CTT Series - Digital Counter / Timer / Tachometer

Features

- Can operate as a digital counter, timer, combination timer + counter or tachometer
- Accepts voltage and non-voltage inputs from a wide variety of NPN, PNP, or dry contact sensors
- Selectable counting speeds from 1 to 10,000 cycles per second
- Multiple transistor and relay outputs can operate as momentary or maintained
- Double-line, 6-digit, 2-color LCD display
- Easy configuration with externally accessible DIP switches or the lockable keypad
- Display decimal point selection
- Available in 100-240VAC and 24VDC powered models
- UL508 listed (E311366), cULus, CE marked

A lot of functionality in one powerful little unit!

The CTT series is an extremely versatile multi-function device that is easily configured for operation as a digital counter, timer, combination timer + counter, or tachometer. Both voltage and non-voltage inputs are accepted from a wide variety of sensor types with NPN, PNP, or dry contact outputs. The first output on the CTT is a single-pole, single-throw relay and NPN transistor that operate concurrently. The second CTT output can be ordered as either a single-pole, double throw relay or NPN transistor. Parameters are easily set using the externally accessible DIP switches or the lockable keypad. The double-line, 6-digit, two-color LCD display shows the counter, timer, or tachometer present values, setting values and menu parameters during set-up. Additional individual indicators are provided for inputs, outputs and functions. The standard 1/16 DIN size, with included panel mounting clip and gasket, make panel mounting a snap. The CTT is available in 100-240VAC and 24VDC powered models.

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Digital Counter / Timer / Tachometer

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* Spare panel clips part number PANEL-16

Digital Counter / Timer / Tachometer General Specifications

- Input Power Requirements: 100 to 240 VAC 50/60 Hz, 24 VDC
- Operation Voltage Range: 85 to 264 VAC, 21.6 to 26.4 VDC
- Power Consumption: Less than 10VA
- Power Source: 12VDC ±10%, 100mA
- Display: Double-line, 6-digit LCD display (SV = 8mm, PV = 6mm)
- Input Signal: NPN ON impedance 1K ohm max., ON residual voltage: 2V max.
  - PNP 4.5 to 30VDC, low level: 0 to 2VDC
- Output 1: Relay: SPST max. 250VAC, 5A (resistive load), 4A (inductive load); Transistor: NPN open collector. When 100mA @ 30VDC, residual voltage = 1.5VDC max
- Output 2: CTT-1C-xxx Relay: SPDT max. 250VAC/30VDC, 5A (resistive load), 4A (inductive load)
  - CTT-AN-xxx Transistor: NPN open collector. When 100mA @ 30VDC residual voltage = 1.5VDC max
- Life Expectancy:
  - Mechanical: 10,000,000 operations (frequency 18,000 operations/hr)
  - Electrical: 100,000 operations (frequency 900 operations/hr)
- Output Duration (where used): 0.00 (latching) / 0.01 to 99.99 seconds
- Output Switching Time: 2 milliseconds max
- Dielectric Strength: 2000VAC 50/60 Hz for 1 minute
- Vibration Resistance: Without damage: 10 ~ 55 Hz, amplitude = 0.75 mm, 3 axes for 2 hours
- Shock Resistance: Without damage: drop 4 times, 300m/s² 3 edges, 6 surfaces and 1 corner
- Ambient Temperature: +32°F to +122°F (0°C to +50°C)
- Storage Temperature: -4°F to +149°F (-20°C to +65°C)
- Altitude: 2000m or less
- IP Rating: IP 66 (with proper enclosure installation)
- Case Materials: Case = ABS Plastic, Lens = Polycarbonate
- Ambient Humidity: 35% to 85% RH (non-condensing)
- Memory Backup upon Power Failure: EEPROM writing up to 100,000 times; Memory duration: 10 years
- Terminals: Conforming Wiring
  - Permitted Torque

