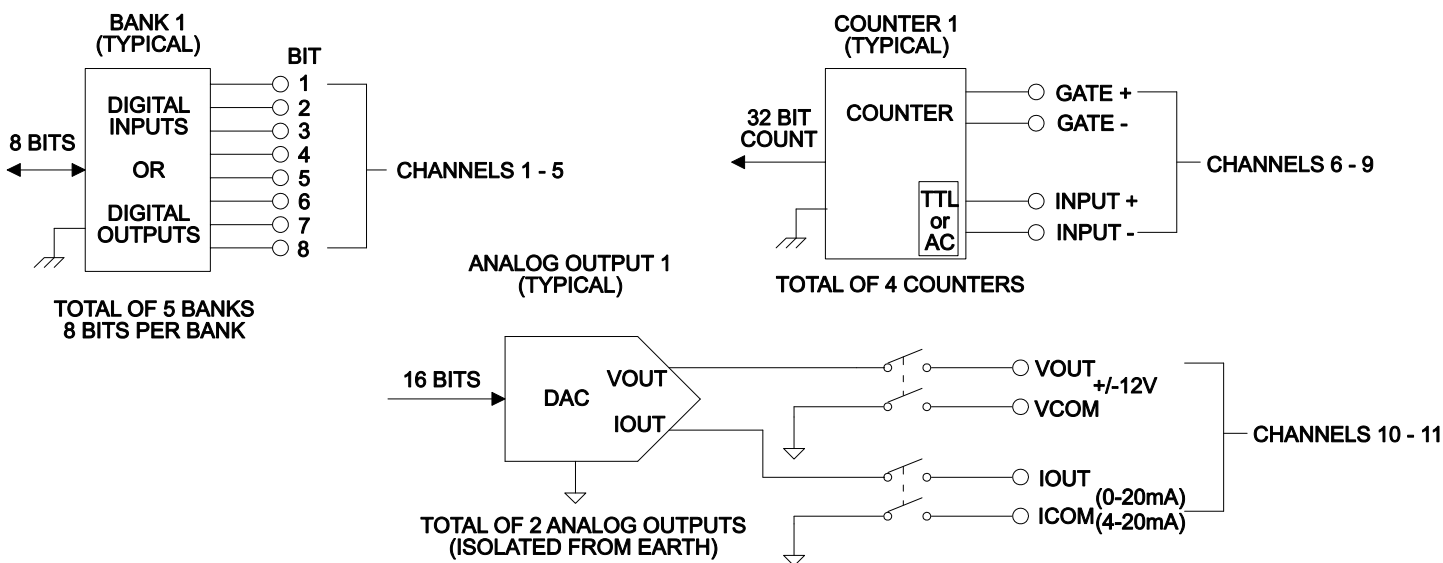


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Multifunction I/O Card  
 40 Digital I/O, 2 Analog Outputs, 4 Counters

### GENERAL

Channels 1 - 5: Bidirectional, high current digital I/O (40 bits)  
 Channels 6 - 9: 32-bit counter (4 counters)  
 Channels 10 - 11: Isolated voltage and current analog outputs (2 each)



### DIGITAL I/O<sup>1</sup>

**Configuration:** 40 bidirectional digital I/O bits arranged in 5 banks of 8 bits each. Each bank can be configured for either input or output capability. 1 bank of I/O is equivalent to 1 system channel.

#### Digital Input specifications:

An internal weak pull-up resistor of approximately 68 kΩ is provided on the card for each I/O. This pull-up resistor can be removed via onboard jumper on a channel (8 bit) basis. The pull-up voltage can either connect to the internally supplied 5V or an externally supplied voltage of up to 30V via onboard jumper. An internal 5V supply connection is separately available to run external logic circuits.

- Digital Input logic low voltage:** 0.8V max
- Digital Input logic high voltage:** 2V min.
- Digital Input logic low current:** -600uA max @ 0V
- Digital Input logic high current:** 50uA max @ 5V

**Logic:** Positive True.

**System Input Minimum Read speed<sup>2</sup>:** 1000 readings / second.

**Maximum externally supplied pull-up voltage:** 30V

**Maximum externally supplied voltage to any digital I/O line:** Pull-up voltage (5V internal or up to 30V external)

<sup>1</sup> All channels power up configured as inputs.

<sup>2</sup> All channels configured as inputs.

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**Digital Output specifications:**

Each output has an internal fly-back diode for driving inductive loads. Each output is protected against continuous short circuits and over temperature. An internal 5V supply connection is separately available to run external logic circuits.

