

SMART INPUT MODULE

3-RTD, 2-PROCESS, COUNTER INPUTS



Multiple inputs processed with powerful signal conditioning.

IST1 and IST2 are smart input modules that can monitor a combination of mixed temperature, process, and counter inputs. Both modules can accept three triple 3-wire RTD sensors, two 0-10 V / 4-20 mA process inputs, and a frequency input. Applied in multiple-point temperature measurement and automation / control applications, these modules can be user programmed to process any four of the six inputs, or programmed with a macro to process all six inputs.

Input Module Order Code Suffix

IST1 (50 Hz Rejection)

IST2 (60 Hz Rejection)

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RTD	•	
Triple-input RTD	3-wire RTD configuration. Choice of Pt385 or Pt392.	PROCESS 4/20 mA
Excitation Current	160 μA DC constant current source, ratiometric	1/5 V
	referenced to ATD.	
Resolution & Range	0.1 °C, −200 °C to +850 °C.	
Process Inputs		
Dual Process Inputs	Bipolar, ± 88 mV full scale.	
Mode	Voltage or current range set by attenuation resistors.	
Counter - CH1 Only		
Single Counter	Configured in Tiger 320 controller.	
Analog-to-digital	Dual channel sigma delta ATD convertor.	
	16-bit resolution.	
	Shield drive +2.5 V.	FREQUENCY RPM Pulse Counter
S	oftware Module Specifications	
Line Frequency Rejection	50/60 Hz software selectable.	IEMPERATURE
RTD Type	Pt385 / Pt392 sofware selectable.	
RTD Linearization	On-board linearization tables for RTD.	
2-point Calibration	Simple 2-point calibration of RTD & process inputs	
	using Tiger 320 Series software.	



INPUTS

Component Layout

Connector Block Interface to Sensors

See Connector Pinouts for connection details



Attenuation Resistors Used to set process inputs full scale

Figure 1 – IST1/IST2 Triple RTD, Dual Process, Counter Smart Input Module

Connector Pinouts

Connecting the sensors directly to the input module is an option, but it is far easier to connect sensors via the supplied 16-pin terminal block.

The external pinouts between the input module and the terminal block are shown in Figure 2.

		Input Pin N	Module umbers	e Function Description		Terminal Block Pin Numbers		
1		RTD1+	RTD1 current drive			1		
2		RTD1– RTD1 current return			2			
3		RTD1 sense / RTD2+	RTD1	sense / RTD2 c	urrent drive	3		
4		RTD2- RTD2 current return		4				
			5	RTD2 sense / RTD3+	RTD2	sense / RTD3 c	urrent drive	5
			6	RTD3-	RTD3	current return		6
			7	RTD3 sense	RTD3	current sense		7
			8	+24 V Excitation	Exterr	nal power for tran	sducers	8
			9	P1+	Proce	ss Input 1+		9
			10	P1-	Proce	ss Input 1–/Exc.	Return	10
			11	P2+	Proce	ss Input 2+		11
12		12	P2-	Proce	ss Input 2–/Exc.	Return	12	
13		13	+24 V Excitation	+24 V Excitation		13		
14		14	Excitation return	External power/return for transducers		14		
15		15	Counter	Count	er input		15	
16		Shield	Cable shield		16			
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Interface to Tiger Controller	Inp Mod IST	ut Iule 1	3 N	16-pin Connectors		DIN-Rail Mounted Terminal Block	16-pin Screw Terminal Block Interface to Sensors	I

Figure 2 – IST1/IST2 to 16-pin DIN-Rail Mounted Terminal Block Connections

Example

Triple 3-wire RTDs connected to the terminal block in series.

In Figure 3, a magnetostrictive displacement sensor having a 0-10 V output and a resistive type displacement sensor derive their power from the input module's +24 V excitation and act as two process inputs. The counter input is a square wave generator and is normally a flow sensor or optical pickup type also receiving +24 V.



Figure 3 – Triple 3-wire RTDs connected to the terminal block in series

Overview

There are two methods of configuring the IST1/IST2 smart input module:

- By the user through the front panel using the code menus, or
- By preconfiguring the controller with a macro.

