

Waveform Voltage Output – Up to 800 kS/s/Channel, 13-Bit, 8 or 32 Analog Outputs

NI 6723, NI 6722

- 32 or 8 channels
- +/- 10V, 13-bit analog output resolution
- 45 kS/s to 800 kS/s per channel update rate
- Maximum 10 kHz full-scale sine wave
- Simultaneous update
- Digital triggering and external clocking
- NI-DAQ driver simplifies configuration and measurements

Models

- NI PCI 6723
- NI PCI 6722

Operating Systems

- Windows 2000/NT/XP/Me

Recommended Software

- LabVIEW
- LabWindows/CVI
- Measurement Studio for Visual Studio

Other Compatible Software

- Visual Basic
- C/C++

Driver Software (included)

- NI-DAQ

Calibration Certificate Included

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Product	Bus	Voltage Outputs	Resolution	Output Rate kS/s		Output Range	Digital I/O	Counter/timers	Triggers
				(1, 8, 32 channels simultaneously)					
NI 6723	PCI	32	13 bits	800, 182, 45		±10V	8	2, 24-bit	Digital
NI 6722	PCI	8	13 bits	800, 182, -		±10V	8	2, 24-bit	Digital

Table 1. Channel, Speed, and Resolution Specifications

Overview and Applications

NI 6723 and NI 6722 devices use the latest analog converter technology to deliver high-density, high-performance analog output at a great price per channel ratio. These devices enable a broad variety of applications including:

- Waveform generation up to an 11 kHz full-scale sine wave, slew-rate limited
- Signal simulation
- Mechanical system or process control

Features

NI 6723 and NI 6722 devices feature hands-free self-calibration capability to ensure output accuracy. Additional features include waveform and single-point update capability, simultaneous updates, and internal or external clocking capability. Since most applications require more than analog output, these devices are able to integrate with other I/O such as analog input, vision, motion, or CAN through the RTSI bus.

Driver Software

NI-DAQ is the robust driver software that makes it easy to access the functionality of your data acquisition hardware, whether you are a beginning or advanced user. Helpful features include:

Automatic Code Generation – The DAQ Assistant is an interactive guide that steps you through configuring, testing, and programming

measurement tasks and generates the necessary code automatically for LabVIEW, LabWindows/CVI, or Measurement Studio.

Cleaner Code Development – Basic and advanced software functions have been combined into one easy-to-use yet powerful set to help you build cleaner code and move from basic to advanced applications without replacing functions.

High-Performance Driver Engine – NI-DAQ delivers maximum I/O system throughput with a multithreaded driver.

Test Panels – With NI-DAQ, you can test all of your device functionality before you begin development.

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Ordering Information

NI PCI-6723	778701-01
NI PCI-6722	778705-01

Recommended Accessories

Family	Bus	Accessory	Cable
NI 6723	PCI	Two CB-68LPs (777145-01)	Two SH68-C68-S (186381-02)
NI 6722	PCI	CB-68LP (777145-01)	RC68-68 (187252-01)

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Nominal Range (V)	Percent of Reading			Absolute Accuracy		
	24 Hours	90 Days	1 Year	Offset (mV)	Absolute Accuracy at Full-Scale (mV)	Temp Drift (%/°C)
±10V	0.0335%	0.0355%	0.0337%	±7.01	10.78	0.0005%

Note: Temp Drift applies only if ambient is greater than ±10 °C of previous external calibration.

