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GPIB-RS232

NI GPIB-Serial Converter Specifications

This document includes updated specifications for the GPIB-RS232/485/422. These specifications replace the specifications in the *NI GPIB Serial Converter Help*.

Physical

Dimensions.....	16.01 × 9.35 × 3.15 cm (6.3 × 3.68 × 1.24 in.)
Case material.....	PC-ABS plastic
Weight	
RS232.....	192 g (6.75 oz)
RS485/RS422.....	196 g (6.875 oz)
GPIB cable	Type X2 shielded

Connectors

GPIB.....	IEEE 488 24-pin
RS232.....	DB-9 male
RS485/RS422.....	DB-9 male
DC power	Coaxial plug (single output models)



5.5 mm outer diameter
2.1 mm inner diameter, female
11 mm length, center “+”

Signaling

GPIB	3-wire
RS232/RS485	Baud rates up to 115.2 kb/s

Power Requirements

Input voltage range	9 to 28 VDC
Current consumption at 12 VDC	300 mA typical, 800 mA maximum
Fuse rating (service only)	Fast acting 2.2 A 125 V, surface mount

12 VDC Power Supply¹

Input voltage range	100 to 240 VAC, 47 to 63 Hz
Output	12 VDC, 1.25 A maximum

Environment

Maximum altitude.....	2,000 m (at 25° C ambient temperature)
Pollution Degree	2
Indoor use only	

Operating Environment



Note For the GPIB-RS232/485/422 to operate correctly over the entire specified ambient temperature range, stacking the product is not recommended.

Ambient temperature range	0 to 55° C (Tested in accordance with IEC-60068-2-1 and IEC-60068-2-2.)
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¹ Supplied with the GPIB-RS232/485/422.

Relative humidity range 10 to 90%, noncondensing
(Tested in accordance with
IEC-60068-2-56.)

Storage Environment

Ambient temperature range..... –20 to 70° C (Tested in
accordance with IEC-60068-2-1
and IEC-60068-2-2.)

Relative humidity range 5 to 95%, noncondensing
(Tested in accordance with
IEC-60068-2-56.)

Shock and Vibration

Operational shock 30 g peak, half-sine, 11 ms pulse
(Tested in accordance with
IEC-60068-2-27. Test profile
developed in accordance with
MIL-PRF-28800F.)

Random vibration

Operating 5 to 500 Hz, 0.3 grms

Nonoperating 5 to 500 Hz, 2.4 grms
(Tested in accordance
with IEC-60068-2-64.
Nonoperating test profile
exceeds the requirements of
MIL-PRF-28800F, Class 3.)

Safety

This product is designed to meet the requirements of the following
standards of safety for information technology equipment:

- IEC 60950-1, EN 60950-1
- UL 60950-1, CSA 60950-1



Note For UL and other safety certifications, refer to the product label or visit ni.com/certification, search by model number or product line, and click the appropriate link in the Certification column.



Note The protection provided by this equipment may be impaired if it is used in a manner not described in this document.

Electromagnetic Compatibility

This product is designed to meet the requirements of the following standards of EMC for electrical equipment for measurement, control, and laboratory use:

- EN 61326 EMC requirements; Minimum Immunity
- EN 55011 Emissions; Group 1, Class A
- CE, C-Tick, ICES, and FCC Part 15 Emissions; Class A



Note For EMC compliance, operate this device according to product documentation.

CE Compliance

This product meets the essential requirements of applicable European Directives, as amended for CE marking, as follows:

- 73/23/EEC; Low-Voltage Directive (safety)
- 89/336/EEC; Electromagnetic Compatibility Directive (EMC)



Note Refer to the Declaration of Conformity (DoC) for this product for any additional regulatory compliance information. To obtain the DoC for this product, visit ni.com/certification, search by model number or product line, and click the appropriate link in the Certification column.

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