



The Rack Connection Module (RCM) accepts +24 Vdc¹ from one or two independent power sources and distributes the power along the rack backplane where it is used by all other modules including UMMs, TMMs, and SAMs. When redundant power sources are used, the voltages from both are distributed on the backplane; each UMM, TMM, and SAM automatically and independently selects the highest in-specification voltage. As soon as one voltage is removed or drops below the other, all modules seamlessly switch to the alternate source, assuring uninterrupted operation.

The RCM also provides connections common to the entire rack. These include the System OK relay, a local Reset (Acknowledge) pushbutton, and terminals for wiring remote contacts that invoke the rack's Trip Multiply, Inhibit, Reset, and Special Alarm Inhibit features. A special set of connectors is also provided with buffered transducer signals from every channel in the rack². This connector set is intended primarily for permanently wired patch panels or selected data acquisition instruments that accept more than 4 channels at a time.

One RCM is required for each SETPOINT rack and must reside in slot 1. Slots 2-16 are reserved for other module types.

The Power Connection Module (PCM) is an optional accessory that may reside in any rack slot, and is used in conjunction with the RCM for redundant power schemes. The PCM is identical to the RCM, but has connections only for Power 1 (P1) and Power 2 (P2). The presence of both an RCM and a PCM in a rack allows either of these modules to be removed without interrupting rack power, providing the highest level of tolerance to single point failures. Refer to pages 11 and 12 of this datasheet for diagrams showing typical redundant power configurations.

1. 24 Vdc nominal. RCM accepts continuous voltages between +22 and +30 Vdc (SIL: +23.1 to +26 Vdc) with transients between +18 and +36 Vdc.

2. Vibration, speed, phase, and position channels in slots 3-16 only. TMM channels are not included at this connector set. Slot 2 channels are not included at this connector set.

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Features and Benefits

- Industry-standard 24 Vdc power Many facilities already have 24 Vdc instrument power readily available. In such instances, the SETPOINT system requires no special power supplies – simply connect your 24 Vdc power source(s) directly to the Rack Connection Module.
- Flexible power choices 24 volts not readily available? No problem. The SETPOINT system allows you to use your choice of offthe-shelf power supplies from a variety of leading suppliers including Phoenix, Weidmuller, Traco, and others. These industry-standard DIN-rail modules readily convert a variety of AC and DC voltages to 24 Vdc instrument power. For convenience, we offer these external supplies as an ordering option with your SETPOINT system. All are approved for use in Div 2 / Zone 2 hazardous areas.
- Less heat, longer life Because power supplies are located outside the rack, heat inside the rack is minimized and the life of the system is prolonged.
- Truly redundant supplies The RCM accepts two independent 24 volt supply inputs. Via the backplane, these supplies are delivered to each and every module in the rack. The module in each slot individually determines the best available supply. As soon as one supply is removed (or drops below the other), all modules seamlessly switch to the alternate supply assuring uninterrupted system operation.
- Distributed power regulation for improved reliability – Unlike systems that centrally regulate or condition incoming power and then distribute every voltage needed, the RCM merely assures that primary and secondary (if present) supplies are within acceptable limits and passes their voltage to the backplane. Each monitor module creates its own regulated voltages. This design philosophy reduces the potential for rack single-point failures compared to systems that generate all regulated voltages centrally. In the

SETPOINT system, regulator problems affect only a single module, not the entire rack.

- **Programmable rack control options** Rack control signals can be invoked via hardwired connections to the RCM on a rackwide basis, or on a per-channel or group basis when invoked via Modbus or via UMM discrete inputs. Channel groupings for control signals are fully programmable, allowing necessary flexibility when multiple machines are monitored in a single instrument rack.
- 56-channel buffered transducer output connection – The SETPOINT system provides unparalleled flexibility for accessing buffered transducer outputs with 3 programmable BNC connectors on the front panel, 4-channel RJ45 connectors on each UMM, and two 30-pin connectors on the RCM for simultaneous access to all vibration / speed / position channels. This connector is ideal for permanent patch panel installations or connection to multi-channel data acquisition instruments.

• SIL-Capable Architecture SETPOINT® is suitable for use as part of a SIS, to implement safety instrumented functions up to SIL 2 when configured, installed and commissioned properly as per instructions provided within the Operations and Maintenance Manual (S1079330) and safety manuals (C107577, C107576, C107578, C107579).

RCM / PCM Specifications

All specifications are at +25C (+77° F) unless otherwise noted.

