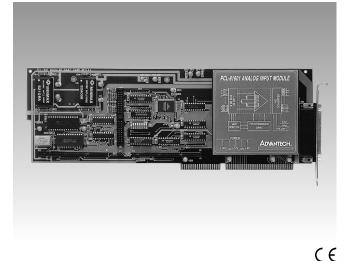
# PCL-816/816-DA Modular High-resolution Multifunction Card



## **Features**

- 16-bit resolution A/D converter
- High-performance 100 KHz sampling rate
- Accepts 16 differential analog inputs with separately programmable gains (x 1, 2, 4 or 8)
- Programmable DMA channel
- Programmable IRQ level
- Metal-shielded A/D module for noise reduction
- Auto channel scanning circuit
- Versatile language drivers for C/C++, Pascal and BASIC
- Optional 16-bit D/A output module

## Introduction

The PCL-816 modular DAS card allows you to choose your own customized data acquisition configuration. Its 100 KHz A/D module offers 16-bit resolution with 16 channels of differential analog input measurement. The A/D module has its own protective cover, ensuring excellent signal shielding and noise immunity. A DB-37 cable connector provides fully-shielded signal connections to the A/D module. In addition to the standard A/D module, the carrier board has two 64-pin piggyback connectors for additional function expansion modules. Accepting most sub-modules, this modular system makes customizing and upgrading easy.

## **Specifications**

### **Analog Input**

<ul> <li>Channels</li> </ul>	16, differential			
<ul> <li>Resolution</li> </ul>	16 bits			
<ul> <li>Conversion Time</li> </ul>	8.5 µsec.			
<ul> <li>Max. Sampling Rate</li> </ul>	100 KHz			
<ul> <li>Software Programmabl</li> </ul>	· · · · · ·			
	Bipolar: ±10, ±5, ±2.5, ±1.25			
- Trigger Mede	Unipolar: 0 ~ 10, 0 ~ 5, 0 ~ 2.5, 0 ~ 1.25			
<ul> <li>Trigger Mode</li> <li>Data Transfer</li> </ul>	software, pacer or external trigger			
	software, interrupt (IRQ 2-7, S/W select) or DMA (channel 1 or 3, S/W select)			
<ul> <li>Accuracy</li> </ul>	0.003% +1 LSB			
<ul> <li>Input Impedance</li> </ul>	> 10 MΩ			
<ul> <li>Input Overvoltage</li> </ul>	+15 V			
<ul> <li>Connector</li> </ul>	Female DB-37			
Digital Input				
<ul> <li>Channels</li> </ul>	16			
<ul> <li>Logic Level</li> </ul>	TTL-compatible			
•	Logic level 0: 0.8 V max.			
	Logic level 1: 2.0 V min.			
<ul> <li>Connector</li> </ul>	20-pin flat cable			
Digital Output				
<ul> <li>Channels</li> </ul>	16			
<ul> <li>Logic Level</li> </ul>	TTL-compatible			
	Logic level 0: 0.4 V max. @ 16 mA (sink)			
	Logic level 1: 2.4 V min. @ 800 mA (source)			
<ul> <li>Connector</li> </ul>	20-pin flat cable			

### General

#### Programmable Pacer Clock

		Device: Intel 8254 or equivalent
		Time base: 10 MHz
		Max. rate: 2.5 MHz
		Min. rate: 0.00023 Hz
•	I/O Ports	each card occupies 16 consecutive I/O addresses
•	Expansion	the PCL-816 accepts one PCL-816-DA D/A module,
		providing 2 channels of 16-bit analog output
•	Power Consumption	+5 V @ 430 mA typical
		+5 V @ 500 mA max.
		+12 V @ 260 mA typical
		+12 V @ 280 mA max.
•	Dimensions (L x H)	337 x 112 mm (13.3" x 4.4")

#### PCL-816-DA 2-channel 16-bit D/A module

<ul> <li>Channels</li> </ul>	2
<ul> <li>Resolution</li> </ul>	16 bits, double-buffered
<ul> <li>Output Ranges</li> </ul>	bipolar ±10 V
<ul> <li>Output Current</li> </ul>	±5 mA max.
<ul> <li>Settling Time</li> </ul>	5 µsec.
<ul> <li>Data Transfer</li> </ul>	software, DMA
<ul> <li>Accuracy</li> </ul>	±0.003% full scale range
<ul> <li>Linearity</li> </ul>	±2 LSB typical, ±4 LSB max.
<ul> <li>Reset (power-on) Status</li> </ul>	All D/A channels will be at 0 V after reset or
	power-on
<ul> <li>Temperature Drift</li> </ul>	15 PPM/° C of full span (0 ~ 50° C)

## **Ordering Information**

•	PCL-816

PCL-816-DA

Modular High-Resolution Multifunction card. Includes on-board 16-bit A/D module. user's manual and driver CD-ROM. (cable not included) 2-channel 16-bit D/A Module

## Accessories

- PCLD-10120-1
- PCLD-10120-2 20-pin flat cable, 2 m DB-37 cable assembly, 1 m
- PCL-10137-1
- DB-37 cable assembly, 2 m PCL-10137-2
- PCL-10137-3 DB-37 cable assembly, 3 m
- PCLD-782
- 16-channl opto-isolated digital input board PCLD-782B 24-channl opto-isolated digital input board
- PCLD-785
- 16-channl relay output board PCLD-785B 24-channl relay output board
- PCLD-788 Relay Scanner/Multiplexer board
- PCLD-789D Amplifier & Multiplexer board with DB-37 connector

20-pin flat cable, 1 m

- PCLD-8115 Wiring terminal board Wiring terminal board
- PCLD-880

## **Applications**

- Transducer and sensor measurements
- Waveform acquisition and analysis
- · Process control and monitoring
- Vibration and transient analysis

## **Software and Drivers**

Windows DLL Driver

The PCL-816's Windows 95/98/ME/NT/XP/2000 dynamic link library (DLL) driver lets you write Microsoft Windows programs using tools such as Visual BASIC, Microsoft Visual C++, Borland C++ and Delphi

- ActiveX Control
- Application Packages

The PCL-816 is supported by a wide range of data acquisition software packages, including LabVIEW and Advantech Data Acquisition Software

Advantech ActiveDAQ provides ActiveX Control for

Visual Basic programming.

