

Overview

The **ECB-300** is a microprocessor-based programmable controller designed to control equipment such as Air Handling Units, Chillers, Boilers, pumps, and Cooling Towers. The ECB-300 can also be used for lighting control and power measurement applications. This controller uses the BACnet® MS/TP LAN communication protocol and is BTL®-Listed as BACnet Advanced Application Controllers (B-AAC).

The ECB-300 supports various input types including resistance, voltage, and digital-based ones. Moreover, it provides digital, floating, pulse width modulation, and proportional control outputs for valves, heating elements, fans, and lighting applications.

This controller works with a wide range of sensors, such as those in the EC-Smart-Vue series of communicating room sensors that feature a backlit display and graphical menus. These sensors are used for indoor temperature measurement, setpoint adjustment, fan speed selection, and occupancy state override. In addition, this controller is Open-to-Wireless® ready, and when paired with the Wireless Receiver, it works with a variety of wireless battery-less sensors and switches.

Custom program this controller using EC-gfxProgram through EC-Net^{AX} Pro which is powered by the Niagara^{AX} Framework®. This allows you to quickly and easily create your own control sequences capable of meeting the most demanding requirements of any engineering specification.

Applications

- Meets the requirements of the following applications:
 - Air Handling Units
 - Chillers
 - Boilers
 - Cooling Towers
 - Heat-Exchangers
 - Pumps
 - Lighting Control
- Improves energy efficiency when combined with:
 - CO₂ sensors as part of a demand-controlled ventilation strategy that adjusts the amount of fresh air intake according to the number of building occupants
 - Variable-frequency drives to adjust motor speed according to the instantaneous demand of the application
- Works with a wide range of wireless battery-less sensors

Features & Benefits

- Use the EC-gfxProgram's state-of-the-art visual programming wizard to create operation sequences that meet specific engineering specifications. EC-gfxProgram is accessible through EC-Net^{AX} Pro which is powered by the Niagara^{AX}-based management platform.
- Accelerate custom programming development by using pre-built HVAC control sequences supplied with EC-gfxProgram.
- Available with an optional Wireless Receiver that supports up to 28 wireless inputs, letting you create wire-free installations and use various wireless battery-less sensors and switches.
- With 10 software configurable universal inputs and 8 software configurable universal outputs, this controller covers all small to medium-size industry-standard HVAC applications. Four of these inputs also support fast pulse count reading up to 50 Hz frequency for gas, water, and electric meters.
- 0-20mA inputs and outputs have a jumper that eliminates the need for external resistors.
- Highly accurate universal inputs support thermistors and resistance temperature detectors (RTDs) that range from 100 Ohms to 350 000 Ohms, giving you the freedom of using your preferred or engineer-specified sensors, in addition to any existing ones.
- Rugged hardware Inputs and Outputs eliminate need for external protection components, such as diodes for 12V DC relays.

ECB-300 Controller



Model	ECB-300
Points	18-Point Controller
Universal hardware inputs	10 ¹
EC-Smart-Vue	12
Wireless battery-less sensors or switches ²	28
15 Vdc Power Supply	■
Universal outputs	8
Product Number	CDIB-300G-00

- 1 The first four inputs are software configurable for pulse counting up to 50 Hz and are compatible with an SO rated (optically-isolated) output.
- 2 All controllers are Open-to-Wireless[®] ready. Available when an optional Wireless Receiver is connected to the controller. Some wireless sensors may use more than one wireless input from the controller.

Recommended Applications

Model	ECB-300
Air Handling Unit	■
Chiller	■
Boiler	■
Cooling Tower	■
Pumps	■

BACnet Objects List

BACnet Calendar Objects	2
BACnet Schedule Objects	10
BACnet PID Loop Objects	40
BACnet Input Objects (AI, BI, MSI) ¹	62 ²
BACnet Output Objects (AO, BO) ¹	8 ³
BACnet BV Objects	
- Commandable ¹	15
- Non-Commandable	60
BACnet MSV Objects	
- Commandable ¹	15
- Non-Commandable	60
BACnet AV Objects	
- Commandable ¹	35
- Non-Commandable	100
BACnet Alarm Notification Classes	5

- 1 Supports object internally-generated alarms (intrinsic reporting).
- 2 This consists of Hardware Inputs, EC-Smart-Vue inputs, and Open-To-Wireless inputs.
- 3 This consists of Hardware Outputs.

Open-to-Wireless – Wireless Receiver Add-on



To reduce the cost of installation, and minimize the impact on existing partition walls, the Wireless Receiver enables this controller to communicate with a line of wireless battery-less room sensors and switches.



