

Superterm Accelerator[™]

Plug-In Processor / Memory / Ethernet
Expansion for the Continental Superterm
and Sensormatic Sensorpanel II[™]

Model C1CP18ACCBD

Installation and Service Manual

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DESCRIPTION

The Superterm Accelerator™ adds wide-band Ethernet connectivity, greater memory capacity and higher speed processing to new and existing Sensorpanel II and Superterm installations. Existing installations may be upgraded with minimal rework at the facility. All field wiring for the Card Readers, Electrical Locks, Alarm and Accessory Relay circuits remain intact.

The main benefits of the Superterm Accelerator are greater cardholder capacity to support the needs of a growing facility and much faster database downloads to complete these larger downloads in less time.

The larger capacity makes the Accelerator-equipped Superterm the preferred platform for emerging large badge formats such as FIPS201, PIV and TWIC.

MIS costs associated with the use of Ethernet cables are minimized because the existing EIA/RS-422 Repeater Network Wiring may continue to be used to link panels together. Thus, one Ethernet cable may serve as many as 63 Access Control Panels that are equipped with the Superterm Accelerator.

Other communication configurations exist, including direct Ethernet connection to each panel, high-speed EIA/RS-422 connections (460.8 KBaud), and even a high-speed EIA/RS-232 (921.6 KBaud) connection. See Communications Options, publication # WI1617.

The Accelerator Board may be installed in the following equipment:

- Superterm All Models
- Turbo Superterm All Models
- Sensorpanel II™ All Models

Note: Sensorpanel II is a registered Trademark of Sensormatic Electronics Corporation.

CA3000 - Software Release 2.51 or later is required.

BEFORE INSTALLATION

Before installing the Accelerator PC board, be sure the existing control panel is working properly. Once an individual panel has been tested and found operating satisfactorily, it can then be safely upgraded by the installation of the Accelerator board.

Only qualified service personnel familiar with all local building codes should attempt this installation. Take appropriate safeguards to avoid unintentional operation by employees and maintenance personnel working about the premises.

The main control panel is categorized as PERMANENTLY CONNECTED EQUIPMENT with fixed wiring. This system must be installed within the protected premise in accordance with the National Electrical Code (NFPA70), local codes, and the authorities having jurisdiction.

A Ground Bond Strap is bolted between the Enclosure and the Door to reduce the risk of electric shock. If the Ground Bond Strap is unbolted from the Door to allow the Door to be removed, it is critical that the Ground Bond Strap be correctly attached before putting the Access Control Unit into service.

The warnings listed below are designed for the safety of the install/service technician and for the continued proper function of the unit.




ABOUT THIS MANUAL



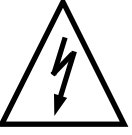
This manual describes the installation of the Superterm Accelerator board.

End-User Periodic Tests and Emergency Planning

The Host Computer Software supervises the Access Control System, reporting failures at an individual panel within seconds of the occurrence. Nevertheless, failures can occur at the Door Sense and Bypass contact monitoring hardware, the individual Card Reader electronics and wiring, or the Electric Door Lock Hardware that will not be detected until the equipment is used. For this reason, please instruct staff at the installation to perform a "walk through" test at every controlled entrance and verify operation of all the monitored contacts at least once per week, especially at sites that are less frequently used. Assist the Security Staff at the installation to devise acceptable alternates to allow entrance and monitoring of access at controlled sites impacted by equipment failures, especially in high-traffic areas.

Provide staff members at the facility with contact information that will help assure the swift correction of equipment outages.

NOTES:	Notes are included with a procedure informing the installer about related material.
CAUTION 	Cautions indicate that a particular process requires special attention.
WARNING 	Warnings indicate that a particular process exposes the installer to live circuits or that making wrong connections can lead to equipment failure.
CAUTION 	Do not place accessory circuit cables in the same conduit sections containing power cables.

