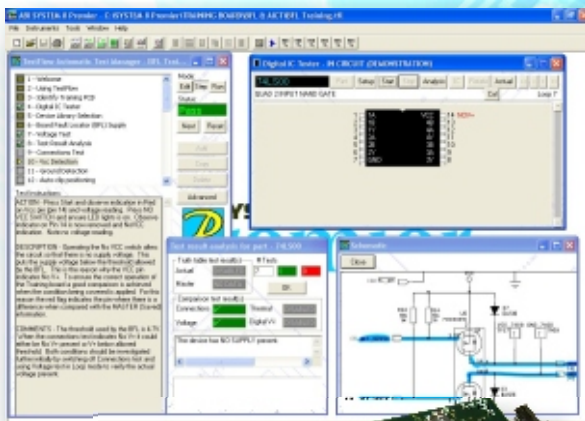


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- Component and board level testing
- Digital & analogue functional tests
- Power on and power off tests
- Single point measurements
- Automated test procedures
- Configurable software
- QA reporting facility
- Custom instruments

The SYSTEM 8 Range

The ABI SYSTEM 8 range of fault-finding, component test and measurement equipment provides unrivalled capabilities.

Whether your task is design verification, production test, semiconductor device testing, production repair or general maintenance, and whether your boards are analogue, digital or both, the SYSTEM 8 range provides the ultimate in diagnostic tools.



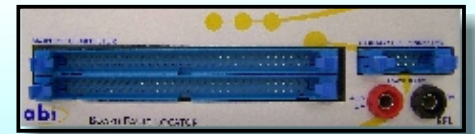
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Perfect solutions for all your test requirements...

The SYSTEM 8 range is made up of modules which can be combined to suit a variety of test applications. Modules require a PC to work with the System8 Premier software and can be integrated in a spare CD/DVD drive bay with a PCI interface. Alternatively, modules can be fitted into an external case with a USB interface. The modules available are:

Board Fault Locator Module (BFL)

This is an entry level system, designed for digital IC testing. With 64 test channels, it provides comprehensive fault diagnosis capability and includes functional testing of digital ICs (in-circuit / out-of-circuit), IC connections status and voltage acquisition together with a V-I Curve function which allows testing of components with no need to apply power to the board. Up to 4 modules can be combined together to offer 256 test channels.



Analogue IC Tester Module (AICT)

The Analogue IC Tester allows in-circuit functional testing of analogue ICs and discrete components. All common analogue devices can be tested as they are configured on the PCB, without programming or the need to refer to circuit diagrams. The AICT also includes a fully configurable V-I tester for detection of faults on un-powered boards through clear and easy to understand graphical results.



Analogue Test Station Module (ATS)

For users requiring the identification and testing of analogue devices without the need for functional testing, the Analogue Test Station module is a cost-effective option with an analogue V-I tester. The ATS module offers 24 channels plus 2 discrete channels for ICs and discrete components. For advanced testing, Matrix mode and pulse outputs are also available.



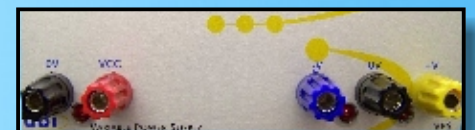
Multiple Instrument Station Module (MIS)

The Multiple Instrument Station provides no less than 8 high specification test and measurement instruments in one compact module. Ideal for design, education or for general purpose workbench use, the MIS offers a Frequency Counter, Digital Storage Oscilloscope, Function Generator, Digital Floating Multimeter, Auxiliary PSU and Universal I/O. For optimised utilisation, standard instruments can be customised or new ones can be designed to suit applications.



Variable Power Supply Module (VPS)

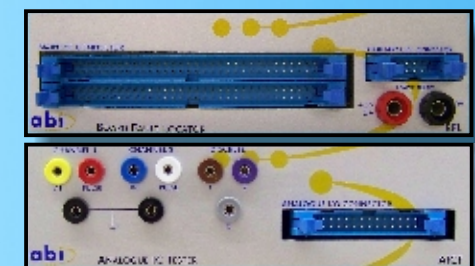
The Variable Power Supply provides the necessary supply voltages to the unit under test. The three outputs are variable in voltage and offer over voltage protection or current limitation.



