F370 DIGITAL INDICATOR

OPERATION MANUAL



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Cautions and Requests for Use

- Do not disassemble the main body for modifications or repair.
- Be sure to use crimp contacts for connection to terminal blocks, and do not to connect bare wires as they are.
- Be sure to ground the protective ground terminal.
- Be sure to disconnect the power cable when performing the following.
 - Attachment/detachment of connectors of options.
 - Wiring/connection of cables to terminal blocks.
 - Connection of the ground line.
- Carefully check wiring, etc. before applying power.
- Take an interval of more than 5 seconds when repeating ON/OFF.
- Take adequate shielding measures when using at the following locations.
 - Near a power line.
 - Where a strong electric field or magnetic field is formed.
 - Where static electricity, relay noise or the like is generated.
- Do not install in the following environments.
 - Place s exposed to direct sunlight.
 - Where the temperature and/or humidity exceeds the range in the specifications.
 - Place s containing corrosive gas or flammable gas.
 - Place s with large quantities of dust, salt or iron powder.
 - Where the product may be splashed with water, oil or chemicals.
 - Where the main body is directly affected by vibration or shock.
- Set the correct Excitation Voltage for the sensor. (2.5V is set when F370 is dispatched from us.)

Safety Precautions

Indications for safe use and their meanings

In this manual, precautions for using the F370 digital indicator safely are indicated as follows. Be sure to follow the precautions given here because they are important descriptions relating to safety.

Indications and their meanings are as follows:

MARNING

Misuse may cause the risk of death or serious injury to persons.

A CAUTION

Misuse may cause the risk of injury to persons or damage to property.

Explanation of pictographs



The \triangle means a caution (or warning).

A specific description is written in the \triangle .

The illustration on the left-hand side shows "Caution: May explode".



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The illustration on the left-hand side shows a general caution.

About the built-in lithium battery



• About the signal I/O terminal block



For connection to the signal I/O terminal block, wire correctly after checking the signal names and terminal block numbers.

Also, turn off the power of the main body before connection/wiring to the signal I/O terminal block.

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1. APPEARANCE DESCRIPTION

1-1. Front Panel



1-1-1. Touch Panel Display

This is the touch panel display for displaying an indicated value and graph set value and for setting various setting items of the F370. During measurement, a comparison display, hold display and graph display can be selected according to the function in use.



1-1-2. Power Lamp

This lamp lights when the power to the F370 is on.

1-2. Rear Panel



1-2-1. Signal I/O Terminal Block

			-		
D/Z	In	A11	B11	SIF	Out
H/M	In	A10	B10	SIF	Out
T/H	In	A9	B9	ST/SP	In
CODE2	In	A8	B8	CODE3	In
CODE0	In	A7	B7	CODE1	In
COM2	*	A6	B6	H/E	Out
HH	Out	A5	B5	LL	Out
HI	Out	A4	B4	LO	Out
COM1	*	A3	B3	OK	Out
-EXC	Out	A2	B2	-SIG	In
+EXC	Out	A1	B1	+SIG	In

Pin assignments

+EXC	The terminal for connecting to a strain-gage sensor.
-EXC	
+SIG	
-SIG	

See the section on Load Cell Connection page 10 for connection.

COM1	The terminal common to output signals.			
OK HI LO HH LL	Outputs the OK signal. Outputs the HI signal. Outputs the LO signal. Outputs the HH signal. Outputs the LL signal. \rightarrow page 37COMPARISON FUNCTIONSJ			
H/E	Outputs the hold end signal. \rightarrow page44 [HOLD FUNCTIONS]			

See the section on External I/O Connection page 12 for connection.

COM2	The terminal common to input signals.			
CODE0	Selects the CH No. for the multi-hold function.			
CODE1	_			
CODE2	\rightarrow page65 [MULTI-HOLD FUNCTION]			
CODE3				
T/H				
H/M	The input for controlling the hold signal. \rightarrow page44 [HOLD FUNCTIONS]			
D/Z	The input for digital zero (making the indicated value zero). \rightarrow page28 \[Digital Zero]\]			
ST/SP	The graphic display start/stop signal.			
	\rightarrow page69 「Graph Plotting」			

See the section on External I/O Connection page 12 for connection.

SI/F	The 2-wire serial interface for coupling a UNIPULSE printer, external display, etc.

See the section on SI/F Connection page 11 for connection.



Use TMEV1.25-3S crimp contacts (attached) made by NTM or equivalent for connection to the signal I/O terminal block and the AC power source input terminal block.

1-2-2. AC Power Source Input Terminal Block

Connect the AC power cord. The input voltage is 100V - 240V AC, and the frequency is 50/60Hz.

1-2-3. Frame Ground (Functional ground)

This is a ground terminal block. Be sure to ground the F.G. terminal to prevent electric shocks and failures due to static electricity.

1-2-4. Optional Slot

Any one of the following optional boards can be mounted.

- BCD data output
- RS-232C communication interface
- D/A converter
- RS-485
- CC-Link interface (CC-Link is an abbreviation for "Control & Communication Link".)
- Device Net interface

2. SETTING MODES

2-1. F370 Screen Configuration



With the NEXT key on the set value entry screen, the next set value entry screen appears.



2-2. Setting Modes Tree





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2-3. About a Setting Call

In this manual, a setting function call is described as follows.

Calibration Protection

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		Mode		Page

This call can be made by the following procedure.

1) Press the MODE button on the ordinary display screen.



2) The mode setting screen appears. Select the mode.



Modes are as follows:

- · Operation setting
- Hold
- Calibration
- System
- Comparison setting
- Graph setting
- Option
- 3) The setting function setting screen appears. Select the function.



3. CONNECTION

3-1. Connection with Power Source Input Terminal

AC spec.



Connect AC power code attached to the terminal.

Voltage input : AC100V - 240V Frequency : 50/ 60Hz



DC spec. (Depending on the request at the time of order)



Connect the positive (+) side of the power source to the red screw side of the terminal block on the back of the F370, and its negative (-) side to the black screw side. The input voltage is 12V - 24V DC.



Be aware that the voltage drops depending on the wire thickness and length. Also, never input an AC power source. Doing so will cause a failure.



3-2. Load Cell Connection

4-wire sensor



6-wire sensor

Short-circuit +EXC with +S and -EXC with -S for connecting a 6-wire strain-gage sensor.



3-3. SI/F Connection

The 2-wire serial interface has connective ability for coupling a UNIPULSE printer, external display, etc.

The interface is nonpolarized and up to three external instruments may be connected. A two-core parallel cable or a cabtyre cable may be used for connection.



 $\leftarrow \text{Inside} \mid \text{Outside} \rightarrow$



3-4. External I/O Connection

3-4-1. External Output Connection

The external output circuit is operated through an open collector. A3 COM1 is the common terminal. The open collector output capacity is 30mA and the withstand voltage is up to 30V.

Equivalent circuit



3-4-2. External Input Connection

A signal is inputted to the signal input circuit by short-circuiting or opening the input terminal and the COM2 terminal. Short-circuiting is effected by means of a contact (such as a relay or a switch) or a noncontact (such as a transistor or an open-collector TTL).



3-4-3. Connecting to Cage Clamp Terminal Block

The output terminal D/A option and RS-485 option is using the cage clamp system terminal stand. Please connect in the following procedure.

1.Strip the casing 0.2inch (6mm) on the cable to be connected.



2. Twist the bare wire to fit the terminal hole.



4.Insert the twisted wires into the lower hole.

5. Make sure cable is clamped securely and does not come out with a slight tug.





- Cable can be from 24 to 14AWG (0.2 to 2.5mm²)
- It is not necessary to solder the cable wires or to fix a solderless terminal.
- If several cables to be inserted to the same hole, twist those cable wires together and insert.
- If you connect a cable (a load cell, SI/F, external input and output), please turn off and be sure to perform the power supply of a main part.



4. CALIBRATION

Calibration is performed for matching the F370 to a strain-gage sensor. The following two types of calibration are available for the F370.

Equivalent Input Calibration

Calibration is performed without an actual load by entering the rated output value (mV/V) and the capacity (to be indicated) of the strain-gage sensor by the keys. Calibration is easily performed when no actual load is available.

For example, the gain is automatically determined by entering:

2.001mV/V (rated output) - 100.0kg (capacity)

as indicated for a load.



A data sheet is attached to a strain-gage sensor at the time of purchase. The data sheet provides data including:

capacity	load (in kg, t, etc.)
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non-linearity, hysteresis, input resistance, output resistance and zero balance.

Enter the capacity and the rated output value required for equivalent input calibration into the F370.



Actual Load Calibration

Apply an actual load to the strain-gage sensor and enter the actual load value by the keys for calibration. Calibration is accurately performed with reductions in errors.



4-1. Equivalent Input Calibration Procedure



Follow the steps below to perform equivalent input calibration.



4-2. Actual Load Calibration Procedure



Follow the steps below to perform equivalent input calibration.

