

VT1040

FLAT PANEL INDUSTRIAL MONITOR



Hardware Guide

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All interface cables must include shielded cables. Braid/foil type shields are recommended. Communication cable connectors must be metal, ideally zinc die-cast backshell types, and provide 360 degree protection about the interface wires. The cable shield braid must be terminated directly to the metal connector shell, ground drain wires alone are not adequate.

Protective measures for power and interface cables as described within this manual must be applied. Do not leave cables connected to unused interfaces or disconnected at one end. Changes or modifications to this device not expressly approved by the manufacturer could void the user's authority to operate the equipment.

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1. Product Overview

Xycom Automation industrial monitors meet the rigorous requirements of the plant floor with high-resolution flat panel displays in a rugged housing with an optional resistive membrane touchscreen. The VT1040 flat panel monitor delivers crisp, bright text and graphics with a low current draw, and it fits into panels that CRTs cannot.

The VT1040 is self-contained, requiring only to be panel mounted in an appropriate enclosure and connected to 120/240 VAC and VGA source.

Product Features

Standard VT1040 Features

- 10.4" bright (300 Nit), easy-to-read, high contrast (300:1), color (18 bit/262,144 colors) TFT flat panel display with VGA (640x480) resolution
- Large viewing area and viewing angles (120° horizontal, 100° vertical)
- Operator input through an optional integrated high-performance (35 million touch) touchscreen
- Front panel controls with onscreen menus (lock switch on rear of units)
- Long-lasting (50,000 hour) backlight
- Hinged design for easy backlight field replacement
- Simple mounting
- Shallow mounting depth
- Up to 50 foot cables
- Optional 19" EIA rackmount adapter plate
- NEMA 4/12 front panel, when properly mounted
- UL and cUL recognized, CE marked
- Units ship with all necessary cables and software

Parts List

When you remove the VT1040 from its shipping carton, verify that you have the parts listed below. Save the box and inner wrapping in case you need to reship the unit.

Standard VT1040 Parts List

- VT1040 unit.
- Ten-foot VGA cable.
- Ten-foot serial cable (touchscreen units only).
- Documentation and Support Library CD-ROM. In addition to containing this manual, this CD contains all drivers required by this unit (touchscreen drivers in the case of VT1040T units).

Manual Overview

The manual is divided in the following chapters:

- Chapter 1 – Product Overview
- Chapter 2 – Installation
- Chapter 3 – Monitor Settings
- Chapter 4 – Hardware