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| Wireless Receiver (315) | - Receiver for EnOcean [®] 315MHz wireless-enabled sensors and switches |
| Wireless Receiver (868) | - Receiver for EnOcean [®] 868.3MHz wireless-enabled sensors and switches |

Note that controllers have one wireless port to support a single Wireless Receiver.

For more information about the EnOcean technology and Open-to-Wireless, refer to the Open-to-Wireless Solution Guide. For more information about the Wireless Receiver module, refer to the [Wireless Receiver Datasheet](#). These documents can be found on our web site at www.distech-controls.com.

Supported Platforms



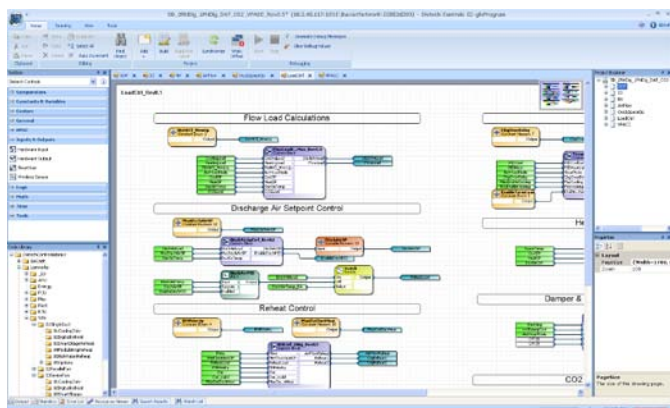
EC-Net^{AX}

EC-Net^{AX} is a web-enabled multi-protocol integration solution powered by the Niagara^{AX} Framework, establishing a fully Internet-enabled, distributed architecture for real-time access, automation and control of devices. EC-Net^{AX}'s open framework creates a common development and management environment for integration of LONWORKS®, BACnet® and other protocols. Regardless of manufacturer and protocol, the EC-Net^{AX} system provides a unified modeling of diverse systems and data, providing one common platform for development, management and enterprise applications.

EC-Net^{AX} Wizards

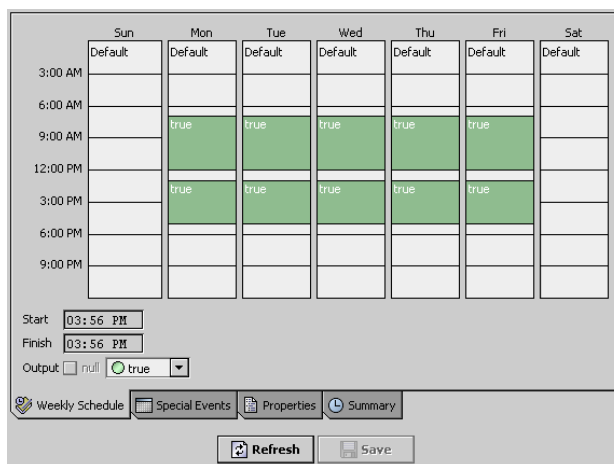
EC-gfxProgram Graphical Programming Tool

Distech Controls' EC-gfxProgram is a programming tool that allows you to quickly create control sequences by "dragging and dropping" block objects and then linking the objects with a simple "click, select and release". Select objects from an extensive library of over 100 commonly used functions as well as create your own custom blocks. With a user-friendly interface and intuitive programming environment, HVAC programming could not be easier. Refer to the EC-gfxProgram datasheet for more information.



Scheduling Tool

Schedules and holidays are configured through the EC-NET^{AX} schedule configuration. It features a weekly schedule for regular, repeating, events by "time-of-day" and "day-of-week", while a holiday schedule is available to define events for specific days.



EC-gfxProgram Software Features:

- Program both ECP Series LonWorks and ECB Series BACnet controllers with the same tool
- Supplied as freeware – there are no associated licensing costs
- Block-oriented programming
- Live debugging allows user to view code execution, input/output values and to detect errors in real-time
- Furnished with *gfxApplications*: A library of standard pre-coded and tested HVAC sequences that suit most field applications while allowing you to make your own modifications if necessary. For example, this library supports the following applications:
 - VAV
 - Air Handling Unit
 - Fan Coil Unit, and more
- Extensive block library of the most commonly used functions divided into 11 convenient categories containing over 100 block objects
- A code library for managing your favorite or most commonly used code or code sections
- Backup / Restore function stores the complete code in the controller allowing the retrieval of all programming code features
- The following advanced features are available with the ECB Series and controllers:
 - Advanced mathematical functions such as sin, cosine, power, exponential, logarithm, and so on
 - For loop can be used to find highest, lowest, and average values

Scheduling Wizard Features

- Easily configure schedules using a graphical slider
- Allows you to easily copy and paste entries
- Duplicate a schedule entry for Monday to Friday
- Special events allow you to set exceptions such as holidays to a schedule
- Holidays can be set for recurring events such as the 9th day, or the 3rd Thursday of a given month
- A schedule has an effective period during which it is active
- Schedule provides Next State and Time to Next State that are ideal for use with programming functions such as Optimum Start or morning Warm Up.

