

1 X 20 DOT MATRIX (5 X 7), VACUUM FLUORESCENT DISPLAY

The VF-0120-03 (Standard) and VF-0120-03R (RS-232) are vacuum fluorescent display with 15.0mm high characters arranged in a 5 x 7 dot matrix format. The Vacuum Fluorescent display module is equipped with drivers, refresh memory, character generator, microcomputer, scanning circuit, and interface to the host system. All the operations necessary for the display are conducted within the module, once data is inputted into the modules, thereby maintaining the display automatically. Also rewriting of the display data is easily available.

The VF-0120-03 / 03R microcomputer performs scanning of the grid of the Vacuum Fluorescent tube, while at the same time, picks up the character patterns to be displayed at in their respective character position.

The VF-0120-03 / 03R has the following function capability: Data Write, Data Read, Command and Control Functions, Status Read, Serial Operation, Self-Test, Alternate Character Font, Optional Circuit for RS-232 Serial Input.

FEATURES

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| Format: 1 line of 20 characters | Font: English, General European |
| Character Height: 15mm | Color: Blue Green |
| Character Spacing: 12.7mm, C to C | Luminance: 100 fL min |
| Character Design: 5 x 7 dot matrix | Viewing Angle: 150° |
| Character Set: 96 Character ASCII | Life: 100,000+ hours |

SPECIFICATIONS***Absolute Maximum Ratings***

| PARAMETER | SYM | MIN | MAX | UNITS |
|------------------------------|-----------------|-----|-----------------|-------|
| Supply Voltage | V _{CC} | - | +5.25 | Volts |
| High Level Input Voltage | V _{IH} | - | V _{CC} | Volts |
| Low Level Input Voltage | V _{IL} | - | 0.8 | Volts |
| Vibration (Sine) (10 -55 Hz) | | - | 2 | G |
| Shock Non-Operating | | | 20 | G |

Recommended Operating Conditions

| PARAMETER | SYM | MIN | TYP | MAX | UNITS |
|--|-----------------|------|-----|-----------------|-------|
| Supply Voltage | V _{CC} | 4.75 | 5.0 | 5.25 | VDC |
| Supply Current | I _{CC} | - | 1.0 | 1.2 | A |
| High Level Output Current (V _{OH} = 2.4VDC) | I _{OH} | - | - | -400 | μA |
| Low Level Output Current (V _{OL} = 0.45VDC) | I _{OL} | - | - | 2 | mA |
| High Level Input Voltage | V _{IH} | 2.0 | - | V _{CC} | VDC |
| Low Level Input Voltage | V _{IL} | -0.5 | - | 0.8 | VDC |
| High Level Output Voltage | V _{OH} | 2.4 | - | - | VDC |
| Low Level Output Voltage | V _{OL} | - | - | 0.45 | VDC |

Environmental Characteristics

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| Operating Temperature | 0 to 55 °C |
| Storage Temperature | -40 to +85 °C |
| Operating Relative Humidity | 0 to 95% non-condensing |

J1 - Power Connector

| Pin Number | Function |
|------------|----------|
| 1 | +5 VDC |
| 2 | N/C |
| 3 | Dimming |
| 4 | Common |
| 5 | N/C |
| 6 | RESET |

J2 - Data Connector

| Pin Number | Function | Pin Number | Function | Pin Number | Function |
|------------|---------------------|------------|---------------------------|------------|---------------------------|
| 1 | Serial In/Self Test | 10 | Common | 19 | Data 2 ⁴ |
| 2 | Common | 11 | Data 2 ⁰ (LBS) | 20 | Common |
| 3 | Device Select | 12 | Common | 21 | Data 2 ⁵ |
| 4 | Common | 13 | Data 2 ¹ | 22 | Common |
| 5 | Read | 14 | Common | 23 | Data 2 ⁶ |
| 6 | Common | 15 | Data 2 ² | 24 | Common |
| 7 | Address Zero Bit | 16 | Common | 25 | Data 2 ⁷ (MSB) |
| 8 | Common | 17 | Data 2 ³ | 26 | Common |
| 9 | Write | 18 | Common | | |

Outline and Mounting Drawing:

