

QUANTUM^X MX1615

Bridge/strain gauge
amplifier



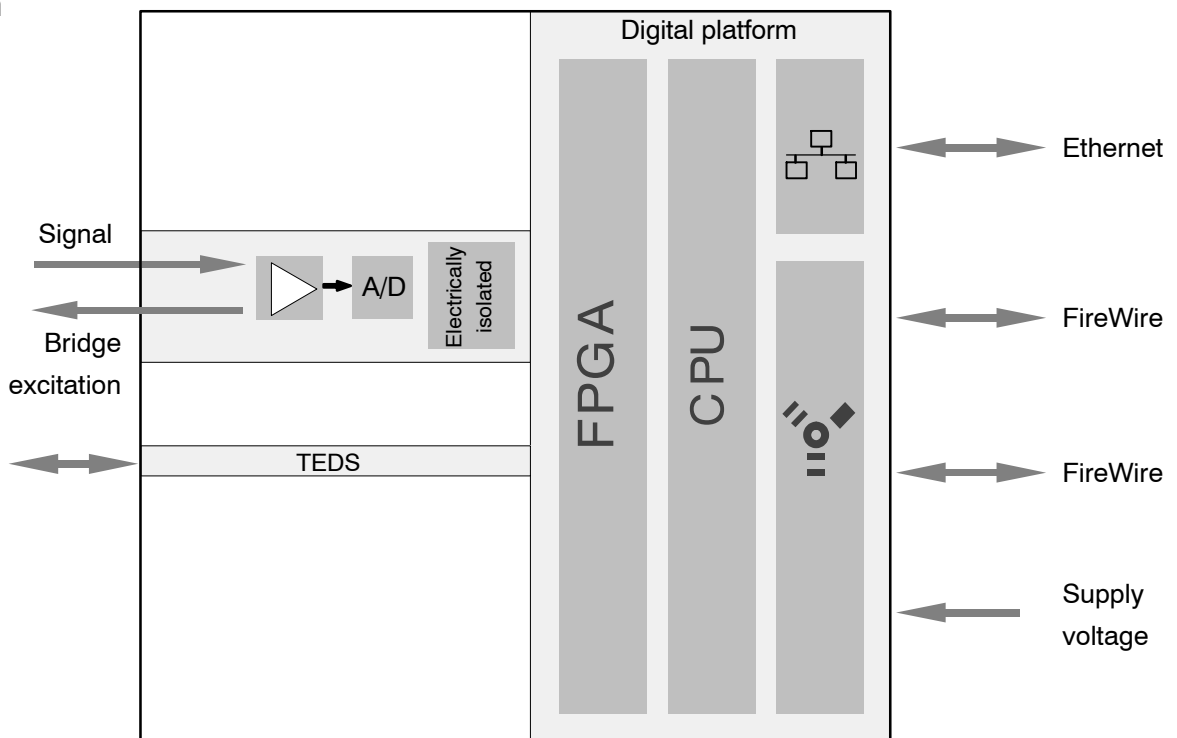
Special features

- 16 individually configurable inputs
- Connection of strain gauges in quarter-, half- and full-bridge
- Bridge excitation : DC or carrier frequency
- Internal shunt resistor
- Connection of standard voltage, PT100, resistor
- Data rate up to 19200 Hz per channel
- 3200 Hz bandwidth
- 24-bit A/D converter per channel for synchronous, parallel measurements
- Active low pass filter
- TEDS support

Block diagram

Connector sockets (Plug terminal, 8 Pin)

Connectors 1 ... 16



Specifications MX1615

General specifications				
Inputs	Number	16, electrically isolated from the supply		
Transducer technologies, can be adjusted individually		Strain gauges in full-, half- or quarter-bridge configuration. Selectable bridge excitation voltage : DC voltage or carrier frequency (AC/CF, 1200 Hz)		
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		Resistor, Resistance thermometer (PT100), connection in four-wire configuration		
	Voltage (± 10 V differential, 0 ... 30 V unipolar)),			
A/D converter per channel		24 Bit Delta Sigma converter, without transducer supply		
Data rate per channel, max.	Hz	0.1 ... 19,200, can be individually adjusted per channel		
Bandwidth	kHz	3.2 0.4; using carrier frequency		
Active low-pass filter (Bessel/Butterworth, can be switched off)		0.01 ... 3,200		
Transducer identification (TEDS, IEEE 1451.4) max. distance of the TEDS module	m	100		
Transducer connection		Phoenix Contact FMC-1,5/8-ST-3,5-RF plug terminal Plug included		
Supply voltage range (DC)	V	10 ... 30 (24 V nominal (rated) voltage)		
Supply voltage interruption		max. 5 ms at 24 V		
Power consumption	W	< 12		
Ethernet (data link)		10Base-T / 100Base-TX		
Protocol/addressing	-	TCP/IP (direct IP address or DHCP)		
Connection	-	8P8C plug (RJ-45) with twisted pair cable (CAT-5)		
Max. cable length to module	m	100		
Synchronization options		FireWire (only QuantumX, automatically, recommended) via CX27 via Ethernet via MX440A - or MX840A input channel		
FireWire (module synchronization, data link, optional supply voltage)		IEEE 1394b (HBM modules only)		
Baud rate	MBaud	400 (approx. 50 MByte/s)		
Max. current from module to module	A	1.5		
Max. cable length between the nodes	m	5		
Max. number of modules connected in series (daisy chain)	-	12 (=11 hops)		
Max. number of modules in a FireWire system (including hubs ¹⁾ , backplane)	-	24		
Max. number of hops ²⁾	-	14		
Nominal (rated) temperature range	°C [°F]	-20... +60 [-4 ... +140]		
Operating temperature range	°C [°F]	-20 ... +65 [-4 ... +149]		
Storage temperature range	°C [°F]	-40 ... +75 [-40 ... +167]		
Rel. humidity	%	5 ... 95 (non condensing)		
Protection class		III		
Degree of protection		IP20 per EN 60529		
Mechanical tests³⁾				
Vibration (30 min)	m/s ²	50		
Shock (6 ms)	m/s ²	350		
EMC requirements		per EN 61326-1		
Max. input voltage at transducer socket to ground, transient free				
Pin 6 and 7 to Pin 1, 2, 3, 4 or 5	V	± 18		
Dimensions, horizontal (W x H x D)	mm	52.5 x 200 x 122 (with case protection) 44 x 174 x 119 (without case protection)		
Weight, approx.	g	980		

¹⁾ Hub: FireWire node or distributor

²⁾ Hop: Transition from module to module or signal conditioning / distribution via FireWire (hub, backplane)

³⁾ Mechanical stress is tested according to European Standard EN60068-2-6 for vibrations and EN60068-2-27 for shock. The equipment is subjected to an acceleration of 50 m/s² in a frequency range of 5...65 Hz in all 3 axes. Duration of this vibration test: 30min per axis. The shock test is performed with a nominal acceleration of 350 m/s² for 6 ms, half sine pulse shape, with 3 shocks in each of the 6 possible directions.

Specifications MX1615 (Continued)

4 mV/V CF strain gauge full and half bridge with 0.5 V; 1 V; 2.5 V or 5 V excitation (AC, square)		
Accuracy class		0.05 ¹⁾
Carrier frequency (square)	Hz	1200 ± 2
Bridge excitation voltage (effective)	V	0.5; 1; 2.5; 5 (± 5 %)
Transducers that can be connected		strain gauge full and half bridges
Permissible cable length between MX1615 and transducer	m	< 100
Measuring ranges at 5 V excitation at 2.5 V excitation at 1 V excitation	mV/V mV/V mV/V	± 4 ± 8 ± 20
Control signal (Shunt) Full bridge Half bridge	mV/V mV/V	-1.0078 ± 0.1% (at 350 Ohm) +1.0078 ± 0.1% (at 350 Ohm) ²⁾
Measurement frequency range (-3 dB)	kHz	0 ... 400
Transducer impedance at 5 V excitation at 2.5 V excitation at 1 V excitation at 0.5 V excitation	Ω Ω Ω Ω	300 ... 1,000 110 ... 1,000 80 ... 1000 80 ... 1000
Noise at 25 °C and 2.5 V excitation (peak to peak) with filter 1 Hz Bessel with filter 10 Hz Bessel with filter 100 Hz Bessel	μV/V μV/V μV/V	< 0.2 < 0.4 < 1.0
Linearity error	%	< 0.02 of full scale
Zero drift (Fullbridge with 5 V excitation)	% / 10 K	< 0.02 ¹⁾ of full scale
Full-scale drift (5 V excitation)	% / 10 K	< 0.05 of measurement value

¹⁾ 0.1 with half bridge

²⁾ When using a half bridge, the control signal may only be used when signals 1 and 4 are bridged.

4 mV/V CF strain gauge full and half bridge with 0.5 V; 1 V; 2.5 V or 5 V excitation (DC)		
Accuracy class		0.05 ¹⁾
Bridge excitation voltage (DC)	<	0.5; 1; 2.5; 5; (± 5 %)
Transducers that can be connected		strain gauge half and full bridges
Permissible cable length between MX1615 and transducer	m	< 100
Measuring ranges at 5 V excitation at 2.5 V excitation at 1 V excitation	mV/V mV/V mV/V	± 4 ± 8 ± 20
Control signal (Shunt) Full bridge Half bridge	mV/V mV/V	-1.0078 ± 0.1% (at 350 Ohm) +1.0078 ± 0.1% (at 350 Ohm) ²⁾
Measurement frequency range (-3 dB)	kHz	0 ... 3,200
Transducer impedance at 5 V excitation at 2.5 V excitation at 1 V excitation at 0.5 V excitation	Ω Ω Ω Ω	300 ... 1,000 110 ... 1,000 80 ... 1,000 80 ... 1,000
Noise at 25 °C and 2.5 V excitation (peak to peak) with filter 1 Hz Bessel with filter 10 Hz Bessel with filter 100 Hz Bessel with filter 1 kHz Bessel	μV/V μV/V μV/V μV/V	< 0.2 < 0.5 < 1 < 4
Linearity error	%	< 0.02 of full scale
Zero drift (Fullbridge with 5 V excitation)	% / 10 K	< 0.05 ¹⁾ of full scale
Full-scale drift (5 V excitation)	% / 10 K	< 0.05 of measurement value

¹⁾ 0.2 with half bridge; without EMC effect 0.1

²⁾ When using a half bridge, the control signal may only be used when signals 1 and 4 are bridged.

Specifications MX1615 (Continued)

5 mV/V CF strain gauge single bridge with 0.5 V; 1 V; 2.5 V or 5 V excitation (AC, square)		
Accuracy class		0.1 ¹⁾
Carrier frequency (square)	Hz	1200
Bridge excitation voltage (effective)	V	0.5; 1; 2.5; 5 ($\pm 5\%$)
Transducers that can be connected		SG quarter bridge in four wire circuit
Permissible cable length between MX1615 and transducer	m	< 100
Measuring ranges		
at 5 V excitation (only at 350 Ohm strain gauge)	mV/V	± 4
at 2.5 V excitation	mV/V	± 8
at 1 V excitation	mV/V	± 20
at 0.5 V excitation	mV/V	± 40
Control signal (Shunt)	mV/V	1.0078 \pm 0,1 % (at 300 Ohm)
Measurement frequency range (-3 dB)	kHz	0 ... 400
Internal completion resistors	Ω	120 and 350
Noise at 25 °C and 5 V excitation (peak to peak)		
with filter 1 Hz Bessel	μ V/V	< 0.3
with filter 10 Hz Bessel	μ V/V	< 0.5
with filter 100 Hz Bessel	μ V/V	< 1.5
Linearity error ²⁾	%	< 0.05 of full scale
Zero drift ²⁾ (5 V excitation)	% / 10 K	< 0.1 of full scale
Full-scale ²⁾ drift (5 V excitation)	% / 10 K	< 0.1 of measurement value

1) The accuracy class does not take into account measurement errors resulting from asymmetrical cable resistances when using a three-wire circuit.

2) With 350 ohm resistor and connection using a four-wire circuit.

