R-GAGE® Q130RA Sensor



Quick Start Guide

Radar-Based Sensors for Detection of Moving and Stationary Targets

This guide is designed to help you set up and install the Q130RA. For complete information on programming, performance, troubleshooting, dimensions, and accessories, please refer to the Instruction Manual at www.bannerengineering.com. Search for p/n 208831 to view the Instruction Manual. Use of this document assumes familiarity with pertinent industry standards and practices.



WARNING:

- Do not use this device for personnel protection
- Using this device for personnel protection could result in serious injury or death.
- This device does not include the self-checking redundant circuitry necessary to allow its use in personnel safety applications. A device failure or malfunction can cause either an energized (on) or de-energized (off) output condition.

Features and Indicators



	LED	Color	Description
1	Power	Green	Power ON
2	Signal Strength	Red	Flashes in proportion to the signal strength
3	Output 1	Amber	Output energized
4	Output 2	Amber	Output energized

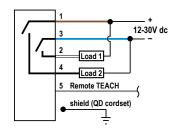
Figure 1. R-GAGE Features

Installation Instructions

Mount the Device

- 1. If a bracket is needed, mount the device onto the bracket.
- 2. Mount the device (or the device and the bracket) to the machine or equipment at the desired location. Do not tighten the mounting screws at
- 3. Check the device alignment.
 - This is done via the red Signal Strength LED or the Banner Radar Configuration Software.
- 4. Tighten the mounting screws to secure the device (or the device and the bracket) in the aligned position.

Wiring



Key:

- 1 = Brown 2 = White
- 3 = Blue4 = Black
- 5 = Gray (Connect for use with remote input)

Note: Banner recommends that the shield wire (quick-disconnect cordsets only) be connected to earth ground or dc common. Shielded cordsets are recommended for all quick-disconnect models.



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Install the Software

Operating System

Microsoft® Windows® operating system version 10¹

Hard Drive Space

Third-Party Software NET version 4.6.2 or higher

USB Port

Available USB port



Important: Administrative rights are required to install the Banner Radar Configuration software.

- 1. Download the latest version of the software from www.bannerengineering.com/us/en/products/sensors/software/radar-configuration.html.
- 2. Navigate to and open the downloaded file.
- 3. Click Install to begin the installation process.
- 4. Depending on your system settings, a popup window may appear prompting to allow Banner Radar Configuration to make changes to your computer. Click Yes.
- 5. Click Close to exit the installer.

Getting Started

Power up the sensor, and verify that the power LED is ON green.

Connect to the Sensor

- 1. Connect the sensor to the Pro Converter Cable.
- 2. Connect the Pro Converter Cable to the PC.
- 3. Open the Banner Radar Configuration Software.
- 4. Go to Sensor > Connect on the Navigation toolbar.

The Connection screen displays.

- 5. Select the correct Sensor Model and Com Port for the sensor.
- 6. Click Connect.

A message displays confirming the connection to the sensor.

7. Click OK.

The Connection screen closes and the sensor data displays.

Specifications

Range
The sensor is able to detect a proper object (see Detectable Objects) at the following ranges, depending on the target:

9076 models: 1 m to 24 m (3.3 ft to 78.7 ft)

2450 models: 1 m to 40 m (3.3 ft to 131.2 ft)

Detectable Objects

Objects containing metal, water, or similar high-dielectric materials

Operating Principle

Frequency modulated continuous-wave (FMCW) radar

Operating Frequency 24.050-24.250 GHz, ISM Band

Maximum Output Power

ERP: 3.3 mW, 5 dBm EIRP: 100 mW, 20 dBm

Supply Voltage (Vcc)

12 V dc to 30 V dc

Power and Current Consumption, exclusive of load

Normal Run Mode: 1.2 W, Current consumption < 50 mA at 24 V dc

Supply Protection Circuitry
Protected against reverse polarity and transient overvoltages

Delay at Power-up

3 seconds

Output Configuration

Bipolar NPN/PNP output Load 1 on pin 2 (white wire) = NPN Load 2 on pin 4 (black wire) = PNP

Output Ratings

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50 mA maximum capability each output
Saturation: < 3.5 V at 50 mA
Off-state leakage current:

Outputs specifications per configuration				
PNP	Output High	≥ Vsupply - 2.5 V		
FINE	Output Low	≤ 2.5 V (loads ≤ 70 kΩ)		
NPN	Output High	≥ Vsupply - 2.5 V (loads ≤ 70 kΩ)		
INFIN	Output Low	≤ 2.5 V		

Output Protection

rotected against short circuit conditions

Response Time

Software selectable:

50 ms ON/50 ms OFF 100 ms ON/100 ms OFF

50 ms ON/500 ms OFF

50 ms ON/1000 ms OFF

Indicators

Signal Strength LED: Green (power ON)
Signal Strength LED: Red, flashes in proportion to signal strength. Steady on at 4x excess gain. Only indicates signal amplitude, not target distance.
Output LEDs: Amber (output energized)

