

CAN-PC Interface

CPC-104I

User Manual

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1 Overview

1.1 Attributes

CPC-104I offers a range of unique features which make it valuable for many CAN based applications:

- CAN interface for industrial applications
- Available with one or two CAN channels
- CiA DS-102 and ISO 11898 compatible physical layer
- Smart system with fast integrated microcontroller Dallas DS80C320
- Equipped with Philips SJA1000 CAN controller
- Philips PCA82C251 CAN transceiver for increased robustness
- Extended ESD-protection of the CAN transceiver
- Galvanic decoupling between PC and CAN bus
- Modular application interface with libraries for Borland C++ and Microsoft C
- Optional MS-Windows driver with DLL based API and VxD technology for high communication throughput
- Automatic address range detection by memory managers.

1.2 General description

Designed for industrial series applications CPC-104I has a robust and cost efficient construction.

CPC-104I eases the development of application software on the PC. The integrated microcontroller takes load of the PC-CPU and buffers and preprocesses CAN messages. A high level programming interface with modular design results in efficient software development. A library of interface routines for Borland C++, Borland Pascal and Microsoft C is included.

CPC-104I is shipped with one or two CAN channels. For high volume applications cost optimized versions without galvanic decoupling and with PROM based code storage are available.

Interrupt channels 3-7, 10-12, 14, 15 are supported.

1.3 Sample Applications

The application area of CPC-104I is wide. Some sample applications are detailed in the following and supported by corresponding software:

- Online configuration of CAN networks
- Network setup and analysis
- Use of PCs as CAN nodes on the application level
- Visualisation of process parameters in CAN based systems.

1.4 Ordering Information

10-07-201-20	CPC–104I/SJA1000S320-GTI CAN PC–104 board with microcontroller Dallas 80C320 and 1 galvanically separated CAN channel with Philips SJA1000
10-07-211-20	CPC–104I/SJA1000D320-GTI CAN PC–104 board with microcontroller Dallas 80C320 and 2 galvanically separated CAN channels with Philips SJA1000

2 Software

The software consists of two parts. One part is executed by the microprocessor inside CPC–104I. The application program runs on the PC and makes use of the interface library.

2.1 Functions of CPC–104I

CPC–104I offers enhanced functionality for CAN communication:

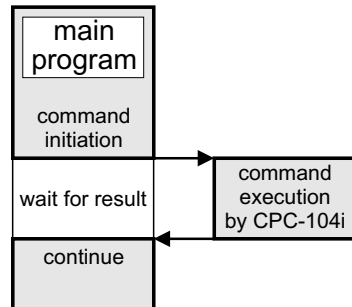
- Transmission and reception of CAN-messages
- Filtering and buffering of received messages
- Measurement of bus-load

The functions of CPC–104I are accessed across the interface library of the PC.

2.2 Application program: Concepts of realization

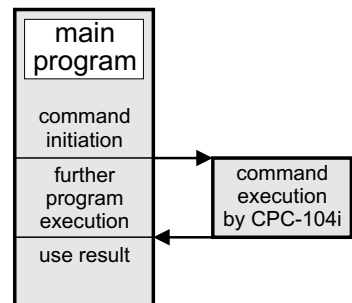
The library of interface functions supports two ways to implement the application program. The synchronous mode complies with conventional programming. The sequence of program steps is given by the program structure. Asynchronous mode allows event driven programming similar to the way used in graphical user interfaces.

2.3 Synchronous Interface



Implementation of the main program with synchronous interface allows simple and clearly arranged programs with sequential control flow. It is suitable mainly for simple applications, which allow a predefinition of events to process. This is true if, for example, only CAN messages are to be received or only bus load measurement is to be realized.

2.4 Asynchronous Interface



The asynchronous interface provides enhanced flexibility in reaction to events which are not predictable in their sequence of occurrence. Communication objects can be processed independent of program state, reactions can be configured flexible. For this purpose every communication object is handed on to a set of handling functions. Such functions are provided within the programming library. The application programmer can add routines as required by application purposes.

2.5 Data Structures and Library Functions

2.5.1 Data Structures

The following structures are declared in file CPC.H.