Popular Combinations

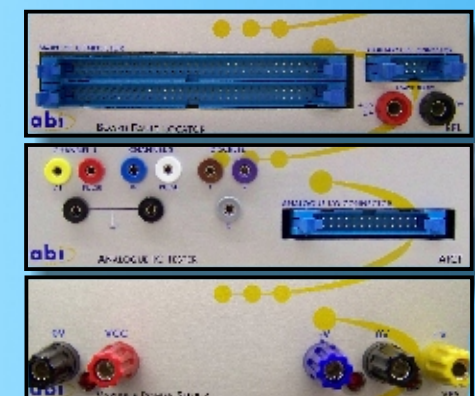
Diagnostic Solution

The SYSTEM 8 Diagnostic Solution is the answer to board fault-finding problems. Equally at home with analogue or digital PCBs, the system's 64 digital and 24 analogue test channels provide a variety of fault-finding techniques to track down the most elusive faults. The in-circuit IC functional test is the heart of the system - look into an IC and check that it functions correctly, look outside and confirm that it is correctly wired. Use the analogue V-I tester, with selectable test frequencies, impedance and voltages, to check analogue components. Compare the results with a known good board, automate fault-finding procedures with the test sequence generator (TestFlow) and fault diagnosis becomes truly effortless !



Diagnostic Solution PLUS

Add to the SYSTEM 8 Diagnostic Solution an integrated power supply for diagnostic testing and you have the SYSTEM 8 Diagnostic Solution PLUS. This provides the necessary supply voltages to the unit under test with three variable output voltages.



Custom solution, BFL module in single bay MultiLink case.

Standard Accessories

Board Fault Locator Cable and Probe Set

- 1 x 64 way test cable
- 1 x 64 way split test cable
- 1 x BDO cable assembly
- 1 x short locator cable assembly
- 1 x ground clip
- 1 x PSU lead set
- 1 x V-I probe assembly
- 1 x 20 pin (0.3") test clip
- 1 x 40 pin (0.6") test clip

Multiple Instrument Station Cable and Probe Set

- 2 x DSO probes
- 1 x yellow probe and cable
- 1 x blue probe and cable
- 1 x black probe and cable
- 1 x universal I/O cable (not terminated)

Variable Power Supply Cable Set

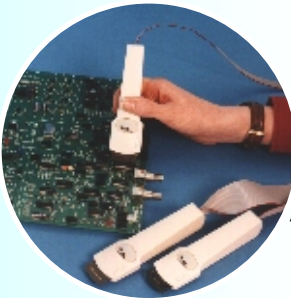
- 1 x logic cable
- 2 x ground cables
- 1 x +V cable
- 1 x -V cable

Analogue IC Tester Cable and Probe Set

- 1 x 24 way test cable
- 1 x 24 pin test clip
- 1 x yellow probe and cable
- 1 x blue probe and cable
- 2 x pulse leads
- 2 x ground leads
- 3 x discrete leads
- 1 x SMT tweezer set and adapters.

Analogue Test Station Cable Set

- 1 x 24 way test cable
- 1 x 24 pin test clip
- 2 x pulse leads
- 2 x ground leads
- 1 x yellow probe and cable
- 1 x blue probe and cable
- 1 x SMT tweezer set



The MultiProbe Range



The PenProbe Range

Optional Accessories

MultiProbe Range

0.050" pitch 10 pin (SOIC and PLCC) and 0.100" pitch 8 pin (DIL).

PenProbe 4-piece Set

Type 1 (3 pin transistors, SOT23 and similar), type 2 (3 pin transistors, TO72 and similar), type 3 (3 pin transistors, TO220 and similar), type 4 (3 pin transistors, TO92 and similar)

