

# Twin Link

## Point-to-Point Paired Wireless I/O Units

When it's just too far or too expensive to lay cable for signal communications, turn to Define Instruments Twin Link units. These sophisticated wireless Point-to-Point nodes combine powerful control and communication capabilities with simple, no-fuss PC setup.

They transmit data up to 1.5km (0.9mi) line of sight (with default antenna), and if your line of sight is obscured or you need to reach further, the P2P Repeater provides the perfect solution.

Everything you need:

- › **Input Node (P2P-I)**  
2x universal isolated analogue input channels accepting T/C, RTD, Process inputs (current & voltage), NPN/PNP open collectors, Potentiometer input up to 20k $\Omega$ , and AC current sensors
- › **Output Node (P2P-O)**  
2x 4-20mA isolated analogue outputs that are easy to scale to your desired range
- › **Flexible IO**  
Each of the Twin Link units also offers 4 digital inputs, 2 digital outputs, and 2 relay outputs, which are simple to program for a range of setpoint functions

### Simple setup using your PC

Setting up your wireless Point-to-Point system is fast and easy with Define ToolBox (see p63).



Simply connect the Twin Link Input Node (P2P-I) to your PC via USB (Bridge Key required, see p34), and you'll be up and running in no time.

Select from a wide range of pre-calibrated input types, easily scale your analogue outputs, and configure your IOs for mimicking, alarms, and sophisticated remote control of other equipment.



R-NZ  
E2180

#### Power

**Power supply** 9–36V DC, 2.5VA max

**Isolation** 1500V AC between power supply and input or output channels

#### Transmission

**RF data rate** 250Kb/s

**RF frequency range** 2405-2475MHz

**RF transmission power** +20dBm (10dBm selectable in soft ware for regions with transmission power restrictions)

**Transmission range** Up to 1.5km (0.9mi) LOS with supplied antenna (WG-3DBI). All nodes must be set to full power (+20dBm) for max range.

**RF receiver sensitivity** -110dBm

**Number of RF channels** 15

**Number of wireless nodes** Up to 17 nodes per mesh (1x P2P-I, 1x P2P-O, 15x P2P-R)

**Spreading method** Direct sequence

**Modulation** O-QPSK

#### USB programming

**Simple programming** using Define ToolBox (p63). Requires Bridge Key (sold separately, p34).

**Protocols** Modbus RTU

**Serial data rate** 9600 baud, 8-N-1

#### Construction

**35mm DIN rail mount casing** IP20 rated - Install in a protective enclosure. Installation Category II; Pollution Degree 2; Flame resistant

**Dimensions (H x W x D)** 101 x 23 x 120mm (3.98 x 0.91 x 4.72")

**Dimensions (H x W x D, with included antenna)** 150 x 23 x 146mm (5.91 x 0.91 x 5.75")

**Single unit weight** 156g (5.5oz), with included antenna and plugs

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## Universal inputs

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**2x Input channels** Universal input

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**Available on P2P-I (Input)**

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### Thermocouple input

<i>K Type</i>	-200 to 1260°C	(-328 to 2300°F)
<i>B Type</i>	400 to 1800°C	(752 to 3272°F)
<i>E Type</i>	-200 to 700°C	(-328 to 1292°F)
<i>J Type</i>	-200 to 1000°C	(-328 to 1832°F)
<i>R Type</i>	0 to 1700°C	(32 to 3092°F)
<i>S Type</i>	0 to 1700°C	(32 to 3092°F)
<i>T Type</i>	-200 to 400°C	(-328 to 752°F)
<i>N Type</i>	-200 to 1300°C	(-328 to 2372°F)

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### RTD input

*PT100* 3-wire RTD DIN 43760:1980

*PT1000* 3-wire RTD standard

-200 to 300°C (-328 to 572°F), 0.01°C res

-200 to 800°C (-328 to 1472°F), 0.1°C res

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**Current input** 0/4–20mA

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**Voltage input** ±200mV, -200mV to 1V, 0-10V, 0-18V

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**Potentiometer input** 3-Wire; Low range (<2KΩ) or High range (>2KΩ)

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**Digital pulse** Open collector (NPN, PNP sensors), 0–2500Hz. General frequency, flow rate or RPM

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**AC current sensor input** Current transformer (Define ACCS-420/010) 0-10V or 4-20mA output

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## Analogue outputs

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**Available on P2P-O (Output)**

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**2x Analogue outputs** Isolated 4–20/20–4mA DC

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**Power supply** Loop powered

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**Resolution** 15 bits, 16000 steps

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**Loop drop** 10V max

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**Linearity & repeatability** 0.1% FSO max

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**Accuracy** 0.1% FSO max

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**Ambient drift** 50ppm/°C FSO max

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**Isolation to Digital IO GND** 1400Vrms for 1min. Working voltage 125V DC

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## Digital IO's

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**Available on P2P-I (Input) & P2P-O (Output)**

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**4x Digital inputs** Max rate 1Hz. Selectable sink/

source. Suitable for clean contacts, NPN, PNP and voltage inputs (low input <1.4V DC, high input 1.4–30V DC)

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**Max continuous input** 20V DC

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**Not isolated to power supply common**

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**2x Digital outputs** Open drain (1A, 30V DC max)

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## Relay outputs

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**Available on P2P-I (Input) & P2P-O (Output)**

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**2x Form A relays** 5A 250V AC / 5A 30V DC

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**Isolation to sensor and user input commons** 2300Vrms for 1min. Working voltage 250V AC

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**Life expectancy** 100K cycles min at full load rating

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## Environmental conditions

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**Operating temperature** -20 to 55°C (-4 to 131°F)

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**Storage temperature** -20 to 65°C (-4 to 149°F)

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**Operating humidity** 0–85% non-condensing

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**Altitude** 2000m (6561ft )

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## Compliances

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### IP20 enclosure rating

**FCC ID: 2ACTT-1409** 47 Code of Federal Regulations; Part 15 - Radio Frequency Devices; Subpart C - Intentional Radiators, including Section 15.247 - Operation in the band 2400 –2483.5MHz

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**AS/ANS 4268:2012** Radio equipment and systems - Short range devices - Limits and methods of measurement

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**ETSI EN 300 440-2, V1.4.1, 2010** Electromagnetic compatibility and Radio spectrum matters (ERM); Short Range Devices (SRD); Radio equipment to be used in the 1GHz to 40GHz frequency range; Part 2: Harmonised EN under article 3.23 of the R&TTE Directive

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**EN 301 489-3, V1.6.1, 2013** Electromagnetic compatibility and Radio spectrum Matters (ERM); Electromagnetic Compatibility (EMC) standard for radio equipment and services; Part 3: Specific conditions for Short Range Devices (SRD) operating on frequencies between 9kHz and 40GHz

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Order Code

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(See p15 for accessories)