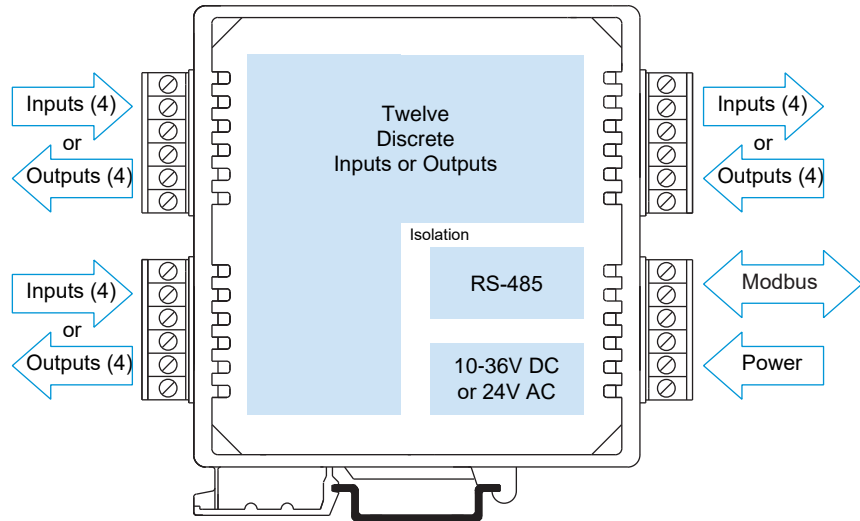




Modbus/RS-485



High-Density Discrete I/O Module



901/902/903MB Multi-Channel Discrete I/O Modules

Active-Low Inputs Sinking Outputs (Low-Side Switching)

Models

- 901MB: 12 input channels
- 902MB: 12 output channels
- 903MB: 12 input/output channels

Input

Twelve input channels (901, 903 models only)
0 to 35V DC

Output

Twelve output channels (902, 903 models only)
0 to 35V DC

Network Communication

Modbus-RTU high-speed RS-485

Power Requirement

10 to 36V DC,
24V AC

Approvals

CE marked. UL, cUL listed
Class I; Division 2; Groups A, B, C, D.

Description

These modules provide twelve discrete input and/or output channels. Isolation separates the I/O, power, and network circuits. Network communication adheres to the industry-standard RS-485 Modbus RTU protocol. Both AC and DC power sources are supported with wide range, nonpolarized, diode-coupled terminals.

The open-drain outputs are intended for current-sinking or low-side switching applications. The buffered inputs are active-low. These models are the complement of the 904, 905, and 906 units which have open-source, high-side output switches and active-high inputs. Socketed pull-up resistors are easily removed or exchanged to satisfy your application requirements.

The 903MB model has twelve input/output points that may be used as inputs or outputs on a bit-by-bit basis. Outputs may be read back to verify output settings.

Combining flexible I/O types, wide I/O ranges, and a network interface in a single package, makes this instrument extremely powerful. Multi-channel design adds cost-efficiency and allows high-density mounting. Plus, safe, rugged construction makes these modules reliable for use in both control room and distributed field I/O applications. Custom module configurations are also possible (consult factory for details).

Special Features

- Standard Modbus RTU protocol with high-speed RS-485 communication (up to 115K bps)
- Twelve I/O channels in a single inch-wide unit reduces system costs and saves panel space
- High-voltage, high-current, open-drain outputs enable direct (low-side) control of external devices
- High-voltage buffered inputs monitor discrete levels from a variety of industrial devices
- Tandem input/output circuitry (903 models only) connects input buffers with open-drain outputs for convenient loopback monitoring of the output state
- Outputs have built-in over-temperature and over-current shut-down protection, plus active clamping circuits for switching inductive loads
- Watchdog timers provide a configurable failsafe output state for use when host I/O communication is lost
- Three-way isolation eliminates potential ground loops between power, I/O, and network circuitry
- Self-diagnostics monitor microcontroller activity to detect operational failures (lock-up) and execute a reset to restore communication



Performance

Discrete Inputs (901 & 903 models only)

Input Type

12 active-low, buffered inputs, with a common connection. Inputs include transient suppression devices and series connected 100K ohm resistors, plus diode over-voltage clamps to the internal +5V supply.

Input Signal Voltage Range

0 to 35V DC, maximum.

Input Current

293µA, typical at 35V DC.

Input Signal Threshold

TTL compatible with 100mV of hysteresis, typical. Low-to-High threshold is 1.7VDC, High-to-Low is 1.6VDC, typical. Limited to TTL levels of 0.8VDC (max. LOW level) and 2.0VDC (min. HIGH level).

