General Specifications		
0° to 60°C (32° to 140°F)		
-20° to 85°C (-4° to 185°F)		
5 to 95% (non-condensing)		
No corrosive gases permitted		
IEC60068-2-6 (Test Fc)		
IEC60068-2-27 (Test Ea)		
Open Equipment		
UL61010-2 - UL File # E185989 Canada and USA		
CE Compliant EN61131-2*		
NEMA ICS3-304		
See the "EU Directive" topic in the Help File		
295g (10.4 oz)		

*Meets EMC and Safety requirements. See the D.O.C. for details.

ations
12–24 VDC
10–36 VDC
<± 10%
30W
5A, 2ms
5A, 2ms
Reverse Polarity Protection and Undervoltage
3.2W Max
1500VAC Power Inputs to Ground applied for 1 minute

*Class 2 or LPS Power Supply required.

CPU Specifications		
Program Memory Type	FLASH memory	
User Data Memory Type	Battery Backed RAM, User configurable	
Pluggable Option Module	RS-232, RS-485, Ethernet 10/100 BASE-T (1Mbps throughput max), USB 2.0 Type B	
Expansion Modules	8 expansion modules max	
Real Time Clock Accuracy	±2.6s per day typical at 25°C ±8s per day max at 60°C	
Programming Software	Do-more Designer – Ver. 2.0 or higher	
Programming Cable Options	BX-PGM-CBL	
Custom Label Window Size	0.75" x 2.25" (19mm x 57.2mm)	

Terminal Block Connection Options		
BX-RTB18	Terminal Block Kit, 90-degree screw type, Fits all BRX 18-point PLCs. Kit includes (3) 5-pin 5mm plugs, (2) 6-pin 5mm plugs, (1) 3-pin 5mm plugs.	
BX-RTB18-1	Terminal Block Kit, 180-degree spring clamp type, Fits all BRX 18-point PLCs. Kit includes (3) 5-pin 5mm plugs, (2) 6-pin 5mm plugs, (1) 3-pin 5mm plugs.	
ZL-BX-CBL15	ZIP Link PLC I/O cable, 15-position terminal block to 24-pin connector, 24AWG. 0.5 meter (1.6 ft.) length, 2 required.	
ZL-BX-CBL15-1	ZIP Link PLC I/O cable, 15-position terminal block to 24-pin connector, 24AWG. 1 meter (3.3 ft.) length, 2 required.	
ZL-BX-CBL15-2	ZIP Link PLC I/O cable, 15-position terminal block to 24-pin connector, 24AWG. 2 meter (6.6 ft.) length, 2 required.	
ZL-BX-CBL15-1P	ZIP Link PLC I/O cable, 15-position terminal block to pigtail connection, 24AWG. 1 meter (3.3 ft.) length, 2 required.	
ZL-BX-CBL15-2P	ZIP Link PLC I/O cable, 15-position terminal block to pigtail connection, 24AWG. 2 meter (6.6 ft.) length, 2 required.	
ZL-RTB20	ZIP Link Two-Level Feedthrough Module. 20 pole, 35mm DIN mount, 2 required.	
ZL-RTB20-1	ZIP Link Three-Level Feedthrough Module. 20 pole, 35mm DIN mount, 2 required.	

Dimensional Informat	ion
	↓ 4.69" [119.1m] ↓ 1.78" [45.3mr] ↓ 1.170 ↓ 1.170 ↓ 1.170

Mounting Restrictions



4.25" [107.9mm"]

—Ø #8 Thru all (3 Places)