Agency Approvals

- UL508 listed (E311366), cULus, CE marked

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Wiring

CTT-1C-D24  CTT-AN-D24  CTT-1C-A120  CTT-AN-A120

Relays and Timers

1-800-633-0405
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Display, Indicators & Keys

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mm [inches]
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Counter Mode

Counter Performance Specifications

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<td>Minimum reset input signal width 1ms or 20ms (selectable)</td>
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<td>Output Duration (flicker)</td>
<td>10-99990ms variable every 10ms</td>
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<td>Number of Digits</td>
<td>6 digits on each line</td>
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<td>Display</td>
<td>Current values: red LED, character height 8mm; Preset value: green LED character height 6mm</td>
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Counter Functions

1-Stage Counting

A single count setting value SV is available in 1-Stage Counting. Both Outputs 1 and 2 operate concurrently and will turn ON momentarily or will be maintained ON depending on the Output Mode selected.

2-Stage Counting

In 2-Stage Counting, count setting value SV1 controls Output 1 and count setting value SV2 controls Output 2. Outputs will turn ON momentarily or will be maintained ON depending on the output mode selected.

Batch Counting

In Batch Counting, count setting value SV controls Output 2 which will turn ON momentarily or will be maintained ON depending on the output mode selected. Count setting value BATCH SV controls Output 1 which will be maintained ON.

Total Counting

A single count setting value SV is available in Total Counting.

Dual Counting

A single count setting value SV is available in Dual Counting. Both Outputs 1 and 2 operate concurrently and will turn ON momentarily or will be maintained ON depending on the Output Mode selected.

Counter Input Modes

Counting Up

With the input signal OFF at input CP2, each leading edge of the input signal at CP1 will increment the count present value PV by 1. Turning ON the input signal at CP2 will prohibit the input signal at CP1 from incrementing the PV.

With the input signal ON at input CP1, each trailing edge of the input signal at CP2 will increment the count present value PV by 1. Turning OFF the input signal at CP1 will prohibit the input signal at CP1 from incrementing the PV.
Counting Down

With the input signal OFF at input CP2, each leading edge of the input signal at CP1 will decrement the count present value PV by 1. Turning ON the input signal at CP2 will prohibit the input signal at CP1 from decrementing the PV.

Counting Down

With the input signal ON at input CP1, each trailing edge of the input signal at CP2 will decrement the count present value PV by 1. Turning OFF the input signal at CP1 will prohibit the input signal at CP2 from decrementing the PV.

Counting Up / Command Counting Down

With the input signal OFF at input CP2, each leading edge of the input signal at CP1 will increment the count present value PV by 1. Turning ON the input signal at CP2 will prohibit the input signal at CP1 from incrementing the PV.

Counting Up / Counting Down

Each leading edge of the input signal at CP1 will increment the count present value PV by 1.

Each leading edge of the input signal at CP2 will decrement the count present value PV by 1.

Quadrature

When the quadrature input signal at CP1 leads the input signal at CP2, the trailing edge of CP2 will increment the count present value PV by 1.

When the quadrature input signal at CP2 leads the input signal at CP1, the leading edge of CP2 will decrement the count present value PV by 1.

Addition

Each leading edge of the input signal at CP1 will increment the count present value PV by 1.

Each leading edge of the input signal at CP1 will increment the count present value PV by 1.

Subtraction

Each leading edge of the input signal at CP1 will increment the count present value PV by 1.

Each leading edge of the input signal at CP2 will decrement the count present value PV by 1.
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Timer Mode

Timer Performance Specifications

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Display
- Elapsed time / remaining time
- Power ON start max 
- Power OFF start max
- Signal start max
- Signal Off start max

External Reset
- Minimum reset input signal width 1ms or 20ms (selectable)

Output Duration (flicker)
- 10-9,999ms variable every 10ms

Timing Charts

Signal On Delay 1

With power applied to the CTT, the leading edge of the input signal at START will begin the timing period setting value SV (timing up or down based on parameter SV MODE or by DIP switch 2). At the end of the timing period both outputs will turn ON momentarily for the time set in the output pulse width parameter (OUTP1) or be maintained ON if the output pulse width parameter (OUTP2) is set to 0.00. The trailing edge of the “start” signal has no effect on the outputs or timing period.

