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3732 Quad 4×28, Ultra-High Density, Reed Relay Matrix Card

448 one-pole crosspoints with bank configuration and backplane connection relays

DATA SHEET



The ultra-high density 3732 matrix card is comprised of four banks, each with 4 rows by 28 columns of reed relays. This provides 448 single-pole crosspoints for maximum connection versatility in high channel count applications. For even greater flexibility, bank configuration relays are mounted on the card. They offer an automated method of connecting banks to enable two additional matrix configurations: single 4×112 and dual 4×56. This feature allows the matrix size to be easily adapted to existing or future applications. For differential (2-wire) measurements, a two-pole mode can be selected that enables automatic pairing of crosspoints to create a dual 4×28 or single 4×56 configuration. For larger matrix sizes, analog backplane relays are provided that enable rows to connect to the Series 3700A mainframe backplane. This allows, for example, a matrix of up to 4 rows by 672 columns within a single 3706A mainframe using six 3732 cards.

Key Features

- Four independent banks of 4×28 single-pole matrices
- 200 V, 1.2 A carry or 0.75 A switched signal capacity; 15 W, 15 VA
- Bank configuration relays enable alternative matrix sizes, including:
 - Dual 4×56 (1 wire)
 - Single 4×112 (1 wire)
 - Single 4×56(2 wire)
- Optional accessory, 3732-ST-R, enables screw terminal access and additional matrix sizes including:
 - Dual 8×28 (1 wire)
 - Single 16×28 (1 wire)
 - Single 8×28(2 wire)
- Analog backplane connection relays provide easy card-to-card column expansion
- Long life dry reed relays (>10⁹ operations)
- Ideal for high channel count I-V testing with Series 2600B Systems

The card uses optimized reed relays that offer both low contact potential and low current offset to minimize the switching errors that often accompany this relay technology. Additionally, these relays provide greater signal voltage (200 V) and current (1.2 A carry) dynamic range while supporting the long life and fast actuation times necessary in many automated test applications.

The 3732 uses two 78-pin male D-sub connectors for signal and configuration connections. For screw terminal connections, two accessories are offered. Use the 3732-ST-R for the 16×28 or dual 8×28 matrix configurations. Use the 3732-ST-C for the 4×112, dual 4×56, or base quad 4×28 matrix configurations.



Quad 4×28 (1-wire) or Dual 4×28 (2-wire) Matrix Configuration



Analog Backplane Connection Relays



Additional Matrix Configurations Using Bank Configuration Relays







Single 4×112 (1-wire) matrix configuration using bank configuration relays

Additional Matrix Configurations Using the 3732-ST-R Screw Terminal Block



Dual 8×28 (1-wire) or single 8×28 (2-wire) matrix configuration using one 3732-ST-R screw terminal block



Single 16×28 (1-wire) matrix configuration using one 3732-ST-R screw terminal block

Specifications

Matrix Configuration	Four banks, each with 4 rows by 28 columns of reed relays. Bank configuration and analog backplane relays are included for additional matrix configurations. Banks can be connected together via relays creating dual 4×56 matrices or a single 4×112 matrix. Row expansion is available using optional screw terminal accessories.
Contact Configuration	Single-pole form A.
Connector Type	Two 78-pin male D-shells.
3732-ST-R Screw Terminal 0	IptionProvides terminal block access and column jumper blocks for extended row configurations including Dual 8×28 (1 W), Single 8×28(2 W), and Single 16×28(1 W).
Typical Wire Size	#22 AWG with 0.062 inch 0.D.; 88 conductors per card maximum.
Maximum Wire Size	#16 AWG with 0.092 inch 0.D.; 44 conductors per card maximum.
3732-ST-C Screw Terminal 0	Option Provides terminal block access for Quad 4×28 (1 W), Dual 4×28 (2 W), Dual 4×56 (1 W), Single 4×56 (2 W), and Single 4×112 (1 W) matrix configurations.
Typical Wire Size	#22 AWG with 0.062 inch 0.D.; 88 conductors per card maximum.
Maximum Wire Size	#16 AWG with 0.092 inch 0.D.; 44 conductors per card maximum.
Maximum Signal Leve	200 VDC or peak AC, 0.75A switched (1.2 A carry), 15 W/15 VA max. switch power.
Common Mode Voltage	200 VDC or peak AC between any signal path to a signal path or ground.
Volt-Hertz Limit	8×10 ⁷ .
Contact Life	Reed: >10 ⁹ operations no load, >8×10 ⁶ operations @ 100 V, 10 mA.
EMR (Backplane)	>10 ⁸ operations @ 5 V, 10 mA and 10 ⁵ operations at maximum signal level.

