

Q45DD and Q45LPD All-in-One D-Cell Photoelectric Sensor Node



Features

Sure Cross® Wireless Q45 Sensors combine the best of Banner's flexible sensor family with its reliable, field-proven, Sure Cross wireless architecture to solve new classes of applications limited only by the user's imagination. Containing a variety of sensor models, a radio, and an internal battery supply, this product line is truly plug-and-play.

The Q45 All-in-One D-cell Photoelectric Sensor Nodes are compact, industrial, battery-powered photoelectric sensors that can be used to wirelessly transmit presence/absence inputs and a totalized count to a wireless Gateway/Controller. The Photoelectric Sensor Nodes come in two sensing modes: Diffuse and Retroreflective.

- Diffuse mode All-in-One Sensor Nodes detect an object when it reflects the sensor's transmitted light energy back to the sensor without the need for a reflector.
- Retroreflective mode All-in-One Sensor Nodes require a reflector and detect an object when the reflected light energy is blocked.

Benefits

- Powerful device that delivers factory automation and IIoT solutions for many applications including but not limited to:
 - Presence/absence
 - Pallet completion
 - Asynchronous counter totalizing up to 960 parts/minute
 - Part rate monitoring and Overall Equipment Effectiveness (OEE)
 - Machine status monitoring (jams, diverts, etc.) and cycle count
 - Rotational speed
- **Easy installation**—Battery-powered for peel-and-stick functionality with a four-year battery life capability; no need for power or control wires
- **Reduce complexity**—Machine or process reconfiguration made easier; great for retrofit applications and remote locations where implementing a wired solution would be difficult, impractical, or cost-prohibitive

Q45DD



- Combines a diffuse-mode or retroreflective-mode photoelectric sensor, a wireless Node, and an internal battery to make it easy to install
- DIP switches for user configuration
- Diagnostics allow user-defined output settings in the unlikely event of a lost radio signal
- Frequency Hopping Spread Spectrum (FHSS) technology ensures reliable data delivery
- Selectable transmit power levels of 250 mW or 500 mW for 900 MHz models and 65 mW for 2.4 GHz models

Q45LPD



Models

Models	Frequency	Sensing Mode	Sensing Range
DX80N2Q45DD NB (ships without a battery)	2.4 GHz ISM Band	Diffuse	300 mm (12 in)
DX80N9Q45DD	900 MHz ISM Band		
DX80N9Q45DD NB (ships without a battery)			
DX80N9Q45LPD		Retroreflective	0.15 m (6 in) to 6 m (20 ft) ⁽¹⁾
DX80N9Q45LPD NB (ships without a battery)			

If you purchase a model without the battery, Banner Engineering recommends battery model **BWA-BATT-011**.

The following models are no longer available for order, but are still covered by the information in this document.

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Storage Mode

While in **storage mode**, the device's radio does not operate to conserve the battery. To put any device into storage mode, press and hold the binding button for five seconds. The device is in storage mode when the LEDs stop blinking. To wake the device, press and hold the binding button (inside the housing on the radio board) for five seconds.

Configuration Instructions

Binding Button and LEDs

1. Binding button
2. Amber LED (left LED) for Alignment or Test Mode. Indicates sensor function (optical sensor models). The amber LED is not used during normal operation.
3. Green LED (middle LED) (flashing) indicates a good radio link with the Gateway.
4. Red LED (right LED) (flashing) indicates a radio link error with the Gateway.
5. Excess gain potentiometer. Turn clockwise to increase the gain.
6. DIP switches



DIP Switches

The DIP switches are in the OFF position, by default. To turn a DIP switch on, push the switch toward the battery pack. DIP switches one through four are numbered from left to right.

After making any changes to any DIP switch position, reboot the Q45 by triple-clicking the binding button, waiting a second, then double-clicking the binding button.

The factory default sample rate is 62.5 ms with change of state reporting.

