TCC-80/80I Series

Port-powered RS-232 to RS-422/485 converters with optional 2.5 kV isolation



- > External power source supported but not required
- > Compact size
- > Converts RS-422, and both 2-wire and 4-wire RS-485
- > RS-485 automatic data direction control
- > Automatic baudrate detection
- > Built-in 120-ohm termination resistors
- > 2.5 kV isolation (for TCC-80I only)
- > LED port power indicator



: Introduction

The TCC-80/80I media converters provide complete signal conversion between RS-232 and RS-422/485, without requiring an external power source. The converters support both half-duplex 2-wire RS-485 and full-duplex 4-wire RS-422/485, either of which can be converted between RS-232's TxD and RxD lines. In addition, the TCC-80I is the world's first high-speed, port-powered converter with 2.5 kV isolation. Automatic data direction control is provided for RS-485. In this case, the RS-485 driver is enabled automatically when the circuitry senses the TxD output from the RS-232 signal. This means that no programming effort is required to control the transmission direction of the RS-485 signal. Moreover, the TCC-80I's patented LED port power indicator lets you check whether or not the TCC-80I is receiving enough power.

Port Power over RS-232

The RS-232 port of the TCC-80/80I is a DB9 female socket that can connect directly to the host PC, with power drawn from the TxD line. Regardless of whether the signal is high or low, the TCC-80/80I can obtain enough power from the data line. However, external power can be used if the handshake line is not available, if the serial cable is too long, or if the RS-232 device is a low-power device. For external power, a 5 to 12 VDC power supply can be connected using an adapter or a USB power cord.





USB Power

External Power Adapter

Port Power Dissipation

When installing a TCC-80 or TCC-80I converter, it is important to pay attention to power consumption, RS-232 cable length, and RS-422/485 transmission distance. In general, the TCC-80 and TCC-80I obtain 50 mW of power from the power source. Standard PC COM ports can provide 70 to 90 mW of power if the TxD, RTS, and DTR

Port Power and Optical Isolation

The RS-232 port of the TCC-80/80I is a DB9 female socket that can connect directly to the host PC, with power drawn from the TxD line. Electrical 2.5 kV isolation for the TCC-80I is achieved with a photo coupler that transforms the electrical signal into light, and then retransforms the light back into an electrical signal on the other side. In this way, the two electrical circuits are completely isolated from each other. This also protects the devices from ground loop currents, reduces damage caused by data loss, and prevents damage to the communication interfaces.

lines are connected. Moreover, the RS-232 cable should be shorter than 15 m (@ 9600 bps) to ensure that less power is lost from the host/device to the TCC-80. The remainder of the supplied power is used for transmitting the RS-422/485 signal.



LED Port Power Indicator

It's easy enough to test the serial device with a multimeter to determine that the serial device will provide enough power to the media converter. However, it's even easier to let the TCC-80I test the device for you. Simply connect the TCC-80I to the device's RS-232 port and set the SW4 switch to Test mode. If the patented port power LED indicator lights up, the TCC-80I is receiving enough power. If the LED does not light up, you will need to attach an external power source to the TCC-80I.



RS-232 Side

Connector: DB9 female Signals: RS-232: TxD, RxD, GND (Loop-back wiring: RTS to CTS, DTR to DSR and DCD)

RS-422/485 Side

Connector: Terminal Block or DB9 male

Signals:

(interface selected by DIP switch) RS-422: TxD+, TxD-, RxD+, RxD-, GND

RS-485-4w: TxD+, TxD-, RxD+, RxD-, GND

RS-485-2w: Data+, Data-, GND RS-485 Data Direction Control: ADDC® (Automatic Data Direction

Control)

Serial Communication

Baudrate: 50 bps to 115.2 kbps Optical Isolation: 2.5 kV rms for 1 minute (TCC-80I only)

Physical Characteristics

Housing: ABS + PC Dimensions: TCC-80/80I: 42 x 80 x 22 mm (1.65 x 3.15 x 0.87 in) TCC-80-DB9/80I-DB9: 42 x 91 x 23.6 mm (1.65 x 3.58 x 0.93 in) Weight: 50 g (0.11 lb)

Environmental Limits

Operating Temperature: 0 to 60°C (32 to 140°F) Storage Temperature: -20 to 75°C (-4 to 167°F) Ambient Relative Humidity: 5 to 95% (non-condensing) SW4

Power Requirements Source of Input Power: RS-232 port (TxD, RTS, DTR) or power input jack Input Voltage: 5 to 12 VDC Input Current: TCC-80: 10 mA @ 5 VDC (with termination disabled) TCC-80I: 20 mA @ 5 VDC (with termination disabled) Standards and Certifications Safety: UL 60950-1 EMC: EN 55032/24 EMI: CISPR 32, FCC Part 15B Class B

EMS: EN 61000-4-2 (ESD): Contact: 4 kV; Air: 8 kV EN 61000-4-3 (RS): 80 MHz to 1 GHz: 3 V/m EN 61000-4-4 (EFT): Power: 1 kV EN 61000-4-5 (Surge): Power: 1 kV EN 61000-4-6 (CS): 150 kHz to 80 MHz: 3 V/m EN 61000-4-8 (PFMF) Green Product: RoHS, CRoHS, WEEE MTBF (mean time between failures) Time: 2,781,161 hrs Standard: Telcordia (Bellcore), GB Warranty

Warranty Period: 5 years Details: See www.moxa.com/warranty

Dimensions



TCC-801



TCC-80-DB9, **TCC-80I-DB9**



DB9 female connector 5 4 3 2 1 0 0 0 0 9 8 7 6 PIN RS-232 1 DCD 2 TxD 3 RxD

DSR GND

DTR CTS

RTS

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DIP Switch Settings

ON			
1	2	3	

DIP Switch Settings					
RS-422 with	SW1	SW2	SW3		
Terminator	OFF	OFF	ON		
RS-422	SW1	SW2	SW3		
	OFF	OFF	OFF		
4-wire RS-485	SW1	SW2	SW3		
with Terminator	ON	OFF	ON		
4-wire RS-485	SW1	SW2	SW3		
	ON	OFF	OFF		
2-wire RS-485	SW1	SW2	SW3		
with Terminator	ON	ON	ON		
2-wire RS-485	SW1	SW2	SW3		
	ON	ON	OFF		

DB9 male RS-422/485 port



PIN	RS-422/RS-485-4w	RS-485-2w
1	TxD+(B)	-
2	TxD-(A)	-
3	RxD+(B)	Data+(B)
4	RxD-(A)	Data-(A)
5	GND	GND
6	-	-
7	-	-
8	-	-

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Available Models

TCC-80: Port-powered RS-232 to RS-422/485 converter with terminal block on the RS-422/485 side **TCC-80-DB9:** Port-powered RS-232 to RS-422/485 converter with DB9 male connector on the RS-422/485 side

TCC-80I: Port-powered RS-232 to RS-422/485 converter with terminal block on the RS-422/485 side, and 2.5 kV optical isolation

TCC-80I-DB9: Port-powered RS-232 to RS-422/485 converter with DB9 male connector on the RS-422/485 side, and 2.5 kV optical isolation

Optional Accessories (can be purchased separately)

CBL-F9M9-20: DB9 male to DB9 female RS-232 cable (20 cm) Note: Additional power adapters can be purchased separately. See Appendix A for details.

Power Adapter: See Appendix A for details

Package Checklist

- 1 TCC-80 or TCC-801 media converter
- CBL-USBAP-50: USB A male, 2.1 mm DC jack cable, 50 cm
- Quick installation guide (printed)
 - Warranty card