DEVICE SPECIFICATIONS
NI PXIe-4304/4305

32 Ch, 24-bit, ±42 V, 5 kS/s or 51.2 kS/s Simultaneous Filtered Data Acquisition Module

This document lists specifications for the NI PXIe-4304/4305 simultaneous filtered data acquisition module. All specifications are subject to change without notice. Visit ni.com/manuals for the most current specifications and product documentation.

📝 **Note**   To maintain forced air cooling in the PXI Express system, refer to the *Maintain Forced-Air Cooling Note to Users*.

Terminology

Maximum and *minimum* specifications characterize the warranted performance of the instrument within the recommended calibration interval and under the stated operating conditions. These specifications are subject to production verification or guaranteed by design.

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All performance specifications are *typical* unless otherwise noted. These specifications are valid within the full operating temperature range. Accuracy specifications are valid within ±5 °C of the calibration or over the full operating range as specifically noted.

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Input Characteristics

Number of channels .... 32 differential analog input channels

ADC resolution .... 24 bits

Type of ADC .... Delta-Sigma

Sampling mode .... Simultaneous

Sample rates (f_s)

    PXIe-4304

        Range .... 1 S/s to 5 kS/s

        Resolution .... ≤181.9 µS/s

    PXIe-4305

        Range .... 1 S/s to 51.2 kS/s

        Resolution .... ≤181.9 µS/s

Input coupling .... DC

Input ranges (FS)

    Nominal .... ±42 V

    Max .... ±42 V

Maximum working voltage
(signal + common mode) .... ±42 V

Input impedance

    Device powered on

        AI+ to AI GND .... 575 KΩ

        AI- to AI GND .... 575 KΩ

        AI+ to AI- .... 1.15 MΩ

CMRR (DC to 60 Hz) .... 80 dB

FIFO Buffer Size .... 1,023 samples

Data transfers .... Direct memory access (DMA), programmed I/O

Fault Protection (Power On or Off)

AI±<0..31>, AIGND .... 42 V between any two pins

PFI0 .... 30 V to DGND

Accuracy[1]

Measurement Conditions	Gain Error (% of Reading)	Offset Error (mV)
Typ (23 °C ±5 °C)	0.027	2.2
Max (23 °C ±5 °C)	0.037	4.5
Max (0 °C to 55 °C)	0.093	11.6

Temperature Stability

Gain stability.. 12 ppm/°C

Offset stability .... 135 µV/°C

Input Noise

Total buffered mode noise

f_s = 5 kS/s .... 94 µV$_{rms}$

f_s = 51.2 kS/s .... 300 µV$_{rms}$ (PXIe-4305 only)

Table 1. Optional Buffered Mode IIR Filtering Noise Scaling Coefficients

Filter Cut-Off Frequency	Noise Scaling Coefficient (K)
2 kHz	1.1
1 kHz	1.8
200 Hz	3
20 Hz	12
2 Hz	30

Buffered mode noise with IIR filters

$$Input\ Noise\ =\ \frac{Total\_Buffer\_Mode\_Noise}{\sqrt{Highest\_Rate \times \frac{Hz}{S/s} \times 0.45}} \times \sqrt{K \times Filter\_Cut\text{-}off\_Frequency}$$

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[1] Accuracies listed are warranted for the conditions described in the tables and for up to one year from the module external calibration.

Example

The buffer mode noise of the PXIe-4305 with the 1 kHz optional IIR filter is:

Highest_Rate of the PXIe-4305 = 51.2 kS/s

Total_Buffer_Mode_Noise = 300 μV$_{rms}$

Noise Scaling Coefficient (K) of 1 kHz filter = 1.8

K × Filter_Cut-off_Frequency= 1.8 × 1 kHz = 1.8 kHz

$$Input\ Noise\ =\ \frac{Total\_Buffer\_Mode\_Noise}{\sqrt{Highest\_Rate \times \frac{Hz}{S/s} \times 0.45}} \times \sqrt{K \times Filter\_Cut\text{-}off\_Frequency}$$

$$=\ \frac{300\ \mu V_{rms}}{\sqrt{51.2\ kS/s \times \frac{Hz}{S/s} \times 0.45}} \times \sqrt{1.8\ kHz}\ =\ 83.9\ \mu V_{rms}$$

Absolute Accuracy

$$Absolute\ Accuracy = Reading \times Gain\ Error + Offset\ Error + Noise\ Uncertainty$$

$$Noise\ Uncertainty\ =\ 3 \times \frac{Random\ Noise}{\sqrt{\#\ Samples}}$$

Where

Random Noise is the input noise for the sample rate used.