SOIC test clip and cable set

8,14,16 pin narrow and 20, 24, 28 pin wide

PLCC test clip and cable assembly

20, 28, 44, 52, 68 and 84 pin

QFP test clip and cable assembly

100, 144, 160, 208 pin



A full range of clips and cables are available

Premier Software

Choosing the right system

| | Diagnostic Solution PLUS | Diagnostic Solution | Board Fault Locator | Analogue IC Tester | Analogue Test Station | Multiple Instrument Station | Variable Power Supply |
|--|--------------------------|---------------------|---------------------|--------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------------|-----------------------|
| Channels per instrument (Analogue in brackets) | 64 (24) | 64 (24) | 64 ‡ | (24) | (24) | 4 (4) | N/A |
| Power supplies | 2-7V ±24V | 5V | 5V | | | 5V ±9V | 2-7V ±24V |
| Discrete testing | ● | ● | | ● | ● | | |
| Analogue impedance test | ● | ● | | ● | ● | | |
| Digital impedance test | ● | ● | ● | | | | |
| Logic supplies | ● | ● | ● | | | ● | ● |
| Measurement * | | | | | | ● | |
| Short locator | ● | ● | ● | | | | |
| Unknown IC search | ● | ● | ● | | | | |
| Out-of-circuit | ○ | ○ | ○ | | | | |
| In-circuit | ● | ● | ● | ● | ● | ● | ● |
| Analogue test | ● | ● | | ● | ● | | |
| Digital test | ● | ● | ● | | | | |
| IC functional test | ● | ● | ● | ● | | | |
| Test Generator | ● | ● | ● | | | | |
| PremierLink Software | ● | ● | ● | ● | | | |

* DSO, Function Generator, Frequency Counter, Digital Floating Multimeter, Universal I/O
‡ Upgrade options: 128, 192, 256 channels
○ Requires adapter (included)

The software SYSTEM 8 Premier is designed for seamless interaction with the hardware whilst still providing state of the art test algorithms. Advanced control to the system is provided through intuitive windows including :

- User access manager
- TestFlow automatic test manager
- Instrument design manager
- Instrument menu manager
- Custom calculator functions
- Flexible data logger

At the heart of SYSTEM 8 Premier is the concept of TestFlow, an approach to testing and fault finding that not only speeds up operation - and thus turnover - but also allows the system to be used by semi-skilled operators.

TestFlow transforms fault finding into a methodical, step by step procedure that reduces the risk of inaccurate measurements by recording all the parameters of a test. Technicians can write a test procedure, or TestFlow, for a particular PCB by setting up each stage of the process and recording the results. They may also include their knowledge of the board through schematics, bitmap images or even notes and instructions to assist with the task. Semi-skilled operators need only follow the instructions on-screen to carry out an extensive test sequence on even the most complicated equipment.

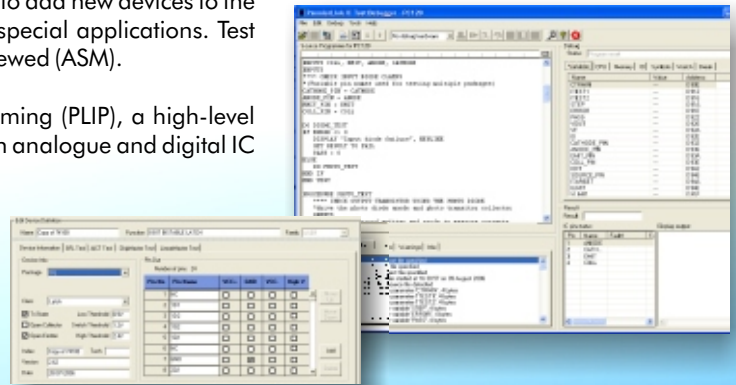
The TestFlow Automatic Test Manager provides automatically documented fault-finding reports by comparing good and bad boards. Test points, test methods, operator instructions and reported results with statistical functions are all available on-screen in an easy to follow format. With TestFlow, knowledge and experience of a PCB does not belong to only one person; it can be accessed by anyone !

PremierLink Software (Optional)

PremierLink is an optional PC based software package that allows users to add new devices to the library, select a variety of tests and create new functional tests to suit special applications. Test routines for devices included in the System8 built-in library can also be viewed (ASM).

New IC functional tests can be created using PremierLink IC Programming (PLIP), a high-level descriptive test programming language optimised for generation of both analogue and digital IC test programmes.

- Library development manager for IC configuration and test selection
- PLIP programming for full generation of new IC functional tests
- Access to test routines for System8 built-in library devices
- Compiler, debugger and active help integrated



Applications and Training

With customers ranging from a manufacturer of flight simulators to an aluminium company, from an IC manufacturer to universities and technical colleges, the SYSTEM 8 range demonstrates its versatility everyday, in every technical field available and in every corner of the world. Many repair centres are equipped with SYSTEM 8 to offer the best fault coverage and maintenance capabilities to their wide range of customers including telecommunications, transportation and even consumer goods. Thanks to a strong network of partners, SYSTEM 8 is also the instrument of choice for many land forces, air force and navy organisations around the globe.

