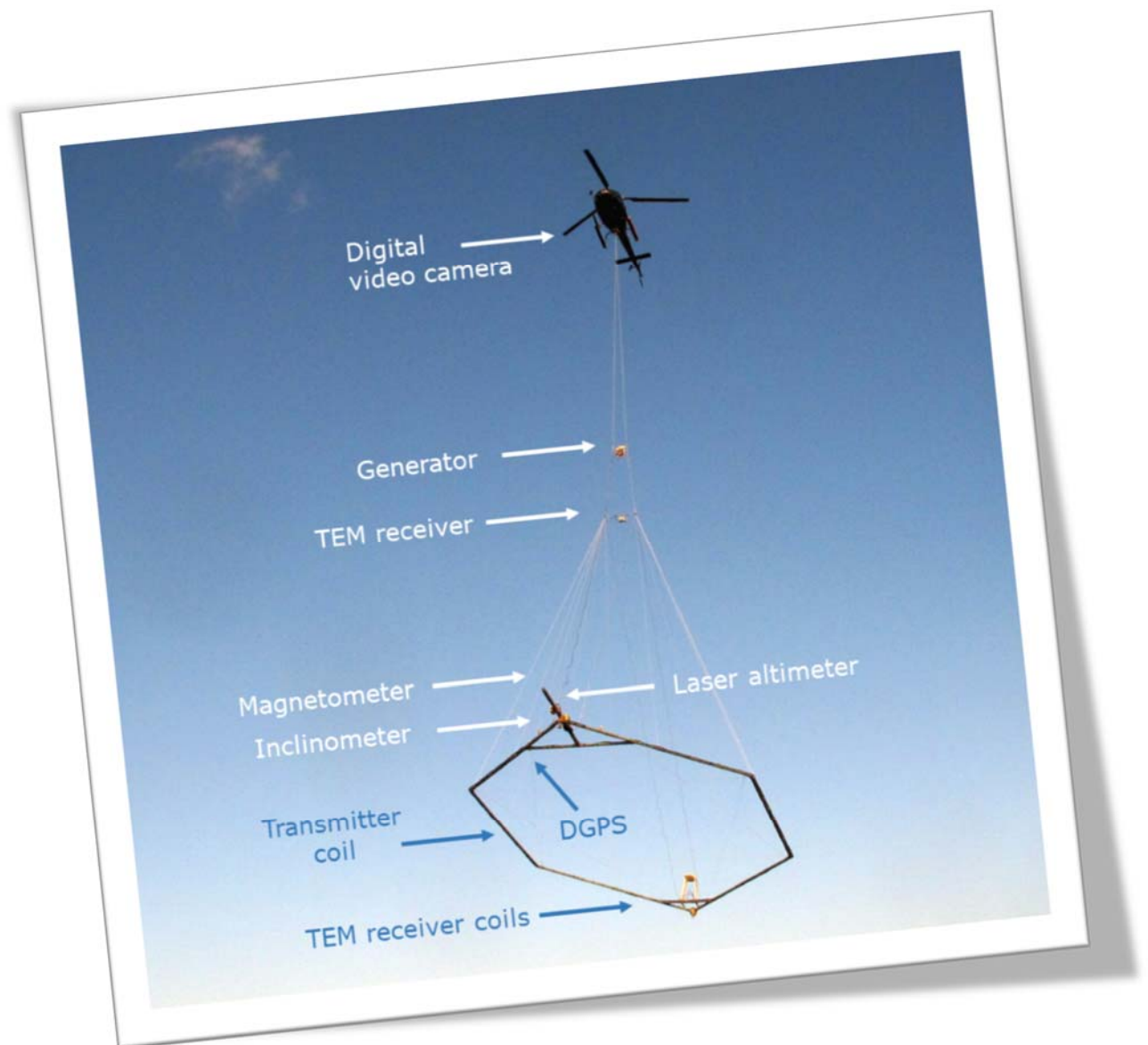


## Appendix A

### Specifications of the SkyTEM304 System 50 Hz



## General Specifications

|                                  |   |
|----------------------------------|---|
| Total weight                     | 550 kg  |
| Length carrier frame             | 28 m  |
| Width carrier frame              | 16.5 m  |
| Length tow cable                 | 35 m  |
| Carrier frame                    | Rigid aerodynamic composite   |
| Nominal terrain clearance        | 30 m above any obstacles or hazards *)  |
| Production speed on survey lines | 80-100 kph (optional fast flying up to 145 kph)                                     |
| Max airspeed ferry               | 120 kph   |
| Max wind speed                   | 10 m/s – if gusty wind or demanding terrain conditions the max wind will be reduced |
| Precipitation                    | Light precipitation can be accepted   |
| Operational temperature          | -30°C to +45°C  |

\*) Dependent on terrain, weather conditions and pilot discretion. The EM carrier frame can be adjusted so that the helicopter speed can be reduced to suit terrain conditions and the pilot's ability to drape fly.