3 converts the RMS value to peak value for a coverage of 3σ.

 # Samples is the number of samples averaged.

For example, when using an operating temperature of 23 °C ±5 °C, the absolute accuracy at full-scale input with 5000 samples acquired at 5 kS/s is:

$$Gain\ Error = 0.037\%\ of\ Reading$$

$$Offset\ Error = 4.5\ mV$$

$$Noise\ Uncertainty\ =\ \frac{94\ \mu V \times 3}{\sqrt{5000}}\ =\ 4\ \mu V$$

$$Absolute\ Accuracy = 42\ V \times Gain\ Error + Offset\ Error + Noise\ Uncertainty = 20\ mV$$

Phase linearity

    PXIe-4304

    (f_{in} = DC to 2.25 kHz) .... ±1°

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    (f_{in} = DC to 23.04 kHz) .... ±1°

Spurious free dynamic range (SFDR)

    1 kHz, -60 dBFS .... 120 dB

Total harmonic distortion (THD)

    1 kHz, -1 dBFS .... -98 dB

Crosstalk

    1 kHz .... -95 dB

    10 kHz .... -75 dB (PXIe-4305 only)

Bandwidth and Alias Rejection

Passband

    Frequency (for 1 S/s ≤ f_s < 25 S/s) .... ≤ 0.1 × f_s

    Frequency (for 25 S/s ≤ f_s ≤ 25.6 kS/s) .... ≤ 0.45 × f_s

In band flatness

    f_{in} = DC to 2.25 kHz .... 10 mdB max

    f_{in} = 2.25 kHz to 23.04 kHz .... 100 mdB max (PXIe-4305 only)

Stopband

    Frequency (for 1 S/s ≤ f_s < 25 S/s) .... ≥ 0.9 × f_s

    Frequency (for 25 S/s ≤ f_s ≤ 25.6 kS/s) .... ≥ 0.57 × f_s

    Rejection .... 100 dB

Alias-free bandwidth
(for 1 S/s ≤ f_s < 25 S/s) .... 0.1 × f_s

Alias-free bandwidth
(for 25 S/s ≤ f_s ≤ 25.6 kS/s) .... 0.45 × f_s

Minimum frequency
for ADC alias hole .... 3.320313 MHz

Rejection at alias hole .... 100 dB

Uncompensated filter delay[1]

> *Group Delay = Analog Delay + Digital Filter Group Delay* [2]
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> Analog delay ....6.77 µs

Compensated digital filter group delay.............1.79742 ms + Variable Filter Delay

Sample Rate	Variable Filter Delay (Samples)
$1 \text{ S/s} \leq f_s < 25 \text{ S/s}$	4.000
$25.0 \text{ S/s} \leq f_s \leq 25.3 \text{ S/s}$	57.995
$25.3 \text{ S/s} < f_s \leq 50.7 \text{ S/s}$	57.991
$50.7 \text{ S/s} < f_s \leq 101.3 \text{ S/s}$	57.981
$101.3 \text{ S/s} < f_s \leq 202.7 \text{ S/s}$	57.963
$202.7 \text{ S/s} < f_s \leq 405.3 \text{ S/s}$	57.926
$405.3 \text{ S/s} < f_s \leq 810.6 \text{ S/s}$	57.852
$810.6 \text{ S/s} < f_s \leq 1621.2 \text{ S/s}$	57.703
$1621.2 \text{ S/s} < f_s \leq 3242.5 \text{ S/s}$	57.406
$3242.5 \text{ S/s} < f_s \leq 6485.0 \text{ S/s}$	56.813
$6485.0 \text{ S/s} < f_s \leq 12970.0 \text{ S/s}$	55.625
$12970.0 \text{ S/s} < f_s \leq 25939.9 \text{ S/s}$	53.250
$25939.9 \text{ S/s} < f_s \leq 51200 \text{ S/s}$	48.500

Channel to Channel Matching[3]

Gain matching

> Input frequency (f_{in})
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>> DC to 2.25 kHz ....17 mdB
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>> 2.25 kHz to 23.04 kHz ....170 mdB (PXIe-4305 only)

Phase matching ....0.035°/kHz × f_{in}

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[1] The compensated digital filter group delay is a result of using the anti-alias filtering in buffered mode. Hardware automatically compensates for this group delay when synchronizing.
Hardware does not compensate for filter delay from either the analog filter or the optional buffered mode digital filter or the filter used for hardware-timed single point mode.