Complementary Products

Temperature Sensors

Allure EC-Smart-Vue

Line of communicating sensors with backlight display and graphical menus. This sensor is used to set the ECB-300's network address.



EC-Smart-Vue	Communicating room temperature sensor with backlight display and graphic menus
EC-Smart-Vue-H	Communicating room temperature and humidity sensor with backlight display and graphic menus

Allure EC-Sensor

Line of discrete sensors



EC-Sensor	Room temperature sensor with communication jack
EC-Sensor-O	Room temperature sensor with occupancy override button and communication jack
EC-Sensor-S	Room temperature sensor with setpoint adjustment and communication jack
EC-Sensor-SO	Room temperature sensor with setpoint adjustment, occupancy override button, and communication jack
EC-Sensor-SOF	Room temperature sensor with setpoint adjustment, occupancy override button, fan speed selection, and communication jack

Open-to-Wireless Sensors and Switches (requires Wireless Receiver)

Allure Wireless Battery-less ECW-Sensor

Line of wireless, battery-less sensors. Available in EnOcean 315MHz and 868.3MHz versions.



ECW-Sensor	Room temperature sensor
ECW-Sensor-O	Room temperature sensor with occupancy override button
ECW-Sensor-S	Room temperature sensor with setpoint adjustment
ECW-Sensor-SO	Room temperature sensor with setpoint adjustment and occupancy override button
ECW-Sensor-SOF	Room temperature sensor with setpoint adjustment, occupancy override button, and fan speed selection

Wireless Sensors and Switches



SR-MDS	Wireless solar-cell powered motion detector and light sensor for room occupancy detection and/or lighting applications. Available in EnOcean 315MHz and 868.3MHz versions.
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2-channel Light Switch 4-channel Light Switch	2-/4-channel wireless light switches (European models). Available in EnOcean 315MHz and 868.3MHz versions.
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SR65	Wireless, solar-cell powered outdoor temperature sensor. Available in EnOcean 315MHz and 868.3MHz versions.
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SR65 VFG	Wireless, solar-cell powered surface temperature contact sensor. Available in EnOcean 315MHz and 868.3MHz versions.
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SR65 AKF Series	Wireless, solar-cell powered duct temperature sensor. Available in EnOcean 315MHz and 868.3MHz versions.
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For more information about the available wireless sensors and switches, refer to the Open-to-Wireless Solution Guide which can be found on our web site at www.distech-controls.eu

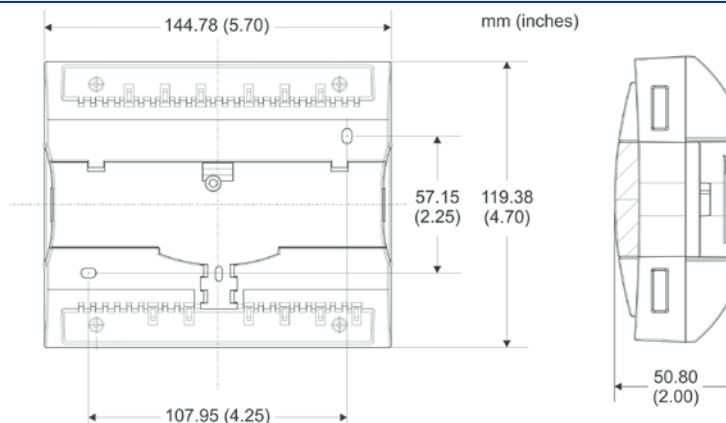
Other



07KIT-RELAYUNDI	SPDT relay with din-rail mountable socket base. 12VDC coil; consumption < 20mA. - Dry contact NO/NC; maximum 8A @ 250VAC.
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For more information on these or other Distech Controls products please refer to our web site at www.distech-controls.eu

Controller Dimensions



Product Specifications

Power

Voltage	24VAC/DC; $\pm 15\%$; 50/60Hz; Class 2
Protection	3.0A user-replaceable fuse
Power Consumption	16 VA typical plus all external loads 38 VA maximum

