

## Re: Flip Chip handle colorcodes?

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On Wed, 17 Nov 2004 17:11:41 +0000 (UTC),

moroney@world.std.spaamtrap.com (Michael Moroney) wrote:

>>I used AltaVista 'babelfish' to translate a nice page with module

>>pictures from German-language to English: <http://tinyurl.com/6r33v>

>>click the link that says "Information to DEC modules".

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>That page shows a picture of the H214 core memory board that you mentioned

>and I was thinking of. It is at: <http://www.compsy.de/moduls/gifs/H214.jpg>.

>I remember the handle color as lighter than the G cards and that picture

>does show the color that I remember but the colors on that site are often

>off. You'd probably remember if the H card had a different color than the

>presumably adjacent G cards of the set however.

The 4kx18 Ampex module I have from a PDP-15 (dead before removal) is tagged w/ an AMPEX Assy. No. 3255811-01E Ser. No. FA-198 on one side ("Side 1, on the board, the flop side says, on the board (that is in wave-flow covered solder Y Diode Matrix G614A)

I believe these mods were also used in the cab-and-a-halfx6' 256KWx 36 bits (or 1 Mbyte and a few KA/I-10 cabinet - a major improvement over the previous DEC KA-10 16-KWord cabs.

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>>Hunting around from this page reveals "A" modules having orange

>>handles.

Not only are they amber, but they were the only TRANSLUCENT flavor - the rest were opaque. Lets drink one to DEC design shop.

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