

DM-LCD1602-402
SERIAL CHARACTER LCD WITH I2C,
SPI OR RS-232(TTL) INTERFACE

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1 Revision History

| Date | Changes |
|------------|---------------|
| 2015-01-21 | First release |

2 Main Features

| Item | Specification | Unit |
|----------------------|--|------|
| Number of Characters | 16 characters x 2 lines | |
| Display Mode | STN-Blue,Transmissive | - |
| Resolution | 5 x 8 pixels with cursor | |
| Controller IC | SPLC780D or equivalent | - |
| Interface | Serial Interface:I2C, SPI or RS-232(TTL) | - |
| Power Supply | 5V | V |
| View Direction | 6:00 | - |
| Duty | 1/16 duty, 1/5 bias | |
| Backlight | White LED | - |
| Weight | 33.7 | g |

3 Pin Description

3.1 P1

| Pin No. | Symbol | Function Description |
|---------|--------|--------------------------------------|
| 1 | RX | RS-232(TTL) Serial input port |
| 2 | VSS | Signal ground for LCM (GND) |
| 3 | VDD | Power supply for logic (+5V) for LCM |

3.2 P2

| Pin No. | Symbol | Function Description |
|---------|---------|---|
| 1 | SPISS | SPITM slave select input |
| 2 | SDO | SPITM data output |
| 3 | SCK/SCL | SCK: SPITM clock SCL: I2CTM clock |
| 4 | SDI/SDA | SDI: SPITM data input SDA: I2CTM data input |
| 5 | VSS | Signal ground for LCM (GND) |
| 6 | VDD | Power supply for logic (+5V) for LCM |

5 Electrical Characteristics

| Item | Symbol | Condition | Min | Typ. | Max | Unit |
|---------------------------|-----------------|--------------|-----|------|-----|------|
| Supply Voltage For Logic | VDD | | 4.7 | 5.0 | 5.5 | V |
| Supply Current | IDD | VDD=5.0V | - | 125 | - | mA |
| Low Level Input Voltage | V _{IL} | | 0 | - | 0.6 | V |
| High Level Input Voltage | V _{IH} | | 2.2 | - | VDD | V |
| Low Level Output Voltage | V _{OL} | | - | | 0.4 | V |
| High Level Output Voltage | V _{OH} | | 2.4 | | | V |
| Operating Temperature | TOP | Absolute Max | -20 | - | +70 | °C |
| Storage Temperature | TST | Absolute Max | -30 | - | +80 | °C |

6 Optical Characteristics

| Item | Symbol | Min | Typ | Max | Unit | Note |
|-------------------------|----------------|-----|-----|-----|-------------------|------|
| View Angles Top--Bottom | AV | 10 | | 60 | ° | |
| View Angles Left--Right | AH | -45 | | 45 | ° | |
| Response Time (25°C) | Tr + Tf | | 250 | 350 | ms | |
| Contrast Ratio | CR | | 3 | | | |
| Luminance | L _y | | - | | cd/m ² | |

7 Communication Information

7.1 I2C protocol

To enter the I2C mode, a jumper is placed on **R2** of the interface board and 2 pull-up resistors (nominal value of 1K to 10K Ohm), must be placed on SDA and SCK communication lines, R7 and R8. The default I2C address is **80 (50 hex)**. The I2C address can be changed to any 8-bit value by command function, with the exception that the LSB (least significant bit) must always be '0'.

Once the I2C address has been changed, it will be saved in the system memory, and it will revert back to the default address if either RS232 or SPI protocol is selected.

The I2C interface is capable of receiving data at up to 400KHz-clock rate.

7.2 SPI protocol

To enter the SPI mode, a jumper is placed on **R1** of the interface board.

The SPI mode has a normally high level idle clock; data sampled on the rising edge of the clock and Slave Select is enabled.

7.3 RS-232 (TTL) protocol

To enter the RS232 mode, both jumpers, **R1** and **R2** are removed.

The RS232 signal must be 5V, TTL compatible. The communication format is 8-bit data, one stop bit, no parity and no hand shaking. The default BAUD rate is 9600, and it is changeable with a command function, once the BAUD rate is changed, it will be saved in the system memory, and it can be reverted back to default BAUD rate if either I2C or SPI protocol is selected.

