

Additional Technical Manual

for Signal Converter FG4800AC-84/BB and FG4800DC-84/BB (Output IRIG-B / IEEE C37.118 / AFNOR)

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Base Description

4800xx-yy Signal Converter Version: 01.01





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Functionality

Disregard may impact function of system/device.



Information

Notes and Information.





Safety regulations

The safety regulations and observance of the technical data serve to ensure trouble-free operation of the device and protection of persons and material. It is therefore of utmost importance to observe and compliance with these regulations.

If these are not complied with, then no claims may be made under the terms of the warranty. No liability will be assumed for any ensuing damage.



Safety of the device

This device has been manufactured in accordance with the latest technological standards and approved safety regulations

The device should only be put into operation by trained and qualified staff. Care must be taken that all cable connections are laid and fixed in position correctly. The device should only be operated with the voltage supply indicated on the identification label.

The device should only be operated by qualified staff or employees who have received specific instruction.

If a device must be opened for repair, this should only be carried out by employees with appropriate qualifications or by *hopf* Elektronik GmbH.

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This device fulfils the requirements of the EU directive 2004/108/EC "Electromagnetic Compatibility" and 2006/95/EC "Low Voltage Equipment".

Therefore the device bears the CE identification marking (CE = Communautés Européennes = European communities)

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1 **General Information about Signal Converter**

This expansion of documentation is based on the technical manual of Signal Converter series 4800xx-yy. It describes the function of Signal Converter 4800AC-84/BB und 4800DC-84/BB (called 4800xx-84/BB in the following).



Not described connections and functions in this manual are described in the basic manual.

A synchronisation signal received via the FO input is used for generating IRIG-B / IEEE C37.118 / AFNOR signals.

The output of this signals is done potential free via the two BNC connectors in the front panel.

Numerous status LEDs in the front panel simplify diagnosis of the module condition.

The signal output is configured via DIP switch and jumper of the board 7628 in the signal converter.



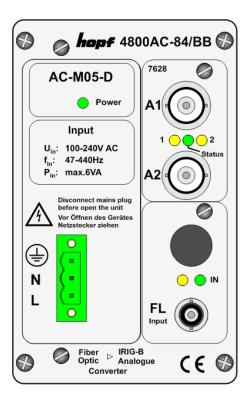
Connection Elements of the Converter 4800xx-84/BB 2

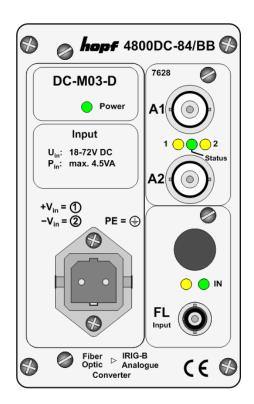
Connection

- The optical fiber receiver (FL Input) is of the ST design.
- The IRIG-B / IEEE C37.118 / AFNOR signals are available on BNC connector • A1/A2.

Status Display

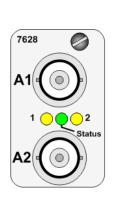
- The optical fiber receiver has a status LED (IN Green), which displays the current • operating status of the optical fiber component.
- The BNC connectors have a common status LED 1-2 (Out Gelb) available, which • displays the current operating status of the respective transmission line.
- The status LED (green) displays the actually synchronisation status and additionally • serves for diagnosis of the synchronisation status.







2.1 Connection BNC Connector / Status LED



A1/A2	- BNC Connector			
LED	Meaning			
status	LED green - synchronisation status			
	LED	Function		
	on	time output is synchronous		
	on/off 900/100 msec	SyncOFF Timer is active		
	on/off 100/900 msec	time output in crystal mode		
	on/off approx. 2 Hz	System in test mode		
	flashing	time is invalid		
	off	board defect / no voltage		
1	LED yellow (on) - transmission BNC connector A1			
2 LED yellow (on) - transmission BNC		- transmission BNC connector A2		
BNC	Signal			
A1	BNC connector fo	ector for output IRIG-B/IEEE C37.118/AFNOR		
A2	BNC connector for output IRIG-B/IEEE C37.118/AFNOF			

2.2 Connection FL (Fiber Optic Line) / Status LED



FL1 input - FO Design ST					
LED	Meaning				
IN	LED green (on) - Reception of pulses at FL Input				
	LED yellow - n.c.				
FO Component					
FL Fiber optic receiver Input					



3 Configuration of converter 4800xx-84/BB

The used synchronisation signal and the signal output on the BNC-outputs have to be configured accordingly.



