TURBOchannel Options

User's Guide

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Using This Guide

This guide explains how to operate the TURBOchannel options that are in your system.

- Chapter 1, Using TURBOchannel Options, tells you what TURBOchannel options are and how they can be combined in a system.
- Each of the later chapters describes an individual option that your system has. Each chapter tells you
 - About the hardware for the option
 - How to install and remove the option
 - How to make sure that the option is operating properly

Conventions Used in This Guide

Table 1.

Convention	Use
Monospace type	Anything that appears on your monitor screen is set in monospace type like this.
Boldface type	Anything that you are asked to type is set in boldface type like this.

Using TURBOchannel Options

This chapter explains

- What TURBOchannel options are
- How TURBOchannel options connect to the base system of your workstation
- Where to find detailed installation and testing information about specific TURBOchannel options.

A Look at TURBOchannel Options

TURBOchannel options include TURBOchannel modules that connect to your base system and the devices that those modules support.

These options operate on any base system that supports TURBOchannel. The number of TURBOchannel modules that a system supports depends on the specific system.

TURBOchannel modules can have different widths, but all TURBOchannel modules have similar connectors that attach to TURBOchannel expansion slots on the system module or an intermediate module that connects to the system module. An opening in the wall of the system unit allows the TURBOchannel module to connect to an external device.

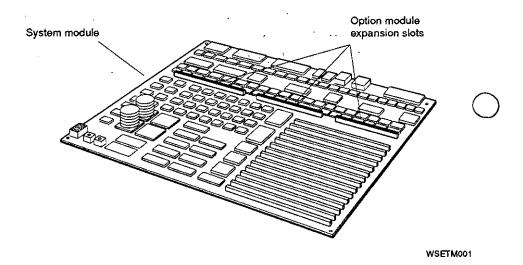


Figure 1-1. TURBOchannel connectors on a typical system module

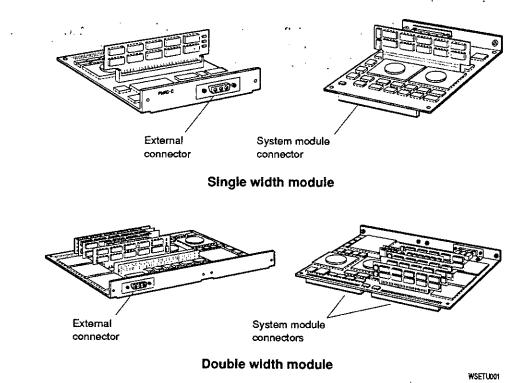


Figure 1-2. Typical TURBOchannel modules

For Further Information

For detailed information about a specific TURBOchannel option in your workstation, see the chapter later in this guide that describes that TURBOchannel option.