The Excel 500/600 is a freely programmable control and monitoring system specifically designed for building management. Using the latest Direct Digital Control (DDC) technology, the modular design of the Excel 500/600 is particularly well suited for use in medium-sized buildings such as schools, hotels, offices, shopping centers, and hospitals.

In addition to control applications for heating, ventilation, and air conditioning (HVAC), the Excel 500/600 also performs a wide range of energy management functions, including optimum start/stop, night purge, and maximum load demand. Up to four Building Supervisors can be connected via the system bus.

The Excel 500 controller has a LONWORKS® bus interface, allowing interoperability with a wide range of Honeywell and third-party controllers and devices. Up to 512 LONWORKS network variables can be mapped to data points. A modem or ISDN terminal adapter can be connected for communication via the public telephone network. Connection to a Siemens M20 Terminal allows wireless communication via the 900 MHz GSM network. Excel 600 requires an XDM506 for stand-alone modem communication.

The modular design enables the system to be expanded to meet growing needs. The data point user addresses and plain language descriptors are stored in the controller and are therefore available for viewing locally at an external interface without the need of a central PC.

### FEATURES

- Various state-of-the-art communication options:
  - Open LONWORKS® bus (Excel 500, only) or C-bus (Excel 500/600) communication; modem or ISDN terminal adapter at up to 38.4 Kbaud (Excel 500, only); dial-up through TCP/IP networks
  - Maximum of 5 housings per Excel 500/600 control system with up to 16 I/O modules
  - 128 physical data points and 256 pseudo points per Excel 500/600 controller (C-bus communication)
  - Use with both internal, plug-in I/O modules, and Distributed I/O modules via LONWORKS bus (Excel 500, only)
  - Unique features in open LONWORKS networks: NV-Booster® reduces the number of required NVs and thus also the number of required controllers; NV bindings can be restored after controller reset (and thus need not be redone after exchanging controllers); 512 NVs supported for LONWORKS integration; autobinding with Honeywell Distributed I/O modules, Smart I/O modules and 3rd party LonWorks® devices makes NV binding unnecessary, thus saving considerable engineering time
  - Easy-to-use controls and six-line LCD display
  - Front door or control panel mounting with DIN-rail
  - Wireless communication via GSM (Excel 500, only)
  - Applications programmable with Honeywell’s CARE programming tool and downloadable into Flash EPROM (Excel 500, only)
  - Enhanced controller functions including: alarm, trend and global broadcast hysteresis, network-wide time synchronization, firmware downloading via modem and C-Bus

### Table 1. Modules for the Excel 500/600 System

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<td>Computer module Excel 500 (required for Distributed I/O); UL916 and UL864-approved</td>
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<td>X5210C</td>
<td>Large RAM version of Excel 500</td>
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<td>X6010</td>
<td>Computer module Excel 600</td>
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<td>XP502</td>
<td>Power supply module</td>
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<td>C-bus communication submodules (XL600, only)</td>
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<td>XDM506</td>
<td>Modem communication submodule (XL600, only)</td>
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DESCRIPTION

The Excel 500/600 System is part of the EXCEL 5000 family of controllers. The Excel 500/600 System is freely programmable and can be used as a stand-alone controller or as part of a network of up to 30 controllers connected via a C-bus (9.6 Kbaud up to 76.8 Kbaud). The Excel 500/600 System provides energy management and control functions via internal plug-in I/O modules in the unit housing as well as via a 2-wire LonWorks bus interface (Excel 500, only) to Honeywell Distributed I/O modules or Smart I/O modules.

The Excel 500/600 housing has four slots for plug-in modules (see Table 1). The primary unit consists of a CPU module (Excel 500 uses XC5010C, Excel 600 uses XC6010 for special high-performance requirements), a power supply module (XP502), and two additional I/O modules. Up to four more Excel 500/600 housings (without CPU and Power Supply module) can be connected in series providing slots for additional modules. An Excel 500/600 System can consist of up to 16 I/O modules (total number of plug-in and Distributed I/O modules (Excel 500, only)) with up to 128 inputs and outputs. A maximum of ten modules of the same type are allowed per system. In addition, the Excel 500 can communicate with any LonWorks product. Up to 512 LonWorks NVs can be mapped to data point.

