



Digivance® SDR PCIx Host Card Installation Instructions

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INTRODUCTION

These instructions provide installation information for installing a Software Defined Radio (SDR) PCIx host card in a dedicated server.

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Admonishments

Important safety admonishments are used throughout this manual to warn of possible hazards to persons or equipment. An admonishment identifies a possible hazard and then explains what may happen if the hazard is not avoided. The admonishments — in the form of Dangers, Warnings, and Cautions — must be followed at all times. These warnings are flagged by use of the triangular alert icon (seen below), and are listed in descending order of severity of injury or damage and likelihood of occurrence.



Danger: *Danger is used to indicate the presence of a hazard that **will** cause severe personal injury, death, or substantial property damage if the hazard is not avoided.*



Warning: *Warning is used to indicate the presence of a hazard that **can** cause severe personal injury, death, or substantial property damage if the hazard is not avoided.*



Caution: *Caution is used to indicate the presence of a hazard that **will** or **can** cause minor personal injury or property damage if the hazard is not avoided.*

General Safety Precautions



Caution: *Electronic modules can be damaged by electrostatic discharge (ESD). To prevent this, take the following precautions:*

- *Wear an anti-static-discharge wrist strap while handling modules.*
- *Place modules in anti-static packing material when transporting or storing them.*



Warning: *To prevent electrical shock, never install equipment in a wet location or during a lightning storm. When installing or modifying telephone lines, disconnect lines at the network interface before working with uninsulated lines or terminals. Disconnect all power feeds before working with uninsulated lines or terminals.*



Danger: *This equipment uses a Class 1 Laser according to FDA/CDRH rules. Laser radiation can seriously damage the retina of the eye. Do not look into the ends of any optical fiber. Do not look directly into the optical transceiver of any digital unit or exposure to laser radiation may result. An optical power meter should be used to verify active fibers. A protective cap or hood **MUST** be immediately placed over any radiating transceiver or optical fiber connector to avoid the potential of dangerous amounts of radiation exposure. This practice also prevents dirt particles from entering the transceiver or connector.*

FCC/IC Compliance Statement

SDR PCIx host card has been certified to comply with the requirements for Class B computing devices per Part 15 of the FCC regulations and applicable sections of Title 47 CFR Part 22 and 24.



Warning: *This equipment generates, uses, and can radiate radio frequency energy and if not installed and used in accordance with the instruction manual, may cause interference to radio communications. It has been tested and found to comply with limits for a Class B digital device pursuant to Subpart B of Part 15 of FCC Rules, which are designed to provide reasonable protection against such interference when operated in a residential environment. If interference to TV and radio reception does occur relocate or reorient the antenna of the affected radio or TV.*

This equipment does not exceed Class B limits for radio emission for digital apparatus, set out in the radio interference regulation of the authorization methods of Industry Canada.

This equipment complies with the applicable sections of RSS-131. The term “IC:” before the radio certification number only signifies that Industry Canada Technical Specifications were met.

This product conforms to all applicable standards of 21 CFR 1040.

Certification: UL/CSA Recognized

SDR PCIx host card has been tested and found to comply with the requirements of UL/CSA 60950.

1 DESCRIPTION

Software Defined Radio (SDR), refers to wireless communication in which the transmitter modulation is generated and receiver demodulation recovered by software operating on a computer. To select the desired modulation and demodulation type, configuration programs must be run by microcomputers controlling the transmitter and receiver.

The most significant asset of SDR is versatility. Wireless systems employ protocols that vary from one service to another. Even in the same type of service, for example wireless fax, the

protocol often differs from country to country. A single SDR set with an all-inclusive software repertoire can be used in any mode, anywhere in the world. Changing the service type, the mode, and/or the modulation protocol involves simply selecting and launching the requisite computer program. A SDR PCIx Host Card is shown in [Figure 1](#).