5 mV/V CF strain gauge single bridge with 0.5 V; 1 V; 2.5 V or 5 V excitation (DC)		
Accuracy class		0.2 ¹⁾
Bridge excitation voltage (DC)	V	0.5; 1; 2.5; 5 ($\pm 5\%$)
Transducers that can be connected		SG quarter bridge in four wire or three wire circuit
Permissible cable length between MX1615 and transducer	m	< 100
Measuring ranges		
at 5 V excitation (only at 350 Ohm strain gauge)	mV/V	± 4
at 2.5 V excitation	mV/V	± 8
at 1 V excitation	mV/V	± 20
at 0.5 V excitation	mV/V	± 40
Control signal (Shunt)	mV/V	1.0078 \pm 0,1 % (at 300 Ohm)
Measurement frequency range (-3 dB)	kHz	0 ... 3,200
Internal completion resistors	Ω	120 and 350
Noise at 25 °C and 5 V excitation (peak to peak)		
with filter 1 Hz Bessel	μ V/V	< 0.4
with filter 10 Hz Bessel	μ V/V	< 0.6
with filter 100 Hz Bessel	μ V/V	< 2.5
Linearity error ²⁾	%	< 0.05 of full scale
Zero drift ²⁾ (5 V excitation)	% / 10 K	< 0.1 of full scale
Full-scale ²⁾ drift (5 V excitation)	% / 10 K	< 0.1 of measurement value

1) Without EMC effect 0.1.

The accuracy class does not take into account measurement errors resulting from asymmetrical cable resistances when using a three-wire circuit.

2) With 350 ohm resistor and connection using a four-wire circuit.

Specifications MX1615 (Continued)

Voltage 10 V (DC)		
Accuracy class		0.05
Transducers that can be connected		Voltage sources
Permissible cable length between MX1615 and transducer	m	100
Measuring range	V	± 10 differential, 0 ... 30 unipolar
Measurement frequency range (-3 dB)	Hz	0 ... 3,200
Internal resistance of the connected voltage source	Ω	< 500
Input impedance (symmetrical)	kΩ	> 1.5
Noise at 25 °C (peak to peak) at 1 Hz Bessel filter at 10 Hz Bessel filter at 100 Hz Bessel filter at 1 kHz Bessel filter	μV μV μV μV	150 300 600 2000
Linearity error	%	< 0.02 of full scale
Common-mode rejection at DC common-mode at 50 Hz common-mode, typically	dB dB	> 100 75
Max. common-mode voltage Channel from housing and supply ground Channel from channel	V V	± 60 ± 5
Zero drift	% / 10 K	< 0.03 of full scale
Full-scale drift	% / 10 K	< 0.05 of measurement value

Specifications MX1615 (Continued)

Resistance		
Accuracy class		0.1
Transducers that can be connected		PTC, NTC, KTY, TT-3, resistances generally (connection with four wire configuration)
Permissible cable length between MX1615 and transducer	m	100
Measuring ranges	Ω	0 ... 1,000
Speisestrom	mA	0.4 ... 1.4
Measurement frequency range (-3 dB)	Hz	0 ... 3,200
Noise at 25 °C (peak to peak)		
with filter 1 Hz Bessel	K	< 0.5
with filter 10 Hz Bessel	K	< 1
with filter 100 Hz Bessel	K	< 2
with filter 1 kHz Bessel	K	< 6
Linearity error	%	< 0.02 of full scale
Zero drift	%/10K	< 0.02 of full scale
Full-scale drift	% / 10 K	< 0.1 of measurement value

Resistance thermometer (PT100)		
Accuracy class		0.1
Transducers that can be connected		PT100 (connection with four wire configuration)
Permissible cable length between MX1615 and transducer	m	100
Linearization range	$^{\circ}\text{C}$ [$^{\circ}\text{F}$]	-200 ... +848 [-328 ... +1558.4]
Measurement frequency range (-3 dB)	Hz	0 ... 3,200
Noise at 25 °C (peak to peak)		
with filter 1 Hz Bessel	K	< 0,02
with filter 10 Hz Bessel	K	< 0,04
with filter 100 Hz Bessel	K	< 0,1
with filter 1 kHz Bessel	K	< 0,3
Linearity error	K	< $\pm 0,3$
Zero drift	K / 10 K	< 0,2
Full-scale drift	K / 10 K	< 0,5

