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# Chapter 1 Introduction

This manual provides comprehensive hardware information on the IDAN-RSATA-SYS104 and RSATA34106.

This manual is organized as follows:

Chapter 1 Introduction

introduces product variations and their main features and specifications

**Chapter 2** Connecting the SATA Drive Carrier

provides information on installing the SATA drive carrier in a system

Appendix 1 IDAN™ Dimensions and Pinout

provides connector pinouts and locations for variations of SATA drive carriers installed in an

RTD Intelligent Data Acquisition Node (IDAN $^{\text{\tiny{TM}}}$ ) frame

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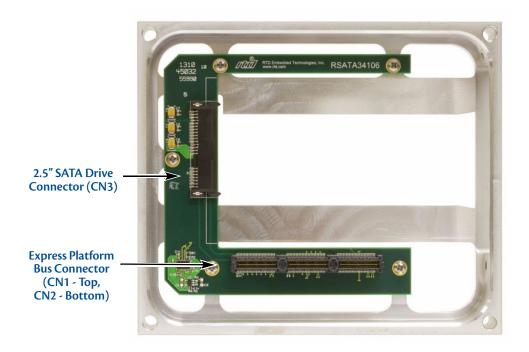
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### **RSATA34106 SATA Drive Carriers**

The RSATA34106 SATA drive carrier modules provide a mechanism to utilize the SATA links on the PCle/104 Type 2 bus connector on select RTD's PCI Express cpuModules. The onboard drive utilizes the first SATA link on the connector, while the other SATA link is lane-shifted up the stack, to permit stacking multiple SATA drive carrier modules within one system.

The RSATA34106 drive carrier provides power to the SATA drive, sourcing the power from the cpuModule's onboard connector, and thus eliminates the need for external out-of-stack cabling.

This manual provides instructions on how to install a 2.5" SATA drive in the removable drawer of the IDAN-RSATA-SYS104, and how to install the IDAN-RSATA-SYS104 into a PCI/104-Express or PCIe/104 system. It will help you get the SATA drive carrier module up and running quickly, and will also provide enough detail about the board and its functions so you can get maximum use of its features in the most demanding applications.



IDAN-RSATA-SYS104 with RSATA34106 SATA Drive Carrier (top view)

RSATA34106 SATA Drive Carrier

## **Ordering Information**

There are several versions of the SATA drive carrier module, some of which are designed for specific usage in an IDAN frame.

#### **Stand Alone Models**

The base design variant, intended for use without an RTD system enclosure, may be ordered with the following model number:

- **SATA34106:** 2.5" SATA drive carrier for use with a standalone cpuModule

#### **IDAN Models**

The SATA drive carrier can be purchased as part of an Intelligent Data Acquisition Node (IDAN™) building block, which consists of the SATA Drive Carrier module, and a milled aluminum IDAN frame. The IDAN building block can be used in just about any combination with other IDAN building blocks to create a simple but rugged PCI/104-Express or PCIe/104 stack. (for more information refer to Appendix 1).

Design variants of the SATA drive carrier module installed in an IDAN frame can be ordered with the following model numbers:

IDAN-SATA34106HRS: 2.5" SATA drive carrier for use in an IDAN system

IDAN-RSATA-SYS104: 2.5" SATA drive carrier with removable-drive access for use in an IDAN system

The SATA drive carrier can also be purchased as part of a custom-built RTD HiDAN™ or HiDAN*plus* High Reliability Intelligent Data Acquisition Node. Contact RTD for more information on its high reliability PC/PCI-104, PCI/104-Express, and PCIe/104 systems.

Each IDAN-RSATA-SYS104 SATA drive carrier module package contains the following items:

- RSATA34106 SATA drive carrier module
- Machined aluminum frame
- Removable drawer to permit easy removal of data from system
- Companion CD containing documentation

#### **SATA Drive Carrier Accessories**

In addition to the items included in your SATA drive carrier module package, several hardware accessories are available, including IDAN frame cable harnesses. Contact RTD or your distributor, or visit the RTD website at www.rtd.com, for more information and for advice on selecting the most appropriate application software and drivers and hardware accessories to support your control system.