It is common knowledge that a trained operator works more efficiently than a novice. At ABI Electronics, we also understand that, in order to get the best out of your equipment, it is crucial to be aware of all its capabilities. With that attitude in mind, ABI Electronics has developed a complete training package for new and advanced users.

A training PCB was specially designed as a platform for the SYSTEM 8 range. Through PIC-controlled fault conditions, operators approach digital and analogue electronics principles and gain knowledge of repair techniques. A complete guide is also provided in the form of a TestFlow with detailed instructions and explanations.

The training package is widely used in the industry as it allows new users to train on their own and at their own pace, thus freeing advanced users for other tasks. It is also part of many educational courses in universities and technical colleges around the world.

Specifications for SYSTEM 8 range

Digital IC Test

64 test channels. 4 bus disable outputs. 5V/5A power supply. Truth table (functional), voltage, connections, thermal & V-I tests. Logic trace mode. EPROM verifier. IC Identifier. Adjustable logic thresholds. Auto clip positioning and circuit compensation. Can be upgraded up to 256 channels or used for live comparison with two BFL modules.

Analogue IC Test

24 channels plus 3 discrete. Library driven tests for op amps, comparators, optos, transistors, diodes and special function devices. Functional, connections and voltage tests. Auto clip positioning and circuit compensation.

Digital V-I Test

64 test channels. Variable voltage range. Optimised for digital components. Can be upgraded to 256 channels.

Analogue V-I Test

24 channels plus 2 probes. Variable frequency, impedance, voltage and waveforms. 2 adjustable pulse outputs. Automatic calibration. V-I, V-T and I-T display. Optional out-of-circuit adapter available.

Matrix V-I

24 channels with rotating reference. Multi-plot display with single waveform zoom. Mean percentage comparison for each pin with audible and visual indication.

Graphical Test Generator

64 channels. Graphically programmable sequences for inputs, outputs and bidirectional channels. Responses can be learnt, vectors can be saved, loaded and compared.

Floating Digital Multimeter

2 auto-ranging channels. DC and AC volts measurements up to 400V. DC and AC current measurements up to 2A. Resistance measurement up to 20M. Statistics for minimum, maximum and average readings. Calculator for data processing and logging.

Universal I/O

4 analogue channels and 4 digital channels. Analogue channels can output and measure voltages from -9V to +9V, as well as sinking and sourcing currents up to 20mA. Digital channels can output and read back TTL compatible logic levels.

Short Locator

3 resistance ranges. Audible and visual indication of proximity to short. Audible continuity checker.

Auxiliary Power Supply

5V output at 0.5A, +9V output at 100mA and -9V output at 100mA. Current monitoring on all three outputs.

Variable Power Supply

2.5V to 6V variable logic supply with over voltage protection. Variable positive and negative supplies to 24V with variable current up to 1A.



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Multiple Instrument Station Module

Digital Storage Oscilloscope

Vertical

| | |
|----------------------|-------------------------|
| Channels | 2 + external trigger |
| Sampling rate | 50MS/s (5GS/s ERS mode) |
| Bandwidth | > 100MHz |
| Coupling | AC, DC, GND |
| Input impedance | 1M Ohm, 25pF |
| Vertical sensitivity | 20mV to 2V per division |
| Vertical resolution | 8 bits |
| Max. input voltage | 100VDC |

Horizontal

| | |
|-------------|----------------------|
| Sweep speed | 5ns/div to 5s/div |
| Memory | 64kbytes/channel |
| Modes | normal, auto, single |

Internal trigger

| | |
|-------------|--|
| Source | channel 1, channel 2, function generator |
| Slope | positive, negative |
| Sensitivity | < 0.5 divisions |
| Coupling | AC, DC, HF reject, LF reject |

External trigger

| | |
|--------------------|------------------------------|
| Input impedance | 1M Ohm, 25pF |
| Slope | positive, negative |
| Sensitivity | < 10mV |
| Coupling | AC, DC, HF reject, LF reject |
| Max. input voltage | 100V DC |

Trigger delay

| | |
|--------------|-------------------------|
| Pre-trigger | 0 to 100% of sweep time |
| Post-trigger | 0 to 100% of sweep time |

Measurements

| | |
|------------|------------------------------|
| Automatic | standard waveform parameters |
| Comparison | time and voltage |