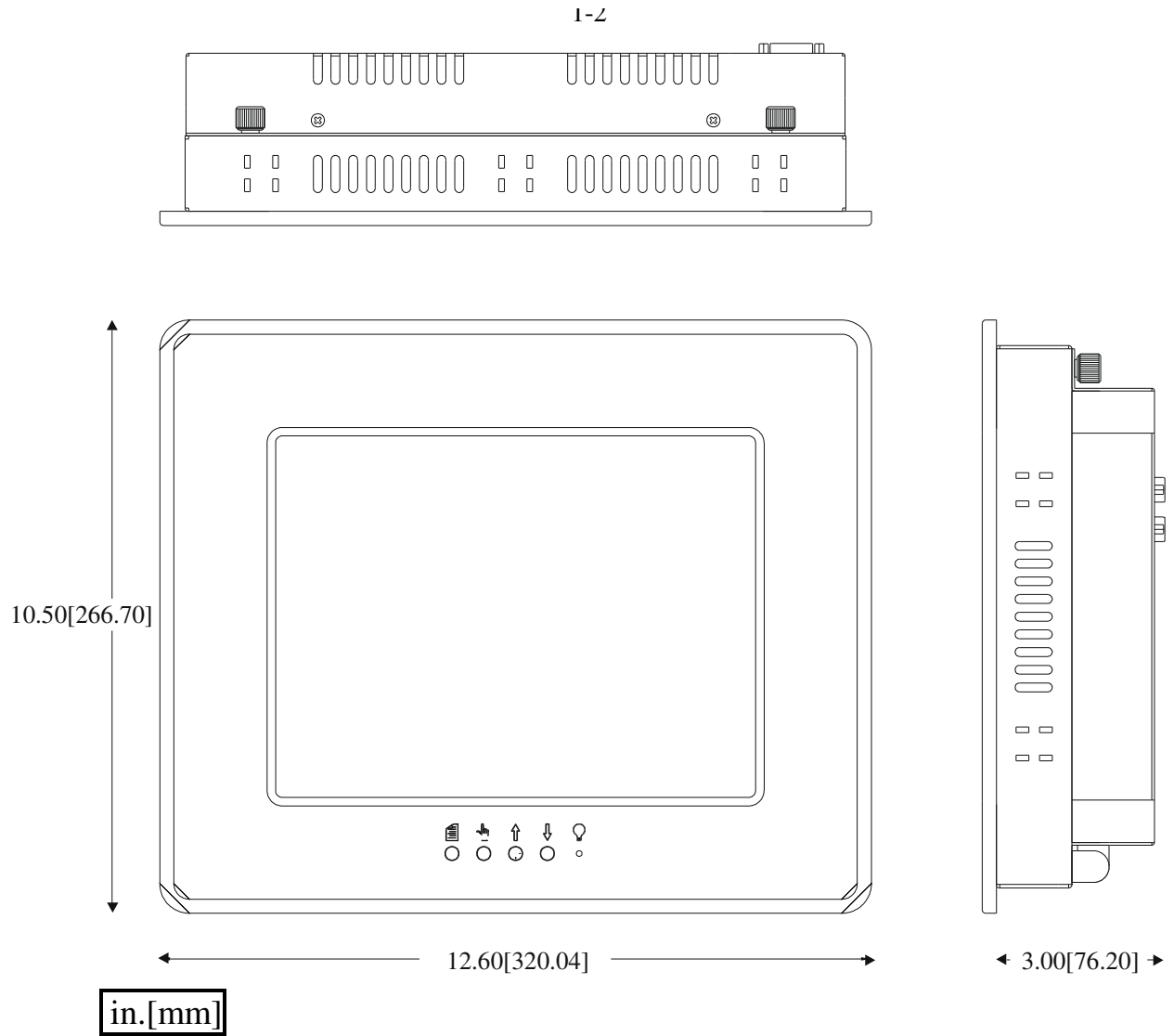
Text Conventions Used in this Manual

Throughout this manual, certain terms are formatted in ways that indicate what type of object is being described. Some information is also segregated to draw attention quickly.

Titles, labels, and messages are indicated by italic text. Computer filenames and text to be entered by the user will appear in a monospace font. Operator interfaces (such as the **Start** menu button) and keyboard keys (such as **Enter**) appear in a narrow bold typeface. Other text (such as the word **Note**) is bold to emphasize it and draw your attention to it.

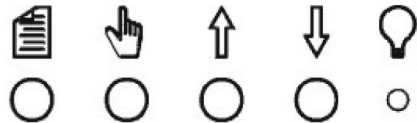
Some text is segregated into **Note**, **Caution**, or **Warning** boxes. Notes contain extra information that may make the nearby text, especially the text just before the note, more understandable. Cautions contain information necessary to prevent damage to the hardware. Warnings contain information necessary to safeguard the operator.

Product Dimensions



Front Panel Controls

The front panel controls, from left to right are Menu, Select, Increment, Decrement. Their use is detailed in Chapter 3— Monitor Settings.



Product Specifications and Ratings

Environmental

	Operating	Nonoperating
Thermal	0°C to 50°C (32°F to 122°F)	-20°C to 60°C (32°F to 122°F)
Humidity	20% to 80% RH, noncondensing	20% to 80% RH, noncondensing
Shock	15 g peak acceleration, 11 msec duration	30 g peak acceleration, 11 msec duration
Vibration, 5-2000 Hz	0.006" peak-to-peak displacement 1.0 g maximum acceleration	0.015" peak-to-peak displacement 2.5 g maximum acceleration
Altitude	Sea level to 10,000 ft. (3,000 m)	Sea level to 40,000 ft. (12,000 m)

Electrical

AC power: 100-240 VAC, 1.0 A, 60 Hz

DC power: 24 VDC, 1 A

Front Panel/Enclosure

NEMA 4/12

Regulatory Compliance

CE

- EN 55022: Class A
- EN 50082-2
- EN 60950

FCC

- 47 CFR, Part 15, Class A

Safety Agency Approvals

UL

- UL 60950

CUL

- CSA-C22.2, #950

2. Installation

Environmental Considerations

The rugged design of the VT1040 allows it to be installed in most industrial environments. Refer to the electrical and environmental specifications and tolerances (pg. 4) for more detailed information.

