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LTE Cat.4

Global and Regional LTE coverage with fallback options

- LTE Cat.4, Global and multiple Regional variants with latest network bands grouping
- 3G and 2G fallback
- Data and voice

Fully Featured modem implementation

- Inegrated IP connectivity
- VolTE and CSFB voice, embedded GNSS
- Thales extended set of AT commands

Compact, plug and play Mini PCle[™] modem card

- Compact 50.95 x 30 x 4.70 mm Mini PCle™ card form factor
- Plug and play support of Windows 10 and embedded systems
- Dual SIM interface, SIM card holder, optional embedded SIM

State of the art security

- Secure boot
- Secure key store
- Key life cycle management

Easy Connectivity and Lifecycle Management

- Secure enrollment toward main cloud platforms
- Remote update and device management

The Thales Cinterion® mPLS83-X IoT Modem Card simplifies global high speed cellular IoT connectivity providing instant access to LTE Cat.4 networks with 2G/3G fallback from a single SKU. A targeted regional mPLS83-X variant is avaible for North American markets where global coverage is not needed. Offering high speeds of 150Mbit/s download and 50Mbit/s uplink, the mPLS83 IoT Modem Card is extremely easy to integrate by simply plugging into an existing Mini PCIe[™] express card slot. It's ideal for high bandwidth industrial applications such as transportation, industrial automation and gateways that need the longevity and stability of LTE networks along with continuous coverage in regions where 4G is not available.

Key Features

The Cinterion PLS83-X IoT Modem Card offers global cellular connectivity from a simple, plug-and-play device delivering a combination of 18 Band FDD and TDD LTE Cat.4, Eight Band 3G UMTS/WCDMA and Quad Band GSM. A regional

variant provides more targeted coverage for NORAM. The feature-packed device comes in a Mini PCle™ format and includes integrated IP connectivity, voice over LTE (VoLTE) and circuit-switched voice, plus a comprehensive AT command set for simplified device control. Integrated GNSS support (GPS/ BeiDou/Galileo/GLONASS) provides precise positioning and timing data which is essential for global transportation and track and trace applications. Optional embedded eSIM technology strengthens security, reduces deployment complexity and simplifies logistics providing MNO flexibility offering easy remote provisioning, dynamic subscription management and MNO flexibility in the field. What's more, optional embedded processing further streamlines design and development while strengthening processing capabilities and optimizing the total cost of ownership. Advanced security features including a secure boot, secure storage and key lifecycle management protect data and devices.

Housed in a compact 50.95mm × 30.00mm × 4.70mm Mini PCle™ form factor, the modem card supports plug and play deployment and easy migration from 2G and 3G through to LTE. This greatly improves implementation agility and simplifies evolution as technology needs change.

All Cinterion IoT connectivity solutions integrate seamlessly with the Cinterion® IoT Suite offering OTA software updates and lifecycle management, trusted digital identity management and secure cloud interworking, plus zero-touch connectivity activation. Additionally, they all come with global customer support, Full Type Approval (FTA), and mobile network operator certification to support a fast time to market.

Thales eSIM simplifies and secures IoT connectivity

An optional embedded eSIM together with Thales subscription management reduces total TCO by easing integration, ensuring in-field flexibility on connectivity, and by simplifying manufacturing and logistics.

Efficiency, reliability and anytime, anywhere connectivity

An advanced power management system delivers efficiency while ensuring always on, 24/7 connectivity. Based on the mature LTE technology, the module ensures global reliability with fallback to 3G/2G if needed.

State of the art security suite protects devices and data

The secure boot feature protects the integrity of the firmware and guards against attacks and unauthorized firmware loading. The advanced key management platform not only secures key storage but also enables easy enrollment towards main cloud platforms. Moreover, the support for Cinterion IoT Suite allows remote update, device and connectivity management.

Cinterion® mPLS83-X Features

General Features

- 3GPP Rel.9 Compliant Protocol Stack
- FDD-LTE: bands 2, 4, 5, 12, 13, 14, 25, 26, 66, 71
- UMTS (WCDMA/FDD): bands 2, 4, 5
- Integrated GNSS support (GPS/BeiDou/GLONASS/ Galileo)
- SIM Application Toolkit, letter classes b, c, e with BIP and RunAT support
- Control via standardized and extended AT commands (Hayes, TS 27.007 and 27.005)
- Embedded IP stack with IPv4 and IPv6 support
- TCP/IP stack access via AT command and transparent TCP/UDP services
- Secure Connection with TLS/DTLS
- Internet Services TCP/UDP server/client, DNS, Ping, HTTP, SMTP, FTP client
- Supply voltage range: 3.3 V (+/- 5%)
- Dimension: 50.95 x 30.00 x 4.70 mm
- Data and voice

NORAM Regional Variant

When global connectivity is not required, the PLS83-X for NORAM provides up to 10 Band LTE Cat.4 and Tri-Band 3G HSPA/UMTS.

Specifications

- FDD-LTE LTE Cat.4 DL: max. 150 Mbps, UL: max. 50 Mbps
- HSDPA Cat.10 / HSUPA Cat.6 data rates DL: max. 14.4 Mbps, UL: max. 5.76 Mbps
- E/GPRS Class 12 DL: max. 237 kbps, UL: max. 237kbps
- SMS text and PDU mode support
- Multiple Operator VoLTE support, CSFB (circuit-switched fallback)
- High quality narrow and wideband voice support for handset, headset and hands-free operation (HR, FR, EFR and AMR-WB)

Special Features

- USB Interface features a composite mode, compliant to Windows, Linux and Mac
- Firmware update via USB
- RLS Monitoring (Jamming detection)
- Informal Network Scan
- Cell ID based Location Support
- Module Services
- eSIM (optional)

Interfaces (52pin edge connector)

- USB 2.0
- 4 GPIO lines
- 3FF UICC card holder (USIM IF#1)
- 2 Hirose 3mm U.FL onboard connectors for Main and **RX-Diversity** antennas
- GNSS
- Digital audio interface (PCM and I2S modes)

Drivers

- USB, MUX driver for Microsoft[®] Windows 7[™], Microsoft[®] Windows 8[™] and Microsoft® Windows 10[™]
- Ofono for Linux

Approvals

- GCF, PTCRB, FCC/IC/UL, California RoHS
- AT&T, VzW, T-Mobile



Thales in IoT: Driving digital transformation with the power of the IoT

Thales delivers innovative IoT technology that simplifies and speeds enterprise digital transformation. For more than 20 years, our customers – in a wide range of industries - trust our IoT solutions to seamlessly connect and secure their IoT devices, maximise field insights, and accelerate their global business success.

Thales solutions:

- **Connect** assets to wireless networks and cloud platforms
- Manage the long lifecycle of IoT solutions
- I Secure devices and their data
- Analyse real-time data transforming it into business intelligence that improves decision making

Our 360° approach provides the essential building blocks needed to simplify design, streamline development and accelerate timeto-market.

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