

# CompactRIO High-Performance Real-Time Controllers

## NI cRIO-9012, NI cRIO-9014 **NEW!**

- Small and rugged embedded real-time controllers
- Execution target for NI LabVIEW Real-Time applications
- Reliable and deterministic operation for stand-alone control, monitoring, and logging
- 400 MHz Freescale MPC5200 real-time processor
- -40 to 70 °C operating temperature range

### Operating System

- LabVIEW Real-Time (VxWorks)

### Driver Software

- NI-RIO for reconfigurable embedded systems



Product	DRAM Memory (MB)	Internal Nonvolatile Storage (MB)	10/100BaseT/TX Ethernet Port	RS232 Serial Port	USB Port	LEDs	DIP Switches	Power Supply Input Range	Power Consumption	Backup Power Input	Remote Panel Web Server	FTP Server
cRIO-9012	64	128	✓	✓	✓	4	5	9 to 35 VDC	6 W max	✓	✓	✓
cRIO-9014	128	2000	✓	✓	✓	4	5	9 to 35 VDC	6 W max	✓	✓	✓

## Overview and Applications

The National Instruments cRIO-901x controllers feature an industrial 400 MHz Freescale MPC5200 real-time processor for deterministic and reliable real-time applications. Both embedded controllers are designed for extreme ruggedness, reliability, and low power consumption with dual 9 to 35 VDC supply inputs that deliver isolated power to the CompactRIO chassis/modules and a -40 to 70 °C operating temperature range. The cRIO-901x controllers accept 9 to 35 VDC power supply inputs on power-up and 6 to 35 VDC power supply inputs during operation, so they can function for long periods of time in remote applications using a battery or solar power.

With the 10/100 Mb/s Ethernet and serial ports, you can communicate via TCP/IP, UDP, Modbus/TCP, and serial protocols. The cRIO-901x controllers also feature built-in Web (HTTP) and file (FTP) servers. For additional storage capability, cRIO-901x controllers have a full-speed USB host port to which you can connect external USB-based storage media (flash drives and hard drives) for embedded logging applications requiring additional storage. Also, there is a fault-tolerant file system embedded in cRIO-901x controllers that provides increased reliability for data logging.

CompactRIO real-time controllers connect to any 4 or 8-slot cRIO-910x reconfigurable chassis. The embedded FPGA in the chassis controls each I/O module and passes data to the controller through a local PCI bus using built-in communications functions.

## Embedded Software

The cRIO-901x controllers run the National Instruments LabVIEW Real-Time Module on the Wind River VxWorks real-time operating system (RTOS) for extreme reliability and determinism. You can now use the leading VxWorks RTOS technology to quickly design, prototype, and deploy a customizable COTS embedded system using NI LabVIEW graphical programming tools.

### Ordering Information

NI cRIO-9012 .....	779563-01
NI cRIO-9014 .....	779564-01

### Accessories

NI 9978 (4-pos screw-terminal power supply plugs, quantity 5).....	196938-01
NI 9979 (strain relief kit for 4-pos power connector) .....	196939-01

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For complete product specifications, pricing, and accessory information, call 800 813 3693 (U.S.) or go to [ni.com/compactrio](http://ni.com/compactrio).



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## Specifications

### Minimum Software Support Information

CompactRIO Real-Time Controller	Minimum Version of LabVIEW Real-Time Module	Minimum Version of NI-RIO Driver
cRIO-9012	8.2	2.1
cRIO-9014	8.2.1	2.1.3

Specifications subject to change without notice. The following specifications are typical for the range -40 to 70 °C unless otherwise noted.

### Network

Network interface .....	10BaseT and 100BaseTX Ethernet
Compatibility .....	IEEE 802.3
Communication rates .....	10 Mb/s, 100 Mb/s, autonegotiated
Maximum cabling distance.....	100 m/segment

### SMB Connector

#### Output Characteristics

Logic high .....	3.3 V
Logic low .....	0 V
Driver type .....	CMOS
Sink/source current.....	±50 mA
3-state output leakage current.....	±5 µA

#### Input Characteristics

Minimum input level.....	-500 mV
Maximum input low level .....	990 mV
Minimum input high level.....	2.31 V
Maximum input level .....	5.5 V
Input capacitance.....	2.5 pF
Resistive strapping .....	1 kΩ to 3.3 V

### USB Port

Maximum data rate .....	12 Mb/s
Maximum current.....	500 mA

CompactRIO Real-Time Controller	Nonvolatile Storage	DRAM
cRIO-9012	128 MB	64 MB
cRIO-9014	2 GB	128 MB

