

Wiring Solutions using the ZIPLink Wiring System

ZIPLinks eliminate the normally tedious process of wiring between devices by utilizing prewired cables and DIN rail mount connector modules. It's as simple as plugging in a cable connector at either end or terminating wires at only one end. Prewired cables keep installation clean and efficient, using half the space at a fraction of the cost of standard terminal blocks. There are several wiring solutions available when using the ZIPLink System ranging from

PLC I/O-to-ZIPLink Connector Modules that are ready for field termination, options for connecting to third party devices, GS, DuraPulse and SureServo Drives, and specialty relay, transorb and communications modules. Pre-printed I/O-specific adhesive label strips for quick marking of ZIPLink modules are provided with ZIPLink cables. See the following solutions to help determine the best ZIPLink system for your application.

Solution 1: DirectLOGIC, CLICK and Productivity3000 I/O Modules to ZIPLink Connector Modules

When looking for quick and easy I/O-to-field termination, a ZIPLink connector module used in conjunction with a prewired ZIPLink cable, consisting of an I/O terminal block at one end and a multi-pin connector at the other end, is the best solution.



Using the PLC I/O Modules to ZIPLink Connector Modules selector tables located in this section,

1. Locate your I/O module/PLC.
2. Select a ZIPLink Module.
3. Select a corresponding ZIPLink Cable.

Solution 2: DirectLOGIC, CLICK and Productivity3000 I/O Modules to 3rd Party Devices

When wanting to connect I/O to another device within close proximity of the I/O modules, no extra terminal blocks are necessary when using the ZIPLink Pigtail Cables. ZIPLink Pigtail Cables are prewired to an I/O terminal block with color-coded pigtail with soldered-tip wires on the other end.



Using the I/O Modules to 3rd Party Devices selector tables located in this section,

1. Locate your PLC I/O module.
2. Select a ZIPLink Pigtail Cable that is compatible with your 3rd party device.

Solution 3: GS Series and DuraPulse Drives Communication Cables

Need to communicate via Modbus RTU to a drive or a network of drives?

ZIPLink cables are available in a wide range of configurations for connecting to PLCs and SureServo, SureStep, Stellar Soft Starter and AC drives. Add a ZIPLink communications module to quickly and easily set up a multi-device network.

Using the Drives Communication selector tables located in this section,

1. Locate your Drive and type of communications.
2. Select a ZIPLink cable and other associated hardware.



Solution 4: Serial Communications Cables

ZIPLink offers communications cables for use with *Direct*LOGIC, CLICK, and Productivity3000 CPUs, that can also be used with other communications devices. Connections include a 6-pin RJ12 or 9-pin, 15-pin and 25-pin D-sub connectors which can be used in conjunction with the RJ12 or D-Sub Feedthrough modules.

Using the **Serial Communications Cables** selector table located in this section,

1. Locate your connector type
2. Select a cable.



Solution 5: Specialty ZIPLink Modules

For additional application solutions, ZIPLink modules are available in a variety of configurations including stand-alone relays, 24VDC and 120VAC transorb modules, D-sub and RJ12 feedthrough modules, communication port adapter and distribution modules, and *SureServo* 50-pin I/O interface connection.

Using the **ZIPLink Specialty Modules** selector table located in this section,

1. Locate the type of application.
2. Select a ZIPLink module.



Solution 6: ZIPLink Connector Modules to 3rd Party Devices

If you need a way to connect your device to terminal blocks without all that wiring time, then our pigtail cables with color-coded soldered-tip wires are a good solution. Used in conjunction with any compatible ZIPLink Connector Modules, a pigtail cable keeps wiring clean and easy and reduces troubleshooting time.

Using the **Universal Connector Modules and Pigtail Cables** table located in this section,

1. Select module type.
2. Select the number of pins.
3. Select cable.



DL305 PLC Input Module ZIPLink Selector				
PLC		ZIPLink		
Input Module	# of Terms	Component	Module Part No.	Cable Part No.
D3-08ND2 ¹	10	See Note 1		
D3-16ND2-1	18	Feedthrough	ZL-RTB20	ZL-D3-CBL18*
D3-16ND2F	18	Feedthrough	ZL-RTB20	ZL-D3-CBL18*
D3-16ND3F	18	Feedthrough	ZL-RTB20	ZL-D3-CBL18*
D3-08NA-1 ¹	10	See Note 1		
D3-08NA-2 ¹	10	See Note 1		
D3-16NA	18	Feedthrough	ZL-RTB20	ZL-D3-CBL18*
D3-08NE3 ¹	10	See Note 1		
D3-16NE3	18	Feedthrough	ZL-RTB20	ZL-D3-CBL18*
		Sensor	ZL-LTB16-24	ZL-D3-CBL18*