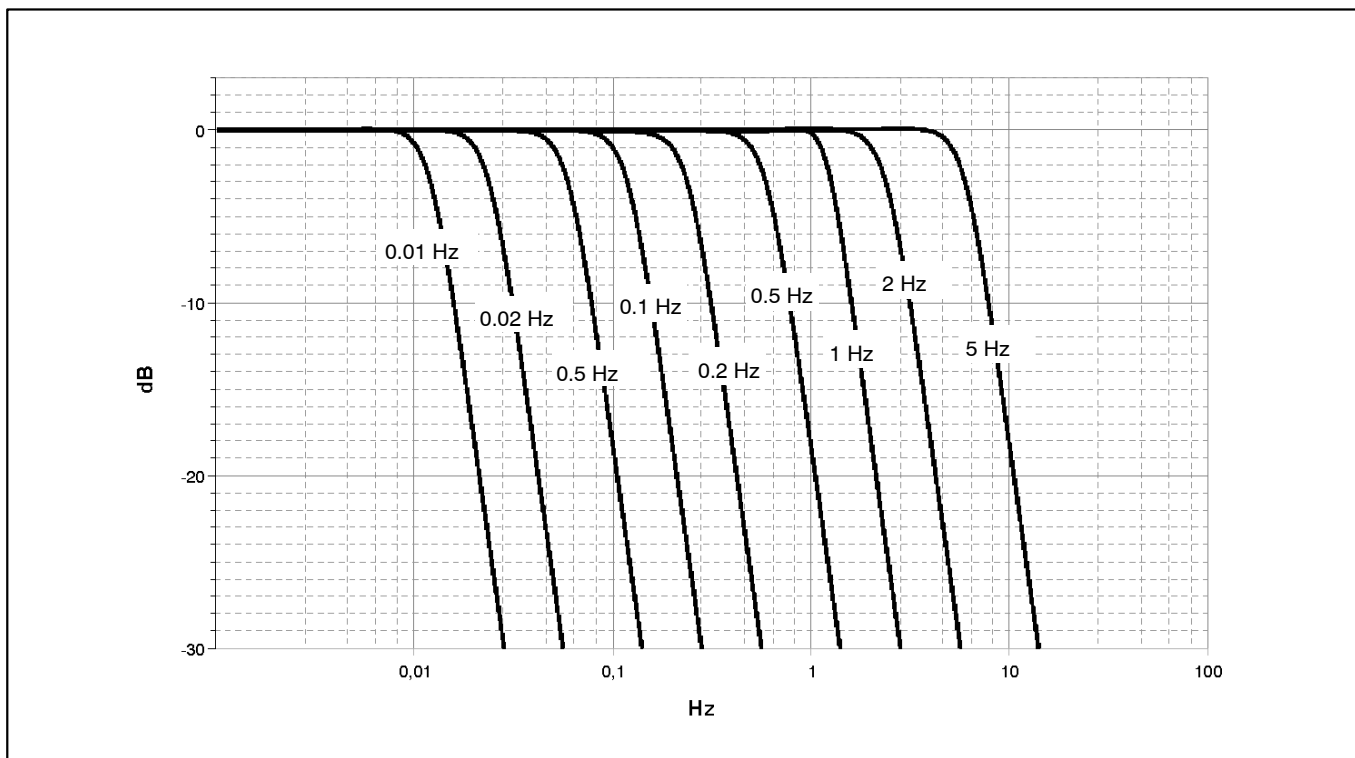
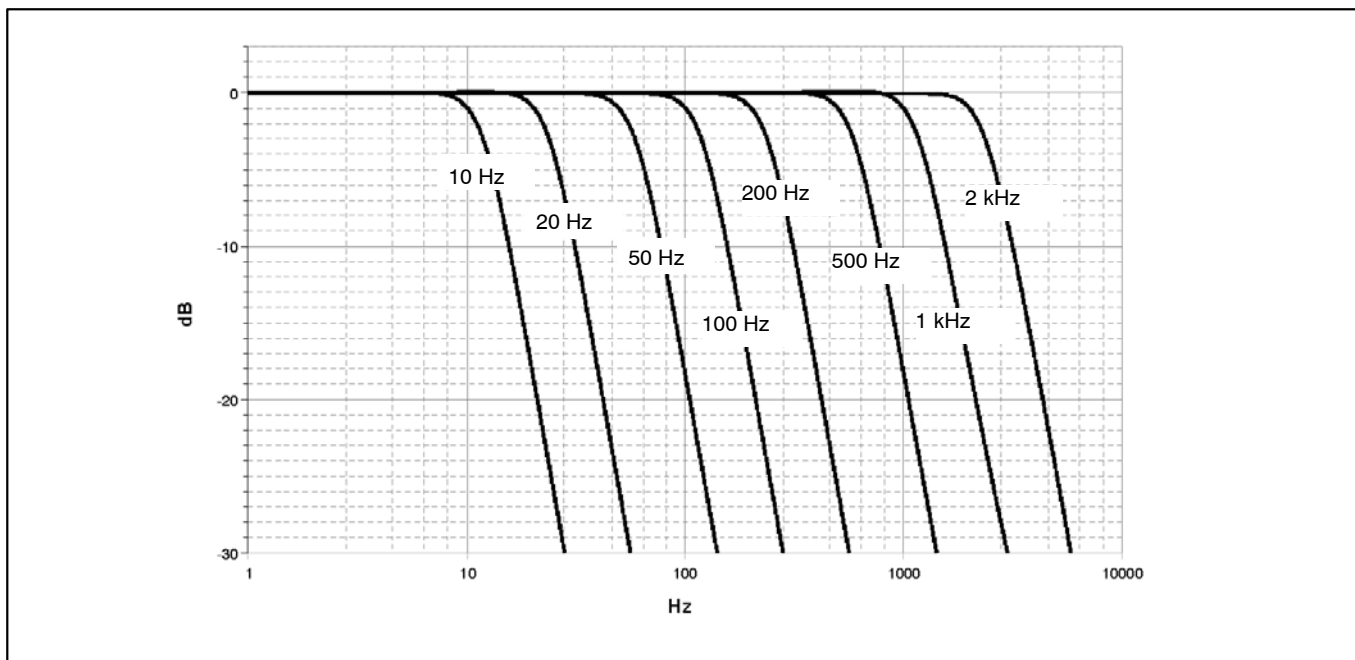
Active low pass filter data MX1615

