

TCM3-4DIO

TELEMETRY DIGITAL IO CONTROL MODULE LOW POWER LICENCE EXEMPT

The TCM3-4DIO is a fully integrated wireless industrial digital IO control and monitoring module. Digital input signals at one module are transmitted to a remote module and recreated as output signals or passed to a host device via the RS232 interface. The ease of use and numerous features make this module ideal for adding wireless IO control to any short to medium range control and monitoring application.

Features

- 4 relay digital outputs.
- 4 opto-isolated digital inputs.
- Up to 5km outdoor range @ VHF 100mW.
- Up to 50m indoor range @ UHF 10mW.
- Simple built-in serial configuration.
- · Controller status indicators.
- Mappable comms failure relay.
- D9 Serial interface. TXD/RXD/GND.
- 12VDC or 24VDC operation,

Applications

- · Remote pump house
- Mining equipment control
- Water and sewerage equipment
- Building management and control
- Agricultural and irrigation systems

Easy and Reliable

The TCM3-4DIO control module is designed as DIN Rail mountable device that can be easily added to existing products and enclosures. It is fitted with secure screw terminal blocks for ease of module removal. The IO Control module comes in a number of license exempt frequencies suitable for most countries using standard ISM bands.

Reliability is achieved by using radio transceivers ensuring that all status updates between modules are acknowledged. The modules use addressable data packets with error checking, packet acknowledgements and retransmissions to achieve a reliable invisible wireless control link.

There are regular status transmissions between modules to update the input signals and to check the radio link integrity. The status of the radio link is displayed on a status LED.

Built for ease of use and rapid installation, the RS232 compliant interface ensures direct connection to DTE serial equipment for setup and configuration. The internal serial configurator enables post installation setup of the modules using a basic serial terminal device.

Using site ID's and unit addressing, many groups of IO control modules can operate within close radio range without interference with each other. A simple network may use a pair of IO control modules with inputs from one module mapped to output on another module. Large complex networks can be constructed allowing any input to be mapped to any output on any other module.



TECHNICAL SPECIFICATIONS TCM3-4DIO

General

Operating Voltage
 Power Protection
 12VDC (12V model) or 24VDC (24V model)
 Over voltage and reverse voltage protected

Operating Temperature
 0 to +55 degrees C

Indicator Lights
 Input & output states, Transmit, Receive and Status

Terminal Blocks Screw type. 2.5sqmm conductors

Digital Inputs

Type
 Opto isolated – rated 5000V. Common ground

Suitable for Free contacts or NPN transistor
 Contact Wetting Current 5mA at 12V or 5mA @ 24V

Digital Outputs

• Type Relay. Normally open

Rating
 Optional relay ratings
 0.5A @ 125 VAC or 1A @ 24 VDC
 3A @ 125VAC or 1A @ 60VDC

Serial Interface

RS232 Interface
 DCE - 9 pin female D style,

RS232 Signals
 RXD, TXD, GND using 8 data/1 stop/no parity
 Supported Baud Rates
 2400/4800/9600/19200/38400/57600

Radio Transceiver

Operating Frequencies
 Single channel. See below for frequency options

Transmitter Output Power
 10mW ERP UHF or 100mW ERP VHF

Operating Range
 Upto 200m UHF or Upto 5Km VHF, depending on antenna used

Aerial Connector SMA right angle

Radio Approvals

Australian Standards
 AS 4268.2

European Standards
 EN 300-220-1,ETS 300-683

Data Transmissions

Inputs Change of state

System
 Periodic keep alive transmissions

Error Detection16 bit CRC

Communications Failure
 Mappable relay output and LED output.

Physical

• PCB size 110mm (L) x 107mm (W) x 22mm (H)

Accessories

Antennas
 Various antenna options available. Please ask.

Enclosures
 DIN Rail holders to suit.

Radio Options

TCM3-4DIO-151P / TCM3-4DIO-151.6P 151.300 @ 100mW / 151.600 @ 100mW
 TCM3-4DIO-173 / TCM3-4DIO-173P 173.225MHz @ 10mW & 100mW (NZ)

TCM3-4DIO-433
 433.920MHz @ 10mW

 TCM3-4DIO-434
 TCM3-4DIO-918
 433.065MHz @ 10mW Narrow Band 918.252MHz @ 1mW (AUS)