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Extra I/O Option for all Boards of the MI.xxxx Series



- **24 additional static digital I/O**
- **4 additional static analogue outputs**
- **Signals available on extra slot bracket or internally**
- **Digital I/O: software selectable to input or output in groups of eight bit**
- **Analogue outputs: ± 10 V with 12 bit resolution**

General

The extra I/O module is a piggyback module for all boards of the MI.xxxx series. It fits in the on-board expansion slot at the rear end of the board. With this simple-to-use enhancement it is possible to control a wide range of external instruments. The extra I/O module could be used instead of a complete Multi I/O board from third party. It is fitted well for OEM solutions and also for special applications.

There are two versions available. The -xmf version offers all 24 digital I/O and the 4 analogue outputs with ± 10 V on an extra bracket. It is used to connect external instruments to the system. The -xio option only uses a small internal flat ribbon connector with 16 digital I/O. With this it is possible to control internally connected instruments.

Applications

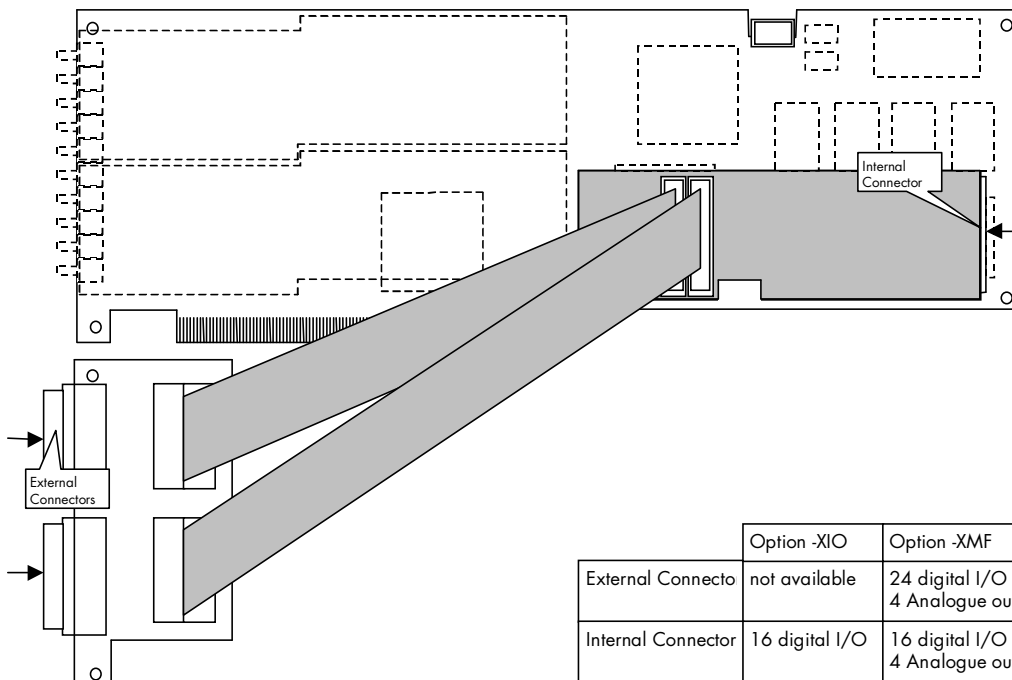
The extra I/O option is useful if an external amplifier should be controlled, any kind of signal source must be programmed, an antenna must be adjusted, a status information from external machine has to be obtained or different test signals have to be routed to the board.

Benefits

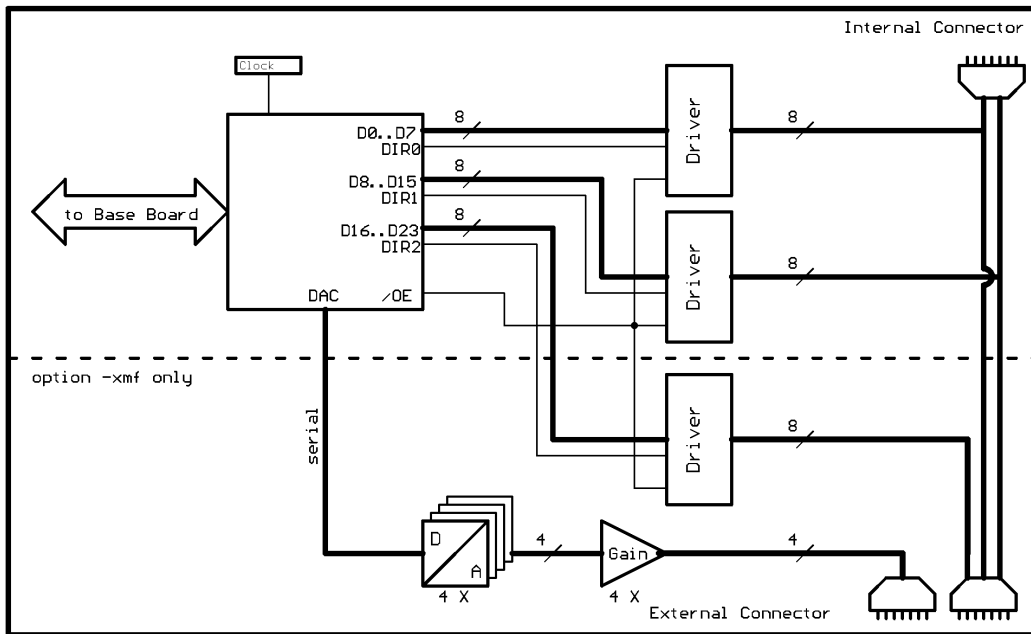
Compared to a third-party multi I/O board:

- cost-reduction
- reduction of needed slots and space
- easy to program
- same software interface as MI.xxxx boards
- complete solution from one supplier

Placement



Hardware block diagram



Technical data

Digital I/O			
channels	24	output current (high level)	≤ -15 mA
output voltage high level	> 2.4 V (typ. 3.6 V)	output current (low level)	$\geq +24$ mA
output voltage low level	< 0.5 V	input current (high level)	≤ 0.4 mA
input voltage high level	> 2.0 V	input current (low level)	≤ 0.1 mA
input voltage low level	< 0.8 V	max. switching frequency	≥ 50 kHz

Power consumption	350 mA @ +5 V	(no termination)
Width (version -xio)	1 full size slot	
Width (version -xmf)	2 full size slots	(one PCI connector used)
External connector	40 pole Hirose FX2	
Internal connector	26 pole flat ribbon	

Analogue outputs	
channels	4
voltage range	-10 V ... +10 V
max. output current	10 mA
resolution	12 bit (1 LSB = 5 mV)
max. switching frequency	5 kHz
offset error	$\leq \pm 20$ mV (4 LSB)
gain error	$\leq \pm 2$ %

It is not possible to use this option together with the timestamp or star-hub option.

Order Information

Option -xio	Extra I/O with 16 digital I/O with internal connector	MI.xxxx-xio
Option -xmf	Extra I/O with 24 digital I/O and 4 analogue outputs with external connector+cables	MI.xxxx-xmf
Extra cable	40 pole flat ribbon cable with connector for all digital I/O on MI.xxxx boards	MI.xxxx-dcab

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