CAUTION 	Prevent the risk of a fire by replacing ALL fuses with the same type and rating. The main fuse protects the power supply circuit against excessive currents and short circuits. Failure of the power supply (other than a blown fuse) usually indicates a fault in a power supply component. There are no user-serviceable parts in the panel cabinet. Replace the power supply if it fails.
WARNING 	The lower part of the power supply has exposed terminals and components (see page 10). DO NOT probe the power supply and expose yourself to high voltage and a shock hazard.
WARNING 	The risk of a serious electrical shock exists if the wiring harness power connector is removed from the Super Two circuit board, but AC power remains live at the AC Input Terminal Block (see Figure 7, page 15).

INSTALL THE ACCELERATOR BOARD



Keep the black protective antistatic foam in place until the Accelerator PCB is installed. The anti-static foam protects the 40-pin header on the bottom of the Accelerator PC board.



Prior to opening the Accelerator PCB package or touching anything inside the control panel enclosure, discharge any static electricity from your body or clothing. Use a grounded wrist strap or touch an unpainted, grounded metal object such as the metal frame of the panel enclosure.

1. Inside the panel housing, remove power from the main PCB by pushing the POWER plug connector (located on the lower right of the PCB) downward until the connector is completely separated from the PCB. Do not disconnect the battery wires. See Fig. 1, below.

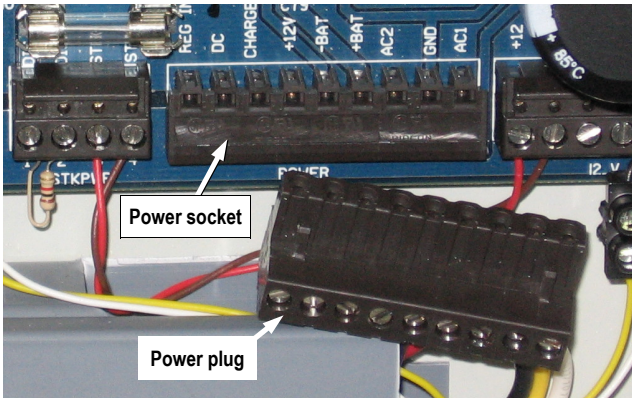


Fig. 1: Push POWER plug connector downward until removed.

2. Remove any Memory Expansion Boards located in U55 and/or U56 (circled in Fig. 2, below). **Note:** The EPROM (U39) and the on-board SRAM (U61) may be removed or left in place, as desired.

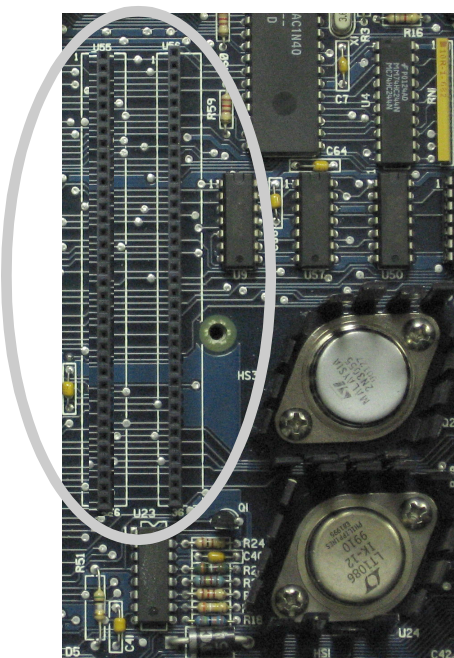


Fig. 2: Empty location "U56" (circled above).

3. **IMPORTANT:** To avoid damaging the Accelerator board pins, remember to remove U37, the 40-pin processor chip. Location U37 is the 40-pin receptacle into which the Accelerator PCB will be placed. See image in Fig. 3 for the location.

