

Model 5M70

DC Strain Gage Conditioner



The **Model 5M70 DIN** unit is a low cost, general-purpose single-channel conditioner for input of pressure, force, torque, weight, and other variables measured by conventional DC-excited strain gage transducers.

The **5M70** delivers filtered analog output of ± 5 Vdc ± 10 Vdc or 4-20 mA; switch selectable by the user. Advanced analog design directly addresses the problem of measurement inaccuracy in industrial environments of high electromechanical noise. *Exceptional signal stability and accuracy over a remarkably wide range of sensor inputs are achieved through*

- remotely sensed excitation, user-selectable
- chopper-stabilized low-drift amplification

- “shunt” switch-based calibration
- wide range Zero & Span adjustments
- configurable low-pass active filtering

THE 5M70 DIN CONDITIONER IS A LOW COST UNIT FOR DC BASED - FULL BRIDGE STRAIN-GAGES FROM 0.5 TO 10 mV/V

For steady indication and smooth, dependable control action, the **5M70** can provide a true average value of the measured variable, even in the face of substantial dynamic content. Housed in a durable-flame retardent enclosure, the **5M70** is ideal for industrial-process applications. The analog output and gain settings are easily configured through the use of a simple coarse rotary switch and precision range potentiometer which results in a highly repeatable, stable and accurate measurement.

- **Powerful low-pass active filtering**, selectable by the user, the **5M70** low pass filter removes unwanted high-frequency measurement-signal components and the elimination of aliasing errors, if the module's output is subsequently digitized.
- **Selectable excitation** of 2.5 or 5.0 Vdc bridge voltage which is slaved to an extremely stable reference voltage.
- **DIN mount construction** which allows the user easy access to the screw terminal connections for power, analog output, shunt and sensor signals.
- **Wide Zero & Span**, through the use of rotary switches & potentiometers, the **5M70** will accommodate 100% zero authority and a wide range of full bridge DC strain gage sensors, foil or semiconductor type with bridge resistance from 120 to 10 k Ohm.
- **Wide Input Power range** from 11 to 28 Vdc, the **5M70** is well suited for industrial, process and mobile environments

INTERNAL "SHUNT" CALIBRATION WITH WIDE ZERO AND SPAN SETTINGS - ENSURES HIGHLY ACCURATE CONDITIONING RESULTS

To calibrate a 5M70, use "deadweight" or "shunt" method. Through the use of front panel switch controls, the user will specify the mV/V range desired and adjust the fine and coarse controls to achieve the desired analog

output, ± 5 or ± 10 Vdc or 4-20 mA full-scale. Zero-ing of the sensor is achieved in the same manner with the coarse and fine controls which will adjust the zero position $\pm 100\%$. This gives the user the full working range of the conditioner for applications which require large offsets or to accommodate an external A/D device for higher resolution needs. Along with the wide zero and span controls,

the 5M70 provides the user with three low pass filter options depending on his needs. Daytronic uses their "industry proven" three-pole modified butterworth design to provide a repeatable - analog response signal which minimizes overshoot and provides quick stabilization of the signal which results in a reliable limit or "peak capture" value needed for safety and product qualification applications.

Specifications

- Housing:** DIN mount housing; non-removable screw terminals.
- Dimensions:** 114.5 mm D x 22.5 mm W x 99.0 mm H
- Power Requirements:** 11- 28 Vdc ; 2 watts Max
- Operating Temperature Range:** -10° C to 70° C (14° F to 158° F)
- Operating Relative Humidity:** 5% to 95%, noncondensing
- Transducer Types:** Conventional 4-arm strain gage bridges, 120 Ω to 10 k Ω ; zero range is 100% of the stated full scale; a screw terminal is provided for user-supplied shunt calibration resistor (see diagram, below, for typical cabling)
- Input Ranges (Nominal, Full-Scale):** .5 to 5 mV/V or 1 to 10 mV/V via internal switch settings.

Front Panel Switch Settings

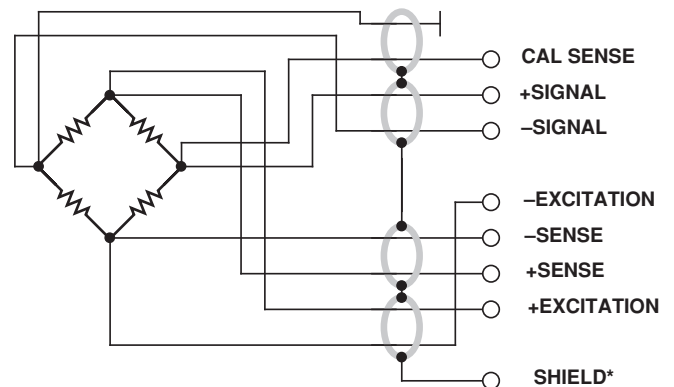
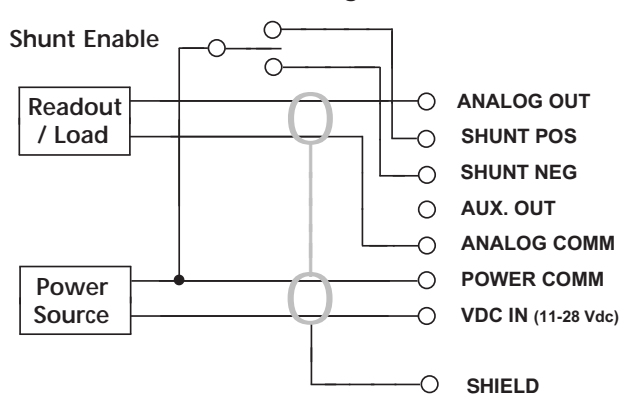
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Output Mode	Current	Voltage
Voltage Level	10 Vdc	5 Vdc
Current Level	4 - 12 - 20 mA	4 - 20 mA
Filter Setting	5 kHz	200 Hz
Filter Setting	10 Hz	200 Hz
Excitation	5.0 Vdc	2.5 Vdc
Zero Adjust	Extended	Normal

Amplifier:

- Common-Mode Range:** 0 to 3 V
- Common-Mode Rejection Ratio (at @1/2 Excitation):** -60 dB
- Input Impedance (Differential and Common-Mode):** Greater than 10,000 M Ω
- Offset:** adjustable; vs. temperature: $\pm 0.10 \mu\text{V}/^\circ\text{C}$; vs. time: $\pm 5 \mu\text{V}/\text{month}$
- Gain Accuracy:** Limited only by calibration accuracy
- Gain Stability:** vs. temperature: $\pm 30 \text{ ppm}/^\circ\text{C}$; vs. time: $\pm 10 \text{ ppm}/\text{month}$
- Excitation:** Nominal 2.50 Vdc up to 70 mA or 5.00 Vdc up to 70 mA selectable via front panel switch setting
- Analog Filters:** 10, 200, or 5000 Hz, switch selectable
- Analog Outputs:** Filtered ± 0 to 5 Vdc or ± 0 to 10 Vdc, 4-12-20 or 4-20 mA (sourcing). Mode is switch selectable with linearity maintained for 20% overrange (in voltage mode only)
- Shunt Logic Input :** Activated by input taken to power common potential; ± 25 V without damage; internal pull-up nom. 5 k Ω ; input assume Logic 1 state in the absence of connection
- Shunt Resistor Installed:** 59k Ohm, standard. User replacable
- Power Status Indicator :** Green; indicates module power input
- Over-Range Indicator :** Yellow; indicates analog output overrange

Transducer Field Connector (using internal 5M70 shunt)

Power - Shunt - Analog Field Connector



* Not isolated.