Part Number	Description
IDAN-RSATA-DRAWER	Removable SATA Drawer for use with 2.5" SATA Drives

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#### **Features**

Some of the key features of the IDAN-RSATA-SYS104 SATA drive carrier include:

- Adds one 2.5" SATA (Serial ATA) drive to a system using the PCIe/104 Type 2 bus interface on select RTD cpuModules
  - Removable drawer carrier permits easy removal of data from the system
  - Stack up to 2x SATA drive carrier modules in one system
    - Useful for RAID configurations
- Benefits of SATA over PATA (Parallel ATA)
  - Transfer rates up to 3.0 Gbits per second is faster and more efficient than PATA
  - Dedicated SATA links for each drive in the system eliminate master/slave addressing jumpers
  - Backwards compatibility with PATA permits use of Legacy Mode
- Stackable PCle/104 Type 2 Expansion Bus
  - Permits system expandability by passing unused SATA links, PCI-Express links, and USB ports from the cpuModule to the next expansion module in the system
- Physical and environmental characteristics
  - Supports 2.5" SATA rotating or flash drives
  - -40 to +85°C operating temperature<sup>1</sup>
  - RTD IDAN™ compatible (see Appendix 1, IDAN™ Dimensions and Pinout)

## **Specifications**

#### Connectors

PCle/104 Type 2 Bus 156-pin Surface Mount (Top & Bottom)

**SATA Connector** 2.5" SATA drive

## **Operating Temperature Range**

Standard -40 to +85°C

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Operating temperature range may be limited by the rating of the SATA drive installed in the SATA drive carrier module

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## **Chapter 2** Connecting the SATA Drive Carrier

The RSATA34106 SATA drive carrier module interfaces easily to PCI/104-Express and PCIe/104 systems via the PCIe/104 Type 2 bus connector. This chapter provides general installation guidelines for the RSATA34106 as well as information on all connectors.

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## **Installation Considerations**

The RSATA34106 is a module with an PCIe/104 Type 2 bus. Therefore, the RSATA34106 should only be installed on a cpuModule which has an PCIe/104 Type 2 bus connector.



**CAUTION** The PCle/104 Type 2 connector is the same physical connector as the PCle/104 Type 1 connector, but has a different pinout. Though it is physically possible to connect the RSATA34106 directly to a PCle/104 Type 1 bus, doing so could harm the module and other boards in the system.

## **Proper Grounding Techniques**

Before removing the RSATA34106 from its static bag, proper grounding techniques must be used to prevent electrostatic discharge (ESD) damage to the module. Common grounding procedures include an anti-static mat on a workbench, which may connect to an anti-static wrist strap (also known as an ESD wrist strap) on the wrist of the technician or engineer.

### SATA Drive Carrier Installation

- 1. Turn off power to your PCI/104-Express or PCIe/104 system and unplug the cord.
- Ground yourself with an anti-static strap.
- 3. Line up the pins of the RSATA34106's bottom side connector with the PCIe/104 Type 2 bus of the stack and gently press the module onto the stack.



**CAUTION** The RSATA34106 should slide into the connectors on the matching PCI/104-Express or PCIe/104 system easily. Do not force the connection. Doing so might damage pins on the connectors.

- 4. If any modules are to be installed on the PCIe/104 Type 2 bus above the RSATA34106, install them.
- Attach any necessary cables to the stack.
- Reconnect the power cord and apply power to the stack. 6.
- 7. Boot the system and verify that all of the hardware is working properly.

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## **RSATA34106 Connector Locations**

Figure 2 shows the connectors of the SATA driver carrier module.

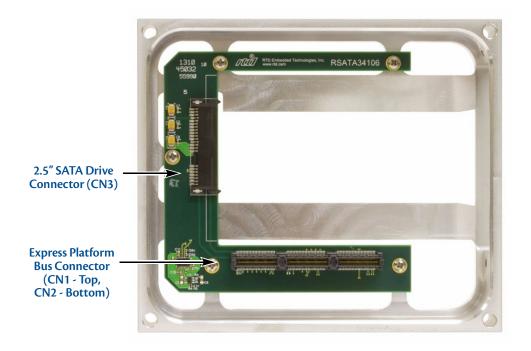


Figure 2 RSATA34106 Connector Locations



**Note** Pin 1 of the PCle/104 Type 2 bus connectors is indicated by a silk screen border at the corner of each connector on the top and bottom of the board. Pin 1 of each connector matches when stacking with other PCle/104 Type 2 modules.

Table 1 RSATA34106 Connectors

Connector	Function	Size
CN1	PCle/104 Type 2 Bus (top)	156-pin
CN2	PCle/104 Type 2 Bus (bottom)	156-pin
CN3	2.5" SATA Drive Connector	7-pin (data segment), 14-pin (power segment)

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## PCIe/104 Type 2 Bus (CN1 & CN2)

## PCIe/104 Type 2 Compatibility

The PCIe/104 Type 2 bus is compatible with any PCI/104-Express or PCIe/104 peripheral module that does not use the x16 Link. This includes any card that uses the PCIe x1 links, USB, or a power supply.

#### **Pin Connections**

The signals on the first bank match definitions found in the PCI/104-Express & PCIe/104 Specification Version 1.1 from the PC/104 Embedded Consortium. The signals on the second and third bank are used for SATA hard drive carrier expansion. Table 2 lists the pinout of the PCIe/104 Type 2 bus connector.