[2] Digital filter group delay results from using the optional IIR filter in buffered mode or the IIR filter selected in hardware-timed single point mode.

[3] Identical channel configurations.

Optional Buffered Mode IIR Filtering

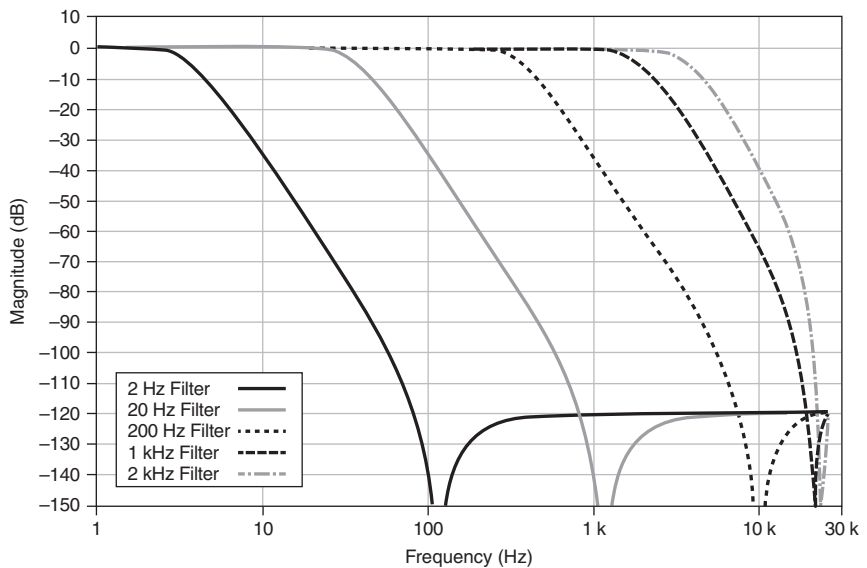| Filter Cut-Off Frequency	Filter Type	Stopband Attenuation	Passband Ripple
2 kHz Filter	Fourth order, Elliptic Filter	-120 dB	0.2 dB
1 kHz Filter	Fourth order, Elliptic Filter	-120 dB	0.2 dB
200 Hz Filter	Fourth order, Elliptic Filter	-120 dB	0.2 dB
20 Hz Filter	Fourth order, Elliptic Filter	-120 dB	0.2 dB
2 Hz Filter	Fourth order, Elliptic Filter	-120 dB	0.2 dB

