

CHAPTER 1

INTRODUCTION

The RS232 to RS485 photo isolator provides a RS232 signals to RS485 signals conversion features, which are used to expand long haul communication distance via multi-drop communication of RS485 signal, and it allows the input signals to be completely prevent up to 1000V. There are 3 LED indicators correspond to Tx, Rx, and power signals. A 9V, 500mA power adapter is provided in the package.

The features of RS232 to RS485 photo isolator are:

- Standard EIA RS232 to RS485 converter interface.
- Photo isolator function that prevents signals up to 1000V.
- Transmission distance up to 1200m.
- Female RS232 connector.
- Male RS485 connector.
- 9V, 500mA power adapter.
- Point to point or multi-drop available.
- Provide auto flow control.

CHAPTER 2

UNPACKING INFORMATION

Check that your RS232 to RS485 photo isolator package includes the following items:

- RS232 to RS485 photo isolator.
- DB 25 pin cable
- User manual.
- Warranty form.

CHAPTER 3

HARDWARE CONFIGURATION

The on board jumpers can be used to set flow control and delay time.

JP1 (Jumper 1)

Select delay time when auto flow control is set.

JP2 (Jumper 2)

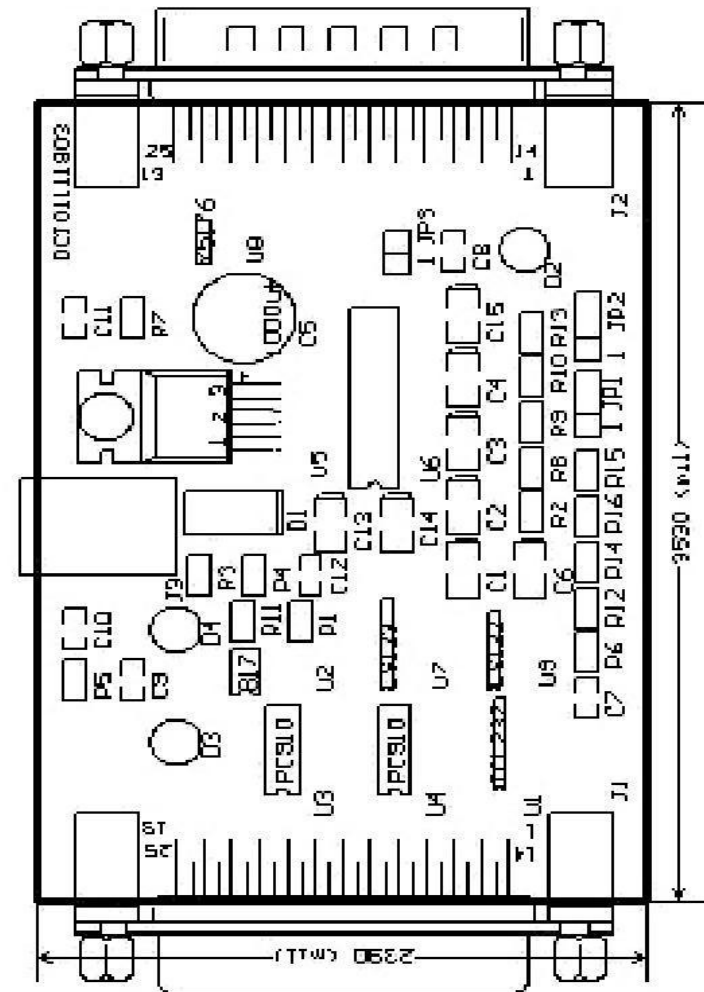
Select flow control.

JP3 (Jumper 3)

Set photo isolator.

VR

Adjust delay time.

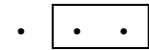


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1. Select auto flow control

JP2

1 2 3



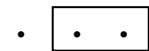
The JP2 is used to set auto flow control. When short pin 2 and pin 3 means auto flow control, user only need to send data from Tx signal, the hardware will control RTS signal automatically. When short pin 1 and pin 2 means RTS flow control, while user need to send data, it needs to set RTS signal to 1, to enter driver mode, then send message or data. After sending message, it needs to set signal to 0 to enter receive mode again.

Pin	Mode
Short 1,2	RTS Control
Short 2,3	Auto Flow Control

2. Select delay time

JP1

1 2 3



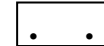
The JP1 is used to set maximum delay time when auto flow control is set. To short pin 1 and pin 2 means maximum delay time is 4.6 ms, and short pin 2 and pin 3 means maximum delay is 40 ms. To adjust maximum delay time, please adjust VR.

Pin	Maximum Delay Time
Short 1,2	4.6 ms
Short 2,3	40 ms

3. Set photo isolator

JP3

1 2



The JP3 is used to set photo isolator. When short pin 1 and pin 2 means disable photo isolator, otherwise, photo isolator is set.

Pin	Mode
Open 1,2	Disable Photo Isolator
Short 1,2	Photo Isolator

4. VR

The VR is used to adjust maximum delay time. Please use the software in the shipping package to adjust it.

3.1 RS485 Cabling Information for DB25

The RS485 signal assignment is shown as follows.

Pin	Description
2	TRD+
3	TRD-
7	Ground

The RS485 communication is based on cable sharing method, which is connected as following:

Computer at site 1	Computer at site 2
TRD+	TRD+
TRD-	TRD-
Ground	Ground

3.2 RS232 Cabling Information for DB25

The communication interface follows the EIA RS232 standard. The signal assignments for a standard DB25 connector are shown below:

DB25 Pin #	Signal Name	RS-232C Name	Signal Direction
2	Transmit Data(TxD)	BA	Output
3	Receive Data(RxD)	BB	Input
4	Request to Send(RTS)	CA	Output
5	Clear to Send(CTS)	CB	Input
7	Signal Ground(SG)	AB	Common

APPENDIX A

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