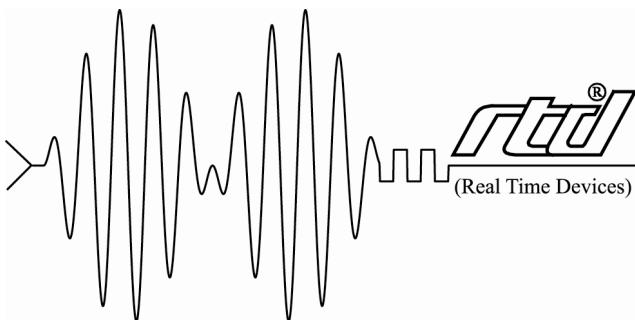


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User's Manual



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Introduction

Product Overview

The multiPort Floppy Drive is designed to provide floppy drive support to the RTD line of cpuModules. Selected cpuModules are capable of providing the floppy drive signals on the parallel port connector, or “multiPort.” This floppy drive then attaches to the multiPort. There is no software or BIOS emulation, so the floppy drive appears to the operating system as a standard floppy drive.

Board Features

Floppy Drive Features

- Standard Floppy Drive interface can be used with any operating system
- Includes Floppy Drive and all required cables.
- Can be mounted in a 3.5” drive bay

Physical Attributes

- Cable Length: 12 inches
- Size: 6.00”L x 4.00”W x 1.00”H (152mm L x 102mm W x 25mm H)
- Weight: 1.0 lbs (454 g)
- Operating Temperature: 4° C to +50° C
- Storage Temperature: -22° C to +60° C
- Power Requirements:
 - Max: 5.5 W @ +5 VDC
 - Typical: 3.0 W @ +5 VDC

Available Options

The multiPort Floppy Drive is available in the following cable kits.

XK-CM49

- Configured for “bare board” applications
- Includes cable to attach to 26-pin, 0.100” DIL multiPort
- Includes cable to attach to 26-pin, 2mm DIL multiPort
- Includes power cable

IDAN-IFK-3

- Configured for IDAN applications.
- Includes cable to attach to DB-25 multiPort
- Includes power cable

Getting Technical Support

For help with this product, or any other product made by RTD, you can contact RTD Embedded Technologies via the following methods:

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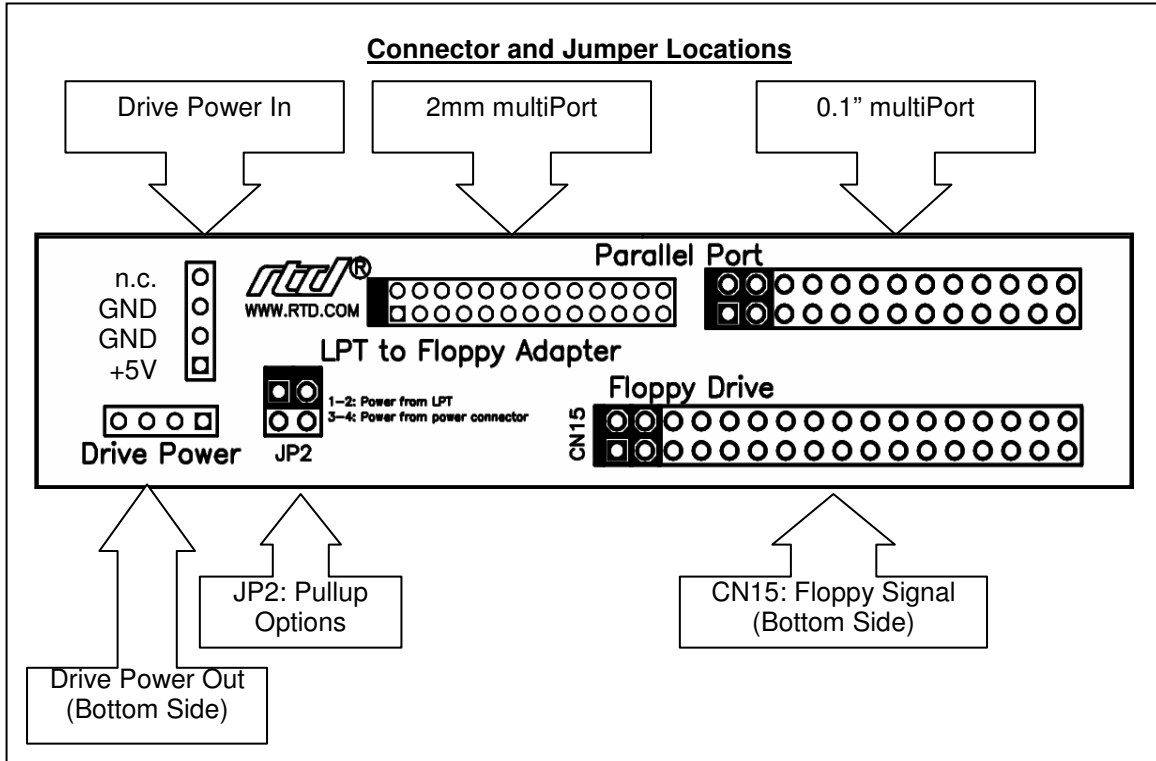
E-Mail: techsupport@rtd.com

