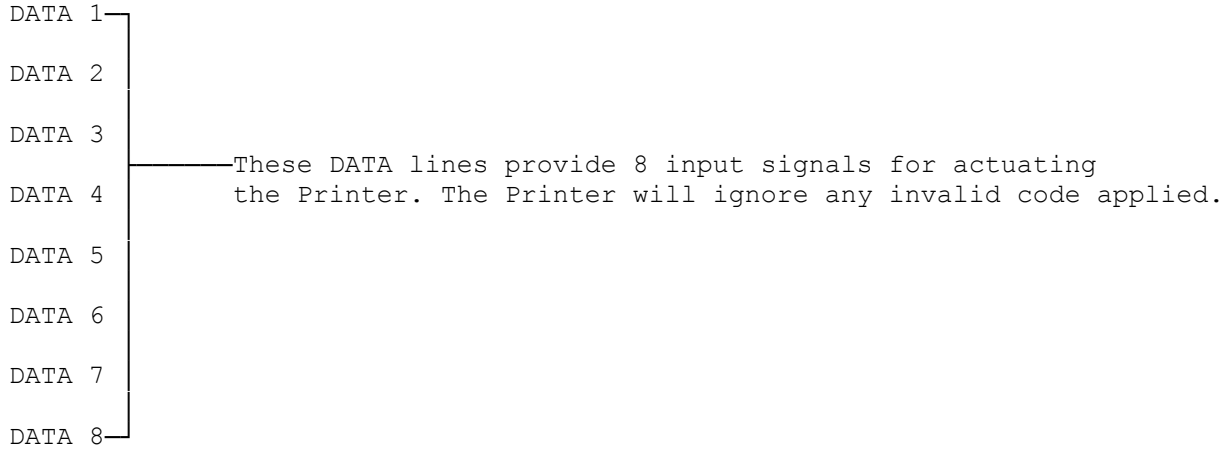


PARALLEL INTERFACE

INPUT SIGNAL SYSTEM DIAGRAM



STROBE A sampling signal for the DATA lines which provide instruction signals for actuating the Printer.

INITIALIZE This signal into this terminal initializes the Printer to the power ON state. The minimum pulse width

* Ground not shown

OUTPUT SIGNAL SYSTEM DIAGRAM

BUSY Busy condition: 1) Data is on the buffer 5) Ribbon fault state
2) Initial state 6) Cover open state
3) Off-line mode 7) Buffer full
4) Error state 8) Paper out state

Ready condition: Condition other than those listed in 1-8 above.

OUT OF PAPER Indicates that the Printer is out of paper. This signal is effective when the Bidirectional Tractor (26-2813) is mounted on the Printer.

BUSY The logical inverse of BUSY.

ACK Indicates that the Printer has accepted data from the CPU.

FAULT Indicates that the Printer is in an error state, ribbon fault state, cover open state, paper out state, or off-line state.

INTERFACE SIGNAL PIN ASSIGNMENTS

TYPE: 36-pin receptacle
MODEL: C-173011-2 or equivalent
MANUFACTURER: AMP (Japan) Ltd. or equivalent

PIN	SIGNAL NAME	PIN	SIGNAL NAME
1	STROBE*	19	GND
2	DATA 1	20	GND
3	DATA 2	21	GND
4	DATA 3	22	GND
5	DATA 4	23	GND
6	DATA 5	24	GND
7	DATA 6	25	GND
8	DATA 7	26	GND
9	DATA 8	27	GND
10	ACK*	28	GND
11	BUSY	29	GND
12	OUT OF PAPER	30	GND
13	BUSY*	31	NC
14	GND	32	FAULT*
15	NC	33	INIT*
16	GND	34	NC
17	GND	35	NC
18	+5VDC	36	NC

NOTE: NC pins are actually pulled up to 5 VDC through a 4.7K resistor.

Pin 18 provides 5 VDC to the Tandy computer (less than 80 mA of current).

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