

AE51 – Graphics and I/O Interface for Display Computers

- **2 DisplayPort® interfaces**
- **2 Gb Ethernet on M12 connectors**
- **1 USB 2.0**
- **2 PCI Express® Mini Card slots for WLAN, UMTS, GPS, GSM, HSDPA, EDGE, LTE**
- **2 SA-Adapter™ slots for 2 UARTs (alternative: 1 IBIS or GPS and 1 CAN bus)**
- **HD audio**
- **24 VDC nom. (9 to 36 V) class S2 power supply**
- **-40 to +85°C operating temperature (screened)**
- **EN 50155 compliant (railways)**
- **Prepared for e1 certification (automotive)**



The AE51 is a combined graphics and I/O interface board for MEN's display computer electronics like the [SC24](#) SBC and possible subsequent models.

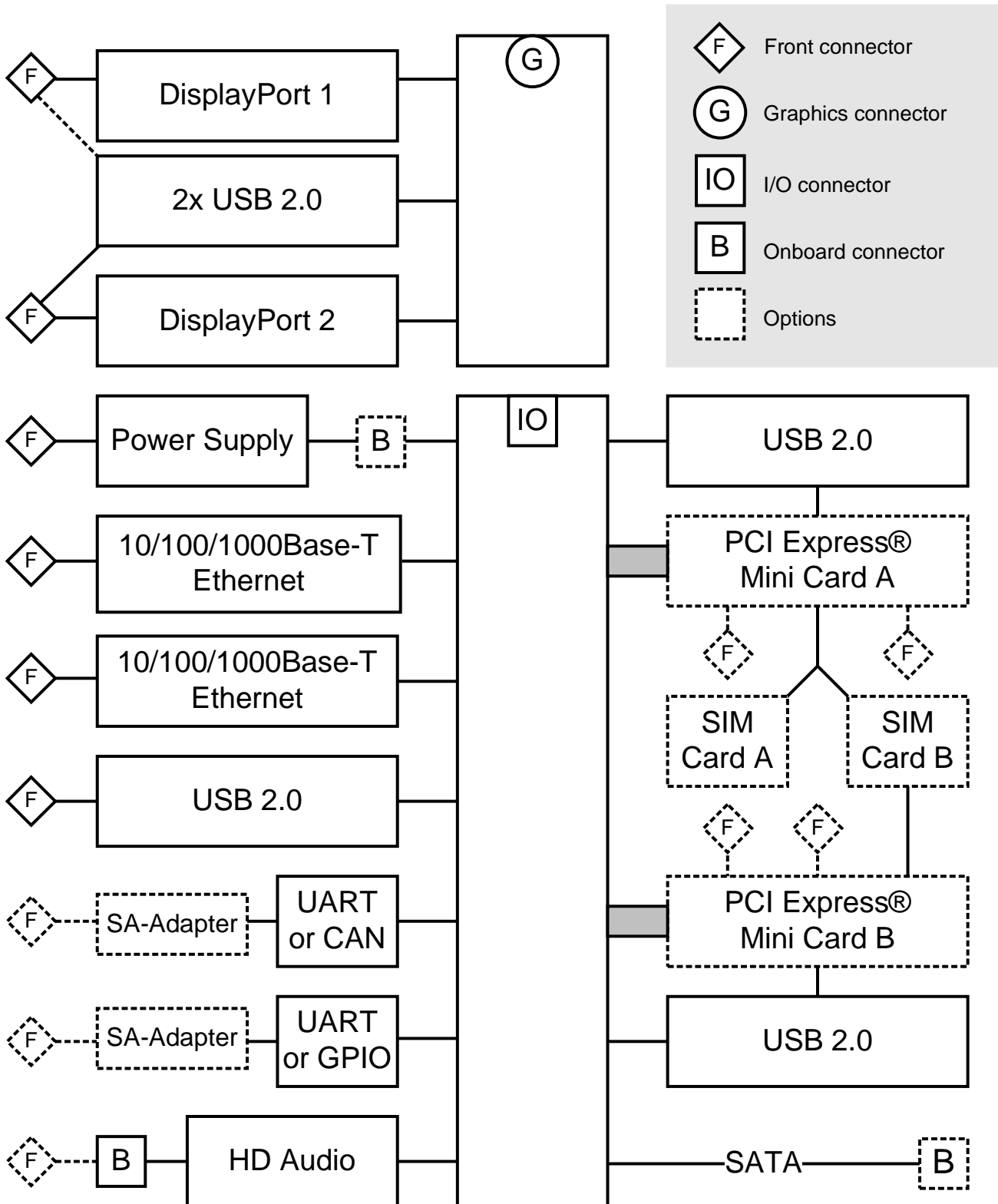
Three rugged AirMax VS® connectors transport the various I/O signals from the SBC board to the AE51, where they are made available on standard connectors like USB, 9-pin D-Sub (serial I/O and HD audio, both optional), 8-pin M12 (Gigabit Ethernet), DisplayPort® and SATA. Touch functionality can be realized via the USB port. Note that the AE51 is just one suggested interface board variant for SBCs like the [SC24](#) and as such it does not necessarily cover all possible interfaces of the connected SBC board. For example, only two independent DisplayPort® interfaces (B and C, with their individual AUX and USB channel respectively) are made available on standard DP connectors, whereas an [SC24](#) offers two additional DisplayPort® interfaces (identical to the former two regarding image content).