Release the calibration protection.

Set the calibration value No.

selection.)
Enter the minimum value of digital increments. (This step may be omitted if there is no change.)
Determine the decimal point place of the indicated value. (This step may be omitted if there is no change.)
Set the zero point of the strain-gage sensor in no-load condition (with the sensor unloaded).
Enter the span (gain) point of the strain-gage sensor with a load applied to the sensor.

(This step may be omitted for use with only one

The calibrated value can be offset in advance. (This step may be omitted if there is no change.)

Turn on the calibration protection for preventing misoperation.



4-3. Zero Calibration

Set the zero point in no-load condition.

How to set



1) Press the MODE button.



2) Press the CALIBRATION button.



3) Press the Zero Cal. button.



4) Press OK button after confirming no-load was applied to the sensor.

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Zero	Cal.		100.00	g		
			0 kg		ок 👯	2
+	7	8	9		102	
—	4	5	6			0
0	1	2	3	С		



4-4. Actual Load Calibration

Set the actual load value under an actual load.

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1) Press the MODE button.



2) Press the CALIBRATION button.



3) Press the Actual Cal. button.



4) Apply an actual load to the sensor, enter the actual load value by the numerical keys and determine with the OK button.





4-5. Equivalent Input Calibration

Set the rated output value and reading of the sensor.

Rated output value: 0.000 - 3.000mV/V Rated value: 00000 - 99999

How to set



1) Press the MODE button.



2) Press the CALIBRATION button.



3) Press the Equiv.Cal. button.

CALIBRATION	U P III HOME III
Zero Cal.	Actual Cal.
0 ####	10000
Equiv. Cal.	CAL Select
3.000 詳書	CAL0
Increment 🕥 🗰	
001	



4) Enter the rated output of the sensor by the numerical keys and determine with the OK button. The decimal point is fixed.



5) Enter the rated value by the numerical keys and determine with the OK button.

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	4	5	6		
0	1	2	3	С	

4-6. Digital Offset

By using the digital offset function, the value obtained by subtracting the set value from the indicated value is displayed.

This function is convenient when zero cannot be obtained with no load for some reason or for offsetting.

(displayed value)=(actual indicated value)-(offset value)

→ Setting range: - 99999 - 99999

How to set



1) Press the MODE button.



2) Press the CALIBRATION button.



3) Press the PAGE button to select the page and press the Digital Offset button.

CALIBRATION	U P III HOME III		CALIBRATION	U P III HOME III
Zero Cal. Equiv. Cal. 3.000 #### Increment 001 ####	Actual Cal. 10000 IIII CAL Select CAL0 IIII PAGE	\Rightarrow	Unit Lunit Digital Offset 000.00	Decimal Place

4) Enter the digital offset value by the numerical keys and determine with the OK button.





4-7. Increment (This step may be omitted if there is no change.)

Set the increment of the indicated value. Input range: 001 - 100

How to set



1) Press the MODE button.



2) Press the CALIBRATION button.



3) Press the INCREMENT button.



4) Enter the increment by the numerical keys and determine with the OK button.





4-8. Decimal Place

Set the decimal point place of the indicated value. Selection can be made from the following.

0, 0.0, 0.00, 0.000, 0.0000

How to set



1) Press the MODE button.



2) Press the CALIBRATION button.



3) Press the PAGE button to select the page and press the DECIMAL PLACE button.

CALIBRATION	U P III HOME III	CALIBRATION	U P III HOME III
Zero Cal. Equiv. Cal. 3.000 11111 Increment 001 11111	Actual Cal. 10000 CAL Select CALO PAGE	Unit Unit Digital Offset	Decimal Place

4) Select the decimal place and determine with the OK button.





4-9. Calibration Protection

Calibration-related set values can be protected so that they will not be changed by misoperation. When Cal. Protect is ON, no change can be made while the alarm sounds.

ON: Protected

OFF: Unprotected

How to set



1) Press the MODE button.



2) Press the CALIBRATION button.



3) Press the PAGE button to select the page twice and press the Cal Lock button.



4) Select the decimal place and determine with the OK button.





4-10. Calibration Value Selection

By storing up to four calibration values in the memory, the desired calibration value can be called to switch the indicated value. Setting values that can be switched are as follows:

Calibration Mode Setting	Operation Mode Setting
Zero Calibration	Excitation Voltage
Actual Load Calibration	
Equivalent Input Calibration	
Minimum Slope	
Unit	
Decimal Place	
Digital Offset	

How to set



1) Press the MODE button.



2) Press the CALIBRATION button.

Mode CH	100 💼 Home III
OPERATION	COMPARISON
HOLD	GRAPH
CALIBRATION	
	PAGE
\sim	


3) Press the CAL. SELECT button.



4) Select the calibration value from 0 - 3 and determine with the OK button.



4-11. Unit

Set the unit of the load to be displayed. Selection can be made from the following.

None, kg, g, t, N, kN, Nm, N/m², Pa, kPa, MPa, bar

How to set



1) Press the MODE button.



2) Press the CALIBRATION button.



3) Press the PAGE button to select the page and press the UNIT button.



4) Select the unit and determine with the OK button.



* A change of unit does not affect the indicated value (calibration value).



5. SETTING OF FUNCTIONS

5-1. Digital Zero

This function zeros the value currently indicated.

Digital Zero by key input

1) Press the DZ button on the ordinary display screen.



- 2) Digital Zero is activated by pressing OK button then indicated value becomes
 - zero. By pressing CANCEL The screen returns to the ordinary display screen.

COMP HOLD PEAK MODE	
HH HI OK LO LL DZ III	
	OK
HI 75.00 LL -25.00	

COMP	HOLD	PEAK	MODE 🏢
H	HIOKI	.0 LL	DZ 🏢
	0.	.00	сноо kg
HH	125.00	LO	a.oo
E	75.00	LL	-25.00



COMP	HOLD	PEAK	MODE 🏢				
	HH HI OK LO LL DZ ##						
			CHOO				
	U	UI	kg				
HH	125.00	LO	0.00				
HI	75.00	LL	-25.00				

Digital Zero conducted by External signal (D/Z input)

Digital Zero activates in the moment when the connection of the external input terminal D/Z on the rear panel and COM2 is switched from Open to Short-circuit then the indicated value becomes Zero.



5-2. Digital Filter

The digital filter is a function for reducing drifts of the indicated value by means of a moving average of data converted from analog to digital. The number of the moving averages can be selected a range between 0 and 512.

With an increase in the number of filterings, the indicated value becomes more stable, but the response to inputs becomes slower.

Number of settings:OFF, 2, 4, 8, 16, 32, 64, 128, 256, 512

How to set





Scroll button

5-3. Analog Filter

A low-pass filter is provided for filtering input signals from the strain-gage sensor and canceling noise components.

The cut-off frequency can be selected in a range between 10Hz and 300Hz. With an increase in the cut-off frequency, the response becomes faster, but noise components may be indicated.

Cut-off frequency: 10Hz, 30Hz, 100Hz, 300Hz





5-4. Display Rate

Enter the rate of rewriting the display.

The display rate can be selected in a range between 1 and 10 times/sec. The internal operation speed does not change.







5-5. Stability

Enter the parameters to detect stability.

If the difference between the current indicated value and the 50-msec-previously indicated value is less than the set count and the duration of the condition is more than the set time, the indicated value is regarded to be stable.

When stability is detected, a digital filter (fixed 16 times) to control instability in weight value is automatically inserted. This stable-time digital filter differs from the digital filter setting in the operation mode.



Setting range

- MD (time): 0.1 9.9 sec.
- MD (width): 01 99

How to set





5-6. Zero Track

Gradual changes in the zero point due to drifts etc., are automatically tracked for correction.



DELAY

Band=count × 2

Indicated value

Setting range

ZT (time): 0.0 - 9.9 sec. ZT (width): 00 - 99

DELAY



Since the zero track function works from the calibrated zero point of the indicated value, it does not work if the indicated value is beyond the track band. In such a case, obtain the zero point again by zero calibration.

How to set

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5-7. Contrast Adjustment

Adjust the contrast of the touch panel display. Brightness can be adjusted by CONTRAST1. Screen flickering can be adjusted by CONTRAST2.

How	to set	

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5-8. Backlight

The backlight is turned off if no button operation is performed for the set time (minutes). The backlight is turned on by touching the panel. Setting 00 disables this function.

Setting range: 00 - 99 min.

How to set



5-9. Excitation Voltage

Select the bridge voltage to be supplied to the strain-gage sensor. The bridge voltage is selectable from 10V, 5V and 2.5V. Be sure to perform calibration after changing this setting.





5-10. Auto Print

The indicated value is automatically printed to the UNIPULSE printer coupled with the F370 through the SI/F. A print is made when the indicated value is stable. (Set the stability parameters by the stability operation.)

When Near Zero is OFF, Indicated value is held until Near Zero turns ON after Stability turned ON.