There are two sources for Excel 500/600 program applications:

1. The controller is shipped with a wide range of standard functions permanently stored in EPROM. By selecting applications from these applications, the user program is assembled. No further programming is necessary.
2. Using Honeywell’s Windows-based CARE programming tool, standard HVAC technology applications can be freely programmed, as needed.
3. The user program is then automatically generated based on the graphically designed schematic diagram, instrumentation, and control strategies.

SPECIFICATIONS

Electrical

Operating voltage
24 Vac, ± 20%

Power consumption
max. 40 VA (max. 30 W)

Memory buffer
XC5010C: gold capacitor buffer for 72 hours
XC6010: Lithium battery 3 V, (e.g. Varta CR ½ AA-3V)
RAM buffer for approx. 1 month.

Application security on power failure
Complete backup of total system for 15 min., UPS.
Optional XAPU 24-2F.

Overvoltage protection
All inputs and outputs are protected against 24 Vac and 40 Vdc overvoltage as well as short-circuiting.

Environmental

Ambient temperature
Operation: 32 to 122°F (0 to 50°C)
Storage: -4 to 158°F (-20 to 70°C)

Ambient humidity (operation and storage)
5 to 93% r.h. noncondensing

Mechanical

Housing dimensions (H x W x D)
5-5/8 x 7-1/2 x 7-3/8 in.
(144 x 192 x 188 mm)

Housing material
Plastic, flame-retardant

Mounting methods
Panel (with DIN-rail) or front door

Calculated lifetime of weakest components
MTBF ≥ 60 years (for typical Excel 500 applications)

Protection class
IP 30

Communication

C-Bus
The C-bus transmits data between the EXCEL 5000® System controllers, devices, and building supervisors at 9.6 Kbaud up to 76.8 Kbaud. The maximum C-bus network length is 1,200 m (3,900 ft) or 15,700 ft. (4,800 m) using the XD507 or XD509 repeaters.

There is a maximum number of 30 controllers or devices per C-bus. See Excel 100/500/600 Installation Instructions (EN1R-1047GE51) for wiring details.

LonWorks Bus (Excel 500, only)
The Excel 500 uses an FTT-10A Free Topology Transceiver, transmitting data at 78 Kbaud using LonTalk® protocol.

Cable length from 1,050 to 7,200 ft. (320 to 2,200 m). See Excel 100/500/600 Installation Instructions (EN1R-1047GE51) for wiring details.

Modem (Excel 500, only)
A modem or ISDN terminal adapter can be connected to the serial port for dial-up access at a transmission rate of up to 38.4 Kbaud. A Siemens M20 Terminal can be connected to allow wireless communication via GSM.
INTERNAL MODULES

Computer Module XC5010C / XC5210C
- Toshiba TMP93CS41F 16-bit microprocessor
- 1.28 MB total memory; 2x512 KB Flash EPROM for operating system and applications; 2x128 KB RAM
  **XC5210C, only:** 1x128 KB plus 1x512 KB RAM
- Six operating status LEDs
- RS 232 port for MMI, modem or ISDN terminal adapter.
- RS 485 port for C-bus
- Coding pin (pin 8)
- Gold capacitor for data buffer
- Reset button
- Watchdog function
- Neuron® chip 3120
- LONWORKS service button and LED
- Firmware download

Computer Module XC6010
- Intel® i960 32-bit microprocessor
- 1.536 MB total memory
  - 2x512 KB EPROM
  - 4x128 KB RAM
  - 1x256 KB Flash EPROM
- Six operating status LEDs
- RS 232 port for attachment of operator interface
- RS port for C-bus
- Coding pin (pin 8)
- Buffer battery providing 30-day data
- Reset button
- Watchdog function