Settings	DIP Switch			
	1	2	3	4
900 MHz Transmit Power Level: 500 mW (27 dBm) (default)	OFF *			
900 MHz Transmit Power Level: 250 mW (24 dBm) (DX80 Compatibility Mode)	ON			
No Counter, 62.5 ms Sample Rate/Change of State Reporting (default)		OFF *	OFF *	OFF *
Counter Enabled, 62.5 ms Sample Rate/60 s Report Rate		OFF	OFF	ON
Counter Enabled, 62.5 ms Sample Rate/User-Defined Report Rate		OFF	ON	OFF
Counter Enabled, 31.25 ms Sample Rate/60 s Report Rate		OFF	ON	ON
Counter Enabled, 31.25 ms Sample Rate/User-Defined Report Rate		ON	OFF	OFF
Counter Enabled, 62.5 ms Sample Rate/60 s Report Rate and Change of State Reporting on Sensor IN 1		ON	OFF	ON
Counter Enabled, 62.5 ms Sample Rate/User-defined Report Rate and Change of State Reporting on Sensor IN 1		ON	ON	OFF
Software Configured (User-Defined)		ON	ON	ON

For user-defined (configured using the DX80 Performance Configuration Software) DIP switch selections, the counter's report rate is defined by the report rate of Sensor IN 1 and can be modified for a custom report rate.

Transmit Power Levels

The 900 MHz radios have a high output option that will transmit at 500 mW (27 dBm). The low output option transmits at 250 mW (24 dBm). The 250 mW mode reduces the radio's range but improves the battery life in short-range applications. For 2.4 GHz models, this DIP switch is disabled. The transmit power for 2.4 GHz is fixed at about 65 mW EIRP (18 dBm).

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Sample and Report Rates

The sample interval, or rate, defines how often the Sure Cross device samples the input. For battery-powered applications, setting a slower rate extends the battery life.

The report rate defines how often the Node communicates the I/O status to the Gateway. For battery-powered applications, setting the report rate to a slower rate extends the battery life.

Apply Power to the Q45 D-Cell Models

Follow these instructions to install or replace the lithium D-cell batteries.

CAUTION:



- **As with all batteries, these are fire, explosion, and severe burn hazards. There is a risk of explosion if the battery is replaced incorrectly.**
- Do not burn or expose them to high temperatures. Do not recharge, crush, disassemble, or expose the contents to water.
- Verify the battery's positive and negative terminals align to the positive and negative terminals of the battery holder mounted within the case.
- Properly dispose of used batteries according to local regulations by taking them to a hazardous waste collection site, an e-waste disposal center, or another facility qualified to accept lithium batteries.



1. Loosen the clamp plate with a small Phillips screwdriver and lift the cover.
2. Use the black pull wire to pull the battery board out of the Q45 housing.
3. If applicable, remove the discharged battery.
4. Install the new battery. Use Banner's **BWA-BATT-011** replacement battery or an equivalent 3.6 V D-cell lithium battery, such as Xeno's XL-205F.
5. Verify the battery's positive and negative terminals align to the positive and negative terminals of the battery holder mounted within the case.
6. Slide the board containing the new battery back into the Q45 housing.
7. Close the cover and gently tighten the clamp plate with the small Phillips screwdriver.

Bind to the Gateway and Assign the Node Address

Before beginning the binding procedure, apply power to all the devices. Separate the devices by two meters when running the binding procedure. Put only one Gateway into binding at a time to prevent binding to the wrong Gateway.

1. On the Gateway: Enter binding mode.
 - For housed DX80 Gateways, triple-click button 2 on the Gateway. Both LEDs flash red.
 - For Gateway board modules, triple-click the button. The green and red LED flashes.
2. Assign the Q45 a Node address using the Gateway's rotary dials. Use the left rotary dial for the left digit and the right rotary dial for the right digit. For example, to assign your Q45 to Node 10, set the Gateway's left dial to 1 and the right dial to 0. Valid Node addresses are 01 through 47.
3. On the Q45: Loosen the clamp plate on the top of the Q45 and lift the cover.
4. Enter binding mode on the Q45 by triple-clicking the Q45's button.

The red and green LEDs flash alternately and the sensor searches for a Gateway in binding mode. After the Q45 is bound, the LEDs stay solid momentarily, then they flash together four times. The Q45 exits binding mode.
5. Label the sensor with the Q45's Node address number for future reference.
6. Repeat steps 2 through 5 for as many Q45s as are needed for your network.
7. On the Gateway: After binding all Q45s, exit binding mode.
 - For housed DX80 Gateways, double-click button 2.
 - For board-level DX80 Gateways, double-click the button.

For Gateways with single-line LCDs: After binding your Q45 to the Gateway, make note of the binding code displayed under the Gateway's *DVCFG menu, XADR submenu on the LCD. Knowing the binding code prevents having to re-bind all Q45s if your Gateway is ever replaced.

