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## USER GUIDE

### ARDBOX FAMILY





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## Ardbox User Guide:

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## COMPACT PLC.



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A compact PLC based in Open Source Hardware technology. With different Input/Outputs Units.

Supply Voltage

24 Vcc

Compact

DIN rail mounting



Safety

Industrial communications

I/Os

Digital  
Analog  
Relay

## COMPACT PLC ARDUINO 24Vcc ARDBOX

MODEL TYPE	PNP	TCH	Relay	ANALOG
<b>Input Voltage</b>			24Vcc	
<b>I max.</b>			0,5A	
<b>Size</b>			100x45x115	
<b>Clock Speed</b>			16MHz	
<b>Flash Memory</b>			32KB of which 0,5KB used by bootloader	
<b>SRAM</b>			2KB	
<b>EEPROM</b>			1KB	
<b>Comunicaciones</b>			I2C hasta 127 elementos. – Puerto Serie RS-232 (1)	
<b>TOTAL Input points</b>	6	10	8 (+2)	10
<b>TOTAL Output points</b>	14	10	8 (+2)	10
<b>Type of signals</b>				
<b>Input/Output configurable (5Vcc)</b>	-	-	2	-
<b>* Analog Input 10bit (0-10Vcc)</b>	6	6	6	9
<b>* Digital Input (24Vcc)</b>	6	<b>10</b>	-	<b>10</b>
<b>* Interrupt Input HS (24Vcc)</b>	-	2	2 (5Vcc) I/O's configurable	1
<b>* Analog Output (0-10Vcc)</b>	-	-	-	6
<b>* Digital Output (24Vcc)</b>	14	<b>8</b>	-	<b>10</b>
<b>* PWM Output 8bit (24Vcc)</b>	-	-	-	6
<b>* Relay (220Vac - 5A)</b>	-	2	8	-
<b>Expandability</b>	I2C - 127 elements		- Serial Port RS-232	
<b>Reference</b>	IS.AB20PNP.base	IS.AB20TCH.base	IS.AB18REL.base	IS.AB20AN.base
<b>* By using this type of signal can no longer use Digital signal (24Vcc)</b> You must to read product Datasheet. (1) With previous request. <b>IMPORTANT</b>				



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## ARDBOX PNP GUIDE

Ref. IS.AB20PNP.base

Número de elementos	Entrada / salida	Tipo de señal	Voltaje trabajo	Pines Arduino
14	Out	Digital	24 Vcc	0,1,2,3,4,5,6 ,7,8,9,10,11, 12,13
6	In	Analog/ digital	0-10Vcc (10 bits: 0-1023) 24Vcc	A0-A5 * 10 Bits: 0- 1023
* Configuration by software				

**6 Inputs:**

- **(6x)** Semi-analog (0-10Vcc) / Digital (24Vcc) Inputs, configurable by software  
You need recalibrate your analog values.

**14 Outputs:**

- **(14x)** Digitals (24Vcc)

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### CPU Characteristics

<b>Microcontroller</b>	ATmega328
<b>Flash Memory</b>	32 KB of which 0,5 KB used by bootloader
<b>SRAM</b>	2 KB
<b>EEROM</b>	1 KB
<b>Clock Speed</b>	16 MHz

### Communication Characteristics

Comunicaciones Serial	0 RX 1 TC	Not Active
External interrupts	2,3 AttachInterrupt()	Not Active, Only
SPI Communication	10 SPI 11 MOSI 12 MISO 13 SCK	Not Active
TWI Communication / Wire library I2C	A4 TWI A5 SCL	Not Active

You need Arduino IDE for programming these PLCs

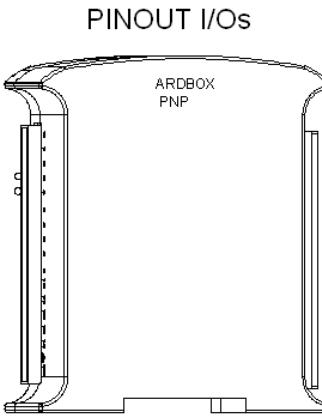


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# PINOUT:

Type of signal:	I <sub>max</sub>
Out: Digital 24Vcc	I <sub>max</sub> : 80mA
Input:  It have internal resistance: 24Vcc 0-10Vcc	

