

# iE 250 PLC

Programmable Automation Controller

## Installation instructions



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# 1. About the installation instructions

## 1.1 Symbols and notation

### Symbols for general notes

**NOTE** This shows general information.



#### More information

This shows where you can find more information.



#### Example

This shows an example.



#### How to ...

This shows a link to a video for help and guidance.

### Symbols for hazard statements



#### DANGER!



#### This shows dangerous situations.

If the guidelines are not followed, these situations will result in death, serious personal injury, and equipment damage or destruction.



#### WARNING



#### This shows potentially dangerous situations.

If the guidelines are not followed, these situations could result in death, serious personal injury, and equipment damage or destruction.



#### CAUTION



#### This shows low level risk situation.

If the guidelines are not followed, these situations could result in minor or moderate injury.

#### NOTICE



#### This shows an important notice

Make sure to read this information.

## 1.2 Intended users of the Installation instructions

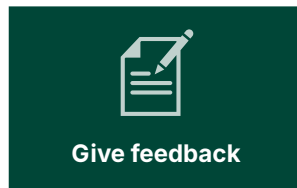
The Installation instructions are primarily intended for the installer who mounts and wires up the controllers and displays. The Installation instructions can also be used for commissioning to check the installation.

## 1.3 Need more information?

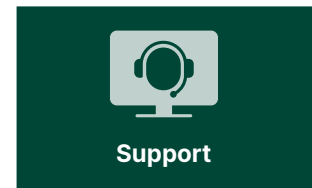
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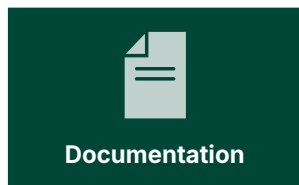
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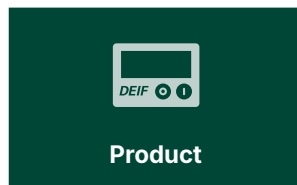
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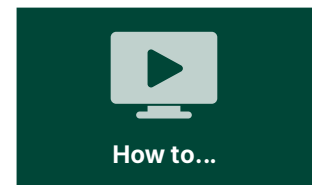
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IE 250 PLC product page.



Learn how to use this product.

## 1.4 Warnings and safety

### Safety during installation and operation

When you install and operate the equipment, you may have to work with dangerous currents and voltages. The installation must only be carried out by authorised personnel who understand the risks involved in working with electrical equipment.



**DANGER!**



#### **Hazardous live currents and voltages**

Do not touch any terminals, especially the AC measurement inputs or any relay terminals, as this could lead to injury or death.

### Disable the breakers



**DANGER!**



#### **Disable the breakers**

Unintended breaker closing can cause deadly and/or dangerous situations.

Disconnect or disable the breakers BEFORE you connect the controller power supply. Do not enable the breakers until AFTER the wiring and controller operation are thoroughly tested.

### Disable the engine start



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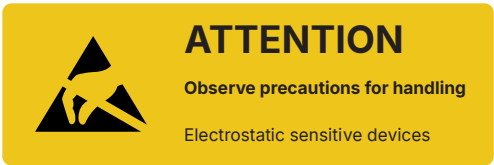
#### **Unintended engine starts**

Unintended engine starts can cause deadly and/or dangerous situations.

Disconnect, disable or block the engine start (the crank and the run coil) BEFORE you connect the controller power supply. Do not enable the engine start until AFTER the wiring and controller operation are thoroughly tested.



# Electrostatic discharge



If the modules are not installed in the controller, protect the module from electrostatic discharge. While the controller is open for the installation of modules, you must also protect the inside of the controller from electrostatic discharge.

Electrostatic discharge during installation can damage the modules and the inside of the controller.

## Controller power supply

It is recommended that the controller has both a reliable power supply and a backup power supply. The switchboard design must ensure sufficient protection of the system, if the controller power supply fails.

## Data security

The iE PLC includes a firewall.

While DEIF has taken great attention to data security and has designed the product to be a secure product, we recommend adopting Information Technology (IT) and Operational Technology (OT) security best practices when connecting the controller to a network.

To minimise the risk of data security breaches we recommend:

- Only connect to trusted networks and avoid public networks and the Internet.
- Use additional security layers like a VPN for remote access.
- Restrict access to authorised persons.

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## 2. Prepare for installation

### 2.1 Mount options

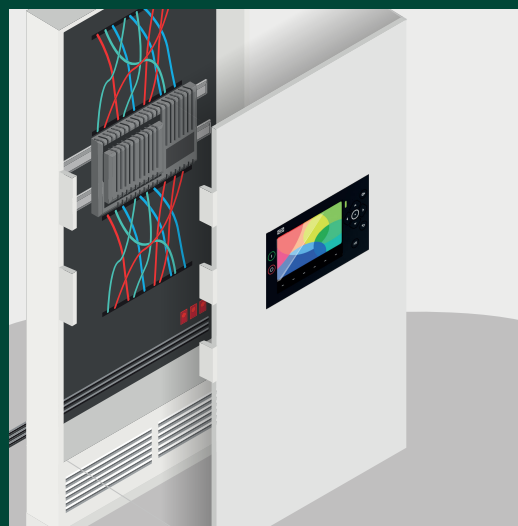
The iE 250 is highly flexible for different mounting locations.

Front-mounted controller  
with combined display



iE 250 (7'')

Base-mounted controller  
with or without display



iE 250 (Base)  
iE 7 display

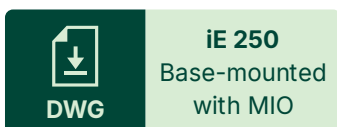
### 2.2 CAD drawings

#### DWG Drawings



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Front-mounted  
with MIO

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Display

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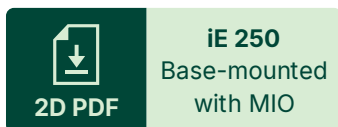
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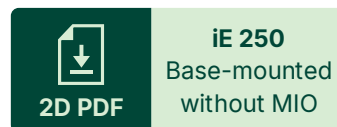
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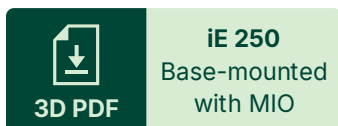
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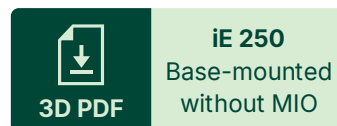
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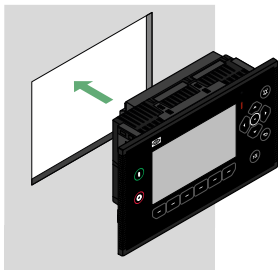
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## 2.3 Location

### 2.3.1 Front-mounted controller or display



The front-mounted controller is designed to be mounted in a panel, with its back in an enclosure.

For UL/cUL listing, it must be:

- Mounted on a flat surface of a type 1 enclosure.
- Installed in accordance with the NEC (US) or the CEC (Canada).

The equipment must be installed and operated in a clean and dry environment, as specified in the Data sheet.

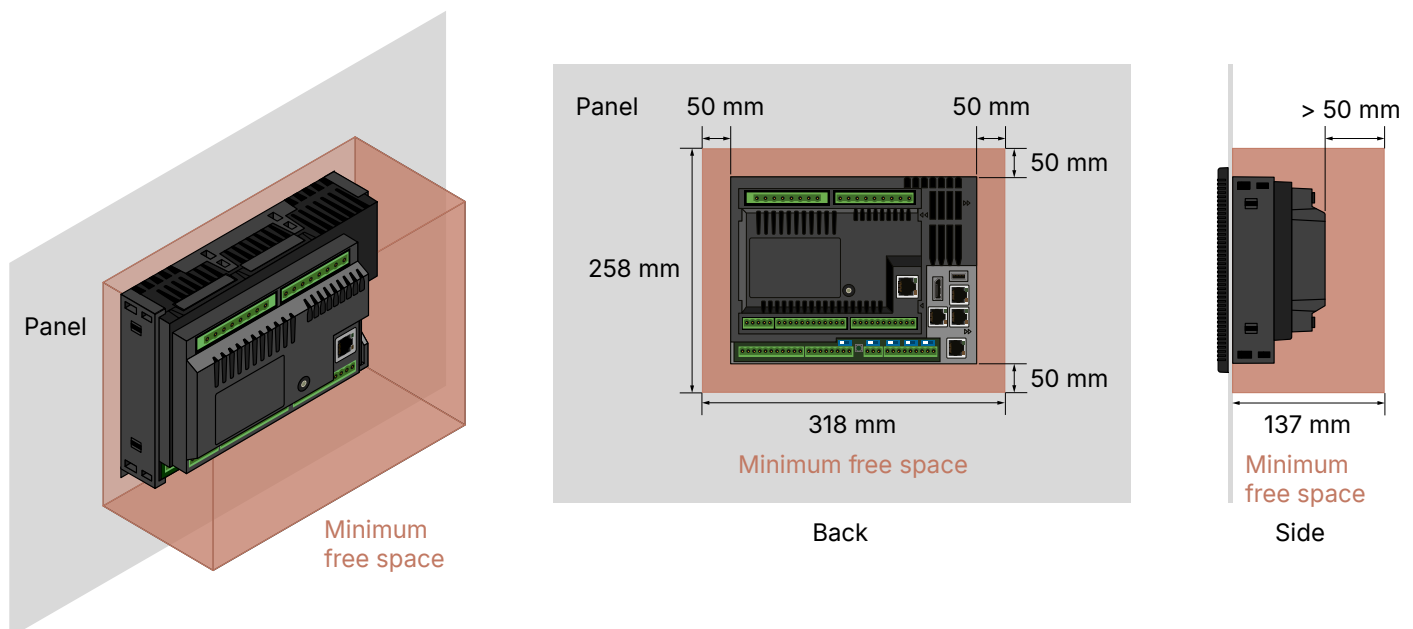
If the equipment is installed in an area subject to constant high vibrations, the equipment must be isolated from the vibrations. The installation environment must comply with the electrical, mechanical and environmental specifications of the equipment as described in the Data sheet.

#### Ventilation requirements and spacing

The back of the unit is not protected against dust. Dust accumulation may damage the unit or lead to overheating. We recommend mounting the unit in a cabinet with a filter on the air supply.

For proper ventilation, the unit must be mounted with its back vertical, and its long axis horizontal. The writing on the unit must be horizontal.

**NOTE** The display brightness may be affected if there is not enough ventilation.  
The cable routing must not block the ventilation holes.



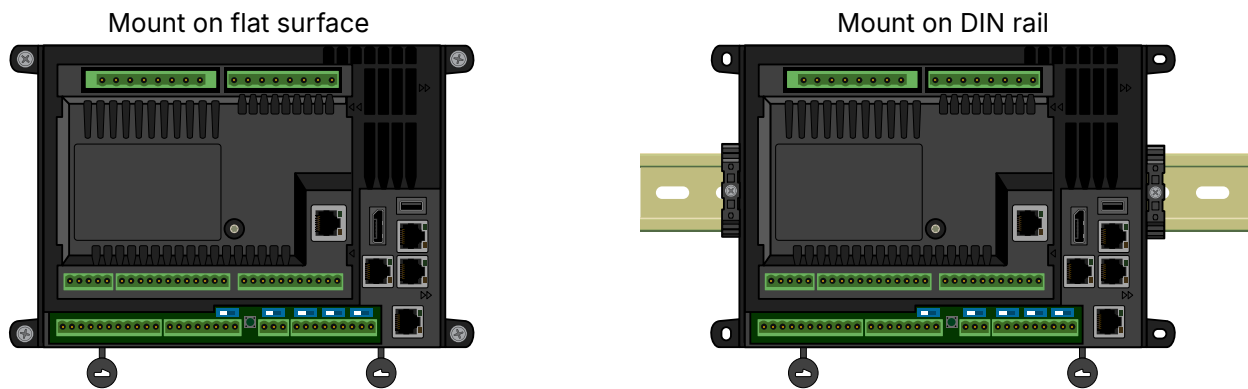
Inside the cabinet, there must be a minimum of 50 mm (2 in) free space above, below and at both sides of the unit. We recommend more than 50 mm (2 in) free space behind the unit for the cables and routing. Ethernet cables may require a minimum cable bend radius.

Total space requirement including minimum free space:

**Height:** 258 mm **Width:** 318 mm **Depth:** 137 mm

## 2.3.2 Base-mounted controller

The base-mounted controller can be either mounted on a flat surface with screws/bolts or directly on a DIN 35 rail.