(Hold will be released when 1.5 sec. is passed after Near Zero is ON.)



Operation of the indicated value hold function



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5-11. Hold Off Print

At hold-off time, the held value is automatically printed to the UNIPULSE printer coupled with the F370 through the SI/F.

(The hold is released by the T/H signal off timing when the period setting is all interval in various hold modes by hold functions, and by the T/H signal of timing when other periods are set.)

How to set



5-12. Parameter Protection

Parameters are protected from being changed by misoperation.

How to set

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6. COMPARISON FUNCTIONS

By the comparison function, the HI limit and LO limit values are set, and when the indicated value exceeds the HI limit, the HI output is turned on, and when the indicated value falls below the LO limit, the LO output is turned on. Also, HI-HI limit and LO-LO limit values may be set outside the HI-LO limit comparison. When the indicated value exceeds the HI-HI limit, the HH output is turned on, and when the indicated value falls below the LO-LO limit, the LL output is turned on. When the HI, HH, LO and LL outputs are all off, the OK output is turned on.

<HI/LO output conditions>

HI: indicated value > HI limit value

LO: indicated value < LO limit value

<HH/LL output conditions>

HH: indicated value > HI-HI limit value

LL: indicated value < LO-LO limit value

<OK output conditions>

OK: All conditions of HH, HI, LO and LL are off.



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6-1. HI Limit/LO Limit/HI-HI Limit/LO-LO Limit

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Simple setting call			
Press any of the HI-HI value display screen to	, HI, LO and LO-I go direct to the en	LO buttons at try screen.	the bottom of the indicated
			PARISON UP ## HOME ## nit CHO 0 000000 OK ## 7 8 9 4 5 6 NEXT 1 2 3 C ##

About the indicated value display color

The display color can be changed by pressing the indicated value display section. Every time it is pressed, State 1 and State 2 are changed.



• State 1

The indicated value display color is fixed (yellow).

• State 2

The indicated value display color changes following the comparison status.

OK: green HI, LO: yellow HH, LL: red



6-2. Hysteresis

The hysteresis value may be determined so as to allow a margin for timing the turning off of the HI-LO limit comparison. Normally, it is turned on when the indicated value exceeds the HI limit and is turned off when the indicated value falls below it. However, by setting the hysteresis, it is turned off when the indicated value falls below the HI limit further lowered by the hysteresis value.

This function is effective to prevent chattering in such a case where signals fluctuate (vibrate) subtly.

(Comparison conditions)

- HI limit

ON condition: indicated value>HI limit value

OFF condition: indicated value<=(HI limit value-hysteresis value)

- LO limit

ON condition: indicated value<LO limit value

OFF condition: indicated value>=(LO limit value+hysteresis value)

- HI-HI limit

ON condition: indicated value>HI-HI limit value

OFF condition: indicated value<=(HI-HI limit value-hysteresis value)

- LO-LO limit

ON condition: indicated value<LO-LO limit value

OFF condition: indicated value>=(LO-LO limit value+hysteresis value)



Hysteresis operation



(Exsample : HI Output and LO Output and OK Output)

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Hysteresis setting value is common to all HI limit value.



6-3. Near Zero

By this function, it is detected that the indicated value is near zero.

Near-zero ON: indicated value <=near zero set value Near-zero OFF: indicated value > near zero set value Setting range: 00000 - 99999

Turning on/off the near zero function is closely related to the auto print function and HI-LO limit comparison. For details, see the sections on HI-LO Limit Comparison Mode page 41 and Auto Print page 34.



6-4. HI-LO Limit Comparison Mode

Set the operating condition of HI-LO limit comparison. Select the condition from the following.

Continuous	: HI-LO limit comparison is performed continuously.
MD	: HI-LO limit comparison is performed when the indicated value is stable. Set the stability parameters by the stability operation.
NZ	: HI-LO limit comparison is performed when the indicated value is not near zero. Set the near zero parameters by the near zero operation.
MD+NZ	: HI-LO limit comparison is performed when the indicated value is stable and not near zero.

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6-5. HI-LO Limit Output Mode

Mode	HI Limit Operation	LO Limit Operation
Mode 0	HI-HI Limit, HI Limit, LO Limit, LO-LO Limit	None
Mode 1	HI-HI Limit, HI Limit, LO Limit	LO-LO Limit
Mode 2	HI-HI Limit, HI Limit	LO Limit, LO-LO Limit
Mode 3	HI-HI Limit	HI Limit, LO Limit, LO-LO Limit
Mode 4	None	HI-HI Limit, HI Limit, LO Limit, LO-LO Limit

The number of HI-LO limits can be changed.

The HI limit output is turned on when the indicated value becomes larger than the set value.

The LO limit output is turned on when the indicated value becomes smaller than the set value.



Even if any mode other than MODE 2 is selected, the name of each setting does not change. Only the operation differs.

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6-6. Alarm Mode

The comparison target of the HI-HI limit and LO-LO limit set values can be changed from "hold value" to "real-time value". By this function, whether or not the indicated value becomes abnormal during hold can be monitored.

Unavailable : Comparison operation is performed with hold values.

Available : Comparison operation is performed with real-time values.



When the comparison output mode is "mode 0: HI limit operation for all of HI-HI limit/HI limit/LO limit/ LO-LO limit", the alarm mode operation can only be performed with the HI-HI limit. In a like manner, when the mode is "mode 4: LO limit operation for all of HI-HI limit/HI limit/LO limit/LO-LO limit", the alarm mode operation can only be performed with the low-low limit.

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7. HOLD FUNCTIONS

By the hold function including sample hold, peak hold, valley hold, peak-to-peak hold, relative maximum and minimum hold and inflection point hold, a specific point in a waveform is taken out for HI-LO limit comparison.

The operation of each hold will be described in detail.

7-1. Hold Setting --- common ---

7-1-1. Hold Mode

The F370 includes nine hold modes as shown in the table below.

In the peak, valley, peak-to-peak and mean value modes, period setting is required. Select all period, external signal, time, or time with trigger.

If you do not use any hold function, be sure to set the hold mode to tracking. (In tracking condition, hold operation is not performed but input values are always displayed.)

HOLD MODE	HOLD PERIOD SETTING	
Tracking	None	
Sample	None	
Peak		
Valley	Required	
P-P		
Relative maximum		Thoro is a soction sotup
Relative minimum	None	All Period
Inflection Point		 External Signal Time
Mean value	Required	Time with trigger

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7-1-2. Hold Detection Time

If you set the hold period setting in the hold function setting to Time or Time with Trigger, set the time.

Setting range: 0.001 - 9.999 sec.

How to set

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Simple setting call		
Press the TIME button at to go direct to the hold do	the bottom of th etection time entr	e indicated value display screen y screen.
HOLD PEAK MOI HH HIOK LOLL DZ HH HIOK LOLL DZ HODE TRACKING I 1.000 Sec HOL	u kg ⊡	HOLD U P ## HOME ## Hold Detect Time CHO O 0.0000 Sec OK ## + 7 8 9 - 4 5 6 NECT 0 1 2 3 C ##



7-1-3. Auto Start Level

If you select the time specified period mode with trigger, or relative maximum, relative minimum or inflection point hold in the hold mode setting, set the start level.

Setting range: -99999 - 99999

How to set



In each hold mode of relative maximum/relative minimum/inflection point, if the auto start level is set at 99999, the hold operation starts only with the period signal H/M without performing level detection.

7-1-4. Hold Point Shift

In the "sample hold" and "inflection point hold", the sampling data is held retroactively by the numerical value set under hold point shift.

Setting range: -99999 - 99999







7-2. Hold Setting --- relative maximum and relative minimum ---

If you select the relative maximum and relative minimum hold in the hold function setting, set the relative maximum and relative minimum value detection parameters "minimum count" and "valley detection level".

Set referring to the principle of operation only when the value cannot be held successfully with the factory settings or when further adjustments are required.

Detection of the relative maximum value and relative minimum value

The logic of detecting the relative maximum value and relative minimum value is given below.



First, when difference X between point A and point B is larger than the minimum count, point A is judged to be the relative maximum value and point B is judged to be the relative minimum value.

When difference X between detected relative maximum value A and relative minimum value B exceeds the predetermined detection levels (1.5, 2 and 3 times), A is displayed in the maximum value hold mode at respective points O, P and Q and the value is held.

If the minimum count is too small, when the waveform includes noise as shown on the left-hand side, the noise is regarded as the relative maximum value or relative minimum value and a correct value may not be held. In such a case, set the minimum count somewhat large.

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7-2-1. Minimum Count

Setting range: 0001 - 9999

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7-2-2. Valley Detection Level

Level: 1/4, 1/2, 3/4, 1, 1.25, 1.5, 2, 3 times

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7-3. Hold Setting --- inflection point ---

If you select the inflection point hold in the hold function setting, set the inflection point detection parameters "minimum slope", "interval A" and "interval B". Set referring to the principle of operation only when the value cannot be held successfully with the factory settings or when further adjustments are required.

