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AD007 GPIB-LAN Adapter User Manual

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## **General Safety Summary**

Review the following safety precautions to avoid injury and prevent damage to this product or any products connected to it. To avoid potential hazards, use this product only as specified.

Only qualified personnel should perform service procedures.

### To Avoid Fire or Personal Injury

**Observe All Terminal Ratings**. To avoid fire or shock hazard, observe all ratings and markings on the product. Consult the product manual for further ratings information before making connections to the product.

**Use Proper AC Adapter.** Use only the AC adapter specified for this product.

**Do Not Operate Without Covers.** Do not operate this product with covers or panels removed.

**Avoid Exposed Circuitry.** Do not touch exposed connections and components when power is present.

**Do Not Operate With Suspected Failures**. If you suspect there is damage to this product, have it inspected by qualified service personnel.

Do Not Operate in Wet/Damp Conditions.

Do Not Operate in an Explosive Atmosphere.

**Keep Product Surfaces Clean and Dry.** 

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### **Safety Terms and Symbols**

**Terms in This Manual**. These terms may appear in this manual:



**WARNING**. Warning statements identify conditions or practices that could result in injury or loss of life.



**CAUTION**. Caution statements identify conditions or practices that could result in damage to this product or other property.

**Terms on the Product**. These terms may appear on the product:

DANGER indicates an injury hazard immediately accessible as you read the marking.

WARNING indicates an injury hazard not immediately accessible as you read the marking.

CAUTION indicates a hazard to property including the product.

Symbols on the Product. These symbols may appear on the product:



CAUTION Refer to Manual



Double nsulated



Protective Ground (Earth) Terminal



connection to the public telecommunications network

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## **Preface**

This manual contains information about installing and configuring the AD007 GPIB-LAN Adapter.

- *Getting Started* describes the AD007 adapter and how to install the adapter on 10Base-T Ethernet.
- Operating Basics contains information on how to use the web pages in the adapter to monitor, reconfigure, or test the flow of communications through the adapter, and how to set up a network printer.
- Reference provides special diagnostic and setup procedures.
- *Appendices* contains specifications, applicable network protocols, and troubleshooting information.
- A *Glossary* and *Index* appear at the end of the manual.

### **Related Manuals and Information**

Refer to the following manuals for information regarding related products, manuals, and programming specifications.

- The *Read This First* guide (071-0246-XX) contains information to give to your network administrator for setting up the adapter on the network.
- This user manual (071-0245-XX) is in Acrobat format on the CD ROM.
- The *WaveStar User Manual* (071-0220-XX) is in Acrobat format on the CD ROM.

General information and specifications for Virtual Instrument Software Architecture (VISA), is available from the web site of the VXIplug&play Systems Alliance at:

http://www.vxipnp.org

The following documents relate to the development of the VISA used by the AD007 adapter:

VISA Software Design Specification

■ VPP-4.3: The VISA Library Revision 2.0

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## **Getting Started**

This section contains an overview of the AD007 GPIB-LAN Adapter and provides instructions on how to install the adapter and the accompanying software.

## **Product Description**

The AD007 adapter allows GPIB devices to talk or listen to networked computers and peripherals through a 10Base-T Ethernet connection.

#### **Features**

- GPIB (IEEE 488.2) and 10Base-T Ethernet (IEEE 802.3) compatible
- Easy setup with DHCP/BOOTP server
- LED status indicators for power, LAN, and GPIB connections
- Web page interface for configuration and statistics
- Virtual Instrument Software Architecture (VISA) software with language interface libraries for programmers using Microsoft Visual Basic or Microsoft Visual C/C++
- Configuration utility for setting up additional VISA resources
- Software installation allowed on any number of PCs
- Free firmware updates over the Internet with the AD007 Update Utility

#### **Applications**

- Print directly from GPIB devices to a network printer
- Control up to 14 GPIB devices over an Ethernet connection
- Capture waveforms with optional WaveStar for Oscilloscopes software from Tektronix

#### WaveStar for Oscilloscopes

The AD007 adapter together with the optional WaveStar for Oscilloscopes software provides a complete solution for users with Tektronix TDS Series oscilloscopes. The software provides a powerful, easy-to-use interface for controlling instruments, displaying data and waveforms, and sending print jobs to any local or network printer. (A network PC running Windows 95 or Windows NT 4.0 is required.)

A free 30-day demo of WaveStar for Oscilloscopes is included on the installation CD.

#### **Tektronix VISA and VISA Configuration Utility**

The VISA standard, developed by the VXIplug&play Systems Alliance, provides a common Input/Output (I/O) library for software developers so that software from different vendors can run on the same platform.

Except for direct GPIB-to-network printing, all applications that communicate over the network to the AD007 adapter must use the Tektronix version of VISA that installs with the software for the AD007 adapter. For example, Tektronix WaveStar for Oscilloscopes must use the VISA that installs with the AD007 software.

The software installation for the AD007 GPIB-LAN Adapter includes a utility to help you configure the Virtual Instrument Software Architecture (VISA) resources. The VISA configuration utility allows you to add or remove remote hosts (such as one or more AD007 adapters) along and their associated GPIB interfaces. For more information about using the configuration utility, see page 33.

#### **System Requirements**

The AD007 adapter requires the following system components for installation and operation.

- PC with Windows 95 or Windows NT 4.0
- CD ROM drive
- Web browser
- 10BaseT Ethernet card
- 10BaseT LAN connection
- LPD-compatible print server for network printing

#### **Network Protocols**

Firmware in the AD007 adapter supports the following network protocols:

- BOOTP
- DHCP
- LPD
- DNS
- HTTP
- FTP
- Time Protocol

#### **Accessories**

Figure 1 shows the AD007 GPIB-LAN Adapter, RJ-45 UTP cable, and universal power supply (100 - 240 VAC). Use the part numbers when ordering replacements.

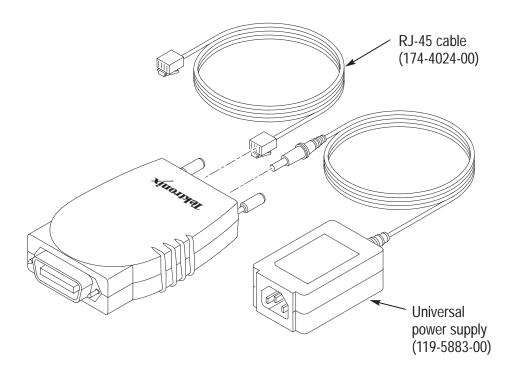


Figure 1: AD007 GPIB-LAN Adapter, RJ-45 cable, and power supply

Also included (but not shown) are the following accessories:

- Power cord (varies with power cord option, see Table 10 on page 67)
- GPIB connector hardware (129-1502-00)
- CD ROM
- *AD007 Read This First* instructions
- *AD007 User Manual* (071-0245-XX)
- Registration form and mailing envelopes

### **External Features**

Figure 2 shows the external features of the AD007 GPIB-LAN Adapter

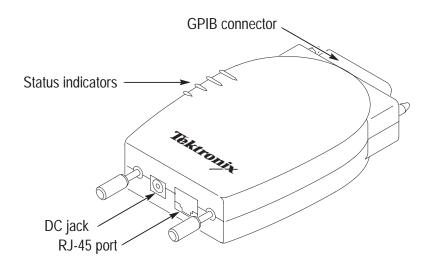


Figure 2: External features

### **Power On Self Test**

**NOTE**. Do not connect the adapter to the network or GPIB at this time.

- 1. Connect the power supply to the DC jack of the AD007 adapter.
- 2. Plug the power supply into a 100 to 240 VAC ( $\pm$  10%) power source with the appropriate line cord.
- **3.** During the 30-second power on routine which follows, the status indicators blink amber to indicate a self test in progress.

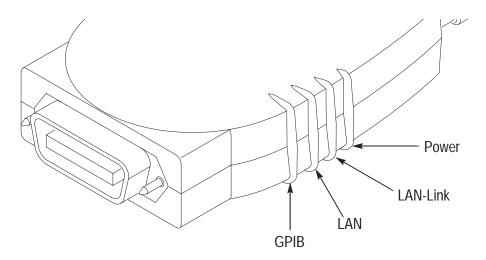


Figure 3: Location of Status Indicators

**4.** As the self test runs, the states shown in Table 1 apply.

**Table 1: Power on Self Test** 

GPIB	LAN	LAN-Link	POWER			
(3	(30 second self-test, indicators blink amber)					
(Self t	(Self test pass, indicators momentarily blink green)					
Off	Off	Red	Green			
		RJ-45 cable not connected				
		No IP address loaded				

- **5.** If the adapter indicates any other conditions, refer to Table 2 on page 51 for a complete list of the status indicators.
- **6.** To repeat the power on self test, simply unplug the DC connection, wait a couple of seconds, and reconnect.

## **Quick Setup**

If the following conditions apply, you can go directly to the appropriate setup procedure to install the adapter:

- **1.** You have followed the instructions in the *Read This First* guide and communicated the Ethernet hardware address of your adapter to your network administrator.
- 2. Your network administrator has returned the card to you with an IP address. (This means that the network administrator has prepared the network by assigning a static IP address that is mapped to the Ethernet Hardware address of the adapter.)

