

Temperature, Process and Strain Controllers

CNi Series



iSeries
MONOGRAM®



CNi32, shown smaller than actual size.



CNi16, shown smaller than actual size.



CNi8, shown smaller than actual size.



CNi8DV, shown smaller than actual size.

- ✔ **Universal Inputs**
- ✔ **Accuracy at 25°C: ±0.5°C temp nominal, 0.03% rdg ±0.03% range process and strain**
- ✔ **Totally Programmable Color Displays (Visual Alarms)**
- ✔ **User-Friendly, Simple to Configure**
- ✔ **Free Software**
- ✔ **Full Autotune PID Control**
- ✔ **Embedded Internet Connectivity Optional**
- ✔ **RS232 and RS485 Serial Communications Optional**
- ✔ **Built-In Excitation**
- ✔ **2 Control/Alarm Outputs; Choice of DC, Pulse, Solid State Relays, Mechanical Relays, Analog Voltage and Current**
- ✔ **Output 3 Retransmission: Isolated Analog Voltage and Current Optional**
- ✔ **NEMA 4 (IP65) Front Bezel**
- ✔ **Temperature Stability ±0.04°C/°C RTD and ±0.05°C/°C Thermocouple @ 25°C (77°F)**
- ✔ **Front Removable and Plug Connectors**
- ✔ **AC or DC Powered Units**
- ✔ **Ratiometric Mode for Strain Gages**
- ✔ **Programmable Digital Filter**

The OMEGA® iSeries is a family of microprocessor-based instruments offered in three true DIN sizes. All of the instruments share the same set-up and configuration menu and method of operation, a tremendous time saver for integration of a large system. The iSeries family includes extremely accurate digital panel meters “DPI” and single loop PID controllers “CNI” that are simple to configure and use, while providing tremendous versatility and a wealth of powerful features.

The CNI Series covers a broad selection of transducer and transmitter inputs with 2 input models.

The Universal temperature and process instrument (CNI models) handles 10 common types of thermocouples, multiple RTDs and several process (DC) voltage and current ranges. This model also features built-in excitation, 24 Vdc @ 25 mA. With its wide choice of signal inputs, this model is an excellent choice for measuring or controlling temperature with a thermocouple, RTD, or 4 to 20 mA transmitter.

The strain and process instruments (CNI_S models) measure inputs from load cells, pressure transducers, and most any strain gage sensor as well as process voltage and current ranges. The CNI_S has built-in 5 or 10 Vdc excitation for bridge transducers, 5 Vdc @ 40 mA or 10 Vdc @ 60 mA (any excitation voltage between 5 and 24 Vdc is available by special order). This CNI_S model supports 4- and 6-wire bridge communications, ratiometric measurements. The CNI_S features fast and easy “in process” calibration/ scaling of the signal inputs to any engineering units. This model also features 10-point linearization which

allows the user to linearize the signal input from extremely nonlinear transducers of all kinds.

Control Functions

The iSeries can control simple manual operation to ON-OFF and full Autotune PID control. (Selectable preset tune, adaptive tune, PID, PI, PD control modes.) The dual control outputs can be configured for a variety of independent control and alarm applications such as heat/heat, heat/cool, heat/alarm, cool/cool, cool/alarm or alarm/alarm. The ramp to setpoint feature allows the user to define the rate of rise to setpoint, minimizing thermal shock to the load during start-up. For applications that do not require PID control, just simplified programming, there are 2 options available: -AL Limit Alarm and -SM Simplified Menu ON-OFF control.

Programmable Color Display

The iSeries are 1/8, 1/16 and 1/32 DIN controllers featuring the big iSeries color-changing display. The digits are twice the size of typical 1/8 DIN panel meters. The iSeries feature the only LED displays that can be programmed to change color between **GREEN**, **AMBER**, and **RED**.

Embedded Internet and Serial Communications

Featuring optional “embedded Internet” the iSeries connect directly to an Ethernet network and transmit data in standard TCP/IP packets, or serve Web pages over a LAN or the Internet. The iSeries are also available with serial communications. The user can select from the pushbutton menu between RS232, RS422, and RS485, with straightforward ASCII commands or MODBUS.

