

HD/SD-SDI AFD Code Inserter

Product Manual



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Introduction

Overview

This manual provides insta9071llation and operating instructions for the 9071 HD/SD-SDI AFD Code Inserter card (also referred to herein as the 9071).

This manual consists of the following chapters:

- Chapter 1, "Introduction" Provides information about this manual and what is covered. Also provides general information regarding the 9071.
- Chapter 2, "Installation and Setup" Provides instructions for installing the 9071 in a frame, and optionally installing 9071 Rear I/O Modules.
- Chapter 3, "Operating Instructions" Provides overviews of operating controls and instructions for using the 9071.

This chapter contains the following information:

- 9071 Card Software Versions and this Manual (p. 1-2)
- Manual Conventions (p. 1-3)
- Safety Summary (p. 1-4)
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9071 Card Software Versions and this Manual

When applicable, Cobalt Digital Inc. provides for continual product enhancements through software updates. As such, functions described in this manual may pertain specifically to cards loaded with a particular software build.

The Software Version of your card can be checked by viewing the **Card Info** menu in DashBoardTM. You can then check our website for the latest software version currently released for the card as described below.

Check our website and proceed as follows if your card's software does not match the latest version:

Card Software earlier than latest version	Card is not loaded with the latest software. Not all functions and/or specified performance described in this manual may be available.
	You can update your card with new Update software by going to the Support>Firmware link at www.cobaltdigital.com. Download "Firmware Update Guide", which provides simple instructions for downloading the latest firmware for your card onto your computer, and then uploading it to your card through DashBoard TM . Software updates are field-installed without any need to remove the card from its frame.
	need to remove the card from its frame.
Card Software newer than version in manual	A new manual is expediently released whenever a card's software is updated and specifications and/or functionality have changed as compared to an earlier version (a new manual is not necessarily released if specifications and/or functionality have not changed). A manual earlier than a card's software version may not completely or accurately describe all functions available for your card.
	If your card shows features not described in this manual, you can check for the latest manual (if applicable) and download it by going to the Support>Documents>Product Information and Manuals link at www.cobaltdigital.com.

Cobalt Reference Guides

From the Cobalt[®] web home page, go to **Support>Documents>Reference Guides** for easy to use guides covering network remote control, card firmware updates, and other topics.

Introduction Manual Conventions

Manual Conventions

In this manual, display messages and connectors are shown using the exact name shown on the 9071 itself. Examples are provided below.

• Connector names are shown like this: **SDI IN**

In this manual, the terms below are applicable as follows:

- 9071 refers to the 9071 HD/SD-SDI AFD Code Inserter card.
- Frame refers to the 8321 (or similar) frame that houses the Cobalt[®] COMPASS[®] cards.
- **Device** and/or **Card** refers to a COMPASS® card.
- System and/or Video System refers to the mix of interconnected production and terminal equipment in which the 9071 and other COMPASS® cards operate.
- Functions and/or features that are available only as an option are denoted in this manual like this:



Warnings, Cautions, and Notes

Certain items in this manual are highlighted by special messages. The definitions are provided below.

Warnings

Warning messages indicate a possible hazard which, if not avoided, could result in personal injury or death.

Cautions

Caution messages indicate a problem or incorrect practice which, if not avoided, could result in improper operation or damage to the product.

Notes

Notes provide supplemental information to the accompanying text. Notes typically precede the text to which they apply.

1 Safety Summary

Labeling Symbol Definitions

\triangle	Attention, consult accompanying documents.
	Electronic device or assembly is susceptible to damage from an ESD event. Handle only using appropriate ESD prevention practices. If ESD wrist strap is not available, handle card only by edges and avoid contact with any connectors or components.
	Symbol (WEEE 2002/96/EC) For product disposal, ensure the following: • Do not dispose of this product as unsorted municipal waste. • Collect this product separately. • Use collection and return systems available to you.

Safety Summary

Warnings

! WARNING!

To reduce risk of electric shock do not remove line voltage service barrier cover on frame equipment containing an AC power supply. NO USER SERVICEABLE PARTS INSIDE. REFER SERVICING TO QUALIFIED SERVICE PERSONNEL.

Cautions

CAUTION

This device is intended for environmentally controlled use only in appropriate video terminal equipment operating environments.

CAUTION

This product is intended to be a component product of an openGear® frame. Refer to the openGear frame Owner's Manual for important safety instructions regarding the proper installation and safe operation of the frame as well as its component products.

CAUTION

Heat and power distribution requirements within a frame may dictate specific slot placement of cards. Cards with many heat-producing components should be arranged to avoid areas of excess heat build-up, particularly in frames using only convection cooling. The 9071 has a moderate power dissipation (12 W max.). As such, avoiding placing the card adjacent to other cards with similar dissipation values if possible.

CAUTION

If required, make certain Rear I/O Module(s) is installed before installing the 9071 into the frame slot. Damage to card and/or Rear I/O Module can occur if module installation is attempted with card already installed in slot.

CAUTION

If card resists fully engaging in rear I/O module mating connector, check for alignment and proper insertion in slot tracks. Damage to card and/or rear I/O module may occur if improper card insertion is attempted.

9071 Functional Description

Figure 1-1 shows a functional block diagram of the 9071. The AFD inserter function provides for assignment and insertion of AFD codes into the SDI output video. Using this function, AFD codes in accordance with the standard 4-bit AFD code designations can be applied to the output video.

This function checks for any existing AFD code within the received video input. If a code is present, the code is displayed. When used in conjunction with a separate downstream card capable of providing AFD-directed scaling, the image can in turn be scaled in accordance with the AFD coding embedded by this card.

The function also allows the selection/changing of the AFD code ancillary data line number for the outputted AFD code.

9071 Input/Output Formats

The 9071 provides the following inputs and outputs:

- Inputs:
 - HD/SD SDI IN dual-rate HD/SD-SDI input
- Outputs:
 - SDI OUT four HD/SD-SDI buffered video outputs
 - RCK OUT— four HD/SD-SDI reclocked buffered video outputs

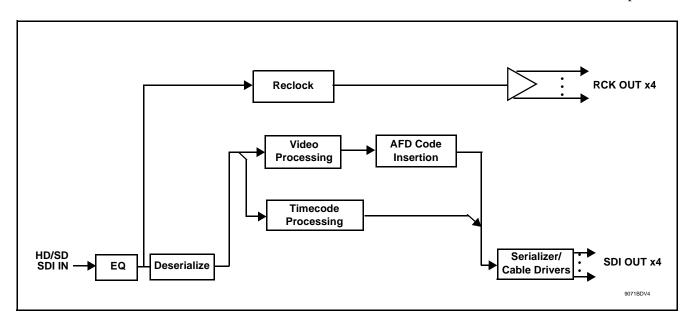


Figure 1-1 9071 Functional Block Diagram

Video Processor

The 9071 provides full color processing control (luma gain and lift, chroma saturation, and color phase) of the output video.

AFD Inserter

This function provides for assignment and insertion of AFD codes into the SDI output video. Using this function, AFD codes in accordance with the standard 4-bit AFD code designations can be applied to the output video.

This function checks for any existing AFD code within the received video input. If a code is present, the code is displayed. When used in conjunction with a separate downstream card capable of providing AFD-directed scaling, the image can in turn be scaled in accordance with the AFD coding embedded by this card.

The function also allows the selection/changing of the AFD code and ancillary data line number for the outputted AFD code.

