# 3608-80 Secondary T1 Unit

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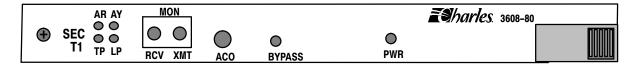


Figure 1. 3608-80 T1 Secondary Unit Front Panel

### 1. GENERAL

### 1.1 Document Purpose

This document provides general, installation and testing information for the Secondary T1 Unit (ST1U), shown in Figure 1. This document covers model number 3608-80.

#### 1.2 Document Status

This document is reprinted to add additional features ("Dual" and "Protection" T1 modes).

#### 1.3 Equipment Function

The ST1U is part of the 360-80 Intelligent Channel Bank (ICB). It combines the functions of a line interface unit (LIU) and a channel service unit (CSU), allowing direct connections to public T1 networks. The ST1U is a secondary T1 unit for the ICB, providing normal/drop and re-insert (D&RI), dual T1 mode and protection mode when used with the T1 controller with SNMP (T1-S).

### 1.4 Equipment Location/Mounting

Mount the ST1U in the secondary (half-size) slot of the 360-80. One T1-S controller unit (issue 2 or later) must be installed in the primary slot for proper system operation.

Note: This unit must be mounted in an issue 3 or later 360-80 shelf.

#### 1.5 Equipment Features

This unit provides the following features:

- Downstream data blocking or broadcast for dropped timeslots (normal/D&RI mode only).
- Independent T1 loop timing (dual T1 mode only).
- Transport Protection switching (protection mode only).
- Drop and re-insert operation with bypass (normal/D&RI mode only).
- Front panel status LEDs.
- Front panel T1 monitor jacks.
- Time slot assignment on a per-channel basis.
- Auto framing and identification (SF or ESF).
- Auto line coding and identification (AMI or B8ZS).
- Hot unit insertion or extraction.
- 24-channel T1 multiplexing operation (up to 48 channels in dual T1 or D &RI modes).
- Temperature hardened (-40 to +65 C).
- Combines the functions of a LIU and a CSU, allowing direct connections to public T1 networks.
- Operates in either superframe (SF) or extended superframe (ESF) mode, uses AMI or B8ZS line coding, & performs all loopback, test & performance monitoring of the T1 interface (local & remote).
- UL/CSA listed and FCC verified.
- Meets Bellcore 1089, 43801, 62411, 54016, TR-57 and ANSI T1.403 standards for T1.

### 1.6 Performance History

This unit stores performance history for the last 30 days in 24-hour intervals and over the last 24 hours in 15-minute intervals. This performance history includes failed seconds, errored seconds and severely errored seconds (per T1M1.3/93-00). The current 15-minute interval can be reset or the current 24-hour interval can be reset. When the current 24-hour interval is reset all 15-minute intervals within those 24 hours are reset.

#### 1.7 Control Interface

This unit is managed through the craft port, the Network Management Software (NMS), or an SNMP Network Node Manager (NNM) which controls the provisioning of the unit and obtains status information from the unit. Provisioning is described in the Optioning section of this document. For operation, see the craft port, NMS or NNM documentation.

This unit will maintain its default provisioning until that provisioning is altered through the control interface. If this unit's provisioning is changed, it will maintain the new provisioning even if power is lost. If replaced with a new unit, the new unit will default to the same provisioning as was set for the prior unit. If this unit is installed in a location that was used by a different type of unit, such as a 6 channel half size card, it will use its own default provisioning.

#### 1.8 Status Indicators

This unit is able to provide a variety of status information. The following is a list of all status information available from the ST1U. Some status information is also provided through front panel LEDs. See individual channel units for additional status information.

- Red (AR) Alarm Status (LED)
- Yellow (AY) Alarm Status (LED)
- Loss of frame (LOF) Alarm Status
- Loss of signal (LOS) Alarm Status
- Power status (LED)
- T1 framing selected
- Line code
- Trunk processing (TP) status (LED)
- Line build out selected
- T1 loopback selected (LED)
- T1 bypass active LED (for normal/D&RI mode only)

#### 2. INSPECTION

### 2.1 Inspect for Damages

Inspect the equipment thoroughly upon delivery. If the equipment has been damaged in transit, immediately report the extent of damage to the transportation company.

#### 2.2 Equipment Identification

Charles Industries' equipment is identified by a model and issue number imprinted on the front panel or located elsewhere on the equipment. Each time a major engineering design change is made on the equipment, the issue number is advanced by 1 and imprinted on subsequent units manufactured. Therefore, be sure to include both the model number and its issue number when making inquiries about the equipment.

### 2.3 Static Concerns

Each unit is shipped in static-protective packaging to prevent damages from electrostatic charges. Use approved static-preventive measures, such as static-conductive wrist straps and a static-dissipative mat, when handling units outside of their protective packaging. A unit intended for future use should be tested as soon as possible and returned to its original protective packaging for storage.