Please notice that the structures and functions described in the following refer to the old DOS and Windows libraries and are included in this manual for compatibility reasons. The new structures and functions are described within the manual 'CPC Series Development Kit for MS Windows Environment'.

struct CPC_MSG

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Declaration: struct CPC_MSG {
                unsigned char typ;
                unsigned char length;
                union {
                    unsigned char genericmsg[];
                    unsigned char textmsg[];
                    char versionmsg[];
                    char serialmsg[];
                    struct CPC_CAN_MSG canmsg;
                    unsigned char busloadmsg;
                    unsigned char canstatemsg;
                    struct CPC_CAN_PARAMS
                        can_params_msg;
                }
            }
  
```

Description: CPC_MSG serves for parameter transfer between application program and interface library.

struct CPC_CAN_MSG

Declaration: struct CPC_CAN_MSG{
 unsigned short id;
 unsigned char length;
 unsigned char overrun;
 unsigned char msg[8];
 };

Description: CPC_CAN_MSG serves for transfer of CAN messages between application program and interface library

struct CPC_CAN_PARAMS

Declaration: struct CPC_CAN_PARAMS{
 unsigned char acc_code;
 unsigned char acc_mask;
 unsigned char btr0, btr1;
 unsigned char outp_contr;
 };

Description: CPC_CAN_PARAMS defines initialization values for the CAN controller in CPC–104I (type PCA82C200)

struct CPC_INIT_PARAMS

Declaration: struct CPC_INIT_PARAMS{
 struct CPC_CAN_PARAMS
 std_can_params;
 unsigned char secure_transmit;
 void interrupt (far * inthandler());
 };

Description: The global variable CPC_Init_Params, which has this type, holds initialization parameters.

2.5.2 Synchronous Functions

CPC_CAN_Init

Syntax: `#include cpc.h`
`int CPC_CAN_Init(void);`

Description: `CPC_CAN_Init()` initialises the parameters of the CAN controller within CPC-104I. The CAN-controller is set up with parameters supplied in the global structure `CPC_Init_Params` (declaration in `cpc.h`). These parameters can be changed before the call to `CPC_CAN_Init()`. `CPC_CAN_Init` is to be called before data transmission across the CAN is initiated.

Return value: –

CPC_Control

Syntax: `#include cpc.h`
`int CPC_Control(int);`

Description: `CPC_Control()` serves for setup of the message types to be transmitted from CPC–104I to the PC. The upper 6 bits select the type of message, the lower 2 bits determine the transmission behaviour. The properties that can be influenced are described in `cpc.h`.

Return value: –

CPC_Exit

Syntax: `#include cpc.h`
`void CPC_Exit(void);`

Description: `CPC_Exit()` is to be called before leaving the application program. `CPC_Exit()` is in any case to be used paired with `CPC_Init()`.

Return value: –

CPC_Get_Busload

Syntax: `#include cpc.h`
`int CPC_Get_Busload(void);`

Description: `CPC_Get_Busload()` measures the actual bus-load and returns it as percentage of the maximum bus load.

Return value: Actual bus load: 0 corresponds to 0%, 255 corresponds to 100% bus-load.

CPC_Get_Serial

Syntax: `#include cpc.h`
`char * CPC_Get_Serial(void);`

Description: `CPC_Get_Serial` returns the serial number of the connected CPC–104I module.

Return value: Pointer to a string with the serial number or NULL in case of errors.

CPC_Get_Version

Syntax: `#include cpc.h`
`char * CPC_Get_Version(void);`

Description: `CPC_Get_Version` returns the version number of the connected CPC-104I module.

Return value: Pointer to a string with the version number or NULL in case of errors.

CPC_Init

Syntax: `#include cpc.h`
`int CPC_Init(void);`

