

DEVICE SPECIFICATIONS

# NI PXIe-2524

## Multibank Configurable 1-wire Multiplexer

This document lists specifications for the NI PXIe-2524 (NI 2524) multiplexer relay module. All specifications are subject to change without notice. Visit [ni.com/manuals](http://ni.com/manuals) for the most current specifications.

Topology.....	1-wire 16 Bank $8 \times 1$ , 1-wire Octal $16 \times 1$ , 1-wire Quad $32 \times 1$ , 1-wire Dual $64 \times 1$ , 1-wire $128 \times 1$
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## About These Specifications

*Specifications* characterize the warranted performance of the instrument under the stated operating conditions.

*Typical Specifications* are specifications met by the majority of the instrument under the stated operating conditions and are tested at 23 °C ambient temperature. Typical specifications are not warranted.

All voltages are specified in DC, AC<sub>pk</sub>, or a combination unless otherwise specified.



**Caution** The protection provided by the NI 2524 can be impaired if it is used in a manner not described in this document.

## Input Characteristics

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### Maximum switching voltage

Channel-to-channel.....150 V

Channel-to-ground.....150 V, CAT O



**Note** This module is rated for Measurement Category I. It is intended to carry signal voltages no greater than 150 V. This module can withstand up to 800 V impulse voltage. Do not use this module for connection to signals or for measurements within Categories II, III, or IV. Do not connect to MAINS supply circuits (for example, wall outlets) of 115 VAC or 230 VAC. Refer to the *Read Me First: Safety and Electromagnetic Compatibility* document for more information about measurement categories.

Measurement Categories CAT I and CAT O (Other) are equivalent and are for measurements performed on circuits not directly connected to the electrical distribution system referred to as MAINS voltage. This category is for measurement of voltages from specially protected secondary circuits. Such voltage measurements include signal levels, special hardware, limited-energy parts of hardware, circuits powered by regulated low-voltage sources, and electronics.



**Caution** When hazardous voltages ( $>42.4 V_{pk}/60 \text{ VDC}$ ) are present on any channel, safety low-voltage ( $\leq 42.4 V_{pk}/60 \text{ VDC}$ ) cannot be connected to any other channel.

Maximum switching power.....60 W, 62.5 VA



**Caution** The switching power is limited by the maximum switching current, the maximum voltage, and must not exceed 60 W, 62.5 VA.

CH-COM DC isolation resistance..... $>1 \text{ G}\Omega$ , typical at 25 °C

### Maximum current

Switching.....2 A (per channel)

Carry.....2 A (per channel)

Minimum switch load.....20 mV/1 mA



**Note** The NI 2524 is not recommended for 2-wire resistance measurements.



**Note** Switching inductive loads (for example, motors and solenoids) can produce high voltage transients in excess of the module's rated voltage. Without additional protection, these transients can interfere with module operation and impact relay life. For more information about transient suppression, visit [ni.com/info](https://ni.com/info) and enter the Info Code `relayflyback`.

#### DC path resistance

Initial..... $<0.8\ \Omega$   
End-of-life..... $\geq 1.8\ \Omega$

DC path resistance is a combination of relay contact resistance and trace resistance. Measure path resistance by combining the resistance of the high and low signal paths from one row to one column. Contact resistance typically remains low for the life of a relay. At the end of relay life, the contact resistance rises rapidly above  $\geq 1.8\ \Omega$ .