3732 Parameters

Parameter		Quad 4×28 ^{1, 2}	Dual 4×56 ^{1, 2}	Single 4×112 ^{1, 2}	Dual 8×28 ^{2, 3}	Single 16×28 ^{2, 3}
Channel Resistance (end of life)		<1.5 Ω	<2.0 Ω	<2.5 Ω	<1.6 Ω	<2.0 Ω
Contact Potential (differential)		<±10 µV	<±20 µV	N/A	<±15 µV	N/A
Contact Potential (single ended)		<±20 µV	<±40 µV	<±65 µV	<±20 µV	<±20 µV
Offset Current		<±0.5 nA	<±1.0 nA	<±2.0 nA	<±1.0 nA	<±2.0 nA
Isolation	CH-CH	3×10º Ω/150 pF	1.5×10º Ω/300 pF	7.5×10 ⁸ Ω/600 pF	2×10 ⁹ Ω/200 pF	1.5×10 ⁹ Ω/300 pF
	Common mode	1.5×10º Ω/300 pF	1.5×10 ⁹ Ω/300 pF	7.5×10 ⁸ Ω/600 pF	2×10 ⁹ Ω/200 pF	1.5×10 ⁹ Ω/300 pF
Crosstalk Ch-Ch	300 kHz	<-37 dB	<-37 dB	<-37 dB	<-37 dB	<-37 dB
	1 MHz	<-26 dB	<-26 dB	<-26 dB	<-26 dB	<-26 dB
	15 MHz	< -7 dB	< -7 dB	< -7 dB	< -7 dB	< -7 dB
Bandwidth		15 MHz	15 MHz	10 MHz	15 MHz	15 MHz

Notes

1. Connections made using 3732-ST-C.

2. 3706A mainframe with all DMM backplane relays disconnected.

3. Connections made using 3732-ST-R.

General

Power Budget Information

Quiescent Power Usage

Mode	Quiescent Power
Quad 4×28	780 mW
Dual 4×56	916 mW
Single 4×112	984 mW
Dual 8×28	780 mW
Single 16×28	780 mW

Channel Relay Power Consumption (each) 17 mW.

Backplane Relay Power Consumption (each) 100 mW.

For additional power-budgeting information, refer to the Series 3700A Module Schematics and Connections section in the Series 3700A User's Manual (part no. 3700S-900-01).

Actuation Time	0.6 ms.
Relay Type	Reed (signal relays); EMR (backplane relays)
Relay Drive Scheme	Direct drive.
Relay Drive Current	3.2 mA.
Interlock	Backplane relays disabled when terminal assembly interlock signal removed. When asserted allows system to read and save ID configuration bits.
EMC	Compliant with European Union EMC Directive.
Safety	Compliant with European Union Law Voltage Directive.
Operating Environment	Specified for 0° to 50°C. Specified to 70% relative humidity at 35°C.
Storage Environment	-25° to 65°C.
Weight	3.40 lbs(1.54 kg).

Ordering Information

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Available Accessories

3732-MTC-3	78-pin D-sub female-to-male cable, 10 ft (3 m)
3732-ST-C	Screw Terminal Block for matrix configurations: Quad 4×28 (1 wire) Dual 4×28 (2 wire) Single 4×56 (2 wire) Dual 4×56 (1 wire) Single 4×112 (1 wire)
3732-ST-R	Screw Terminal Block for matrix configurations: Dual 8×28 (1 wire) Single 8×28 (2 wire) Single 16×28 (1 wire)

Available Services

3732-3Y-EW-STD	1-year factory warranty extended to 3 years from date of shipment
3732-5Y-EW-STD	1-year factory warranty extended to 5 years from date of shipment
C/3732-3Y-STD	3 (Z540-1 compliant) calibrations within 3 years of purchase*

*Not available in all countries

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