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Company Presentation

2018



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The CAEN Group



- **CAEN S.p.A.** (Costruzioni Apparecchiature Elettroniche Nucleari, Società per Azioni) seated in Viareggio/Italy was founded in 1979 from Marcello Givoletti, Piero Salvadori and Luigi Pardini, who were former employees at the INFN (Istituto Nazionale di Fisica Nucleare) in Pisa.
- Initiator of the founding was **CERN**, which cooperates closely with the INFN. Hence CERN was the first customer of CAEN and up to today CERN is still the biggest customer of the CAEN group with thousands of installed electronic boards.
- The CAEN Group has **nearly 10.000 customers** in more than 50 countries in public research as well as in private organizations.
- Locations and **distributors in more than 30 countries.**
- More than 120 employees generated a **direct turnover of 16 M€** in 2015 and a generated **business volume** of about **20 M€**.
- CAEN and its spin-offs are **100% self-financed.**
- Core Areas: High Energy Physics, Astrophysics, Neutrino Physics, Dark Matter Research, Nuclear Physics, Particle Physics, Radio Frequency Identification, Nuclear Security and Safety, Didactics, Material Sciences, Medical Applications, Industrial Applications, Calibration Technologies.



CAEN Company Network





Trieste - Italy



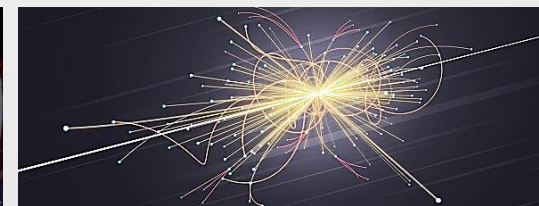
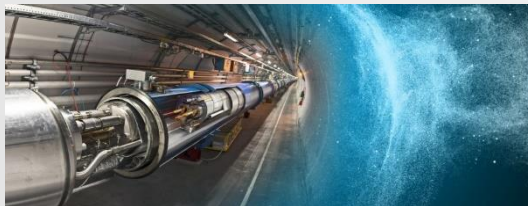
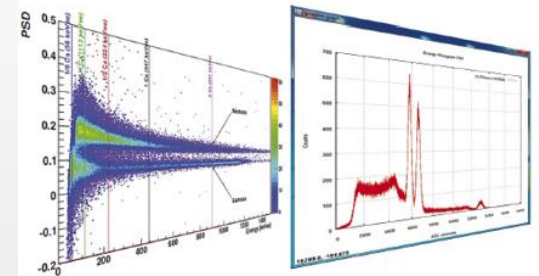
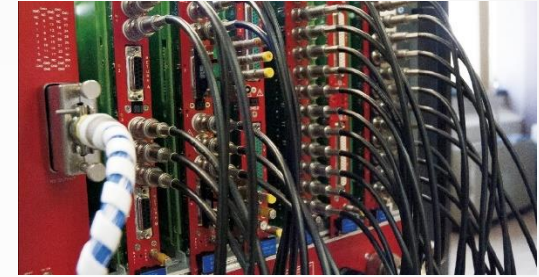
Viareggio - Italy







- **CAEN** is the world leader with the most advanced electronic instrumentation for any **particle, radiation and low light detectors**.
- Nearly all **world major research laboratories and institutes** are using the **high end products of CAEN** for the detection and data acquisition in **particle physics experiments**.
- R&D division of **50 high level Physicists and Engineers**.
- High Voltage and Low Voltage Power Supplies
- Signal Conditioning, Read Out Electronics and Emulation
- Acquisition Systems
- Spectroscopy Solutions
- Powered Crates and Chassis
- Educational Kits



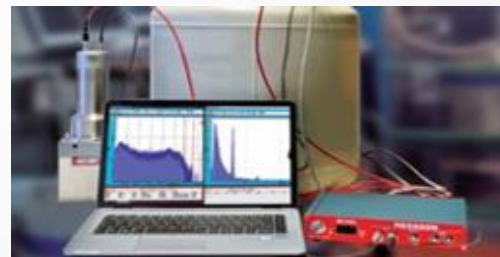


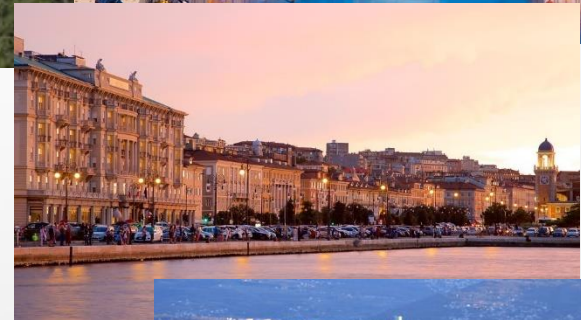
- CAEN RFID was founded in 2006 and is a **key player in the European RFID Market** with **worldwide customers** in manufacturing, logistics, transport, healthcare, fashion, retail...
- **Radio frequency identification (RFID)** is a form of **wireless communication** that uses radio waves to identify and track objects.
- RFID takes the barcoding concept and digitizes it for the modern world
- **UHF RFID Readers, Loggers, Custom Products, Integration**
- Uniquely identify an individual item beyond just its product type
- Identify items without direct line-of-sight
- Identify many items simultaneously
- Identify items within a vicinity of between a few centimeters to several meters



CAEN SyS Systems and Spectroscopy Solutions

- **CAEN SyS** provides nuclear measurement solutions and technical expertise for **Nuclear Safety, Nuclear Security and Laboratories**.
- Health Physics , Spectroscopy and Radiation Measurements Systems
- Custom Nuclear Measurement Systems, Nuclear Waste
- Identification of gamma and neutron sources
- Networking of radiation detectors and robotics
- Safeguard and security products for non-proliferation and threats
- Fuel cycle process monitoring characterization Fresh & Spent Fuel Burn-up solutions
- Nuclear emergency preparedness
- Site remediation studies, products and solutions for mitigation plans





- Founded 2009 as a spin-off from CAEN S.p.A.
- Developer and manufacturer of high-performance digital bipolar and monopolar power sources, high-precision current transducers and current measurement systems, electronic components for beamlines in accelerators and FMC and MicroTCA equipment
- **Headquarters** in Basovizza, **Trieste - Italy** at the location of Elettra-Sincrotrone Trieste S.C.p.A.



CAENels - from foundation to today... Gear For Science

- 2009:** CAEN acquires three leading developers (Denis Molaro, Enrico Braidotti, Mitja Guštin) from Elettra Sincrotrone in Trieste/Italy who are dedicated in custom specific power sources and electronic instrumentation. **Founding of** the spin-off **CAEN ELS** with the target of providing institutes in the accelerator technology (e.g. CERN, DESY) with high-end electronic equipment.
- 2011:** **First turnovers** with worldwide partners inside the accelerator technology developing and selling custom specific digital bipolar power sources.
- 2013:** Development of the high precision **o-FLUCS-Current-Transducer** series (accuracy < 30 ppm/FS).
- 2014:** Development of **new bipolar and monopolar** standard power sources for reactive (inductive and capacitive) loads with **digital control loop** – currently from few W up to 10-kW for all kinds of high-end applications.
- Entering the high-end industrial, automotive, battery, medical markets and further.
- 2015:** Founding of the US American Branch Office in New York City (at **CAEN Technologies, Inc.**)
- 2016:** Founding of the **German Branch Office** near Karlsruhe.
- Entering the calibration market.
- 2017 ff.:** Continuous development of further custom-made solutions as well as standard sources and electronic instrumentation with state-of-the-art technology.



FERMI@Elettra

- Linear accelerator – FEL (400 meters length)
- about 400 magnets of **5 A** up to **750 A**
- 24 hours/day – 365 days/year
- Reliability and Efficiency



FERMI basic installations

X-FEL requirements for the power sources:

- 180 power sources of $\pm 20\text{A}$ @ $\pm 20\text{V}$ (A2620BS)
- 210 power sources of $\pm 5\text{A}$ @ $\pm 10\text{V}$ (A2605BS)
- Correction and Quadrupole Magnets



Custom Design Example

Tsukuba - Japan



- Custom specific **bipolar linear** power sources rated at ± 5 A and ± 60 V
- Start of design in December, delivery and installation after **4 months** in March



Product Lines



Power Supply Systems



Precision Current Measurements



Beamline Electronic Instrumentation



FMC MicroTCA





Power Supply Systems





Catalogue Power Supply Series





CAENels Power Sources - A New State-Of-The-Art

Unite The Advantages – **Eliminate** The Disadvantages – **Add** New Features

Linear Analog Controlled Sources

Simple platform, low complexity

Easy to use

High Reliability

Low ripple, low noise

Low Cost

Analog Input

Fast transient response

Only low power possible

Big Size

High Weight

High Heat Loss

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Need for additional hardware depending on load

Switched Digitally Controlled Sources

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Step up (boost) and step down (buck) possible

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Load easily adaptable by software IPD regulation

Digital Input

Easy integration in main control systems

Complex platform, many parts

High cost due to many parts

High ripple high noise - switching transformer

The challenge was, to combine the positive aspects of the both worlds “linear” and “switched” along with eliminating or optimizing the negative aspects.