Changing the I2C Slave Address

Syntax hexadecimal 0xFE 0x62 [addr]

| Parameter | Parameter | Length | Description |
|-----------|-----------|--------|---|
| | [addr] | 1 byte | New I ² C address, 0x00 – 0xFE The LSB is always '0'. |

Description This command sets the I2C address. The address must be an even number (LSB=0). The address change requires 20 microseconds to take effect; therefore, the subsequent input must have an appropriate delay. The default I2C address can be restored if SPI or RS-232 is selected as the communication mode.
Default: 0 x 50

Changing BAUD Rate

Syntax hexadecimal 0xFE 0x61 [baud]

| Parameter | Parameter | Length | Description |
|-----------|-----------|--------|-----------------------------|
| | [BAUD] | 1 byte | New RS-232 BAUD Rate, 1 - 8 |

Description This command sets the RS-232 BAUD rate. The signal byte parameter selects the desired BAUD rate as in the table below. The new BAUD rate requires 20 microseconds to take effect; therefore, the subsequent input must have an appropriate delay. The default BAUD rate can be restored if I2C or SPI is selected as the communication mode. Illegal parameter input will be discarded.

| Parameter | BAUD |
|-----------|--------|
| 1 | 300 |
| 2 | 1200 |
| 3 | 2400 |
| 4 | 9600 |
| 5 | 14400 |
| 6 | 19.2K |
| 7 | 57.6K |
| 8 | 115.2K |

Default: 9600 BAUD

8 Table of commands

| Prefix | CMD | Param | Description |
|--------|------|--------|-------------------------------------|
| 0xFE | 0x41 | None | Display on |
| 0xFE | 0x42 | None | Display off |
| 0xFE | 0x45 | 1 Byte | Set cursor |
| 0xFE | 0x46 | None | Cursor home |
| 0xFE | 0x47 | None | Underline cursor on |
| 0xFE | 0x48 | None | Underline cursor off |
| 0xFE | 0x49 | None | Move cursor left one place |
| 0xFE | 0x4A | None | Move cursor right one place |
| 0xFE | 0x4B | None | Blinking cursor on |
| 0xFE | 0x4C | None | Blinking cursor off |
| 0xFE | 0x4E | None | Backspace |
| 0xFE | 0x51 | None | Clear screen |
| 0xFE | 0x52 | 1 Byte | Set contrast |
| 0xFE | 0x53 | 1 Byte | Set backlight brightness |
| 0xFE | 0x54 | 9 Byte | Load custom character |
| 0xFE | 0x55 | None | Move display one place to the left |
| 0xFE | 0x56 | None | Move display one place to the right |
| 0xFE | 0x61 | 1 Byte | Change RS232 BAUD rate 232 |
| 0xFE | 0x62 | 1 Byte | Change I2C address |
| 0xFE | 0x70 | None | Display firmware version number |
| 0xFE | 0x71 | None | Display RS232 BAUD rate |
| 0xFE | 0x72 | None | Display I2C address |
| 0xFE | 0xFE | 1 Byte | Send control byte to |

9 Build-in Function

There several build-in functions in the serial interface to facilitate the LCD control, These functions eliminate the needs for end user to understand the HD44780 instruction set and timing requirements. It also provides control for features that are not accessible with a serial connection.

Turn On Display

Syntax hexadecimal 0xFE 0x41

| Parameter | Parameter | Length | Description |
|-----------|-----------|--------|--------------------|
| | None | None | Turn on LCD screen |

Description This command turns on the LCD display screen. The display text is not altered
 Default LCD screen is on

Turn Off Display

Syntax hexadecimal 0xFE 0x42

| Parameter | Parameter | Length | Description |
|-----------|-----------|--------|---------------------|
| | None | None | Turn off LCD screen |

Description This command turns off the LCD display screen. The display text is not altered
 Default LCD screen is on

Set Cursor Position

Syntax hexadecimal 0xFE 0x45 [pos]

| Parameter | Parameter | Length | Description |
|-----------|-----------|--------|---|
| | [pos] | 1 byte | Put cursor at location specified by [pos], 0x00 to 0x67 |

Description This command moves the cursor to a specified location where the next character will be displayed. A typical cursor position for a 4-line display is show below; a cursor position outside these ranges will not be viewable.

| | Column 1 | Column 20 |
|--------|----------|-----------|
| Line 1 | 0x00 | 0x13 |
| Line 2 | 0x40 | 0x53 |
| Line 3 | 0x14 | 0x27 |
| Line 4 | 0x54 | 0x67 |

Default: After a reset, the cursor is on position 0x00

Home Cursor

Syntax hexadecimal 0xFE 0x46

| Parameter | Parameter | Length | Description |
|-----------|-----------|--------|------------------------------------|
| | None | None | Position cursor at line 1 column 1 |

Description This command moves the cursor to line 1, column 1 of the LCD screen. The display text is not altered.

