

# **Serial Computer Interface for TSP Controller**

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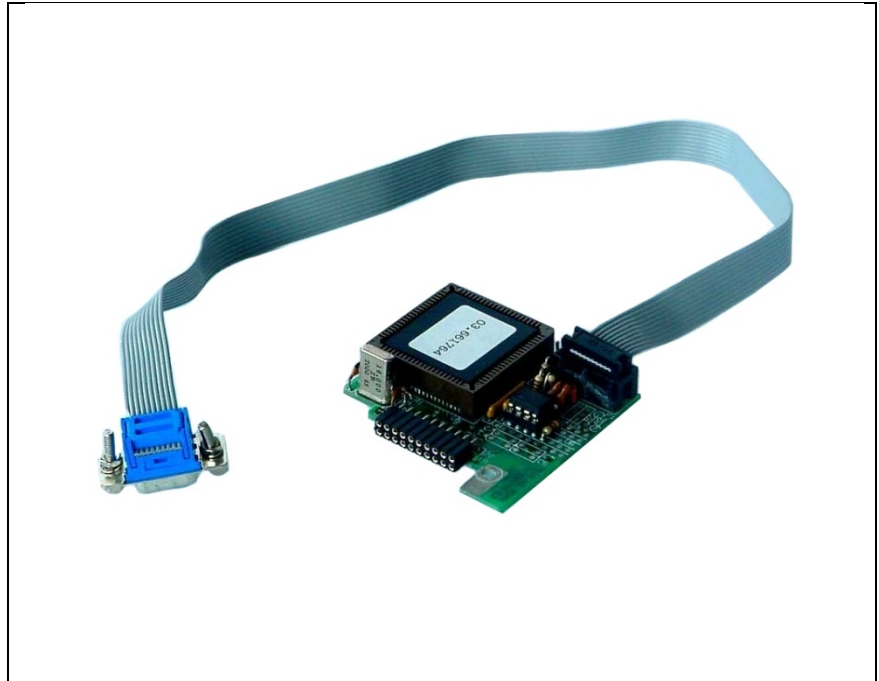
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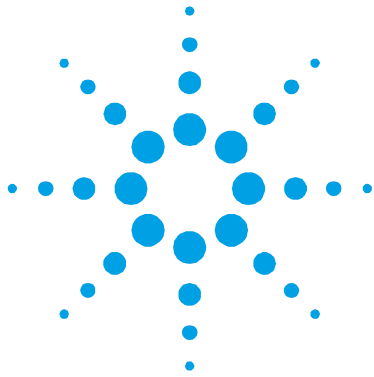
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## Informazioni Generali

Questa apparecchiatura è destinata ad uso professionale. L'utilizzatore deve leggere attentamente il presente manuale di istruzioni ed ogni altra informazione addizionale fornita dalla Agilent prima dell'utilizzo dell'apparecchiatura. La Agilent si ritiene sollevata da eventuali responsabilità dovute all'inosservanza totale o parziale delle istruzioni, ad uso improprio da parte di personale non addestrato, ad interventi non autorizzati o ad uso contrario alle normative nazionali specifiche.

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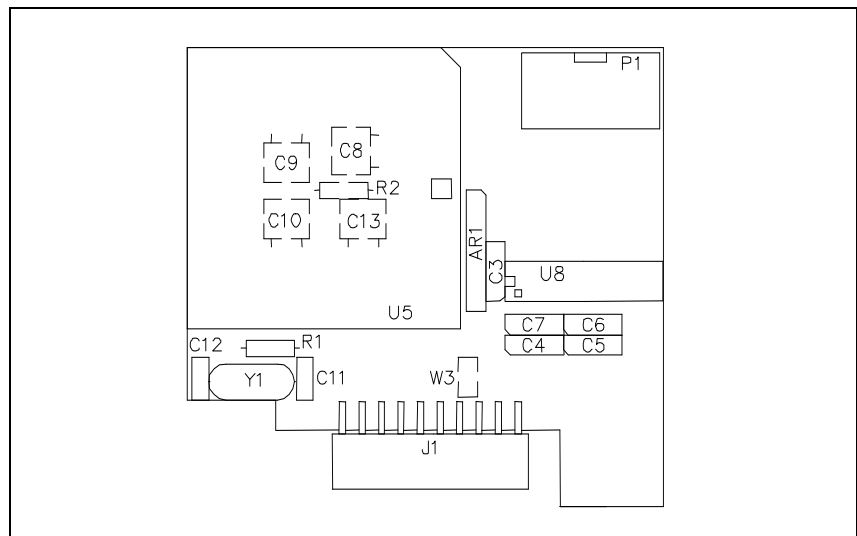
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## Descrizione delle schede di interfaccia seriale per il controller TSP

Sono disponibili tre modelli di schede di interfaccia seriale per il controller TSP corrispondenti ad altrettanti tipi di protocollo di comunicazione (vedere le figure seguenti):

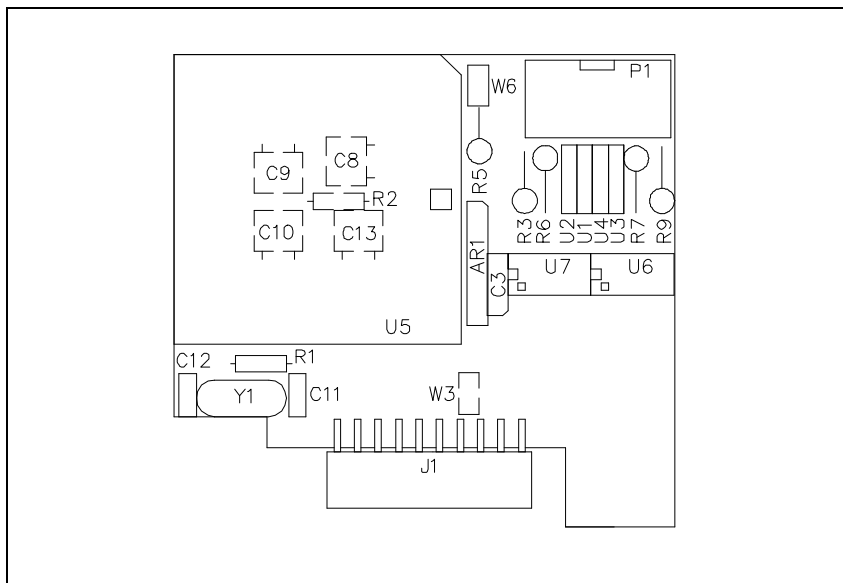
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- modello 929-0025: Scheda seriale RS 422
- modello 929-0026: Scheda seriale RS 485.



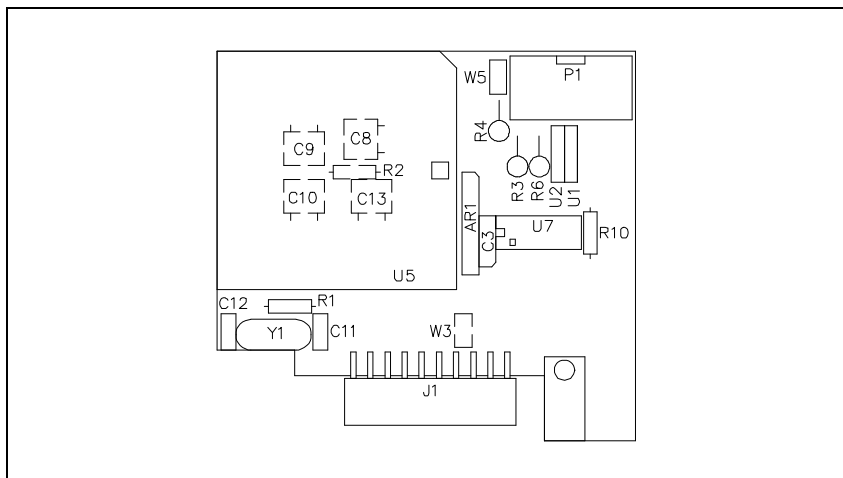
**Figura 1** Scheda seriale RS 232 modello 929-0024

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### Descrizione delle schede di interfaccia seriale per il controller TSP



**Figura 2** Scheda seriale RS 422 modello 929-0025



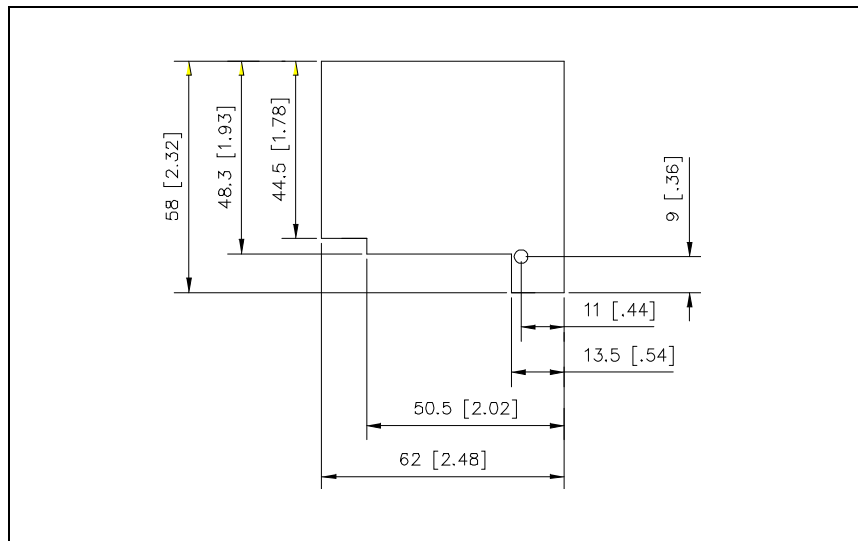
**Figura 3** Scheda seriale RS 485 modello 929-0026

Tutti i modelli delle schede sono costituiti da un circuito elettronico che provvede a decodificare i comandi ricevuti dal computer remoto negli opportuni segnali di controllo per il TSP Controller, ed a codificare ed inviare i dati rilevati dal TSP Controller al computer remoto. Il kit fornito per tutti i modelli è costituito dai seguenti elementi:

- la scheda di interfaccia;
- un cavo piatto con i relativi connettori per il collegamento tra la scheda e il pannello posteriore del TSP;
- il presente manuale di istruzioni.

## Dimensioni delle schede di interfaccia

La figura seguente illustra le dimensioni in mm [pollici] delle schede di interfaccia.



**Figura 4** Dimensioni delle schede di interfaccia

## Immagazzinamento

Durante il trasporto e l'immagazzinamento delle schede di interfaccia seriale non devono essere superate le seguenti condizioni ambientali:

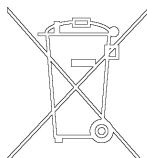
- temperatura da 20 °C a +70 °C
- umidità relativa: 0 – 95 % (non condensante)

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## Preparazione per l'installazione

Le schede di interfaccia vengono fornite in un imballo protettivo speciale; se si presentano segni di danni, che potrebbero essersi verificati durante il trasporto, contattare l'ufficio vendite locale.

Durante l'operazione di disimballaggio, prestare particolare attenzione a non lasciar cadere la scheda, a non sottoporla ad urti e a non toccare con le mani i componenti elettronici onde evitare che le cariche statiche possano danneggiare la scheda.

Non disperdere l'imballo nell'ambiente. Il materiale è completamente riciclabile e risponde alla direttiva CEE 85/399 per la tutela dell'ambiente.

La figura seguente illustra l'imballo delle schede di interfaccia.