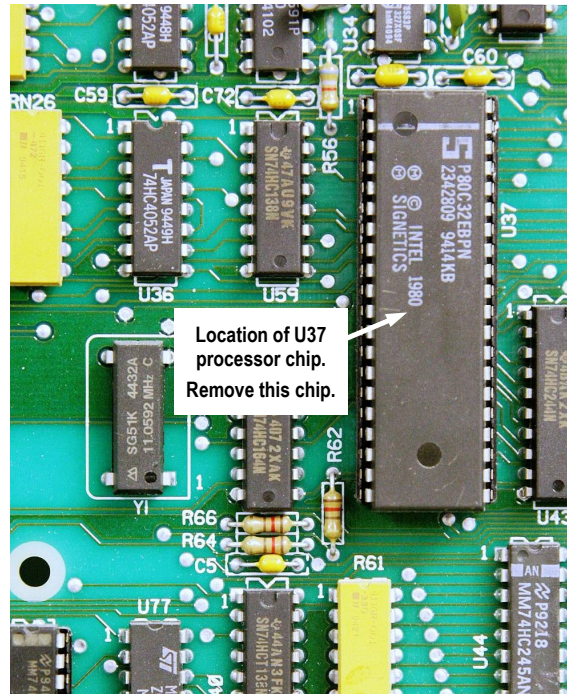


Fig. 3: Remove the processor chip located in "U37".

4. Carefully cut and remove the resistor labeled "R62". This resistor "R62" is located near the center of the motherboard, just left of "U37" as shown in Fig. 4, below.

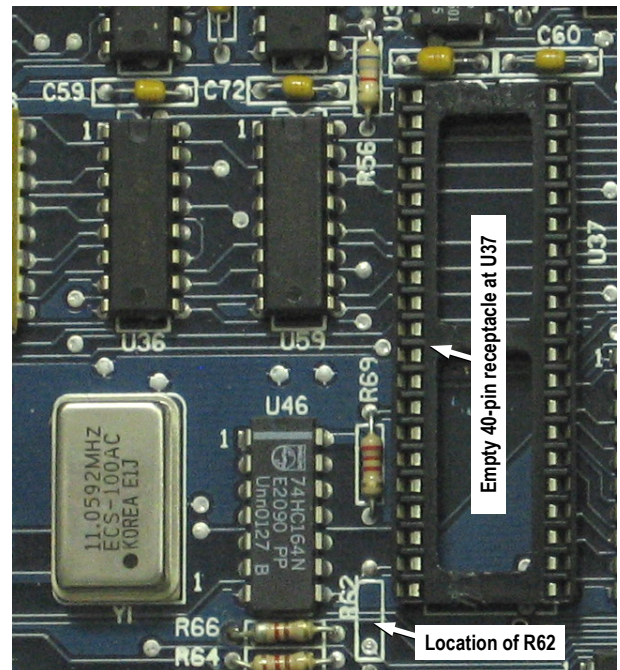


Fig. 4: Location of resistor "R62". This resistor MUST be removed.

- Remove any screws or fasteners from the 6-32 threads located near HS3 (heat sink #3). See Fig. 5 .

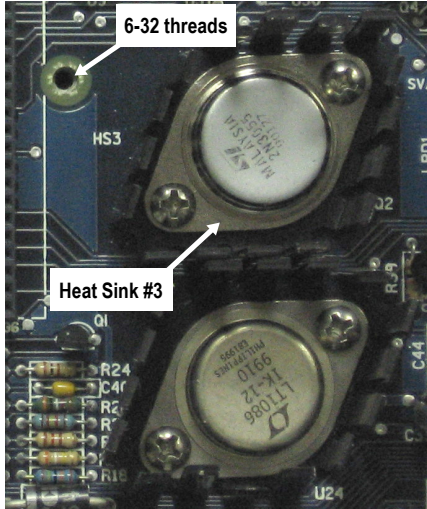


Fig. 5: Location of threads near HS3.

Into these 6-32 threads, install the 3/4" nylon male-to-male standoff with brass inserts (threads) provided. **Note:** "Finger tight" is sufficient. See Fig. 6.