Inputs						
Number of Supplies	Accepts up to two 24 Vdc independent power sources					
Allowable Wiring Sizes	PWR: 12-16 AWG Fault Relay: 12-24 AWG Rack Control Inputs: 14-28 AWG					
Connectors	Removable, with positive retention					
Reverse Polarity Protection	Power inputs protected from continuous input polarity reversal.					
Input Voltage	 Nominal: +24 Vdc Continuous: + 22 to +30 Vdc (SIL: +23.1 to +26 Vdc) Transient (< 1 sec): +18 to + 36 Vdc Ripple: < 100mV pk to pk 					
Power Consumption	≤ 1.25 W when input power voltage is 22 to 26 Vdc.					
	NOTE: Power consumption is for RCM only, not entire rack. For rack power consumption, refer to SETPOINT System Overview datasheet S1077785.					
Power Input Fuse Rating	10 A					
Ground Select	 System common tied to chassis ground (external jumper* installed) System common isolated from chassis ground** (external jumper* removed) *Jumper is accessible from the front of the rack and may be installed on either the P1 or P2 removable wiring connectors. ** This configuration is commonly used for systems with IS barriers where a 					

Control Inputs	Function
	 Alarm Reset Trip Multiply Rack Inhibit Special Alarm Inhibit All invoke their respective conditions on a rack-wide basis. To invoke functions on a per-channel or group basis, UMM discrete input channels or the MODBUS interface on the System Access Module (SAM) may be used.
	Logic Type*
	Short = true * Active low TTL voltage mode
	Contact Type
	Dry (switched current < 1 mA)
	Outputs
Fault Relay	 Quantity: 1 Normally Energized (ensures relay will change state and annunciate rack loss of power) Contact Labeling: NO: Open under fault* conditions NC: Closed under fault* conditions
	 Type: SPDT, form C Sealant: epoxy Min. Switched Current: 10 mA Max switched power (resistive): 5A @ 48 Vrms or 30 Vdc



LEDs	OK LED						
	On – The entire rack is						
	relay is inactive						
	Off – The system has detected a fault or a NOT OK on any						
	channel*; the fault relay is active						
	• P1 LED						
	On - Power input 1 is connected and within specification						
	Off – Power input 1 is						
	disconnected or outside specification						
	• P2 LED						
	On – Power input 2 is connected						
	Off – Power input 2 is						
	disconnected or outside						
	* Bypassed channels do not vote in determining OK condition.						
	** P1 is not necessarily primary power						
	and P2 is not necessarily secondary power. Each installed module in the rack						
	will evaluate the P1 and P2 voltages on the backplane and select the highest in-						
	spec voltage.						
Buffered	Channels						
Outputs	56*						
·	* Only Universal Monitoring Module (UMM) channels. TMM (temperature)						
	channels are not provided.						
	Connector Qty / Type						
	Two Molex [®] Pico-Clasp [®] 30-pin receptacles, each with 28 buffered						
	output channels.*						
	* Buffered outputs are also available on each UMM via an RJ45 connector with all						
	4 channels, and on the optional rack faceplate via 3 programmable BNC-type						
	connectors.						
	Impedance						
	• 550 Ω						
	Short-Circuit Protected						
	• Yes						
	Signal Type						

			transducer signal in mV/engineering units				
		En	vironmental				
e	Operating		-20 °C to +65 C				
ratu	Storage		-40 °C to +85 °C				
mpe	Operating R	amp	Do not exceed 0.5C/minute				
Tel	Storage Rar	np	Do not exceed 10C/minute				
Hum	nidity		5 % to 95 %, non-condensing				
		CEN	Mark Directive				
ESD)		 Contact: 6 kV* Air: 8 kV * Criteria B 				
Radiated EMI Susceptibility			 80 – 1000 MHz: 20 V/m* 1.4 – 2 GHz: 6 V/m* 2 – 2.7 GHz: 3 V/m* * Criteria A 				
Magnetic Field			30 A/m, Criteria A				
EFT Burst			2 kV, Criteria B				
es	Sector EFT Surge		2 kV line to ground, Criteria B				
ower Lin	Conducted	RFI	150 kHz to 80 MHz, Criteria A				
Signal and P	Conducted Common M Immunit	RF ode y	 15 Hz – 150 Hz: 10 V* 150 Hz – 1.5 kHz: 1V* 1.5 kHz – 150 kHz: 10 V* * Criteria A 				
	Radiated EMI Emissions		30 dB µV/m @ 30 m, 30 MHz – 1000 MHz, Class A				
Con	ducted Emis	sion	60 dB μV/m @ 30 m, 0.5 MHz – 30 MHz, Class A				
Power Voltage Dip Interruption		Dip	AC: 250 periods, 95% reduction DC: 30 ms, 100% reduction (Criteria B for both AC and DC)				
Power Voltage Dip Immunity		Dip	AC: ½ period, 30% reduction DC: 10 ms, 60% reduction (Criteria B for both AC and DC)				

