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- ZigBee Modules
- Wireless Devices
- Wearable Computers

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- **Wearable Computers**
- Mobile Computers
- **Embedded Boards**

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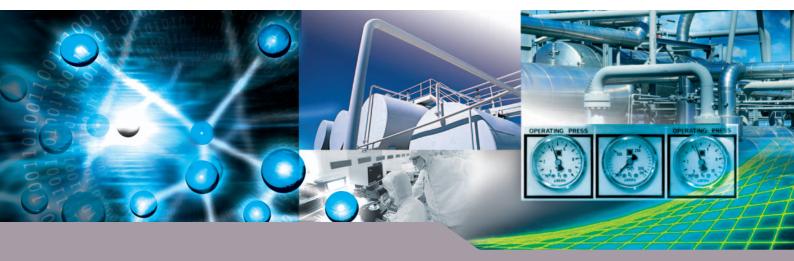




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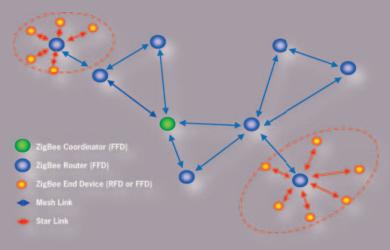
## **SENSORS NETWORK SOLUTIONS**



## **KEY FEATURES**

- **▶** ZigBee Modules
- **▶** Wireless Devices
- **▶** Wearable Computers

A standard ZigBee<sup>™</sup> or 802.15.4 is an exellent choice for many low power, low data rate wireless communication applications. However, is it really for everything? There are situations where 802.11 WLAN works very well for high data rate traffic. Similarly, there are applications that require long range and more battery life. ZigBee protocols are relatively light with respect to demands on code space



(32-70 KB) and have a moderate range (10-100m). These make ZigBee a good choice for Industrial and Home Networking.

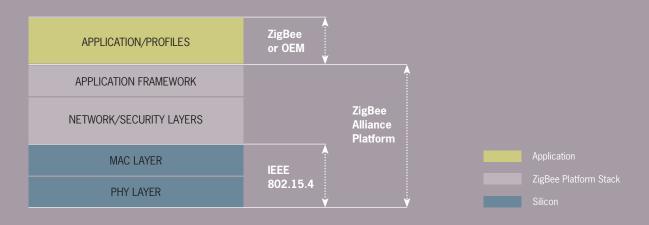
One of the big advantages of ZigBee is the "mesh" capability. Mesh networks allow messages to be passed from node to node such that if any of the nodes fail or drop out, the message can still reach its destination. Enter the proprietary networks that operate in the ISM (Industrial, Scientific and Medical) bands. Applications such as remote temperature monitoring, pressure and actuation are many times best handled via ISM band. The range or reach of solutions using ISM band is much greater than what can be realized with ZigBee, Bluetooth or WLAN.

FEATURES	IEEE 802.11b	Bluetooth	ZigBee
Power Profile	Hours	Days	Years
Complexity	Very Complex	Complex	Simple
Nodes/Master	32	7	64000
Latency	Enumeration up to 3 seconds	Enumeration up to 10 seconds	Enumeration 30ms
Range	100m	10m	10m-100m
Extendability	Roaming possible	No	Yes
Data Rate	11 Mbps	1 Mbps	250 Kbps
Security	Authentication Service Set ID (SSID)	64 bit, 128 bit	128 bit AES and Application Layer user defined

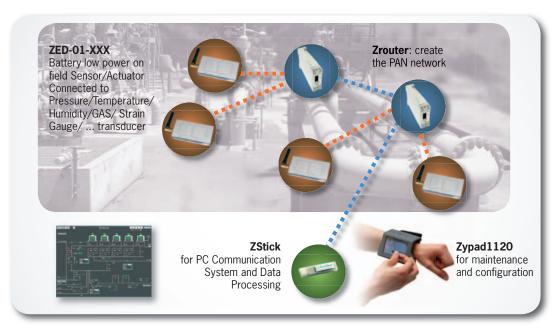
Power consumption of ZigBee and ISM band is more in line with the expectations for remote monitoring of temperatures, pressures and actuation type data. A ZigBee node can be expected to survive about a year using a AA batteries. The reason for extended battery life on ISM band solutions is the ability of the designer to choose a duty cycle of the data and thus customize the solution to the situation.

