




SDBM-60Series Laser RangingModule

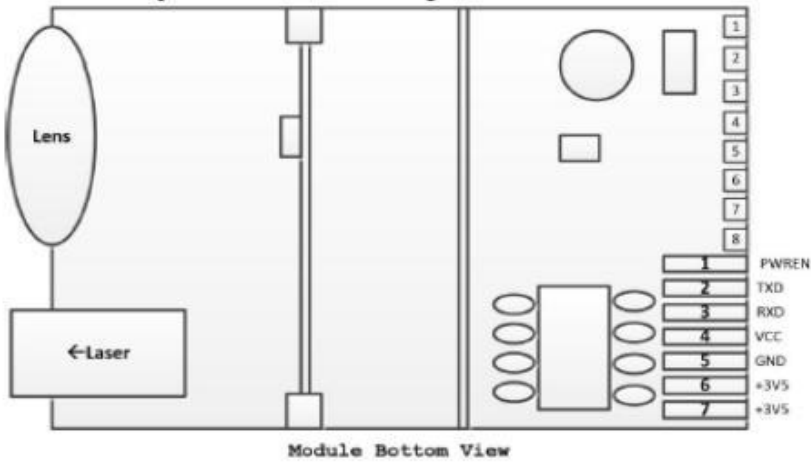
SDBM-60SeriesIt is a product developed by Siman Sensor Technology Co., Ltd.ITOF (Indirect Time of Flight)Laser rangefindingModule,It features rapid response and high-precision ranging capabilities. This module achieves a ranging accuracy of up to ±3 mm, with a data update rate as high as 20 Hz and a maximum ranging distance of up to 60 meters. Its compact design and UART digital interface output facilitate system integration and secondary development.

This product is widely used in industrial automation,Various high-precision ranging applications, including robot navigation, intelligent warehousing, and security surveillance.,With an excellent performance-to-price ratio, it is an ideal choice for various ranging applications.To learn more about the product, please visit:www.siman.asia

Warning	Please follow the equipment usage guidelines! This product is not a safety sensor and cannot be used for personnel protection.
	<div><div>➤ Measuring laser (635nm): Class 2 — Do not look directly at the beam or observe it using optical instruments.</div><div>➤ This product does not have an explosion-proof design and must not be used in flammable or explosive environments.</div><div>➤ Do not disassemble this product.</div><div>➤ Be sure to turn off the power before performing any operations. Do not perform wiring operations while the power is still on!<div><div>1. Avoid use in dusty/vapor environments or environments with corrosive gases;</div><div>2. Avoid using in environments that produce corrosive gases.;</div></div></div><div><div>➤ This product cannot be used in water.</div><div>➤ When using outdoors, be sure to add a waterproof cover.</div></div></div>

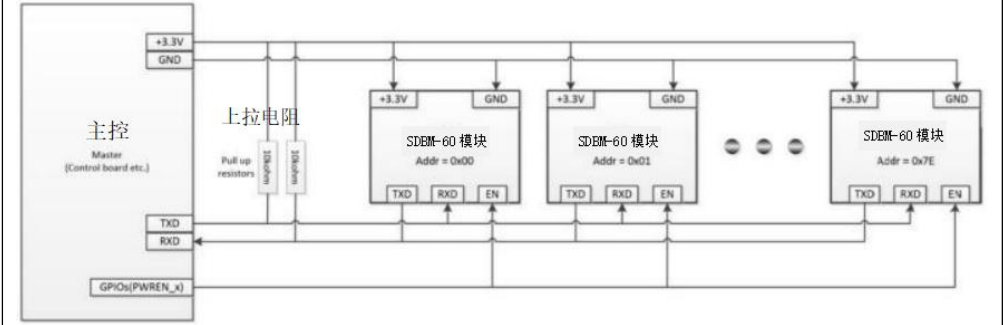
Pin definitions

Four to five pins at most are needed to power and control the laser ranging module.



