# **AMY-6M**

## Small, low-cost u-blox 6 GPS module

#### **Highlights**

- Smallest GPS module
- No host integration required
- Basic GPS functionality for cost-sensitive applications
- Operates at 1.8 V and 3.0 V



#### **Features**

- u-blox 6 position engine:
  - o Navigate down to -159 dBm and -146 dBm coldstart
  - o Faster acquisition with AssistNow Autonomous
  - o Hybrid GPS/SBAS engine (WAAS, EGNOS, MSAS)
  - o Anti-jamming technology
- Simple integration with u-blox wireless modules
- A-GPS: AssistNow Online and AssistNow Offline services, OMA SUPL compliant
- Backward compatible (hardware and firmware); easy migration from AMY-5M
- LGA package for cost effective manufacturing

### **Product description**

AMY-6M is the world's smallest standalone GPS module dedicated to consumer applications. It has been specifically developed to provide basic GPS functionality required by high-volume, portable products. It is a fully integrated, autonomous GPS solution requiring no host integration resulting in fast time-to-market.

AMY-6M offers four different serial interfaces. This module features an integrated GPS crystal, providing fast acquisition and excellent tracking performance at a competitive price. In addition, AMY-6M can be assembled on a 2-layer PCB, which saves production costs. AMY-6M is so small that it can be integrated into the smallest portable devices. Advanced interference suppression mechanisms and innovative RF architecture ensure maximum performance even in hostile signal environments.

#### **Product selector**

Model	Туре				Supply		Interfaces				Features						
	Standalone GPS	Standalone GLONASS	Timing & Raw Data	Dead Reckoning	1.75 V – 2.0 V	2.7 V – 3.6 V	UART	USB	SPI	DDC (I²C compliant)	Programmable (Flash) FW update	Oscillator	RTC crystal	Antenna supply and supervisor	Configuration pins	Timepulse	External interrupt / Wakeup
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• = requires external components

C = Crystal



#### Receiver performance data

Receiver type 50-channel u-blox 6 engine

GPS L1 C/A code

SBAS: WAAS, EGNOS, MSAS

Navigation update rate up to 5 Hz

Accuracy<sup>1</sup> Position 2.5 m CEP SBAS 2.0 m CEP

Cold starts: 27 s

> Aided starts<sup>2</sup>: 4 s Hot starts: 1 s

-159 dBm Sensitivity<sup>3</sup> Tracking: -147 dBm Cold starts:

Hot starts: -156 dBm

<sup>1</sup> All SV @ –130 dBm

Acquisition1

Dependent on aiding data connection speed and latency
Demonstrated with a good active antenna

#### **Package**

50 pin LGA: 8.0 x 6.5 x 1.1 mm, 0.14 g

#### Environmental data, quality & reliability

–40° C to 85° C Operating temp. –40° C to 85° C Storage temp.

RoHS compliant (lead-free)

#### **Electrical data**

1.75 V - 2.0 V Power supply 2.5 V - 3.6 V

Power consumption<sup>4</sup> 67 mW @ 1.8 V (Eco Mode)

1.4 V – 3.6 V, 22 μA Backup power 32.768 kHz (optional) RTC input Internal clock 26.0 MHz crystal

Antenna supervision Short and open circuit detection

supported with external circuit

Supported antennas Active and passive with LNA

4 Based on FW 7

## **Support products**

u-blox 6 Evaluation Kits:

Easy-to-use kits to get familiar with u-blox 6 positioning technology, evaluate functionality, and visualize GPS performance.

EVK-6A: u-blox 6 Evaluation Kit for AMY-6M

For ordering information contact u-blox.

#### Ordering information

AMY-6M-0 u-blox 6 GPS Module, 8.0 x 6.5 mm,

2000 pcs/reel

Available as samples and tape on reel

#### **Interfaces**

Serial interfaces 1 UART

1 USB V2.0 full speed 12 Mbit/s

1 DDC (I<sup>2</sup>C compliant)

1 SPI

Digital I/O Configurable timepulse

2 EXTINT interrupt inputs for Wakeup

2 configuration pins

Serial and I/O Voltages 2.7 V - 3.6 V

1.75 V - 2.0 V

Protocols NMEA, UBX binary

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Specification applies to FW 7

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