IEEE 488/SERIAL BUS INTERFACES

DESCRIPTION

The Model 2307 Serial Data Acquisition and Control Board provides analog and digital signals for controlling a device and the capability to read back analog voltages, digital signals and temperatures. The 2307's serial interface has selectable RS-232, RS-422 or RS-485 signals and supports point-to-point or network connections. The 2307 has a SCPI command parser and an IEEE-488.2 Status Structure so it provides the user with true GPIB functionality over a serial link.

The 2307 is fabricated on a small 4.5 in \times 5.5 in board with metal shell connectors. In a typical application, the 2307 is located inside the host device and is powered by the device's +5 volt power supply. The 2307 is designed so that it can be mounted against the rear panel of the host chassis or on any panel or other surface. Analog, digital and thermocouple connections are made to a 62-pin data connector on the 2307.

The serial settings and all of the I/O configuration settings can be changed with SCPI commands and are saved in the 2307's internal flash memory.

Temperature Measurements

The 2307 has four thermocouple inputs for reading temperatures in the host chassis. The 2307's on card compensation circuit accepts J type thermocouples and provides calibrated readings from -100 to + 400 °C with a resolution of 0.1 °C. Not installed on 2307-TC boards.



2307 Data Acquisition and Control Board

Analog I/O

The 2307 has six single ended analog inputs with programmable unipolar and bipolar input ranges. The ranges are 0 to \pm 5, 0 to \pm 10, \pm 5 to \pm 5 and \pm 10 to \pm 10 Vdc. Resolution is 1 parts in 12 bits. Inputs are digital filtered to reduce measurement noise. The 2307's four analog outputs have a fixed 0 to \pm 5 Vdc output range with a resolution of 1 part in 10 bits.

Digital I/O

The 2307 has 32 digital I/Olines that can be configured as inputs or outputs in 8 bit byte increments. When used as outputs the lines are latched and can sink 48 mA or source 24 mA. As inputs the lines have pullup resistors so they can sense TTL, CMOS or contact closure inputs.

2307 SERIAL DATA ACQUISITION AND CONTROL

- Combines analog I/O, digital I/O, relay drivers and temperature readings in one board. Versatile serial control board handles many applications.
- User selectable RS-232 or RS-422/RS-485 interface. Flexible serial interface supports point-to-point and network connections.
- Uses SCPI commands and IEEE-488.2 status reporting structure.
 Provides GPIB functionality over a serial link.
- Optional packet protocol adds checksum protection to each message.
 Added protection against erroneous messages.
- Rugged metal shell connectors provide secure connections.
 Suitable for portable or airborne applications.
- Support includes a menu driven configuration program, Visual Basic and LabView programs. Easy to use, easy to program.
- Companion Terminal Board simplifies test connections. Saves connection time.

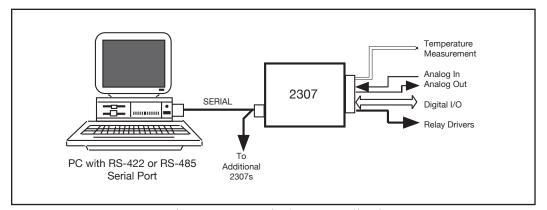


Figure 1 A Typical 2307 Application



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Relay Drivers

The 2307 has 6 relay driver outputs that can sink up to 300 mA to operate external relays, solenoids or other devices.

Signal Connections

The 2307 uses metal shell connectors with mechanical locking studs to assure trouble free connections in vibration prone installations. The 2307's rugged construction makes it suitable for ground, portable or even airborne applications.

2307 Configuration Features

If the 2307 is being used in a product or in test chassis, the user can set the 2307's IDN message to personalize the 2307 as part of the end product or to identify the test chassis. The IDN message, the serial settings, the I/O signal configuration and settings are saved in the 2307's nonvolatile Flash memory. The saved settings are recalled as the default settings at power turn-on. A lock command and write jumper protect the configuration settings from being accidentally changed by the end user.