Input Resistance

100K ohms, typical.

Input Hysteresis

100mV DC, typical.

Discrete Outputs (902 & 903 models only)

Output Type

12 independent, open-drain, DMOS MOSFET switches with a common source connection that operate as low-side switches.

Output Voltage Range

0 to 35V DC max. (0 to 500mA/channel continuous). External voltage source required.

Output ON Resistance

0.28 ohms maximum.

Output Response Time

Force Single Coil: Output updates within 250µs of receipt of a command.

Force Multiple Coils: First coil updates in 250µs, followed successively by additional coils every 180µs.

General

I/O Pull-ups and Socket

5.6K ohm pull-up resistor SIPs are installed in sockets at each port (four-channels per port).

Excitation (per port)

External excitation voltage for each four-channel port is limited to 35V or less.

Supported Modbus Commands

The command/response protocol for communicating with this module adheres to the Modbus/RTU standard for the following Modbus Functions.

- Read Coil (Output) Status
- Read Input Status
- Read Holding Registers
- Force Single Coil (Output)
- Preset Single Register
- Reset Slave
- Force Multiple Coils (Outputs)
- Preset Multiple Registers
- Report Slave ID

LED Indicators

LEDs indicate power, status, and discrete level.

Power Requirements

10 to 36V DC,
22 to 26V AC.

Supply Current

Supply	Current Draw
10V DC	130mA maximum
24V DC	54mA maximum
24V AC	95mA maximum

Isolation

1500V AC for 60 seconds or 250V AC continuous. 3-way isolation between I/O, network, and power circuits.

Ordering Information

Models

901MB-0900
Discrete input module

902MB-0900
Discrete output module

903MB-0900
Discrete input/output module

Accessories

900C-SIP

Configuration Software Interface Package (includes software CD-ROM for Windows, RS-232/485 converter, and RS-485/three-wire cable)

4001-095

USB-to-RS232 adapter

TBK-B02

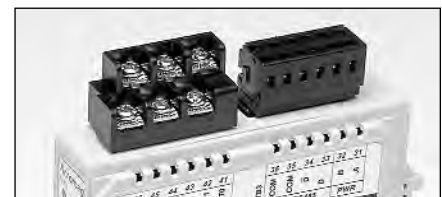
Optional terminal block kit, barrier strip style, 4 pcs.

TBK-S02

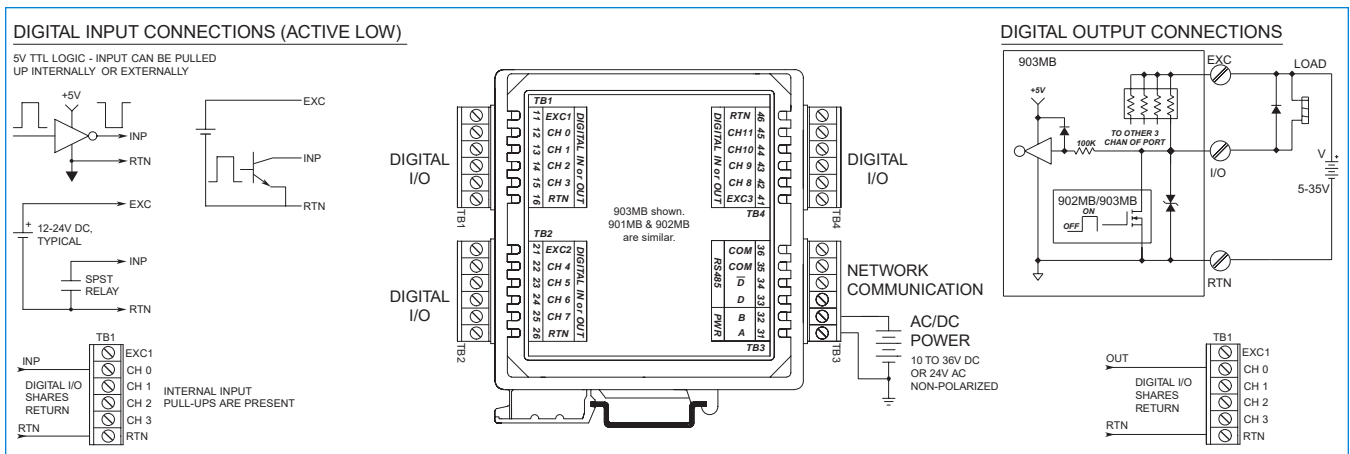
Optional terminal block kit, spring clamp style, 4 pcs.

