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## **RUGGEDCOM RNA**

**Developer Guide** 

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# Preface

This document describes RUGGEDCOM RNA modules, a family of compact network switches that incorporate the latest advances necessary for reliable high-speed networking. RNA modules are highly self-contained, and are designed to be integrated into OEM equipment such as IEDs.

## **About This Guide**

This guide is meant to provide a reference for OEM equipment integrators seeking to incorporate a RUGGEDCOM RNA module into their equipment. Mechanical, electrical, command and network interfaces are specified.

This document also covers detail of the networking features of RUGGEDCOM RNA, to provide a reference for system and network designers considering the overall system in which RUGGEDCOM RNA will be deployed.

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• Rugged Operating System (ROS) User Guide for RS950G

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# Product Overview

RUGGEDCOM RNA (Redundant Network Architecture) modules are a family of compact network switches that enable OEM devices with the latest advances in High-availability Seamless Redundancy (HSR - IEC 62439-3 Clause 5) and Parallel Redundancy Protocol (PRP - IEC 62439-3 Clause 4), offering the ultimate network reliability and zero fail-over time. RNA modules are available in 100 Mb or 1 Gb speeds with up to three ports providing tremendous flexibility to suit any host IED and application.

Based on the latest addition to the IEC 62439 standard for High Availability Ethernet, RNA can make any IED fully inter-operable with any High-availability Seamless Redundancy (HSR) or Parallel Redundancy Protocol (PRP) network providing redundancy down to the packet level.

These self-contained modules allow system designers to build all of these technologies into their designs that take advantage of them with a minimum of integration effort.

RNA modules are programmed with industry leading Siemens ROS firmware for the ultimate Utility Grade reliability and performance. The RS950G Redbox host is available to provide designers with a reference to quickly design and prove the IED interface.s

The following are highlights of the RNA module features:

#### **RNA Module Hardware Features**

- · 3 external ports at either Fast Ethernet or Gigabit speeds
- · Latest generation FPGA parts for minimum power consumption
- · 3.3VDC power inputs
- Compact size: 7.62cm x 5.08cm x 1.52cm
- Low profile: height when installed on a PCB is less than or equal to the height of an RJ45 connector
- · CPU embedded within FPGA
- · 512MBit SDRAM for the ROS firmware
- · 128Mbit SPI Flash for FPGA and ROS binary images

#### **RNA Packet Processor**

- · All ports operate at wire-speed; non-blocking
- · Software configurable for HSR or PRP

#### Self-Contained, Managed System

- · Independent CPU reduces IED CPU overhead from management protocols
- · Greater reliability IED sub-system failure should not impact network
- CSV file or SQL configuration compatible with Rugged Operating System (ROS)®



# 2 Featured Technologies

The following sections describe the technologies used in RUGGEDCOM RNA modules:

- Section 2.1, "Parallel Redundancy Protocol"
- · Section 2.2, "High-Availability Seamless Redundancy"
- Section 2.3, "Modes"
- Section 2.4, "Reference Implementation (RS950G)"
- Section 2.5, "Precision Time Protocol (PTP) 1-Step Transparent Clock"

## Section 2.1 Parallel Redundancy Protocol

Doubly Attached Node, PRP-aware (DANP) provides network redundancy by connecting to two independent LANs (e.g. LAN A and LAN B) operating in parallel. The two LANs can have different topology and performance. In order to achieve true redundancy, the two LANs must be failure-independent (the failure of either network must not affect the operation of the other).

Periodic PRP supervision frames are sent out by DANP in order to assist nodes on the network in monitoring the integrity of the network and presence of nodes. These supervision frames help other nodes to figure out which devices are on the network, the type of the device (e.g. DANP, SANA, SANB), MAC addresses of the device and operating mode (e.g. duplicate accept vs. duplicate remove).