- 0 - Digital (24Vcc) Output (Arduino PIN0)
- 1 - Digital (24Vcc) Output (Arduino PIN1)
- 2 - Digital (24Vcc) Output (Arduino PIN2)
- 3 - Digital (24Vcc) Output (Arduino PIN3)
- 4 - Digital (24Vcc) Output (Arduino PIN4)
- 5 - Digital (24Vcc) Output (Arduino PIN5)
- 6 - Digital (24Vcc) Output (Arduino PIN6)
- 7 - Digital (24Vcc) Output (Arduino PIN7)
- 8 - Digital (24Vcc) Output (Arduino PIN8)
- 9 - Digital (24Vcc) Output (Arduino PIN9)
- 10 - Digital (24Vcc) Output (Arduino PIN10)
- 11 - Digital (24Vcc) Output (Arduino PIN11)
- 12 - Digital (24Vcc) Output (Arduino PIN12)
- 13 - Digital (24Vcc) Output (Arduino PIN13)
- 14 - GND
- 15 - GND
- 16 - GND
- 17 - GND
- 18 - GND
- 19 - GND
- 20 - GND
- 21 - GND
- 22 - GND
- 23 - GND
- 24 - GND



## Configuration about I<sub>2</sub>C Communication

You only can put ON one of this option for each PIN.  
?If not this PIN doesn't work!

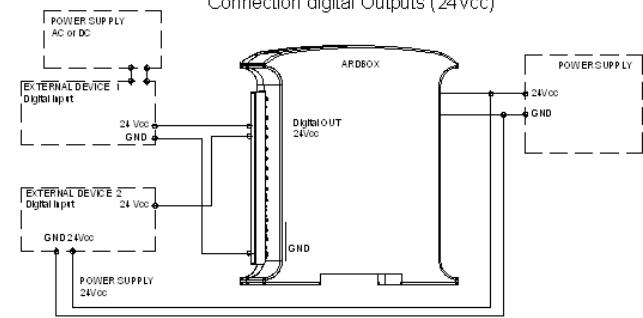
When Position 3 and 1 are ON and Position 2 and 4 are OFF you can use I<sub>2</sub>C communication with RJ11 Connector.

Digital Output 24Vcc	Digital Output 24Vcc
off	on
4	3
3	2
SWITCH	1
PIN2	PIN3
GND	GND
5: NC	6: 5Vcc
4: GND	5: NC
3: SCL	4: GND
2: SDA	3: SCL
1: NC	2: SDA

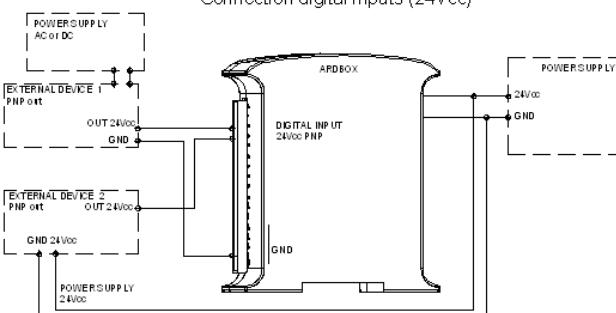
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- 2 : SDA
- 3 : SCL
- 4 : GND
- 5 : NC
- 6 : 5Vcc

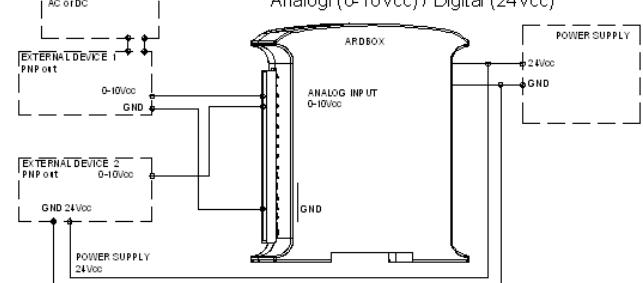
## Connection digital Outputs (24Vcc)



## Connection digital Inputs (24Vcc)



## Connection Inputs: Analog (0-10Vcc) / Digital (24Vcc)





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## ARDBOX TCH GUIDE

Ref. IS.AB20TCH.base

Numero de elementos	Entrada / salida	Tipo de señal	Voltaje trabajo	Pines Arduino
10	Out	Digital	24 Vcc	4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11
	Out	Relay	(220Vac - 5A)	12,13
10	In	Analog/ digital	0-10Vcc (10 bits: 0-1023) 24Vcc	A0-A5 * 10 Bits: 0- 1023
	In	Digital	24Vcc	0,1,2,3
* Configuration by software				

**10 Inputs:**

- (6x) Semi-analog (0-10Vcc)  
/ Digital (24Vcc) Inputs,  
configurable by software  
You need recalibrate your  
analog values.