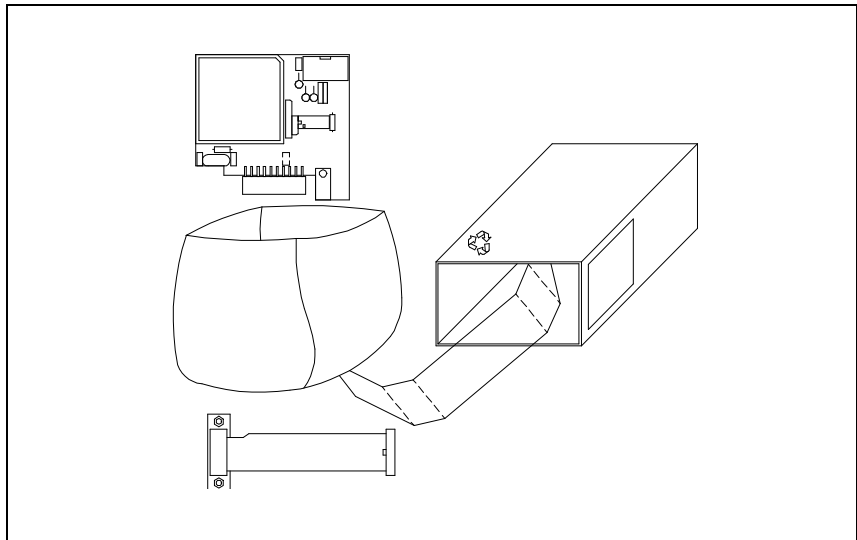


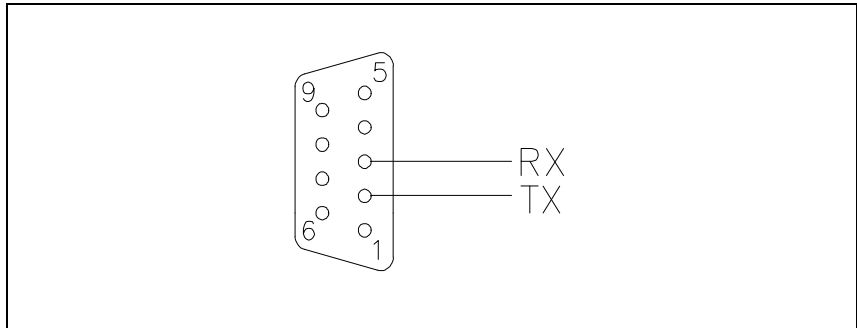
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## Installazione

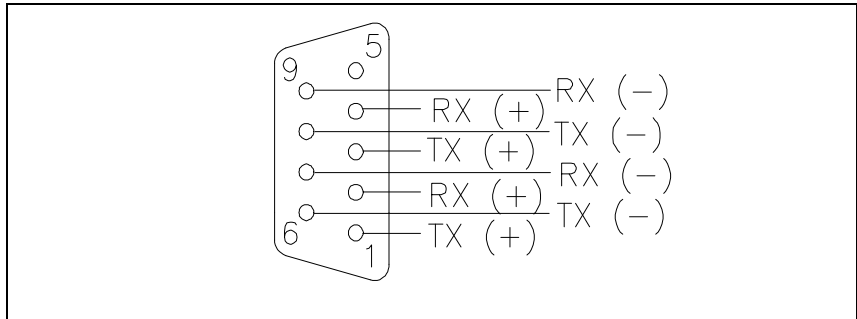
L'installazione delle schede di interfaccia non richiede particolari predisposizioni. Per installare la scheda all'interno del TSP Controller occorre eseguire la seguente procedura:

1. Scollegare il controller dall'alimentazione elettrica.
2. Rimuovere la copertura superiore.
3. Inserire la scheda di interfaccia nell'apposito connettore della scheda del pannello frontale del controller.
4. Rimuovere la copertura di chiusura dello spazio sul pannello posteriore previsto per l'inserimento del connettore seriale.
5. Collegare il cavo piatto da un lato al connettore P1 della scheda di interfaccia e far passare l'altro capo all'interno del controller fino a far uscire il connettore a vaschetta da 9 pin dall'apposito spazio del pannello posteriore.
6. Fissare il connettore a vaschetta al pannello posteriore con le apposite viti di fissaggio.
7. Reinserire la copertura superiore del TSP controller.
8. Ricollegare il controller all'alimentazione.

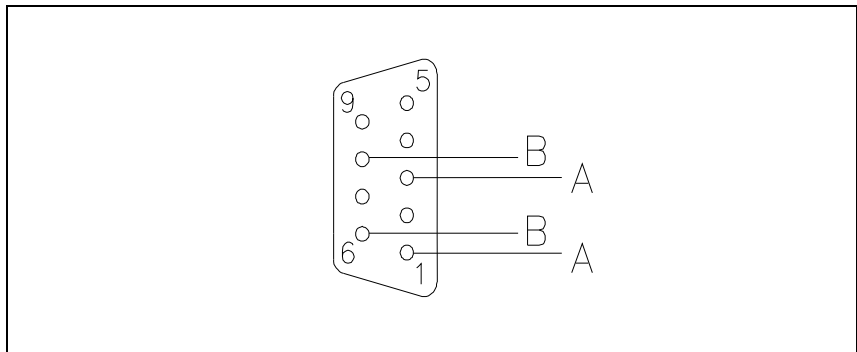
Le figure seguenti illustrano la disposizione dei piedini e dei relativi segnali sul connettore a vaschetta delle schede di interfaccia.



**Figura 6** Scheda seriale RS 232



**Figura 7** Scheda seriale RS 422



**Figura 8** Scheda seriale RS 485

## Protocollo di comunicazione seriale

### Formato di comunicazione

- 8 bit di dato
- nessuna parità
- 1 bit di stop
- baud rate: 600/1200/2400/4800/9600 programmabile

### Protocollo di comunicazione

- Di tipo Master/Slave con il computer host Master ed il Controller Slave.
- Massimo numero di periferiche: 32 (solo per connessione in RS485).

La comunicazione avviene nel seguente modo:



Il **Messaggio** ha il seguente formato:

<ADR>+<LDAT>+<DATA>+<CRC>



dove:

- **<ADR>**: 0x80+indirizzo della periferica (da 0x1 a 0x20).  
L'impostazione di un indirizzo non valido configura l'unità come unità 1.
- **<LDAT>**: lunghezza del campo dati codificato in decimale su due caratteri (da 00 a 99).
- **<DATA>**: campo di lunghezza variabile in funzione del tipo di comando costituito dai seguenti elementi:
  - **Comando**: lettera maiuscola o minuscola che identifica il comando (vedere la tabella dei comandi della pagina seguente).
  - **Parametri**: stringa di lunghezza e contenuto dipendente dal comando. Nel caso in cui il comando sia un comando di lettura di un dato questo campo conterrà il carattere "?" (0x3f esadecimale). Nel caso in cui il comando sia un comando di impostazione dati, o nel caso in cui sia il **Messaggio** sia la risposta del Controller ad un comando di lettura, il campo conterrà una stringa di dati di uno dei tipi dettagliati nella tabella seguente:

**Tab. 1**

TIPO DI DATO	CARATTERI VALIDI
Logico	0 1
Numerico	Stringa di 5 caratteri numerici giustificati a destra con dei caratteri "0".
Esponenziale	Stringa con formato: "XXe-YY"

- **<CRC>**: XOR di tutti i caratteri che costituiscono il **Messaggio**, con l'esclusione del CRC, e con il bit più significativo posto a 0.

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### Protocollo di comunicazione seriale

La struttura della **Risposta** dell'unità Slave indirizzata dipenderà dal **Messaggio** ricevuto:

- non conterrà alcun carattere nel caso di **Messaggio** con CRC errato, o con indirizzo Slave non corretto, o con lunghezza campo/tipo dati non corretta, o con comando sconosciuto;
- conterrà il carattere ACK (0x6 esadecimale) per confermare l'avvenuta impostazione del parametro associato al comando inviato dal Master quando il comando è un comando di scrittura;
- sarà costituita da un **Messaggio** con la stessa struttura del **Messaggio** descritta precedente-mente, ma con il campo **<DATA>** contenente il parametro richiesto dal Master e con il campo **<ADR>** con il bit più significativo posto a 0 quando il comando è un comando di lettura.

**Tab. 2**

COMANDO	DESCRIZIONE	TIPO DI DATO	LETTURA/ SCRITTURA	VALORI POSSIBILI
A	Autostart	Logico	L/S	0 = SI 1 = NO
B	Baud rate	Numerico	L/S	0 = 600 1 = 1200 2 = 2400 3 = 4800 4 = 9600
C	Lettura ingresso corrente (unità di misura: 0,1 A)	Numerico	L	
D	Indirizzo (non utilizzato nel caso di scheda di interfaccia RS 232)	Numerico	L/S	da 1 a 32
E	Codice di errore	Numerico	L	0 = nessun errore 1 = sovratemperatura 2 = Mini Ti-Ball guasto 3 = filamento TSP interrotto 4 = TSP guasto 5 = corto circuito
F	Filamento attivo	Numerico	L/S	0 = Mini Ti-Ball 1 = filamento 1 del TSP 2 = filamento 2 del TSP 3 = filamento 3 del TSP
G	Avvio/arresto del controller	Logico	L/S	0 = arresto 1 = avvio
H	Soglia pressione	Esponenziale	L/S	da "01e-10" a "01e-04"
I	Corrente erogata (unità di misura: 0,1 A)	Numerico	L	
L	Lettura ingresso pressione (unità di misura: 0,1 V)	Esponenziale	L	

## 1 Istruzioni per l'uso

### Protocollo di comunicazione seriale

COMANDO	DESCRIZIONE	TIPO DI DATO	LETTURA/ SCRITTURA	VALORI POSSIBILI
M	Modo di funzionamento del controller	Numerico	L/S	0 = manuale 1 = automatico 2 = remoto 3 = automatico/remoto
N	Corrente di sublimazione (unità di misura: 0,1 A; valore approssimato a 0,5 A)	Numerico	L/S	300 = 30 A 305 = 30,5 A ..... 495 = 49,5 A 500 = 50 A
P	Periodo di sublimazione	Numerico	L/S	30 = 3 minuti 100 = 10 minuti 300 = 30 minuti 600 = 1 ora 1200 = 2 ore 2400 = 4 ore 4800 = 8 ore 19200 = 32 ore
R	Recover	Logico	L/S	0 = automatico 1 = manuale
S	Stato del controller	Numerico	L	0 = arresto 1 = guasto 2 = attesa interlock 3 = rampa 4 = attesa sublimazione 5 = sublimazione
T	Tempo di sublimazione (unità di misura: 0,1 min.)	Numerico	L/S	10 = 1 minuto 15 = 1,5 minuti ..... 70 = 7 minuti
V	Tensione erogata (unità di misura: 0,1 V)	Numerico	L	

## Esempi di messaggi TSP

**Tab. 3**

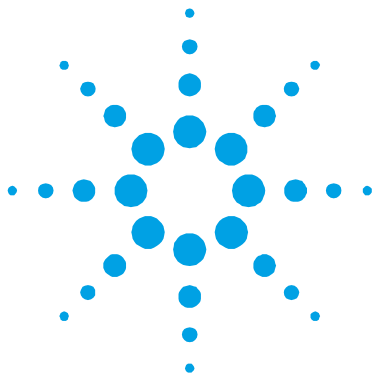
ADD.	CMD	R/W	TYPE	VALUE	MESSAGE	RESPONCE	COMMENT
1	R	R	L	-	81 30 32 52 JF 6E 0 2 R ?	01 30 32 52 J0 61 0 2 R 0	Legge Recover status (value = 1)
1	R	W	L	1	81 30 32 52 31 60 0 2 R 1	06	Scrive Recover status a 1
1	R	W	L	0	81 30 32 52 30 61 0 2 R 0	06	Scrive Recover status a 0
1	T	R	N	-	81 30 32 54 3F 68 0 2 T ?	01 30 36 54 30 30 30 31 30 62 0 6 T 0 0 0 1 0	Legge Sublimation time (value = 10)
1	T	W	N	00600	81 30 36 54 30 30 36 30 30 56 0 6 T 0 0 6 0 0	06	Scrive Sublimation time a 600
1	H	R	P	-	81 30 32 48 JF 74 0 2 H ?	01 30 37 4B 30 31 65 2D 30 37 00 0 7 H 0 1 e - 0 7	Legge Pressure Thresold (value = 1e-7)
1	H	W	P	05e-06	81 30 37 48 30 35 65 2D 30 36 05 0 7 H 0 5 e - 0 6	06	Scrive Pressure Thresold a 5e-6

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### Protocollo di comunicazione seriale

Add	Indirizzo del dispositivo
Cmd	Comando (A, B, C...)
R/W	Operazione (Read/Write)
Type	Tipo di dato (Logico/Numerico/Potenza)

I campi "MESSAGE" e "RESPONCE" sono rappresentati in forma esadecimale (i corrispondenti valori ASCII sono indicati, quando possibile, sotto a ciascun byte).



