

# Racal Instruments™ 1260-117/117A

## 52/20 Channel SPDT Switch Plug-in



The Racal Instruments™ 1260-117/117A is a 52/20-channel, SPDT (Form C) plug-in switch card for the Adapt-a-Switch™ platform. It quickly and easily plugs into the front of Racal Instruments™ 1260-100 and 1260-101 VXI Adapt-a-Switch™ carriers or the Racal Instruments™ 1256 GPIB/Ethernet and 1256L (LXI Core 2011 Compliant) switching mainframes.

### Key Features

- 52 or 20 channels of SPDT switching
- Ideal for general purpose switching up to 60 MHz
- Switches up to 2 A
- Can be used in VXI, GPIB/RS-232, and LXI switching systems
- 1260-117A version accommodates a low-cost ribbon cable interface
- Standard Adapt-a-Switch™ plug-in design for ease of replacement

### Product Information

The large number of channels provided by the 1260-117/117A allows a significant portion of a switching configuration to be realized in a single slot of a switching subsystem, saving valuable VXIbus chassis space.

Interface connectors are not provided with the 1260-117/117A and must be ordered separately; however, a six-foot unterminated cable assembly is available as a standard option. For the 1260-117/117A, 2 A DIN crimp-style connectors or low-cost 1 A IDC ribbon cable connectors are also available as options.

The Racal Instruments™ Option 01T interface (for VXI) controls the 1260-117/117A using either register-based or message-based commands. The 1256 (for GPIB/Ethernet) and 1256L (for LXI) support message-based operations. Refer to the Option 01T/1256/1256L literature for more information about product specifications and features such as include, exclude, scan lists, user-defined path names, and reset states.

The Adapt-a-Switch™ series includes VXI *plug&play* support for frameworks based on Microsoft Win32® application programming interface, including drivers for LabWindows™/CVI and LabVIEW™.



1260-117/117A LXI Web Control

## Specifications

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### Input

#### Maximum Switching Voltage

- 300 VDC or 300 VAC

#### Maximum Switching Current

- 2 ADC/AC, 1 ADC/AC with IDC mating connector

#### Maximum Switching Power

- 60 W, 125 VA

### DC Performance

#### Path Resistance

- <500 m $\Omega$  (Initial)

#### Insulation Resistance

- >10<sup>9</sup>  $\Omega$

#### Thermal EMF

- <10  $\mu$ V

### AC Performance (Into 50 $\Omega$ )

#### Bandwidth (-3 dB)

- 60 MHz

#### Insertion Loss

- 300 kHz: <0.1 dB
- 10 MHz: <0.5 dB

#### Isolation (50 $\Omega$ )

- 10 MHz: >40 dB

#### Crosstalk (50 $\Omega$ )

- 10 MHz: <-30 dB

#### Capacitance

- Channel-Chassis: <150 pF
- Open Channel: <10 pF

### Interface

#### Power Requirements

- +5 VDC at 150 mA plus 30 mA per energized relay (750 mA max)

#### Front Panel I/O Interface Connector

- 1260-117: 160 pin DIN connector
- 1260-117A: 64 pin DIN Connector

### Environmental

(All environmental conditions designed to meet MIL-PRF-28800F, Class 3)

#### Temperature

- Operating: 0° C to 55° C
- Storage: -40° C to 75° C

#### Relative Humidity

- 5% to 95% RH non-condensing  $\leq$ 30° C
- 5% to 75% RH above 30° C
- 5% to 45% RH above 40° C

#### Altitude

- Operating: 10,000 ft
- Non-Operating: 15,000 ft

#### Shock

- 30 g peak, half sine, 11 ms pulse

#### Random Vibration

- Operating: 5 to 500 Hz, 0.3 G<sub>rms</sub>
- Non-Operating: 5 to 500 Hz, 2.1 G<sub>rms</sub>