- (4x) Digital (24Vcc) Inputs

**10 Outputs:**

- (8x) Digitals (24Vcc)

- (2x) Relay (220Vac-5A)

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communications**CPU Characteristics****Communication Characteristics**

<b>Microcontroller</b>	ATmega328
<b>Flash Memory</b>	32 KB of which 0,5 KB used by bootloader
<b>SRAM</b>	2 KB
<b>EEPROM</b>	1 KB
<b>Clock Speed</b>	16 MHz

Comunicaciones Serial	0 RX 1 TC	Not Active
External interrupts	2,3 AttachInterrupt()	Not Active, Only
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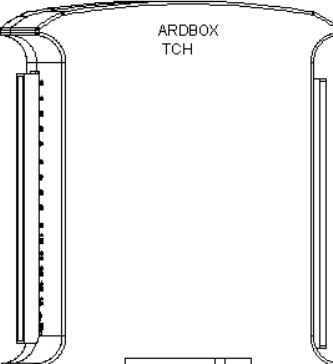
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programming these PLCs



# PINOUT:

Type of signal:	I <sub>max</sub>
Out: Digital 24Vcc	I <sub>max</sub> : 80mA
Input:	It have internal resistance: 24Vcc 0-10Vcc
Relay output	220Vac – 5A

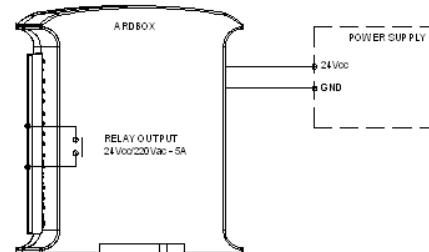
- 0 - Digital (24Vcc) input (Arduino PIN:0)  
 1 - Digital (24Vcc) input (Arduino PIN:1)  
 2 - Digital (24Vcc) input (Arduino PIN:2)  
 3 - Digital (24Vcc) input (Arduino PIN:3)  
 4 - Digital (24Vcc) Output (Arduino PIN:4)  
 5 - Digital (24Vcc) Output (Arduino PIN:5)  
 6 - Digital (24Vcc) Output (Arduino PIN:6)  
 7 - Digital (24Vcc) Output (Arduino PIN:7)  
 8 - Digital (24Vcc) Output (Arduino PIN:8)  
 9 - Digital (24Vcc) Output (Arduino PIN:9)  
 10 - Digital (24Vcc) Output (Arduino PIN:10)  
 11 - Digital (24Vcc) Output (Arduino PIN:11)  
 12 - GND  
 13 - GND  
 14 - GND  
 GND  
 24Vcc



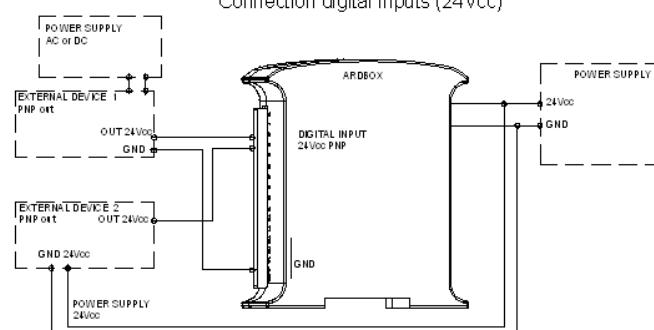
- A-NC  
 0 - Digital Input (24Vcc) / Analog Input (0-10Vcc) (Arduino A0)  
 1 - Digital Input (24Vcc) / Analog Input (0-10Vcc) (Arduino A1)  
 2 - Digital Input (24Vcc) / Analog Input (0-10Vcc) (Arduino A2)  
 3 - Digital Input (24Vcc) / Analog Input (0-10Vcc) (Arduino A3)  
 4 - Digital Input (24Vcc) / Analog Input (0-10Vcc) (Arduino A4)  
 5 - Digital Input (24Vcc) / Analog Input (0-10Vcc) (Arduino A5)  
 6 - GND  
 7 - GND  
 8 - GND  
 9 - GND  
 10 - GND  
 11 - GND  
 12 - Pin A of Relay 1 (Arduino PIN 12)  
 13 - Pin B of Relay 1 (Arduino PIN 12)  
 14 - Pin A of Relay 2 (Arduino PIN 13)  
 15 - Pin B of Relay 2 (Arduino PIN 13)

