

# DATA SHEET

## LS Programmable Logic Controller Cnet(Computer Link) I/F Module

XGB XBL-C21A  
XBL-C41A



- When using LSIS equipment, thoroughly read this datasheet and associated manuals introduced in this datasheet. Also pay careful attention to safety and handle the module properly.  
- Store this datasheet in a safe place so that you can take it out and read it whenever necessary.



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### Safety Precautions

- Safety Precautions is for using the product safely and correctly in order to prevent the accidents and danger, so please go by them.
- The precautions explained here only apply to this module. For safety precautions on the PLC system, refer to User's manual.
- The precautions are divided into 2 sections, 'Warning' and 'Caution'. Each of the meanings is represented as follows.

**Warning** If you violate instructions, it can cause death, fatal injury or a considerable loss of property

**Caution** If you violate instructions, it can cause a slight injury or a slight loss of products

- The symbols which are indicated in the PLC and User's Manual mean as follows.
  - ! This symbol means paying attention because of danger of injury, fire, or malfunction
  - ⚡ This symbol means paying attention because of danger of electric shock.
- Store this datasheet in a safe place so that you can take it out and read it whenever necessary. Always forward it to the end user

### Handling Precautions

- Don't drop or make impact.
- Don't detach PCB from case. It may cause problem.
- When wiring, let no foreign material go into the module. If it goes into the module, remove it.
- Don't detach the module from slot while power is on

### Warning

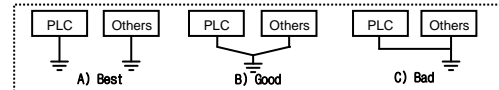
- Do not contact the terminals while the power is applied. Risk of electric shock and malfunction.
- Protect the product from being gone into by foreign metallic matter. Risk of fire, electric shock and malfunction.
- Risk of fire, electric shock and malfunction. Risk of injury and fire by explosion and ignition.

### Caution

- Be sure to check the rated voltage and terminal arrangement for the module before wiring work. Risk of electric shock, fire and malfunction.
- Tighten the screw of terminal block with the specified torque range. If the terminal screw is loose, it can cause fire and electric shock.
- Use the PLC in an environment that meets the general specifications contained in this datasheet. Risk of electrical shock, fire, erroneous operation and deterioration of the PLC.
- Be sure that external load does not exceed the rating of output module. Risk of fire and erroneous operation.
- Do not use the PLC in the environment of direct vibration Risk of electrical shock, fire and erroneous operation.
- Do not disassemble, repair or modify the PLC. Risk of electrical shock, fire and erroneous operation
- When disposing of PLC and battery, treat it as industrial waste. Risk of poisonous pollution or explosion.

### Precautions for use

- Do not install other places except PLC controlled place.
- Make sure that the FG terminal is grounded with class 3 grounding which is dedicated to the PLC. Otherwise, it can cause disorder or malfunction of PLC



- Connect expansion connector correctly when expansion module is needed.
- Do not detach PCB from the case of the module and do not modify the module.
- Turn off power when attaching or detaching module.
- Cellular phone or walkie-talkie should be farther than 30cm from the PLC.
- Input signal and communication line should be farther than 10cm from a high-tension and a power line in order not to be affected by noise and magnetic field.

### Related Manual

Read this data sheet carefully prior to any operation, mounting, installation or start-up of the product.

| Name                          | Item Code   |
|-------------------------------|-------------|
| XGB Hardware Manual           | 1031000693  |
| XGB Hardware (IEC) Manual     | 10310001059 |
| XBC Standard/Economic Manual  | 10310001091 |
| XGK/XGB Instruction Manual    | 10310000510 |
| XG/XGR/XEC Instruction Manual | 10310000833 |
| XG5000 Manual                 | 10310000821 |
| XGB Cnet I/F User's manual    | 10310000816 |

### Revision History

| Date    | Revision | Description  |
|---------|----------|--|
| 2006.11 | V1.0     | first edition                                      |
| 2008.02 | V1.1     | address updated<br>Performance Spec. updated       |
| 2009.08 | V2.0     | Branch address changed                             |
| 2011.05 | V3.0     | KOREAN/ENGLISH data sheet integrated<br>CI Changed |

### Applicable version

For system configuration, the following version is necessary.

