



■ Transportation Solutions

Train Line Modem

For high speed ethernet connections via train couplers and existing cabling

Train Line Modem TLM

Key Features



The Train Line Modem (TLM) is used for the transmission of Ethernet network data in railway vehicles over existing wires. The signals between the TLMs are modulated on existing wires. Developed specifically for use in railway applications.

- Encrypted communication 128-bit AES encryption (Advanced Encryption Standard) between the TLMs, this offers a high level of security.
- Application-optimized transmission profiles, the TLM can be adapted to any environment to enable maximum Ethernet transmission speed.
- Depending on the transmission profile, speeds of up to 1 Gbit/s can be achieved.
- Easy installation through plug-and-play. Device-specific settings and information can be easily made by using using the TLM configuration tool.
- The TLM has a wide-range power supply from 24 V to 110 V, but can also be supplied via PoE as an alternative.
- The optional heartbeat enables cyclical monitoring of diagnostic data via the Ethernet interface.
- Developed specifically for railway vehicle applications, the TLM complies with all current standards (FCC, EN 50155, EMV06, EN 45545, EN 50657) and regulations and can also be used in railway vehicles worldwide.

Technical details



The Train Line Modem (TLM) is a device for the transmission of Ethernet data network data in railway vehicles over existing cables. The TLM transmits UDP packets with a maximum bandwidth up to 1 GBit/s. The data transmission is secured by 128-bit AES encryption. When transmitting via the coupling.

Ethernet

Properties IEEE 802.3	IEEE 802.3x IEEE 802.3u 128-Bit-AES (Advanced Encryption Standard)
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Data rate Up to 1 GBit/s (depending on variant)

Modulation G.hn

Voltage range

Rated voltage DC 24 – 110 V

Voltage range DC 16.8 – 137,5 V

Current Consumption 160 mA @ 24 V

50 mA @ 72 V

34 mA @ 110 V

Technical data

Protection device Overvoltage protection (X2)
Short-Circuit protection (X1, X2)

Frequency range 2 - 200 MHz

Range The range depends on the transmission behavior of the cable, the cable length, as well as of coupled faults in the transmission line. The maximum range is 300 m.

Status indication Power, LED yellow
Modul ON, LED yellow
Ethernet-Link/Act, LED green
TL-Link/Act, LED green

Connection type X1: M12 X-coded Ethernet connector (female)
X2: Sub-D 9 pole male connector for Train Line (male)
X3: M12 A-coded Power Supply connector (male)

General

Dimensions (w x h x d) 50.5 mm x 128.5 mm x 184.0 mm (flange & plug-in without F48)
50.5 mm x 128.5 mm x 190.0 mm (plug-in with F48)

