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MTP-NT User Manual

Sophisticated multi-channel telemetry system for rotating application, fully software programmable with 18 bit resolution



INSTRUCTIONS FOR QUALIFIED PERSONNEL ONLY!

- 2 to 256 channels
- Signal bandwidth up to 24000 Hz
- Inputs: STG, POT, IEPE, VOLT, LVDT/RVDT, TH-K-J-S, RTD
- Auto offset compensation (STG/VOLT)
- 4 Volt Bridge excitation
- STG Input ranges ±40 to ±0.3 mV/V

- 18-bit ADC
- Fully software programmable
- BITE (Built-In Test Equipment)
- Inductive or battery powered
- Rugged housing, moisture protected
- Analog output +/- 10 V
- Digital Ethernet output for PC

Safety notes

- The device should only be applied by instructed personnel.
- The power head emits strong magnetic radiation at 30-60 kHz to a distance of 300 mm. Therefore, persons with cardiac pacemakers should not work with this device!
- Magnetic data storage media should be kept in a distance of at least 3m from the power head to avoid data loss. The same is valid for electromagnetic sensitive parts, devices and systems.
- Do not place the power head in the switched-on state on metallic objects, because this results in eddy currents which could overload the device and strongly heat up small objects. Also, the probe could be destroyed!
- No metallic objects, other than the disc-type coil, should be located in the air gap of the power head. The same applies to metallic parts within a radius of up to 50 mm in all directions.
- Do not use damaged or faulty cables!
- Never touch in the area between shaft and inductive head, the rotating shaft itself or rotor electronic contacts during operation!
- This is a "Class A" system suitable for operation in a laboratory or industrial environment. The system can cause electromagnetic interferences when used in residential areas or environments. In this case the operator is responsible for establishing protective procedures.

Further resources and the latest document versions					
MTP-NT Technical Resources Page:	https://www.kmt-telemetry.com/support/mtp-nt/				
MTP-NT User Manual: MTP-NT Software & Information Manual: MTP-NT Inductive Powering User Manual:	https://www.kmt-telemetry.com/support/mtp-nt/Files/MTP-NT-UM.pdf https://www.kmt-telemetry.com/support/mtp-nt/Files/MTP-NT-SW.pdf https://www.kmt-telemetry.com/support/mtp-nt/Files/MTP-IND-PWR.pdf				

Short description:

The MTP-NT telemetry is a miniaturized measurement system suitable for sophisticated industrial measurement tasks and rotating applications. Each 2-channel sensor module is equipped with signal conditioning, anti-aliasing filters, analog-to-digital converters (18 bit) and a digital communication bus connection. All these up to 128 modules (=256 channels) will be controlled by the MTP-NT-Controller module via a daisy-chain system bus (extendable to several meters). By this concept it's possible to install the acquisition modules close to the sensor to have short connections for the analog sensor lines. This avoids undesired interferences in noisy environments. The MTP-NT Controller outputs a PCM bit stream signal in NRZ format with data rates up to 10000 kbit/s. The inductive transmitter module transfers the signal over distances of up to 50 mm and the radio transmitter is able to cover ranges of 10m (or more*), depending on application.



Common characteristics / Environment							
Vibration (random)	0.1 g²/Hz (20 Hz to 2 kHz)	Operating temperature	-40 to +85°C				
Vibration (sine)	20 g (20 Hz to 2 kHz)	optional	-40 to +125°C				
Shock (1/2 sine)	10000 g peak (11 ms)	Storage temperature	-40 to +125°C				
Static Acceleration	3000 g (depends of mounting!)	Humidity	95 % (not condensing!)				