Holding Registers

I/O #	Modbus Holding Register		I/O Type	I/O Range		Holding Register Representation	
	Gateway	Any Node		Min. Value	Max. Value	Min. (Dec.)	Max. (Dec.)
1	1	1 + (Node# × 16)	Sensor State	0	1	0	1
2	2	2 + (Node# × 16)	Reserved				
3	3	3 + (Node# × 16)	Counter High Word	0	65535	0	65535
4	4	4 + (Node# × 16)	Counter Low Word	0	65535	0	65535
7	7	7 + (Node# × 16)	Reserved				
8	8	8 + (Node# × 16)	Device Message				
14	14	14 + (Node# × 16)	Clear Counter	0	1	0	1
15	15	15 + (Node# × 16)	Control Message				
16	16	16 + (Node# × 16)	Reserved				

Sensor State—A value of 0 indicates the sensor beam is not blocked. A value of 1 indicates the sensor beam is blocked.

Using the Event Counter

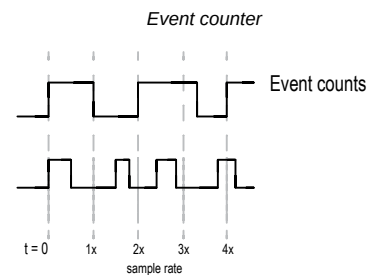
The counter "counts" when the input is on for a minimum of the sample rate. The counter input is off when the input is off for a minimum of the sample rate.

For example, if your sample rate is set to 62.5 ms, the counter input is on, and therefore counts, when the input is on for at least 62.5 ms. If the input is not on for 62.5 ms, the counter does not increment.

To clear the counter when you are not using a host-controlled system, write a 1 to the Node's output register 14. Clearing the counter requires that this register goes from a 0 to a 1. If there is already a 1 in the register, first write a 0, then write the 1. You can use the Gateway IO mapping to map an input, such as a button, to clear the counter value.

To clear the counter when you are using a host-controlled system, send a control message to Node register 15. Control messages on Node register 15 are acknowledged with the same value echoed to Node register 7.

1. Write 5388 (0x150C) to Node register 15.
2. Read Node register 7 until it echoes the Node register 15 value.



Principles of Operation for the Q45DD and LPD Models

The Wireless Q45 Sensor enters and remains in optical alignment mode for 15 minutes after the binding button is pushed, after the Q45 exits binding mode, or after the Q45 is powered up (battery replaced).

After 15 minutes, the Q45 automatically exits optical alignment mode and begins normal operation. After the sensor begins normal operation, the amber sensor state LED is inactive. To exit alignment mode earlier, click the binding button five times.

Diffuse Sensing Mode (Q45DD)

In diffuse-mode sensing, light emitted from the sensor strikes the surface of the object to be detected and is diffused back, sending some light back to the receiver, which is housed with the emitter.

With a diffuse-mode sensor, the object is detected when the object reflects the sensor's transmitted light energy back to the sensor. During optical alignment mode, the sensor's amber LED lights up whenever the sensor detects the reflected beam.

Retroreflective Sensing Mode (Q45LPD)

In retroreflective-mode sensing, light emitted from the sensor strikes a reflector and is reflected back to the receiver, which is housed with the emitter.

With a retroreflective-mode sensor, the object is detected when it blocks the light path to the reflector. During optical alignment mode, the sensor's beam is bright enough to see when aligned with a reflector or target, making alignment and mounting easier to accomplish. During this alignment mode, the sensor's amber LED lights up when the sensor detects the reflected beam (no object present).

Specifications

Radio Range

A 2 dB antenna ships with this device.
Transmit power and range are subject to many factors, including antenna gain, installation methods, characteristics of the application, and environmental conditions.
Please refer to the following documents for installation instructions and high-gain antenna options.
Installing Your Sure Cross® Radios ([151514](#))
Conducting a Site Survey ([133602](#))
Sure Cross® Antenna Basics ([132113](#))

Radio Transmit Power (900 MHz, 500 mW radios)

Conducted: 27 dBm (500 mW)
EIRP with the supplied antenna: < 36 dBm

Radio Transmit Power (2.4 GHz radios)

Conducted: < 18 dBm (65 mW)
EIRP with the supplied antenna: < 20 dBm (1

Antenna Minimum Separation Distance

900 MHz radios transmitting at ≥ 500 mW: 4.5 the supplied antenna
2.4 GHz radios transmitting at 65 mW: 0.3 m (supplied antenna

Sensing Range

Diffuse models: 300 mm (12 in)
Retroreflective models: 0.15 m (6 in) to 6 m (2

Report Rate

On Change of State

Default Sample Rate

62.5 milliseconds

Adjustments

Multi-turn sensitivity control (allows precise se turn clockwise to increase gain.