Weight/unit 0.5 kg

Housing material Aluminum

Standards/Certifications

Standards **EN 50155:2021:** Railway applications – Rolling stock – Electronic equipment
EN 50121-3-2:2016+A1:2019: Railway applications – Electromagnetic compatibility – Part 3-2: Rolling stock – Apparatus
EN 50124-1:2017: Railway applications – Insulation coordination – Part 1: Basic requirements – Clearances and creepage distances for all electrical and electronic equipment
EN 50657:2017: Basic Integrity (Application development)
EN 61373:1999: Railway applications – Rolling stock equipment – Shock and vibration tests
EN 61373:2010: Railway applications – Rolling stock equipment – Shock and vibration tests Regulation No. EMC 06: Technical Rules on Electromagnetic Compatibility - Verification of radio compatibility of rail vehicles with railroad radio services
EN 45545-2:2020: Railway applications – Fire protection on railway vehicles – Part 2: Requirements for fire behaviour of materials and components.
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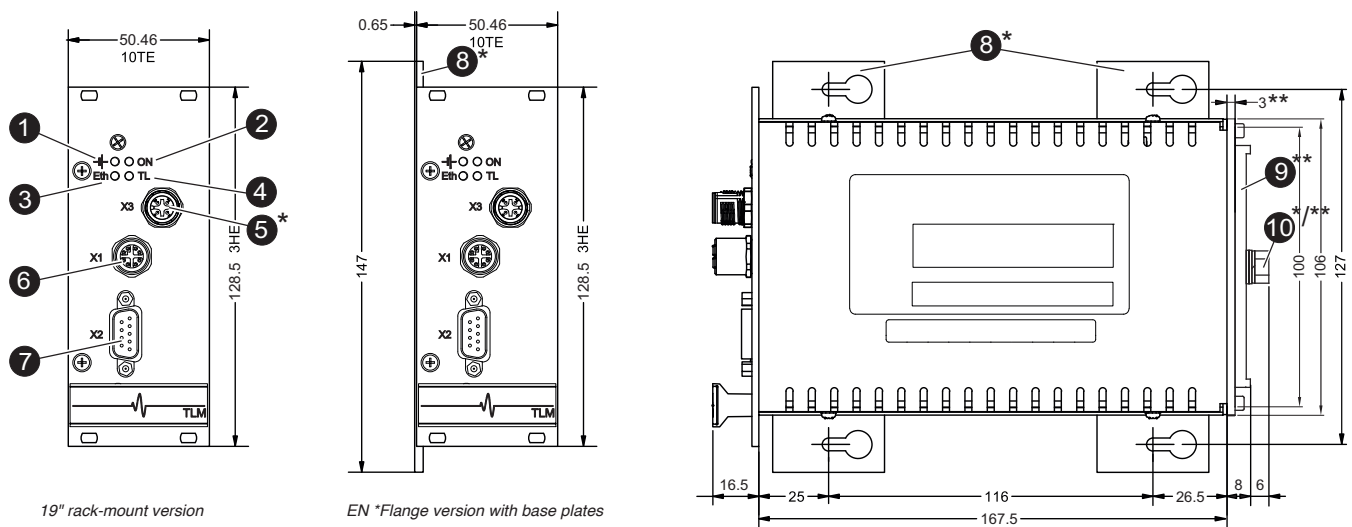
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Product Overview

TLM-10		TLM-X	
Part-No.	Type	Part-No.	Type
806610	TLM-10 10TE DC 24-110V FM	806110	TLM-X DC 24-110V FM
806611	TLM-10 10TE DC 24-110V FM PB	806112	TLM-X FM PoE
806600	TLM-10 10TE DC 24-110V PI		
806601	TLM-10 10TE DC 24-110V PI PB		
806710	TLM-10 10TE DC 24-110V FM PoE		

The TLM-X uses a robust transmission method that is ideally suited for retrofit projects with older, partially unshielded cabling. Its strengths are particularly evident in environments with electromagnetic interference (EMI) as well as in sensitive contact and coupling transitions. Under these conditions, the TLM-X enables a stable Ethernet connection with speeds up to 860 Mbps between train units. In contrast, the TLM-10 relies on a transmission method that can fully exploit its advantages in technically higher-quality infrastructure, allowing for bandwidths of up to 1 Gbps. Both Train Line Modems support the use of video technology, infotainment, operator terminals, passenger counting systems, LCD/TFT displays, Wi-Fi modules, GPS and mobile applications, as well as the reservation system on an Ethernet network basis.

Dimensions



PIN Assignment

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| 1 | Status LED: Power, yellow |
| 2 | Status LED: ON, yellow |
| 3 | Status LED: Ethernet-Link/Act, green |
| 4 | Status LED: TL-Link/Act, green |
| 5 | X3: M12 A-coded (Power supply), male* |
| 6 | X1: M12 X-coded (Ethernet), female |
| 7 | X2: Sub-D 9 pole male connector for 2-wire connection (for Train Line) |
| 8 | base plates (only flange version*) |
| 9 | F48 male connector (DIN 41612)** |
| 10 | M6 grounding bolt **/** |