The worldwide accepted frequency for ZigBee/802.15.4 devices is 2.4GHz using DSSS (Direct Sequence Spread Spectrum) as modulation scheme. This frequency has shortered antennas and a lower overall system cost, for this reason it is a good choice for low cost and longer range industrial and home wireless network.

## PROTOCOL STACK FEATURES

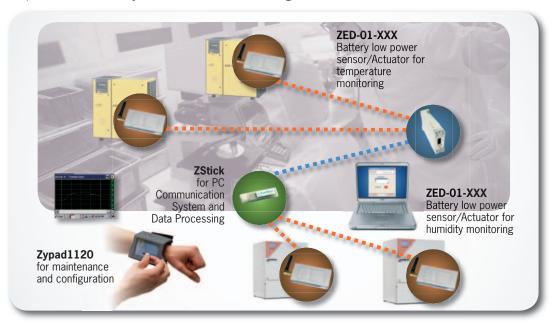


In industrial applications, a ZigBee sensor network may be used for monitoring physical parameters, including temperature, humidity, pressure, gas detection. A mesh sensor network can be created on site and the information may be used for distribution I/O control (without a central PLC or Computer) and/or for remote monitorization.



# Temperature and humidity monitoring for Hospital/Biological Laboratory

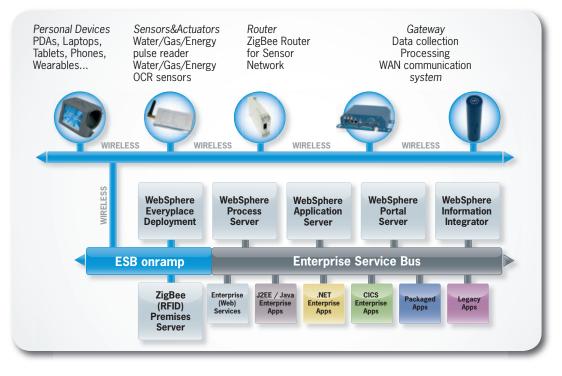
The ZED with PT100 probe placed in the refrigerator and ZRouter is a non intrusive solution for temperature/humidity monitoring. ZED datalogger and Zypad/PC software modules provide historical data, graphical and alarming capabilities. Once implemented, the ZigBee system can assure hospital staff that products are safely stored in monitored refrigerators.



## Maintenance and Telemetry

From Field to SOA (Service Oriented Architecture). A wireless sensor network is the best way to interface the analog and digital existing sensors to a gateway and then to a remote or local server/s that implement the SOA. Using ZED-XX-YYY sensors and ZRouter it is easy to create a PAN (Personal Area Network) where switch, light, temperature sensors, humidity sensors, gas/water meters, electro valves, etc "talk the same language": ZigBee. IPS100 may be used as a local teminal and Zypad represents the best tool for maintenance. ZyWAN or ZTube collects and preprocesses the information and communicates with the local or remote server, CLÙ, where service applications run.



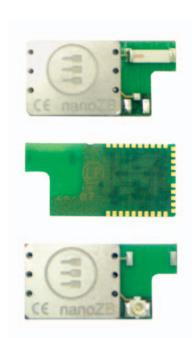




## ZigBee modules



## nZB IEEE 802.15.4/ZigBee Module



PN nZB-01 with internal antenna nZB-02 with external antenna

Application Industrial and home automati

Industrial and home automation, Sensor network, Localization, Active RFID

Operating voltage 2-3.4V – Average current less then 17uA 2400-2485 MHz – 16 channels

+3dBm

2 UART, 1 IIC Bus (SCL, SDA), 5 GPIO, 6 channel ADC

IEEE 802.15.4 / ZigBee Stack

FCC/CE Mark

Maximum 24x11.8mm h 2.3mm

-45/+85°C

Overview

Protocol

Certification

**Dimensions** 

**Operating Temp** 

**Very Low Power** 

Frequency Range Max Output Power

**Electrical Interface** 

This module is the right response at any low-data-rate, monitoring, control or automation application that requires long battery life and wireless connectivity.

This module provides solutions for wireless sensing and control applications that require networks that support simple point-to-point solutions, to complete ZigBee compliant mesh networks.

It is a stand-alone module with an MCU that is in-field programmable and with many pins configurable for a flexible and adaptable use to every field.

**Target Applications** 

Industrial automation

Remote monitoring and control

Domotic

Remote sensors monitoring

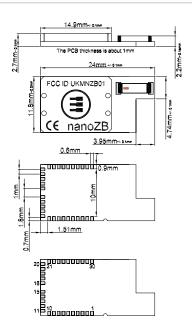
Medical equipment

Active RFID

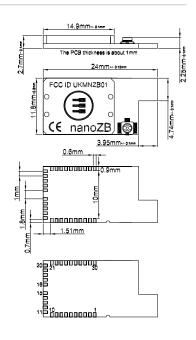
Localization

### Mechanical dimensions [mm]

Mechanical drawing of nZB-01



 $\begin{tabular}{ll} Mechanical drawing of \\ {\bf nZB-02} \end{tabular}$ 



## ZigBee modules

## nZB **Development Kit**





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**Application** 

Power **Frequency Range Max Output Power Electrical Interface** Protocol Certification **Boards** 

**Operating Temp** 

### nZB-DevTool

Development tool for Industrial and home automation, Sensor network, Localization, Active RFID

EVB with USB or 2 AAA battery, Bread board with 2 AAA battery 2400-2485 MHz - 16 channels

2 UART, 1 IIC Bus (SCL, SDA), 5 GPIO, 6 channel ADC

IEEE 802.15.4 / ZigBee Stack

FCC/CE Mark

N.1 Evaluation board with BDM interface, N.1 Bread board,

N.5 nZB modules, N.1 StickBee

-45/+85°C









#### Overview

NZB Evaluation Board is a simple portable board which can either be used to test potentialities of NZB module or developing/debugging software for it. NZB Evaluation Board includes a practical on board USB BDM Programmer / Debugger which allows to Program / Debug the on board NZB module or other external HCS08 devices through the BDM connector.

In portable applications of NZB module the board can be battery powered by two common 1.5V AAA batteries. Different ways to supply the board, the programmer/debugger or the on board NZB module are given by either the two mini USB connectors of programmer/debugger module or USB serial converter or the external supply connector.

The BDM Programmer / Debugger based on a Freescale MCU provides a low speed USB 2.0 compatible interface and the inherent USB connector provides plug and play functionality. The firmware programmed on this MCU provides a transparent connection between a computer running CodeWarrior Development Studio for HCS08 version 5.0 to a Freescale HCS08 microcontroller via the microcontrollers BKGD pin. Debugger and software tools can communicate with the tag including downloading of user code into the microcontroller's on-chip flash.

Programming and debugger functions are made possible by the HCS08 microcontroller's Background Debug Controller (BDC) and In-Circuit Emulator (ICE) Debug (DBG) modules. The BKGD line provides a single-wire background debug interface to the on-chip BDC and ICE Debug modules. Even if this interface is provided to the on board target, the BDM port can also be used to interface the programmer/debugger with an external target. For the Normal Mode configuration settings of the Development Board Jumpers, to Program and Debug either the on board NZB module or other HCS08 external targets (including external NZB modules) through the BDM connector CN6, please refer to the NZB Evaluation Board User Manual.





## uTOS IEEE 802.15.4/TinyOS module



PΝ uTOS-01 with internal antenna PΝ uTOS-02 with external antenna Industrial and home automation, Sensor network, Localization, **Application** Active RFID **Very Low Power** Operating voltage 2-3.4V - Average current less then 10uA **Frequency Range** 2400-2485 MHz – 16 channels **Max Output Power** +3dBm 1 UART, 2 DIN, 2 DOUT, 2 channel ADC 12bit **Electrical Interface** IEEE 802.15.4 / TinyOS Protocol Certification CE Mark Dimensions Maximum 51x32mm h 14mm **Operating Temp** -45/+85°C

#### Overview

WL-2.4 is a wireless, low power, low voltage, battery operated sensor. Power is supplied by one CR2450 coin cell. In a star topology network, battery may last for years with transmission rates of about one packet per minute.

Typical mean battery drain is about  $10~\mu\text{A}$  (but instantaneous current may rise up to 20~mA during reception). Though external flash requires at least 2.7~V radio is capable to operate down to 2.1~V. Transmission robustness is assured by 802.15.4~physical and MAC layers. WL-2.4~may be used in home automation applications and everywhere a wired link is not feasible. It may operate as stand-alone device or be interfaced to a PC by means of a USB adapter. It may also be interfaced to other boards through an asynchronous serial interface in order to provide low range wireless connectivity. More complex, multihop network topologies are possible with a battery of greater capacity. The module may be used with TinyOS (open source) www.tinyos.net.



