Squirrel SQ2040 Wi-Fi

High performance data loggers for demanding applications

Overview

The Squirrel 2040 Wi-Fi series combines a high channel count, high performance, universal inputs with the simplicity of Wi-Fi networking in a compact and portable instrument.

Using multiple 24-bit analogue to digital convertors, twin processors and removable memory options the SQ2040 Wi-Fi provides great flexibility to handle a wide range of complex and demanding multi-channel applications.

The Squirrel SQ2040 Wi-Fi is the ideal data logger for industrial, scientific research and quality assurance applications.

The SQ2040 Wi-Fi provides standalone data acquisition, advanced networked solutions and data analysis straight out-of-the box.









Key features

- >> Fully configurable via the integrated key pad
- 32 single ended universal analogue inputs for voltage, current or resistance measurements plus 2 high voltage, 4 pulse and 8 digital event/state inputs
- Analogue inputs can be used with thermistors, thermocouples, 2,3 or 4 wire(4F16only) RTD temperature sensors and 4-20mA signals
- >> Logging rates of up to 100Hz on up to 4 channels
- Standard (802.11b) wireless Ethernet (Wi-Fi), USB and RS232 communication ports
- Internal memory storage for up to 14 million readings
- Download of internal data to removable MMC / SD card

- Sensor power and FET outputs for use with external devices
- Calculated channels derived from real channels using advanced mathematical functions e.g. log(x); ln(x); sqrt(x)

Analogue inputs supported

- Thermistors
- Thermocouples
- Pt100 / Pt1000 (maximum of eight 3- or 4-wire 4F16 only)
- Voltage
- >> Current
- Resistance

The Squirrel 2040 series comprises two models:

- >> Squirrel 2040–2F16 Wi-Fi
 - Up to 100 readings per second on 2 channels
 - Two 24-bit analogue to digital converters

Squirrel 2040–4F16 Wi-Fi (high speed model)

- Up to 100 readings per second on 4 channels
- Four 24-bit analogue to digital converters
- 4 pulse rate / counter inputs (4 at up to 64kHz,
 2 at up to 100Hz)
- Eight 3- or 4-wire Pt100 / Pt1000



- High precision (0.05% of reading + 0.025% of range)
- Advanced data management, to MMC / SD or PC
- Flexible communications (Wi-Fi, USB, RS232)
- High speed option (100Hz on 4 channels)

Large, clear 128 * 64 dot graphical LCD display

To operate the logger simply use the four integral push buttons and display, or use the convenient SquirrelView set-up, download and export software – free with every Squirrel logger



Robust, ergonomically designed case with easy access to all user facilities

Store up to 14 million readings in the Squirrel's on board memory

Store up to 6 logger configurations. Load from a removable MMC / SD card for speed and convenience, or download data files to the card



Power supply – internal alkaline batteries or external DC power supply

USB, Wi-Fi and RS232 connectivity for quick and easy PC and remote communication and networking

Range of trigger functions via 8 digital inputs; 4 pulse rate / counter inputs

4 alarm outputs for triggering external devices

Power output for sensor excitation / external devices

16 to 32 universal analogue inputs for recording temperature, current, voltage and resistance

Easy to use, removable connector system

2 high voltage channels (20, 40 or 60V) for automotive applications

Communications



Wireless Ethernet (Wi-Fi), USB and RS232 serial ports are inbuilt. This allows simple connection to either a PC based TCP/IP network, a wireless to PC connection or to a GSM modem for remote data downloading. This flexibility enables global data access and retrieval as well as complete system integration of the SQ2040 Wi-Fi series into complex and critical applications

Multiple configurations stored in the logger:

Up to six logger configurations (channel type, names, logging speeds, triggers etc.) together with the current configuration can be held in the logger's internal memory. Additional configuration settings can also be loaded from the external MMC/SD memory card. This allows the operator to quickly and easily switch between logger configurations without the need for a PC.

Applications







Quality assurance

Software

Software configuration via SquirrelView:

The SquirrelView software (supplied with the SQ2040 series data logger) allows logger configuration, data download and export whilst giving the user full control over SQ2040. The optional SquirrelView Plus gives the user access to many advanced data analyses and archiving/transfer features. Refer to SquirrelView data sheet for specifications.

Concurrent sampling:

The SQ2040 series uses multiple analogue and digital converters that enables true concurrent sampling and logging. It allows the user to configure a channel to log at a rate of 100Hz whilst retaining different sample speeds on the other channels. Ideal for measuring dynamic parameters that change at different rates such as temperature and pressure.