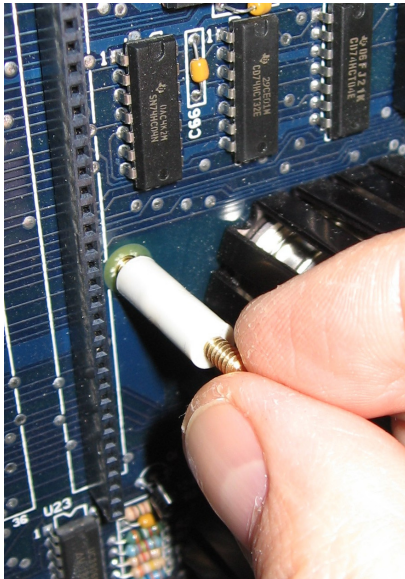


Fig. 6: Install the 3/4" male-to-male standoff.

- Find the two existing white nylon snap-lock standoffs on the upper-left of the PC board (see Fig. 7). Be sure they are straight (these standoffs may have bent over time).



Fig. 7: Photo of one of the two white nylon snap-lock standoffs located at the upper-left of the PC motherboard.

- Remove the protective black foam pad from the 40-pin header on the bottom of the Accelerator PC board. Be careful--pins are delicate and are easily bent.
- Align the board:** Hold the Accelerator PC board with its left side angled slightly closer to the motherboard (Fig. 8). Gently place the two left Accelerator PC board mounting holes over the two snap-lock standoffs (do not insert fully). Then place the lower-right Accelerator mounting hole over the brass insert of the male-to-male standoff (do not insert fully).

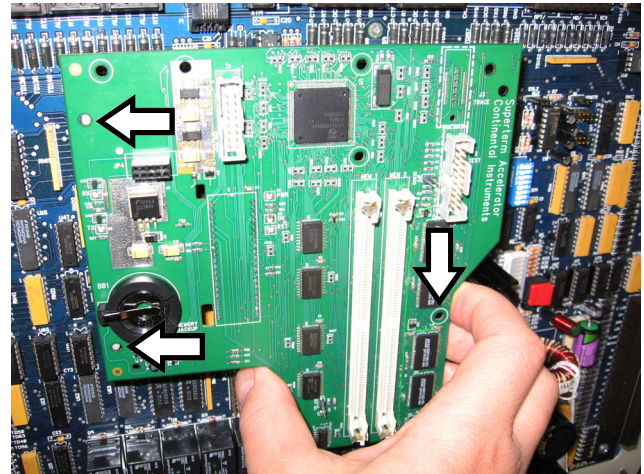


Fig. 8: Arrows indicate location of the two left Accelerator PC Board mounting holes. Place holes over the two snap-lock standoffs before placing over male-to-male standoff--do not insert yet.

Note: Two viewing holes (see Fig. 9 for locations) allow the use of a flashlight to check the pin alignment.

Insert the board: With all three mounting holes placed over all three standoffs, place fingers over the 40-pin header on the Accelerator PC board as shown in Fig. 9. Press evenly between the two 40-pin header rows with fingers of your right hand while simultaneously applying pressure over the two left mounting holes until the board snaps into place. Press more firmly over the 40-pin header to verify the header is fully seated in place.

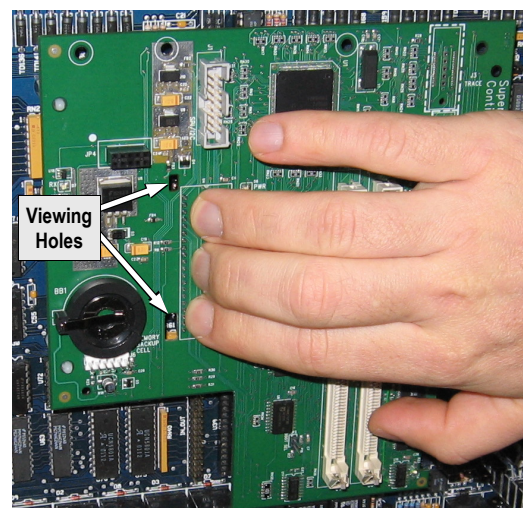


Fig. 9: Press evenly between the two 40-pin header rows with your right hand fingers while gently pressing over the two left mounting holes. The board snaps into place.