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## Allgemeines

Dieser Apparat ist für Fachbetriebe bestimmt. Vor Gebrauch sollte der Benutzer dieses Handbuch sowie alle weiteren mitgelieferten Zusatzdokumente genau lesen. Bei - auch nur teilweisem - Nichtbeachtung der enthaltenen Hinweise, unsachgemäßem Gebrauch durch ungeschultes Personal, nicht autorisierten Eingriffen und Mißachtung der einheimischen, hier zur Geltung kommenden Bestimmungen übernimmt die Fa. Agilent keinerlei Haftung.

In den folgenden Abschnitten sind alle erforderlichen Informationen für die Sicherheit des Bedieners bei Anwendung des Geräts angeführt.

Ins einzelne gehende Informationen über das Installierte Gerät finden sich in den mitgelieferten technischen Handbüchern.

**In dieser Gebrauchsanleitung werden Sicherheitshinweise folgendermaßen hervorgehoben:**

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**WARNUNG!**



Die Warnhinweise lenken die Aufmerksamkeit des Bedieners auf bestimmte Vorgänge oder Praktiken, die bei falscher Ausführung zu schweren Verletzungen führen können.

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**VORSICHT!**

Die Vorsichtshinweise vor bestimmten Prozeduren machen den Bediener darauf aufmerksam, dass bei Nichtbeachten Schäden an der Anlage entstehen können.

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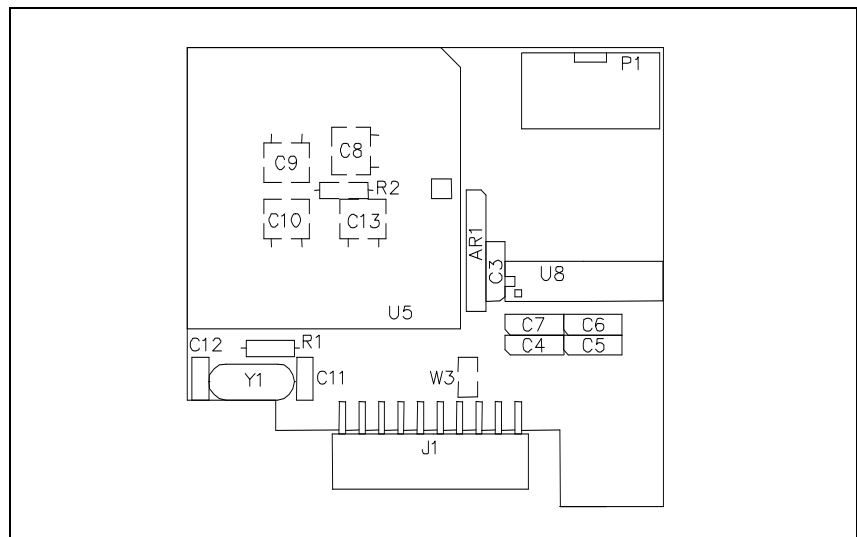
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## Beschreibung der Karten zum seriellen Anschluss von TSP-Controllern

Es stehen drei verschiedene Arten von Karten zum seriellen Anschluss des entsprechenden TSP-Controllers mit ebenso vielen Protokollen zur Datenübertragung zur Verfügung (siehe nachstehende Abbildungen):

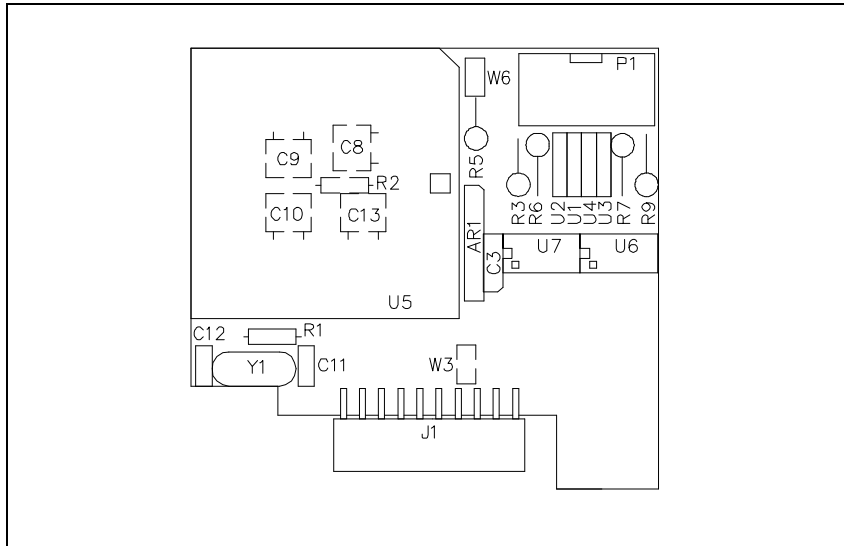
- Baureihe 929-0024: serielle Karte RS232
- Baureihe 929-0025: serielle Karte RS422
- Baureihe 929-0026: serielle Karte RS485



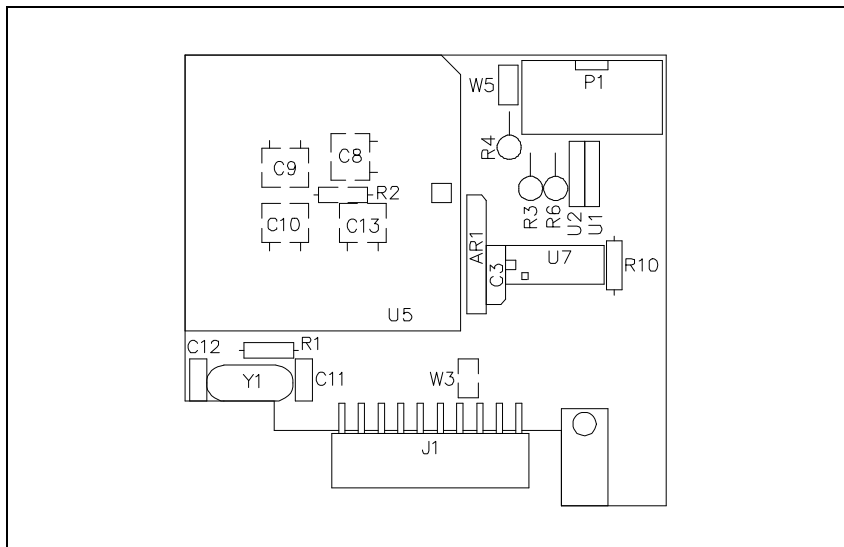
**Abbildung 1** Serielle Karte RS 232 für Baureihe 929-0024

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Beschreibung der Karten zum seriellen  
Anschluss von TSP-Controllern



**Abbildung 2** Serielle Karte RS 422 für Baureihe 929-0025



**Abbildung 3** Serielle Karte RS 485 für Baureihe 929-0026

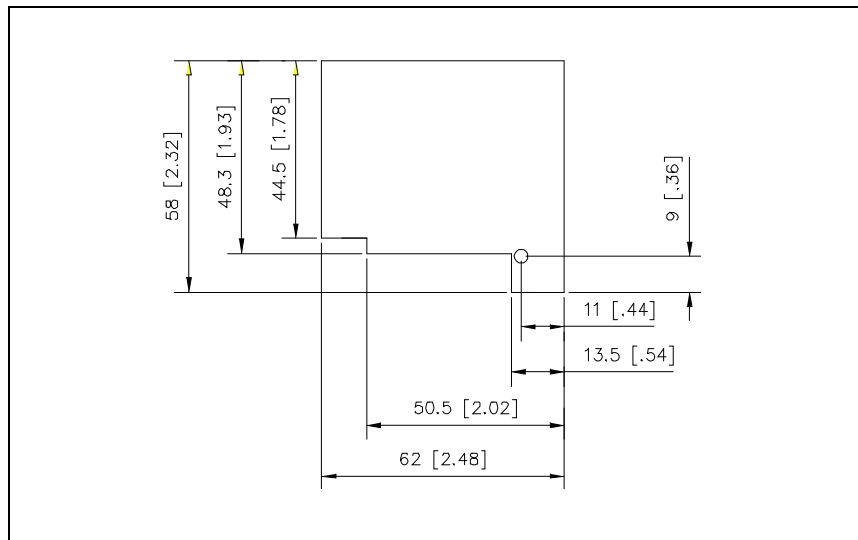
Alle lieferbaren Karten bestehen aus einem elektronischen Schaltkreis zum Dekodieren der von einem angeschlossenen Computer übertragenen Befehle in Steuersignale für den TSP-Controller sowie zum Codieren und Übertragen der vom TSP-Controller aufgenommenen Daten an einen angeschlossenen Computer.

Für alle Karten wird folgender Bausatz geliefert:

- serielle Karte
- Flachkabel mit Steckern zum Anschluss der Karte an die hintere Schalttafel des TSP-Controllers
- diese Gebrauchsanleitung

## Abmessungen der Seriellen Karten

Die folgende Abbildung zeigt die Einbaumaße in mm [Zoll] der seriellen Karten.



**Abbildung 4** Kartenabmessungen

## Lagerung

Bei Transport und Lagerung der seriellen Karten müssen folgende Umgebungsbedingungen eingehalten werden:

- Temperatur: -20°C bis +70°C
- rel. Luftfeuchtigkeit: 0- 95% (nicht kondens.)

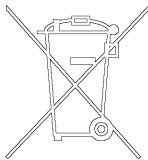
## Entsorgung

### **Bedeutung des "WEEE" Logos auf den Etiketten.**

Das folgende Symbol ist in Übereinstimmung mit der EU-Richtlinie WEEE (Waste Electrical and Electronic Equipment) angebracht.

Dieses Symbol (**nur in den EU-Ländern gültig**) zeigt an, dass das betreffende Produkt nicht zusammen mit Haushaltsmüll entsorgt werden darf sondern einem speziellen Sammelsystem zugeführt werden muss.

Der Endabnehmer sollte daher den Lieferanten des Geräts - d.h. die Muttergesellschaft oder den Wiederverkäufer - kontaktieren, um den Entsorgungsprozess zu starten, nachdem er die Verkaufsbedingungen geprüft hat.



## Vor Installation

Die seriellen Karten werden in einer speziellen Schutzverpackung geliefert. Eventuelle Transportschäden müssen der zuständigen örtlichen Vertretung gemeldet werden.

