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Special Handling and Unpacking Instructions



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Chapter

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Introduction



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1. Introduction

1.1 Board Overview

The AM4140 is a highly integrated CPU board implemented as a Single, Mid-size Advanced Mezzanine Card (AMC) module. The design is based on the Freescale™ QorIQ™ P4080 octal-core and the Freescale™ QorIQ™ P4040 quad-core Power Architecture® processors with integrated high-speed interconnect technology to balance processor performance with I/O system throughput for networking, storage, wireless infrastructure and general-purpose embedded applications.

The QorIQ™ P4080 and P4040 processors are highly integrated 32-bit system-on-chip (SOC) platforms that consist of eight and four e500mc cores, respectively, each with 32 kB L1 instruction cache, 32 kB L1 data cache and 128 kB L2 cache. Further processor features include 2 MB shared L3 CoreNet platform cache, a dual DDR3 memory interface, two 10-Gbit Ethernet Controllers (10GEC), eight Datapath Triple-Speed Ethernet Controllers (dTSECs), and either two x4 Serial RapidIO™ fabric interfaces or two x4 PCI Express I/O interfaces.

The board is capable of supporting core frequencies ranging from 1.2 GHz to 1.5 GHz providing 800 MHz platform speed. The processor and the memory are soldered on the AM4140 which results in higher Mean Time Between Failures (MTBF) and a significant improvement in cooling.

The AM4140 includes up to 8 GB unbuffered Double Data Rate (DDR3) memory with Error Checking and Correction (ECC) running at up to 1300 MHz. The two integrated 10 Gigabit Ethernet controllers and eight dTSECs ensure maximum data throughput between the processor and the Ethernet infrastructure. The board further provides up to 2 GB flash memory via an onboard NAND flash controller.

The AM4140 has full hot swap capability, which enables the board to be replaced, monitored and controlled without having to shut down the ATCA carrier board or the MicroTCA system. A dedicated Module Management Controller (MMC) is used to manage the board and support a defined subset of Intelligent Platform Management Interface (IPMI) commands and PICMG (ATCA/AMC) command extensions, which enables operators to detect and eliminate faults faster at module level. This includes monitoring several onboard temperature conditions, board voltages and the power supply status, managing hot swap operations, rebooting the board, etc. All in all, IPMI enhances the board's availability and reliability while reducing the operating costs and the mean-time-to-repair.

As a "headless" AMC design (no onboard graphics controller), the AM4140 supports one standard RS-232 serial port (UART1) and up to two Gigabit Ethernet ports on the front panel as well as a variety of high-speed interconnect topologies to the system. In the Common Options Region two Gigabit Ethernet SerDes connections are supported. In the Fat Pipes Region either PCI Express, Serial RapidIO, Gigabit Ethernet SerDes or XAUI connections can be selected. In the Extended Options Region a debug port and a serial port are provided.

Optimized for high-performance, packet-based telecom systems, the AM4140 is targeted towards, but not limited to the telecom market application such as radio network controllers, media streaming, traffic processing, database management and routing. The AM4140 also fits into all applications situated in industrial environments, including I/O intensive applications. The careful design and the selection of high temperature resistant components ensure a high product availability. This, together with a high level of scalability, reliability, and stability, make this state-of-the-art product a perfect core technology for long-life embedded applications.



The AM4140 is offered with various Board Support Packages such as VxWorks and Linux. Please contact Kontron for further information concerning the operation of the AM4140 with other operating systems.

1.2 Board-Specific Information

Due to the outstanding features of the AM4140, such as superior processing power and flexible interconnect topologies, this AMC board provides a highly scalable solution not only for a wide range of telecom and data network applications, but also for several highly integrated industrial environment applications with solid mechanical interfacing.

Some of the AM4140's outstanding features are:

