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Analog Output Modules EP-4164, EP-4264



Analog Output Module

GE provides RSTi-EP analog output modules with up to 4 analog outputs at +/-10 V, +/-5 V, 0-10 V, 0-5 V, 2-10 V, 1-5 V, 0-20 mA or 4-20 mA. The resolution is 16 bit per channel. An output can be connected to each connector, the internal switching is carried out automatically. The output range is defined using parameterization. A status LED is assigned to each channel. The outputs are supplied with power from the output current path (I_{OUT}).

The EP-4264 module provides individual channel diagnosis with channel related error messages.

Each module features a type plate, which includes identification information, the key technical specifications, and a block diagram. In addition, a QR code allows for direct online access to the associated documentation. The software for reading the QR code must support inverted QR codes.

Markers are available as accessories for labelling equipment. Each I/O module can be labelled using the markers to ensure clear identification when replacing individual modules or electronic units.

The RSTi-EP station is usually installed on a horizontally positioned DIN rail. Installation on vertically positioned DIN rails is also possible.

The outputs as well as the sense-lines of the AO modules must not be used as power outputs.

Modules should to be allowed to de-energize for a minimum 10 seconds after power down, prior to starting any maintenance activity.

Refer to the RSTi-EP Slice I/O User Manual (GFK-2958) for additional information. Refer to the RSTi-EP Power Supply Reference Guide, a software utility available on PME V9.00, for detailed power-feed requirements.

Module Features

- Control up to four analog outputs
- Module diagnosis
- Spring style technology for ease of wiring
- DIN rail mounted
- Double-click installation for positive indication of correct installation
- Supports indirect firmware update through the network monitor
- Supports hot insertion and extraction

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Ordering Information

Module	Description	
EP-4164	Analog Output, 4 Channels Voltage/Current 16 Bits 2, 3, or 4-Wire	
EP-4264	Analog Output, 4 Channels Voltage/Current 16 Bits with Diagnostics 2, 3, or 4-Wire	

Specifications

	EP-4164	EP-4264	
System Data			
Data	Process, parameter, and diagnostic data depend on the network adapter used.		
Interface	RSTi-EP system bus		
System bus transfer rate	48	Mbps	
Potential isolation	Channel/system bus = yes		
	Channel/channel = no		
Outputs			
Number		4	
Output levels	1. Voltage (0 – 5 V, ±5 V, 0 – 10 V, ±10 V, 1 – 5 V, 2 – 10 V) 2. Current (0 – 20 mA, 4 – 20 mA)		
Response time	1 ms for	4 channels	
Resolution	16 bits		
Accuracy	0.1 % FSR max., 0.05 % FSR typ.		
Temperature coefficient	20 ppm voltage / 31 ppm current measurement / K		
Max. error between T_{min} and T_{max}	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·		
Monotony	Yes		
Crosstalk between the channels	±0.001 % FSR max.		
Repeat accuracy	< ±1 mV eff.		
Output ripple	max. 0.001 %		
Voltage load resistance	≥ 1 k Ω (at > 50°C (122 °F) max ambient temperature,		
	total sensor current of 10 mA per channel but 25 mA per module)		
Current load resistance	≤ 600 \Omega including field cable resistance		
Actuator connection	2-wire (current and voltage; automatic detection), 4-wire (voltage)		
Short-circuit-proof	Υ	'es	
Module diagnosis	Y	'es	
Individual channel diagnosis	No	Yes	
Substitute value Yes		'es	
Can be used with EP-19xx module	Yes		
Supply			
Supply voltage	20.4V – 28.8V		
Current consumption from system current path Isys	8 mA		
Current consumption from output current path Iout	85	i mA	

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General data				
Operating temperature	-20°C to +60°C (-4 °F to +140 °F)			
Storage temperature	-40°C to +85°C (-40 °F to +185 °F)			
Air humidity (operation/transport)	5% to 95%, noncondensing as per IEC 61131-2			
Width	11.5 mm (0.45 in)			
Depth	76 mm (2.99 in)			
Height	120 mm (4.72 in)			
Weight	83 g (2.93 oz)	98 g (3.47 oz)		

Current Demand for Analog Output Modules

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EP-416	EP-4164 8 mA			85 mA		
EP-4264 8 m		8 mA		85 mA		
Isys IIN IOUT Is IL	Power consumption from input current path Power consumption from output current path Current demand of the connected sensors Current demand of the connected actuators					

LEDs

LED	EP-4164	EP-4264
Module	Green: Communication over the system bus	Green: Communication over the system bus
Status	Red: Module System Fault or Diagnostic Fault	Red: Module System Fault or Diagnostic Fault
1.1	Red: Channel 0 at voltage output: overload	Red: Channel 0 at voltage output: overload
	short-circuit, at current output: shunt resistance too high or line break detected	short-circuit, at current output: shunt resistance too high or line break detected
1.2		
1.3		
1.4		
	Red: Channel 1 at voltage output: overload	Red: Channel 1 at voltage output: overload
2.1	short-circuit, at current output: shunt resistance too high or line break detected	short-circuit, at current output: shunt
2.2	resistance too nigh or line break detected	resistance too high or line break detected
2.3		
2.4		
	Red: Channel 2 at voltage output: overload short-circuit, at current output: shunt	Red: Channel 2 at voltage output: overload short-circuit, at current output: shunt
3.1	resistance too high or line break detected	resistance too high or line break detected
3.2		
3.3	1	
3.4		
	Red: Channel 3 at voltage output: overload	Red: Channel 3 at voltage output: overload
4.1	short-circuit, at current output: shunt	short-circuit, at current output: shunt
	resistance too high or line break detected	resistance too high or line break detected
4.2		
4.3		
4.4		