



Note: HMS814 featured above shown with the PC2420 Hand-Held Terminal

HMS814 / HMS816 Portable Reader/Writers

Features

- Epoxy Encapsulated
- Unaffected by Paint, Dust, Dirt and Solvents
- Uses Safe, Reliable, Low-Frequency Radio Waves
- Passive Tag Requires No Batteries
- Automatic Program Start-up

Applications

- Material Handling
- Sortation Systems
- Work-in-Progress Monitoring
- Quality Control

Use With

- HMS-Series Tags

EMS, a Datalogic Group Company, is the field-proven leader in the development and application of Radio Frequency Identification (RFID) Tags/Labels/PCBs, Antennas, Controllers and network interface modules for tough industrial environments. With over a dozen years of RFID successes in the automotive, electronics, material handling and food processing industries, EMS has built a global reputation in providing customers with complete supply chain solutions – from production to retail EMS has the complete solution!

EMS has recently teamed up with Intermec to launch an exciting new product line of Portable Reader/Writers. Escort Memory Systems' Read/Write Antenna, the HMS814, can be plugged into Intermec's PC2420-Series Hand-Held Terminals (PC2420 and PC2425) to provide portable Read/Write capabilities. For added flexibility, Escort Memory Systems also offers the HMS816 Reader/Writer, which provides a direct host interface (e.g. laptop, palmtop).

The HMS814 Portable Reader/Writer is a fully encapsulated wand housed in an industrial enclosure and has a cushioned exterior for comfort and shock resistance. The HMS814 plugs into the Intermec Hand-Held Terminal to allow for portable Reading and Writing to the HMS-Series Tags. The HMS814 is powered by the Terminal.

The HMS816 Portable Reader/Writer is unique from the HMS814 in that it interfaces to the host (e.g. laptop, palmtop) via an RS232 serial port. The HMS816 uses an

external power supply, and it features the same rugged characteristics of the HMS814. Included with the HMS816 Reader/Writer is a complete user software guide and a disk with demonstration programs.

Intermec offers two Terminals to interface with Escort Memory Systems' Reader/Writers – the PC2420 and the PC2425. The PC2420 is a powerful micro-computer which features a CGA compatible back-lit LCD displaying 16 lines of 20 characters per line. The PC2420 also has a full alpha-numeric keypad, long battery life, and a rugged design suitable for use in industrial environments. The PC2425 Terminal shares all the above characteristics as the PC2420 but also provides the added benefit of an RF link to the host.

**PASSIVE
READER/
WRITER
IS NOW
PORTABLE**

Technical Description

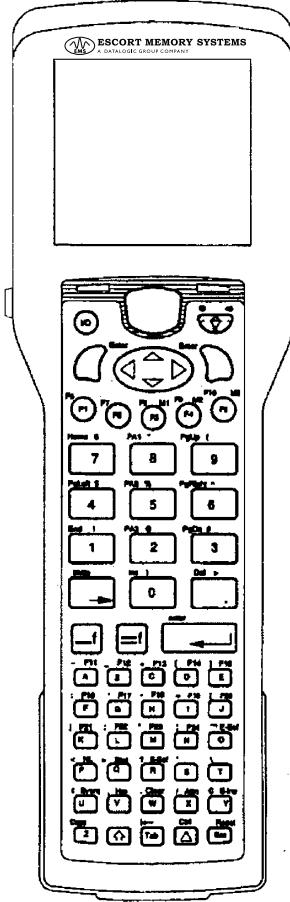
The HMS814 / HMS816 Portable Reader/Writers contains its own microprocessor and memory subsystems to manage communication with the HMS-Series Tags. Communication between the PC2420 (or PC2425) Terminal and the HMS814 is in serial asynchronous form. The RF communications with the Tag is on the internationally recognized ISM frequency of 13.56 MHz.

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PC2420-Series Hand-Held Terminals

Electrical	Supply Voltage Memory Backup	Lithium Ion Battery Pack Rechargeable NiCad Battery Pack
	RAM Memory	1 MB Total, 512KB Available
	Extended Memory	2MB SRAM
Mechanical Specifications	Dimensions (W x H x D) Weight	10.6 x 3.2 x 2.8in. (269 x 82 x 71mm) 22oz. (620g) Including Battery
Environment	Operating Temperature Storage Temperature Humidity	-4° to 122°F (-20° to 50°C) -4° to 140°F (-20° to 60°C) 95% Non-Condensing
Display	CGA Compatible Backlit LCD Displaying 16 Lines of 20 Characters Per Line (160 x 128 Dot Matrix) Plus Graphic Status Icons Full 25 x 80 Virtual Screen with Viewporting	
Keyboard	Elastomeric 56-key with Full Alphanumeric Set, Function Keys and Oversized Numeric. Options for U.S. and Multilingual European	

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HMS814 Portable Reader/Writer

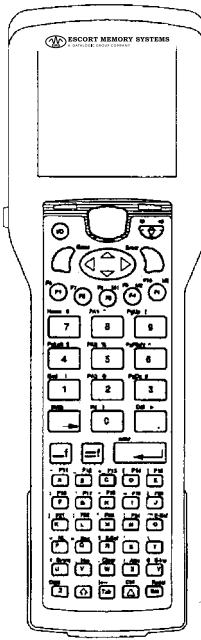
Electrical	Supply Voltage Current	7.2VDC 100mA Continuous 400mA Peak
RF Interface	Data Transfer Rate Error Detection Antenna Type	1000 Bytes/Second CRC and Parity Check Internal
Interface	Serial Host Interface Baud Rate Connector	TTL 9600 RJ45 - 10 Pin for PC2420
Mechanical Specifications	Cable Length Antenna Body (L x W)	6ft. (2m) 8.25 x 1.22in. (210 x 31mm)
Environment	Operating Temperature Storage Temperature Humidity Protection Class	32° to 140°F (0° to 60°C) -4° to 158°F (-20° to 70°C) 95% Non-Condensing NEMA 4 (IP66)