Default None

Turn On Underline Cursor

Syntax hexadecimal 0xFE 0x47

| Parameter | Parameter | Length | Description |
|-----------|-----------|--------|--------------------------|
| | None | None | Turn on underline cursor |

Description This command turn on the underline cursor, the cursor position is where the next character will appear.

Default Underline cursor is off

Turn Off Underline Cursor

Syntax hexadecimal 0xFE 0x48

| Parameter | Parameter | Length | Description |
|-----------|-----------|--------|---------------------------|
| | None | None | Turn off underline cursor |

Description This command turns off the underline cursor

Default Underline cursor is off

Move Cursor Left One Space

Syntax hexadecimal 0xFE 0x49

| Parameter | Parameter | Length | Description |
|-----------|-----------|--------|--------------------------|
| | None | None | Move cursor left 1 space |

Description This command moves the cursor position left 1 space whether the cursor is turn on or not. The display character is not altered.

Default None

Move Cursor Right One Space

Syntax hexadecimal 0xFE 0x4A

| Parameter | Parameter | Length | Description |
|-----------|-----------|--------|---------------------------|
| | None | None | Move cursor right 1 space |

Description This command moves the cursor position left 1 space whether the cursor is turned on or not. The displayed character is not altered.

Default None

Turn On Blinking Cursor

Syntax hexadecimal 0xFE 0x4B

| Parameter | Parameter | Length | Description |
|-----------|-----------|--------|-----------------------------|
| | None | None | Turn on the blinking cursor |

Description This command turn on the blinking cursor, both the cursor and the character on the cursor will blink.

Default The blinking cursor is off

Turn Off Blinking Cursor

Syntax hexadecimal 0xFE 0x4C

| Parameter | Parameter | Length | Description |
|-----------|-----------|--------|------------------------------|
| | None | None | Turn off the blinking cursor |

Description This command turns off the blinking cursor.
 Default The blinking cursor is off

Back Space

Syntax hexadecimal 0xFE 0x4E

| Parameter | Parameter | Length | Description |
|-----------|-----------|--------|--|
| | None | None | Move cursor back one space, delete last character. |

Description This command is destructive backspace. The cursor is moved back one space and the character on the cursor is deleted.
 Default None

Clear Screen

Syntax hexadecimal 0xFE 0x51

| Parameter | Parameter | Length | Description |
|-----------|-----------|--------|---|
| | None | None | Clear LCD and move cursor to line 1 column 1. |

Description This command clears the entire display and place the cursor at line 1 column 1.
 Default None

Set Display Contrast

Syntax hexadecimal 0xFE 0x52 [contrast]

| Parameter | Parameter | Length | Description |
|-----------|------------|--------|--|
| | [contrast] | 1 byte | Set the display contrast, value between 1 and 50 |

Description This command sets the display contrast. The contrast setting can be between 1 and 50, where 50 is the highest contrast.
 Default Default contrast value is 40.

Set Backlight Brightness

Syntax hexadecimal 0xFE 0x53 [brightness]

| Parameter | Parameter | Length | Description |
|-----------|--------------|--------|---|
| | [brightness] | 1 byte | Set the backlight brightness level, value between 1 and 8 |

Description This command sets the backlight brightness level. The value can be between 1 and 8.
 Default Default brightness value is 5.

Load Custom Characters

Syntax hexadecimal 0xFE 0x54 [addr] [d0 ...d7]

| Parameter | Parameter | Length | Description |
|-----------|-----------|---------|----------------------------------|
| | [addr] | 1 byte | Custom character address, 0 – 7 |
| | [D0...D7] | 8 bytes | Custom character pattern bit map |

Description There is space for eight user-defined custom characters. This command loads the custom character into one of the eight locations. The custom character pattern is bit mapped into 8 data bytes. The bit map for Spanish character '¿' is shown in table below. To display the custom character, user has to enter the address of the character (0 to 8).

| Bit | 7 | 6 | 5 | 4 | 3 | 2 | 1 | 0 | Hex |
|--------|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|------|
| Byte 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0x04 |
| Byte 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0x00 |
| Byte 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0x04 |
| Byte 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0x08 |
| Byte 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0x10 |
| Byte 6 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0x11 |
| Byte 7 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0x0E |
| Byte 8 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0x00 |

Default None

Shift Display to the Left

Syntax hexadecimal 0xFE 0x55

| Parameter | Parameter | Length | Description |
|-----------|-----------|--------|---|
| | None | None | Shift the LCD screen to the left 1 space. |

Description This command shifts the display to the left 1 space. The cursor position also moves with the display, and the display data is not altered.
Default: None