Communication connector  
 RJ11 Pinout:  
 1: NC  
 2: SDA  
 3: SCL  
 4: GND  
 5: NC  
 6: 5Vcc

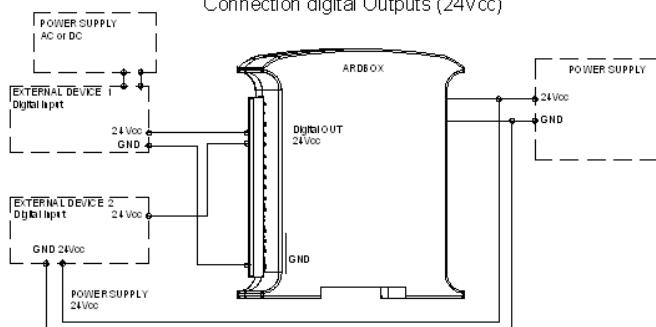
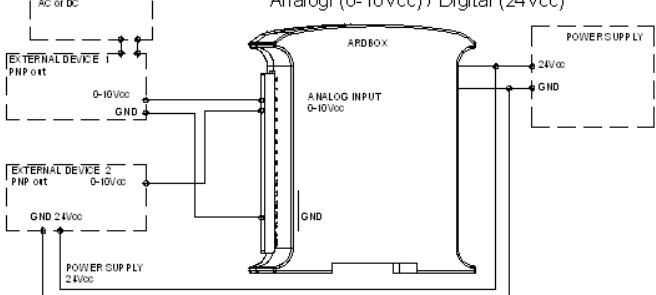
Connection Relay Output



Connection digital Inputs (24Vcc)



Connection digital Outputs (24Vcc)

Connection Inputs:  
Analogl (0-10Vcc) / Digital (24Vcc)



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## ARDBOX ANALOG GUIDE

Ref.IS.AB20AN.base

Numero de elementos	Entrada / salida	Tipo de señal	Voltaje trabajo	Pines Arduino
10	Out	Analog / PWM/ digital	0-10 Vcc / 24Vcc (0-254)	3,5,6,9,10,1 1, 13 8 Bits:0-254
	Out	Digital	24Vcc	0,1,7
10	In	Analog/ digital	0-10Vcc (10 bits: 0-1023) 24Vcc	A0-A5 * 10 Bits: 0-1023 4,8,12 8 Bits:0-254
	In	Digital	24Vcc	2

\* Configuración por software y hardware (jumpers)

### 10 Inputs:

- (9x) Analog (0-10Vcc) / Digital (24Vcc) Inputs, configurable by jumpers<sup>1</sup>
- (1x) Digital inputs PNP (24Vcc).

### 10 Outputs:

- (4x) Digitals (24Vcc) / Analog (0-10Vcc) / PWM (24Vcc).
- (3x) Analog (0-10Vcc)
- (3x) Digitals (24Vcc)

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### CPU Characteristics

<b>Microcontroller</b>	ATmega328
<b>Flash Memory</b>	32 KB of which 0,5 KB used by bootloader
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<b>Clock Speed</b>	16 MHz

### Communication Characteristics

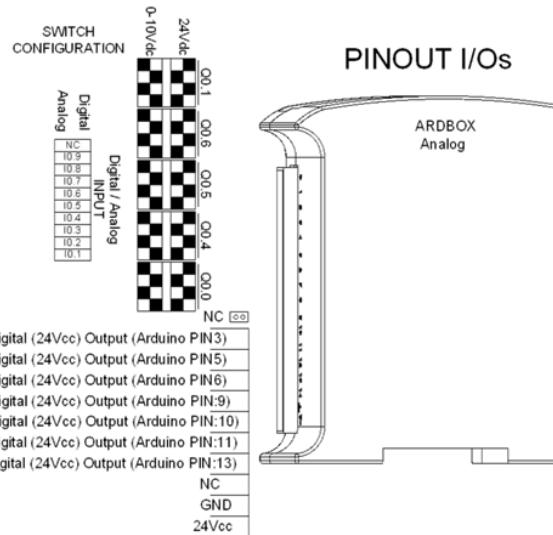
Comunicaciones Serial	0 RX 1 TC	Not Active
External interrupts	2,3 AttachInterrupt()	Not Active, Only Pin 2
SPI Communication	10 SPI 11 MOSI 12 MISO 13 SCK	Not Active
TWI Comunication / Wire library I2C	A4 TWI A5 SCL	Not Active

