

SIMATIC S7-1500H, CPU 1518HF-4 PN, central processing unit with 9 MB work memory for program and 60 MB for data, 1st interface: PROFINET RT with 2-port switch, 2nd interface: PROFINET, 3rd interface: PROFINET, 4th/5th interface: H-SYNC, SIMATIC Memory Card required



General information	
Product type designation	CPU 1518HF-4PN
HW functional status	FS02
Firmware version	V3.0
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> FW update possible 	Yes
Product function	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> I&M data 	Yes; I&M0 to I&M3
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Isochronous mode 	No
Engineering with	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> STEP 7 TIA Portal configurable/integrated from version 	V18 (FW V3.0) / V17 (FW V2.9)
Display	
Screen diagonal [cm]	6.1 cm
Control elements	
Number of keys	6
Mode selector switch	1
Supply voltage	
Rated value (DC)	24 V
permissible range, lower limit (DC)	19.2 V
permissible range, upper limit (DC)	28.8 V
Reverse polarity protection	Yes
Mains buffering	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Mains/voltage failure stored energy time 	5 ms
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Repeat rate, min. 	1/s
Input current	
Current consumption (rated value)	1.55 A
Current consumption, max.	1.95 A
Inrush current, max.	1.95 A; Rated value
I^2t	0.4 A ² ·s
Power loss	
Power loss, typ.	24 W
Memory	
Number of slots for SIMATIC memory card	1
SIMATIC memory card required	Yes
Work memory	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> integrated (for program) 	9 Mbyte
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> integrated (for data) 	60 Mbyte
Load memory	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Plug-in (SIMATIC Memory Card), max. 	32 Gbyte
Backup	

• maintenance-free	Yes
CPU processing times	
for bit operations, typ.	4 ns
for word operations, typ.	6 ns
for fixed point arithmetic, typ.	6 ns
for floating point arithmetic, typ.	24 ns
CPU-blocks	
Number of elements (total)	20 000; Blocks (OB, FB, FC, DB) and UDTs
DB	
• Number range	1 ... 60 999; subdivided into: number range that can be used by the user: 1 ... 59 999, and number range of DBs created via SFC 86: 60 000 ... 60 999
• Size, max.	16 Mbyte; For DBs with absolute addressing, the max. size is 64 KB
FB	
• Number range	0 ... 65 535
• Size, max.	1 Mbyte
FC	
• Number range	0 ... 65 535
• Size, max.	1 Mbyte
OB	
• Size, max.	1 Mbyte
• Number of free cycle OBs	100
• Number of time alarm OBs	20
• Number of delay alarm OBs	20
• Number of cyclic interrupt OBs	20; with minimum OB 3x cycle of 100 µs
• Number of process alarm OBs	50
• Number of DPV1 alarm OBs	3
• Number of startup OBs	100
• Number of asynchronous error OBs	4
• Number of synchronous error OBs	2
• Number of diagnostic alarm OBs	1
Nesting depth	
• per priority class	24; Up to 8 possible for F-blocks
Counters, timers and their retentivity	
S7 counter	
• Number	2 048
Retentivity	
— adjustable	Yes
IEC counter	
• Number	Any (only limited by the main memory)
Retentivity	
— adjustable	Yes
S7 times	
• Number	2 048
Retentivity	
— adjustable	Yes
IEC timer	
• Number	Any (only limited by the main memory)
Retentivity	
— adjustable	Yes
Data areas and their retentivity	
Retentive data area (incl. timers, counters, flags), max.	768 kbyte; In total; available retentive memory for bit memories, timers, counters, DBs, and technology data (axes): 700 KB
Flag	
• Size, max.	16 kbyte
• Number of clock memories	8; 8 clock memory bit, grouped into one clock memory byte
Data blocks	
• Retentivity adjustable	Yes
• Retentivity preset	No
Local data	
• per priority class, max.	64 kbyte; max. 16 KB per block
Address area	
Number of IO modules	8 192; max. number of modules / submodules

