

FPA-W44 M2M Gateway User's Manual





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1. Foreword

1.1 Copyright Notice

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1.2 Notes

Applicable notes are listed in the following table:

Sign	Notice Type	Description
	Notice	Important information and regulations
	Caution	Caution for latent damage to system or harm to personnel

1.3 Statement

It is recommended to read and comply with this manual before operating FPA-W44 and FPC-N54 which provides important guidance and helps decreasing the danger of injury, electric shock, fire, or any damage to the device.

1.4 Disclaimer

Sierra Monitor Corporation assumes no legal liability of accidents resulting from failure of conforming to

the safety instructions.

1.5 Limitation of Liability/Non-warranty

For direct or indirect damage to this device or other devices of Sierra Monitor Corporation caused by failure of conforming to this manual or the safety instructions on device label, Sierra Monitor Corporation assumes neither warranty nor legal liability even if the device is still under warranty.

The FPA-W44 and FPC-N54 should be installed, debugged and maintained by professional people.

The outside antennas are not permitted to be installed or to be changed by non-professional people. To run the device normally, only specify antennas are approved to be assembled together by professional people.

Unit shall be used with indoor-use antenna only. No antenna for this unit can be installed outdoor.

1.6 Safety Instructions

- ✧ Keep and comply with all operation instructions, warnings, and information.
- ✧ Pay attention to warnings on this device.
- ✧ Read the following precautions so as to decrease the danger of injury, electric shock, fire, or any damage to the device.

1.7 Precautions

- ✧ Pay attention to the product labels/safety instructions printed on silk screens.
- ✧ Do not try repairing this product unless declared in this manual.
- ✧ Keep away from heat source, such as heater, heat dissipater, or engine casing.
- ✧ Do not insert other items into the slot (if any) of this device.
 - Keep the ventilation slot ventilated for cooling.
 - System fault may arise if other items are inserted into this device.
- ✧ Installation: ensure correct installation according to instructions from the manufacturer with recommended installation tools.
- ✧ Ensure ventilation and smoothness according to relevant ventilation standard.

1.8 Safety Instructions for Power Cables and Accessories



Proper power source only

Start only with power source that satisfies voltage label and the voltage necessary according to this manual. Please contact technical support personnel of Sierra Monitor Corporation for any uncertainty about the requirements of necessary power source.



Use tested power source

This product still contains a button lithium battery as a real-time clock after its external power source is

removed and therefore should not be short-circuited during transportation or placed under high temperature.



Place cables properly:

Do not place cables at any place with extrusion danger.



Cleaning Instructions

- ✧ Please power off before cleaning the device.
- ✧ Do not use spray detergent.
- ✧ Clean with a damp cloth.
- ✧ Do not try cleaning exposed electronic components unless with a dust collector.
- ✧ Support for special fault: Power off and contact technical support personnel of Sierra Monitor Corporation in case of the following faults:
 - The device is damaged.
 - The temperature is excessively high.
 - Fault is still not solved after the operation according to the manual.

2. Overview

2.1 Introduction

Thank you for choosing Sierra Monitor Corporation. It is our commitment to provide our valued customers with the embedded devices equipped with the state-of-the-art technology and the best product services.

Sierra Monitor Corporation's M2M products are based on the most advanced ARM and Intel Atom processors and have low-power consumption and high integration. The products are designed for applications of M2M in industrials, financial, retail, vehicle, and transportations etc.

3. FPA-W44, Hardware Instructions

3.1 Product Appearance



Front Side View



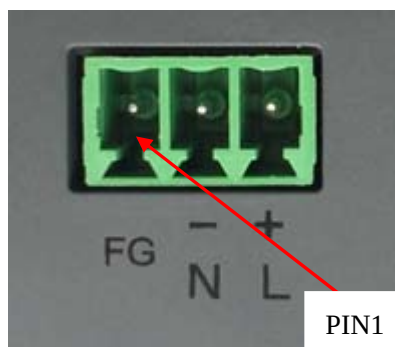
Right Side View



Left Side View

3.2 Interface Description

3.2.1 Power Interface

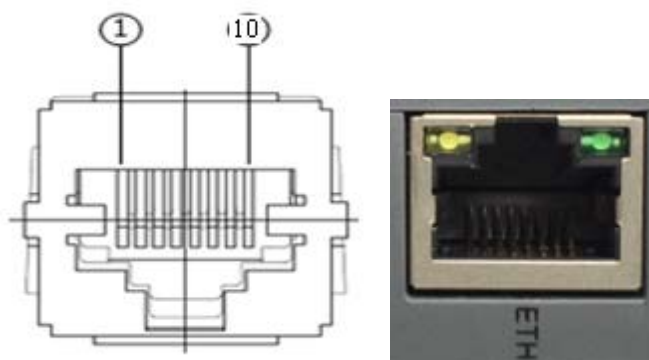


Power connector outlook

Pin	Description
1	Power input range DC9-36V or AC24V L
2	DC Ground or AC24V N
3	Shell ground