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Additional High Speed Optical Input

High Resolution Digital Inputs and Outputs

High Accuracy at ppm Ranges

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The highly ambitious, two years lasting effort in research and development finally succeeded in power sources that combine the advantages of both technologies and that are unique in the world.

CAENels Power Sources - A novel digital magnet power supply approach

ABSTRACT

Programmable logic and integrated technologies, as **SoC, FPGA and DSP**, have become mature enough to be employed in **high performance magnet power supply applications**.

The use of a configurable **mixed current and voltage digital control**, combined with adaptable complex algorithms for protections (e.g. **quench** in superconducting magnets) and auxiliary integration (e.g. transverse flux density in a dipole gap) allows obtaining the **perfect fit for each specific magnet application**.

An entire series of power supplies, coming from a background of particle accelerator applications, has been developed for both **bipolar and monopolar operation with high bandwidth** (fast fields as in corrector magnets and steerers) and high adaptability with a **user-friendly interface** and an **embedded Linux OS** that allows users to implement their own applications directly on the power supply.

The use of **24-bit ADCs and state-of-the-art PWM generation** (with possible application of dithering techniques to reach **65-ps resolution**) enables to obtain fields **actuations in the ppm-level range**.

Some of the CAENels power converters, for specific applications (usually dipoles or superconducting), are equipped with our **closed-loop zero flux transducers** that feed their signals to temperature-stabilized electronics to reach **current temperature coefficient values of lower than 1 ppm/K**.

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Control Board

Digital Control Board including:

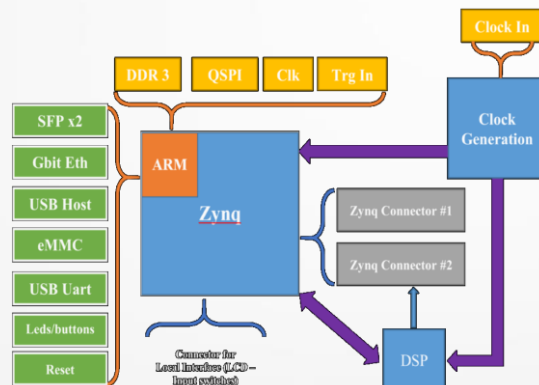
- FPGA (Zynq)
- DSP (Texas Instruments)

Interfaces included are the following:

- 10/100/1000 Ethernet
- 2 x SFP+ (6.5 Gbps/channel)
- USB Host
- eMMC
- USB Uart
- Leds/buttons
- display and encoder control

FPGA is used for digital output control algorithms and DSP for High-Resolution PWM generation.

Linux OS (Yocto Project) is embedded in the ARM.



Carrier Board

The Digital Control Board is plugged onto the Carrier Board with two 100-pin high-speed FCI connectors. The Carrier Board is provided with:

- 2 x 24-bit@100 ksps ADCs for current and voltage readout (Temperature-stabilized)
- DC-Link, Temperature and Auxiliary analog readings (16-bit@100 ksps)
- I/O signals for interfacing with external protections (e.g. quench)
- interlocks and status signals
- connector for future expansions.

The Carrier Board also embeds the power section to supply the active CAENels DCCT transducer with low-noise power at $\pm 15V$ in order to have a direct, accurate, stable and precise current readout.

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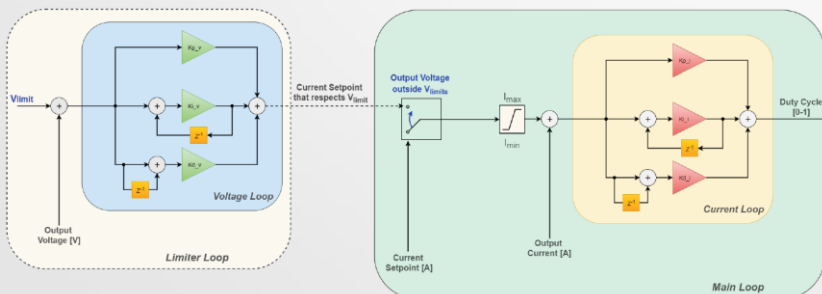
Output Control Loop

The on-board programmable logic allows for complex algorithms to be performed on the current and voltage output values.

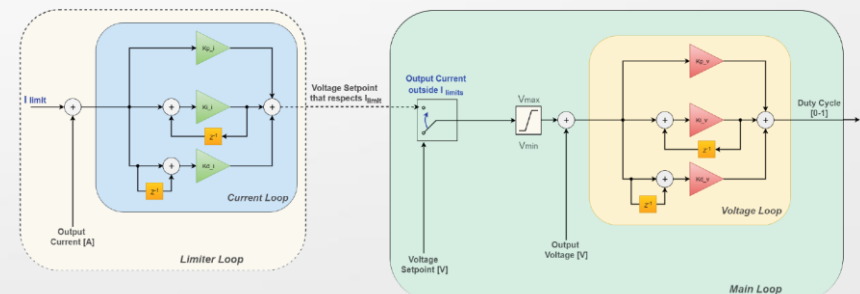
A lot of different feedback control loops have been implemented but standard ones are modified versions of **Proportional Integral Derivative (PID)**.

Two examples are hereafter shown:

Constant Current (CC) Output Control



Constant Voltage (CV) Output Control



Application Example: a user can implement a slower closed loop directly on the Linux OS by using the readings of the magnetic field from a Hall probe fed to the auxiliary input of the carrier board.

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Power Stage Control

The **on-board FPGA** performs all the **control loop algorithms** at a **hardware-level** to maximize speed and computing power.

The **DSP** is used as a **multi-channel PWM generator** with a **65-ps PWM resolution**. For bipolar stages (**H-Bridge topologies**), this resolution can be halved.

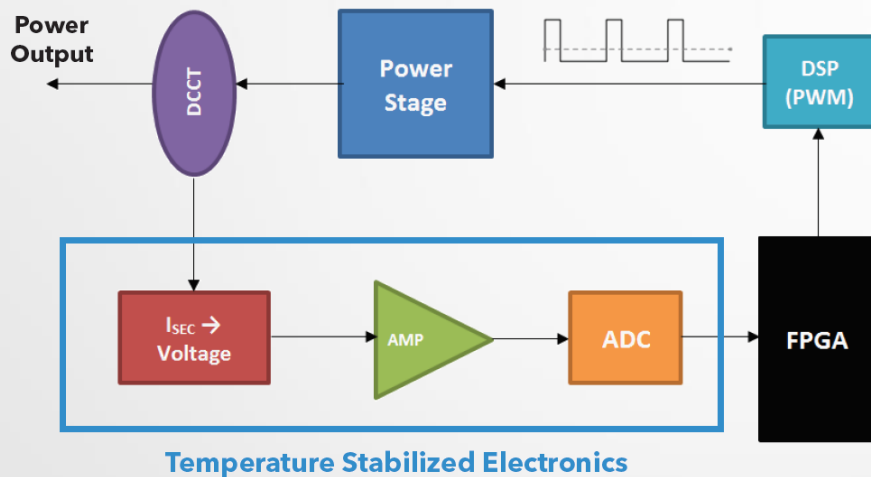
The equivalent setting resolution for a **15-kHz switching monopolar power stage** can be computed as:

$$Resolution = \log_2 \left(\frac{1}{T_{PWM} \cdot f_s} \right) = \log_2 \left(\frac{1}{65 \cdot 10^{-12} \cdot 15 \cdot 10^3} \right) \cong 20 \text{ bit}$$

This resolution can be increased to 21 bit for bipolar stages.

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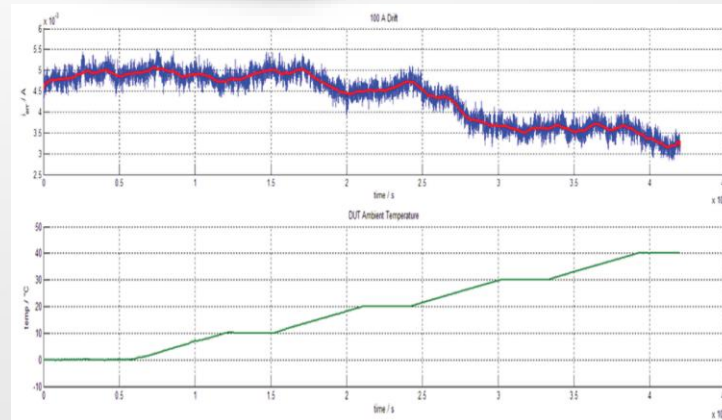
Current Sensing



The current sensing is made using a proprietary closed-loop **Zero Flux DCCT** (DC Current Transformer) and fed to the ADC via a **temperature-stabilized signal** conditioning section to reach a $TC < 1 \text{ ppm}/^\circ\text{C}$.



