



RM676TX

PCI Edge Connect Gigabit Ethernet NIC

Features

- PCI-X, PCI 64/66 MHz
- RK-45 connectors
- DMA engine
- Dual/single 10/100/1000BaseTX Ethernet
- Full 1000 Mbit point-to-point performance
- Jumbo Frame capable
- RoHS versions available

Host Off-loading Features

- Hardware TCP checksum offloading
- Packet filtering based on checksum errors
- SNMP and RMON statistic counters
- Support for various address filtering modes:
 - 16 exact matches (unicast or multicast)
 - 4096-bit hash filter for multicast frames
 - Promiscuous unicast and promiscuous multicast transfer modes

The RM676TX is a Gigabit Ethernet Network Interface Card (NIC) that offers dual 10/100/1000BaseTX Ethernet connectivity. The card is capable of full-duplex operation on each of its channels. The Ethernet/PCI/PCI-X interface includes a powerful DMA engine for each port with very deep FIFO buffers (64 Kbyte). This assures continuous, full bandwidth operation with minimum PCI overhead.

The RM676TX does not require a PCI-to-PCI bridge onboard for the single or dual version, which contributes to higher performance.

Low Cost, Effective Interconnect

Two RM676TX boards can be directly cabled with a simple "cross-over". This configuration creates a full-duplex 1000 Mbit dedicated data path - delivering high bandwidth at very low cost. More complex, dedicated interconnects can be created using a hub or switch. Both point-to-point and switched hubs, in full-duplex mode, remove many determinism concerns raised with traditional Ethernet solutions. This makes the RM676 an excellent candidate for high performance interconnects that require real time determinism.

Software Support

The RM676TX is supported by native drivers for many common operating systems (Windows®, Linux®). GE Fanuc Intelligent Platforms has software drivers for additional operating systems (VxWorks®, LynxOS®, and Solaris). These drivers have been carefully designed and implemented to fit within the LAN protocol stack of the host operating system; thus all facilities available from the host OS can be utilized across the RM676TX.

Solaris OBP boot and PXE (Preboot eXecution Environment) boot options are available.



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Specifications

Components

- Dual port Ethernet: Intel® 82546
- Single port Ethernet: Intel® 82545

Power Specifications

- Power: 6 watts (total)
 - @ 3.3 V 0.9 amps
 - @ 5 V 0.6 amps

Ethernet Characteristics

- Ports: 2 x 1000 Mbit fiber
- Port routing: front RJ45

PCI Bus Characteristics

- Signaling: 3 & 5 V
- Specification: 2.2
- Speed: 33/66 MHz
- Width: 32/64

Form Factor

- Single slot PCI

Mean Time Between Failures (MTBF)

- MIL 217-F Nav Shel 25 Deg. C: 245000 Hours

Temperature

- Operating: 0 to +60 °C
- Storage: -40 to +85 °C

Humidity

- Operating: 5% to 95% non-condensing
- Storage: 5% to 95% non-condensing

Other Options

- Conformal coating: polyurethane or acrylic
- Solaris OBP boot option
- PXE (Preboot eXecution Environment) boot option

Operating System Support

- Windows®
- Linux®
- VxWorks®
- LynxOS®
- Solaris

Ordering Information

RM676TX	Dual port 10/100/1000BaseTX NIC
RM676TX/1	Single port 10/100/1000BaseTX NIC
RM676RCTX	Dual port 10/100/1000BaseTX NIC; RoHS
RM676RCTX-1	Single port 10/100/1000BaseTX NIC; RoHS
	-S may be applied to any part to indicate Solaris OBP boot option
	-CC may be applied to any part to indicate polyurethane conformal coating
	-CCA may be applied to any part to indicate acrylic conformal coating
	-PXE may be applied to any part to indicate PXE boot option

Media Kit Options

M-GBI-SEL-ARC	LynxOS (3.x) for PPC
M-GBI-SEL-ARP	LynxOS (3.x) for x86
M-GBI-SES-ARS	Solaris (versions 7, 8, 9) SPARC
M-GBI-SEV-ARC	VxWorks (versions 5.4, 5.5) PPC
M-GBI-SEV-ARP	VxWorks (versions 5.4, 5.5) x86
M-GBI-SEVB-ARC	VxWorks (version 5.3) PPC

Linux (2.4.x, 2.6.x), Windows (XP, NT, 2000) supported by drivers from Intel (included in most distributions, available from the Intel web site). LynxOS 4.x supported by driver included in the distribution.

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