Beim Auspacken vorsichtig vorgehen, damit die Karten nicht fallen oder gestoßen werden. Um eine Beschädigung der Karten durch elektrostatische Entladungen zu vermeiden, dürfen elektronische Bauteile nicht mit der Hand angefasst werden.

Das Verpackungsmaterial muss korrekt entsorgt werden. Es ist vollständig recyclebar und entspricht der EG-Richtlinie 85/399 für Umweltschutz.

Die folgende Abbildung zeigt die Verpackung der seriellen Karten.

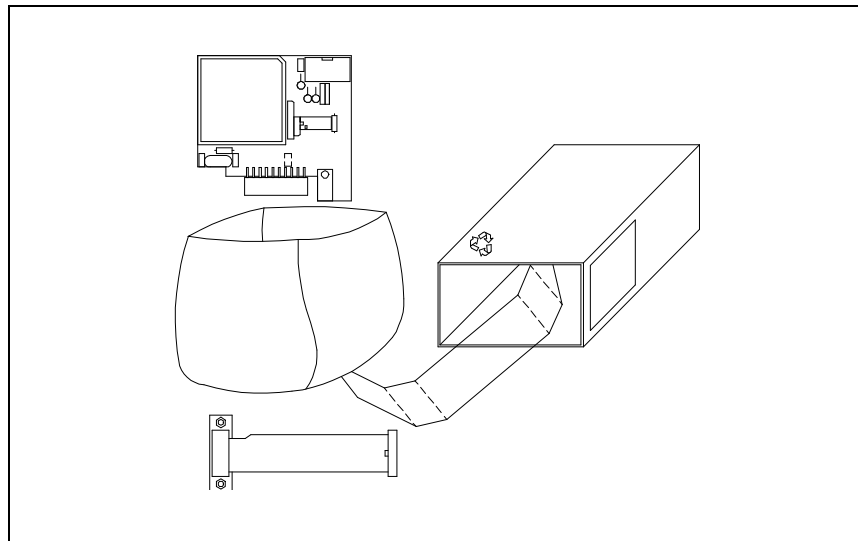


Abbildung 5

## Installation

Zum Einbau der seriellen Karten sind keine besonderen Vorbereitungen nötig. Zur Installation der Karten im TSP-Controller wie folgt vorgehen:

1. Trennen Sie den TSP-Controller vom Stromnetz.
2. Nehmen Sie das Gehäuseoberteil ab.
3. Stecken Sie die serielle Karte in den Stecker auf der vorderen Schalttafel des TSP-Controllers
4. Entfernen Sie Kappe auf der hinteren Schalttafel von der Öffnung für den seriellen Stecker.
5. Schließen Sie das Flachkabel auf der einen Seite an die serielle Karte an und führen das andere Kabelende so durch den Controller, dass der 9-stiftige Stecker aus der Steckeröffnung auf der hinteren Schalttafel herauschaut.
6. Befestigen Sie den 9-stiftige Stecker mit den entsprechenden Schrauben an der hinteren Schalttafel.
7. Setzen Sie das Gehäuseoberteil wieder auf den TSP-Controller.
8. Schließen Sie den TSP-Controller wieder an das Stromnetz an.

Die folgenden Abbildungen zeigen die Stiftanordnung des Ausgangssteckers der seriellen Karten mit den zugehörigen Signalen.

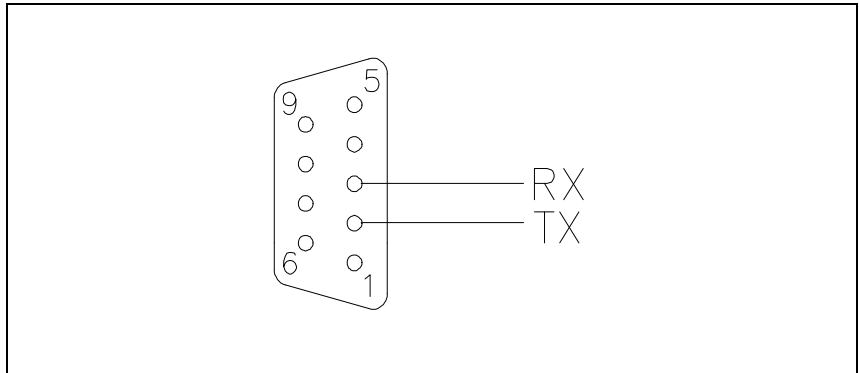


Abbildung 6 Serielle Karte RS 232

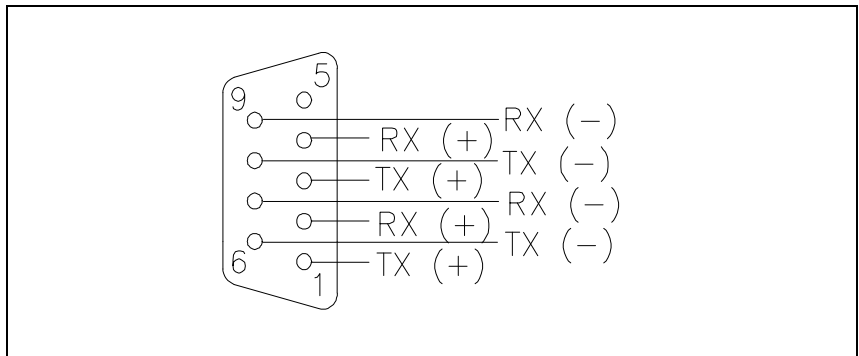


Abbildung 7 Serielle Karte RS 422

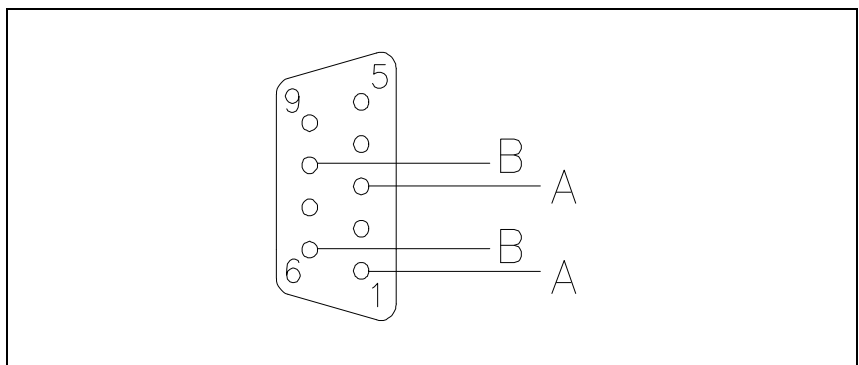


Abbildung 8 Serielle Karte RS 485

# Serielles Datenübertragungs-Protokoll

## Datenübertragungsformat

- 8 Datenbits
- keine Parität
- 1 Stopbit
- Baudraten: 600/1200/2400/4800/9600, programmierbar

## Datenübertragungsprotokoll

- Master/Slave mit Hostrechner als Master und TSP-Controller als Slave
- max. Zahl von Peripheriestationen: 32 (nur bei RS485)

Die Datenübertragung geht wie folgt vor sich:



Die Meldung hat das Format:

**<ADR>+<LDAT>+<DATA>+<CRC>**



mit:

- **<ADR>**: 0x80 + Adresse der Peripheriestation (von 0x01 bis 0x20). Bei Eingabe einer ungültigen Adresse wird die Einheit mit 1 konfiguriert
- **<LDAT>**: mit zwei Ziffern (00 bis 99) dezimal codierte Länge des Datenfelds.
- **<DATA>**: variable Länge je nach Art des aus folgenden Elementen bestehenden Steuerbefehls:
  - **Befehl**: Groß- oder Kleinbuchstaben für den Befehlscode (siehe Tabelle der Befehle auf der folgenden Seite.):
  - **Parameter**: Länge und Inhalt dieser Zeichenfolge hängen vom Steuerbefehl ab. Wenn der Befehl ein Befehl zur Datenaufnahme ist, enthält dieses Feld das Zeichen "?" (0x3F hex.). Ist es ein Befehl zur Dateneingabe oder handelt es sich um eine Antwort des Controllers auf einen Befehl zur Datenaufnahme, enthält das Feld eine der folgenden Zeichenfolgen:

**Tab. 1**

DATENTYP	GÜLTIGE ZEICHEN
Logisch	0 1
Numerisch	Folge von 5 Ziffern, mit "0" rechtsbündig gemacht.
Exponential	Zeichenkette im Format: "XXe-YY"

- **<CRC>**: XOR aller Zeichen der **Meldung** mit Ausnahme der CRC und dem signifikantesten Bit auf "0".

## 2 Gebrauchsanleitung

### Seriellles Datenübertragungs-Protokoll

Die Struktur der **Antwort** vom angesprochenen Slave hängt von der von ihm empfangenen **Meldung** ab:

- Bei **Meldungen** mit falscher CRC oder ungültiger Slave-Adresse oder ungültiger Feldlänge/Datenart oder unbekanntem Befehlscode enthält die **Antwort** keine Zeichen.
- Wenn es sich um einen Schreibbefehl handelt, enthält die **Antwort** das Zeichen "ACK" (0x6 hex) zur Bestätigung, dass der mit dem Befehl assoziierte und vom Master übertragene Parameter erfolgreich programmiert ist.
- Wenn es sich um einen Lesebefehl handelt, hat die **Antwort** die gleiche Struktur wie die oben beschriebene, jedoch enthält das **<DATA>** Feld den vom Master angeforderten Parameter und im **<ADR>** Feld ist das signifikanteste Bit auf "0" gesetzt.

**Tab. 2**

<b>BEFEHL</b>	<b>BESCHREIBUNG</b>	<b>DATEN-TYP</b>	<b>LESEN/ SCHREIBEN</b>	<b>MÖGLICHE WERTE</b>
A	Autostart	logisch	L/S	0 = JA 1 = NEIN
B	Baudrate	Nummerisch	L/S	0 = 600 1 = 1200 2 = 2400 3 = 4800 4 = 9600
C	Lesen Stromeingang (Einheit 0,1 A)	Nummerisch	L	
D	Adresse (bei RS232 nicht verfügbar)	Nummerisch	L/S	von 1 bis 32
E	Fehlercode	Nummerisch	L	0 = kein Fehler 1 = Überhitzung 2 = Ausfall Mini Ti-Ball 3 = Fadenstrang TSP gebrochen 4 = Störung TSP 5 = Kurzschluss
F	Fadenstrang aktiv	Nummerisch	L/S	0 = Mini Ti Ball 1 = Fadenstrang 1 des TSP 2 = Fadenstrang 2 des TSP 3 = Fadenstrang 3 des TSP
G	Controller-Start/Stop	logisch	L/S	0 = Stop 1 = Start
H	Druckschwelle	Exponential	L/S	von "01e-10" bis "01e-04"
I	Aufgenommener Strom (Einheit: 0,1 A)	Nummerisch	L	
L	Lesen Druckeingang (Einheit: 0,1 V)	Exponential	L	

## 2 Gebrauchsanleitung

### Serielles Datenübertragungs-Protokoll

<b>BEFEHL</b>	<b>BESCHREIBUNG</b>	<b>DATEN-TYP</b>	<b>LESEN/ SCHREIBEN</b>	<b>MÖGLICHE WERTE</b>
M	Controllerbetriebsmodus	Numerisch	L/S	0 = manuell 1 = automatisch 2 = ferngesteuert 3 = automatisch/ferngesteuert
N	Sublimationsstrom (Einheit 0,1 A; gerundet auf 0,5 A)	Numerisch	L/S	300 = 30 A 305 = 30,5 A ..... 495 = 49,5 A 500 = 50 A
P	Sublimationsdauer	Numerisch	L/S	30 = 3 Min 100 = 10 Min 300 = 20 Min 600 = 1 Std 1200 = 2 Std 2400 = 4 Std 48000 = 8 Std 19200 = 32 Std
R	Recover	logisch	L/S	0 = automatisch 1 = manuell
S	Controllerstatus	Numerisch	L	0 = Stop 1 = Störung 2 = Wartezeit Sperre 3 = Rampe 4 = Wartezeit Sublimation 5 = Sublimation
T	Sublimationszeit (Einheit 0,1 Min.)	Numerisch	L/S	10 = 1 Min 15 = 1,5 Min ..... 70 = 7 Min
V	Aufgenommene Spannung (Einheit: 0,1 V)	Numerisch	L	