Terminal Bl	ock Conne	ctor Specifi	cations
Part Number	BX-RTB03S	BX-RTB18	BX-RTB18-1
Connector Type	Screw Type-90°	Screw Type-90°	Spring Clamp Type-180°
Wire Exit	180°	180°	180°
Pitch	3.5mm	5.0mm	5.0mm
Screw Size	M2	M2.5	N/A
Recommended Screw torque	<1.77 lb∙in (0.2 N∙m)	< 3.98 lb∙in (0.45 N⋅m)	N/A
Screwdriver Blade Width	2.5mm	3.5mm	3.5mm
Wire Gauge (Single Wire)	28-16 AWG	28-12 AWG	28-14 AWG
Wire Gauge (Dual Wire)	28-16 AWG	28-16 AWG	28-16 AWG (Dual Wire Ferrule Required)
Wire Strip Length	0.24in (6mm)	0.3in (7.5mm)	0.37in (9.5mm)
Equiv. Dinkle part #	EC350V-03P-BK	5ESDV-0nP-BK*	5ESDSR-0nP-BK*
*NOTE: n=(3) 3-terminal, (5) 5-terminal, or (6) for 6-terminal			

CPU Status Indicators		
Indicator	Status	Description
	OFF	Base Power OFF
PWR	Green	Base Power ON
Yellow	Yellow	Low Battery
	OFF	CPU is in STOP Mode
	Green	CPU is in RUN Mode
	Yellow	Forces are Active
	OFF	No ROM Activity, No SD Card
MFM	Yellow	ROM Activity (Flash or SD Card)
	Green	SD Card Installed and Mounted
Re	Red	SD Card Installed and Not Mounted
ERR	OFF	CPU is functioning normally
Red	Red	CPU Fatal Hardware Error or Software Watchdog Error

Built-in RS-232/4	185 Port Specifications
Port Name	RS-232/RS-485 Serial Port
Description*	Non-isolated serial port that can communicate via RS-232 or RS-485 (software selectable). Includes ESD protection and built-in surge protection.
Supported Protocols	Do-more Protocol (Default) Modbus RTU (Master & Slave) K-Sequence (Slave) ASCII (In & Out)
Data Rates	1200, 2400, 4800, 9600, 19200, 38400, 57600, and 115200
Default Settings	RS-232, 115200 bps, No Parity, 8 Data Bits, 1 Stop Bit, Station #1
Port Type	3-pin terminal strip 3.5mm pitch
Port Status LED	Green LED is illuminated when active for TXD and RXD
RS-485 Station Addresses	1-247
Cable Recommendations	RS-232 use L19772-XXX from AutomationDirect.com
	RS-485 use L19827-XXX from AutomationDirect.com
Replacement Connector	ADC Part # BX-RTB03S



Removable connector included.

* NOTE: When using RS-485, a terminator resistor is built-in and software selectable.

CPU Mode Switch Functions		
RUN position	CPU is forced into RUN Mode if no errors are encountered.	
TERM position	RUN, PROGRAM and DEBUG modes are available. In this position, the mode of operation can be changed through the Do-more Designer Software.	
STOP position	CPU is forced into STOP Mode.	

Built-in Ethern	et Specif	ications	
Port Name	ETHERNET		
Description	Standard transformer isolated Ethernet port with built-in surge protection.		
Transfer Rate	10Mbps (Yellow	(LED) and 100Mbps (Green LED)	
Port Status LED		LED is solid when network LINK is established. LED flashes when port is active (ACT).	
Supported Protocols	Do-more! Protocol Ethernet Remote I/O Modbus TCP/IP (Client & Server) EtherNet/IP (Explicit & Implicit, Scanner & Adapter) HOST ECOM (DirectLogic), HTTP SMTP (Email), SNTP (Time Server) TCP/IP, UDP/IP (Raw packet) MQTT		
Cable Recommendation	C5E-STxxx-xx from AutomationDirect.com		
Port Type	RJ45, Category 5, 10/100 BASE-T, Auto Crossover		
Ethernet Port Numbers: MODBUS TCP/IP EtherNet/IP HOST ECOM Do-more Protocol		502, TCP 44818, TCP 28784, UDP 28784, UDP	

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BX-DM1E-18ER3-D BRX MPU with Do-more! DM1 technology

24 VDC required, serial port, Ethernet port, microSD slot, Discrete Input: 10-point, sink / source, Analog Input: 1-channel, current / voltage, Discrete Output: 8-point, relay, Analog Output: 1-channel, current / voltage.

I/O Terminal Blocks sold separately.

(See Terminal Diock	Connection Options tac	<i>ic)</i> .
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Hot-Swapping Information

Note: This device cannot be Hot Swapped.

