Axis Converter Module Enables Easy Upgrades

Brashear Axis Converter

- The Axis Converter is a compact, two channel, state of the art, digital, high performance transducer interface module for rotary and linear Inductosyn®/resolver applications.
- Provides two complete R/D (resolver to digital) interfaces for every combination of two transducers. Also provides additional I/O for gyros, switches, etc.
- Low noise, easy installation, cleaner interfaces, and simplified cable installations when mounted “on-axis” are all achieved using on board signal processing and digital output. Output is a serial asynchronous data stream and can be triggered with an internal time clock or with an external strobe.
- Axis converter module power supply provides DC to DC converter for complete isolation and low noise operation.
- R/D resolution can be fixed at 10, 12, 14, or 16 bits for each channel independently. In addition, R/D resolution can be changed “on the fly” using a half-duplex data channel. (External trigger is required for this operation.)
- System is configurable by jumpers and resistor/capacitor values. Custom software available for difficult applications.
- Ideal candidate for field upgrades due to its small size, fully self-contained, and simple serial output. Field proven in harsh environments.
- Available as an individual component for OEM applications or as part of a full, turn-key Brashear control system.
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Specifications

Dimensions:
- Height: 2.3 in.
- Width: 3.0 in.
- Length: 4.9 in.
- Weight: 1.7 lb (0.77 kg)

Environmental:
- Operating Temp.: -20 to +60 deg C
- Humidity: Non-condensing relative to 95%

Positioning:
(Based upon 7-in, 128 speed Inductosyn® @ 14 bits resolution)
- Range: Complete circle encoding
- Resolution: 0.62 arc sec
- Accuracy: +/- 2 arc sec (with deterministic encoder error correction employed)

Interface:
- Electronic: RS 422/RS485, 1Mbaud asynchronous
- Power: 28 VDC (18-36 VDC)
- Position Input: 2 Inductosyn®/Resolver channels (1 channel with velocity output)
- Analog Inputs: 2 channels, +/- 10 volts (Scaling Adjustable)
- Digital Inputs: 4 contact inputs

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