This equipment contains static-sensitive electronic devices. To prevent electrostatic charges from damaging static-sensitive units:

- Use approved static-preventive measures (such as static-conductive wrist straps and static-dissipative mats) at all times whenever touching units outside of their original, shipped, protective packaging.
- Do not ship or store units near strong electrostatic, electromagnetic, or magnetic fields.
- Always use the original static-protective packaging for shipping or storage. Return a tested unit to its original protective packaging for storage.

#### 3. APPLICATION GUIDELINES

The ST1U is used only in the 360-80 ICB. Using the 3608-80 ST1U in any other Charles product will cause improper operation and could damage the equipment.

Note: When using HDSL modules for T1 transport, you may experience some problems with communication using the T1 facility data link (embedded operations channel) due to the T1 to DSL conversion/synchronization process.

### 3.1 Dual T1 Mode Applications

### 3.1.1. Independent Dual T1 Application

The Dual T1 mode allows the T1 of the T1-S and the T1 of the ST1U to be connected to two different 360-80 ICBs. These two T1s run independently of each other and allow the 360-80 system to provide up to 1.5 Mbps to each T1 for a total of over 3 Mbps of bandwidth. See Figure 2 for a typical configuration.

In this configuration there are two different possible timing scenarios:

- 1. The 360-80 (A) in internal/external timing with the 360-80 (B) and the 360-80 (C) in loop timing.
- 2. Both the 360-80 (B) and the 360-80 (C) in internal/external timing with the 360-80 (A) in loop timing.

For network management of multiple 360-80s over the T1 links, connecting the management LAN to the 360-80 (B) will provide the capability to manage the 360-80 (A) and 360-80 (C) systems. Similarly, management connecting the management LAN to the 360-80 (A) will provide the capability to manage the 360-80 (B) and 360-80 (C) systems. However, when connecting the management LAN to the 360-80 (C) only 360-80 (C) can be managed.

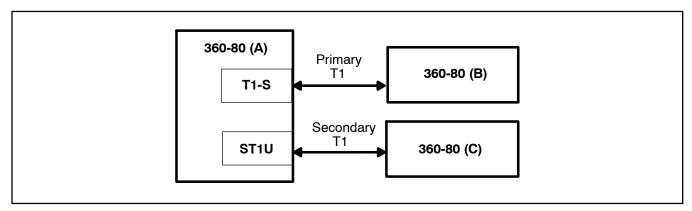


Figure 2. Independent Dual T1 Application

### 3.1.2. Combined Dual T1 Application

The dual T1 mode allows over 3 Mbps of data to be transported between two 360-80 systems over two T1s (because of physical constraints, a 64xN or router unit would be required to use the complete bandwidth). See Figure 3 for the configuration.

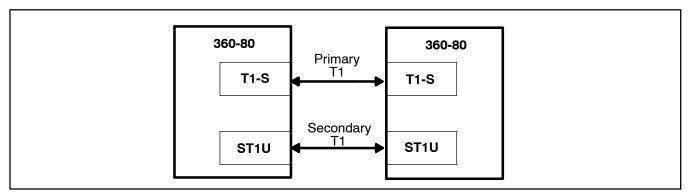


Figure 3. Combined Dual T1 Application

### 3.2 Transport Protection Application

The Protection mode allows the Primary T1 of the T1-S and the Protection T1 of the ST1U to be connected to a remote 360-80 or an Automatic Protection Switch (APS) device. The Primary T1 from the T1-S is used as the T1 carrier when no fault or excessive bit error rates are detected by the system. If the Primary T1 error rate exceeds an errored second threshold or a fault is detected in the primary T1, the system will switch to the T1 from the ST1U (the Protection T1) as the T1 carrier. The Protection T1 will continue to be used until the Primary T1 error rate improves or the alarm condition is cleared. The system will monitor the errored seconds in the current and previous performance monitor interval to determine if the system should switch to the protection mode. See Figure 4 for a typical configuration.

Note: Both T1-S units should be set for the same error threshold.

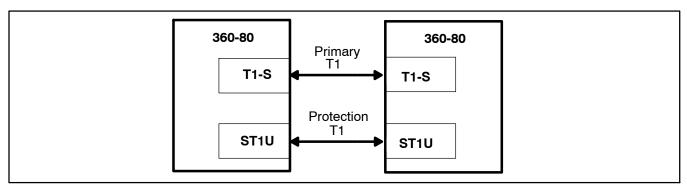


Figure 4. T1 Transport Protection Application

#### 3.3 Drop and Re-Insert Applications

"Normal" mode allows the T1 from the T1-S to be connected via the ST1U to a channel bank from the network (west) and the T1 from the ST1U to be connected to a channel bank toward a remote (east) location. The data/voice on the Primary T1 (which is connected through the ST1U to the T1-S) can be "dropped" to any one of the cards in the 360-80. Any data/voice that is not "dropped" to a card in the 360-80 can be reinserted into the T1 from the ST1U and sent to the remote location. See Figure 5 for an application where the 360-80 is used to "drop" dedicated circuits from a T1 and then send the switched voice over a T1 to a PBX.