INSTALLATION

9. In the plastic parts bag, find the 3/8" white nylon 6-32 thumb nut. Carefully thread this nut into the brass threads of the male-to-male standoff (previously installed in step 5). **Note:** "Finger tight" is recommended. See Fig. 10.



Fig. 10: Thread the thumb nut into the brass threads of the male-to-male standoff "finger tight".

10. Re-connect power from the main Superterm PCB by pushing the POWER plug connector on the lower right of the PCB upward into the PCB. Verify that the OK lamp (LED) on the Accelerator board blinks on and off once per second. Also verify the heartbeat lamp on the motherboard (location T1) blinks in unison with the OK lamp on the Accelerator board.
10. Move the MEMORY BACKUP CELL jumper from the OUT position to the IN position (see Fig. 11). The jumper in the IN position provides memory data retention for about two weeks after AC Mains has failed and the Gel-cell backup power has been fully discharged.

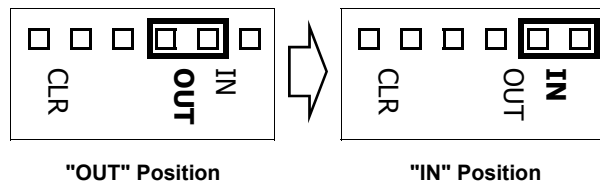


Fig. 11: Move the Memory Backup Cell jumper from the "OUT" position (shown above left) to the "IN" position (shown above right).

Note: Move the jumper to the OUT position if the board will be un-powered for more than a few hours.

Note: A drained Memory Backup Cell may be replaced with another Duracell DL2032 type battery cell.

Note: The lithium battery on the main PCB is still used to provide backup power to the Superterm Clock/Calendar chip.

TROUBLESHOOTING

If either the OK lamp (LED) on the Accelerator board or the heartbeat lamp on the motherboard (location T1) fails to blink in unison, perform the following:

1. Press and hold the red RESET button on the main board for 4 seconds, then release. Wait 10 seconds. If the two lamps are still not functioning correctly, proceed to the next step.
2. Remove power from the main motherboard PCB by pushing the POWER connector (located on the lower right of the PCB) downward until the connector is completely separated from the PCB. Wait 10 seconds and reconnect the POWER connector. If the lamps still do not function correctly, proceed to the next step.
3. Remove the Accelerator board as follows: Remove power from the main motherboard PCB, then move the MEMORY BACKUP CELL jumper from the IN position to the OUT position. Remove the male-to-male standoff thumb nut. Push in the tabs of the two white nylon snap-lock standoffs as shown in Fig. 12 and carefully remove the Accelerator board. Check for and straighten any bent pins and try re-installing the Accelerator board again.

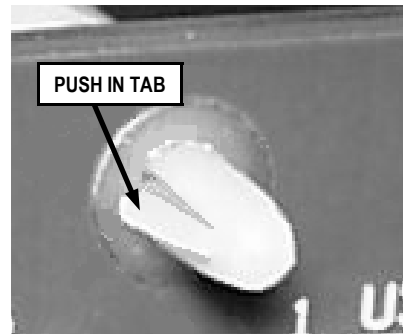


Fig. 12: Push in tab to detach "snap lock" type standoff.

Note: When the Accelerator board is not installed, replace the black protective antistatic foam to fully cover the 40-pin header of the Accelerator board.

4. If any CICP18MEM8MB memory modules are installed, remove power and remove the memory modules. Reconnect the POWER connector to verify normal operation of the OK and heartbeat lamps.