Table 2. NI 672x Analog Output Accuracy Specifications

Worldwide Support and Services

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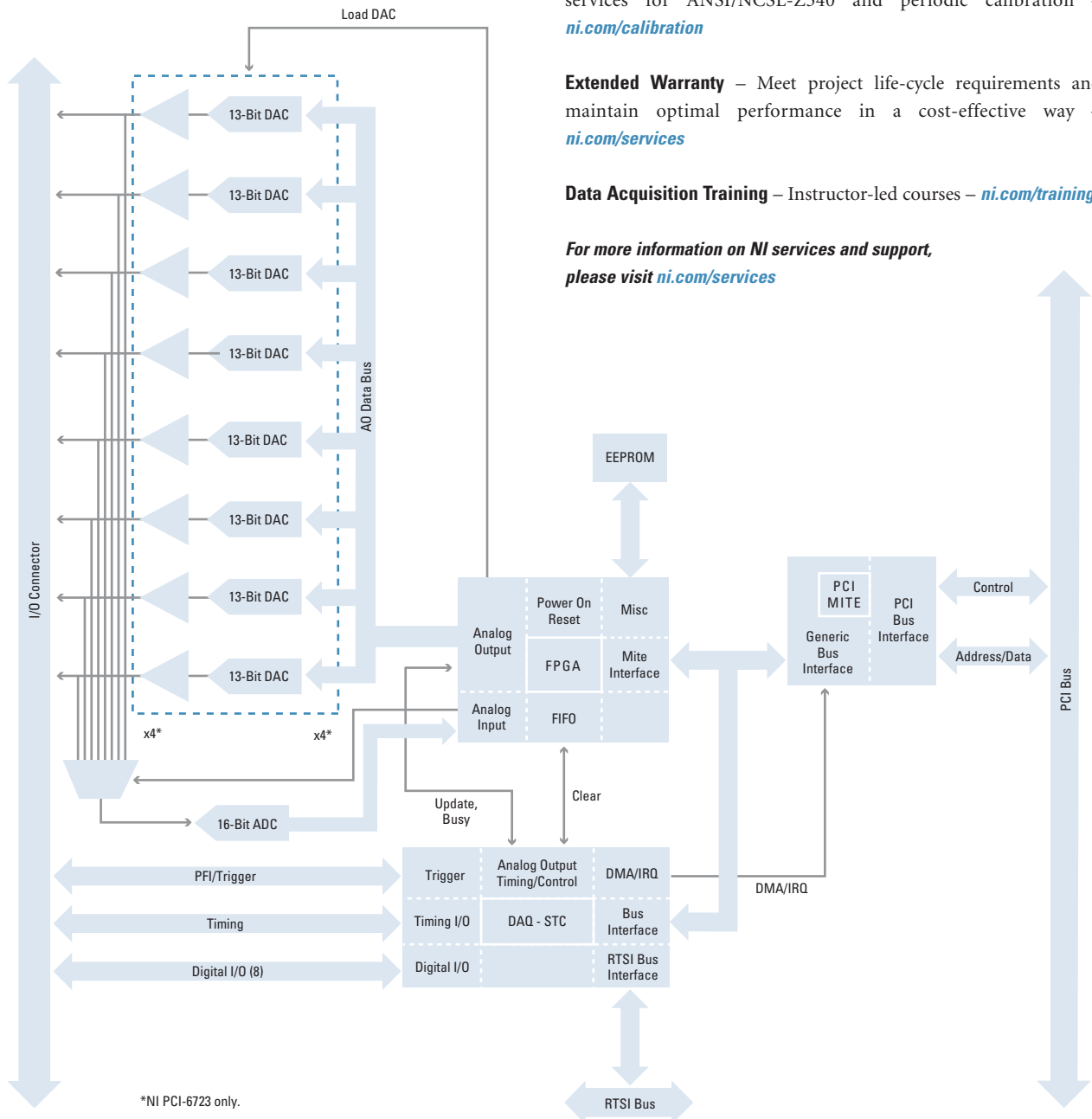


Figure 1. NI 672x Hardware Block Diagram

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Specifications

The following specifications are typical at 25 °C unless otherwise noted.

Analog Output

Output Characteristics

Number of channels	
NI 6722	8 voltage outputs
NI 6723	32 voltage outputs
Resolution	13 bits, 1 in 8,192
Max update rate	

Max Update Rate (NI 6722/6723)

Number of Channels	Using Local FIFO ¹	Using Host PC Memory ²
1	800 kS/s	800 kS/s
2	714 kS/s	714 kS/s
8	476 kS/s	182 kS/s
16	333 kS/s	90.9 kS/s
24	253 kS/s	60 kS/s
32	204 kS/s	45 kS/s

¹ These numbers apply to continuous waveform generation, which allows for the time it takes to reset the FIFO to the beginning when cycling through it. This additional time is not incurred when using host PC memory for waveform generation. Max update rate in FIFO mode does not change regardless of the number of devices in the system.

² These results were measured using a PCI-6722/6723 device with a 550 MHz Pentium III machine. These numbers may change when using more devices or when other CPU or bus activity occurs.