Function Generator

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| Waveforms | sine, square, triangle, single-shot pulse |
| Frequency range | 0.1Hz to 10MHz, resolution 0.1% of range full scale |
| Pulse width | 100ns to 10s |
| Modulation modes | AM, FM, PWM |
| Modulation frequency | 400Hz internal |
| Duty cycle | 20% to 80%, resolution 1% |
| Amplitude | 0V to 5V, resolution 50mV |
| DC offset | -7.5V to 7.5V, resolution 50mV |
| Rise/fall time | 25ns |
| Output impedance | 50 Ohm |

Sweep mode

| | |
|-----------------|----------------|
| Start frequency | 0.1Hz to 10MHz |
| End frequency | 0.1Hz to 10MHz |
| Steps | 1 to 1000 |
| Time per step | 0.1s to 9.9s |

Digital Floating Multimeter

| | |
|-----------------|---------------------------|
| Channels | 2 channels |
| Input impedance | 10M Ohm |
| Statistics | minimum, maximum, average |

Channel 1

| | |
|-----------------------|--------------------|
| Modes | DC volts, AC volts |
| Voltage range | 0 to 400V |
| DC voltage resolution | 0.005% full scale |
| DC voltage accuracy | +/-0.05% |
| AC voltage resolution | 0.05% full scale |
| AC voltage accuracy | +/-0.1% |

Channel 2

| | |
|-----------------------|--|
| Modes | DC volts, AC volts, DC current, AC current, resistance |
| Voltage range | 0 to 400V |
| Current range | 0 to 2A |
| Resistance range | 0 to 20M Ohm |
| DC voltage resolution | 0.005% full scale |
| DC voltage accuracy | +/-0.05% |
| AC voltage resolution | 0.05% full scale |
| AC voltage accuracy | +/-0.1% |
| DC current resolution | 1mA |
| DC current accuracy | +/-0.1% |
| AC current resolution | 1mA |
| AC current accuracy | +/-0.2% |
| Resistance resolution | 0.01% full scale |
| Resistance accuracy | +/-0.1% |

Auxiliary Power Supply

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|-----------------|--|
| Output Voltages | +5V, +9V, -9V |
| Output Current | +5V supply - 500mA +9V supply - 100mA -9V supply - 100mA |



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Multiple Instrument Station (continued)

Frequency Counter

Modes event, frequency, pulse width

Channel 1

Impedance 50 Ohm

Frequency range 1MHz to 150MHz

Sensitivity < 5mV rms @ 2MHz to 10MHz
< 15mV rms @ 10MHz to 100MHz

Pulse response 50mV, 25ns pulse @ 500Hz

Maximum input +/- 5V

Basic accuracy +/- 0.02% +/- 1 count

Channel 2

Impedance 1 MOhm

Frequency range 2Hz to 100MHz

Sensitivity < 300mV rms @ 10Hz
< 150mV rms @ 10kHz to 10MHz
< 350mV rms @ 33MHz

Maximum input 200V rms

Basic accuracy +/- 0.02% +/- 1 count

Event Mode

Ch1 event count 0 to 9,999,999,999

Ext gate width minimum 20ns

Ext gate width time 6 hours, 10ms resolution

10.74s, 5µs resolution

84ms, 40ns resolution

Statistics lowest, highest, average

Display frequency, period, RPM events,
pulse width, gate time

Universal I/O

Number of channels 4 channels

Analogue Channels

Modes voltage output, voltage input, current output,
current input

Voltage output range -9V to +9Vm resolution 10mV

Voltage input range -10V to +10V, resolution 10mV

Current output range 0 to +/-20mA, resolution µA

Digital Channels

Modes logic output high, logic output low
logic measurement

Voltage TTL compatible logic levels

Accessories

Output voltages

2 x DSO probes

1 x yellow probe and cable

1x blue probe and cable

1x black probe and cable

1x universal I/O cable (not terminated)

Options

Internal fitting

PCI Interface

External fitting

- MultiLink case (cost option) with USB

- External case (cost option) which will hold up
to 5 System8 modules (USB interface).

