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## NI 9472

### 24 V, Sourcing Digital Output, 8 Ch Module



- 8 channels, 100  $\mu$ s digital output
- 6 V to 30 V range (depends on external supply), sourcing digital outputs
- Compatibility with NI CompactDAQ counters
- 60 VDC, CAT I (D-SUB), or 250 Vrms, CAT II (screw-terminal) isolation
- 25-pin D-SUB or 10-position screw-terminal connector options
- -40  $^{\circ}$ C to 70  $^{\circ}$ C operating, 5 g vibration, 50 g shock

#### Overview

The NI 9472 is an 8-channel, 100  $\mu$ s sourcing digital output module for any NI CompactDAQ or CompactRIO chassis. Each channel is compatible with 6 V to 30 V signals and features 2,300 Vrms of transient overvoltage protection between the output channels and the backplane. Each channel also has an LED that indicates the state of that channel. With the NI 9472, you can connect directly to a variety of industrial devices such as motors, actuators, and relays.

You can choose from two connector options for the NI 9472: a 10-position screw-terminal connector and a 25-position D-SUB connector. The industry-standard 25-position D-SUB connector provides for low-cost cabling to a wide variety of accessories from NI or other vendors. A number of vendors with custom D-SUB cable fabrication services can deliver cables with a pinout that matches your exact application needs.

#### Recommended Accessories

- NI 9924 front-mount 25-pin D-SUB to screw terminal (for D-SUB variant)
- NI 9927 strain relief and operator protection (for screw-terminal variant)

#### Optional Accessories

- NI 9936 extra screw-terminal block (quantity 10)
- NI 9980 extra spring-terminal block (quantity 10)

**Note:** The NI 9980 is not compatible with the NI 9927 and must be used with low or nonhazardous voltages or installed in a properly rated enclosure.

#### Box Contents

- 1 NI 9472 C Series module
- 1 NI 9472 Operating Instructions and Specifications manual
- 1 NI 9936 10-position connector (for screw-terminal variant)

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#### Comparison Tables

Product Name	Signal Levels	Direction	Channels	Update Rate	Continuous Current	Connectivity
NI 9375	12, 24 V	Sinking Input, Sourcing Output	16 In, 16 Out	7 $\mu$ s In, 500 $\mu$ s Out	100 mA/ch	Spring Terminal, 37-Pin D-SUB
NI 9472	12, 24 V	Sourcing Output	8	100 $\mu$ s	750 mA/ch	Screw Terminal, 25-Pin D-SUB
NI 9474	5, 12, 24 V	Sourcing Output	8	1 $\mu$ s	1 A/ch	Screw Terminal
NI 9475	5, 12, 24, 48, 60 V	Sourcing Output	8	1 $\mu$ s	1 A/ch	25-Pin D-SUB
NI 9476	12, 24 V	Sourcing Output	32	500 $\mu$ s	250 mA/ch	37-Pin D-SUB
NI 9477	5, 12, 24, 48, 60 V	Sinking Output	32	8 $\mu$ s	1 A/ch (20 A per Module)	37-Pin D-SUB
NI 9478	5, 12, 24, 48 V	Sinking Output	16	7 $\mu$ s	1.2 A/ch	37-Pin D-SUB

## Application and Technology

### NI C Series Overview



NI C Series modules are designed to provide high-accuracy measurements to meet the demands of advanced DAQ and control applications. Each module contains measurement-specific signal conditioning to connect to an array of sensors and signals, bank and channel-to-channel isolation options, and support for wide temperature ranges to meet a variety of application and environmental needs all in a single rugged package. You can choose from more than 100 C Series modules for measurement, control, and communication to connect your applications to any sensor on any bus.

Most C Series I/O modules work with both the NI CompactDAQ and NI CompactRIO platforms. The modules are identical, and you can move them from one platform to the other with no modification.

### NI CompactRIO Platform



Powered by the NI LabVIEW reconfigurable I/O (RIO) architecture, NI CompactRIO combines an open embedded architecture with small size, extreme ruggedness, and hot-swappable industrial I/O modules. Each system contains an FPGA for custom timing, triggering, and processing with a wide array of available modular I/O to meet any embedded application requirement.

