CA Series for PC/104 and CB Series for PC/104-Plus Quick Installation Guide

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Overview

Moxa offers a wide selection of PC/104 and PC/104-Plus serial boards that provide industrial-grade connections to multiple serial devices. The CA Serial Board Series is for PC/104 modules while the CB Serial Board series is for PC/104-Plus module.

Package Checklist

PC/104 or PC/104-Plus boards are shipped with the following items:

- Moxa multiport serial board (PC/104 module is for CA Series; PC/104-Plus module is for CB Series)
- Documentation and software CD
- Quick installation guide (printed)
- Warranty card

Please notify your sales representative if any of the above items are missing or damaged.

Hardware Installation

The PC/104 or PC/104-Plus MUST be plugged into the PC before the driver is installed. Follow these steps below.

CA Seri	es	CB Series		
Step 1:	Turn the embedded	Step 1:	Turn the embedded	
	computer off		computer off	
Step 2:	Set the I/O address,	Step 2:	Set interface	
	Interrupt vector, IRQ, and		(Refer to section: "Block	
	serial interface		Diagram, I/O Address,	
	(Refer to the section:		Interrupt Vector, Serial	
	"Block Diagram, I/O		Interface")	
	Address, Interrupt Vector,			
	Serial Interface")			
Step 3:	Insert the module into the	Step 3:	Insert the module into	
	PC/104 slot		PC/104 slot.	
Step 4:	Screw the control board in	Step 4:	Screw the control board in	
	place		place.	
Step 5:	Connect the cables	Step 5:	Connect the cables.	
	(Refer to the section: "Pin		(Refer to the section: "Pin	
	Assignments")		Assignments")	
Step 6:	Turn the embedded	Step 6:	Turn the embedded	
	computer on		computer on.	

Software Installation

Follow these steps:

Step 1: Get the driver at www.moxa.com or from the CD.

Based on the OS type, choose the corresponding driver.

Step 2: Install Driver

- For Windows (Take the installation of Win7 as an example)
 - 2.1. Unzip and execute the .exe file
 - 2.2. Follow the instructions to install the drivers Note: If your model is from the CB Series, then the installation is done. Otherwise, please do the following

steps for the CA Series models.

- 2.3. Follow the instructions of "Add Hardware Wizard"
- 2.4. Follow the instruction of "Found Hardware Wizard". This step is for mapping your driver and hardware device.
 - 2.5. Repeat steps 2.3 and 2.4 to activate the other serial ports.

For Linux

2.1. Get the driver from CD and Unzip the file:

#mount /dev/cdrom /mnt/cdrom

#cd /

#mkdir moxa

#cd moxa

#cp /mnt/cdrom/<driver directory>/mxpcdrv.tgz
#tar xvfz mxpcdrv.tqz

2.2. Install the driver:

#cd mxser

#./mxinstall

2.3. Install the module driver, using the hardware settings that you have selected

(This step is only for the CA Series)

For example: I/O address of 0x180, an INT vector of 0x1C0, and an IRQ of 10

#modprobe mxpcdrv ioaddr=0x180 iovect=0x1C0 irg=10

2.4. You can use the Moxa diagnostic utility to verify the driver's status:

#cd /moxa/mxpcdrv/utility/diag

#./msdiag

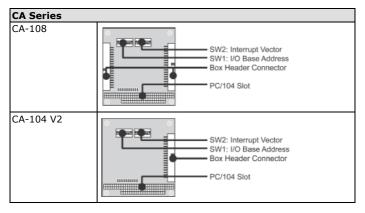
2.5 You can use the Moxa terminal utility to test the TTY ports:

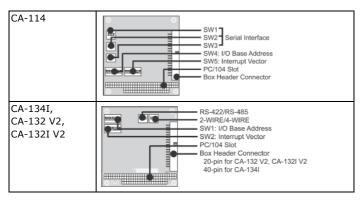
#cd /moxa/mxpcdrv/utility/term

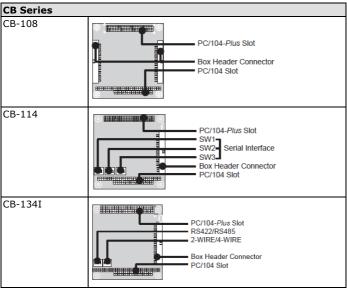
#./msterm

Block Diagram, I/O Address, Interrupt Vector, Serial Interface

Block Diagrams





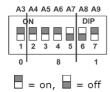


I/O Address (Only for the CA Series)

Use DIP switch SW1 to set port 1's I/O base address. The other ports will be configured automatically.