Indicators

Red and green LEDs (radio function); amber alignment mode)

Construction

Molded reinforced thermoplastic polyester ho sealed transparent Lexan® cover, molded acr stainless steel hardware. Designed to withsta washdown.

Link Timeout (Performance)

Gateway: Configurable via User Configuration Software
Node: Defined by Gateway

Spread Spectrum Technology

FHSS (Frequency Hopping Spread Spectrum)

900 MHz Compliance (SX7023EXT Radio Module)

Radio module is indicated by the product label marking
Contains FCC ID: UE3SX7023EXT
Contains IC: 7044A-SX7023EXT

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Environmental Specifications for the Q45

Operating Conditions

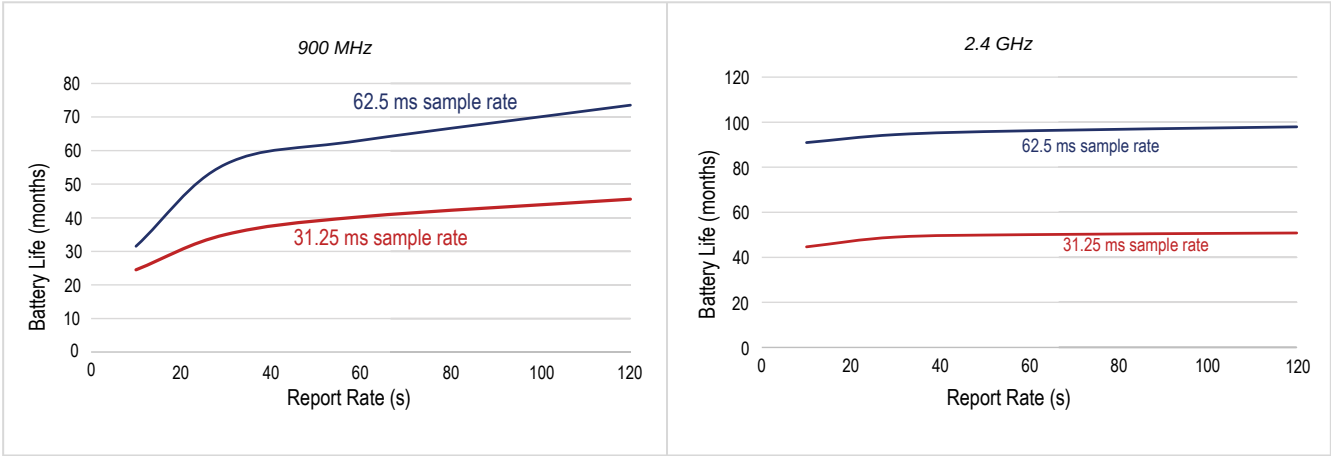
−40 °C to +70 °C (−40 °F to +158 °F); 90% at +50 °C
maximum relative humidity (non-condensing)
Radiated Immunity: 10 V/m (EN 61000-4-3)