[Configure Your Complete NI CompactRIO System](#)

### NI CompactDAQ Platform



NI CompactDAQ is a portable, rugged data acquisition platform that integrates connectivity and signal conditioning into modular I/O to directly interface with any sensor or signal. Using NI CompactDAQ with LabVIEW, you can easily customize how you acquire, analyze, present, and manage your measurement data. From research to development to validation, NI provides programmable software, high-accuracy measurements, and local technical support to help ensure you meet your exact measurement application requirements.

## Ordering Information

For a complete list of accessories, visit the product page on ni.com.

Products	Part Number	Recommended Accessories	Part Number
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No accessories required.

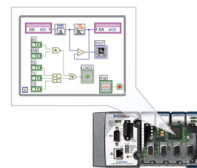
## Software Recommendations

### LabVIEW Professional Development System for Windows



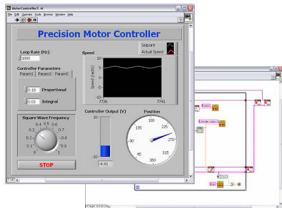
- Advanced software tools for large project development
- Automatic code generation using DAQ Assistant and Instrument I/O Assistant
- Tight integration with a wide range of hardware
- Advanced measurement analysis and digital signal processing
- Open connectivity with DLLs, ActiveX, and .NET objects
- Capability to build DLLs, executables, and MSI installers

### NI LabVIEW FPGA Module



- Design FPGA applications for NI reconfigurable I/O (RIO) hardware targets
- Program with the same graphical environment used for desktop and real-time applications
- Execute control algorithms with loop rates up to 300 MHz
- Implement custom timing and triggering logic, digital protocols, and DSP algorithms
- Incorporate existing HDL code and third-party IP including Xilinx CORE Generator functions
- Included in the LabVIEW Embedded Control and Monitoring Suite

### NI LabVIEW Real-Time Module



- Design deterministic real-time applications with LabVIEW graphical programming
- Download to dedicated NI or third-party hardware for reliable execution and a wide selection of I/O
- Take advantage of built-in PID control, signal processing, and analysis functions
- Automatically take advantage of multicore CPUs or set processor affinity manually
- Includes real-time OS, development and debugging support, and board support
- Purchase individually or as part of a LabVIEW suite

## Support and Services

### System Assurance Programs

NI system assurance programs are designed to make it even easier for you to own an NI system. These programs include configuration and deployment services for your NI PXI, CompactRIO, or Compact FieldPoint system. The NI Basic System Assurance Program provides a simple integration test and ensures that your system is delivered completely assembled in one box. When you configure your system with the NI Standard System Assurance Program, you can select from available NI system driver sets and application development environments to create customized, reorderable software configurations. Your system arrives fully assembled and tested in one box with your software preinstalled. When you order your system with the standard program, you also receive system-specific documentation including a bill of materials, an integration test report, a recommended maintenance plan, and frequently asked question documents. Finally, the standard program reduces the total cost of owning an NI system by providing three years of warranty coverage and calibration service. Use the online product advisors at [ni.com/advisor](http://ni.com/advisor) to find a system assurance program to meet your needs.

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- Discussion Forums** - Visit [forums.ni.com](http://forums.ni.com) for a diverse set of discussion boards on topics you care about.
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### Repair

While you may never need your hardware repaired, NI understands that unexpected events may lead to necessary repairs. NI offers repair services performed by highly trained technicians who quickly return your device with the guarantee that it will perform to factory specifications. For more information, visit [ni.com/repair](http://ni.com/repair).

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## Detailed Specifications

The following specifications are typical for the range -40 to 70 °C unless otherwise noted. All voltages are relative to COM unless otherwise noted. The specifications are the same for the NI 9472 and the NI 9474 unless otherwise noted.