## Wireless Sensor Network

## **ZStick**USB/ZigBee stick

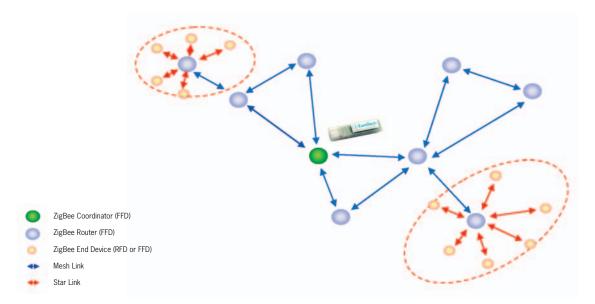


Application
Power
Frequency Range
Max Output Power
Protocol
Certification
PC Interface
Operating Temp

PN

-45/+85°C

ZStick
Coordinator for ZigBee or IEEE 802.15.4 Network
from USB
2400-2485 MHz – 16 channels
+3dBm
IEEE 802.15.4 / ZigBee Stack
FCC/CE Mark
ZTC protocol







## **ZRouter**Router for ZigBee mesh network



PN
Application
Power
Frequency Range
Max Output Power
Protocol
Certification
PC Interface
Operating Temp

-45/+85°C

PN ZRouter-01 with internal antenna

ZRouter-02 with external antenna

Router for ZigBee or IEEE 802.15.4 Network

9-36V DC

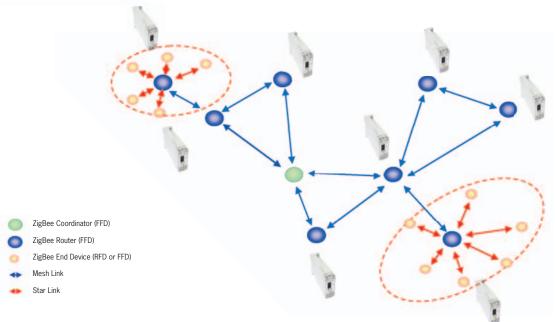
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+3dBm

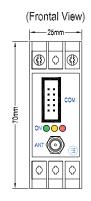
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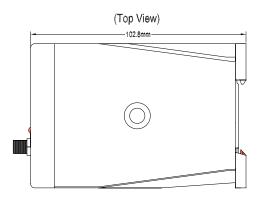
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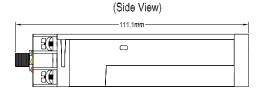
ZTC protocol



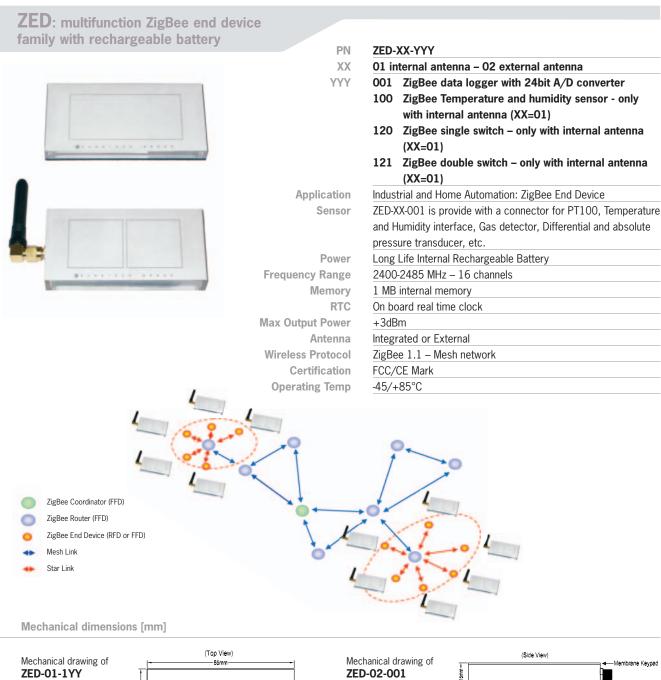
## Mechanical dimensions [mm]