ESD The signal converter 4800xx-84/BB contains components at risk from ESD, i.e. protective measures against ESD are to be taken when coming into contact with these components.

3.1 Opening and Closing the Device

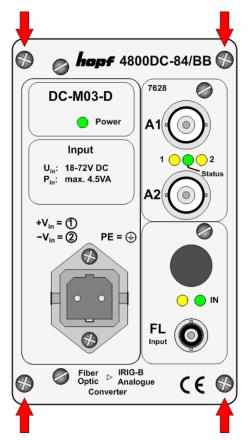
In order to configure the FO-module it must be removed from the housing. To do this the following steps are to be carried out:

1. Switch off the power to the device.



Warning: Never work on live equipment! Danger to life!

2. Loosen the 4 corner screws (Phillips type) on the front panel.



- 3. Carefully pull the module out of the housing. In doing so, care is to be taken to ensure that the internal cable connections are not damaged or torn off.
- 4. Configure the module via DIP switch and jumper.
- 5. Next carefully push the module back into the housing taking care with the connection cable.
- 6. Fasten the front panel with the 4 corner screws (Phillips type).



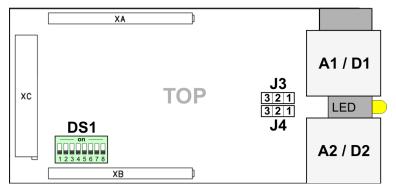
3.2 Parameterization of Signal Outputs

There are two DIP switches and two jumpers on Module 7628 for parameterization. The DIP Switch DS1 and the jumper J3/J4 are on the component side and (TOP) and the DIP Switch DS2 on the conductor side (BOTTOM).

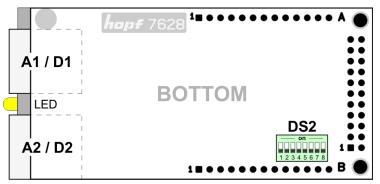


The jumpers are only available on module versions for analogue signal outputs.

Component Side



Conductor Side



3.2.1 Overview of DIP Switches / Jumper



The DIP Switch should only be adjusted with an appropriate tool in order to avoid damage to the switch.



3.2.1.1 DIP Switch DS1

SW8			Step Size for SyncOFF Timer		
off on			10 minutes		
		n		1 hour	
SV	V7	SV	V6	Factor for SyncOFF Timer	
0	ff	0	ff	2x SW8 (Step Size) ⇔ SyncOFF Timer (20min / 2h)	
0	ff	0	n	4x SW8 (Step Size) ⇔ SyncOFF Timer (40min / 4h)	
0	n	0	ff	6x SW8 (Step Size) ⇔ SyncOFF Timer (60min / 6h)	
0	n	0	n	8x SW8 (Step Size) ⇔ SyncOFF Timer (80min / 8h)	
	SV	SW5		Service Mode	
	0	ff		Reserved for <i>hopf</i> Elektronik GmbH. The setting should not be changed and must always be off !	
SW4	SW3	SW2	SW1	Selection of Sync Source	
off	off	off	off	01: <i>hopf</i> Binary string with PPS (NTP configuration)	
off	off	off	on	02: <i>hopf</i> System-BUS 6000 with PPS	
off	off	on	off	03: <i>hopf</i> System-BUS 7001 with PPS	
off	off	on	on	04: <i>hopf</i> Master/Slave-String – Transmission cycle: every minute	
off	on	off	off	05: <i>hopf</i> Master/Slave-String –Transmission cycle: every second	
off	on	off	on	06: <i>hopf</i> Master/Slave-String with PPS – Transmission cycle: every min.	
off	on	on	off	07: <i>hopf</i> Master/Slave-String with PPS – Transmission cycle: every sec.	
off	on	on	on	08: DCF77 Pulse (1Hz) – Local time (MEZ)	
on	off	off	off	currently not connected (currently <i>hopf</i> Binary string with PPS)	
on	off	off	on	currently not connected (currently <i>hopf</i> Binary string with PPS)	
on	off	on	off	currently not connected (currently <i>hopf</i> Binary string with PPS)	
on off on on		on	currently not connected (currently <i>hopf</i> Binary string with PPS)		
on	on	off	off	currently not connected (currently <i>hopf</i> Binary string with PPS)	
on	on	off	on	currently not connected (currently <i>hopf</i> Binary string with PPS)	
on	on	on	off	currently not connected (currently <i>hopf</i> Binary string with PPS)	
on	on	on	on	currently not connected (currently <i>hopf</i> Binary string with PPS)	