SCPI Command Parser

The Model 2307 includes a SCPI command parser, an IEEE-488.2 STD status structure and also responds to all of the required 488.2 common commands. The 2307's parser lets the user program with the SCPI commands (Standard Commands for Programmable Instruments) shown in Table 1 or use short form commands.

Table 1 shows the 2307's SCPI command tree. The SYSTem command group sets the 2307's serial interface parameters and enables serial address detection for network connections.

2307 SCPI COMMAND TREE

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:PROTocal	0 1
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2307 SCPI COMMAND TREE Cont'd

MEASure :VOLTage?	Analog Inputs
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SENSe [:DIGital] :DATA [:VALuel?	Digital inputs
:PORT :PORTn?	<channel list=""></channel>
:POLarity	<numeric></numeric>
CALibrate :MEASURE	Calibrate
:GAIN	<numeric></numeric>
:NGAIN :OFFset	<numeric></numeric>
:IDN	<string></string>
:FAULT	0 1

- STATus group commands can sense digital input changes through the Questionable Status Register.
- CONFigure commands group multiple bytes together as inputs or outputs so they can pass data as strings. Unconfigured bytes can be directly read or written to with the byte oriented commands.
- FORMat commands set the data format used for transferring data as strings.
- SOURce command group controls the analog input and digital output functions. Digital outputs can be set by direct writes to a specific port or by strings of data written to the configured output ports.
- ROUTe commands set and clear the relay driver outputs.
- MEASure command group sets the input ranges and reads the analog and temperature input values.
- SENSe group controls the digital input functions. Digital inputs can be read directly from a specific port or as a data string from the configured input ports.
- CALibrate group saves the calibration values in Flash and has a default command to restore the factory settings.

Serial Interfaces

The 2307 provides RS-232 and RS-422/RS-485 signals on it's 9-pin serial connector. Signal selection is made by jumpers on the 2307. The RS-232 interface is a full-duplex, three wire interface. The RS-422/RS-485 interface is a four wire interface with TX and RX signal pairs. The transmitter can be set for full or half duplex operation. RS-485 network connections are made by externally jumpering the TX and RX signal pairs.

Networking Capabilities

The 2307 can be operated on a RS-422 or RS-485 network by prefixing messages to the 2307 with a two character address sequence. The 2307's serial address detection capability lets the user control up to sixteen 2307s on a single network. When address recognition is enabled, the 2307 looks for presence of the STX character followed by its own address before acting upon the remainder of the attached command string. The address is saved in the 2307's Flash memory. A separate command lets the user enable or disable the address sequence.

Packet Protocol

The 2307 also supports message packets that include a checksum for added message security in noisy environments. Each received message is verified against the checksum before being executed. Valid messages are responded to with a response or an acknowledgment message. Invalid messages are responded to with a command error message. The message syntax is:

STX Addr Comd...ETX Checksum

The packet protocol requires the use of an address for the 2307 even when the 2307 is being used on a point-to-point connection. A separate command lets the user enable or disable the packet protocol.

Physical Description

The 2307 is packaged on a small 4.5 inch x 5.5 inch PC board. Maximum component height is 0.5 inches. The 2307 can be mounted against a panel or on a larger PC board. It has mounting blocks so it can also be attached directly

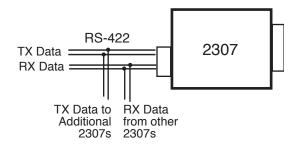


Figure 2 RS-422 Connections

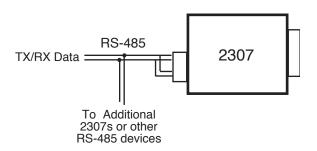
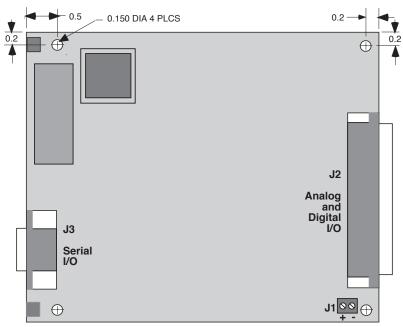


Figure 3 RS-485 Connections



Note - All dimensions are in inches

Figure 4 2307 Board layout

to a rear panel. The Serial I/O connector (J3) is a DE-9S with lock studs. All of the analog and digital signals are connected through J2 which is a DC-62S high density connector with lock studs. 5 volt

regulated power is connected to the 2307 via the screw terminal block, J1.