System Power

It is a good practice to use isolation transformers on the incoming AC power line to the system. An isolation transformer is especially desirable in cases in which heavy equipment is likely to introduce noise onto the AC line. The isolation transformer can also serve as a step-down transformer to reduce the incoming line voltage to a desired level. The transformer should have a sufficient power rating (units of volt-amperes) to supply the load adequately.

Proper grounding is essential to all safe electrical installations. Refer to the relevant federal, state/provincial, and local electric codes, which provide data such as the size and types of conductors, color codes and connections necessary for safe grounding of electrical components. The code specifies that a grounding path must be permanent (no solder), continuous, and able to safely conduct the ground-fault current in the system with minimal impedance (minimum wire required is 18 AWG, 1 mm).

Observe the following practices:

- Separate the power and ground (P. E., or Protective Earth) cable from signal cables at the point of entry to the enclosure. To minimize the ground wire length within the enclosure, locate the ground reference point near the point of entry for the plant power supply.
- All electrical racks or chassis and machine elements should be Earth Grounded in installations where high levels of electrical noise can be expected. The rack/chassis should be grounded with a ground rod or attached to a nearby Earth structure such as a steel support beam. Connect each different apparatus to a single Earth Ground point in a "star" configuration with low impedance cable. Scrape away paint and other nonconductive material from the area where a chassis makes contact with the enclosure. In addition to the ground connection made through the mounting bolt or stud, use a one-inch metal braid or size #8 AWG wire to connect between each chassis and the enclosure at the mounting bolt or stud.

Excessive Heat

To keep the temperature in range, the cooling air at the base of the system must not exceed the maximum temperature specification (see pg. 4). Allocate proper spacing between internal components installed in the enclosure.

When the air temperature is higher than the specified maximum in the enclosure (see pg. 4), use a fan or air conditioner to lower the temperature.

Electrical Noise

Electrical noise is seldom responsible for damaging components, unless extremely high energy or high voltage levels are present. However, noise can cause temporary malfunctions that can result in hazardous machine operation in certain applications. Noise may be present only at certain times, may appear at widely spread intervals, or in some cases may exist continuously.

Noise commonly enters through input, output, and power supply lines and may also be coupled through the capacitance between these lines and the noise signal carrier lines. This usually results from the presence of high voltage or long, close-spaced conductors. When control lines are closely spaced with lines carrying large currents, the coupling of magnetic fields can also occur. Use shielded cables to help minimize noise. Potential noise generators include switching components, relays, solenoids, motors, and motor starters.

Refer to the relevant Federal, State/Provincial, and local electric codes, which provide data such as the size and types of conductors, color codes and connections necessary for safe grounding of electrical components. It is recommended that high- and low-voltage cabling be separated and dressed apart. In particular, AC cables and switch wiring should not be in the same conduit with all communication cables.

Line Voltage Variation

The power supply section of the unit is built to sustain the specified line fluctuations and still allow the system to function in its operating margin. As long as the incoming voltage is adequate, the power supply provides all the logic voltages necessary to support the monitor unit.

Unusual AC line variations may cause undesirable system shutdowns. As a first step to reduce line variations, correct any possible feed problems in the distribution system. If this correction does not solve the problem, use a constant voltage transformer. The constant voltage transformer stabilizes the input voltage to the systems by compensating for voltage changes at the primary in order to maintain a steady voltage at the secondary. When using a constant voltage transformer, check that the power rating is sufficient to supply the unit.