- Support for the following processors:
 - Freescale™ QorIQ™ P4080 processor, 1.5 GHz, 800 MHz platform frequency
 - Freescale™ QorIQ™ P4080 processor, 1.2 GHz, 600 MHz platform frequency
 - Freescale™ QorIQ™ P4040 processor, 1.5 GHz, 800 MHz platform frequency
 - Freescale™ QorIQ™ P4040 processor, 1.2 GHz, 600 MHz platform frequency
- Up to 8 GB DDR3 SDRAM memory with ECC running at up to 1300 MHz
- AMC interconnection:
 - Common Options Region: up to two Gigabit SerDes connections
 - Fat Pipes Region: 8 lanes configurable for PCI Express, Serial RapidIO, Gigabit Ethernet SerDes or XAUI (10 Gigabit Ethernet) connections
 - Extended Options Region: serial port and debug port
 - Bidirectional PCI Express reference clock (FCLKA)
- Full hot swap support
- NAND flash controller
- One serial port on front I/O (RS-232)
- Up to two Gigabit Ethernet ports on front I/O
- Two SPI flash chips for the U-Boot bootloader
- One SPI flash chip for operating system use
- Dedicated IPMI Module Management Controller (MMC) with external MMC firmware flash
- Watchdog timer
- Multiple interfaces for debugging and manufacturing purposes
- Four bicolor User-Specific LEDs (providing debugging information, etc.)
- One onboard DIP switch (for selecting the SPI boot flashes, overwriting E-Keying, etc.)
- microSDHC socket
- Standard temperature range: -5°C to + 55°C
- Passive heat sink solution (system airflow required)
- Single Mid-size AMC module
- Denx U-Boot bootloader
- Designed to be compliant with the following specifications:
 - PICMG® AMC.0 R2.0, Advanced Mezzanine Card Specification
 - PICMG® AMC.1 R2.0, PCI Express™ on AdvancedMC™
 - PICMG® AMC.2 R1.0, Ethernet Advanced Mezzanine Card Specification
 - PICMG® AMC.4 R1.0, Serial RapidIO on AdvancedMC™ Specification
 - PICMG® MTCA.0 R1.0 Micro Telecommunications Computing Architecture Base Specification
 - IPMI - Intelligent Platform Management Interface Specification, v2.0, R1.0



1.3 System Relevant Information

The following system relevant information is general in nature but should still be considered when developing applications using the AM4140.

Table 1-1: System Relevant Information

SUBJECT	INFORMATION
Hardware Requirements	<p>The AM4140 can be installed on any AMC-supporting carrier board or MicroTCA backplane with the following AMC Card-edge connector port mapping:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Common Options Region ports 0-1: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Two Gigabit Ethernet SerDes ports • Fat Pipes Region ports 4-7: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • One x4 PCI Express interface or • One x4 Serial RapidIO interface • Fat Pipes Region ports 8-11: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • One x4 PCI Express interface or • One x4 Serial RapidIO interface or • Four x1 Gigabit Ethernet SerDes interfaces or • One XAUI interface • Extended Options Region port 14: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • One debug port • Extended Options Region port 15: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • One serial port • Clock: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Bidirectional PCI Express reference clock, FCLKA <p>For further information on the AMC interconnection, refer to Chapter 2.11, "AMC Interconnection".</p>
PCI Express Configuration	<p>The AM4140 only supports the PCI Express root complex configuration; non-transparent bridge functionality is not supported.</p>
Operating Systems	<p>The board is offered with various Board Support Packages including VxWorks and Linux operating systems. For further information concerning the operating systems available for the AM4140, please contact Kontron.</p>