| Item                 | Applicable version |
|----------------------|--------------------|
| XBL-C21A, XBL-C41A   | V1.2 or above      |
| XBC H Type           | V2.02 or above     |
| XBC S Type           | V1.1 or above      |
| XBC SU Type          | V1.0 or above      |
| XEC H Type           | V1.1 or above      |
| XGB Module Type(XBM) | V3.03 or above     |
| XG5000               | V3.4 or above      |

### 1. General Specifications

| No | Item                                 | Specification  | Standard                               |                            |   |
|----|--------------------------------------|--|--|----------------------------|---|
| 1  | Operating temperature                | 0 ~ 55 °C  | -                                      |                            |   |
| 2  | Storage temperature                  | -25 ~ 70 °C  | -                                      |                            |   |
| 3  | Operating humidity                   | 5 ~ 95%RH, non-condensing  | -                                      |                            |   |
| 4  | Storage humidity                     | 5 ~ 95%RH, non-condensing  | -                                      |                            |   |
| 5  | Vibration resistance                 | For discontinuous vibration  | 10 times in each direction for X, Y, Z |                            |   |
|    |                                      | Frequency  |  | Acceleration               | Amplitude   |
|    |                                      | 10sf / 57 Hz   |  | -                          | 0.075 mm  |
|    |                                      | 57 sf / 150 Hz   |  | 9.8m/s <sup>2</sup> (1G)   | -   |
| 6  | Shocks resistance                    | For continuous vibration   | IEC61131-2                             |                            |   |
|    |                                      | Frequency  |  | Acceleration               | Amplitude   |
|    |                                      | 10sf / 57 Hz   |  | -                          | 0.035 mm  |
|    |                                      | 57sf/150 Hz  |  | 4.9m/s <sup>2</sup> (0.5G) | -   |
| 7  | Noise resistance                     | • Max. impact acceleration : 147 m/s <sup>2</sup> (15G)                  | IEC61131-2                             |                            |   |
|    |                                      | • Authorized time : 11ms   |  |                            |   |
|    |                                      | • Pulse wave : Sign half-wave pulse (Each 3 times in X, Y, Z directions) |  |                            |   |
|    |                                      | • Square wave impulse noise  |  |                            |   |
| 8  | Ambient conditions                   | AC: ±1.500V  | LSIS standard                          |                            |   |
|    |                                      | DC: ±900V  |  |                            |   |
|    |                                      | Voltage: 4kV (Contact discharge)   |  |                            |   |
|    |                                      | Electrostatic discharge  |  |                            |   |
| 9  | Radiated electromagnetic field noise | 80 ~ 1,000 MHz, 10 V/m   | IEC61131-2<br>IEC1000-4-3              |                            |   |
|    |                                      | Fast transient /burst noise  |  |                            |   |
|    |                                      | Segment  |  | Power supply module        | Digital/analog input/output communication interface |
|    |                                      | Voltage  |  | 2 kV                       | 1 kV  |
| 10 | Operating height                     | 2000m or less  | -                                      |                            |   |
| 11 | Operating degree                     | 2 or less  | -                                      |                            |   |
| 12 | Cooling type                         | Natural air cooling  | -                                      |                            |   |

### 2. Performance Specifications

| Item                         | Specifications  |  |
|------------------------------|---|--|
|                              | XBL-C21A  | XBL-C41A   |
| Serial Communication Channel | RS-232C 1 Channel   | RS-422/485 1Channel  |
| Operating Mode               | P2P   | Dedicated protocol for LS Industrial Systems<br>Modbus ASCII/RTU protocol<br>User-defined Protocol |
|                              | Server  | Dedicated protocol for LS Industrial Systems<br>Modbus ASCII/RTU protocol                          |
| Data Type                    | Data Bit  | 7 or 8   |
|                              | Stop Bit  | 1 or 2   |
| Synchronization Type         | Parity  | Even / Odd / None  |
|                              | Asynchronous type   | -  |
| Communication speed (bps)    | 1200/2400/4800/9600/19200/38400/57600/115200                            |  |
| Station No. Setting          | Set by using XG-PD, Max. 32 stations are able to be set (from 0 to 255) |  |
| Transmission Distance        | RS-232C   | Max. 15m (Extendible with MODEM)   |
|                              | RS-422 /485   | Max. 500m  |
| Terminator                   | -   | 120Ω(1/2W)   |
| Diagnosis Function           | Indication of operating status with 5 LEDs during operating.            |  |
| Current Consumption (mA)     | 100   |  |
| Weight(g)                    | 60  | 55   |
| Accessory                    | -   | 5Pin Terminal Block  |

### 3. Cable Specifications

(1) When using RS-422 or RS-485 communication channel, a twisted pair cable must be used with consideration of high-quality signal transmission and control characteristic.