## Section 2.2 High-Availability Seamless Redundancy

HSR was officially integrated into the IEC 62439-3 standard in February 2010. A ring network, or a ring of rings, implementing HSR technology supports zero switchover time in the case of a single link failure. Compared to PRP (Section 2.1, "Parallel Redundancy Protocol"), HSR only demands about half of the network infrastructure. However, network bandwidth on an HSR ring is roughly halved compared with a network ring based on RSTP, MRP or DRP technology. All of the network nodes inside an HSR ring must be HSR-capable (i.e. DANH or Doubly-Attached HSR Node). HSR-unaware nodes can be attached to the HSR ring through the use of a *RedBox* (Redundancy Box).

Unlike STP (Spanning Tree Protocol), which requires the reconfiguration of an active network topology over redundant physical links, HSR provides *hitless* network recovery in a ring topology. In other words, HSR network convergence time from single link failure is zero. The basic principle behind HSR is the replication of frames over both sides of the HSR ring as shown in Figure 2.



Nodes within the ring are restricted to be HSR-capable switching nodes. General-purpose nodes (HSR unaware nodes or SAN - Singly Attach Node) cannot be attached directly to the HSR ring, but require a RedBox. A RedBox is a device with at least three ports, two of them being ring ports for the HSR protocol, the third port being connect to an interlink.

HSR treats two physical Ethernet ports as a single aggregate port. An HSR node uses a single MAC address on both HSR ports. This makes redundancy transparent to layers above MAC. HSR therefore provides layer 2 redundancy according to the OSI networking model.

RUGGEDCOM RNA supports full HSR RedBox functionality as described in IEC62439-3, including generation of HSR supervision frames on behalf of SANs.

When a network link fails inside an HSR ring, one of the two frames sent out from source DANH will never reach the destination DANH. The destination DANH may report the missing duplicate, but even so, the communication path between source and destination DANH remains fully operational.

### **NOTE** *Current HSR implementation limits link utilization at 74% when using multicast traffic.*

Section 2.3

## Modes

The RNA Module supports two modes of operation which leads to different possible use cases. The first mode of operation is called DANH Mode (Doubly Attached Node HSR Mode) and the other mode of operation is called DANP Mode (Doubly Attached Node PRP Mode). These two operation modes and their corresponding use cases will be described in the following sections:

The following sections describe the available modes in further detail:

- Section 2.3.1, "DANH Mode"
- Section 2.3.2, "DANP Mode"

## Section 2.3.1 DANH Mode

Under this mode, the RNA Module is integrated into a 3rd party system (i.e. Host System). One example of such system would be an IED which requires direct connection to an HSR ring. As depicted in the following diagram, the RNA Module acts as a bridge between Host System network traffic and HSR ring traffic. The RNA Module will take care duplicating Host System traffic onto both ring ports as well as removing duplication in the received HSR ring traffic. HSR supervision frames will be transmitted and processed by the RNA Module on behalf of the Host System and as a result, from the perspective of other nodes on the HSR ring, the Host System is simply a DANH node.



The most common network topologies involving DANH nodes are:

• Ring Topology

DANHs are connected directly to each other to form an HSR ring. Zero switchover time is supported in the case of a single point link failure. However, available network bandwidth in the ring is roughly halved due to the nature of duplicate transmission of HSR protocol.

Separate Network Topology

PRP network uses this topology to achieve redundancy. The advantage of such topology with HSR is that the network can still support zero switchover time for multiple link failures as long as those link failures all occur

inside one of the networks. The downside of this topology is that it requires higher setup costs for the extra network infrastructure.

The following diagram shows an example implementation of an HSR ring featuring several IEDs (with RNA Module integrated) connect directly to the HSR ring. These IEDs are made HSR-aware by the RNA Module. RS950G performs as an HSR RedBox allowing Non-HSR device connect to the same HSR ring indirectly.



# Section 2.3.2 **DANP Mode**

In DANP mode, the RUGGEDCOM RNA Module is integrated into a 3rd party host system. One example of such a system is an IED which requires a direct connection to a PRP network. The RNA Module running in DANP Mode acts as a bridge between host system network traffic and PRP network traffic. The RNA Module will handle duplication of host system traffic onto both sides of a PRP network as well as removal of duplicates upon receiving traffic from the PRP network. PRP supervision frames are transmitted and processed by the RNA Module on behalf of the host system. As a result, from the perspective of network nodes on the PRP network, the host system is simply a DANP node.

