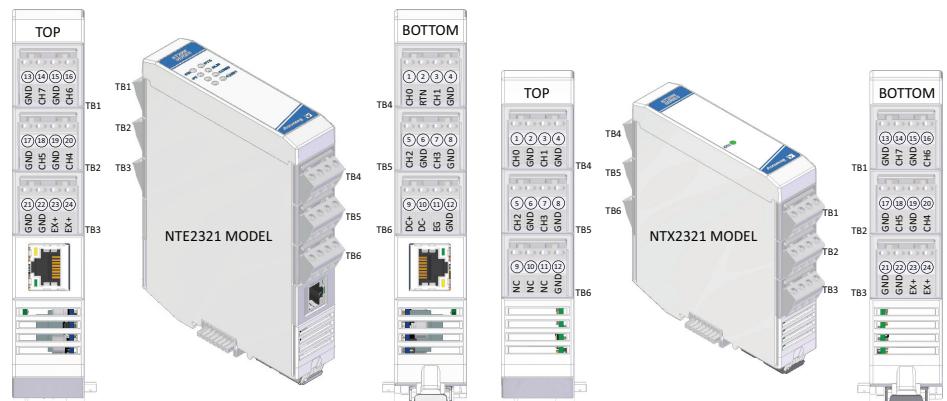




# Ethernet I/O: BusWorks® NT Series

## NT2320 Ethernet Analog Output Modules



8 process voltage outputs ◆ Ethernet I/O plus Expansion I/O ◆ Multi-protocol support

The BusWorks® NT2000 series offers a cost-effective, modular solution for Ethernet remote I/O systems. Two module types are available. NTE Ethernet models provide the protocol interface plus I/O signal processing channels. NTX expansion modules add extra I/O channels when mated to any NTE Ethernet communication module.

NT2320 modules offer 8 voltage outputs. Each output is driven by a 16-bit DAC. NTE Ethernet models provide a compact network interface to control voltage signal levels. Appending NTX expansion models can interface up to 32 voltage outputs at a single IP address.

Applications include controlling analog actuator levels and driving recorders, displays, or other process instruments. Voltage outputs can control generator power, drive speed, or valve positioning.

An isolated RS-485 bus links up to three expansion modules to the Ethernet module with connectors that join along the DIN rail. This internal NT bus distributes power and communication between the modules. Users can mix analog, temperature, and discrete I/O modules across the NT bus.

Acromag's i2o® messaging technology allows direct peer-to-peer or multicast communication between remote modules without a master controller.

The screenshot shows the Acromag I/O Config software interface. The main menu bar includes Network, I/O Config, Counters, P2P, Multicast, Calibration, Diagnostics, and Utility. The I/O Config tab is selected. The sub-menu for I/O Config shows 'Slot 0: Analog Voltage Out Board'. The configuration screen displays various parameters for Channel 1, including Current Range (±10V), Current Watchdog Timeout (0 ms), Output Auto Refresh (Off), Change Range (±10V), Change Watchdog Timeout (5000 ms), Change Output Auto Refresh (Off), and Change Slot 0 Configuration button.

Easily configure I/O modules using any web browser.

## Key Features & Benefits

- Configured over Ethernet with web browser
- Expandable I/O capacity, up to 56 I/O channels of mixed signal types at one IP address
- Field-selectable Modbus TCP/IP, EtherNet/IP, or \*Profinet communication
- i2o peer-to-peer or multicast communication
- Dual RJ45 ports enable daisy chain topology
- Eight voltage outputs with 16-bit D/A resolution
- Selectable ±5V, ±10V, 0-5V, 0-10V output range
- LED status indicators for visual troubleshooting
- \*OPC-UA, \*MQTT and \*RESTful API IIoT support
- Conditional logic for rule-based I/O operation
- Advanced \*alarm and \*data logging functions
- 1500V isolation between I/O, network, and power
- Thin 25mm housing with pluggable terminals
- Wide temperature operation (-40 to 70°C)
- CE compliant. Hazardous approvals pending.

\* Coming soon. Consult factory for availability.



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### Performance Specifications

#### ■ Ethernet Interface (NTE models only)

##### Communication

Configurable for Modbus TCP/IP and EtherNet/IP. Profinet support coming soon.

10/100Mbps data rate, auto-sensing.

##### IP Address

Default 192.168.0.10. Configurable static IP or DHCP.

#### ■ Analog Outputs

##### D/A Converter

Eight DC voltage outputs driven by individual D/A converters. Outputs share a return.

##### Output Voltage Ranges

Select  $\pm$ 10V,  $\pm$ 5V, 0-10V, or 0-5V.

##### Output Accuracy

Factory calibrated to better than  $\pm$ 0.1% of span. Manual calibration of voltage outputs can improve accuracy to better than  $\pm$ 0.05%.

##### Output Temperature Drift

Better than  $\pm$ 50ppm/ $^{\circ}$ C ( $\pm$ 0.0050%/ $^{\circ}$ C).

##### Output Excitation

Required for output operation 0.8W max.

##### Output Update Rate

Outputs update when written and are continuously refreshed every 5 seconds.

#### ■ General I/O

##### Input Update/Conversion Rate

Fresh data available to the network every 10ms. Dependent on number of samples with averaging.

##### Response Time from an Ethernet command

Less than 5ms, typical.

#### ■ Environmental and Physical

##### Temperature and Humidity

Operating: -40 to  $+70^{\circ}$ C (-40 to  $+158^{\circ}$ F).

Storage: -40 to  $+85^{\circ}$ C (-40 to  $+185^{\circ}$ F).

Relative Humidity: 5 to 95%, non-condensing.

##### Isolation

1500V AC for 60 seconds and 250V AC or 354V DC continuous between I/O channels (group), each network port and power circuits.

##### Power Supply

10-32V DC SELV power wired to NTE model only.

Power to NTX models is via NT bus connection.

Excitation Voltage: +12V DC to +24V DC

##### Power Consumption

NTE2321: 1.23 W typical, 1.35 maximum.

NTX2321: 1.44 W typical, 1.54 W maximum.

##### Dimensions (width x height x depth)

NTE: 25 x 116.9 x 139.2 mm (0.98 x 4.6 x 5.48 inches).

NTX: 25 x 116.9 x 116.65 mm (0.98 x 4.6 x 4.59 inches).

##### Weight

NTE: 0.5 lbs (0.23 kg).

NTX: 0.3 lbs (0.14 kg).

#### ■ Standards and Certifications

##### Electromagnetic Compatibility (EMC)

CE marked, per EMC Directive 2004/108/EC.

##### Safety Approvals

Hazardous approvals pending.

### Ordering Information

#### ■ Models

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NTE2321-1111

Ethernet I/O module with dual RJ45 ports, 8 voltage outputs.

NTX2321-0011

Expansion I/O module with 8 voltage outputs.

#### ■ Accessories

5035-369

5035-370

Ethernet patch cable, low EMI, double-shielded. 3 feet (5035-369) or 15 feet (5035-370).

PS5R-VB24

Power supply, 24V DC, 15W output.

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