**Digital Output logic high voltage:** 2.4V minimum @  $I_{out} = 10\text{mA}$ . sourcing only.

**Digital Output logic low voltage:** 0.5V maximum @  $I_{out} = -300\text{mA}$  sinking only.

**Maximum output sink current:** 300mA per output, 3.0 A total per card.

**Logic:** Positive True.

**System Output Minimum Write speed<sup>3</sup>:** 1000 readings / second.

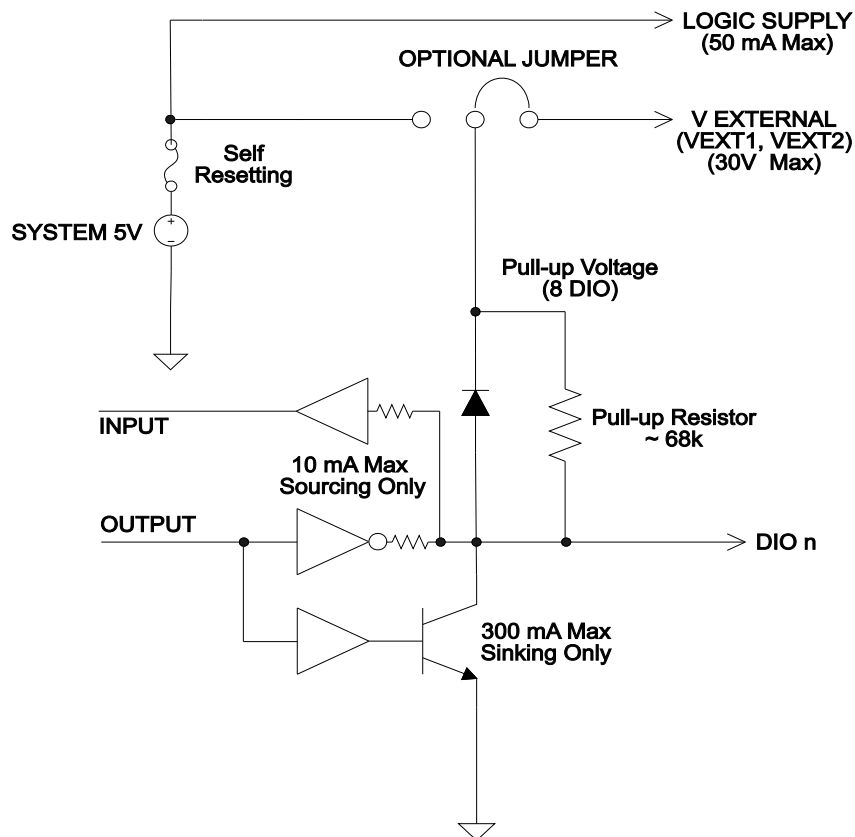
**Maximum externally supplied voltage to any digital I/O line:** Pull-up voltage (5V internal or up to 30V external)

**Alarm:** Trigger generation is supported for a maskable pattern match or state change on any of channels 1 through 5.

**Protection:** Optional disconnect (set to inputs) during output fault conditions.

**Internal 5V logic supply:** The internal logic supply is designed for powering external logic circuits of up to 50mA maximum. The logic supply is internally protected with a self-resetting fuse. Fuse reset time < 1 hour.

**SIMPLIFIED DIGITAL I/O SCHEMATIC**



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## COUNTER / TOTALIZER INPUT

**Maximum Count:**  $2^{32} - 1$

**Maximum Input Rate:** 1 MHz, rising or falling edge, programmable.

**Minimum Input pulse width:** 500 ns

**Input Signal Level:** 200 mVp-p (minimum), 42V Peak (maximum)

**Threshold:** AC (0V) or TTL Logic Level

**Gate Input:** TTL-HI (Gate+), TTL-LO (Gate-) or NONE.

**Minimum Gate input setup time:** 1us

**Count Reset:** Manual or Read + Reset

**System Input Minimum Read speed:** 1000 readings / second.

**Alarm:** Trigger generation is supported for a count match or counter overflow on any of channels 6 through 9

## ANALOG VOLTAGE OUTPUT

The isolated analog voltage output is designed for general purpose, low power applications.

**Output Amplitude**<sup>4</sup>:  $\pm 12V$  up to 10mA

**Overload Current:** 21mA minimum.

**Resolution:** 1mV.

**Full Scale Settling Time**<sup>5</sup>: 1ms to 0.1% of output.

**DC Accuracy**<sup>6</sup>:  $\pm$  (% of output + mV)

1 year  $23 \pm 5^{\circ}C$ : 0.15% + 16mV

90 day  $23 \pm 5^{\circ}C$ : 0.1% + 16mV

24 hour  $23 \pm 5^{\circ}C$ : 0.04% + 16mV

**Temperature Coefficient:**  $\pm$  (0.02% + 1.2mV) /  $^{\circ}C$

**10mV Maximum Update Rate:** 350us to 1% accuracy. System limited.

**Output Fault Detection:** System fault detection is available for short circuit output / current compliance.

**Isolation:** 300 V Peak Channel to Channel or Channel to Chassis.

**Protection:** Optional disconnect during output fault conditions.

**Maximum guaranteed stable capacitive load:** 10 nF

## ANALOG CURRENT OUTPUT

The isolated analog current output is designed for 0-20 mA or 4-20 mA unipolar modes of operation.

