

ASM-40

High-speed Short-range Modem

High-speed synchronous short-range modem with a wide range of serial and Ethernet interfaces



- High-speed short-range synchronous modem
- Full-duplex over unconditioned 4-wire lines or BNC coaxial cable
- HDB3, AMI, or B8ZS line coding for extending the operation range to 1.75 km (1 mile)
- 2048, 1544, 1536, or 1920 kbps line rate
- Wide range of serial and Ethernet DTE interfaces, with 13 user-selectable data rates

ASM-40 is a synchronous short-range modem that operates full-duplex over 4-wire lines or BNC coaxial cable. The modem extends data transmission range up to 1.75 km (1 mile).

The device employs HDB3, AMI, or B8ZS line coding in compliance with G.703 requirements.

ASM-40 supports a wide range of serial and Ethernet interfaces including: V.24, V.35, X.21, V.36, RS-530, G.703-HDB3, G.703 Codirectional, Ethernet bridge, and Ethernet/Fast Ethernet bridge with VLAN support.



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The modem supports different data rates that enable ASM-40 to be used as a rate converter:

- 2048 kbps – 32, 64, 128, 256, 512, 1024, 2048 kbps
- 1536 kbps – 192, 384, 768, 1536 kbps.

Transmit and receive timing can be provided internally, or derived externally from the data terminal or receive signal. Internal FIFO buffers attenuate jitter or correct for phase differences either from the incoming analog signal (line side) or from the external clock (DTE side).

ASM-40 has comprehensive diagnostics, including:

- Local analog, remote digital, and local digital loopbacks in compliance with ITU V.54 requirements
- Built-in pattern generator and tester in compliance with ITU V.52 requirements.

ASM-40 is also available as a plug-in card, ASM-40/R, for RAD's ASM-MN-214, 19-inch card cage.

Specifications

LINE INTERFACE

Line Type

Unloaded 4-wire twisted pair, 19 to 26 AWG
BNC coaxial cable, 75Ω

Line Code

User-selectable: HDB3, AMI, or B8ZS

Framing

Unframed

Transmit Level

According to G.703

Line Rate

2048, 1920, 1544, 1536 kbps

Impedance

100Ω for 1544 and 1536 kbps, balanced
120Ω for 2048 and 1920 kbps, balanced
75Ω for 2048 and 1920 kbps, unbalanced (BNC coax)

Return Loss

Better than 15 dB

Attenuation

Up to 40 dB

Range

1.75 km (1 mile) over 24 AWG wire

Connector

100Ω or 120Ω balanced:
DB-15 or 5-clip terminal block
75Ω unbalanced: BNC coax

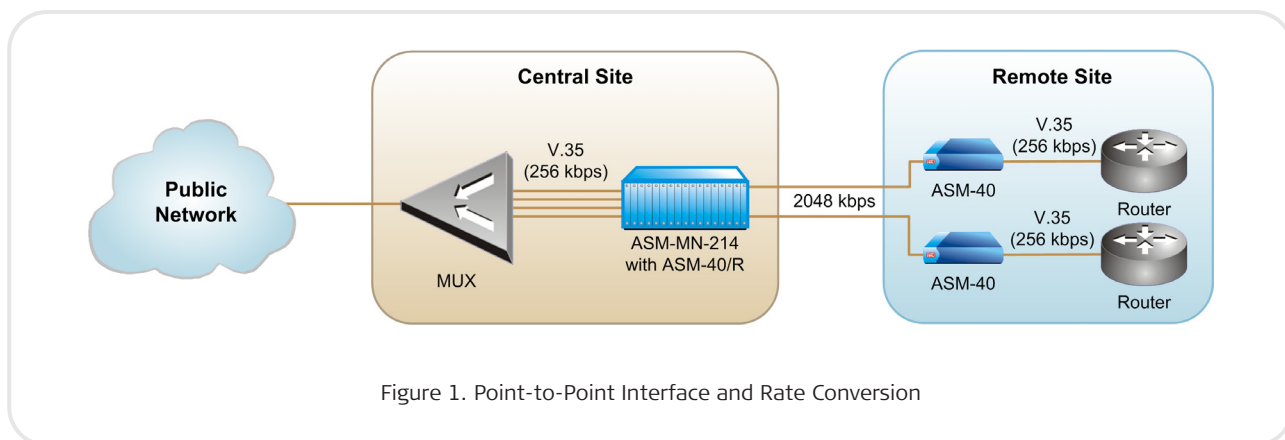


Figure 1. Point-to-Point Interface and Rate Conversion

DTE INTERFACE

Type and Connector

- V.24: 25-pin, D-type, female
- V.35: 34-pin, female
- X.21: 15-pin, D-type, female
- RS-530: 25-pin, D-type, female
- V.36: via adapter cable converting between RS-530 connector and 37-pin, D-type, female connector
- G.703-HDB3: 15-pin D-type, female or BNC coax
- G.703 Codirectional: 5-clip terminal block or RJ-45

Note: End-to-end byte synchronization is not maintained on the G.703 interface.