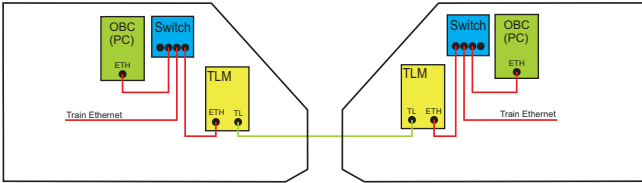
* Flange version

** Band pass version

Sample Configurations

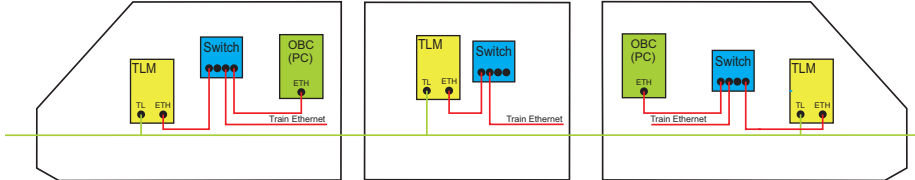
Discover the versatile application possibilities of our innovative solutions! The use of video, infotainment, control terminals, passenger counting systems, LCD/TFT displays, WLAN modules, and much more in rail vehicles can be effortlessly implemented on an Ethernet network basis. The TLM acts like a cable and ensures a transparent connection for all participants. This keeps the data traffic uninterrupted, making the retrofitting of Ethernet in existing vehicles both simple and straightforward. This allows the advantages of modern technologies to be integrated into rail vehicles, enhancing both comfort and efficiency. A variety of application cases are conceivable. Below, we will present three common examples:

Example 1 - Direct transmission via coupling



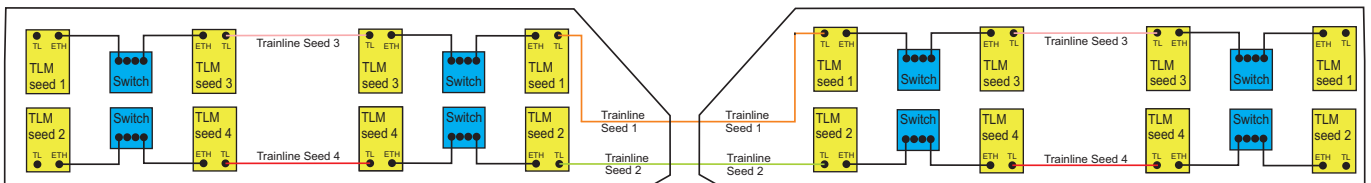
In this example, TLMs are used for efficient communication between vehicles. The vehicle already has integrated Ethernet communication, which is to be expanded throughout the entire vehicle. However, since there is no additional space available at the coupling, TLMs provide an ideal solution. By using a TLM at each vehicle head, a continuous Ethernet connection can be established throughout the entire vehicle network. This ensures seamless communication and optimized functionality within the vehicle.

Example 2 - TLM inside the vehicle



In long vehicle configurations, the TLM can utilize a line that is already present throughout the entire train. This allows the Ethernet connection to be flexibly expanded at specific points with additional network participants, without the need for labor-intensive new cabling to be installed. Future retrofitting is also easily possible.

Example 3 - Redundant system via coupling and within the vehicle



In this example, a possible redundant configuration for a system can be seen. Here, two TLM pairs are connected near the coupling to ensure fast and reliable data transmission between the two cars. Additionally, two more TLM pairs were installed within the train, allowing the entire vehicle to be equipped without the need to lay new Ethernet cables. Thanks to special configuration options, the cables can be placed closely together without interfering with each other. Depending on the size of the car and specific conditions, this configuration can also be realized with fewer modules.

Many other application examples are possible and conceivable. Our LÜTZE engineers accompany you from the first concept, through the measurements on your vehicle, to the creation of the configuration, and are happy to provide support and maintenance.