### Output Characteristics

Number of channels	8 digital output channels
Output type	Sourcing
Power-on output state	Channels off
External power supply voltage range ( $V_{SUP}$ )	
NI 9472	6–30 VDC
NI 9474	5–30 VDC
Output impedance ( $R_O$ )	
Typical	0.07 $\Omega$
Maximum	0.13 $\Omega$
Continuous output current ( $I_O$ ), per channel	
NI 9472	0.75 A max
NI 9474	1 A max
Output voltage ( $V_O$ )	$V_{SUP} - (I_O \cdot R_O)$
I/O protection	
Voltage	30 VDC max
Reversed voltage	None

Short-circuit behavior		
Current	Channel Behavior	Module Protection
0 to 1 A	Channel does not trip	Module is not damaged
1 to 6 A	Channel does not trip	Module may be damaged
6 to 13 A	Channel may trip	Module may be damaged
>13 A	Channel trips	Module is not damaged

Short-circuit trip time	10 $\mu$ s at 13 A
Output delay time (full load)	
NI 9472	100 $\mu$ s max
NI 9474	1 $\mu$ s max
MTBF	
NI 9472	1,113,301 hours at 25 °C; Bellcore Issue 2, Method 1, Case 3, Limited Part Stress Method
NI 9474	479,889 hours at 25 °C; Bellcore Issue 2, Method 1, Case 3, Limited Part Stress Method



**Note** Contact NI for Bellcore MTBF specifications at other temperatures or for MIL-HDBK-217F specifications.

### NI 9472 Power Requirements

#### Power consumption from chassis

Active mode	230 mW max
Sleep mode	0.4 mW max

#### Thermal dissipation (at 70 °C)

Active mode	1.5 W max
Sleep mode	55 mW max

### NI 9474 Power Requirements

#### Power consumption from chassis

Active mode	660 mW max
Sleep mode	0.6 mW max

#### Thermal dissipation (at 70 °C)

Active mode	1.5 W max
Sleep mode	0.6 mW max

### Physical Characteristics

If you need to clean the module, wipe it with a dry towel.

Screw-terminal wiring	12 to 24 AWG copper conductor wire with 10 mm (0.39 in.) of insulation stripped from the end
Torque for screw terminals	0.5 to 0.6 N · m (4.4 to 5.3 lb · in.)
Ferrules	0.25 mm <sup>2</sup> to 2.5 mm <sup>2</sup>
Weight	
NI 9472/9474 with screw terminal	150 g (5.3 oz)
NI 9472 with DSUB	145 g (5.1 oz)

### Safety

#### NI 9472/9474 with Screw Terminal Safety Voltages

Connect only voltages that are within the following limits.

Channel-to-COM	30 VDC max
Isolation	
Channel-to-channel	None
Channel-to-earth ground	
Continuous	250 V <sub>rms</sub> , Measurement Category II
Withstand	2,300 V <sub>rms</sub> , verified by a 5 s dielectric withstand test

Measurement Category II is for measurements performed on circuits directly connected to the electrical distribution system. This category refers to local-level electrical distribution, such as that provided by a standard wall outlet (e.g., 115 V for U.S. or 230 V for Europe). Examples of Measurement Category II are measurements performed on household appliances, portable tools, and similar products.




**Caution** Do *not* connect the NI 9472/9474 with screw terminal to signals or use for measurements within Measurement Categories III or IV.

#### NI 9472 with DSUB Safety Voltages

Connect only voltages that are within the following limits.

Channel-to-COM	30 VDC max
Isolation	
Channel-to-channel	None
Channel-to-earth ground	
Continuous	60 VDC, Measurement Category I
Withstand	1,000 V <sub>rms</sub> , verified by a 5 s dielectric withstand test


Measurement Category I is for measurements performed on circuits not directly connected to the electrical distribution system referred to as MAINS <sup>1</sup> voltage. This category is for measurements of voltages from specially protected secondary circuits. Such voltage measurements include signal levels, special equipment, limited-energy parts of equipment, circuits powered by regulated low-voltage sources, and electronics.

 **Caution** Do *not* connect the NI 9472 with DSUB to signals or use for measurements within Measurement Categories II, III, or IV.

#### Safety Standards

This product is designed to meet the requirements of the following standards of safety for electrical equipment for measurement, control, and laboratory use:

- IEC 61010-1, EN 61010-1
- UL 61010-1, CSA 61010-1

 **Note** For UL and other safety certifications, refer to the product label or the *Online Product Certification* section.