Analog Signal Bandwidth vs. Sampling Rate vs. PCM Bitrate								
Cutoff frequency of anti-aliasing filter (-3dB) and sampling rate (red)								
Bit rate	2 CH	4 CH	8 CH	16 CH	32 CH	64 CH	128 CH	256 CH
10000 kbit/s			24000 Hz (62500 Hz)	12000 Hz (31250 Hz)	6000 Hz (15625 Hz)	3000 Hz (7812.5 Hz)	1500 Hz (3906.25 Hz)	750 Hz (1953.125 Hz)
5000 kbit/s		24000 Hz (62500 Hz)	12000 Hz (31250 Hz)	6000 Hz (15625 Hz)	6000 Hz 3000 Hz (15625 Hz) (7812.5 Hz)		750 Hz (1953.125 Hz)	375 Hz (976.56 Hz)
2500 kbit/s	24000 Hz (62500 Hz)	12000 Hz (31250 Hz)	6000 Hz (15625 Hz)	3000 Hz (7812.5 Hz)	1500 Hz (3906.25 Hz)	750 Hz (1953.125 Hz)	375 Hz (976.56 Hz)	190Hz (488.28 Hz)
1250 kbit/s	12000 Hz (31250 Hz)	6000 Hz (15625Hz)	3000 Hz (7812.5 Hz)	1500 Hz (3906.25 Hz)	750 Hz (1953.125 Hz)	375 Hz (976.56 Hz)	190Hz (488.28 Hz)	95 Hz (244.14 Hz)
625 kbit/s	6000 Hz (15625Hz)	3000 Hz (7812.5 Hz)	1500 Hz (3906.25 Hz)	750 Hz (1953.125 Hz)	375 Hz (976.56 Hz)	190Hz (488.28 Hz)	95 Hz (244.14 Hz)	
312,5 kbit/s	3000 Hz (7812.5 Hz)	1500 Hz (3906.25 Hz)	750 Hz (1953.125 Hz)	375 Hz (976.56 Hz)	190 Hz (488.28 Hz)	95 Hz (244.14 Hz)		

MTP-NT connection overview







INFO: A Windows COM port is created when the USB port is connected. The Prolific PL2303 is currently used in these adapters; a driver may have to be installed beforehand. A driver is available for download on the NT support page: https://www.kmt-telemetry.com/support/mtp-nt/

MTP-NT Bus connection





MTP-NT housing dimensions for 2- and 4-channels











MTP-NT Modules mounting plate example for shaft diameters 100-200 or 150-250mm





See MTP-NT Software & Information Manual for details: http://www.net.org/actionalis

https://www.kmt-telemetry.com/support/mtp-nt/Files/MTP-NT-SW.pdf

Wireless access to the configuration of MTP-NT acquisition modules via MTP-NT-BLUE



NEW

KMT COMMUNICATOR for wireless configuration of a remote MTP-NT system via USB to the Bluetooth module MTP-NT-BLUE (incl. wireless firmware update)



INFO: When connecting the USB port, a Windows COM port is created automatically. A driver doesn't have to be installed; we use the FTDI FT230X chip, which is always automatically recognized by Windows.



MTP-NT-DEC8/16/24/32 Receiver unit for max 32 Channels output via 37 pol. D-sub Inductive transmission 45 MHz version up to 5000 Mbit (10000Mbit on special request!)



MTP-NT-DIG-DEC-V2 Receiver unit with ethernet (LAN) output Inductive transmission 45 MHz version up to 5000 Mbit (10000Mbit on special request!)







Picture of IND-PICKUP-HEAD 45MHz





Dimensions of IND-PICKUP-HEAD 45MHz - cable rear side (radial to shaft)



MTP-NT-DIG-DEC-V2 - Range of digital values in TCP data stream:

This is a table of the whole range of digital values: nt digital range.xlsb The column "decimal" shows the unsigned short value, coming in the TCP data stream. This values must be converted into signed short (by subtracting 32768). The column "bipolar" shows the result that represents the measured value.

Calculation of the bipolar value:

[incoming digital value] - 32768 = [bipolar value]

Examples:

65535 - 32768 = 32768 - 32768 = 32767

n 0 - 32768 = -32768

Analog measurement (strain gauge, voltage etc.):

The range of bipolar values is -32768 to 32767. The fullscale signal range is -32704 to 32704. Example 1 (STG module): * input range setting = ±5 mV/V

- * applied bridge unbalance = +5 mV/V
- * digital value (unsigned short) = 65472

* bipolar value = 32704

Example 2 (Volt module):

- * input range setting = ±10 Volt
- * applied input voltage = +10 Volt
- * digital value (unsigned short) = 65472
- * bipolar value = 32704

Temperature measurement:

The digital output resolution is 0.05K/step^{*} (20 steps/Kelvin) This means that the bipolar value must be divided by 20 to get the temperature. Example:

- * sensor temperature = +100°C
- * digital value (unsigned short) = 34768
- * bipolar value = 2000

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sensor fault message (sensor break):
                                                         Temperature value = -999.0°C
unreasonable value message (overflow): Temperature value = -998.0°C
* This means the mathematically generated output resolution after linearization; the true ADC resolution depends on sensor type and temperature range and may be significantly lower
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Analog Decoder output:

The bipolar fullscale value (± 32704) generates an analog output Voltage of ± 10.00 Volt.