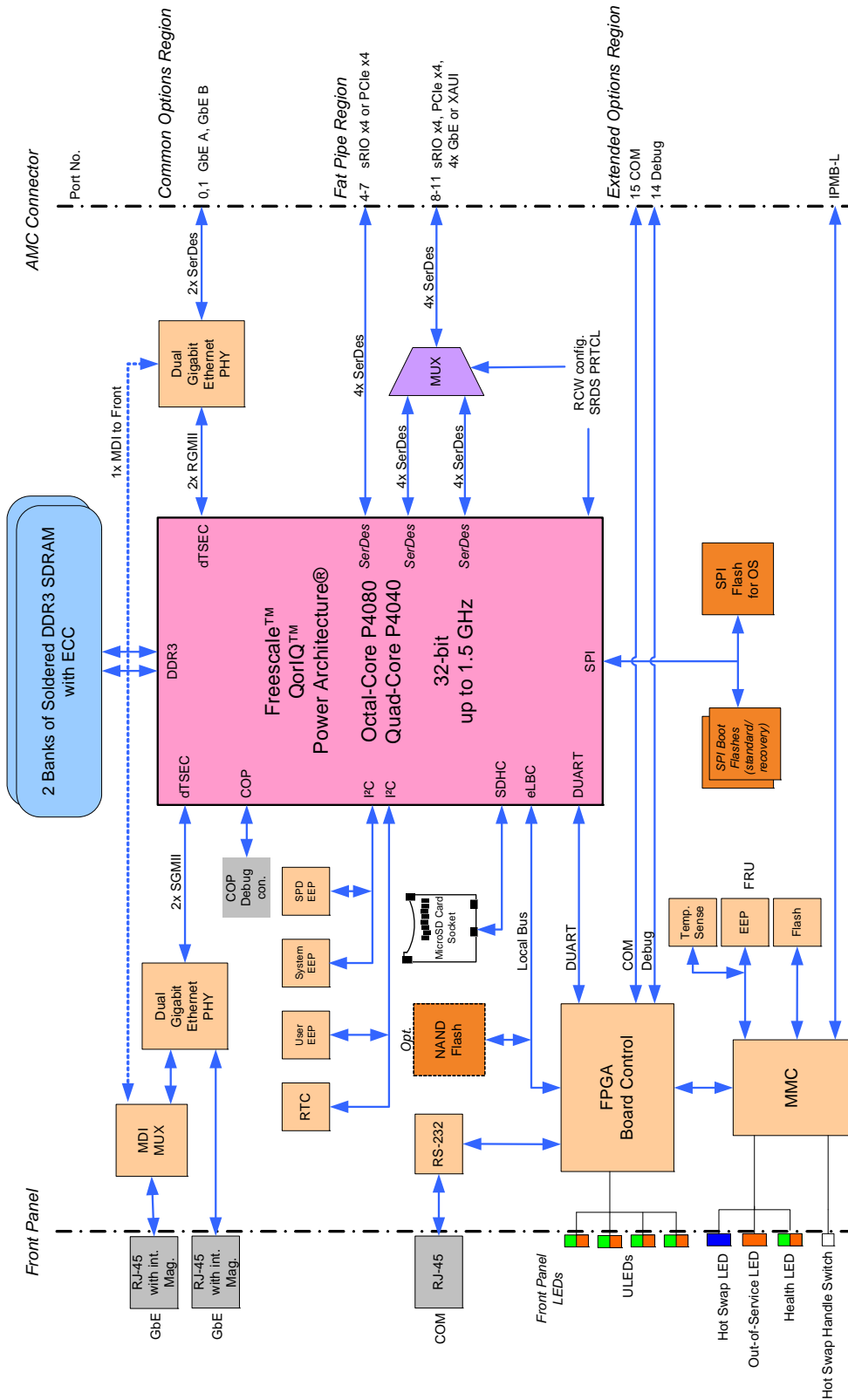
1.4 Board Diagrams

The following diagrams provide additional information concerning board functionality and component layout.

1.4.1 Functional Block Diagram

The following figure shows the block diagram of the AM4140.

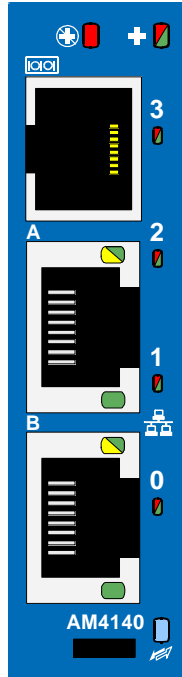
Figure 1-1: AM4140 Functional Block Diagram








1.4.2 Front Panel



Figure 1-2: AM4140 Front Panel Versions



Module Management LEDs

-  • LED1 (red): Out-of-Service LED
-  • LED2 (red/green): Health LED
-  • HS LED (blue): Hot Swap LED

Connectors

-  • Serial Connector
-  • Gigabit Ethernet Connector

User-Specific LEDs 3..0

- ULED3 (red/green): AMC port 0 link status (green) + debug code (green) + general purpose (red/green/red+green)
- ULED2 (red/green): AMC port 1 link status (green) + debug code (green) + general purpose (red/green/red+green)
- ULED1 (red/green): Debug code (green) + general purpose (red/green/red+green)
- ULED0 (red/green): Debug code (green) + general purpose (red/green/red+green)

Integral Ethernet LEDs

- ACT (green): Ethernet Link/Activity
- SPEED (green/yellow/off): Ethernet Speed



Note ...

If the ULED 0..3 remain lit red after power-on, a failure is indicated before the U-Boot bootloader has started. For further information, please contact Kontron.



Note ...

The AM4140 is also available with retaining screws on the front panel. For further information, please contact Kontron.