Note the information from the Network Information Card and proceed as follows:

- If there is a DHCP/BOOTP server that is configured to allocate a static IP address, go to page 25.
- If the DHCP/BOOTP server only allocates a dynamic IP address (whether or not the administrator has assigned a fixed IP address), go to page 21.
- If there is no DHCP/BOOTP server and the network administrator has assigned a static IP address to the adapter, go to page 18.
- If you want to set up the adapter on a stand alone PC, go to page 15.
- If the adapter was previously configured on another network and you wish to reset it to factory defaults and turn DHCP on, go to page 14.
- If you wish to know more about DHCP/BOOTP servers and installing the adapter on a network, continue reading on to the next section.

## Setting up a DHCP/BOOTP Server

The purpose of a DHCP (Dynamic Host Configuration Protocol) or BOOTP (Boot Protocol) server is to issue IP addresses to devices or clients on the network that request them. Once the IP addresses are properly assigned, the network servers can then allow other communications to take place.

A DHCP or BOOTP server can also provide all the other network parameters to the AD007 adapter including time servers, DNS, gateway, netmask, and so on.

When the server receives a DHCP/BOOTP request from the AD007 adapter, it recognizes the hardware Ethernet address of the adapter, maps the Ethernet address to an IP address, and then offers this IP address back to the adapter.

The factory default settings of the AD007 Adapter enable the DHCP/BOOTP request. This greatly simplifies the initial operation, but requires some network configuration.

The process for configuring the DHCP or BOOTP server varies from system to system. Adding the AD007 to the server's list of clients is usually just a matter of making an entry in a file or using a manager utility.

There are two ways that the server can be configured to give the AD007 adapter an IP address:

- Static. The server assigns the same IP address each time the adapter makes a DHCP/BOOTP request
- Dynamic. The server offers a different IP address each time the adapter makes a DHCP/BOOTP request

If possible, use the static configuration. This makes it easier to access the AD007 adapter with a known IP address. If DNS is set up, however, you can access the AD007 by using the host name instead and it is not as important to have a static IP address.

In addition to the IP address, the server can offer the AD007 adapter additional network information. The additional information is not necessary for simple communication with the AD007, but may permit automatic configuration of network settings that would

otherwise have to be manually configured. For a list of these network settings, see *Network Setup* on page 42.

To find out how to configure your server for DHCP, contact your network administrator or consult the server manual.

## **Setting up DNS**

DNS (Domain Name Service) allows you to access your AD007 adapter via a host name rather than an IP address. It is not necessary to use DNS, but a host name is more meaningful and easier to remember than an IP address. DNS simply associates a host name to an IP address. Once this association is made, DNS converts the requested host name to an IP address and forwards the request to the device at the IP address. This process is invisible to the end user.

Like DHCP servers, there are many different DNS servers and configuring each type is unique. Contact your network administrator to set up this service.

## **Installing the Adapter on the Network**

Use the procedures in this section to install the AD007 GPIB-LAN Adapter on a network.

#### **Contacting the Network Administrator**

Please contact your local network administrator or network services before connecting the AD007 adapter. For your convenience, use the network information card included in the *Read This First* guide, or make two photocopies of the form shown in Figure 4.

Network Information Card AD007 GPIB-LAN Adapter
Ethernet Hardware Address::::::::(User: copy address from the label on the back of the AD007 adapter)
Internet (IP) Address Host Name (Network Administrator: for ease of set up, a static IP address is preferred)
Does network support DHCP or BOOTP? Yes No If no, please note:  Subnet mask  Router address  (Enter these numbers on network setup page of the adapter, refer to user manual)
Network drop (subnet) number and/or physical location
(assigned by network technician)
Comments
(Network Administrator: Keep one copy and give one copy to the user.)

Figure 4: Network information card

To contact your network administrator or network services, do these steps:

1. Find the Ethernet hardware address on the back of the AD007 adapter (Figure 5) and copy it onto the card. Each AD007 adapter has a unique Ethernet hardware address.

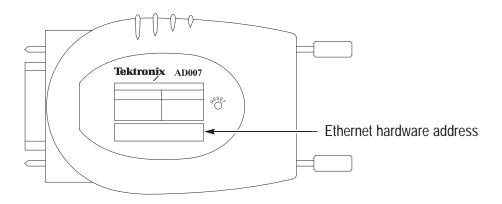


Figure 5: Ethernet hardware address

- **2.** Give both copies of the card to the network administrator who will assign an IP Address and fill out any other necessary information.
- **3.** For ease of setup, request that the Network Administrator assign a *static* IP address. The Ethernet hardware address should be mapped to this static IP address. If there is a DHCP/BOOTP server, it should serve the same (static) IP address each time it is requested.
- **4.** If for some reason you cannot get a static IP address assigned, use a *dynamic* IP address that is allocated by the DHCP/BOOTP server. However, note that additional setup time is required if the server allocates a different IP address to the adapter and you do not have DNS.

The network administrator should retain one copy of the card and the user should retain the other.

#### A Note on Configuring the Network

To establish communications with the AD007 GPIB-LAN Adapter over the Ethernet, the network administrator must perform the following tasks:

- Identify the Ethernet hardware address of the adapter
- Assign an IP address, subnet mask, default router for the adapter on the network
- Configure the DHCP or BOOTP server

**NOTE**. A network technician should determine the network subnet that the AD007 adapter connects to. (This is the connection point for the RJ-45 cable.) It is not unusual for several drops at a particular location to be on different network subnets, so it is important to have the one that is designated for the adapter.

At power on, the AD007 adapter performs a self test and initiates DHCP/BOOTP. The DHCP/BOOTP server then communicates with the AD007 adapter to give it the proper network settings. For more information about setting up a DHCP/BOOTP server, see page 8.

If there is no DHCP/BOOTP server, you can use the reset button to bypass the DHCP/BOOTP request and manually set the network parameters.

For more detailed information about the applicable network protocols, see *Appendix C: Network Protocols* on page 69.

#### **Before You Proceed**

Before you proceed with the rest of the installation, make sure you can answer yes to the following questions:

- Does the network administrator have the Ethernet Hardware address of the AD007 adapter?
- Do you have the IP address and/or host name that the network administrator has assigned to the AD007 adapter?
- Do you have a DHCP/BOOTP server that has been set up to serve a static IP address –or– do you have the IP address, subnet mask, and default router address that the network administrator has assigned for manually configuring the AD007 adapter?
- Do you know where the assigned network connection is?

**NOTE**. If you answered "no" to any of the previous questions, contact your local network administrator or network services before continuing.

#### Setup Procedure 1- Complete Factory Reset, Set DHCP On

If the following conditions are true, you may want to completely reset the adapter to the factory default settings.

- The adapter has been used before and is configured with unknown settings.
- DHCP is off and the adapter does not request an IP address from the network.
- You are *not* able to access the web pages of the adapter because the adapter is configured with unknown settings.
- You want to turn DHCP on.

To reset to the factory default settings (and turn DHCP on), do these steps:

- 1. Power the AD007 adapter off.
- **2.** Use a small tool or end of a paper clip to push in and hold the reset button.
- **3.** Power on the AD007 adapter and hold the reset button in until all status indicators go to a steady amber (approximately 30 seconds), then release the button. The AD007 adapter automatically reboots with the factory defaults.
- **4.** For a complete list of the factory default settings, see Table 6 on page 58.

#### **Setup Procedure 2– Stand-Alone Operation**

If the following conditions are true, you can manually set up the adapter to work with a stand-alone PC.

- You want to set up the adapter apart from a network.
- The stand-alone PC does not have the appropriate settings and connections to access the web pages on the adapter.

**NOTE.** Stand-alone operation requires a PC 10Base-T Ethernet card and an Ethernet hub, crossover cable, or crossover adapter. (The crossover cable or adapter is specifically designed for connecting two nodes without a hub.)

To set the IP address in the adapter, do these steps:

- 1. Disconnect any cable that is currently connected to the adapter.
- **2.** Power on the adapter and wait for the self test to complete. After the self test is complete, the following states apply:

GPIB	LAN	LAN-Link	POWER		
(30 second self-test, lights blink amber)					
(Self test pass, indicators momentarily blink green)					
Off	Off	Red	Green		

- **3.** Locate the reset button on the bottom of the adapter. (For the location of the reset button, see Figure 14 on page 54.)
- **4.** Using a small tool or end of a paper clip, momentarily push in the reset button. This action loads the last known IP address. (For a new adapter, the last known address is the factory default IP address of 192.168.1.1.)

**5.** When the LAN-Link indicator turns from red to off, the AD007 adapter has successfully loaded the IP address:

GPIB	LAN	LAN-Link	POWER
Off	Off	Off	Green

**NOTE**. If your Internet web browser is configured to use the dialup adapter, go into the Internet configuration dialog and change the browser to use the local network. For more information, refer to the documentation for your particular system.