PSSR-VB24

Power supply (24V DC, 2.1A)

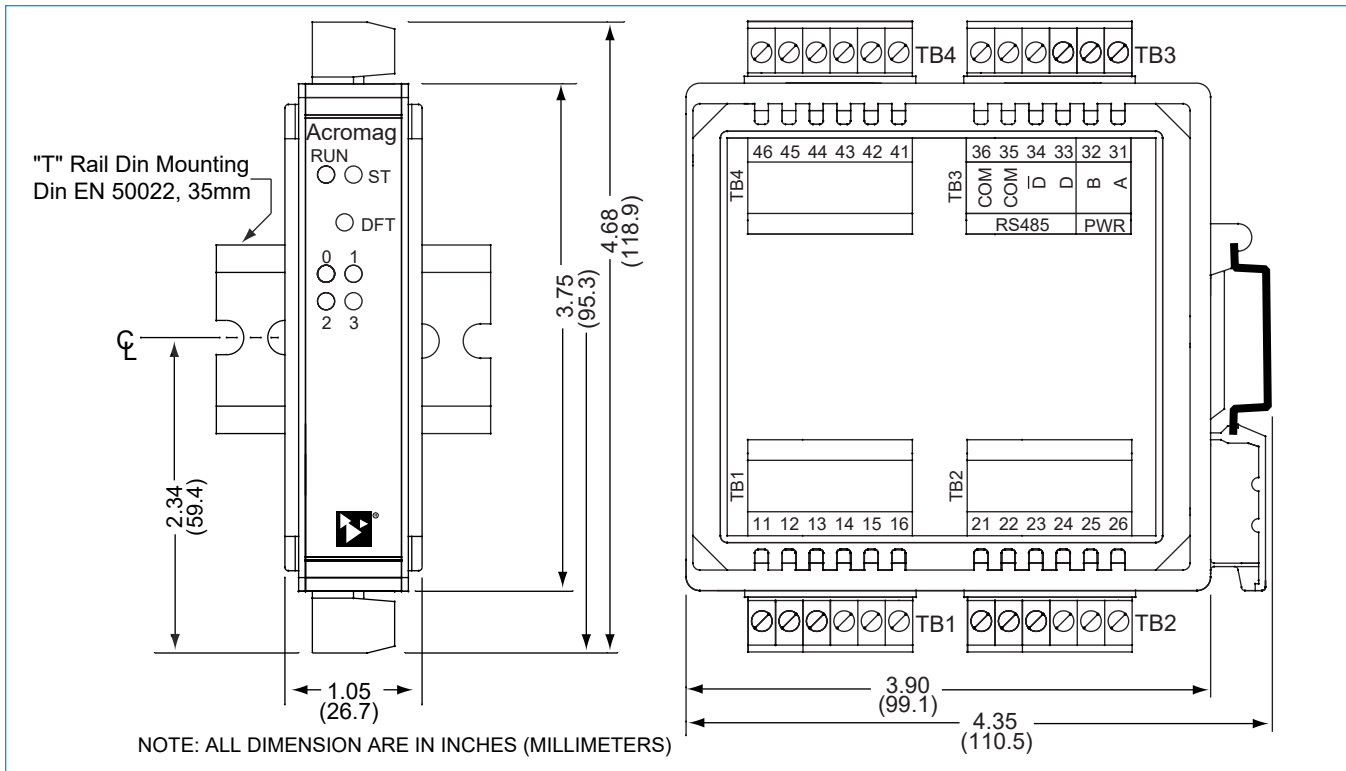


Optional terminal blocks: barrier strip (left) and spring clamp (right). Cage clamp terminal is standard.





900MB Series Technical Diagrams

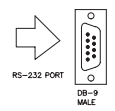


PERSONAL COMPUTER
W/ WINDOWS 95/98 OR NT



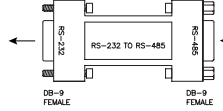
INSTALL MODBUS CONFIGURATION SOFTWARE

RS-232 SERIAL PORT CONNECTOR AT BACK OF PC



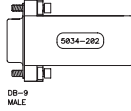
CONNECT THE RS-232 SIDE OF CONVERTER TO THE PC

RS-232 TO RS-485 CONVERTER MODEL 5034-214



CONNECT THE RS-485 SIDE OF CONVERTER TO THE CABLE

CABLE 5034-202



CAUTION: DO NOT CONNECT THE CABLE DIRECTLY TO THE PC WITHOUT THE CONVERTER, OR DAMAGE TO THE MODULE MAY RESULT.

900C-SIP COMMUNICATION CONNECTIONS

