# **Serial to Single-mode Fiber Optic Converters**

Models FOSTCDRi-ST, FOSTCDRi-SC





#### **PRODUCT FEATURES**

- Data rates up to 115.2 kbps
- 15 km (9 mi) range
- 10 to 48 VDC power input
- Wide operating temperature
- 2000 Volts isolation
- Modbus ASCII / RTU compatible
- · EMI / RFI protection

Advantech B+B SmartWorx' ILinx™ fiber converters are designed with functionality required for heavier industrial environments. Model FOSTCDRi-Sx industrial-grade isolated converter changes RS-232, RS-422 or RS-485 to single-mode fiber optics.

FOSTCDRi-Sx extends serial data ranges up to 15 km (9 mi) and provides the most versatile connection possible between asynchronous full or half-duplex serial equipment. In addition to direct point-to-point connectivity, it is capable operating in a multi-drop mode. This allows one serial device to communicate with up to 31 others around a fiber optic ring. Since it supports mixed serial standards, it can replace other converters and isolators and add the EMI/RFI immunity inherent to fiber optic communications. Fiber optic connectors are SC or ST.

Automatic Send Data Control circuit controls the RS-422/485 driver chip, eliminating the requirement for special software. Easy to install and configure, it has a 12-position DIP switch to set up the RS-422/485 parameters and removable terminal blocks to connect serial signals and power. In RS-232 mode, it supports Transmit Data and Receive Data. Handshaking signals are not passed through.

#### **ORDERING INFORMATION**

	MODEL NUMBER	SERIAL CONNECTOR	FIBER CONNECTOR	MODBUS
	FOSTCDRi-SC	Terminal Blocks, removable	Single-mode SC	~
	FOSTCDRi-ST	Terminal Blocks, removable	Single-mode ST	~

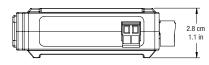
#### **ACCESSORIES**

MDR-20-24 - 24 VDC @ 1.0 A DIN rail mount power supply, slim-line

TBKT1 - Replacement Terminal Block, 2-position, 5.08 mm

TBKT2 - Replacement Terminal Block, 5-position, 5.08 mm

#### **MECHANICAL DIAGRAM - FOSTCDRI-SC**

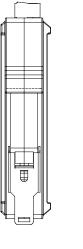


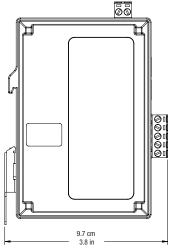
### **Fiber Optic Benefits**

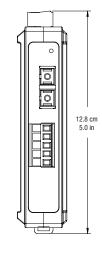
Fiber optic cable carries serial data up to 15 kilometers (9 miles), much farther and reliably than conventional copper lines.

Power surges, spikes and groupd loops are created by electrical equipment, by nearby lightning strikes, and from other sources. They are easily picked up by copper data lines and transmitted to connected devices, garbling data communications and damaging equipment.

However, fiber optic data transmission uses light in glass fiber cable as a communication medium. Being inherently non-electric, fiber optic cable will not pick up noise and provides the most reliable system possible — ideal for spanning areas with severe interference, such as near heavy electrical equipment, welding or radio transmissions. It does not transmit power spikes or surges and prevents ground loops by not providing a conductive path for the ground.







All product specifications are subject to change without notice.

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#### **SPECIFICATIONS**

OF ECITIONS			
SERIAL TECHNOLOGY			
Data Rate	9.6 to 115.2 kbps		
RS-232			
Connector	Removable terminal block (12 to 28 AWG)		
Signals	TD, RD, GND		
RS-422/485			
Connector	Removable terminal block (12 to 28 AWG)		
RS-485, 2-wire	Data A(-), Data B(+), GND		
RS-422/485, 4-wire	TDA(-), TDB(+), RDA(-), RDB(+), GND		
ISOLATION			
Isolation	3-way, 2KV isolation		
Surge Protection	600 W peak power dissipation		
Clamping Time	< 1 pico-second		
FIBER OPTIC TECHNOLO	DGY		
Connector	ST or SC		
Type / Wavelength	Single-mode / 1310 nm		
Output Power	(-) 15 to (-) 8 dBm		
Receive Sensitivity	Less than or equal to (-) 32 dBm		
Cable	9/125 micro-meter		
Data Rate	9.6 to 115.2 kbps		
Maximum Distance	15 km (9 mi)		
POWER			
Source	External		
Input Voltage	10 to 48 VDC (Class 2)		
Power Consumption	1.4 Watts		
Connector	Removable terminal block (12 to 28 AWG)		

INDUSTRIAL BUS			
Modbus	ASCII/RTU		
MECHANICAL			
LED Indicators	FO Receive, FO Transmit, Power		
Dimensions	12.8 x 9.7 x 2.8 cm (5.0 x 3.8 x 1.1 in)		
Enclosure	IP30, Plastic, 35mm DIN mount		
Weight	149.7 g (0.3 lbs)		
ENVIRONMENTAL			
Operating Temperature	-40 to +80 °C (-40 to +176 °F)		
Storage Temperature	-40 to +85 °C (-40 to +185 °F)		
Operating Humidity	0 to 95% non-condensing		
MTBF	671969 hours (FOSTCDRi-ST, FOSTCDRi-SC)		
MTBF Calculation Method	MIL 217F Parts Count Reliability Prediction		
APPROVALS / CERTIFIC	APPROVALS / CERTIFICATIONS - FOSTCDRI-SC & FOSTCDRI-ST		
UL 508, File Number: E222	JL 508, File Number: E222870		
FCC Part 15, CISPR, EN 55	CC Part 15, CISPR, EN 55022: 2010 + AC:2011 Class B Emissions		
CE			
2014/30/EC	Electromagnetic Compatibility Directive		
2011/65/EU	Reduction of Hazardous Substances Directive (RoHS)		
2012/19/EU	Waste electrical and electronic equipment (WEEE)		
EN 55022:+AC	Information technology equipment - Class B RF Emissions		
EN 61000-6-2	Generic immunity standard for (Heavy) industrial environments		
EN 61000-4-2	ESD immunity		
EN 61000-4-3:+A2	Radiated immunity		
EN 61000-4-4	EFT/Burst immunity		
EN 61000-4-5	Surge immunity		
EN 61000-4-6	RF conducted immunity		