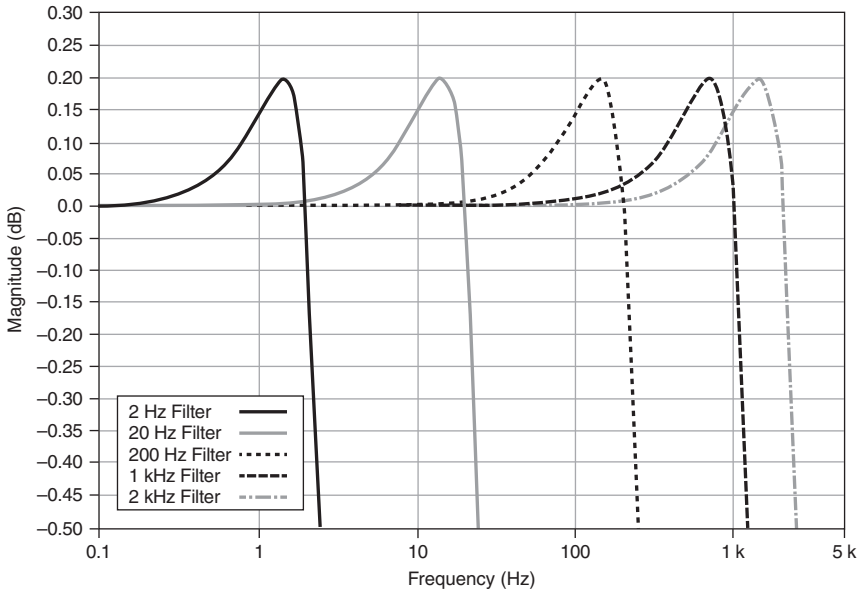**Figure 1.** Magnitude Response

Figure 2. Passband
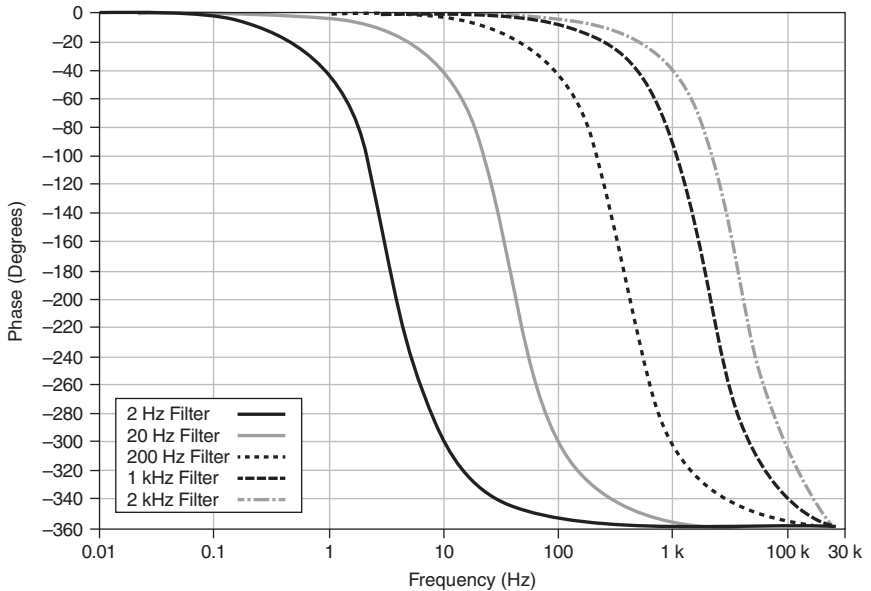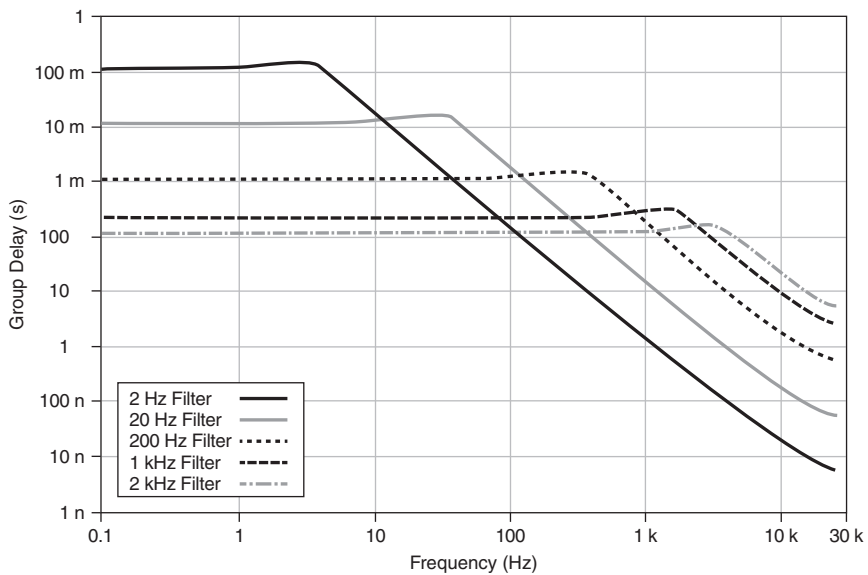

Figure 3. Phase Response

Figure 4. Group Delay

Table 2. Digital Filter Group Delay

Filter Cut-Off Frequency	Group Delay at 0.1 Hz
2 kHz Filter	113.4 μs
1 kHz Filter	227.4 μs
200 Hz Filter	1.1385 ms
20 Hz Filter	11.3856 ms
2 Hz Filter	113.856 ms

Hardware-Timed Single Point Sample Mode

Acquisition rate[1]