To Order Visit omega.com/cni_series for Pricing and Details

Model No.	Size/Cutout	Input Type	Output 1	Output 2	Other Features
CNi3222	1/32 DIN	Temperature/process	0.5 A SSR	0.5 A SSR	—
CNi3223	1/32 DIN	Temperature/process	0.5 A SSR	Relay	—
CNi3224	1/32 DIN	Temperature/process	0.5 A SSR	DC pulse	—
CNi3233	1/32 DIN	Temperature/process	Relay	Relay	—
CNi3242	1/32 DIN	Temperature/process	DC pulse	0.5 A SSR	—
CNi3243	1/32 DIN	Temperature/process	DC pulse	Relay	—
CNi3244	1/32 DIN	Temperature/process	DC pulse	DC pulse	—
CNi3252	1/32 DIN	Temperature/process	Analog	0.5 A SSR	—
CNi3253	1/32 DIN	Temperature/process	Analog	Relay	—
CNi3254	1/32 DIN	Temperature/process	Analog	DC pulse	—
CNi833	1/8 DIN	Temperature/process	Relay	Relay	—
CNiS833	1/8 DIN	Strain/process	Relay	Relay	—
CNi8A33	1/8 DIN	Temperature/process	Relay	Relay	Analog Output
CNi8C33	1/8 DIN	Temperature/process	Relay	Relay	Compact Depth
CNiS8C33	1/8 DIN	Strain/process	Relay	Relay	Compact Depth
CNi8DH33	1/8 DIN	Temperature/process	Relay	Relay	Dual Display
CNiS8DH33	1/8 DIN	Strain/process	Relay	Relay	Dual Display
CNi8DV33	1/8 DIN	Temperature/process	Relay	Relay	Dual Display
CNiS8DV33	1/8 DIN	Strain/process	Relay	Relay	Dual Display
CNi1633	1/16 DIN	Temperature/process	Relay	Relay	—
CNi16A33	1/16 DIN	Temperature/process	Relay	Relay	Analog Output
CNi16D33	1/16 DIN	Temperature/process	Relay	Relay	Dual Display
CNiS1633	1/16 DIN	Strain/process	Relay	Relay	—
CNiS16D33	1/16 DIN	Strain/process	Relay	Relay	Dual Display

Comes with complete operator's manual.

Ordering Examples: **CNi3233-C24-DC**, 1/32 DIN temperature/process meter with two relay outputs plus RS232 and RS485 and 12 to 36 Vdc power supply.

CNi16D22-EIT, 1/16 DIN dual display temperature/process meter with two SSR outputs plus ethernet with embedded web server.

Ordering Suffix	Description
-AL	Limit alarm version (alarms only, no PID control) ^{3,4}
-SM	Simplified menu (on/off control or alarms, no PID) ⁵
Networks Options	
-EIT	Ethernet with embedded Web server
-C24	Isolated RS232 and RS485/422, 300 to 19.2 Kb ²
-C4EIT	Ethernet with embedded Web server + isolated RS485/422 hub for up to 31 devices ¹
Power Supply	
-DC	12 to 36 Vdc, 24 Vac; 20 to 36 Vdc for dual display, ethernet, or isolated analog output option ²
Factory Setup	
-FS	Factory setup and configuration
-FS(RTD-1N)	Customized "CNiS" model for MIL-T-7990B nickel RTD input, 0 to 200°C (32 to 392°F)
-FS(RTD-2N)	Customized "CNiS" model for MIL-T-7990B nickel RTD input, -40 to 300°C (-40 to 572°F)
Software (Requires Network Option)	
OPC-SERVER LICENSE	OPC server/driver software license

*1 Ethernet options are not available for the **CNi8A**, **CNi8C**, **CNi16**, **CNi16A** or **CNi32** controller.

*2 "-DC", "-C24", and "-C4EIT" not available with excitation.