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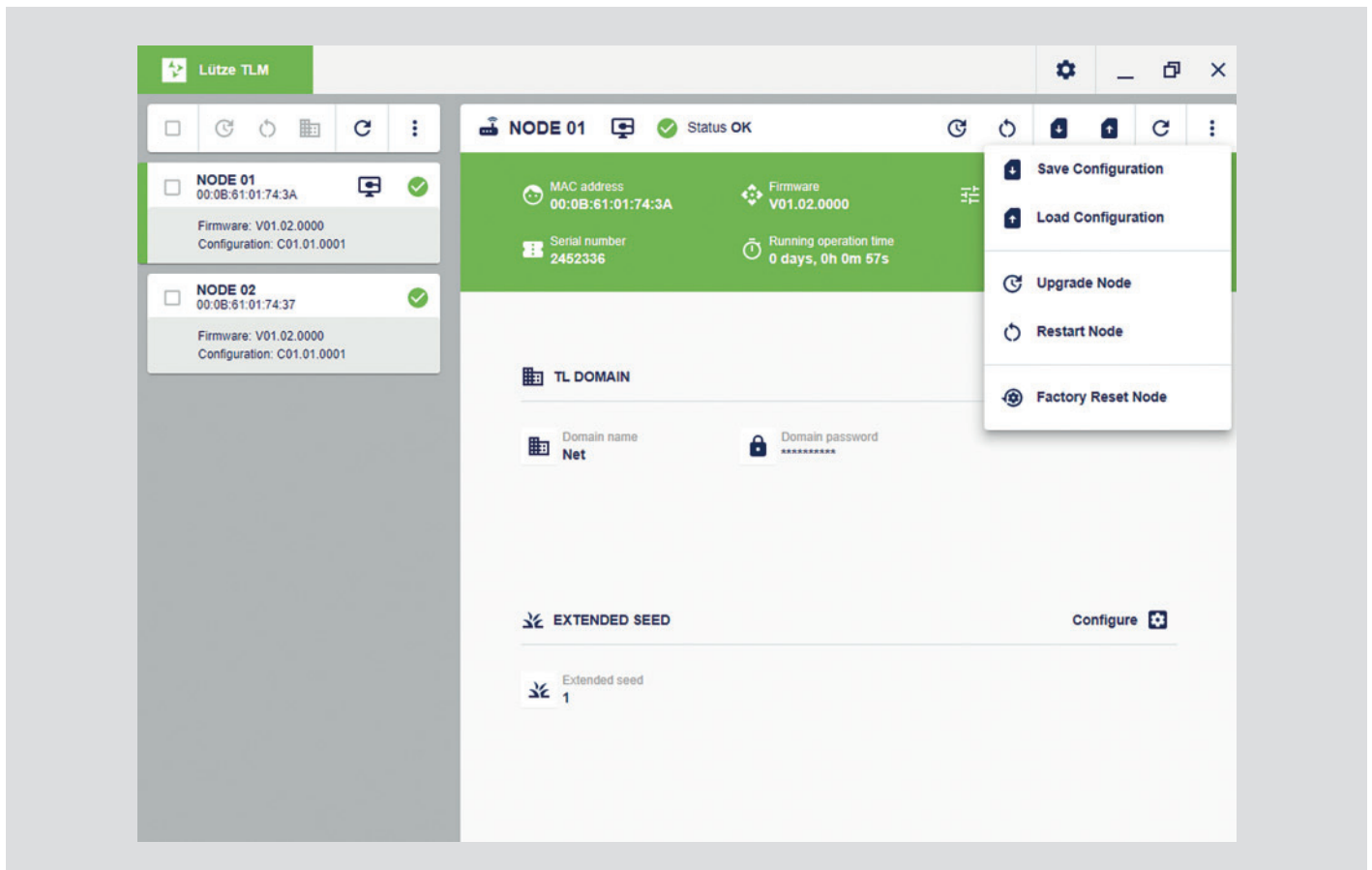
TLM Configuration Tool

The TLM Configuration Tool from LÜTZE is used to configure the Train Line Modem, which is designed for secure Ethernet communication in rail vehicles. The tool provides functions for configuring and managing the TLM, as well as diagnostic information and the ability to perform updates. It supports commissioning to ensure reliable data communication in existing and already deployed rail vehicles.

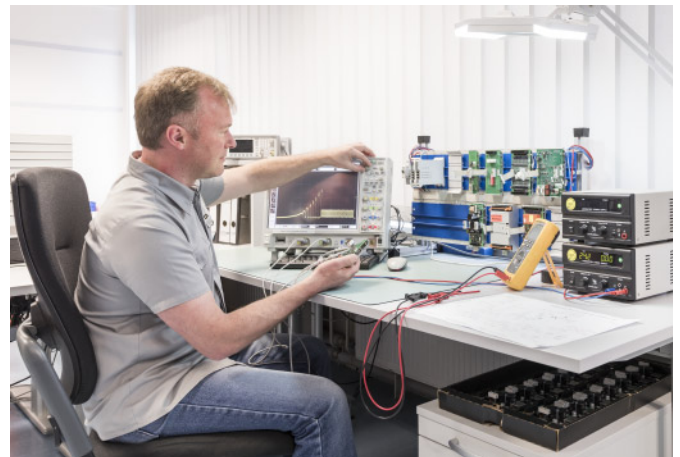
In the TLM Config Tool, you can configure the following settings for your own use:

Network settings

- Seeds for parallel networks
- Configuring the heartbeat
- Backing up and loading your own configurations
- Updating a single or multiple TLMs