Interoperability

Communication Bus	BACnet MS/TP
BACnet Profile	B-AAC ¹
EOL Resistor	Built-in, jumper selectable
Baud Rates	9600, 19 200, 38 400, or 76 800 bps
Addressing	Dip Switch

Hardware

Processor	STM32 (ARM Cortex™ M3) MCU, 32 bit
CPU Speed	72 MHz
Memory	1 MB Non-volatile Flash (applications) 2 MB Non-volatile Flash (storage) 96 kB RAM
Status Indicator	Green LEDs: Power Status & LAN Tx Orange LEDs: Controller Status & LAN Rx
Communication Jack	BACnet 1/8" (3.5mm) stereo audio jack

Environmental

Operating Temperature	0°C to 50°C; 32°F to 122°F
Storage Temperature	-20°C to 50°C; -4°F to 122°F
Relative Humidity	0 to 90% Non-condensing

Enclosure

Material	FR/ABS
Color	Black & blue casing & grey connectors
Dimensions (with Screws)	5.7" x 4.7" x 2.0" (144.8mm x 119.4mm x 50.8mm)
Shipping Weight	0.97lbs (0.44kg)

Inputs

Input Types	Universal; software configurable
-Voltage	- 0 to 10VDC (40k Ω input impedance) - 0 to 5VDC (high input impedance)
-Current	0 to 20mA with 249 Ω jumper configurable internal resistor
-Digital	Dry contact
-Pulse	UI1 to UI4: 50Hz maximum; Min 10ms On/10ms Off - SO output compatible UI5 to UI10: 1Hz maximum; Min 500ms On/500ms Off - Dry contact
-Resistor	0 to 350 K Ω . All thermistor types that operate in this range are supported. The following temperature sensors are pre-configured:
<i>Thermistor</i>	10K Ω Type 2, 3 (10K Ω @ 25°C; 77°F)
<i>Platinum</i>	PT1000 (1K Ω @ 0°C; 32°F)
<i>Nickel</i>	RTD Ni1000 (1K Ω @ 0°C; 32°F) RTD Ni1000 (1K Ω @ 21°C; 69.8°F)
Input Resolution	16-bit analog / digital converter
Power Supply Output	15VDC; maximum 200mA (10 inputs x 20mA each)

Outputs

Universal	0-10VDC linear, digital 0-12VDC (on/off), floating PWM, or 0-20mA (jumper configurable); software configurable. Built-in snubbing diode to protect against back EMF, for example when used with a 12VDC relay.
	- PWM control: adjustable period from 2 to 65sec.
	- Floating control:
	- Min pulse on/off: 500msec.
	- Adjustable drive time period
	- 60mA max. @ 12VDC (60°C; 140°F)
Load resistance	- Minimum 200 Ω for 0-10VDC and 0-12VDC outputs - Maximum 500 Ω for 0-20mA output
Auto-reset fuse	- 60mA @ 60°C; 140°F - 100mA @ 20°C; 68°F
Output Resolution	10-bit digital / analog converter

Product Specifications *(continued)*



Wireless Receiver²

Communication	EnOcean wireless standard
Number of wireless inputs ³	28
Supported Wireless Receivers	Wireless Receiver (315) Wireless Receiver (868)
Cable	Telephone cord
- Connector	4P4C modular jack
- Length	6.5ft; 2m

Electromagnetic Compatibility

CE -Emission	EN61000-6-3: 2007; Generic standards for residential, commercial and light-industrial environments
-Immunity	EN61000-6-1: 2007; Generic standards for residential, commercial and light-industrial environments
FCC	This device complies with FCC rules part 15, subpart B, class B



1. Refer to Distech Controls' Protocol Implementation Conformity Statement for BACnet.
2. Available when an optional external Wireless Receiver module is connected to the controller. Refer to the Open-to-Wireless Solution Guide for a list of supported EnOcean wireless modules.
3. Some wireless modules may use more than one wireless input from the controller.
4. All materials and manufacturing processes comply with the RoHS directive  and are marked according to the Waste Electrical and Electronic Equipment (WEEE) directive .

EC-Smart-Vue

Communication	RS-485
Number of sensors per controller	Up to 8, in daisy-chain configuration
Cable	Cat 5e, 8 conductor twisted pair
Connector	RJ-45

Agency Approvals

UL Listed (CDN & US) Material ⁴	UL916 Energy management equipment UL94-5VA
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Communication Protocols



Product Warranty & Total Quality Commitment

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