Detection of the inflection point

The logic of detecting the inflection point is given below.

Assuming that the remainder obtained by subtracting the amount of change C of the indicated value over interval A from the amount of change of the indicated value over interval B is D, when the amount of change D exceeds the inflection point judgment value, point a is held as an inflection point.

If there are two or more inflection points in the hold period, the point having a larger change is held.

The inflection point is normally detected by A=B, but it may easily be detected with A < B where the slope is gradual.





7-3-1. Minimum Slope

Setting range: 00001 - 99999

How to set



7-3-2. Interval A and Interval B

Setting range:

- Interval A+Interval B ≦ 1000
- 10 \leq Interval A(B) \leq 990

How to set



The interval setting is the number of samplings. Since the F370's sampling speed is 2000 times/sec., one sampling is 0.5msec. Therefore, setting of the interval at 100 means setting of 50msec.

Caution regarding inflection point hold



If the detection interval A and B are set too short, fine load changes may be detected as shown in the illustration on the left-hand side, so that a correct value cannot be held.

In this case, set the detection interval B large enough to bring it as close to the load change time as possible, and also set the inflection point judgment value large according to the amount of change at that time, so that the inflection point is held at a correct position.

Example of inflection point hold setting

• Example of ideal waveform setting



① Set the load change time (between the inflection point and when the change stops) to interval B.

In the example, it is set to 200 since it is 100 msec.

② Set the same value as interval B to interval A.

③ Set load D obtained by subtracting load C changing with interval A from the load changing with interval B to the inflection point judgment value.

In the example, set load change D=80 obtained by subtracting load C=10 changing with A from load 90 changing with B to the inflection point judgment value.

However, since an inflection point is not judged until load change D exceeds the inflection point judgment value, actually set the inflection point judgment value a slightly smaller than D.

• If the inflection point cannot be located successfully



- When holding above the inflection point and moving downward
 - 1) It is considered that the inflection point judgment value is small with respect to load change D. Set the inflection point judgment value larger.
 - 2) If lowering is insufficient in 1), increase interval A.
- ⁽²⁾ When holding below the inflection point and moving upward Interval B is too long and the inflection point judgment value is too large.

Shorten interval B and decrease the inflection point judgment value.



7-4. Hold Setting --- mean value ---

7-4-1. Mean Value Sampling Count

If the mean value sampling count is set at 2 or more in the mean value hold, the representative value of the sampling values by the set count (mean value by the count) is adopted as the sampling data used for mean value calculation.

The maximum mean value detection time with the setting "1" is 5 sec., but the mean value detection time can be extended by this setting.

Maximum mean value detection time

= Mean value sampling count × 5 [sec.],

where the number of updates of the mean value will decrease.

Number of updates of the mean value

= 2000 / Mean value sampling count [times/sec.]

Setting range: 1 - 999Times

How to set

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About the maximum mean value detection time

Although the detection period is specified by the H/M signal, etc., detection cannot be carried out exceeding the maximum mean value detection time set according to the mean value sampling count. If the maximum mean value detection time is exceeded, detection ends automatically, when the mean value is held.

7-5. Hold Operation

7-5-1. Sample Hold

When the T/H signal is inputted, a desired point is held, and the H/E output is turned on. Hold of the value continues as long as the T/H signal is on.



- t1 : A delay time between the instant when the T/H signal is inputted and the instant when the indicated value is held 1.0ms (max.)
- t2 : A delay time between the instant when the T/H signal is released and the instant when the indicated value returns to tracking 1.0ms (max.)
- t3 : A minimum reset signal width required for releasing the hold 1.0ms (min.)



7-5-2. Peak Hold

The maximum value (peak) in the positive direction of the specified period is held. The period is specified by the setting of "all period", "external signal", "time", or "time with trigger".



(Example) All Period Peak Hold

t1 : A delay time between the instant when the T/H signal is inputted and the instant when the indicated value is held 1.0ms (max.)

before the T/H signal rises).

result when the indicated value becomes stable (immediately

- t2: A delay time between the instant when the T/H signal is released and the instant when the indicated value returns to tracking 1.0ms (max.)
- t3: A minimum reset signal width required for releasing the hold 1.0ms (min.)



7-5-3. Valley Hold

The maximum value (valley) in the negative direction of the specified period is held. The period is specified by the setting of "all period", "external signal", "time", or "time with trigger".



(Example) All Period Valley Hold

- t1 : A delay time between the instant when the T/H signal is inputted and the instant when the indicated value is held 1.0ms (max.)
- t2 : A delay time between the instant when the T/H signal is released and the instant when the indicated value returns to tracking 1.0ms (max.)
- t3 : A minimum reset signal width required for releasing the hold 1.0ms (min.)



7-5-4. Peak-to-Peak (P-P) Hold

The maximum value of the difference between the peak and valley over the specified period is held.

The period is specified by the setting of "all period", "external signal", "time", or "time with trigger".

(Example) All Period Peak-to-Peak (P-P) Hold



- t1 : A delay time between the instant when the T/H signal is inputted and the instant when the indicated value is held 1.0ms (max.)
- t2 : A delay time between the instant when the T/H signal is released and the instant when the indicated value returns to tracking 1.0ms (max.)
- t3 : A minimum reset signal width required for releasing the hold 1.0ms (min.)



7-5-5. Relative Maximum and Relative Minimum Hold

Detection starts when the indicated value crosses the auto start level with the H/M signal inputted. Detection is performed as long as the H/M signal is on.

The hold is released by turning on the T/H signal as a reset signal.

The H/E output signal is on between the instant when the hold starts and the instant when the T/H signal is turned on.

If the auto start level is not needed as a starting condition of the detection period, set 99999.

(Example) Relative Maximum Hold



- t1 : A delay time between the instant when the indicated value exceeds the auto start level and the instant when the value to be held is detected0.5ms (max.)
- t2 : A delay time between the instant when the H/M signal is inputted and the instant when the value to be held is detected 1.0ms (max.)
- t3 : A minimum reset signal width required for releasing the hold 1.0ms (min.)



The Hold Function in General

- The delay times of the judging signal and the H/E signal do not include a delay time of the analog circuit (low-pass filter). Also, the delay times are calculated without the digital filter. Since the judging signal and the H/E signal are generated for the value produced through the analog and digital filters, transmission of the signals becomes slower and the delay of each output signal increases with enhancement of the filters.
- If the H/M signal is continuously input, the previously held value is reset by the on timing, and hold operation newly starts.

7-5-6. Inflection Point Hold

Detection starts when the indicated value crosses the auto start level with the H/M signal inputted. Detection is performed as long as the H/M signal is on.

The hold is released by turning on the T/H signal as a reset signal.

The H/E output signal is on between the instant when the hold starts and the instant when the T/H signal is turned on.

If the auto start level is not needed as a starting condition of the detection period, set 99999.

(Example) Inflection Point Hold



detection period, and goes out if a value is not held.

- t1 : A delay time between the instant when the indicated value exceeds the auto start level and the instant when the value to be held is detected0.5ms (max.)
- t2 : A delay time between the instant when the H/M signal is inputted and the instant when the value to be held is detected 1.0ms (max.)
- t3 : A minimum reset signal width required for releasing the hold 1.0ms (min.)



7-5-7. Mean Value Hold

The mean value of the sampling values over the specified period is calculated and updated to perform comparison operation.

The period is specified by the setting of "all period", "external signal", "time", or "time with trigger".





t1 : A delay time between the instant when the T/H or H/M signal is inputted and the instant when operation is performed.1.0mS (MAX.)





7-6. How to Specify the Hold Detection Period

7-6-1. All Period

By this method, the hold detection period is externally specified by the T/H signal. Detection starts with the T/H signal ON to perform each hold operation. Detection ends with the T/H signal OFF to reset the hold.





t1 : A delay time between the instant when the T/H signal is inputted and the instant when the indicated value is held

1.0ms (max.)

- t2 : A delay time between the instant when the T/H signal is released and the instant when the indicated value returns to tracking 1.0ms (max.)
- t3 : A minimum reset signal width required for releasing the hold 1.0ms (min.)


7-6-2. Externally Specified Period Hold (Peak, Valley, Peak-to-Peak and Mean Value)

By this method, the hold detection period is externally specified by the H/M signal to maintain the hold value until the reset signal is turned on.

The hold is released by turning on the T/H signal as a reset signal.

The H/E output signal is on between the instant when the H/M signal is turned off and the instant when the T/H signal is turned on.

(Example) Period Specified Peak Hold



- t1 : A delay time between the instant when the H/M signal is inputted and the instant when the value to be held is detected 1.0ms (max.)
- t2 : A delay time between the instant when the H/M signal is released and the instant when the value to be held is determined 1.08ms (max.)
- t3 : A minimum reset signal width required for releasing the hold 1.0ms (min.)