DIP Switch SW5 of DS1 must always be off (service mode).



For the signal generation the selection of the sync source 08: DCF77 pulse (1Hz) - local time (MEZ) means a fixed defined difference time (Time Zone Offset) of +1h from local time to UTC for the time zone MEZ. The other sync source settings use the difference time transferred with the sync source signal.



3.2.1.2 DIP Switch DS2

SW8			Identification of Input Signal via Status LED (Green)	
off			Status LED (green) for synchronization display	
	01	n		Diagnosis Mode – Indication of the received synchronization signal at the internal input of Module 7268
SW7	,		SW6	Signal Output IRIG-B / IEEE C37.118 / AFNOR
off			off	Always when time in the module is valid
off			on	When the module is currently synchronized <u>or</u> the SyncOFF Timer is active
on			off	Only when the module is currently synchronized
on			on	Test Mode – Test signal output
SW5	SV	V4	SW3	Selection of Output Format IRIG-B / IEEE C37.118 / AFNOR
off	of	ff	off	IRIG-B / B007+B127 (time, year, second of day)
off	of	ff	on	IRIG-B / B003+B123 (time, second of day)
off	01	n	off	IRIG-B / B006+B126 (time, year)
off	01	n	on	IRIG-B / B002+B122 (time)
on	of	ff	off	IEEE C37.118 (formerly IEEE 1344)
on	of	ff	on	AFNOR NF S87-500
on	01	n	off	Not connected (currently IEEE C37.118)
on c		n	on	Not connected (currently IEEE C37.118)
SW2		SW1		Selection of the Time Zone for the Output
off		off		Local time
off			on	UTC time
on			off	Standard time (local time without ST/WT changeover)
on		on		Not connected (currently local time)

3.2.1.3 Jumper J3/J4

The output amplitude BNC connector female A1/A2 is set via jumper J3/J4 (*chapter 3.2.4 Parameterization of the Output Amplitude (only applicable for analogue signals)*).

These jumpers are not available at outputs for digital outputs.



3.2.2 Parameterization of the Synchronization Source

Adjustment via: DS1 / SW1-SW4 – Default: No Default-Setting

The Module 7628 can be synchronized by different time information. Using these modules in *hopf* basis systems the necessary settings are performed by default (ex Works).

Using the module in converter units the settings may be required by the customer.

This selection determines what kind of time information should be evaluated by the module.

Currently *hopf* specific time formats as well as the DCF77 pulse (1Hz) with local time (MEZ) are available for the synchronization.

01: <i>hopf</i> Binary string with PPS (NTP configuration)
02: <i>hopf</i> System-BUS 6000 with PPS
03: <i>hopf</i> System-BUS 7001 with PPS
04: <i>hopf</i> Master/Slave-String – Transmission cycle: Every minute
05: <i>hopf</i> Master/Slave-String – Transmission cycle: Every second
06: <i>hopf</i> Master/Slave-String with PPS – Transmission cycle: Every min.
07: <i>hopf</i> Master/Slave-String with PPS – Transmission cycle: Every sec.
08: DCF77 Pulse (1Hz) – Local time (MEZ)



There is no synchronization of the Module and also no generation of the signal for the output in case of an incorrect setting.