## Transmitter

Electromagnetic system – SkyTEM Dual-Moment, Transient Electromagnetic (TEM) System.

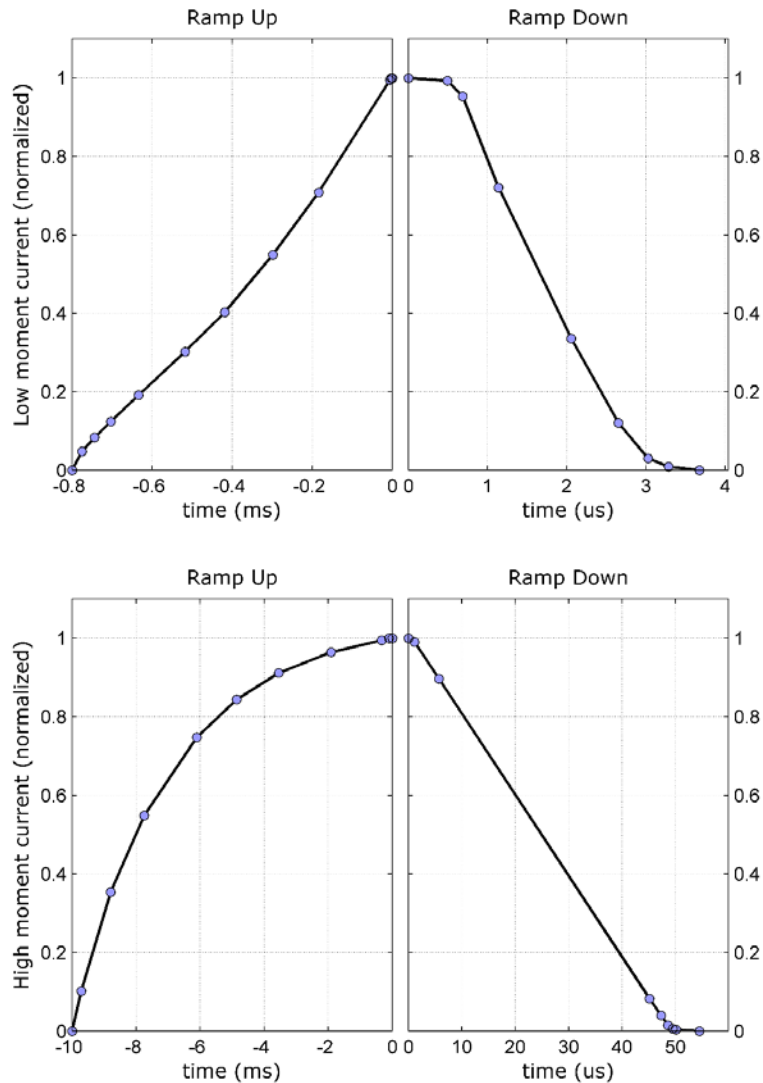
| Parameter                 | LM mode   | HM mode            |
|---------------------------|---|--------------------|
| No of transmitter turns   | 1   | 4                  |
| Transmitter area per turn | 341 m <sup>2</sup>  | 341 m <sup>2</sup> |
| Transmitter current       | ~9 Amp  | ~110 Amp *)        |
| Transmitter dipole        | Vertical  | Vertical           |
| Peak moment               | ~3,000 NIA  | Up to 150,000 NIA  |
| On time                   | 800 µs  | 10 ms              |
| Off time                  | 1018 µs   | 10 ms **)          |
| Rep. frequency            | 275 Hz  | 25 Hz              |
| Power supply              | External DC generator. Part of the sling load. Placed at an appropriate distance from the TEM receiver and transmitter system to avoid noise and data bias effects. |                    |

\*) The current is dependent on the outdoor temperature. The current will be reduced as the temperature goes up.