Serial Interface and Commands

Provides RS-232 and RS-422/RS-485 asynchronous serial interfaces. Signal type selected by jumpers on the board.

RS-232 Interface

Signals: AB, BA and BB Mode: Full Duplex

RS-422/RS-485 Signals

Signals: TX/RX pairs

Mode: Half duplex with or

without network address detection

Data Rates and Formats

Baud Rate: 300 to 115.2 Kbaud

Data bits: 7 or 8 Stop bits: 1 or 2

Parity: Odd, Even or None

Command Sets

SCPI and short form commands listed in Table 1 plus the following IEEE 488.2

Common Commands:

*CLS, *ESE, *ESE?, *ESR?, *IDN?, *OPC, *OPC?, *PSC, *PSC?, *RCL, *RST, *SAV, *SRE, *SRE?, *TRG, *TST, and *WAI.

Table 1 Programmable Functions

Baud Rate, Serial Format **Enable Network Addressing** Set Network Address **IDN** Message String input (Talk) bytes Input data polarity Input data format Input data conversion Input control signal polarities String output (Listen) bytes Output polarity Output data Format 488.2 Status Enable Registers Byte out polarities Byte in polarities **Output Driver Settings**

Digital I/O

32 lines configurable as input or outputs in 8-bit byte increments.

Input High = > +2.4 VLogic Low = < 0.5 V

Levels 33 Kohm pullup to +5 Vdc

for normally open contacts.

Output High = >3 V, 3 mA source Logic High = >2 V, 24 mA source Levels Low = 0.0 to +0.8 Vdc,

48 mA sink

Analog Inputs

6 single ended inputs with programmable ranges.

Ranges $\pm 10, \pm 5, 0 \text{ to } +5, 0 \text{ to } +10 \text{Vdc}$

Resolution 1 part in 12 bits

Accuracy 4 bits

Offset 5 bits (Zero and endpoints)

Scaling Offset and gain
Scan Rate 50 samples/sec
Averaging Response 8.5 ms after terminator

Analog Outputs

4 outputs with common ground.

Vout 0 to 4.99 Vdc

Resolution 1 part in 10 bits (4.88 mV)
Accuracy 2 bits (Non-linearity)
Offset 4 bits (Zero and endpoint)
Load 5 kohms maximum
Scaling Offset and Gain
Update 8 ms after terminator

Driver Outputs

6 open collector relay drivers

Imax 300 mA Vmax 48 Vdc

Response 2 ms after terminator

Temperature Measurements

Four type J thermocouple inputs

Range: $-100 \text{ to} + 400 \, ^{\circ}\text{C}$

Resolution 0.1 °C

Accuracy ±2 °C exclusive of

thermocouple error

Filter 1 to 100 samples

Diagnostic Indicators

Six on board LEDs: PWR, RDY, MTA, MLA, SRQ and ERR.

Physical

Size, L x W x H

139.7 x 114.3 x 12.7 mm (5.5 x 4.5 x 0.5 inches)

Connectors and Headers

GPIB: 26-pin (2 row x 13 pin)

header

Data: 62-pin DC shell female

connector

Power: 2 screw terminals

Temperature

Operation -10° C to +70° C Storage -20° C to +85° C

Humidity

0-90% ŘH, no condensation

Power

 $+5 \pm 0.2 \text{ Vdc} = 400 \text{ mA (typ)}$

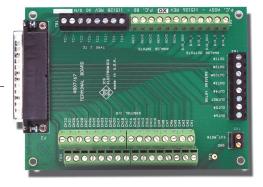
Included Accessories

Instruction Manual

Support CD with configuration programs and sample Visual Basic

program.

62-pin mating connector and hood



48x7/23x7 Terminal Board Assembly

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Serial Data Acquisition and Control Board without thermocouple inputs (Includes Instruction Manual and Support CD)	2307-TC
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