Location and Enclosure

- Place the unit to allow easy access to the system ports.
- Account for the unit dimensions when selecting an installation location or enclosure (see pg. 3).
- You can maintain the NEMA 4 seal by mounting the unit in an approved enclosure that has a 14 gauge (0.075"/1.9 mm thick) steel or (0.125"/3.2 mm thick) aluminum front face.
- Place the unit at a comfortable working level.
- Mount the unit in an upright position, if possible.
- Consider locations of accessories such as AC power outlets and lighting (interior lighting and windows) for installation and maintenance convenience.
- Prevent condensation by installing a thermostat-controlled heater or air conditioner.
- Avoid obstructing the airflow to allow for maximum cooling.
- Place any fans or blowers close to the heat-generating devices. If using a fan, make sure that outside air is not brought inside the enclosure unless a fabric or other

reliable filter is used. This filtration prevents conductive particles or other harmful contaminants from entering the enclosure.

- Do not select a location near equipment that generates excessive electromagnetic interference (EMI) or radio frequency interface (RFI) (equipment such as high-power welding machines, induction heating equipment, and large motor starters).
- Do not place incoming power line devices (such as isolation or constant voltage transformers, local power disconnects, and surge suppressers) near the system. The proper location of incoming line devices keeps power wire runs as short as possible and minimizes electrical noise transmitted to the unit.
- Make sure the location does not exceed the unit's shock, vibration, and temperature specifications (see pg. 4 for specifications).
- Install the unit so it does not cause a hazard from uneven mechanical loading.
- Incorporate a readily accessible disconnect device in the fixed wiring on permanently connected equipment.
- Avoid overloading the supply circuit.

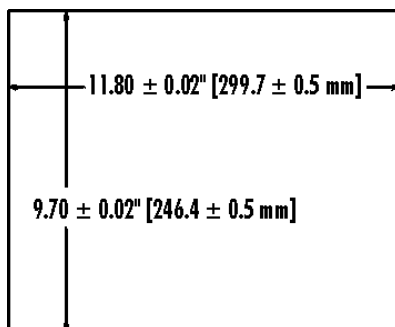
Panel Installation

This monitor should be mounted in and used where NEMA 4 and NEMA 12 type enclosures are employed. When mounted properly, the monitor meets or exceeds the sealing requirements set forth in the NEMA 4 and NEMA 12 specifications. The monitor uses "U"-shaped clips and a special gasket to achieve the proper seal.

To install the monitor, make a cutout per the diagram below in one of the walls of your NEMA enclosure. Enclosures made of heavier gauge metal work better in that they won't deform or bend as easily when the monitor's sealing gasket is compressed. Next hold the monitor in place while you install the mounting clips. Tighten the clips in a cross pattern. This will help to develop an even pressure on the sealing gasket. Tighten the clips to the point where the back of the monitor's front bezel just begins to contact the front of the NEMA enclosure.

Caution: Do not over tighten, because overtightening can cause damage to the monitor which can result in loss of seal integrity.

Panel Mounting Dimensions



3. Monitor Settings

Caution

Leaving your TFT LCD display on constantly can result in temporary image retention (TIR). TIR can be avoided by using a screen saver, enabling the idle/doze timeout feature, or by turning off the display when it is not in use.

Mode and Image Adjustment

Not all video controllers produce exactly the same video output levels or the same timing. The VT1040 uses onscreen programming to make setup and adjustment easy. The menus are selected and the menu items are adjusted using the buttons located on the monitor front panel. These buttons are enabled or disabled by a rocker switch labeled **SET UP** located on the side of the monitor. This feature is provided to inhibit tampering once the monitor is in actual use. Turn the **SET UP** switch to the **On** position to enable set up and adjustment. Prior to adjusting your monitor you should initialize the display settings in the Windows control panel to the following choices:

Colors: 256
Vertical Refresh: 60 Hz
Resolution: 640 x 480
Monitor Type: "Viewsonic 15"

Note: The monitor type option is not available in Windows NT.