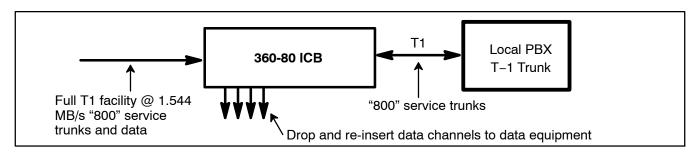


Figure 5. Drop and Re-Insert Application #1

Additionally, data/voice from cards in the 360-80 can be "re-inserted" into any vacant timeslots to the remote location. This allows better use of the T1 timeslots by keeping them as full as possible between locations. See Figure 6 for an application where the 360-80 is used to "drop" channels and re-insert channels from multiple locations to reduce the number of T1s needed between locations by keeping the T1 full. If a fault occurs in the 360-80 system, the T1 into the T1-S is connected to the T1 into the ST1U, bypassing the 360-80 system.

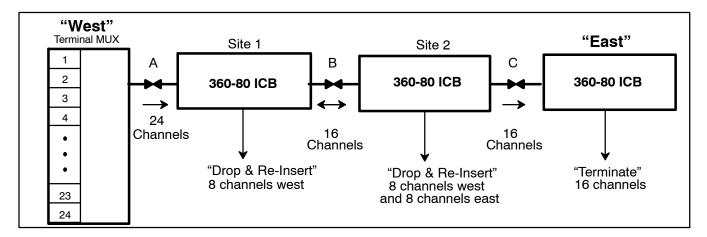


Figure 6. Drop and Re-Insert Application #2

Another configuration that can use the drop and re-insert capability allows the system to handle more than 2 types of circuits at a location. In this configuration, the drop and re-insert capability is used to combine the card types in multiple 360-80s at a single location to allow more card types at the location. Each bank has a different card type to allow more interfaces to be serviced at the location. This allows flexibility when customer requirements change.

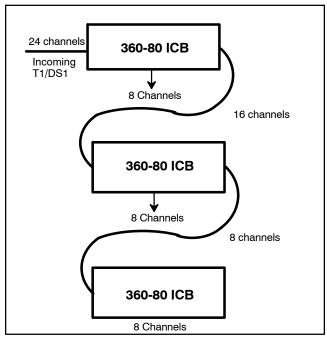


Figure 7. Drop and ReInsert Application #3

### 4. CIRCUIT DESCRIPTION

Figure 8 shows a block diagram of the ST1U, and its relationship to other elements of the 360-80 ICB.

### 4.1 Normal (Drop and Re-Insert) Mode Configuration

The T1-S provides the centralized control, multiplexing and test features for the 360-80 ICB. T1 signals from and to the WEST (primary T1) direction are first routed through the ST1U to the T1-S. The ST1U uses timing from the T1-S and must be loop timed to the WEST to operate correctly.

T1 signals from and to the EAST (secondary T1) direction are routed to the ST1U. The ST1U includes a monitor jack access to the T1.

The ST1U provides a bypass relay path for the T1 facility as part of the assembly, as shown in Figure 8. When de-energized, these relays bypass the ICB and connect the WEST (primary) T1 to the EAST (secondary) T1. When the ST1U and T1-S are installed and functioning properly, these relays are energized. Figure 8 shows the relay contacts in this mode. If either of these modules fail or the T1-S is removed, the relay will release and bypass the T1. The ST1U can also be manually selected to bypass the T1.

The ST1U provides various front panel indicators to monitor operation .

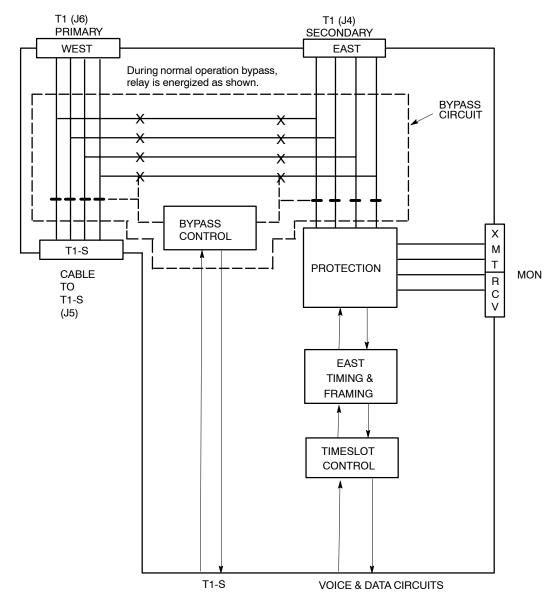


Figure 8. Secondary T1 Unit Block Diagram

### 4.1.1. Transmission Path, WEST RCV to EAST XMT (Normal Mode Only)

T1 signals received from the WEST facility (J6) pass through the ST1U bypass circuit, through the rear-panel connection (J5), into the T1-S. The information, in DS0 timeslots that are dropped at this location, can be provisioned to pass (through an internal circuit) on to the T1 on the ST1U (Broadcast) or replaced with idle code. Timeslots that are not dropped at this location can be passed through, unaltered, to the ST1U and transmitted EAST (J4). Timeslots that have been dropped can be reassigned for use towards the EAST.