3.2.2 Ethernet Interface

Standard RJ45 interface, supporting 10M/100M Full/Half Duplex, this is a standard RJ45 Ethernet port



Pin	Description	Remarks
1	ETH_TX+	O
2	ETH_TX-	O
3	ETH_RX+	I
4	ETH_RX-	I
5	ETH_CT	
6	ETH_CT	
7	NC	
8	DGND	P
9	LEDG+	IO
10	LEDG-	IO
11	LEDG+	
12	LEDG-	

3.2.3 RS232 or RS485 Connector

Standard vertical 1x3x3.81mm male Terminal Block.



Pin	Description	Remarks
1	TXD1 or RS485_A	IO
2	RXD1 or RS485_B	IO
3	GND	

DIP Switch for select



Bit	Description	Single
1	ON: have matched resistance of 120 ohm OFF: have no	Term
2	ON: have pull up resister of 510 ohm OFF: have no	Bias-
3	ON: have pull down resister of 510 ohm OFF: have no	Bias+
4	ON: select RS232 OFF: select RS485	Select RS232 or RS485

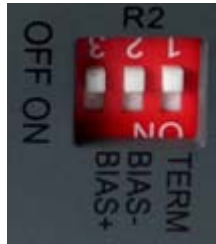
3.2.4 RS485 Connector

Standard vertical 1x3x3.81mm male Terminal Block.



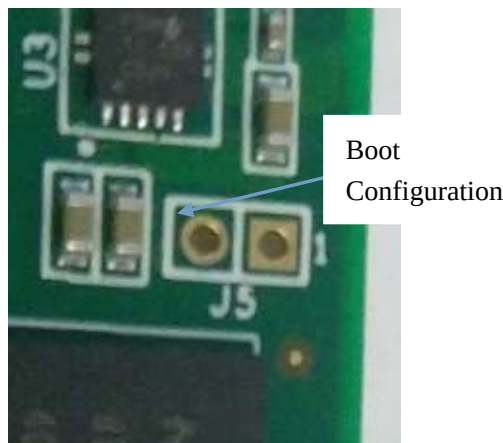
Pin	Description	Remarks
1	RS485_A	IO
2	RS485_B	IO
3	GND	

DIP Switch for select



Bit	Description	Single
1	ON: have matched resistance of 120 ohm OFF: have no	Term
2	ON: have pull up resister of 510 ohm OFF: have no	Bias-
3	ON: have pull down resister of 510 ohm OFF: have no	Bias+

3.2.5 Boot Configuration



SHORT: Boot from NAND
OPEN: Boot from SD/MMC

3.2.6 LED

PWR LED: lighting indicate system power Okay(main power up); OFF indicate system power turn off

ErrLED: User can define it.

SS LED: User can define it.

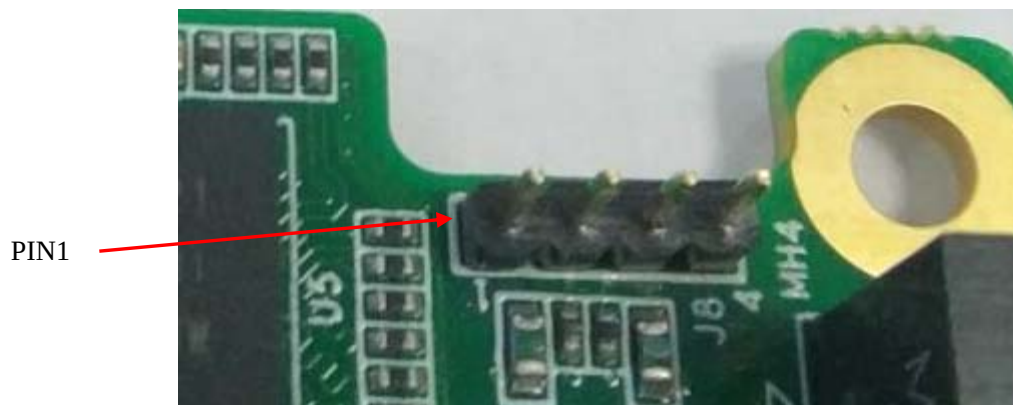
TX LED: when UART2 send data, TX1 can blink; when UART4 send data, TX2 can blink.

RX LED: when UART2 receive data, RX1 can blink; when UART4 receive data, RX2 can blink.



3.2.7 DEBUG

CONN, Pin header, 1x4x2.0, TH, User can show the debug message and use keyboard input debug command. It's TTL level, we need a Uart-debug board when we use it.



Pin	Description
1	3.3V
2	TTL_TXD
3	TTL_RXD
4	DGND

3.2.8 Renew button

Renew button: long press this button will restore the factory setting, the long press time can be setting by user



3.2.9 SD/MMC socket

This is standard SD card socket, user can save data on this storage.



