

# UMS-8 High-Precision, High-Speed, 8-Channel Measuring System

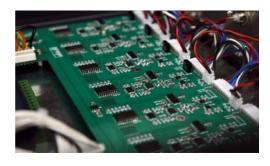
#### **FEATURES**

- 8-Channel <u>Simultaneous Sampling</u> utilizing low-noise 24-bit ADCs per channel
- High-Speed Sampling up to 10,000 Samples/sec/Channel
- All channels are <u>Software-Selectable</u> for supporting different sensor/transducers:
  - Strain-Gauge(Quarter-, Half- and Full-Bridge)
  - Strain-Gauge Based Transducer
  - Potentiometer
  - o MEMS Voltage Accelerometer
- Suitable for both dynamic and static sampling(0.1-10,000 samples/sec/channel)
- High-precision stable complement resistors for strain measurement on each channel
- USB interface for connecting to PC
- Configuring, Controlling and Acquiring data from the UMS-8 is done by BlueApple-Log Software

#### **Description and Applications**

*UMS-8* is a high-precision, high-speed data acquisition system intended for both static and dynamic test and measurement applications including:

- Laboratory Test and Measurement
- Strain Measurement
- Vibration Measurement
- Modal Analysis





## **Supported Sensors/Transducers**

*UMS-8* supports different types of sensor/transducers and is suitable for test and measurement applications where there are numerous sensor/transducers like strain gauges, load cells, displacement transducers, accelerometers, pressure transmitters, etc.

Each channel can be defined, via software, to be one of the following sensor types:

- Strain-Gauge(Quarter-, Half- and Full-Bridge)
- Strain-Gauge-Based Transducer(Load Cell, Accelerometer, Displacement Transducer, ...)
- Potentiometer
- MEMS Voltage-Based Sensors(Analog Accelerometer, Pressure Sensor, ...)
- Voltage

### **VIBRATION MEASUREMENT**

*UMS-8* has special features that made it suitable for vibration measurement applications and Laboratory and Field Modal Analysis:

- Supports both strain-gauge-based and MEMS voltage-based Accelerometers.
- High sampling rates up to 10 kHz/channel allows high-frequency vibration signals to be acquired without aliasing problems.
- Software on-line FFT provides early detection of signal frequency contents



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#### **STRAIN GAUGE SUPPORT**

*UMS-8* has special features that made it a suitable tool for simple, fast and accurate strain measurement.

- Each channel supports strain gauges in Quarter-Half-and Full-Bridge configurations.
- Supports Quarter-bridge in 3-wire circuit for eliminating cable resistance changes over temperature in long period measurements.
- Supports Half-bridge in 5-wire circuit for eliminating cable resistances in long cables.
- Bridge configuration for each channel is selected through the BlueApple-Log Software.
- Each channel has high-precision 120-ohm completion resistor for Quarter-bridge configuration.
- R-Calibration capability

#### SIMULTANOUS SAMPLING

Each channel has its own 24-bit analog-to-digital converter and sampling of all channels is performed simultaneously.

Thanks to the use of a new-technology ADC, it is possible to achieve low-noise measurement even in high rate sampling. Supported sampling rates vs. noise are listed below:

Sampling Rate (Sample/sec/channel)	ADC Noise peak to peak Resolution(bits)
5	24
10	24
20	23.7
100	22.5
200	22.1
500	21.3
1,000	20.7
2,500	19.9
5,000	19.3
10,000	18.7

#### **OTHER SPECIAL FEATURES**

- Two excitation voltages per channel with short-circuit protection capability.
- Excitation circuitry utilizes feedback for compensating voltage drops in long cables

#### **GENREAL INFORMATION**

Power supply: 220VAC

Dimensions: 220 × 80 × 195 cm

Accessories: USB cable and Power cable

## **BlueApple-Log SOFTWARE**

Configuring, controlling and acquiring data from the *UMS-8* is done by Windows®-based *BlueApple-Log* Software. *BlueApple-Log* has following features:

- Online monitoring of all channels
- Different selectable sampling frequencies from 0.1 to 10,000 Sample/sec/Ch.
- Saving Data-files in ASCII format
- Easy and Fast Measurement
  - Simple menus for choosing sensor/transducer type(strain gauges, straingauge-based transducers, potentiometers, and voltage sensors)
  - Auto-zero button for each channel
  - Two-point calibration capability
  - Saving and restoring calibration settings