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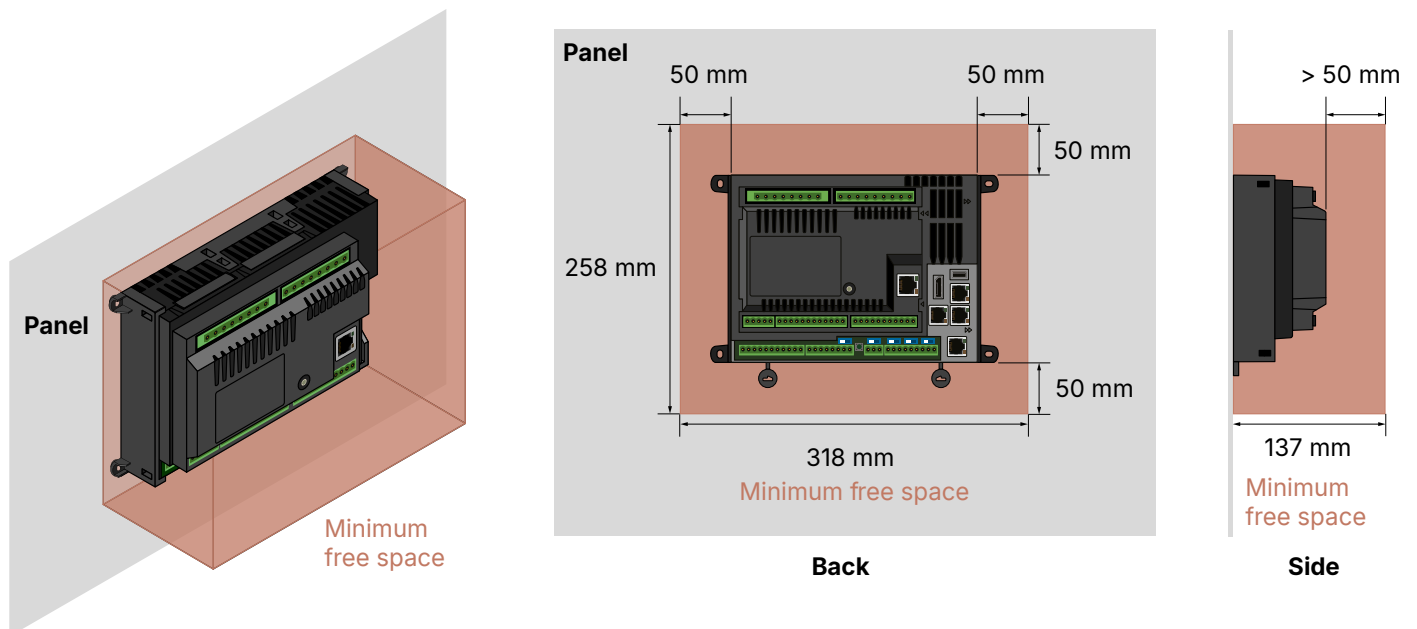
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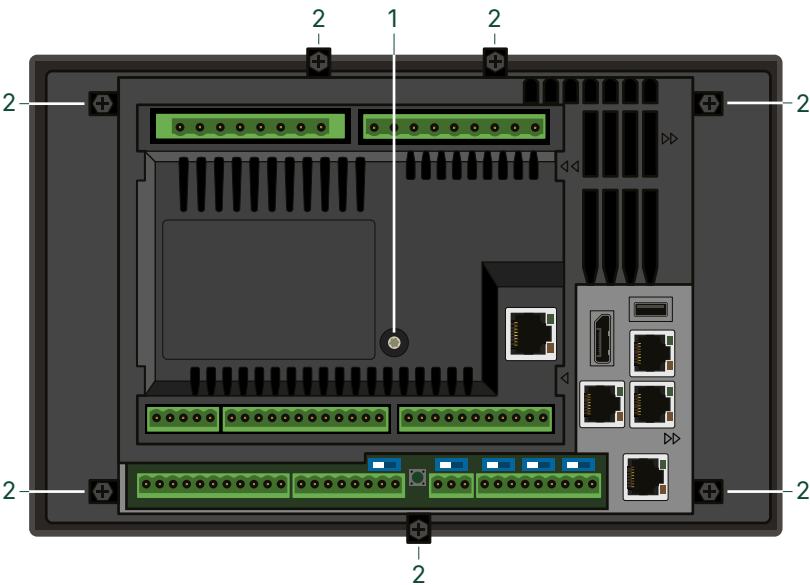
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Total space requirement including minimum free space:

**Height:** 258 mm **Width:** 318 mm **Depth:** 137 mm


2.4 Tools

2.4.1 Front-mounted controller or display



No.	Tool	Attachment	Torque	Used to
1.	Screwdriver	T15 (Torx plus 3.35 bit)	0.13 N·m (1.15 lb-in)	Remove or remount the MIO2.1 screw.
2.	Screwdriver	PH2 bit or a 5 mm (0.2 in) flat-bladed bit	0.1 N·m (0.9 lb-in)	Tighten the display unit fixing screw clamps.
-	Screwdriver	3 mm (0.12 in) flat-bladed bit	0.5 N·m (4.4 lb-in)	Connect the wiring to the 2.5 mm <sup>2</sup> terminals.
-	Wire stripper, pliers and cutters.	-	-	Prepare wiring. Trim cable ties.
-	Safety equipment	-	-	Personal protection according to local standards and requirements.
-	Conducting wrist strap	-	-	Prevent damage from electrostatic discharge.

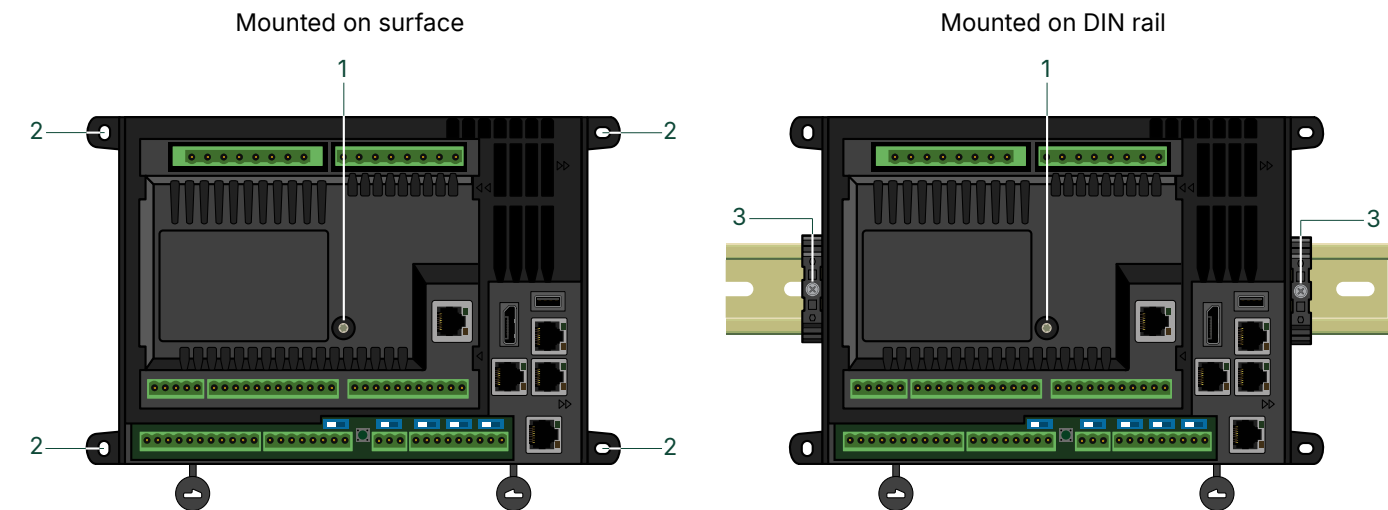
**NOTICE**

**Torque damage to equipment**

Do not use power tools during the installation. Too much torque damages the equipment.  
Follow the instructions for the correct amount of torque to apply.


2.4.2 Base-mounted controller

The base-mounted controller can either be mounted on a flat surface with screws/bolts or directly on a DIN rail.







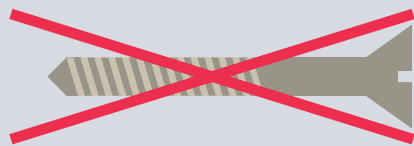
No.	Tool	Attachment	Torque	Used to
1.	Screwdriver	T15 (Torx plus 3.35 bit).	0.15 N·m (1.3 lb-in).	Remove or remount the MIO2.1 screw.
2.	Screwdriver	Same as fixing type.	Same as fixing type.	Mount or remove the controller screws.
3.	Screwdriver	Same as fixing type.	Minimum 0.4 N·m Maximum 0.5 N·m	Tighten the DIN rail fixing screw clamps.
-	Screwdriver	3 mm (0.12 in) flat-bladed bit	0.5 N·m (4.4 lb-in)	Connect the wiring to the 2.5 mm <sup>2</sup> terminals.
-	Wire stripper, pliers and cutters.	-	-	Prepare wiring. Trim cable ties.
-	Safety equipment	-	-	Personal protection according to local standards and requirements.
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## 2.5 Additional materials

Material	Version	Notes
Seven screw clamps	Front mount or display	To mount the controller or display in the front panel.  x 7 Supplied with product.
Four bolts or screws	Base mount or extension racks	To mount the controller on a flat surface, if not using the DIN rail fitting.  <b>Screws</b>   <b>Bolts</b>   Not supplied with product.   Do not use countersunk screws or bolts. 
Wires and connectors	ALL	Wiring measuring points, DEIF equipment or any third party equipment to the controller terminals. Terminal blocks for the controller are supplied with product.
Fuses	ALL	Protect the controller and the wiring.
DIN rail clamps	Base mount	For additional securing to a DIN rail.
Ethernet cables	ALL	Connecting the controller communication between controllers, extension racks, and/or external systems.
USB cable	Base mount	Connecting the controller to the display control.
DisplayPort cable	Base mount	Connecting the controller to the display screen.
CAN cables	ALL	Connecting an ECU and/or external systems.
RS-485 cables	ALL	Connecting the controller via the communication ports COM 1 or COM 2.

## 2.6 Personal Protective Equipment (PPE)

Follow all local requirements and regulations for wearing PPE while you install or wire the product.

**Example PPE but not limited to:**



Ear protection



Eye protection



Wear gloves



Protective clothing



## 2.7 Safety and precautions

When you install and wire the equipment, you may have to work with or near dangerous currents and voltages. The installation must only be carried out by authorised personnel who understand the risks involved in working with electrical equipment.

### Example safety precautions but not limited to:



Isolate power supply.



Ground the equipment.



Protect against static discharge.



Do not alter state during installation.



#### More information

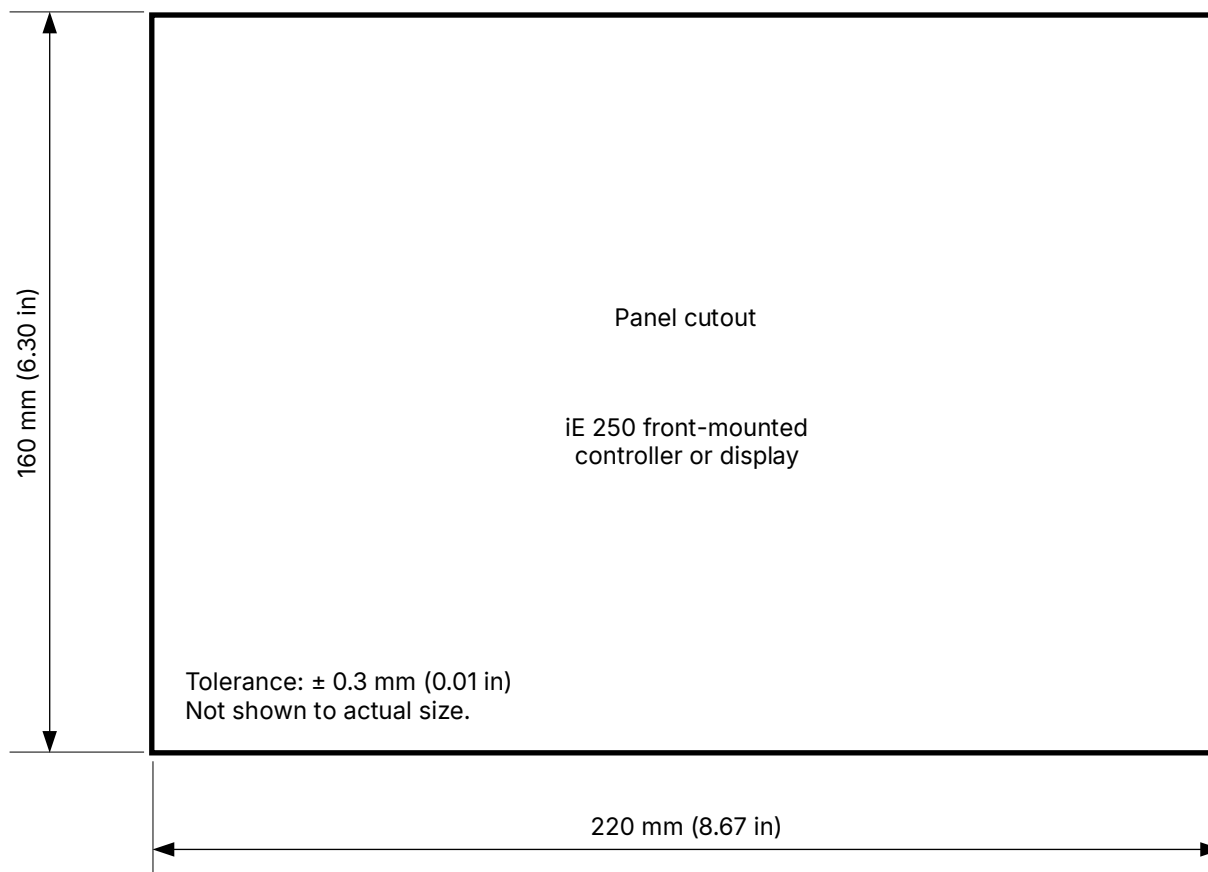
See [Warnings and safety](#) for full details of all precautions to take during installation.

## 3. Mount the equipment

### 3.1 Front-mounted controller or display

#### 3.1.1 Panel cutout

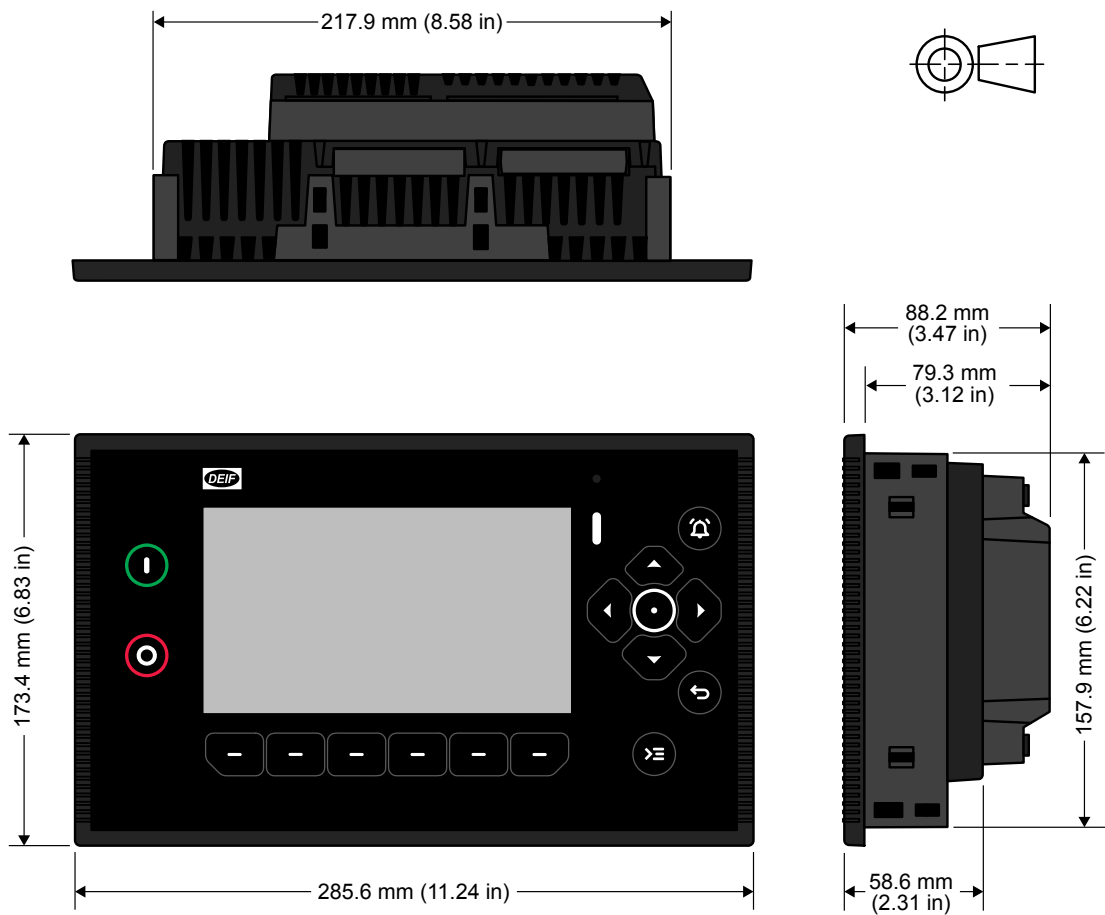
This panel cutout drawing is a guideline and not scale 1:1. The dimensions will not be correct when printed. Use the dimensions given to create your panel cutout template.