The most common network topologies involving DANP nodes are:

• Bus/Ring Topology

A very simple topology where each DANP is connected to two LANs to provide the network redundancy. Each of the LAN can be a ring on its own.

#### Separate Network Topology

The two LANs in a PRP network do not have to be identical in terms of topology or performance. With the Separate Network Topology, you can have a ring network on one side and a tree network on the other side of the PRP infrastructure. The advantage of this topology is that the network can still support zero switchover time for multiple link failures as long as those link failures all occur inside the same LAN. The downside, in general for a PRP network, is that it requires higher setup costs for the extra network infrastructure.

# Reference Implementation (RS950G)

With reference to the Rugged Operating System (ROS) User Guide for RS950G



## Section 2.5 Precision Time Protocol (PTP) 1-Step Transparent Clock

PTP is a standard method of synchronizing network clocks over Ethernet. RNA supports 1-step Peer-to-Peer (P2P) Transparent Clock, which is defined by the IEEE 1588 working group in the IEEE 1588-2008 standard.

# **3** Operation

This chapter describes the operation of the RUGGEDCOM RNA module. It describes the following topics:

- Section 3.1, "Host System Frame Transmission and Reception"
- · Section 3.2, "HSR/PRP Supervision Frame Transmission and Reception"
- Section 3.3, "Supported Network Services"

## Section 3.1 Host System Frame Transmission and Reception

The RNA Module supports exchange of standard Ethernet frames with the Host system. Insertion and removal of HSR/PRP tag, frame duplication and duplicate removal are completely transparent from the host system.

## Section 3.2 HSR/PRP Supervision Frame Transmission and Reception

The RNA Module will send and receive HSR/PRP Supervision frames on behalf of the Host System since the Host System will not generate or process the HSR/PRP Supervision frames. Host System MAC address will be transmitted as part of the HSR/PRP Supervision frame in order for other HSR/PRP nodes to detect Host System presence on the ring. Upon receiving HSR/PRP Supervision frames from the HSR/PRP ports, the RNA Module will only forward the frames to the embedded CPU for processing. Host System will not receive any HSR/PRP Supervision frames.

The RNA Module can detect the presence and network path integrity to and from other HSR/PRP nodes on the HSR/PRP network.

# Section 3.3 Supported Network Services

The RNA Module supports a variety of Layer 2 and Layer 3 network services. For example, SNTP, RSH/SSH/ Telnet/TFTP and Web servers. For more information about all the provided network services and configuration parameters, please refer to the latest *Rugged Operating System (ROS) User Guide for RS950G*.

# 4 Software

The Rugged Operating System (ROS) software on the RUGGEDCOM RNA module is accessible from a serial console (if equipped) and an Ethernet interface.

This chapter provides instructions for logging in to ROS. It describes the following topics:

- Section 4.1, "Accessing the ROS User Interface through a Serial Console"
- Section 4.2, "Accessing the ROS User Interface through the Ethernet Interface"
- Section 4.3, "Firmware Upgrade"
- Section 4.4, "System Design Constraints"

# Accessing the ROS User Interface through a Serial Console

To connect to the ROS User Interface using a serial console, do the following:

- 1. Attach a terminal or PC running terminal emulation software to the RS232 port, if equipped.
- 2. Configure the terminal as follows:
  - 8 bits
  - No parity
  - 57.6 Kbps
  - · Hardware and software flow control disabled
  - VT100 terminal type
- 3. After connecting to the device, press any key on the keyboard. The terminal prompts for a user name and password.



The default user name is admin and the default password is admin.

4. After logging in, the main menu appears. For complete instructions on working with the ROS Software, see the *Rugged Operating System (ROS) User Guide for RS950G*.

# Accessing the ROS User Interface through the Ethernet Interface

A web browser uses a secure communications method called SSL (Secure Socket Layer) to encrypt traffic exchanged with its clients. The web server guarantees that communications with the client are kept private. If the client requests access via an insecure HTTP port, it will be rerouted to the secure port. Access to the web server via SSL will be granted to a client that provides a valid user name / password pair.