## Beispiele für TSP Meldungen

**Tab. 3**

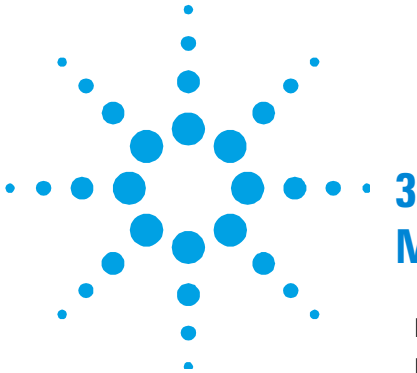
ADD.	CMD	R/ W	TYPE	VALUE	MESSAGE	RESPONSE	COMMENT
1	R	R	L	-	81 30 32 52 JF 6E 0 2 R ?	01 30 32 52 J0 61 0 2 R 0	Recover Status lesen (Wert = 1)
1	R	W	L	1	81 30 32 52 31 60 0 2 R 1	06	Recover Status auf 1 schreiben
1	R	W	L	0	81 30 32 52 30 61 0 2 R 0	06	Recover Status auf 0 schreiben
1	T	R	N	-	81 30 32 54 3F 68 0 2 T ?	01 30 36 54 30 30 30 31 30 62 0 6 T 0 0 0 1 0	Sublima- tionszeit lesen (Wert = 10)
1	T	W	N	00600	81 30 36 54 30 30 36 30 30 56 0 6 T 0 0 6 0 0	06	Sublima- tion szeit auf 600 schreiben
1	H	R	P	-	81 30 32 48 JF 74 0 2 H ?	01 30 37 4B 30 31 65 2D 30 37 00 0 7 H 0 1 e - 0 7	Schwellen- druck lesen (Wert = 1 und -7)
1	H	W	P	05e-06	81 30 37 48 30 35 65 2D 30 36 05 0 7 H 0 5 e - 0 6	06	Schwellen- druck auf 5 und -6 schreiben

Add      Adresse der Einrichtung  
 Cmd      Befehl (A, B, C...)  
 R/W      Operation (Read/Write)  
 Type     Datentyp (logisch/numerisch/exponential)

## 2 **Gebrauchsanleitung**

### **Serielles Datenübertragungs-Protokoll**

Die Felder "MESSAGE" und "RESPONCE" sind hexadezimal (wenn möglich werden die entsprechenden ASCII Werte unter jedem Byte angegeben).



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Traduction de la mode d'emploi originale



## Indications Generales

Cet appareillage a été conçu en vue d'une utilisation professionnelle. Il est conseillé à l'utilisateur de lire attentivement cette notice d'instructions ainsi que toute autre indication supplémentaire fournie par Varia, avant l'utilisation de l'appareillage. Agilent décline toute responsabilité en cas d'inobservation totale ou partielle des instructions données, d'utilisation incorrecte de la part d'un personnel non formé, d'opérations non autorisées ou d'un emploi contraire aux réglementations nationales spécifiques.

Les paragraphes suivants donnent toutes les indications nécessaires à garantir la sécurité de l'opérateur pendant l'utilisation de l'appareillage.

**Cette notice utilise les signes conventionnels suivants:**

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### **AVERTISSEMENT!**



Les messages d'avertissement attirent l'attention de l'opérateur sur une procédure ou une manoeuvre spéciale qui, si elle n'est pas effectuée correctement, risque de provoquer de graves lésions.

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### **ATTENTION!**

Les messages d'attention apparaissent avant certaines procédures dont le non respect pourrait endommager sérieusement l'appareillage.

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### **NOTE**

Les notes contiennent des renseignements importants, extrapolés du texte.

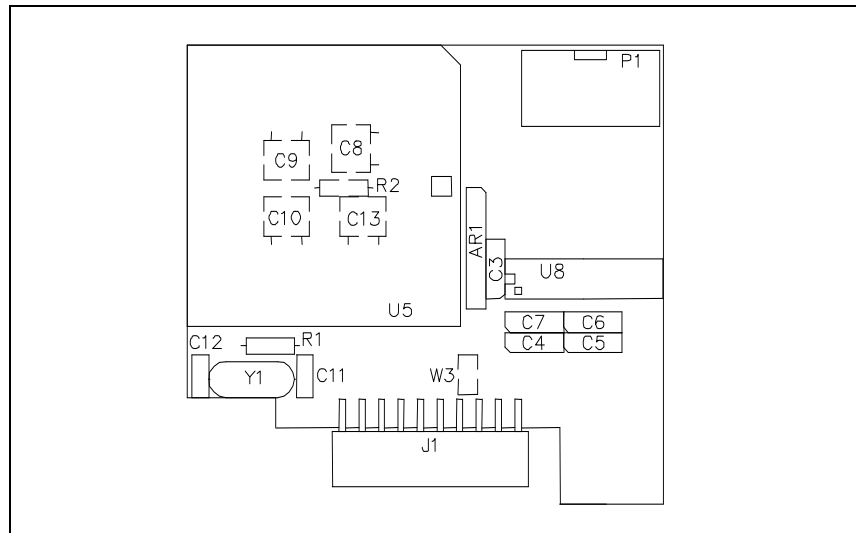
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## Description des cartes d'interface s rielles pour le contr leur TSP

Trois mod les de cartes d'interface s rielles sont disponibles pour le contr leur TSP (correspondant   autant de types de protocoles de communication (Cf. les figures suivantes):

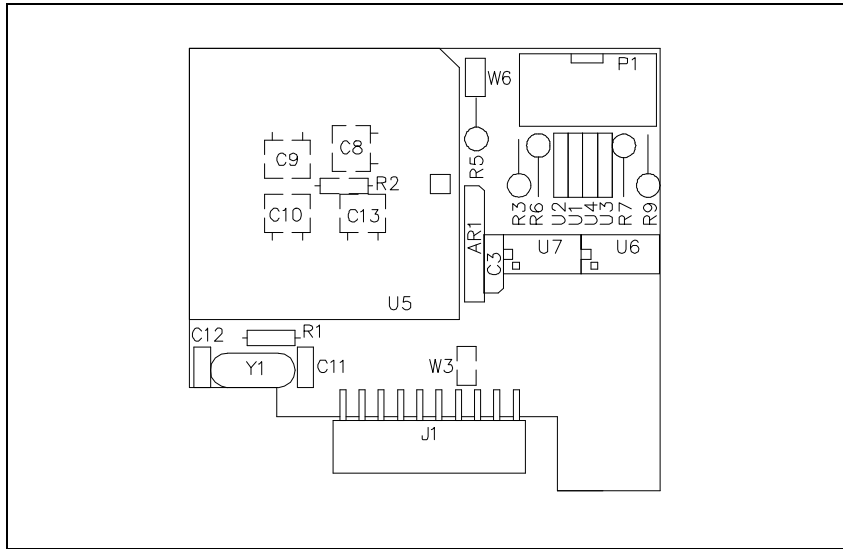
- mod le 929-0024: Carte s rielle RS 232
- mod le 929-0025: Carte s rielle RS 422
- mod le 929-0026: Carte s rielle RS 485.



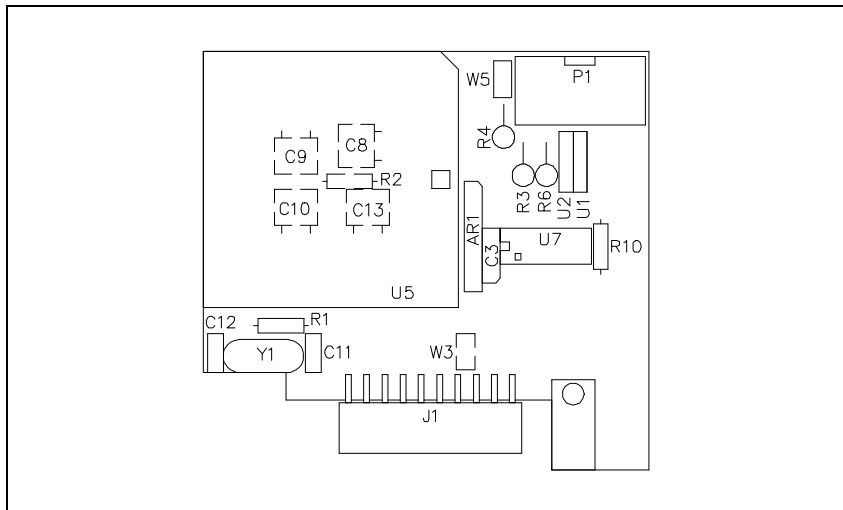
**Figure 1** Carte s rielle RS 232 mod le 929-0024

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#### Description des cartes d'interface serialles pour le controleur TSP



**Figure 2** Carte sérielle RS 422 modèle 929-0025



**Figure 3** Carte sérielle RS 485 modèle 929-0026

Tous les modèles de cartes sont constitués d'un circuit électronique chargé de décodifier les commandes en provenance de l'ordinateur à distance en signaux de contrôle appropriés au contrôleur TSP et à codifier et envoyer les données relevées par le Contrôleur TSP à l'ordinateur à distance.

Le kit fourni pour tous les modèles est constitué des éléments suivants:

- la carte d'interface;
- un câble plat doté des connecteurs pour la liaison entre la carte et le panneau arrière du TSP;
- le présent manuel d'instructions.

## Dimensions des cartes d'interface

La figure ci-après illustre les dimensions en mm (pouces) des cartes d'interface.

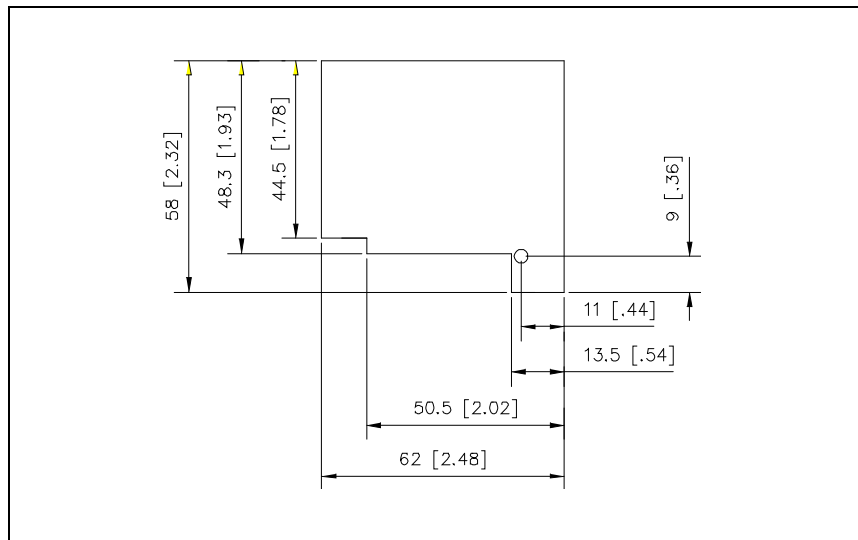


Figure 4 Dimensions des cartes d'interface

## Emmagasinage

Pendant le transport et l'emmagasinage des carte d'interface s rielles, il faudra veiller   respecter les conditions environnementales suivantes:

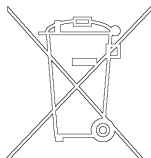
- Temp rature: de -20  C   +70  C
- Humidit  relative: 0 to 95 % (non condensante)

## Mise au rebut

**Signification du logo "WEEE" figurant sur les  tiquettes.**

Le symbole ci-dessous est appliqu  conform ment   la directive CE nomm e "WEEE".