HMS816 Portable Reader/Writer

Electrical	Supply Voltage Current	12VDC 100mA Continuous 400mA Peak
Interface	Serial Host Interface Baud Rates Connector	RS232 9600, 19200 DE9S with DC Power Jack
Mechanical Specifications	Cable Length Antenna Body (L x W)	6ft. (2m) 8.25 x 1.22in. (210 x 31mm)
Environment	Operating Temperature Storage Temperature Humidity Protection Class	32° to 140°F (0° to 60°C) -4° to 158°F (-20° to 70°C) 95% Non-Condensing NEMA 4 (IP66)

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Mechanical Dimensions



Read/Write Ranges

HMS814 / HMS816 Portable Reader/Writers

Reading & Writing Ranges with HMS100-Series Passive Read/Write Tags

	HMS108	HMS112	HMS125(HT)	HMS150(HT)
Typical Range (Y) (inches/mm)*	0.28/7	0.35/9	0.63/16	0.59/15
Guaranteed Operating Range (X)	0.24/6	0.28/7	0.51/13	0.47/12

* Proximity to metal, CRT devices and other sources of electromagnetic radiation may affect the range of the Antenna.

Available Models

Model	Description
HMS814	Portable RF Reader/Writer
HMS816	Portable RF Reader/Writer with RS232 Interface
HMS814 J003	Kit Includes: HMS814 Reader/Writer, PC2420 Hand-Held Terminal 00-1099 Battery and 00-1102 Battery Charger

(Note: HMS814 will require a Hand-Held Terminal, a Battery and Battery Charger. See Accessories below.)

Accessories – PC2420

Model	Description
PC2420	Hand-Held PC Terminal
PC2425	Hand-Held PC Terminal with RF Link
00-1099	Battery, PC2420 7.2V, 1350mAh
*00-1100	Comm. Dock/Charger, PC2420 (Note: Requires CBL-1443 or CBL-1444 Cables and 00-1101 Power Supply)
*00-1101	Power Supply for 00-1100
00-1102	Battery Charger for Two Batteries 00-1099
*00-1111	Software Microsoft Visual C++ V1.52
00-1112	Hand Strap for PC2420 and PC2425
*00-1113	Software Development Kit PC2420 (Note: Requires Visual C/C++ V1.0 or V1.5X or V4.X)
*CBL-1443	RS232 Cable, DE9S to DE9S, Null Modem, 5-Wire
*CBL-1444	RS232 Cable, DE9S to DB25P, Null Modem, 3-Wire
17-1265	Manual, PC2420/25

* Recommended Accessories for Development of Custom PC2420 Applications.



Passive Read/Write Radio Frequency Identification (RFID)

Typical & Guaranteed Read/Write Ranges

(inches/mm)*

Readers/Writers	Tags			
	HMS108	HMS112	HMS125(HT)	HMS150(HT)
HMS800	Typ. Guar.	** **	** **	1.10/28 0.87/22
HMS805	Typ. Guar.	0.43/11 0.35/9	0.67/17 0.55/14	1.14/29 0.91/23
HMS810	Typ. Guar.	** **	** **	1.10/28 0.87/22
HMS815	Typ. Guar.	0.43/11 0.35/9	0.67/17 0.55/14	1.14/29 0.91/23
HMS814	Typ. Guar.	0.28/7 0.24/6	0.35/9 0.28/7	0.63/16 0.51/13
HMS816	Typ. Guar.	0.28/7 0.24/6	0.35/9 0.28/7	0.63/16 0.51/13
HMS820	Typ. Guar.	** **	** **	1.10/28 0.87/22
HMS820-05	Typ. Guar.	0.39/10 0.31/8	0.59/15 0.47/12	0.91/23 0.70/18
HMS820-04	Typ. Guar.	** **	** **	0.71/18 0.55/14
HMS830-04	Typ. Guar.	** **	** **	0.71/18 0.55/14
HMS820-08	Typ. Guar.	** **	** **	1.18/30 0.94/24
HMS830-08	Typ. Guar.	** **	** **	1.18/30 0.94/24
HMS830	Typ. Guar.	** **	** **	1.10/28 0.87/22
HMS830-05	Typ. Guar.	0.39/10 0.31/8	0.59/15 0.47/12	0.91/23 0.70/18
HMS827-Vert.	Typ. Guar.	0.43/11 0.35/9	0.67/17 0.55/14	1.18/30 0.94/24
HMS827-Horiz.	Typ. Guar.	0.39/10 0.31/8	0.55/14 0.43/11	0.98/25 0.79/20
HMS827-03	Typ. Guar.	0.35/9 0.28/7	0.47/12 0.39/10	0.79/20 0.63/16
HMS827-04	Typ. Guar.	** **	** **	0.71/18 0.55/14
HMS827-06	Typ. Guar.	0.47/12 0.39/10	0.59/15 0.47/12	1.06/27 0.87/22

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** Not recommended