Panel thickness must be less than 10 mm (0.39 in).

3.1.2 Dimensions

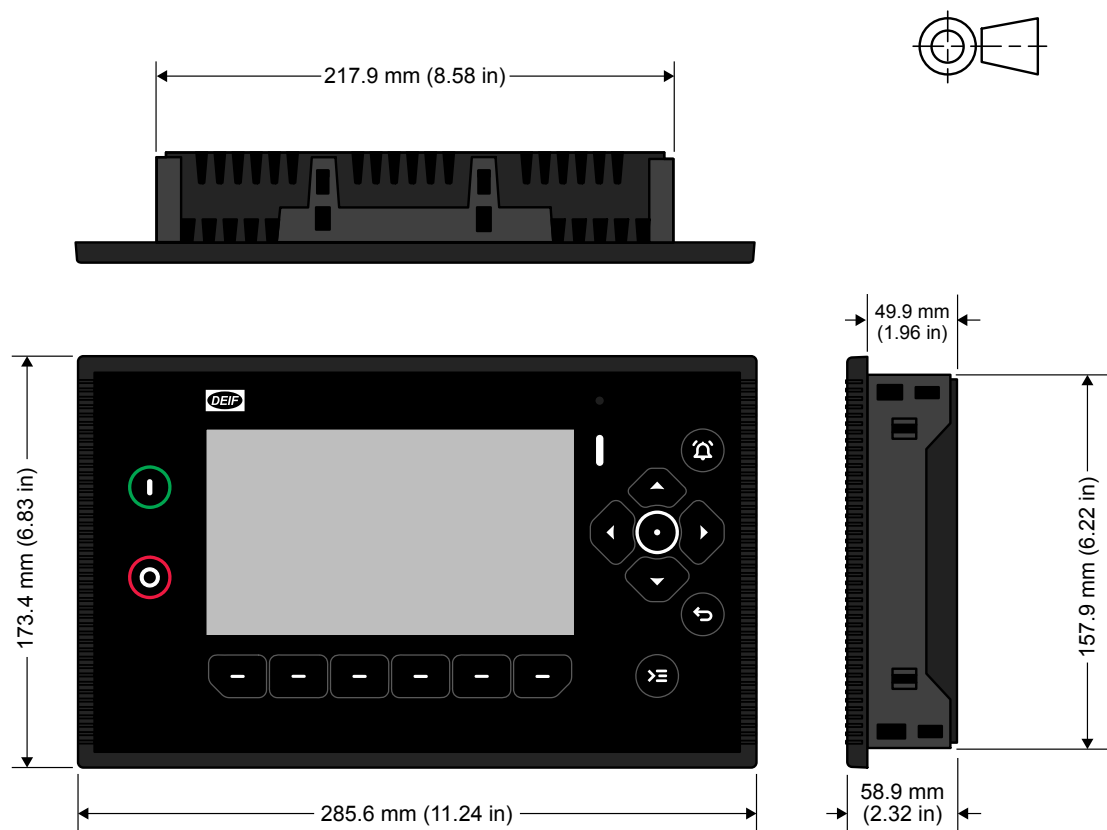
3.1.2.1 iE 250 (7"): Front-mounted controller with MIO2.1



Category	Specifications
Dimensions	<b>With MIO:</b> L×H×D: 285.6 × 173.4 × 88.2 mm (11.24 × 6.83 × 3.47 in) (outer frame)  <b>Without MIO:</b> L×H×D: 285.6 × 173.4 × 58.6 mm (11.24 × 6.83 × 2.30 in) (outer frame)
Panel cutout	L×H: 220 × 160 mm (8.67 × 6.30 in) Tolerance: ± 0.3 mm (0.01 in)
Weight	<b>With MIO:</b> ~ 1233 g (2.72 lb)

Category	Specifications
Display	7", Projected Capacitive (PCAP), Touch
Resolution	1024x600 pixels (px)
Brightness	1200 Cd/m2

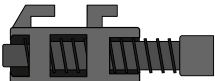
3.1.2.2 iE 7 display

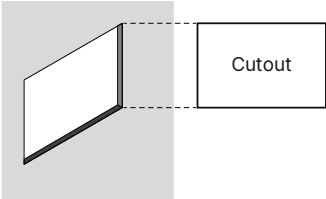



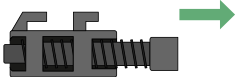
Category	Specifications
Dimensions	L×H×D: 285.6 × 173.4 × 58.9 mm (11.24 × 6.83 × 2.32 in) (outer frame)
Panel cutout	L×H: 220 × 160 mm (8.67 × 6.30 in)
Weight	840 g (1.9 lb)

Category	Specifications
Display	7", Projected Capacitive (PCAP), Touch
Resolution	1024x600 pixels (px)
Brightness	1200 Cd/m2
Processor	1.6 GHz quad-core industrial grade ARMv8 64 bit CPU with ECC protected cache

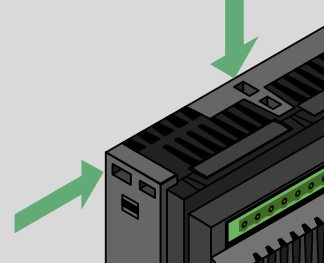
### 3.1.3 Mount the unit

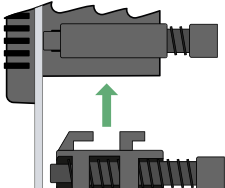
 x 7    The unit is mounted with seven fixing screw clamps (supplied).

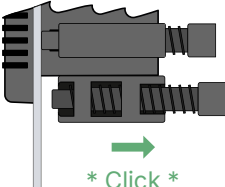
1.  Cut a rectangular hole in the panel to the correct size.
-  See [Panel cutout](#) for the dimensions of the cutout.
- Panel thickness must be less than 10 mm (0.39 in).

2.  Make sure that each fixing screw clamp is loosened to the position shown.
- Do not remove the fixing screw clamp completely from the holder.

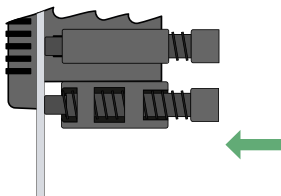
3.  Put the unit into the panel cutout.

4.  Locate the holes for the fixing screw clamps on the unit.

5.  Put each fixing screw clamp into the mounting holes.

6.  Slide each fixing screw clamp into position.
- \* Click \*

7.



Turn the fixing screw clamp until the unit is secure to the panel surface.

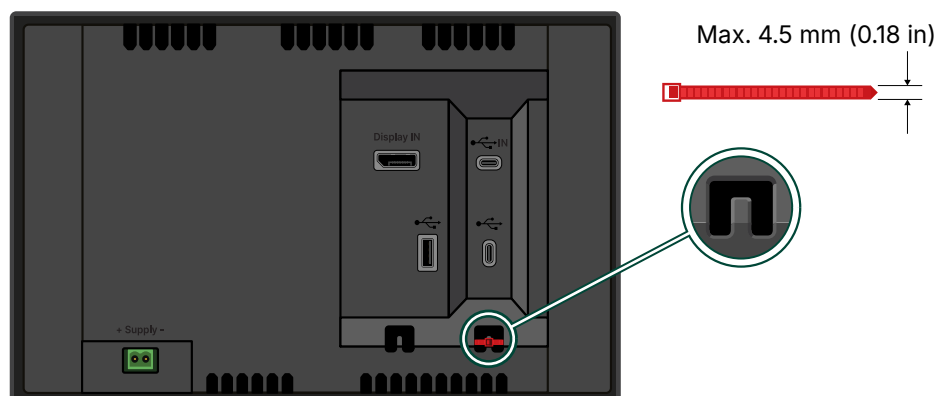
Do not exceed the recommended torque of 0.1 N·m (1.3 lb-in).

### 3.1.4 iE 7 Display cable strain relief

#### Cable tie slots

The iE 7 Display has two cable tie slots at the bottom of the display. For installations that may be subject to high vibrations, you must secure both the USB and DisplayPort cables using cable ties.

The maximum cable tie width is 4.5 mm (0.18 in).

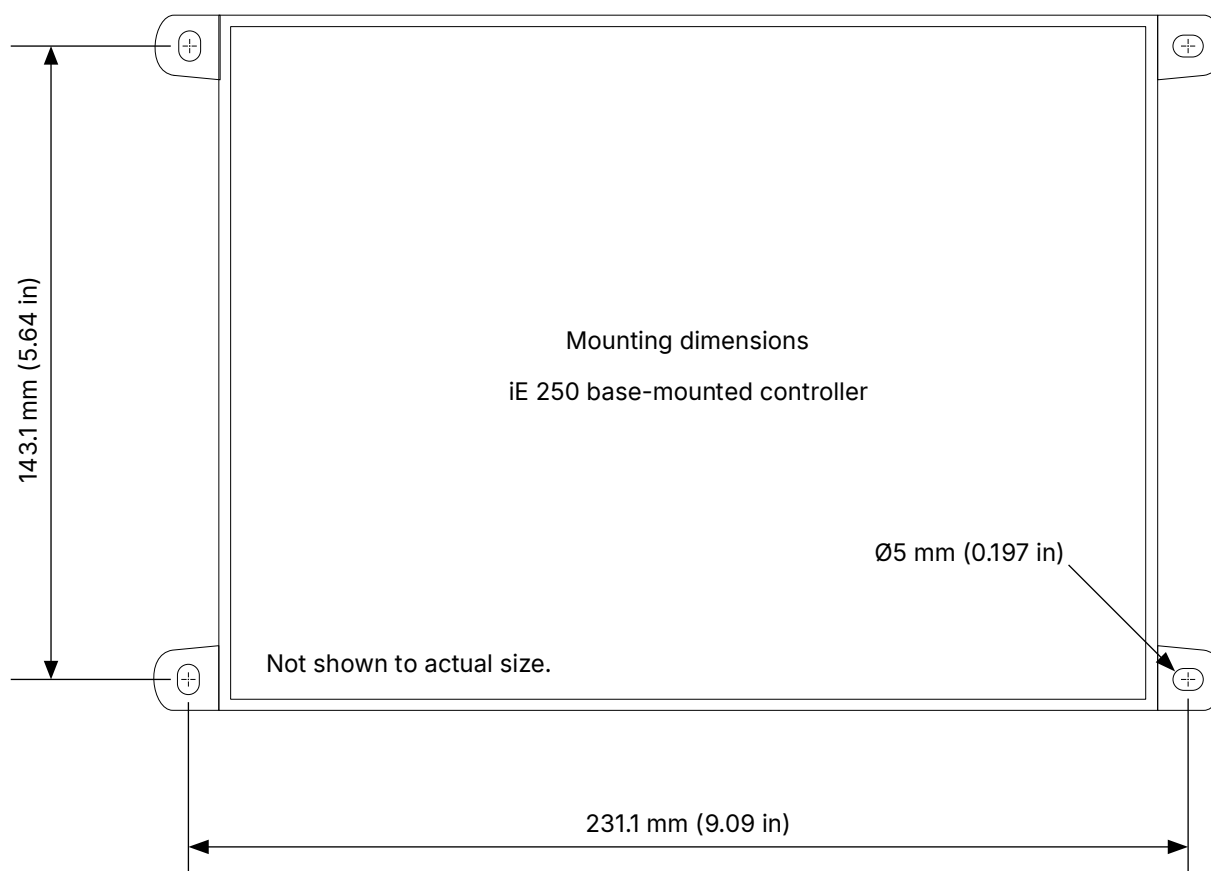




## 3.2 Base-mounted controller

### 3.2.1 Mounting hole dimensions

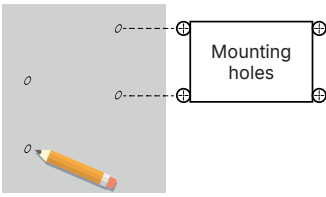
This dimension drawing is a guideline and not scale 1:1. The dimensions will not be correct when printed. Use the dimensions given to create your template.




### 3.2.2 Mount on flat surface

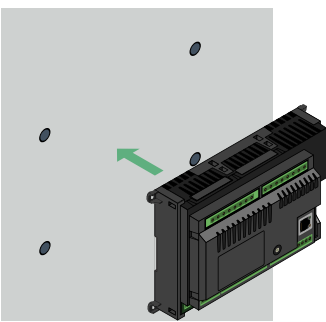
#### Fasteners for mounting the rack

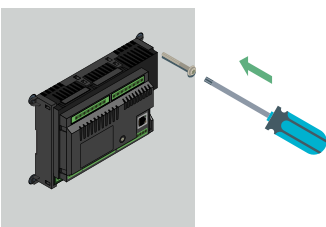
Fasteners for mounting are **not** supplied with the controller. The base mount fasteners must be able to support the weight of the rack and the wiring.