Power Supply Module XP502
- Provides low voltage to modules via internal bus
- Can be connected to UPS device XAPU 24-2F
- Three operating status LEDs
- Coding pin (pin 6)
- Watchdog function

Analog Input Module XF521A/526
- Eight analog inputs (AI1 - AI8)
  - 0 to 10 Vdc
  - 0 to 20 mA (via external 500-ohm resistor)
  - 4 to 20 mA (via external 500-ohm resistor)
  - NTC 20k ohm and PT 1000 (-50°C to +150°C)
  **XF526, only:**
  - PT 1000 (0°C to +400°C), PT 3000, PT 100, Balco 500
  - Protected inputs up to 40 Vdc / 24 Vac
  - 12-bit resolution
  - 1 sec (XC5010C) or 250 ms (XC6010) CPU polling time
- Coding pin (pin 7)
Analog Output Module XF522A/527
- Eight outputs (AO1 - AO8), short-circuit proof
- Signal levels 0 to 10 Vdc
  - Umax. = 11 Vdc
  - Imax = +1 mA, -1 mA
- Protected outputs up to 40 Vdc / 24 Vac
- 8-bit resolution
- Zero point < 200 mV
- Accuracy $\leq \pm 150$ mV deviation from output voltage
- One red LED per channel
  - light intensity proportional to output voltage
- Control updating every 1 sec (XC5010C) or 250 ms (XC6010) with CPU
- **XF522A, only**: manual override controls for five outputs

Digital Input Module XF523A
- Twelve inputs (DI1 - DI12), Ri = 15k ohm
  - inputs: 1 - 2, 3 - 12
  - max. freq.: 15 Hz, 0.4 Hz
  - min. pulse duration: 20 msec, 1.25 sec
  - min. pulse pause: 33 msec, 1.25 sec
  - max bounce time: 5 msec, 50 msec
- Switching conditions: OFF: $U_i \leq 2.5$ V, ON: $U_i \geq 5$ V
- Protected switching up to 40 Vdc / 24 Vac
- Coding pin (pin 9)
- One status LED per channel, invertible (NO/NC)
- 18 Vdc auxiliary voltage supply (unregulated)
- 1 sec (XC5010C) or 250 ms (XC6010) CPU polling time

Digital Output Module XF524A/529
- Five isolated change-over contacts and 1 NO contact
- Max. voltage $U_{max} = 240$ Vac per output
- Max. current $I_{max} = 4$ A per output
- 12-A total current per module
- Coding pin (pin 10)
- LED per channel
  - OFF: LED off
  - ON: LED illuminated (yellow)
- Cycle time 1 sec (XC5010C) or 250 ms (XC6010) with CPU
- **XF524A, only**: manual override switches for 5 outputs

Three Position Output Module XF525A
- Three three-position relays
- Max. load
  - 1.2 A at 24 Vac
  - 0.2 A at 240 Vac
- Coding pin (pin 12)
- Two LEDs per channel with manual override switches
  - L1 (green): servo motor closes
  - L2 (red): servo motor opens
  - L3 (green): servo motor closes
  - L4 (red): servo motor opens
  - L5 (green): servo motor closes
  - L6 (red): servo motor opens
- Cycle time 1 sec (XC5010C) or 250 ms (XC6010) with CPU
Module Locations

Each Excel 500/600 housing has four module slots numbered 1 through 4 from left to right. Table 2 indicates the possible slot positions for each module.

### Table 2. Slot positions for the various Excel 500/600 modules

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<td>XP502 first Excel 500 housing, slot 1</td>
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**OPERATOR INTERFACE XI581AH/XI582AH**

The XI581AH or XI582AH operator interface is the command and information center of the Excel 500/600 system. With them, data can be entered and displayed. Information such as current temperature values, control status, etc. can also be displayed. The menu-driven, six-line, backlit LCD graphic display with 34 characters per line, together with eight clearly marked keys, makes the device easy to use.

The operator interface is connected to the serial port at the front of the computer module. The XI582AH unit can be mounted on the front cover or up to 48 ft. (15 m) away from the controller. This can be extended to 328 ft. (100 m) using line drivers. A blank cover is also available.