    Minimum .... 1 S/s

    Maximum

        PXIe-4304 .... 5 kS/s

        PXIe-4305 .... 51.2 kS/s

Table 3. Measured Hardware-Timed Single Point Sample Mode Noise at 23 °C

Filter Cut-Off Frequency	Noise
3 kHz Filter	144.3 μV_{rms}
2 kHz Filter	131.2 μV_{rms}
1 kHz Filter	117.9 μV_{rms}
500 Hz Filter	110.2 μV_{rms}
200 Hz Filter	101.9 μV_{rms}
100 Hz Filter	100.9 μV_{rms}

Hardware-Timed Single Point Filtering

Filter type .... Fourth order, elliptic filter

Stopband attenuation .... -120 dB

Passband ripple .... 0.2 dB

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[1] Depends on the system setup and application time. Refer to the *NI PXIe-4304/4305 User Manual* for more information.
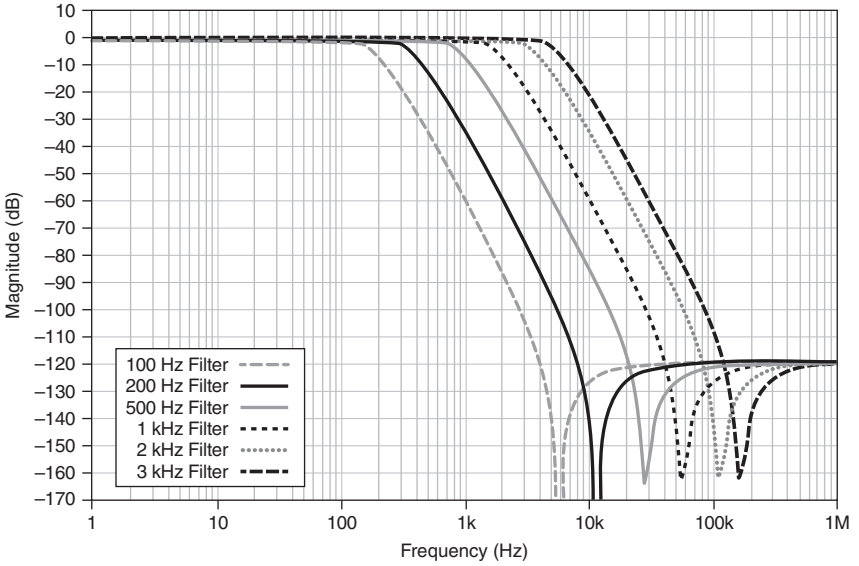
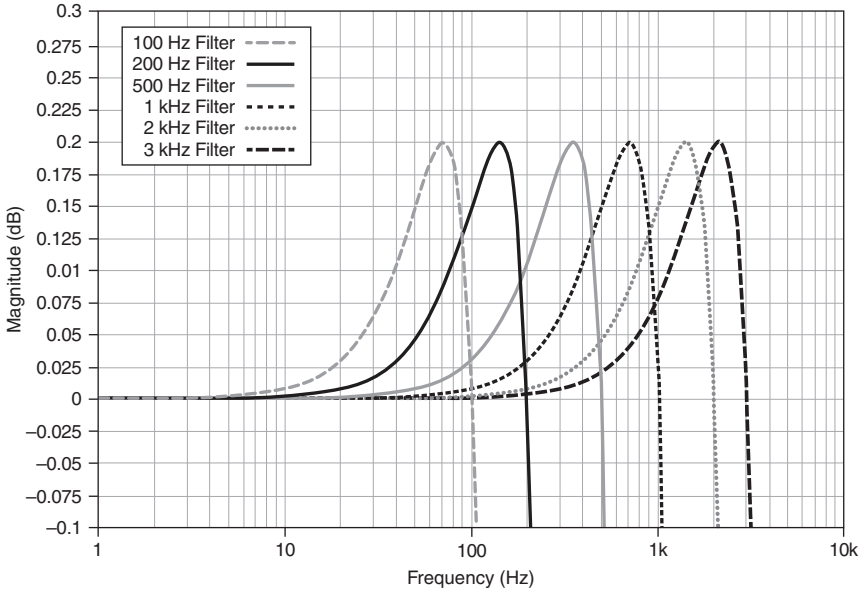**Figure 5.** Filter Magnitude Response