*3 Analog output is not available with "-AL" units.

*4 **CNi8A0x-AL** or **CNi16A0x-AL** contains 1 alarm and 1 analog retransmission.

*5 "-SM" option not available on **CNiS** strain models.

iSeries Common Specifications (All i/8, i/16, i/32 DIN)

Universal Temperature and Process Input (DPi/CNi Models)

Accuracy @ 25°C: ±0.5°C temp nominal; 0.03% rdg ±0.03% range process and strain

Resolution: 1%/0.1°; 10 µV process

Temperature Stability:

RTD: 0.04°C/°C

TC @ 25°C (77°F): 0.05°C/°C

Cold Junction Compensation

Process: 50 ppm/°C

NMRR: 60 dB

CMRR: 120 dB

A/D Conversion: Dual slope

Reading Rate: 3 samples/s

Digital Filter: Programmable

Display: 4-digit 9-segment LED
10.2 mm (0.40"); i32, i16, i16D, i8DV
21 mm (0.83"); i8 10.2 mm (0.40") and
21 mm (0.83"); i8DH **RED, GREEN,**
and **AMBER** programmable colors
for process variable, setpoint and
temperature units

Input Types: Thermocouple, RTD,
analog voltage, analog current

Thermocouple Lead Resistance:
100 Ω max

Thermocouple Types (ITS 90):

J, K, T, E, R, S, B, C, N, L (J DIN)

RTD Input (ITS 68): 100/500/1000 Ω
Pt sensor, 2-, 3- or 4-wire; 0.00385 or
0.00392 curve

Voltage Input: 0 to 100 mV, 0 to 1V,
0 to 10 Vdc

Input Impedance: 10 MΩ for 100 mV
1 MΩ for 1 or 10 Vdc

Current Input: 0 to 20 mA (5 Ω load)

Configuration: Single-ended

Polarity: Unipolar

Step Response: 0.7 sec for 99.9%

Decimal Selection:

Temperature: None, 0.1

Process: None, 0.1, 0.01 or 0.001

Setpoint Adjustment:

-1999 to 9999 counts

Span Adjustment:

0.001 to 9999 counts

Offset Adjustment: -1999 to 9999

**Excitation (Not Included with
Communication):** 24 Vdc @ 25 mA
(not available for low-power option)

Universal Strain and Process Input (DPiS/CNiS Models)

Accuracy: 0.03% reading

Resolution: 10/1µV

Temperature Stability: 50 ppm/°C

NMRR: 60 dB

CMRR: 120 dB

A/D Conversion: Dual slope

Reading Rate: 3 samples/s

Digital Filter: Programmable

Input Types: Analog voltage and current

Voltage Input: 0 to 100 mVdc,
-100 mVdc to 1 Vdc, 0 to 10 Vdc

Input Impedance: 10 MΩ for 100 mV;
1 MΩ for 1V or 10 Vdc

Current Input: 0 to 20 mA (5 Ω load)

Linearization Points: Up to 10

Configuration: Single-ended

Polarity: Unipolar

Step Response: 0.7 sec for 99.9%

Decimal Selection: None, 0.1, 0.01
or 0.001

Setpoint Adjustment:

-1999 to 9999 counts

Span Adjustment: 0.001 to 9999 counts

Offset Adjustment: -1999 to 9999

**Excitation (Optional In Place Of
Communication):** 5 Vdc @ 40 mA;
10 Vdc @ 60 mA

Control

Action: Reverse (heat) or direct (cool)

Modes: Time and amplitude proportional
control; selectable manual or auto PID,
proportional, proportional with integral,
proportional with derivative and anti-reset
Windup, and on/off

Rate: 0 to 399.9 s

Reset: 0 to 3999 s

Cycle Time: 1 to 199 s; set to 0 for on/off

Gain: 0.5 to 100% of span; setpoints 1 or 2

Damping: 0000 to 0008

Soak: 00.00 to 99.59 (HH:MM), or OFF

Ramp to Setpoint:

00.00 to 99.59 (HH:MM), or OFF

Auto Tune: Operator initiated from
front panel

Control Output 1 and 2

Relay: 250 Vac or 30 Vdc @ 3 A (resistive
load); configurable for on/off, PID and ramp
and soak

Output 1: SPDT, can be configured as
alarm 1 output

Output 2: SPDT, can be configured as
alarm 2 output

SSR: 20 to 265 Vac @ 0.05 to 0.5 A
(resistive load); continuous

DC Pulse: Non-isolated; 10 Vdc @ 20 mA

Analog Output (Output 1 Only):

Non-isolated, proportional 0 to 10 Vdc or
0 to 20 mA; 500 Ω max

Output 3 Retransmission

Isolated Analog Voltage and Current

Current: 10 V max @ 20 mA output

Voltage: 20 mA max for 0 to 10 V output

Network and Communications

Ethernet: Standards compliance
IEEE 802.3 10 Base-T

Supported Protocols:
TCP/IP, ARP, HTTPGET

RS232/RS422/RS485: Selectable from
menu; both ASCII and MODBUS protocol
selectable from menu; programmable
300 to 19.2 Kb; complete programmable
setup capability; program to transmit
current display, alarm status, min/max,
actual measured input value and status

RS485: Addressable from 0 to 199

Connection: Screw terminals

Alarm 1 and 2 (Programmable)

Type: Same as output 1 and 2

Operation: High/low, above/below,
band, latch/unlatch, normally open/
normally closed and process/deviation;
front panel configurations

Analog Output (Programmable):

Non-isolated, retransmission 0 to 10 Vdc
or 0 to 20 mA, 500 Ω max (output 1 only);
accuracy is ± 1% of FS when following
conditions are satisfied: input is not scaled
below 1% of input FS, analog output is not
scaled below 3% of output FS

General

Power: 90 to 240 Vac ±10%, 50 to 400
Hz*, 110 to 375 Vdc, equivalent voltage

Low Voltage Power Option: 24 Vac**,
12 to 36 Vdc for DPi/CNi/DPiS/CNiS;
20 to 36 Vdc for dual display, ethernet
and isolated analog output from qualified
safety approved source

Isolation

Power to Input/Output: 2300 Vac
per 1 minute test

For Low Voltage Power Option:

1500 Vac per 1 minute test

Power to Relay/SSR Output:

2300 Vac per 1 minute test

Relay/SSR to Relay/SSR Output:

2300 Vac per 1 minute test

RS232/485 to Input/Output:

500 Vac per 1 minute test

Environmental Conditions:

All Models: 0 to 55°C (32 to 131°F)

90% RH non-condensing

Dual Display Models:

0 to 50°C (32 to 122°F), 90% RH

non-condensing (for UL only)

Protection:

DPi/CNi/DPiS/CNiS32, i16, i16D, i8C:

NEMA 4X/Type 4 (IP65) front bezel

DPi/CNi8, CNI8DH, i8DV:

NEMA 1/Type 1 front bezel

Approvals: UL, C-UL, CE per

EN61010- 1:2001

Dimensions

i/8 Series: 48 H x 96 W x 127 mm D

(1.89 x 3.78 x 5")

i/16 Series: 48 H x 48 W x 127 mm D

(1.89 x 1.89 x 5")

i/32 Series: 25.4 H x 48 W x 127 mm D

(1.0 x 1.89 x 5")

Panel Cutout

i/8 Series: 45 H x 92 mm W

(1.772 x 3.622"), 1/8 DIN

i/16 Series: 45 mm (1.772") square,

1/16 DIN

i/32 Series: 22.5 H x 45 mm W

(0.886 x 1.772"), 1/32 DIN

Weight

i/8 Series: 295 g (0.65 lb)

i/16 Series: 159 g (0.35 lb)

i/32 Series: 127 g (0.28 lb)

* No CE compliance above 60 Hz.

** Units can be powered safely with 24 Vac
power, but no certification for CE/UL are claimed.