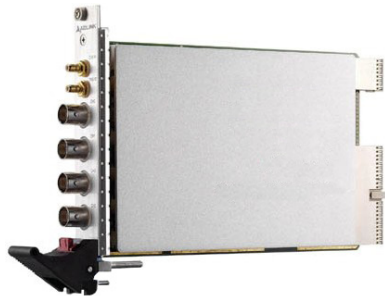


DATA SHEET



# PXI-9846D

4 CHANNEL, 16-BIT, 40 MS/S, PXI-H DIGITIZER  
WITH 512 MB MEMORY

## FEATURES

8-CH, 16-bit, 40 MSa/s simultaneous sampling  
analog outputs

512 MB deep on-board memory

Software selectable 50 $\Omega$  or 1 M $\Omega$  input impedance

$\pm 0.2V$  and  $\pm 1V$  input ranges

External clock support

Extensive analog and digital triggering

Fully auto calibration

Driver and SDK support for Windows and Linux, and for  
third-party applications including Visual Studio, LabVIEW  
and MATLAB



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# OVERVIEW

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The PXI-9846D is a 40 MS/s, 16-bit, 4 channel digitizer designed for digitizing high frequency and wide dynamic range signals with input frequencies up to 20 MHz. The analog input range can be programmed via software to  $\pm 1$  V or  $\pm 0.2$  V. The 512 MB deep onboard acquisition memory enables the recording of waveforms for extended periods of time.

The PXI-9846D is equipped with four high linearity 16-bit A/D converters ideal for demanding applications with a high dynamic range such as radar, ultrasound, and software-defined radio.

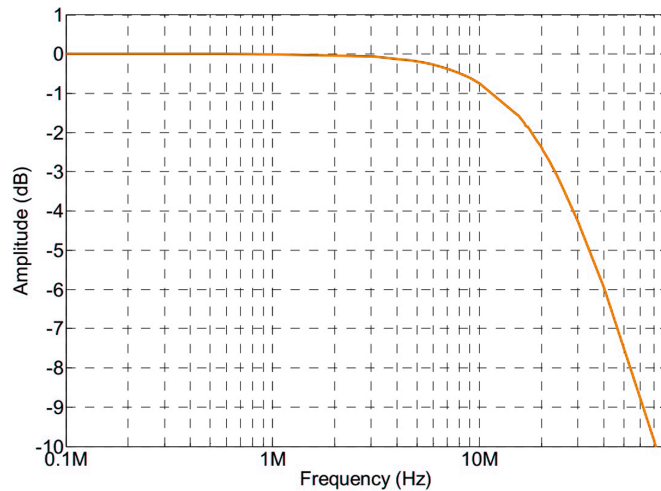
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## Detailed Specifications

### ANALOG SPECIFICATIONS

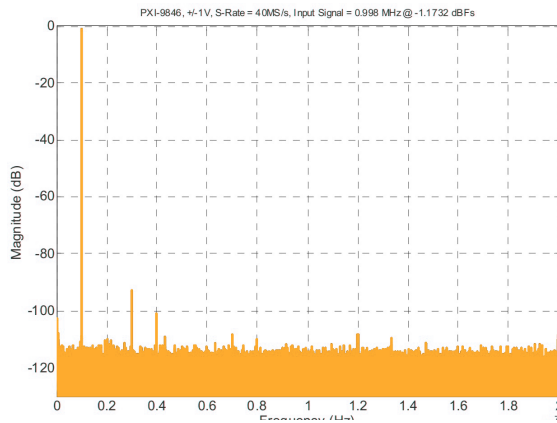
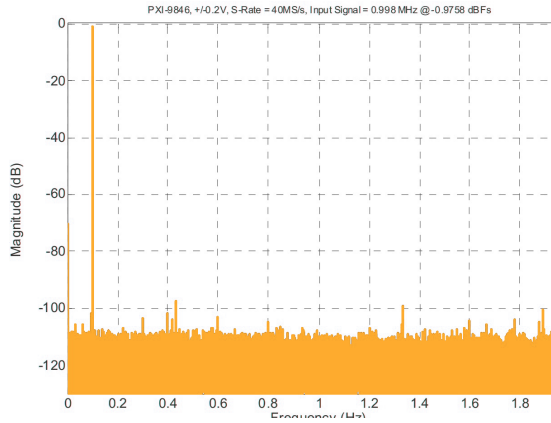
NUMBER OF CHANNELS	4 single-ended
INPUT IMPEDANCE	50 $\Omega$ or 1 M $\Omega$ software selectable
INPUT COUPLING	DC
INPUT RANGE	$\pm 0.2$ V, $\pm 1$ V
ADC RESOLUTION	16-bits
CROSSTALK	<-80 dB from DC to 1 MHz, all input ranges
SYSTEM NOISE, LSB RMS	$\pm 0.2$ V range: 8.0 $\pm 1$ V range: 5.0
OFFSET ERROR	$\pm 0.2$ mV
GAIN ERROR	$\pm 0.2$ V range: $\pm 0.1\%$ $\pm 1$ V range: $\pm 0.05\%$
-3 DB BANDWIDTH TYPICAL	20 MHz