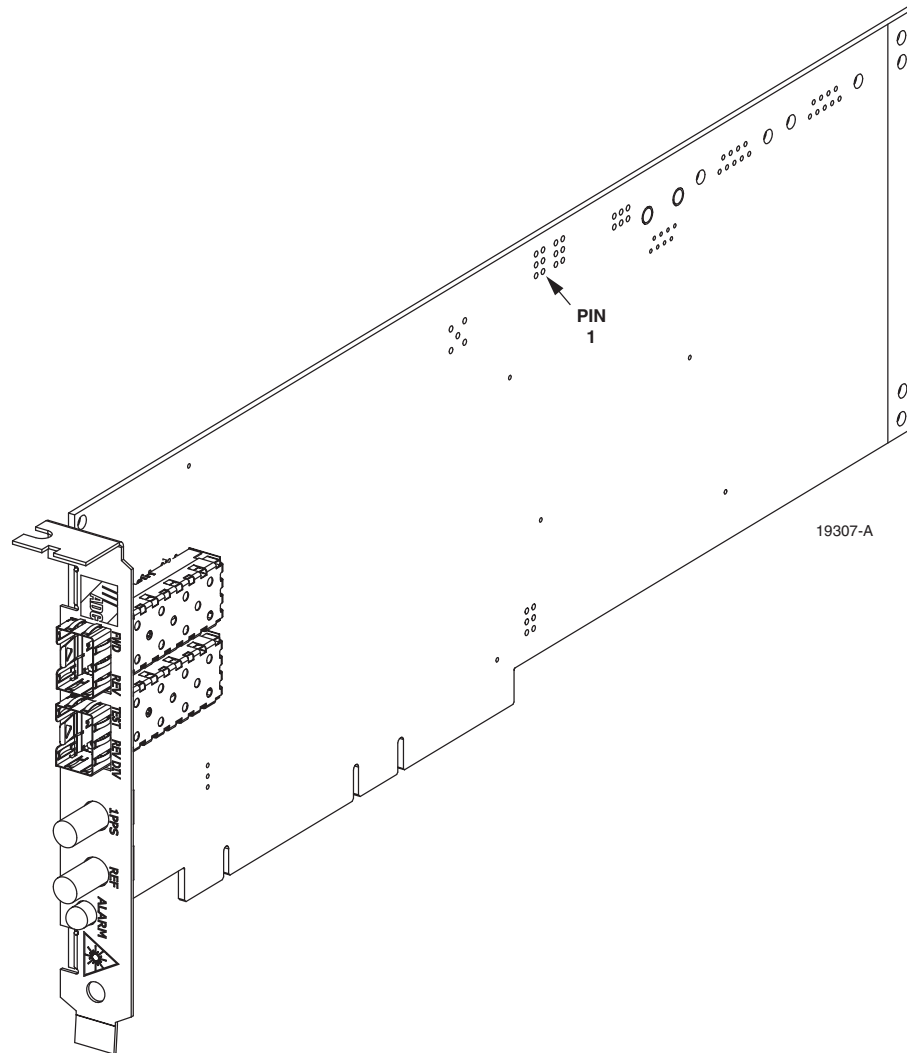


Figure 1. SDR PCIx Host Card

Software Defined Radio (SDR) allows a single device to adapt to different communications environments and systems by selecting the most appropriate protocol and frequency needed for a link. One device may work with a wireless local area network protocol in the city, and then be reconfigured to work with terrestrial and satellite protocols to deliver broadband applications to rural and remote areas.

SDR works much like desktop computing, where a single hardware platform carries out many functions based on the software applications loaded. SDR uses software to perform radio-signal processing functions instead of using resistors, capacitors, feedback loops, or application-specific integrated circuits.

The SDR PCIx host card is installed in a server and cabled to the LRCS remote (radio head) units and the GPS receiver. Power is provided by the server with configuration and software management through the server communications interface. Communications with the network is through the server and associated hardware and software.

1.1 Operating Conditions

The host card is designed to operate in any server that operates in this temperature range (+32°F to +122°F (0°C to +50°C)).

2 SDR CARD INSTALLATION

2.1 Power Down the Server



Warning: *To reduce the risk of personal injury, electric shock, or damage to the equipment, remove the power cord to remove power from the server. The front panel Power On switch may not completely shut off system power. Portions of the power supply and some internal circuitry may remain active until AC power is removed.*

1. Back up the server data.
2. Shut down the operating system as directed by the operating system documentation.
3. If the server is installed in a rack, locate the server.
4. Some servers may have a standby mode, if your server has a standby mode, press the Power On/Standby button to place the server in standby mode. When the server activates standby power mode, the system power LED should indicate the change to standby mode.
5. Disconnect the power cords. Server is now without power.

2.2 Extend Server from the Rack

Loosen the thumbscrews that secure the server faceplate to the front of the rack. Extend the server on the rack rails until the server rail-release latches engage.



Warning: *To reduce the risk of personal injury or equipment damage, be sure that the rack is adequately stabilized before extending a component from the rack.*

Warning: *To reduce the risk of personal injury, be careful when pressing the server rail-release latches and sliding server into the rack. The sliding rails could pinch your fingers.*

2.3 Remove Access Panel



Warning: *To reduce the risk of personal injury from hot surfaces, allow the drives and the internal system components to cool before touching them.*



Caution: Do not operate the server for long periods without the access panel. Operating the server without the access panel results in improper airflow and improper cooling that can lead to thermal damage.

Lift up on the hood latch handle and remove the access panel.

2.4 Remove PCI Riser Cage



Caution: To prevent damage to the server or expansion boards, power down the server and remove all AC or DC power cords before removing or installing the PCI riser cage.

1. If necessary, disconnect any internal or external cables connected to all expansion boards.
2. Lift the PCI riser cage thumbscrews and turn them counter-clockwise.
3. Remove the PCI riser cage.