The AE51 serves as a 2x PCI Express® Mini card carrier for the connected SBC board. Two SIM card slots are available. By default, one is used for each of the two PCI Express® Mini cards, but the first PCI Express® Mini card can also switch between the two SIM cards as an option. The necessary antenna connectors can be led to a front panel.

As an option, a SATA interface from the SBC board is also made available along with a 4-pin power connector for the drive, however the AE51 is not designed as a SATA HDD/SSD carrier board - the drive must be mounted independently.

The board also serves as a 30W 24 VDC nom. (9 to 36 V) class S2 wide-range power supply for the connected SBC board. If the connected display panels require more power, an external PSU can be connected via an optional power bypass connector on the AE51 to supply the necessary 12 VDC voltage for the system.

Diagram



Technical Data

Board-to-board connection	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ 3 AirMax VS[®] connectors <ul style="list-style-type: none"> □ To SBC board's graphics and I/O connectors P1/P2/P4
Front I/O	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ 2 DisplayPort[®] interfaces <ul style="list-style-type: none"> □ AUX channels and hot plug detection □ USB channels optional ■ HD audio <ul style="list-style-type: none"> □ HD audio codec (Realtek ALC268) □ Audio stereo in □ Audio stereo out □ SPDIF out □ Via 10-pin onboard connector ■ 2 Gigabit Ethernet <ul style="list-style-type: none"> □ Via M12 connectors ■ 1 USB 2.0 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> □ Via Type A connector ■ 2 SA-Adapter[™] slots for serial I/O <ul style="list-style-type: none"> □ 1 UART or IBIS, GPS □ 1 UART or CAN bus ■ 8 status LEDs <ul style="list-style-type: none"> □ 4 for Ethernet link and activity status □ 2 for general board status □ 2 for power supply status
2 PCI Express[®] Mini Card slots	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ For functions like Wi-Fi, WIMAX, GSM/GPRS, UMTS ■ 2 SIM card slots ■ PCI Express[®] and USB interface
Accelerometer / Magnetometer	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ 3 acceleration channels <ul style="list-style-type: none"> □ 2 independent programmable interrupt generators for free-fall and motion detection ■ 3 magnetic field channels <ul style="list-style-type: none"> □ ±1.3 to ±8,1 gauss magnetic field full-scale
Miscellaneous	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Gold Cap to buffer real-time clock on connected SBC board
Electrical Specifications	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Isolation voltage: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> □ Ethernet ports: 1,500 VDC □ DC/DC: 1,500 VDC ■ Supply voltage: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> □ 24 VDC nom. (9 to 36 V) □ EN 50155 power interruption class S2 ■ Power output: 12 VDC nom. ■ Power consumption: Up to 30 W
Mechanical Specifications	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Dimensions: approx. 170 mm x 132 mm x 30 mm ■ Weight: approx. 100 g
Environmental Specifications	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Temperature range (operation): <ul style="list-style-type: none"> □ 0..+60°C up to -40..+85°C (screened) □ Fanless operation ■ Temperature range (storage): -40..+85°C ■ Relative humidity (operation): max. 95% non-condensing ■ Relative humidity (storage): max. 95% non-condensing ■ Altitude: -300 m to +3,000 m ■ Shock: 50 m/s², 30 ms ■ Vibration (function): 1 m/s², 5 Hz - 150 Hz ■ Vibration (lifetime): 7.9 m/s², 5 Hz - 150 Hz ■ Conformal coating on request
MTBF	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ tbd. @ 40°C according to IEC/TR 62380 (RDF 2000)