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It can happen that upon connecting to the ROS web server, a web browser may report that it cannot verify the authenticity of the server's certificate against any of its known certificate authorities. This is expected, and it is safe to instruct the browser to accept the certificate. Once the browser accepts the certificate, all communications with the web server will be secure.

To access the ROS User Interface through the Ethernet interface, do the following:

1. Start a web browser session and open a connection to the switch by entering a URL that specifies its host name or IP address.

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The factory default IP address is https://192.168.0.1.

2. The user interface prompts for a user name and password.



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The default user name is **admin** and the default password is **admin**.

3. After logging in, the main menu appears. For complete instructions on working with the ROS Software, see the *Rugged Operating System (ROS) User Guide for RS950G*.

# Section 4.3 Firmware Upgrade

ROS provides flexible, powerful mechanisms for the bulk update and backup of the system firmware and of the configuration database.

For complete instructions on working with the ROS Software, see the *Rugged Operating System (ROS) User Guide for RS950G*.

# System Design Constraints

## CAUTION!

Failure to follow these constraints may result in a non-functioning unit.

RUGGEDCOM ROS makes the following hardware assumptions about the carrier board:

- Broadcom PHY device BCM54616S
- RTC (Real Time Clock) M41T82SM6 connected to I2C bus
- CPLD connected to I2C bus mainly for PHY management
- I2C MUX to managed Fiber SFPs

# **5** Specifications

This chapter provides the specifications for the RNA module. It describes the following topics:

- Section 5.1, "Pin-Out Specifications"
- Section 5.2, "Electrical Specifications"
- Section 5.3, "Dimensions"
- Section 5.4, "FPGA Heatsink Requirements"

## Section 5.1 Pin-Out Specifications



NOTE

All digital pins are 3.3 V logical level.

#### Table: Module Connector (J2) Pin-out

Signal	J2 pin#	Pin Name	Pin Type	Description	
RGMII signal	s				
Port 0	21	P0_TXCLK	OUTPUT	Port 0 Transmit clock	
	11	P0_TXD[0]	Output	Port 0 Transmit data output.	
	13	P0_TXD[1]	Output	synchronously with the rising and falling	
	15	P0_TXD[2]	Output	edges of TXCLK transmit clock. TXD{3} is the most significant bit.	
	17	P0_TXD[3]	Output		
	25	P0_TXEN	Output	Port 0 Transmit Enable	
	22	P0_RXCLK	Input	Port 0 Receive clock	
	12	P0_RXD[0]	Input	Port 0 Receive data input. Nibble-wide	
	14	P0_RXD[1]	Input	with the rising and falling edges of	
	16	P0_RXD[2]	Input	RXCLK receive clock. RXD{3} is the most significant bit.	
	18	P0_RXD[3]	Input		
	26	P0_RXDV	Input	Port 0 Receive data valid.	
Port 1	29	P1_TXCLK	Output	Port 1 Transmit clock	
-	37	P1_TXD[0]	Output	Port 1 Transmit data output. Nibble-wide transmit data is output synchronously with the rising and falling	
	39	P1_TXD[1]	Output		
	41	P1_TXD[2]	Output	edges of TXCLK transmit clock. TXD{3} is the most significant bit.	
	43	P1_TXD[3]	Output		