2.5 Remove Expansion Slot Cover

Most servers contain a PCI-X backplane that is part of the PCI riser cage. The PCI backplane normally provides hot-plug capability to two expansion slots and a third non-hot-plug expansion slot. SDR PCIx Host card is installed in the non-hot-plug PCI-X expansion slot that meets the specification; 64-bit/133-MHz 3.3V. Determine which slot the SDR card is to be installed in and remove the expansion slot cover.



Caution: To prevent improper cooling and thermal damage, do not operate the server unless all PCI slots have either an expansion slot cover or an expansion board installed.

2.6 Installing a SDR PCIx Host Card



Caution: Electronic modules can be damaged by electrostatic discharge (ESD). To prevent this, take the following precautions:

- Wear an anti-static-discharge wrist strap while handling modules.
 - Place modules in anti-static packing material when transporting or storing them.
1. Slip on an Electro-Static Discharge (ESD) wrist strap and connect the ground wire to an earth ground source. Wear the ESD wrist strap while completing the SDR PCIx Host Card installation procedure.
 2. Unlock the PCI retaining clip.
 3. Install the card.
 4. Lock the PCI retaining clip.
 5. Power, network interface, and communications to the card are supplied through the card edge connector.

2.7 Install PCI Riser Cage



Caution: *To prevent damage to the server or expansion boards, power down the server and remove all AC power cords before removing or installing the PCI riser cage.*

1. Align the PCI riser cage with the chassis and slide it into place.
2. Tighten the screws to secure the PCI riser cage.

2.8 Install Access Panel

1. Place the access panel on top of the server with the hood latch open.
2. Push down on the hood latch. The access panel slides to a closed position.

2.9 Slide Server Into Rack

After performing the SDR PCIx Host card installation procedure, slide server back into the rack:

1. Press the server rail-release latches and slide the server fully into rack.
2. Secure the server by tightening the thumbscrews.

3 SDR PCIx HOST CARD CABLING

3.1 Optical and Electrical Connections

Optical and electrical connections with the remote unit and GPS are supported by four optical and two electrical ports. The electrical interface to the GPS is through coaxial cable connections using two type SubMiniature version A (SMA) female connectors. Single-mode fiber provides the optical connection between the SDR PCIx Host Card and Remote Units. The forward and reverse ports provide the optical communication channel in a non-diversity system. The REV DIV port provides receive optics for a diversity system. Each optical port uses a small form factor LC-type optical transceiver. Modular optical transceivers are field replaceable and available separately.

3.2 Coax Cabling

3.2.1 Coaxial Cable Requirements

SDR PCIx Host card is equipped with SMA-type female 50-Ohm connectors for connecting the timing input/output signals from the GPS unit. High performance, flexible, low loss 50-ohm coaxial communications cable (RG316 or equivalent) should be used for all coaxial connections. RF coaxial cable connectors are N-type (female) 50 Ohms input/output impedance.

3.2.2 Coaxial Cable Connections

The RF interface between SDR PCIx Host card and the GPS is supported through a pair of type SMA female connectors mounted on the host card front panel. One connector provides the coaxial cable connection for the REF (10 MHz sine wave) signal. The other connector provides the coaxial cable connection for the PPS (1 pulse per second) signal. Use the following procedure to install the coaxial cables and connect them to the host card:

1. Obtain the required lengths of high performance, flexible, low loss 50-ohm coaxial communications cable (RG316 or equivalent) for all coaxial connections.
2. Route the timing input/output coaxial cables (if not already routed) between the SDR PCIx Host card and the GPS interface device (per system design) and cut to the required length. Allow sufficient slack for dressing and organizing cables at the SDR PCIx Host card.
3. Terminate each cable end with the appropriate male connector following the connector supplier's recommendations.
4. Connect the cables to the connectors on the SDR PCIx Host card as shown in [Figure 2](#).

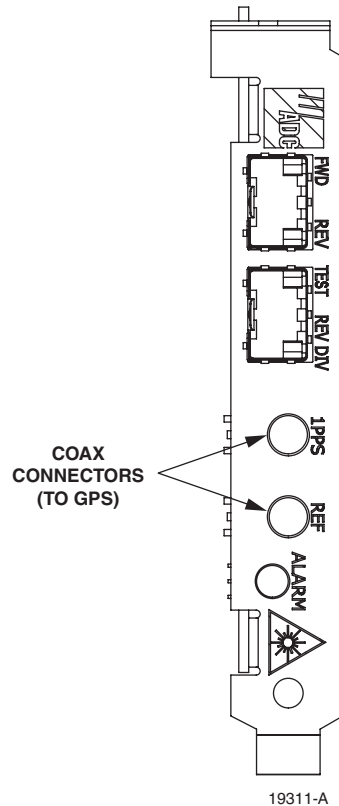


Figure 2. Coax Connectors

5. Dress and secure cables at the SDR PCIx Host card per standard industry practice.
6. Connect the coax cables to GPS receiver as specified in instructions provided with that unit.