1.4.3 Board Layouts

Figure 1-3: AM4140 Board Layout (Top View)

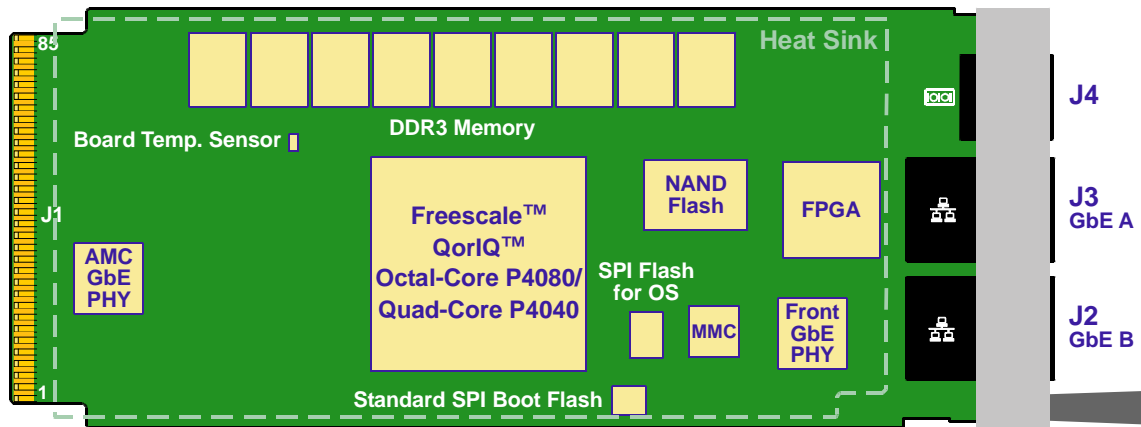
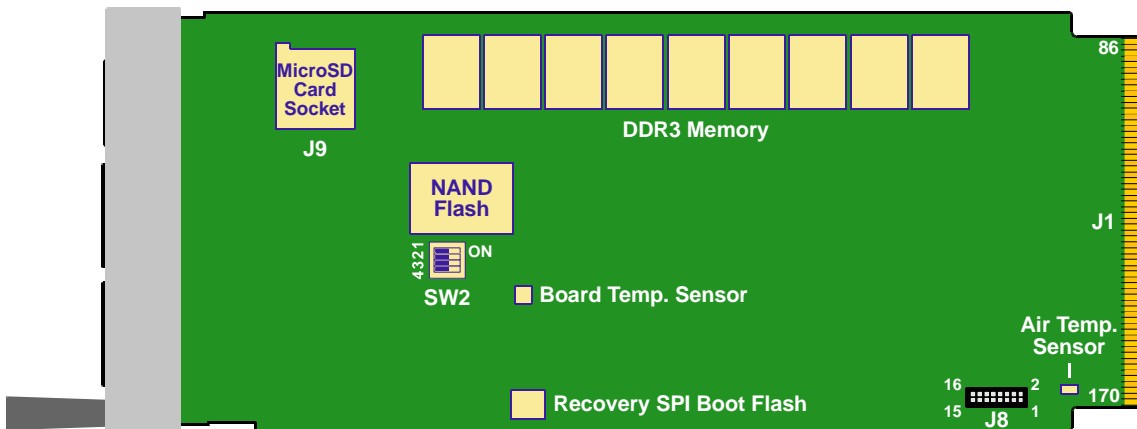


Figure 1-4: AM4140 Board Layout (Bottom View)





1.5 Technical Specification

Table 1-2: AM4140 Main Specifications

AM4140		SPECIFICATIONS
Processor	CPU	<p>The AM4140 supports the following microprocessors:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Freescale™ QorIQ™ P4080, 1.5 GHz, 800 MHz platform frequency • Freescale™ QorIQ™ P4080, 1.2 GHz, 600 MHz platform frequency • Freescale™ QorIQ™ P4040, 1.5 GHz, 800 MHz platform frequency • Freescale™ QorIQ™ P4040, 1.2 GHz, 600 MHz platform frequency <p>Further processor features:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Eight execution cores on the P4080 processor • Four execution cores on the P4040 processor • System Memory interface with optimized support for dual-channel DDR3 SDRAM memory at 1300 MHz with ECC for the P4080 and P4040 processors with 1.5 GHz CPU frequency • System Memory interface with optimized support for dual-channel DDR3 SDRAM memory at 1200 MHz with ECC for the P4080 and P4040 processors with 1.2 GHz CPU frequency
	Integrated controllers	<p>Controllers integrated in the CPU and utilized by the AM4140: eSDHC, eLBC, DUART, 10GEC, dTSEC, PCIe, sRIO, SPI, I²C.</p>
Memory	Memory	<p>Main Memory:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Up to 8 GB, dual-channel DDR3 SDRAM memory with ECC running at up to 1300 MHz <p>Cache Structure:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 64 kB L1 cache for each core <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 32 kB instruction cache • 32 kB data cache • 128 kB L2 cache for each core • 2 MB L3 shared cache <p>Flash Memory:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Two SPI flash chips (2 x 2 MB) for U-Boot selectable via the DIP switch or the MMC • One 8 MB SPI flash chip for operating system use <p>Mass Storage Device:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Up to 2 GB NAND flash via integrated/embedded NAND flash controller • Up to 32 GB microSDHC flash via integrated SDHC controller <p>Serial EEPROM with 64 kbit:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • One for system data storage • One free for user data storage

