

# Isolated USB 2 or 4 Port RS-422/485 Converters

Models BB-USOPTL4-2P & BB-USOPTL4-4P

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## FEATURES

- Connect multiple RS-422/485 devices to your USB port
- 2000 V optical isolation; 15 KV ESD surge protection
- RS-422/485 data rates up to 921.6 kbps
- USB: 12 Mbps, USB 2.0 (backward compatible)
- USB port-power or external source (power supply not included, sold separately)
- High retention USB ports hold connections securely
- Removable serial terminal blocks for easy wiring
- USB cable included

Connect RS-422 and RS-485 (2-wire and 4-wire) devices to a USB port and gain 2000 V RMS isolation from voltage spikes and ground loops.

Universal Serial Bus (USB) has become the connectivity workhorse of today's PCs, replacing the familiar serial ports. However, many commercial and industrial devices still use the RS-422/485 interface. To connect these devices to modern PCs and provide protection from electrical transients, you need a simple and reliable conversion solution.

Models BB-USOPTL4-2P and BB-USOPTL4-4P offer this solution and are great for any application that requires long range or multi-drop capabilities. Both models offer a high retention USB interface, removable terminal blocks on the serial side and have LED's to indicate data flow. Simply plug the converter into an available USB port on your computer or USB hub and install the drivers (available for download from website). The device will show up as additional COM ports in the Windows Device Manager, which are fully compatible with your Windows applications. A one meter USB cable is included.

Powering options included USB port-powering or an external power source (power supply not included, sold separately).

## ORDERING INFORMATION

MODEL NUMBER	DESCRIPTION	NUMBER OF PORTS
<b>BB-USOPTL4-2P</b>	Isolated USB to RS-422/485 Converter	2
<b>BB-USOPTL4-4P</b>	Isolated USB to RS-422/485 Converter	4

## ACCESSORIES – sold separately

BB-USBAMB-3F - USB Cable, 1 m (3 ft)  
BB-USBAMB-6F - USB Cable, 2 m (6 ft) *(one included)*  
BB-MDR-20-24 - Power Supply, 24 VDC, 1 A, DIN Rail Mount  
BB-TBKT1 - Replacement Terminal Block - 2-position, 5.08mm, 8A, 30  
BB-TBKT2 - Replacement Terminal Block - 5-position, 5.08mm, 8A, 30

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## SPECIFICATIONS

SERIAL TECHNOLOGY	
RS-422/485 Connectors	Removable Terminal Blocks
RS-422/485 Data Rate	921.6 kbps (maximum)
Isolation	2000 V (Port-to-Port) Optical
Surge Protection	15 KV ESD
USB TECHNOLOGY	
Connector	USB Type B Female, High Retention Withdrawal > 15 N
Standard	1.1 and 2.0 Compatible
Data Rate	12 Mbps
POWER	
Source	USB Port or External Source (not included, sold separately)
Input Voltage	5 VDC from USB Port or 10 - 30 VDC External Power Supply
Consumption	Higher Power Device (>100 mA) BB-USOPTL4-2P: 3 Watts, External Power Supply BB-USOPTL4-4P: 5 Watts, External Power Supply
SOFTWARE	
Drivers	Windows 2000, XP, Vista, 7 (32/64 bit), 10 (32/64 bit)
- available on website	

## DIP SWITCH LEGEND

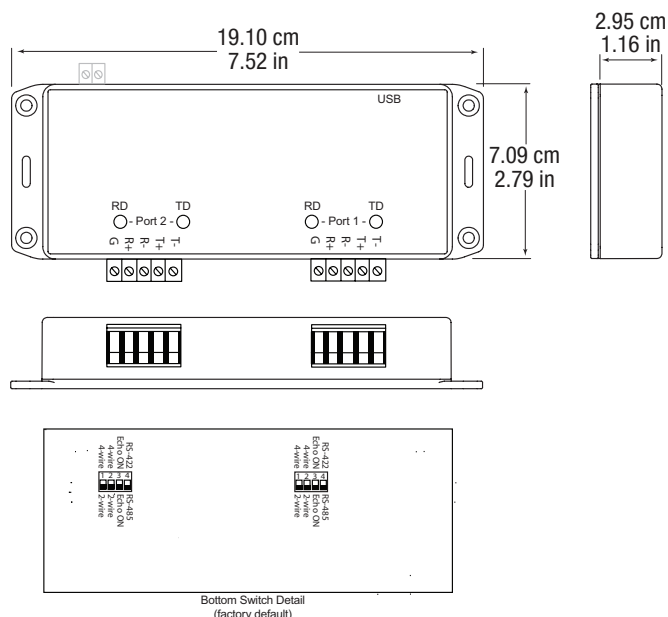
Position	OFF	ON
1	RS-422	RS-485
2	Echo ON	Echo OFF
3	4-Wire	2-Wire
4	4-Wire	2-Wire

