



SIMATIC S7-1200, Communication Board CB 1241, RS485, terminal block, supports Freeport

General information	
Product type designation	CB 1241 RS 485
Input current	
from backplane bus 5 V DC, typ.	50 mA
Power loss	
Power loss, typ.	1.5 W
Interfaces	
Point-to-point connection	
• Cable length, max.	1 000 m
Integrated protocol driver	
— Freeport	Yes
— ASCII	Yes; Available as library function
— Modbus RTU master	Yes
— Modbus RTU device	Yes
— USS	Yes; Available as library function
Protocols	
Integrated protocols	
Freeport	
— Telegram length, max.	1 kbyte
— Bits per character	7 or 8
— Number of stop bits	1 (Standard), 2
— Parity	No parity (standard); even, uneven, mark (parity bit always 1); space (parity bit always 0)
3964 (R)	
— Telegram length, max.	1 kbyte
— Bits per character	7 or 8
— Number of stop bits	1 (Standard), 2
— Parity	No parity (standard); even, uneven, mark (parity bit always 1); space (parity bit always 0)
Modbus RTU master	
— Address area	1 through 49 999 (Standard Modbus addressing)
— max. number of devices	247; slave numbers 1 through 247, per MODBUS network segment maximum 32 devices, additional repeaters needed to expand the network to maximum configuration
MODBUS RTU slave	
— Address area	1 through 49 999 (Standard Modbus addressing)
Interrupts/diagnostics/status information	
Diagnostics function	Yes
Degree and class of protection	
IP degree of protection	IP20
Standards, approvals, certificates	

CE mark	Yes
CSA approval	Yes
UL approval	Yes
cULus	Yes
FM approval	Yes
RCM (formerly C-TICK)	Yes
KC approval	Yes
Marine approval	Yes
<b>Ambient conditions</b>	
Free fall	
• Fall height, max.	0.3 m; five times, in product package
Ambient temperature during operation	
• min.	-20 °C
• max.	60 °C
• horizontal installation, min.	-20 °C
• horizontal installation, max.	60 °C
• vertical installation, min.	-20 °C
• vertical installation, max.	50 °C
• permissible temperature change	5°C to 55°C, 3°C / minute
Ambient temperature during storage/transportation	
• min.	-40 °C
• max.	70 °C
Air pressure acc. to IEC 60068-2-13	
• Operation, min.	795 hPa
• Operation, max.	1 080 hPa
• Storage/transport, min.	660 hPa
• Storage/transport, max.	1 080 hPa
Relative humidity	
• Operation at 25 °C without condensation, max.	95 %
<b>Mechanics/material</b>	
Enclosure material (front)	
• Plastic	Yes
<b>Dimensions</b>	
Width	38 mm
Height	62 mm
Depth	21 mm
<b>Weights</b>	
Weight, approx.	40 g

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