Terminal and Front Panel Layout



Discrete Input Specifications		
Input Type	Sink/Source	
Total Inputs per Module	10 High Speed – All inputs may be used as standard inputs	
Commons	2 (5 points/common) Isolated	
Nominal Voltage Rating	12–24 VAC/DC	
Input Voltage Range	9–30 VAC/DC	
Maximum Voltage	30 VAC/DC	
DC Frequency	0–250kHz - High Speed	
Minimum Pulse Width	0.5 μs - High Speed	
AC Frequency	47–63 Hz (60–240Hz filter must be set in software for AC operation)	
Input Impedance	3kΩ @ 24VDC	
Input Current (typical)	6mA @ 24 VAC/DC	
Maximum Input Current	12mA @ 30 VAC/DC	
Maximum OFF Current	2.0 mA	
ON Voltage Level	> 9.0 VAC/VDC	
OFF Voltage Level	< 2.0 VAC/VDC	
Status Indicators	Logic Side, Green	

Analog Input Specifications			
Inputs per Module	1		
Input Voltage Range*	Software Selectable ±10V, ±5V, 0-10V, 0-5V		
Input Current Range*	Software Selectable ±20mA, 4-20 mA		
Resolution	16 bit @ ± 10V, ± 20mA		
Conversion Time	1.2 ms		
Input Impedance Voltage Modes	100kΩ		
Input Impedance Current Modes	249Ω		
+0.0			

*Software selectable per channel.

Discrete Output Specifications		
Output Type	Relay Form A (SPST)	
Total Outputs per Module	8 Relay	
Commons	2 (4 points/common) Isolated	
Maximum current per common	8A	
Nominal Voltage Ratings	12–48 VDC, 24–240 VAC	
Operating Voltage Range	5–60 VDC, 5–264 VAC	
Maximum Voltage	60VDC, 264VAC	
Minimum Output Current	0.1mA @ 24VAC/DC	
Maximum Output Current	2A	
Maximum Leakage Current	1µA (DC), 300µA (AC) due to RC snubber	
Maximum Switching Frequency	10Hz	
Status Indicators	Logic Side, Green	

Analog	Current	Sinking	Input	Circuits
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*NOTE: An Edison S500-32-R 0.032A fast-acting fuse is recommended for all analog voltage inputs, analog outputs, and current loops.

Input Function	Inputs Required ¹		10/ 10E	18/ 18E	36/ 36E
High-Speed Counting Position Scaling Frequency Measurement	1	Up counters			
	1	Down counters			
	2	Up/Down counters			
	2	Pulse/Direction (Bidirectional) counters	Up to (3)		
	2	Quadrature (A and B) counters			
	3	Quadrature (A and B with Z) counters			
Interval Measurement	1	Single Input (Edge) timers			
	2	Dual Input (Dual Edge) timers			
Duration Measurement	1	Single Input (Edge) timers			
Table-Driven Output(s) ²		Programmable limit switches			
		Preset tables			
Interrupt(s)	4	Input interrupts	(Up to ((4)
	0	Timer interrupts			
	0	Match register interrupts]		

1. Standard inputs may be used with high-speed functions, but at lower response frequencies of approximately 120Hz.

Table Driven Output(s) are triggered by an Axis Position or a high-speed counter/timer accumu-lator value. It requires the selection of 1 discrete output. (see HSO Note 1 below)

Analog Output Specifications			
Outputs per Module	1		
Output Voltage Range*	Software Selectable ±10V, ±5V, 0-10V, 0-5V		
Minimum Voltage Load Impedance	1kΩ		
Output Current Range*	Software Selectable ±20mA, 4-20 mA		
Maximum Current Load Impedance	500Ω		
Settling Time	< 1ms		
Resolution	16 bit @ ± 10V, ± 20mA		

*Software selectable per channel.

Analog Output Wiring

Current Source Output





Analog Voltage Input Circuits

3-Wire Transmitter



I/O Wiring

Discrete Input Wiring



Sourcing Input





Discrete **Output Wiring**

24 VDC User

Supplied Power