Front Panel Programming

The controller has four input channels available for processing sensor input signals when programming through the front panel. All six sensors can be connected to the input module at the same time, but only four can be selected and processed at any one time.

Macro Programming

With a macro installed, the controller can process all six sensor input signals at the same time. A macro can be either pre-compiled and installed by Texmate before the module leaves the factory, or compiled and installed by the customer. See Page 10 for a brief overview of the Tiger Macro Development System (TDS).

A full set of tutorial documents for macro programming are available online at www.texmate.com. Alternatively, printed copies can be sent on request.

Technical Description

Input module IST1/IST2 is designed for 3-wire RTDs that are either 100 Ω type Pt385 or Pt392. A constant current source ratiometric referenced to a precision 16-bit ATD drives all three RTDs wired in series at the

Therefore, if only a single or dual RTD combination is required, the unused RTD inputs must be short circuited to ensure the constant current loop is maintained.

The dual process inputs can be adapted to voltage or current inputs by modifying the values of thru hole attenuation resistors. This is manually done in the factory during assembly. Typically, either 0 to 10 V or 0 to 20/40 mA are required as process inputs. The dual process channels require the signals to be attenuated to ± 88 mV full scale by the resistors.









Smart Setup Registers

The Tiger controller uses three smart setup registers to configure all smart input modules. Line frequency rejection (50 / 60 Hz) and RTD type are configured in **smart register 1** (SMT1). See Figure 5.

Smart register 1 allows you to select the following settings:

- Line frequency rejection of 50 or 60 Hz for all four sensor inputs.
- RTD type: Pt385 or Pt392 for all RTD types.
- A standard sampling rate of 800 / 960 Hz (50 / 60 Hz) is applied to all inputs.

The module produces five output registers (3 RTD and 2 process), each being the 20 Hz averaged result of the input sensors. One of these registers can be transferred to CH1 via Code 2, the same or another register transferred to CH2 via Code 4, the same or another register transferred to CH3 via Code 5, and the same or another register transferred to CH4 via Code 6. In addition, the module has a counter input that is hard-wired to CH1. If the counter is required, then only channels 2, 3, and 4 are available for RTD and process inputs.





Programming Procedures

The input module requires the following individual inputs to be programmed through the configuration menus in the controller:

Select Line Frequency Rejection & RTD Type



This menu allows you to select the input signal line frequency rejection for all input signals (50 or 60 Hz) and the RTD type for all RTD inputs (Pt385 or Pt392) using Smart Register 1 (SMT1).



Setup Counter or Frequency Input

od_2 [h l

If a counter or frequency signal is used, this menu allows you to configure the frequency range or counter settings.



Select a Channel for the RTD or Process Input

[od_2	[[h]
[od_4	[[h]
[od_S	Енј
Cod_6	[БЧ

In the code for the required channel, select the relevant RTD or process input from the output register map. Note: If a counter or frequency signal is not used, CH1 is available for RTD or process inputs.

