

# DT5751

## 2/4 Input Channel 10 bit 2/1 GS/s Digitizer



## Features



- 10 bit 1 GS/s (2 GS/s in DES mode) ADC
- FPGA for real-time data processing:
  - **Pulse Shape Discrimination (DPP-PSD)**
  - **Zero Length Encoding (DPP-ZLEplus)**
- 4 input channels (2 in DES mode), single-ended
- 1 Vpp input range (default); 0.2 Vpp customization **by ordering option**
- 16-bit programmable DC offset adjustment in the full range independently on each channel
- Trigger Time stamps
- Multi-Event Memory buffer: 1.835 MS/ch (3.6 MS/ch in DES mode) or 14.4 MS/ch (28.8 MS/ch in DES mode) divisible into 1 ÷ 1024 buffers
- Programmable event size and pre-post trigger adjustment
- Programmable PLL onboard for clock synchronization with external systems or other DT5751 units
- Optical Link interface (CONET proprietary protocol) Daisy-chainable through **A5818** (PCIe Gen 3) Controller or **A4818** (USB3-to-CONET)
- USB 2.0 communication interface
- Firmware upgradeable via USB/Optical Link
- Fully supported by **CoMPASS** and **WaveDump2** software

## Description

The CAEN **Mod. DT5751** is a Waveform Digitizer, in Desktop form factor, housing **4** Input Channel **10** bit **1 GS/s** Flash ADC, designed for waveform recording and supporting advanced algorithms for online digital pulse processing (DPP) making charge integration and pulse shape discrimination (PSD), and data reduction by zero-length encoding (ZLEplus). If the DES mode\* (Dual Edge Sampling) is enabled, this device becomes a 2 input channel 10 bit 2 GS/s Waveform Digitizer.

The Digitizer is well suited for fast signals as the ones coming from fast organic, inorganic and liquid scintillators coupled to PMTs or Silicon Photomultipliers, Diamond detectors and others. The acquisition can be channel independent and it is possible to make coincidence/anti-coincidence logic among different channels and external veto/gating. Multiple boards can be synchronized to build up complex systems.

In the case of DPP mode, users can acquire quantitative physical parameters (Time, Integrated Charge, Pulse Shape Discrimination with very fine time resolution) as well as read out waveforms with baseline suppression on channel basis (Zero-Length Encoding) The acquisition in **DPP-PSD** mode is fully controlled by the **CoMPASS** software, which manages the algorithm parameters, builds, plots and saves the relevant energy, time, and PSD spectra. In the case of waveform recording mode, the user can take advantage of the **WaveDump** and **WaveDump2** software to access and save the waveforms. A C-based demo is provided to configure the algorithm parameters, control the data acquisition, saving, and plotting for the **DPP-ZLEPlus** mode.

Libraries and demo software in C, Python, and LabView are available for integration and customization of specific acquisition systems.

The communication to and from the board is provided through the **USB** and **Optical Link** interfaces.

(\*) *NOTE: DES mode is not available with DPP firmware*

## Technical Specifications

### GENERAL

- Weight: 675 g
- Form Factor: Desktop
- Dimension: 154x50x164 mm<sup>3</sup> (WxHxD)

### ANALOG INPUT

- Number of Inputs: 2/4, single-ended, DC coupled
- Bandwidth (-3dB): 500 MHz
- Impedance: 50  $\Omega$
- Gain: x1, fixed
- Connector Type: MCX
- Full Scale Range: 1 Vpp default; 0.2 Vpp customization by ordering option
- 16-bit programmable DC offset adjustment in the full range independently on each channel
- Abs. Max. Voltage Rating:
  - 3 Vpp @1 Vpp (with Vrail max +3 V or -3 V for any DAC offset value)
  - 2 Vpp @0.2 Vpp (with Vrail max +2 V or -2 V for any DAC offset value)

### DIGITAL CONVERSION

- Sampling Rate:
  - 1 GS/s simultaneously on each channel (default)
  - 2 GS/s in DES mode (half channels supported)
  - Down to 250 MS/s by hardware downsampling (**AN6308**)