Signal	J2 pin#	Pin Name	Pin Type	Description	
	33	P1_TXEN	Output	Port 1 Transmit Enable	
	30	P1_RXCLK	Input	Port 1 Receive clock	
	38	P1_RXD[0]	Input	Port 1 Receive data input. Nibble-wide	
	40	P1_RXD[1]	Input	with the rising and falling edges of	
	42	P1_RXD[2]	Input	most significant bit.	
	44	P1_RXD[3]	Input		
	34	P1_RXDV	Input	Port 1 Receive data valid.	
Port 2	103	P2_TXCLK	Output	Port 2 Transmit clock	
	93	P2_TXD[0]	Output	Port 2 Transmit data output.	
	95	P2_TXD[1]	Output	synchronously with the rising and falling	
	97	P2_TXD[2]	Output	is the most significant bit.	
	99	P2_TXD[3]	Output		
	107	P2_TXEN	Output	Port 2 Transmit Enable	
	104	P2_RXCLK	Input	Port 2 Receive clock	
	94	P2_RXD[0]	Input	Port 2 Receive data input. Nibble-wide	
	96	P2_RXD[1]	Input	with the rising and falling edges of	
	98	P2_RXD[2]	Input	most significant bit.	
	100	P2_RXD[3]	Input		
	108	P2_RXDV	Input	Port 2 Receive data valid.	
Link/SDET	57	LINK0	Input	Port 0 link up indication, active high	
signals	56	LINK1	Input	Port 1 link up indication, active high	
	55	LINK2	Input	Port 2 link up indication, active high	
	64	SDET0	Input	Port 0 Fiber optic transceiver signal detect input when port 0 in fiber mode, active high.	
	63	SDET1	Input	Port 1 Fiber optic transceiver signal detect input when port 0 in fiber mode, active high.	
	62	SDET2	Input	Port 2 Fiber optic transceiver signal detect input when port 0 in fiber mode, active high.	
Control	47	MDC	Output	SMI clock output, Master	
signais	49	MDIO	Input/Output	SMI Data Input/Output, Master.	
	50	I2C_CLK	Output	I2C clock output, Master	
	48	I2C_DATA	Input/Output	I2C data input.output, Master.	
	89	UART-RXD	Input	Console UART RXD	
	91	UART-TXD	Output	Console UART TXD	

Signal	J2 pin#	Pin Name	Pin Type	Description
Other	67	CLK25	Input	25MHz clock input
signals	66	Reset_MB	Output	Reset PHYs, active low
	90	Reset	Input	Reset the module, active low
	70	PRP-MODE-LED	Output	PRP MODE INDICATION
	72	HSR-MODE-LED	Output	HSR MODE INDICATION
	92	ALARM-LED	Output	ACTIVE HIGH
	84	FAIL-SAFE-RELAY	Output	ACTIVE HIGH
	88	INT_MB	Input	INTERRUPT FROM PHYS
POWER	1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6	3.3V	Input	3.3V INPUT
	7-10, 19, 20, 23, 24, 27, 28, 31, 32, 35, 36, 45, 46, 65, 69, 101,102, 105, 106, 109, 110, 113, 114	GND	Input	
Other	51-54, 58-61, 68, 71, 73-83, 85-87, 111, 112, 115-120	RFU		Reserved for future use, do not connect to anything.

# Section 5.2 Electrical Specifications

Stressing the module outside the ratings listed in Table "Recommended Operating Conditions" may cause permanent damage to the module. These are stress ratings only, and operation of the module at these, or any other conditions outside those indicated in the Operating section of this specification, is not implied. Exposure to Absolute Maximum Rating conditions for extended periods may affect the module's reliability.

#### **Table: Absolute Maximum Ratings**

Parameter	Description	Value
Tstg	Storage temperature	-65°C to 150°C (-85°F to 302°F)
VCC	Supply voltage relative to GND	-0.2V to 3.75V

#### **Table: Recommended Operating Conditions**

Parameter	Description	Value
ТА	Ambient operating temperature.	-40°C to 85°C (-40°F to 185°F)
VCC	Supply voltage relative to GND	3.15V(min) 3.3V(Typ) 3.45V
ICC	Supply Current	1.8A min

# Section 5.3 Dimensions

For the RNA module dimensions, refer to the figure below.



## Section 5.4 FPGA Heatsink Requirements

For the FPGA heatsink requirements, refer to the figure and table below.



## Table: FPGA Heatsink Requirements

Max. Junction Temperature	Thermal Resistance (Junction to Ambient, No Air Flow)	Thermal Resistance (Junction to Case)	Max. Power Consumption
100°C (212°F)	15.8°C/W (60.44°F/W)	3.7°C/W (38.66°F/W)	5.0W