- **6.** In Windows 95, open the Network Properties window by right-clicking on the Network icon in the Control Panel. (In Windows NT, select the Protocols tab.)
- **7.** If TCP/IP is not listed as one of the protocols, you must install it from the Windows 95/NT CD.
- **8.** Highlight the TCP/IP and click on Properties. This opens the TCP/IP properties dialog box.
- **9.** Click on all the tabs and write down all the settings. This allows you to restore them later if necessary.
- **10.** Set the IP address of the PC to work with the currently configured settings of the adapter, or use the following settings that will work with the factory default settings of the AD007 adapter. (You may have to click on Specify an IP address.)
  - **a.** Assign the PC an IP address with the first three numbers that are the same as the current AD007 IP address. (For example, the IP address 192.168.1.2 is acceptable if you are using the factory default 192.168.1.1 address of the adapter).
  - **b.** Assign the numbers for the subnet mask. (For example, assign the subnet mask 255.255.255.0 if you are using the factory default settings).

**c.** If you are using the factory default settings to access the adapter, the PC settings are now as follows:

IP address: 192.168.1.2

Subnet Mask: 255.255.255.0

- **11.** For Windows 95, while you have this box open, click on the DNS configuration tab and click on Disable DNS.
- 12. Click on the WINS tab and disable WINS.
- **13.** Reboot the PC for these changes to take affect.

**NOTE**. After you change the network settings on your PC, you will no longer have access to your network files until you restore the network settings on your PC. Remember to reboot your PC for any changed settings to take affect.

- **14.** Connect the RJ-45 connector of the AD007 adapter to the Ethernet port of the PC with a crossover cable or use an Ethernet hub.
- **15.** The LAN-Link light should now turn from off to green:

GPIB	LAN	LAN-Link	POWER
Off	Off	Green	Green

**16.** Using a web browser, enter the adapter's currently configured IP address. For example, if your current configured IP address is 192.168.1.1, you would enter the following:

- **17.** If you are prompted for a user name and password, you can ignore the user name and enter the password. The factory default password is ad007 (lowercase a, lowercase d, zero, zero, 7).
- **18.** On the network configuration web page of the adapter, enter the correct IP address, subnet mask, and router (gateway) address.

- **19.** Turn DHCP off or on as necessary for the new configuration.
- **20.** Click on Submit. The new IP address is now in nonvolatile memory.
- **21.** Power off the adapter.
- **22.** Connect the adapter to the proper network drop or Ethernet port.
- **23.** Power on the adapter to boot up the adapter with the new settings.

#### Setup Procedure 3 – No DHCP Server, Static IP Setup and Operation

If the following conditions are true, you must manually set up the adapter on the network with a static IP address.

- The network administrator verifies that you *do not* have a DHCP/BOOTP server on your network.
- The network administrator has prepared the network for the adapter by assigning a static IP address and mapping it to the Ethernet Hardware address of the adapter.

To set the assigned IP address in the adapter, do these steps:

- **1.** Connect one end of the RJ-45 cable to the RJ-45 connector on the back of the AD007 adapter. Push the connector in until it clicks.
- **2.** Connect the other end of the RJ-45 cable to the network drop assigned by the network technician.
- **3.** Power on the adapter. The following states apply:

GPIB	LAN	LAN-Link	POWER		
(30 second self-test, lights blink amber)					
(Self test pass, indicators momentarily blink green)					
Off Green/Amber/Off Amber Green					
<b>Status:</b> The adapter is requesting an IP address from the network, but is not receiving one because there is no DHCP server.					

- **4.** Locate the reset button on the bottom of the adapter. (For the location of the reset button, see Figure 14 on page 54.)
- **5.** Using a small tool or end of a paper clip, momentarily push in the reset button. This action bypasses the DHCP address request and loads the last known IP address. (For a new adapter, the last known address is the factory default IP address of 192.168.1.1.)
- **6.** When the LAN-Link indicator turns from amber to green, the AD007 adapter has successfully loaded the IP address.

**NOTE**. A static setup on the network requires that you are connected through an Ethernet Hub to the same sub-network as the adapter.

**7.** Connect the RJ-45 adapter to the proper network outlet (sub-network).

**NOTE**. If your Internet web browser is configured to use the dialup adapter, go into the Internet configuration dialog and change the browser to use the local network. For more information, refer to the documentation for your particular system.

- **8.** In Windows 95, open the Network Properties window by right-clicking on the Network icon in the Control Panel. (In Windows NT, select the Protocols tab.)
- **9.** If TCP/IP is not listed as one of the protocols, you must install it from the Windows 95 or Windows NT CD.
- **10.** Highlight the TCP/IP and click on Properties. This opens the TCP/IP properties dialog box.
- 11. Click on all the tabs and write down all the settings. This allows you to restore them later.
- **12.** Set the IP address of the PC to work with the currently configured settings of the adapter, or use the following settings that will work with the factory default settings of the AD007 adapter. (You may have to click on Specify an IP address.)

- **a.** Assign the PC an IP address with the first three numbers that are the same as the current AD007 IP address. (For example, the IP address 192.168.1.2 is acceptable if you are using the factory default 192.168.1.1 address of the adapter).
- **b.** Assign the numbers for the subnet mask. (For example, assign the subnet mask 255.255.255.0 if you are using the factory default settings).
- **c.** If you are using the factory default settings to access the adapter, the PC settings are now as follows:

IP address: 192.168.1.2

Subnet Mask: 255.255.255.0

- **13.** For Windows 95, while you have this box open, click on the DNS configuration tab and click on Disable DNS.
- 14. Click on the WINS tab and disable WINS.
- **15.** Reboot the PC for these changes to take affect.

**NOTE**. After you change the network settings on your PC, you will no longer have access to your network files until you restore the network settings on your PC. Remember to reboot your PC for any changed settings to take affect.

**16.** Using a web browser, enter the adapter's currently configured IP address. For example, if your adapter's IP address is configured to 192.168.1.1, you would enter the following:

- **17.** If you are prompted for a user name and password, you can ignore the user name and enter the password. The factory default password is ad007 (lowercase a, lowercase d, zero, zero, 7).
- **18.** On the network configuration web page of the adapter, enter the correct IP address, subnet mask, and router (gateway) address.

- **19.** Click on Submit. The new IP address is now in nonvolatile memory.
- **20.** Power off the adapter.
- **21.** Power on the adapter to boot up the adapter with the new settings.
- **22.** Restore the previous network settings on your PC and reboot your PC.
- **23.** To verify that the network installation is complete, perform the procedure to access the web page interface on page 26.
- **24.** After you have verified access to the web pages, continue with the rest of the procedures in the *Getting Started* section.

#### Setup Procedure 4 – DHCP Server, Dynamic IP Setup or Operation

If the following conditions are true, the network has automatically configured the network settings of your adapter, but you must determine the IP address allocated by the server in order to use or manually reconfigure the adapter.

- The network administrator verifies that you have a DHCP/BOOTP server on your network.
- The network administrator has indicated that the DHCP/BOOTP server is configured to allocate a dynamic IP address to the Ethernet hardware address of your adapter.
- The network administrator has *not* assigned you a static IP address or you must determine the dynamically allocated IP address in order to access and set the static IP address of your adapter.
- One end of the RJ-45 cable is connected to the RJ-45 connector on the back of the AD007 adapter. Push the connector in until it clicks.
- The other end of the RJ-45 cable is connected to the network drop assigned by the network technician.
- After the 30-second power on routine, the following states apply.

GPIB	LAN	LAN-Link	POWER
(30 second self-test, lights blink amber)			
(Self test pass, indicators momentarily blink green)			
Off	Green/Amber/Off	Green (unknown IP ad- dress acquired)	Green

To read and decode the IP address, do these steps:

- **1.** Photocopy the chart on in Figure 6 on page 23. Get a pencil and prepare to fill out the chart.
- **2.** Locate the reset button on the bottom of the adapter. (For the location of the reset button, see Figure 14 on page 54.)
- **3.** Make sure status indicators are in the states listed above.
- **4.** Using a small tool or end of a paper clip, momentarily push in the reset button. This initiates the adapter to display the IP address.
- **5.** Mark a 1 for each red indicator in the appropriate spaces (leave spaces for green indicators blank). When the indicators are all amber, the value is a decimal point separator. Leading zeros are ignored in each field.
- **6.** Repeat the test as necessary by pressing the reset button again.
- 7. After you have written the binary values down, convert the binary values to decimal and write the decimal values in the spaces provided.