1.  Measure and mark the mounting holes on the surface.

 See [Mounting hole dimensions](#) for the location of the mounting holes.

2.  Drill and tap the holes for mounting the rack.

3.  Align the base mount unit to the holes, including any washer as needed.

4.  Tighten all the fasteners until the unit is attached to the surface.

Do not overtighten the fasteners and damage the frame.

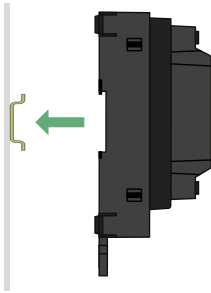
Do not exceed the recommended torque of 0.1 N·m (1.3 lb-in).

### 3.2.3 Mount on DIN rail

1. 

Make sure there is enough free space both around the controller and either side of the DIN rail.

📖 See [Base mount location](#) for the free space requirements.
2. 

Pull each DIN rail lock pin down and towards the middle of the controller, until they lock in place.
3. 

Place the controller over the DIN rail.
4. 

Move the controller down to hang on the DIN rail.
5. 

Make sure the controller remains flat over the DIN rail and push both DIN rail lock pins outwards until they lock in place.
6. 

Mount the DIN rail fixing clamps.

## 3.3 Add-on modules

### 3.3.1 No hot swapping modules



**DANGER!**

#### **Do not hot swap modules**



It is not allowed to hot swap any modules. Hot swapping modules can be extremely dangerous to both personnel and the equipment.

Make sure the system is shutdown and power supply has been isolated and switched off.



Isolate the power supply.



Protect the modules against static discharge.



Do not alter state during installation.



Avoid touching the PCB or terminal pins.



#### **More information**

See [Warnings and safety](#) for full details of all precautions to take during installation.

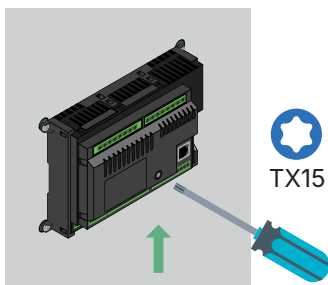
### 3.3.2 Remove add-on module

1. Protect the add-on modules against static discharge.

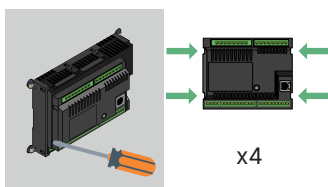


It is recommended to use a wrist strap connection to protect against Electrostatic discharge (ESD).

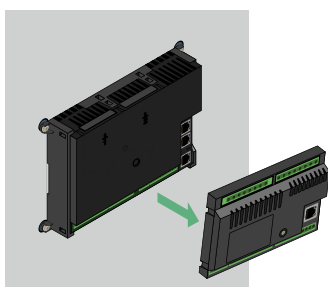
2. Use a T15 / TX15 bit on a long-nosed screwdriver to unscrew the add-on module.



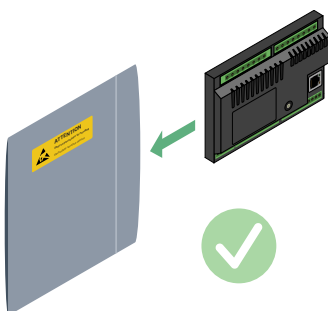
3. Locate and use a flat blade screwdriver to unclip the add-on module.



4. Remove the add-on module.



5. Put the add-on module in an ESD protective package when not installed in the controller.



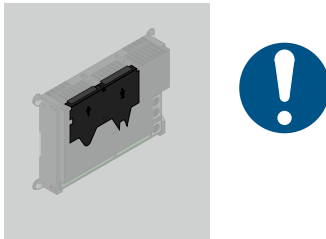
### 3.3.3 Attach add-on module

1. Protect the add-on modules against static discharge.

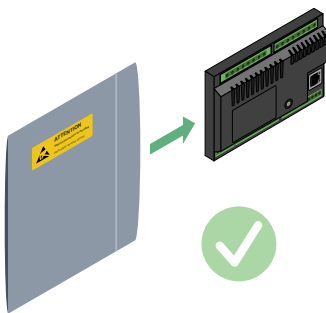


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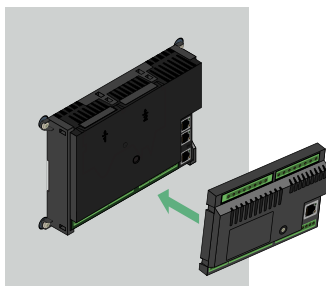
2. Make sure the plug-in module cover is in place.



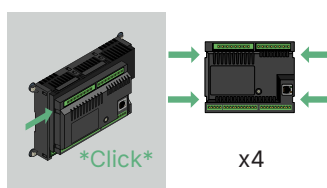
3. Remove the add-on module from the ESD protective package.



4. Align the add-on module with the PCB connector and 4 clip locations.

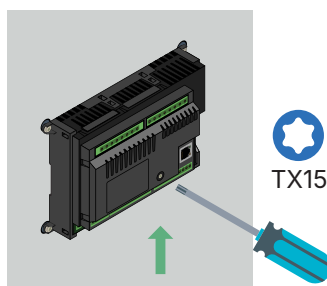


5. Hook the left side on first and then the right side.



Push the add-on module onto the controller, make sure all 4 locations are clipped into place.

6. Use a T15 / TX15 bit on a long-nosed screwdriver to tighten the add-on module.



Do not exceed the recommended torque of 0.13 N·m (1.3 lb-in).



## 3.4 Plug-in modules

### 3.4.1 No hot swapping modules



**DANGER!**

#### **Do not hot swap modules**



It is not allowed to hot swap any modules. Hot swapping modules can be extremely dangerous to both personnel and the equipment.

Make sure the system is shutdown and power supply has been isolated and switched off.



Isolate the power supply.



Protect the modules against static discharge.



Do not alter state during installation.



Avoid touching the PCB or terminal pins.



#### **More information**

See [Warnings and safety](#) for full details of all precautions to take during installation.

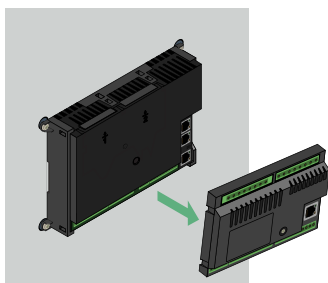
### 3.4.2 Remove plug-in module

1. Protect the plug-in modules against static discharge.



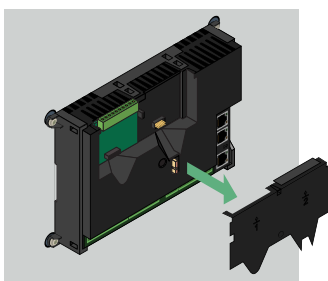
It is recommended to use a wrist strap connection to protect against Electrostatic discharge (ESD).

2. The add-on module must not be attached to remove the plug-in modules.

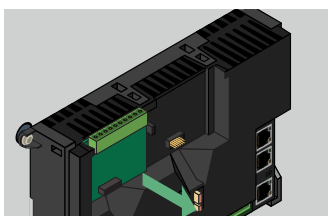


See [Remove add-on module](#) for how to remove the add-on module.

3. Remove the cover over the 2 plug-in slots.

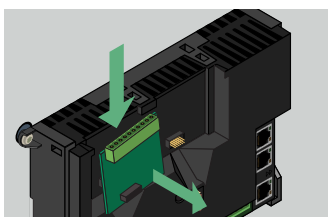


4. Carefully pull the bottom of the PCB to disconnect the terminal block.

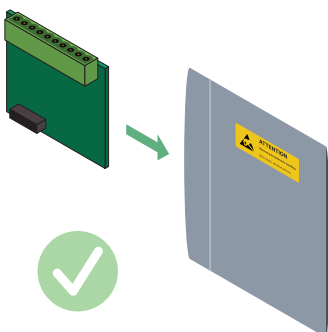


If needed, only use a plastic chisel or similar plastic tool.

5. Pull the plug-in module down and away from the controller.



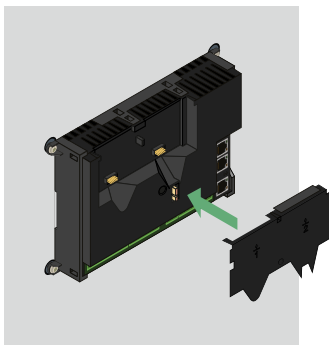
6. Hold the module by the outer edge only.



Do **not** touch the PCB.

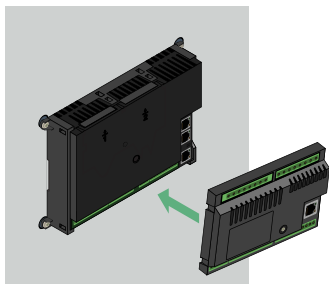
Put the module in an ESD protective package when not installed in the controller.

7.



Attach the cover over the 2 plug-in slots.

8.



The add-on module can now be remounted.

📖 See [Attach add-on module](#) for how to attach the add-on module.

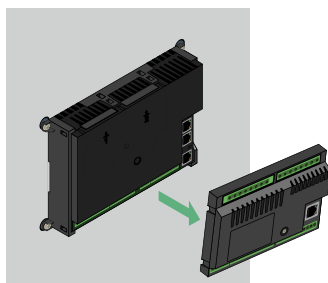
### 3.4.3 Attach plug-in module

1. Protect the plug-in modules against static discharge.



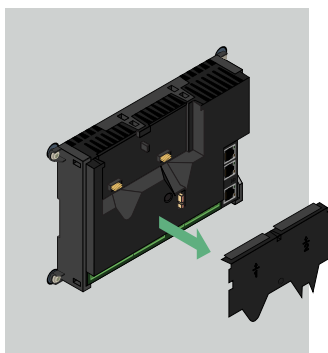
It is recommended to use a wrist strap connection to protect against Electrostatic discharge (ESD).

2. The add-on module must not be attached to install the plug-in modules.



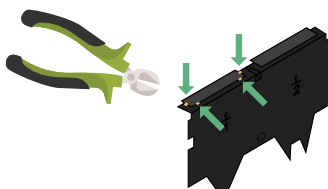
See [Remove add-on module](#) for how to remove the add-on module.

3. Remove the cover over the 2 plug-in slots.

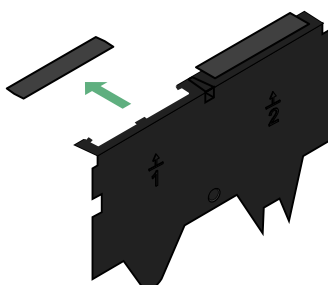


Release the snaplock in the holes marked with two arrows.

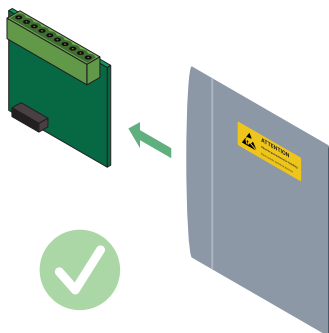
4. Cut the 4 lugs holding the slot cover.



5. Remove the slot cover.



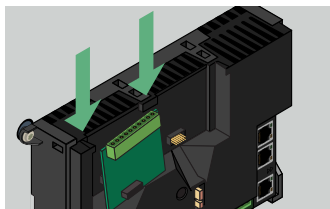
6. Remove the module from the ESD protective package.



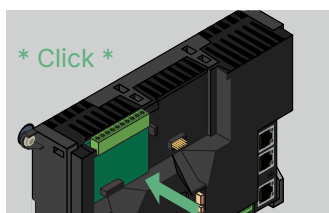
Hold the module by the outer edge only.

Do **not** touch the PCB.

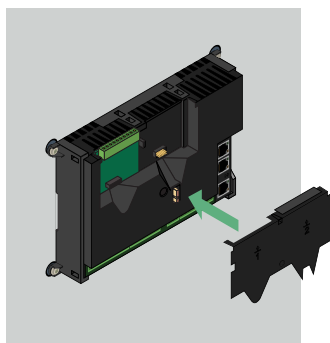
7. Hook the plug-in module in the top and tilt the PCB down without any force to the terminal block.



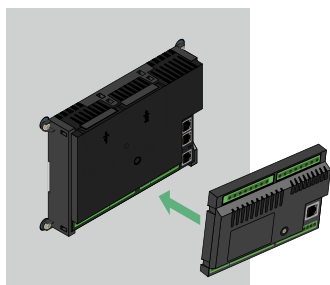
8. Make sure the terminal block on the PCB is aligned, and push the bottom of the PCB until the plug-in module clicks into position.



9. Hook the cover at the top and turn the cover downwards over the 2 plug-in slots.



10. The add-on module can now be remounted.



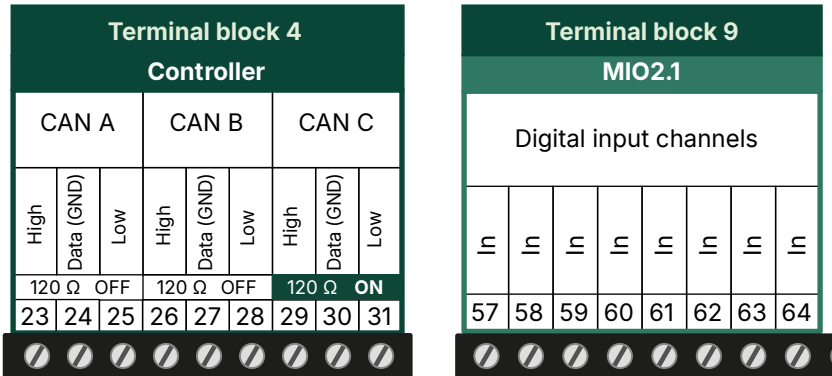
See [Attach add-on module](#) for how to attach the add-on module.

## 4. Wiring the equipment

### 4.1 About the wiring

#### 4.1.1 Terminal locations

The example wiring in this manual shows if the terminals are located on the **Controller** or **MIO2.1**.



Some connections can be reconfigured to other terminals or hardware if needed.



#### More information

See [About the terminal connections](#) for an overview of the terminals.

#### 4.1.2 Bi-directional channels

Selected hardware has bi-directional channels. These can be configured as either input or output.

#### Mixed use with inputs and outputs

It is possible to use a mixture of inputs and outputs on the same terminal block.



#### More information

See [Digital bi-directional channel on the controller](#).