Table 1-2: AM4140 Main Specifications (Continued)

AM4140		SPECIFICATIONS
AMC Interconnection	Gigabit Ethernet	Common Options Region ports 0-1: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Two Gigabit Ethernet SerDes ports (port 1 switchable to front) Fat Pipes Region ports 8-11: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Four x1 Gigabit Ethernet SerDes ports
	SRIO	Fat Pipes Region ports 4-7 and 8-11: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> One 4x Serial RapidIO interface operating in host or agent configuration
	PCI Express	Fat Pipes Region ports 4-7 and 8-11: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> One x4 PCI Express interface operating in root complex configuration
	XAUI	Fat Pipes Region ports 8-11: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> One XAUI interface
	Debug Interface	Extended Options Region port 14: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> One debug port
	Serial Interface	Extended Options Region port 15: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> One serial port
	Clock	Clock: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Bidirectional PCI express reference clock (FCLKA)
Connectors	Front Panel Connectors	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Two Gigabit Ethernet ports on two RJ-45 connectors, J2 and J3 One serial port (UART1) with RS-232 signal level on RJ-45 connector, J4
	Onboard Connector	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Common on-chip processor (COP) debug port via 16-pin (2 x 8) pinrow 1.27 mm connector, J8
	microSD card Socket	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Standard microSD socket, J9, accepts microSD and microSDHC cards
	AMC Card-edge Connector	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> One 170-pin AMC Card-edge connector, J1
Switch	DIP Switch	One DIP switch for board configuration, SW2, consisting of four switches
LEDs	Module Management LEDs	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> LED1 (red): Out-of-Service LED LED2 (red/green/amber): Health LED HS LED (blue): The hot swap indicator provides basic feedback to the user on the hot swap state of the module. The HS LED states are <i>off</i>, <i>short blink</i>, <i>long blink</i>, and <i>on</i>.
	User-Specific LEDs	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ULED3 (red/green): AMC port 0 link status (green) + debug code (green) + general purpose (red/green/red+green) ULED2 (red/green): AMC port 1 link status (green) + debug code (green) + general purpose (red/green/red+green) ULED1 (red/green): Debug code (green) + general purpose (red/green/red+green) ULED0 (red/green): Debug code (green) + general purpose (red/green/red+green)
	Integral Ethernet LEDs	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Act (green): Ethernet Link/Activity Speed (green/yellow/off): Ethernet Speed

Table 1-2: AM4140 Main Specifications (Continued)

AM4140		SPECIFICATIONS
Timer	Watchdog Timer	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Software-configurable, two-stage Watchdog with programmable timeout ranging from 125 ms to 4096 s in 16 steps • Serves for generating IRQ or hardware reset
	System Timer	There are several timers implemented in the CPU. For further information regarding these timers, refer to the CPU reference manual from Freescale.
IPMI	Module Management Controller	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • NXP® ARM7 microcontroller with redundant 512 kB firmware flash and automatic roll-back strategy • The MMC carries out IPMI commands such as monitoring several on-board temperature conditions, board voltages and the power supply status, and managing hot swap operations. • The MMC is accessible via a local IPMB (IPMB-L) and one host Keyboard Controller Style Interface (KCS). • One MMC system EEPROM for FRU data and firmware private data
	Hot Swap	The AM4140 has full hot swap capability.
	Thermal Management	CPU and board overtemperature protection is provided by: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Three onboard temperature sensors for monitoring the board temperature • Specially designed heat sink
General	Power Consumption	Refer to Chapter 5, "Power Considerations" for information related to the power consumption of the AM4140.
	Temperature Range	Operational: -5°C to +55°C Storage: -40°C to +70°C
	Mechanical	Single Module: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Mid-size version
	Dimensions	181.5 mm x 73.5 mm x 18.96 mm
	Board Weight	250 grams (with heat sink and front panel)
Software	Bootloader	DENX U-Boot (Universal Boot Loader) with Kontron-specific modifications to support the AM4140 requirements
	IPMI	Module Management Controller firmware providing the following features: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The MMC is accessible via IPMB-L and one KCS interface with interrupt support • The MMC firmware can be updated in the field through all supported onboard interfaces using the function "fwum..." of the open-source tool "ipmitool". For further information on the ipmitool refer to the sourceforge.net website. • Two MMC flash images with automatic roll-back capability in case of an upgrade firmware failure • Board supervision and control extensions such as board reset, power and firmware flash control, etc.
	Operating Systems	The board is offered with various Board Support Packages including VxWorks and Linux operating systems. For further information concerning the operating systems available for the AM4140, please contact Kontron.