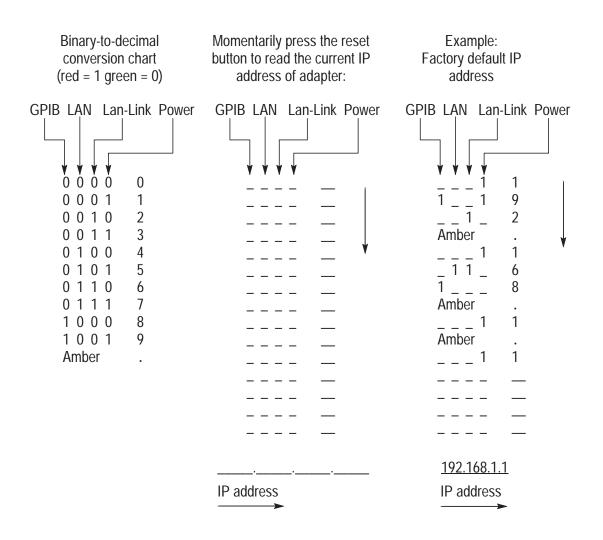


Figure 6: Decoding the adapter IP address

**NOTE.** If you do not have a static IP address assigned by your network administrator, after a period of being disconnected from the network, the server may assign the AD007 adapter a different IP address. You may have to use the above procedure again to decode the IP address of your adapter.

If the network administrator has requested that you bypass DHCP and use a static IP address at power up, continue with the rest of this procedure.

**8.** Start the web browser on your computer.

**9.** Open the location of the AD007 adapter using the IP address that you decoded:

http://AD007 IP address/

- 10. Go to the Network Setup page
- **11.** If you are prompted for a user name and password, you can ignore the user name and enter the password. The factory default password is ad007 (lowercase a, lowercase d, zero, zero, 7).
- **12.** Enter the static IP address assigned by your network administrator.
- 13. Set DHCP off.
- **14.** Click on Submit.
- **15.** Reboot your adapter by disconnecting and reconnecting the power, or go to the Home page and click on Reboot.
- **16.** To verify that the network installation is complete, perform the procedure to access the web page interface on page 26.
- **17.** After you have verified access to the web pages, continue on with the rest of the procedures in the *Getting Started* section.

## Setup Procedure 5 – DHCP Server and Static IP

If the following conditions are true, the network has automatically configured the network settings of your adapter.

- The network administrator verifies that you have a DHCP/BOOTP server on your network.
- The network administrator has assigned you a static IP address.
- The network administrator has indicated that the DHCP/BOOTP server is configured to serve the static IP address to the Ethernet hardware address of your adapter.
- One end of the RJ-45 cable is connected to the RJ-45 connector on the back of the AD007 adapter. Push the connector in until it clicks.
- The other end of the RJ-45 cable is connected to the network drop assigned by the network technician.
- After the 30-second power on routine, the following states apply.

GPIB	LAN	LAN-Link	POWER
(30 second self-test, lights blink amber)			
(Self test pass, indicators momentarily blink green)			
Off	Green/Amber/Off	Green (IP address is known)	Green

■ You are able to access the web pages of the adapter using the IP address assigned by your network administrator.

(The procedure to access the web page interface and continue on with the rest of the installation is on page 26.)

## Accessing the Web Page Interface

The AD007 adapter has a built-in web server with online forms that allow you to test the network connection, configure a printer, and make various network or GPIB settings. Use the following procedure to access the web pages:

- **1.** Start the web browser on your computer.
- **2.** Open the location of the AD007 adapter assigned by your network administrator:
  - http://AD007 host name or IP address/
- **3.** Use the settings on your browser to save or bookmark this location.

If you successfully access the Home web page, the network portion of the installation is now complete. For more information about the web page interface, see *Operating Basics* on page 39.

If you only access a diagnostic web page, there is a problem with the firmware in the adapter. To update the firmware, see *Updating the AD007 Firmware* on page 61.

**NOTE**. If you cannot access any web page of the adapter, contact your network administrator or network technician.

Do not change any parameters on the Network Setup without contacting your network administrator. A password protection utility is available on the Home page to protect these settings. See page 41.

#### Password Protection

The settings on the web pages are password protected. If you try to make changes to the settings, the browser will prompt you for a user name and password. By default, the user name is ignored and the password is ad007 (lowercase a, lowercase d, zero, zero, 7). To set a new password, see page 41. To reset the password to the default setting, see *Resetting the Adapter* on page 54.

## Connecting the GPIB

Observe these rules when you set up the AD007 GPIB-LAN Adapter with a GPIB system:

- Connect only one AD007 GPIB-LAN Adapter on a given GPIB.
- Each device on the bus needs a unique device address. No two devices can share the same device address.
- Do not connect more than 15 devices to any one bus.
- Connect one device for every 2 m (6 ft) of cable used.
- Do not use more than 20 m (65 ft) of cable to connect devices to a bus.
- Turn on at least two-thirds of the devices on the GPIB system while you use the system.
- Configure the devices on the system as shown in Figure 7. Do not use loop or parallel configurations.

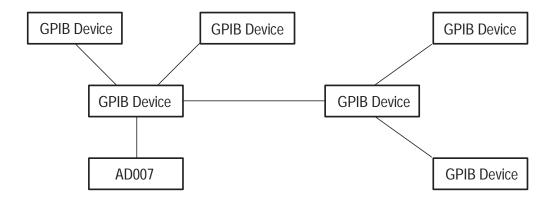


Figure 7: Typical GPIB Network Configuration

To connect the AD007 GPIB-LAN Adapter to the GPIB, do these steps:

**1.** Connect the GPIB port of the adapter to the GPIB port(s) or connector(s) for the instrument(s) that you wish to control. If

necessary, use the GPIB connector hardware provided. (See Figure 8.)

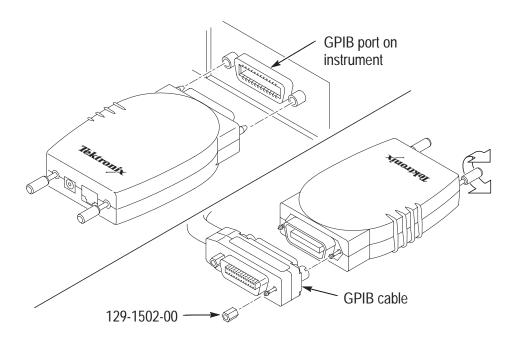


Figure 8: Connecting to the GPIB

- **2.** Turn on all devices connected to the GPIB. Wait for all power on routines to finish.
- **3.** Access the web page on the AD007 adapter.
- 4. Click GPIB Communications.
- **5.** Click Poll to refresh the list of active talk/listen instruments.
- **6.** Verify that the devices on the bus are listed.
- 7. If you change which devices are active on the bus or device parameters, click Poll to rediscover the active addresses on the GPIB.
- **8.** Another way to test the connection is to enter the query \*idn? or similar query in the GPIB Communications web page and click Send. The Response field should indicate an appropriate response.

## **Installation Options**

After the AD007 GPIB-LAN Adapter is set up on the network and connected to the GPIB you may proceed with either one, or both, of the following installation options:

- Enable direct GPIB-to-network printing. Proceed to *Operating Basics* section that begins on page 39 and access the Printer Setup web page.
- Enable full GPIB-LAN communication. Proceed to the next section, *Installing the Software*.

## **Installing the Software**

The AD007 software consists of a set of support applications for GPIB and VXI-11 communications. Except for direct GPIB-to-network printing, all applications that communicate over the network to the AD007 adapter must use the Tektronix version of VISA that installs with the AD007 GPIB-LAN Adapter. For example, Tektronix WaveStar for Oscilloscopes must use the Tektronix VISA that is included as part of the AD007 software installation.

Software installation is allowed on any number of PCs.

**NOTE**. Do not install this software if you do not intend to overwrite your present VISA. The program will detect any previous versions of VISA and ask to overwrite any that exist.

To begin the software installation, insert the installation disk into the CD ROM drive. If the install menu does not appear, you can open the install menu with the following steps:

#### Windows 95

- 1. Click the Start > Run button in the Windows Taskbar.
- 2. In the Open box, type

X:\install.exe
(where X is the letter of your CD ROM drive).

3. Click OK.

#### Windows NT 4.0

- 1. From the File menu, click Run.
- 2. In the Command Line box, type

X:\install.exe
(where X is the letter of your CD ROM drive).

3. Click OK.

#### AD007 Install

To install the AD007 software, do these steps:

- 1. The main installation screen shows four tabs which contain product information and installation programs. Click the mouse on the **AD007** tab.
- 2. The next screen shows the AD007 screen with information menu and a menu bar at the top of the screen that has one menu item, Install. Click **Install**.
- **3.** The AD007 Setup installation wizard appears next. Follow the instructions in the wizard.
- **4.** If you have an incompatible version of DCOM, the installation wizard will tell you that Microsoft DCOM for Windows 95 Version 1.1 must be installed on your machine. DCOM is a software application that WaveStar Software requires to interact with Microsoft applications. Click **Next**.

