



SIMATIC S7-1200, Communication Board CB 1241, RS485, terminal block, supports Freeport

General information	
Product type designation	CB 1241 RS 485
Input current	
from backplane bus 5 V DC, typ.	50 mA
Power loss	
Power loss, typ.	1.5 W
Interfaces	
Point-to-point connection	
• Cable length, max.	1 000 m
Integrated protocol driver	
— Freeport	Yes
— ASCII	Yes; Available as library function
— Modbus RTU master	Yes
— Modbus RTU device	Yes
— USS	Yes; Available as library function
Protocols	
Integrated protocols	
Freeport	
— Telegram length, max.	1 kbyte
— Bits per character	7 or 8
— Number of stop bits	1 (Standard), 2
— Parity	No parity (standard); even, uneven, mark (parity bit always 1); space (parity bit always 0)
3964 (R)	
— Telegram length, max.	1 kbyte
— Bits per character	7 or 8
— Number of stop bits	1 (Standard), 2
— Parity	No parity (standard); even, uneven, mark (parity bit always 1); space (parity bit always 0)
Modbus RTU master	
— Address area	1 through 49 999 (Standard Modbus addressing)
— max. number of devices	247; slave numbers 1 through 247, per MODBUS network segment maximum 32 devices, additional repeaters needed to expand the network to maximum configuration
protocols / Modbus RTU device / header	
— Address area	1 through 49 999 (Standard Modbus addressing)
Interrupts/diagnostics/status information	
Diagnostics function	Yes
Degree and class of protection	
IP degree of protection	IP20
Standards, approvals, certificates	

CE mark	Yes		
CSA approval	Yes		
UL approval	Yes		
cULus	Yes		
FM approval	Yes		
RCM (formerly C-TICK)	Yes		
KC approval	Yes		
Marine approval	Yes		
Ambient conditions			
Free fall			
• Fall height, max.	0.3 m; five times, in product package		
Ambient temperature during operation			
• min.	-20 °C		
• max.	60 °C		
• horizontal installation, min.	-20 °C		
• horizontal installation, max.	60 °C		
• vertical installation, min.	-20 °C		
• vertical installation, max.	50 °C		
• permissible temperature change	5°C to 55°C, 3°C / minute		
Ambient temperature during storage/transportation			
• min.	-40 °C		
• max.	70 °C		
Air pressure acc. to IEC 60068-2-13			
• Operation, min.	795 hPa		
• Operation, max.	1 080 hPa		
• Storage/transport, min.	660 hPa		
• Storage/transport, max.	1 080 hPa		
Relative humidity			
• Operation at 25 °C without condensation, max.	95 %		
Mechanics/material			
Enclosure material (front)			
• Plastic	Yes		
Dimensions			
Width	38 mm		
Height	62 mm		
Depth	21 mm		
Weights			
Weight, approx.	40 g		
Classifications			
		Version	Classification
	eClass	14	27-24-22-08
	eClass	12	27-24-22-08
	eClass	9.1	27-24-22-08
	eClass	9	27-24-22-08
	eClass	8	27-24-22-08
	eClass	7.1	27-24-22-08
	eClass	6	27-24-22-08
	ETIM	10	EC001423
	ETIM	9	EC001423
	ETIM	8	EC001423
	ETIM	7	EC001423
	IDEA	4	3564
	UNSPSC	15	32-15-17-05
Approvals / Certificates			
General Product Approval			



[Miscellaneous](#)

[Manufacturer Declaration](#)



General Product Approval

EMV

For use in hazardous locations



[EM](#)



For use in hazardous locations

Maritime application



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Maritime application



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