PROTEUS COM Express

Intel® Atom™ COM Express processor module

Features

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- Intel[®] Atom[™] Processor up to 1.6GHz
- · 20-channel GPS receiver
- Bluetooth or ZigBee wireless communications
- · Atmel Trusted Platform Module Device
- PCI-Express mini card support
- 5mm/8mm stacking height for custom carrier board

Supported Operating Systems:

- Windows XP
- Windows XP Embedded
- Windows CE 6.0
- Linux®



PROTEUS COM Express is a processor module aimed at wired and wireless, net-centric multimedia applications, especially in situations where low power and high performance are required. Using Intel's Hi-K 45nm technology the Intel Atom Z500 series processor delivers the benefits of Intel's x86 architecture in a robust, ultra-small package with exceptional performance-per-watt.

The processor is matched with an Intel System Controller Hub (SCH) US15W which is a highly integrated device combining a graphics memory controller and an I/O controller.

PROTEUS COM Express offers a choice of 1.1GHz or 1.6GHz processor, with options for 512MB or 1GB soldered down RAM and 2GB or 4GB soldered Parallel ATA Flash memory. Coupled to the extremely low heat generation of the Atom processor, PROTEUS COM Express is perfect for applications needing high end performance in a fanless, rugged package.

The module features a COM Express Type 1 expansion connector, supporting PCI Express, LPC, USB, SMBUS, I²C, HD Audio, SATA, LVDS and Gigabit Ethernet interfaces. The provision of two independent display interfaces allows deployment in applications requiring different content to be served to different users.

In addition to the above interfaces, the PROTEUS COM Express provides options for onboard GPS, Bluetooth and ZigBee support. The provision of two sites for PCI-Express mini cards allows easy and flexible expansion for applications requiring wireless local and wide area networking. Additional non-volatile storage may be added on the board itself using MicroSD Flash.

Having all this performance in such a small package is a truly compelling offering that makes the PROTEUS COM Express ideally suited to applications such as infotainment, interactive kiosks, access control, HMI, medical and industrial control.



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Technical Specifications

PROCESSOR	Intel Atom Processor options:
	Z530 up to 1.6GHz
	Z510 up to 1.1GHz
CHIPSET	System Controller Hub US15W (2.3W)
SUPPORTED OS	Windows XP, XP Embedded, CE 6.0 and Linux
MEMORY	Up to 1 GB (400/533MHz) DDR2 SDRAM
	4 GB parallel ATA Flash on board (optional)
GRAPHICS	Ultra low power integrated 3D Graphics
	2x single-channel LVDS 24-bit interface to Board to Board connector
AUDIO	HD Audio interface on Board to Board connector
TOUCHSCREEN	4, 5 and 8 wire resistive touchscreen interface
USB SUPPORT	USB 2.0 supporting low/full/high speed modes
	2x user accessible ports (Pin header, one client configurable)
	2x ports connected to PCI Express MiniCard sockets
	4x ports on Board to Board connector
ETHERNET	Gigabit Ethernet port supporting 10/100/1000baseT
	Output to Board to Board connector
SERIAL ATA	Supports 2x serial ATA 300
	Output to Board to Board connector
SERIAL PORT	1x serial port used for general purpose RS232 TX/RX port
PCI EXPRESS	Chipset PCI Express interfaced to:
	x1 PCI Express to Board to Board connector
	x1 PCI Express switch to:
	- x1 PCle Gigabit Ethernet controller
	- x1 PCle serial ATA controller
	- 2 x1 PCle MiniCard sockets
	- 3 x1 PCle Board to Board connectors

SDIO/MMC	1x MicroSD socket
TPM	Atmel Trusted Platform Module Device, TCG v1.2 compatible
	SMBUS interface
MODULES	20-channel GPS receiver SirfStar III chipset module
	Bluetooth or ZigBee wireless communications provided by
	onboard modules
TEST SUPPORT	JTAG Interface (Intel XDP)
POWER SUPPLY	12V DC (optional: 5V standby, 3.3V Battery)
	On-board voltage regulators and power management
	Power LED
DIMENSIONS	155mm x 110mm
OTHER	5mm/8mm stacking height for custom carrier board
OPERATING TEMP	0°C to +70°C

Development Kit

- 8.4" 800 x 600 LCD with touchscreen
- HD Audio with Line in, Line out and Mic In connections
- 80 GB hard drive
- Windows XP, XP Embedded, CE 6.0, Linux
- Gigabit Ethernet port
- 4x USB 2.0 ports
- 2x Serial ATA ports
- Other features (secondary LVDS interface, GPIO)

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