3.3 Optical Cabling

3.3.1 Optical Options and Requirements

Each SDR PCIx Host Card and its associated remote (radio head) unit is connected over a pair of optical fibers. One fiber transports the forward path optical signal and the other fiber transports the reverse path optical signal. When diversity is used a third fiber is connected to the REV DIV port. 9/125 single-mode optical fiber is used for the optical transport connection. With 9/125 single-mode fiber, the optical path may be up to 10 kilometers in length. Optical fibers must be terminated with duplex LC connectors for connection with the SDR card. Remote unit has SC connectors.

The maximum length of the optical links is dependent on the loss specifications of the optical fiber and the losses imposed by the various connectors and splices. The system provides an optical budget of **20dB** (typical) when used with 9/125 single-mode fiber.

Whenever possible, use conduit or a guideway to route optical fibers between the SDR PCIx Host card and the remote (radio head) unit. Avoid routing optical fibers through ladder type cable racks or troughs that do not provide sufficient support to limit bending or prevent accidental damage. Tie-wrapping is not recommended as a means of securing fiber optic cables. Provide sufficient slack at each unit for connecting each fiber to the required port. Fibers may be pre-terminated or terminated on-site using field-installable LC type connectors.

3.3.2 Optical Connections

The optical interface between the SDR PCIx Host card and the remote (radio head) unit is supported by two optical ports. Each of the SDR PCIx Host card optical ports provides a duplex LC-type optical transceiver which is mounted on the SDR PCIx Host card front. The remote (radio head) unit has SC connectors.

- ▶ **Note:** To insure that all optical connectors and transceivers remain dust-free during installation, leave all dust caps and dust protectors in place until directed to remove them for connection.

The FWD and REV ports provide forward and reverse optical communications channels in a non-diversity system. The REV DIV port provides receive optics for a diversity system. See [Table 1](#) for transceiver port designations. See [Figure 3](#) for port designations.

Table 1. Transceiver Port Designations

| DESIGNATION | DIRECTION | REMARKS |
|-------------|-----------|---------------------------------|
| FWD | Output | Forward path (downlink) signal. |
| REV | Input | Reverse path (uplink) signal. |
| TEST | Not used | |
| REV DIV | Input | Receive optics. |



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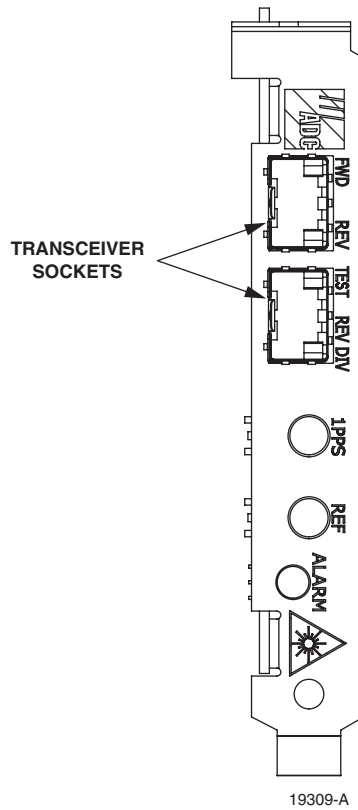


Figure 3. Optical Ports (Transceiver Sockets)

Use the following procedure to install the forward and reverse path optical fibers and to connect them to the SDR PCIx Host card:

1. Obtain the required lengths of single-mode fiber optic cable.
 2. Route the fiber optic cable between the SDR PCIx Host card and the remote (radio head) unit (if not already routed) and cut to required length. Allow sufficient slack for dressing and organizing the cables at each unit. Maintain a minimum bend radius of 2 inches (50 mm).
- **Note:** Maximum path length for 9/125 single-mode fiber optical fiber is 10 km (32,808 ft.).
3. Terminate each optical fiber with a field-installable LC type fiber optic connector as shown in [Figure 4](#). Follow the instructions provided by the connector manufacturer for installing the connector.

4. Test each fiber for optical loss.
5. Designate one of the fibers as the forward path fiber and the other as the reverse path fiber and label both ends of each fiber with the path designation.
6. Use the plastic joiner provided with the LC connectors to join the SDR PCIx Host card forward and reverse path connectors together (see [Figure 4](#)). Make sure the forward path and reverse path connectors are oriented as shown.