7-6-3. Time Specified Period Hold (Peak, Valley, Peak-to-Peak and Mean Value)

Hold is detected during the predetermined time (hold detection time) from the point in time when the H/M signal is turned on. The hold is released by turning on the T/H signal as a reset signal.

The H/E output signal is on between the instant when the H/M signal is turned off and the instant when the T/H signal is turned on.

(Example) Time Specified Period Peak Hold



- t1 : A delay time between the instant when the H/M signal is inputted and the instant when the value to be held is detected 1.0ms (max.)
- t2 : A delay time between the instant when the hold detection time is expired and the instant when the value to be held is determined 1.0ms (max.)
- t3 : A minimum reset signal width required for releasing the hold 1.0ms (min.)



7-6-4. Time Specified Period Hold with Trigger (Peak, Valley, Peak-to-Peak and Mean Value)

Hold is detected during the predetermined time (hold detection time) from the point in time when the indicated value crosses the auto start level. The hold is released by turning on the T/H signal as a reset signal.

The H/E output signal is on between the instant when the hold detection time ends and the instant when the T/H signal is turned on.



(Example) Time Specified Period Peak Hold with Trigger

- t1 : A delay time between the instant when the indicated value exceeds the auto start level and the instant when the value to be held is detected 0.5ms (max.)
- t2 : A delay time between the instant when the hold detection time is expired and the instant when the value to be held is determined 1.0ms (max.)
- t3 : A minimum reset signal width required for releasing the hold 1.0ms (min.)



8. MULTI-HOLD FUNCTION

By this function, up to 16 types of hold and comparison set values can be stored and selected with external switching signals of CODE0 - CODE3.

Normally, if there is no entry for CODE0 - CODE3, the set value of CH0 is selected, but when CODE0 - CODE3 are in the following conditions, the set value of each setting CH is selected.

CODE3	CODE2	CODE1	CODE0	SettingCH
0	0	0	0	SettingCH00
0	0	0	1	SettingCH01
0	0	1	0	SettingCH02
0	0	1	1	SettingCH03
0	1	0	0	SettingCH04
0	1	0	1	SettingCH05
0	1	1	0	SettingCH06
0	1	1	1	SettingCH07
1	0	0	0	SettingCH08
1	0	0	1	SettingCH09
1	0	1	0	SettingCH10
1	0	1	1	SettingCH11
1	1	0	0	SettingCH12
1	1	0	1	SettingCH13
1	1	1	0	SettingCH14
1	1	1	1	SettingCH15

(0: open, 1: short)

I/O terminal block

46	COM2	
70	CONIZ	
A7	CODE0	
B7	CODE1	
A8	CODE2	
B8	CODE3	



Caution

It takes 15msec at the maximum for the changed CH to become effective. During this period, which CH is used for comparison is undefined.

Also, when the CH is switched, the hold and graph functions are reset to wait for starting with the after-switching CH conditions irrespective of the previous operation.



8-1. About Changing of the Setting CH

When changing the hold or comparison set value of each CH, set the CH No. with the CH change key on the mode selection screen, and change the set value.

How to set

1) Select the setting CH on the mode setting screen.



2) Then, enter each set value in a likewise manner.



9. WAVEFORM DISPLAY

9-1. Graphic Display Screen

Graph is updated while usually operating on the display screen (a comparison ,a hold ,graph).





9-1-1. Hold Point Plotting

By using the hold function and the graph plotting function together, the held point (red) can be plotted.



9-1-2. X-axis and Y-axis on the Graph Plotting Screen

X-axis

The X-axis is a time setting axis. One graph screen is plotted between the start signal input point and the X start point.

There are 200 plotting points, and typical values for the predetermined time divided by this number of plotting points are plotted.

Y-axis

The Y-axis is a load setting value. A graph is plotted between the Y start point and the Y end point. (There are 100 plotting points.)





9-2. Graph Plotting

9-2-1. Continuous

Graph plotting is started by turning on the START/STOP key or turning on the ST/SP external input. When it ends on one screen, the screen is cleared after expiration of the interval time and graph plotting restarts on the next screen. It is ended by turning off the START/STOP key or turning off the ST/SP external input.





9-2-2. External

Plotting is started by turning on the START/STOP key or turning on the ST/SP external input.

Plotting ends on one screen at the predetermined time of the X end point.



9-2-3. Level

Plotting is started when the conditions of the detection mode are met in comparison of the trigger level set value and indicated value.

Plotting ends on one screen at the predetermined time of the X end point.



9-2-4. External + Level

Plotting is started according to the conditions of the level detection mode in comparison of the trigger level and indicated value after the ST/SP external input is turned on. Plotting ends on one screen at the predetermined time of the X end point.



(Example) Level Detection Mode \rightarrow Passing under.



9-3. Graph Function

Set the graph plotting mode.

Modes

Continuous, external, level, external + level

How to set



9-4. Interval Time

If you select "continuous" in the graph function setting, set the graph plotting operation interrupting time from clearing the screen until moving to the next graph plotting operation. During this time, the graph screen is held.

Setting range: 00.0 - 99.9 sec.



9-5. Graph Start Level

If you select [level] or [external + level] in the graph function setting, set the graph plotting start level.

Setting range: -99999 - 99999

How to set

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9-6. Level Detection Mode

If you select [level] or [external + level] in the graph function setting, set the graph plotting start level comparison conditions.

Conditions: passing, passing over, passing under, large, small

How to set

- Pass	ing Graph plotting starts when the indicated value crosses the level set value.
- Pass	ing over Graph plotting starts when the indicated value crosses the level set value upward.
- Pass	ing under Graph plotting starts when the indicated value crosses the level set value downward.
- Larg	ge Graph plotting starts when the indicated value is larger than the level set value.
- Sma	ll Graph plotting starts when the indicated value is smaller than the level set value.



9-7. X Start Point

Set the time to display by one screen in the range between 0.1 sec. and 99.9 sec.

How to set					
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Simple settir	ng call				
Press the X but	tton on th	ne graph disp	play to go	direct to the	he X end point entry screen.
GRAPH	0000.0kg	MODE !!!		GRAP	
000	D.Okg	DZ III CHOO	N	X Start F	Point Сноо 00.0 Sec ОК ##
	\sim			+	7 8 9
		START #		0	1 2 3 0 III

9-8. Y (Load) Start Point and Y (Load) End Point

Setting range: -99999 - 99999 (where Y start point < Y end point)





10. BCD DATA OUTPUT(OPTION)

The BCD data output is an interface to extract the indicated value of the F370 as BCD data. This interface is convenient to process controls, totals, records, etc., by connecting the F370 to a computer, process controller, sequencer or the like.

The I/O and internal circuits are electrically insulated by photocoupler.

The data output rate can be selected from once/sec., 10 times/sec., 100 times/sec., and 1000 times/sec.

10-1. Connector Pin Assignment

No.		Signal	No.		Signal
1	*	СОМ	19	*	СОМ
2	Out	1	20	Out	20000
3	Out	2	21	Out	40000
4	Out	4	22	Out	80000
5	Out	8	23	Out	Minus(Polarity)
6	Out	10	24	Out	OVER
7	Out	20	25	Out	P.C (Stable)
8	Out	40	26	Out	STROBE
9	Out	80	27	In	BCD Data Hold
10	Out	100	28	In	Logic Switching
11	Out	200	29		
12	Out	400	30		
13	Out	800	31		
14	Out	1000	32		
15	Out	2000	33		
16	Out	4000	34		
17	Out	8000	35		
18	Out	10000	36		

Anphenol Connector (36-Pin)

Compatible connector is DDK57-30360 or equivalent.

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10-2. Logic Change

Select the logic of output signals with pin No. 28. When COM and pin No. 28 are open: negative logic When they are short-circuited: positive logic

10-3. BCD Data Hold

The BCD data output signal is held. Switching is carried out by pin No. 27. When COM and pin No. 27 are open: hold cancel When they are short-circuited: hold on

10-4. Equivalent Circuit

• Output

The signal output circuit is operated through a TTL open collector.



• Internal transistor status

• Output pin level

Output data	Negative	Positive	
0	OFF		ON
1	ON	(OFF

Output data	Negative	Positive
0	Н	L
1	L	Н

- Through logic switching (pin28)



Input



10-5. Signal Timing

• PC

This signal turns on at the same time as BCD data when stable.

• OVER

This signal is outputted at the time of -ADC OVER, +ADC OVER, +overflow or - overflow.





STROBE

Strobe pulses are outputted in synchronization with BCD data. Read data using the rising edges of the pulses. The BCD data update rate setting can be changed.