I/O address area	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Inputs Outputs 	32 kbyte; All inputs are in the process image 32 kbyte; All outputs are in the process image
per integrated IO subsystem	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Inputs (volume) Outputs (volume) 	16 kbyte 16 kbyte
Subprocess images	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Number of subprocess images, max. 	32
Hardware configuration	
Number of distributed IO systems	1
Number of IO Controllers	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> integrated 	1
Rack	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Modules per rack, max. 	1; CPU
Time of day	
Clock	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Type Backup time Deviation per day, max. 	Hardware clock 6 wk; At 40 °C ambient temperature, typically 10 s; Typ.: 2 s
Operating hours counter	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Number 	16
Clock synchronization	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> supported on Ethernet via NTP 	Yes Yes
Interfaces	
Number of PROFINET interfaces	3
1. Interface	
Interface types	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> RJ 45 (Ethernet) Number of ports integrated switch 	Yes; X1 2 Yes
Protocols	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> IP protocol PROFINET IO Controller PROFINET IO Device SIMATIC communication Open IE communication Web server Media redundancy 	Yes; IPv4 Yes No Yes; Only Server Yes No Yes
PROFINET IO Controller	
Services	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> PG/OP communication Isochronous mode IRT PROFInergy Number of connectable IO Devices, max. Updating times 	Yes No No Yes; per user program 256 The minimum value of the update time also depends on communication share set for PROFINET IO, on the number of IO devices, and on the quantity of configured user data
Update time for RT	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> for send cycle of 1 ms 	1 ms to 512 ms
2. Interface	
Interface types	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> RJ 45 (Ethernet) Number of ports integrated switch 	Yes; X2 1 No
Protocols	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> IP protocol PROFINET IO Controller PROFINET IO Device SIMATIC communication Open IE communication Web server 	Yes; IPv4 No No Yes; Only Server Yes No

• Media redundancy	No
3. Interface	
Interface types	
• RJ 45 (Ethernet)	Yes; X3
• Number of ports	1
• integrated switch	No
Protocols	
• IP protocol	Yes; IPv4
• SIMATIC communication	Yes; Only Server
• Open IE communication	Yes
• Web server	No
4. Interface	
Interface type	Pluggable synchronization submodule (FO)
Plug-in interface modules	Synchronization module 6ES7960-1CB00-0AA5, 6ES7960-1FB00-0AA5 or 6ES7960-1FE00-0AA5
5. Interface	
Interface type	Pluggable synchronization submodule (FO)
Plug-in interface modules	Synchronization module 6ES7960-1CB00-0AA5, 6ES7960-1FB00-0AA5 or 6ES7960-1FE00-0AA5
Interface types	
RJ 45 (Ethernet)	
• 100 Mbps	Yes
• 1000 Mbps	Yes; Only possible at the X3 interface of the CPU 1518
• Autonegotiation	Yes
• Autocrossing	Yes
• Industrial Ethernet status LED	Yes
Protocols	
PROFIsafe	Yes; V2.4 / V2.6
Number of connections	
• Number of connections, max.	320
• Number of connections reserved for ES/HMI/web	10
• Number of connections via integrated interfaces	320
• Number of S7 routing paths	64
Redundancy mode	
• PROFINET system redundancy (S2)	Yes
• PROFINET system redundancy (R1)	Yes
Media redundancy	
— Media redundancy	only via 1st interface (X1)
— MRP	Yes; MRP Automanager according to IEC 62439-2 Edition 2.0
— MRP interconnection, supported	Yes; as MRP ring node according to IEC 62439-2 Edition 3.0
— MRPD	No
— Switchover time on line break, typ.	200 ms; PROFINET MRP
— Number of stations in the ring, max.	50
SIMATIC communication	
• PG/OP communication	Yes; encryption with TLS V1.3 pre-selected
• S7 routing	Yes
• S7 communication, as server	Yes
• S7 communication, as client	No
Open IE communication	
• TCP/IP	Yes
— Data length, max.	64 kbyte
— several passive connections per port, supported	Yes
• ISO-on-TCP (RFC1006)	Yes
— Data length, max.	64 kbyte
• UDP	Yes
— Data length, max.	2 kbyte; 1 472 bytes for UDP broadcast
— UDP multicast	Yes; 128 multicast circuits (of which max. 5 via X1)
• DHCP	No
• DNS	Yes
• SNMP	Yes
• DCP	Yes
• LLDP	Yes