Raw (unfiltered, no integration)

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Low Voltage Directive	Council Directive 2014/35/EU Low voltage using BK Vibro- supplied power supply (rack ordering option –CC) or other Low Voltage Directive approved supply.
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Hazardous Area Approvals (RCM/PCM only – see Table 1 for EPS approvals)								
Minden, NV 89423 USA	by Briel & Kjær Vibro EXEMPTS EXEMPTS EXEMPTS EXEMPTS www.setpointvibration.com www.setpointvibration.com EX. nA. nC. IIC. 180°C(T3). Gc; IECEX ETL 17.0045X; EXEMPTS EXEMPTS Cirl C 160°C(T3). Gc; IECEX ETL 17.0045X; Conforms to ANSIVL STD. 61010-1, US 1505.60079.0 Xin An Cli IC 13. Gc; Gc; Gcouper, JB, C, D, T3C; Conforms to ANSIVL STD. 61010-1, US 1505.60079.0							
Interrets, 5001037 CANADA: Ex nA nC IIC T3 Gc; Class I, Division 2, Groups A, B, C, D, T3C; Store 1, Store 1,								
	Physical							
Size	9.1" H x 9.0" D x 1.0" W (231 mm x 229 mm x 25 mm)							
Weight	9.2 oz (262 g)							
Rack Slots Required	One (must reside in rack slot 1)							
Safety Integrity	Level (SIL) Capability*							
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EPS Specifications

Refer to Table 1 below for summary specifications of External Power Supplies (EPSs) and compatibility with various rack sizes. For comprehensive EPS specifications, refer to the respective manufacturers' datasheets.

TABLE 1 – SUMMARY SPECIFICATIONS AND RACK COMPATIBILITY FOR EXTERNAL POWER SUPPLIES																			
		INPUT			OUTPUT				RACK COMPATIBILITY			MX2020/RCK-CC							
SETPOINT P/N MFR ¹ MFR P/N ²	Voltage	Frequency (Hz)	Phase	Voltage	Current	Power @ 25C	Power @65C	4-P	8-P	16-P	CC=	QTY	CC=	QTY	Agency Apprvis				
100/11/3	TR	TSP 360-124EX	110/220 Vac	110/220 \/22	50/60	1	24\/dc	15 \	360\\/	10/1/	v	V	v	01	1	02	2	√5	
1004115	WD	110 582 00 00		50/60	1	24 V U C	IJA	30000	19477	T	T	T	01	I	02	2	Υ-		
100414	TR	TSP 480-124- 3PAC400EX	400 Vac	50/60	3	24Vdc	20A	480W	420W	Y	Y	Y	03	1	04	2	Y 5		
100416	TR	TSP 480-124- 3PAC500EX	500 Vac	50/60	3	24Vdc	20A	480W	420W	Y	Y	Y	05	1	06	2	Y 5		
100417		23 20 91 1	110/220 Vac 90-250 Vdc	110/220 Vac 90-250 Vdc	110/220 Vac 90-250 Vdc	50/00		041/1	404	0.40\\\/	040144	V	v	v	07	4	0.0	~	Y 6
100417A	PH	28 66 76 3				50/60	1	24Vac	TUA	24077	21000	ř	Y	ř	07	.1	08	2	N 7
100546 TR WD	TR	TSP 180-124EX	440/000 \/	50/00	4	04)/de	7 6 4	40014/	0714/	V	V	N	00	4	10	~	×5		
	110 581 00 00	110/220 vac	50/60	1	24Vac	Ac.1	18000	97 VV	Y	Y	IN	09	1	10	2	γ°			
100547	TR	TSP 090-124EX	110/220 \/22	50/60	4	24\/do	2 75 1	00\//	10\\/	V	N	N	11	1	10	2	√5		
100547	WD	110 579 00 00	110/220 Vac	110/220 Vac	50/60	1	24 V U C	3.73A	9000	4011	T	IN	IN	11	I	12	2	ř-	
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NOTES:

- 1. TR=TRACO, WD=Weidmuller, PH=Phoenix Contact
- 2. Refer to manufacturer's datasheets for comprehensive specifications.
- 3. Part numbers 100411 and 100548A have lead times of 1-2 weeks; other power supplies may incur longer lead times.
- 4. Identical to SETPOINT p/n 100548, but power supply carries no agency approvals and has no conformal coating. May be used in installations where agency approvals not required.
- 5. Provided with following multiple approvals as standard:
 - CSA Class I, Division 2, Groups A-D; Class I, Zone 2, Ex nC IIC T4
 - ATEX II 3G Eex nAC IIC T4
 - IEC/EN Class I, Zone 2, Eex nC II C T4 U

- CE

- 6. Provided with following multiple approvals as standard: UL/c-UL Recognized UL 1604 Class I, Division 2, Groups A-D
 - ATEX II 3G Eex nAC IIC T4

- CE

7. Identical to SETPOINT p/n 100417, but power supply carries no agency approvals and has no conformal coating. May be used in installations where agency approvals not required



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RCM Ordering Information

Spare RCM Cards

When ordering spare RCM cards, use the part number below. When ordering as part of a system, do not order RCM cards and other rack components individually. Instead, order using part number VC-8000/RCK options AA through VV. Refer to SETPOINT[®] system datasheet S1077785 to specify rack size, module types for each slot, faceplate, touchscreen, mounting style,



slot, faceplate, touchscreen, mounting style, and other options.

VC-8000/RCM-AA

Rack Connection Module (spare)

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Agency Approvals and Certifications

- **0 5** Multiple Approvals (ETLc, IEC, ATEX)
- **0 7** SIL & Multi (ETLc, IEC, ATEX)

CAUTION

Monitor system modules are shipped with default factory configuration settings, which are not necessarily suitable for any particular application. Before use, each module and channel must be configured properly for its application via SETPOINT[®]

configuration software. This software is included with each system or module ordered and is also available for download at www.setpoint.bkvibro.com



Power Connection Module

Refer to page 1 for a description of the Power Connection Module (PCM). Pages 11 and 12 show various RCM and PCM redundant power configurations along with corresponding failure modes each can address. Unlike an RCM, a PCM does not come pre-installed in the rack. Order separately using the



information below. VC-8000/PCM-AA Power Connection Module

AA Agency Approvals

0 5 Multiple Approvals (ETLc, IEC, ATEX)

EPS Ordering Information

Spare External Power Supplies

When ordering spare power

supplies, use the part numbers in Table 1 on page 6. When ordering as part of a system, do not order power supplies separately. Instead, specify using part number VC-8000/RCK via the CC ordering option (see SETPOINT System Overview datasheet S1077785).











Failure Mode	Coverage	RCM
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RCM Failure	×	
PCM Failure	N/A	
P1 Failure	\checkmark	
P2 Failure	\checkmark	
RCM + P1 Failure	×	
RCM + P2 Failure	×	
PCM + P1 Failure	N/A	
PCM + P2 Failure	N/A	
RCM + PCM Failure	N/A	
P1 + P2 Failure	×	
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		24Vdc CCCCCCCCCCCCCCCCCCCCCCCCCCCCCCCCCCCC
		P1 P2

Configuration 1: RCM Only, Redundant Power Supplies

Configuration 2: RCM and PCM, Separate Power Supplies





Failure Mode	Coverage
RCM Failure	\checkmark
PCM Failure	\checkmark
P1 Failure	\checkmark
P2 Failure	\checkmark
RCM + P1 Failure	\checkmark
RCM + P2 Failure	\checkmark
PCM + P1 Failure	×
PCM + P2 Failure	\checkmark
RCM + PCM Failure	×
P1 + P2 Failure	×

Configuration 3: RCM and PCM, Shared Power Supplies



NOTE:

External fuses required as shown to limit current in each branch to 10A.

Accessories

System Power Cable

This cable is used to connect 24Vdc power from an external source to the P1 or P2 connectors on the RCM. One end of the cable is prewired to the RCM mating



connector and the other end has no connector installed, allowing it to be trimmed to length in the field. Cable is a shielded twisted pair (black = COM, red = +24 Vdc) with drain wire.

A separate conductor (green) is provided for connection of chassis ground. All conductors are 12 AWG. A jumper is installed in the RCM connector tying COM to chassis ground. It may be removed for installations in which chassis ground and COM must be at different potentials

(e.g., intrinsically safe installations).

100435-AA	
System Power Cable	

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Cable Length

1 0 10 foot (3 m) cable length



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