Timecode Processor

(See Figure 1-2.) This function provides for extraction of timecode data from the input video, and in turn re-insertion of timecode data into the output SDI. The function can monitor the SDI video input of the card for supported timecode formats, and then select and prioritize among SDI VITC, SDI ATC VITC, and SDI ATC LTC timecode sources. If the preferred format is detected, the preferred format is used by the card; if the preferred format is not detected, the card uses other formats (where available) as desired.

The function provides conversion between various timecode formats and provides independent insertion and line number controls for each SDI timecode output format.

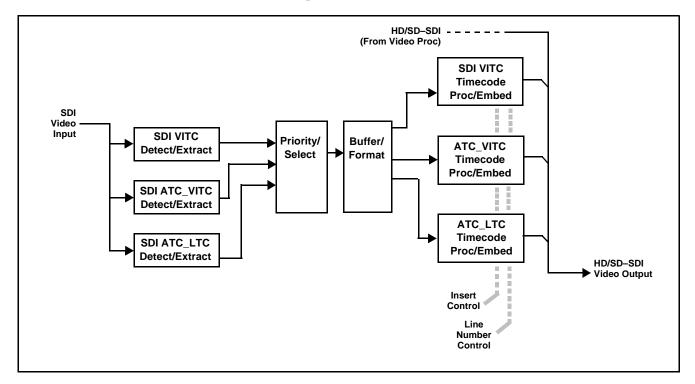


Figure 1-2 Timecode Processor

User Control Interface

Figure 1-3 shows the user control interface options for the 9071. These options are individually described below.

Note: All user control interfaces described here are cross-compatible and can operate together as desired. Where applicable, any control setting change made using a particular user interface is reflected on any other connected interface.

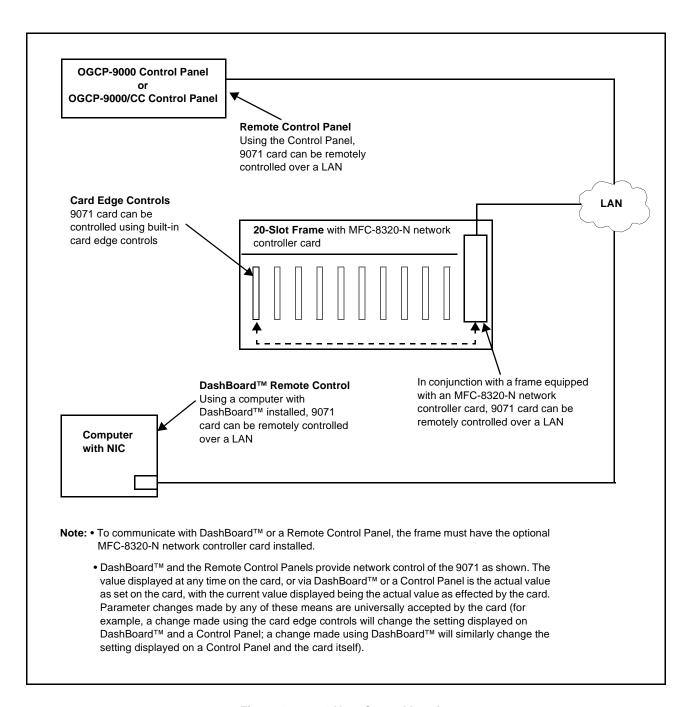


Figure 1-3 9071 User Control Interface

• **Built-in Card Edge User Interface** – Using the built-in card edge controls and display, card control settings can be set using a front panel menu which is described in Chapter 3, "Operating Instructions".

Note: Some of the 9071 functions described in this manual are available only when using the DashBoard[™], or Cobalt[®] OGCP-9000 or OGCP-9000/CC Remote Control Panel user interfaces.

• **DashBoard**[™] **User Interface** – Using DashBoard[™], the 9071 and other cards installed in openGear®¹ frames such as the Cobalt® HPF-9000 or 8321 Frame can be controlled from a computer and monitor.

DashBoard[™] allows users to view all frames on a network with control and monitoring for all populated slots inside a frame. This simplifies the setup and use of numerous modules in a large installation and offers the ability to centralize monitoring. Cards define their controllable parameters to DashBoard[™], so the control interface is always up to date.

The DashBoard™ software can be downloaded from the Cobalt Digital Inc. website: www.cobaltdigital.com (enter "DashBoard" in the search window). The DashBoard™ user interface is described in Chapter 3,"Operating Instructions".

Note: If network remote control is to be used for the frame and the frame has not yet been set up for remote control, Cobalt[®] reference guide COMPASS Remote Control User Guide" (PN 9000RCS-RM) provides thorough information and step-by-step instructions for setting up network remote control of COMPASS[®] cards using DashBoard[™].

Download a copy of this guide by clicking on the **Support>Downloads** link at www.cobaltdigital.com and then select DashBoard Remote Control Setup Guide as a download, or contact Cobalt[®] as listed in Contact Cobalt Digital Inc. (p. 1-13).

Cobalt® OGCP-9000, OGCP-9000/CC and WinOGCP Remote
 Control Panels – The OGCP-9000, OGCP-9000/CC, and WinOGCP
 Remote Control Panels conveniently and intuitively provide
 parameter monitor and control of the cards within the 20-slot frame.

The remote control panels allow quick and intuitive access to hundreds of cards in a facility, and can monitor and allow adjustment of multiple parameters at one time.

The remote control panels are totally compatible with the openGear[®] control software DashBoardTM; any changes made with either system are reflected on the other.

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9071 Rear I/O Modules

The 9071 physically interfaces to system video connections at the rear of its frame using a Rear I/O Module.

All inputs and outputs shown in the 9071 Functional Block Diagram (Figure 1-1) enter and exit the card via the card edge backplane connector. The Rear I/O Module breaks out the 9071 card edge connections to BNC connectors that interface with other components and systems in the signal chain.

These required BNC connections are provided by either an 8310-BNC or 8310-C-BNC frame (which both have a built-in BNC connector backplane module), or by using an optional 9071 Rear I/O Module.

Video Formats Supported by the 9071

The 9071 supports all current SMPTE standard SD and HD video formats. Table 1-1 lists and provides details regarding the audio and video formats supported by the 9071.

Table 1-1 Supported Audio and Video Formats

Item	Description/Specification			
SDI Input / Output Video	Raster Structure:	Frame Rate:		
	1080PsF	23.98; 24		
	1080p	23.98; 24		
	1080i ⁽¹⁾	25; 29.97; 30		
	720p	23.98; 24; 25; 29.97; 30; 50; 59.94; 60		
	486i ⁽¹⁾	29.97		
	575i ⁽¹⁾	25		
(1) All rates displayed as frame rates; interlaced ("i") field rates are two times the rate value shown.				

Technical Specifications

Table 1-2 lists the technical specifications for the 9071 HD/SD-SDI AFD Code Inserter card.