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# PINOUT:

Type of signal:	I <sub>max</sub>
OUT: Analog 0-10Vcc / PWM / Digital 24Vcc	I <sub>max</sub> : 12mA (24Vcc) 30mA (10Vcc)
Out: Digital 24Vcc	I <sub>max</sub> : 80mA
Input:	It have internal resistance: 24Vcc 0-10Vcc



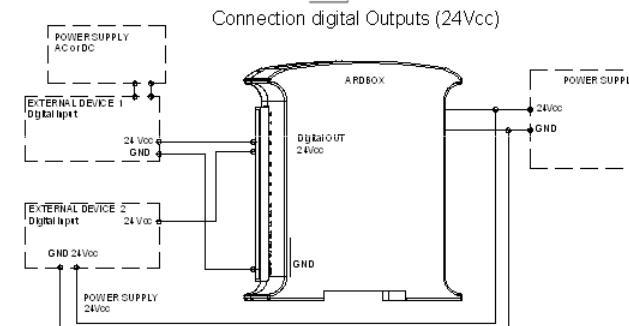
**Communication connector**  
RJ11 Pinout:  
1 : NC  
2 : SDA  
3 : SCL  
4 : GND  
5 : NC  
6 : 5Vcc

- Q0.6 - Analog (0-10Vcc) / PWM/ Digital (24Vcc) Output (Arduino PIN3)  
 Q0.5 - Analog (0-10Vcc) / PWM/ Digital (24Vcc) Output (Arduino PIN5)  
 Q0.4 - Analog (0-10Vcc) / Digital (24Vcc) Output (Arduino PIN6)  
 Q0.3 - Analog (0-10Vcc) / PWM/ Digital (24Vcc) Output (Arduino PIN:9)  
 Q0.2 - Analog (0-10Vcc) / PWM/ Digital (24Vcc) Output (Arduino PIN:10)  
 Q0.1 - Analog (0-10Vcc) / PWM/ Digital (24Vcc) Output (Arduino PIN:11)  
 Q0.0 - Analog (0-10Vcc) / PWM/ Digital (24Vcc) Output (Arduino PIN:13)

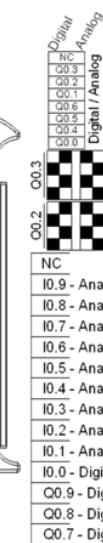
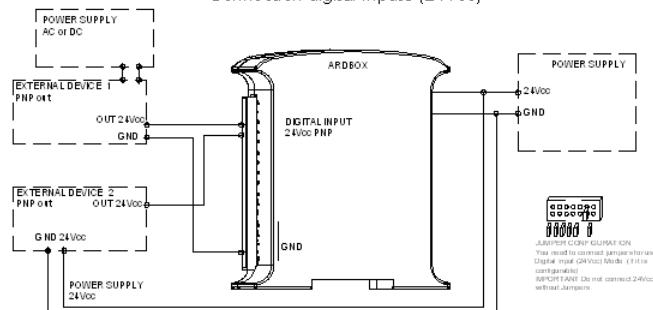
NC

GND

24Vcc



Connection digital Inputs (24Vcc)



NC

I0.9 - Analog (0-10Vcc) / Digital (24Vcc) Input (Arduino PIN:A0)

I0.8 - Analog (0-10Vcc) / Digital (24Vcc) Input (Arduino PIN:A1)

I0.7 - Analog (0-10Vcc) / Digital (24Vcc) Input (Arduino PIN:A2)

I0.6 - Analog (0-10Vcc) / Digital (24Vcc) Input (Arduino PIN:A3)

I0.5 - Analog (0-10Vcc) / Digital (24Vcc) Input (Arduino PIN:A4)

I0.4 - Analog (0-10Vcc) / Digital (24Vcc) Input (Arduino PIN:A5)