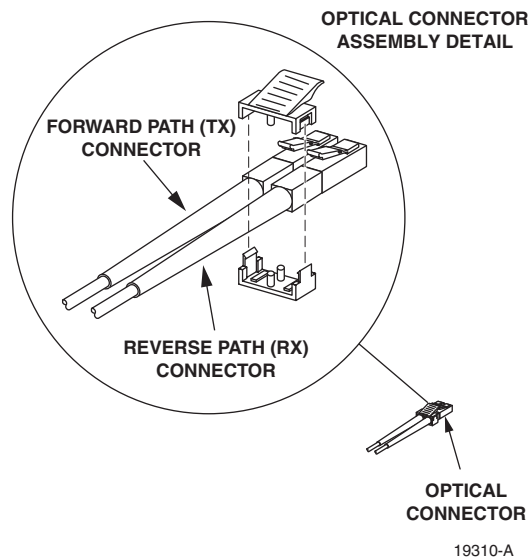


Figure 4. Terminate Optical Fiber

7. Remove dust caps from the optical fiber connectors and the primary optical transceiver.
 - ▶ **Note:** Leave the dust cap in place on any unused optical transceiver.
8. Clean each connector (follow connector supplier's recommendations) and then insert the optical fiber connector pair into SDR PCIx Host card optical FWD/REV port.
9. Place the optical fibers within the cable guides provided on the cable management tray and then dress and secure the fibers at the SDR PCIx Host card per standard industry practice.
10. Connect the forward and reverse path optical fibers to the remote (radio head) unit as specified in the instructions provided with that unit.
 - ▶ **Note:** To prevent damage to the remote optical receiver, there must be at least 15dB of attenuation at the optical receiver port.
11. Use the designation card provided to indicate the location and name of the remote (radio head) unit that is connected to the SDR PCIx Host card. The designation card holder may be attached to any convenient flat surface.

3.4 Modular Optical Transceiver Installation

Modular optical transceivers are available separately and may or may not be installed in the SDR PCIx Host Card depending on the configuration ordered. If optical transceivers are factory installed in the SDR PCIx Host Card, skip this section and proceed to [Section 3.3.2 Optical Connections on page 9](#). If optical transceivers are not factory installed, use the following procedure to install each transceiver:

1. Slip on an ESD wrist strap and connect ground wire to an earth ground source. Wear ESD wrist strap while completing optical transceiver installation procedure.



Warning: *Electronic components can be damaged by static electrical discharge. To prevent ESD damage, always wear an ESD wrist strap when handling electronic components.*

2. Locate the appropriate transceiver socket on the front of the SDR card as shown in [Figure 5](#) and remove the cover from the socket.