DL305 PLC Analog Module ZIPLink Selector				
PLC		ZIPLink		
Analog Module	# of Terms	Component	Module	Cable
F3-04ADS	18	Feedthrough	ZL-RTB20	ZL-D3-CBL18*
F3-08AD-1	18	Feedthrough	ZL-RTB20	ZL-D3-CBL18*
F3-16AD	18	Feedthrough	ZL-RTB20	ZL-D3-CBL18*
F3-04DA-1	18	Feedthrough	ZL-RTB20	ZL-D3-CBL18*
F3-04DAS	18	Feedthrough	ZL-RTB20	ZL-D3-CBL18*
F3-08THM-J ³	T/C Wire Only	See Note 3		
F3-08THM-K ³	T/C Wire Only	See Note 3		



NOTE: ZIPLINK CONNECTOR MODULES SPECIFICATIONS FOLLOW THE COMPATIBILITY MATRIX TABLES. ZIPLINK CABLES SPECIFICATIONS ARE AT THE END OF THIS ZIPLINK SECTION.



DL305 PLC Output Module ZIPLink Selector				
PLC		ZIPLink		
Output Module	# of Terms	Component	Module Part No.	Cable Part No.
D3-04TD1 ¹	10	See Note 1		
D3-08TD1 ¹	10	See Note 1		
D3-08TD2 ¹	10	See Note 1		
D3-16TD1-1	18	Feedthrough	ZL-RTB20	ZL-D3-CBL18*
		Fuse	ZL-RFU20 ⁴	ZL-D3-CBL18*
		Relay (sinking)	ZL-RRL16-24-1	ZL-D3-CBL18*
D3-16TD2	18	Feedthrough	ZL-RTB20	ZL-D3-CBL18*
		Fuse	ZL-RFU20 ⁴	ZL-D3-CBL18*
		Relay (sourcing)	ZL-RRL16-24-2	ZL-D3-CBL18*
D3-04TAS ¹	10	See Note 1		
F3-08TAS-1	18	Feedthrough	ZL-RTB20	ZL-D3-CBL18*
D3-08TA-1	18	Feedthrough	ZL-RTB20	ZL-D3-CBL18*
D3-08TA-2 ¹	10	See Note 1		
F3-16TA-2	18	Feedthrough	ZL-RTB20	ZL-D3-CBL18*
		Fuse	ZL-RFU20 ⁴	ZL-D3-CBL18*
D3-16TA-2	18	Feedthrough	ZL-RTB20	ZL-D3-CBL18*
		Fuse	ZL-RFU20 ⁴	ZL-D3-CBL18*
D3-08TR ¹	10	See Note 1		
D3-16TR ²	18	Feedthrough	ZL-RTB20	ZL-D3-CBL18*
		Fuse	ZL-RFU20 ⁴	ZL-D3-CBL18*
F3-08TRS-1 ²	18	Feedthrough	ZL-RTB20	ZL-D3-CBL18*
F3-08TRS-2 ²	18	Feedthrough	ZL-RTB20	ZL-D3-CBL18*

* Select the cable length by replacing the * with: Blank = 0.5m, -1 = 1.0m, or -2 = 2.0m.

¹ These I/O modules have non-removable terminal blocks which can be terminated using the ZL-CBL24-1P or 2P pigtail cable and the ZL-RTB20 module of the ZIPLink wiring system.

² Caution: The D3-16TR, F3-08TRS-1 and F3-08TRS-2 relay outputs are derated not to exceed 2A per point and 4A per common when used with the ZIPLink wiring system.

³ The F3-08THM-J and F3-08THM-K modules are not supported by the ZIPLink wiring system.

⁴ Note: Fuses (5 x 20 mm) are not included. See Edison Electronic Fuse section for (5 x 20 mm) fuse. S500 and GMA electronic circuit protection for fast-acting maximum protection. S506 and GMC electronic circuit protection for time-delay performance. Ideal for inductive circuits.

To ensure proper operation, do not exceed the voltage and current rating of ZIPLink module. ZL-RFU20 = 2A per circuit; ZL-RFU40 = 400 mA per circuit.

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