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16-Channel D/A Current or Voltage Output Board

Features

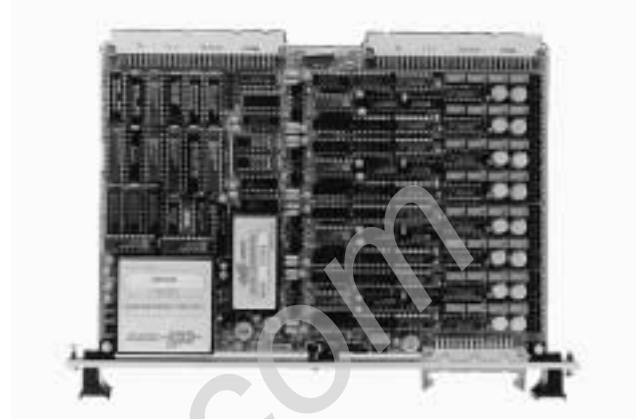
- Sixteen analog output channels
- Jumper-selectable voltage and current, voltage only or current loop outputs
- Current transmitter ranges (0 to 20mA, 4 to 20mA, and 5 to 25mA)
- Output voltage ranges (0 to +5V, 0 to +10V, $\pm 2.5V$, $\pm 5V$, $\pm 10V$)
- 12-bit resolution
- Front panel outputs (P3)
- On-board DC-to-DC
- Complies with VMEbus specification
 - ANSI/IEEE STD 1014-1987
 - IEC 821 and 297

Applications

- Industrial process control
- Current source reference for data acquisition
- Programmable current source for test equipment
- Automated manufacturing
- GE Fanuc Series 90TM-70 PLC

Introduction

The Analog Output Board provides 16 high-quality analog output channels. These channels are jumper-selectable for voltage outputs, current loop outputs, or a combination of voltage and current loop outputs. Each output range is also jumper-selectable. A block diagram of the board is shown in Figure 1.



Functional Characteristics

(Typical at +25°C and rated power supplies unless otherwise stated.)

Compliance: This product complies with VMEbus specification ANSI/IEEE STD 1014-1987 IEC 821 and 297, with the following mnemonics: A16: D16, D08 (EO): 29, 2D

Board Address: The physical address for the board may be selected by on-board jumpers. VMEbus address lines A06 through A15 are decoded for board selection.

VMEbus Access: Address modifier bits are jumper-selected and decoded to support nonprivileged short I/O or supervisory short I/O. The board is factory configured for supervisory short I/O.

Output Data Transfer: Data for each analog output channel is written directly into an on-board RAM location dedicated to a specific channel. The data is then periodically retrieved from the RAM, and converted to an analog voltage which is then transferred to one of 16 sample-and-hold output buffers.

Memory Test: This product is designed with dual-port on-board memory that may be tested by executing a memory diagnostic test for operational verification.

SysFail: Application of the SysFail signal via the VMEbus initializes the board into a state with all voltage outputs disconnected from the output connector (P3). Current outputs are set to the lowest value of the output range selected. For example, if 4 to 20mA is the output

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range selected, then power up or system reset will set the current output to 4mA.

Front Panel Fail LED: If an error condition occurs during diagnostics, a software-controlled LED may be illuminated to visually indicate a failure. The LED is illuminated by system reset at power up and is extinguished upon successful diagnostic execution.

Voltage Analog Outputs

Number of Output Channels: 16 output channels, one Sample-and-Hold buffer per channel

Full-Scale Analog Output (Jumper-Selectable):

Unipolar: 0 to +10V	Bipolar: ±2.5V
0 to +5V	±5.0V
	±10.0V

Analog Output Code: The 12-bit Digital-to-Analog Converter (DAC) accepts digital codes in straight binary and offset binary.

Output Load Current: 5mA, maximum at full accuracy

Resolution: 12 bits

Output Impedance: 0.33Ω

Total Error: ±0.05% of full-scale range

Maximum Settling Time to 1 LSB: 1.7ms

Refresh Update Rate: 588Hz (default); 1,600Hz (FAST REFRESH). The FAST REFRESH rate provides a filtered output for complex functions; whereas, the 588Hz rate provides settling to 0.01% for stepped outputs at each update. The 1,600Hz rate provides settling to 0.2dB (2%). Both rates provide settling to 0.01% in 1.7ms.

Output Short Circuit Protection: Indefinite short to common; momentary short to ±25V

Monotonicity: Monotonic over the full temperature range

Reset: All outputs are disconnected from the output connector at power up or reset.