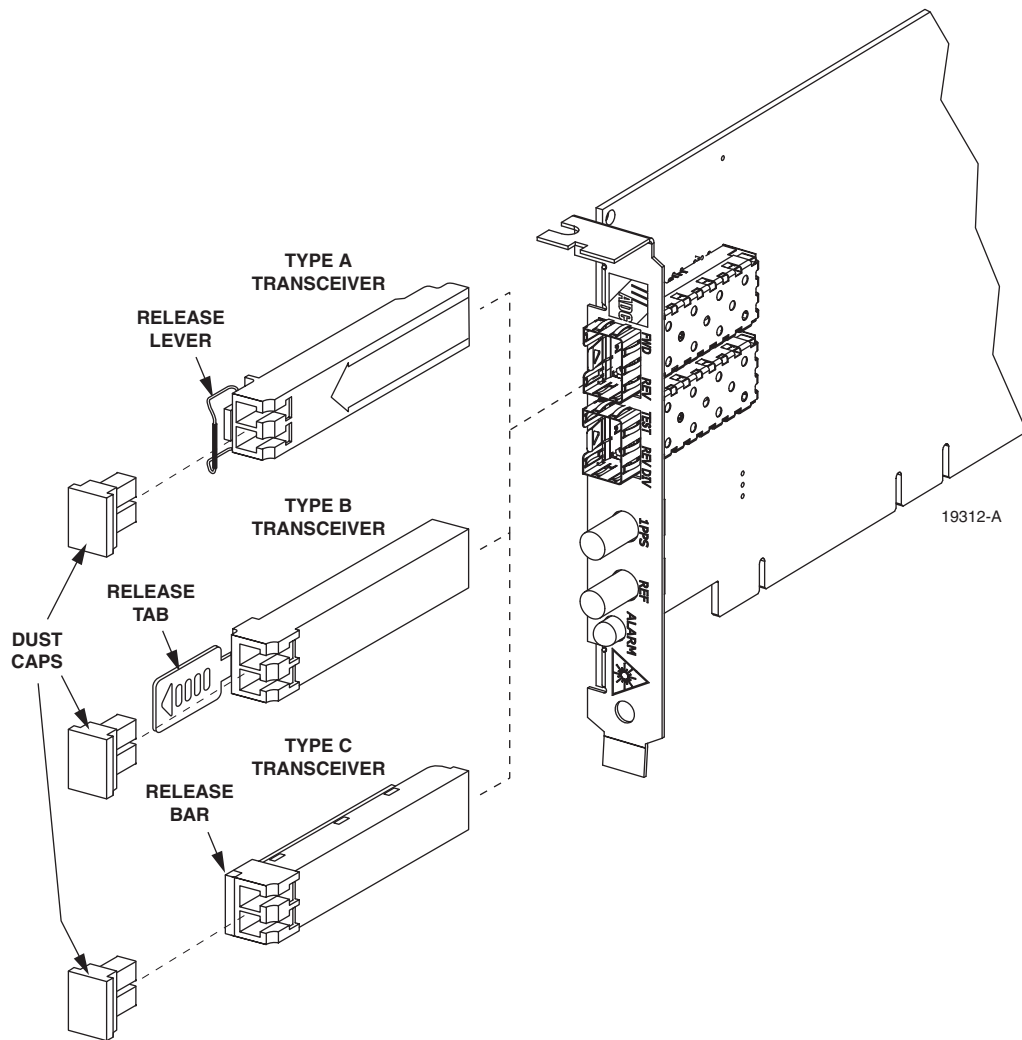


Figure 5. Optical Transceiver Installation

- ▶ **Note:** A variety of optical transceivers are available, all provide the same functionality. On the type A optical transceiver, the release lever (see [Figure 5](#)) must be closed for installation.
- 3. Select optical transceivers shown in [Figure 5](#).
- 4. Remove transceiver from anti-static packaging and orient for installation. See [Figure 5](#).
- 5. Insert the optical transceiver into the socket until it locks into place.
- 6. Replace the optical transceiver dust cap if it was removed for installation.
- 7. Repeat procedure for each optical transceiver that requires installation.

4 POWERING UP THE SERVER

To power up the server, connect power cord and move the start/on button to the ON position.

5 GAIN CONFIGURATION PARAMETERS

The EMS allows the user to configure forward, reverse, and diversity path gain settings on the Host PCIx card within the valid ranges.

5.1 Gain (Attenuation)

Gain is configured on a per channel basis and is independent for each Tx, Rx, and Rx diversity channel. Gain ranges for forward and reverse paths are shown below:

Primary Forward Path Range: 10 to -20dB

Primary Reverse Path Range: 0 to -30dB

Secondary Reverse (Diversity) Path Range: 0 to -30dB

5.2 Wide-band Gain (Attenuation)

Wide-band Gain is set at the Remote Unit, range is 0 to -30dB in increments of 1dB.

6 OPERATION

All operation of the SDR PCIx Host card is through the software. Use software utilities to configure new hardware in the system. For more configuration information, refer to software documentation.

6.1 Alarm LED

Under normal operation the Alarm LED is green. Alarm indicator is defined in [Table 2](#).

Table 2. LED Indicators

| COLOR | STATUS |
|--------|----------------------------|
| RED | SDR PCIx Host card failure |
| YELLOW | Minor alarm |
| GREEN | Normal operation |
| OFF | Power OFF |

7 SPECIFICATIONS

- **Note:** To comply with Maximum Permissible Exposure (MPE) requirements, the maximum composite output from the antenna cannot exceed 1000 Watts EIRP and the antenna must be permanently installed in a fixed location that provides at least **6 meters** (20 feet) of separation from all persons.

Nominal specifications for the SDR PCIx Host Card operating at 800 MHz are listed in [Table 3](#).

Table 3. PCIx Host Card 800 MHz Specifications

| PARAMETER | SPECIFICATION | REMARKS |
|---|--|---|
| RF Forward Path - 800 MHz System | | |
| Bandwidth A band B band | 11 and 1.5 MHz 10 and 2.5 MHz | |
| Frequency range A band B band | 869–880 and 890–891.5 MHz 880–890 and 891.5–894 MHz | |
| Out-of-band emissions Primary Secondary | –13 dBm per 1 MHz bandwidth from 10 kHz to 20 GHz –98 dBm per 100 kHz from 824 to 849 MHz | |
| Gain of forward path (PCIx Card to Remote primary antenna port) | 84.5 dB with 50 Watt LPA | At band center, room temperature, and 0 dB attenuation setting. Includes power amplifier. |
| Gain flatness Band flatness Channel flatness | ± 2.0 dB across freq. range ± 1 dB variation across any 1.25 MHz channel | |
| Gain variation | ± 3 dB over temp and unit-to-unit | |
| Out-of-band rejection | –40 dB at ≥ ±17.5 MHz from center of subband | |
| Propagation delay | 6 μs | Excludes fiber delay |

Table 3. PCIx Host Card 800 MHz Specifications, continued

| PARAMETER | SPECIFICATION | REMARKS |
|--|---|--|
| Configurable propagation delay Range Step size | Up to 63 μ s 0.1 μ s \pm 100 ns | Plus standard propagation delay |
| Spurious In-band self generated Free dynamic range | -13 dBm at remote output 60 dB at 30 kHz bandwidth | |
| Transmit peak-to-average | 10 dB | |
| Two-tone Intermodulation | -55 dBc at remote output | Two tones at 5 Watts each |
| Nominal composite RF PCIx card signal level | 10 to -20 dB | Commission signaling initially at less than max value to prevent overpowering the LPA. |
| Composite RF output power With 50 Watt LPA * | 44.5 dBm (28.5 Watts) at remote antenna port | 50 Watts at LPA output |
| Configurable RF Output Range Step size | 31 dB at remote unit 1 \pm 0.5 dB \pm 10% of attenuation monotonic | |
| Transmit path insertion loss | 2.5 dB | |
| RF Reverse Path - 800 MHz | | |
| Bandwidth A band B band | 11 and 1.5 MHz 10 and 2.5 MHz | |
| Frequency range A band B band | 824-835 and 845-846.5 MHz 835-845 and 846.5-849 MHz | |
| In band spurs (caused by an individual out-of-band signal) | -75 dBc (1 MHz to 20 GHz and > 10 MHz out-of-band) -120 dBc (869 to 894 MHz) | |
| Propagation delay | 6 μ s | Excludes fiber delay |
| Configurable propagation delay Range Step size | Up to 63 μ s 0.1 μ s \pm 100 ns | Plus standard propagation delay |
| Gain flatness Band flatness Channel flatness | 1.5 dB across frequency range \pm 1 dB variation across any 1.25 MHz channel | |
| Gain of reverse path Overall gain Gain variation | 30 \pm 2 dB at band center at room temperature 3 dB over temperature | ALC not invoked ALC not invoked |
| Out-of-band rejection | -40 dB at \geq \pm 17.5 MHz from center of subband | ALC not invoked |