The ST1U formats the timeslot data and insert either SF or ESF framing. The data is then output to the EAST T1 connector.

#### 4.1.2. Transmission Path, EAST RCV to WEST XMT (Normal Mode Only)

T1 signals received from the EAST (secondary) facility are routed to the ST1U's monitor jack and to the EAST TIMING & FRAMING circuit. This circuit detects either SF or ESF framing. A loss of signal or framing will cause the AR LED to illuminate and start the alarm processing routine. The framed DS1 signal is passed on to the TIMESLOT CONTROL circuit. Any DS0 channel timeslot that has been provisioned to be dropped from the WEST will have its transmit data blocked toward the WEST from the EAST T1 receive data. These EAST T1 receive timeslots can be dropped from the EAST or left unassigned. EAST T1 receive timeslots that are not dropped at this location are passed through unchanged to the WEST facility. Dropped EAST T1 receive timeslots that are not blocked toward the WEST, due to the WEST receive T1 timeslot being dropped, may use the timeslot mode's broadcast option. This option allows timeslot data to be dropped and retransmitted toward the WEST.

The channel data at this location is reinserted by the TIMESLOT CONTROL toward the WEST.

### 4.2 Dual T1 Mode Configuration

In this configuration, the T1 signal for the ST1U is to and from the EAST (secondary T1, J4). The ST1U provides monitor jacks to monitor this T1. The T1 then goes to the EAST TIMING and FRAMING block where the circuit detects either SF or ESF framing. A loss of framing signal will cause the AR LED to light and start the alarm processing routine. The signal is passed on to the TIMESLOT CONTROL circuit. Any DS0 channel that has been provisioned to a Secondary T1 timeslot will receive its data and timing from the TIMESLOT CONTROL circuit.

In a similar manner, data from the channel cards is sent to the TIMESLOT CONTROL circuit where it is multiplexed with the data from the other channel circuits. The data is then passed to the EAST TIMING and CONTROL circuit where framing is inserted and then output to the EAST T1 connector.

### 4.3 Protection T1 Mode Configuration

In this configuration, the T1 signal for the ST1U is to and from the EAST (protection/secondary T1, J4). The ST1U provides monitor jacks to monitor this T1. The T1 then goes to the EAST TIMING and FRAMING block where the circuit detects either SF or ESF framing. A loss of framing signal will cause the AR LED to light and start the alarm processing routine. The signal is passed on to the TIMESLOT CONTROL circuit. If no alarm condition exists or the errored seconds are acceptable, the DS0 channels will receive their data from the T1-S.

In a similar manner, data from the channel cards is sent to the TIMESLOT CONTROL circuit where it is multiplexed with the data from the other channel circuits. The data is then passed to the EAST TIMING and CONTROL circuit where framing is inserted and then output to the EAST T1 connector. The alarm condition of the T1 Controller card has no effect on this output.

#### 4.4 Timeslot Allocation

The following rules apply when assigning or allocating timeslots to channels when using the ST1U in conjunction with the T1-S:

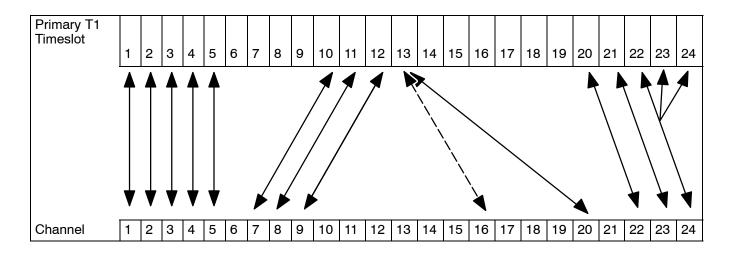
- Only non-allocated timeslots can be allocated to a channel (channel number is based on chassis slot location and circuit number on card).
- Only non-allocated channels can be allocated to a timeslot.
- A timeslot/channel is de-allocated by selecting the channel and deleting its allocation.
- Timeslots can only be allocated to a single channel (see Figure 9).

- When a channel uses multiple timeslots such as 64xN, ISDN and Router unit, there must be enough
  consecutive timeslots to allow the channel to be allocated (an example is shown in Figure 9 where
  channel 24 uses timeslots 22–24 on the primary T1).
- For the Protection mode, only the 24 timeslots for the Primary T1 are allocated.
- For the Dual and Normal modes there are 48 timeslots available for allocation (24 for Primary T1 and 24 for Secondary T1).
- When the unit comes from the factory or a factory default reset is performed, all timeslots will be allocated to the Primary T1 (similar to channels 1–5 in Figure 9).
- When the unit comes from the factory or a factory default reset is performed and the unit is in Normal mode and a chassis slot does not have a card installed; then the timeslots normally assigned to the channels of the uninstalled card will be allocated to 'phantom channels'. These timeslots must be de-allocated before they can be allocated to a channel.
- When a different card is inserted into a chassis slot that had timeslots allocated, the system will attempt to allocate the timeslots to the card channels based on the card type.
- Timeslot allocation can be done through any of the network management interfaces.