Current Analog Outputs

Number of Output Channels: 16 output channels

Output Ranges (Jumper-Selectable): 4 to 20mA, 0 to 20mA, 5 to 2mA (4 to 12mA, 0 to 10mA and 5 to 15mA also available)

Nonlinearity: 0.01% of span

Initial Offset Error: 7μA

Offset Versus Temperature: 0.0005% of span/°C

Initial Span Error: 0.05% of span

Span Error Versus Temperature: 0.0025% of span/°C

Maximum Settling Time to 1 LSB: 1.7ms

Load Resistance: 600Ω maximum at 20mA, 480Ω maximum at 25mA

Reset: Current outputs are set to the lowest value of the output range selected

Physical/Environmental

Temperature:

Operating: 0 to 55°C (Standard VME slot)
0 to 65°C (1.6-in slot)
Storage: -40 to +85°C

Humidity: 5 to 95% relative, noncondensing

Altitude: Operation to 10,000ft

Cooling: Forced air convection (Standard VME slot)
Convection (1.6-in. slot)

Dimensions: Double height Eurocard (6U) 160 x 233.35mm

Output Connector: P3 (32-pin DIN) front panel connector

Power Requirements: 2.5A (typical) at +5VDC, 4.0A (maximum)

Agency Approvals: UL1604 with C-UL

Certification by Underwriters Laboratory for use in Class 1, Div. 2, Groups A, B, C, D Hazardous Locations. Board complies with applicable CSA Standards as evaluated by UL. The C-UL mark is accepted throughout Canada.

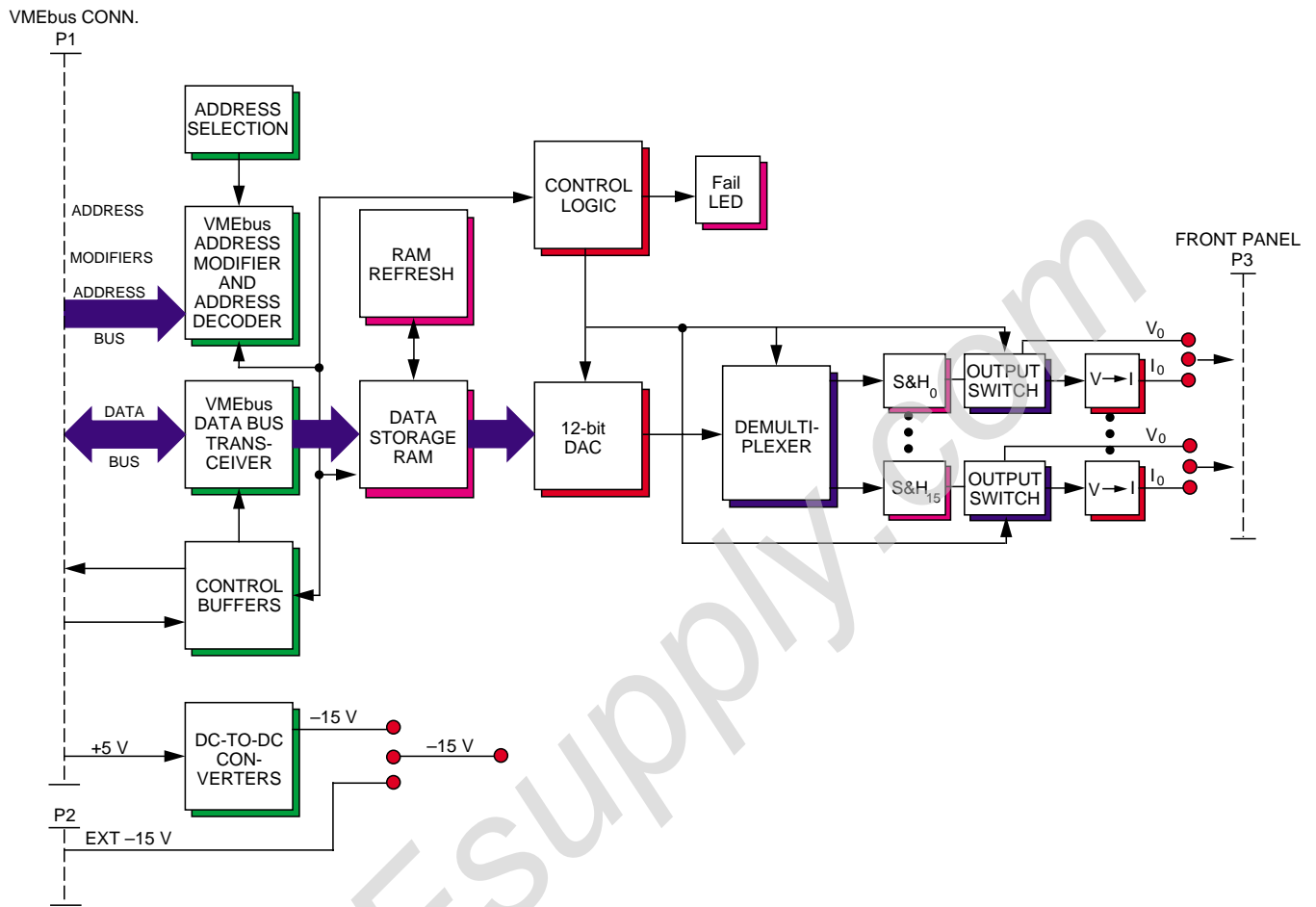


Figure 1. Functional Block Diagram