See [Digital bi-directional channels on the MIO](#).

See [Digital bi-directional channels on a plug-in module](#).

See [Analogue bi-directional channels on the controller](#).

See [Analogue bi-directional channels on a plug-in module](#).

#### 4.1.3 Recommended fuses

Fuse		Block	Terminal(s)	Function	Rating
F1	Controller	1	1	DC (+)	5 A DC max. time-delay fuse/MCB, c-curve *
F2	Controller	1	7	DC (+)	2 A DC max. time-delay fuse/MCB, b-curve
F3	MIO2.1	8	46	DC (+)	3 A DC max. time-delay fuse/MCB, b-curve
F4	MIO2.1	8	52	DC (+)	2 A DC max. time-delay fuse/MCB, b-curve
F5	MIO2.1	6	78 to 81	A-side voltage measurement	2 A AC max. time-delay fuse/MCB, c-curve
F6	MIO2.1	6	83 to 86	B-side voltage measurement	2 A AC max. time-delay fuse/MCB, c-curve
F7	Display	1	1	DC (+)	2 A DC max. time-delay fuse/MCB, c-curve

## NOTICE



### **Recommended fuse for high current draw**

\* For F1, if the supply is used for the crank or another high current draw can make the voltage drop below 12 V, then use a 6 A DC max. time-delay fuse/MCB, c-curve.

## **4.1.4 Network communication**

The controllers can communicate over their network connections.

### **Extension rack communication**

The controllers communicate with extension racks over [EtherCAT and extension rack connections](#).

### **Ethernet communication**

The controllers use [Ethernet communication](#) to communicate with external equipment.

## **4.1.5 Technical specifications**

You can find all of the technical specifications in the Data sheet:

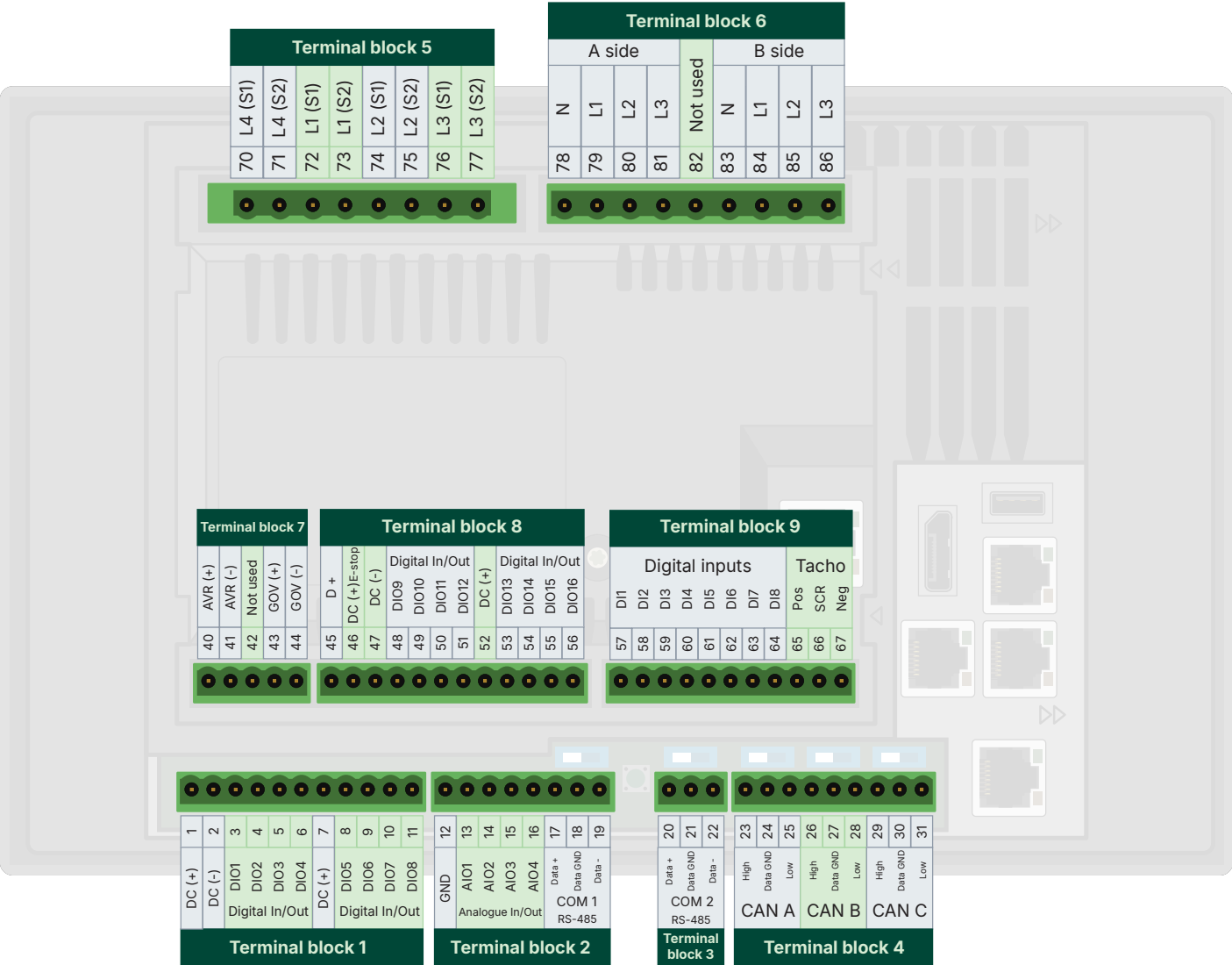
- [iE 250 PLC Data sheet](#)

4.2 Terminal connections

4.2.1 About the terminal connections

Only use the terminal blocks supplied by DEIF. Do not use substitutes.

Terminals for Controller with MIO2.1

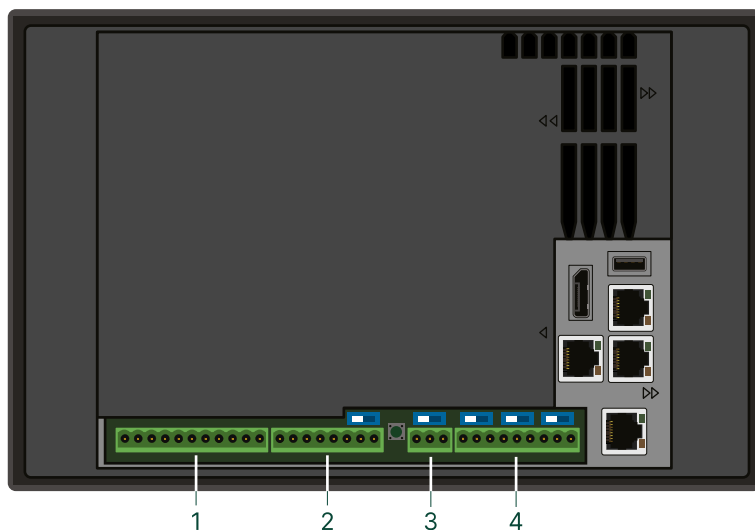


No.	Location	Connections
Terminal block 1	Controller	Power / Digital bi-directional channels
Terminal block 2	Controller	Analogue bi-directional channels / COM1
Terminal block 3	Controller	COM2
Terminal block 4	Controller	CAN communication
Terminal block 5	MIO2.1	AC current
Terminal block 6	MIO2.1	AC voltage A-side, B-side
Terminal block 7	MIO2.1	Analogue outputs
Terminal block 8	MIO2.1	D+ / Digital bi-directional channels
Terminal block 9	MIO2.1	Digital input channels / Tacho



No.	Location	Connections
	PIM-8DIO	Digital bi-directional channels
	PIM-4AIO	Analogue bi-directional channels

## 4.2.2 Front-mounted or base-mounted controller



### Terminal block 1 : Power / Digital bi-directional channels

Terminal	Function	Notes
1	Supply, DC (+)	Positive (+) supply for controller, channels 1 to 4 (terminals 3 to 6).
2	Supply, DC (-)	Negative (-) supply, common for channels 1 to 8 (terminals 3 to 11).
3	Digital bi-directional channel 1	<b>Modes</b> Disabled Digital input (sourcing) negative switching Digital output (sourcing) high side driving Digital output (sourcing) with wire break detection
4	Digital bi-directional channel 2	
5	Digital bi-directional channel 3	
6	Digital bi-directional channel 4	
7	Supply, DC (+)	Positive (+) supply for channels 5 to 8 (terminals 8 to 11)
8	Digital bi-directional channel 5	<b>Modes</b> Disabled Digital input (sourcing) negative switching Digital output (sourcing) high side driving Digital output (sourcing) with wire break detection
9	Digital bi-directional channel 6	
10	Digital bi-directional channel 7	
11	Digital bi-directional channel 8	

### Terminal block 2 : Analogue bi-directional channels / COM1

Terminal	Function	Notes
12	GND	Common for analogue channels
13	Analogue bi-directional channel 1	
14	Analogue bi-directional channel 2	
15	Analogue bi-directional channel 3	
16	Analogue bi-directional channel 4	
17	COM1 Data + (A)	The built-in end resistor can be used for termination.
18	COM1 Data (GND)	
19	COM1 Data - (B)	

### Terminal block 3 : COM2

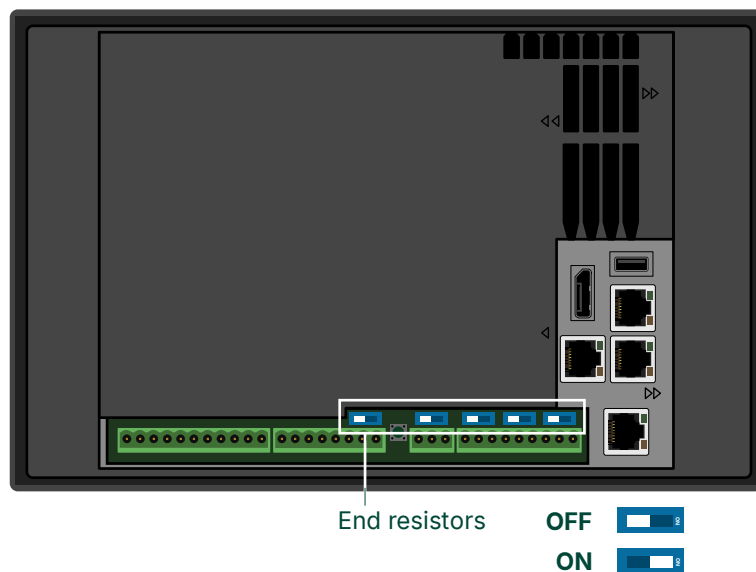
Terminal	Function	Notes
20	COM2 Data + (A)	The built-in end resistor can be used for termination.
21	COM2 Data (GND)	
22	COM2 Data - (B)	

### Terminal block 4 : CAN

Terminal	Function	Notes
23	CAN A High	The built-in end resistor can be used for termination.
24	CAN A Data (GND)	
25	CAN A Low	
26	CAN B High	The built-in end resistor can be used for termination.
27	CAN B Data (GND)	
28	CAN B Low	
29	CAN C High	The built-in end resistor can be used for termination.
30	CAN C Data (GND)	
31	CAN C Low	

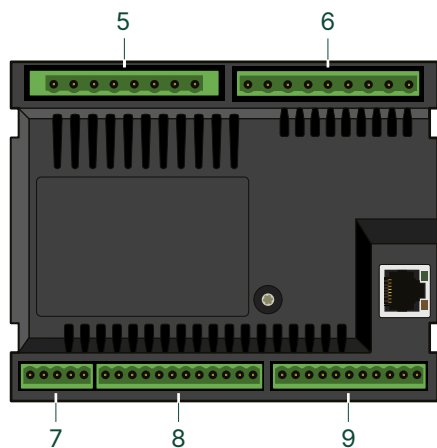
### End resistors for CAN or COM (120 $\Omega$ Ohm)

Each COM and CAN connection can be terminated with the built-in end resistors located above the connection. Set the switch to **ON** to use the end resistor for the communication. The default setting is **OFF**.



### 4.2.3 Add-on modules

#### 4.2.3.1 Measurement Input Output module (MIO2.1)



##### Terminal block 5: AC current

Terminal	Function	Notes
70	L4 (S1)	You can use S1 or S2 for the ground connection.
71	L4 (S2)	
72	L1 (S1)	You can use S1 or S2 for the ground connection.
73	L1 (S2)	
74	L2 (S1)	You can use S1 or S2 for the ground connection.
75	L2 (S2)	
76	L3 (S1)	You can use S1 or S2 for the ground connection.
77	L3 (S2)	

##### Terminal block 6: AC voltage A-side, B-side

Terminal	Function	Notes
78	N	A-side voltage measurements
79	L1	
80	L2	
81	L3	
82	Not used	B-side voltage measurements
83	N	
84	L1	
85	L2	
86	L3	

##### Terminal block 7: Analogue output

Terminal	Function	Notes
40	AO1 (+)	
41	AO1 (-)	
42	Not used	

Terminal	Function	Notes
43	AO2 (+)	
44	AO2 (-)	

#### Terminal block 8: Digital bi-directional channels and D+

Terminal	Function	Notes
45	D+	D+ alternator field winding.
46	DC (+) *	Positive (+) supply for channels 9 to 12 (terminals 48 to 51) and D+ (terminal 45). Supply for digital inputs 1 to 8 (terminals 57 to 64). **
47	DC (-)	Negative (-) supply for channels 9 to 16 (terminals 48 to 51, and 53 to 56). Common ground for digital inputs 1 to 8.
48	Digital bi-directional channel 9	Can be input or output also within groups, no hardware restrictions on mixed channels. <b>Modes</b> Disabled Digital input (sourcing) negative switching Digital output (sourcing) high side driving Digital output (sourcing) with wire break detection
49	Digital bi-directional channel 10	
50	Digital bi-directional channel 11	
51	Digital bi-directional channel 12	
52	DC (+) *	Positive (+) supply for channels 13 to 16 (terminals 53 to 56). Supply for digital inputs 1 to 8 (terminals 57 to 64).
53	Digital bi-directional channel 13	Can be input or output also within groups, no hardware restrictions on mixed channels. <b>Modes</b> Disabled Digital input (sourcing) negative switching Digital output (sourcing) high side driving Digital output (sourcing) with wire break detection
54	Digital bi-directional channel 14	
55	Digital bi-directional channel 15	
56	Digital bi-directional channel 16	

**NOTE** \* This terminal can be used for an e-stop power cut-off. For more information, see [E-stop power cut-off](#).

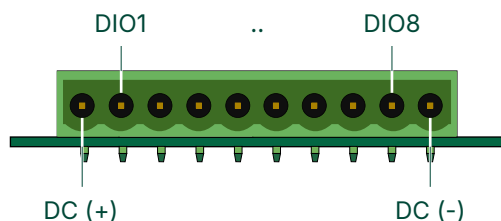
#### Terminal block 9: Digital input channels and tacho

Terminal	Function	Notes
57	Digital input 1 *	Digital input (sourcing) (negative switching) Digital input (sinking) (positive switching)
58	Digital input 2 *	
59	Digital input 3 *	
60	Digital input 4 *	
61	Digital input 5 *	
62	Digital input 6 *	
63	Digital input 7 *	
64	Digital input 8 *	
65	Tacho Pos.	Tacho inputs MPU, W, NPN, or PNP.
66	Tacho SCR	Tacho inputs MPU, W, NPN, or PNP.
67	Tacho Neg	Tacho inputs MPU, W, NPN, or PNP.

