ABB i-bus® KNX
Room Master, MDRC
RM/S 4.1, 2CDG 110 170 R0011

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The Room Master is a modular installation device (MDRC) in Pro *M* design. It is intended for installation in the distribution board on 35 mm mounting rails. The assignment of the physical addresses as well as the parameterization is carried out with the ETS and the current application.

The RM/S is powered via the ABB i-bus® and does not require and additional auxiliary voltage supply.

The device is ready for operation after connecting the bus voltage.

Technical data

Supply	Bus voltage	21…32 V DC
	Current consumption, bus	Maximum 12 mA (Fan-In 1)
	Leakage loss, bus	Maximum 250 mW
	Leakage loss, device	Maximum 1.68 W*
* The maximum power consumption of the device results from the following specifications:	Relay 6 A	1.6 W
Connections	KNX	Via bus connection terminals, 2-fold (red/black) 0.8 mm Ø, solid
	Circuits	Screw terminal with universal head (PZ 1) 0.2…4 mm² stranded, 2 x (0.2…2.5 mm²) 0.2…6 mm² single core, 2 x (0.2…4 mm²)
	Ferrules without/with plastic sleeves	without: 0.25…2.5 mm² with: 0.25…4 mm²
	TWIN ferrules	0.5…2.5 mm²
	Tightening torque	Maximum 0.6 Nm
Operating and display elements	Button/LED ●	For assignment of the physical address
Enclosure	IP 20	Compliant to DIN EN 60 529
Safety class	II	Compliant to DIN EN 61 140
Insulation category	Overvoltage category	III to DIN EN 60 664-1
	Pollution degree	2 to DIN EN 60 664-1
KNX safety extra low voltage	SELV 24 V DC	
Temperature range	Operation	-5 °C…+45 °C
	Transport	-25 °C…+70 °C
	Storage	-25 °C…+55 °C
Ambient conditions	Maximum air humidity	93 %, no condensation allowed

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Design	Modular installation device (MDRC)		Modular installation device, Pro M
	Dimensions		90 x 144 x 64.5 mm (H x W x D)
	Mounting width in space units		8 modules at 18 mm
	Mounting depth		64.5 mm
Installation	On 35 mm mounting rail		Compliant to DIN EN 60 715
Mounting position	as required		
Weight	0.3 kg		
Housing/colour	Plastic housing, grey		
Approvals	KNX to EN 50 090-1, -2		Certification
CE mark	In accordance with the EMC guideline and low voltage guideline		

Important

The maximum permissible current of a KNX line may not be exceeded.

During planning and installation ensure that the KNX line is correctly dimensioned.

The device features a maximum current consumption of 12 mA (Fan-In 1).

Binary inputs

Rated values	Number	8[1]
	U_n scanning voltage	32 V, pulsed
	I_n scanning current	0.1 mA
	Scanning current I_n at switch on	Maximum 355 mA
	Permissible cable length	≤ 100 m one-way, at cross-section 1.5 mm² even when the core is routed in a multi-control cable

[1] All binary inputs are internally connected to the same potential

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Rated current output 6 A

Rated values	Number	8 contacts
	U_n rated voltage	250/440 V AC (50/60 Hz)
	I_n rated current (per output)	6 A
Switching currents	AC3* operation (cos φ = 0.45) to DIN EN 60 947-4-1	6 A/230 V
	AC1* operation (cos φ = 0.8) to DIN EN 60 947-4-1	6 A/230 V
	Fluorescent lighting load to DIN EN 60 669-1	6 A/250 V (35 μF)[2]
	Minimum switching power	20 mA/5 V 10 mA/12 V 7 mA/24 V
	DC current switching capacity (resistive load)	6 A/24 V=
Service life	Mechanical service life	> 10^7
	Electronic service life to DIN IEC 60 947-4-1	
	AC1* (240 V/cos φ = 0.8)	> 10^5
	AC3* (240 V/cos φ = 0.45)	> $1{,}5 \times 10^4$
	AC5a* (240 V/cos φ = 0.45)	> $1{,}5 \times 10^4$
Switching times[1]	Maximum relay position change per output and minute if only one relay is switched.	2,683

[1] The specifications apply only after the bus voltage has been applied to the device for at least 10 seconds. Typical delay of the relay is approx. 20 ms.