### SYSTEM PERFORMANCES

- ENOB: 9.04 (56 kS Buffer)
- SINAD: 56.19 dB
- THD: 70.2 dB
- SFDR: 79.7 dB
- SIGMA: 0.58 LSB rms (56 kS buffer, open input)

### DIGITAL I/O

#### TRG-IN/GPO/GPI

- General-purpose digital I/Os
- Single-ended TTL/NIM
- LEMO 00 male connector
- Software programmable function (trigger, veto, busy, etc.)
- TRG-IN/GPI: Zin = 50  $\Omega$  (internally terminated)
- GPO requires Rt = 50  $\Omega$

### ACQUISITION MEMORY

- 1.835 MS/ch (1.9 ms @ 1GS/s), that is 3.6 MS/ch in DES mode (1.9 ms @ 2GS/s) or 14.4 MS/ch (15 ms @ 1 GS/s) that is 28.8 MS/ch in DES mode (15 ms @ 2 GS/s) Multi-event Buffer divisible into 1 ÷ 1024 buffers
- Independent read and write access
- Programmable event size and pre/post-trigger

## COMMUNICATION INTERFACE

### USB

- USB 2.0 compliant
- Transfer Rate: up to 30 MB/s

### Optical Link

- CAEN proprietary CONET protocol
- Transfer Rate: up to 80 MB/s
- Daisy Capability: up to 8 ADC modules per single optical link by A5818 Controller or A4818 Adapter

## TRIGGER AND EVENT ACQUISITION

### Triggered Mode

All the channels fire simultaneously upon a global trigger generated by the Central Logic Unit receiving the trigger source signals.

### Trigger Sources

- Software by register writing
- External upon the leading edge of The TRG-IN signal (TTL/NIM)
- Local (self-trigger) upon the channel discriminator with programmable threshold

### Trigger Timestamp - Waveform Rec. firmware

- Resolution: 16 ns
- Counter range: 31 bits (default); extendable to 48-bit by firmware
- Full-scale range: ~ 17 s @31-bit

### Trigger Timestamp - DPP firmware

#### DPP-PSD:

- Resolution: 1 ns
- Counter Range: 48 bits
- Full-scale range: ~ 78 h
- Digital CFD: 10-bit, 1 ps fine timestamp

#### DPP-ZLEplus:

- Resolution: 16 ns
- Counter Range: 31-bit (default); extendable to 48-bit by firmware
- Full-scale range: ~ 17 s @31-bit

### Streaming Readout Mode

Each channel autonomously identifies the ROI and uses the local trigger to get events independently on the other channels; validation logics can be configured for correlated acquisition (coincidence/anticoincidence).

## SYNCHRONIZATION

### Clock Generation

By default, the Digitizer's main clocks are generated upon a 50MHz reference frequency that can optionally be internal (50MHz local Oscillator) or external (CLK-IN). Onboard programmable PLL allows locking to different external frequencies.

### Clock Synchronization

Default 50MHz frequency distributed by:

- Fan-in into CLK-IN (**DT4700**)

PLL programming files for supported custom frequencies can be generated and loaded by the CAEN Toolbox software.

### Run Synchronization (Acquisition Start/Stop)

Optionally, by Daisy chain or fan-in propagation through single-ended TRG-IN/GPO/GPI connectors (NIM/TTL).

### CLK-IN Connector

- Reference clock differential signal
- 2.54mm 3-pin AMPMODU Mod II male connector
- AC-coupled LVDS, ECL, PECL, LVPECL, CML ( $Z_{diff} = 100 \Omega$ )

### Data Synchronization

Programmable Busy/Veto logic on single-ended NIM/TTL I/O for event building (external hardware required).

### Trigger Distribution

Optionally, by Daisy chain or fan-out propagation through single-ended TRG-IN/GPO connectors, NIM/TTL (global trigger).

## FPGA

- Altera Cyclone EP3C16
- One FPGA serves 2 channels

## CAEN FIRMWARE

### DPP Firmware (Shareware)

Pay firmware implementing a digital pulse processing algorithm:

- **DPP-PSD**: Charge Integration and Pulse Shape Discrimination
- **DPP-ZLEplus**: Zero Length Encoding

30-minute per power cycle in Trial mode; license is required for full-time work.