FIFO buffer size	2,048 samples
Data transfers	DMA, interrupts, programmed I/O
DMA modes	Scatter gather

Transfer Characteristics

Relative accuracy (INL)	±2.0 LSB max
DNL	±0.9 LSB max
Monotonicity	13 bits

Voltage Output

Ranges	±10 V
Output coupling	DC
Output impedance	0.1 Ω max
Current drive	±5 mA max
Output stability	Any passive load
Protection	Short-circuit to ground
Power-on state	±200 mV

Dynamic Characteristics

Slew rate	0.7 V/μs
Noise	1.0 mV _{rms} , DC to 1 MHz
Channel crosstalk	-70 dB (generating a 10 V, 100 point sinusoidal at 10 kHz on the reference channel)
Settling time	30 ms typ, 40 μs max to ±0.5 LSB
Glitch energy (at mid-scale transition)	
Magnitude	300 mV
Duration	2 μs
Channel-to-channel update glitch	
Magnitude	70 mV
Duration	1.2 μs

Stability

Calibration	
Recommended warm-up time	15 min
Calibration interval	1 yr
Onboard calibration reference	
Level	5,000 V (±2.5 mV) (actual value stored in EEPROM)
Temperature coefficient	±5 ppm/°C max
Long-term stability	±15 ppm/√1,000 h

Digital I/O

Number of channels	8 input/output
Compatibility	TTL/CMOS
Digital logic levels	

Level	Min	Max
Input low voltage	0.0 V	0.8 V
Input high voltage	2.0 V	5.0 V
Input low current (V _{in} = 0 V)	–	-320 μA
Input high current (V _{in} = 5 V)	–	10 μA
Output low voltage (I _{OL} = 24 mA)	–	0.4 V
Output high voltage (I _{OH} = 13 mA)	4.35 V	–

Power-on state	Input (high-impedance)
Data transfers	Programmed I/O

Timing I/O

Number of channels	
Up/down counter/timers	2
Frequency scaler	1
Resolution	
Up/down counter/timers	24 bits
Frequency scaler	4 bits
Compatibility	5 V TTL/CMOS
Digital logic levels	

Level	Min	Max
Input low voltage	0.0 V	0.8 V
Input high voltage	2.0 V	5.0 V
Output low voltage (I _{out} = 5 mA)	–	0.4 V
Output high voltage (I _{out} = -3.5 mA)	4.35 V	–

Base clocks available	
Up/down counter/timers	20 MHz, 100 kHz
Frequency scaler	10 MHz, 100 kHz
Base clock accuracy	±0.01%
Max external source frequency	
Up/down counter/timers	20 MHz
External source selections	PFI <0..9>, RTSI <0..6>
External gate selections	PFI <0..9>, RTSI <0..6>
Min source pulse duration	10 ns in edge-detect mode
Min gate pulse duration	10 ns in edge-detect mode
Data transfers	
Up/down counter/timers	DMA (scatter-gather), interrupts, programmed I/O
Frequency scaler	programmed I/O

Digital Trigger

Purpose	
Analog Input	Start and stop trigger, gate, clock
Analog Output	Start trigger, gate, clock
Counter/timers	Source, gate
Source	PFI <0..9>
Compatibility	5 V TTL
Response	Rising or falling edge
Pulse width	10 ns min
External input for digital trigger	
Protection	-0.5 V to V _{CC} + 0.5 V
RTSI Trigger Lines	
Trigger lines <0..6>	7
RTSI clock	1
DMA	
Channels	1 (scatter-gather)
Data source/destination	Analog output, counter/timer 0, counter/timer 1

Bus Interface

Type	3.3 V or 5 V PCI master, slave
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Power Requirement

+3.3 VDC (±5%)	100 mA
+5 VDC (±5%)	1 A typ, 3 A max (not including power sourced from +5 V pin on I/O connector)
Power available at I/O connector	+4.65 to +5.25 VDC at 1 A

Physical

Dimensions (not including connectors)	
NI 6722/6723 for PCI	17.4 by 9.8 cm (6.85 by 3.85 in.)
I/O connector	
NI 6722	1 68-pin VHDCI
NI 6723	2 68-pin VHDCI

Maximum Working Voltage

Maximum working voltage refers to the signal voltage plus the common-mode voltage.	
Channel-to-earth	±11 V, Installation Category I
Channel-to-channel	±22 V, Installation Category I

Environmental

Operating temperature	0 to 55 °C
Storage temperature	-20 to 70 °C
Humidity	5 to 90% RH, noncondensing
Maximum altitude	2,000 m
Pollution Degree (indoor use only)	2

Note Clean the device with a soft, non-metallic brush. Make sure that the device is completely dry and free from contaminants before returning it to service.

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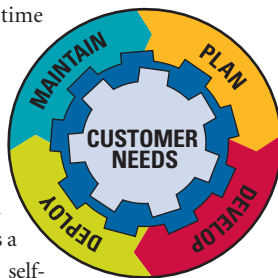
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