SUPERTERM ACCELERATOR COMPONENTS

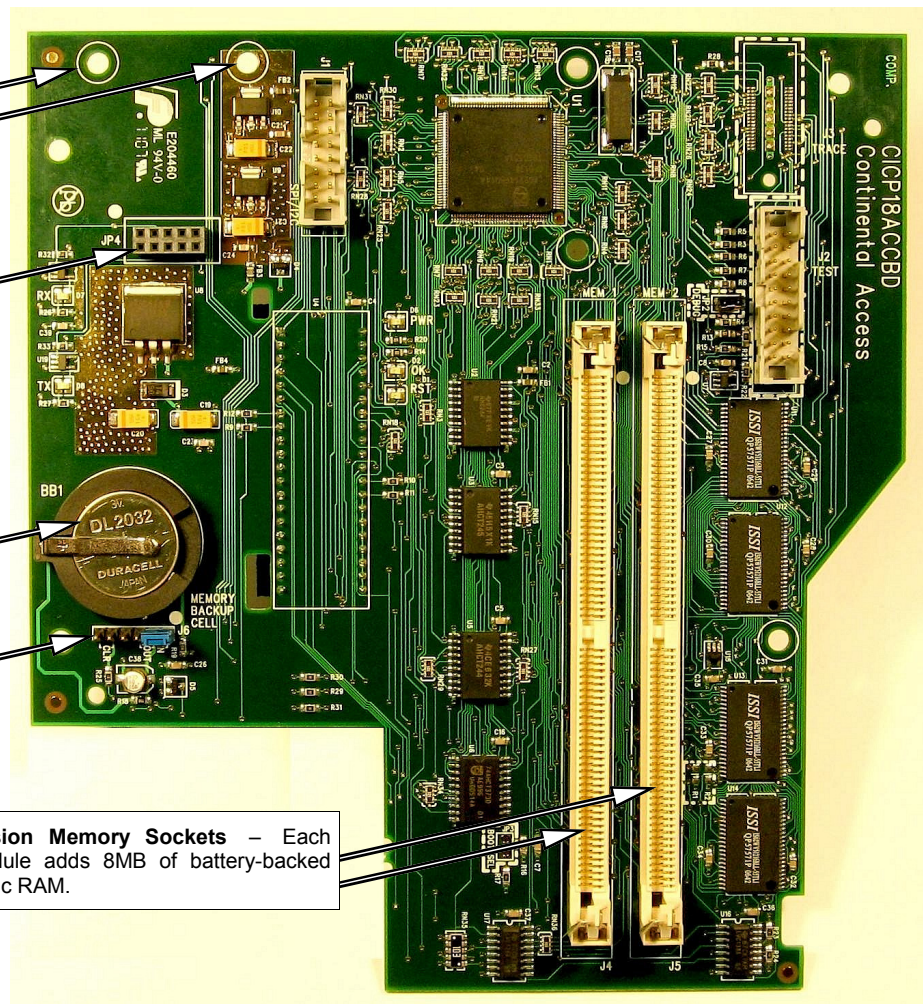
Mounting Holes – For the optional Ethernet Interface or the EIA/RS-232 Interface.

Connector – For the optional Ethernet Interface or the EIA/RS-232 Interface.

Lithium Coin Cell and Holder – Replace drained cell with a Duracell DL2032.

Jumper Block – Place in OUT position when board is not in service. Place to IN position to maintain Database Memory during long-term power failures.

Expansion Memory Sockets – Each Module adds 8MB of battery-backed static RAM.