Capabilities

- Create complex schedules of logging rates, triggers and alarm outputs
- Scale and view readings in real time on the integral display or on a PC running SquirrelView
- Select logging rates up to 100 readings per second on up to 4 channels (2 channels on Squirrel model 2040-2F16) or a combination of different logging

R&D

Engineering

Squirrel SQ2040 Wi-Fi Technical Specifications

	SQ2040-2F16 Wi-Fi		SQ2040-4F16 Wi-Fi			
Analogue Input Channel Options	Analogue to digital Differential: Single Ended*: 3 or 4 wire:	converters: 2 16 32 0		Analogue to digital con Differential: Single Ended*: 3 or 4 wire:	verters: 4 16 32 8	
Logging Speed	Up to 100 readings / sec on 2 channels only Up to 100 readings / sec on 4 channels only				on 4 channels only	
Additional Channels		Pulse: (2 x fast - 64kHz) & (2 x slow - 100Hz) Event/digital: 8 state inputs or 1 x 8 bit binary Single Ended*: 2 Pulse: (2 x fast - 64kHz) & (2 x slow - 100Hz) Event/digital: 8 state inputs or 1 x 8 bit binary Single Ended*: 2				
Analogue Inputs	Accuracy: Common mode reje Linearity: Input impedance: Series mode line rej	non mode rejection: 100dB // ity: 0.015%				
Analogue - Digital Conversion	Type: Resolution: Sampling rate:					
Thermistor Ranges	Y & U-type: - 50 to 150°C Pt100/ Pt1000: - 200 to + 850°C (2 wire only on 2F16, 3 or 4 wire on 4F16) Customer specific thermistor range					
Thermocouple Ranges; Differential and Single Ended	K-type: - 200 to 13 T-type: - 200 to 40 N-type: - 200 to 13	0°C S-type:	- 50 to - 50 to -200 to		250 to 1820°C 0 to 2320°C 0 to 2320°C	
Working Environment	- 30 to 65°C, RH up to 95% (non-condensing)					
Voltage Ranges; Differential and Single Ended	- 0.075V to 0.075V, - 0.15V to 0.15V, - 0.3V to 0.3V, - 0.6V to 0.6V, 0.6V to 1.2V, 0.6V to 2.4V, - 3V to 3V, - 6V to 6V, -6V to 12V, - 6V to 25V					
High Voltage Input Range	4V to 20V, 4V to 40V, 4V to 60V (max 2 may be selected)					
Current Ranges, Differential (Requires external 10Ω shunt)	-30 to 30mA, 4 to 20mA					
Resistance Ranges, all 2 wire	0 to 1250Ω, 0 to 5000Ω, 0 to 20000Ω, 0 to 300000Ω					
Resistance Range 3 and 4 wire (4F16)	0 to 500Ω, 0 to 4000Ω					
Digital/Alarm Outputs	4 open drain FET (18V 0.1A)					
Memory	Internal: up tp 128Mb (up to 14 million readings) External: Up to 1Gb - removable MMC/ SD (for transferring internal memory and storing setups only					
Internal Memory Modes	Stop when full or overwrite					
Calculated Channels	Up to 16 virtual channels derived from physical input channels					
Resolution	Up to 6 significant digits					
Display/Keypad	128*64 dot graphical display,4 button keypad					
Power Supply	Internal: External:					
Power Consumption@ 9V	Sleep mode: Logging:	600μA 40 - 80 mA				
Power Output for External Device	Regulated 5VDC at 50mA or logger supply voltage at 100mA					
Time and Date	In-built clock in 3 formats					
Communication	Standard: External options:	Wireless Ethernet (Wi-Fi): 802.11b, 2.4GHz, 1 to 14 channels. Security: Open, WEP(64 or 128 bit encryption), WPA or WPA2/ 802.11i. Network: Infrastructure only with specified SSID (external mains power required for Wi-Fi connection) RS232 (Auto bauding to 115200 baud) USB 1.1 & 2.0 compatible GSM and PSTN Modems				
Programming / Logger Setup	SquirrelView or Squ	irrelView Plus Softwa	е			
Dimensions (w x d x h), Weight	235 mm x 175 mm	x 95 mm, 1.2 kg, encl	osure ma	terial ABS		

Note: SQ2040 Wi-Fi is supplied with software, manual, USB cable, wall bracket, batteries, 4 current shunt resistors and MPU



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