

SIMATIC S7-1200, CPU 1212C, compact CPU, DC/DC/DC, onboard I/O: 8 DI 24 V DC; 6 DO 24 V DC; 2 AI 0-10 V DC, Power supply: DC 20.4-28.8V DC, Program/data memory 75 KB



### General information

Product type designation	CPU 1212C DC/DC/DC
Firmware version	V4.2
Engineering with	
• Programming package	STEP 7 V14 or higher

### Supply voltage

Rated value (DC)	
• 24 V DC	Yes
permissible range, lower limit (DC)	20.4 V
permissible range, upper limit (DC)	28.8 V
Reverse polarity protection	Yes
Load voltage L+	
• Rated value (DC)	24 V
• permissible range, lower limit (DC)	20.4 V
• permissible range, upper limit (DC)	28.8 V

### Input current

Current consumption (rated value)	400 mA; CPU only
Current consumption, max.	1 200 mA; CPU with all expansion modules

Inrush current, max.	12 A; at 28.8 V DC
$I^2t$	0.5 A <sup>2</sup> ·s
<b>Output current</b>	
for backplane bus (5 V DC), max.	1 000 mA; Max. 5 V DC for SM and CM
<b>Encoder supply</b>	
24 V encoder supply	
• 24 V	L+ minus 4 V DC min.
<b>Power loss</b>	
Power loss, typ.	9 W
<b>Memory</b>	
Work memory	
• integrated	75 kbyte
• expandable	No
Load memory	
• integrated	2 Mbyte
• Plug-in (SIMATIC Memory Card), max.	with SIMATIC memory card
Backup	
• present	Yes
• maintenance-free	Yes
• without battery	Yes
<b>CPU processing times</b>	
for bit operations, typ.	0.08 µs; / instruction
for word operations, typ.	1.7 µs; / instruction
for floating point arithmetic, typ.	2.3 µs; / instruction
<b>CPU-blocks</b>	
Number of blocks (total)	DBs, FCs, FBs, counters and timers. The maximum number of addressable blocks ranges from 1 to 65535. There is no restriction, the entire working memory can be used
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• Number, max.	Limited only by RAM for code
<b>Data areas and their retentivity</b>	
Retentive data area (incl. timers, counters, flags), max.	10 kbyte
Flag	
• Number, max.	4 kbyte; Size of bit memory address area
<b>Address area</b>	
Process image	
• Inputs, adjustable	1 kbyte
• Outputs, adjustable	1 kbyte

<b>Hardware configuration</b>	
Number of modules per system, max.	3 comm. modules, 1 signal board, 2 signal modules
<b>Time of day</b>	
<b>Clock</b>	
• Hardware clock (real-time)	Yes
• Backup time	480 h; Typical
• Deviation per day, max.	±60 s/month at 25 °C
<b>Digital inputs</b>	
Number of digital inputs	8; Integrated
• of which inputs usable for technological functions	6; HSC (High Speed Counting)
Source/sink input	Yes
<b>Number of simultaneously controllable inputs</b>	
all mounting positions	
— up to 40 °C, max.	8
<b>Input voltage</b>	
• Rated value (DC)	24 V
• for signal "0"	5 V DC at 1 mA
• for signal "1"	15 V DC at 2.5 mA
<b>Input delay (for rated value of input voltage)</b>	
for standard inputs	
— parameterizable	0.2 ms, 0.4 ms, 0.8 ms, 1.6 ms, 3.2 ms, 6.4 ms and 12.8 ms, selectable in groups of four
— at "0" to "1", min.	0.2 ms
— at "0" to "1", max.	12.8 ms
for interrupt inputs	
— parameterizable	Yes
for technological functions	
— parameterizable	Single phase: 3 @ 100 kHz & 3 @ 30 kHz, differential: 3 @ 80 kHz & 3 @ 30 kHz
<b>Cable length</b>	
• shielded, max.	500 m; 50 m for technological functions
• unshielded, max.	300 m; for technological functions: No
<b>Digital outputs</b>	
Number of digital outputs	6
• of which high-speed outputs	4; 100 kHz Pulse Train Output
Limitation of inductive shutdown voltage to	L+ (-48 V)
<b>Switching capacity of the outputs</b>	
• with resistive load, max.	0.5 A
• on lamp load, max.	5 W
<b>Output voltage</b>	