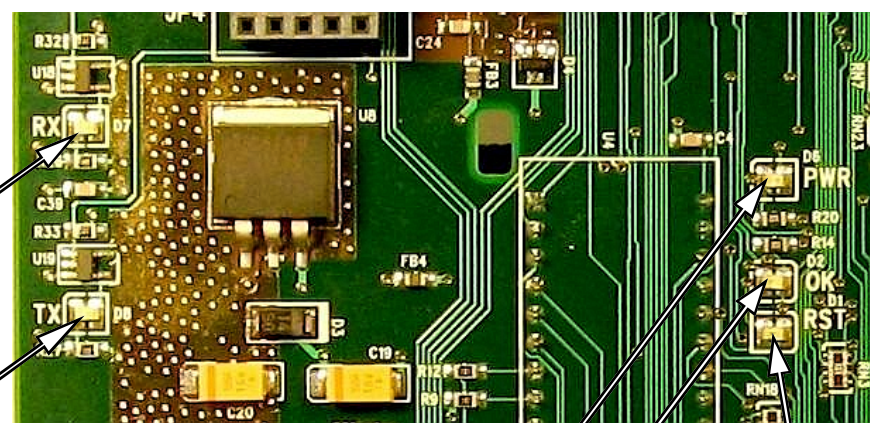
Rx – Receiving Data on Plug-in Ethernet Port or High Speed EIA/RS-232 Channel.

Tx – Transmitting Data on High Speed Port.

PWR – Receiving 5 Volt power from

OK – Flashes in unison with the "Heartbeat" Lamp on the Panel during normal operation.

RST – Blinks on during Panel Reset. A steady blink indicates *Watchdog Timer* activity.



ACCESSORIES & SPECIFICATIONS

ACCESSORIES

Description	Model Number	Comments
Ethernet Module	CICP18ACCNETBD	Adds 10/100Base-T Ethernet to Accelerator
EIA/RS-232 Module	CICP18ACCEIABD	Adds high-speed EIA/RS-232 to Accelerator
8 MB Memory Module	CICP18MEM8MB	

Note: Only one Ethernet or EIA/RS-232 Plug-in Board may be added to an Acceleration Board. Two 8 MB Memory Modules may be added, to bring the total capacity to 20 MB.

The Superterm Plug-in Accelerator provides Processor/Memory/Network Enhancement for the following equipment:

Superterm	CICP1400UL CICP1400ULExp CICP1800 CICP1800Exp
Turbo Superterm	CICP1400TUL CICP1400TULExp CICP1800T CICP1800TExp
Sensorpanel II¹	

¹CA3000 Version 2.51 or later is required.

Note: The Accelerator will not operate with Sensormatic® AC500 Software.

SPECIFICATIONS

- 32-Bit ARM7TDMI Processor running at 58.94 MHz
- Program Code Memory held in 256KB FLASH Memory internal to the 32-bit processor
- Base Memory 32-Bit wide 4MB on board for Database; Approximately 120,000 Cardholder capacity
- Each plug-in 8MB Memory Expansion Module increases cardholder capacity by about 250,000 cards. With two modules, approximately 600,000 cardholder capacity is available.

Note: The number of Badge Digits, Activity Links, Access Groups, and Transaction Buffer size required will influence the total Cardholder Capacity.

Maximum Recommended Cable Length :

EIA/RS-232	
Baud Rate	Practical EIA/RS-232 Distance Limits
921.6KBaud	10 Feet
460.8KBaud	20 Feet
230.4KBaud	40 Feet
115.2KBaud	80 Feet

EIA/RS-422	
Baud Rate	Practical EIA/RS-422 Distance Limits (Between Panels)
460.8KBaud	1000 Feet
230.4KBaud	2000 Feet
115.2KBaud	4000 Feet

Ethernet	
Speed	Limits defined by IEEE802.3 for CAT5/6 Copper Cable (to Switch or Router)
10/100Base-T	100 Meters (305 Feet)

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There are no other warranties which extend beyond this provision. This warranty is in lieu of all other warranties whether express, implied or statutory, including implied warranties of merchantability or fitness for any particular purpose. No representation or warranty of the distributor shall extend the liability or responsibility of the manufacturer beyond the terms of this provision. In no event shall Continental be liable for any costs, loss of profits, loss of use, incidental, consequential or special damages to any person resulting from the use of Continental's products.

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