Table 1-2 Technical Specifications

Item	Characteristic	
Part number, nomenclature	9071 HD/SD-SDI AFD Code Inserter	
Installation/usage environment	Intended for installation and usage in frame meeting openGear® modular system definition.	
Power consumption	< 12 Watts maximum	
Environmental: Operating temperature: Relative humidity (operating or storage):	32° – 104° F (0° – 40° C) < 95%, non-condensing	
Frame communication	10/100 Mbps Ethernet with Auto-MDIX.	
Indicators	Card edge display and indicators as follows: • 4-character alphanumeric display • Remote Activity LED indicator • Input Format LED indicator	
Controls	Card edge switches as follows: • Menu Enter pushbutton switch • Menu Exit pushbutton switch • Up/down selection toggle switch	
Resolution:	10-bit video data path	
Serial Digital Video Input	Data Rates Supported: SMPTE 292 HD-SDI: 1.485 Gbps or 1.485/1.001 Gbps SMPTE 259M-C SD-SDI: 270 Mbps	
	Impedance: 75 Ω terminating	
	Equalization (HD): 328 ft (100 m) Belden 1694A	
	Equalization (SD): 1000 ft (305 m) Belden 1694A	
	Return Loss: > 15 dB at 5 MHz – 1.485 GHz	

Table 1-2 Technical Specifications — continued

Item	Characteristic	
Serial Digital Video Outputs	Number of Outputs: Four HD/SD-SDI BNC per IEC 60169-8 Amendment 2	
	Impedance: 75 Ω	
	Return Loss: > 15 dB at 5 MHz – 270 MHz > 12 dB at 270 MHz – 1.485 GHz	
	Signal Level: 800 mV ± 10%	
	DC Offset: 0 V ± 50 mV Jitter (HD): < 0.15 UI (all outputs) Jitter (SD): < 0.10 UI (all outputs)	
	Overshoot: < 0.2% of amplitude	
Reclocked Serial Digital Video Outputs	Number of Outputs: Four HD/SD-SDI BNC per IEC 60169-8 Amendment 2 Impedance: $75~\Omega$	

Warranty and Service Information

Cobalt Digital Inc. Limited Warranty

This product is warranted to be free from defects in material and workmanship for a period of five (5) years from the date of shipment to the original purchaser, except that 4000, 5000, 6000, 8000 series power supplies, and Dolby[®] modules (where applicable) are warranted to be free from defects in material and workmanship for a period of one (1) year.

Cobalt Digital Inc.'s ("Cobalt") sole obligation under this warranty shall be limited to, at its option, (i) the repair or (ii) replacement of the product, and the determination of whether a defect is covered under this limited warranty shall be made at the sole discretion of Cobalt.

This limited warranty applies only to the original end-purchaser of the product, and is not assignable or transferrable therefrom. This warranty is limited to defects in material and workmanship, and shall not apply to acts of God, accidents, or negligence on behalf of the purchaser, and shall be voided upon the misuse, abuse, alteration, or modification of the product. Only Cobalt authorized factory representatives are authorized to make repairs to the product, and any unauthorized attempt to repair this product shall immediately void the warranty. Please contact Cobalt Technical Support for more information.

To facilitate the resolution of warranty related issues, Cobalt recommends registering the product by completing and returning a product registration form. In the event of a warrantable defect, the purchaser shall notify Cobalt with a description of the problem, and Cobalt shall provide the purchaser with a Return Material Authorization ("RMA"). For return, defective products should be double boxed, and sufficiently protected, in the original packaging, or equivalent, and shipped to the Cobalt Factory Service Center, postage prepaid and insured for the purchase price. The purchaser should include the RMA number, description of the problem encountered, date purchased, name of dealer purchased from, and serial number with the shipment.

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Installation and Setup

Overview

This chapter contains the following information:

- Installing the 9071 Into a Frame Slot (p. 2-1)
- Installing a Rear I/O Module (p. 2-3)
- Setting Up 9071 Network Remote Control (p. 2-6)

Installing the 9071 Into a Frame Slot

CAUTION

CAUTION

Heat and power distribution requirements within a frame may dictate specific slot placement of cards. Cards with many heat-producing components should be arranged to avoid areas of excess heat build-up, particularly in frames using only convection cooling. The 9071 has a moderate power dissipation (12 W max.). As such, avoiding placing the card adjacent to other cards with similar dissipation values if possible.

CAUTION



This device contains semiconductor devices which are susceptible to serious damage from Electrostatic Discharge (ESD). ESD damage may not be immediately apparent and can affect the long-term reliability of the device.

Avoid handling circuit boards in high static environments such as carpeted areas, and when wearing synthetic fiber clothing. Always use proper ESD handling precautions and equipment when working on circuit boards and related equipment.

Note:

- If installing the 9071 in an 8310-C-BNC or 8310-BNC frame (which is pre-equipped with a 100-BNC rear I/O module installed across the entire backplane) or a slot already equipped with a suitable I/O module, proceed to card installation steps below.
- If installing the 9071 in a slot with no rear I/O module, a Rear I/O Module is required before cabling can be connected. Refer to Installing a Rear I/O Module (p. 2-3) for rear I/O module installation procedure.

CAUTION

If required, make certain Rear I/O Module(s) is installed before installing the 9071 into the frame slot. Damage to card and/or Rear I/O Module can occur if module installation is attempted with card already installed in slot.

Note: Check the packaging in which the 9071 was shipped for any extra items such as a Rear I/O Module connection label. In some cases, this label is shipped with the card and to be installed on the Rear I/O connector bank corresponding to the slot location of the card.

Install the 9071 into a frame slot as follows:

- 1. Determine the slot in which the 9071 is to be installed.
- 2. Open the frame front access panel.
- **3.** While holding the card by the card edges, align the card such that the plastic ejector tab is on the bottom.
- **4.** Align the card with the top and bottom guides of the slot in which the card is being installed.
- **5.** Gradually slide the card into the slot. When resistance is noticed, gently continue pushing the card until its rear printed circuit edge terminals engage fully into the rear I/O module mating connector.

CAUTION

If card resists fully engaging in rear I/O module mating connector, check for alignment and proper insertion in slot tracks. Damage to card and/or rear I/O module may occur if improper card insertion is attempted.

- **6.** Verify that the card is fully engaged in rear I/O module mating connector.
- **7.** Close the frame front access panel.
- **8.** Connect the input and output cables as shown in Table 2-1.
- **9.** Repeat steps 1 through 8 for other 9071 cards.

Note: The 9071 BNC inputs are internally 75-ohm terminated. It is not necessary to terminate unused BNC inputs or outputs.

Note: To remove a card, press down on the ejector tab to unseat the card from the rear I/O module mating connector. Evenly draw the card from its slot.

10. If network remote control is to be used for the frame and the frame has not yet been set up for remote control, perform setup in accordance with Setting Up 9071 Network Remote Control (p. 2-6).

Note: If installing a card in a frame already equipped for, and connected to DashBoard[™], no network setup is required for the card. The card will be discovered by DashBoard[™] and be ready for use.

Installing a Rear I/O Module

Note: This procedure is applicable only if a Rear I/O Module is not currently installed in the slot where the 9071 is to be installed.

If installing the 9071 in a 8310-C-BNC or 8310-BNC frame (which is pre-equipped with a 100-BNC rear I/O module installed across the entire backplane) or a slot already equipped with a suitable I/O module, omit this procedure.

Install a Rear I/O Module as follows:

- 1. On the frame, determine the slot in which the 9071 is to be installed.
- **2.** In the mounting area corresponding to the slot location, install Rear I/O Module as shown in Figure 2-1.

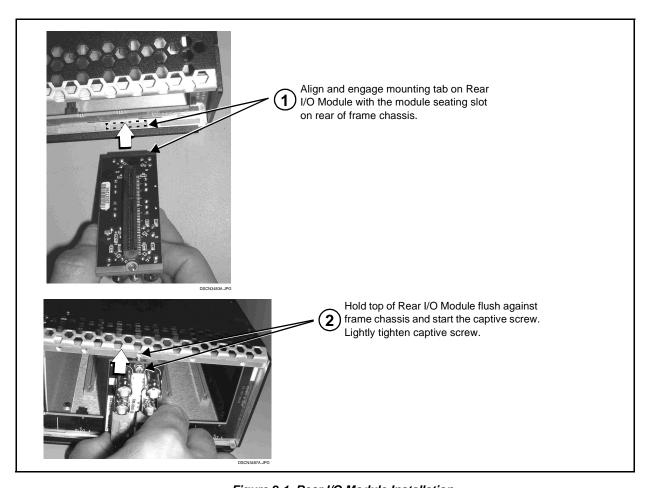


Figure 2-1 Rear I/O Module Installation

9071 Rear I/O Modules

Table 2-1 shows and describes the full assortment of Rear I/O Modules specifically for use with the 9071.

