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Addendum 1 to  
Operating Manuals  
for  
3000 Series PXI modules

**Compatibility of PXI modules with  
software drivers**

**Please read this to ensure that you are using the correct  
driver software with your PXI module.**

**If you have any problems, call our 24 hr helpline on  
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## Applies to:

All Aeroflex PXI modules except 301x and 306x Series (these are compatible with all versions of software).

## Introduction

To maintain optimum performance, all 3000 Series PXI modules should be used either with the software driver version with which they were supplied, or the latest driver, which you can download from the Aeroflex website.

Aeroflex endeavours to ensure modules remain backwards compatible with earlier driver version releases.

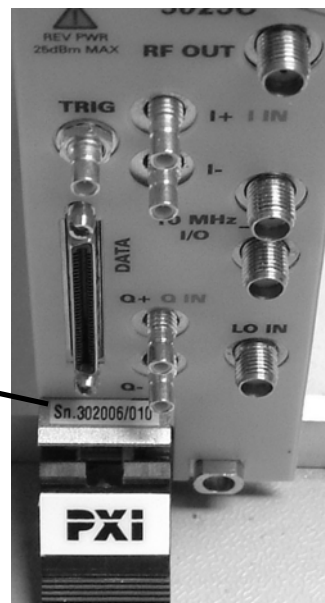
However, continual improvement means that from software version **6.2.0** onwards there are exceptions, which are explained below.

## Checking the software compatibility of a PXI module

- Modules that are compatible with all driver versions display on their front panel a serial number label consisting of black lettering on a **white** background.
- Modules that are only compatible with software driver installation version 6.2.0 and higher have a serial number label consisting of black lettering on a **yellow** background.

**White background to label**  
use all driver s/w versions

**Yellow background to label**  
use v. 6.2.0 s/w or higher



*Fig. 1 Location of serial no. label (example)*

Please ensure that you install the correct version of software for your module.

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