# **BACSOFT B-CONNECT PLUS** SMART COMMUNICATIONS CONTROLLER

## ADVANCED, LOW POWER M2M CONNECTIVITY FOR 3.5G NETWORKS

## **BACSOFT IOT PLATFORM**

The Bacsoft platform is an end-to-end solution for building and managing advanced IoT and M2M applications. Using Bacsoft, companies can rapidly connect their legacy infrastructure to the Industrial Internet and build applications to remotely monitor and control their operations.

Bacsoft reduces the complexity of IoT projects with a combination of robust and reliable remote connectivity, simple and rapid application development, and scalable cloud services. The platform features:



# **Bacsoft IoT Cloud** MOBILE Audit/ Report Logic ALERTS Machines CONTROL Bacsoft **X** Application Builder

#### **M2M COMMUNICATIONS:**

The Bacsoft B-Connect Plus Smart Communications Controller offers battery operated, built-in support for a wide variety of devices, interfaces and protocols. Designed to operate reliably under all kinds of conditions, the B-Connect Plus Smart Communications Controller is cost-effective and easy to deploy.

#### **IOT CLOUD:**

The Bacsoft IoT Cloud handles all aspects of communications, application execution, data storage, security and auditing. It easily scales to support thousands of connected devices.

#### **APPLICATION BUILDER:**

Rapid development tools enable integrators and IT organizations to easily build tailored IoT applications without coding and deploy them for mobile, web and control rooms.

# B-CONNECT PLUS SMART COMMUNICATIONS CONTROLLER: ADVANCED, LOW POWER 3.5 G CONNECTIVITY

Bacsoft s B-Connect Plus Smart Communications Controller provides battery operated, bi-directional cellular communications over 3.5 G networks. Through extensive experience with networks around the world, Bacsoft has developed technology to ensure reliable M2M communications under all conditions. Each device manages the connectivity to the server and can adapt to field conditions by initiating communications, performing self-recovery and more. A hardware-based external watchdog ensures that the communications software is running properly at all times, and in case of an error, reboots the controller.

Bacsoft secures M2M communications with optional SSL 3.0 encryption, along with the option to install private, self-signed certificates. To further increase security and eliminate the need for a fixed IP address, the controller identifies and verifies the server during each connection.

The B-Connect Plus Smart Controller can be used to manage virtually any device. It includes built-in support for Modbus and Melsec and is easily adapted to work with any proprietary protocol, binary or ASCII. Where appropriate, one controller can manage a series of devices through a serial RS485 interface or Ethernet.

#### **FEATURES**



Battery operated for 5-7 years based on hourly sampling and daily server connection

Plug & Play Connectivity

GPS integrated, internal and external antenna

Built in 3 wire PT-100 standard temperature sensing

4 Digital Inputs / Counters (both dry and wet contact), interruptible

3 LEDS for data, application and GPS

IP-67 special tube casing

Remotely programmable from the Bacsoft Administrator Console

Automatic "wake up and report" under the following conditions:

- 1. Change of digital input state (either from 0 to 1 or from 1 to 0), dry contact
- 2. Movement sensor (sensitivity can be remotely configured)
- 3. A sample has reached user-defined upper/lower limit
- 4. Any user-defined setting occurs
- 5. Any user-defined counter setting is reached

Self-monitoring of battery level & alert when replacement is needed

Query and setup using standard SMS messages

OTAP (Over the Air Provisioning) support for software updates

SSL Version 3 with embedded server certificate for secure applications  $% \left( 1\right) =\left( 1\right) \left( 1\right) \left($ 

Functions from multiple electric sources: battery operated or 12-24V power supply, and switches seamlessly between them

APPLICATIONS		
<u> </u>	AMR – AUTOMATIC METER READING	
0	CATHODIC PROTECTION – MEASUREMENTS POINTS	
(( . ))	MONITORING AND CONTROL OF SENSORS	
**	LEAK DETECTION	
$\triangle$	TRANSFORMER THEFT ALARM	
<b>X</b>	VALVE CONTROL	
<u>څ</u>	METEOROLOGY STATION & MONITORING	
<b>©</b>	MONITORING TEMPERATURE, HUMIDITY, CO2, ETC.	
·	SECURITY	
<b>\ODEP</b>	ANY EQUIPMENT AT ANY LOCATION WITHOUT A POWER SOURCE	

#### **GSM SPECIFICATIONS**

Bands 850/900/1800/1900 MHz Data Class GPRS, EDGE & HSDPA (3.5G) cat. 6 & 8 GSM Fives Bands UMTS (WCDMA/FD

### SYSTEM SPECIFICATIONS

#### **POWER REQUIREMENTS**

Input Voltage Range 3.6-32 VDC Protected Over Voltage 32-60 VDC

#### **CURRENT CONSUMPTION**

0.005 mA Sleep/Idle Mode While Sampling (1 second) 2.4 mAVDCa GSM/GPRS 3.5G Mode 100 mA (Avg)

#### **MEMORY CHARACTERISTICS**

Read Write Type Max Storage Capacity Up to 30000 Measurements

#### **ENVIRONMENTS**

Operating Temperature -25°C a 55°C Storage Temperature -35°C + 65°C Operating Humidity a 5% a 95%

INTERFACES	
4 Analog Inputs	0-10V/4-20mA – High resolution de 24 bits
1 PT-100	-50° + 200°
3 Digital Output	Relay, 24V 2A switching capacity
4 Digital Input/Counter	0-10 VDC
Serial RS-232	RJ45 Ethernet connector
RS-485	2 wire
SDI-12	2 wire
USB	Micro USB
Digital Output Relay	

## ADVANCED TECHNICAL INFORMATION

#### **DIGITAL INPUT CHANNEL SPECIFICATION**

#### Dry Contact:

Logic level 0: open Logic level 1: close to GND

Interruptible – Every state change generates connection to the server. Supports both dry and wet contact. The Digital Input can be configured to act as digital counter for use With sensors that generate pulses.

#### **DIGITAL OUTPUT CHANNEL SPECIFICATION**

Letch-Relay - Dry Contact Switching Power 60W (DC) 62.5VA (AC), 2 A/ 30 VDC, 0.5A/125 VAC VRMS for 1 min 1,000 between open contacts

#### **ANALOG INPUT CHANNEL SPECIFICATION**

#### Current:

Channels: 3 Input Range: 4-20mA 120 Ω Input Impedance: Measure type: Close relay before sampling Resolution: 24bit

#### Voltage:

Channels: 4 0-10 VDC Input Range: Input Impedance:  $2M\Omega$ Measure type: Close relay before sampling Resolution: 24bit