1.6 Standards

The AM4140 complies with the requirements of the following standards.

Table 1-3: Standards

COMPLIANCE	TYPE	STANDARD	TEST LEVEL
CE	Emission	EN55022 EN61000-6-3 EN300386	--
	Immision	EN55024 EN61000-6-2 EN300386	--
	Electrical Safety	EN60950-1	--
Mechanical	Mechanical Dimensions	IEEE 1101.10	--
Environmental and Health Aspects	Vibration (sinusoidal, operating)	GR-63-CORE EN300019-2-3 IEC61131-2 IEC60068-2-6	5-150 [Hz] frequency range 1 [g] acceleration 1 [oct/min] sweep rate 10 sweeps/axis 3 directions: x,y,z
	Shock (operating)	EN300019-2-3 IEC61131-2 IEC60068-2-27	15 [g] acceleration 11 [ms] pulse duration 3 shocks per direction 5 [s] recovery time 6 directions, ±x, ±y, ±z
	Climatic Humidity	IEC60068-2-78	93% RH at 40°C, non-condensing (see note below)
	WEEE	Directive 2002/96/EC	Waste electrical and electronic equipment
	RoHS	Directive 2002/95/EC	Restriction of the use of certain hazardous substances in electrical and electronic equipment



Note ...

Kontron performs comprehensive environmental testing of its products in accordance with applicable standards.

Customers desiring to perform further environmental testing of Kontron products must contact Kontron for assistance prior to performing any such testing. This is necessary, as it is possible that environmental testing can be destructive when not performed in accordance with the applicable specifications.

In particular, for example, boards **without conformal coating** must not be exposed to a change of temperature exceeding 1K/minute, averaged over a period of not more than five minutes. Otherwise, condensation may cause irreversible damage, especially when the board is powered up again.

Kontron does not accept any responsibility for damage to products resulting from destructive environmental testing.



1.7 Related Publications

The following publications contain information relating to this product.

Table 1-4: Related Publications

PRODUCT	PUBLICATION
ATCA	PICMG® 3.0 R3.0, AdvancedTCA® Base Specification, March 24, 2008
MicroTCA	PICMG® MTCA.0 R1.0, Micro Telecommunications Computing Architecture Base Specification, July 6, 2006
AMC	PICMG® AMC.0 R2.0, Advanced Mezzanine Card Base Specification, Nov. 15, 2006 PICMG® AMC.1 R2.0, PCI Express™ on AdvancedMC™, Oct. 8, 2008 PICMG® AMC.2 R1.0, Ethernet Advanced Mezzanine Card Specification, March 1, 2007 PICMG® AMC.4 R1.0, Serial RapidIO on AdvancedMC™ Specification, July 11, 2009
IPMI	IPMI - Intelligent Platform Management Interface Specification, v2.0 Document Revision 1.0, February 12, 2004 IPMI - Platform Management FRU Information Storage Definition, V1.0 Document Revision 1.1, September 27, 1999
PCI Express	PCI Express Base Specification Revision 2.0, Dec. 20, 2006
Serial RapidIO	RapidIO™ Interconnect Specification Part 6: LP-Serial Physical Layer Specification, Rev. 2.0.1, March 2008
Platform Firmware	DENX "U-Boot" (Universal Boot Loader) online documentation at www.denx.de Kontron's U-Boot Bootloader User Guide for the AM4140
All Kontron Products	Product Safety and Implementation Guide, ID 1021-9142



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