Thermal EMF..... $<10\ \mu\text{V}$

## RF Performance Characteristics

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Bandwidth (-3 dB, typical at 23 °C)..... $\leq 10\ \text{MHz}$   
50  $\Omega$  termination

Open channel isolation (typical at 23 °C) 50  $\Omega$   
termination

10 kHz..... $\geq 65\ \text{dB}$   
100 kHz..... $\geq 59\ \text{dB}$   
1 MHz..... $\geq 37\ \text{dB}$

Channel-to-channel crosstalk (typical at 23 °C)  
50  $\Omega$  termination

10 kHz..... $\leq -68\ \text{dB}$   
100 kHz..... $\leq -55\ \text{dB}$   
1 MHz..... $\leq -36\ \text{dB}$

# Dynamic Characteristics

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## Relay operate time

Typical.....	1 ms
Maximum.....	3.2 ms
Simultaneous drive limit.....	90 relays

## Expected relay life

Mechanical.....	$1 \times 10^8$ cycles
Electrical	
$\leq 30$ mV, $\leq 10$ mA resistive.....	$2.5 \times 10^6$ cycles
30 V, 1 A.....	$5 \times 10^5$ cycles
30 V, 2 A.....	$1 \times 10^5$ cycles
60 VDC, 1 ADC resistive.....	$1 \times 10^5$ cycles



**Note** Relays are field replaceable. Refer to the NI Switches Help at [ni.com/manuals](https://ni.com/manuals) for more information about replacing a failed relay.

# Physical Characteristics

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Relay type.....	Electromechanical, non-latching
Relay contact material.....	Palladium-ruthenium, gold covered
Front panel connector.....	160 DIN 41612, 160 positions, male
Power requirement	
PXI Express	
12 V.....	24 W
3.3 V.....	3.4 W
Dimensions (L × W × H).....	3U, one slot, PXI/cPCI module, PXI Express compatible 21.6 cm × 2.0 cm × 13.0 cm (8.5 in. × 0.8 in. × 5.1 in.)
Weight.....	241 g (8.5 oz)

# Environment

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Maximum altitude.....2,000 m (800 mbar) (at 25 °C ambient temperature)

Pollution Degree.....2

Indoor use only.

## Operating Environment

Ambient temperature range.....0 °C to 55 °C (Tested in accordance with IEC 60068-2-1 and IEC 60068-2-2. Meets MIL-PRF-28800F Class 3 low temperature limit and MIL-PRF-28800F Class 2 high temperature limit.)

Relative humidity range.....10% to 90%, noncondensing (Tested in accordance with IEC 60068-2-56.)

## Storage Environment

Ambient temperature range.....-40 °C to 71 °C (Tested in accordance with IEC 60068-2-1 and IEC 60068-2-2. Meets MIL-PRF-28800F Class 3 limits.)

Relative humidity range.....5% to 95%, noncondensing (Tested in accordance with IEC 60068-2-56.)

## Shock and Vibration

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Operating shock.....30 g peak, half-sine, 11 ms pulse (Tested in accordance with IEC 60068-2-27. Meets MIL-PRF-28800F Class 2 limits.)