Ce symbole (**uniquement valide pour les pays de la Communaut  europ enne**) indique que le produit sur lequel il est appliqu  NE doit PAS  tre mis au rebut avec les ordures m nag res ou les d chets industriels ordinaires, mais passer par un syst me de collecte s lective. Apr s avoir v rifi  les termes et conditions du contrat de vente, l'utilisateur final est donc pri  de contacter le fournisseur du dispositif, maison m re ou revendeur, pour mettre en  uvre le processus de collecte et mise au rebut.



## Préparation pour l'installation

Les cartes d'interface sont livrées dans un emballage de protection spécial; si l'on constate des marques de dommages pouvant s'être produits pendant le transport, contacter aussitôt le bureau de vente local.

Pendant l'opération d'ouverture de l'emballage, veiller tout particulièrement à ne pas laisser tomber les cartes, à ne leur faire subir aucun choc et à ne pas poser les doigts sur les composants électroniques afin d'éviter que les charges statiques puissent endommager les cartes. Ne pas jeter l'emballage dans la nature. Le matériel est entièrement recyclable et il est conforme aux directives CEE 83/399 en matière de protection de l'environnement. La figure suivante illustre l'emballage des cartes d'interface.

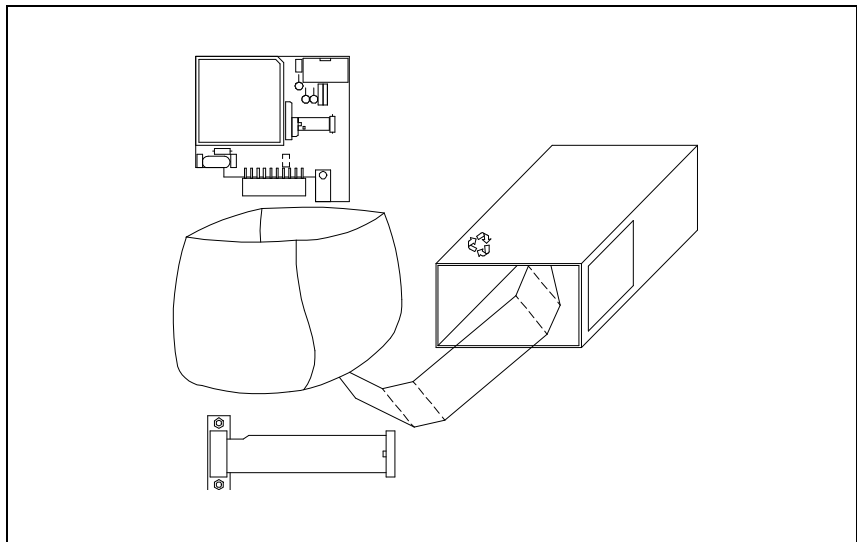


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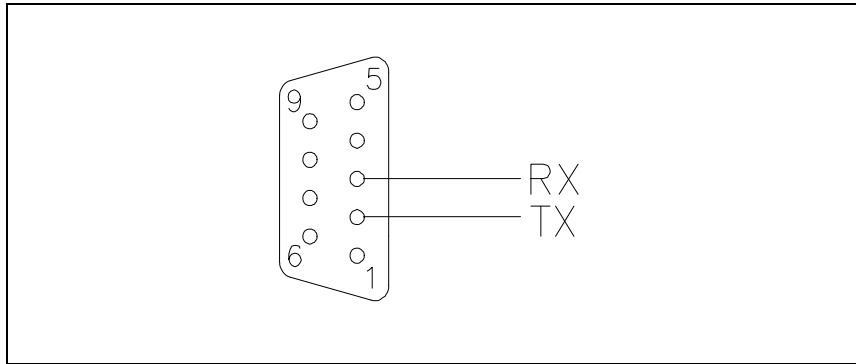
## Installation

L'installation des cartes d'interface ne requiert aucune préparation particulière.

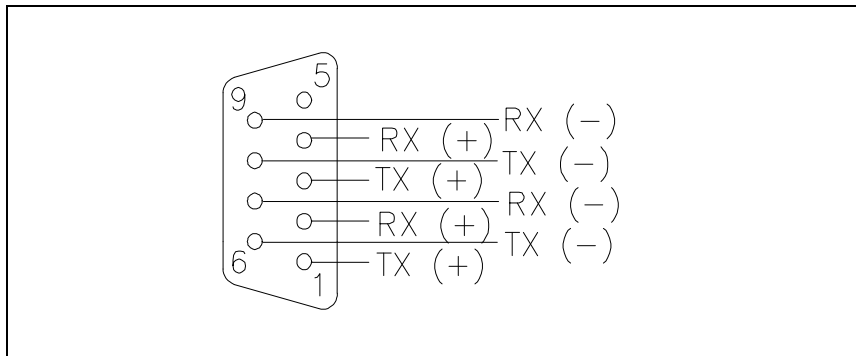
Pour installer la carte à l'intérieur du Contrôleur TSP, suivre la procédure ci-dessous:

1. Débrancher le contrôleur.
2. Retirer le boîtier supérieur.
3. Introduire la carte d'interface dans le connecteur de la carte du panneau frontal du contrôleur.
4. Sur le panneau arrière, retirer la languette obstruant le passage prévu pour l'introduction du connecteur sériel.
5. Brancher une extrémité du câble plat au connecteur P1 de la carte d'interface et faire passer l'autre extrémité à l'intérieur du contrôleur jusqu'à faire sortir la prise à 9 contacts du logement prévu sur le panneau arrière.
6. Fixer la prise au panneau arrière à l'aide des vis de fixation prévues.
7. Replacer le boîtier supérieur du contrôleur TSP.
8. Rebrancher le contrôleur à l'alimentation électrique.

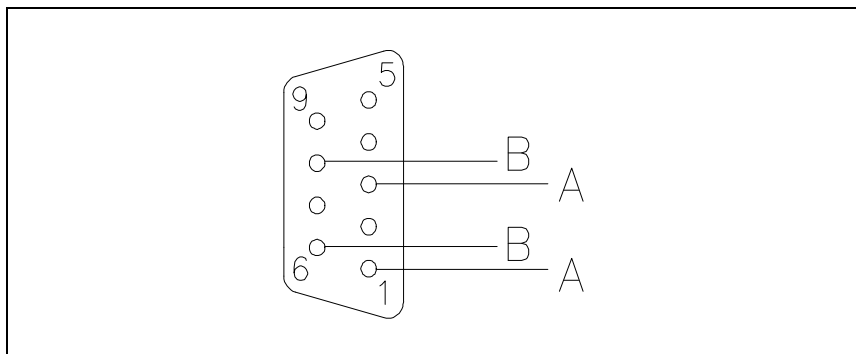
Les figures suivantes illustrent la disposition des pieds et des signaux sur la prise de la carte d'interface.



**Figure 6** Carte sérielle RS 232



**Figure 7** Carte sérielle RS 422



**Figure 8** Carte sérielle RS 485

## Protocole de communication serielle

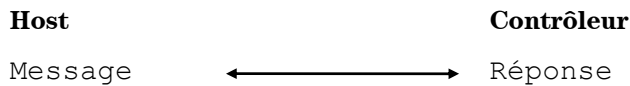
### Datenübertragungsformat

- 8 bit de données
- aucune parité
- 1 bit de stop
- baud rate: 600/1200/2400/4800/9600 programmables

### Protocole de communication

- Du type Master/Slave avec l'ordinateur host Master et Contrôleur Slave.
- Nombre maximum de périphériques: 32 (uniquement pour connexions en RS 485)

La communication s'établit de la façon suivante:



Le message présente le format suivant:

**<ADR>+<LDAT>+<DATA>+<CRC>**



Dans lequel:

- **<ADR>**: 0x80+adresse du périphérique (de 0x1 à 0x20).  
L'introduction d'une adresse non valable configure l'unité comme unité 1.
- **<LDAT>**: longueur du champ données codifié en décimales sur deux caractères (de 00 à 99).
- **<DATA>**: champ de longueur variable en fonction du type de commande constitué par les éléments suivants:
  - **Commande**: lettre majuscule ou minuscule identifiant la commande (Cf tableau des commandes de la page suivante);
  - **Paramètres**: chaîne dont la longueur et le contenu dépendent de la commande. Au cas où la commande serait une commande de lecture d'une donnée, ce champ contiendra le caractère "?" (0x3f hexadécimal). Au cas où la commande serait une commande d'introduction de données ou au cas où le **Message** serait la réponse du Contrôleur à une commande de lecture, le champ contiendra une chaîne de données d'un des type présentés dans le tableau suivant:

**Tab. 1**

TYPE DE DONNEE	CARACTERES VALABLES
Logique	0 1
Numérique	Chaîne de 5 caractères numériques justifiés à droite avec des caractères "0".
Exponentielle	Chaîne avec format "XXe-YY"

- **<CRC>**: XOR de tous les caractères qui constituent le **Message**, à l'exclusion du CRC et avec le bit le plus significatif placé à 0.

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#### Protocole de communication serielle

La structure de la **Réponse** de l'unité Slave dépendra du **Message** reçu:

- elle ne contiendra aucun caractère en cas de **Message** avec CRC erroné ou avec adresse Slave incorrecte ou avec longueur du champ/type de données incorrecte ou avec commande inconnue.
- elle contiendra le caractère ACK (0x6 hexadécimal) pour confirmer l'introduction du paramètre associé à la commande envoyée par le Master lorsque la commande est une commande d'écriture.
- Elle sera constituée d'un **Message** ayant la même structure que le **Message** décrit précédemment mais avec le champ **<DATA>** contenant le paramètre requis par le Master et avec le champ **<ADR>** avec le bit le plus significatif placé à 0 lorsque la commande est une commande de lecture.