(2) Table 4.1 describes recommended specifications of cable. Also when using another cable than recommended one, the cable conformed to characteristics of Table 4.1 shall be used.

Item: Low Capacitance LAN Interface Cable  
Type: LIREV-AMESB  
Size: 2P X 22AWG(D/0.254 TA)  
Manufacturer: LS Cable Co., Ltd.

(3) Electrical characteristics

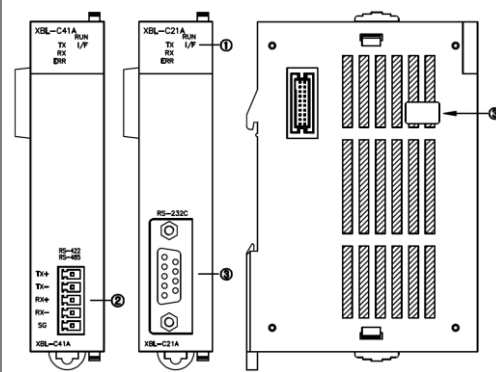
| Item                      | Specified Value  | Test Condition |
|---------------------------|------------------|----------------|
| Dielectric strength test  | No break down    | 500V/1min      |
| Insulation resistant test | Min. 1,000 MΩ.km | 20 °C          |
| Capacitance               | Max. 45 pF/M     | 1 MHz          |
| Characteristic Impedance  | 120 ± 5 Ω        | 10 MHz         |

[Table 4.1] Specification of Cnet I/F module twisted pair cable

(4) Appearance characteristics

| Item      | Unit        |        | Specified Value |
|-----------|-------------|--------|-----------------|
|           | No. of pair | Pair   |                 |
| Conductor | Size        | AWG    | 22              |
|           | Composition | No./mm | 7/0.254         |
|           | Diameter    | mm     | 0.76            |
|           | Thickness   | mm     | 0.59            |
| Insulator | Diameter    | mm     | 1.94            |

### 4. Parts Name and Descriptions



| No. | Name                    | Descriptions                          |
|-----|-------------------------|---------------------------------------|
| ①   | LED Indicators          | Shows the operation status            |
| ②   | RS-232C Connector       | The connector for external connection |
| ③   | RS-422/RS-485 Connector | The connector for external connection |

| No. | Switch status | Switch status descriptions                                       |
|-----|---------------|--|
| ④   | All on        | Normal operating   |
|     | All off       | OS Download Mode (If you want to OS Download, Please contact us) |

| LED Name | LED Descriptions                | LED status | LED status descriptions               |
|----------|---------------------------------|------------|---------------------------------------|
| RUN      | Cnet operation status           | On         | Normal operating                      |
| I/F      | Interface Status with Main Unit | Blink      | Abnormal operating of Cnet I/F Module |
|          |                                 | Off        | Normal operating                      |
| TX       | During frame transmission       | On         | Interface error with Main Unit        |
|          |                                 | Off        | During frame transmission completed   |
| RX       | During frame receiving          | On         | Frame receiving completed             |
|          |                                 | Off        | Normal frame                          |
| ERR      | Frame error                     | On         | Frame Error                           |
|          |                                 | Off        | Normal frame                          |

### 5. Installation and Wiring

(1) RS-232C Interface (XBL-C21A)

RS-232C channel uses 9-pin female connector for communication with external devices

| Pin No. | Name                  | Function            | Signal direction (Cnet ↔ External device) | Description                                 |
|---------|-----------------------|---------------------|---|---|
| 1       | CD                    | Carrier Detect      | ←   | DCE (Modem) inform carrier detection to DTE |
| 2       | RxD                   | Received Data       | ←   | Received data signal                        |
| 3       | TxD                   | Transmitted Data    | →   | Transmitted data signal                     |
| 4       | DTR                   | Data Terminal Ready | →   | DTE (PLC) inform communication ready to DCE |
| 5       | SG                    | Signal Ground       | →   | Signal ground line                          |
| 6       | DSR                   | Data Set Ready      | ←   | DCE inform communication ready to DTE       |
| 7       | RTS                   | Request To Send     | →   | DTE require data transmission to DCE        |
| 8       | CTS                   | Clear To Send       | ←   | DCE inform ready to transmit to DTE         |
| 9       | Ri <sup>(Note3)</sup> | Ring                | ←   | DCE inform receiving 'Ringing Tone' to DTE  |