Description: `CPC_Init()` initialises the communication with CPC-104I. CPC-104I is initialised to standard parameters, which are stored in the global structure `CPC_Init_Params` (declaration in `cpc.h`). These parameters can be changed on demand before calling `CPC_Init()`. `CPC_Init()` is to be called before using the other functions of the interface library.

Return value: 0 for correct initialization,
-1 for initialization errors.

CPC_Read_Msg

Syntax: `#include cpc.h`
`void CPC_Read_Msg`
`(struct CPC_CAN_MSG *);`

Description: `CPC_Read_Msg()` receives a message from the CAN. The received communication object is stored in a structure of type `CPC_CAN_MSG`, which is indicated by the pointer passed on function call.

Return value: –

CPC_Send_Msg

Syntax: `#include cpc.h`
`int CPC_Send_Msg`
`(struct CPC_CAN_MSG *);`

Description: `CPC_Send_Msg()` sends a message across the CAN. The function call passes a pointer to a structure of type `CPC_CAN_MSG`, which contains the communication object to be transmitted.

Return value: –

CPC_Send_RTR

Syntax: #include cpc.h
 int CPC_Send_RTR
 (struct CPC_CAN_MSG *);

Description: CPC_Send_RTR() transmits a Remote-Transmission-Request message across the CAN. The function call passes a pointer to a structure of type CPC_CAN_MSG, which contains the communication object to be transmitted.

Return value: –

2.5.3 Functions for the Asynchronous Programming Interface

CPC_Add_Handler

Syntax: #include cpc.h
 int CPC_Add_Handler(void (*handler)
 (const struct CPC_MSG *));

Description: CPC_Add_Handler() adds the handler indicated by the pointer passed at function call to the list of handlers which are executed on any incoming CPC–104I message.

Return value: 0 on error free execution,
 –1 if the list of handlers is full.

CPC_Remove_Handler

Syntax: #include cpc.h
 int CPC_Remove_Handler(void (*handler)
 (const struct CPC_MSG *));

Description: CPC_Remove_Handler() removes the handler indicated by the pointer passed at function call from the list of handlers which are executed on any incoming CPC–104I message. If the handler is contained more than once, the last occurrence is removed.

Return value: 0 on error free execution,
 –1 if handler was not within the list.

CPC_Handle

Syntax: `#include cpc.h`
`struct CPC_MSG * CPC_Handle();`

Description: `CPC_Handle()` checks for availability of a new message from CPC-104I. If a message is available, all asynchronous handlers are called in the sequence of their entry position with the new message as parameter. `CPC_Handle()` returns immediately, independent of the availability of a message.

Return value: A pointer to a static memory area containing the message is returned. This memory area is overwritten during following calls to `CPC_Handle()` and also on use of many of the synchronous interface functions. If no message is available, `CPC_Handle()` returns NULL.

2.6 MS-Windows Driver Additional Information

Please notice: this subchapter refers to the older version of the Windows Development Kit. For information on the new version please read the 'CPC Series Development Kit for MS Windows environment' manual.

The software functionality and interface equals the MS-DOS version. Differences exist in the software setup and a few additional functions.

2.6.1 Installation

The installation is provided by the setup program. Run SETUP.EXE from delivery disk.

The installation program performs the following actions:

- copy the files
- install entry for virtual device driver in SYSTEM.INI

2.6.2 Additional Functions

One additional function is necessary to compensate the fact that the initialisation structure is not directly accessible to the application:

CPC_Get_Init_Params_Ptr

Syntax: `#include "cpc.h"`
`structure CPC_INIT_PARAMS`
`CPC_Get_Init_Params_Ptr(void);`

Description: This function provides access to the initialization structure, which is contained in the Dynamic Link Library.

