PMC243

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PMC-24x Family
High Capacity Disk Storage Solutions

Features

- Boot and run any OS in a single slot
- PCI 32-bit at 33/66 MHz
- 2.5" SSD media to 16 GByte
- Rotating media from 40 GByte to 80 GByte
- CompactFlash from 512 MByte to 16 GByte
- Alternative to costly SCSI legacy
- Fast read/write performance
- Compact and extremely rugged
- Drivers for most popular RTOS and UNIX environments
- Access to rapidly evolving capabilities in both capacity and transfer performance
- Integration with environmental requirements that are more stringent than general purpose processor environments
- Supports 32-bit wide PCI and speeds up to 66 MHz on the ATA (to disk) bus
- All modules are complaint to the common mezzanine card (CMC) specification for PCI Mezzanine Cards
- All initialization and functional configuration of the modules is done automatically by software

The PMC24X family provides a single PCI Mezzanine Card (PMC) slot storage solution utilizing industry standard rotating and solid-state disks. Designed to be plugged onto a host processor [or Single Board Computer (SBC) card], these products provide an extremely compact, flexible and economical high performance storage solution that will mount on any PMC location, either directly on a processor card or on a PMC carrier board.

PMC-24x Family

The PMC24x family of embedded disk modules offers a high performance, low cost option for file system and boot storage. Combining high performance controllers developed for high-end workstations with disk technology used in laptops, the PMC243 delivers very high data rates in a compact form factor implemented with components designed for physically demanding environments. Other members of the PMC24x family (such as PMC244) utilize Compact Flash storage devices providing media portability. With the PMC24x "single slot," computing solutions, you do not need to compromise in either capacity or performance.

Software

GE intelligent Platforms provides full software support for all the popular software environments including VxWorks®, LynxOS®, Windows® NT, Linux®, and Solaris®. Drivers for popular operating systems are available from either GE Intelligent Platforms or via the software distribution from the operating system vendor.

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Specifications
(for product without media installed)

Form Factor
PMC243/4/5
- PMC

PCI Bus Characteristics
PMC243/4/5
- Specification: 2.2
- Signalling: 5 & 3.3 V
- Speed: 33/66 MHz
- Width: 32 bits

Power
PMC243
- 2 watts
- @ 3 V: 0.6 A

PMC244
- 1 watt total
- @ 3.3 V: 0.05 A
- @ 5 V: 0.15 A

PMC245
- 1 watt total
- @ 3.3 V: 0.1 A
- @ 5 V: 0.2 A

MTBF
PMC243/4
- MIL 217-F NAV Shel 25°C: 380,000 hours

PMC245
- MIL 217-F NAV Shel 25°C: 376,000 hours

Temperature
PMC243
- Operating: 5° to +55° C (rotating disk)
              0° to +60° C (solid state)
              -40° to +85° C ((rotating disk IND)
- Storage: -40° to +85° C

PMC244
- Operating: 0° to +70° C (Industrial CF)
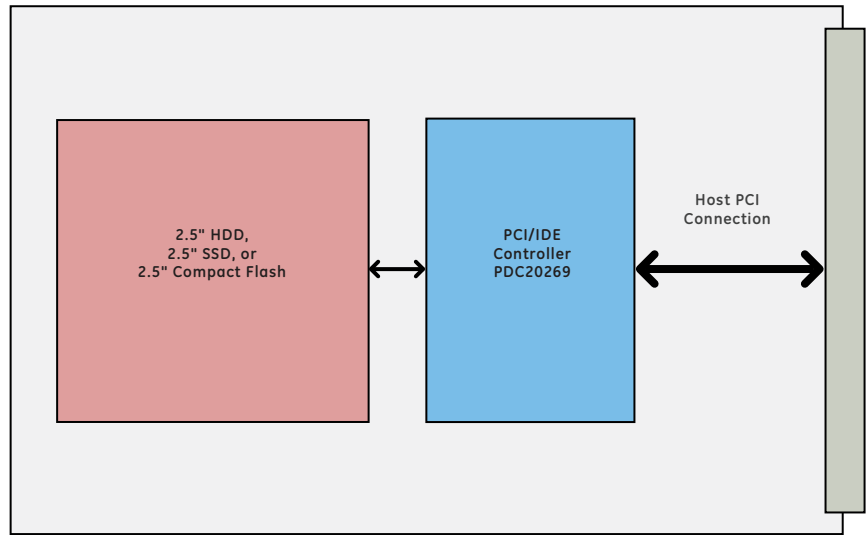- Storage: -45° to +90° C

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- Operating: 0° to +70° C (Industrial CF)
- Storage: -45° to +90° C

Humidity
PMC243/4/5
- Operating: 5% to 95% non-condensing
- Storage: 5% to 95% non-condensing

Block Diagram

Ordering Information

Model Number	Drive Types Supported	# Drives Supported	Drive Integration	Ordering Options
PMC243	2.5" Rotating media 2.5" Extended Duty	1 1	Integrated into	Rotating 40 to 80 GByte 60 GByte
PMC244	CompactFlash (Max size 8 GByte)	3	Integrated into PMC assembly with EIDE interface to external disk	PMC244FP Front panel w/latch PMC244FPL PMC244M Conduction cooled PMC244RG Recessed CF
PMC245	Dual CompactFlash (Max size 16 GByte)	4	Integrated into PMC assembly with EIDE interface to external disk	PMC245/44/CF Dual CF PMC245/44 Pin IDE No CF PMC245/44 CF Dual CF PMC245/ 40-pin IDE No CF

Add -S at the end of the part number for Solaris Boot option.

NOTE:
PMC245 may not support operating system boot for all customer configurations and operating systems. Please check contact Sales to confirm operating system boot support for your specific application.

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