Pin Function				
Pin	Name	Function	Default value	Description
1	PWREN	Signal input	Low	Module power-on control pin, high level effective.
2	TXD	Signal output	High	Module serial port transmit pin, open-drain
3	RXD	Signal input	High	Module serial port receive pin, open-drain
4	VCC	Power +	Power supply	DC 2.5V~3.3V 300mA+
5	GND	Power supply -	ground	Module power ground

The terminal application may need to connect multiple laser ranging modules simultaneously to read distance values. In a multi-slave system, before each module connects to the network, be sure to set each module to a different address to avoid conflicts. By default, each module comes with an address of 0x00 from the factory.



The TTL-USB module's TXD/RXD pins do not require pull-up resistors because the USB converter’ s TXD/RXD pins are internally equipped with pull-up resistors. The green line PWREN can be left unconnected.

Please note: The module's TXD/RXD pins are open-drain type;
If the signal is connected to a microcontroller, please add a pull-up resistor.
(There are also modules that don't require pull-up resistors.)



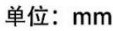
Absolute Maximum Ratings				
Attention: Exceeding one or more limit values may cause permanent damage to the module!				
Category	Minimum Min	Typical value	Maximum Max	Units

		Normal		
Voltage VCC	-0.3	3.0	5.5	V
GND		0	0	V
TXD	-0.3		VCC+0.3	V
RXD	-0.3		VCC+0.3	V
PWREN	-0.3	VCC	4.0	V
Operating temperature	-20		+50	℃
Storage temperature	-40		+60	℃

Specification parameters		
Model	SDBM-60TF3	SDBM-60TF20
Measurement range	0.03...60m (indoor 90% reflectivity)	
Repeatability	±2mm	
Accuracy	±3mm	
Measure frequency	3hz	20hz
Laser light source	635nm,Class2	
Measure the target object	Natural surfaces or dedicated reflectors for static or dynamic targets	
Typical spot size (Oval)	10m location: ϕ 5mm 25m location: ϕ 10mm 50m location: ϕ 25mm	
Data interface	UART	
Operating voltage	DC+3.3V	
Power consumption	<0.27 W	
Specification dimensions	48.3×26×13mm	
Weight	9g	
Operating temperature	-20~50℃	
Storage temperature	-40~60℃	
Laser lifetime	>10000 h	

- 1.Within the full measurement range and at a standard distance deviation of ± 3 mm, the measurement results may be affected by factors such as target flatness and color.
- 2.White targets deliver the best results; indoors, measurements can be taken beyond 60 meters.
- 3.For optimal measurement results outdoors, it’ s best to use a dedicated reflector.
- 4.At a measurement frequency of 3 Hz, up to 3 distance data packets can be acquired per second; at a measurement frequency of 20 Hz, up to 20 distance data packets can be acquired per second.

Dimensional drawing



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Byte	0	1		2	3	4	5	6	7	8
Bits	[7:0]	[7]	[6:0]	[7:0]]	[7:0]]	[7:0]	[7:0]	[7:0]	[7:0]]	[7:0]
Name	First	R/ W	Address	Register		Effective computation		Effective bytes		Verification
For example	0xAA	0	0x51	0x00	0x20	0x00	0x01	0x00	0x00	0x72

The last byte is Frame checksum, checksum = The 1st+2+3+4+5+6+7 Sum of digits, Excluding the first byte, Byte overflow ignored;

Serial number	Register	Naming	Function
1	0x0000	REG_ERR_CODE	System status code
2	0x0006	REG_BAT_VLTG	Operating voltage
3	0x0010	REG_ADDRESS	Module address
4	0x0012	REG_OFFSET	Module