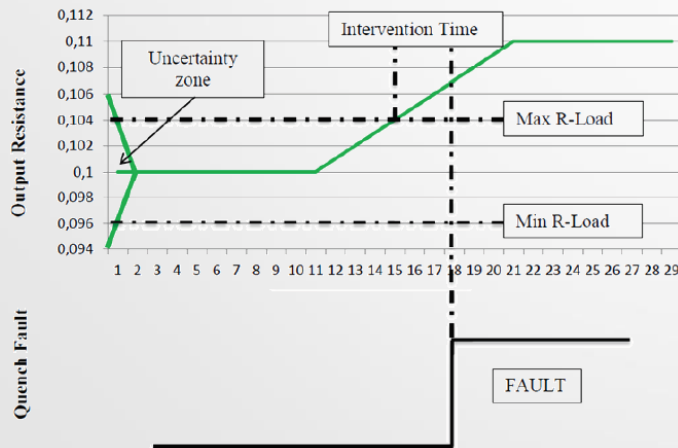
CAENels o-FLUCS DC
Current Transformer



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Quench Detection

A quench protection procedure is running on the FPGA and it is configurable.



Auxiliary Inputs

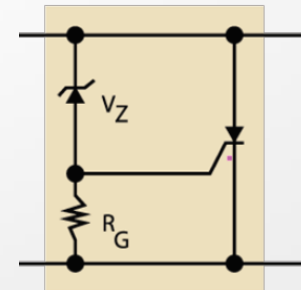
External analog control input (e.g. to use the power supply as an amplifier) is provided by using another ADC at 16-bit 100 ksps.



An external input can also be used to read, for example, the magnetic field generated by the magnet - e.g. Hall probe. A slow loop can be closed on the field value.

Crowbar

Active circuits to protect against back-energy are designed for monopolar and bipolar power supplies.

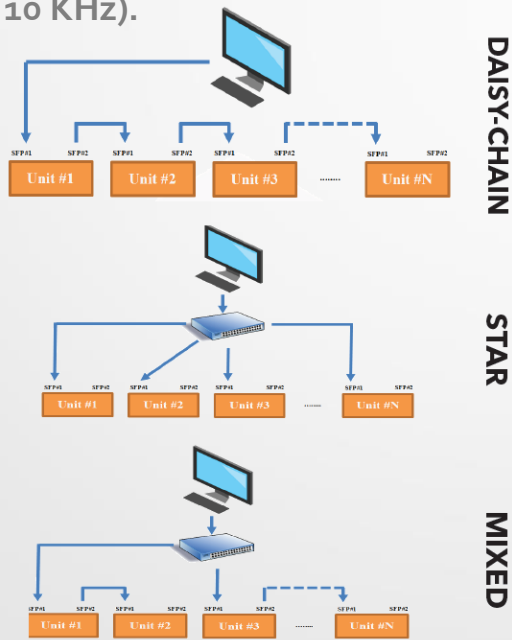


A specific circuit that remains active for > 10 min after an AC mains failure has been integrated also for superconducting magnets.

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Fast Connections

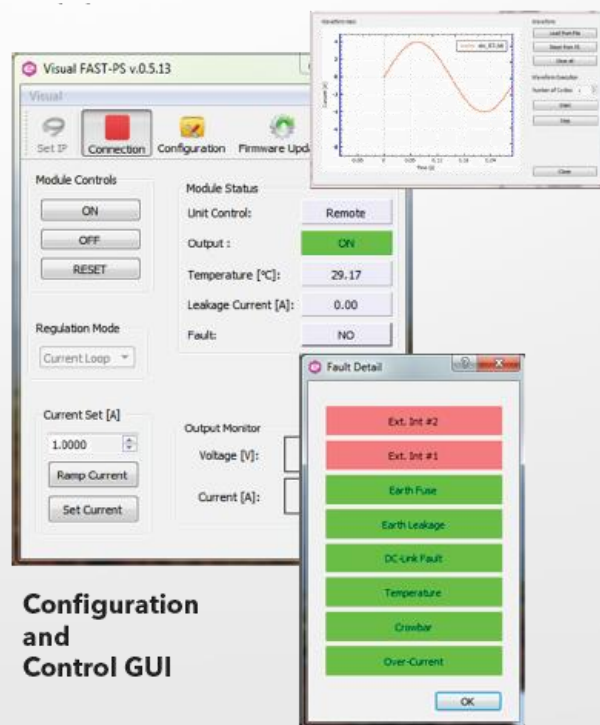
Two 6.5 Gbps SFP+ links are provided for fast update rates (> 10 KHz).



Paralleling is also performed using the SFP+.

Remote Configuration

Interlocks and protections can be configured remotely to match the application.



**Configuration
and
Control GUI**

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CONCLUSIONS

- Control of different types of power topologies - i.e. **different magnet types** with different requirements
- **Remote optimization of the current dynamic behaviour** using the digital control loop - no oscillations or slow response
- **Fast connectivity** (Gigabit Ethernet + SFP/SFP+): optimized for single module or for large installations
- **Extreme high-stability at 1 ppm/°C** with matched o-FLUCS DCCTs + temperature stabilization
- **Easy software development/integration** directly on the power unit using the embedded **Linux OS** - Yocto Project
- **Paralleling of modules** via SFP/SFP+ optical links
- **Remote configuration of waveforms, triggers, interlocks and protections configurations** for the specific application
- Implementation of **different control schemes** - e.g. IIR filters, adaptive algorithms, etc.



Easy-Driver

Compact Digital Bipolar Power Supply



- 19" – 1U stand-alone crate
- $\pm 5\text{A}@ \pm 20\text{V}$ and $\pm 10\text{A}@ \pm 20\text{V}$
- 10/100 Mbit Ethernet interface
- Digital Current regulation loop
- Low noise
- Internal protections and
- Auxiliary Readbacks
- External Interlock and Status Signal
- Extended input range (90-260VAC)
- Local display for monitoring
- "VISUAL" free software available

	"0520" Model	"1020" Model
Output current range	$\pm 5\text{ A}$	$\pm 10\text{ A}$
Output voltage range	$\pm 20\text{ V}$	
Maximum output power	100 W	200 W
Topology	Bipolar	
Current setting resolution	160 μA	320 μA
Output current readback	20 bit	
Output voltage readback	20 bit	
Output current ripple*	< 40 ppm / FS	
Output current stability	< 40 ppm / FS	
Output Current TC	< 40 ppm / °C	
Switching Frequency	> 100 kHz	
Closed Loop Bandwidth	> 1 kHz	
Efficiency	up to 84 %	
External Interlocks/Status	1 Input: External Fault 1 Output: Power Supply Status	
Internal Interlocks	DC Link Under-Voltage MOSFETs Over-Temperature Shunt Over-Temperature	
Hardware Protections	Input Fuses Passive Crowbar (Over-Voltage)	
Cooling	Forced Air Convection – Front-to-Rear	
Control System Drivers	EPICS IOC	
Connectivity	Ethernet 10/100 Mbit TCP-IP	
Extra-Features	User-settable Slew Rate Value Firmware Remote Update	
Mechanical Dimensions	19" \times 1U \times 264 mm 19" \times 1U \times 295 mm - with output connectors	
Input Ratings	90/260 VAC) 47-63 Hz	

FAST-PS

High-Performance Bipolar Power Supply



- 19" – 1U stand-alone crate
- Different current and voltage ratings
- 10/100/1000 Ethernet
- 2x Fast SFP interface (10 kHz update)
- Current or Voltage regulation
- High analog bandwidth
- Analog control and Trigger Input - optional
- Low noise
- Configurable Digital control loop
- Internal protections and auxiliary readbacks
- Local display and control