PC Requirements

Pentium (1GHz) System

Windows XP™

20MB of free hard disk space

256 MB RAM

CD ROM Drive

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24 channel Analogue IC Tester Module

V-I test capability

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|---------------------------|--|
| Number of test channels: | 24 + 2 probes and references |
| Test voltage: | 2 V to 50 V peak to peak |
| Voltage resolution: | 8 to 12 bits |
| Test frequency: | 37.5 Hz to 12 kHz |
| Test current: | 1 μ A to 150 mA |
| Source impedance: | 100 Ohm to 1 M |
| Test waveforms: | Sine, square, triangle, ramp, pulse |
| Waveform modes: | V-I, V-T, I-T |
| Waveform display: | Multi-plot with single waveform zoom |
| Waveform comparison: | Automatic comparison algorithm for good and bad boards using live probes or disk |
| V-I comparison tolerance: | 50 mV to 500 mV with 50 mV resolution |
| Package support: | DIL, SOIC, PLCC, QFP and variants with MultiProbes |
| Pulse output: | Positive, negative or bipolar for thyristors/triacs |
| Pulse amplitude: | Adjustable to +/-10 V |
| Calibration: | Can be calibrated by user |

Analogue functional test capability

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|---------------------------------|--|
| Number of I/O channels: | 24 independent + 3 special discrete channels |
| Driver voltage: | -12 V to +12 V |
| Driver voltage resolution: | 10 bit |
| Driver output current: | 200 mA max sink or source |
| Driver states: | Voltage source, current source, off |
| Discrete source current: | 10 μ A - 150 mA. (driving a load returned to 0 V) |
| Driver source impedance: | 34 Ohm (34 Ohm, 1 k or 10 k on discrete channels) |
| Sensor input voltage: | +/- 24 V |
| Sensor voltage protection: | +/- 50 V |
| Sensor input impedance: | 2 M |
| Sensor voltage resolution: | 12 bit |
| Restrict voltage: | -10 V to +10 V |
| Restrict voltage resolution: | 8 bit |
| Sensor current measurement: | 1 mA to 150 mA (10 nA to 150 mA on discrete channels) |
| Sensor current resolution: | 12 bit |
| Sensor current input impedance: | 50 Ohm (50 Ohm, 1 k, 10 k or 1 M on discrete channels) |
| Short detection threshold: | <4 Ohm |
| Link detection threshold: | <10 Ohm |
| Test modes: | Single, unconditional loop, pass loop, fail loop |
| Test clip positioning: | Automatically adjusts for clip orientation |
| Circuit compensation: | Automatically modifies test for IC/PCB connections |
| Test trace: | Test waveforms and voltages displayed |
| Test analysis: | Displays test parameters such as gain, hfe, feedback |
| IC test capability: | Op-amps, comparators, DACs, ADCs, switches and special function analogue ICs in-circuit. |
| Discrete test capability: | Transistors, FETs, thyristors, triacs in- or out-of-circuit |
| IC test libraries: | Analogue, discrete, package, user |
| Result comparison: | Results can be saved for good/bad board comparison |
| Package support: | DIL, SOIC, PLCC and variants with MultiProbe kits |
| SLIM test programming: | Structured programming language for library additions |

Other specifications

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|-------------------|--|
| Electrical input: | (typical) +12 V, 1 A(max) (typical) -5 V, 750 mA (typical) -12 V, 100 mA |
| Dimensions: | 147 x 202 x 42 mm |
| Weight: | 1 kg |

Accessories

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|----------|---|
| Standard | 1 x SMD test tweezer set and adapters 1 x 24 way test clip and cable assembly 1 x Blue V-I probes and adapter 1 x Yellow V-I probes and adapter 2 x Pulse leads 2 x Ground leads 3 x Discrete leads |
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Options

| | |
|------------------|--|
| Internal fitting | PCI interface |
| External fitting | MultiLink case (cost option) with USB. External case (cost option) which can hold up to 5 SYSTEM 8 modules (USB interface). |

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64 channel Board Fault Locator Module

Digital IC test capability

| | |
|--------------------------|---|
| Number of I/O channels: | 64-256 |
| Number of guard outputs: | 4 or 8 |
| Live comparison: | 64 x 2, 128 x 2 with additional modules |
| Drive output voltage: | TTL/CMOS compatible |
| Drive output current: | Device dependent Typical H-L 80mA @ 0.6V Typical L-H 200mA @ 2V Max. 400mA |
| Drive slew rate: | >100V/ μ s |
| Receive input: | +/-10V |
| Input impedance: | 10k |
| Termination: | Programmable for tri-state/open collector |
| Drive states: | Low, high, tri-state |
| Over voltage protection: | <0.5V, >5.5V |
| Test time: | Dependent on device |
| Circuit modes: | In-circuit. Out-of-circuit (with adapter) |