The leading edge of a “reset” input signal at RST1 will turn OFF the outputs and reset the timing period. The “reset” signal minimum pulse width is set by reset pulse width parameter (RSTP) or DIP Switch 8.

The leading edge of a “pause” input signal at GATE will pause the timing period after it has been started. The timing period will continue after the trailing edge of the external switch “pause” (Gate) signal.

When power is removed, both outputs will turn OFF and the timing period will be reset.
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Signal On Delay 2 (Sond2)

With power applied to the CTT, the leading edge of the input signal at START will begin the timing period setting value SV (timing up or down based on parameter \( t_{modE} \) or by DIP switch 2). At the end of the timing period both outputs will turn ON momentarily for the time set in the output pulse width parameter \( t_{out1} \) or will be maintained ON if the output pulse width parameter \( t_{out1} \) is set to 0.00. The trailing edge of the “start” signal will turn OFF the outputs and reset the timing period.

The leading edge of a “reset” input signal at RST1 will turn OFF the outputs and reset the timing period. The “reset” signal minimum pulse width is set by reset pulse width parameter \( r_{Sr} \) or DIP Switch 8.

The leading edge of a “pause” input signal at GATE will pause the timing period after it has been started. The timing period will continue after the trailing edge of the external switch “pause” (Gate) signal.

When power is removed, both outputs will turn OFF and the timing period will be reset.

Signal Off Delay (Soffd)

With power applied to the CTT, the leading edge of the input signal at START will immediately turn ON the outputs. The trailing edge of the “start” signal will begin the timing period setting value SV (timing up or down based on parameter \( t_{modE} \) or by DIP switch 2). At the end of the timing period both outputs will turn OFF. The leading edge of a “start” signal applied during a previously initiated timing period will reset the timing period.

The leading edge of a “reset” input signal at RST1 will turn OFF the outputs and reset the timing period. The “reset” signal minimum pulse width is set by reset pulse width parameter \( r_{Sr} \) or DIP Switch 8.

The leading edge of a “pause” input signal at GATE will pause the timing period after it has been started. The timing period will continue after the trailing edge of the external switch “pause” (Gate) signal.

When power is removed, both outputs will turn OFF and the timing period will be reset.

Signal On (Son)

With power applied to the CTT, the leading edge of the input signal at START will immediately turn ON the outputs and begin the timing period setting value SV (timing up or down based on parameter \( t_{modE} \) or by DIP switch 2). The trailing edge of the “start” signal has no effect on the outputs or timing period. At the end of the timing period both outputs will turn OFF and the timing period will reset. The leading edge of a “start” signal applied during a previously initiated timing period will not reset the timing period.

The leading edge of a “reset” input signal at RST1 will turn OFF the outputs and reset the timing period. The “reset” signal minimum pulse width is set by reset pulse width parameter \( r_{Sr} \) or DIP Switch 8.

The leading edge of a “pause” input signal at GATE will pause the timing period after it has been started. The timing period will continue after the trailing edge of the external switch “pause” (Gate) signal.

When power is removed, both outputs will turn OFF and the timing period will be reset.
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Power On Delay (PonD)

When power is applied to the CTT, the timing period setting value SV will begin (timing up or down based on parameter (tMOD)). At the end of the timing period both outputs will turn ON momentarily for the time set in the output pulse width parameter (TOUT1) or will be maintained ON if the output pulse width parameter (TOUT1) is set to 0.00.

The leading edge of a “reset” input signal at RST1 will turn OFF the outputs and reset the timing period. The “reset” signal minimum pulse width is set by reset pulse width parameter (RTSR).