Be sure to check the RTD web site (<http://www.rtd.com>) frequently for product updates, including newer versions of the board manual and application software.

Board Hardware

Connector and Jumper Locations

The following diagram shows the location of all connectors and jumpers on the multiPort Floppy Drive. For a description of each jumper and connector, refer to the following sections.



Jumpers

The following sections describe the jumper configuration options available on the multiPort Floppy Drive.

JP2 – Pullup Options Jumper (Default = 3-4)

Several of the floppy drive signals require pullup resistor in order to operate properly. These pullup resistors are provided on the multiPort Floppy Drive board. They can be powered either from the floppy drive power connector, or from the power signal on the multiPort. The default configuration should be used for all applications.

JP2	Description
1-2	Pullups powered from multiPort
3-4	Pullups powered from power connector (default)

External I/O Connections

The following sections describe the external I/O connections of the multiPort Floppy Drive.

Drive Power In

This connects to a standard floppy drive power connector. It supplies power to the drive, and can also supply power to the on-board pull-up resistors. The pin assignments for the power connector are:

Note: Pin 1 can be identified by a square solder pad.

Pin	Signal	Wire Color
1	+5V	Red
2	GND	Black
3	GND	Black
4	12V(n.c.)	Yellow

multiPort Connectors

Two connectors are provided for the multiPort to accommodate the full line of cpuModules. One connector has 0.1" pin spacing and the other has 2mm pin spacing. Only one connector should be used at a time. The pin assignments are the same for both, and are as follows:

Note: Pin 1 can be identified by a square solder pad. Pins 2 – 10 have round solder pads.

Pin	DB25	Function
1	1	-
2	14	DR0
3	2	INDEX#
4	15	HDSEL#
5	3	TRK0#
6	16	DIR#
7	4	WRTPRT#
8	17	STEP#
9	5	RDATA#
10	18	GND
11	6	DSKCHG
12	19	GND
13	7	-
14	20	GND
15	8	-
16	21	GND
17	9	-
18	22	GND
19	10	DS1#
20	23	GND
21	11	MTR#
22	24	GND
24	25	GND
25	13	WGATE#
26	-	+5V

Drive Power Out

This connector mates to the power connector on the floppy drive. It is a direct connection to the Drive Power In connector.

Floppy Signals Connector

This is a standard 34-pin floppy drive connector. It mates with the signal connector of the floppy drive. All of the signals for this connector are provided by the multiPort connector.

Board Installation

Installing the Hardware

The multiPort Floppy Drive can be attached to any RTD cpuModule that supports floppy through the multiPort. It can be attached either directly to the cpuModule, or to the multiPort connector on an IDAN frame.

Static Precautions

Keep your drive in its antistatic bag until you are ready to install it into your system! When removing it from the bag, hold the drive at the edges and do not touch the components or connectors. Handle the board in an antistatic environment and use a grounded workbench for testing and handling of your hardware.

Steps for Installing

1. Shut down the PC/104 system and unplug the power cord.
2. Ground yourself with an anti-static strap.
3. Set the jumpers as described in the previous chapter.
4. Attach the appropriate cable between the drive and the cpuModule.
5. Boot the system and setup the BIOS as described in the manual for the cpuModule.
6. Verify that all of the hardware is working properly.

BIOS Configuration

After physically installing the drive, the cpuModule BIOS must be configured to use it. The settings that need to be changed depend on the cpuModule used. Check the “multiPort: Floppy Controller Mode” section of the cpuModule manual for the appropriate setting for your cpuModule.

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