I0.3 - Analog (0-10Vcc) / Digital (24Vcc) Input (Arduino PIN:4)

I0.2 - Analog (0-10Vcc) / Digital (24Vcc) Input (Arduino PIN:8)

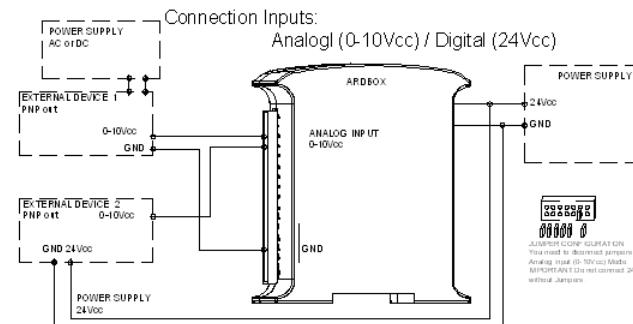
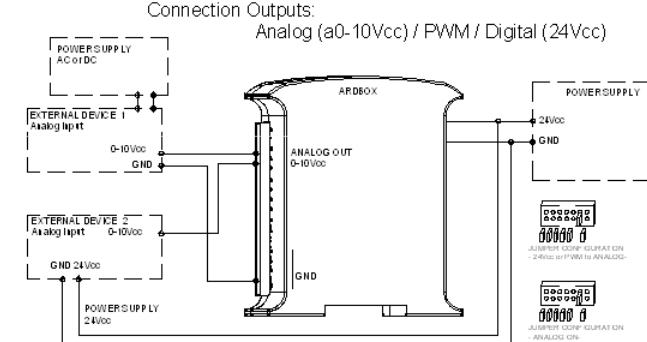
I0.1 - Analog (0-10Vcc) / Digital (24Vcc) Input (Arduino PIN:12)

I0.0 - Digital (24Vcc) Input (Arduino PIN:2)

Q0.9 - Digital (24Vcc) Output (Arduino PIN:0)

Q0.8 - Digital (24Vcc) Output (Arduino PIN:1)

Q0.7 - Digital (24Vcc) Output (Arduino PIN:7)





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## ARDBOX RELAY GUIDE

Ref. IS.AB18REL.base

Numero de elementos	Entrada / salida	Tipo de señal	Voltaje trabajo	Pines Arduino
8	Out	Relay	(220Vac – 5A)	4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11
8	In	Analog/digital	0-10Vcc (10 bits: 0-1023) 24Vcc	A0-A5 * 10 Bits: 0-1023
	In	Digital	24Vcc	0,1,2,3
2	In/Out	Digital	5Vcc	12,13
* Configuration by software and jumpers				

**8 Inputs:**

- (6x) Semi-analog (0-10Vcc) / Digital (24Vcc) Inputs, configurable by software You need recalibrate your analog values.

- (4x) Digital (24Vcc) Inputs

**8 Outputs:**

- (8x) Relay (220Vac-5A)

**2 In/Out:**

5Vcc Directly from Arduino

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**CPU Characteristics****Comunication Characteristics**

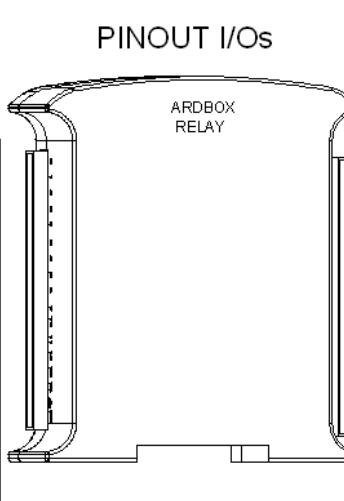
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Comunicaciones Serial	0 RX 1 TC	Not Active
External interrupts	2,3 Attach interrupt()	Not Active, Only
SPI Communication	10 SPI 11 MOSI 12 MISO 13 SCK	Not Active
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# PINOUT:

Type of signal:	I <sub>max</sub>
Out: Relay	220Vac – 5A
Input:  It have internal resistance: 24Vcc 0-10Vcc	
In/Out configurable	5Vcc – 0.40mA



NOTE: CON2 and CON3 is a wire directly of Arduino Board. You can use it like an Digital Input (5Vcc) or Digital Out (5Vcc). Max 0.4mA. (configurable by software)  
IMPORTANT: DO NOT CONNECT MORE THAN 5Vcc

