





# Modbus Plus to Rockwell Automation Remote I/O Gateway 5310-MBP-RIO

The MBP-RIO modules are the ideal solution for the many applications where Modbus Plus connectivity can be used to integrate a Remote I/O device into a system. The Modbus Plus gateway is a powerful module designed with both Master and Slave support, enabling easy connection to other Modbus devices (Modicon processors and many others). In combination with the Remote I/O support, the module provides a very powerful interface to the many Remote I/O devices which are in use in the industrial marketplace today. Applications for the module are found in most industries, especially Manufacturing, Oil and Gas, Electrical Power and Food Processing.

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# Modbus Plus to Rockwell Automation Remote I/O Gateway

# **5306-MBP-RIO**

The ProLinx Modbus Plus to Rockwell Automation Remote I/O Adapter Gateway creates a powerful connection between devices on a Modbus Plus network and a Remote I/O device. This stand-alone DIN-rail mounted protocol gateway provides one Modbus Plus configurable DB9F port and Remote I/O port.

The Modbus Plus protocol driver supports both Master and Slave implementations of the protocol on the DB9 Female Modbus Plus port. The Modbus Plus port is fully configurable.

The RIO interface is an adapter (slave) which can be connected to a scanner (master) that controls the data transfer. The module also supports limited high speed data transfer via the Input and Output images.

### **Modbus Plus**

The Modbus Plus protocol driver exists in a single Modbus Plus Port (MBP). The driver can be configured on an individual port basis as either a master or a slave to interface with other Modbus Plus devices.

General Parameters	
Modbus Function Codes	3: Read Multiple Data Registers (MSTR 2)
	16: Write Multiple Data Register (MSTR 1)
	Global data read (32 words max.)
	Global data write (32 words max.)
Address Scope	1 to 64

Modbus Plus Functioning as a Master		
Command List	Up to 200 commands on the master port, fully configurable for function, slave address, register to/from addressing and word count	
Polling of command list	Configurable polling of command list, including continuous and on change of data	

Modbus Plus Functioning as a Slave		
Node address	1 to 64 – software selectable	

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### **Rockwell Automation Remote I/O**

The RIO interface is an adapter (slave) and is connected to a scanner (master) that controls the data transfer. For example, the master/slave relationship can be accomplished using the RIO module (adapter/slave unit) with a Rockwell Automation PLC5 (scanner/master unit). Ladder logic must be programmed into a PLC to perform BTR/BTW commands to receive and transmit data between the module and the PLC. The module also supports limited high speed data transfer via the input and output images.

Software Configurable Parameters		
Rack Number	0 to 63	
Addressing		
Rack Size	1/4-rack, 1/2-rack, 3/4-rack and full rack	
Starting Group	0,2,4,6	
Last Rack	Yes or No	
Baud Rate	57.6K, 115K, 230K	
Functional Specifications		
Supports block-transfers of data with scanner		
Supports I/O data movement. Amount determined by rack		
size configuration		
BTW Command – up to 64 words		
BTR Command – up to 63 words		
Physical Connection		
Remote I/O connector	Standard 3-screw termination	
	connector	

# **General Specifications**

The ProLinx Communication Modules provide connectivity for two or more dissimilar network types. The modules, encased in sturdy extruded aluminum, are stand-alone DIN-rail mounted protocol gateways, providing communication between many of the most widely used protocols in industrial automation today.

# **Hardware Specifications**

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Specification	Description
Power Supply	24 VDC nominal
	18 to 36 VDC allowed
	Positive, Negative, GND Terminals
	2.5 mm screwdriver blade
Current Load	500 mA max@ 24 VDC
Operating Temperature	-20 to 50°C (-4 to 122°F)
Storage Temperature	-40 to 85°C (-40 to 185°F)
Relative Humidity	5 to 95% (non-condensing)
Dimensions	Standard: 5.20H x 2.07W x 4.52D in.
	(13.2cmH x 5.25cmW x 11.48cmD)
	Extended: 5.20H x 2.73W x 4.52D
	in. (13.2cmH x 6.934cmW x
	11.48cmD)
LED Indicators	Power and Module Status
	Application Status
	Serial Port Activity LED
	Serial Activity and Error LED Status

Specification	Description
Configuration Serial Port	DB-9M RS-232 only
	No hardware handshaking
Ethernet Port (Ethernet modules only)	RJ45 Connector Link and Activityity LED indicators
Application Serial Ports	RS-232/422/485
Application Serial Forts	RS-232 handshaking configurable RS-422/485 screw termination included
Serial Port Isolation	2500V RMS port signal isolation per UL 1577
	3000V DC min. port to ground and port to logic power isolation
Shipped with Each Unit	Mini-DIN to DB-9M serial cables
	4 ft RS-232 configuration cable
	2.5mm screwdriver
	CD (docs and Configuration utility) RS-422/485 DB-9 to Screw Terminal Adaptor (1 or 4, depending on ports)

# **ProSoft Configuration Builder**

ProSoft Configuration Builder (PCB) provides a quick and easy way to manage module configuration files customized to meet your application needs. PCB is not only a powerful solution for new configuration files, but also allows you to import information from previously installed (known working) configurations to new projects.

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