

X TEND-2/FL

10Base-2/FL Converter

ETP-20118 Installation Guide

A Network Systems Solution

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OVERVIEW

I. Overview

This booklet is designed as a guide for the easy installation of XTEND-2/FL, UNICOM's 10Base-2 to 10Base-FL Converter

The 10Base-2/FL Converter is designed to connect an existing 10Base-2 Thin Ethernet adapter card or 10Base-2 network to a 10Base-FL system. The converter repeats the signals from 10Base-2 to a suitable format for transmission over Fiber Optic cables to a 10Base-FL hub, workstation, transceiver or converter.



SWITCH

II. Thin Ethernet Terminator Switch



- ON - The "ON" position is set when the converter is placed at the end of the segment. See set-up, page 4.



- OFF - The "OFF" position is used when the converter is placed in the middle of the segment. See set-up, page 4.

LEDs

III. LED Indicators

- **LMON** 10Base-FL (dual ST port) Link Monitor Indicates correct 10Base-FL connection.
- **COL** Ethernet Collision Indicator constantly lit or blinking indicates a data collision.
- **XMT** 10Base-FL Data transmission indicator on or blinking indicates transmission through ST XMT port.
- **POWER** Power Indicator indicates when power is being receiving from the external power adapter.
- **RCV** 10Base-FL Data Reception Indicator on or blinking indicates transmission through the ST RCV port.
- **JAB** Ethernet Jabber Indicates that transmission has been interrupted to prevent corrupted data from being sent over the network.
- **BNC/RCV** Indicates data is being received from the BNC port when Constantly lit or blinking.

TROUBLESHOOTING

V. Troubleshooting

Symptom	Possible Cause	Solution
Power "OFF"	Bad power connection	Check external power adapter
LMON "OFF"	Bad Fiber connection	Check Fiber Optic cable
COL LED "ON"	Wrong Terminator setting	Check Terminator setting Check coaxial cable

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SET-UP

IV. Set-Up Procedures - 10Base-2 Connection

Example 1

- 10Base-FL Hub Connection.

Procedure

- Use an ST/ST duplex multimode fiber optic cable to connect the XTEND-2/FL to the 10Base-FL hub

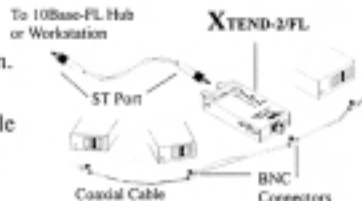


Example 2

- 10Base-FL Transceiver or Converter Connection.

Procedure

- Use an ST/ST duplex multimode fiber optic cable to connect the XTEND-2/FL to another remote 10Base-FL converter or transceiver.



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SPECIFICATIONS

VI. Specifications

Standard Interface	IEEE 802.3 10-Base-2, 10Base-FL standards BNC connector for Thin Ethernet; Dual ST connector for 10Base-FL connection.
Cable Length	185 meters max. per Thin Ethernet Segment, 2,000 meters max. for Fiber Optic Cable.
Terminator Switch	Two position switch on BNC side (ON or OFF) for Thin Ethernet connection.
LED's	LMON, COL, XMT, POWER, RCV, JAB and BNC/RCV
Dimensions	4.2"x2.2"x0.8"
Power Adapter	9V DC input, 1 Amp
EMI	Meets CE and FCC Class A subpart J of Part 15 Requirements

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