Power Supply Systems

Regulation Type	Current- or Voltage- Control
Output current range	$\pm 5 \text{ A}$, $\pm 10 \text{ A}$, $\pm 20 \text{ A}$, $\pm 30 \text{ A}$
Output voltage range	$\pm 20 \text{ V}$, $\pm 40 \text{ V}$, $\pm 80 \text{ V}$
Maximum output power	up to 600 W
Setting resolution	18 bit
Output readbacks	20 bit
Output current ripple*	30 ppm / FS
Output current stability	< 50 ppm / FS
Output voltage stability	< 50 ppm / FS
Switching Frequency	100 kHz
Max Current/Voltage update rate	10 kHz
Accuracy	0.05%
External Interlocks/States	2 Inputs: user-configurable "dry" contacts 1 Outputs: relay (2 magnetic contacts)
Internal Interlocks	DC Link Under-Voltage MOSFETs Over-Temperature Over-Current and Over-Voltage Earth Fault Current Regulation Fault and Excessive Current Ripple
Hardware protections	Input Fuses Earth Fuse Over-Voltage DC Link Voltage
Auxiliary ADC Read-Backs	Ground Leakage Current Temperature
Cooling	On-Module Self-Regulated Fans
Control System Drivers	EPICS
Connection	1 x Ethernet 10/100/100 2 x SFP ports
Extra-Features	Point-by-Point Current Waveform Loading User-definable interlock thresholds, active levels and timings Firmware Remote Updates
Input Voltage	90/260 V(AC) (47-63 Hz)
Efficiency	up to 84 %
Power Factor	> 0.95



Easy-Driver and FAST-PS Comparison



	Easy - Driver	FAST-PS
Output Current	up to ± 10 A	up to ± 30 A
Output Voltage	up to ± 20 V	up to ± 80 V
Output Power	up to 200 W	up to 600 W
Local Display	✓	✓
Local Control	✗	✓
Control Loop Type	Digital	Digital
Control Loops	Current	Current Voltage
External Interlocks	1	2
Status Signals	1 solid state relay	1 solid state relay 1 magnetic relay
Remote Sensing	No	Yes
Remote Interface	10/100 Ethernet	10/100/1000 Ethernet SFP Fast Interface
Remote Update Rate	250 Hz	1 kHz - Ethernet 10 kHz - SFP Fast Interface
Other Features	Firmware Remote Update Configurable Thresholds/Limits Internal Protections	Firmware Remote Update Waveform loading and execution Configurable Thresholds/Limits Internal Protections Embedded Linux OS USB host External Trigger - <i>option</i> Analog Control Input - <i>option</i>



FAST-PS-M

High-Performance Monopolar Power Supply



- 19" – 1U stand-alone crate
- **100A-6V, 75A-8V, 60A-10V** ratings
- 10/100/1000 Ethernet
- 2x Fast SFP interface (10 kHz update)
- Current or Voltage regulation
- High switching frequency – 300 kHz equivalent
- Analog control and Trigger Input - optional
- High-stability and low TC
- Configurable Digital control loop
- Internal protections and auxiliary readbacks
- Local display and control



Power Supply Systems

Regulation Type	Current- or Voltage- Control		
Output current range	60 A	75 A	100 A
Output voltage range	10 V	8 V	6 V
Maximum output power	up to 600 W		
Setting resolution	> 18 bit		
Output readback	24 bit		
Output current ripple*	30 ppm / FS		
Output current stability	50 ppm / FS		
Output voltage stability	50 ppm / FS		
Switching Frequency	300 kHz (equivalent)		
Max Current/Voltage update rate	10 kHz		
Accuracy	< 0.05%		
External Interlocks/States	2 Inputs: user-configurable "dry" contacts 1 Outputs: relay (2 magnetic contacts)		
Internal Interlocks	DC Link Under-Voltage Over-Temperature Over-Current & Over-Voltage Earth Fault Current Regulation Fault & Excessive Current Ripple DCCT OK		
Hardware protections	Input Fuses Earth Fuse Over-Voltage		
Auxiliary ADC Read-Backs	DC Link Voltage Ground Leakage Current Temperature		
Cooling	On-Module Self-Regulated Fans		
Connection	1 x Ethernet 10/100/100 2 x SFP ports		
Extra-Features	Point-by-Point Current Waveform Loading User-definable interlock thresholds, active levels and timings Firmware Remote Updates		
Dimensions	19" – 1U – 365 mm (W x H x D)		
Input Voltage	90/260 V(AC) (47-63 Hz)		
Efficiency	up to 85 %		
Power Factor	> 0.95		

FAST-PS-IK5

1.5-kW High-Stability Bipolar Power Supply



- 19" – 2 U stand-alone unit
- Models up to ± 100 A and up to ± 100 V
- Configurable digital control loop
- 10/100/1000 Ethernet interface
- Current or Voltage regulation
- Low noise and Ripple
- < 1 ppm/K temperature dependence
- Excellent long-term stability
- Quench protection for SC magnets
- External Analog Control, Trigger and
- Configurable ADC Inputs
- Fast SFP interface (10 kHz update)



Power Supply Systems

	15-100	30-50	50-30	100-15
Output Current	± 15 A	± 30 A	± 50 A	± 100 A
Output Voltage	± 95 V	± 50 V	± 30 V	± 15 V
Maximum Output Power	1.500 W			
Topology	Bipolar			
Control Mode	Current (CC) and Voltage (CV) Control			
Floating Output	Up to 200 V			
Remote Sensing	Up to 0.5 V			
Current Sensing	CAEN High-Precision Current Transducers			
Analog Control Input	Yes			
Current Setting Resolution	150 μ A	250 μ A	400 μ A	800 μ A
Voltage Setting Resolution	1 mV	500 μ V	300 μ V	150 μ V
Output Readback Resolution	24-bit			
Noise + Ripple (RMS)	< 0.01 % on resistive load < 0.005 % on 1 mH load			
Temperature Coefficient	< 0.0002 % / K (CC mode) < 0.005 % / K (CV mode)			
Long Term Stability (8 h)	< 0.0005 % / K (CC mode) < 0.005 % / K (CV mode)			
Analog Bandwidth (-3 dB)	> 2 kHz			
Control/Communication Interface	Ethernet TCP-IP SFP/SFP+			
Local Control	Colour display with multi-function navigation switch			
External Signals	2 External Interlocks 2 Status signals – 1 magnetic relay and 1 solid state Trigger Input Analog Control Input Additional Configurable ADC Input			
Extra Features	Waveform execution Quench Protection Remote Firmware Update Linux OS on-board			
Mechanical Dimensions (L x W x H)	19" x 2U x 550 cm			
Operating Temperature	0 ... 45 °C			

NGPS

10-kW High-Stability Power Supply



powered by



- 19" – 3U stand-alone unit
- Different current and voltage ratings
- Versions: **200A/50V**, **100A/100V** (both 10 kW) + **140A/50V** (7kW)
- 10/100/1000 Ethernet interface
- 2x Fast SFP interface (10 kHz update)
- Current or Voltage regulation
- Low noise and Ripple
- 1 ppm/K grade ("HS" version)
- High temperature and long-term stability
- Configurable digital control loop
- Internal protections and auxiliary readbacks
- Local display and control



