# Modbus/RS-485



# 904/905/906MB Multi-Channel Discrete I/O Modules

# Active-High Inputs Sourcing Outputs (High-Side Switching)

## Models

904MB: 12 input channels905MB: 12 output channels906MB: 12 input/output channels

## Input

Twelve input channels (904, 906 models only) 0 to 35V DC

## Output

Twelve output channels (905, 906 models only) 6 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.

## **High-Density Discrete I/O Module**



# 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 outputs are intended for current-sourcing or high-side switching applications. The buffered inputs are active-high. These models are the complement of the 901, 902, and 903 units which have low-side output switches and active-low inputs. Socketed pull-down resistors are easily removed or exchanged to satisfy your application requirements.

The 906MB 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-source outputs enable direct (high-side) control of external devices
- High-voltage buffered inputs monitor discrete levels from a variety of industrial devices
- Tandem input/output circuitry (906 models only) connects input buffers with open-source outputs for convenient loopback monitoring of the output state
- 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

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## Performance

## Discrete Inputs (904 & 906 models only)

#### Input Type

12 active-high, 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. Thus, Low-to-High threshold is 1.5VDC, High-to-Low is 1.4VDC, typical. Limited to TTL levels of 0.8VDC (max. LOW level) and 2.0VDC (min. HIGH level).

#### Input Resistance

5.6K ohms with standard factory pull-down resistors installed. 100K ohms without pull-downs.

Input Hysteresis

100mV DC, typical.

## Input Response Time

500ns for low-to-high, 2µS for high-to-low, typical. Microcontroller samples inputs as a group every 10mS.

## Discrete Outputs (905 & 906 models only)

#### **Output Type**

12 independent, open-source, MOSFET switches that operate as high-side switches.

#### **Output Voltage Range**

6 to 35V DC (0 to 250mA/channel continuous). External excitation voltage required.

#### **Output ON Resistance**

0.15 ohms maximum.

## Output Response Time

Outputs update within 50ms of a write command and switch within 5mS of receipt of command. Loopback response (906MB) is 1µS low-to high, 5µS high-to-low.

## General

#### I/O Pull-downs and Socket

5.6K ohm pull-down 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 Read Input 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	90mA maximum
24V DC	40mA maximum
24V AC	75mA rms maximum

#### Isolation

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

# Ordering Information

## Models

904MB-0900 Discrete input module

905MB-0900 Discrete output module

906MB-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. PS5R-VB24

Power supply (24V DC, 2.1A)



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



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# 900MB Series Technical Diagrams



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## 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-502

Optional terminal block kit, spring clamp style, 4 pcs. PS5R-VB24

Power supply (24V DC, 2.1A)



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



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# Accessories

# Model 4001-095 USB-to-Serial Adapter



## Simplifies configuration of Acromag I/O Modules + Enables configuration via USB port

## Description

This device is a USB-to-serial adapter that you can use to communicate with many Acromag I/O products for setup and re-configuration for your application.

## **Key Features & Benefits**

- Connects to I/O modules via USB (other adapters may be necessary)
- Complete RS232 control signals
- Conforms to USB Specification, Version 1.1
- USB-powered
- Cable length, 6 ft., UL approved

# Performance Specifications

USB Specification Version 1.1 Data rate Up to 115.2Kbps Environmental Standards RoHS-compliant Basic Power Consumption 150mA PC Requirements Windows® 7 and newer.

## **Ordering Information**

NOTE: For more information visit www.acromag.com.

## Adapters

<u>4001-095</u> USB to serial adapter. Includes driver CD and manual.

5030-913 Serial port adapter. DB9S connector to RJ11 jack. 5034-202

RS-485 to 3-wire cable converter and cable, DB-9M to 3 x 12AWG RS-485 cable, 8 ft.

### <u>5032-787</u>

RS-232 to 151T transmitter configuration device converter and cable, 6 ft.

#### <u>5034-214</u>

Non-isolated RS-232 to RS-485 Serial Port Converter, DB-9F to DB-9F.

# Cables

5030-902 Cable. 6 feet long with RJ11 plug at each end.



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IntelliPack 800x Series Adapter and Cable 9-PIN CONNECTOR (DB9S)