Table 2-1 9071 Rear I/O Modules

9071 Rear I/O Module	Description
RM20-9071-A SDI IN NC SDI IN NC RCK OUT 1 RCK OUT 2 RCK OUT 3 RCK OUT 4 SDI OUT 1 SDI OUT 2 SDI OUT 3 SDI OUT 4	Provides the following connections: • HD/SD-SDI coaxial input (SDI IN) • Four reclocked SDI input copies (RCK OUT 1- 4) • Four buffered SDI coaxial outputs (SDI OUT 1- 4)
RM20-9071-A/S CARD 2 CARD 1 SDI IN SDI IN RCK OUT1 RCK OUT1 RCK OUT2 RCK OUT2 SDI OUT1 SDI OUT1 SDI OUT1 SDI OUT2 SDI OUT2	Split Rear Module. Provides each of the following connections for two 9071 cards: • HD/SD-SDI coaxial input (SDI IN) • HD/SD-SDI reclocked input copies (RCK OUT 1 and RCK OUT 2) • Buffered SDI coaxial outputs (SDI OUT 1 and SDI OUT 2) Note: RM20-9071-A/S Rear I/O Module compatible only with 20-slot frames.

Setting Up 9071 Network Remote Control

Perform remote control setup in accordance with Cobalt® reference guide "COMPASSTM Remote Control User Guide" (PN 9000RCS-RM).

Note:

- If network remote control is to be used for the frame and the frame has not yet been set up for remote control, Cobalt® reference guide COMPASS™

 Remote Control User Guide (PN 9000RCS-RM) provides thorough information and step-by-step instructions for setting up network remote control of COMPASS™ cards using DashBoard™. (Cobalt® OGCP-9000 and OGCP-9000/CC Remote Control Panel product manuals have complete instructions for setting up remote control using a Remote Control Panel.)
 - Download a copy of this guide by clicking on the **Support>Downloads** link at www.cobaltdigital.com and then select DashBoard Remote Control Setup Guide as a download, or contact Cobalt[®] as listed in Contact Cobalt Digital Inc. (p. 1-13).
- If installing a card in a frame already equipped for, and connected to DashBoard[™], no network setup is required for the card. The card will be discovered by DashBoard[™] and be ready for use.

Operating Instructions

Overview

If you are already familiar with using DashBoard or a Cobalt Remote Control Panel to control Cobalt cards, please skip to 9071 Function Submenu List and Descriptions (p. 3-7).

This chapter contains the following information:

- Control and Display Descriptions (p. 3-1)
- Accessing the 9071 Card via Remote Control (p. 3-4)
- Ancillary Data Line Number Locations and Ranges (p. 3-6)
- 9071 Function Submenu List and Descriptions (p. 3-7)
- Troubleshooting (p. 3-17)

Control and Display Descriptions

This section describes the user interface controls, indicators, and displays for using the 9071 card. The 9071 functions can be accessed and controlled using any of the user interfaces described here.

The format in which the 9071 functional controls, indicators, and displays appear and are used varies depending on the user interface being used. Regardless of the user interface being used, access to the 9071 functions (and the controls, indicators, and displays related to a particular function) follows a general arrangement of Function Submenus under which related controls can be accessed (as described in Function Submenu/Parameter Submenu Overview below).

Note:

DashBoard™ and the Remote Control Panel provide greatly simplified user interfaces as compared to using the card edge controls. For this reason, **it is strongly recommended** that DashBoard™ or a Remote Control Panel be used for all card applications other than the most basic cases. Card edge control codes are not included in this manual. If card-edge control is to be used, obtain a copy of "Manual Supplement – Card-Edge Control Reference Master List and Instructions for Using Compass® Card-edge (Local) Control Codes" (989CEC-MS.pdf) at

www.cobaltdigital.com>Support>Documents>Reference Guides.

Note:

When a setting is changed, settings displayed on DashBoard[™] (or the Remote Control Panel) are the settings as effected by the 9071 card itself and reported back to the remote control; the value displayed at any time is the actual value as set on the card.

Function Submenu/Parameter Submenu Overview

The functions and related parameters available on the 9071 card are organized into function **submenus**, which consist of parameter groups as shown below.

Figure 3-1 shows how the 9071 card and its submenus are organized, and also provides an overview of how navigation is performed between cards, function submenus, and parameters.

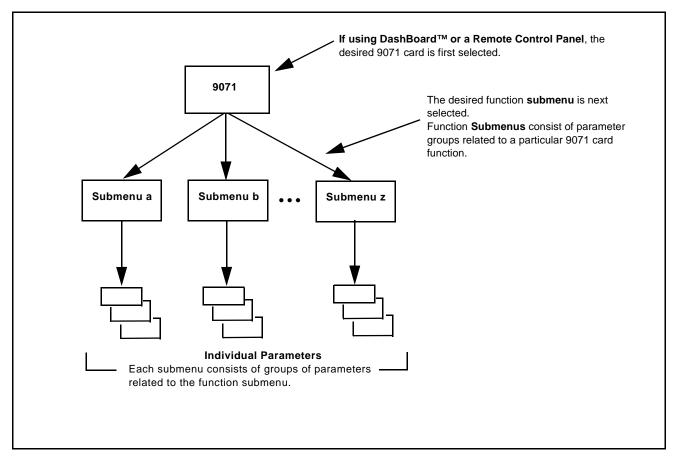


Figure 3-1 Function Submenu/Parameter Submenu Overview

DashBoard™ User Interface

(See Figure 3-2.) The 9071 function submenus are organized in DashBoard™ using tabs (see example in Figure 3-2). When a tab is selected, each parametric control or selection list item associated with the function is displayed. Scalar (numeric) parametric values can then be adjusted as desired using the GUI slider controls. Items in a list can then be selected using GUI drop-down lists.

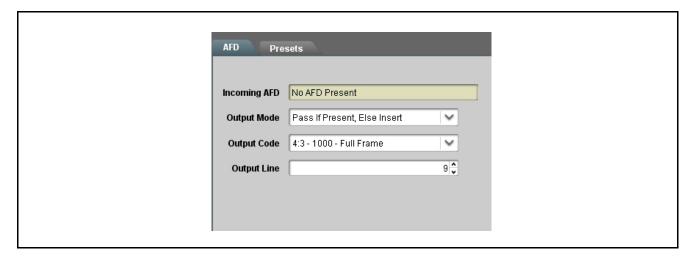


Figure 3-2 DashBoard™ Tab Example

Cobalt® Remote Control Panel User Interfaces

Similar to the function submenu tabs using DashBoardTM, the Remote Control Panels have a Select Submenu key that is used to display a list of function submenus. From this list, a control knob on the Control Panel is used to select a function from the list of displayed function submenu items.

