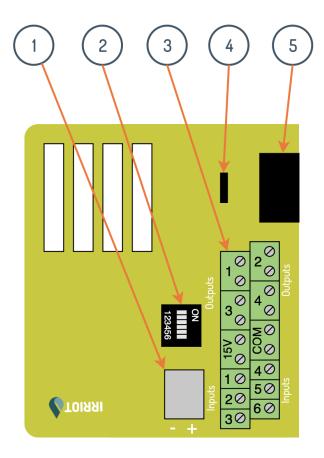


Extension board MPE6-4



- 1. **12 VDC** Backup Battery port
- 2. **DIP** Switch
- 3. **Output and Input** ports
- 4. **Slot** selection Jumper
- 5. **Bus** Connector port

Technical Specifications:

Switching Voltage: 0 - 24VAC Switching Current: 0 - 6A Operating temperature range: -20 to +60°C (-4 to

140°F)

Optionally, up to 2 MPE6-4 (or RE-8) Extension Boards can be installed and connected directly to the **Controller (Base Unit)**. The board can be used to control various devices, which comply with Technical Specifications above, e.g. pumps, filters, fertilizer mixers, 24VAC valves with an *optional 24VAC transformer*, etc. Please consult with an electrician on how to connect 24VAC valves with a transformer.

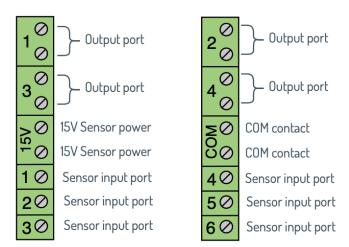
In addition to the **4 relay outputs**, MPE6-4 extension features **6 sensor inputs**. The following sensor types are supported:

- 0-20mA current loop;
- 4-20mA current loop;
- Counter (e.g. flow meters or rain gauges);
- Switch type (e.g. rain sensor).

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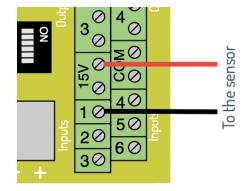


IRRIOT MPE6-4 Output Ports, 15V Sensor Power, COM contacts, Sensor Input ports

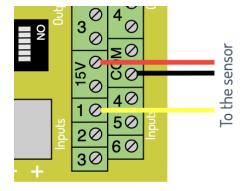
Current Loop Sensor Wiring

The wiring of the current loop sensor depends on whether it has the **3 or 2 wire** interface.

2 Wire: connect the red wire to one of the **15V** sensor power contacts, connect the black wire to one of the sensor input ports. Notice that the **DIP switch** for the corresponding input should be set to **ON position**:



3 Wire: connect the red wire to one of the **15V** sensor power contacts, connect the black wire to one of the **COM** contacts, connect the sensor output wire to one of the input ports. Notice that the **DIP switch** for the corresponding input should be set to **ON position**:

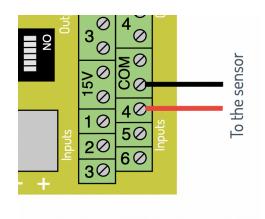


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Counter and Switch Sensor Wiring

The **Counter** and **Switch sensors** are wired between one of the sensor input contacts and one of the COM contacts. Notice that the **DIP switch** for the corresponding input should be set to **OFF position**:



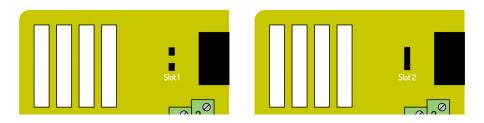
12VDC Battery port

The same board is used to provide a **12VDC** Car/Boat Battery or Solar Panel kit with Battery to power the Controller where AC power grid is not available. Pay attention to the polarity, when connecting DC power.

Bus connector

Bus connector port is used to connect the extension board to the controller (and optionally another extension board) with a ribbon cable provided.

Slot selection Jumper



The Jumper switch is used to distinguish **Slot 1** and **Slot 2** used in the Controller, it's important when using 2 boards in one controller.

Jumper **Open** - **Slot 1**Jumper **Closed** - **Slot 2**

Attention!!! There should be **no high-voltage power** (above 24VAC) connected directly to the board as it may destroy the Extension Board and the Controller, thus void the warranty. If there's a need to use high-voltage, like 110-250VAC, then the extension board should operate an external relay or contactor rated for required power. All high-voltage or high-current jobs must be conducted only by a certified electrician.

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