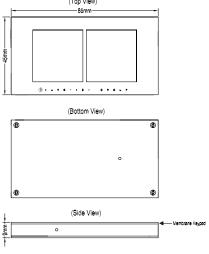




## Wireless Sensor Network



Mechanical drawing of ZED-01-1YY



(Side View)

(Frontal View)

(Frontal View)

(Frontal View)

(Frontal View)

(Bottom View)





## ModBee2400: ModBus-ZigBee mesh network interface



PN Application Power **Frequency Range** Max Output Power Antenna Wireless Protocol Certification Interface **Operating Temp** 

## Modbee2400

Industrial and Home Automation: ModBus to ZigBee interface 9-36V DC 2400-2485 MHz – 16 channels +3dBm Integrated or External ZigBee 1.1 – Mesh network FCC/CE Mark/e mark for automotive ModBus RTU/ASCII -45/+85°C

#### Overview

ModBee2400 is a Modbus bridge over ZigBee radio protocol stack meant as a Modbus wire replacement. The network comprises one ZC (ZigBee Coordinator) and one or more ZR (ZigBee Router).

The StickBee (a USB Stick) acts as the ZC in the ZigBee network and has to be connected to the Modbus master. The StickBee is itself a Modbus slave allowing either Modbus and ZigBee configuration.

A remote trunk consists of a ZR and one or more Modbus slaves attached to a RS485 bus.

Modbus slave addresses must be unique through the whole network. It is not possible to have more than one Modbus slave with the same address on different remote trunks.

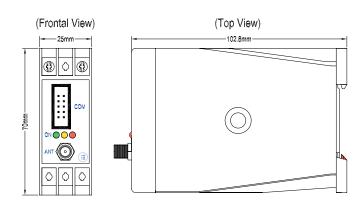
Either the ZC and ZRs are aware of master/slave (or client/server) nature of Modbus protocol.

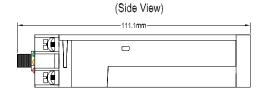
When a Modbus serial PDU (Protocol Data Unit) is received by the Modbus half of the StickBee, it is encapsulated in a ZigBee ASDU (Application Service Data Unit) and sent through the network to the ZR on which branch is attached the addressed Modbus slave. To do so the Modbus half of the StickBee analyzes the address field of the serial PDU and tries to resolve this in a ZR network address. Then the ZigBee half of the StickBee waits to receive a reply from the addressed ZR. Upon receipt of this reply the ZigBee half of the StickBee removes the serial PDU from the ZigBee ASDU and transmits it on the serial line.

While waiting for the reply the StickBee stops listening to the serial line thus discarding any serial PDU that the master might have transmitted. While aiming to be as transparent as possible the ZigBee network may introduce latencies that must be understood before setting the response timeout and poll period of the Modbus master.

Sequence charts are provided in this document to help in determining safe values for these parameters.

## Mechanical dimensions [mm]





## Mobile Computers

## **ZTube**



PN	ZTube
<b>Application</b>	Industrial automation, Remote monitoring and control, Domotic,
	Remote sensors monitoring, Medical equipment, Logistics,
	Localization, Wearable system
GPS	Internal GPS with integrated antenna
GSM	Modem GSM/GPRS dual band with integrated antenna
Power	External 10-40 VDC end/or internal rechargeable battery (8h)
Memory	512 Mbyte Memory card
RTC	Internal real time clock
I/O interface	Wireless ZigBee/IEEE 801.15.4 integrated module for data I/O
	and remote sensor interface
Certification	CE and FCC Mark
perating Temp	-20/+50°C

#### Overview

ZTube is a localization and tracking system with internal mass storage and TCP/IP remote communication (GPRS). The device may be used alone or with a set of ZigBee sensors (ZED-XX-YYY) for remote parameter monitoring (i.e. temperature) or identification (active RFID TAG). ZProbe is easy to install to any means of transportation and doesn't require specific software for its use. You can track and record transportation anywhere using an "S-TUBE" web server or you can read the tracking at the destination using a java script, available inside the ZTube mass storage.