**NOTE** \* A DC (+) supply (terminals 46 and/or 52) must be powered for digital inputs 1 to 8 (terminals 57 to 64).

## 4.2.4 Plug-in modules

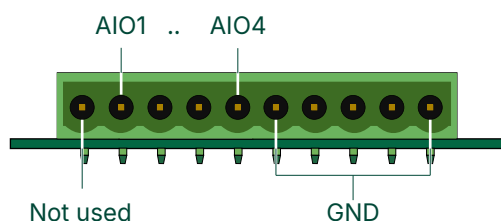
### 4.2.4.1 8 Digital bi-directional channels module (PIM-8DIO)



#### Terminal block : Digital bi-directional channels

Terminal	Function	Notes
99 / 109	DC (+)	Positive (+) supply for digital channels
98 / 108	Digital bi-directional channel 1	Can be input or output also within groups, no hardware restrictions on mixed channels. <b>Modes</b> Disabled Digital input (sourcing) negative switching Digital output (sourcing) high side driving Digital output (sourcing) with wire break detection
97 / 107	Digital bi-directional channel 2	
96 / 106	Digital bi-directional channel 3	
95 / 105	Digital bi-directional channel 4	
94 / 104	Digital bi-directional channel 5	
93 / 103	Digital bi-directional channel 6	
92 / 102	Digital bi-directional channel 7	
91 / 101	Digital bi-directional channel 8	
90 / 100	DC (-)	Negative (-) supply for digital channels

### 4.2.4.2 4 Analogue bi-directional channels module (PIM-4AIO)



#### Terminal block : Analogue bi-directional channels

Terminal	Function	Notes
99 / 109	Not used	
98 / 108	Analogue bi-directional channel 1	
97 / 107	Analogue bi-directional channel 2	
96 / 106	Analogue bi-directional channel 3	
95 / 105	Analogue bi-directional channel 4	
90..94 / 100..104 *	GND	Common for analogue channels

**NOTE** \* Terminals 90 to 94 are connected internally. Terminals 100 to 104 are connected internally. You can therefore use any of these terminals as the GND.

## 4.3 AC wiring

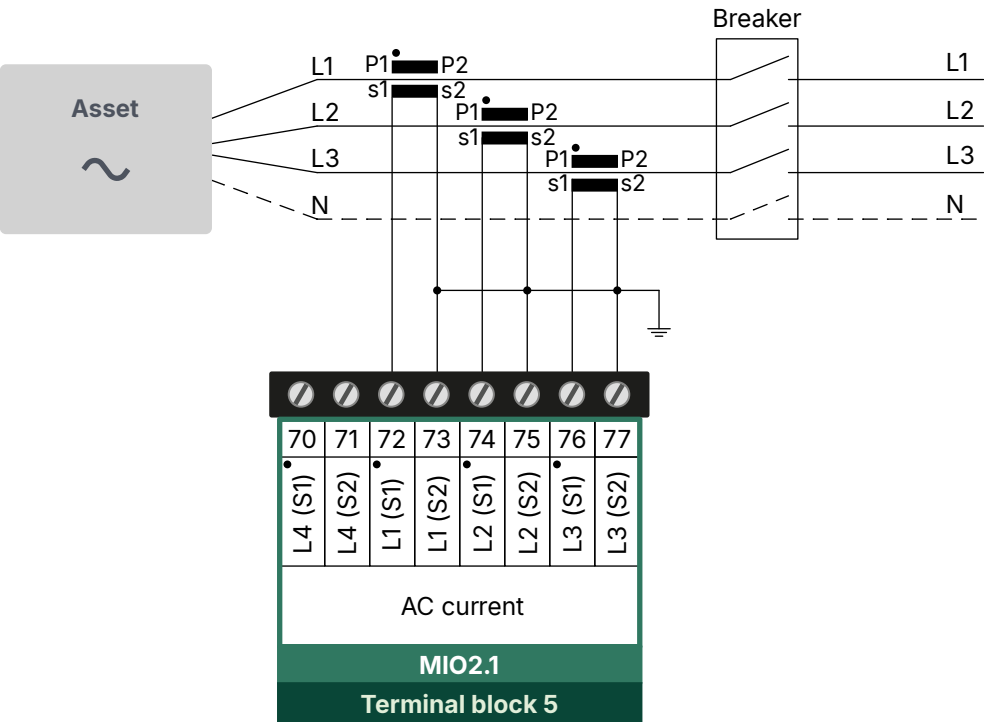
### 4.3.1 Current transformer 3-phase wiring

The current transformer ground connection can be made on S1 or S2 connection.

**DANGER!**

**Failure to ground a current transformer could lead to injury or death**  
Make sure that each current transformer is grounded.

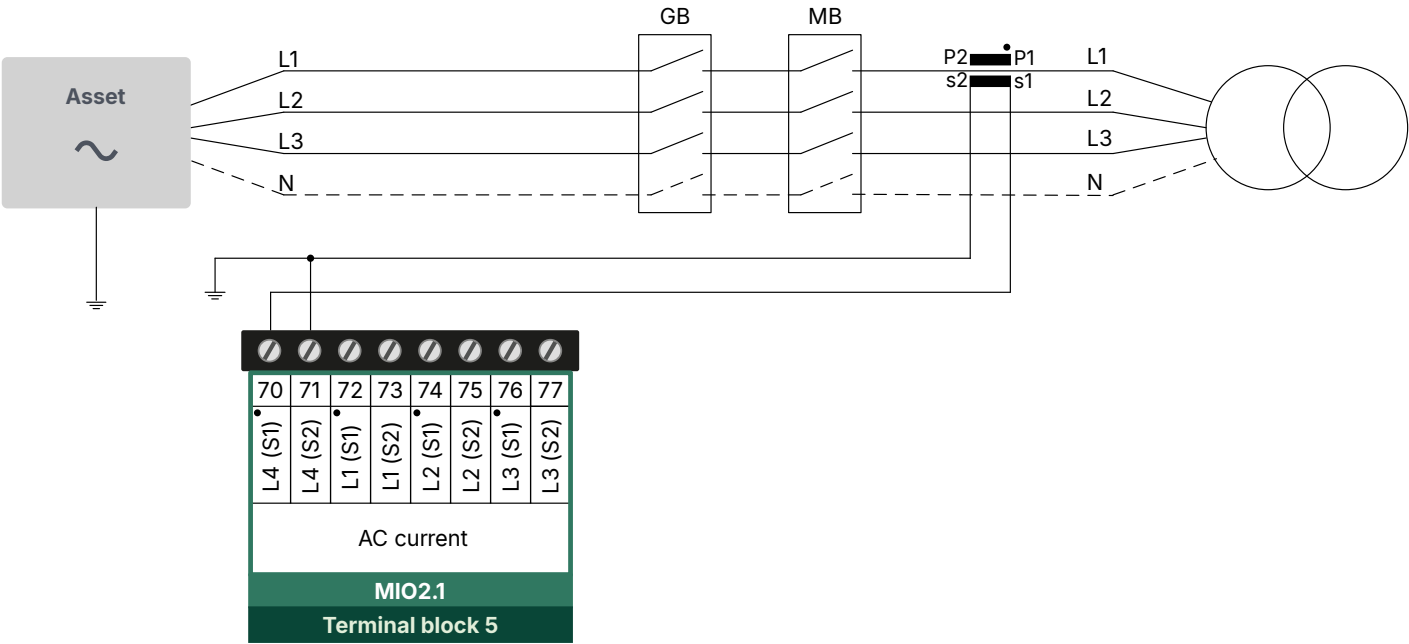
#### Current transformers for 3-phase application



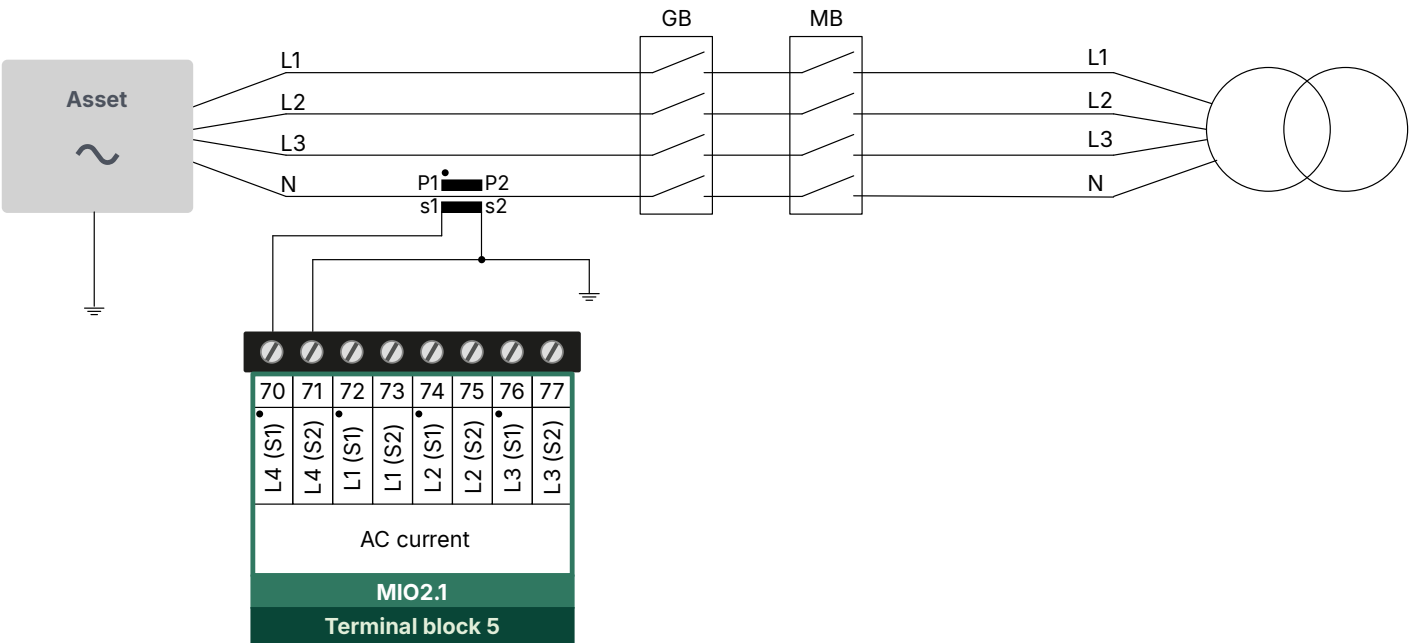
### 4.3.2 Current transformer L4 wiring

The L4 terminals can be used to measure AC current.

