



Wiring Solutions

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 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 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.





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Solution 4: Serial Communications Cables

ZIPLink offers communications cables for use with DirectLOGIC, 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, RJ12 and RJ45 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.





PLC I/O Modules to ZIPLink Connector Modules - DL405

DL405 PLC Input Module ZIPLink Selector				
PLC	ZIPLink			
Input Module	# of Terms	Component	Module Part No.	Cable Part No.
D4-16ND2	20	See Note 3		
D4-16ND2F				
D4-32ND3-1²	40	Feedthrough	ZL-RTB40 (-1)	straight conn: ZL-D24-CBL40
		Sensor	ZL-LTB32-24-1	ZL-D24-CBL40-1
		Feedthrough	ZL-RTB40 (-1)	ZL-D24-CBL40-2
D4-64ND2^{1,2}		Sensor	ZL-LTB32-24-1	45 deg conn: ZL-D24-CBL40-X ZL-D24-CBL40-1X ZL-D24-CBL40-2X
D4-08NA	11	See Note 3		
D4-16NA	20			
D4-16NE3				

DL405 PLC Output Module ZIPLink Selector				
PLC	ZIPLink			
Output Module	# of Terms	Component	Module Part No.	Cable Part No.
D4-16TD1	20	See Note 3		
D4-16TD2				
D4-32TD1²	40	Feedthrough	Feedthrough ZL-RTB40 (-1) Fused ZL-RFU40⁴	straight conn: ZL-D24-CBL40
		Fuse		ZL-D24-CBL40-1
D4-32TD2²		Feedthrough		ZL-D24-CBL40-2
		Fuse		
D4-64TD1^{1,2}		Feedthrough		45 deg conn: ZL-D24-CBL40-X ZL-D24-CBL40-1X ZL-D24-CBL40-2X
		Fuse		
D4-08TA	11	See Note 3		
D4-16TA	20			
D4-08TR	11			
F4-08TRS-1	20			
F4-08TRS-2				
D4-16TR				

DL405 PLC Analog Module ZIPLink Selector				
PLC	ZIPLink			
Analog Module	# of Terms	Component	Module	Cable
F4-04AD	20	See Note 3		
F4-04ADS				
F4-08AD				
F4-16AD-1				
F4-16AD-2				
F4-04DA-1				
F4-04DA-2				
F4-08DA-1				
F4-16DA-1				
F4-08DA-2				
F4-16DA-2				
F4-04DAS-1				
F4-08THM				
F4-08THM-n	Matched Only			
F4-08RTD				

Tables Footnotes:

- The [D4-64ND2](#) and [D4-64TD1](#) modules have two 32-point connectors and require two ZIPLink cables and two ZIPLink connector modules.
- To make a custom cable for the 32 or 64-point modules, use: Ribbon-style Connector [ZL-D24-CON-R](#), Solder-style 180° connector [ZL-D24-CON](#) or Solder-style 45° connector [ZL-D24-CON-X](#)
- These modules are not supported by the ZIPLink wiring system.
- 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.



Note: ZIPLink Connector Module specifications follow the Compatibility Matrix tables in the ZIPLink section.