

## SIM960 Analog PID Controller

- Analog signal path with digital control
- 100 kHz bandwidth
- Low noise front-end
- P, I, D and Offset settable to 0.5 %
- Anti-windup (fast saturation recovery)
- Bumpless transfer, manual to PID
- Analog setpoint with smooth ramping
- Smooth upper/lower limit clamping

**SIM960...\$1550** (U.S. List)



The SIM960 Analog PID Controller is a unique instrument intended for the most demanding control applications. It combines analog signal handling with digital control, giving you the best of both worlds. High bandwidth (100 kHz) control loops may be implemented without discrete time or quantization artifacts.

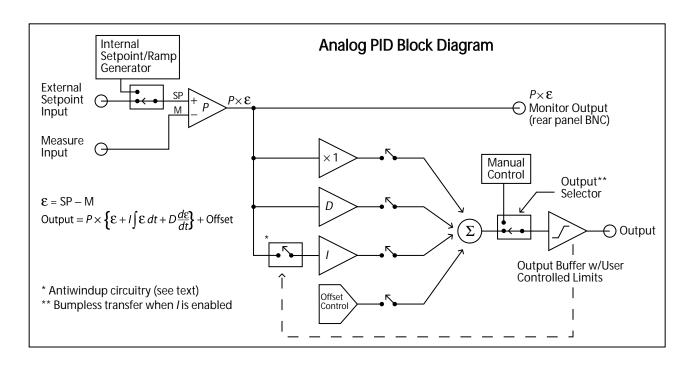
The low noise front-end brings better performance to noise sensitive applications including cryogenics, scanning probe microscopy and others. User settable gain of up to 1000× means greater flexibility, reducing the need for input preamplification. The unit can be used together with the SIM921 AC Resistance Bridge providing a flexible and cost-effective temperature control solution.

An internal ramp generator can control voltage slew rate between predefined start and stop setpoints. The output is clamped within upper and lower user limits to guard against system overload. The conditional integration electronics provide anti-windup on the integrating capacitors, leading to faster recovery from saturation conditions.

Front panel control enables easy modification of system parameters and convenient monitoring of input and output signals. Power and serial communication are via a 15-pin D-sub connector which mates with the SIM900 mainframe. All instrument parameters can be set and queried via the serial interface.

The amplified error signal ( $P \times E$ ) and the output may be monitored with an LED bar display or via the millivolt resolution numeric display. The Setpoint and Measure input signals can also be monitored on the numeric display.

The SIM960 is part of a wide range of modules available for the SIM (Small Instrumentation Modules) platform from Stanford Research Systems. For more information, please contact SRS at 408-744-9040 or visit our web site at www.thinkSRS.com.



## SIM960 Specifications

Control type Analog, PID + Offset

Proportional gain 10-2 to 103

Integral gain  $10^{-1}$  s<sup>-1</sup> to  $10^5$  s<sup>-1</sup> (effective time

constant 10<sup>-5</sup> s to 10 s)

Derivative gain 10-7 s to 1 s

Offset ±10 V.1 mV resolution

Bandwidth 100 kHz Propagation delay 1 µs typical

Noise (typical) 8 nV/√Hz above 10 Hz (ref. to input)

Parameter control Digital 1 % Parameter accuracy 200 ppm/°C

Stability

Setpoint

External Front BNC input

Internal ±10 V range with 1 mV resolution

Internal setpoint noise 20 nV/√Hz above 100 Hz

Ramp Internal setpoint linear ramping from

10-3 to 104 V/s

Amplifier output ±10 V with variable upper/lower limits

Display resolution 4 digits Units s-1, s, V, V/s

Operating temperature 0 °C to 40 °C, non-condensing

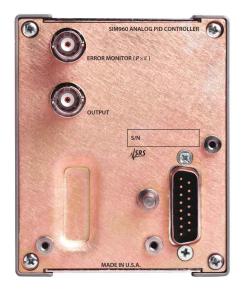
Interface Serial via SIM interface Connectors BNC (3 front, 2 rear) DB15 (M) SIM Interface ±15 V (150 mA), +5 V (80 mA)

**Power Dimensions**  $3.0" \text{ W} \times 3.6" \text{ H} \times 7.0" \text{ D}$ 

Weiaht 2.1 lbs

Warranty One year parts & labor against defects

in workmanship and materials





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