Once the monitor is powered up, you can access the onscreen display (OSD) functions by pressing the menu button. After the menu appears, select the **Auto Setup** function following the directions given below. The monitor will automatically adjust to the incoming video signal. Then select the **Image | Auto phase** function or manually fine-tune the image. Finally, set the brightness and contrast settings to your individual preference.

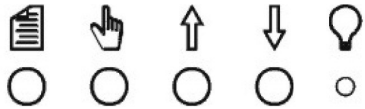
Video Modes Supported

Mode	Horizontal Sync Rate (KHz)	Vertical Sync Rate (KHz)	Dot Frequency (MHz)
VGA (640x480)	31.47	59.94	25.18
VGA (720x400)	31.47	70.10	28.32
Mac (1152x870)	68.68	75.06	100.0
VESA (640x480)	37.86	72.81	31.5
	37.50	75.00	31.5

Onscreen Display (OSD) Functions

Front Panel Controls

The front panel controls, from left to right are **Menu**, **Select**, **Increment**, **Decrement** and **Power**.



Menu: This button opens and closes menu screens. This button will perform the menu command labeled number one.










Select: This button selects the highlighted menu item. This button will perform the menu command labeled number two.

Increment and **Decrement:** These buttons are used to scroll through menu items or to adjust settings.

Power: Power on LED.

Main OSD menu

This menu is opened with the **Menu** button. The following icons are displayed with their labels appearing in the top blue bar of the menu screen.

Menu Item	Description
 Brightness	Brightness Increase/decrease panel brightness level: Press Increment or Decrement to adjust; range is 0 to 63.
 Contrast	Increase/decrease panel contrast level: Press Increment or Decrement to adjust; range is 0 to 200.
 Color	Opens the Color submenu (see below).
 Position	Opens the Position submenu (see below).
 Image	Opens the Image submenu (see below).
 Autosetup	Automatically adjusts monitor (position, image size, tuning etc.) Press Increment or Decrement to select Yes or No .
 Miscellaneous	Opens the Miscellaneous submenu (see below).
 System Info	Displays system information.
 Language	Select OSD language: Press Increment or Decrement to choose English or French .

Color Submenu

Menu Option	Description
Auto Balance	Automatic RGB calibration.
RGB	Opens the RGB submenu (see below).
Color Temperature	Adjust the color temperature: Press Increment or Decrement to adjust; the choices are 5000K, 6000K, 7000K, 8000K, 9000K, 10000K .

RGB Submenu

Menu Option	Description
Red	Increase/decrease red color level: Press Increment or Decrement to adjust; range is 0 to 127.
Green	Increase/decrease green color level: Press Increment or Decrement to adjust; range is 0 to 127.
Blue	Increase/decrease blue color level: Press Increment or Decrement to adjust; range is 0 to 127.

Position Submenu

Menu Option	Description
Image Horizontal Position	Move the image position horizontally: Press Increment or Decrement to adjust; range is 6 to 301.
Image Vertical Position	Move the image position vertically: Press Increment or Decrement to adjust; range is 1 to 36.
Auto Center	Set the screen to center: Press Increment or Decrement to select Yes or No .

Image Submenu

Menu Option	Description
Phase	Adjust the phase on the screen: Press Increment or Decrement to adjust; range is 0 to 61.
Horizontal size	Adjust the image size: Press Increment or Decrement to adjust; range is 800 to 880.
Auto phase	Set the screen to center: Press Increment or Decrement to select Yes or No .

Miscellaneous Submenu

Menu Option	Description
Load Default	Load the default settings stored in nonvolatile memory.
OSD Timeout	Set the menu timeout period: Press Increment or Decrement to adjust; the choices are 15 seconds, 30 seconds, 45 seconds, 60 seconds .
OSD Position	Select Horizontal Position or Vertical Position in the OSD Position submenu: Press Increment or Decrement to select Yes or No .

OSD Position Submenu

Menu Option	Description
Horizontal Position	Adjust the display horizontal position: Press Increment or Decrement to adjust; range is 0 to 98.
Vertical Position	Adjust the display vertical position: Press Increment or Decrement to adjust; range is 1 to 89.