10-6. BCD Data Update Rate Selection

Output rate: 1, 10, 100, 1000 times

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10-7. BCD Output Data Selection

Output data: Hold values, Real-time values

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11. RS-232C INTERFACE(OPTION)



11-1. Communication Specifications

11-1-1. Specifications

Signal level :		Based on RS-232C				
Transmitting distance:		Approx.15m				
Transmitting	method:	Asynchronous, Full duplex				
Transmitting speed:		1200, 2400, 4800, 9600 or 19200bps Selectable				
Bit configura	tion:					
Start bit		1bit				
	Character length	7 or 8 bit Selectable				
	Stop bit	1 or 2 bit Selectable				
	Parity	Parity none, odd or even Selectable				
	Terminator	CR, CR+LF Selectable				
Code :		ASCII				



11-1-2. Connector Pin Assignment

1	*	FG	14		
2	out	TxD	15		
3	in	RxD	16		
4	out	RTS	17		
5	in	CTS	18		
6			19		
7	*	SG	20	out	DTR
8			21		
9			22		
10			23		
11			24		
12			25		
13					

Adaptable plug: 25-pin D-sub connector (JAE make DB-25P-N etc)

11-1-3. Cable

	F370	Cross Cable	Р	C etc···
1	FG		1	FG
2	T x D		2	T x D
3	R x D		3	R x D
4	RTS		4	RTS
5	CTS		5	CTS
8	(CD)		8	CD
6	(DSR)		6	DSR
20	DTR		20	DTR
7	SG		7	SG

* This connection diagram shows an example of connecting a DTE (data terminal equipment) personal computer.

Use a straight cable for connecting a DCE (data circuit terminating equipment) such as a modem.

* Before preparing a cable, check the connector shape and pin assignment of the equipment to be connected again.

11-2. RS-232C Interface Setting

Set the RS-232C communication conditions of the F370.

11-2-1. Communication Mode

Communication mode 0, communication mode 1, communication mode 2

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11-2-2. Baud Rate

1200, 2400, 4800, 9600, 19200bps

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11-2-3. Character Length

7bit, 8bit

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11-2-4. Parity Bit

None, odd, even

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11-2-5. Stop Bit

1 bit, 2 bit

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11-2-6. Term	inator				
	CR, CR + LF				

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11-3. Communication Modes

1.Communication Mode 0

Communications are carried out by commands from the host computer. The indicated value, status and parameters can be read, and parameters can be written.

2. Communication Mode 1

The indicated value and status are continuously transmitted.

3. Communication Mode 2

The indicated value is transmitted upon printing.



11-4. Communication Format

1. Communication Mode 0

- Reading the indicated value (sign, 5-digit indicated value, decimal point)



- Reading the status (7-digit)







- Writing parameters

HI-HI Limit	W 1	1	±						CR	LF	(Set Value Lock)
HI limit	W 1	2	±						CR	LF	(Set Value Lock)
LO limit	W 1	3	±						CR	LF	(Set Value Lock)
LO-LO Limit	W 1	4	±						CR	LF	(Set Value Lock)
Hysteresis	W 1	5	0	0					CR	LF	(Set Value Lock)
Calibration Value Selection	W 4	4	0	0	0	0	0	6	CR	LF	(Calibrationt Value Lock)
Digital Offset Setting	W 4	8	±						CR	LF	(Calibrationt Value Lock)
Near Zero	W 1	6	0						CR	LF	(Set Value Lock)
Hold mode	W 2	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	CR	LF	(Set Value Lock)
Hold Section	W 7	1	0	0	0	0	0	2	CR	LF	,
Hold Detect Time	W 2	2	0	0					CR	LF	(Set Value
Auto Start Level	w 2	3	±						CR	LF	(Set Value
Minimum Count	w 2	4		0	0				CR	LE	LOCK)
valley Detect	w 2	5	0	0	0	0	0		CR		0 - 2
Level	w 2	3	0		0	0	0	3	CR	LF	0~3
Minimum Slope	W 2	6	0						CR	LF	
IntervalA	W 2	7	0	0	0				CR	LF	010 ~ 120
IntervalB	W 2	8	0	0	0				CR	LF	010 ~ 120







Set v	alue correspo	ondence table		
1				
	(1) Hold m	iode	_	
	0 :	tracking	5 :	relative maximum
	1:	sample	6 :	relative minimum
	2 :	peak	7:	inflection point
	3 :	valley	8 :	mean value
	4 :	peak-to-peak		
	2 Hold p	eriod setting		
	0 :	all period		
	1:	external signal		
	2 :	time		
	3 :	time with trigger		
	③ Valley	detection level		
	0:	1/4 times	4 :	1.25 times
	1:	1/2 times	5:	1.5 times
	2 :	3/4 times	6:	2 times
	3 :	1 time	7:	3 times
	④ Graph	mode		
	0 :	continuous		
	1:	external		
	2 :	level		
	3 :	external + level		
	(5) Level d	letection mode		
	0:	passing		
	1:	passing over		
	2:	passing under		
	3 :	large		
	4 :	small		
	6 Calibra	tion Value Selection		
	0 :	calibration value 0		
	1:	calibration value 1		
	2 :	calibration value 2		
	3 :	calibration value 3		

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- Reading waveform data



 Wave form hold point data read-out(data No, a mark, a decimal point,5 figures of directions value)





- Reading parameters



- Commands (Host \rightarrow F370)

Digital Zero	C G CR (This is effctive only when the set value LOCK is "1.")
Digital Zero reset	C F CR (This is effctive only when the set value LOCK is "1.")
Print instruction	C I CR (This will issue print a command onto SIF.)

2. Communication mode 1

The indicated value is continuously transmitted.



3. Communication mode 2

The indicated value is transmitted upon printing.



* 1

O...... Over Load (LOAD, OFL) S..... Stable M..... Not Stable H..... Hold

* 1Priority H > O > (S or M)

* 2

A.....Zero Tracking OFF T.....Zero Tracking ON

* 3

H......High Limit ON L.....Low Limit ON G......High Limit and Low Limit OFF N.....High Limit and Low Limit ON F.....Compare OFF

* 3Priority

N > (H or L) F > G

* 4

H......High High Limit ON L.....Low Low Limit ON G......High High Limit and Low Low Limit OFF N.....High High Limit and Low Low Limit ON F.....Compare OFF

* Priority N > (H or L) F > G

* 5

N.....Near Zero OFF Z.....Near Zero ON



12. RS-485 COMMUNICATION INTERFACE(OPTION)

12-1. Communication Specifications

- Specifications

Signal level	Based on RS-485	
Transmitting distance	Approx 1km	
Transmitting method	Asynchronous, Ful	l duplex
Transmitting speed	1200, 2400, 4800	, 9600 or 19200bps Selectable
Bit configuration	Start	1bit
	Character length	7 or 8bits Selectable
	Stop	1 or 2bits Selectable
	Parity	None,Odd or Even Selectable
Terminator	CR+LF/CR Selecta	ble
Code	ASCII	

- Connector Pin Assignment



12-2. RS-485 connection

1. Connection of transmitting and receiving lines

1 4-wire connection

Set the communications mode of the F370 to "4-wire."

Connect the "SD" (sending side) of the equipment on the other end (master), such as a programmable controller, to "RD" (receiving side) of the F370 (slave), and "RD" of the master to "SD" of the F370.



- One-to-One Connection



- One-to-more Connection



Use a twisted pair cable for connection. (The noise margin will increase.) However, a twin cable is sufficient for short-distance connection. Couple a terminal resistor of 100 - 200Ω to the receiving end.

(The terminus resistance by the side of F370 can be switched by setup.120 ohms is conncted when terminus resistance is set as ON.)



2-wire connection

Set the communications mode of the F370 to "2-wire." First, connect "A-" of "RD" and "SD", and "B+" of "RD" and "SD" of the F370. Next, connect the target equipment with the same polarity. (See "2. Polarity")



2. Polarity

Basically, connect "A" or "-" of the equipment on the other end to "A-" of the F370, and "B" or "+" of the equipment on the other end to "B+" of the F370.

(In some rare cases, the signal polarity (A/B notation) may be reversed, so that communications cannot be made even with correct connection. In such cases, connect by reversing the signal polarity.)

3. Terminal resistor

Mount a terminal resistor of approx. $100 - 200 \Omega$ on the receiving side.

(The F370 can also be set to connect 120Ω internally.)

In the case of 2-wire, it should be connected to both ends because the sending and receiving signal lines are the same. (See the connection diagram.)

4. SG terminal

This is the ground for signal lines. When connecting to the SG terminal of the equipment on the other end, connect after checking the specifications of the equipment on the other end.

12-3. Communication Method

- 1. For connecting more than one F370, assign an ID number to each F370.
- 2. Send the start command including the ID number from the host, whereby communications are allowed with one F370, enabling reading of indicated value, reading and changing of set values (parameters), sending of commands and so on.
- 3. The format is the same as the RS-232C format except for the ID number.