Power supply for board under test

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|--------------------------|---|
| Automatic power supply: | 1 x 5V @ 5A fixed (2 x 5V @ 5A fixed for 128 channels) |
| Over voltage protection: | 7V |
| Short circuit current: | 7A |

Test modes

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|---------|--|
| Single: | Single test |
| Loop: | Unconditional, loop while good, loop while bad |
| Auto: | Find tightest valid thresholds |

Test thresholds

| | |
|-------------------------|---------------------------------------|
| Resolution: | 100mV |
| Low levels: | TTL 0.1V to 1.1V CMOS 0.1V to 1.5V |
| Switching levels: | TTL 1.0V to 2.3V CMOS 1.0V to 3.0V |
| High levels: | TTL 1.9V to 4.9V CMOS 1.9V to 4.9V |
| Swept low levels: | TTL 0.1V to 1.1V CMOS 0.1V to 1.5V |
| Swept switching levels: | TTL 1.2V CMOS 2.5V |
| Swept high levels: | TTL 1.9V to 4.9V CMOS 1.9V to 4.9V |

Test types

| | |
|---------------------------|---|
| Truth table (functional): | Library based functional test |
| Connections (MDA): | Short circuit detection Floating input detection Open circuit detection Linked pin detection |
| Voltage: | Resolution 10mV Range +/-10V Logic state detection |
| VI: | Number of channels 64 - 256 Sweep ranges -10V to +10V (programmable) Maximum test current 1mA Multi-plot with single waveform zoom |
| Thermal: | Indication of pin temperature |

Test libraries

| | |
|------------------|--|
| Library classes: | TTL 54/74 logic, CMOS, Memory, Interface, LSI, Microprocessor, PAL/EPLD, Linear, Package, Special and user defined |
| Package types: | DIL, SOIC, PLCC, QFP |

Accessories

| | |
|----------|---|
| Standard | Automatic out-of-circuit adapter 1 x 64 way test cable 1 x 64 way split test cable 1 x V-I probe assembly 1 x BDO cable 1 x Short locator cable 1 x Ground clip 1 x PSU lead set |
|----------|---|

Options

| | |
|------------------|--|
| Internal fitting | PCI interface |
| External fitting | MultiLink case (cost option) with USB. External case (cost option) which can hold up to 5 SYSTEM 8 modules (USB Interface). |

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Variable Power Supply Module

Logic Supply

Low voltage output for digital circuits

| | |
|------------------------|---------------------------------|
| Voltage | 2.5V to 6V programmable |
| Resolution | 0.01V |
| Over voltage | 3V to 7V programmable threshold |
| Resolution | 0.1V |
| Current | 5A |
| Short circuit current | 7A |
| Short circuit duration | indefinite (auto recovery) |
| Load regulation | 0.5% (20% to 80% load change) |
| Ripple voltage | 80mV pk-pk max |

Variable Positive Supply

Positive voltage output for analogue circuits

| | |
|------------------------|-------------------------------------|
| Voltage | 0 to +24V programmable |
| Resolution | 0.01V |
| Current | 1.5A max |
| Over current limit | 50mA to 1.5A programmable threshold |
| Short circuit current | 1.5A |
| Short circuit duration | indefinite (auto recovery) |
| Load regulation | 0.1% (20% to 80% load change) |
| Ripple voltage | 50mV pk-pk max |

Variable Negative Supply

Negative voltage output for analogue circuits

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|------------------------|-------------------------------------|
| Voltage | 0 to -24V programmable |
| Resolution | 0.01V |
| Current | 1.5A max |
| Over current limit | 50mA to 1.5A programmable threshold |
| Short circuit current | 1.5A |
| Short circuit duration | indefinite (auto recovery) |
| Load regulation | 0.1% (20% to 80% load change) |
| Ripple voltage | 50mV pk-pk max |

Physical data

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| Weight | 5kg |
| Size | 295 x 247 x 65mm |
| Power rating | 150W max |
| Connectors and cables | power cable, parallel interface cable, logic and ground cables, +V and -V cables |
| PC requirements | (Minimum) System capable of running Windows 95/98 with at least 32MB of RAM and 20MB of free hard disk space ECP/EPP capable parallel port or 16550 serial port |