### 4.4.1. Changing Channels/Timeslots

Any channel can be assigned to any timeslot. Using Figure 9 as an example, if channel 16 were allocated to timeslot 13 on the Primary T1, the following steps would be performed to change the allocation of channel 20 to timeslot 13:

Step	Action	
1.	De-allocate the current allocation by selecting channel 16 in the timeslot allocation section of the network management interface and deleting its allocation.	
2.	Select channel 20 and allocate it to timeslot 13 of the Primary T1.	



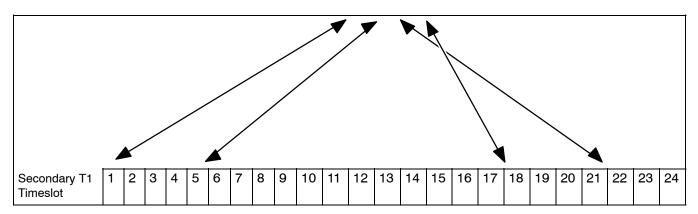


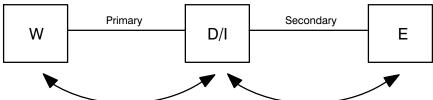
Figure 9. Timeslot Allocation with T1-S and ST1U

### 4.5 Timeslot Mode (Normal Mode Only)

The ST1U and T1-S use the timeslot mode to control the routing of data between T1-S and ST1U. The timeslot mode can be set to idle or broadcast.

#### 4.5.1. Timeslots Allocated on both Primary and Secondary T1 Circuits

When a timeslot from the primary T1 is allocated to a channel and the same timeslot on the secondary T1 is allocated to another channel, the data is routed between the channels and the individual timeslot of the two T1s. With this allocation the timeslot mode for both the primary and secondary T1s will be ignored. This allocation mode is referred to as "Drop and Reinsert" because, the timeslot data is dropped and reinserted between one of the T1s and the allocated channel. Data from a different channel is dropped and reinserted between the channel and the same timeslot of the other T1.



Time Slot Mode has No Effect on Data in Both Directions

Figure 10. Drop at T1 Primary and Secondary for the Same Timeslot

### 4.5.2. Timeslot Allocated on the Primary T1 Circuit

When a timeslot from the primary T1 circuit is allocated to a channel, the timeslot mode of the primary T1 circuit will be ignored and not affect the routing of the data. If the timeslot on the secondary T1 circuit is set for idle, then the output data for the timeslot on the secondary T1 circuit will be an all ones (11111111) which equates to an "idle" signal. If the timeslot on the secondary T1 circuit is set for broadcast, then the output data for that timeslot of the secondary T1 circuit will be the same data that is received from the timeslot on the primary T1 circuit. This allocation is called "Broadcast mode" because the data from the time slot on the primary T1 circuit is broadcast to both the channel and the secondary T1 timeslot.

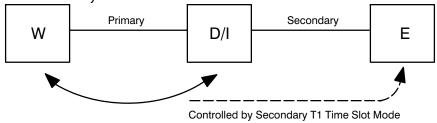


Figure 11. Drop at T1 Primary with No Drop on Secondary

### 4.5.3. Timeslot Allocated on the Secondary T1 Circuit

When a timeslot is allocated from the secondary T1 to a channel, the timeslot mode of the secondary T1 timeslot is ignored and does not affect the data routing. Data is routed from the allocated channel to and from the time slot on the secondary T1 circuit. If the timeslot on the primary T1 is set to idle, the output data for the timeslot on the primary T1 will be an all ones (11111111) which equates to an "idle" signal. If the time slot on the primary T1 is set to broadcast, then the output data on the primary T1 for the timeslot will be the same data that is sent from the secondary T1 to the allocated channel. This allocation is called Broadcast mode because, the data from the timeslot on the secondary T1 circuit is broadcast to the channel and to the primary T1 timeslot.

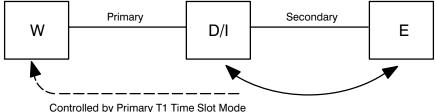


Figure 12. Drop at T1 Secondary with No Drop on Primary

#### 4.5.4. Non-Allocated Timeslots

When a timeslot is not allocated to either the primary T1 circuit or the secondary T1 circuit, the primary and secondary timeslot mode determines the data output on the respective T1. If the mode is set to idle, the output of the timeslot will be an all ones (11111111) which equates to an "idle" signal. If the mode is set to broadcast then the output of the timeslot on the T1 will be the data from the corresponding time slot on the other T1. This allocation mode is referred to as "Pass Through" because, when both primary and secondary timeslot modes are set to broadcast the data passes through the 360-80.