- **5.** Next you will be asked to read the Microsoft DCOM for Windows 95 License Agreement. If you accept all of the terms in the license agreement, click **Yes**. If you do not accept the terms of the agreement, click **No** to end the setup process.
- **6.** If you have incompatible versions of VISA or WinSock, you will be prompted to install Tektronix VISA on your PC and install Microsoft WinSock2. VISA and WinSock2 are communication applications that allow WaveStar for Oscilloscopes software and other programs to talk to instruments on the network. Click **Next**.
  - **a.** The Tektronix VISA installer starts. Click **Next** when you have read the preliminary information.
  - **b.** In the Choose Destination Folder dialog, select the directory location where you want Tektronix VISA installed. Click **Next**.
  - **c.** In the next Choose Destination Folder dialog, select the directory location where you want Tektronix VISA VXI Plug and Play components installed. Click **Next**.
  - **d.** In the Setup Type dialog, select the type of installation you would like to perform and click **Next**:

**Custom:** Allows you to choose which components to install.

**Standard:** Installs all files (recommended).

- e. The Start Copying Files dialog displays the directory location of where VISA and VXI Plug and Play files will be installed. If you want to change this information, use the Back button. If this information is correct, click **Next**.
- **f.** When the installation is complete, the Setup Complete dialog appears. Click **Finish** to dismiss this dialog.
- 7. The Choose Destination Location dialog appears, asking you to select a directory location for the AD007 Software files. Click **Browse..** to select a location other than the default. Click **Next** when you are finished.

**8.** After all files have been installed, the Restart Windows dialog appears. It is recommended that you restart Windows to allow proper operation. Click **OK**.

When the software installation is complete, the following icons appear in the AD007 folder:

- VISA Configuration Utility (if chosen during VISA install)
- User Manual in the Acrobat format (Acrobat Reader required)
- AD007 Update utility
- Release notes, if any

## **Configuring VISA Resources**

Included with the VISA installation is a VISA configuration utility. The VISA configuration utility allows you to add or remove remote hosts (such as one or more AD007 adapters) along and their associated GPIB interfaces.

Start the configuration utility during the installation process or by double-clicking on the icon for the Configuration Utility in the AD007 folder.

## **VISA Configuration Window**

After starting the Configuration Utility, the Visa Configuration window appears. See Figure 9.

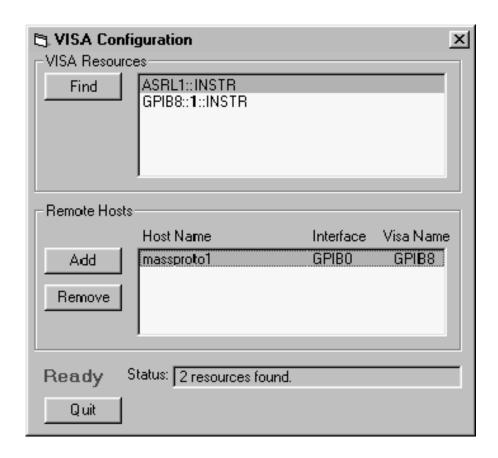


Figure 9: VISA Configuration WIndow

The VISA Configuration window has the following features:

- VISA Resources List. Lists all resources that VISA can currently find.
- Find Button. Rescans the VISA resources and is useful for verifying the presence of new instruments.
- Remote Hosts List. Lists the currently configured Remote Hosts. Host Name is the name or IP address of the remote host. Interface is the name of the interface on the remote host (GPIB0 for all AD007 interfaces). Visa Name is the resource name used when this interface is accessed through VISA.
- Add Button. Activates the Add Remote Host Dialog for adding a remote interface.
- Remove Button. Removes the host selected in the Remote Hosts list and displays the dialog box for before removing the host.
- Status Displays. The status box displays helpful information about the last operation performed. The Busy / Ready indicator shows when the utility is busy. When the utility is busy, changes cannot be made.
- Quit Button. Quits the application.

## Adding an AD007 as a Remote Host

To add an AD007 adapter as a remote host, click Add. The Add Remote Host dialog appears (Figure 10).

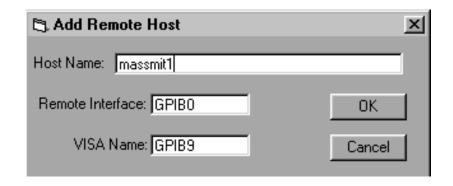


Figure 10: Add Remote Host

The Add Remote Host dialog has the following features:

- Host Name. The name or IP address of the host. This field is initially blank. Enter the correct host name or IP address.
  - The host name in this example is massmit1. Your host name will be different.
  - The factory default IP address for the AD007 adapter is 192.168.1.1
- Remote Interface. The name of the interface on the remote host. The default is GPIB0 which is the proper setting for all AD007 interfaces. Do not change this setting.
- VISA Name. The name used to access the interface through VISA. A default name is provided that does not conflict with currently used names. You may change this setting only if you are reordering these names and do not want the default name provided by the configuration utility.

- OK Button. Adds the host (as configured) to VISA. If the Add fails, a message displays and the dialog remains open. If the Add succeeds, the dialog closes and a Find operation updates the main window.
- Cancel Button. Closes the dialog with no changes.

To add a remote host, do these steps:

- 1. In the Add Remote Host dialog, enter the host name or IP address of the new interface. The setting for Remote Interfaces must remain at the default (GPIB0). The VISA name can remain at the default as well. The indicated value (for example, GPIB12) is the name that refers to this GPIB interface through VISA.
- 2. Click OK. The new interface appears in the Remote Hosts box. If the AD007 adapter is running and configured, operating instruments attached to the AD007 adapter appear in the Resources Box.

## **Deleting a Remote Host**

The Delete Remote Resource dialog (Figure 11) confirms the removal of a Remote Host. The dialog describes the resource to be removed and provides an opportunity to cancel the operation.



Figure 11: Delete Remote Resource

OK Button. Causes the selected host to be removed from VISA. The dialog is closes and a Find operation updates the main window.

■ Cancel Button. Aborts the Remove operation. The dialog closes with no changes.

To delete a remote host, do these steps:

- 1. Select the host name to remove in the Remote Hosts box.
- 2. Click Delete.
- **3.** Click OK in the confirmation dialog.

## Changing an AD007

To change the configuration of an AD007, first remove it and then add it back in with the desired settings.

#### **Possible Errors**

Several conditions can cause errors during AD007 configuration. The following is a list of common problems.

- An attempt to add the same AD007 a second time will fail with a message indicating that the unit is already configured.
- If a host name or IP address is entered for a host that does not exist or is not operating at this time, find operations can take up to 60 seconds to set up routing for distant hosts. Find operations occur automatically after configuration changes.

# **Operating Basics**

This section contains information on how to use the web pages in the adapter to monitor, reconfigure, or test the flow of communications through the adapter, and how to set up a printer.

The adapter contains the following web pages:

- Home
- Network Setup
- GPIB Communications
- Print Setup
- Statistics
- Help
- Support

## **Home**

The home page reports general information about the particular AD007 adapter that you are accessing, allows you to set the password, and provides links to the other web pages on the adapter.

To access the home page of the adapter, use the following procedure:

- 1. Start the web browser on your computer.
- **2.** Open the location of the AD007 adapter assigned by the network administrator:
  - http://ad007hostname or IP address
- **3.** From the home page of the adapter, click on the links to view the other pages on the adapter.

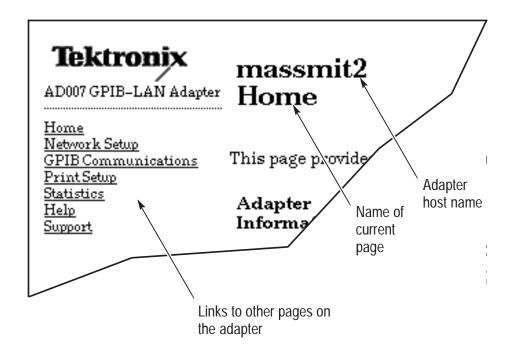


Figure 12: AD007 GPIB-LAN Adapter home page

## **Adapter Information**

Adapter Information displays the following general information about the AD007 adapter you are currently accessing.

- Host name
- IP address
- Ethernet address
- Firmware revision number and last update
- Time (if the time server is configured)

#### **Adapter Password**

Adapter Password prevents unauthorized changes to the adapter and allows a firmware upgrade to proceed. By default, both the user name and password are set to ad007 (lowercase a, lowercase d, zero, zero, 7). To reset the password to the default setting, see *Resetting the Adapter* on page 54.

To set a new password, do these steps:

- **1.** Enter the old password.
- **2.** Enter the new password twice, once in each box provided.
- 3. Click Submit.

### **Reboot Adapter**

To reboot the adapter remotely and perform all power up functions, click on Reboot.

## **Network Setup**

At power on, the AD007 automatically configures its entire Network Setup from a Dynamic Host Configuration Protocol (DHCP) or Boot Protocol (BOOTP) server. If you do not have a server that supports DHCP/BOOTP, you may have to access the Network Setup page to examine and change one or more of the following network settings.

## **Host Configuration**

If your server does not support the DHCP/BOOTP protocols, do these steps to bypass the protocols:

- 1. If you have access to the web pages, go the Network Setup page and select DHCP Off.
- **2.** If you do not have access to the web pages, momentarily press the reset button during power on to bypass the DHCP/BOOTP request and reset to the last configuration. (For the location of the reset button, see Figure 14 on page 54.)

## Networking

To allow the adapter to talk to other hosts on the local network, enter the appropriate IP numbers for Adapter IP Address and Subnet Mask.

To allow the adapter to talk to hosts on other networks, enter the appropriate IP number for Router Address.

