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Brainboxes UC-320 Universal PCI Low Profile 1 Port Velocity RS422/485





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The UC-320 uses Brainboxes new industry leading UART BB16PCI958 and supports both 3.3V / 5V standards. Increasingly, modern PCs are coming with 3.3V PCI slots. The change from 5V to 3.3V signalling on the PCI bus is a result of the technical advances made by leading PC manufacturers such as Dell, HP and IBM to increase system speed while reducing onboard PC power consumption. What this means is that many new PC systems no longer use 5V signalling on the PCI bus, and 5V-only PCI cards cannot be used in these PCs. As part of our continued commitment to designing and manufacturing leading edge serial RS232 technology, we now offer the Universal PCI range that can work in both 5V and 3.3V signalling environments. This allows new and existing customers to have an easy migration path to this new technology.

Serial Ports	1 x RS422/485, 9-pin D-Type (Male)
Software Included	Serial Solutions Device Driver CD contains software for Windows Server 2003, Windows XP, Windows 2000, Windows Millennium, Windows 98, Windows 95, Windows NT4 and Linux support. Windows Server 2003, Windows XP and Windows 2000 signed drivers.
Operating Systems Supported	Windows Server 2003, Windows XP, Windows 2000, Windows Millennium, Windows 98, Windows 95, Windows NT4 and Linux support
Dimensions	6.3cm (W) x 12.0cm (D) - Weight 0.097kg

Features

- * 1 RS422/485 Serial Ports selectable as RS422 or RS485
- * On-board zener diodes offer transient spike protection
- \ast On board terminating resistors with full fail-safe open / short circuit protection
- * Sample Programs, Test & Terminal software all with source code
- * Full PCI Bus Plug & Play
- * Up to 128byte transmit and receive FIFO



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* Greater control of FIFO trigger levels, and readable FIFO levels for improved transfer efficiency

- * Drivers for all popular operating systems
- * Supports both 3.3V / 5V standards
- * PCI 2.3 Compliant

* RS422/485 Options: RS422: Automatic CTS/RTS flow control, software enabled RS485 -Automatic Hardware half duplex RS485 Gating 485 FEATURES: RxD-/TxD- multiplex jumpers Wiring Schemes: One talker, many listeners Many talkers/listeners full dup

Specification

General

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Chipset/Emulation	
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UART

16750+

Communications

Baud Rate

Up to 921.6 Kbps



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Protection	+ve spikes >12V -ve spikes > 6.8V
Data Bits	5, 6, 7, 8
Stop Bits	1 or 2
Parity	Odd, even, none, mark or space
Interfaces/Ports	
Serial Ports	1 x RS422/485, 9-pin D-Type (Male)
System	
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System Requirements	
Operating Systems Supported	Windows Server 2003, Windows XP, Windows 2000, Windows Millennium, Windows 98, Windows 95, Windows NT4 and Linux support
Physical	
Height of Bracket	8cm
Dimensions	6.3cm (W) x 12.0cm (D) - Weight 0.097kg



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About Memory Express

Although we started out selling just Memory the best part of fifteen years ago, we have diversified organically over the years at the request of our customers. We specialise in Networking, Storage and Disaster Recovery and have the knowledge, experience and strategic partnerships to provide you with the service and value you demand - quality products, reasonably priced and delivered on time.

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