Select RTD Type Enter Code 2 and select the RTD type and input signal line frequency rejection setting for all inputs Press the **P** and **t** buttons at the same time to enter the main programming mode. Press the P button three times to enter Code 2. Set Code 2 to [X77]. The 1st digit setting is not relevant to this procedure and can remain at zero (0). .od_2 FIRST DIGIT SECOND DIGIT THIRD DIGIT TIGER PROCESSING RATE MEASUREMENT TASK OUTPUT REGISTER MAP This setting enters the smart register 1 code 0 10 Hz 0 Voltage, Current 0 Averaged RTD1 1 10 Hz setup menu. TC (3rd digit selects type of TC) Averaged RTD2 2 100 Hz 2 RTD 3-wire (3rd digit selects type 2 Averaged RTD3 3 100 Hz of RTD) 3 Averaged Process 1 з RTD 2- or 4-wire (3rd digit selects Averaged Process 1 4 type of RTD) Note: The output registers in the 3rd digit 5 4 Frequency 6 are specific to the IST1/IST2 input module. 5 Period Smart input module register These registers vary for each different 6 Counter smart input module. 7 Smart Input Modul Note: The 20 Hz averaged signal is output for all Press the P button. five inputs. հրվե nnn FIRST DIGIT SECOND DIGIT THIRD DIGIT RTD TYPE FREQUENCY SELECT NOT USED This menu provides settings unique to smart 0 Pt385 100 Ω 0 -0 60 Hz rejection Pt392 100 Ω 1 -1 register 1 of input module IST1/IST2. 2 50 Hz rejection 2 2 -3. 3 3 -4 4 --5 5 --6 -6 -7 7 Using the E buttons, select either 50 or 60 Hz line frequency rejection (2 for areas with 50 Hz power supplies and **0** for areas with 60 Hz power supplies) in the 1st digit and the **RTD** type in the 3rd digit. 2nd digit settings are not relevant and should be left at zero (0). Setup Counter or Frequency Input On leaving Code 2, setup counter or frequency settings Press the P button. The display returns to [Cod_2] [X77]. Using the TS buttons, set the 1st digit to the relevant processing rate, the 2nd digit to either 6 7 For Frequency ററ് Frequency or Counter, and the 3rd digit to the relevant frequency range or counter setting. Note, leaving the 3rd digit as 7 means the display constantly cycles between [Cod_2] and [SMt1]. For Counter CH1 Lod_ Frequency FIRST DIGIT SECOND DIGIT THIRD DIGIT OR TIGER PROCESSING RATE MEASUREMENT TASK FREQUENCY RANGE SELECTION 0 10 Hz 99.999 Hz range from 0.010 Hz 0 Voltage, Current 0 Counter 1 10 Hz TC (3rd digit selects type of TC) 1 99.999 Hz range from 2.000 Hz 2 100 Hz RTD/Resistance 3-wire (3rd digit 2 999.99 Hz range from 0.01 Hz 3 100 Hz selects type of RTD) 3 999.99 Hz range from 2.00 Hz 3 RTD/Resistance 2- or 4-wire (3rd 4 9999.9 Hz range from 0.1 Hz digit selects type of RTD) 9999.9 Hz range from 2.0 Hz 5 6 99 kHz range from 1 Hz (1 s gate) 4 Frequency 7 655.35 kHz range from 10 Hz (0.1 s gate) 5 Period COUNTER Counter input with 16-bit Pre-scaler 0 6 Counter Setting of 16-bit Pre-scaler 2 Debounced Counter with Pre-scaler 7 Smart Input Module 3 Up/Down Counter with Pre-scaler 4 –

Press the P and t buttons at the same time to return to the operational display.

5 – 6 – 7 –

Channel 1

If a counter or frequency input has **not** been applied to CH1, then this channel is still available for an RTD or process input signal. To select an RTD or process signal for CH1:



Press the \mathbf{P} and $\mathbf{\hat{T}}$ buttons at the same time again to re-enter the main programming mode, then press the \mathbf{P} button three times to enter Code 2.



Set Code 2 to [X7X]. Select the required processing rate for all input sensors in the 1st digit and the required RTD or process signal in the 3rd digit.



Note: The output register map is different for each smart input module type.



Channel 2

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Enter Code 4 and set to [0X0]. Select the required register map settings for CH2 in the 2nd digit. See *Note in 2nd digit below.

