# Built**SAFE™** ARINC-8429

ARINC 429 PMC Mezzanine





- Up to 32x ARINC 429 interface channels
- Safety-Certifiable driver (DO-178B) DAL-A (consult factory)
- Rugged conduction-cooled and Commercial Air-Cooled packages



Mercury's BuiltSAFE™ products bring the highest level of flight safety assurance to aerospace and defense applications. Our proven, reusable Design Assurance Level (DAL) certified artifacts for mission computing, avionics, networking and datalink comms processing save time and cost while decreasing risk.

The BuiltSAFE ARINC-8429 is an ARINC 429 mezzanine that is available as either a commercial air-cooled or rugged conduction-cooled solution. It is specifically designed for ARINC 429 connection requirements in mission systems.

The ARINC-8429 can be mounted on most air or conduction-cooled processor or carrier boards. It offers up to thirty-two channels, which can be independently programmed to operate at either high or low speed. Each channel is supported with a Cyclic-Data-Buffer, 1 k deep/32 bits wide. Additionally, each receive channel is supported by a high-resolution time-stamp, which is stored in a separate cyclic buffer, one for each channel, in parallel with the received data. Optionally, the receive data and time-stamp data can be stored in the form of a Current Value Table (CVT), addressed by channel/sdi/label.

ARINC input/output is via either the front-panel SCSI 68-pin female connector or PMC-P4.

### **BuiltSAFE** for Avionics

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## **Technical Specifications**

#### **Compliance**

General purpose air-cooled PMC (D) (E) (F) (G)

Rugged conduction-cooled PMC (X)

ARINC 429 Specification (part 1 - 16)

- (D) Applies to "D" model (E) Applies to "E" model
- (F) Applies to "F" model
- (G) Applies to "G" model
- (X) Applies to "X" model

#### **Power Consumption**

Minimum	typical	maximum	units
-	11	18	Watts

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#### Interface

Up to 32x ARINC 429 interface channels

ARINC 429 input/output either to front-panel SCSI connector or PMC-P4

Each channel is supported by a 1 k deep/32 bits wide Cyclic-Data-Buffer

Direct access to Cyclic-Data-Buffer read/write pointers

Direct access to board registers and data memory

PCI interrupts on board events

Receiver Current Value Table

Error detection

Time-stamping logic with 1 µs precision

Bit rate selectable by software on a per channel basis

#### **Buses**

One 32-bit PCI 2.1 bus at 33 MHz on PMC-P1/P2

#### **Connectors**

One SCSI 68-pin female connector on front-panel  $^{(D)}$   $^{(E)}$   $^{(F)}$   $^{(G)}$  The required alr-flow is defined separately for each product (D) Applies to "D" model

(E) Applies to "E" model

(F) Applies to "F" model

(G) Applies to "G" model

# **Ruggedization Levels**

#### **Environmental Specifications**

Condition	Limits, standards	Comments
Non-operating temperature	-55°C to 105°C [C4]	
Humidity	95%	
Altitude	-1,500 to 60,000 feet	May require conformal coating
Fungus resistance	No nutrient materials	
Workmanship	IPC-A-160 class 3	
Soldering	IPC J-STD-001 class 3	
PCB Manufacturing	IPC-A-600 class 3	
Conformal coating	IPC-CC-830	Optional
Materials	REACH compliant	ROHS variants as an option
Flammability	UL 94 Class V-0	
Quality	EN 9100:2008	

## **Product Ordering**

ARINC-8429XA Conduction-Cooled ARINC 429 PMC (16 Rx/6 Tx)

DXW-31290C VxWorks®653 Driver for ARINC-8429 DXW-31290D VxWorks Driver for ARINC-8429

CERT-8429S ARINC-8429 DO-178B certification kit (consult factory)

Level	Description	Cooling Type	Operating Temperature	Vibration (1 hour per axis)	Operating Shocks
A1	Commercial AC	Forced air*	0°C to 55°C [AC1]	5-100 Hz: increase at 3 dB/octave, 100-1000 Hz: 0.04 g2/Hz, 1000-2000Hz: decrease at 6 dB/octave [V2]	20g, 11ms saw-tooth, three axes [OS1]
C3	Rugged CC	Conduction	-40°C to 70°C [CC3]	5-100 Hz: increase at 3 dB/octave, 100-1000 Hz: 0.1 g <sup>2</sup> /Hz, 1000-2000Hz: decrease at 6 dB/octave	40g, 11ms saw-tooth, three axes

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