

PC/104-Serial I/O Board

104-COM232-8 / 104-COM232-4 / 104-COM232-2



KEY FEATURES:

8, 4 or 2 RS-232 asynchronous serial COM ports Speeds up to 921.6K with 64-byte FIFO Programmable IRQ sharing simplifies system design and installation Low power required: +5VDC at 80mA typical

Operates as a standard COM port in all operating systems

The 104-COM232-8 series are eight, four, or two-port asynchronous, RS-232 serial communication boards. The boards are feature-rich and allow for the connection of multiple serial devices—ideal for a variety of applications such as POS, barcode readers, modems, machine monitoring and control, military, high-density networking applications or any other application requiring the connection of RS-232 serial devices to a PC/104 compatible system.

Ports are accessed via two 40-pin IDC type right angle header connectors for the boards optional breakout cable.

The 104-COM232-8 series were designed using type 16780 UARTS and include 64byte transmit/receive FIFO buffers to protect against lost data in multi-tasking systems while maintaining 100% compatibility with all operating system COM port drivers. ADL offers the 104-COM232-8 series in both standard and extended temperature versions ideal for outdoor applications or harsh industrial surroundings.

Ordering options include UARTs with larger FIFOs, support for custom baud rates, vertical I/O pins, and custom cabling.

FACTORY OPTIONS:

0 to 70°C and -40 to +85°C versions available 128-byte FIFO

SOFTWARE

The 104-COM232-8 series are supported for use in all operating systems and include a free DOS, Linux and Windows 95/98/Me/ NT/2000/XP/2003 compatible software package. This includes sample programs and source code in "C" and Pascal for DOS, and Visual Basic, Delphi, C++ Builder, and Visual C++ for Windows. Also included is a graphical setup program in Windows. Embedded OS support includes Windows XPe and CE. An easy-to-use Windows terminal program simplifies verification of proper operation.



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Block Diagram & Pin Configuration



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Serial Ports General Number of serial ports 8, 4, or 2 I/O connections Via two 40 pin IDC type right angle connectors. There are eight pins per port plus common grounds. Full RS-232 Protocol Short circuit protection All outputs protected against continuous short circuit 921.6K Maximum baud rate Power required +5VDC at 80mA typical, all outputs open 5, 6, 7, or 8 data bits Character length -40 to +85°C optional, all versions Operating temperature Even, odd, or none Parity Operating humidity 5% to 95% RH, non-condensing Common mode +12V to -7V PC/104 bus 8-bit and 16-bit bus headers are used voltage range Base address options Programmable Interrupts Shared IRQ is programmed and stored onboard in non-volatile memory

Ordering Guide

104-COM232-8	8-port RS-232
104-COM 232-4	4-port RS-232
104-COM 232- 2	2-port RS-232

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