[2] The maximum inrush-current peak may not be exceeded.

* What do the terms AC1, AC3 and AC5a mean?

In Intelligent Installation Systems, different switching capacity and performance specifications, which are dependent on the special application, have become established in industrial and residential systems. These performance specifications are rooted in the respective national and international standards. The tests are defined so that typical applications, e.g. motor loads (industrial) or fluorescent lamps (residential) are simulated.

The specifications AC1 and AC3 are switching performance specifications which have become established in the industrial field.

Typical application:

AC1 – Non-inductive or slightly inductive loads, resistive furnaces (relates to switching of oh-mic/resistive loads)

AC3 – Squirrel-cage motors: Starting, switching off motors during running (relates to (inductive) mo-tor load)

AC5a – Switching of electric discharge lamps

These switching performances are defined in the standard EN 60947-4-1 *Contactors and motor-starters - Electromechanical contactors and motor-starters*. The standard describes starters and/or contactors that previously were preferably used in industrial applications.

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Output lamp load 6 A

Lamps	Incandescent lamp load	1200 W
Fluorescent lamps T5/T8	Uncorrected	800 W
	Parallel compensated	300 W
	DUO circuit	350 W
Low-voltage halogen lamps	Inductive transformer	800 W
	Electronic transformer	1000 W
	Halogen lamps 230 V	1000 W
Dulux lamp	Uncorrected	800 W
	Parallel compensated	800 W
Mercury-vapour lamp	Uncorrected	1000 W
	Parallel compensated	800 W
Switching performance (switching contact)	Maximum peak inrush-current I_p (150 μs)	200 A
	Maximum peak inrush-current I_p (250 μs)	160 A
	Maximum peak inrush-current I_p (600 μs)	100 A
Number of electronic ballasts (T5/T8, single element)[1]	18 W (ABB EVG 1 x 18 CF)	10
	24 W (ABB EVG-T5 1 x 24 CY)	10
	36 W (ABB EVG 1 x 36 CF)	7
	58 W (ABB EVG 1 x 58 CF)	5
	80 W (Helvar EL 1 x 80 SC)	3

[1] For multiple element lamps or other types, the number of electronic ballasts must be determined using the peak inrush current of the electronic ballasts.

Device type	Application	Max. number of Communication objects	Max. number of group addresses	Max. number of associations
RM/S 4.1	Room Master 4/…*	255	255	255

* … = current version number of the application program. **Please observe the software information on our homepage for this purpose**.

Note

For a detailed description of the application see "*Room Master RM/S 4.1*" product manual.
It is available free-of-charge at *www.abb.com/knx*. The ETS and the current version of the device application are required for programming.

The current version of the application is available for download on the internet at *www.abb.com/knx*.
After import it is available in the ETS under *ABB/Room automation/Room Master.*

The device does not support the locking function of a KNX device in the ETS. If you inhibit access to all devices of the project with a *BCU* code, it has no effect on this device. Data can still be read and programmed.

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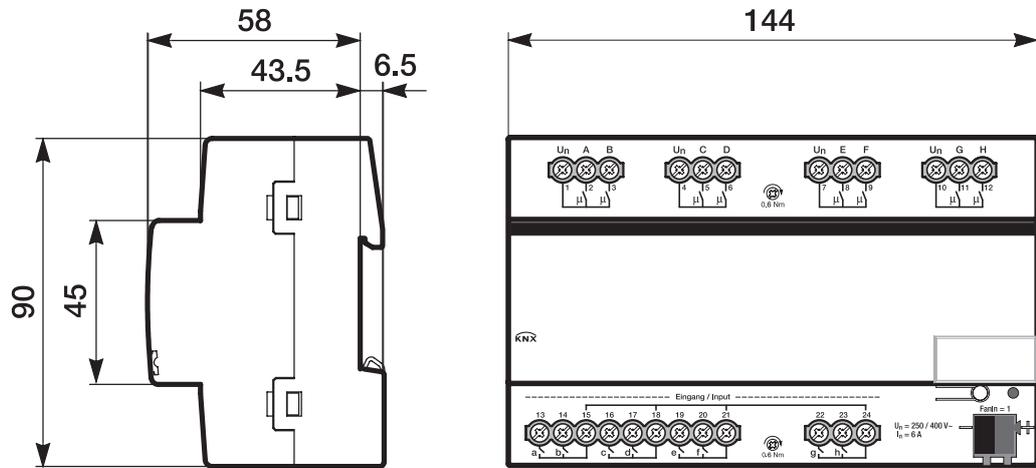
Connection schematic