Communication Format





12-4. RS-485 Interface Setting

12-4-1. ID

Setting range: 0000 - 9999

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12-4-2. Terminator Resistance

Without terminator resistance / with terminator resistance

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12-4-3. Communication Method

2-wire / 4-wire **How to set** Setting call → Option →



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13. D/A CONVERTER(OPTION)

A D/A converter is provided for obtaining analog output synchronized with the indicated value of the F370.

The analog output ranges are -10 - 10V output and 4 - 20mA constant-current output.

By using the D/A zero setting and D/A full scale setting functions, analog output can be obtained between zero (0V, 4mA) and full scale (10V, 20mA) with respect to the predetermined digital value.

The output circuit and the main unit circuit are isolated. The resolution is 1/10000 to -10 - 10V, and the conversion rate is 2000 times/sec. The maximum voltage output range are about \pm 11V, the maximum current output range are about 2.4 - 21.6 mA.



- Taking voltage output signals

Connect external equipment (2K Ω or more load resistance) to VOL and G of the F370.





- Taking current output signals

Connect external equipment (350 Ω or less load resistance) to CUR and G of the F370.



- Resolution

The D/A converter has a resolution of 1/10000 to -10 - 10V (4 - 20mA).



13-1. Voltage Zero and Full Scale, Current Zero and Full Scale

Setting range: -99999 - 99999 (where zero set value < full scale set value)
Voltage zero: Set the indicated value for the time of output of 0V.
Voltage full scale: Set the indicated value for the time of output of 10V.
Current zero: Set the indicated value for the time of output of 4mA.
Current full scale: Set the indicated value for the time of output of 20mA.

How to set





13-2. D/A Output Mode

In synchronization with the indicated value / Fixed at 0V / Fixed at 10V / Fixed at 4mA / Fixed at 20mA

In synchronization w the indicated value	with Outputs in synchronization with the indicated value.
Fixed at 0V	: The voltage output is fixed at zero output (0V).
Fixed at 10V	: The voltage output is fixed at full scale (10V).
Fixed at 4mA	: The current output is fixed at zero output (4mA).
Fixed at 20mA	: The current output is fixed at full scale (20mA).



13-3. Voltage Output Selection

Output selection: Hold values / Real-time values

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13-4. Current Output Selection

Output selection: Hold values / Real-time values

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How to output adjust

Adjust the output with the dummy trimmer that appears on the adjustment screen after selecting each fixed output in the D/A output mode setting and pressing the [OK] key. While monitoring the output value, finely adjust the output with the dummy trimmer UP/ DOWN keys, and press the [OK] key to confirm, so that the trimmer position is entered.



- *Pressing the dummy trimmer UP/DOWN keys continuously performs continuous operation.
- *The trimmer adjusting ranges are as follows: voltage output; about \pm 2.0V, and current output; about \pm 1.6mA.
- *The reset key resets the dummy trimmer position to the trimmer center point (0%).

14. DC POWER SOURCE



The F370 can be used on a DC power source by specification at delivery time.

Connect the positive (+) side of the power source to the red screw side of the terminal block on the back of the F370, and its negative (-) side to the black screw side.

Input voltage range (voltage between terminals of the F370)

12 - 24V DC (\pm 15%)



Be aware that the voltage drops depending on the wire thickness and length. Also, never input an AC power source. Doing so will cause a failure.

Power consumption

20W max

Use a source power (or battery) of 3A DC or more.



15. ERROR MESSAGES

ADC+OVER or ADC-OVER

This message indicates that the inputted electric signal exceeds the input voltage range of the element (ADC) which converts the inputted electric signal to a digital value whereby the signal cannot be converted to a correct digital value.

ADC+OVER and ADC-OVER indicate that the inputted electric signal exceeds the input range in the positive direction and negative direction, respectively.

This message may also be displayed when an excessive load is applied to the sensor or the input terminals are opened due to a break in the cable.

+OVER or -OVER

This message indicates that the value to be displayed except the decimal point and sign exceeds five digits. The message and a value of as much as five digits appear alternately. +OVER and -OVER indicate that the value to be displayed exceeds five digits in the positive direction and negative direction, respectively.

This message is displayed in such a case wherein a load larger than expected is applied or calibration is performed below the measuring range. Check calibration and the measuring object.

Zero calibration error

This message indicates that calibration cannot be performed because the inputted electric signal exceeds the input voltage range.

Check the cables for breaks or miswiring.

Span calibration error

The span calibration error occurs under the following conditions.

- 1) An actual load set value of zero is inputted.
- 2) An electric signal in the negative direction is inputted.
- 3) An electric signal of 0.05mV/V or less in the positive direction is inputted.

In the case of 1), check the set value, and perform calibration again.

In the case of 2) or 3), check that the actual load is properly applied and check the cables for miswiring. Where the condition in 3) applies with too light a load, the load needs to be increased.

Although the F370 will not break down immediately even if the above messages are displayed, ADC+OVER or ADC-OVER indicates that an excessive voltage may be applied to the input circuit of the F370. It is therefore required to remove the cause immediately.

(Although the input is provided with a protection circuit, a long-time excessive voltage or an instantaneous but extremely high voltage may break the F370.)



16. SELF-CHECK AND INITIALIZATION

16-1. Self-Check

The self-check function includes a memory check to check the memory automatically for detecting problems, a visual check to check the display visually, a touch panel key input check and an external I/O check.

16-1-1. Self-Check DSP

The display is checked.

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White \rightarrow Black \rightarrow Red \rightarrow Green \rightarrow Blue \rightarrow "H" (half size) \rightarrow "H" (full size)
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16-1-2. Self-Check MEM

The memory is checked.

ROM	check	judgment	checksum
			ROM version
SRAM NOVRA	check M check	judgment judgment	
			Judgment: OK or NG

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16-1-3. Self-Check KEY

The touch panel keys are checked.

Black-bordered pseudo keys appear on the blue screen. These keys should change to white when pressed.

When all keys are pressed, the original screen is restored. If the color does not change with no reaction due to a problem, it is NG.

In the case of NG, the original screen is restored in 30 seconds after the last key operation.

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16-1-4. Self-Check EXT

The external I/O is checked.

Pseudo LEDs for the input terminals and pseudo ON/OFF keys for the output
terminals appear.
When each input terminal is shorted (turned on), the pseudo LED lights.
When each output terminal key is pressed, the output is turned on.
The original screen is restored by the ESC key.

How to set



16-2. Initialization (All setting value clearances)

The contents of the memory are rewritten to factory defaults.

In this operation, calibration values (zero calibration and span calibration) do not change but all other parameters are rewritten to factory defaults.

See the section on SETTING ITEM CHART page 113 for factory defaults.

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16-3. Password

This setting is for maintenance and inspection. Do not operate.



17. ABOUT JAPANESE/ENGLISH DISPLAY SELECTION

The display language of the F370 is selectable between Japanese and English.

JPN: Japanese

ENG: English





18. BLOCK DIAGRAM



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19. DIMENSIONS

Unit:mm



[Rear]

20. INSTALLATION IN A PANEL

Follow the steps below to install the F370 in a panel.

1) Remove both side rails.



2) Make a hole in the panel in accordance with the panel cutout size.



3) Install the F370 and attach it with side rails.





21. SPECIFICATIONS

21-1. Analog Section

Sensor excitation	10V, 5V, 2.5V DC (digital adjustment) Output current: Within 120mA	
	4-wire (Up to f	four 350 Ω load cells can be connected.)
Signal input range	-3.0 - +3.0mV/	V
Zero and gain adjustment	Performed by d	ligital computation
Accuracy	Non-linearity	: Within 0.02%FS \pm 1 digit (at a 3.0mV/V input)
	Zero drift	: Within 0.5 μ V/ °C RTI
	Gain drift	: Within 0.01%/ °C
A/D converter	Rate	: 2000 times/sec.
	Resolution	: 16 bits (binary)
Analog filter	10Hz, 30Hz, 10	00Hz, 300Hz (digital adjustment)

21-2. Digital Section

Display	STN color LCD module (display area: 75mm $ imes$ 56mm)
	$320 imes 240 ext{ dots}$
	Indicated value: \pm 999999 (5-digit)
	$\mathbf{D}_{1} = \mathbf{D}_{1} + \mathbf{D}_{1} $
Equivalent input calibrati	Range: $0.5 - 3.0 \text{mV/V}$ Error: within $\pm 0.1\%$ FS
Hold functions	1) Sample hold
	2) Peak hold
	3) Valley hold
	4) Peak-to-peak hold
	5) Relative maximum hold
	6) Relative minimum hold
	7) Inflection point hold
	Period setting (all period, external signal, time, time with
	trigger) is available for 2) - 4).
	Combinations allow selection from 16 hold types.



Comparison functions

	External output
HI-HI limit	HH
LO-LO limit	LL
	OK
HI limit	HI
LO limit	LO

Calibration value selection Four calibration values can be stored in memory and switched.

21-3. Options

BCD data output	Open-collector output
	Output rate
	Can be selected from 1 time/sec., 10 times/sec., 100 times/sec.
	and 1000 times/sec.