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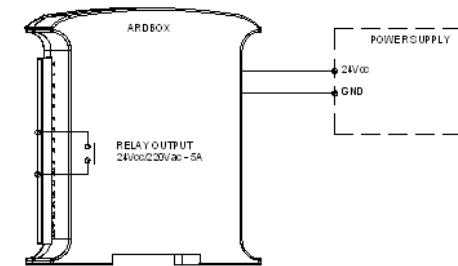
- A - Pin A of Relay 8 (Arduino PIN 11)
- 0 - Pin B of Relay 8 (Arduino PIN 11)
- 1 - Arduino PIN 13 (directly)
- 2 - GND
- 3 - GND
- 4 - Digital Input (24Vcc) (Arduino PIN3)
- 5 - Digital Input (24Vcc) (Arduino PIN2)
- 6 - Digital Input (24Vcc) / Analog Input (0-10Vcc)\* (Arduino A0)
- 7 - Digital Input (24Vcc) / Analog Input (0-10Vcc)\* (Arduino A1)
- 8 - Digital Input (24Vcc) / Analog Input (0-10Vcc)\* (Arduino A2)
- 9 - Digital Input (24Vcc) / Analog Input (0-10Vcc)\* (Arduino A3)
- 10 - Digital Input (24Vcc) / Analog Input (0-10Vcc)\* (Arduino A4)
- 11 - Digital Input (24Vcc) / Analog Input (0-10Vcc)\* (Arduino A5)

NOTE: \* You need to connect jumpers for use Digital Input (24Vcc) Mode. IMPORTANT: Do not connect 24Vcc without jumpers.

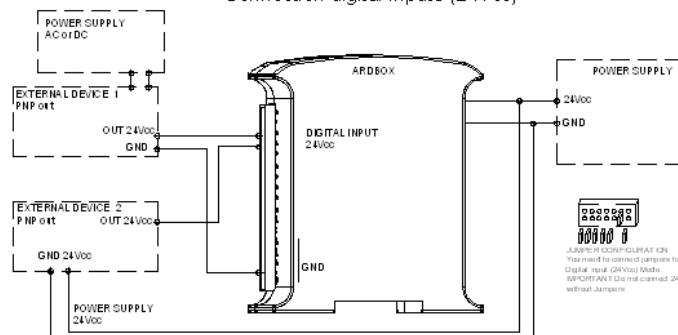
- J0 - Jumper configuration for Pin connector 6
- J1 - Jumper configuration for Pin connector 7
- J2 - Jumper configuration for Pin connector 8
- J3 - Jumper configuration for Pin connector 9
- J4 - Jumper configuration for Pin connector 10
- J5 - Jumper configuration for Pin connector 11

Communication connector
RJ11 Pinout:
1: NC
2: SDA
3: SCL
4: GND
5: NC
6: 5Vcc

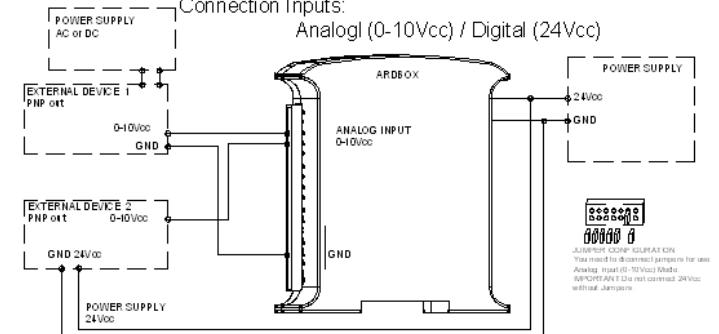
## Connection Relay Output



## Connection digital Inputs (24Vcc)

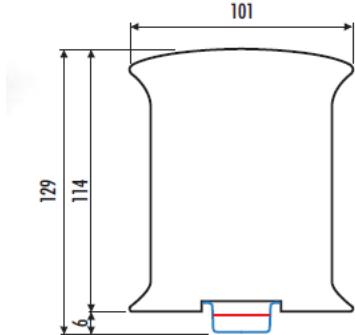


## Connection Inputs: Analogl (0-10Vcc) / Digital (24Vcc)



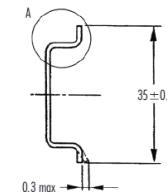
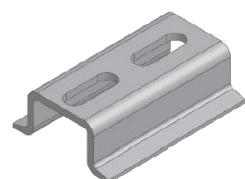