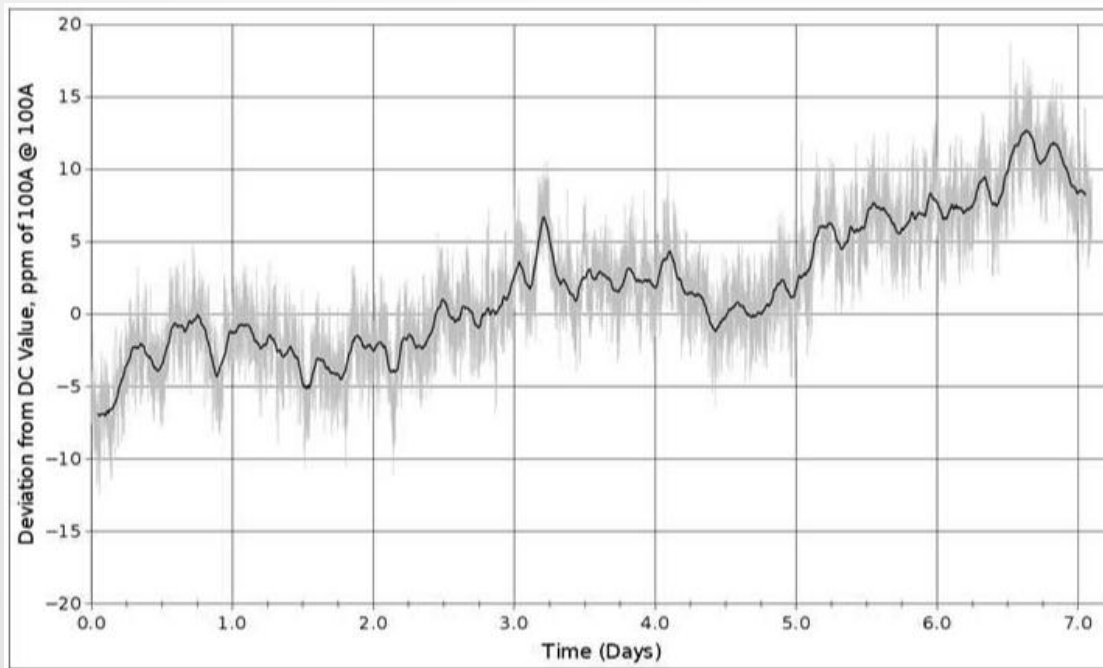
NGPS Information and Data

Input Ratings	208 VAC ('E') Three-phase 50/60 Hz 400 VAC ('A') Three-phase 50/60 Hz	
Regulation Type	Current-control (C.C.) or Voltage-control (C.V.)	
Output current range	NGPS 120-50 NGPS 200-50	120 A 200 A
Maximum output voltage	50 V	
Maximum output power	up to 10 kW	
Output Isolation	500 V	
Power Factor	> 0.9	
Efficiency	> 90 %	
Current and Voltage Setting	18 bit	
Current and Voltage Readback	20 bit	
Max Current/Voltage update rate	10 kHz (over SFP)	
Closed-loop Bandwidth	C.C. mode C.V. mode	> 100 Hz > 200 Hz
Accuracy	C.C. mode C.V. mode	< 0.01 % (0.005% upon request) < 0.05 %
Line Regulation	±5 ppm/FS	
Load Regulation	±5 ppm/FS	
Remote Sensing Compensation	up to 2 V	
Cooling	Forced Air Convection (front-to-rear)	
Temperature Stability	C.C. mode C.V. mode	5 ppm/K (1 ppm/K – "HS" version) 50 ppm/K
Interfaces	10/100/1000 TCP-IP Ethernet Two (2) SFP other interfaces available upon request	
Internal Interlocks/Protections	Over-Temperature MOV Input Over-Voltage Main circuit-breaker for Over-Current Output Free-wheeling diodes Output Over-current and Over-Voltage Earth current leakage Input Phase-Loss	
External Interlocks/States	user-configurable "dry" contacts relay (magnetic contacts, NO and NC)	
Other Features	Firmware remote update Interlock configurability Adaptable thresholds for trips and interlocks	
Modularity	Parallel connection Series connection	up to 4 up to 2
Mechanical Dimensions	19" x 3 U x 600 mm including connectors	
Weight	28 kg	
Operating Temperature	0 ... 50 °C	



NGPS

Accuracy Performance over 7 days –
tested from one of our customers



- Measured at 100A CC
- Guaranteed accuracy in the datasheet: 100 ppm
- Measured Long Term Stability –
**Maximum Deviation in 7 days:
13 ppm (0,0013%)**
- Measured Long Term Stability –
**Maximum deviation in 1 day:
6 ppm (0,0006%)**



Precision Current Measurements






High-Precision Current Measurement System





Comparison of Current Measurement Technologies

The **ZERO-FLUCS** principle was already discovered in the 1930 years and is up to today the most complex and overall most precise, most stable and most versatile current measuring method.

Characteristics/Capability	Shunt	Hall Effect Sensor	Current Transformer	Rogowski Coil	 CAENels ZERO FLUCS DCCT
DC Currents	Yes	Yes	No	No	Yes
Bandwidth	Medium	Very poor	High	Very high	High
Insulation	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Linearity	Medium	Very poor	Poor	Medium	Very high
Accuracy	Medium	Medium	Medium	Medium	Very high
Offset	Yes	Yes	No	No	No
High Currents	No	Medium	Medium	High	Very high
Magnetical Saturation	No	Yes	Yes	No	No
Temperature Stability	Medium	Poor	High	Very high	Very high
Power Consumption	High	Low	Low	Low	Medium
Dimension	Very small	Small	Small	Medium	Medium
Long Term Stability	Poor	Poor	Poor	Very good	Very good
Automotive Interface Ability	Difficult	Possible	Difficult	Possible	Possible



CT-13 CT-26 CT-52
(PCB Mountable)



CT-100 CT-150



CT-200 CT-300 CT-400



CT-600 CT-1000

System CT-BOX plus CT

The Features

- AC- and DC- measurements separately or combined
- Standard Accuracy: < 100 ppm (< 0,01%) FS / High-Accuracy Calibrated System: < 50 ppm (< 0,005%) FS
- **Voltage Output Versions:** Standard Accuracy: < 2.500 ppm (< 0,25%) FS, Optional Accuracy: < 500 ppm (0,05%) FS
- Temperature Coefficient: < 1 ppm/K FS
- High-Linearity: < 3 ppm/FS
- Input Noise: < 1.5 ppm at 200 Hz, < 10 ppm at 50 kHz
- Excellent AC-Amplitude and Phase response up to 500 kHz
- 24-bit @ 100 kSPS sampling
- Current Transformer Ratio: I_S/I_P from 1:250 up to 1:2000 as standards
- Display: 7 1/2 Digits





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System **CT-BOX** plus CT

The Features

- Galvanic Insulation Primary to Secondary
- External Temperature Sensors (for temperature monitoring)
- Fanless
- **microSD** for data storage (also for long-term measurements)
- Analog Monitoring (± 10 V)
- **CT-Viewer Software** free and included
- Trigger Input/Output and Alarm Output
- Interfaces: **Ethernet 10/100 Mbps TCP-IP, USB 2.0, RS-232**
- All Cables included



PS1215 bipolar
power source
for DCCTs
available!



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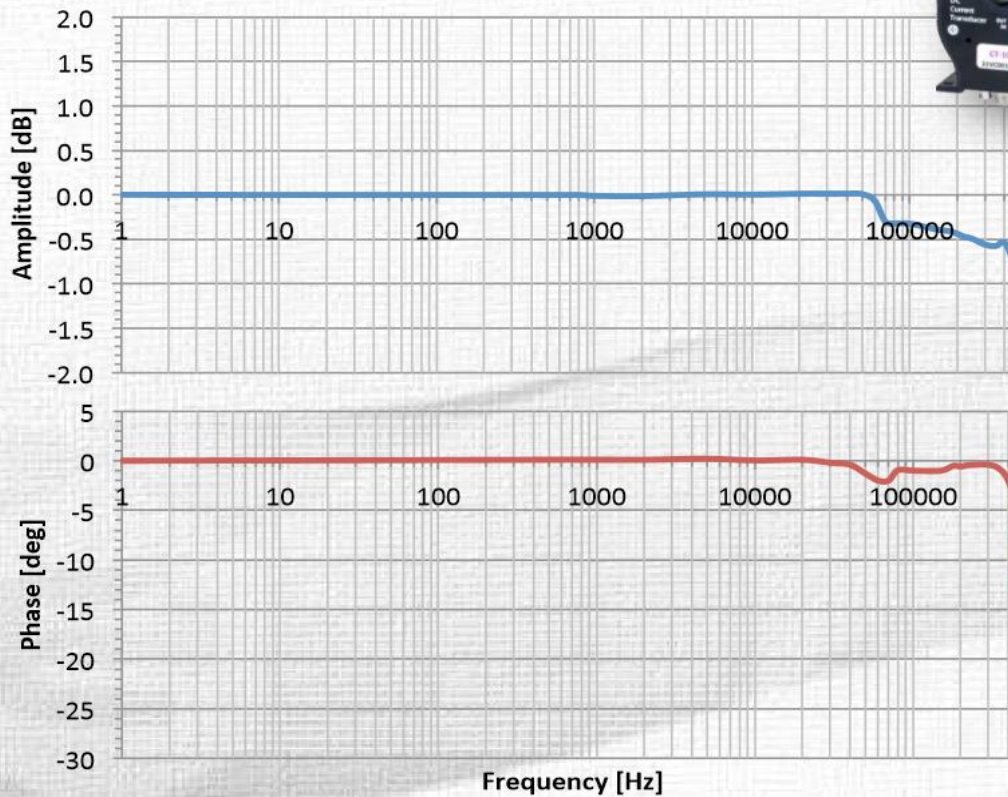
Customization Services - *higher quantities or additional charge:*

- Custom Specific Transformer Ratios, i.e. 1:423 (primary current = 42.3 A / secondary current = 100 mA)
- Custom Specific Current Values > 1 kA: up to 30 kA
- Expansion of primary hole diameter up to 80 mm
- Up to 150 A PCB-mountable versions possible