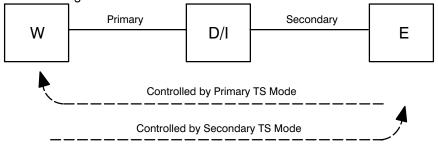


Figure 13. No Drop at T1 Primary or Secondary

#### 4.6 Forced Bypass (Manually Selected via Management Normal Mode Only)

#### WARNING

If this option is selected for an ICB, it will require local intervention at the site of the ICB to reset. Restoring normal error free operation of the ICB will require a "reset" to return to stored values on a local craft interface or Ethernet connection, or removing both the T1-S and ST1U. The cards must then be reinserted in order, first the T1-S, followed by the ST1U.

Card configuration is stored in an EEPROM so no additional settings adjustments are required.

### 4.7 Facility Alarm Handling

The alarm timing circuit provides the indications and timing for the trunk processing. Hit integration for Frame Loss (FRL) is provided to prevent trunk processing during intermittent frame losses. LEDs are provided for local red alarm (AR) and remote yellow alarm (AY).

The T1-S provides three optional trunk processing timing options (both primary and secondary T1s are configured the same) that are selected via the NMS software. In the NORMAL position, the unit provides standard D4 timing. In the CM2 & CM3 positions, special shortened timings are provided.

When a loss of signal or framing is detected on the WEST receive facility, a Red Alarm (AR) is declared and the WEST AR LED is illuminated after 2.5 seconds (1 second if CM2 option is selected or immediately if the CM3 option is selected), and the unit will begin its trunk processing routine. This causes the following:

- 1. All channel units are busied or idled
- A yellow alarm (AY) condition is sent to the WEST transmit facility (if CM2 or CM3 is selected, a yellow alarm is not sent)
- An AIS signal is sent to the EAST transmit facility on all unassigned channels going between EAST and secondary
- 4. The alarm relay for the WEST AR and AY is activated

Trunk processing will end approximately 15 seconds (1 second for CM2, immediately for CM3) after detection of no AR alarm condition.

When the WEST receive facility receives a yellow alarm condition from a distant terminal, the unit will declare a yellow alarm and illuminate the AY LED after detecting this condition for approximately 480 ms. At this time, the unit will begin its trunk processing routine that will:

- 1. Busy or idle all channel units
- 2. Send AIS code to the EAST transmit facility
- 3. Activate the alarm relay for the West AR and AY

Trunk processing will end approximately 30 ms after detection of no yellow alarm.

When a red alarm (AR) is detected on the East facility, a yellow alarm (AY) is sent back on the East facility. If a yellow alarm is detected on the east facility, no other action is taken. Red or yellow alarms detected on the East facility will illuminate the respective AR and/or AY LEDs. When the red alarm condition no longer exists for approximately 15 seconds, the yellow alarm signal will stop being sent. If no yellow or red alarm conditions are detected, the LEDs will turn off.

### 4.8 Loopbacks

The ST1U provides three different types of loopbacks. All of the far-end loopbacks require a remote control link between the near-end and far-end 360-80s. The line near-end loops the data back toward the customer of drop-side. Far-end loopbacks can be either payload or line. The far-end payload loopback will loopback only the time slots in the T1, but not the framing. The far-end line loopback will loopback all timeslots and the framing of the T1. The card also responds to all standard CSU and T1 loopback codes.

#### 5. INSTALLATION

#### 5.1 Installing the Unit

The ST1U installs in the secondary T1 slot of the 360-80. See Figure 14 for a sample of the shelf layout.

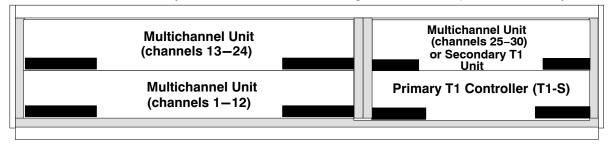


Figure 14. 360-80 ICB Common Equipment Configuration

### 5.1.1. Attaching the Rear Panel

The rear panel of the unit should be installed before the unit is installed in the shelf, and before wiring begins.

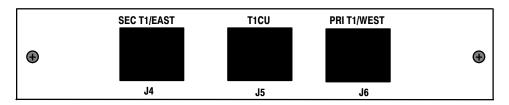


Figure 15. 3608-80 ST1U Rear Panel

### 5.1.2. Installing a New Unit

Use the following steps to install the ST1U.

Step	Action		
1.	If not already installed, install the rear panel, screwing it to the appropriate mounting locations on the shelf using the provided hardware.		
	<u>WARNING:</u> If there is already a rear panel installed on the shelf, check for interference when mounting. The rear panel may need to be removed and replaced with the rear panel that has been shipped with the new unit.		
2.	Insert the unit into the shelf, making sure that the unit is aligned with the card guides inside the shelf.		
3.	Slide the unit fully into the shelf. Use the insertion lever to fully seat the unit.		
4.	Once the unit is fully inserted, tighten the securing screw on the front panel of the unit.		
5.	Wire the unit per the wiring information in the wiring section.		
	When power is applied, the unit will perform a self-test to ensure that it is compatible with the network management software on the system.		
6.	After the self-test is performed, check the software provisioning of the unit using either the front panel craft interface on the front of the controller unit or the network management interface on the rear of the controller (see the section on network management for more information on this interface).		
	Note: If a Secondary T1 unit is inserted into a shelf while power to the shelf is on, the T1 controller unit may reset.		