Shop example
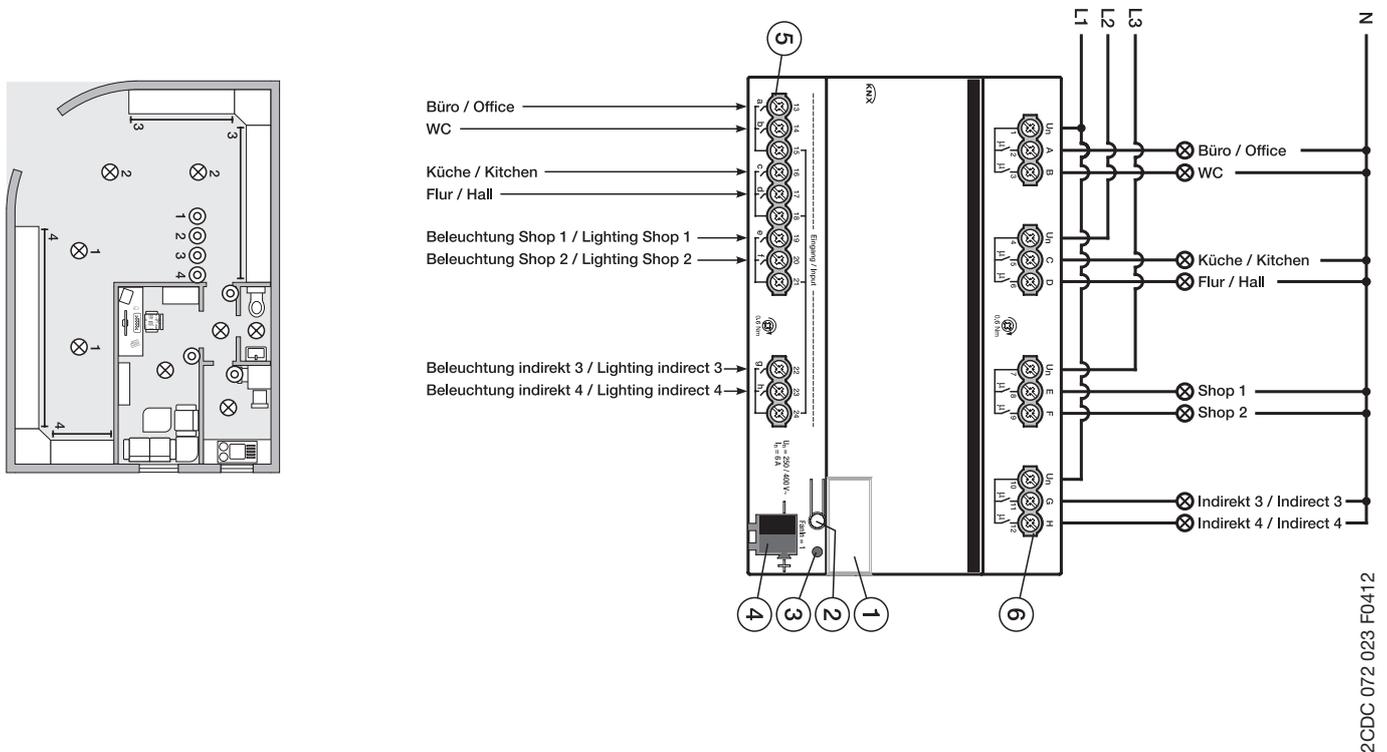
RM/S 4.1

1 Label carrier
2 Button *Programming*
3 LED *Programming* ● (rot)
4 Bus connection terminal
5 Binary inputs (a, b, c, d, e, f, g, h)
6 Load circuits, with 2 terminals each

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Dimension drawing