Random vibration

    Operating.....5 Hz to 500 Hz, 0.3 g<sub>rms</sub>

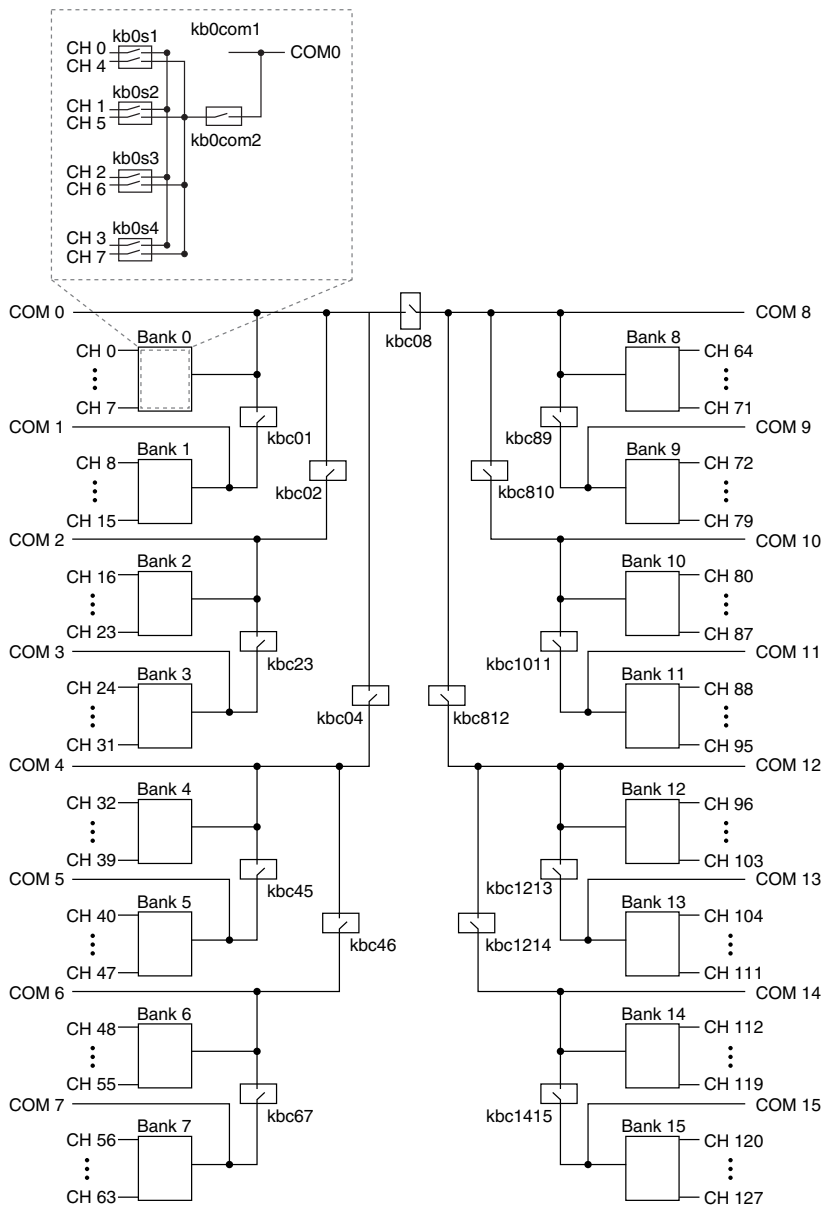
    Nonoperating.....5 Hz to 500 Hz, 2.4 g<sub>rms</sub> (Tested in accordance with IEC 60068-2-64. Nonoperating test profile exceeds the requirements of MIL-PRF-28800F, Class 3.)

# Diagrams

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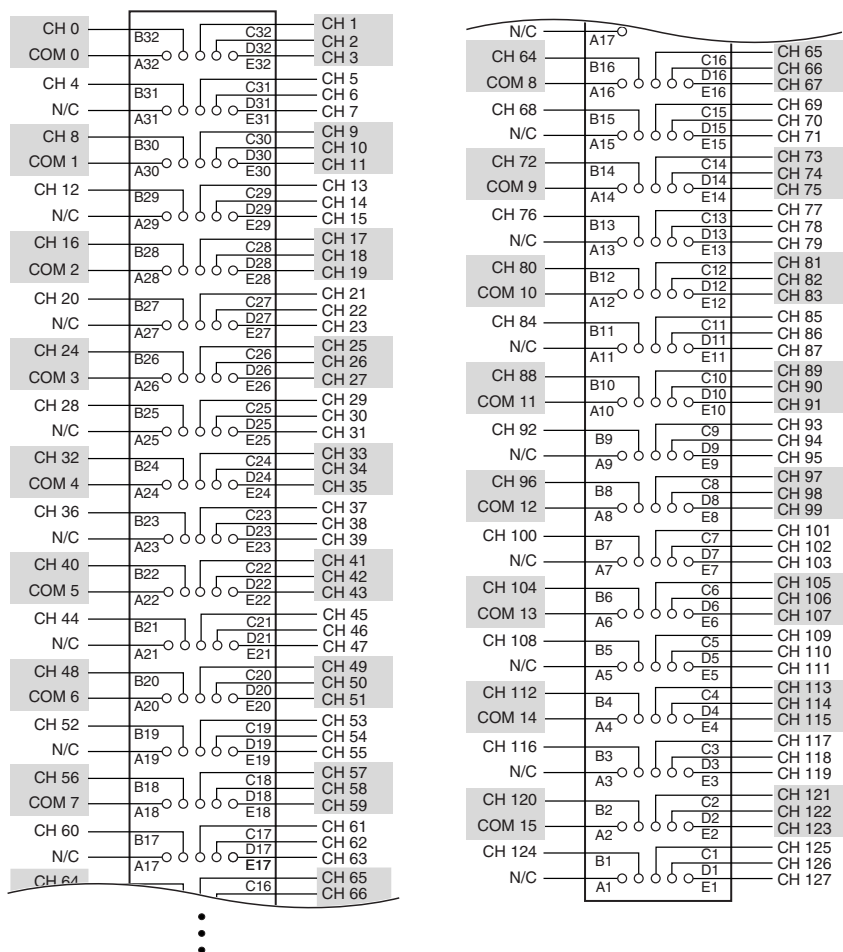
The following figure shows the NI 2524 power-on state.