### **Target applications**

- Industrial automation
- Domotic
- Medical equipment
- Localization
- Remote monitoring and control
- · Remote sensors monitoring
- Logistics
- Wearable system

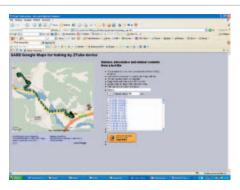
#### Certifications

CE This device complies with the EU directives 99/05/CE, 73/23/CEE, 2004/108/CE,

2004/104/CE (Automotive)

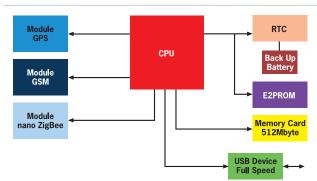
**FCC** This device complies with Part 15 of the FCC Rules.

### Ready to use

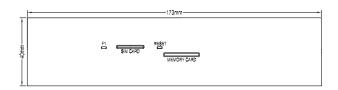


An internal java script for tracking by Google map.

### **Block diagram**



### **Physical Dimension and Labeling**









## Cellular Routing Modems



## **ZyWAN**



**Application** Cellular Routing Modem

AVL (Automatic Vehicle Locating)

Telemetry, Command & Control

Mobile Computing

Features PXA270 520 MHz XScale Processor;

up to 64 MB of soldered SDRAM / 64 MB Flash; 2x RS232 and 1x RS232/422/485 selectable;

Serial MMI or Telnet;

2x RJ-45 10/100BaseT Ethernet;

Dual USB 1.1 ports

VGA / Touchscreen Standard DB15 RGB

Form Factor Panel Mount

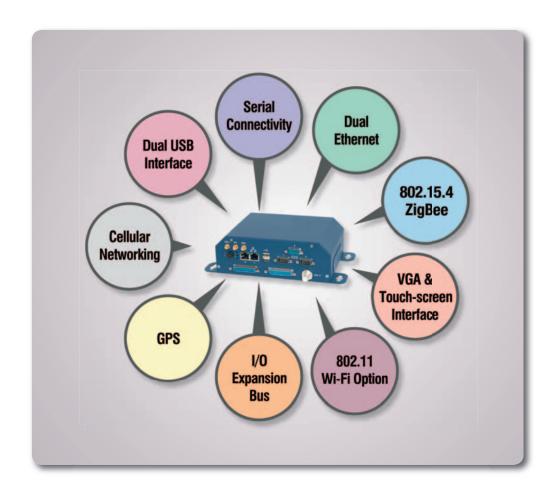
Wireless Connections GSM/GPRS, 802.11 b, 802.15.4 ZigBee

Positioning GPS with 12 channel continuous tracking receiver

Dimensions 238mm x 137mm x 65mm (W x L x H)

Power Supply 10 – 30V DC

Operating Temp 0/+50°C



## Wearable Computers

## Zypad WL1120



Application
Display
Memory
Battery Life
Positioning
Wireless Connectivity
Standards
Weight
Operating Temp

Professional Data Acquisition and Management

3.5" TFT 320x240 with touch screen

128 MB RAM/128 MB FLASH – Mini STDIO Memory Expansion

Up to 8hrs (\*)

12 channel GPS receiver

Wi-Fi 802.11 b/g; Bluetooth class 2 (optional ZigBee version)

FCC/CE EMC EN55022-024-CSA

290 g. with battery and wrist band

-10/+50°C

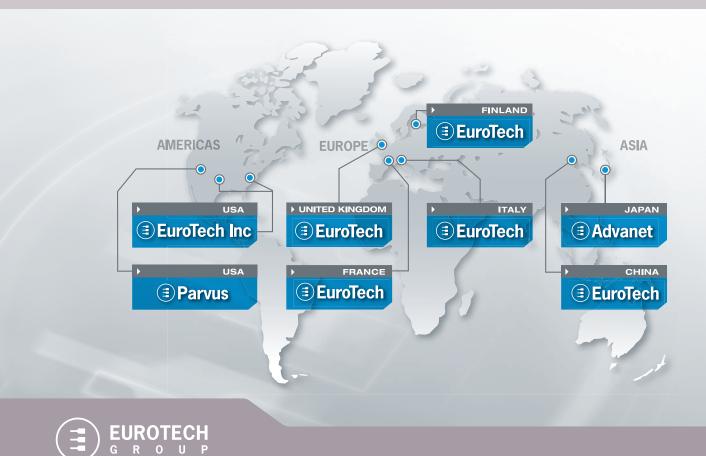
(\*) depends on features activated











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