IP511-x
Isolated Serial 422 Communication

IP511 Industry Pack (IP) modules provide an isolated, asynchronous serial communication interface for your computer system.

Large FIFO buffers on the transmit and receive lines of each serial port enable more efficient data processing. When the buffer is full, an interrupt is sent to the CPU to read the data. To match your budget and performance requirements, you can order 16 or 64-byte (IP511-16/64) buffers.

Features

- Four asynchronous RS422B ports
- Isolated serial ports
- 16 or 64-byte FIFO buffers
- Programmable baud rate (up to 512Kbps) (Consult factory for custom rates up to 1Mbps)
- Individually controlled interrupts (unique vectors for each port)
- Line break generation and detection
- False start bit detection
- Industry-standard 16C550 UART including software compatible 16C450 mode

Benefits

- Isolation protects computer system from ground loops and transient signals.
- FIFO buffers minimize CPU interaction for more efficient data processing.
- Internal diagnostics help detect communication faults.
- Priority shifting scheme prevents continuous interrupts from blocking other ports.

Large, 64-byte FIFO buffers reduce the processing burden on the CPU to increase the overall system performance.

Specifications

Serial Ports

Configuration: 4 independent, isolated, full-duplex, RS422B ports.

Interface: Asynchronous serial only.

Data rate: Programmable to 512K bits/second. Consult factory for custom baud rates up to 1M baud.

Character size: Programmable 5-8 bits.

Parity: Programmable odd, even, or no parity.

Stop bits: Programmable 1, 1-1/2, or 2 bits.

Data register buffers: Double-buffered (16C450 mode) or 16/64-byte FIFO buffered.

Interrupts: Receiver Line Status, Received Data Available or Character Timeout, Transmitter Holding Register Empty. IP511-64 includes interrupts for received XOFF signal/special character.

Receiver input resistance: 12K ohms minimum.

Differential input threshold: ±0.2V.

Bias resistors: Not required (driver always enabled).

Output short circuit current: 250mA maximum.

Termination resistors: 120 ohms, socketed.

Maximum cable length: 1200m (4000 ft.).

Port power requirements: Isolated +5V ±5%, 5mA typical, each port.

UART

IP511-16: Texas Inst. TL16C554FN or equivalent.

IP511-64: Startech ST16C654CJ68.

IP Compliance (ANSI/VITA 4)

Meets IP specifications per ANSI/VITA 4-1995.

IP data transfer cycle types supported:

- Input/output (IODSel*)
- ID read (IODSel*)
- Interrupt select (INTSel*)

Access times (8MHz clock):

- ID PROM read: 1 wait state (375ns cycle).
- I/O register read/write: 2 wait states (500ns cycle).
- Interrupt select read: 2 wait states (500ns cycle).

Environments

Operating temperature: 0 to 70°C.

Storage temperature: -40 to 125°C.

Relative humidity: 5 to 95% non-condensing.

Power:

- +5V (±5%): 160mA maximum.
- ±12V (±5%): 0mA (not used).

MTBF: Consult factory.

Ordering Information

Industry Pack Modules

IP511-16

Four RS422B ports with 16-byte FIFOs.

IP511-64

Four RS422B ports with 64-byte FIFOs.

Acromag offers a wide selection of Industry Pack Carrier Cards.

Software

IPSW-API-VXW

VxWorks software support package

IPSW-API-WIN32

32-bit Windows® DLL driver software support package

IPSW-API-WIN64

64-bit Windows® DLL driver software support package

Accessories

See www.acromag.com for more information