3.2.3 Parameterization of the Signal Outputs

The output of the IRIG-B signal can be parameterized for different applications.

3.2.3.1 Selection of the Output Format IRIG-B / IEEE C37.118 / AFNOR

Adjustment via: DS2 / SW3-SW5 – Default: OFF/OFF/OFF

This setting determines which of the available time (IRIG-B / IEEE C37.118 / AFNOR NF S87-500) should be put out at the connecting elements.

3.2.3.2 Signal Output in Relation to the Synchronization Signal

Adjustment via: DS2 / SW6-SW7 – Default: OFF/OFF

The behaviour of the signal output in relation to the internal condition of synchronization can be set.



If the module is in a synchronization state without having outputs, the outputs are inactive (no output of a carrier signal).



Different output criteria can be set:

• Signal output always when time is correct

By means of this synchronization signal a module internal clock is synchronized that independently runs until the next reset in case of a synchronization failure. This time basis is used for the signal generation if the synchronization signal is lost.

• When the module is currently synchronized <u>or</u> the SyncOFF Timer is active In this mode a signal output is only provided when the module is really synchronized by the internal synchronization signal <u>and</u> as long as the SyncOFF Timer is not expired (after synchronization failure).

The SyncOFF Timer is automatically activated when the external synchronization of the module fails. The SyncOFF Timer is reset automatically after re-synchronization.

• Only when the module is currently synchronized With this adjustment only a signal output is provided while the module is really synchronized via the internal synchronization signal.

• Output of test signal

For test purposes the output of an "IRIG-B signal" is possible with this setting even without synchronization of the module.

For the test signal a fixed-programmed time information is used. After start of the module with an activated test signal a time loop of one hour is put out.

The time loop starts with the fixed-programmed time value: 14:30h 27th April 2007

The output format of the test signal complies with the one selected via the DIP switch for the "normal" output.

3.2.3.3 Parameterization of the Value for the SyncOFF Timer

Adjustment via: DS1 / SW6-SW8 – Default: OFF/OFF/OFF

Based on the adjustment of the appropriate output mode the time for the output of signals after loss of the internal synchronization signal (e.g. in case of failure) can be determined via the SyncOFF Timer.

- Switch SW8 of DS1 is used for setting the increment of the time value.
- Switches SW6 to SW7 of DS1 are used for setting the factor for the increment.

These three switches allow the adjustment of the SyncOFF Timer from 20-80 minutes or rather from 2-8 hours.

3.2.3.4 Time Basis for Output IRIG-B / IEEE C37.118 / AFNOR

Adjustment via: DS2 / SW1-SW2 – Default: OFF/OFF

The synchronization sources supported by the module provide all necessary information in their protocols enabling the module to process the signal generation with the different time bases.



3.2.4 Parameterization of the Output Amplitude (only applicable for analogue signals)

Adjustment via: J3 and J4 – Default: 2-3

The output amplitude for the connecting elements A1/A2 is set via the jumpers J3/J4. The load-dependent amplitude ranges are defined in *Chapter 5 Technical Data*.

Jumper J3 for Output at Connecting Element A1		
1-2	Small amplitude	
2-3	Large amplitude	

Jumper J4 for Output at Connecting Element A2		
1-2	Small amplitude	
2-3	Large amplitude	

3.2.5 Parameterization of the Status LED (Green)

Adjustment via: DS2 / SW8 - Default: OFF

For the diagnosis of the internal synchronization signal the status LED (green) can be adjusted to indicate the internal input signal of the module 1:1.



4 IRIG-B / IEEE C37.118 / AFNOR NF S87-500

The following telegrams / Time Code formats can be put out by Module 7628:

- IRIG-B according to IRIG Standard 200-98
- IRIG-B according to IRIG Standard 200-04
- IEEE C37.118-2005 (formerly IEEE 1344-1995)
- AFNOR NF S87-500

4.1 IRIG-B nach IRIG Standard 200-98

The IRIG-B format consists of a time code of 74 bits and a repeat rate of one second. The bit frame is 10msec. The quality rating of a bit is marked by the pulse width modulation and is a multiple of a millisecond.