### SPECTRAL CHARACTERISTICS

	$\pm 1$ V	$\pm 0.2$ V
SIGNAL TO NOISE AND DISTORTION (SINAD), TYPICAL	76.06 DBC	71.97 DBC
SIGNAL TO NOISE RATIO (SNR), TYPICAL	76.17 DBC	71.98 DBC
TOTAL HARMONIC DISTORTION (THD), TYPICAL	-90.65 DBC	-95.78 DBC
SPURIOUS FREE DYNAMIC RANGE (SFDR), TYPICAL	91.62 DBC	96.15 DBC
EFFECTIVE NUMBER OF BITS (ENOB), TYPICAL	12.34-BIT	11.66-BIT

## Detailed Specifications



### TIMEBASE

SAMPLE CLOCK SOURCE

Internal: on-board oscillator

External: CLK IN (front panel SMB connector), PXI Trigger Bus (0..7),

PXI 10 MHz, PXI Star

TIMEBASE FREQUENCY RANGE

1 MHz to 40 MHz

### DEDICATED EXTERNAL CLOCK INPUT

#### FROM FRONT PANEL

CONNECTOR TYPE

SMB

CLOCK TYPE

Sine or Square wave

INPUT IMPEDANCE

50 Ω

INPUT COUPLING

AC

INPUT RANGE

1 Vpp to 2 Vpp

OVERVOLTAGE PROTECTION

2.5 Vpp

### TRIGGERING

TRIGGER SOURCES

Software, TRG IO (front panel SMB connector),

Analog trigger all channels, PXI Star, PXI Trigger Bus

TRIGGER MODES

Pre-trigger, post-trigger, middle trigger, delay-trigger

### DATA STORAGE AND TRANSFER

ON-BOARD MEMORY

512 MB shared

DATA TRANSFER

Scatter-gather DMA

## Detailed Specifications

### GENERAL SPECIFICATIONS

I/O CONNECTOR

BNC x4 for analog inputs

SMB x2 for external digital trigger and external timebase input

OPERATING TEMPERATURE

0°C to 55°C

RELATIVE HUMIDITY:

10% to 90% non-condensing

POWER REQUIREMENT

3.3V: 0.8A

5V: 2A

12V: 0.3A

EMC/EMI: CE, FCC Class A

CERTIFICATIONS

Notes:

- 1) All specifications are typical unless otherwise stated as a minimum or maximum.
- 2) All specifications subject to change without notice.
- 3) All specifications assume within 24 hours and 5°C of self-calibration temperature unless otherwise specified
- 4) Distributed product. These products are manufactured and supported by other leading vendors

## Ordering Information

**PXI-9846D** 4 Channel, 16-bit, 40 MS/s, PXI Hybrid Digitizer with 512 MB Memory

### RELATED PRODUCTS

**EMX-4350** 4-Channel, 625k Sa/s Smart Dynamic Signal Analyzer

**EMX-4250** 16-Channel, 200k Sa/s Smart Dynamic Signal Analyzer

**CMX09** 9-slot, 3U PXI Express Chassis

**CMX18** 18-slot 3U PXI Express Chassis