Command														
Function	direction	Data												
Read the module's latest status	Send	byte		0		1		2		3		4		
		name		head		address		register				check		
		data		0xAA		0x80		0x00		0x00		0x80		
		Type: ReadCommand From address: 0x00 RegisterAddress: 0x0000 Function: Reads the module's status after the previous command has been executed.												
	Receive	byte	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8			
		name	head	address	register		effective calculation		valid byte		check			
		data	0xAA	0x80	0x00	0x00	0x00	0x01	0xYY	0xZZ	sum			
		Sum is the checksum, and the checksum algorithm is the hexadecimal sum of all preceding bytes except the first byte AA. Byte 0xZZ is from machineThe returned status code Normal reply: AA 80 00 00 00 01 00 00 81												
	Read the hardware version number	Send	byte		0		1		2		3		4	
			name		head		address		register				check	
data			0xAA		0x80		0x00		0x0A		0x8A			
Type: Read command Register address: 0x000A Function: Read out the HW version number of the module.														
Receive		byte	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8			
		name	head	address	register		effective calculation		valid byte		check			
		data	0xAA	0x80	0x00	0x0A	0x00	0x01	0xVV	0xYY	sum			
		The HW version number is 0xVVYY.												
Read the software version number		Send	byte		0		1		2		3		4	
			name		head		address		register				check	
	data		0xAA		0x80		0x00		0x0C		0x8C			
	Type: Read command From address: 0x00													

		Register address: 0x000C Function: Read out the module'sSoftwareVersion number												
	Rece ive	byt e	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8			
		na me	hea d	addre ss	register		effective calculatio n		valid byte		che ck			
		dat a	0xA A	0x80	0x0 0	0x0 C	0x0 0	0x0 1	0xV V	0xY Y	sum			
The SW version number is 0xVVYY.														
Read module serial number	Send	byte		0		1		2		3		4		
		name		head		address		register			check			
		data		0xAA		0x80		0x00		0x0E		0x8E		
	Type: Read command,From address: 0x00 Register address: 0x000E Function:ReadModule serial number													
	Rece ive	byt e	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8			
		na me	head	addre ss	register		effective calculatio n		valid byte		che ck			
		data	0xA A	0x80	0x0 0	0x0 E	0x0 0	0x0 1	0xS S	0xN N	sum			
	The HW version number is 0xSSNN.													
	Read the input voltage	Send	byte		0		1		2		3		4	
			name		head		address		register			check		
data			0xAA		0x80		0x00		0x06		0x86			
Type: Read command,From address: 0x00 Register address: 0x0006 Function: Read the module's input voltage. （BCD encoding）														
Rece ive		byte	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8			
		nam e	head	addre ss	register		effective calculation		valid byte		chec k			
		data	0xA A	0x80	0x0 0	0x0 6	0x0 0	0x0 1	0x3 2	0x1 9	sum			
Input voltage = 3219 mV														
Read the measurement results	Send	byte		0		1		2		3		4		
		name		head		address		register			check			
		data		0xAA		0x80		0x00		0x22		0xA2		
	Type: Read command; This command is used to read measurement results when initiating multi-slave mode; From address: 0x00 Register address: 0x0022 Function: Read out the distance measurement result													
	Rece ive	byt e	0	1	2	3	4	5	6:9		10:1 1	12		
		na me	hea d	addr ess	register		effective calculati		effective distance		effec tive	che ck		

						on		value		dista nce value	
		dat a	0x AA	0x0 0	0x 00	0x 22	0x 00	0x 03	0xAABB CCDD	0x01 01	su m
Set the module address	Send	byt e	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
		na me	head	addre ss	register		effective calculatio n		valid byte		che ck
		data	0xA A	0x00	0x0 0	0x1 0	0x0 0	0x0 1	0x0 0	0xY Y	sum
	Type: Write command; Used to modify the module ID; after modifying the ID, other corresponding instructions need to be adjusted according to the address; From address: 0x00 Register address: 0x0010 0xYYIndicates the modified address Function:Set the module addressThe address will not be lost after the power is cut.										
	Receive	byt e	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
na me		head	addre ss	register		effective calculatio n		valid byte		che ck	
data		0xA A	0x00	0x0 0	0x1 0	0x0 0	0x0 1	0x0 0	0xY Y	sum	
Set the address to 0xYY (!!! Note: Only bits [6:0] of the address are used; other bits will be ignored). Please note: Do not set the slave address to the broadcast address 0x7F. This address is reserved for master-slave networks with one master and multiple slaves. When you send a command using the broadcast address, all slaves will attempt to measure distance simultaneously—but no measurement results will be returned.Reply.HostOnly when accessing a single-address slave device will the measurement results be returned.											
Set the module to measure the offset.	Send	byt e	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
		na me	head	addre ss	register		effective calculatio n		valid byte		che ck
		data	0xA A	0x00	0x0 0	0x1 2	0x0 0	0x0 1	0xZ Z	0xY Y	sum
	Type: Write command From address: 0x00 Register address: 0x0012 0xYYThe offset to be adjusted Function:SettingsMeasure the offset										