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Construction
Housing: ABS/polycarbonate
QD Connector: Stainless steel
Mounting Threads: Stainless steel

All models meet IEC 60947-5-2 (Vibration: 10 Hz to 55 Hz; 1 mm peak-to-peak amplitude; 5 minute duration; 30 minutes in each of the three axes at resonant frequency or at 55 Hz)

Shock

All models meet IEC 60947-5-2 (Shock: 30G peak acceleration, 11 ms pulse duration, half sine wave pulse shape)

Operating Temperature -40 °C to +65 °C (-40 °F to +149 °F)

Environmental Rating

Connections

Integral 5-pin M12/Euro-style quick disconnect. Models with a quick disconnect require a mating cordset

Certifications





UL Environmental Rating: Type 1

ETSI/EN 300 440 FCC ID: UE3RGAGE1XX for others, contact Banner Engineering Country of Origin: USA

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Beam Patterns



Note: The effective beam pattern depends on the signal strength threshold and the properties of the target.

50 m

Model -2450

20 m

10 m

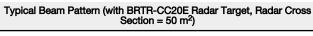
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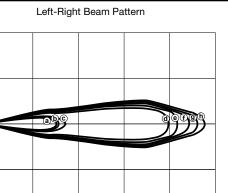
-10 m

-20 m

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10 m

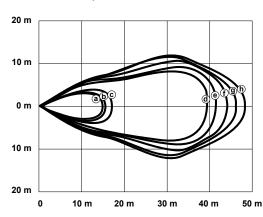




30 m

Up-Down Beam Pattern

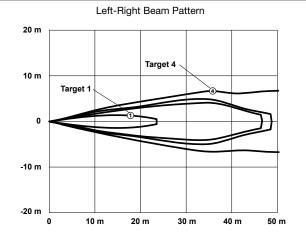
20 m



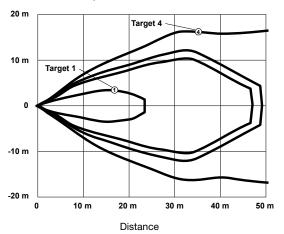
Distance

Beam Pattern	Signal Strength Threshold
а	7.50
b	6.50
С	5.00
d	2.00
е	1.50
f	1.25
g	1.13
h	1.00

Typical Beam Pattern (with 4 different targets) with Signal Strength Threshold = 1



Up-Down Beam Pattern



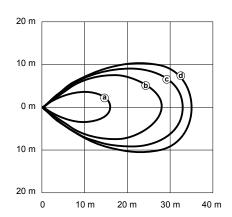
- 1: Weak Object (Radar cross section = 0.25 m²)
 2: Car (Radar cross section = 3 m²)
 3: Large Truck (Radar cross section = 50 m²)
 4: Passenger Train (Radar cross section = 300 m²)

Model -9076

Typical Beam Pattern (with BRTR-CC20E Radar Target, Radar Cross Section = 50 m²)

Typical Beam Pattern (with 4 different targets) with Signal Strength Threshold = 1

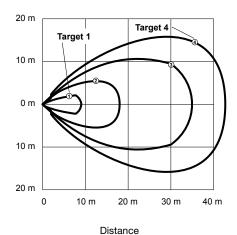




Distance

Beam Pattern	Signal Strength Threshold
а	4.50
b	1.75
С	1.25
d	1.00

Left-Right Beam Pattern



1: Weak Object (Radar cross section = 0.25 m²)

2: Car (Radar cross section = 3 m²) 3: Large Truck (Radar cross section = 50 m²)

4: Passenger Train (Radar cross section = 300 m²)

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This device complies with part 15 of the FCC Rules and CAN ICES-3 (B)/NMB-3(B). Operation is subject to the following two conditions:

- This device may not cause harmful interference, and
- 2. This device must accept any interference received, including interference that may cause undesired operation.

This equipment has been tested and found to comply with the limits for a Class B digital device, pursuant to part 15 of the FCC Rules and CAN ICES-3 (B)/NMB-3(B). These limits are designed to provide reasonable protection against harmful interference in reasonable protection against harmful interference in reasonable protection against harmful interference in reasonable protections, may cause harmful interference to radio communications. However, there is no guarantee that interference will not occur in a particular installation. If this equipment does cause harmful interference to radio communications, thouse on the interference to radio communications. However, there is no guarantee that interference will not occur in a particular installation. If this equipment does cause harmful interference to radio or television reception, which can be determined by turning the equipment off and on, the user is encouraged to try to correct the interference by one or more of the following measures:

- Recrient or relocate the receiving antenna.

 Increase the separation between the equipment and receiver.

 Connect the equipment into an outlet on a circuit different from that to which the receiver is connected.

 Consult the manufacturer.