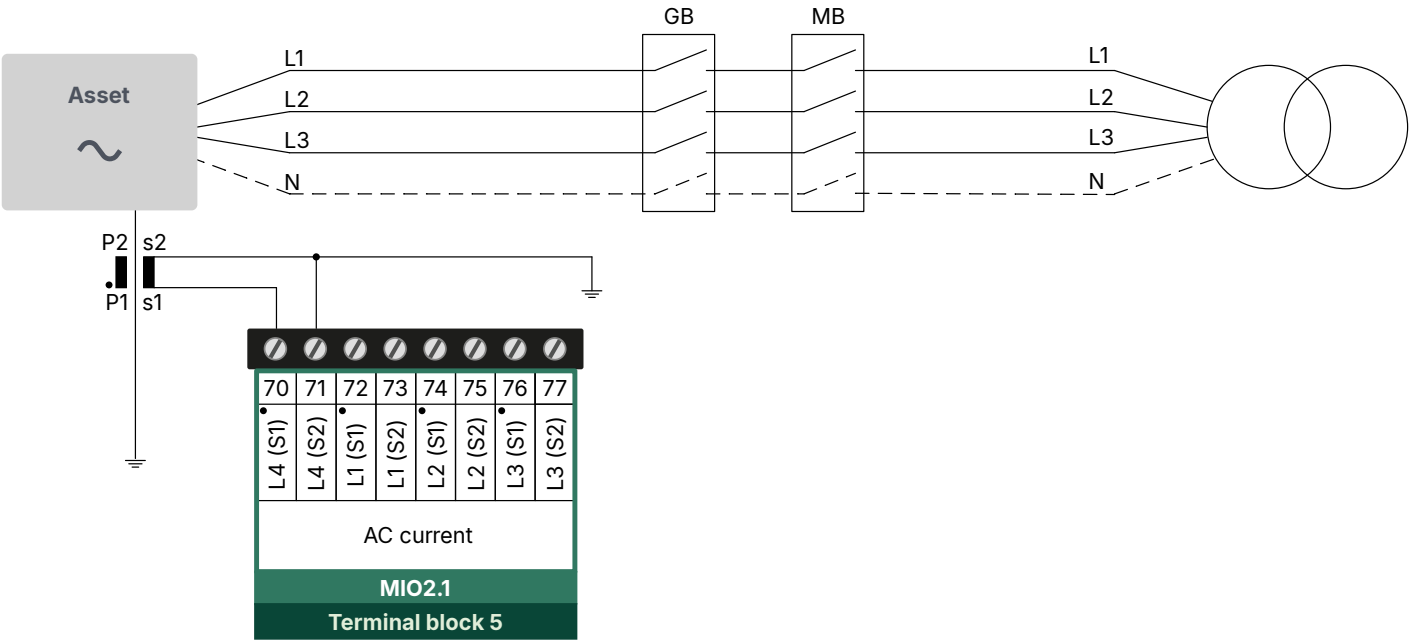
External power



Neutral current



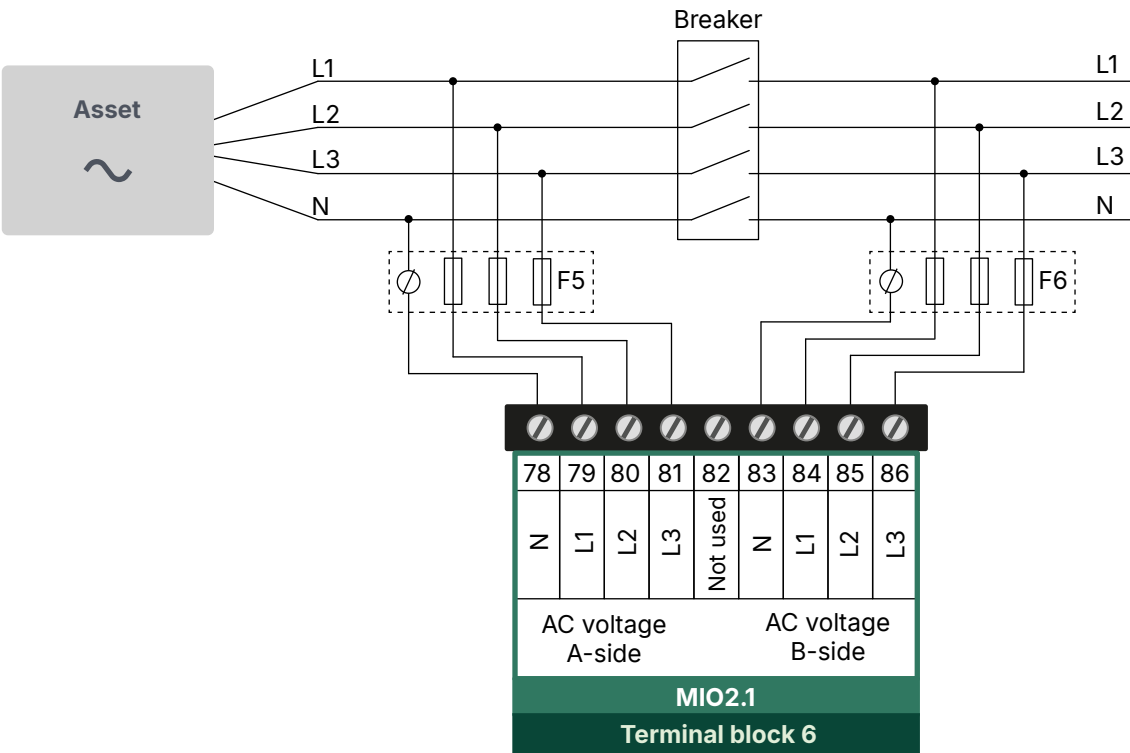
Earth current



4.3.3 Voltage measurement wiring

If the wires/cables must be protected with fuses, use max. 2 A time-delay fuses, dependent on the wires/cables to be protected.

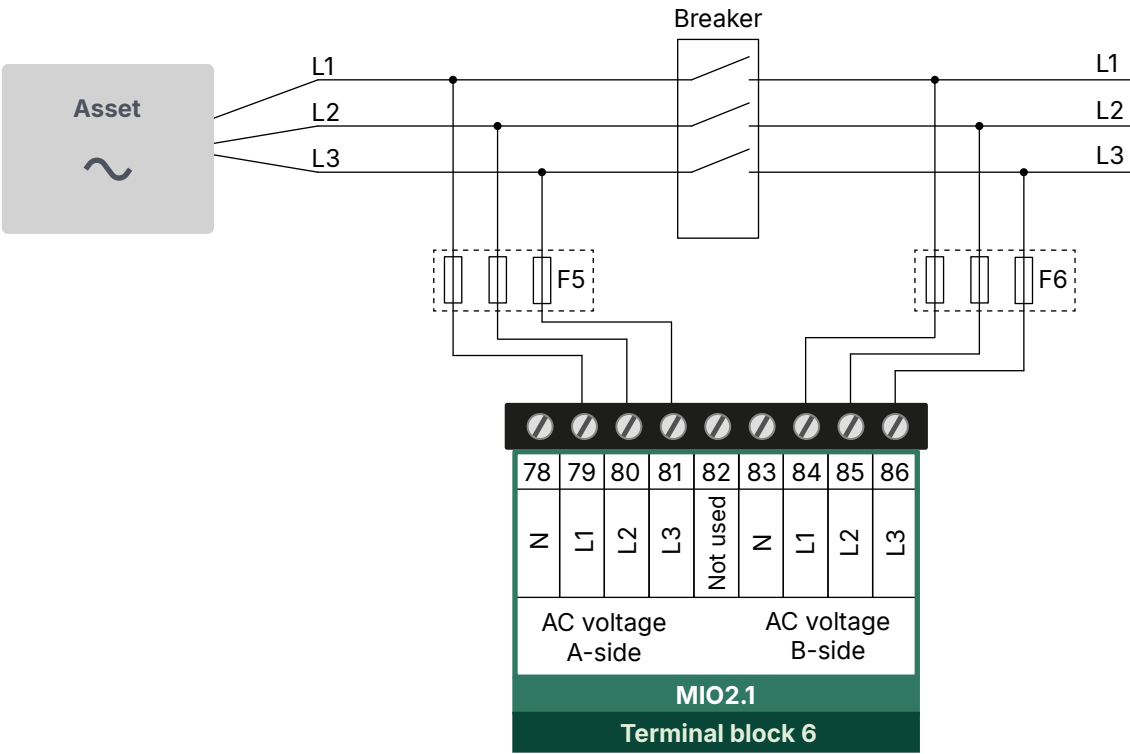
Voltage measurements for 3-phase application (4 wires)



F6, F7: 2 A AC max. fuse/MCB, c-curve



Voltage measurements for 3-phase application (3 wires)



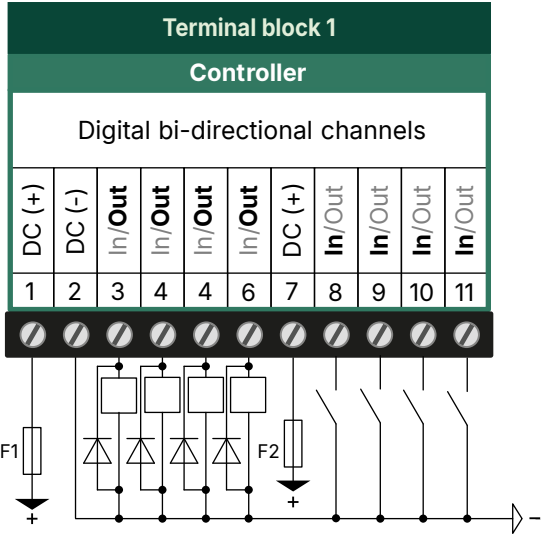
F6, F7: 2 A AC max. fuse/MCB, c-curve

4.4 DC wiring

4.4.1 Digital inputs and outputs

4.4.1.1 Digital bi-directional channels on the controller

Digital inputs (negative switching) and outputs (sourcing) (example)



**NOTE** The DC (+) supply on terminals 7 must be powered for the channels on terminals 8 to 11 to work.

Fuses

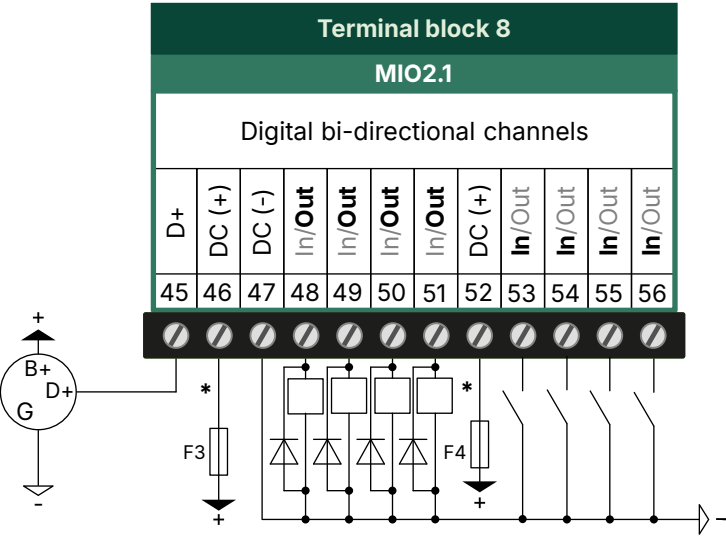
F1: 5 A DC max. time-delay fuse/MCB, c-curve

F2: 2 A DC max. time-delay fuse/MCB, b-curve

4.4.1.2 Digital bi-directional channels on the MIO

**NOTE** The DC (+) supply (terminals 46 and/or 52) must be powered for these channels to work. The DC (-) (terminal 47) must also be connected.

Digital inputs (negative switching) and outputs (sourcing) (example)



Fuses

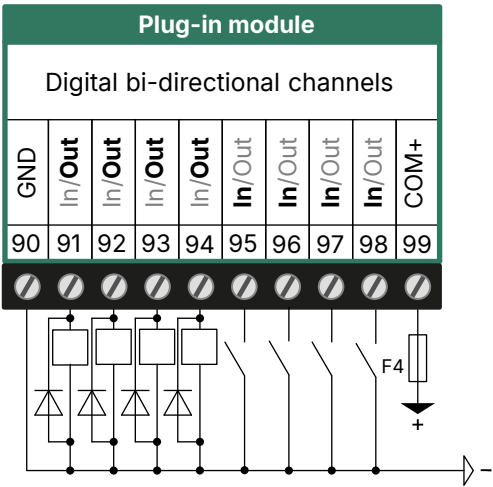
F3: 3 A DC max. time-delay fuse/MCB, b-curve

F4: 2 A DC max. time-delay fuse/MCB, b-curve

**NOTE** \* This terminal can be used for an e-stop power cut-off. For more information, see [E-stop power cut-off](#).

4.4.1.3 Digital bi-directional channels on a plug-in module (PIM-8DIO)

Digital inputs (negative switching) and outputs (sourcing) (example)



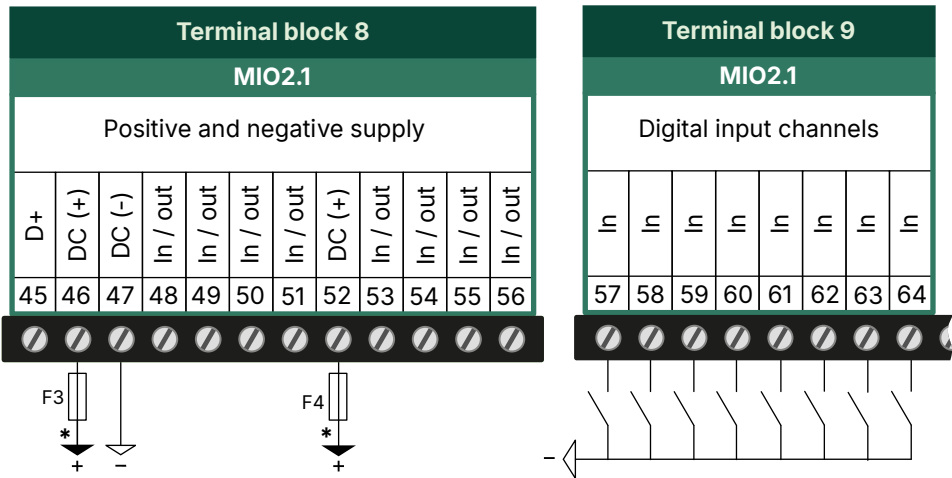
Fuse

F4: 2 A DC max. time-delay fuse/MCB, b-curve

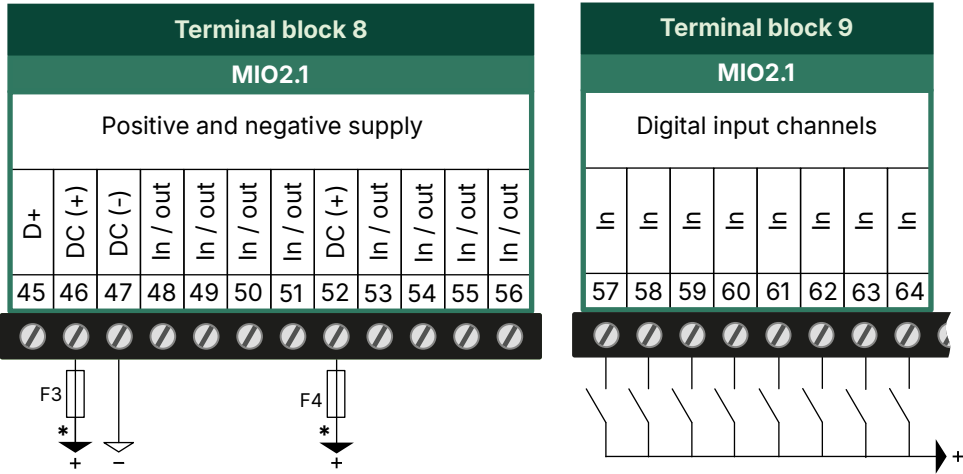
4.4.1.4 Digital inputs on MIO2.1

**NOTE** \* The DC (+) supply (terminals 46 and/or 52) must be powered for these inputs to work. The DC (-) (terminal 47) must also be connected.

