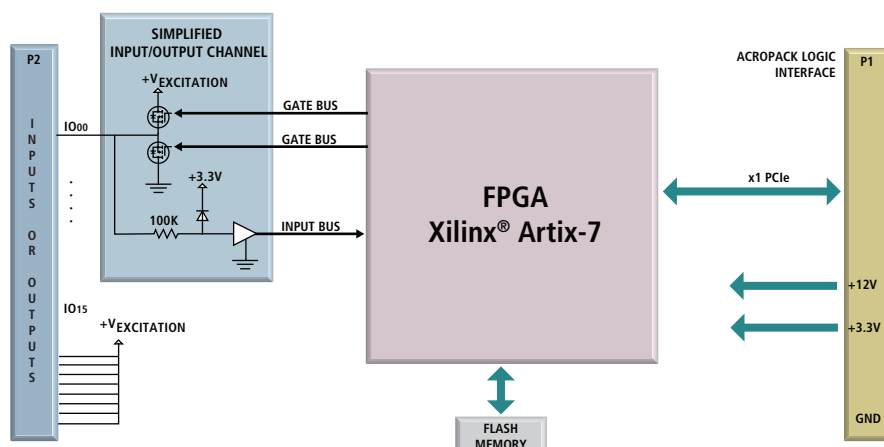
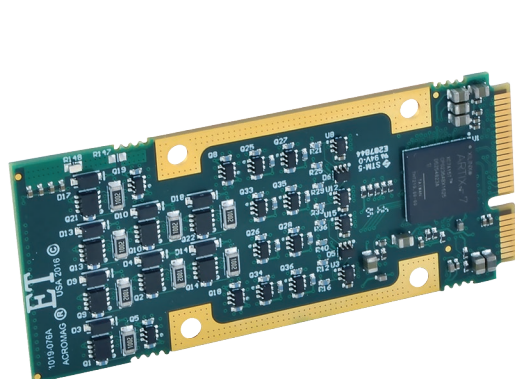


# AcroPack® Modules

## AP400 Series High Voltage Digital Input/Output



16 Digital I/O Channels ♦ High impedance ♦ PCIe Bus Interface

### Description

Model: AP418E-LF

The AcroPack® product line updates our popular Industry Pack I/O modules with a PCIe interface format. This tech-refresh design offers a compact size, low-cost I/O, the same functionality and memory map of the existing Industry Pack modules and a rugged form factor.

The AP418 monitors or controls the on/off (high/low) status of up to 16 devices. Each channel can be used as an input or output.

All 16 input channels can be configured with interrupts for a change of state or level detection of any bit. The TTL input threshold includes hysteresis for increasing noise immunity.

In order to ensure safe, reliable control under all conditions, output operation is "fail-safe." That is, the outputs are always off upon power-up and are automatically cleared following a software reset.

Loopback monitoring of critical control signals is easy since the input and output circuitry are connected in tandem to each channel.

Designed for COTS applications these digital I/O modules deliver high-density, high-reliability, and high-performance at a low cost.

AcroPack modules are RoHS compliant and ideal for military, defense, automation, aerospace, scientific, and development labs industries.

The AP418 module is 70mm long, this is 19.05mm longer than the full length mini PCIe card at 50.95mm. The board's width is the same as mPCIe board of 30mm and they use the same mPCIe standard board hold down standoff and screw keep out areas.

A down facing 100 pin Samtec connector will mate with the carrier card. Fifty of these signals are available as field I/O signals.

The AP418 maintains the same functionality and memory map of the existing Industry Pack modules providing a smooth transition to the AcroPack I/O modules.

### Key Features & Benefits

- PCI Express Generation 1 interface
- 16 digital input/output channels
- 0 to 60V DC input range, 60V DC low-side or high-side switch outputs
- Outputs sink up to 2A per channel
- TTL-compatible input threshold with hysteresis
- Change-of-state/level interrupts (up to 16)
- Buffered inputs include hysteresis to increase noise immunity.
- Interrupts are software-programmable for a change of state or level detection.
- Loopback monitoring enables self-test and fault diagnostics to detect open output switches or shorts.
- High impedance inputs prevent loading of the input source and minimize current.
- Individual outputs sink up to 2A DC continuous. No deration of output current required at elevated temperatures.

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## Performance Specifications

### Digital Inputs

#### Input channel configuration

16 noninverting buffered inputs with a common connection

#### Input signal voltage range

0 to 60V DC, maximum

#### Input signal threshold

TTL compatible. Limited to TTL levels of 0.8V DC (max. low level) and 2.0V DC (minimum high level)

#### Interrupts

Change-of-state and level on channels 0-15

### Digital Outputs

#### Channel configuration

Each output can be configured to be a low-side switch or a high-side switch.

Low-side switch has open-drain output with source connected to common.

High-side switch has open-drain output with source connected to excitation voltage source.

#### Output ON current range

0 to 2A DC, per channel (5A total). No deration required at elevated ambients

#### Output Rds ON Resistance

Low-side switch - 0.1 ohm Max.

High-side switch - 0.2 ohm Max.

### PCI Express Base Specification

Conforms to revision 2.1

#### Lanes

1 lane in each direction

#### Bus Speed

2.5 Gbps (Generation 1)

#### Memory

4k space required

1 base address register

### Environmental

#### Operating temperature

-40 to 70°C.

-40 to 85°C.

(requires an AcroPack heatsink conduction-cool kit)

#### Storage temperature

-40 to 125°C.

#### Relative humidity

5 to 95% non-condensing.

#### Power

+3.3V (±5%) -400mA typical 600mA maximum.

+12V (±5%) -20mA typical 50mA maximum.

### Physical

#### Length

70mm.

#### Width

30mm.

## Ordering Information

### AcroPack® Modules

#### AP418E-LF

16 bidirectional input/output channels

(Note: AcroPack modules are compatible only with the carriers listed below)

### Accessories

#### AP-CC-01

Conduction-cool kit

### Carrier Cards

See [Acromag.com/AcroPack-Carriers](https://www.acromag.com/AcroPack-Carriers) for a full list of AcroPack carrier cards.

### Software (see software documentation for details)

#### APSW-API-VXW

VxWorks® software support package.

#### APSW-API-WIN

Windows® DLL driver software support package.

#### APSW-API-LNX

Linux® support (website download only).



AP-CC-01 Conduction-Cool Kit