Technical Data

- EMC**
- Conforming to EN 55022 (radio disturbance), IEC 61000-4-2 (ESD) and IEC 61000-4-4 (burst)
 - Prepared for certification according to e1 requirements of the German Federal Motor Transport Authority

Configuration & Options

Standard Configurations

Article No.	Input Voltage	HD Audio Adapter to Front Connector	Antenna Connectors
08AE51-00	24 VDC nom.	No	No

Options

I/O	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ DisplayPorts with USB channel instead of AUX channel ■ HD audio <ul style="list-style-type: none"> □ Ribbon cable adapter to 9-pin D-Sub front I/O connector ■ Antenna connectors <ul style="list-style-type: none"> □ For functions like Wi-Fi, WIMAX, GSM/GPRS, UMTS in combination with PCI Express® Mini Card(s) □ Reverse SMA connector
Mass Storage	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Serial ATA (SATA) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> □ One port for external hard-disk/solid-state drive
Miscellaneous	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ 3-axis accelerometer and 3-axis magnetometer
Electrical Specifications	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Input voltage 36 VDC nom. via front connector (alternate internal PSU) ■ Input voltage 12 VDC via optional onboard power bypass connector

As the product concept is very flexible, there are many other configuration possibilities. Please contact our sales team if you do not find your required function in the options. Please note that some of these options may only be available for large volumes.

Ordering Information

Standard AE51 Models	08AE51-00	Graphics & I/O interface board for display and box computers; 2x DisplayPort®, 2x Gb Ethernet, 1x USB, 2x PCI Express® Mini card slot, 2x SIM card slot, 2x SA-Adapter™ slot, PSU 24 VDC, -40 to +85°C screened
Related Hardware	08AE63-00	DisplayPort® to LVDS converter, temperature sensor, ambient light, touch input, key control, input voltage 12V..24V, -40°..+85°C screened
	08SC24-00	Multi-display SBC with AMD T48N, 1.4 GHz, 2 GB RAM, SD card slot, mSATA slot, 2x2 DisplayPorts, 12V PSU (non isolated), prepared for -40 to +85°C screened via conductive cooling
	15PX01-00	GLONASS & GPS PCI Express® MiniCard (full size), 3-axis Gyro sensor, -40..+85°C with qualified components
SA-Adapters™	You can find a more detailed overview of possible carrier board/SA-Adapter™ combinations along with software support in our option matrix (PDF) .	
	08SA01-06	RS232, not optically isolated, -40..+85°C screened
	08SA02-07	RS422/485, full duplex, optically isolated, -40..+85°C screened
	08SA03-01	1 RS232, optically isolated, -40..+85°C screened
	08SA08-01	CAN ISO high-speed, optically isolated, -40..+85°C screened
	08SA22-00	IBIS master SA-Adapter™, -40..+85°C screened
	08SA22-01	IBIS slave SA-Adapter™, -40..+85°C screened
	08SA25-00	GPS receiver, isolated, -40..+85°C screened
08SA26-00	RS422 with 15-pin D-Sub connector, with handshake signals (RTS, CTS, DCD, DTR), coated, -40..+85°C screened	
Miscellaneous Accessories	0780-0005	DisplayPort® to DVI-D adapter, 20 cm
Documentation	Compare Chart Standard and Custom Panel PCs » Download	
	20AE51-00	AE51 User Manual

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