4. Tips

Waste Disposal

It is recommended to disassemble the device before abandoning it in conformity with local regulations. Please ensure that the abandoned batteries are disposed according to local regulations on waste disposal. Do not throw batteries into fire (explosive) or put in common waste canister. Products or product packages with the sign of “explosive” should not be disposed like household waste but delivered to specialized electrical&electronic waste recycling/disposal center. Proper disposal of this sort of waste helps avoiding harm and adverse effect upon surroundings and people’s health. Please contact local organizations or recycling/disposal center for more recycling/disposal methods of related products.

Comply with the following safety tips:

Do not use in combustible and explosive environment

Keep away from combustible and explosive environment for fear of danger.

Keep away from all energized circuits.

Operators should not remove enclosure from the device. Only the group or person with factory certification is permitted to open the enclosure to adjust and replace the structure and components of the device. Do not change components unless the power cord is removed. In some cases, the device may still have residual voltage even if the power cord is removed. Therefore, it is a must to remove and fully discharge the device before contact so as to avoid injury.

Unauthorized changes to this product or its components are prohibited.

In the aim of avoiding accidents as far as possible, it is not allowed to replace the system or change components unless with permission and certification. Please contact the technical department of Sierra Monitor Corporation or local branches for help.

Pay attention to caution signs.

Caution signs in this manual remind of possible danger. Please comply with relevant safety tips below each sign. Meanwhile, you should strictly conform to all safety tips for operation environment.

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FCC Warning

This device complies with Part 15 of the FCC Rules. Operation is subject to the following two conditions:

This device may not cause harmful interference.

This device must accept any interference received, including interference that may cause undesired operation.

Note: This equipment has been tested and found to comply with the limits for a Class B digital device, pursuant to part 15 of the FCC Rules. These limits are designed to provide reasonable protection against harmful interference in a residential installation. This equipment generates, uses and can radiate radio frequency energy and, if not installed and used in accordance with the instructions, may cause harmful interference to radio communications. However, there is no guarantee that interference will not occur in a particular installation. If this equipment does cause harmful interference to radio or television reception, which can be determined by turning the equipment off and on, the user is encouraged to try to correct the interference by one or more of the following measures:

- Reorient or relocate the receiving antenna.
- Connect the equipment into an outlet on a circuit different from that to which the receiver is connected.
- Consult the dealer or an experienced radio/TV technician for help.

Any changes or modifications to this unit not expressly approved by the party responsible for compliance could void the user's authority to operate the equipment.



IC statement

Disclaimer:

This device complies with Industry Canada's licence-exempt RSSs. Operation is subject to the following two conditions:

- (1) This device may not cause interference, and
- (2) This device must accept any interference, including interference that may cause undesired operation of the device.

Warning! This class B digital apparatus complies with Canadian ICES-003.

Industry Canada ICES-003 Compliance Label:

CAN ICES-3 (B)/NMB-3(B)

Le présent appareil est conforme aux CNR d'Industrie Canada applicables aux appareils radio exempts.

L'exploitation est autorisée aux deux conditions suivantes :

- (1) l'appareil ne doit pas produire de brouillage, et*
- (2) l'utilisateur de l'appareil doit accepter tout brouillage radioélectrique subi, même si le brouillage est susceptible d'en compromettre le fonctionnement.*

This radio transmitter [IC: 21758-FPAW44] has been approved by Innovation, Science and Economic Development Canada to operate with the antenna types listed below, with the maximum permissible gain indicated. Antenna types not included in this list that have a gain greater than the maximum gain indicated for any type listed are strictly prohibited for use with this device.

No.	Antenna Type	Gain	Impedance
1	External uniqueness Antenna	3dBi	50ohm

**RF exposure warning**

This equipment must be installed and operated in accordance with provide instructions and the antenna used for this transmitter must be installed to provide a separation distance of at least 20 cm from all persons and must not be co-located or operation in conjunction with any other antenna or transmitter. End-users and installers must be provide with antenna installation instructions and transmitter operating conditions for satisfying RF exposure compliance.

Sierra Monitor Corporation, Model: FPA-W44, Product name: M2M Gateway, uses installable external antennas for WLAN wireless communication. The interface type of the antenna is male and on the devices the interface type to the corresponding SMA sockets is female. The manufacturer of the models is Sierra Monitor Corporation. The device must be professionally installed. Antennas to the devices can be swapped but the antenna must be provided by the manufacturer Sierra Monitor Corporation, for ensuring that the proper antennas are employed.

For product compliance test FCC and IC, all the technical documentation is submitted by the factory Chengdu Vantron Technology, Ltd., and Sierra Monitor Corporation is the customer or importer of the product FPA-W44 and FPC-N54.

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