		For example, if the offset 0xZZYY = 0x7B (+123), then it representsMeasure distance valueAdd 123 millimeters. If the offset is 0xZZYY = 0xFF85 (-123), it indicates a measurement.Distance valueIt will be reduced by 123 millimeters.If you want to restore the original measured values from the factory after making modifications, simply set the offset to 0.									
	Rece ive	byt e	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
		na me	head	addre ss	register		effective calculatio n		valid byte		che ck
		data	0xA A	0x00	0x0 0	0x1 2	0x0 0	0x0 1	0xZ Z	0xY Y	sum
Turn the laser on or off	Send	byt e	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
		na me	head	addre ss	register		effective calculatio n		valid byte		che ck
		data	0xA A	0x00	0x0 1	0xB E	0x0 0	0x0 1	0x0 0	0xZ Z	sum
		Type: Write command From address: 0x00 Register address: 0x01BE Function: Turns the laser beam on or off. If 0xZZ = 0x01, the laser is turned on; if 0xZZ = 0x00, the laser is turned off.									
	Rece ive	Same as sending									
Single automatic measurement	Send	byte	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
		nam e	head	addre ss	register		effective calculation		valid byte		chec k
		data	0xA A	0x00	0x0 0	0x2 0	0x0 0	0x0 1	0x0 0	0x0 0	0x2 1
		Type: Write command; Send one command, the laser lights up once, and return one distance measurement value; From address: 0x00 Register address: 0x0020 Function: Start the slave device to perform a single measurement in automatic mode.									
Rece ive	byt e	0	1	2	3	4	5	6:9		10:1 1	12
	na me	hea d	addr ess	register		effective calculati on		effective distance value		effec tive dista nce value	che ck
	dat a	0x AA	0x0 0	0x 00	0x 22	0x 00	0x 03	0xAABB CCDD		0x01 01	che ck
		Type: Slave reply From address: 0x00									

		Register address: 0x0022 Function: Return the measurement result to the host; the measurement result = 0xAABBCCDD mm.(Byte6: 9), needs to be converted to decimalSignal quality = 0x101, signal qualityNumerical valueThe smaller the value, the stronger the laser signal and the more reliable the distance measurement.The higher the degree									
Single slow-speed measurement	Send	byte	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
		name	head	address	register		effective calculation		valid byte		check
		data	0xA A	0x00	0x0 0	0x2 0	0x0 0	0x0 1	0x0 0	0x0 1	0x2 2
		Type: Write command From address: 0x00 Register address: 0x0020 Function: StartModulePerform a single measurement in slow mode.									
	Receive	Same as single auto mode.									
		byte	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
		name	head	address	register		effective calculation		valid byte		check
		data	0xA A	0x00	0x0 0	0x2 0	0x0 0	0x0 1	0x0 0	0x0 2	0x2 3
Single rapid measurement	Send	Type: Write command From address: 0x00 Register address: 0x0020 Function: The startup module performs a single measurement in fast mode.									
	Receive	Same as single auto mode.									
Start continuous automatic measurement	Send	byte	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
		name	head	address	register		effective calculation		valid byte		check
		data	0xA A	0x00	0x0 0	0x2 0	0x0 0	0x0 1	0x0 0	0x0 4	0x2 5
		Type: Write command; From address: 0x00 Register address: 0x0020 Function: Send a single command to initiate continuous automatic measurements and continuously return distance values.									
	Receive	Same as single auto mode.									
Start continuous slowQuickMeasurement	Send	byte	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
		name	head	address	register		effective calculation		valid byte		check
		data	0xA A	0x00	0x0 0	0x2 0	0x0 0	0x0 1	0x0 0	0x0 5	0x2 6
		Type: Write command From address: 0x00 Register address: 0x0020									