**Tab. 2**

COMMANDE	DESCRIPTION	TYPE DE DONNEE	LECTURE/ ECRITURE	VALEURS POSSIBLES
A	Autostart	Logique	L/E	0 = OUI 1 = NON
B	Baud rate	Numérique	L/E	0 = 600 1 = 1200 2 = 2400 3 = 4800 4 = 9600
C	Lecture arrivée courant (unité de mesure: d.1 A)	Numérique	L	
D	Adresse (inutilisable dans le cas de cartes d'interface RS 232)	Numérique	L/E	de 1 à 32
E	Code d'erreur	Numérique	L	0 = aucun erreur 1 = température excessive 2 = Mini Ti-Ball en panne 3 = Filament TSP interrompu 4 = TSP en panne 5 = filament 3 du TSP
F	Filament actif	Numérique	L/E	0 = Mini Ti-Ball 1 = Filament 1 du TSP 2 = Filament 2 du TSP 3 = Filament 3 du TSP
G	Démarrage/Arrêt du contrôleur	Logique	L/E	0 = arrêt 1 = démarrage
H	Seuil de pression	Exponentielle	L/E	de "01e-10" à "01e-04"
I	Courant fourni (unité de mesure : 0,1 A)	Numérique	L	
L	Lecture arrivée pression (unité de mesure: 0,1 V)	Exponentielle	L	

### 3 Mode d'emploi

#### Protocole de communication serielle

COMMANDE	DESCRIPTION	TYPE DE DONNEE	LECTURE/ ECRITURE	VALEURS POSSIBLES
M	Mode de fonctionnement du contrôleur	Numérique	L/E	0 = manuel 1 = automatique 2 = à distance 3 = automatique/à distance
N	Courant de sublimation (unité de mesure: 0,1 A; valeur proche de 0,5)	Numérique	L/E	300 = 30 A 305 = 30,5 A ..... 495 = 49,5 A 500 = 50 A
P	Période de sublimation	Numérique	L/E	30 = 3 minutes 100 = 10 minutes 300 = 30 minutes 600 = 1 heure 1200 = 2 heures 2400 = 4 heures 4800 = 8 heures 19200 = 32 heures
R	Recover	Logique	L/E	0 = automatique 1 = manuel
S	Etat du contrôleur	Numérique	L	0 = arrêt 1 = en panne 2 = attente interlock 3 = rampe 4 = attente sublimation 5 = sublimation
T	Temps de sublimation (unité de mesure: 0,1 min.)	Numérique	L/E	10 = 1 minute 15 = 1,5 minutes ..... 70 = 7 minutes
V	Tension fournie (unité de mesure: 0,1 V)	Numérique	L	

## Exemples de messages TSP

**Tab. 3**

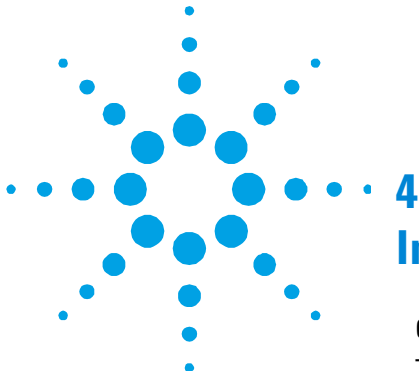
ADD.	CMD	R/ W	TYPE	VALUE	MESSAGE	RESPONSE	COMMENT
1	R	R	L	-	81 30 32 52 JF 6E 0 2 R ?	01 30 32 52 J0 61 0 2 R 0	Lit Recover status (valeur = 1)
1	R	W	L	1	81 30 32 52 31 60 0 2 R 1	06	Ecrit Recover status à 1
1	R	W	L	0	81 30 32 52 30 61 0 2 R 0	06	Ecrit Recover status à 0
1	T	R	N	-	81 30 32 54 3F 68 0 2 T ?	01 30 36 54 30 30 31 30 62 0 6 T 0 0 0 1 0	Lit Sublimation time (valeur = 10)
1	T	W	N	00600	81 30 36 54 30 30 36 30 30 56 0 6 T 0 0 6 0 0	06	Ecrit Sublimation time à 600
1	H	R	P	-	81 30 32 48 JF 74 0 2 H ?	01 30 37 4B 30 31 65 2D 30 37 00 0 7 H 0 1 e - 0 7	Lit Pressure Threshold (valeur = 1e-7)
1	H	W	P	05e-06	81 30 37 48 30 35 65 2D 30 36 05 0 7 H 0 5 e - 0 6	06	Ecrit Pressure Threshold à 5e-6

### 3 Mode d'emploi

#### Protocole de communication serielle

Add	Adresse du dispositif
Cmd	Commande (A, B, C...)
R/W	Opération (Read/Write)
Type	Type de donnée (Logique/Numérique/Puissance)

Les champs "MESSAGE" et "RESPONCE" sont représentés sous forme hexadécimale (les valeurs correspondantes ASCII sont indiquées, si possible, sous chaque octet).



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## General Information

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**This manual uses the following standard protocol:**

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**WARNING!**



The warning messages are for attracting the attention of the operator to a particular procedure or practice which, if not followed correctly, could lead to serious injury.

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**CAUTION!**

The caution messages are displayed before procedures which, if not followed, could cause damage to the equipment.

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**NOTE**

The notes contain important information taken from the text.

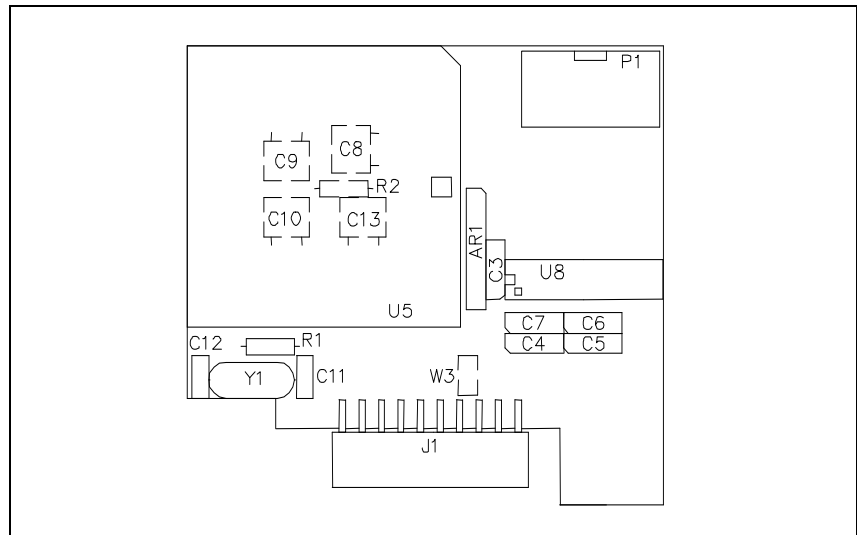
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## TSP Controller Serial Interface PCB Description

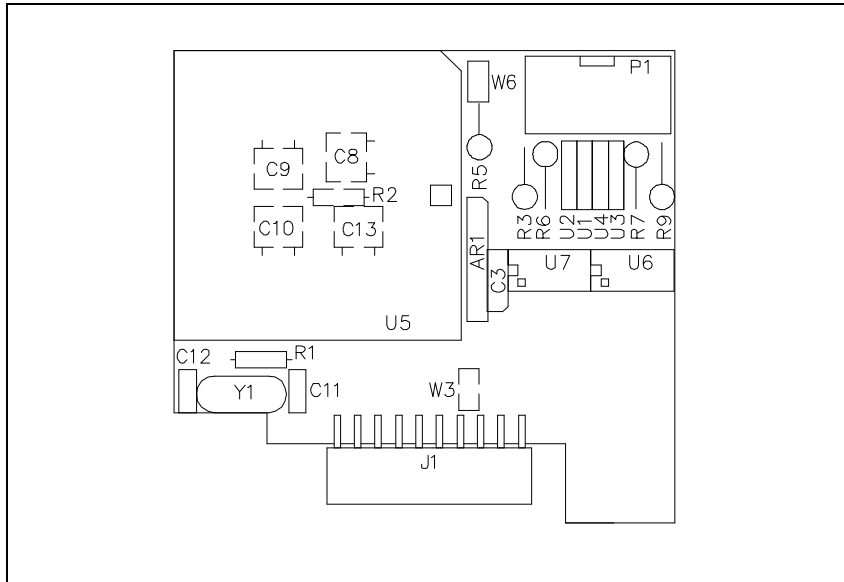
Three models of serial interface board for TSP controller are available. Each model corresponds to a serial communication protocol (see the following figures):

- model 929-0024: RS 232 serial interface board
- model 929-0025: RS 422 serial interface board
- model 929-0026: RS 485 serial interface board.

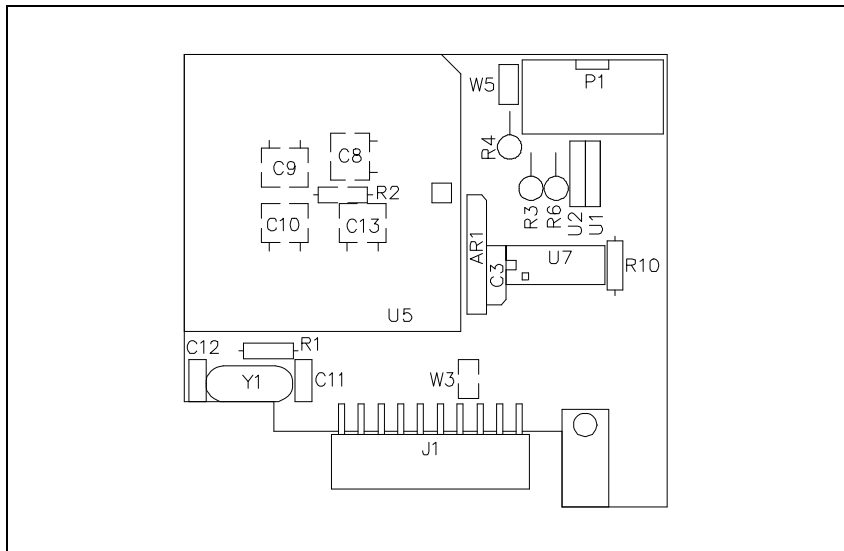


**Figure 1** RS 232 Serial Interface Board Model 929-0024

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**Figure 2 RS 422 serial interface board model 929-0025**



**Figure 3 RS 485 Serial Interface Board Model 929-0026**

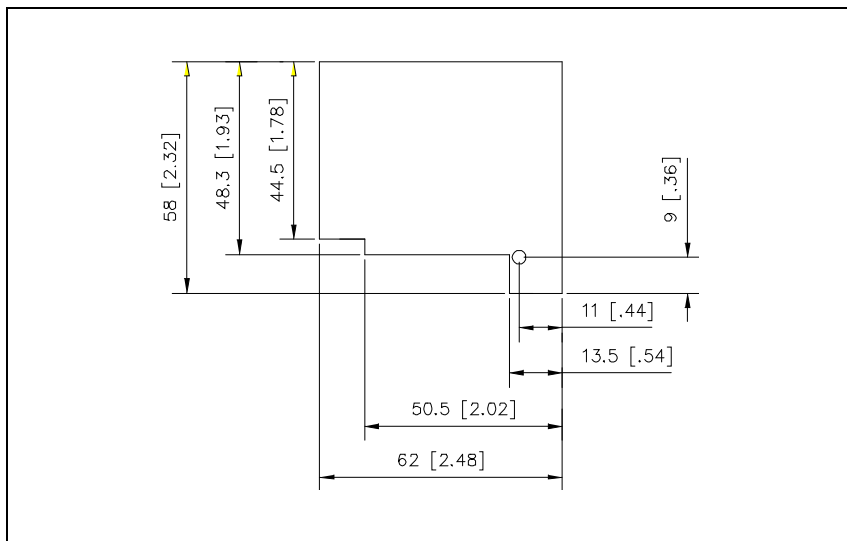
All the board models include an electronic circuitry. It decodes the commands from the host computer into suitable control signals for the TSP Controller, and encodes and sends data from TSP Controller to the host computer.

The furnished kit of all models comprises the following elements:

- the interface board;
- a flat cable with relevant connectors to connect the board to the TSP rear panel;
- this instruction manual.

## Interface Boards Dimensions

The following figure shows the interface boards dimensions in mm [inches].



**Figure 4** Interface Boards Dimensions

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### Storage

## Storage

When transporting and storing the serial interface boards the following environmental requirements should be satisfied:

- Temperature: from -20 °C to +70 °C
- Relative humidity: 0 to 95 % (without condensing)

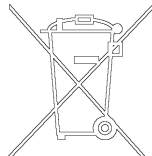
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The end user is therefore invited to contact the supplier of the device, whether the Parent Company or a retailer, to initiate the collection and disposal process after checking the contractual terms and conditions of sale.



## Preparation for Installation

The interface boards are supplied in a special protective packing. If this shows signs of damage which may have occurred during transport, contact your local sales office.

When unpacking the board, be sure not to drop it, avoid any kind of sudden impact or shock vibration to it and avoid any hand contact with the electronic circuitry: the electrostatic charges may damage the board.