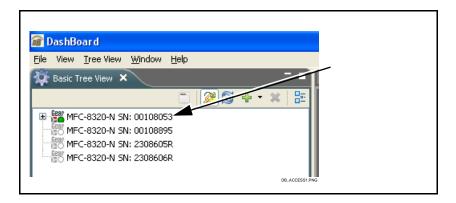
Note: Refer to "OGCP-9000 Remote Control Panel User Manual" (PN OGCP-9000-OM) or "OGCP-9000/CC Remote Control Panel User Manual" (PN OGCP-9000/CC-OM) for complete instructions on using the Control Panels.

Accessing the 9071 Card via Remote Control

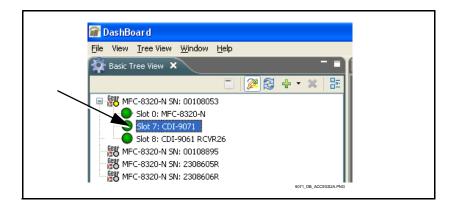
Access the 9071 card using DashBoardTM or Cobalt[®] Remote Control Panel as described below.

Accessing the 9071 Card Using DashBoard™

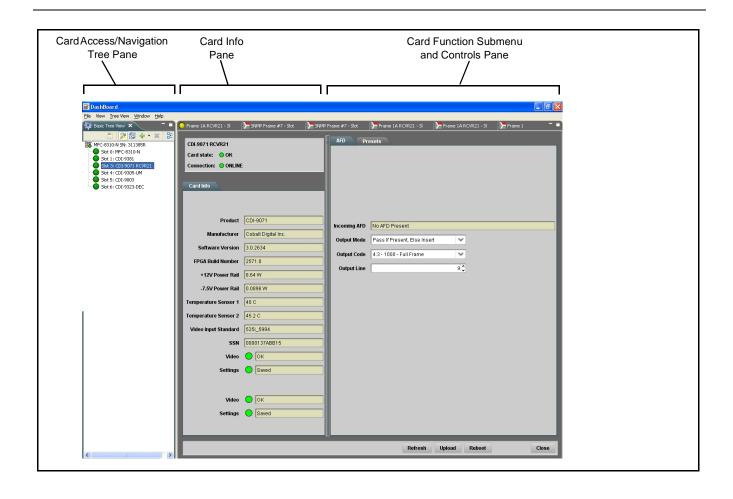
- 1. On the computer connected to the frame LAN, open DashBoardTM.
- 2. As shown below, in the left side Basic View Tree locate the Network Controller Card associated with the frame containing the 9071 card to be accessed (in this example, "MFC-8320-N SN: 00108053").



3. As shown below, expand the tree to access the cards within the frame. Click on the card to be accessed (in this example, "Slot 7: CDI-9071").



As shown on the next page, when the card is accessed a DashBoardTM its function submenu screen showing tabs for each function is displayed. (The particular submenu screen displayed is the previously displayed screen from the last time the card was accessed by DashBoardTM).



Ancillary Data Line Number Locations and Ranges

Table 3-1 lists typical default output video VANC line number locations for various ancillary data items that may be passed or handled by the card.

Table 3-1 Typical Ancillary Data Line Number Locations/Ranges

	Default Line No. / Range		
ltem	SD	HD	
AFD	12 (Note 2)	9 (Note 2)	
ATC_VITC	13 (Note 2)	9/8 (Note 2)	
ATC_LTC	_	10 (Note 2)	
Dolby [®] Metadata	13 (Note 2)	13 (Note 2)	
SDI VITC Waveform	14/16 (Note 2)	_	
Closed Captioning	21 (locked)	10 (Note 2)	

Notes:

- 1. The card does not check for conflicts on a given line number. Make certain the selected line is available and carrying no other data.
- 2. While range indicated by drop-down list on GUI may allow a particular range of choices, the actual range is automatically clamped (limited) to certain ranges to prevent inadvertent conflict with active picture area depending on video format. Limiting ranges for various output formats are as follows:

Format	Line No. Limiting	Format	Line No. Limiting	Format	Line No. Limiting
525i	12-19	720p	9-25	1080p	9-41
625i	9-22	1080i	9-20		

Because line number allocation is not standardized for all ancillary items, consideration should be given to all items when performing set-ups. Figure 3-3 shows an example of improper and corrected VANC allocation within an HD-SDI stream.

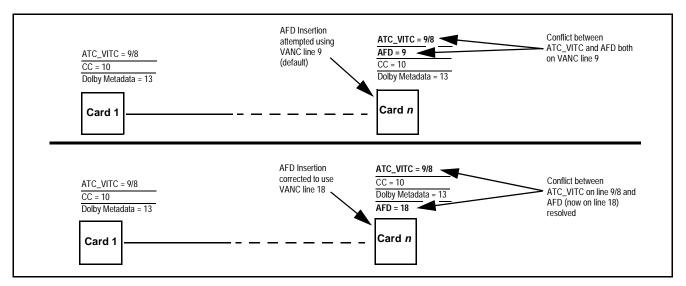


Figure 3-3 Example VANC Line Number Allocation Conflict and Resolution

9071 Function Submenu List and Descriptions

Table 3-2 individually lists and describes each 9071 function submenu "tab" and its related list selections, controls, and parameters. Where helpful, examples showing usage of a function are also provided. Table 3-2 is primarily based upon using DashBoardTM to access each function and its corresponding submenus and parameters.

Note: All numeric (scalar) parameters displayed on DashBoard™ can be changed using the slider controls, A arrows, or by numeric keypad entry in the corresponding numeric field. (When using numeric keypad entry, add a return after the entry to commit the entry.)

On DashBoardTM itself and in Table 3-2, the function submenu items are organized using tabs as shown below.



The table below provides a quick-reference to the page numbers where each function submenu item can be found.

Function Submenu Item	Page	Function Submenu Item	Page
Video Proc	3-8	Licensable Features	3-14
AFD	3-9	Presets	3-14
Timecode	3-10		

Table 3-2 9071 Function Submenu/Parameter List

Video Proc	Provides the following Video Proc parametric controls.
Video Proc On	Video Proc (On/Off) provides master on/off control of all Video Proc functions. • When set to Off, all processing is bypassed. • When set to On, currently displayed parameter settings take effect.
Reset to Unity Reset to Unity Confirm	Reset to Unity provides unity reset control of all Video Proc functions. When Confirm is clicked, a Confirm? pop-up appears, requesting confirmation. • Click Yes to proceed with the unity reset. • Click No to reject unity reset.
• Luma Gain Luma Gain 0.0	Adjusts gain percentage applied to Luma (Y channel). (0% to 200% range in 0.1% steps; unity = 100%)
• Luma Lift Luma Lift -100.0	Adjusts lift applied to Luma (Y-channel). (-100% to 100% range in 0.1% steps; null = 0.0%)
• Color Gain Color Gain 0.0	Adjusts gain percentage (saturation) applied to Chroma (C-channel). (0% to 200% range in 0.1% steps; unity = 100%)
• Color Phase Color Phase -360.0	Adjusts phase angle applied to Chroma. (-360° to 360° range in 0.1° steps; null = 0°)
Gang Luma and Color Gain Gang Luma and Color Gain	When set to On , changing either the Luma Gain or Color Gain controls increases or decreases both the Luma and Chroma levels by equal amounts.