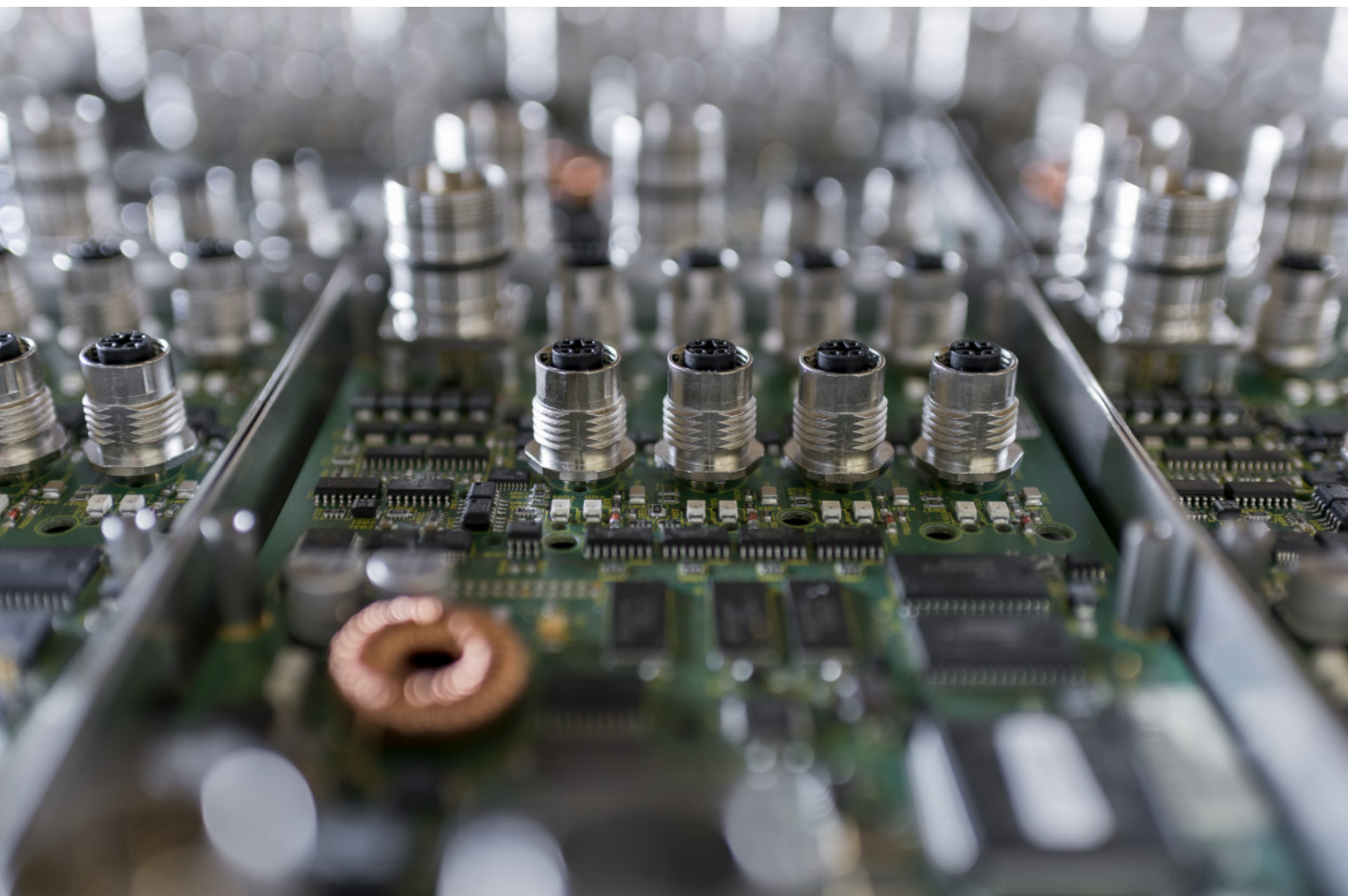
Railway Technology Competence



LÜTZE has been developing and manufacturing electrical components for rail vehicles for over 35 years. Our extensive product range of standard components carries out many automation tasks in the most diverse vehicle applications.

Are you still looking for the appropriate product adapted to suit your specific application?

Get in touch with us. Our developers help you to find the best solution for your product, including the specification and design for the application on the vehicle, regardless of whether you need components for your control technology, interface components or optical and acoustic signals.



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