



CONTROLLER8 Operational Description

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1. Overview

The CONTROLLER8 is an output module unit designed to work in conjunction with Sistematica S.p.A RTX family handheld remote controls. It's able to receive commands sent by the user through the remote control in order to switch its outputs on or off. The main feature of CONTROLLER8 are listed below:

- Operating supply voltage: 12-24 Vdc $\pm 10\%$
- Operating temperature: $-20 \div +70^{\circ}\text{C}$
- Current consumption: $< 50 \text{ mA}$ in stand-by status (no output active)
- Enclosure protection: IP66
- Number of output: up to 8
- Output technology: solid state high side power MOS-FET
- Maximum current available per output: 5 A
- Maximum total current available for all active output: 10 A
- Number of digital input: up to 1
- Plug-In main connector FCI-SICMA 24 Header pin (p.n. HCCPHPE24BKA90F)
- Front panel keyboard available
- Integrated antenna
- Operating frequency: 915 - 918 MHz
- Type of communication: bidirectional - half duplex
- RF Chipset: NORDIC nRF905 Transceiver





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2. Operational description

The CONTROLLER8 output module acts the commands received from the remote control switching its output on or off in accordance with the customer demand.

A pairing procedure allow the user to register its remote control as the unique device able to give commands to CONTROLLER8 which will save the unique id of the remote control in its memory.

A working session starts at the reception of the START command from the remote; before of this, each command with the aim of activate some CONTROLLER outputs will be ignored.

Each received command is validated and accepted verifying two conditions:

- Match the remote control unique ID saved during the pairing procedure with the one enclosed into the received command in order to be sure that the command is from the paired transmitter
- Check the integrity of the 32 bit CRC enclosed in the command packet

Once the command is validated with the two point above, it will be acknowledged by the CONTROLLER to the remote control with the transmission of an ACK frame.

The CONTROLLER 8 may be supplied with or without a keypad assembled on the front panel of the BOX. The purpose of the keyboard is to override the command from the handheld transmitter allowing the user to operate even if the handheld is not available for same reasons. The emergency keyboard is made through a matrix of push button. Matrix rows and columns are directly connected to connector J4 of the electronic board.