#### Bench Handling

- 4-inch drop at 45°

#### Emissions/Immunity

- EN61326: 1997 + A1: 1998, Class A

#### Safety

- EN61010-1: 1993 + A2: 1995

#### Switching Time

- <3 ms (includes settling time)

#### Rated Switch Operations

- Mechanical: 1 X 10<sup>8</sup>
- Electrical: 1 x 10<sup>6</sup> @ 50 V, 0.1 A;  
1 x 10<sup>6</sup> @ 10 V, 10 mA

#### MTBF (MIL-STD-217E)

- $\geq$ 822,885 hrs

#### MTRR

- <5 min

### Software

#### Drivers

- LabVIEW™, LabWindows™/CVI, VXIplug&play support for frameworks based on Microsoft Win32® application programming interface

#### Web Controls

- When used with a Racal Instruments™ 1256L

### Mechanical

#### Weight

- 11.2 oz (0.32 kg)

#### Dimensions

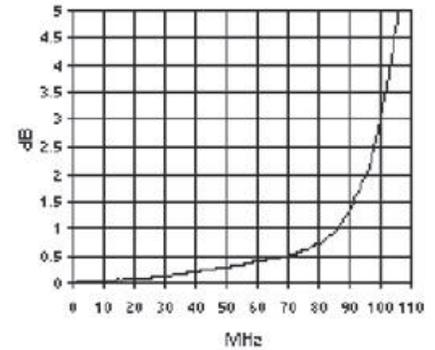
- 4.5" H x 0.75" W x 9.5" D

#### Cooling

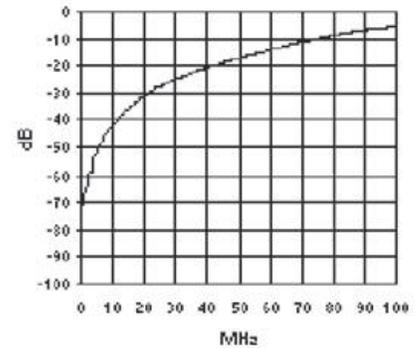
- See 1260-100 cooling data

### Typical Channel

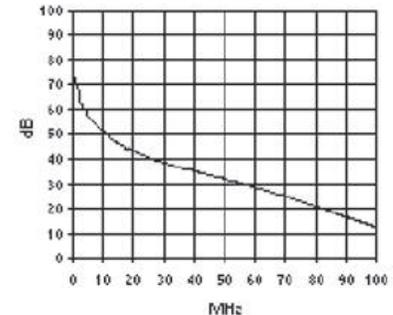
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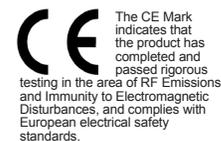
Crosstalk



Isolation



Note: Each 1260-117/117A requires one mating connector.



## Ordering Information

Note: When the 1260-117/117A is used in a VXI mainframe other than a 1256 or 1256L, a Racal Instruments™ Option 01T Smart Control Module must be installed in the mainframe's left-most slot.

### 407658 : Racal Instruments™ 1260-117

Adapt-a-Switch™ Module, 52 Channel SPDT, 2 A

### 407658-001 : Racal Instruments™ 1260-117A

Adapt-a-Switch™ Module, 20 Channel SPDT, 2 A

### Accessories:

OPT-405108-001 : Racal Instruments™ Option 01T Smart Card Module installed (manual must be ordered separately; see below)

407531-001 : Racal Instruments™ Option 01T Smart Card Module (not installed) with manual

407408-001 : 160-Pin Cable Assembly, 6 ft, 24 AWG

407409-001 : 160-Pin Cable Assembly, 12 ft, 24 AWG

407664 : 160-Pin Connector Kit with Strain Relief

407809-001 : 160-Pin Cable Assembly; 6 ft, 24 AWG

602258-116 : 160-Pin Backshell

602258-900 : Extra 24 Gauge contact

990898 : Insertion Tool

990899 : Extraction Tool

991020 : Crimp Tool



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