Return value: A pointer to the initialization structure in the Dynamic Link Library.

3 Electrical Characteristics

3.1 Absolute Limiting Values

Any (also temporary) stress in excess of the limiting values may cause permanent damage on CPC–104I.

Parameter	Min.	Max.	Unit
Storage temperature	–20	80	C
Operating temperature *	0	60	C
Voltage on the bus connections	–30	30	V
Current across ground connection	–	1	A

* Extended temperature range on demand

3.2 Nominal Values

Parameter	Min	Typ	Max	Unit
Power supply on pins B3, B29 and D17 of the PC–104 connector	4,75	5	5,25	V
Voltage on bus pins*	-30		30	V
Clock frequency		16		MHz

* This voltage is measured against the ground potential of the CAN transceiver.

4 Operation Instructions

4.1 Connection Scheme

The CAN-interface-connector (D-Sub 9 male) complies to CiA Standard DS 102-1. The pin usage is detailed in the following table.

Pin 1	–	Reserved by CiA
Pin 2	CAN_L	CAN_L bus line (dominant low)
Pin 3	GND	Ground
Pin 4	–	Reserved by CiA
Pin 5	–	Reserved by CiA
Pin 6	(GND)	Optional ground, internally connected to Pin 3
Pin 7	CAN_H	CAN_H bus line (dominant high)
Pin 8	–	Reserved by CiA (error signal)
Pin 9	–	–

4.2 Configuration

The configuration of the address space and used interrupt channel is achieved by jumpers on CPC-104I. Their position on the board is indicated in figure 1.

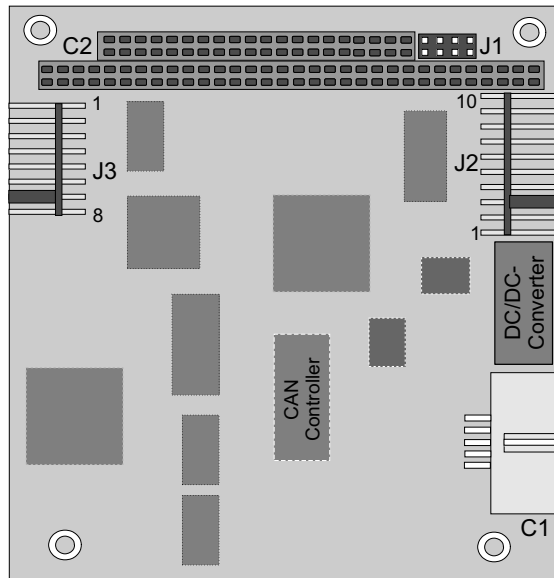


Figure 1: Jumper locations

Jumper bank J2 determines the used interrupt channel. The settings can be seen in figure 2; the configuration for interrupt channel 5 is shown. It is not allowed to set more than one jumper on this bank.

Jumper Allocation:

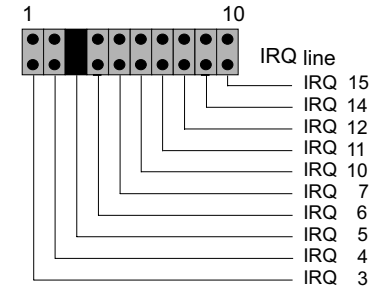
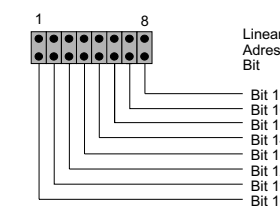


Figure 2: Interrupt settings

The base address is set with jumper J3. The possible selections are listed in figure 3.

Jumper Allocation:



Sample Settings:



Address = 0C0000h + Jumper Value
 Jumper installed Bit = 1, else Bit = 0

Figure 3: Address settings

4.3 Installation

CPC–104I may be installed in the board stack of a PC–104 system only. To avoid damage please pay attention to the following hints:

WARNING: Computer devices and components are sensitive against static discharge. For this reason keep CPC–104I in the antistatic cover until installing. Just before removing CPC–104I from the protection cover touch the metal case of your computer.

Avoid damage by achieving equal potential between all devices on the CAN before plugging the connection.

To the CAN adapter cable of CPC–104I only CAN networks with a connector and electrical character complying to CiA DS–102 may be attached.

In some versions of CPC–104I PC interface and CAN bus are not galvanic decoupled. Use in systems with diverging ground potential of PC and CAN bus is not permitted in this case.

Besides the instructions below carefully observe the instructions in the computers user manual.

If you are not sure about the installation please contact EMS Dr. Thomas Wünsche.

Execute the following steps for installation only if you have knowledge about and experience in installing PC plug-in boards:

- Disconnect the computer from the power line.
- Open the case of the computer and locate the correct position on the PC–104 stack.
- Plug CPC–104I carefully onto the PC–104 stack until it is completely seated.
If the card can not be inserted without problems, please don't use extensive force. Remove the card and retry.
- Fix CPC–104I with the proper mounting material.
- Attach the adapter cable connector to an appropriate position in the computers case and close the case.

If you do not have sufficient knowledge and experience to install the board, please consult a computer service person with the mentioned prerequisites.