- IR-ETH (Ethernet bridge): RJ-45
- IR-ETH/QN (Ethernet/Fast Ethernet bridge with VLAN support): RJ-45

Data Rate

- 32, 64, 128, 192, 256, 384, 512, 768, 1024, 1536, 1544, 1920, 2048 kbps
- G.703-HDB3: 128, 256, 512, 1024, 2048 kbps
- G.703 Codirectional: 64 kbps

G.703/HDB3 Interface Characteristics

- Signal Attenuation: 6 dB
- Output Level: $\pm 3V$

GENERAL

Timing

- Internal, from internal oscillator
- External, from attached DTE
- Receive, from received signal

Diagnostics

- ITU V.54 compliant loopbacks:
 - Local analog
 - Local digital
 - Remote digital
- ITU V.52 compliant BER testing:
 - Built-in pattern generator and tester

Indicators

- PWR (green) – On when power is on
- RTS (yellow) – On when DTE activates Request To Send
- TD (yellow) – On when steady SPACE is transmitted
Blinks when data is transmitted
- RD (yellow) – On when steady SPACE is received
Blinks when data is received
Not active when the RLB is active
- DCD (yellow) – On when a valid received line signal is present
- TST (red) – On when ASM-40 is in any loopback mode, or when PATT is pressed
- ERR (yellow) – On or blinks if errors are present in the test pattern
Lights momentarily when PATT pushbutton is pressed

Pushbuttons

- ANA – Local analog loopback
- DIG – Local digital loopback
- REM – Remote digital loopback
- PATT – Pattern generator

Physical

- ASM-40:
 - Height: 44.3 cm (1.7 in)
 - Width: 21.4 cm (8.4 in)
 - Depth: 25.8 cm (10.1 in)
 - Weight: 0.88 kg (1.9 lb)
- ASM-40/R:
 - Fits one slot in the ASM-MN-214 card cage

Power

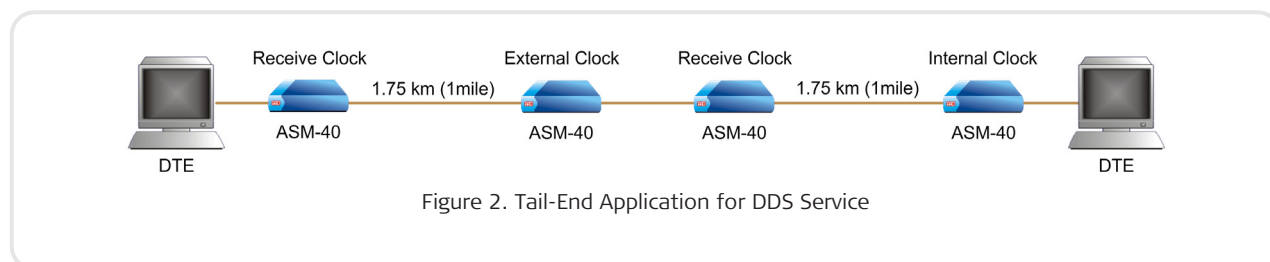
- Wide range: 100 to 240 VAC or –48 VDC (–40 to –72 VDC)

Power Consumption

- AC: 15.6 VA
- DC: 5.4W

Environment

- Temperature: 0°–50°C (32°–122°F)
- Humidity: Up to 90%, non-condensing



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Ordering

ASM40-1/~/+j

Standalone version

ASM40-1/R/+j

Card version for ASM-MN-214 card cage

Note: When using V.35, X.21, V.36, or one of the Ethernet interface modules in the ASM-MN-214 rack, a special interface adapter is required.

Legend

~ Power supply:

- AC** 100 to 240 VAC
- 48** -48 VDC

+ DTE interface:

- V24** V.24 interface
- V35** V.35 interface
- X21** X.21 interface
- 530** RS-530 interface
- 703TB** G.703 Codirectional interface, terminal block connector
- 703RJ** G.703 Codirectional interface, RJ-45 connector
- 703** G.703-HDB3 balanced interface
- 703UB** G.703-HDB3 unbalanced interface
- UTP** IR-ETH module, RJ-45 connector
- UTP/QN** IR-ETH/QN module

j Line connector:

- TB** balanced terminal block connector
- B** balanced DB-15 connector
- UB** unbalanced BNC coax connector

SUPPLIED ACCESSORIES

Power cord (for standalone units)

DC adapter plug (for DC-powered standalone units only)

OPTIONAL ACCESSORIES

CBL-530/449F

Adapter cable for converting one DB-25 connector into one DB-37 connector

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Connector interface adapters for the ASM-MN-214 modem rack

Legend

\$ Connector interface adapter type:

- V35/1** converts one DB-25 DTE connector into one 34-pin connector
- X21/1** converts one DB-25 DTE connector into one DB-15 connector
- ETHERNET** converts one DB-25 DTE connector into one RJ-45 connector
- TB-BNC/214** converts one terminal block line connector into two BNC coax connectors

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Special hardware for mounting one or two ASM-40 standalone units in a 19-inch rack

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