		Function: Start the slave device for slow, continuous measurement.																																								
	Receive	Same as single auto mode.																																								
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Type: Slave reply From address: 0x00 Register address: 0x0000 Function: Reports an error status code to the host; error code = 0x000F. For more error codes, please refer to...Status code																																										
Exit continuous measurement	Send	When the host is in continuous measurement mode, sending a single byte 0x58 (the uppercase character ‘ X ’) will immediately stop the continuous measurement mode.																																								
Initiate multi-slave measures		The host sends a single-measurement command to the slave address 0x7F. The slave module simultaneously begins measuring the distance but does not return any data. Measurement results are returned only when the host accesses each individual slave. Before issuing a command to read the measurement results, the host should first read the status code of the slave to ensure that no erroneous measurements have occurred during the process.																																								
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Type: Write command From address: 0x00 Register address: 0x0020 Function: Start all slave devices to perform a single measurement in automatic mode. After sending this command, if the slave device responds with its status, the master device polls the address status code 0x0000 for each slave																																										

		device, indicating no errors, and then sends...Read the measurement resultsCommand to read the result distance. Each slave device'sMeasurementThe result will not be overwritten until the next success.MeasurementCommandMeasure outThe New DistanceValue		
	Rece ive	No reply		
Measurement mode				
MeasurementModeThere are two types: one is single measurement, and the other is continuous measurement.				
Single timeMeasurement: The host sends a measurement command once, the module operates once, the laser lights up once, and a measured distance value is returned.;				
Continuous measurementThe host sends a measurement command once, and the module operates continuously with the laser remaining lit.ContinuousReturn measurementDistanceValue; if you wantTo stop continuous measurement, the host needs to send one byte: 0x58 (the uppercase character “X” in ASCII).				
Each measurement mode has 3 operating modes.squareFormula:				
1.Automatic measurement: Automatically adjusts the measurement speed and distance accuracy based on the returned distance value and signal quality.				
2.Slow measurement: The slowest measurement speed, but with the highest accuracy in distance values;				
3.Fast measurement: The measured distance values have relatively low precision, but the measurement speed is the fastest.				
Method Mode		Automatic	Slow speed	Quick
Single measurement		Single automatic	Single slow pace	Single rapid
Continuous measurement		Continuous automatic	Continuous slow pace	Continuous and rapid
Measurement speed		Automatic	Slow	Quick
Measurement accuracy		Automatic	High	Low
Status code				
Status code （SDBM-60TF3）		Status code （SDBM-60TF20）		Description
0x0000		0x0000		No errors
0x0001		0xFFFF		InputVoltageToo low,Power supplyThe voltage should≥2.2V
0x0002				An internal error—no problem.
0x0003		0xFFFD		Module temperature too low (< -20°C)The high-and low-temperature-resistant version does not have this error.
0x0004		0xFFFC		Module temperature too high (> +40°C) The high-and low-temperature-resistant