### Memory

Use the following formula to determine the minimum life span in years of the nonvolatile storage of your cRIO-901x controller:

$$\text{Minimum life span in years} = \frac{\text{Amount of memory in controller (MB)} \times 100,000 / 365 \text{ days}}{\text{file size (MB)} \times \text{write rate (per day)}}$$

### Power Requirements

**Caution:** You must use a National Electric Code (NEC) UL Listed Class 2 power supply with cRIO-901x controllers.

Recommended power supply.....	48 W secondary, 18 to 24 VDC
Power consumption	
Controller only .....	6 W
Controller supplying power to eight CompactRIO modules.....	20 W
Power supply	
On power-up .....	9 to 35 V
After power-up .....	6 to 35 V

**Note:** The cRIO-901x controllers are guaranteed to power up when 9 V is applied to V and C. After power-up, it can operate on as little as 6 V.

### Physical Characteristics

If you need to clean the controller, wipe it with a dry towel.	
Screw-terminal wiring .....	12 to 24 AWG copper conductor wire with 10 mm (0.39 in.) of insulation stripped from the end
Torque for screw terminals.....	0.5 to 0.6 N · m (4.4 to 5.3 lb · in.)
Weight.....	Approx. 488 g (17.2 oz)

### Safety Voltages

Connect only voltages that are within these limits.	
V-to-C .....	35 V max, Measurement Category I

Measurement Category I is for measurements performed on circuits not directly connected to the electrical distribution system referred to as MAINS voltage. MAINS is a hazardous live electrical supply system that powers equipment. This category is for measurements of voltages from specially protected secondary circuits. Such voltage measurements include signal levels, special equipment, limited-energy parts of equipment, circuits powered by regulated low-voltage sources, and electronics.

**Caution:** Do not connect to signals or use for measurements within measurement categories II, III, or IV.

### Safety Standards

This product is designed to meet the requirements of the following standards of safety for electrical equipment for measurement, control, and laboratory use:

- IEC 61010-1, EN 61010-1
- UL 61010-1, CSA 61010-1

**Note:** For UL and other safety certifications, refer to the product label or visit [ni.com/certification](http://ni.com/certification), search by model number or product line, and click the appropriate link in the Certification column.

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## Electromagnetic Compatibility

This product is designed to meet the requirements of the following standards of EMC for electrical equipment for measurement, control, and laboratory use:

- EN 61326 EMC requirements; Industrial Immunity
- EN 55011 Emissions; Group 1, Class A
- CE, C-Tick, ICES, and FCC Part 15 Emissions; Class A

**Note:** For EMC compliance, operate this device according to product documentation.

## CE Compliance

This product meets the essential requirements of applicable European Directives, as amended for CE marking, as follows:

- 73/23/EEC; Low-Voltage Directive (safety)
- 89/336/EEC; Electromagnetic Compatibility Directive (EMC)

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## Hazardous Locations

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Canada (C-UL).....	Class I, Division 2, Groups A, B, C, D, T4; Class I, Zone 2, Ex nA II T4
Europe (DEMKO) .....	EEx nA II T4

## Environmental

The cRIO-901x controllers are intended for indoor use only. For outdoor use, mount the CompactRIO system in a suitably rated enclosure.

Operating temperature ..... -40 to 70 °C (meets IEC 60068-2-1, IEC 60068-2-2)

**Note:** To meet this operating temperature range, follow the guidelines in the installation instructions for your CompactRIO system.

Storage temperature..... -40 to 85 °C (meets IEC 60068-2-1, IEC 60068-2-2)

Ingress protection ..... IP 40

Operating humidity ..... 10 to 90% RH, noncondensing (meets IEC 60068-2-56)

Storage humidity..... 5 to 95% RH, noncondensing (meets IEC 60068-2-56)

Maximum altitude..... 2,000 m

Pollution degree ..... 2 (meets IEC 60664)

## Shock and Vibration

To meet these specifications, you must panel mount the CompactRIO system, affix ferrules to the ends of the terminal wires, and install a tie wrap on the USB cable for strain relief. You can use the tie wrap to attach the USB cable to the Ethernet cable.

Operating vibration, random..... 5 g<sub>rms</sub>, 10 to 500 Hz (meets IEC 60068-2-64)

Operating shock ..... 30 g, 11 ms half sine 50 g, 3 ms half sine, 18 shocks at 6 orientations (meets IEC 60068-2-27)

Operating vibration, sinusoidal..... 5 g, 10 to 500 Hz (meets IEC 60068-2-6)

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