AC Performance

• CT-150 Amplitude and Phase Response



Amplitude Response

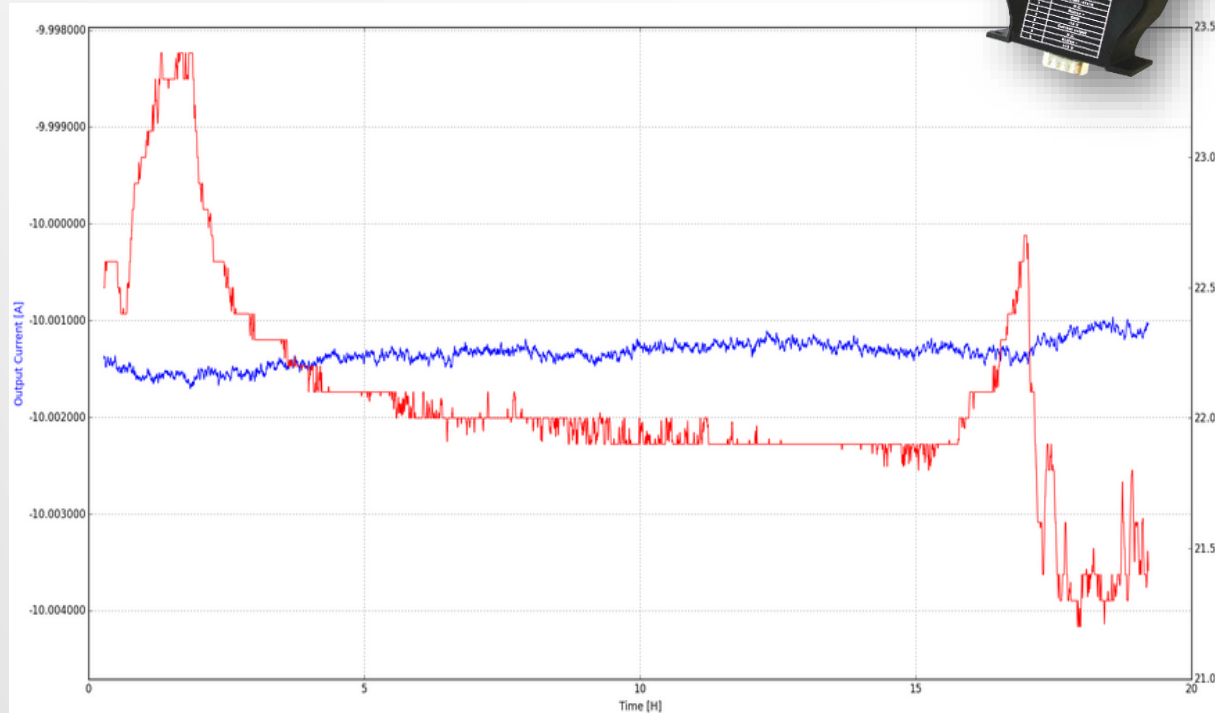
Frequency	Amplitude
DC ... 50 kHz	< 0.02 dB
50 ... 200 kHz	< 0.5 dB
200 ... 400 kHz	< 1 dB

Phase Response

Frequency	Phase Shift
DC ... 2 kHz	< 0.1°
2 Hz ... 40 kHz	< 0.5°
40 ... 400 kHz	< 2°



Temperature Stability (Example):



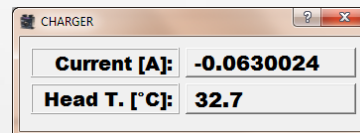
Temperature Stability
over 19 hours:

Temperature
21.2 °C to 23.4 °C

Current Measurement
-10.0023A to -10.0030A



CT-BOX CT-Viewer Software



CT-BOX Info

Matched Head: CT-600 41X0022

CT-BOX S.N.: 15A05X001

CT-BOX fw Ver.: 1.015

DCCT Head Info

Head S.N.: CT-600 X0022

Head is match: Yes

CT-BOX

User Name: CHARGER

System Date [dd/mm/yyyy]: 16/07/2015

Sistem Time [hh:mm:ss]: 18:14:21

CT-BOX Ethernet

IP Add. in use: 192.168.0.15 / New: 192.168.0.15

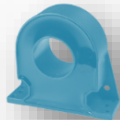
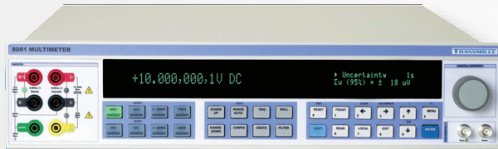
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MAC Address: 00.12.5e.01.05.05

Usual Measuring System

Digital Multimeter (7,5 digits or higher) + DCCT



- ✗ several times higher costs
- ✗ non-calibrated system – imprecise measurements
- ✗ high quality cables must be purchased separately
- ✗ lower frequencies up to max. 100kHz possible
- ✗ no data storage possible
- ✗ no easy transportation
- ✗ no easy installation
- ✗ no specific software solution

CT-BOX System



- ✓ lower costs
- ✓ system calibrated
- ✓ cables included
- ✓ frequencies up to 500 kHz
- ✓ data storage via SD (included)
- ✓ compact system
- ✓ 19"- rack mount available
- ✓ monitoring software inclusive



Beamline Electronic Instrumentation





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AH401D

4-channel Charge Integration Picoammeter



- 7 different ranges – from 50 pC to 2 nC (monopolar)
- settable integration time: from 1ms to 1s
- 20 bit + low-noise
- Ethernet connectivity
- User-friendly software for photon BPM applications provided
- TTL trigger/gate input signal and output conversion signal → external events

Photon BPM applications:

- *Quad-diode BPM's*
- *Diamond detectors readout*
- *ion chambers*
- *blade gap monitors*
- *radiation monitors*

AH501D

4-channel Bipolar Picoammeter with Bias Voltage Source



Photon BPM applications:

- *Quad-diode BPM's*
- *Diamond detectors readout*
- *ion chambers*
- *blade gap monitors*
- *radiation monitors*

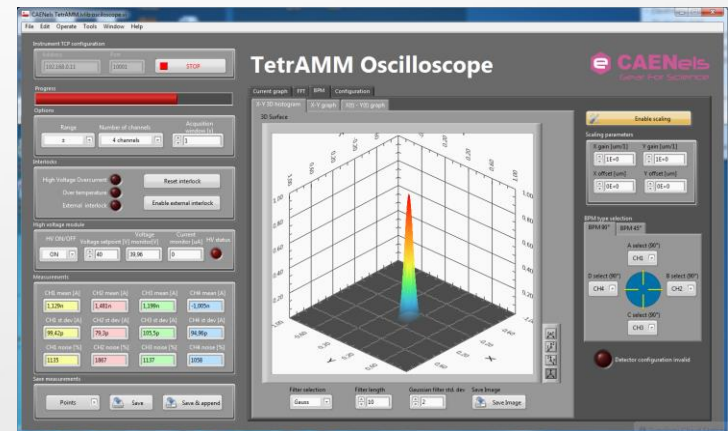
- 3 different ranges - ± 2.5 mA , ± 2.5 μ A, ± 2.5 nA
- sampling frequency – up to 26 kHz (1 channel @ 16-bit)
- 16- or 24-bit resolution
- Ethernet connectivity
- Bias up to 30V (sub-mV RMS noise)
- User-friendly software for photon BPM applications
- TTL gate input signal and output conversion signal → external events

TetrAMM

4-channel Fast-Interface Bipolar Picoammeter with Integrated HV



- 2 different full-scale ranges: $\pm 120 \mu\text{A}$ and $\pm 120 \text{nA}$ (configurable)
- Internal sampling: 100 kHz@24 bit
- Firmware Remote Update
- Configurable Sampling Frequency
- Automatic independent ranging
- Gigabit Ethernet connectivity
- 500V standard HV bias (up to 4 kV)
- Factory calibration
- FPGA and soft-processor computations
- User-friendly software for photon BPM applications
- Different trigger/gate and configuration → external events



TetrAMM-CI

4-channel Fast-Interface Charge-Integration Electrometer (Integrated HV)



- 8 different full-scale ranges: from 50 pC to 2 nC
- Internal sampling: 1 ms – 50 μ s
- Firmware Remote Update
- Configurable Integration Period
- Gigabit Ethernet connectivity
- 500V standard HV bias (up to 4 kV)
- Factory calibration
- FPGA and soft-processor computations
- User-friendly software for photon BPM applications
- Different trigger/gate and configuration → external events



HV-ADAPTOS: High-Voltage ADAPTive Optics PS System



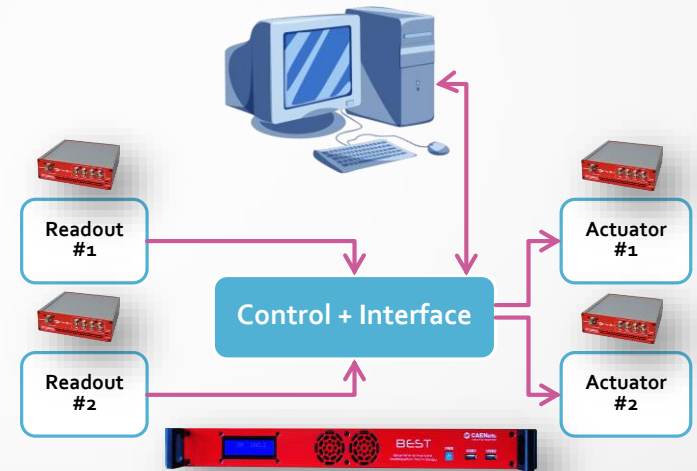
Multi-channel HV PS System:

- *Designed for bimorph mirrors operation*
- *Dedicated integrated control software*

- can control up to 2 mirrors (and up to 48 HV channels)
- bipolar channels rated at $\pm 2\text{kV} @ \pm 0.5\text{mA}$
- proprietary creep and hysteresis control and minimization routines
- Web Server application with mirror dedicated software
- standard 10/100/1000 TCP-IP Ethernet connectivity - EPICS IOC

BEST

Beamline Enhanced Stabilization Technology



- Powerful **Instrumentation and Software Suite** for stabilization and optimization of photon beam (X, Y, I_o)
- System composed by three main building blocks:
 - readout block - **TetrAMM**
 - control and interface block – **BEST** Central Unit
 - actuator block – **PreDAC**
- Expandability → up to two phBPMs and two piezoelectric actuators (monochromators)
- Low-latency and high speed guarantees higher frequency compensation respect to “standard” local feedback implementations (software based)



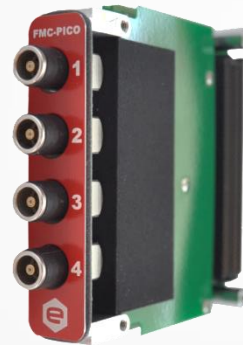
FMC and MicroTCA

MicroTCA.4 for Physics





FMC and MicroTCA





What is FMC and MicroTCA?

FMC (FPGA Mezzanine Card) is an **ANSI/VITA** standard that defines **I/O mezzanine modules** with connection to an **FPGA** or other device with re-configurable I/O capability. It specifies a **low profile connector and compact board size** for compatibility with several **industry standard** slot card, blade, low profile motherboard and mezzanine form factors.

MicroTCA or **μTCA** is an environment originated from the development of telecommunications hardware architectures.

It is a standard describing a **new class of modular computer systems** that is **more energy-efficient, compact and economical** than the **ATCA (Advanced TCA)**.

MicroTCA was developed exploiting many of the advantages of ATCA/AMC and was designed with maximum re-usability, so that many **AMC boards originally developed for ATCA** can also be used in **MicroTCA** systems.

The system uses serial high-speed connections (e.g. PCIe protocol, Gigabit Ethernet), system monitoring and efficient cooling as well as redundancy concepts, representing the **highest-performance solution for applications in telecommunication, industry, medical and military technology**.



ATCA



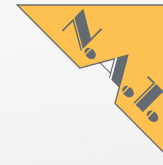
MicroTCA



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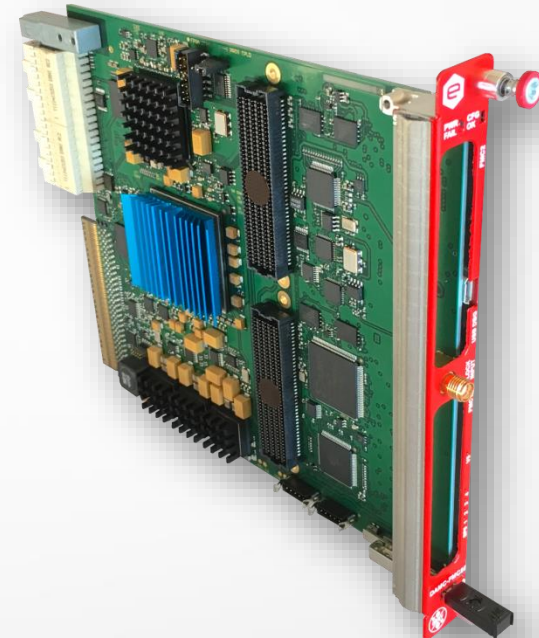
Development, Manufacturing and Distribution Partners:



DAMC-FMC₂₅

AMC Dual High-Pin Count FMC Carrier Board

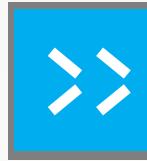
- Double width AMC board – MTCA.4 carrier
- Two HPC FMC slots
- Data processing on Virtex-5 FPGA
- Board management on Spartan-6 FPGA
- RTM D1.1 connectivity
- DDR2 memories on both FPGAs
- External clock input on front panel SMA connector
- 6.5 Gbps ("-2") transceiver board options



μ TCA[®]

Turnkey solution with dual 4-channel (8-channel) floating picoammeter AVAILABLE!

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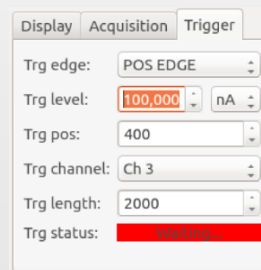
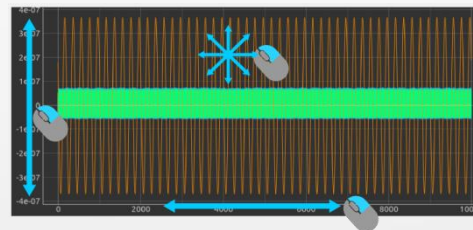
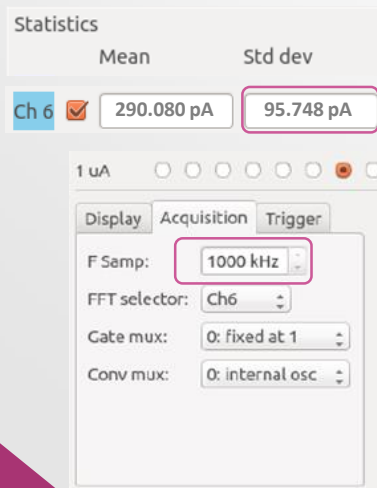
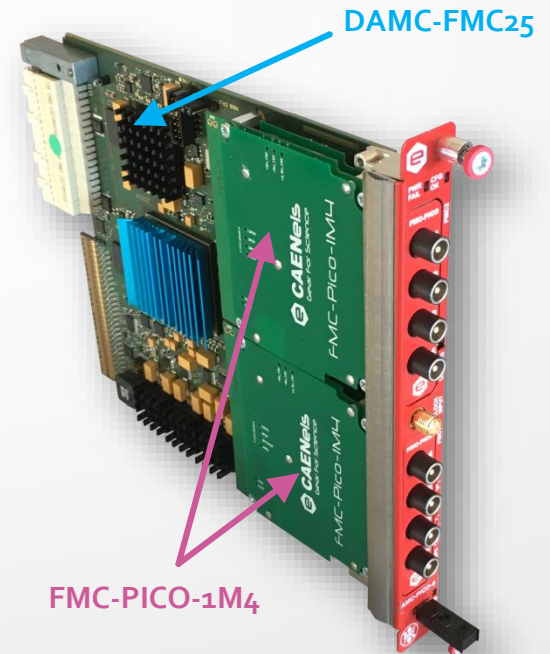


AMC-PICO-8

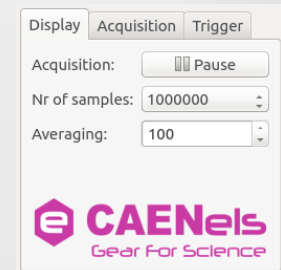
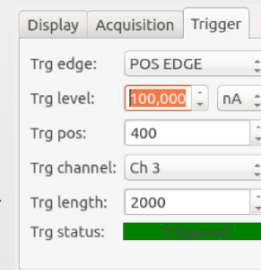
8-channel 20-bit 1 MSPS bipolar current-input AMC picoammeter

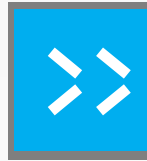
- 1 MSPS 20-bit simultaneous sampling (8-channels)
- Inputs floating up to 300 V
- Trigger/Oscilloscope functionality
- Based on the DAMC-FMC25 carrier designed by DESY
- 2 picoammeter FMC-Pico-1M4 supported
- BSP, GUI and drivers available

Avoids ground loops if two different detectors are connected to the same DAMC-FMC25 - e.g. quadrature detectors



trigger
condition





HV-PANDA

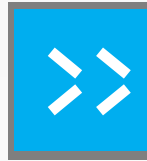
HV Positive And Negative Double-width AMC

- Double-Width AMC Board – Full Size
- MTCA.4 carrier
- Four High-Voltage channels
- Output ratings:
 - 500 V @ 1.5 W
 - 4 kV @ 7 W
 - 6 kV @ 6 W
- Polarity selectable
- Provides infrastructure for management of optional Rear Transition Module (RTM) boards – class D1.1
- DDR3 On-board Memory (up to 4 Gbit)
- Separate Interlock for each channel and global one
- Stand-by voltage, Ramping, Current Monitoring and Current Limit



Cooperation with DESY in the Helmholtz Validation Fond Project
«MTCA.4 for Industry» (HVF-0016)