- Dimension ARDBOX Family:



**45mm de ancho**

- DIN rail mounting:

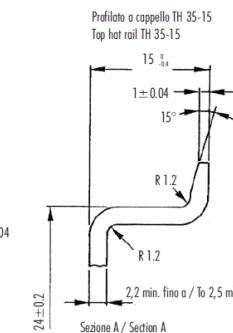


Profilato a cappello TH 35-7,5  
Top hat rail TH 35-7,5

Sezione A / Section A

Profilato a cappello TH 35-15  
Top hat rail TH 35-15

Sezione A / Section A



CARATTERISTICHE	METODO	UNITÀ DI MISURA	BLEND PC/ABS
<b>Mecaniche</b>			
Resistenza a flessione allo scorrimento	ASTM D638	MPa	68
Resistenza a flessione a rotura	ASTM D638	MPa	48
Allungamento a rotura	ASTM D638	%	59
Modulo in flessione	ASTM D790	MPa	2894
Primo fond con intaglio	ISO 18014	N/mm <sup>2</sup>	5.5
Temp. di avvolgimento Vicat, metodo B	ASTM D1575	°C	114
Temperatura Roentg 1.81 MPa	ASTM D648	°C	97
<b>Fisiche</b>			
Peso specifico	ASTM D792	gr/cm <sup>3</sup>	1.21
Grini nello stampo	ASTM D955	%	0.40.6
Melt Flow Index 260°C - 9.8N	ASTM D1238	gr/10'	11.1
Comportamento Autoestinguente (mm di spessore)	UL94	-	V-0 (0.8)
alla fiamma	IEC695-2.1	°C	960

Italtronix si riserva il diritto di modificare il materiale con cui realizza i propri prodotti senza obbligo di preavviso.

FEATURES	TEST METHOD	UNITS	BLEND
<b>Mechanical test</b>	Resistance to tensile stress at yield	ASTM D438 MPa	68
	Tensile strength	ASTM D438 MPa	48
	Ultimate elongation	ASTM D438 %	59
	Flowing modulus	ASTM D790 MPa	2894
	bend test notched	ISO 18014 kNm <sup>2</sup>	5.5
<b>Thermal test</b>	Visc. softening temperature method B	ASTM D1525 °C	114
	Rotating temperature 1.81 MPa	ASTM D648 °C	97
<b>Physical test</b>	Spec. gr. gravity	ASTM D792 g/cm <sup>3</sup>	1.21
	Mold Shrinkage	ASTM D955 %	0.40.6
	Melt Flow Index 260°C - 9.8N	ASTM D1238 gr/10'	11.1
<b>Flame test</b>	Self extinguisher (thickness in mm)	UL94 -	V-0 (0.8)
	Incombustible Thread 3.2 mm	IEC695-2.1 °C	960

Italtronix can operate any change of the materials without being obliged to forewarn.

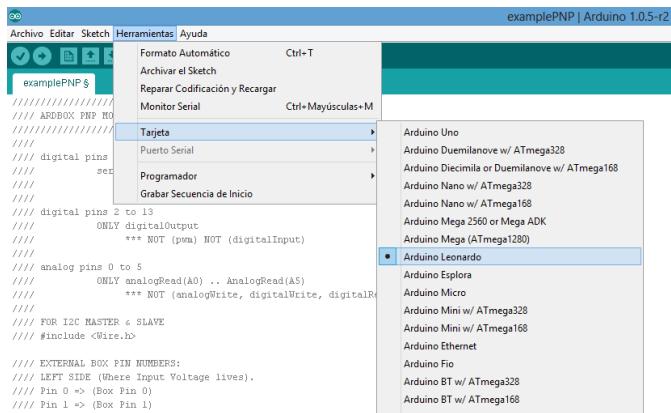


## Software Interface:

Arduino IDE is compatible for programm these PLCs. You must to download a start code in [www.industrialshields.com](http://www.industrialshields.com) at product page in "document files" section and then It's necessary open it with Arduino IDE.

Configuration about Arduino IDE:

All Ardbox PLCs use an Arduino Leonardo and you need to choose these opcion in Arduino IDE.



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