Web server	
• HTTP	No
• HTTPS	No
OPC UA	
• OPC UA Client	No
• OPC UA Server	No
Further protocols	
• MODBUS	Yes; MODBUS TCP
S7 message functions	
Number of login stations for message functions, max.	64
Program alarms	Yes
Number of configurable program messages, max.	10 000; Program messages are generated by the "Program_Alarm" block, ProDiag or GRAPH
Number of loadable program messages in RUN, max.	5 000
Number of simultaneously active program alarms	
• Number of program alarms	4 000
• Number of alarms for system diagnostics	1 000
Test commissioning functions	
Joint commission (Team Engineering)	No
Status block	Yes; Up to 16 simultaneously
Single step	No
Number of breakpoints	20; Breakpoints are only supported in RUN-Solo status
Status/control	
• Status/control variable	Yes; without fail-safe
• Variables	inputs/outputs, bit memories, DBs, peripheral I/Os (without fail-safe), times, counters
• Number of variables, max.	
— of which status variables, max.	200; per job
— of which control variables, max.	200; per job
Forcing	
• Forcing	Yes; without fail-safe
• Forcing, variables	peripheral inputs/outputs (without fail-safe)
• Number of variables, max.	200
Diagnostic buffer	
• present	Yes
• Number of entries, max.	3 200
— of which powerfail-proof	1 000
Traces	
• Number of configurable Traces	8
• Memory size per trace, max.	512 kbyte
Interrupts/diagnostics/status information	
Diagnostics indication LED	
• RUN/STOP LED	Yes
• ERROR LED	Yes
• MAINT LED	Yes
• Connection display LINK TX/RX	Yes
Supported technology objects	
Motion Control	No
Controller	
• PID_Compact	Yes; Universal PID controller with integrated optimization
• PID_3Step	Yes; PID controller with integrated optimization for valves
• PID-Temp	Yes; PID controller with integrated optimization for temperature
Counting and measuring	Yes
• High-speed counter	No
Standards, approvals, certificates	
Highest safety class achievable in safety mode	
• Performance level according to ISO 13849-1	PLe
• SIL acc. to IEC 61508	SIL 3
Probability of failure (for service life of 20 years and repair time of 100 hours)	
— Low demand mode: PFDavg in accordance with SIL3	< 2.00E-05
— High demand/continuous mode: PFH in accordance with SIL3	< 1.00E-09

Ambient conditions	
Ambient temperature during operation	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> horizontal installation, min. horizontal installation, max. 	0 °C 60 °C; Display: 50 °C, at an operating temperature of typically 50 °C, the display is switched off
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> vertical installation, min. vertical installation, max. 	0 °C 40 °C; Display: 40 °C, at an operating temperature of typically 40 °C, the display is switched off
Ambient temperature during storage/transportation	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> min. max. 	-40 °C 70 °C
Altitude during operation relating to sea level	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Installation altitude above sea level, max. 	5 000 m; Restrictions for installation altitudes > 2 000 m, see manual
configuration / header	
configuration / programming / header	
Programming language	
— LAD	Yes; incl. failsafe
— FBD	Yes; incl. failsafe
— STL	Yes
— SCL	Yes
— GRAPH	Yes
Know-how protection	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> User program protection/password protection Copy protection Block protection 	Yes No Yes
Access protection	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> protection of confidential configuration data Password for display Protection level: Write protection Protection level: Read/write protection Protection level: Write protection for Failsafe Protection level: Complete protection 	Yes Yes Yes Yes Yes Yes
programming / cycle time monitoring / header	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> lower limit upper limit 	adjustable minimum cycle time adjustable maximum cycle time
Dimensions	
Width	210 mm
Height	147 mm
Depth	129 mm
Weights	
Weight, approx.	2 116 g
last modified:	1/19/2023 