#### Name Service

If the Domain Name Service (DNS) parameters are correctly configured, you can set the Time Server and Print Server to domain names instead of numeric IP addresses.

To configure DNS, do these steps:

- **1.** Set the Adapter Host name to the network host name of the AD007.
- 2. Set the DNS Domain to the domain name of the AD007.
- **3.** Enter the IP address of at least one DNS server host. When listing more than one DNS server, use a space or comma between each IP address.

#### Time Protocol

Time Protocol, if set, synchronizes the AD007 to the current Universal Coordinated Time supplied by the time server during boot. If DNS is correctly configured for a time server, enter the IP address or domain name of at least one time server.

## **GPIB Communications**

The GPIB communications page allows you to monitor and test communications to various devices on the GPIB.

#### **GPIB Devices**

General Purpose Interface Bus (IEEE 488) provides a means for several devices to communicate data through a parallel communications bus. Each device on the bus has a device address.

To identify what devices are present on the bus, click Poll.

#### Talk/Listen

A GPIB bus may contain only one controller device; all other devices are talkers, listeners, or talker/listeners. AD007 serves as a controller device any time an active GPIB control session is open.

To send a command string to the specific address of a device on the bus, do these steps:

- 1. Click Poll to identify what devices are on the GPIB.
- **2.** Select the specific address of the device from the pull-down menu of polled addresses.
- **3.** Enter the command in the box provided.
- 4. Click Send.

#### **Network Connections**

A network client control application can leave control sessions alive on the AD007 adapter. The adapter cannot automatically clear inactive connections. To clear all active and inactive network control sessions, select VXI-11 Reset.

## **Printer Setup**

The Print Setup page allows you to establish or change the connection to a network printer.

- Printer setup
- Print status

#### **Printer Setup**

Under Printer Setup, enabling the Print Redirection feature allows GPIB hard copy to go directly to a network printer. If Print Redirection is on and there are no open GPIB device control sessions, the AD007 will intercept all traffic on the GPIB bus and send it as a print job to a networked printer. The AD007 adapter uses the LPD print server protocol (RFC1179). To enable this feature, select Print Redirection On.

**NOTE**. To avoid GPIB conflicts, make sure that only one device at a time is in the hardcopy mode (EOI high). Do not leave instruments in the hard copy mode after the print job is finished.

To connect to a network printer, do these steps:

- 1. Verify that your print server supports LPD network printing.
- 2. Identify the server name or IP address of your LPD print server.
- **3.** Identify the print queue of the desired print device.
- **4.** Identify print format supported by the printer (e.g. Postscript, Laserjet, Deskjet).

- **5.** Set the hardcopy format of your GPIB equipment to the corresponding format.
- **6.** Use the forms on the web page to enter the required settings (Print Redirection must be on) and click Submit.
- 7. Verify operation with the Test button. The adapter will send a test page to the network printer. If the printer understands how to print plain text, it will print the test page.

#### **Print Status**

If the print server allows you to examine the print queue or cancel print jobs, you can perform the following operations:

- To examine the status and contents of the print queue, click Refresh.
- To cancel a print job, enter the Job Number and click Cancel.

## **Statistics**

The Statistics page allows you to view the activity of the network and GPIB communications interfaces and to view a system log of data.

#### **Network Statistics**

The Network Statistics shows the following counts:

- $\blacksquare$  Tx packets transmitted successfully
- Rx packets received successfully
- Collisions collisions detected
- Tx Errors packets transmitted with error
- Rx Errors packets received with error

#### **GPIB Statistics**

The GPIB Statistics shows the following counts:

- Rx data received
- Rx Errors data received with errors
- Tx data transmitted
- Tx Errors data transmitted with errors
- Cmd –commands sent
- Cmd Errors errors resulting from commands
- Print print data received
- Print Errors –print data with errors

#### System Log

To identify more technical system issues, view the System Log

#### Reset

To reset the statistics to zero, click Reset.

## Help

This page contains a summary of helpful information about the adapter web pages.

## **Support**

This page contains the same information found under *Contacting Tektronix* in the preface to this manual along with active links to the Tektronix Home page and the e-mail address for customer support.

# Reference

This section provides these special diagnostic and setup procedures for the AD007 GPIB-LAN Adapter:

- Interpreting the Status Indicators, page 50
- Confirming a Hardware/Firmware Failure, page 53
- Resetting the Adapter, page 54
- Verifying Network Access to the Adapter, page 60
- Updating the AD007 Firmware, page 61

## **Interpreting the Status Indicators**

The status indicators on the AD007 adapter report the progress and condition of power on self tests, network boot, and the normal traffic to and from the network and GPIB. To determine the operating state of the adapter, see Tables 2 and 3 to interpret the blinking patterns and colors of the indicators.

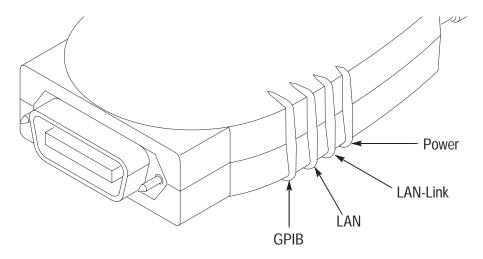


Figure 13: Status Indicators

### Power On

Table 2 shows the sequence of status indications for power on. To perform or repeat the power on sequence, unplug the power to the adapter, wait a couple of seconds, then connect the power again.

Table 2: AD007 status indicators for power on

Power on status	GPIB	LAN	L-Link	Power
1. Off or power failure	Ø	Ø	Ø	Ø
2. Self testing (hardware)	G/A	G/A	G/A	G/A
3. Self test failure	R/Ø	R/Ø	R/Ø	А
	А	А	А	А
4. Self test pass	G/Ø	G/Ø	G/Ø	G
5. LAN Discovery loop (DHCP/BOOTP request)  Note: By default, the DHCP/BOOTP request continues to loop until serviced. To exit the loop, momentarily press the reset button. The adapter will load the last configuration from memory.	Ø	Ø⇔G/A	A	G
6. LAN OK	Ø	Ø⇔G/A	G	G

G = Green R = Red A = Amber

G/A = Toggles between green and amber

Ø⇔G/A = for LAN and GPIB, G indicates sending data, A indicates receiving data, Ø indicates idle

Ø = Off/Idle

## **Normal Operation**

Table 3 shows the possible status indications during normal operation.

Table 3: AD007 status indicators during normal operation

Operating and idle states	GPIB	LAN	L-Link	Power
Disconnected from the LAN with no IP address	Ø	Ø	R	G
Disconnected from the LAN after getting IP address	Ø	Ø	Ø	G
Idle	Ø	G/Ø	G	G
LAN collision	Ø⇔G/A	Ø⇔G/A	G/A	G
GPIB spooling to AD007	A	Ø⇔G/A	G	G
AD007 printing to LAN printer	Ø⇔G/A	А	G	G
VXI-11 traffic	Ø⇔G/A	Ø⇔G/A	G	G

Ø = Off/Idle

G = Green R = Red A = Amber

G/A = Toggles between green and amber

Ø⇔G/A = for LAN and GPIB, G indicates sending data, A indicates receiving data, Ø indicates idle

## Confirming a Hardware/Firmware Failure

Defective hardware or firmware can cause the adapter to indicate a self-test failure as follows:

- No indicators light during power on
- The indicators light and remain amber
- The LAN-Link, LAN, and GPIB indicators blink red after the self-test at power on.

To confirm a hardware or firmware failure, do these steps:

- **1.** Supply power to the AD007 adapter.
- **2.** If no indicators light, check power connections at the following components:
  - a. line source to power cord
  - **b.** power cord to power supply
  - **c.** power supply to the DC input jack on the back of the AD007 adapter
- **3.** If indicators light, wait 30 seconds for the self-test to complete. Blinking indicators at the beginning of power on indicate that the hardware self-test is in progress.
- **4.** To indicate a successful self test, the LAN-Link, LAN, and GPIB indicators simultaneously blink green before automatically starting the LAN discovery (DHCP/BOOTP request) loop. See Table 2.
- **5.** To indicate a hardware failure in the adapter, the adapter will indicate one or more of the following
  - **a.** The LAN-Link, LAN, and GPIB indicators simultaneously blink red *after* the 30-second self test is complete.
  - **b.** All indicators light and remain amber.
  - **c.** The LAN-Link, LAN, and GPIB indicators *do not* simultaneously blink green before beginning the LAN discovery.

If you experience a hardware or firmware failure, contact your local Tektronix Service Center. See the numbers under *Contacting Tektronix* on page NO TAG.

## **Resetting the Adapter**

Because the adapter stores the current configuration settings in nonvolatile memory (flash ROM), it may be necessary to use the reset button to bypass the normal power on routine. The reset button is located inside a small recess on the bottom of the AD007 adapter. See Figure 14.

