TSAI-1620m

Safe 0-20 mA and 4-20 mA analog input FTA (16 channels)

Description

Field termination assembly module TSAI-1620m is the interface between field components (such as sensors) and the safe high-density analog input module SAI-1620m in Safety Manager. It can be used for interfacing signals from Class I, Division 2 Hazardous Locations.

The TSAI-1620m module has sixteen analog input channels, which may be used for both safety-related and non-safety-related applications. These sixteen channels (separated into two groups of eight channels with common 0 V) are connected via a system interconnection cable (SICC-0001/Lx), which is plugged into the SIC connector on the FTA module.

The FTA module has a universal snap-in provision for standard DIN EN rails, and screw terminals for connection of power supply, ground and field wiring.



Figure 321 Mechanical layout

Main functions

TSAI-1620m module has three main functions:

- Linear direct conversion of 0(4)—20 mA DC field signals to the signal levels of the safe high-density analog input module SAI-1620m
- Power supply distribution to each transmitter with voltage-current limitation in compliance with Hazardous Area Class I Division 2
- Enabling monitoring of the external power connected to the FTA module

Linear direct conversion

The input circuit of each channel consists of a high-precision resistor, which converts the input current (0-20 mA) to the input voltage for the high-density analog input module SAI-1620m. Power is supplied to the analog transmitter via a series resistor. Each analog signal has its own terminal for the field cable shield. Figure 322 on page 536 shows the schematic diagram for connecting a transmitter (active and passive).





"Passive transmitter"

Class I division 2

The TSAI-1620m module may be used for non-incendiary field circuits for Class I, Division 2 applications. The external output voltage (V+) is current-limited by means of a series resistor.

Transmitter voltage

Figure 323 on page 537 shows the available transmitter voltage for passive transmitters.





External power

If all inputs are active, no external power is required.

For loops, which contain passive transmitters, analog process data is only available if the supply voltage to the electronics is guaranteed. The high-density analog input concept (using TSAI-1620m / TPSU-2430 modules) offers full monitoring of power that is provided externally. If DC/DC converter modules TPSU-2430 are used, even redundant power supplies are covered.

Redundant external power can be connected to the TSAI-1620m module via two screw terminal pairs marked '1A', '1B', '2A' and '2B'. The external power supplies are de-coupled via diodes (see Figure 324 on page 538). The sixteen channels on the FTA module are divided into two groups of eight channels, with each group being protected by a 315 mA fuse. Single-channel errors (shorts from V+ to 0 V) cannot blow the group fuse.

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Note

The 0 V connection of the external power is directly connected to the common 0 V of all sixteen analog inputs.

The Safety Manager application software must monitor the external power voltage via the safe high-density analog input module SAI-1620m when safety-related analog input signals are connected to the TSAI-1620m.

Figure 324 on page 538 shows the schematic diagram for power distribution with monitoring.





Applications

For details on applications and connection options for the TSAI-1620m module, see section "SICC-0001/Lx" on page 715.

Connections

External power and ground

The redundant external supply voltage (Vext) and ground are connected to the following screw terminals (marked '1A', '1B', '2A', '2B' and ' \downarrow ' on the FTA):

Screw terminal	Function	
1A	30 Vdc Vext feeder 1	
1B	0 Vdc Vext feeder 1	
2A	30 Vdc Vext feeder 2	
2B	0 Vdc Vext feeder 2	
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	(1 ground wire is enough)	

Connections diagram

TSAI-1620m has 16 groups (= 16 channels) of four screw terminals to provide optimum connection of field wiring, with a ground terminal per channel for screening of analog input cables. The screw terminals are numbered 1 to 64.

The connections diagram of the TSAI-1620m module:



Figure 325 Connections diagram

Technical data

General	Type numbers ¹ :	FS-TSAI-1620m	
		FC-TSAI-1620m	
	Approvals:	CE, TUV, UL, CSA, FM	
Input	Number of input channels:	16 (2 groups of 8 with common 0 V)	
	Power requirements:	30 Vdc external, 3 mA (without input loop loads)	
	Input current:	0—25 mA	
	Input resistance:	250 Ω (± 1%)	
Output	To passive transmitters (Vext):		
	Output resistance:	270 Ω (± 5%)	
	• Igniting current per channel:	< 120 mA at 30 Vdc	
	To SAI-1620m module:		
	Output voltage	0—4 Vdc	
	Accuracy	0.1%	
Fuses	Rating:	315 mAT (slow-acting)	
	Dimensions:	$5 \times 20 \text{ mm} (0.20 \times 0.79 \text{ in})$	
Physical	Module dimensions:	$\begin{array}{l} 210\times70\times60\text{ mm}\left(L\times W\times H\right)\\ 8.26\times2.76\times2.36\text{ in}\left(L\times W\times H\right)\end{array}$	
	DIN EN rails:	TS32 / TS35 × 7.5	
	Used rail length:	211 mm (8.30 in)	
Termination	Screw terminals:		
	• Max. wire diameter	2.5 mm ² (AWG 14)	
	Strip length	7 mm (0.28 in)	
	Tightening torque	0.5 Nm (0.37 ft-lb)	

The TSAI-1620m module has the following specifications:

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The TSAI-1620m module has the following for non-incendive field circuits, Class1 Division 2 specifications:

Field signal	HYDROGEN (Group A & B):		
specifications for non-incendive	• Max. loop inductance	6 mH	
field circuits, Class1 Division 2	Max. loop capacitance	0.25 μF	
	NON-HYDROGEN (Group C & D):		
	• Max. loop inductance	20 mH	
	Max. loop capacitance	5 µF	

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