Table 3-2 9071 Function Submenu/Parameter List — continued

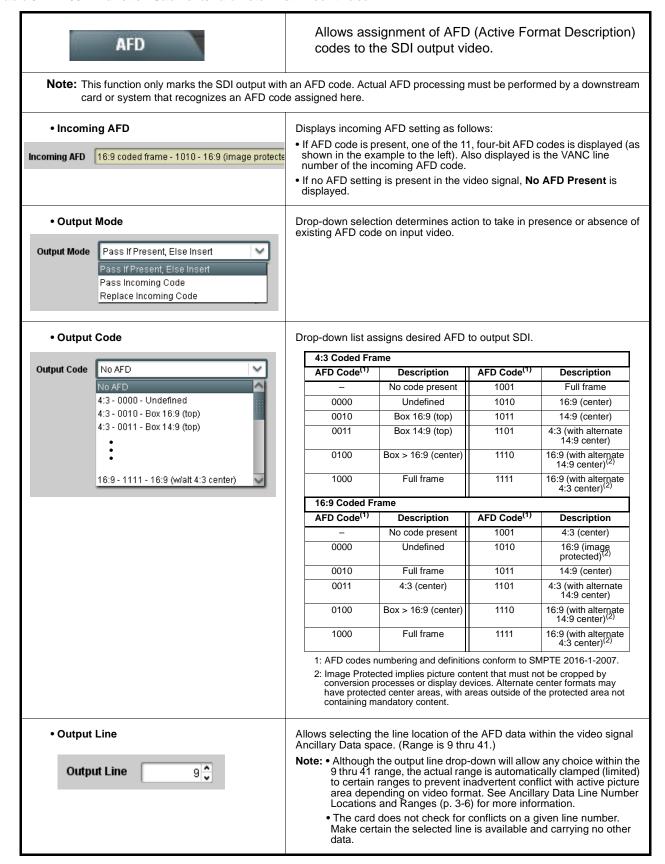


Table 3-2 9071 Function Submenu/Parameter List — continued

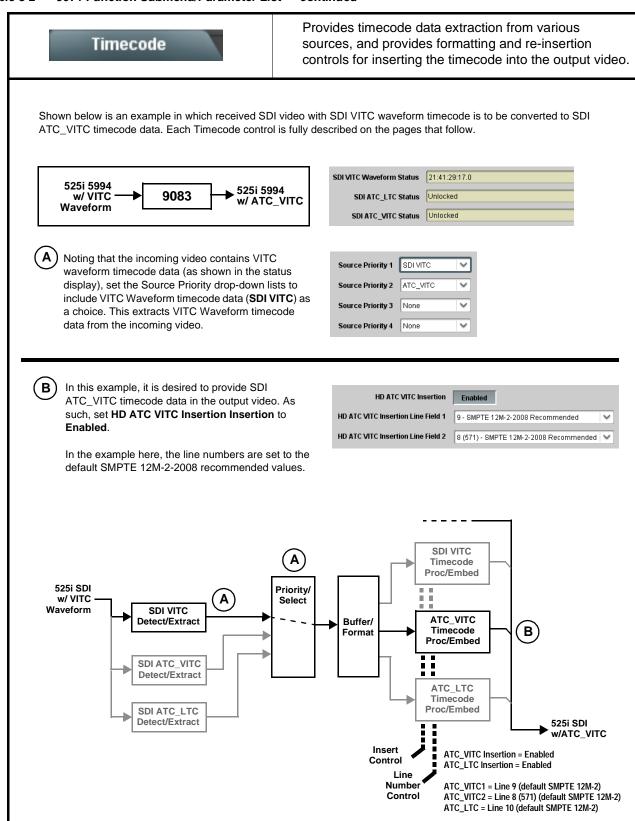


Table 3-2 9071 Function Submenu/Parameter List — continued

Timecode	(continued)
Timecode Source Status Displays SDI VITC Waveform Status Unlocked SDI ATC_LTC Status Unlocked SDI ATC_VITC Status 00:10:46:02.0, Line 10	Displays the current status and contents of the supported timecode formats shown to the left. • If a format is receiving timecode data, the current content (timecode running count and line number) is displayed. • If a format is not receiving timecode data, Unlocked is displayed.
Incoming ATC Packet Removal Control Incoming ATC Packet Removal Disabled	Enables or disables removal of existing input video ATC timecode packets from the output. This allows removal of undesired existing timecodes from the output, resulting in a "clean slate" where only desired timecodes are then re-inserted into the output. (For example, if both SD VITC Waveform and SD ATC_VITC timecode data are present on the input video, and only ATC_VITC is desired, using the Removal control will remove both timecodes from the output. The ATC_VITC timecode by itself can then be re-inserted on the output using the other controls discussed here.) Note: When the Scaler is enabled, ATC packets are automatically removed. The Timecode function must be used to re-insert the timecode data into the output video.
Source Priority 1 Source Priority 2 Source Priority 3 Source Priority 4	As described here, selects the priority assigned to each of the four supported formats in the event the preferred source is unavailable. Each of the four Source Priority selection lists allows assignment of source priority from the following choices: SDI VITC

Table 3-2 9071 Function Submenu/Parameter List — continued

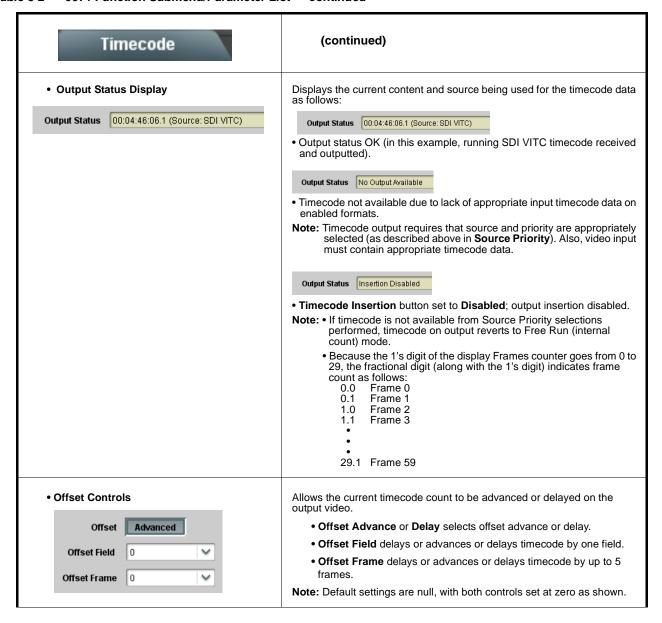


Table 3-2 9071 Function Submenu/Parameter List — continued

Timecode	(continued)			
Note: • Although the output line drop-down on the controls described below will allow a particular range of choices, the actual range is automatically clamped (limited) to certain ranges to prevent inadvertent conflict with active picture area depending on video format. See Ancillary Data Line Number Locations and Ranges (p. 3-6) for more information. • The card does not check for conflicts on a given line number. Make certain the selected line is available and carrying no other data.				
SD VITC Waveform Insertion Controls VITC Waveform Output 1 Line Number VITC Waveform Output 2 Line Number SD VITC Waveform Insertion Enabled	For SD output, enables or disables SD VITC waveform timecode insertion into the output video, and selects the VITC1 and VITC2 line numbers (6 thru 22) where the VITC waveform is inserted. Note: • If only one output line is to be used, set both controls for the same line number. • SD VITC Waveform Insertion control only affects VITC waveforms inserted (or copied to a new line number) by this function.			
SD ATC Insertion Control SD ATC_VITC Insertion	For SD output, enables or disables SD ATC_VITC timecode insertion into the output video, and selects the line number for ATC_VITC.			
HD ATC_LTC Insertion Control HD ATC_LTC Insertion	For HD output, enables or disables ATC_LTC timecode insertion into the output video, and selects the line number for ATC_LTC timecode data.			
HD ATC_VITC Insertion Control HD ATC_VITC Insertion HD ATC_VITC Insertion Line Field 1 HD ATC_VITC Insertion Line Field 2 8 (571) - SMPTE 12M-2-2008 Recommended W	For HD output, enables or disables ATC_VITC timecode insertion into the output video, and selects the line number for ATC_VITC1 and ATC_VITC2. Note: If only one output line is to be used, set both controls for the same line number.			
ATC_VITC Legacy Support Control ATC VITC Legacy Support Disabled	When enabled, accommodates equipment requiring ATC_VITC packet in both fields as a "field 1" packet (non-toggling). Note: Non-toggling VITC1 and VITC2 packets do not conform to SMPTE 12M-2-2008 preferences. As such, ATC_VITC Legacy Support should be enabled only if required by downstream equipment.			