		version does not have this error.
0x0005	0xFFFB	The target is beyond range.
0x0006	0xFFFA	Invalid measurement result
0x0007	0xFFF9	The backlight is too strong.
0x0008	0xFFF8	The laser signal is too weak.
0x0009	0xFFF7	The laser signal is too strong.
0x000A	0xFFF6	Hardware failure 1
0x000B	0xFFF5	Hardware failure 2
0x000C	0xFFF4	Hardware failure 3
0x000D	0xFFF3	Hardware failure 4
0x000E	0xFFF2	Hardware failure 5
0x000F	0xFFF1	The laser signal is unstable.
0x0010		Hardware failure 6
0x0011		Hardware failure 7
0x0081	0xFFC3	Invalid/Communication error
Precautions		
SDBM is an optical instrument whose operation is affected by environmental conditions. Consequently, the achievable measurement range varies depending on the application environment, while the ranging accuracy remains unaffected by such factors. The following conditions may influence the measurement range:		
Factors Affecting the Range:		
Element	Factors that extend the measurement range	Factors that shorten the measurement range
Target surface	Dedicated reflector plates, reflective film plates	Dull, non-glossy surfaces; green and blue surfaces
Air particles	Clean air	Dust, fog, heavy rain, blizzard
Sunlight intensity	Dark environment	The target is brightly illuminated.
Factors Affecting Measurement Accuracy		
<p>（1）Rough surface</p> <p>When measuring rough surfaces (such as plaster walls), aim at the center of the shiny areas. To avoid measuring deep into the plaster joints, use a target plate.</p> <p>（2）Surface transparency</p> <p>To avoid measurement errors, please do not measure directly on the surface of transparent objects, such as colorless liquids (e.g., water) or dust-free glass. For materials or liquids that you are unfamiliar with, it’s best to perform a preliminary test first. Measurement errors may occur when aiming at a target through a glass window or when there are multiple objects in your line of sight.</p> <p>（3） Moist, smooth, or high-gloss surfaces</p> <p>When the aiming angle is very small, the laser will be reflected away. At this point, SDB...M The received signal would become too weak, and it might also be possible to measure the distance to the target hit by the reflected laser; if aimed at a right angle, SDB.M The received signal may be too strong.</p> <p>（4）The measurement can be performed only when the target area is large enough to accommodate the laser spot—whether it’s a sloped surface or a curved surface.</p> <p>（5） Multipath Reflection</p>		

When the laser light returning from other objects exceeds the reflected light from the target, incorrect measurement results may occur. On the measurement optical path, please avoid various reflective surfaces.
Safety Precautions
The following guidance can enable SDB.M The person in charge and the user should familiarize themselves in advance with any potential hazards involved in the operation and take appropriate preventive measures. The instrument’s responsible person should ensure that all users read and follow these instructions carefully.
If SDBM It is part of the system, and the system manufacturer must be responsible for all safety-related issues, such as manuals, labeling, and instructions.
Instrument Usage
Permitted uses:
SDBM The permitted scope of use is: distance measurement.
Disabled range:
Using the instrument without following the guidelines and operating it beyond the declared specifications can compromise the safety system.;
Remove the instructions and hazard signs.;
Use tools (such as a screwdriver) to open the device for modification or upgrade.;
Aim directly at the sun using accessories from manufacturers not approved by Siman.;
Intentionally introduce other dazzling objects.;
At measurement sites without safety facilities (such as measurements conducted on roadways, etc.)
Warning: The prohibited usage method, if employed, may result in personal injury, instrument malfunction, and loss.,The instrument operator is responsible for informing users of its hazards and how to take precautions against them.
Without clarifying SDBMDo not perform any operations before using it.
Use under conditions suitable for human survival.
Do not use in flammable or explosive environments.
Scope of Responsibility
Responsibilities of the original equipment manufacturer Siman:
Siman is responsible for providing products under completely safe conditions, including this manual, software, and original accessories.
Responsibility of non-Siman attachment manufacturers:
Non-Siman accessory manufacturers are responsible for the development, availability, and safety instructions of their own products. They are also responsible for ensuring the secure online integration with Siman products.
Serious Use Hazard:
Warning: Do not place the SDB.M The laser must be directed straight at the sun; otherwise, the instrument could be damaged.
Don't use SDB.MThe laser is directed straight at the human eye for a prolonged period.