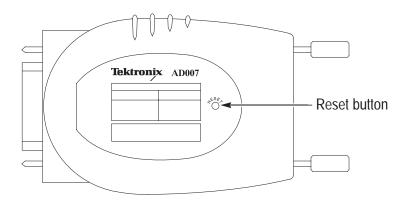


Figure 14: RESET button

Table 4 summarizes the results of using the reset button and actions necessary to achieve each result. Detailed procedures follow the table.

Table 4: Using the RESET button

Desired Result	When to push the RESET button	How long to hold the RESET button in
Bypass DHCP/BOOTP request and reset to last configuration	During LAN discovery loop (DHCP/BOOTP request) when LAN-Link is amber	momentarily
Reset only the password to factory default (ad007)	During normal operation	momentarily
Read the binary code of the adapter IP address on the status indicators		
Reset entire configura- tion to factory defaults	During normal operation or from power on	Until all indicators are steady amber (~10 seconds)

## Bypass DHCP/BOOTP and Reset to Last Configuration

To bypass DHCP/BOOTP and reset to the last configuration, do these steps:

- 1. Power off the AD007 adapter and wait a few seconds.
- 2. Power on the AD007 adapter and wait until the adapter tries to discover the LAN (the LAN light begins to blink green/amber after the self test).
- **3.** Using a small tool or end of a paper clip, momentarily push in the reset button. This bypasses the LAN discovery (DHCP request).
- **4.** When the LAN-Link indicator turns from amber to green, the AD007 adapter has successfully loaded the last configuration.

#### Reset the Password and Read the IP Address

With the adapter in the normal mode, press the RESET button momentarily. The password resets to ad007 and begins to display the the IP address of the adapter. Each flash indicates the binary code of the digits of the IP address left to right. (Leading zeros in each field of the address are ignored.)

#### XXX.XXX.XXX

Refer to Table 5 to decode the binary value of each decimal in the IP address.

Table 5: Binary -to-decimal conversion chart for IP address

GPIB	LAN	LAN-Link	Power	Value of IP address
Green	Green	Green	Green	0
Green	Green	Green	Red	1
Green	Green	Red	Green	2
Green	Green	Red	Red	3
Green	Red	Green	Green	4
Green	Red	Green	Red	5
Green	Red	Red	Green	6
Green	Red	Red	Red	7
Red	Green	Green	Green	8
Red	Green	Green	Red	9
Amber	Amber	Amber	Amber	

## **Reset to the Factory Defaults**

The procedure to reset to factory defaults overrides current settings and sets the adapter to known settings. This makes it possible to access the adapter from the known settings or to turn DHCP on. You may reset to Factory defaults either at power on or during normal operation.

**NOTE.** If you are not using DHCP, use the factory default settings only if you are sure they do not conflict with other settings on the network. If the settings conflict, use the procedure for stand-alone operation to access the adapter.

To reset at power on, do these steps:

- **1.** Power the AD007 adapter off.
- **2.** Use a small tool or end of a paper clip to push in and hold the reset button.
- **3.** Power on the AD007 adapter and hold the reset button in until all status indicators go to a steady amber (approximately 30 seconds), then release the button. The AD007 adapter automatically reboots with the factory defaults.

**Table 6: Factory default settings** 

Page	Name	Setting
Home	Host name	ad007
	Password	ad007
Network Setup	DHCP	On
	IP address	192.168.1.1
	Subnet mask	255.255.255.0
	Router (Gateway)	<empty></empty>
	DNS Domain	<empty></empty>
	DNS Servers	<empty></empty>
	Time Servers	<empty></empty>
Printer Setup	Print Redirection	Off
	Print Server	lphost
	Print Queue	lp

To reset during normal operation, do these steps:

- **1.** Check that the self tests are complete (POWER and LAN-Link are Green).
- **2.** If the adapter is looping on the DHCP/BOOTP request, momentarily press the reset button to bypass the request and begin normal operation.

**3.** Using a web browser, enter the factory default IP address:

If you cannot access this address, you many need to reset to the factory default settings at power on.

**4.** On the network configuration web page of the adapter, enter the correct IP address, subnet mask, and router (gateway) address.

The following settings are the most important:

■ IP address: 192.168.1.1

■ Subnet mask: 255.255.255.0

**5.** Turn DHCP off if there is no DHCP/BOOTP server.

- **6.** Click Submit. The new information is now in nonvolatile memory.
- **7.** Power off the adapter.
- **8.** Power on the adapter to boot up the adapter with the new settings.

### **Verifying Network Access to the Adapter**

Once the AD007 adapter is configured on the network or configured in a stand-alone setup, you should be able to browse to, or ping, the IP address of the adapter.

#### Web Browser

Using a web browser, go to the currently configured IP address of the adapter (i.e. http://IP address). For the factory default address, this entry would be

http://192.168.1.1

#### **Network Ping**

If you are unable to use the web browser, do these steps to ping the IP address:

1. In Windows 95 or NT, open a DOS window and type the currently configured IP address of the adapter (i.e. ping IP address). For the factory default address, this entry is

ping 192.168.1.1

If the DNS is configured, you should also be able to ping the host name:

ping hostname

- 2. You should see a series of replies or an indication that the link is valid. If the IP ping succeeded and the host name ping failed, there is a problem with the DNS configuration. Contact your network administrator.
- **3.** If you were able to ping the AD007 adapter, you should also be able to access the web pages with a web browser. If not, contact your network administrator.

## **Updating the AD007 Firmware**

Use the update program that is on the AD007 CD ROM. The update program will accomplish the following tasks:

- Locate the update program on a local, network drive, Internet Web site, or Internet FTP server.
- Find the AD007 adapter on the network that you choose to upgrade.
- Back up the existing firmware.
- Put new firmware in the adapter.

To begin the update, do these steps:

- 1. From the Start menu, select the AD007 Update Wizard.
- **2.** Follow the onscreen prompts. Online help is available if you run into difficulty.

# **Appendix A: Specifications**

All specifications listed in Table 7 are warranted unless marked as typical.

**Table 7: General specifications** 

AD007 input voltage and current	5 VDC, 300 mA typical
Power supply output	5 VDC, use only the power supply provided
DC connector polarity	Center terminal, + Outer ring, –

Tables 8 through 9 list the certifications and compliances for the AD007 adapter and standard accessory power supply.

Table 8: AD007 certifications and compliances

EC Declaration of Conformity – EMC	Meets intent of Directive 89/336/EEC for Electromagnetic Compatibility. Compliance was demonstrated to the following specifications as listed in the Official Journal of the European Union:		
	EN 55011 Class A Radiated and Conducted Emissions		
	EN 1000-3-2	AC Power Line Harmonic Emissions	
	IEC 1000-4-3 IEC 1000-4-4 IEC 1000-4-5 IEC 1000-4-6	ity: Electrostatic Discharge Immunity RF Electromagnetic Field Immunity Electrical Fast Transient/Burst Immunity Power Line Surge Immunity RF Conducted Immunity Line Dropout/Dips Immunity	
Australia/New Zealand Declaration of Conformity – EMC	Complies with EMC provision of Radiocommunications Act per the following standard(s):		
	AN/NZS 2064.1/2	Industrial, Scientific, and Medical Equipment:1992	

Table 8: AD007 certifications and compliances (cont.)

FCC Compliance	Emissions comply with FCC Code of Federal Regulations 47, Part 15, Subpart B, Class A Limits.	
Pollution Degree	A measure of the contaminates that could occur in the environment around and within a product. Typically the internal environment inside a product is considered to be the same as the external. Products should be used only in the environment for which they are rated.  Pollution Degree 1  No pollution or only dry, nonconductive pollution occurs. Products in this category are generally encapsulated, hermetically sealed, or located in clean rooms.	
	Pollution Degree 2 Normally only dry, nonconductive pollution occurs. Occasionally a temporary conductivity that is caused by condensation must be expected. This location is a typical office/home environment. Temporary condensation occurs only when the product is out of service.	

Table 9: Power supply certifications and compliances

EC Declaration of Conformity – Low Voltage	Compliance was demonstrated to the following specification as listed in the Official Journal of the European Union:		
	Low Voltage Directive 73/23/EEC, amended by 93/69/EEC		
	EN 60950/A3:1995 Safety of information technology equipment, including electrical business equipment.		
U.S. Nationally Recognized Testing Laboratory Listing	UL1950/3rd edition		
Canadian Certification	CAN/CSA C22.2 No. 950		
Additional Compliance	Dentori (T mark)		
	IEC 60950		
Installation (Overvoltage) Category	Terminals on this product may have different installation (overvoltage) category designations. The installation categories are:		
	CAT II Local-level mains (wall sockets). Equipment at this level includes appliances, portable tools, and similar products. Equipment is usually cord-connected.		
	CAT I Secondary (signal level) or battery operated circuits of electronic equipment.		

Table 9: Power supply certifications and compliances (cont.)