The leading edge of a “pause” input signal at GATE or signal at START will pause the timing period after it has been started. The timing period will continue after the trailing edge of the external switch “pause” (Gate) or “start” signal.

When power is removed, both outputs will turn OFF and the timing period will be reset.

Power On Delay HOLD (PonDH)

When power is applied to the CTT, the timing period setting value SV will begin (timing up or down based on parameter (tMOD)). At the end of the timing period both outputs will turn ON momentarily for the time set in the output pulse width parameter (TOUT1) or will be maintained ON if the output pulse width parameter (TOUT1) is set to 0.00.

The leading edge of a “reset” input signal at RST1 will turn OFF the outputs and reset the timing period. The “reset” signal minimum pulse width is set by reset pulse width parameter (RTSR).

The leading edge of a “pause” input signal at GATE or signal at START will pause the timing period after it has been started. The timing period will continue after the trailing edge of the external switch “pause” (Gate) or “start” signal.

When power is removed, both outputs will turn OFF. The last state of the outputs and the last value of the current timing period will be “stored” in eeprom when power is removed. When power is reapplied the outputs will return to their last state and timing will resume from the last value of the timing period.
**Repeat Cycle (rCy)**

With power applied to the CTT, the leading edge of the input signal at START will begin the timing period setting value SV (timing up or down based on parameter t modE). At the end of the timing period, the timing period will reset and repeat automatically.

If the output pulse width parameter tout1 is set to 0.00 both outputs will turn ON at the end of the first timing period, turn OFF at the end of the next timing period, turn ON at the end of the next timing period, etc.

If the output pulse width parameter tout1 is set to >0.00 both outputs will turn ON momentarily for the time set in the output pulse width parameter tout1 at the beginning of each timing period.

The trailing edge of the “start” signal has no effect on the outputs or timing period.

The leading edge of a “reset” input signal at RST1 will turn OFF the outputs and reset the timing period. The “reset” signal minimum pulse width is set by reset pulse width parameter rtSr. The leading edge of a new “start” signal is necessary to restart the cycle.

The trailing edge of a “pause” input signal at GATE will pause the timing period after it has been started. The timing period will continue after the trailing edge of the external switch “pause” (Gate) signal.

When power is removed, both outputs will turn OFF and the timing period will be reset.

**Repeat Cycle HOLD (rCyH)**

With power applied to the CTT, the leading edge of the input signal at START will begin the timing period setting value SV (timing up or down based on parameter t modE). At the end of the timing period, the timing period will reset and repeat automatically.

If the output pulse width parameter tout1 is set to 0, both outputs will turn ON at the end of the first timing period, turn OFF at the end of the next timing period, turn ON at the end of the next timing period, etc.

If the output pulse width parameter tout1 is set to >0.00, both outputs will turn ON momentarily for the time set in the output pulse width parameter tout1 at the beginning of each timing period.

The trailing edge of the “start” signal has no effect on the outputs or timing period.
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Repeat Cycle 2 (rCy2)

With power applied to the CTT, the leading edge of the input signal at START will begin the timing period timing up or down based on parameter (t modE). At the end of the timing period, the timing period will reset and repeat automatically.

Both outputs will turn ON at the beginning of the first timing period and turn OFF when the timing period reaches time period setting SV2. The outputs will turn ON again when the time period reaches time period setting SV1.

The trailing edge of the “start” signal has no effect on the outputs or timing period.

The leading edge of a “reset” input signal at RST1 will turn OFF the outputs and reset the timing period. The “reset” signal minimum pulse width is set by reset pulse width parameter (rtSr). The leading edge of a new “start” signal is necessary to restart the cycle.

The leading edge of a “pause” input signal at GATE will pause the timing period after it has been started. The timing period will continue after the trailing edge of the external switch “pause” (Gate) signal.

When power is removed, both outputs will turn OFF and the timing period will be reset.