Factory default = all switches off

## TERMINAL BOARD LAYOUT

TB Position	Signal Name
1	TDA(-)
2	TDB(+)
3	RDA(-)
4	RDB(+)
5	Ground

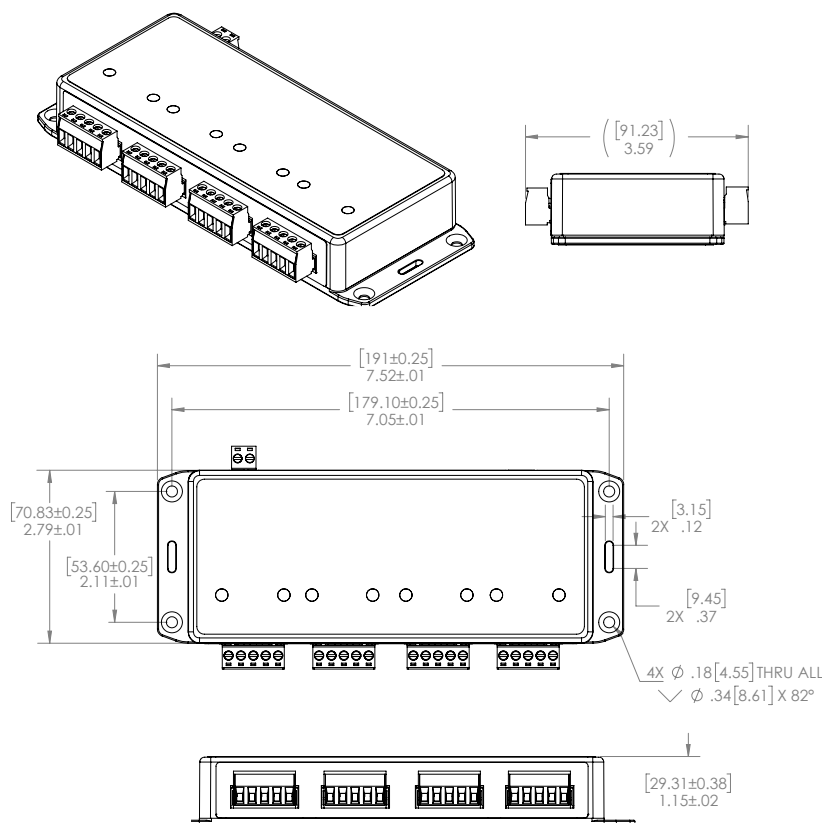
## MECHANICAL DIAGRAM – BB-USOPTL4-2P



## SPECIFICATIONS – continued

MECHANICAL	
Dimensions, with flanges	19.10L x 7.09W x 2.93H cm (7.52L x 2.79W x 1.15H in)
Weight	2 Port: 340.2 g (0.75 lb) 4 Port: 362.9 g (0.80 lb)
ENVIRONMENTAL	
Operating Temperature	0 to +70 °C (+32 to +158 °F)
Storage Temperature	-40 to +85 °C (-40 to +185 °F)
Operating Humidity	0 to 95% (Non-condensing)
MEANTIME BETWEEN FAILURES (MTBF)	
MTBF (BB-USOPTL4-2P)	125224 hours
MTBF (BB-USOPTL4-4P)	72749 hours
MTBF Method	MIL 217F Parts Count Reliability Prediction
REGULATORY	
Approvals	FCC, UL

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