Environmental Rating

NEMA 6P
IP67

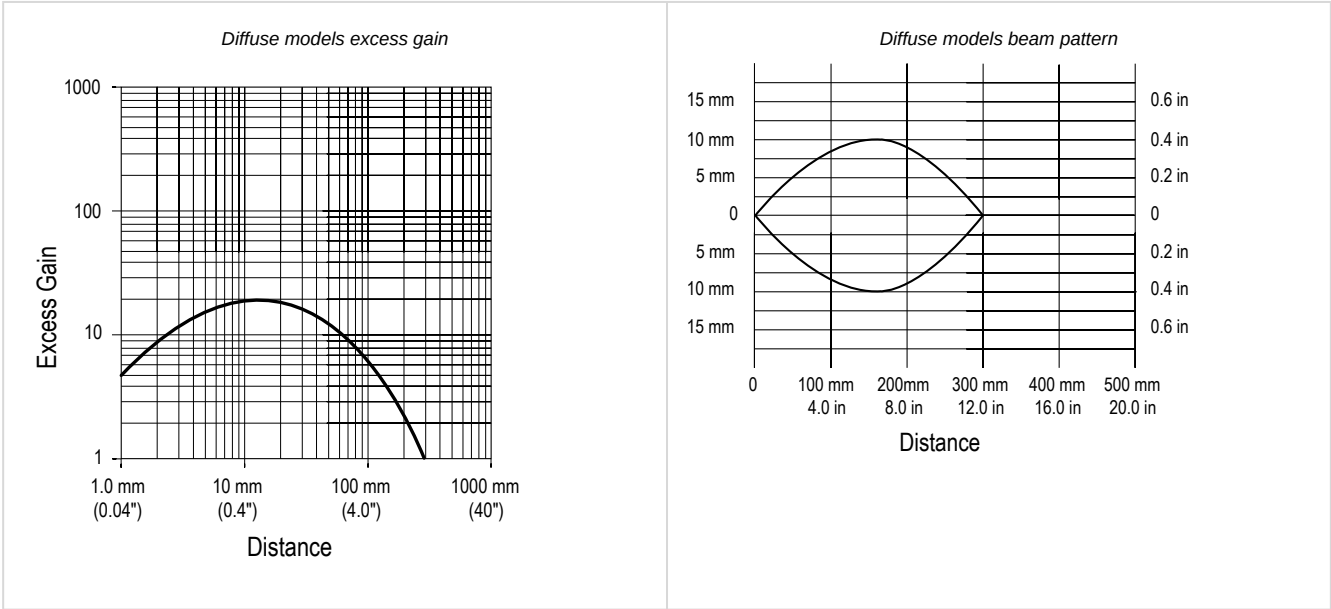
Operating the devices at the maximum operating conditions for extended periods can shorten the life of the device.

Battery Life for the Q45DD and LPD Models



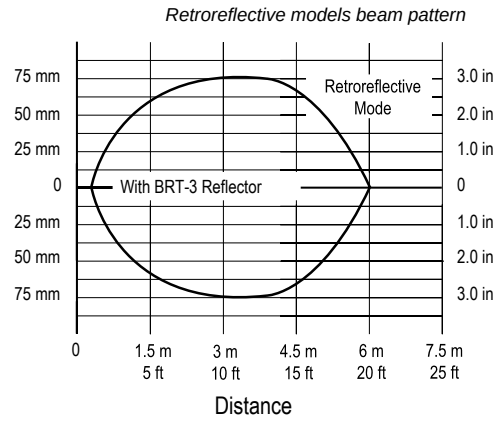
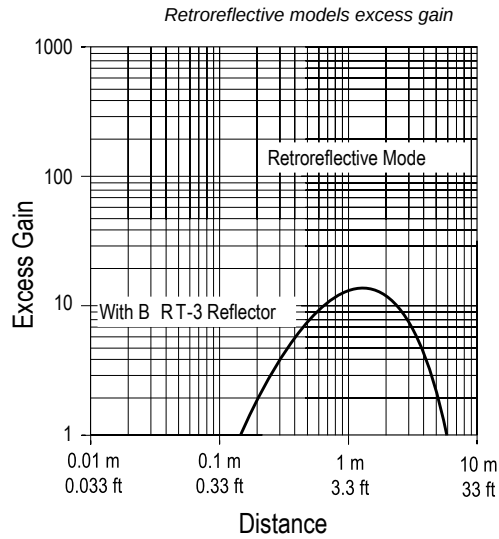
Performance Curves for the Q45DD and LPD Models

For the diffuse models, performance curves are based on a 90% reflectance white test card.