**Output Amplitude:** 0 to 20mA or 4 to 20mA

**Compliance Voltage:** 11V minimum.

**Maximum Open Circuit Voltage:** 16V

**Resolution:** 1 uA.

**Full Scale Settling Time**<sup>5</sup>: 1ms to 0.1% of output.

**DC Accuracy**<sup>7</sup>:  $\pm$  (% of output + uA)

1 year  $23 \pm 5^{\circ}C$ : 0.15% + 18uA

90 day  $23 \pm 5^{\circ}C$ : 0.1% + 18uA

24 hour  $23 \pm 5^{\circ}C$ : 0.04% + 18uA

<sup>4</sup> Programming up to 1% over full scale range is supported

<sup>5</sup> Measured with standard load shown in Figure 1

<sup>6</sup> Measured with > 10M $\Omega$  input DMM (DCV, filter, 1 PLC rate). Warm-up time is 1 hour @ 10mA load with 3750-ST

<sup>7</sup> Measured with < 2 $\Omega$  shunt DMM (DCI, filter, 1 PLC rate). Warm-up time is 1 hour with 3750-ST

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**Temperature Coefficient:**  $\pm (0.02\% + 1.6\mu\text{A}) / ^\circ\text{C}$

**Output Fault Detection:** System fault detection is available for open circuit output / voltage compliance.

**Isolation:** 300 V Peak Channel to Channel or Channel to Chassis.

**Protection:** Optional disconnect during output fault conditions.

**CONNECTOR TYPE:** Two 50 pin male D-shells.

**OPERATING ENVIRONMENT:**

Specified for 0°C to 50°C.

Specified to 70% R.H. at 35°C

**STORAGE ENVIRONMENT:** -25°C to 65°C

**WEIGHT:** 1.27 kg (2.80 lb)

**FIRMWARE:** Requires main revision to be 1.20 or above (Applies to all 3706 series mainframes)

**SAFETY:** Conforms to European Union Directive 73/23/EEC, EN61010-1

**EMC:** Conforms to European Union Directive 2004/108/EC, EN61326-1

**Power Budget Information:**

Quiescent Power: 3300 mW

Digital Outputs each channel (1 through 5): 325 mW

Analog Channel each (10 & 11): 820 mW

Totalizer Channel all (6 through 9): 730 mW

Analog channels and counter channels may optionally be turned off to conserve system power.

See Chapter 8 of the series 3700 user's manual for more detailed information.

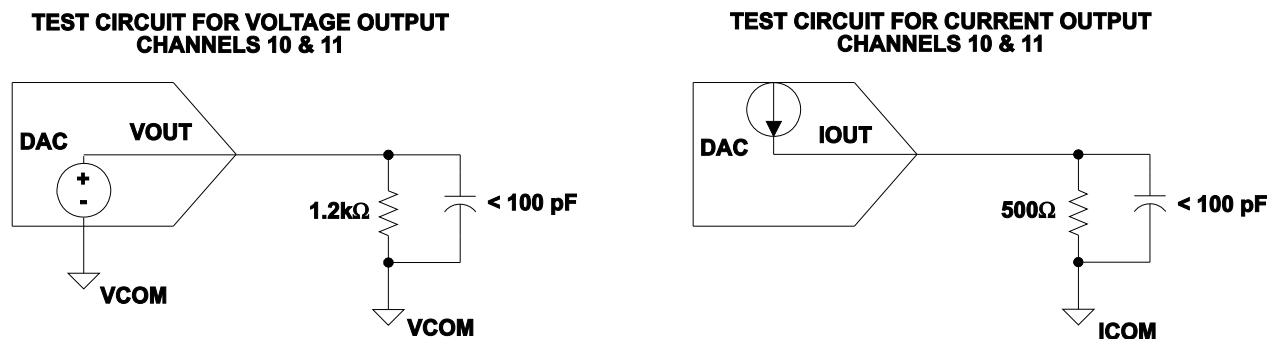
**ACCESSORIES AVAILABLE:**

3750-ST screw terminal block

3790-KIT50-R 50 pin female D-sub connector kit (contains 2 female D-sub connectors and 100 solder-cups)

3721-MTC-3 50 pin D-sub female to male cable, 3m

3721-MTC-1.5 50 pin D-sub female to male cable, 1.5m



**Figure 1 – Standard load test circuits**