Shift Display to the Right

Syntax hexadecimal 0xFE 0x56

| Parameter | Parameter | Length | Description |
|-----------|-----------|--------|--|
| | None | None | Shift the LCD screen to the right 1 space. |

Description This command shifts the display to the right 1 space. The cursor position also moves with the display, and the display data is not altered.
Default None

Display Firmware Version Number

Syntax hexadecimal 0xFE 0x70

| Parameter | Parameter | Length | Description |
|-----------|-----------|--------|--------------------------------------|
| | None | None | Display the firmware version number. |

Description This command display the micro-controller firmware version number.
Default None

Display RS-232 Baud Rate

Syntax hexadecimal 0xFE 0x71

| Parameter | Parameter | Length | Description |
|-----------|-----------|--------|-------------------|
| | None | None | Display Baud Rate |

Description This command displays the RS-232 BAUD rate.
Default None

Display I²C Address

Syntax hexadecimal 0xFE 0x72

| Parameter | Parameter | Length | Description |
|-----------|-----------|--------|----------------------------------|
| | None | None | Display I ² C Address |

Description This command displays the current I2C slave address.
Default None

Direct SPLC780D Command

Syntax hexadecimal 0xFE 0xFE [cmd]

| Parameter | Parameter | Length | Description |
|-----------|-----------|--------|---|
| | [cmd] | 1 byte | Direct interface to the LCD controller, SPLC780D. |

Description This command is for advanced programmer, it allows LCD instruction to send directly to the SPLC780D controller.
Default None.

ASCII TEXT

To display normal text, just enter its ASCII number, a number from 0x00 to 0x07 displays the user defined custom character, 0x20 to 0x7F displays the stand set of characters. And numbers from 0xA0 to 0xFD display characters and symbols that are factory-masked on the SPLC780D controller and 0xFE is reserved for function command.

10 Built-in Font Table

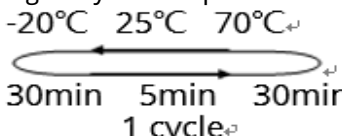
| Lower 4 Bits | Upper 4 Bits | 0000 | 0001 | 0010 | 0011 | 0100 | 0101 | 0110 | 0111 | 1000 | 1001 | 1010 | 1011 | 1100 | 1101 | 1110 | 1111 |
|--------------|--------------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|
| xxxx0000 | CG RAM (1) | | | | 0 | a | P | ` | P | | | | - | タ | ミ | α | ρ |
| xxxx0001 | (2) | | ! | 1 | A | Q | a | q | | | | 。 | ア | チ | △ | △ | q |
| xxxx0010 | (3) | | " | 2 | B | R | b | r | | | | 「 | イ | ツ | × | β | θ |
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11 Driver/Controller Information

Built-in SPLC780D IC

<https://drive.google.com/a/displaymodule.com/file/d/0BxCL-uXywP6wQXlvMnRIaFN6UVU/view?usp=sharing>

12 Reliability

| Test Item | Content of Test | Test Condition | Note |
|--------------------------------------|---|--|------|
| High Temperature Storage | Endurance test applying the high storage temperature for a long time. | 80°C 200hrs | 2 |
| Low Temperature Storage | Endurance test applying the high storage temperature for a long time. | -30°C 200hrs | 1,2 |
| High Temperature Operation | Endurance test applying the electric stress (Voltage & Current) and the thermal stress to the element for a long time. | 70°C 200hrs | - |
| Low Temperature Operation | Endurance test applying the electric stress under low temperature for a long time. | -20 °C 200hrs | 1 |
| High Temperature/ Humidity Operation | The module should be allowed to stand at 60°C,90%RH max, for 96hrs under no-load condition excluding the polarizer. Then taking it out and drying it at normal temperature. | 60°C,90%RH 96hrs | 1,2 |
| Thermal Shock Resistance | The sample should be allowed stand the following 10 cycles of operation.  | -20°C/70°C 10 cycles | - |
| Vibration Test | Endurance test applying the vibration during transportation and using. | Total fixed amplitude: 15mm; Vibration: 10~55Hz; One cycle 60 seconds to 3 directions of X, Y, Z, for each 16 minutes. | 3 |
| Static Electricity Test | Endurance test apply the electric stress to the terminal. | VS=800V, RS=1.5kΩ, CS=100pF, 1 time. | - |

Note1: No dew condensation to be observed.

Note2: The function test shall be conducted after 4 hours storage at the normal. Temperature and humidity after remove from the rest chamber.

Note3: Test performed on product itself, not inside a container

13 Warranty and Conditions

<http://www.displaymodule.com/pages/faq>