• for signal "0", max.	0.1 V; with 10 kOhm load
• for signal "1", min.	20 V
Output current	
• for signal "1" rated value	0.5 A
• for signal "0" residual current, max.	0.1 mA
Output delay with resistive load	
• "0" to "1", max.	1 µs
• "1" to "0", max.	5 µs
Switching frequency	
• of the pulse outputs, with resistive load, max.	100 kHz
Relay outputs	
• Number of relay outputs	0
Cable length	
• shielded, max.	500 m
• unshielded, max.	150 m
Analog inputs	
Number of analog inputs	2
Input ranges	
• Voltage	Yes
Input ranges (rated values), voltages	
• 0 to +10 V	Yes
• Input resistance (0 to 10 V)	≥100k ohms
Cable length	
• shielded, max.	100 m; twisted and shielded
Analog outputs	
Number of analog outputs	0
Analog value generation for the inputs	
Integration and conversion time/resolution per channel	
• Resolution with overrange (bit including sign), max.	10 bit
• Integration time, parameterizable	Yes
• Conversion time (per channel)	625 µs
Encoder	
Connectable encoders	
• 2-wire sensor	Yes
1. Interface	
Interface type	PROFINET
Physics	Ethernet
Isolated	Yes
automatic detection of transmission rate	Yes

Autonegotiation	Yes
Autocrossing	Yes
<b>Interface types</b>	
• Number of ports	1
• integrated switch	No
<b>Protocols</b>	
• PROFINET IO Controller	Yes
• PROFINET IO Device	Yes
• SIMATIC communication	Yes
• Open IE communication	Yes
• Web server	Yes
• Media redundancy	No
<b>PROFINET IO Controller</b>	
• Transmission rate, max.	100 Mbit/s
<b>Services</b>	
— PG/OP communication	Yes
— S7 routing	Yes
— Isochronous mode	No
— Open IE communication	Yes
— IRT	No
— MRP	No
— MRPD	No
— PROFINergy	No
— Prioritized startup	Yes
— Number of IO devices with prioritized startup, max.	16
— Number of connectable IO Devices, max.	16
— Number of connectable IO Devices for RT, max.	16
— of which in line, max.	16
— Activation/deactivation of IO Devices	Yes
— Number of IO Devices that can be simultaneously activated/deactivated, max.	8
— Updating time	The minimum value of the update time also depends on the communication component set for PROFINET IO, on the number of IO devices and the quantity of configured user data.
<b>PROFINET IO Device</b>	
<b>Services</b>	
— PG/OP communication	Yes
— S7 routing	Yes
— Isochronous mode	No
— Open IE communication	Yes

- IRT
- MRP
- MRPD
- PROFINergy
- Shared device
- Number of IO Controllers with shared device, max.

No  
No  
No  
Yes  
Yes  
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## Protocols

Supports protocol for PROFINET IO	Yes
PROFIBUS	Yes; CM 1243-5 (master) or CM 1242-5 (slave) required
AS-Interface	Yes; CM 1243-2 required

### Protocols (Ethernet)

• TCP/IP	Yes
• DHCP	No
• SNMP	Yes
• DCP	Yes
• LLDP	Yes

### Open IE communication

• TCP/IP	Yes
— Data length, max.	8 kbyte
— several passive connections per port, supported	Yes
• ISO-on-TCP (RFC1006)	Yes
— Data length, max.	8 kbyte
• UDP	Yes
— Data length, max.	1 472 byte

### Web server

• supported	Yes
• User-defined websites	Yes

### Further protocols

• MODBUS	Yes
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## Communication functions

### S7 communication

• supported	Yes
• as server	Yes
• as client	Yes
• User data per job, max.	See online help (S7 communication, user data size)