\*\*) The system has customizable on times and repetition frequencies for both LM and HM modes. These parameters can be modified while the survey is taking place.

## Waveforms

The figures below show the normalized waveforms for the low and high moment transmitter modes measured on the ground. Only the positive waveform is shown as the positive and negative waveforms are fully symmetrical. Note the significant difference in time scale between the Ramp Up (ms) and Ramp Down ( $\mu$ s) figure panels.



## TEM receiver system

|                          |  |
|--------------------------|--|
| Common coil features     | Shielded, optimally damped, multi-turn air cored loops, sensitive to dB/dt |
| Z coil frequency         | 210 kHz  |
| X coil frequency         | 250 kHz  |
| Effective area of Z coil | 105 m <sup>2</sup>   |
| Effective area of X coil | 115 m <sup>2</sup>   |
| TEM receiver bandwidth   | 300 kHz (customizable)   |

## TEM gate times

The low moment and high moment signals are recorded using time gate averaging. The gate center times and gate averaging widths are shown in the tables below.

The gate center times refer to the end of the current ramp down for both moments. The high moment current ramp down is essentially linear and has a duration of approximately 50  $\mu\text{s}$ . The shape of the low moment current ramp down is more complicated. We define its duration to be that of the equivalent linear ramp down having the same area. The equivalent linear ramp down has a duration of approximately 3.2  $\mu\text{s}$ .

| Low moment                         |                              | High moment                        |                              |
|------------------------------------|------------------------------|------------------------------------|------------------------------|
| Gate center time ( $\mu\text{s}$ ) | Gate width ( $\mu\text{s}$ ) | Gate center time ( $\mu\text{s}$ ) | Gate width ( $\mu\text{s}$ ) |
| 5.0                                | 1.6                          | 70.2                               | 15.6                         |
| 7.0                                | 1.6                          | 88.2                               | 19.6                         |
| 9.0                                | 1.6                          | 110.7                              | 24.6                         |
| 11.5                               | 2.6                          | 138.7                              | 30.6                         |
| 15.0                               | 3.6                          | 174.2                              | 39.6                         |
| 19.5                               | 4.6                          | 219.7                              | 50.6                         |
| 25.0                               | 5.6                          | 276.7                              | 62.6                         |
| 32.0                               | 7.6                          | 348.7                              | 80.6                         |
| 41.0                               | 9.6                          | 439.7                              | 100.6                        |
| 52.5                               | 12.6                         | 553.7                              | 126.6                        |
| 67.0                               | 15.6                         | 697.7                              | 160.6                        |
| 85.0                               | 19.6                         | 879.2                              | 201.6                        |
| 107.5                              | 24.6                         | 1107.7                             | 254.6                        |
| 135.5                              | 30.6                         | 1396.2                             | 321.6                        |
| 171.0                              | 39.6                         | 1760.2                             | 405.6                        |
| 216.5                              | 50.6                         | 2218.7                             | 510.6                        |
| 273.5                              | 62.6                         | 2796.7                             | 644.6                        |
| 345.5                              | 80.6                         | 3525.7                             | 812.6                        |
| 436.5                              | 100.6                        | 4444.7                             | 1024.6                       |
| 550.5                              | 126.6                        | 5603.2                             | 1291.6                       |
| 694.5                              | 160.6                        | 7063.2                             | 1627.6                       |
| 876.0                              | 201.6                        | 8904.2                             | 2053.6                       |

The above gate time tables relate to the specific repetition rates shown in the Transmitter section. Repetition rates and gate timings are fully customizable and can be readily adapted to specific customer requirements.