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**OPERATOR AND SERVICE SOFTWARE EXCEL ONLINE (FORMERLY XI584)**

The PC-based Excel Online (formerly XI584) is the local intelligent operating and service software. It performs all the operating functions of the XI581AH/XI582AH as well as having the advantages of a PC. Not only can the Excel Online (formerly XI584) make major modifications such as changing setpoint values and time program switching points, it also offers all service and commissioning functions.

The Excel Online (formerly XI584) can be operated at five different access levels, three of which are password protected. A printer can be connected to the parallel interface of the Excel Online (formerly XI584) to log alarms and error messages. As with the XI582AH, the PC with the Excel Online (formerly XI584) operator and service software can be placed up to 15 meters from the computer module. Line drivers allow distances of up to 328 ft. (100 m).

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**PROGRAMMING**

The Excel 500 system includes a comprehensive software package specially designed to meet the requirements of application engineers. The easy-to-use, menu-driven software features the following functions:

- data point description
- time program
- alarm handling
- application program (DDC program)
- password protection
Data Point Description
Data points are the basis of the Excel 500 system. They contain system-specific information such as values, status, limit values, and default settings. The user has easy access to data points and the information they contain. The user can recall and modify information in the data points.

Time Program
The time program can be used to enter the setpoint or status at any time for any data point. The following time programs are available:
- daily program
- weekly program
- annual program
- TODAY function
- special day list

Daily programs are used to create a weekly program. The annual program is created automatically by multiplying the weekly program and then incorporating daily programs. The TODAY function allows direct changes to the switching program. It allows you to allocate a setpoint or status to the selected data point for a defined period of time.

Alarm Handling
The alarm handling facility offers system security. Alarm signals can, for example, alert the operator to scheduled maintenance work. All alarms that occur are stored in data files and reported immediately. If your system configuration allows, you can also list alarms on a printer or transmit alarms to higher level devices.

There are two types of alarms, critical and non-critical. Critical alarms (e.g. system alarms caused by a fault in the controller) have priority over non-critical alarms. To distinguish between alarm types, you can generate your own alarm messages or use pre-programmed system messages. The following events all generate alarm messages:
- exceeding limit values
- overdue maintenance work
- totalizer readings
- digital data point changes of state

Application Program (DDC program)
You can use Honeywell’s CARE (Computer Aided Regulation Engineering) programming tool to create application programs for your system. A particular advantage offered by CARE is the ability to create a fully functional control program without having to be familiar with the programming language.

Password Protection
The control system is also protected by passwords. This ensures that only authorized persons have access to system data. There are four operator levels, each protected by its own password.

Operator level 1: Read only. The operator can display information about setpoints, switching points, and operating hours.

Operator level 2: Read and make limited changes. The operator can display system information and modify certain pre-set values.

Operator level 3: Read and make changes. System information can be displayed and modified.

Operator level 4: Programming can be carried out.

Trending
The Excel 500 system provides controller-based trending. This feature allows historical values to be stored in the controller. Both time-based or value-hysteresis-based trending are possible.

ACCESSORIES
Table 3 lists the accessories available for the Excel 500/600.

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<td>XS563</td>
<td>socket for wall mounting</td>
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<td>socket for panel mounting</td>
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<td>XH561</td>
<td>housing (empty, without socket)</td>
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<td>XH562H</td>
<td>blank cover</td>
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<tr>
<td>XI581AH</td>
<td>operator interface, controller cover</td>
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<tr>
<td>XI582AH</td>
<td>operator interface, desktop/wall mounted</td>
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<td>XW568</td>
<td>80mm cable, horiz. housing connection, only</td>
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<td>330mm cable, vert. housing connection, only</td>
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<td>cable to XI582</td>
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<td>cable to XI584 (5 m, XC5010C)</td>
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DISTRIBUTED I/O MODULES
See the Distributed I/O Product Data sheet, EN0B-0090GE51.