	CH2 Lod_4 UXU	FIRST DIGIT	S	ECOND DIGIT
		MEASUREMENT TASK 0 Voltage, Current 1 TC (type as per 2nd digit) 2 RTD (type as per 2nd digit) 3 Second Digital Input Channel (type as per 2nd digit)	FOR VOLTAGE & CURRENT 0 Channel 2 Disabled 1 Direct (no post processing) 2 Square Root of Channel 2 3 Inverse of Channel 2 4 Output Register 1 (smart module)* 5 Output Register 2 (smart module)* 6 Output Register 3 (smart module)* 7 Output Register 4 (smart module)*	*Note: The logic for CH2 is not the same as CH1, CH3, or CH4. The 1st and 3rd digits must both be set to 0. Selecting 040 to 070 in the 2nd digit of Code 4 directly selects one of the following settings in the output register map (3rd digit): 2nd Digit Output Register Map 4 selects 0 Averaged RTD1 5 selects 1 Averaged RTD2 6 selects 2 Averaged RTD3 7 selects 3 Averaged Process 1
Cha	innel 3			Note: Unlike CH1, you cannot select Averaged Process 2 in CH2.
1	Enter Code 5 and select the required r	egister map settings for CH3 in the 3	rd digit.	
	CH3 [Cod_5] X7X	FIRST DIGIT CH3 POST PROCESSING Direct Display of Input (no processing) Square Root of Channel 3 Inverse of Channel 3 Meters with 4 kB memory NO Linearization Meters with 32 kB memory 32-point Linearization of CH3 using Table 3		THIRD DIGIT OUTPUT REGISTER MAP 0 Averaged RTD1 1 Averaged RTD2 2 Averaged RTD3 3 Averaged Process 1 4 Averaged Process 2 5 - 6 -
Cha	innel 4	Note: All linearization tables are set up in the Calibra	tion Mode [24X].	7 Smart input module register 1 code setup
P	Enter Code 6 and select the required r	egister map settings for CH4 in the 3	rd digit.	Note: The output register map is different for each smart input module type.
13 14	CH4 [□ d _ 6] X7X Press the P button to save the settings. Press the P and ● buttons at the same time to return to the operational display.	FIRST DIGIT CH4 POST PROCESSING Direct Display of Input (no processing) Square Root of Channel 4 Inverse of Channel 4 Meters with 4 kB memory NO Linearization Meters with 32 kB memory 32-point Linearization of CH4 using Table 4 Note: All linearization tables are set up in the Calibra	tion Mode [24X].	

Example 1:

User Programmable Application

Example 1 describes the setup procedure for measuring the volume, temperature, and flow rate of a milk vat using front panel programming.

The volume of the milk vat is monitored using a linear displacement transducer and float arrangement. A pump transfers the milk past a flow rate sensor. The milk vat temperature and discharge temperature are monitored using type Pt392 RTD sensors.

The input module is wired via the 16-pin DIN-rail mounted terminal block. See Figure 7 for connection details between the terminal block and the input sensors. The inputs are designated to the following channels:

- CH1: Flow rate sensor -
- Frequency input. RTD2 input. RTD3 input.
- CH2: Milk vat temperature -CH3: Discharge temperature -
 - CH4: Milk volume -

Note: RTD1 is not used. Process input 2 is not used. The frequency input automatically defaults to CH1.

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Process 1 input.







Figure 7 – Example 1: Application Wiring of Sensor Inputs to 16-pin Terminal Block



Example 2:

Application Running a Macro

The IST1 and the IST2 have 5 active smart output registers available. Access to the fifth register (or all registers) can be done through a simple macro string as demonstrated in the example macro below.

First set Code 7 to [000] so that the Result register (& Result) is not updated by any math function. In the example macro below the Main Macro defines the Result register as the 5th smart output register (&SMART_RESULT5). In this way CH1 to CH4 contain the first four smart output registers and the Result contains the fifth.

i5.bas						
Save Dindo II Compile F7						
Macro On/Off Erase Macro						
1 //***********************************	******					
2 // Smart triple RTD & dual Process Macro						
3 //						
4 //						
5 // This macro shows how to load the RESULT register w	This macro shows how to load the RESULT register with the					
6 // smart output register 5 (2nd process channel).	' smart output register 5 (2nd process channel).					
9 MEM &CODE7=000 //sets up the result processing						
10						
11 Main_Macro:						
12 &RESULT = &SMART_RESULT5						
13 END						

Macros are powerful tools used to increase the versatility and range of the Tiger controller beyond the standard code settings. For further information on macros and the registers in the Tiger 320 operating system see the following literature:

- TDS Macro Tutorial (NZ212).
- Registers Supplement (NZ209).