Figure 1. NI 2524 Power-On State



The following figure shows the NI 2524 connector pinout.

**Figure 2. NI 2524 Connector Pinout**





**Table 1.** NI Accessories for the NI 2524 (Continued)

Accessory	Part Number
DIN160 to bare wire switch cable, 1 m	782417-01
Relay replacement kit for IME02TS Relays	782461-10

## Compliance and Certifications

### Safety

This product is designed to meet the requirements of the following electrical equipment safety standards 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.

### Electromagnetic Compatibility

This product meets the requirements of the following EMC standards for electrical equipment for measurement, control, and laboratory use:

- EN 61326-1 (IEC 61326-1): Class A emissions; Basic immunity
- EN 55011 (CISPR 11): Group 1, Class A emissions
- EN 55022 (CISPR 22): Class A emissions
- EN 55024 (CISPR 24): Immunity
- AS/NZS CISPR 11: Group 1, Class A emissions
- AS/NZS CISPR 22: Class A emissions
- FCC 47 CFR Part 15B: Class A emissions
- ICES-001: Class A emissions



**Note** In the United States (per FCC 47 CFR), Class A equipment is intended for use in commercial, light-industrial, and heavy-industrial locations. In Europe, Canada, Australia, and New Zealand (per CISPR 11), Class A equipment is intended for use only in heavy-industrial locations.



**Note** Group 1 equipment (per CISPR 11) is any industrial, scientific, or medical equipment that does not intentionally generate radio frequency energy for the treatment of material or inspection/analysis purposes.



**Note** For EMC declarations, certifications, and additional information, refer to the [Online Product Certification](#) section.

# CE Compliance

This product meets the essential requirements of applicable European Directives, as follows:

- 2006/95/EC; Low-Voltage Directive (safety)
- 2014/30/EU; Electromagnetic Compatibility Directive (EMC)

## 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 [ni.com/certification](http://ni.com/certification), search by model number or product line, and click the appropriate link in the Certification column.

## Environmental Management

NI is committed to designing and manufacturing products in an environmentally responsible manner. NI recognizes that eliminating certain hazardous substances from our products is beneficial to the environment and to NI customers.

For additional environmental information, refer to the *Minimize Our Environmental Impact* web page at [ni.com/environment](http://ni.com/environment). This page contains the environmental regulations and directives with which NI complies, as well as other environmental information not included in this document.

## Waste Electrical and Electronic Equipment (WEEE)



**EU Customers** At the end of the product life cycle, all NI products must be disposed of according to local laws and regulations. For more information about how to recycle NI products in your region, visit [ni.com/environment/weee](http://ni.com/environment/weee).

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