(4th order Bessel/Butterworth, with CF supply only valid for $f_g \leq 100$ Hz)

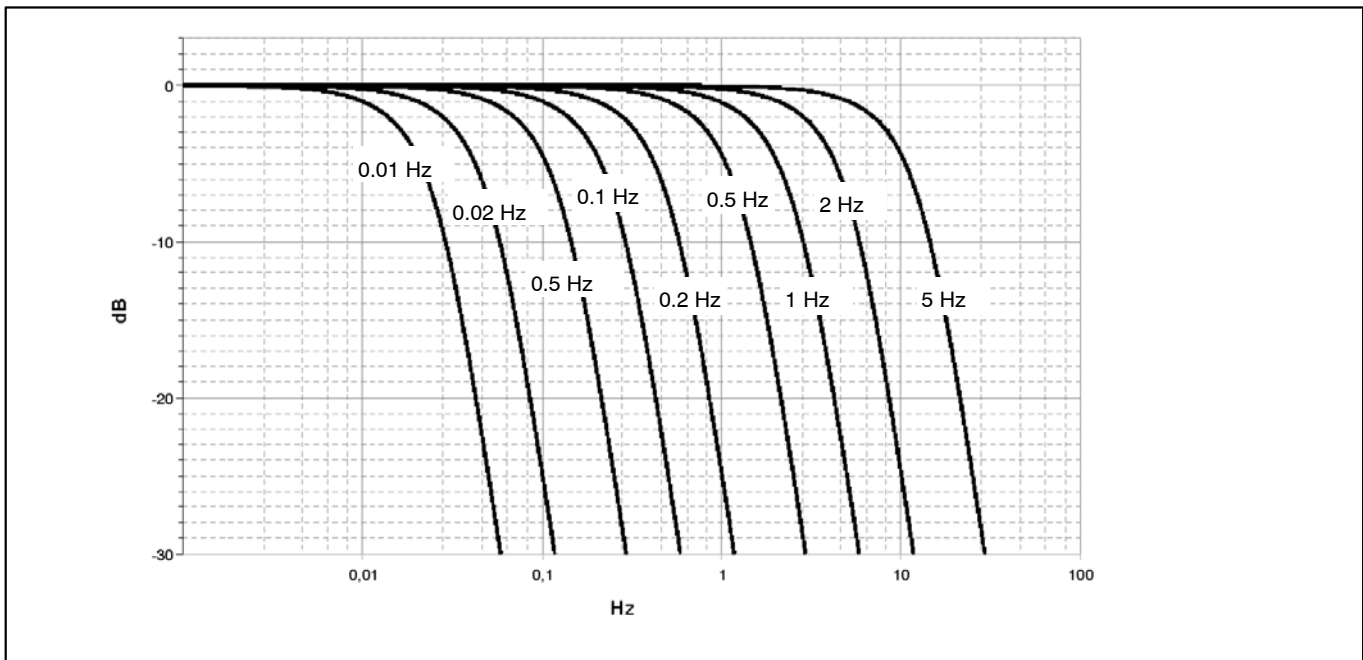
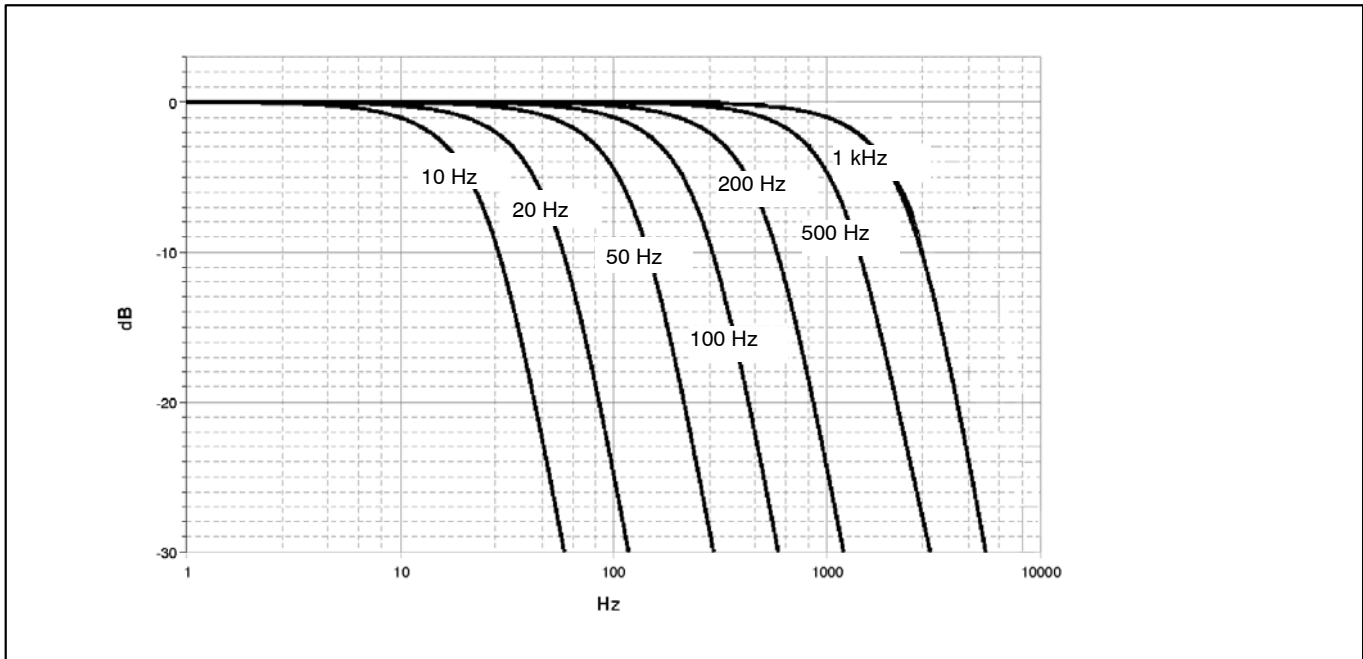
Type	-1dB (Hz)	-3dB (Hz)	-20dB (Hz)	Phase delay (ms)	Rise time (ms)	Overshoot (%)	Data rate (Hz)
Bessel	1000	1575	3611	0.11	0.2	1.4	19200
	1000	1575	3612	0.11	0.2	1.4	9600
	500	812	2079	0.3	0.38	1.3	9600
	200	335	860	0.9	1.05	0.8	9600
	100	168	427	1.8	2.11	0.8	9600
	50	84	213	3.8	4.18	0.8	9600
	20	33.7	85	9.6	10.4	0.8	9600
	10	16.6	43	19.5	21.0	0.8	9600
	5	8.4	21	39	41.4	0.8	2400
	2	3.4	8,6	97	102	0.8	2400
	1	1.6	4,2	197	215	0.8	2400
	0.5	0.84	2,1	390	418	0.8	300
	0.2	0.34	0,85	980	1033	0.8	300
	0.1	0.17	0,43	1950	2090	0.8	300
	0.05	0.085	0,21	3860	4170	0.8	20
0.02	0.036	0,088	9800	10560	0.8	20	
0.01	0.017	0,044	19500	21200	0.8	20	
Butterworth	2000	3053	5083	0	0.144	8.5	19200
	1000	1170	2077	0.27	0.344	11	19200
	1000	1171	2078	0.27	0.378	11	9600
	500	587	1048	0.64	0.652	11	9600
	200	237	420	1.76	1.64	11	9600
	100	118	210	3.65	3.28	11	9600
	50	59	105	7.49	6.29	11	9600
	20	24	42	18.8	16.15	11	9600
	10	12	21	37.7	32.29	11	9600
	5	5.95	10.5	74.9	65.92	11	2400
	2	2.37	4.24	188	163.6	11	2400
	1	1.26	2.12	370	315	11	2400
	0.5	0.59	1.05	756	656	11	300
	0.2	0.241	0.419	1900	1640	11	300
	0.1	0.122	0.210	3770	3280	11	300
0.05	0.060	0.106	7490	6596	11	20	
0.02	0.0245	0.042	18900	16200	11	20	
0.01	0.012	0.021	37700	32383	11	20	