Pollution Degree	A measure of the contaminates that could occur in the environment around and within a product. Typically the internal environment inside a product is considered to be the same as the external. Products should be used only in the environment for which they are rated.
	Pollution Degree 1  No pollution or only dry, nonconductive pollution occurs.  Products in this category are generally encapsulated, hermetically sealed, or located in clean rooms.
	Pollution Degree 2  Normally only dry, nonconductive pollution occurs.  Occasionally a temporary conductivity that is caused by condensation must be expected. This location is a typical office/home environment. Temporary condensation occurs only when the product is out of service.
Safety Certification Con	npliance
Temperature, operating	+5 to +45° C
Altitude (maximum operating)	2000 meters
Equipment Type	Test and measuring
Safety Class	Class 1 (as defined in IEC 1010-1, Annex H) – grounded product
Overvoltage Category	Overvoltage Category II (as defined in IEC 1010-1, Annex J)
Pollution Degree	Pollution Degree 2 (as defined in IEC 1010-1). Note: Rated for indoor use only.

# **Appendix B: Power Cord Options**

The power cords in Table 10 may be ordered as options at the time of purchase or they may be ordered separately.

**Table 10: Power cord identification** 

Plug configuration	Normal usage	Option number and part number
	North America 125 V/15 A Plug NEMA 5-15P	Standard (161-0230-01)
	Europe 230 V	A1 (161-0104-06)
	United Kingdom 230 V	A2 (161-0104-07)
	Australia 230 V	A3 (161-0104-05)
	Switzerland 230 V	A5 (161-0167-00)
Not shown	Japan 100 V	A6 (161-0298-00 with 3–2 wire adapter 013-0310-00)

# **Appendix C: Network Protocols**

The AD007 GPIB-LAN Adapter uses the network IP and Ethernet protocols listed in Table 11.

**Table 11: IP and Ethernet protocols** 

Name	RFC	Role	When	Purpose
ARP	826	Peer	As needed	Maps IP address to Ethernet address
ВООТР	951	Client	Power-up	AD007 requests IP configuration information
DHCP	2131, 2132	Client	Power-up lease renew	AD007 requests IP configuration information
DNS	1035	Client	As needed	AD007 resolves DNS names to IP addresses
TIME	868	Client	Power-up	AD007 requests current time
FTP	959	Server	Upgrade	Downloads new firmware into AD007
HTTP	1945 2068	Server	User setup	Web pages/forms for AD007 configuration
ICMP	792	Server	As needed	AD007 answers ECHO requests (ping)
LPD	1179	Client	Printing	AD007 transmits print jobs to other LPDs
RPC	1831, 1832, 1833	Server	User	Controls GPIB instruments using VXI-11

A definition of each of these protocols appears in the glossary at the end of the manual.

# **Appendix D: Troubleshooting**

If you experience communication problems to and from the adapter, use the information in this section to help identify the nature of the problem before calling for service.

### **Power On and Status**

The power on and status indicators can help identify problems with the hardware, firmware, physical connections, or network settings. See Table 12 for a list of possible problems.

Table 12: Power on and status problems

Symptom	Possible cause(s)	Corrective action(s)	
No indicators light	No AC power connection to the power supply	Recheck connections to DC input, AC adapter, and AC	
	No DC power from the power supply	power	
	Defective AC adapter	Contact service and return	
	Power supply failure in AD007 adapter	defective module(s)	
POWER indicator is green, LAN-Link indicator is red,	No network connection	Check for missing or loose LAN connection	
LAN indicator is off, GPIB indicator is off		Check LAN connection for traffic	
POWER, GPIB, LAN, and LAN LINK indicators are all amber	Hardware Failure	Contact service and return defective adapter	

Table 12: Power on and status problems (cont.)

Symptom	Possible cause(s)	Corrective action(s)
POWER indicator is green, GPIB, LAN, and LAN LINK indicators simultaneously blink red	Hardware or Firmware Failure	Try to reboot the adapter by disconnecting and reconnecting the power to the adapter
		If rebooting the adapter does not correct the problem, Contact Tektronix service and return defective adapter
POWER indicator is green, LAN-LINK indicator is amber	No service to DHCP/ BOOTP request	Check that DHCP/BOOTP server exists
		Check DHCP server on LAN for requests from this AD007's Ethernet address
		Bypass DHCP/BOOTP by momentarily pressing the Reset button

For a complete list of power up and status indications, See *Interpreting the Status Indicators* on 50.

# **Network and Print Configuration**

Use the list of symptoms in Table 13 to help diagnose problems with the network and print configuration.

Table 13: Network and print problems

Symptom	Possible cause(s)	Corrective action(s)
No access to web pages in the adapter	Improper network installation  Missing or improper set up of network addresses:  -Ethernet address  -IP address  -Subnet mask  -Default router (gateway)	Check network installation or contact network administrator.  Check that the LAN network is set up for the Ethernet hardware address of AD007 adapter (from label on back)
Can only access diagnostic web page	Problem with firmware	Reload firmware using the Update program, see page 61
No password	Unknown or forgotten pass- word	Reset the password to the factory default (ad007), see page 56
Slow web page response to network printing	Server not responding	Check server Check print server address and queue name
No print server status, print job list, or failure in cancelling jobs	Print server does not implement these requests	Use print server that has support for these requests

Table 13: Network and print problems (cont.)

Symptom	Possible cause(s)	Corrective action(s)
Nothing prints Prints garbage	AD007 print configuration is not set correctly	Check print redirection is on in the AD007 Print Setup web page
		Check that the instrument is directing the print to the GPIB port
		Check server address and queue name
		Attempt test print
		Check that no more than one device on the GPIB is in the hard copy mode
	Print format unrecognized by printer	In the GPIB instrument, select a print format which matches the capability of the printer
	Print server discards data from unknown IP address	Configure the print server to accept connections from the AD007
	Print server does not support LPD connections	Use a different print server which supports LPD
Test print does not work, but direct (from instrument) print does	Printer does not support text printing	Select a different print server address queue which supports ASCII text printing
Direct print from a device on the GPIB does not work	Print redirection is not on  Device is not in the hard copy mode	Check print redirection is on in the AD007 Print Setup web page
	More than one device on the GPIB is in the hard copy mode	Check that no more than one device on the GPIB is in the hard copy mode

## **GPIB**

Problems with setting up devices on the GPIB appear in Table 14.

Table 14: GPIB problems

Symptom	Possible cause(s)	Corrective action(s)
Cannot send commands to one or more devices on the	Intermittent or missing GPIB connection	Verify or test GPIB connection(s)
GPIB	Power to GPIB device not on	Verify all GPIB devices are turned on and operating properly
	VISA not configured	Use configuration utility
Slow response to GPIB poll on <i>GPIB Communications</i> web page	No instruments on the GPIB bus or instruments not turned on. Poll timeout is about 60 seconds	Connect instruments to the GPIB and power them on
No password	Unknown or forgotten pass- word	Reset the password to the factory default (ad007), see page 56

# **Glossary**

#### 10Base-T

Ethernet (IEEE 802.3) architecture that uses twisted-pair cabling.

#### **ARP**

Address Resolution Protocol. Internet protocol used to map the IP address to the Ethernet hardware address.

#### **BOOTP**

Boot Protocol. Protocol that enables a network client to automatically discover its networking parameters on power up from a BOOTP server.

#### **DHCP**

Dynamic Host Configuration Protocol. Protocol that enables a net client to automatically discover its networking parameters on power up from a DHCP server and refresh those parameters periodically.

#### DNS

Domain Name Service. A protocol that maps Internet hostnames (e.g. www.tek.com) to IP addresses.

#### **Ethernet address**

The unique, six-byte address assigned by the product manufacturer that distinguishes each talk/listen device on the LAN. The address consists of hexadecimal numbers separated by colons (hh:hh:hh:hh:hh:hh).

#### **FTP**

File Transfer Protocol. Enables a client host to send or receive files to and/or from an FTP server host.

#### **GPIB**

General Purpose Interface Bus (IEEE-488).

#### **HTTP**

Hyper Text Transfer Protocol. Protocol for requesting data files from a World Wide Web server.

#### **ICMP**

Internet Control Message Protocol. Protocol for status messages from a router (gateway) indicating errors or unusual conditions.

#### IP address

Internet Protocol address. The address assigned by the network administrator to a talk/listen device that distinguishes it from the other devices on the LAN.

#### LAN

Local Area Network.

#### **LPD**

Line Printer Daemon. Protocol which enables print files to be sent to print servers and (if implemented by server) get status of the remote print queue, examine print jobs, and cancel print jobs.

#### protocol

An evolving set of rules that governs the format and transmission of data in a network.

#### **RFC**

Request for Comments. Working notes on evolving Internet research and development available from the Defense Data Network (DDN) NIC at SRI International.

#### **RPC**

Remote Procedure Call. Protocol to transmit procedure call data across a network to a server and return to the calling client.

Used in the AD007 adapter to implement VXI-11 function calls.

#### TCP/IP

Transmission Control Protocol/Internet Protocol. An Internet protocol for two-way stream data transfer between programs on two Internet hosts.

#### **Time Protocol**

Enables an Internet host to request the current time of day from a time server host.

#### **VISA**

Virtual Instrument Software Architecture. Provides a common Input/Output (I/O) library for software developers so that software from different vendors can run on the same platform.

#### **VXI-11**

Protocol for instrument control over a network interface.

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