Installing the Touch Screen Driver

If your Xycom flat panel monitor has the touch screen option, you will have to load the correct touch screen driver on the computer to which you will be connecting the monitor. The following steps should be performed on that computer.

Note: The following instructions assume that a web browser is installed on the computer.

1. Insert the Xycom Automation Documentation and Support Library CD into the CD-ROM drive.
2. If the Doc CD autostarts, proceed to the next step. If the Doc CD does not autostart, open the CD in Windows Explorer and double click on the file “index.html.”
3. Choose “Flat Panel Monitors” from the links at the top of the home page and then choose the appropriate monitor model on the next page. From the resulting page, you can download the User Manual and/or the touch screen driver.
4. Click on the link to “elo.zip” (the drivers for all of the operating systems are in this file). Type a destination folder to save the file in and press the “Save” button. The download will be very short.
5. Using Windows Explorer, go to the downloaded file and extract the compressed files into a folder of your choosing.
6. Go to the folder “Elo\Serial Controller” and then to the folder for your operating system.
 - If you are installing the DOS driver, click on “install.exe” and follow the instructions.
 - If you are installing one of the Windows drivers, click on “setup.exe” and follow the instructions.

If your computer doesn't have a web browser, open the CD in Windows Explorer and choose the “ELO.zip” file from the folder:

DRIVERS/Touchscreen

Copy it to a folder on your computer and follow steps 5 & 6 above.

4. Hardware

VGA Input Connector Pin Out

Signal Name	15-pin D-Shell (Female)
Red	1
Green	2
Blue	3
	4
GND-Digital	5
GND-Red return	6
GND-Green return	7
GND-Blue return	8
	9
GND-Digital	10
	11
	12
Hsync	13
Vsync	14
	15

Back Light Replacement Procedure

After 50,000 hours of use, the two lamps used for LCD back lighting may become dim or burn out. You may return the monitor to Xycom for lamp replacement or you can order new lamps and follow the procedure below to install them. You can perform the lamp replacement procedure without removing the monitor from the NEMA enclosure where it is mounted, but you should do this only in a clean environment. Otherwise, the procedure is better performed at a service bench.

1. TURN THE MONITOR POWER OFF AND DISCONNECT THE LINE CORD
2. Loosen the four thumbscrews that hold the back of the monitor on.
3. Separate the two halves of the monitor. If the unit is equipped with a touchscreen, you will have to disconnect its cable.
4. The lamps are mounted in small plastic carriers that slide in the right side of the LCD display at the top and bottom edges.
5. Note their orientation and then unplug the two sets of lamp wires (3" pink and white silicone wires) from the nearby inverter.
6. Look in the hole where the lamp is presently installed and note the small black locking tab on the front side of each hole. With a small slotted screwdriver, depress the tab while carefully pulling on the wires and slide the lamps outward. Discard the old lamps.
7. Carefully slide the new lamps fully into place noting the top lamp has a small triangle molded in the end where the wires protrude. Similar triangles are stamped in the LCD sheet metal near the top hole.

8. Reconnect the lamp wires to the inverter. These are keyed connectors permitting insertion in only one orientation.
9. You may now want to clean the LCD and the inside of the monitor window or touchscreen with a slightly damp soft cloth.
10. Carefully reunite the two monitor halves remembering to reconnect the touchscreen cable if the unit is so equipped.
11. The lamp replacement procedure is now complete.

Appendix A – Technical Support

Reaching Technical Support

Xycom Automation Technical Support offers a variety of support options to answer any questions on Xycom Automation products and their implementation.

Refer to the relevant chapter(s) in your documentation for a possible solution to any problem you may have with your system. If you find it necessary to contact Technical Support for assistance, please have the following information at your fingertips:

1. Serial number and model number.
2. The operating system type and version (i.e., Microsoft Windows NT version 4.0).
3. Exact wording of system error messages encountered.
4. Any relevant output listing from the Microsoft Diagnostic utility (MSD) or other diagnostic applications.
5. Details of attempts made to rectify the problem(s) and results.
6. The log number assigned from Xycom Automation Technical Support if this is an ongoing problem.
7. The name of the Technical Support Engineer with whom you last spoke, if known.

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