These and other Tiger related documents are freely available on our website at:

www.texmate.com

RTD Full Scale Calibration Procedures

The RTDs can be calibrated in °F or °C. Using a calibration source to calibrate a zero and full scale setting is the easiest method to use. If a calibration source is not available, the known resistance values for the temperatures can be used.

The following table lists the equivelant resistances for both Pt385 and Pt392 type 100 Ω RTDs over a temperature range of 0 to 100 °C.

RTD Type	Temperature	Equivelant Resistance		
Type Pt385 / 392	0 °C	100 Ω		
Type Pt385	100 °C	138.5 Ω		
Type Pt392	100 °C	139.3 Ω		

If a calibration source is not available make up a set of calibration plugs with the resistors shown in the diagrams opposite.

Plug the 0 °C calibration plug into the module and program the [ZEro] setting for the first channel required.



Resistor Connections for Zero (low) Setting

Unplug the 0 °C plug and plug the 100 °C calibration plug into the module and program the [SPAn] setting for the same channel.



Example 2-point Calibration Procedure

The example 2-point calibration procedure on Page 11 can be used with a calibration source or with the calibration plug method. Enter the calibration mode and carry out the 2-point calibration procedure on the first channel required for RTD input.

Repeat this procedure for any other channels requiring an RTD input.

Tiger Macro Development System (TDS)

Tiger 320 Macro Overview

The Tiger 320 Series of programmable meter controllers have been designed to incorporate the analog and digital functionality of an intelligent controller with the logic of a PLC.

Traditionally, the PLC approach is to build a working application entirely in some form of programming language. The approach used in the Tiger 320 Series of controllers is to build an application by selecting the pre-programmed functions of the controller and then adding small amounts of programmability and logic where needed.

The operating system of the Tiger 320 controller controls all the pre-programmed functions, handling the input, averaging, scaling, linearization, totalization and much more, as well as driving the display, timers, relays, analog and serial outputs. Once configured, these functions are executed by the operating system and form the basis of a control system.

To form an advanced automation and control system you only need to write a small program that adds the extra logic required. We call this program a macro. A macro can be written specifically for your application and is used to initiate a sequence, reconfigure, or disable some of the controller functions. With Texmate's 22 I/O plug-in module installed, a macro further expands the Tiger 320 operating system with additional digital status inputs and digital switched outputs.



Macro control is ideal for many OEM applications that require analog, digital, and timer functions with sophisticated mathematical and enhanced logic operations. The macro concept has major cost advantages for large or small sophisticated applications that require some degree of programmable logic control with display and front panel control.

Custom Macro Programming

Texmate's Tiger Development System (TDS) enables a macro to be written and compiled in BASIC, utilizing any combination of the hundreds of functions and thousands of registers embedded in the Tiger 320 Operating System. When your BASIC program is compiled into Tiger 320 Macro-language it is error checked and optimized.

Macros are useful when implementing a specialized control system that cannot be achieved by the standard configuration capability of the Tiger 320 Operating System. Using the TDS software, functions can be altered or added in a standard controller to perform the required job. This may typically include logic sequencing functions and mathematical functions.

Developing a Macro is much easier and quicker than programming a PLC, because the basic code required to customize the Tiger meter is considerably less than the ladder logic programming required for PLCs. This is due to the hundreds of functions built into the Tiger controller that can be manipulated or invoked by a macro to fulfill the requirements of almost any application.

Scrolling display messages can be programmed to appear with any setpoint activation, selected event, or logic input. Easy to read, plain text prompts can be programmed to replace the manual programming codes and provide a user-friendly interface for any custom application.

Scrolling Text Messaging

Scrolling text messaging is another bonus from running a macro. Any number of messages for detailed operator instructions, of up to 100 characters each, can be written into the macro during compilation for detailed operator instructions, alarm and control applications.

A scrolling text message can be written for OEMs and sensor manufacturers providing informative instructions for setup and calibration procedures.



Alphanumeric Displays

14-segment alphanumeric displays are Texmate's display choice for easy to read display text and scrolling text messaging.



Customer Configuration Settings:



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