RS-232C communication interface

Start/stop system Baud rate: 1200bps - 19200bps

RS-485 communication interface

Communication conditions are the same as RS-232C.

D/A converter Voltage output -10 - 10V Current output 4 - 20mA Zero output and full scale output can be digitally adjusted.



21-4. External Input and Output

Output		
Output	Output common	- COM1
	HI-LO limit compariso	on output (open-collector outputs)
		- HH
		- HI
		- GO
		- LO
		- LL
	Hold end output	
		- H/E
	Serial data output	SI/F start/stop system 600bps
Input		
	Input common	- COM2
	·	
	Parameter selection i	nput
		- CODE0
		- CODE1
		- CODE2
		- CODE3
	Hold control input	
		- T/H
		- H/M

Digital zero input

- DZ

Graphic display start/stop input - ST/SP

21-5. General

Required power source	- AC spec: 100V to 240V AC (+10% -15%)
	[free power source 50/60Hz]
	- DC spec: 12V to 24V DC (\pm 15%)
	(Depending on the request at the time of order)
Power consumption	- AC spec: 12W (28VA) max.
	- DC spec: 20W max.
Rush current (Typ)	15A, 5 msec.: 100V AC mean load state
	(ordinary temperature, at cold-start time)
	30A, 5 msec.: 200V AC mean load state
	(ordinary temperature, at cold-start time)
Operating conditions	Temperature : -10 $^{\circ}$ C to +40 $^{\circ}$ C
	Humidity: 80%RH or below (non-condensing)
Warmup time	20 minutes
Dimensions	$100W \times 96H \times 143D$ (mm) (excluding projected parts)
Weight	About 1kg

21-6. Accessories

Operation Manual 1
Acceptance proof 1
 The sticking-by-pressure terminal for external I/O terminal stand 22 (TMEV1.25-3S)
• AC cable [*] 1
Connector (57-30360, At the time of an BCD option addition) 1
• Mini driver (D/A, At the time of an RS-485 option addition) 1
Ferrite core for sensor cable [*] (E04SR301334) 1
* : It is attached only at the AC power source specification.

About the power cable

• The power cable attached to this product as standard equipment can be used in the AC100V power supply in Japan. (Official ratings voltage AC125V)

Please use the power cable authorized in the country when you use this product outside Japan.

22. SETTING ITEM CHART

Setting of OPERATION

N : NOVRAM S : SRAM

	page	Item	Default	Calibration LOCK	Set Value LOCK	Ν	S
1		Digital Filter	OFF		Ø	0	
2		Analog Filter	300Hz		Ø	0	
3	1	Display Rate	10Times		0	0	
4		Stability (Time)	1.5Sec		0	0	
5		Stability (Cnt)	05CNT		0	0	
6		Zero Track (Time)	0.0Sec		0	0	
7		Zero Track (Cnt)	00CNT		0	0	
8	2	Contrast1				0	
9		Contrast2	70			0	
10		Backlight	10Min.			0	
11		Excitation Voltage	2.5V		Ø	0	
12		Auto Print	No		0	0	
13	3	Hold Off Print	No		0	0	
14		Cal.Protect	OFF				
15		Para.Protect	OFF				

Setting of COMPARISON(CH00 ~ CH15)

	page	Item	Default	Calibration LOCK	Set Value LOCK	Ν	S
1		Hi-Hi Limit	12500*		Ø		0
2		HI Limit	07500*		Ø		0
3	1	LO Limit	00000*		Ø		0
4		LO-LO Limit	-02500*		Ø		0
5		Hysteresis	00000*		Ø		0
6		Near Zero	00100*		Ø		0
7		HI-LO Limit Comparison Mode	ALL		Ø		0
8		HI-LO Limit Output Mode	MODE2		Ø		0
9		Alarm Mode	No		Ø		0

* The display position of a decimal point changes by the decimal point position setup in the proofreading mode.



Setting of HOLD MODE (CH00 ~ CH15)

	page	Item	Default	Calibration LOCK	Set Value LOCK	Ν	S
1		Hold Function	Tracking		Ø		0
2		Hold Detect Time	1.000Sec		Ø		0
3	1	Auto Start Level	00100*		Ø		0
4		Minimum Count	010		Ø		0
5		Valley Detect Level	1.0Times		Ø		0
6		Minimum Slope	00030*		Ø		0
7		Interval A	200		Ø		0
8	2	Interval B	200		Ø		0
9	1	Hold Point Shift	000		Ø		0
10		Mean Value Sampling Count	001		Ø		0

Setting of GRAPH

	page	Item	Default	Calibration LOCK	Set Value LOCK	N	S
1		Graph Function	CONTINUDE		Ø		0
2		Interval Time	01.0Sec		Ø		0
3	1	Graph Start Level	00100*		Ø		0
4		Level Detect Mode	Passed High		Ø		0
5		X Start Point	10.0Sec		0		0
6	0	Y Start Point	00000*		Ø		0
7	2	Y End Point	10000*		Ø		0

* The display position of a decimal point changes by the decimal point position setup in the proofreading mode.

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	page	Item	Default	Calibration LOCK	Set Value LOCK	Ν	S
1		Zero Calibration	0	Ø		0	
2		Actual Load Cal	10000*	Ø		0	
3	1	Egv.Input Cal	3.000	Ø		0	
4		Cal. Select	CAL.0	Ø		0	
5		Increment	001	Ø		0	
6		Unit	kg	Ø		0	
7	2	Decimal Place	0.00	Ø		0	
8		Digital Offset	00000*	Ø		0	

* The display position of a decimal point changes by the decimal point position setup in the proofreading mode.

Setting of Option

In case of used RS-232C

	page	Item	Default	Calibration LOCK	Set Value LOCK	Ν	S
1		Comm.Mode	MODE0		0	0	
2		Speed	9600bps		0	0	
3	1	Character Length	8bit		Ø	0	
4		Stop	1bit		0	0	
5		Parity	No		0	0	
6	2	Terminator	CR		Ø	0	

Setting of Option

In case of used BCDOUT

	page	Item	Default	Calibration LOCK	Set Value LOCK	Ν	S
1	1	Output Rate	100Times		Ø	0	
2	1	Output Selection	Hold Value		Ø	0	

Setting of Option

In case of used Output Mode

	page	Item	Default	Calibration LOCK	Set Value LOCK	Ν	S
1		Output Mode	Input Value		Ø	0	
2		Voltage Zero Output	00000		0	0	
3	1	Voltage Full Scale	10000		Ø	0	
4		Current Zero Output	00000		Ø	0	
5		Current Full Scale	10000		Ø	0	
6	2	Voltage Output Selection	Hold Value		Ø	0	
7	2	Current Output Selection	Hold Value		Ø	0	

Setting of Option

In case of used RS-485

	page	Item	Default	Calibration LOCK	Set Value LOCK	Ν	S
1		Comm.Mode	MODE0		Ø	0	
2		Speed	9600bps		Ø	0	
3	1	Character Length	8bit		Ø	0	
4		Stop	1bit		Ø	0	
5		Parity	No		Ø	0	
6		Terminator	CR		Ø	0	
7		ID	0000		Ø	0	
8	Z	end.reg	No		Ø	0	
9		wire-sel	4wire		Ø	0	

Setting of SYSTEM

	page	Item	Default	Calibration LOCK	Set Value LOCK	СН	Note
1		All Para.Clear					
2		Self Check DSP					
3	1	Self Check MEM					
4		Self Check KEY					
5		Self Check EXT					
6	2	PASSWORD	* * * *				
7		LANGUAGE	ENG				



23. CONFORMITY TO EC DIRECTIVES

The F370 digital indicator conforms to EC directives (based on the EC council of ministers), carrying a CE mark.

- Low voltage directive: EN61010-1

- EMC directive: EN61326-1

EN55011, EN61000-4-2, EN61000-4-3, EN61000-4-4, EN61000-4-5, EN61000-4-6, EN61000-4-8, EN61000-4-11, EN61000-3-2, EN61000-3-3

When installing, attention should be given to the following.

- 1. Since the F370 is defined as an open type (built-in equipment), be sure to install the F370 and fix to a panel or the like for use.
- The power cable attached to this product as standard equipment can be used in the AC100V power supply in Japan. (Official ratings voltage AC125V)
 Please use the power cable authorized in the country when you use this product outside Japan.
- 3. Use shielded cables for others (load cell, external I/O, option).



Connection of Lightning serge protect

The F370 main body conforms to EMC directive EN61000-4-5 (lightning surge immunity) in combination with the lightning surge protect.



No lightning surge protector [MAINTRAB MNT-1D] is included as a standard.It is optionally available (TSU01) in combination with a 250V AC high-voltage cable in EU outlet form (See below: Standard product in Europe). For details, contact our sales department.



Attachment of ferrite core



It is necessary to attach a ferrite core to a sensor cable for a load cell or the like.





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