Connector **CN1** on the bottom side of the RSATA34106 is the source for the signals of the cpuModule's PCle/104 Type 2 bus. The only connections on the top-side PCle/104 Type 2 bus connector (**CN1**) that are not directly passed through from the bottom-side connector (**CN2**) are the SATA links. Other unused features on the bus that are provided by the cpuModule are passed through the RSATA34106's bus connector to the next peripheral module in the stack.

For details on how the SATA links are utilized and passed through the RSATA34106, refer to SATA Link Shifting — page 20.



**Note** Pin 1 of the PCle/104 Type 2 bus connectors is indicated by a silk screen border at the corner of each connector on the top and bottom of the board.

Table 2 PCle/104 Type 2 Bus Signal Assignments<sup>1</sup>

Pin	Signal		Signal	Pin
1	Pass-through		Pass-through	2
3	+3.3V		+3.3V	4
5	Pass-through		Pass-through	6
7	Pass-through		Pass-through	8
9	GND		GND	10
11	Pass-through		Pass-through	12
13	Pass-through		Pass-through	14
15	GND		GND	16
17	Pass-through		Pass-through	18
19	Pass-through		Pass-through	20
21	GND		GND	22
23	Pass-through		Pass-through	24
25	Pass-through	olts	Pass-through	26
27	GND	 +5 Volts 	GND	28
29	Pass-through		Pass-through	30
31	Pass-through		Pass-through	32
33	GND		GND	34
35	Pass-through		Pass-through	36
37	Pass-through		Pass-through	38
39	Pass-through		Pass-through	40
41	Pass-through		Pass-through	42
43	Pass-through		Pass-through	44
45	CPU_DIR		Pass-through	46
47	Pass-through		Pass-through	48
49	Pass-through		Pass-through	50
51	Pass-through		Pass-through	52

Table 2 PCle/104 Type 2 Bus Signal Assignments<sup>1</sup>

Pin	Signal		Signal	Pin
53	Reserved		Pass-through	54
55	GND		GND	56
57	Pass-through	-	Pass-through	58
59	Pass-through		Pass-through	60
61	GND		GND	62
63	Pass-through		Pass-through	64
65	Pass-through		Pass-through	66
67	GND		GND	68
69	Pass-through		Pass-through	70
71	Pass-through		Pass-through	72
73	GND		GND	74
75	Pass-through		Pass-through	76
77	Pass-through	olts	Pass-through	78
79	GND	+5 Volts	GND	80
81	SATA_1Tp <sup>2</sup>		SATA_0Tp <sup>2</sup>	82
83	SATA_1Tn <sup>2</sup>		SATA_0Tn <sup>2</sup>	84
85	GND		GND	86
87	Pass-through		Pass-through	88
89	Pass-through		Pass-through	90
91	GND		GND	92
93	Pass-through		Pass-through	94
95	Pass-through		Pass-through	96
97	GND		GND	98
99	SATA_DET#1 <sup>2</sup>		SATA_DET#0 <sup>2</sup>	100
101	SATA_PWREN#1 <sup>2</sup>		SATA_PWREN#0 <sup>2</sup>	102
103	GND	-	GND	104

Table 2 PCle/104 Type 2 Bus Signal Assignments<sup>1</sup>

Pin	Signal		Signal	Pin
105	Pass-through		Pass-through	106
107	GND		GND	108
109	Pass-through		Pass-through	110
111	Pass-through		Pass-through	112
113	GND		GND	114
115	Pass-through		Pass-through	116
117	Pass-through		Pass-through	118
119	GND		GND	120
121	Pass-through		Pass-through	122
123	Pass-through		Pass-through	124
125	GND		GND	126
127	Pass-through		Pass-through	128
129	Pass-through	/olts	Pass-through	130
131	GND	  -  -  -  -  -  -  -  -	GND	132
133	SATA_1Rp <sup>2</sup>		SATA_0Rp <sup>2</sup>	134
135	SATA_1Rn <sup>2</sup>		SATA_0Rn <sup>2</sup>	136
137	GND		GND	138
139	Pass-through		Pass-through	140
141	Pass-through		Pass-through	142
143	GND		GND	144
145	Pass-through		Pass-through	146
147	Pass-through		Pass-through	148
149	GND		GND	150
151	Pass-through		Pass-through	152
153	Pass-through		Pass-through	154
155	GND		GND	156

<sup>1.</sup> Signals marked with (#) are active low.

<sup>2.</sup> For a description of SATA lane usage on the RSATA34106, refer to SATA Link Shifting — page 20.

## 2.5" SATA Drive Connector (CN3)

The 2.5" SATA drive connector on the RSATA34106 provides a convenient interface to the first SATA link on the PCIe/104 Type 2 bus on RTD's PCI Express cpuModules.

## **SATA Link Shifting**

The RSATA34106's 2.5" SATA Drive Connector (**CN3**) utilizes the first SATA link on the PCle/104 Type 2 bus. As a result, the unused SATA link on the bus is shifted from the bottom-side PCle/104 Type 2 connector (**CN2**) to the top-side (**CN1**). Shifting the remaining link allows a second RSATA34106 (or other SATA drive carrier) to be installed upwards in the stack.

Figure 3 shows a block diagram of the SATA drive carrier module and how it interfaces to the cpuModule.

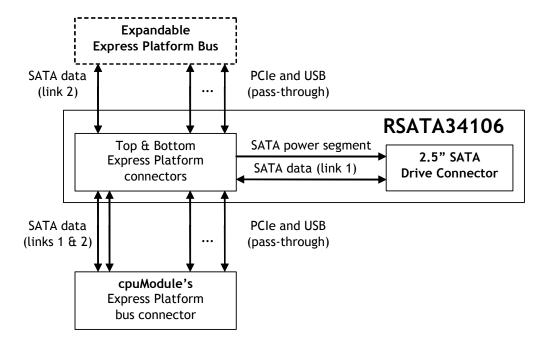


Figure 3 RSATA34106 - Block Diagram

## Appendix 1 IDAN™ Dimensions and Pinout

SATA Drive Carrier modules, like all other RTD PC/PCI-104, PCI/104-Express, and PCIe/104 modules, can be packaged in Intelligent Data Acquisition Node (IDAN) frames, which are milled aluminum frames with integrated heat sinks and heat pipes for fanless operation. RTD modules installed in IDAN frames are called building blocks. IDAN building blocks maintain the simple but rugged PC/104 stacking concept. Each RTD module is mounted in its own IDAN frame and all I/O connections are brought to the walls of each frame using standard PC connectors. No connections are made from module to module internal to the system other than through the PC/104 and PC/104-Plus bus, enabling quick interchangeability and system expansion without hours of rewiring and board redesign.

The RSATA34106 SATA Drive Carrier can also be purchased as part of a custom-built RTD HiDAN™ or HiDAN*plus*™ High Reliability Intelligent Data Acquisition Node. This appendix provides the dimensions and pinouts of the RSATA34106 installed in an IDAN frame. Contact RTD for more information on high reliability IDAN, HiDAN, and HiDAN*plus PC/PCI-104*, PCI/104-Express, and PCIe/104 systems.



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### **IDAN-RSATA-SYS104**

The IDAN-RSATA-SYS104 is a RSATA34106 SATA Drive Carrier packaged in an IDAN frame. It includes a removable drawer which acts as a carrier for a 2.5" SATA drive, and permits easy removal of data from a PCI/104-Express or PCIe/104 system.



**Note** Photographs not to scale.



Figure 4 IDAN-RSATA-SYS104, Drawer Open



Figure 5 IDAN-RSATA-SYS104, Drawer Closed

### Removable Drawer

The removable drawer carrier allows a 2.5" SATA drive to be easily added or removed from the IDAN-RSATA-SYS104. To install or remove a 2.5" SATA drive from the drawer, ten screws must be removed from the carrier, as shown in Figure 6, below.

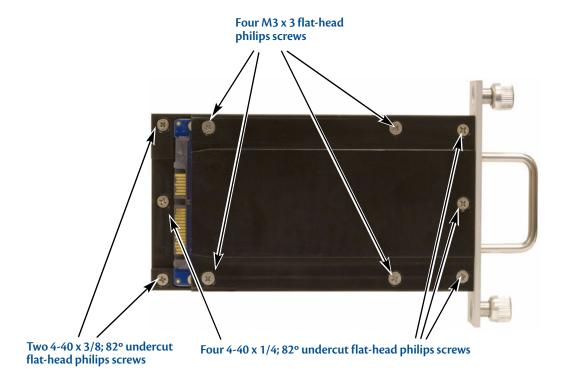


Figure 6 IDAN-RSATA-SYS104 Drawer (Carrier)

## **Dimensional Drawing**

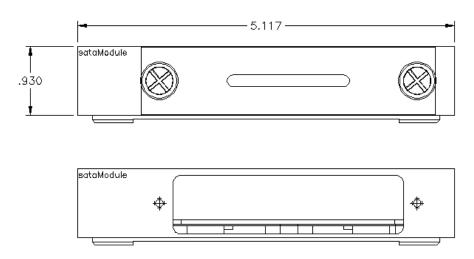


Figure 7 IDAN-RSATA-SYS104 Dimensions

**Note** Drawing in inches.

**Note** Drawing not to scale.

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