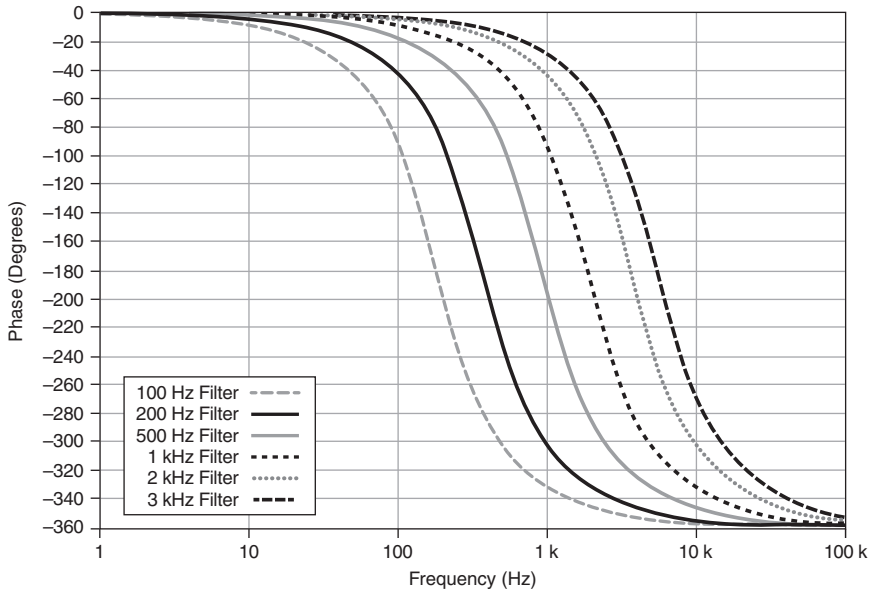**Figure 6.** Passband Ripple

Figure 7. Filter Phase Response

Figure 8. Filter Group Delay
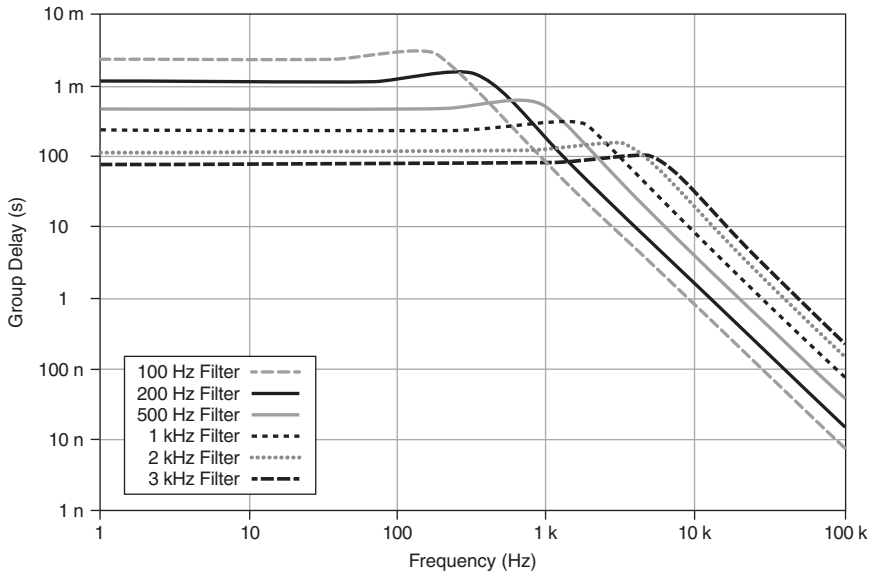
Table 4. Digital Filter Group Delay

Filter Cut-Off Frequency	Group Delay at 1 Hz
3 kHz Filter	75.9 µs
2 kHz Filter	113.9 µs
1 kHz Filter	227.7 µs
500 Hz Filter	455.4 µs
200 Hz Filter	1.1386 ms
100 Hz Filter	2.28 ms

Hardware-timed single
point ADC group delay[1] .... 1.6 µs

Internal Frequency Timebase Characteristics

Frequency .... 106.25 MHz

Accuracy .... ±50 ppm

Synchronization

Reference clock source .... Onboard 106.25 MHz clock,
Backplane PXIe_CLK100

Task Resources[2]

Timing engines 4

Buffered mode streams 4

Hardware-timed single point streams 4

Maximum channels per stream 8

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[1] When in hardware-timed single point mode, *Total group delay = ADC group delay + Filter group delay.*

[2] The PXIe-4304/4305 can operate four independent timing engines simultaneously. Each timing engine can utilize one or more buffered mode or hardware-timed single point streams, but not both types simultaneously. Refer to the *PXIe-4304/4305 User Manual* for more details about timing engines and DSP streams.