Signal Cumulate (SCon)

With power applied to the CTT, the leading edge of the input signal at START will begin the timing period setting value SV timing up or down based on parameter (t modE). The trailing edge of the “start” signal will pause the timing period. The leading edge of a subsequent “start” signal will resume timing from the last value of the timing period. At the end of the timing period both outputs will turn ON.

The leading edge of a “reset” input signal at RST1 will turn OFF the outputs and reset the timing period. The “reset” signal minimum pulse width is set by reset pulse width parameter (rtSr).

The leading edge of a “pause” input signal at GATE will pause the timing period after it has been started. The timing period will continue after the trailing edge of the external switch “pause” (Gate) signal.

When power is removed, both outputs will turn OFF. The last state of the outputs and the last value of the current timing period will be “stored” when power is removed. When power is reapplied the outputs will return to their last state and timing will resume from the last value of the timing period by the leading edge of a new “start” signal.
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Signal Twin ON-Start (St-on)

With power applied to the CTT, the leading edge of the input signal at START will turn ON the outputs and begin the timing period timing up or down based on parameter (t modE). When the timing period reaches time setting SV2 the outputs will turn OFF and the time period will reset and restart automatically. When the time period now reaches time setting SV1 the outputs will turn ON again and the time period will reset and repeat automatically.

The trailing edge of the “start” signal has no effect on the outputs or timing period.

The leading edge of a “reset” input signal at RST1 will turn OFF the outputs and reset the timing period. The “reset” signal minimum pulse width is set by reset pulse width parameter (rtSr). The leading edge of a new “start” signal is necessary to restart the cycle.

The leading edge of a “pause” input signal at GATE will pause the timing period after it has been started. The timing period will continue after the trailing edge of the external switch “pause” (Gate) signal.

When power is removed, both outputs will turn OFF and the timing period will be reset.

Signal Twin OFF-Start (St-off)

With power applied to the CTT, the leading edge of an input signal at START will begin the timing period timing up or down based on parameter (t modE). When the timing period reaches time setting SV1 the outputs will turn ON and the time period will reset and restart automatically. When the time period now reaches time setting SV2 the outputs will turn OFF again and the time period will reset and repeat automatically.

The trailing edge of the “start” signal has no effect on the outputs or timing period.

The leading edge of a “reset” input signal at RST1 will turn OFF the outputs and reset the timing period. The “reset” signal minimum pulse width is set by reset pulse width parameter (rtSr). The leading edge of a new “start” signal is necessary to restart the cycle.

The leading edge of a “pause” input signal at GATE will pause the timing period after it has been started. The timing period will continue after the trailing edge of the external switch “pause” (Gate) signal.

When power is removed, both outputs will turn OFF and the timing period will be reset.
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Tachometer Mode

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Counter Example:

Using the counter feature of the CTT to count the total number of pieces in a box to signal a conveyor to advance to the next station.

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Timer Example:
A basic Timer used to control the clamp time of a compression model press. When the operator signals, the mold is loaded with material. When a start button is pressed, the hydraulic cylinder closes the press to make a limit switch which starts the CTT timing. Upon completion of the timer cycle, Output 1 is turned on and the press is opened by the hydraulic cylinder.

Tachometer Example:
Using PSSCALE to convert pulses into engineering units
The PSSCALE feature of the CTT is very useful in converting the pulsed signal from an encoder or sensor into a usable unit of measurement.
For example, if connecting a proximity switch to the CTT to monitor the speed of a motor using a sensing gear, there is a simple calculation to convert the pulses from the sensor to Motor RPMs.
Using the following formula, you can calculate a PSSCALE value to change a pulse signal into RPMs. First, obtain the pulses per revolution (ppr) or number of teeth on the sensing gear.

For example, in the illustration below, there are 38 teeth on the gear or 38 ppr. If the gear is coupled directly to the motor, this is all that is required to perform the calculation.
PSSCALE = 60/ppr or 60/38
PSSCALE = 1.579
With the PSSCALE set to 1.579 for every 38 input cycles the CTT will display a value of 1.