### Waveform Recording Firmware (Freeware)

Designed for waveform recording.

### Upgrades (Free)

Web available CFA files for Waveform Recording firmware upgrade through the CAEN Toolbox software, via USB or Optical Link.

## SOFTWARE

### Readout Software for Waveform Rec. Firmware (Freeware)

- **CAEN WaveDump**: Digitizer 1.0 series support, single-board management, user-customizable
- **WaveDump2**: Digitizer 1.0 and 2.0 series support, single and multi-board management, GUI based

### Readout Software for DPP Firmware (Freeware)

- **CoMPASS**: Digitizer 1.0 and 2.0 series support, single and multi-board management, GUI based
- **DPP-ZLEplus Readout Demo**: sample code with C source files to dial with the ZLE functionalities and help in user's DAQ development

### SDK and Tools (Freeware)

General-purpose libraries (C/Python, LabVIEW) with demo samples for host Windows® and Linux® PC.

## ENVIRONMENTAL

- **Environment:** Indoor use
- **Operating Temperature:** 0°C to +40°C
- **Storage Temperature:** -10°C to +60 °C
- **Operating Humidity:** 10% to 90% RH non condensing
- **Storage Humidity:** 5% to 90% RH non condensing
- **Pollution Degree:** 2
- **Overvoltage Category:** II
- **EMC Environment:** Commercial and light industrial
- **IP Degree:** Enclosure (desktop models), not for wet location

## REGULATORY COMPLIANCE

- EMC: CE 2014/30/EU Electromagnetic Compatibility Directive
- Safety: CE 2014/35/EU Low Voltage Directive

## POWER CONSUMPTIONS

- 1.8 A @ +12 V DC (Typ.)
- AC-DC 12 V / 45 W power unit included

## Ordering Options

Code	Description
WDT5751XAAA	DT5751 - 2/4 Ch. 10 bit 2/1 GS/s Digitizer: 3.6/1.8MS/ch, EP3C16, SE <span data-bbox="1369 250 1449 297">RoHS</span>

## Accessories

### A317



Cable assembly for Clock distribution 3-pin AMPMODU IV female terminations - 18 cm / 25cm

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## Digitizers Input Range Personalizations



Digitizers Input Range Customizations

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### A659



Cable assembly BNC male to MCX male - 1 m

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### A654



Cable assembly LEMO 00 male to MCX male - 1 m

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### A319B



Clock cable assembly from Digitizer Series 1.0 to Digitizer Series 2.0 - 20cm

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## DT4700



Clock Generator and FAN-OUT

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## AI2700



Optical Fiber Series

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## A318



Adapter for Clock signal FISCHER S101A004 male to 3-pin AMPMODU IV female - 10 cm

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## Related Software

### WaveDump



Readout Application for CAEN Digitizer 1.0

### WAVEDUMP2



Open Source Software for Digitizer 2.0 and 1.0 Series

### CAEN Toolbox



Multi-Functional Software Suite for the Upgrade of Front-end Boards, Bridges and Power Supplies

### COMPASS



Multiparametric DAQ Software for Physics Applications

## Related Firmware

### DPP-SUP



Super Licence for CAEN Digitizers

### DPP-PSD



Digital Pulse Processing for Charge Integration and Pulse Shape Discrimination

### D-WAVE



Digitizer Waveform Recording Firmware

### DPP-ZLEPLUS



Digital Pulse Processing for the Zero Length Encoding

## Related Software Libraries

### CAEN FELib Library



High level library for CAEN Digitizers 2.0

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### CAENDigitizer Library



Library of functions for CAEN Digitizers high level management

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### CAENComm Library

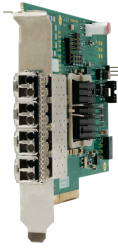


Interface library for CAEN Data Acquisition Modules

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## Related Products

### A5818



CONET2 Controller based on PCI Express Gen 3 interface

### A4818



USB 3.0 to CONET2 Adapter

### VX1751



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### V1751



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