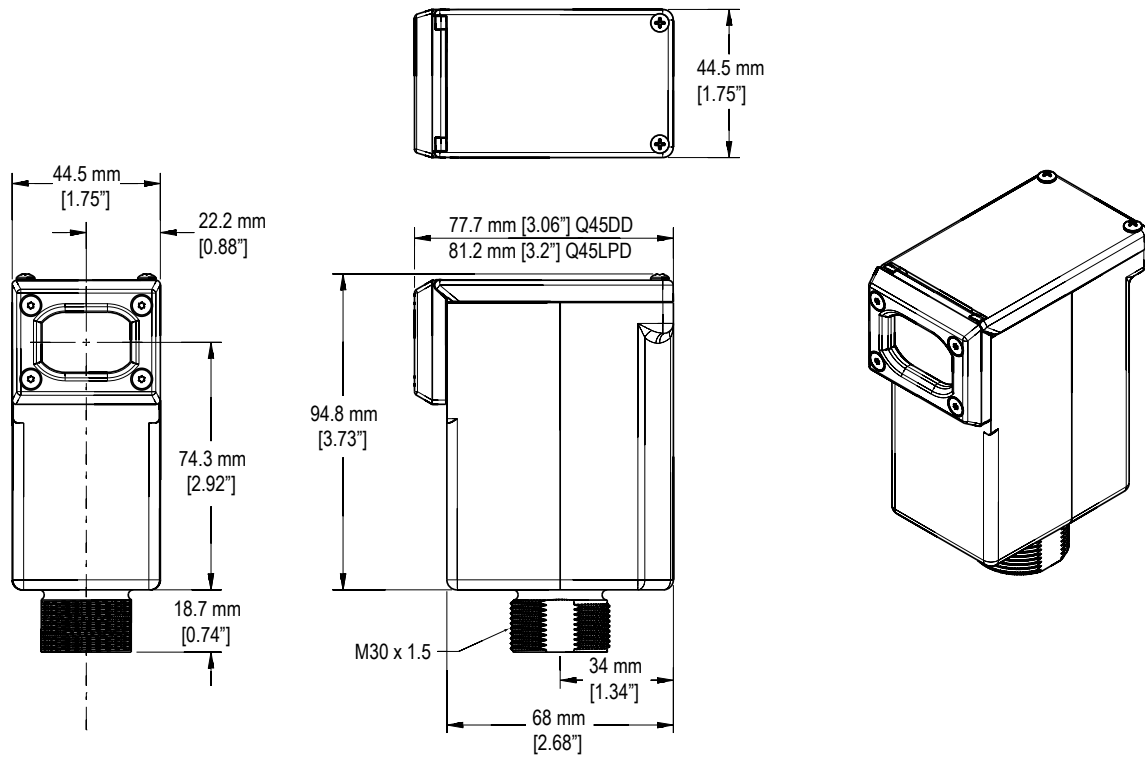
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Dimensions for the Q45DD and LPD Models

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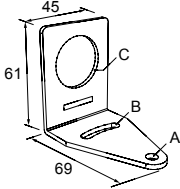
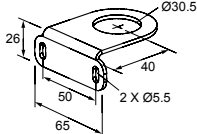


Accessories

Replacement Batteries

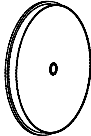
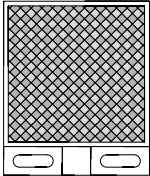
BWA-BATT-011 • 3.6 V Lithium D cell for non-hazardous locations only • 19000 mAH • One battery	
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Brackets for the Q45DD and LPD Models

SMB30A • Right-angle bracket with curved slot for versatile orientation • Clearance for M6 (¼ in) hardware • Mounting hole for 30 mm sensor • 12-gauge stainless steel Hole center spacing: A to B=40 Hole size: A=Ø 6.3, B= 27.1 × 6.3, C=Ø 30.5	
LMB30LP • Low profile • 30 mm mounting hole • 300 series stainless steel	

Reflectors for the Q45 LPD Model

These reflectors are required for the retroreflective model only.

BRT-3 • Round, acrylic target • Reflectivity Factor: 1.0 • Temperature: –20 °C to +60 °C (–4 °F to +140 °F) • Optional brackets are available • Size: 84 mm diameter • Mounting Hole: 4.8 mm diameter	
BRT-2X2LVC • Square, acrylic target • Reflectivity Factor: 1.0 • Temperature: –20 °C to +60 °C (–4 °F to +140 °F) • Optional brackets are available • Approximate size: 51 mm × 51 mm	

Warnings (Internal Antenna Models)

Exporting Sure Cross® Radios. It is our intent to fully comply with all national and regional regulations regarding radio frequency emissions. **Customers who want to re-export this product to a country other than that to which it was sold must ensure the device is approved in the destination country.** Consult with Banner Engineering Corp. if the destination country is not on this list.

**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.

IMPORTANT:

- **Electrostatic discharge (ESD) sensitive device**
- ESD can damage the device. Damage from inappropriate handling is not covered by warranty.
- Use proper handling procedures to prevent ESD damage. Proper handling procedures include leaving devices in their anti-static packaging until ready for use; wearing anti-static wrist straps; and assembling units on a grounded, static-dissipative surface.

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Approved Antennas

BWA-902-C—Antena, Omni 902-928 MHz, 2 dBd, junta de caucho, RP-SMA Macho
BWA-905-C—Antena, Omni 902-928 MHz, 5 dBd, junta de caucho, RP-SMA Macho
BWA-906-A—Antena, Omni 902-928 MHz, 6 dBd, fibra de vidrio, 1800mm, N Hembra
BWA-9Y10-A—Antena, Yagi, 900 MHz, 10 dBd, N Hembra

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