### 5.1.3. Installing a Replacement Unit

If you are replacing a unit that is already in service, insure that the new unit is the same as the unit being replaced.

Step	Action		
1.	Remove the wiring connectors from the front and rear of the unit (J4, J5 & J6).		
2.	Unscrew the front panel securing screw to release the unit from the shelf.		
3.	Using the card ejector, remove the unit from the shelf.		
4.	Follow the procedure for installing a new unit.		

### 5.2 Wiring the Unit

### 5.2.1. Drop and Re-Insert Application

Use the following steps to wire the unit (see Figure 16).

Step	Action
1.	Connect the T1 from the WEST 360-80 ICB or equivalent to J6 of the ST1U.
2.	Using the cable provided with the unit, connect J5 to J1 on the T1-S.
3.	Connect J4 of the ST1U to the input of the next 360-80 ICB or to the EAST 360-80 ICB or equivalent.

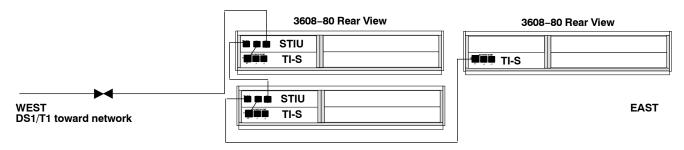


Figure 16. Wiring for Drop and Re-Insert Application

### 5.2.2. Dual and Protection Applications

Use the following steps to wire the unit (see Figure 17).

Step	Action
1.	Connect the T1 from the WEST 360-80 ICB or equivalent to J1 of the T1-S.
2.	Connect J4 of the ST1U to the input of the EAST 360-80 ICB or equivalent



Figure 17. Wiring for Dual and Protection Applications

### 5.3 Front Panel Switch and LED Definitions

The Audible Alarm Cut Off (ACO) switch is a pushbutton used to open the audible alarm contacts from the 360-80 system. This switch will only mask audible indications of present alarm conditions—it does NOT clear the alarm. If a new alarm occurs, the audible indication will re-enable.

Label Color Indicates that... **POWER** Green The unit is receiving power AR Red The unit is detecting a red alarm on the T1 interface caused by a loss of signal (LOS) or a loss of framing (LOF) or out of frame (OOF) condition. AY Yellow The unit is receiving a YELLOW alarm condition on the T1. This indicates that a problem is upstream at some other device or network node. TP Yellow The system is processing the trunk signaling data based on detected alarm conditions. Green The unit is in a loopback condition. This indication only occurs during testing. **BYPASS** Green The unit is in a bypass condition.

**Table 1. LED Definitions** 

### 5.4 Connector Definitions

### 5.4.1. Bantam Jacks

The two bantam jacks on the front of the unit allow monitoring of the transmit (XMT) and receive (RCV) sides of the secondary T1 signal without interfering with operation.

#### 5.4.2. T1 Jacks

The RJ48 connectors on the rear of the ST1U are for the T1-S, east/secondary T1 and west/primary T1.

Table 2. RJ-48C T1 Jack Pinouts

	Pin #	Use
	1	R (RCV from network)
12345678	2	T (RCV from network)
	3	_
	4	R1 (XMIT to network)
	5	T1 (XMIT to network)
\	6	_
	7	_
	8	_

### 6. OPTIONING

This unit comes from the factory with default provisioning, which can be changed through the Network Management software (NMS) or the craft terminal interface. See the NMS or craft terminal interface documentation for procedures. The provisioning options are as follows with the default optioning noted:

Option	Choices	Default
T1 Frame format	Superframe (SF), Extended Superframe (ESF)	ESF
Line Build Out (LBO)	110, 220, 330, 440, 550, 660 ft. OR 0, 7.5, 15, 22dB	0-110 ft.
T1 Line Code	AMI, B8ZS	B8ZS
T1 Loopback Selection	Line Near End, Line Far End, Payload Far End	None
Remote Control Method	None, Occupy One Channel, Facility Data Link (ESF Format Only)	Facility Data Link
Bypass (Drop and Re-insert Only)	Auto Bypass, Forced No Bypass	Auto Bypass

### 7. ALARMS

This unit provides for alarm contacts for audible and visual alarms. Access to the alarm contacts is provided on the 360-80 shelf. Pressing the audible alarm cut-off (ACO) switch on the ST1U clears the secondary alarm indication for the audible alarm contacts, stopping the audible notice of the alarm (the alarm itself is NOT cleared by pressing the ACO switch). See the shelf documentation for information on wiring. The unit generates alarm indications based on the configuration of the PRI T1 alarm registers (Normal, CM2, CM3). See section on network management for more information.

### 8. TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE

If technical assistance is required, contact Charles Industries' Technical Services Center at:

847-806-8500

847-806-8556 (FAX)

800-607-8500

techserv@charlesindustries.com (e-mail)

### 9. WARRANTY & CUSTOMER SERVICE

#### 9.1 Warranty

Charles Industries, Ltd. offers a 2-year warranty on this product. Contact your local Sales Representative at the address or telephone numbers below for warranty details. The warranty provisions are subject to change without notice. The terms and conditions applicable to any specific sale of product shall be defined in the resulting sales contract.