*) The analog-to-digital converter's delay time is 128 μ s for all data rates and has not been accounted for in the "Phase delay" column! The anti-aliasing filter's delay time (160 μ s) is not accounted for as well. Hence, 288 μ s need to be added to the "Phase delay".

Amplitude response of MX1615 Butterworth filter



Amplitude response of MX1615 Bessel filter



Specifications Power pack NTX001

NTX001		
Nominal input voltage (AC)	V	100 ... 240 ($\pm 10\%$)
Stand-by power consumption at 230 V	W	0.5
Nominal load	V	24
U_A	A	1.25
I_A		
Static output characteristics	V	$24 \pm 4\%$
U_A	A	0 – 1.25
I_A	mV	≤ 120
U_{Br} (Output voltage ripple; peak to peak)		
Current limiting, typically from	A	1.6
Primary – secondary separation		galvanically, by optocoupler and converter
Creep distance and clearance	mm	≥ 8
High-voltage test	kV	≥ 4
Ambient temperature range	$^{\circ}\text{C}$ [$^{\circ}\text{F}$]	0... +40 [+32 ... +104]
Storage temperature	$^{\circ}\text{C}$ [$^{\circ}\text{F}$]	-40 ... +70 [-40 ... +158]

Accessories, to be ordered separately

General accessories		
Article	Description	Order No.
QuantumX backplane (standard)	QuantumX backplane for a maximum of 9 modules, IP20 version; – Mounting on wall or control cabinet (19") – Connection of external modules by FireWire possible – Power supply 24 V DC / max. 5 A (150 W)	1-BPX001
AC-DC power supply / 24 V	Input : 100 ... 240 V AC ($\pm 10\%$), 1.5 m cable Output: 24 V DC, max. 1.25 A, 2 m cable with ODU connector	1-NTX001
3m cable – QuantumX supply	3 m cable for voltage supply of QuantumX modules; Suitable plug (ODU Medi-Snap S11M08-P04MJGO-5280) on one side and open strands on the other end.	1-KAB271-3
FireWire cable PC-to-module	Firewire connection cable from the PC to the first module for data transfer from QuantumX modules to the PC; With matching plugs on both sides; Length: 3 m.	1-KAB270-3
FireWire cable (module-to-module)	FireWire connection cable for QuantumX modules; with matching plugs on both sides. Lengths 0.2 m/2 m/5 m Note: The cable enables QuantumX modules to be supplied with voltage (max. 1.5 A, from the source to the last drain).	1-KAB269-0.2 1-KAB269-2 1-KAB269-5
FireWire IEEE PC-Card	FireWire IEEE 1394b PC-Card (PCMCIA adapter) to connect QuantumX modules to a Notebook or a PC	1-IF001
Connecting elements for QuantumX modules	Connecting elements (clips) for QuantumX modules; Set comprising 2 case clips including mounting material for fast connection of 2 modules.	1-CASECLIP
Connecting elements for QuantumX modules	Fitting panel for mounting of QuantumX modules using case clips (1-CASECLIP), lashing strap or cable tie. Basic fastening by 4 screws.	1-CASEFIT
Push-In connector (8 Pins)	10 Push-In-connectors, Phoenix Contact, 8 Pins	1-CON-S1005

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