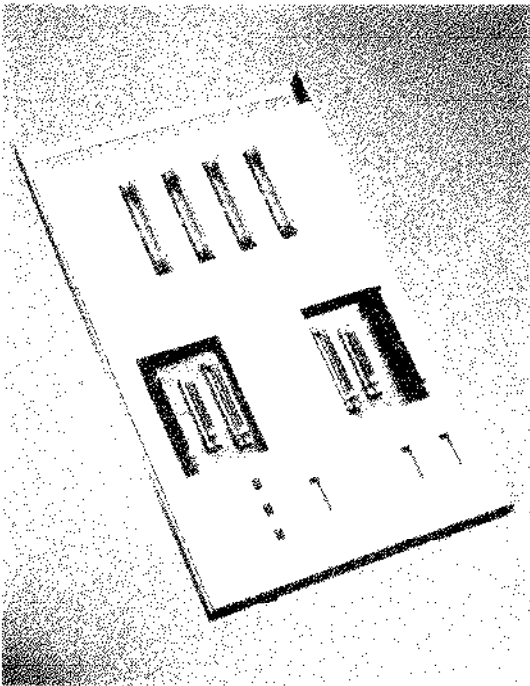


## HP E2423A

# Small Computer System Interface (SCSI) Bus Preprocessor Interface

**For use with  
HP logic analyzers**

The HP E2423A SCSI bus preprocessor interface provides an easy way to monitor activity on a SCSI bus. Bus commands and data activity can be captured for SCSI 1, SCSI 2 and SCSI 3 devices.



SCSI 1 is defined as a 50-pin low-density cable with an 8-bit data bus. SCSI 2 is a 50-pin, high-density cable with an 8-bit data bus and SCSI 3 is a 68 pin, high-density cable supporting a 16-bit data bus. Software is included with the E2423A which configures the logic analyzer and labels input signals. Additionally, seven inverse assemblies which decode and display captured data in SCSI command mnemonics are included. Any of the ten devices defined in SCSI standard X3T9.2/86-109 revision 10B are supported.

The HP E2423A preprocessor conforms to all specifications defined in the SCSI standard X3T9.2/86-109 Rev 10B.

Three types of connectors on the preprocessor are described below.

**SCSI 1 connector** - A 50-pin, low-density, unshielded ribbon connector. This connector is rectangular with a 2 x 25 pin pattern on 0.1 inch centers.

**SCSI 2 connector** - A 50-pin, high-density, shielded, D-type connector with screws and latches.

**SCSI 3 connector** - A 68-pin, high-density, shielded, D-type connector with screws.

**Cabling options may be ordered as follows:**

**Option 001:** A shielded 50-pin, low-density to 50-pin high-density cable for use in SCSI 1 applications. Since there is no shielded low-density, 50-pin connector on the preprocessor, you must plug into the 50-pin high-density connector. This leaves the 50-pin, shielded, bail-lock end for you to plug into your peripherals. Two cables per option. (Cable HP PN K2296).

**Option 002:** A shielded 50-pin, high-density to 50-pin high-density cable for use in SCSI 2 applications. One cable per option. (Cable HP PN 8120-5548).

**Option 003:** A shielded 68-pin, high-density to 68-pin high-density cable for use in SCSI 3 applications. One cable per option. (Cable HP PN A1658-62018).

**Logic Analyzers Supported**

All 1650 series (HP 1650A must have a 10449A memory upgrade). HP 16500 with a 16510|AB|511B, 16540/41|A-D| or 16550A.

**Pods**

Two 16 channel pods are required for complete disassembly. Two additional pods may be used for simultaneous state and timing measurements.

**Termination Adapters (TA):**

All four pods are terminated on the preprocessor. No TAs are required.

**Additional Capabilities:**

The following SCSI devices are supported: Direct access, Sequential, Printers, Processor, Scanner, Automatic media changers, Communication, Write once read multiple, Optical, CD ROM

**Bus cycles Interpreted:**

Select/Reselect, Arbitration, Commands, Messages, Status, Reset, Bus free

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