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24 channel Analogue Test Station Module

V-I test capability

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| Number of test channels: | 24 + 2 probes and references |
| Test voltage: | 2 V to 50 V peak to peak |
| Voltage resolution: | 8 to 12 bits |
| Test frequency: | 37.5 Hz to 12 kHz |
| Test current: | 1 μ A to 150 mA |
| Source impedance: | 100 Ohm to 1 M |
| Test waveforms: | Sine, square, triangle, ramp, pulse |
| Waveform modes: | V-I, V-T, I-T |
| Waveform display: | Multi-plot with single waveform zoom |
| Waveform comparison: | Automatic comparison algorithm for good and bad boards using live probes or saved data |
| V-I comparison tolerance: | 50 mV to 500 mV with 50 mV resolution |
| Package support: | DIL, SOIC, PLCC, QFP and variants with MultiProbes |
| Pulse output: | Positive, negative or bipolar for thyristors/triacs |
| Pulse amplitude: | Adjustable to +/-10 V |
| Calibration: | Automatic |

Accessories

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| Standard | 1 x 24 way test cable 2 x Ground leads 2 x Pulse leads 1 x Blue V-I probe and adapter 1 x Yellow V-I probe and adapter 1 x SMD test tweezer set |
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Options

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| Internal fitting | PCI interface |
| External fitting | MultiLink case (cost option) with USB. External case (cost option) which can hold up to 5 SYSTEM 8 modules (USB Interface). |

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Training Board

Board Fault Locator Functions

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|---------------------------|--|
| Digital Test: | Test types CCT conditions Loop testing Logic trace Thresholds Digital V-I Invalid conditions Grounding issues Tri-state testing Open collector testing Guarding Comparison tolerance Live comparison |
| Graphical Test Generator: | Configuring the graphical test generator Setting the thresholds Inputting waveforms Defining responses Auto-learning responses |
| IC identifier | Equivalent Functions Use of thresholds |
| Short locator: | Operation Ranges |
| EPROM verifier: | Loading and saving EPROM files Effect of bus shorts Use of BDO signals |

Analogue Test Station Functions

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|---------------|---|
| Analogue V-I: | Effect of varying voltage and impedance Effect of varying waveform Difference between VI, VT and IT tests Dual probe mode Storing test result Comparison tolerance Clip testing MultiProbe testing Probe compensation Matrix VI Use of pulse output Testing Relays |
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AICT Functions

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| Analogue functional test: | Test types Device conditions Supply range Test analysis box Loop testing Analogue trace Generic type versus part number |
| Discrete Testing: | Use of special channels Measuring gain and voltage Effect of parallel components |

Multiple Instrument Station Functions

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| Function generator: | Low frequency waveforms Higher frequency with duty cycle Changing wave shape, amplitude and offset Use of single pulse mode Effect of phase lock Effect of modulation Sweep mode |
| Frequency counter: | Measuring frequency/period Using event mode |

DSO

Multimeter

MIS Power Supply

MIS Universal I/O

Setting target values
 Changing tolerances and display ranges
 Calculator
 Use of controls
 Acquisition modes
 Aliasing
 ERS mode
 Automatic measurements
 Waveform storing and comparison
 Adjusting comparison tolerances
 LM324 circuit
 Calculating op amp gain and DAC values
 Logging data
 Simple operation
 Simple discrete circuit (diode, transistor)
 Analogue output voltage and current
 Measuring voltage and current
 Testing transistors and diodes

Electronic Principles Covered

Ohms Law
 R/L/C Circuits
 Diode Operation
 Transistor Operation
 MOSFET and FET Operation
 Op Amp Operation
 Comparator Operation

Other specifications

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|-------------------|--|
| Electrical input: | Powered by MIS power supply or via external 6-way Molex through-hole connector. (typical) 5V, 600 mA (max) (typical) +12V 100 mA (typical) -12V, 100 mA |
| Dimensions: | 209 x 165 x 19 mm |
| Weight: | 222g |

Accessories

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| Standard | 1 x power connector 1 x SYSTEM 8 Premier test flow files and manual |
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Options

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| Cables: | 3 x BNC cables for MIS 10-way cable for MIS |
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