Charles Industries, Ltd. 5600 Apollo Drive Rolling Meadows, Illinois 60008-4049 847-806-6300 (Main Office) 847-806-6231 (FAX)

### 9.2 Field Repairs (In-Warranty Units)

Field repairs involving the replacement of components within a unit are not recommended and may void the warranty and compatibility with any applicable regulatory or agency requirements. If a unit needs repair, contact Charles Industries, Ltd. for replacement or repair instructions, or follow the *Repair Service Procedure* below.

#### 9.3 Advanced Replacement Service (In-Warranty Units)

Charles Industries, Ltd. offers an "advanced replacement" service if a replacement unit is required as soon as possible. With this service, the unit will be shipped in the fastest manner consistent with the urgency of the situation. In most cases, there are no charges for in-warranty repairs, except for the transportation charges of the unit and for a testing and handling charge for units returned with no trouble found. Upon receipt of the advanced replacement unit, return the out-of-service unit in the carton in which the replacement was shipped, using the preaddressed shipping label provided. Call your customer service representative at the telephone number above for more details.

### 9.4 Standard Repair and Replacement Service (Both In-Warranty and Out-Of-Warranty Units)

Charles Industries, Ltd. offers a standard repair or exchange service for units either in- or out-of-warranty. With this service, units may be shipped to Charles Industries for either repair and quality testing or exchanged for a replacement unit, as determined by Charles Industries. Follow the *Repair Service Procedure* below to return units and to secure a repair or replacement. A handling charge applies for equipment returned with no trouble found. To obtain more details of this service and a schedule of prices, contact the CI Service Center at 217-932-5288 (FAX 217-932-2943).

Repair Service Procedure

- 1. Prepare, complete, and enclose a purchase order in the box with the equipment to be returned.
- 2. Include the following information:
  - Company name and address
  - Contact name and phone number
  - Inventory of equipment being shipped
  - Particulars as to the nature of the failure
  - Return shipping address
- Ship the equipment, purchase order, and above-listed information, transportation prepaid, to the service center address shown below.

CI Service Center 503 N.E. 15th St, P.O. Box 339 Casey, IL 62420-2054

4. Most repaired or replaced units will be returned within 30 or 45 days, depending on the product type and availability of repair parts. Repaired units are warranted for either 90 days from the date of repair or for the remaining unexpired portion of the original warranty, whichever is longer.

# 10. SPECIFICATIONS

### 10.1 Electrical

Parameter	Specification	
Carrier Mode	Pulse Code Modulation (PCM) DS1	
1.544MB/S Framing Format	T1 interface complies with the T1.403 standard:	
	SF format: Yellow Alarm, Line loopback, Payload loopback	
	ESF format: Yellow Alarm, Facility data link, Line loopback, Payload loopback	
Line code (software selectable)	B8ZS or AMI	
Transmit Line Build Out (Software selectable)	Short Haul: 0 – 110 ft. (pre-equalization) 110 – 220 ft. (CSU application) 220 – 330 ft. 330 – 440 ft. 440 – 550 ft. 550 – 660 ft. Long Haul (Attenuation): 0dB	
	(Cable matching) 7.5dB 15dB 22.5dB	
Input/output impedances	100 Ohms	
Transmission Rate	1.544 MB/s ± 32 ppm	
ICB timing	Timing from T1-S	
T1 CONNECTOR (rear panel.)	RJ-48C	
T1 monitor bantam jacks (On front panel only)	Use to monitor the secondary T1 signal (both transmit and receive) without interference.	
Alarm interface and contacts	The system provides visual and audible alarm contact closure when the channel bank is in alarm or there is a loss of power. When the ACO (Audible Alarm Cut Off) is activated, the audible alarm contacts return to open circuit.	
ACO switch (front panel)	Use to silence the audible alarm contacts	
Data port test pattern generator and detector	OCU, CSU, DSU, latch loopback code for 64, 56KB/s.	
	OCU, CSU, DSU non-latching loopback for 56 KB/s and subrates	
	V.54 loopback code for 56/64KxN	
Voice port test and 0 dBm calibration tone (software selectable on a per-channel basis)	DTMF port test sequence or 1 KHz 0 dBmO level calibration tone	
Power supply input voltage range	-42V to -56V	
Power supply current	.063 amp (normal), .038 amp (bypass)	
Heat dissipation	3.15 watts (normal), 1.94 watts (bypass)	

# 10.2 Physical

See Table 3 for the physical characteristics of the unit.

Table 3. Physical Specifications

Feature	U.S.	Metric
Height	0.75 inch	1.9 centimeters
Width	5.64 inches	14.32 centimeters
Depth	9.25 inches	23.49 centimeters
Weight	0.64 pound	290 grams
Temperature	-40° to +149° F	-40° to +65° C
Humidity	to < 95%	•