Table 3. PCIx Host Card 800 MHz Specifications, continued

| PARAMETER | SPECIFICATION | REMARKS |
|---|--|-----------------|
| Spurious (in-band self generated) | -110 dBm referred to input | ALC not invoked |
| Intermodulation | -62 dBc two tones at -50 dBm | |
| System noise figure | 9 dB at mid-band | ALC not invoked |
| Configurable RF output Range Step size | 31 dB $1 \pm 0.5 \text{ dB} \pm 10\%$ of attenuation monotonic | |
| Blocking dynamic range | 70 dB | |
| Level limiting ALC threshold | -40 dBm \pm 3 dB instantaneous | |
| Level limiting ALC range | 30 dB | |
| RF Forward and Reverse Path Modulation Accuracy | | |
| Service/Mod Type/Parameter GSM/GMSK/rms phase error | 4° | |
| * - Per Industry Canada Section 5.3 - The rated output power of this equipment is for single carrier operation. For situations when multiple carrier signals are present, the rating would have to be reduced by 3.5 dB, especially where the output signal is re-radiated and can cause interference to adjacent band users. This power reduction is to be by means of input power or gain reduction and not by an attenuator at the output of the device. | | |

Nominal specifications for the SDR PCIx Host Card operating at 1900 MHz are listed in [Table 4](#).

Table 4. PCIx Host Card 1900 MHz Specifications

| PARAMETER | SPECIFICATION | REMARKS |
|---|---|---------------------------------|
| Optical - Host and Remote WDM | | |
| Passband | 1310 nm \pm 20 nm 1550 nm \pm 20 nm | |
| Forward path insertion loss Host WDM Remote WDM | 0.7 dB 0.3 dB | Does not include connector loss |
| Reverse path insertion loss Host WDM Remote WDM | 0.3 dB 0.7 dB | Does not include connector loss |
| Isolation | > 30 dB minimum | |
| Return loss (Reflectance) | < -50 dB | All input ports |
| RF Forward Path - 1900 MHz | | |
| System Bandwidth | 20 MHz AD band, 25 MHz DBE, BEF, and EFC bands | |

Table 4. PCIx Host Card 1900 MHz Specifications, continued

| PARAMETER | SPECIFICATION | REMARKS |
|---|---|---|
| Frequency range AD DBE BEF EFC | 1930 to 1950 MHz 1945 to 1970 MHz 1950 to 1975 MHz 1965 to 1990 MHz | |
| Out-of-band emissions Primary Secondary (see Note 1) | -13 dBm per 1 MHz bandwidth from 10 kHz to 20 GHz -98 dBm per 100 kHz from 824 to 849 MHz and from 1850 to 1910 MHz | |
| Gain of forward path (PCIx Card to Remote primary antenna port) | 80.5 dB with 20 Watt LPA 83.5 dB with 40 Watt LPA | At band center, room tempera- ture, and 0 dB attenuation set- ting. Includes power amplifier. |
| Gain flatness Band flatness Channel flatness | ± 1.5 dB across freq. range ± 1 dB variation across any 1.25 MHz channel | |
| Gain variation | ± 3 dB over temp and unit-to- unit | |
| Out-of-band rejection | -40 dB at $\geq \pm 17.5$ MHz from center of subband | |
| Propagation delay | 6 μ s | Excludes fiber delay |
| Configurable propagation delay Range Step size | Up to 63 μ s 0.1 μ s ± 100 ns | Plus standard propagation delay |
| Spurious In-band self generated Free dynamic range | -13 dBm at remote output 60 dB at 30 kHz bandwidth | |
| Transmit peak-to-average | 10 dB | |
| Two-tone Intermodulation | -55 dBc at remote output | Two tones at 5 Watts each |
| CDMA Intermodulation 885 kHz to 1.25 MHz 1.25 to 1.98 MHz 1.98 to 2.25 MHz | -45 dBc per 30 kHz -8 dBm per 30 kHz -55 dBc per 30 kHz | Absolute level |
| Nominal composite RF PCIx card signal level | 10 to -20 dB | Commission signaling initially at less than max value to prevent overpowering the LPA. |
| Composite RF output power With 20 Watt LPA * With 40 Watt LPA * | 40.5 dBm (11 Watts) at remote antenna port 43.5 dBm (22.4 Watts) at remote antenna port | 20 Watts at LPA output 40 Watts at LPA output |