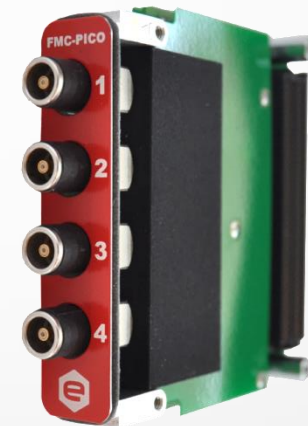




FMC-PICO-1M4

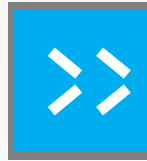
4-channel 20-bit 1 MSPS bipolar FMC picoammeter

- Standard FMC - Vita 57.1
- Bipolar current-input stage
- **Two standard measuring ranges** (± 1 mA and ± 1 μ A)
- CUSTOMIZATION of ranges upon request
- 20-bit resolution
- Up to 1 MSPS
- **Floating up to ± 300 V**
- Extremely low unbalance between channels (by analog design)
- I²C EEPROM calibration



FMC-Pico-1M4-20

Equivalent Input Noise		
	RNG0: ± 1 mA	RNG1: ± 1 μ A
$F_S = 2$ ksp/s	1 ppm/FS -120 dB	2.5 ppm/FS -112 dB
$F_S = 20$ ksp/s	2 ppm/FS -114 dB	7 ppm/FS -103 dB
$F_S = 200$ ksp/s	5 ppm/FS -107 dB	10 ppm/FS -100 dB
$F_S = 1$ Msp/s	8 ppm/FS -102 dB	15 ppm/FS -96 dB



FMC-SFP+

Dual- and Quad-channel SFP/SFP+ FMC Adapter

- Dual-channel and Quad-channel versions
 - FMC-2SFP+**
 - FMC-4SFP+** (w/out FMC bezel)
- Wide I/O operating range: VADJ can vary from 1.5V to 3.3V
- Tested up to 10 Gbps / channel
- True level conversion of all SFP+ module pins including I2C lines
- I2C-controlled Oscillator (10-280 MHz)
- Compatible with the DAMC-FMC25 carrier board
- Produced and supported by **CAEN ELS**
- Designed by **DESY**



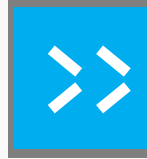
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2-channel version



4-channel version



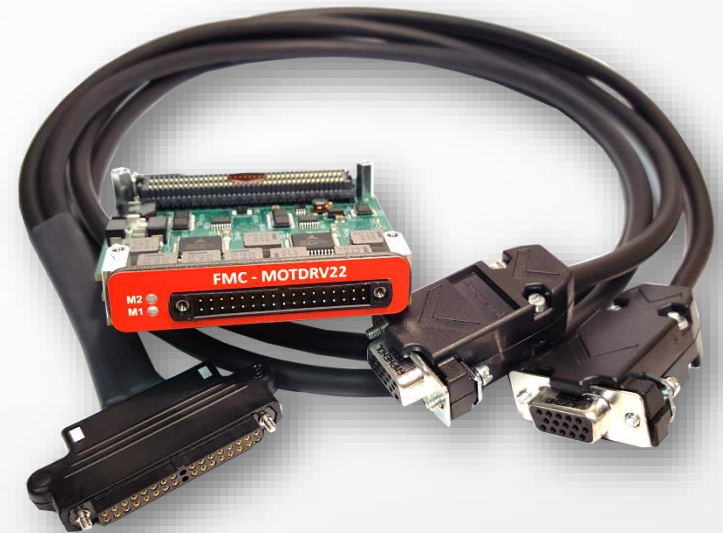
FMC-MOTDRV22

Dual-channel FMC Stepper Motor Driver

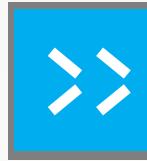
- Dual-channel stepper motor driver
- Supports up to **1.8 A** motor coil current
- Three different versions
 - 12-V internal supply
 - 12-V external supply
 - 24-V external supply
- Compatible with the DAMC-FMC25 carrier board
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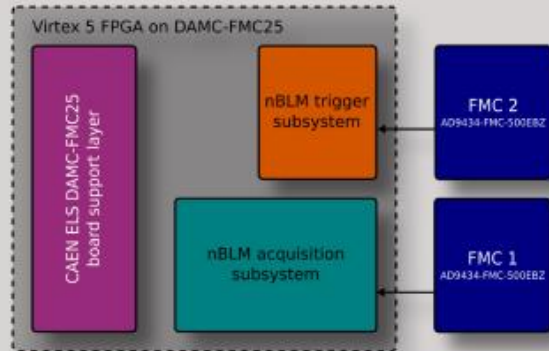


FMC-MOTDRV22 and cable



Custom Developments - Examples

DAMC-FMC25 with AD9434-FMC-500EBZ boards



The two AD9434-FMC-500EBZ boards provide two analog inputs sampled at 500 MS/s and 12-bit resolution. A custom FPGA application was developed to identify and capture specific events.

DAMC-FMC25 with 16-channel 125 MS/s ADC and GPIO boards



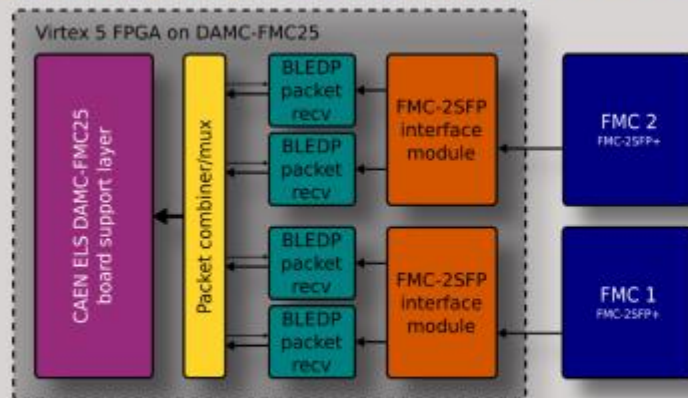
The 16-channel 125 MS/s ADC board with 14-bit precision can be used to monitor the status of the system, while the GPIO board can be used as an interface to various external devices.

Combined with the advanced processing power of the FPGA, this system can be used in all applications where a fast response time of entire system is needed.



Custom Developments - Examples

DAMC-FMC25 with FMC-2SFP+ boards



The two FMC-2SFP+ boards allow communication with up to four (4) fast links at 6.25 Gbps on the DAMC-FMC25. These links can be used to develop a data aggregation board together with post-processing on the FPGA.



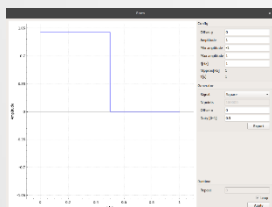
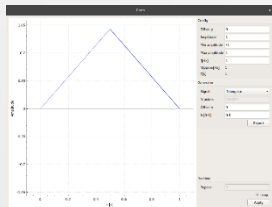
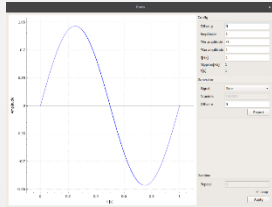
Water cooled modules up to 200A up to 60V (based on the NGPS architecture)



Water cooled systems at 420A with polarity inverter switch (bipolar architecture, based on the NGPS)



Paralleling of up to 2 Fast-PS-1K5 (up to 4+ coming in 2018)



Autotuning function for the Fast-PS family and NGPS

Arbitrary Waveform Generator for the Fast-PS family and NGPS



Regenerative Full-4-Quadrant Source based on Fast-PS-1K5

Set Current Control mode

Increase K_{p_i} in current control



Response is similar to the one on the left?

YES

Increase K_{i_i} in current control



Response is similar to the one on the left?

YES

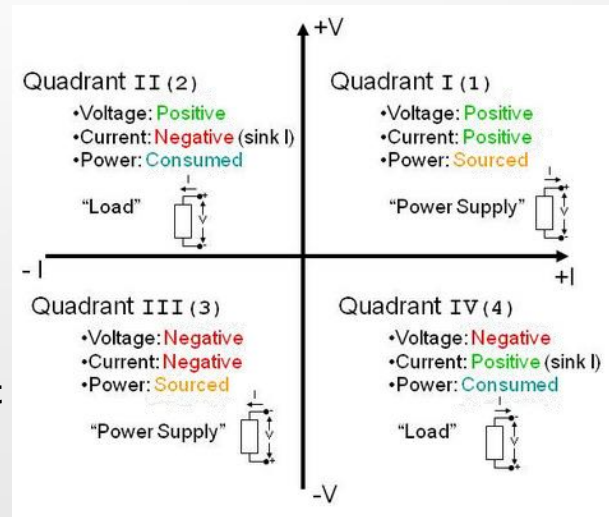
Increase K_{p_i} in current control



Response is similar to the one on the left?

STOP

Save this configuration



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