Do not dispose of the packing materials in an unauthorized manner. The material is 100 % recyclable and complies with EEC Directive 85/399.

The following figure shows the boards packaging.

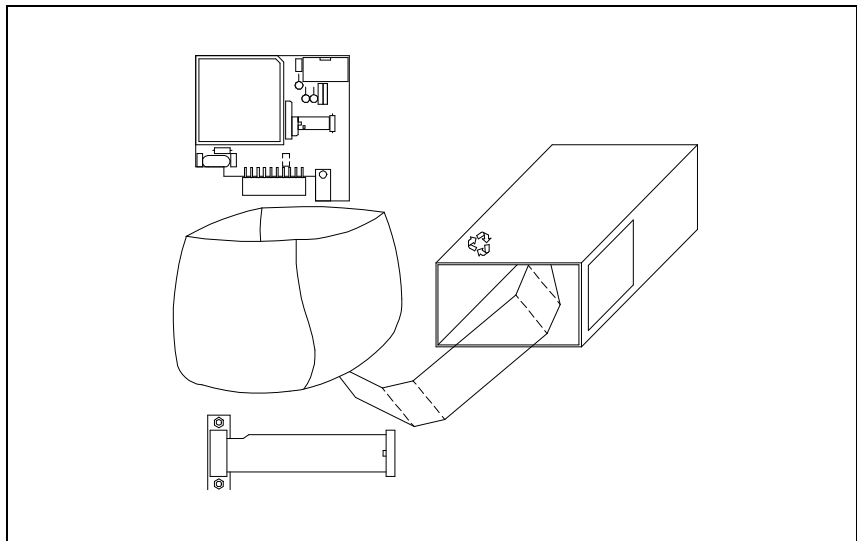


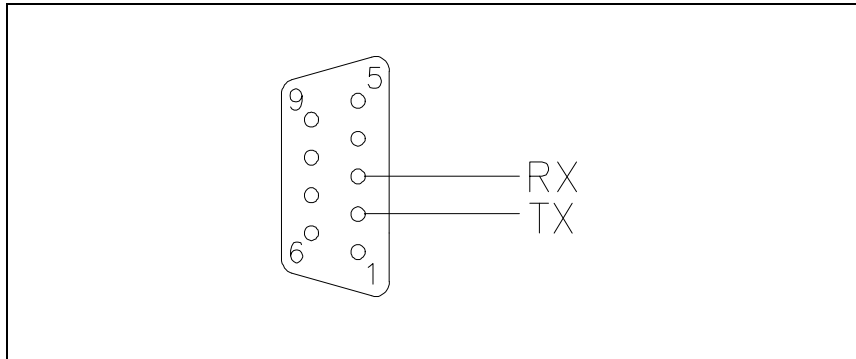
Figure 5

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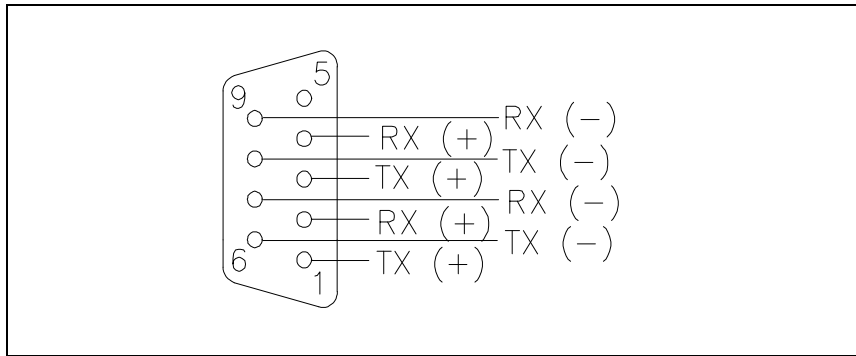
The interface boards installation does not require specific presettings. The following procedure must be executed to install the interface board inside the TSP Controller:

1. Disconnect the controller from the mains.
2. Remove the upper cover.
3. Insert the interface board into the suitable connector of the controller front panel board.
4. Remove the closing cover of the serial connector space of the controller rear panel.
5. Connect one side of the flat cable to P1 connector of the interface board and get the other side through the controller until the 9-pin D-type connector go out from the suitable space of the rear panel.
6. Fix the connector to the rear panel by means of the fixing screws.
7. Reassemble the TSP controller upper cover.
8. Reconnect the controller to the mains.

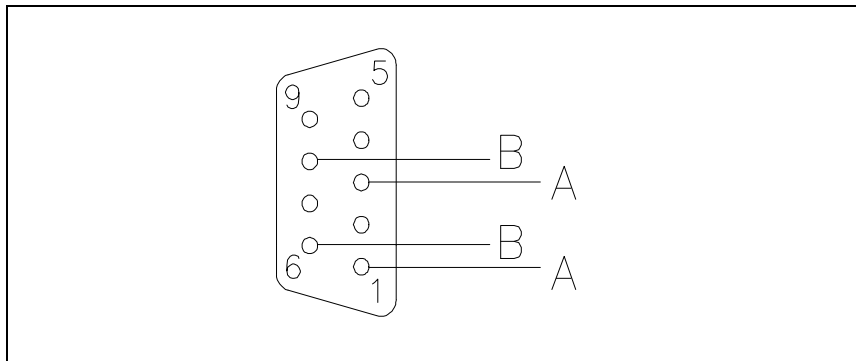
The following figures show the pin layout and relevant signals of the interface boards D-type connectors.



**Figure 6** RS 232 Serial Board



**Figure 7** RS 422 Serial Board



**Figure 8** RS 485 Serial Board

## Serial Communication Protocol

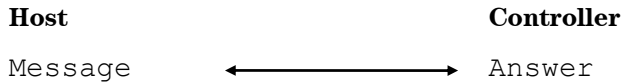
### Communication Format

- 8 data bit
- no parity
- 1 stop bit
- baud rate: 600/1200/2400/4800/9600 programmable

### Communication Protocol

- Master/Slave type with host computer Master and Controller Slave
- Maximum peripheral number: 32 (only for RS 485 protocol)

The communication is performed in the following way:



**Message** is a string with the following format:

**<ADR>+<LDAT>+<DATA>+<CRC>**



where:

- **<ADR>**: 0x80+peripheral address (from 0x1 to 0x20). An invalid address set the unit as unit 1.
- **<LDAT>**: data field length. It is encoded in decimal with two character (from 00 to 99).
- **<DATA>**: variable length field according to the command type, with the following elements:
  - **Command**: upper or lower case letter corresponding to the command (see the table of the following page):
  - **Parameters**: this is a string with length and content variable according to the command. When the command is a data reading one, this field contains the “?” (0x3f hexadecimal) character. When the command is a data setting one, or when the **Message** is a Controller answer to a reading command, this field contains a data string of one of the following types:

**Tab. 1**

DATA TYPE	VALID CHARACTER
Logic	0 1
Numeric	5 characters numeric string right justified with “0”.
Exponential	A string with the following format: “XXe-YY”

- **<CRC>**: XOR of all characters of the **Message**, with the exclusion of CRC, and with the most significant bit set to 0.

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The addressed slave unit will respond with an `Answer` whose structure depends from the received **Message**:

- when the **Message** has a wrong CRC, or an unavailable address, or an incorrect field length/data type, or an unknown command, the **Answer** will not contain any character;
- the `Answer` will contain the ACK character (0x6 hexadecimal) to confirm the setting of the parameter associated with the command sent from Master when the command is a writing one;
- the **Answer** will contain a **Message** with the same structure of the `Message` previously described, but with **<DATA>** field containing the Master requested parameter and with the **<ADR>** field with the most significant bit set to 0 when the command is a reading one.

**Tab. 2**

<b>COMMAND</b>	<b>DESCRIPTION</b>	<b>DATA TYPE</b>	<b>READ/WRITE</b>	<b>ADMITTED VALUES</b>
A	Autostart	Logic	R/W	0 = YES 1 = NO
B	Baud rate	Numeric	R/W	0 = 600 1 = 1200 2 = 2400 3 = 4800 4 = 9600
C	Input current reading (measurement unit: 0,1 A)	Numeric	R	
D	Address (not available for RS 232 interface board)	Numeric	R/W	from 1 to 32
E	Error Code	Numeric	R	0 = no error 1 = overtemperature 2 = Mini Ti-Ball interrupt. 3 = TSP filament interrupt 4 = TSP defective 5 = short circuit
F	Active filament	Numeric	R/W	0 = Mini Ti-Ball 1 = filament 1 of TSP 2 = filament 2 of TSP 3 = filament 3 of TSP
G	Controller start/stop	Logic	R/W	0 = stop 1 = start
H	Pressure threshold	Exponential	R/W	from "01e-10" to "01e-04"
I	Absorbed current (measurement unit: 0,1 A)	Numeric	R	
L	Input pressure reading (measurement unit: 0,1 V)	Exponential	R	
M	Controller operating mode	Numeric	R/W	0 = manual 1 = automatic 2 = remote 3 = automatic/remote

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COMMAND	DESCRIPTION	DATA TYPE	READ/WRITE	ADMITTED VALUES
N	Sublimation current (measurement unit: 0,1 A; this value is rounded to 0,5 A)	Numeric	R/W	300 = 30 A 305 = 30,5 A ..... 495 = 49,5 A 500 = 50 A
P	Sublimation period	Numeric	R/W	30 = 3 minutes 100 = 10 minutes 300 = 30 minutes 600 = 1 hour 1200 = 2 hours 2400 = 4 hours 48000 = 8 hours 19200 = 32 hours
R	Recover	Logic	R/W	0 = automatic 1 = manual
S	Controller status	Numeric	R	0 = stop 1 = fail 2 = wait interlock 3 = ramp 4 = wait sublimation 5 = sublimation
T	Sublimation time (measurement unit: 0,1 min.)	Numeric	R/W	10 = 1 minute 15 = 1,5 minutes ..... 70 = 7 minutes
V	Absorbed voltage (measurement unit: 0,1 V)	Numeric	R	

## Example of TSP Messages

**Tab. 3**

ADD.	CMD	R/ W	TYPE	VALUE	MESSAGE	RESPONSE	COMMENT
1	R	R	L	-	81 30 32 52 JF 6E 0 2 R ?	01 30 32 52 J0 61 0 2 R 0	Reads Recover status (value = 1)
1	R	W	L	1	81 30 32 52 31 60 0 2 R 1	06	Writes Recover status to 1
1	R	W	L	0	81 30 32 52 30 61 0 2 R 0	06	Writes Recover status to 0
1	T	R	N	-	81 30 32 54 3F 68 0 2 T ?	01 30 36 54 30 30 30 31 30 62 0 6 T 0 0 0 1 0	Reads Sublimation time (value = 10)
1	T	W	N	00600	81 30 36 54 30 30 36 30 30 56 0 6 T 0 0 6 0 0	06	Writes Sublimation time to 600
1	H	R	P	-	81 30 32 48 JF 74 0 2 H ?	01 30 37 4B 30 31 65 2D 30 37 00 0 7 H 0 1 e - 0 7	Reads Pressure Threshold (value = 1 and -7)
1	H	W	P	05e-06	81 30 37 48 30 35 65 2D 30 36 05 0 7 H 0 5 e - 0 6	06	Writes Pressure Threshold to 5 and -6

Add      Device address  
 Cmd      Command (A, B, C...)  
 R/W      Operation (Read/Write)  
 Type      Data type (Logical/Numeric/Power)

The "MESSAGE" and "RESPONSE" fields are represented in hex format (the corresponding ASCII values are indicated, wherever possible, under each byte).

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**Serial Communication Protocol**



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Request for Return Form
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