Triggers

Analog trigger

  Purpose..Reference trigger only

  Source ....AI<0..31>

  Level ....Full scale (depending on input range), programmable

  Mode ....Rising-edge, Rising-edge with hysteresis, Falling-edge, Falling-edge with hysteresis, Entering Window, Leaving Window

  Resolution ....24 bits

Digital trigger

  Purpose..Start or reference trigger

  Source ....PFI0, PXI_TRIG <0..7>, PXI_STAR, PXIe_DSTAR <A..B>

  Polarity..Software-selectable

  Minimum pulse width...............................100 ns for PXI_TRIG <0..7>, 20 ns for others

Output Timing Signals

Sources..Sample Clock, Start Trigger Out, Reference Trigger Out

Destinations ....PFI0, PXI_TRIG <0..7>, PXIe_DSTARC

Polarity...Software-selectable

PFI Characteristics

Input

  Logic compatibility...................................3.3 V to 5 V

  High, VIH ....2.40 V

  Low, VIL..0.95 V

  Input impedance..10 KΩ

Output

  High, VOH...3.43 V max

  Sourcing 5 mA ....2.88 V min

  Low, VOL sinking 5 mA ....0.33 V max

  Output impedance ....50 Ω

  Output current..±5 mA min

Bus Interface

Form factor .... x1 PXI Express peripheral module,
Specification rev 1.0 compliant

Slot compatibility .... PXI Express or PXI Express hybrid slots

DMA channels... 4, analog input

Calibration

You can obtain the calibration certificate and information about calibration services for the
PXIe-4304/4305 at ni.com/calibration.

Recommended warm-up time........................... 15 minutes

Calibration interval.. 1 year

Power Requirement

+12 V .... 1.3 A

+3.3 V .... 1.1 A

Physical Requirements

Dimensions .... Standard 3U PXIe,
16 cm × 10 cm (6.3 in. × 3.9 in.)

Weight.. 156 g (5.5 oz)

I/O connector .... 96-pin male DIN 41612/IEC 60603-2 connector

⚠️ **Caution**   Clean the hardware with a soft, nonmetallic brush. Make sure that the
hardware is completely dry and free from contaminants before returning it to service.

Environmental Specifications

Maximum altitude.. 2,000 m (800 mbar)

Pollution Degree 2

Indoor use only.

Operating Environment

Ambient temperature range ....0 °C to 55 °C
(Tested in accordance with IEC 60068-2-1
and IEC 60068-2-2. Meets MIL-PRF-28800F
Class 3 low temperature limit and
MIL-PRF-28800F Class 2 high temperature
limit.)

Relative humidity range...................................10% to 90%, noncondensing
(Tested in accordance with IEC 60068-2-56.)

Storage Environment

Ambient temperature range ....-40 °C to 71 °C
(Tested in accordance with IEC 60068-2-1 and
IEC 60068-2-2. Meets MIL-PRF-28800F
Class 3 limits.)

Relative humidity range...................................5% to 95%, noncondensing
(Tested in accordance with IEC 60068-2-56.)

Shock and Vibration

Operating shock ....30 g peak, half-sine, 11 ms pulse
(Tested in accordance with IEC 60068-2-27.
Meets MIL-PRF-28800F Class 2 limits.)

Random vibration

    Operating ....5 Hz to 500 Hz, 0.3 g_{rms}

    Non-operating ....5 Hz to 500 Hz, 2.4 g_{rms}
(Tested in accordance with IEC 60068-2-64.
Non-operating test profile exceeds the
requirements of MIL-PRF-28800F, Class 3.)

Safety

This product meets the requirements of the following standards of safety for electrical equipment
for measurement, control, and laboratory use:

• IEC 61010-1, EN 61010-1

• UL 61010-1, CSA 61010-1

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used in a manner not described in this documents.

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