Table 3-2 9071 Function Submenu/Parameter List — continued

Licensable Features

Allows activation of optional licensed features.

Note: For card pre-ordered with licensed feature(s), the activation steps described below are not required; the feature will already be installed activated. To order features and obtain a license key, contact Cobalt[®] sales at sales@cobaltdigital.com or at the contact information in Contact Cobalt Digital Inc. in Chapter 1, "Introduction". Please provide the "SSN" number of your card (displayed in the Card Info pane) when contacting us for your key.

License Feature and Key Entry window



Activate licensable feature as described below.

 Enter the feature key string in the Feature Key box. Press return or click outside of the box to acknowledge entry.

Note: Entry string is case sensitive. Do not enter any spaces.

2. In the DashBoard™ Card Info pane, wait for the feature identification to be shown for the card product number (for example, "-UM" appearing after the card part number) and Valid Key Entered to be displayed. This indicates the key was correctly entered and recognized by the

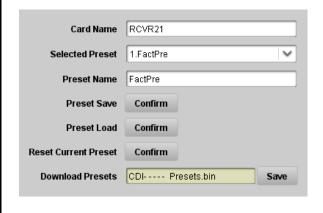
Note: If DashBoard™ card function submenu/control pane does not re-appear, close the card and re-open it.

3. Click and confirm **Reboot**. When the card function submenu/control pane appears again, the licensable feature will be available.

Note: Applying the licensable feature and its reboot has no effect on prior settings. All control settings and drop-down selections are retained.

Presets

Allows up to 16 card user settings configuration presets to be saved in a Preset and then recalled (loaded) as desired. All current settings (including list selections and scalar (numeric) control settings such as Gain, etc.) are saved when a Preset Save is invoked.



The **Preset Name** field and **Preset Save** button allow custom user setting configurations to be labeled and saved to a Preset for future use.

The **Preset Load** button and the **Selected Preset** drop-down list allow saved presets to be selected and loaded as desired. When a preset is loaded, it immediately becomes active with all user settings now automatically set as directed by the preset.

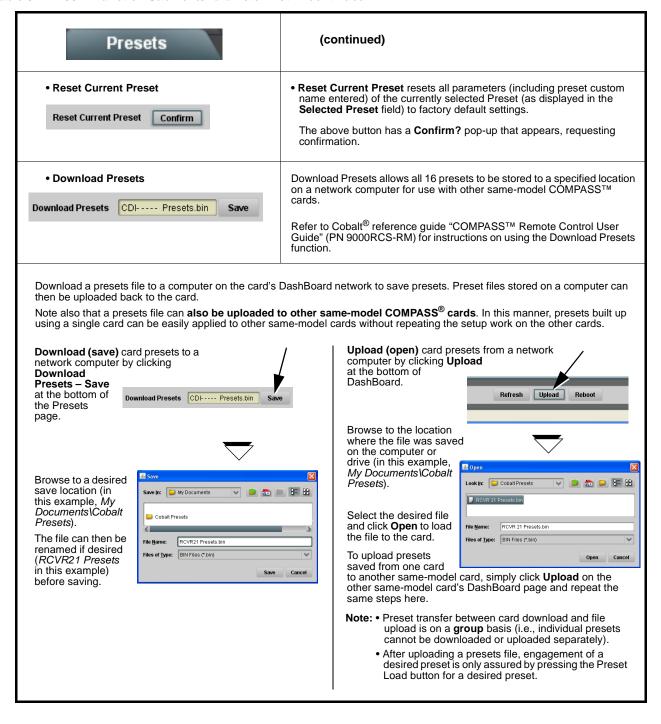
Saved presets can be uploaded to a computer for use with other same-model COMPASS $^{\text{\tiny TM}}$ cards.

Each of the items to the left are described in detail on the following pages.

Table 3-2 9071 Function Submenu/Parameter List — continued

Presets	(continued)			
Preset Save and Load Preset Save Confirm Preset Load Confirm	 Preset Save stores all current card control settings to the currently selected preset. (For example, if Preset 1 is selected in the Selected Preset drop-down list, clicking and confirming Preset Save will then save all current card control settings to Preset 1) Preset Load loads (applies) all card control settings defined by whatever preset (Preset 1 thru Preset 16) is currently selected in the Selected Preset drop-down list. (For example, if Preset 3 is selected in the Selected Preset drop-down list, clicking and confirming Preset Load will then apply all card control settings defined in Preset 3) The above buttons have a Confirm? pop-up that appears, requesting confirmation. Note: Applying a change to a preset using the buttons described above rewrites the previous preset contents with the invoked contents. Make certain change is desired before confirming preset change. 			
• Selected Preset 1.FactPre 1.FactPre 1.FactPre 1.FactPre	Selected Preset 1 thru Selected Preset 16 range in drop-down list selects one of 16 stored presets as ready for Save (being written to) or for Load (being applied to the card). Note: The preset names shown to the left are the default (unnamed) preset names. All 16 presets in this case are loaded identically with the factory default settings.			
Preset Name Preset Name FactPre	With one of 16 presets selected, provides for entry of custom name for the preset (as shown in example below). Selected Preset 2.RCVR21 Preset Name RCVR21 RCVR21 RCVR21 Preset Name (in this example, "RCVR21") applies custom name to selected Preset (in this example, Preset 2) Note: • Preset name can be seven ASCII characters maximum. • The Preset ID number does not need to be entered; it is added automatically.			
Card Name RCVR 21 Input Processing	Text entry field provides for optional entry of card name, function, etc. (as shown in this example). Note: Card name can be 31 ASCII characters maximum.			

Table 3-2 9071 Function Submenu/Parameter List — continued



This section provides general troubleshooting information and specific symptom/corrective action for the 9071 card and its remote control interface. The 9071 card requires no periodic maintenance in its normal operation; if any error indication (as described in this section) occurs, use this section to correct the condition.

Error and Failure Indicator Overview

The 9071 card itself and its remote control systems all (to varying degrees) provide error and failure indications. Depending on how the 9071 card is being used (i.e, standalone or network controlled through DashBoardTM or a Remote Control Panel), check all available indications in the event of an error or failure condition.

The various 9071 card and remote control error and failure indicators are individually described below.

Note: The descriptions below provide general information for the various status and error indicators. For specific failures, also use the appropriate subsection listed below.

- Basic Troubleshooting Checks (p. 3-20)
- 9071 Processing Error Troubleshooting (p. 3-21)
- Troubleshooting Network/Remote Control Errors (p. 3-22)

9071 Card Edge Status/Error Indicators and Display

Figure 3-4 shows and describes the 9071 card edge status indicators and display. These indicators and the display show status and error conditions relating to the card itself and remote (network) communications (where applicable). Because these indicators are part of the card itself and require no external interface, the indicators are particularly useful in the event of communications problems with external devices such as network remote control devices.