[Pin assignment of RS-232C 9-pin connector]

This module can communicate with other device directly or through Modem for a long distance. The kind of the Modem is selected by using XG-PD.

### Remarks

- Note1) DCE: Data Communication Equipment
- Note2) DTE: Data Terminal Equipment
- Note3) Ri: This Pin is not used in XBL-C21A (This pin is not connected to the internal electric circuit of XBL-C21A)

(a) How to connect RS-232C connector to the external modem

Cnet I/F module can communicate with devices of long distance through a modem at this time modem and channel RS-232C must be connected as shown in below table

| Cnet(9-PIN) |      | Connection No. and Signal Direction |   | Modem |  |
|-------------|------|-------------------------------------|---|-------|--|
| Pin No.     | Name |                                     |   | Name  |  |
| 1           | CD   | ←                                   | ← | CD    |  |
| 2           | RXD  | ←                                   | ← | RXD   |  |
| 3           | TXD  | →                                   | → | TXD   |  |
| 4           | DTR  | →                                   | → | DTR   |  |
| 5           | SG   | →                                   | → | SG    |  |
| 6           | DSR  | ←                                   | ← | DSR   |  |
| 7           | RTS  | →                                   | → | RTS   |  |
| 8           | CTS  | ←                                   | ← | CTS   |  |
| 9           | RI   | ←                                   | ← | RI    |  |

(b) How to connect RS-232C connector in null modem mode.

In null modem mode, connector is able to be connected in 3-line (without handshake) type.

| Cnet(9-PIN) |      | Connection No. and Signal Direction |   | Computer /Communication device |  |
|-------------|------|-------------------------------------|---|--------------------------------|--|
| Pin No.     | Name |                                     |   | Name                           |  |
| 1           | CD   | ←                                   | ← | CD                             |  |
| 2           | RXD  | ←                                   | ← | RXD                            |  |
| 3           | TXD  | →                                   | → | TXD                            |  |
| 4           | DTR  | →                                   | → | DTR                            |  |
| 5           | SG   | →                                   | → | SG                             |  |
| 6           | DSR  | ←                                   | ← | DSR                            |  |
| 7           | RTS  | →                                   | → | RTS                            |  |
| 8           | CTS  | ←                                   | ← | CTS                            |  |
| 9           | RI   | ←                                   | ← | RI                             |  |

(2) RS-422/485 Interface (XBL-C41A)

RS-422 channel uses 5-pin terminal block for communication with external devices. The names and functions of pins, and data directions are as shown in the following table.

| Pin No. | Name | Signal direction (Cnet ↔ External device) | Function             |
|---------|------|---|----------------------|
| 1       | TX+  | →   | Transmitted data (+) |
| 2       | TX-  | →   | Transmitted data (-) |
| 3       | RX+  | ←   | Received data (+)    |
| 4       | RX-  | ←   | Received data (-)    |
| 5       | SG   | →   | Signal ground line   |

[Pin assignment of RS-422 5-pin connector]

RS-422 channel makes connection external devices and RS-422 and RS-485(Multi-drop) possible. When RS-422 channel is used as multi-drop, set channel RS-422 to RS-485 communication in setting menu of the RS-422 communication type of XG-PD, and connect the terminal of RS-422 as shown in the [RS-485 connection] table.

| Cnet    |      | Signal direction (Cnet ↔ External device) |   | External device |  |
|---------|------|---|---|-----------------|--|
| Pin No. | Name |   |   |                 |  |
| 1       | TX+  | →   | → | RX+             |  |
| 2       | TX-  | →   | → | RX-             |  |
| 3       | RX+  | ←   | ← | TX+             |  |
| 4       | RX-  | ←   | ← | TX-             |  |
| 5       | SG   | →   | → | SG              |  |