The default I/O base address is 0×180 and allows settings from 0×000 to $0\times3FF.$

Some popular settings are provided below:



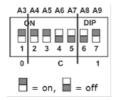
For example, an I/O base address of 0×180 should be set as follows:

							Hex
ON	ON	ON	ON	OFF	OFF	ON	0x180

The other serial ports will be set automatically to 0×188 , 0×190 , 0×198 , etc.

Interrupt Vector (Only for CA Series)

А3	A4	A5	A6	A7	A8	A9	
8	1	2	4	8	1	2	Hex
ON	0×000						
ON	ON	ON	ON	ON	ON	off	0×200
ON	ON	ON	ON	ON	off	off	0×300
ON	ON	ON	ON	off	off	off	0×380
ON	ON	ON	off	off	off	off	0×3C0
ON	ON	off	off	off	off	off	0×3E0
ON	off	off	off	off	off	off	0×3F0
off	0×3F8						
off	ON	ON	ON	ON	ON	ON	0×008
off	off	ON	ON	ON	ON	ON	0×018
off	off	off	ON	ON	ON	ON	0×038
off	off	off	off	ON	ON	ON	0×078
off	off	off	off	off	ON	ON	0×0F8
off	off	off	off	off	ON	off	0×2F8



Use DIP switch SW2 to set port 1's interrupt vector.

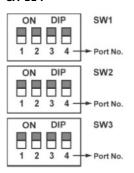
The default interrupt vector is 0×1C0, with SW2 set as follows:

А3	A4	A5	A6	A7	A8	A9	Hex
ON	ON	ON	ON	OFF	OFF	ON	0x1C0

Serial Interface

CA Series

CA-114



Interface	RS-232	RS-422	RS-485 (4w)	RS-485 (2w)
SW1	-	-	ON	OFF
SW2	-	ON	OFF	OFF
SW3	ON	OFF	OFF	OFF

CA-134I, CA-132 V2, and CA-132I V2

Interface	2-wire/4-wire	RS-422/RS-485		
RS-422	=	OFF		
4-wire RS-485	OFF	ON		
2-wire RS-485	ON	ON		

CB Series

CB-114

Interface	RS-232	RS-422	RS-485 (4w)	RS-485 (2w)
SW1	-	-	ON	OFF
SW2	-	ON	OFF	OFF
SW3	ON	OFF	OFF	OFF

CB-134I

Interface	2-wire/4-wire	RS-422/RS-485		
RS-422	=	OFF		
4-wire RS-485	OFF	ON		
2-wire RS-485	ON	ON		

Pin Assignments

RS-232

(CA-108/CB-108, CA-114/CB-114, and CA-104)

NOTE Note that there are two 40-pin box header connectors on the CA-108/CB-108, of which each connects to 4 serial ports.

Pin	Signal	Pin	Signal	Pin	Signal	Pin	Signal
1	DCD0	11	DCD1	21	DCD2	31	DCD3
2	DSR0	12	DSR1	22	DSR2	32	DSR3
3	RxD0	13	RxD1	23	RxD2	33	RxD3
4	RTS0	14	RTS1	24	RTS2	34	RTS3
5	TxD0	15	TxD1	25	TxD2	35	TxD3
6	CTS0	16	CTS1	26	CTS2	36	CTS3
7	DTR0	17	DTR1	27	DTR2	37	DTR3
8	_	18	-	28	_	38	-
9	GND0	19	GND1	29	GND2	39	GND3

RS-422, 4-wire RS-485

(CA-132, CA-132I, CA-114/CB-114, and CA-134I)

With regard to the CA Series, pins 21 to 40 apply to CA-114 and CA-134I only.

Pin	Signal	Pin	Signal	Pin*	Signal*	Pin*	Signal*
1	TxD0-(A)	11	TxD1-(A)	21	TxD2-(A)	31	TxD3-(A)
3	TxD0+(B)	13	TxD1+(B)	23	TxD2+(B)	33	TxD3+(B)
5	RxD0+(B)	15	RxD1+(B)	25	RxD2+(B)	35	RxD3+(B)
7	RxD0-(A)	17	RxD1-(A)	27	RxD2-(A)	37	RxD3-(A)
9	GND0	19	GND1	29	GND2	39	GND3

2-wire RS-485

(CA-132, CA-132I, CA-114/CB-114, and CA-134I)

With regard to the CA Series, pins 21 to 40 apply to the CA-114 and CA-134I only.

Pin	Signal	Pin	Signal	Pin*	Signal*	Pin*	Signal*
5	Data0+(B)	15	Data1+(B)	25	Data2+(B)	35	Data3+(B)
7	Data0-(A)	17	Data1-(A)	27	Data2-(A)	37	Data3-(A)
9	GND0	19	GND1	29	GND2	39	GND3