### Number of connections

• overall	16; dynamically
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## Test commissioning functions

### Status/control

<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Status/control variable</li> <li>• Variables</li> </ul>	Yes Inputs/outputs, memory bits, DBs, distributed I/Os, timers, counters
<b>Forcing</b>	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Forcing</li> </ul>	Yes
<b>Diagnostic buffer</b>	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• present</li> </ul>	Yes
<b>Traces</b>	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Number of configurable Traces</li> <li>• Memory size per trace, max.</li> </ul>	2 512 kbyte
<b>Interrupts/diagnostics/status information</b>	
<b>Diagnostics indication LED</b>	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• RUN/STOP LED</li> <li>• ERROR LED</li> <li>• MAINT LED</li> </ul>	Yes Yes Yes
<b>Integrated Functions</b>	
Number of counters	4
Counting frequency (counter) max.	100 kHz
Frequency measurement	Yes
controlled positioning	Yes
Number of position-controlled positioning axes, max.	8
Number of positioning axes via pulse-direction interface	4; With integrated outputs
PID controller	Yes
Number of alarm inputs	4
Number of pulse outputs	4
Limit frequency (pulse)	100 kHz
<b>Potential separation</b>	
<b>Potential separation digital inputs</b>	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Potential separation digital inputs</li> <li>• between the channels, in groups of</li> </ul>	No 1
<b>Potential separation digital outputs</b>	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Potential separation digital outputs</li> <li>• between the channels</li> <li>• between the channels, in groups of</li> </ul>	Yes No 1
<b>EMC</b>	
<b>Interference immunity against conducted variable disturbance induced by high-frequency fields</b>	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Interference immunity against high-frequency radiation acc. to IEC 61000-4-6</li> </ul>	Yes
<b>Emission of radio interference acc. to EN 55 011</b>	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Limit class A, for use in industrial areas</li> </ul>	Yes; Group 1

- Limit class B, for use in residential areas

Yes; When appropriate measures are used to ensure compliance with the limits for Class B according to EN 55011

## Degree and class of protection

Degree of protection acc. to EN 60529

- IP20

Yes

## Standards, approvals, certificates

CE mark

Yes

UL approval

Yes

cULus

Yes

FM approval

Yes

RCM (formerly C-TICK)

Yes

KC approval

Yes

Marine approval

Yes

## Ambient conditions

Free fall

- Fall height, max.

0.3 m; five times, in product package

Ambient temperature during operation

- min.

-20 °C

- max.

60 °C; Number of simultaneously activated inputs or outputs 4 or 3 (no adjacent points) at 60 °C horizontal or 50 °C vertical, 8 or 6 at 55 °C horizontal or 45 °C vertical

- horizontal installation, min.

-20 °C

- horizontal installation, max.

60 °C

- vertical installation, min.

-20 °C

- vertical installation, max.

50 °C

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, max.

95 %; no condensation

Vibrations

- Vibration resistance during operation acc. to IEC 60068-2-6

2 g (m/s<sup>2</sup>) wall mounting, 1 g (m/s<sup>2</sup>) DIN rail

- Operation, tested according to IEC 60068-2-6

Yes

Shock testing

- tested according to IEC 60068-2-27

Yes; IEC 68, Part 2-27 half-sine: strength of the shock 15 g (peak value), duration 11 ms



Pollutant concentrations	
• SO2 at RH < 60% without condensation	SO2: < 0.5 ppm; H2S: < 0.1 ppm; RH < 60% condensation-free
Configuration	
Programming	
Programming language	
— LAD	Yes
— FBD	Yes
— SCL	Yes
Know-how protection	
• User program protection/password protection	Yes
• Copy protection	Yes
• Block protection	Yes
Access protection	
• Protection level: Write protection	Yes
• Protection level: Read/write protection	Yes
• Protection level: Complete protection	Yes
Cycle time monitoring	
• adjustable	Yes
Dimensions	
Width	90 mm
Height	100 mm
Depth	75 mm
Weights	
Weight, approx.	370 g
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