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Analog Decoder output	Data Stream		Analog Out	Temperature (depending on module setting			
(Temperature Values): The 10.00 Volts analog fullscale value corresponds to the full- scale temperature of 1635.20 degrees Celsius. Therefore, the factor for obtaining the tempera- ture value from the analog	decimal	bipolar	(±10V)	-273/+1635	-273/+1000	-273/+500	-250/+250
			Volt	°C	°C	°C	°C
	65535	32767	10,019264	1638,35	1001,93	500,96	250,48
	65472	32704	10,000000	1635,20	1000,00	500,00	250,00
	45850	13082	4,000122	654,10	400,01	200,01	100,00
	39309	6541	2,000061	327,05	200,01	100,00	50,00
	36039	3271	1,000183	163,55	100,02	50,01	25,00
decoder output is 163.52	32768	0	0,000000	0,00	0,00	0,00	0,00
(example: 1.00 volts analog	27305	-5463	-1,670438	-273,15	-167,04	-83,52	-41,76
output voltage multiplied by 163.52 gives the reading 163.52 degrees Celsius).	23835	-8933	-2,731470		-273,15	-136,57	-68,29
	14902	-17866	-5,462940			-273,15	-136,57
	64	-32704	-10,000000				-250,00
	0	-32768	-10,019569				-250,49
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MTP-NT STG - Acquisition module for 2 channels strain gages (STG)





Of course, all channels can be configured independently (e.g., Channel 1 = Full Bridge, and Channel 2 = Half Bridge).

MTP-NT IEPE - Acquisition module for 2 channels IEPE (ICP) sensor



MTP-NT VOLT - Acquisition module for 2 channels VOLT inputs



MTP-NT POT2 - Acquisition module for 2 potentiometer sensors



MTP-NT XVDT - Acquisition module for 2 channels LVDT/RVDT sensors



MTP-NT THERMO - Acquisition module for 2 channels THERMO inputs



MTP-NT-THERMO 2

Acquisition module for 2x Temperature Sensor Inputs galvanically isolated (max. potential difference 32 Vdc) Lowpass filter 1 Hz to 32 Hz (programmable)

RTD Sensor types: PT100, PT500, PT1000 Connection: 2-Wire and 3-Wire Excitation current: 1 mA

Thermocouple Sensor types: K(NiCr-Ni), J(Fe-CuNi), E(NiCr-CuNi), **T**(Cu-CuNi), **R**(Pt13Rh-Pt), **S**(Pt10Rh-Pt), **B**(Pt30Rh-Pt6Rh) Reference junction measurement internal & external (RTD sensor)

Other Sensor types: NTC(Thermistor)*, N(NiCrSi-NiSi)*, customer-

Measuring range -273.15°C to +1635.2°C (fullscale value reducible to +1000°C / +500°C / ±250°C) Output resolution: 0.05K/step (20 steps/Kelvin) Measurement uncertainty: ≤ 1 K Sensor break detection message = "-999.0°C " Unreasonable value message = "-998.0°C " Power supply: 6 to 9 Vdc Current consumption: 90 mA

* per Software update





Of course, all channels can be configured independently (e.g., channel 1 = Thermo Couple, and channel 2 = RTD).

MTP-NT CON-IND-Tx - Controller for 256 channels with integrated IND-Tx







The minimum value is 18 volts DC [TBD]. Below this value, a function of the power module is no longer guaranteed.

The ideal voltage should be in the range of about 25 volts to 40 volts DC.



Inductive transmission (2500kbit) with MTP-NT-IND-TX-RX with 45MHz carrier! With 45MHz carrier is only 1x winding necessary!





Attach for electromagnetic insulation "Ferrite Tape" **2 x one** layer around the shaft.





MTP-NT-DEC 8/16/32 Receiver unit for max 32 Channels output via 37 pol. Sub D (radio transmission version with HF BOX Quad with 4 receiver 1250 ... 5000kbit)



- Static acceleration:
- Shock:

100g in all directions