For synchronisation on the beginning of the second a neutral logical condition is required named identifier.

- Logical 0 = 2msec H-level
- Logical 1 = 5msec H-level
- Identifier = 8msec H-level

The 74 time code bits are divided into

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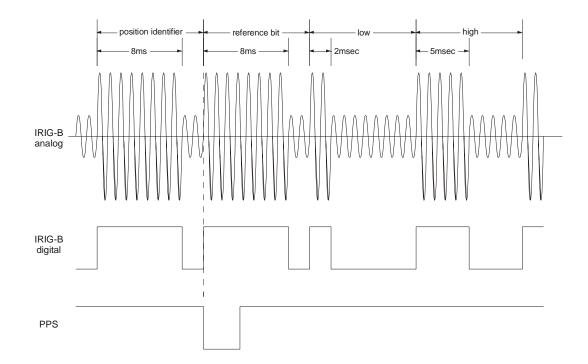
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- 30 bits for the BCD value of the seconds, minutes and hours and the current day of the year
- 27 bits for the input of control information
- 17 bits for the binary value of the current seconds of the day

Within one second 100 bit frames can be transferred. Not used bit frames are completed with a logical zero.

Information referring to the year, difference time UTC to local time and status daylight saving time / winter time are not included in the telegram according to IRIG Standard 200-98.





The below drawing shows the IRIG-B signal quality rating in analogue and digital format.

4.2 IRIG-B nach IRIG Standard 200-04

The IRIG-B Standard 200-04 is an extension of the Standard 200-98. Additional IRIG telegrams with extended information were defined.

For example, the current year is additionally sent in the first control information field. That enables the issue of complete time/date information

4.3 IEEE C37.118-2005 (formerly IEEE 1344-1995)

This version of the IRIG Standard is an extension of the IRIG Standard 200-98. The 27 bits of the control information field are occupied with fixed data as year, time offset between UTC and local time, daylight saving time / winter time status etc. It is downward compatible to the IRIG Standard 200-98 (the IRIG Standard 200-98 is included as a subset).

4.4 AFNOR NF S87-500

This IRIG standard is issued by the French Institute of Engineering Standard and is built up on the Standard IRIG 200-98. 27 bits of the control information field are occupied with fixed data as year, month etc. It is downward compatible to IRIG Standard 200-98 (the IRIG Standard 200-98 is included as a subset).



5 Technical Data



The company *hopf* withhold the right to hard- and software alterations at any time.

Analogue Signal Outputs

Potential Isolation	
Insulation Voltage:	at least 500V DC 1000M Ω

Output Voltage A1/A2

Jumper J3/J4	600 Ω Load Resistance	50 Ω Load Resistance
Position 1-2	approx. 3.9 Vpp	approx. 2.8 Vpp
Position 2-3	approx. 7.5 Vpp	approx. 5.6 Vpp

IRIG-B Modulation Depth	3:1
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Supported Output Formats

IRIG-B / Bxx7 (time, year, second of the day) according to IRIG Standard 200-04
IRIG-B / Bxx3 (time, second of the day) according to IRIG Standard 200-04
IRIG-B / Bxx6 (time, year) according to IRIG Standard 200-04
IRIG-B / Bxx2 (time) according to IRIG Standard 200-04
IEEE C37.118-2005 (formerly IEEE 1344)
AFNOR NF S87-500

Accuracy

Synchronisation via serial String + PPS or rather via DCF77 Pulse	
Accuracy of generation (Offset to external PPS/DCF77 pulse):	+ 7 to 8µs
Jitter (Offset to external PPS/DCF77 pulse):	+/-40ns

Synchronisation via serial String	
Accuracy of implementation (Offset to serial time mark):	+ 180 to 220µs
Jitter (Offset to serial time mark):	+/-50µs