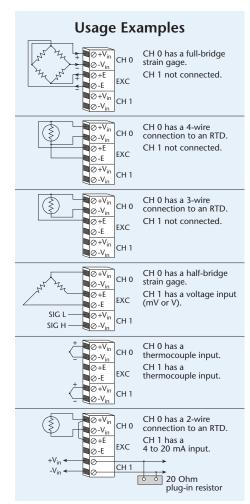
# DBK48 16-Slot Multifunction Isolated Signal Conditioning



### **Features**

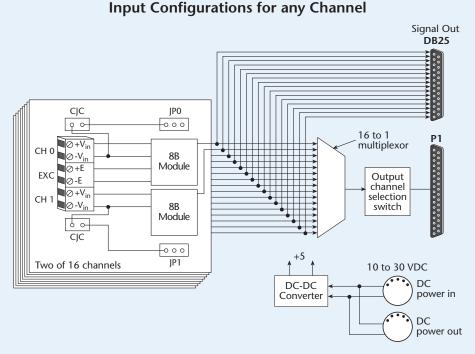
- Accepts up to sixteen 8B\* isolated signal conditioning modules
- Features removable screw-terminal connectors
- Offers built in cold junction compensation for thermocouple measurements

The DBK48 signal conditioning module uses the new, low-cost 8B isolated signal conditioning modules, and provides up to 16 channels of I/O with 250V isolation from channel-to-channel. The DBK48 attaches to any of IOtech's products with a P1 expansion port, including the DaqBook, DaqLab, DaqScan, and DaqBoard/2000 Series of PCI boards\*\*. Up to sixteen DBK48 modules can be attached to one P1 port, for a total channel capacity of 256 channels. All DBK48 channels can be scanned at 5 µsec/channel.





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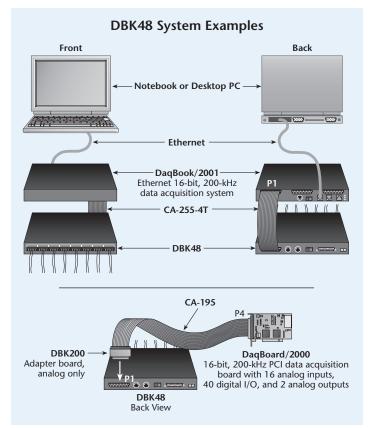
All signal connections are accomplished via removable screw-terminal connectors on the DBK48's front panel. Cold-junction compensation is built into the DBK48, allowing any channel to be configured as a thermocouple (TC) input channel. When 2-wire signals are attached to the DBK48, such as voltage, current or TC, all 16 channels can be populated with 8B signal conditioning modules. When 3- or 4-wire transducers are used, such as strain gages or RTDs, then the maximum number of 3- or 4-wire transducers is eight, plus an additional eight 2-wire transducers (volts, current, or TC). For example, one DBK48 can be configured for 16 volts or TC inputs, or 8 strain inputs plus 8 volts or TC inputs.

\* 8B modules must be purchased separately. All sales are final with no right of return.

\*\* Requires an adapter for DagBoard/2000 Series

## DBK48 Specifications & Ordering Information





**Powering the DBK48.** The DBK48 is powered from a number of sources: an included AC adapter, an optional DBK30A rechargeable battery/excitation module, or directly from a 10 to 30 VDC source, such as an automobile battery. The DBK48 has a built-in DC/DC converter capable of providing 10W exclusively for 8B modules.



DBK48 with cover open showing 8B signal conditioning modules



8B modules allow a diverse range of signal conditioning requirements

**Signal Connections.** Eight sets of removable screw-terminal blocks are on the front of the DBK48. They provide access to all 16 input channels. 8B modules generate a 0 to 5V or  $\pm$ 5V output signal that is multiplexed onto the P1 analog input connector. The output signal of each 8B module is also available on a 25-pin DSUB connector located on the rear panel of the DBK48, which can be measured by any device capable of measuring a  $\pm$ 5V signal.

### **Specifications**

**Operating Environment: Temperature:** -30 to 70 °C

**Relative Humidity:** 95% RH, non-condensing

**Vibration:** MIL STD 810E Category 1 and 10

System Connector: DB37 male, mates with P1\*

**Power Connector:** DIN5 x2 for daisy chaining

Module Capacity: 16 (input only) voltage or thermocouple 8B modules, or 8 strain gage, potentiometer, or RTD 8B modules (any module requiring excitation)

**Power Requirements (8B Modules):** 10 to 30 VDC with included AC adapter **Power Consumption:** 750 mW from P1 (typical)

DC Power Required: 15V @ 833 mA, 20V @ 625 mA, assuming max load, 755 mW required from P1 when used with a DaqBook

DC Input Fuse: 2A

Input Connections: Eight sets of removable screw terminals (6 connections each) Channel-to-Channel Setting: ±0.05% typ @ 200 kHz; ±0.025% typ @ 100 kHz Isolation

Input Power to System: 250 VDC

Signal Inputs to System: 250 VDC

Input Channel-to-Channel: 250 VDC

Dimensions: 285 mm W x 220 mm D x 45 mm H (11" x 8.5" x 1.75") Weight: 1.13 kg (2.5 lbs) with no modules installed Voltage Accuracy: 0.015 + 0.005 (% reading + % range) Voltage Range: ±5V

Cold Junction Sensor Accuracy: 2 °C (typical)

## **Ordering Information**

 Description
 Part No.

 16-slot multi-function 8B expansion module including AC adapter
 DBK48

#### Accessories & Cables

Rack-mount kit	RackDBK3
8B Modules (see 8B module product page)	
5-pin DIN to automobile cigarette lighter power cable	CA-116
25-pin DSUB to eight BNC	CA-208-3
Molded T expansion cable; 2 in.	CA-255-2T
Molded T expansion cable; 4 in.	CA-255-4T
Ribbon cable, where x is the number of DBK devices attached	CA-37-x

**Note:** The CA-37-x ribbon cable can also be used in lieu of the CA-255-x molded T cables.

#### **Product Compatibility**

- 🗸 DaqBook
- 🗸 DaqLab
- 🗸 DaqScan
- ✓ DaqBoard/2000 Series

Attachment to the DaqBoard/2000 Series requires a DBK200, DBK202, DBK203A, DBK209, DBK213, or DBK214