[RS-422 connection]

| Cnet    |      | Signal direction (Cnet ↔ External device) |   | External device |  |
|---------|------|---|---|-----------------|--|
| Pin No. | Name |   |   |                 |  |
| 1       | TX+  | →   | → | RX+             |  |
| 2       | TX-  | →   | → | RX-             |  |
| 3       | RX+  | ←   | ← | TX+             |  |
| 4       | RX-  | ←   | ← | TX-             |  |
| 5       | SG   | →   | → | SG              |  |

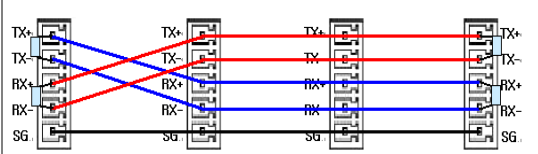
[RS-485 connection]

Above figure shows how to connect RS-485 multi-drop communication. In the case of RS-485 communication, the TX+ and RX+ terminals should be shortened and TX- and RX- terminals should be shortened, then connected to the other devices. At this time, RS-485 should be selected by using the XG-PD.

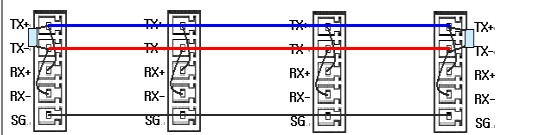
(3) Terminator (RS-422/485)

- (a) When the communication via channel RS-422 terminal resistor from external must be connected.
- (b) Terminal resistor has the function to prevent distortion of signal by reflected wave of cable when long distance communication, the same resistor (1/2W) as characteristic impedance of cable must be connected to terminal of network.
- (c) When using the recommended cable in the section 3, connect terminal resistor of 120 Ω to both ends of cable. Also, when using another cable than recommended one, the same resistor (1/2W) as characteristic impedance of cable must be connected to both ends of cable.

(d) How to connect terminal resistor [RS-422 connection]



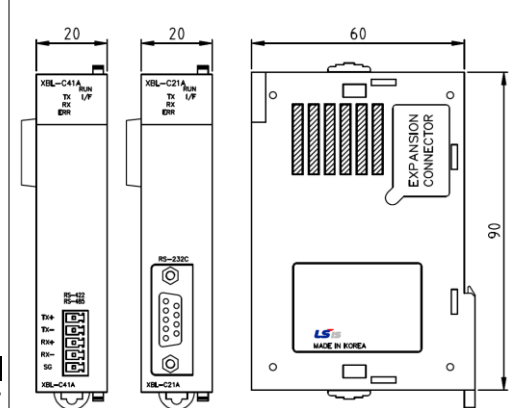
(e) How to connect terminal resistor [RS-485 connection]



### 6. Cautions for system and network connection

- (1) All the stations in whole network should not have duplicated station number. Otherwise, it can cause serious communication error.
- (2) Use cable complying with specification in this data sheet. Otherwise, it can cause a serious communication error.
- (3) Make sure that communication cable does not break or short.
- (4) Make sure that cable connector is fastened. Loose connection could cause serious communication error.
- (5) Improper cable connection (snarled cable, redundant connection) can cause communication error.
- (6) The communication type and parameter can be set with XG-PD.
- (7) After the installation of the Cnet I/F module, refer to the section 5. Installation and Wiring for system configuration.
- (8) While the power of the Main Unit is on, mounting/dismounting of module will cause system error and the CPU module halted. Therefore, turn the power off during replacing or repairing module.

### 7. Dimension (mm)



### 8. Warranty

- (1) Warranty period  
LSIS provides an 18-month-warranty from the date of the production.
- (2) Warranty conditions  
For troubles within the warranty period, LSIS will replace the entire PLC or repair the troubled parts free of charge except the following cases.
  - (a) The troubles caused by improper condition, environment or treatment except the instructions of LSIS.
  - (b) The troubles caused by external devices.
  - (c) The troubles caused by remodeling or repairing based on the user's own discretion.
  - (d) The troubles caused by improper usage of the product.
  - (e) The troubles caused by the reason which exceeded the expectation from science and technology level when LSIS manufactured the product.
  - (f) The troubles caused by natural disaster.
- (3) This warranty is limited to the PLC itself only. It is not valid for the whole system which the PLC is attached to.