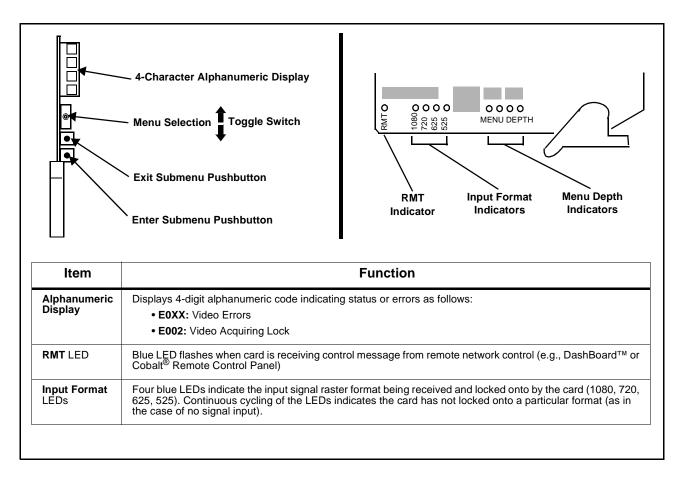


Figure 3-4 9071 Card Edge Status Indicators and Display

DashBoard™ Status/Error Indicators and Displays

Figure 3-5 shows and describes the DashBoardTM status indicators and displays. These indicator icons and displays show status and error conditions relating to the 9071 card itself and remote (network) communications.

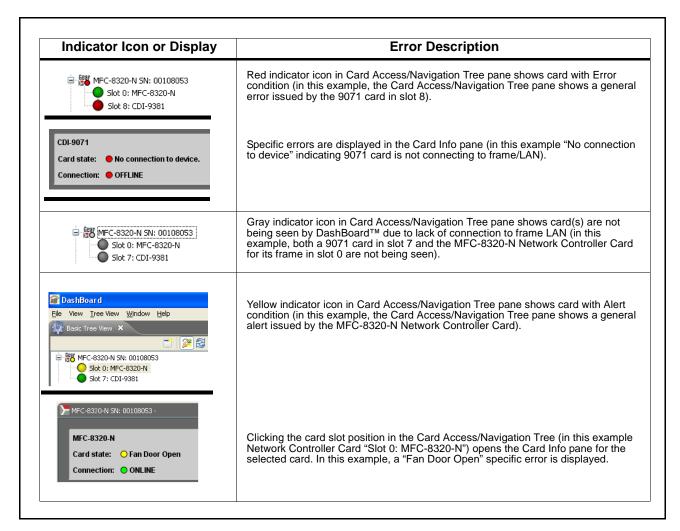


Figure 3-5 DashBoard™ Status Indicator Icons and Displays

Access the Card Info pane for a specific card by clicking the card slot position in the Card Access/Navigation Tree pane (as shown in the example in Figure 3-6).

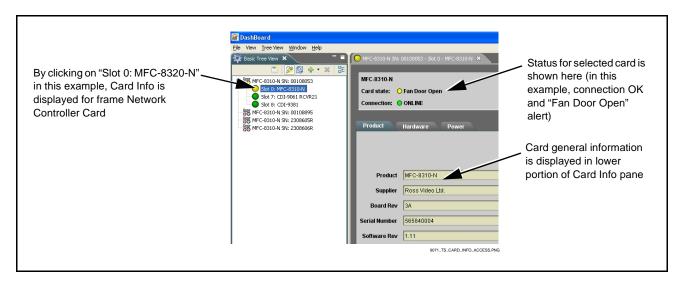


Figure 3-6 Selecting Specific Cards for Card Info Status Display

Basic Troubleshooting Checks

Failures of a general nature (affecting many cards and/or functions simultaneously), or gross inoperability errors are best addressed first by performing basic checks before proceeding further. Table 3-3 provides basic system checks that typically locate the source of most general problems. If required and applicable, perform further troubleshooting in accordance with the other troubleshooting tables in this section.

Table 3-3 Basic Troubleshooting Checks

Item	Checks		
Verify power presence and characteristics	On both the frame Network Controller Card and the 9071, in all cases when power is being properly supplied there is always at least one indicator illuminated. Any card showing no illuminated indicators should be cause for concern.		
	 Check the Power Consumed indications for both the +12 V and -7.5 V supply rails for the 9071 card. This can be observed using the DashBoard™ Card Info pane. 		
	 If either of the rail supplies show no power being consumed, either the frame power supply, connections, or the 9071 card itself is defective. 		
	 If either of the rail supplies show excessive power being consumed (see Technical Specifications (p. 1-10) in Chapter 1, "Introduction"), the 9071 card may be defective. 		
Check Cable connection secureness and connecting points	Make certain all cable connections are fully secure (including coaxial cable attachment to cable ferrules on BNC connectors). Also, make certain all connecting points are as intended. Make certain the selected connecting points correlate to the intended card inputs and/or outputs. Cabling mistakes are especially easy to make when working with large I/O modules.		

Table 3-3 Basic Troubleshooting Checks — continued

Item	Checks		
Card seating within slots	Make certain all cards are properly seated within its frame slot. (It is best to assure proper seating by ejecting the card and reseating it again.)		
Check status indicators and displays	On both DashBoard [™] and the 9071 card edge indicators, red indications signify an error condition. If a status indicator signifies an error, proceed to the following tables in this section for further action.		
Troubleshoot by substitution	All cards within the frame can be hot-swapped, replacing a suspect card or module with a known-good item.		

9071 Processing Error Troubleshooting

Table 3-4 provides 9071 processing troubleshooting information. If the 9071 card exhibits any of the symptoms listed in Table 3-4, follow the troubleshooting instructions provided.

In the majority of cases, most errors are caused by simple errors where the 9071 is not appropriately set for the type of signal being received by the card.

Note: The error indications shown below are typical for the corresponding error conditions listed. Other error indications not specified here may also be displayed on DashBoard[™] and/or the 9071 card edge status indicators.

Note: Where errors are displayed on both the 9071 card and network remote controls, the respective indicators and displays are individually described in this section.

Table 3-4 Troubleshooting Processing Errors by Symptom

Symptom	Error/Condition	Corrective Action
DashBoard™ shows Video yellow icon and Input Invalid message in 9071 Card Info pane. Video	No video input present	Make certain intended video source is connected to appropriate 9071 card video input. Make certain BNC cable connections between frame Rear I/O Module for the card and signal source are OK.
show continuous cycling.		
Ancillary data (closed captioning, timecode, Dolby® metadata, AFD) not transferred through 9071.	Control(s) not enabled	Make certain respective control is set to On or Enabled (as appropriate).
	VANC line number conflict between two or more ancillary data items	Make certain each ancillary data item to be passed is assigned a unique line number (see Ancillary Data Line Number Locations and Ranges on page 3-6).

Troubleshooting Network/Remote Control Errors

Refer to Cobalt® reference guide "COMPASS™ Remote Control User Guide" (PN 9000RCS-RM) for network/remote control troubleshooting information.

In Case of Problems

Should any problem arise with this product that was not solved by the information in this section, please contact the Cobalt Digital Inc. Technical Support Department.

If required, a Return Material Authorization number (RMA) will be issued to you, as well as specific shipping instructions. If required, a temporary replacement item will be made available at a nominal charge. Any shipping costs incurred are the customer's responsibility. All products shipped to you from Cobalt Digital Inc. will be shipped collect.

The Cobalt Digital Inc. Technical Support Department will continue to provide advice on any product manufactured by Cobalt Digital Inc., beyond the warranty period without charge, for the life of the product.

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