#### Hazardous Locations

U.S. (UL)	Class I, Division 2, Groups A, B, C, D, T4; Class I, Zone 2, AEx nC IIC T4
Canada (C-UL)	Class I, Division 2, Groups A, B, C, D, T4; Class I, Zone 2, Ex nC IIC T4
Europe (DEMKO)	EEx nC IIC T4

#### Environmental

National Instruments C Series modules are intended for indoor use only but may be used outdoors if installed in a suitable enclosure. Refer to the manual for the chassis you are using for more information about meeting these specifications.

Operating temperature (IEC 60068-2-1, IEC 60068-2-2)	–40 to 70 °C
Storage temperature (IEC 60068-2-1, IEC 60068-2-2)	–40 to 85 °C
Ingress protection	IP 40
Operating humidity (IEC 60068-2-56)	10 to 90% RH, noncondensing
Storage humidity (IEC 60068-2-56)	5 to 95% RH, noncondensing
Maximum altitude	2,000 m
Pollution Degree (IEC 60664)	2

#### Shock and Vibration

To meet these specifications, you must panel mount the system. If you are using the NI 9472/9474 with screw terminal, you also must either affix ferrules to the ends of the terminal wires or use the NI 9932 backshell kit to protect the connections.

Operating vibration	
Random (IEC 60068-2-64)	5 g <sub>rms</sub> , 10 to 500 Hz
Sinusoidal (IEC 60068-2-6)	5 g, 10 to 500 Hz
Operating shock (IEC 60068-2-27)	30 g, 11 ms half sine, 50 g, 3 ms half sine, 18 shocks at 6 orientations

#### Electromagnetic Compatibility

This product is designed to meet the requirements of the following standards of EMC for electrical equipment for measurement, control, and laboratory use:


- EN 61326 EMC requirements; Industrial Immunity
- EN 55011 Emissions; Group 1, Class A
- CE, C-Tick, ICES, and FCC Part 15 Emissions; Class A

 **Note** For EMC compliance, operate this device with double-shielded cables.

#### CE Compliance

This product meets the essential requirements of applicable European Directives, as amended for CE marking, as follows:

- 2006/95/EC; Low-Voltage Directive (safety)
- 2004/108/EC; Electromagnetic Compatibility Directive (EMC)

 **Note** For the standards applied to assess the EMC of this product, refer to the *Online Product Certification* section.

#### Online Product Certification

Refer to the product Declaration of Conformity (DoC) for additional regulatory compliance information. To obtain product certifications and the DoC for this product, visit

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## Environmental Management

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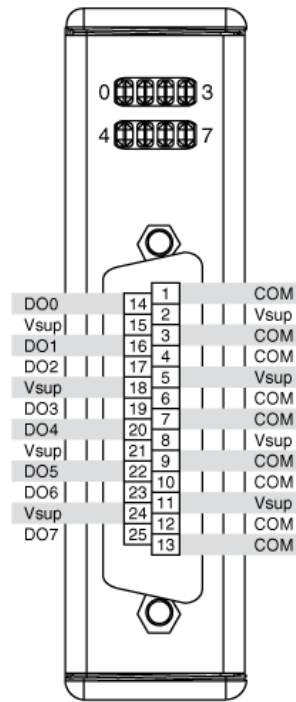


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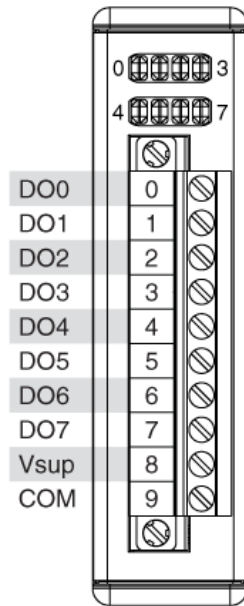
<sup>1</sup> MAINS is defined as the (hazardous live) electrical supply system to which equipment is designed to be connected for the purpose of powering the equipment. Suitably rated measuring circuits may be connected to the MAINS for measuring purposes.

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## Pinouts/Front Panel Connections



NI 9472/9474 with Screw Terminal



NI 9472 with DSUB

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