Table 4. PCIx Host Card 1900 MHz Specifications, continued

| PARAMETER | SPECIFICATION | REMARKS |
|--|---|------------------------------------|
| Configurable RF Output Range Step size | 31 dB at remote unit 1 \pm 0.5 dB \pm 10% of attenuation monotonic | |
| Transmit path insertion loss | 2.5 dB | |
| RF Reverse Path - 1900 MHz System Bandwidth | 20 MHz AD band, 25 MHz DBE, BEF, and EFC bands | |
| Frequency range AD DBE BEF EFC | 1850 to 1870 MHz 1865 to 1890 MHz 1870 to 1895 MHz 1885 to 1910 MHz | |
| In band spurs (caused by an individual out-of-band signal) | -75 dBc (1 MHz to 20 GHz and > 10 MHz out-of-band) -120 dBc (1930 to 1990 MHz) -120 dBc (869 to 894 MHz) | Required for dual band |
| Propagation delay | 6 μ s | Excludes fiber delay |
| Configurable propagation delay Range Step size | Up to 63 μ s 0.1 μ s \pm 1 100 ns | Plus standard propagation delay |
| Gain flatness Band flatness Channel flatness | 1.5 dB across frequency range \pm 1 dB variation across any 1.25 MHz channel | |
| Gain of reverse path Overall gain Gain variation | 30 \pm 2 dB at band center at room temperature 3 dB over temperature | ALC not invoked ALC not invoked |
| Out-of-band rejection | -40 dB at $\geq \pm$ 17.5 MHz from center of subband | ALC not invoked |
| Spurious (in-band self generated) | -110 dBm referred to input | ALC not invoked |
| Intermodulation | -62 dBc two tones at -50 dBm | |
| System noise figure | 8 dB at mid-band | ALC not invoked |
| Configurable RF output Range Step size | 31 dB 1 \pm 0.5 dB \pm 10% of attenuation monotonic | |
| Blocking dynamic range | 70 dB | |
| Level limiting ALC threshold | -40 dBm \pm 3 dB instantaneous | |
| Level limiting ALC range | 30 dB | |

Table 4. PCIx Host Card 1900 MHz Specifications, continued

| PARAMETER | SPECIFICATION | REMARKS |
|---|---------------|---------|
| RF Forward and Reverse Path Modulation Accuracy | | |
| Service/Mod Type/Parameter | | |
| TDMA/n/4-DQSK/rms EVM | 7% | |
| GSM/GMSK/rms phase error | 4° | |
| EDGE/8PSK/rms EVM | 7% | |
| EIA-97D/CDMA/rho factor | .97% | |
| * - Per Industry Canada Section 5.3 - The rated output power of this equipment is for single carrier operation. For situations when multiple carrier signals are present, the rating would have to be reduced by 3.5 dB, especially where the output signal is re-radiated and can cause interference to adjacent band users. This power reduction is to be by means of input power or gain reduction and not by an attenuator at the output of the device. | | |

Note 1: Required for co-located sites such as dual band. Otherwise, the emissions from one unit can limit the sensitivity of the other.

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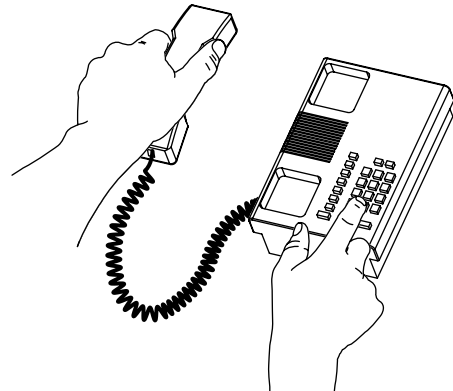
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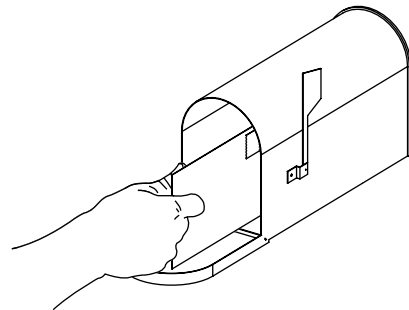


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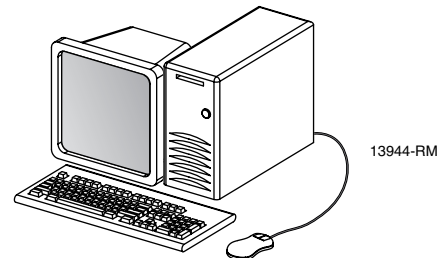
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