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## User Manual

# cPCI3U32B1LPCleX4

## cPCI Adapter for PCle

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**cPCI3U32B1LPCleX4**  
cPCI and PCIe Compatible Carrier

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## Product Description

cPCI3U32B1LPCleX4 is part of the Dynamic Engineering cPCI and PCIe Compatible family of modular I/O components. cPCI3U32B1LPCleX4 adapts a PCIe device to one cPCI slot.

The conversion PCI ⇔ PCIe happens in the transparent bridge. The PCI side of the bridge is 5V tolerant allowing use in all cPCI positions. The PCI interface is 32 bits wide and can operate up to 66 MHz. The PCIe side is single lane. The bridge is PCI rev 3.0 compliant. PCIe is gen 1 compliant.

### **Special features:**

- High accuracy crystal based 100 MHz reference to Bridge and PCIe with shunt option for Spread Spectrum or fixed operation.
- Voltage monitors with LED for bridge power supply [1.0 V]
- LC filters on the 3.3V and 5V power rails.
- PCIe X4 connector access through cPCI bracket
- EEPROM with write protection and programming header
- Header with 4 GPIO bits accessed from bridge

cPCI3U32B1LPCleX4 is ready to use with the default settings. Just install the PCIe module onto cPCI3U32B1LPCleX4. (Make sure system is turned off when doing so.)

## Headers, Test Points, Connectors

**J9** is an optional header for EEPROM write protection. When installed the EEPROM is protected.

**J11** is used to select SSC or NSSC operation. Installed is SSC and out is NSSC.  
[Spread Spectrum or not SS]

**TP4** is an optional header for GPIO connection. Each of the GPIO has a 4.7K pull-up to 3.3V. GPIO 3..0 TP4.4..1 is the correspondence.

**P1** Alternate Power Connector. 2 x 3 13A per pin. Mates with PC standard power cable. 1-3 = 12V, 4-6 = GND. Diode coupled to cPCI 12V.

# Applications Guide

## Interfacing

Some general interfacing guidelines are presented below. Do not hesitate to contact the factory if you need more assistance.

### Installation

The PCIe device is mounted to cPCI3U32B1LPCleX4 after installation of the cPCI module within the chassis.

### Start-up

Make sure that the "system" can see your hardware before trying to access it. Many BIOS will display the PCIe devices found at boot up on a "splash screen" with the VendorID and CardId for the module installed and an interrupt level. If the information is not available from the BIOS then a third party PCI device cataloging tool will be helpful

**Watch the system grounds.** All electrically connected equipment should have a fail-safe common ground that is large enough to handle all current loads without affecting noise immunity. Power supplies and power consuming loads should all have their own ground wires back to a common point.

**Power all system power supplies from one switch.** Connecting external voltage to the cPCI3U32B1LPCleX4 when it is not powered can damage it, as well as the rest of the host system. This problem may be avoided by turning all power supplies on and off at the same time. This applies more to the module installed onto cPCI3U32B1LPCleX4 than the cPCI3U32B1LPCleX4 itself, and it is smart system design when it can be achieved.



## Construction and Reliability

cPCI3U32B1LPCleX4 is constructed out of 0.062 inch thick high temp RoHS compliant FR4 material. The components on the cPCI3U32B1LPCleX4 are tied into the internal power planes to spread the dissipated heat out over a larger area. This is an effective cooling technique in the situation where a large portion of the board has little or no power dissipation.

Surface mounted components are used. The connectors are through hole for the PCIe bus and [press fit] through hole for the cPCI.

The PCIe device can be directly installed into the top connector or mounted using a separate method. Look for the Dynamic Engineering mini extender. The extender will mount to the holes adjacent to the PCIe connector and provide enough height above the cPCI bezel to not interfere with the cPCI handle.

A second method is to use a third party PCIe bus extender. Several are available. We used one which has a mini-PCIe card to convert to a USB connector. The PCIe signals are routed over the USB connector and broken out on a second PCIe connector mounted to a mini backplane. This method requires a second power cable to the secondary connector as the USB does not have power handling capabilities.

## Thermal Considerations

The power dissipation of the components on cPCI3U32B1LPCleX4 is small and the surface area relatively large. Minimal cooling will be required for the industrial temperature components.



## Warranty and Repair

Please refer to the warranty page on our website for the current warranty offered and options.

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## Service Policy

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## Specifications

Logic Interfaces:	PCI 32 bit universal voltage. PCIe single lane
Access types:	PCI standard transactions including DMA. PCIe TLP transactions. MSI interrupts.
CLK rates supported:	PCI – 33/66 PCIe Gen 1
Software Interface:	Passive, no SW required for adapter
Initialization:	Select NSSC or SSC operation
Interface:	PCIe connector at cPCI bezel x4 connector with 1 lane active
Dimensions:	3U 4HP
Construction:	High Temp FR4 Multi-Layer Printed Circuit, Through Hole and Surface Mount Components.

## Order Information

standard temperature range -40↔85°C

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3U 4 HP cPCI card with PCIe 4 lane connector

-ROHS

[ROHS compliant parts and process]

-CC

Add conformal coating

-GPIO

Install GPIO header

-NEEP

Do not install EEPROM.

PCI2cPCI-32-IO

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adapter to mount cPCI 32 bit device into PCI slot. J2 IO brought out to header.

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