Sourcing (negative switching) digital inputs

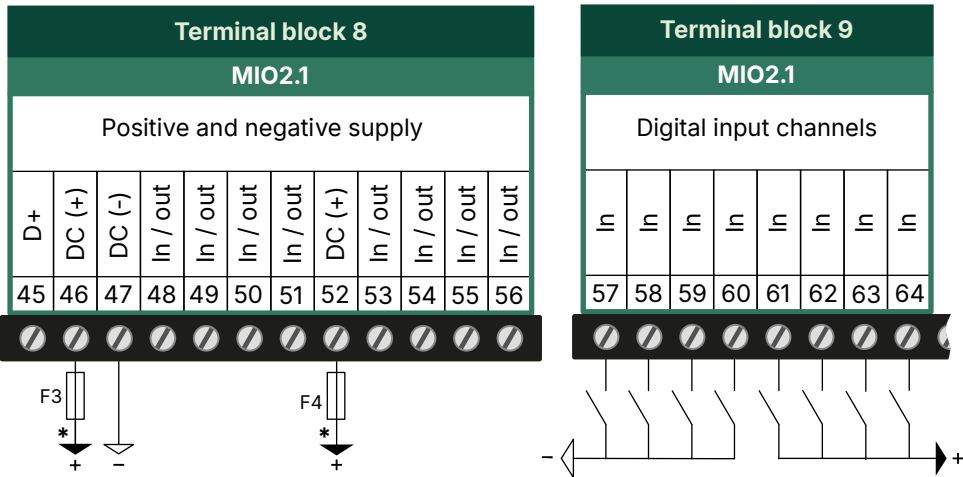


Sinking (positive switching) digital inputs



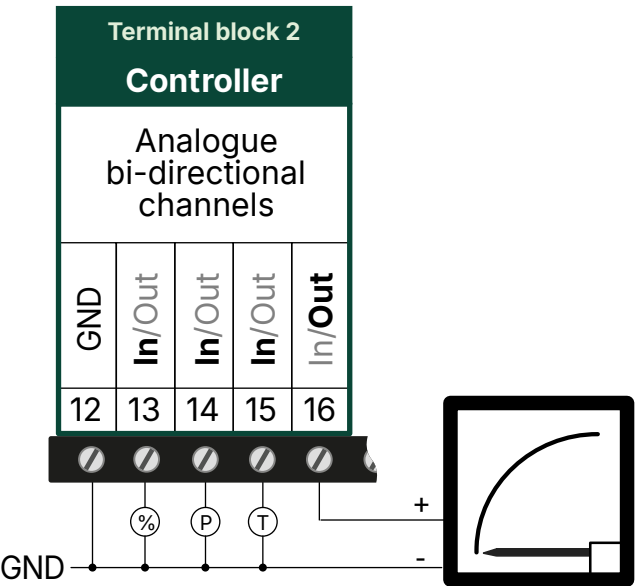
Sink: A negative signal activates the input.

Mix of sinking and sourcing digital inputs (negative and positive switching)



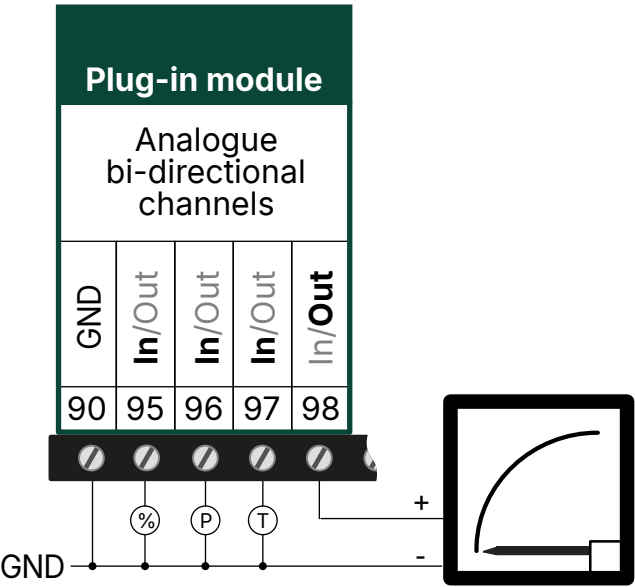
4.4.2 Analogue inputs and outputs

4.4.2.1 Analogue bi-directional channels on the controller



These bi-directional channels can be used for analogue inputs and analogue outputs simultaneously.

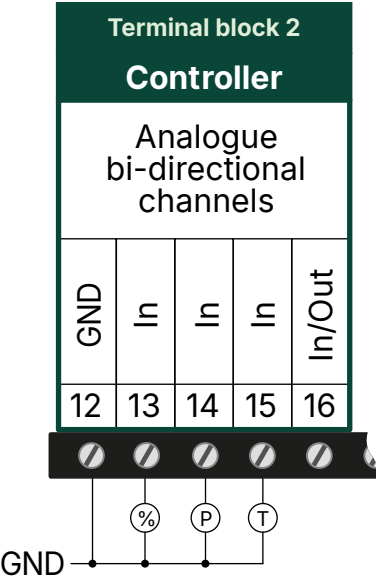
4.4.2.2 Analogue bi-directional channels on a plug-in module (PIM-4AIO)



These bi-directional channels can be used for analogue inputs and analogue outputs simultaneously.

4.4.2.3 Analogue inputs on the controller

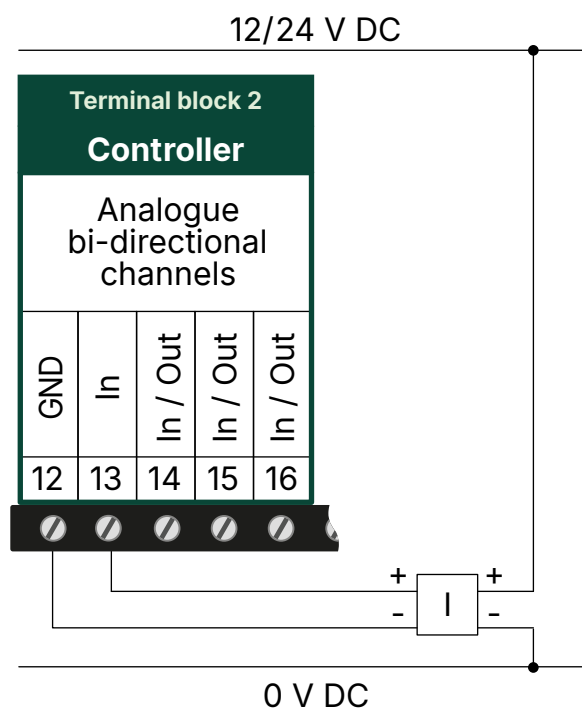
Analogue sensor inputs



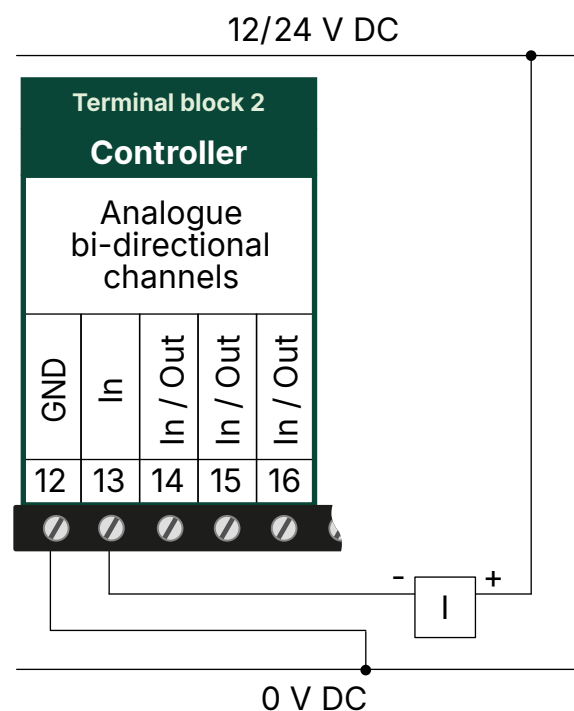
4.4.2.4 Current input

The current input may be either active or passive, and a combination of active and passive inputs may be used.

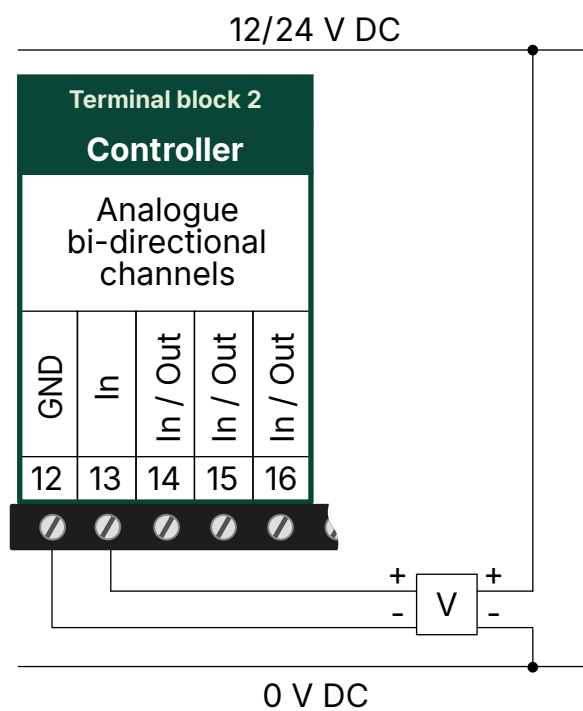
#### Connection of an active transducer



#### Connection of a passive transducer

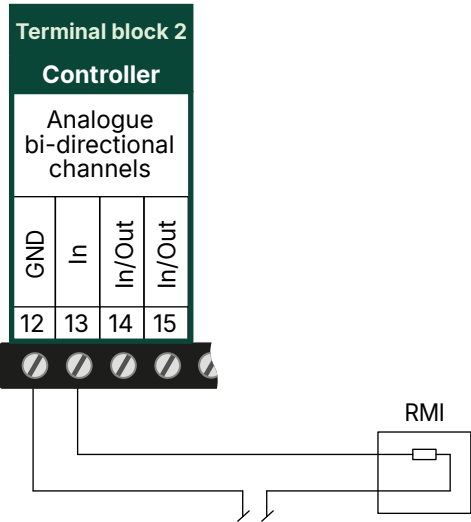


#### 4.4.2.5 Voltage input

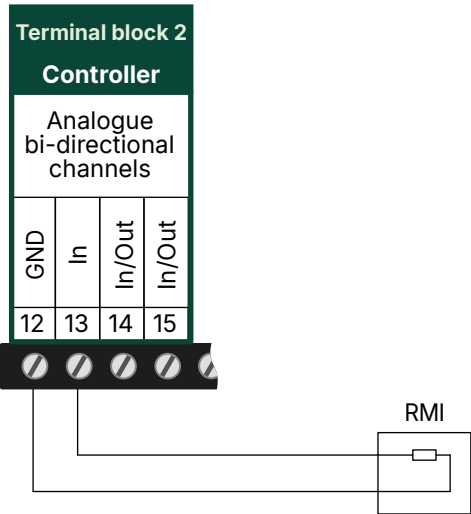


4.4.2.6 Resistance measurement input

Connection of a 1-wire resistance measurement input (RMI)

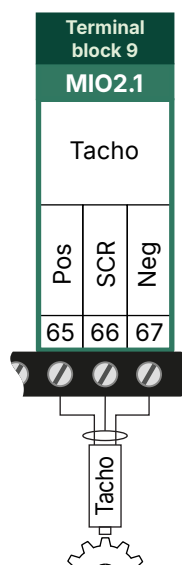


Connection of a 2-wire resistance measurement input (RMI)



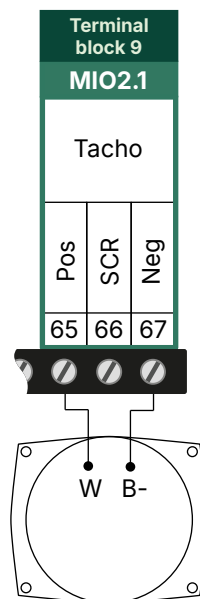
## 4.4.2.7 Tacho inputs

### Tacho input (MPU)



Connect the cable shield to terminal 66 (SCR).  
Do not ground the cable.

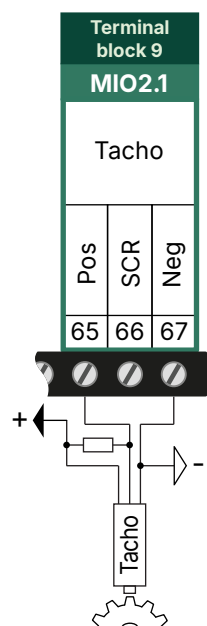
### Analogue tacho input (W)



Charging alternator

For W connections, the terminal 47 DC (-) must be connected to the Battery (-).

### Tacho input (NPN)

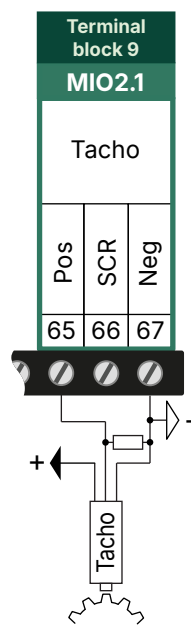


For NPN connections, the terminal 47 DC (-) must be connected to the Battery (-).

For most 12 V systems use a resistor with a value between 1 k $\Omega$  and 2.2 k $\Omega$ .

For most 24 V systems use a resistor with a value 2.2 k $\Omega$ .

### Tacho input (PNP)



For PNP connections, the terminal 47 DC (-) must be connected to the Battery (-).



## NOTICE

### Refer to sensor Data sheet

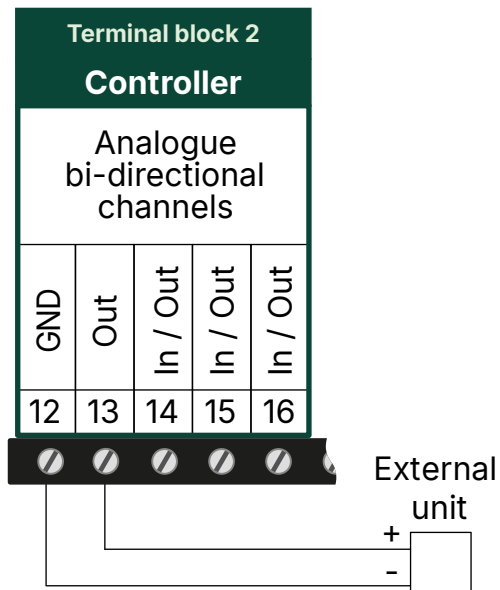


Always refer to the sensor manufacturer's Data sheet for the recommended resistor value or maximum sink current.

The resistor may be built in on some sensors, and therefore no external resistor is needed.

### 4.4.2.8 Analogue outputs

The diagram below shows the connection of an external controller to the DEIF controller's analogue current or voltage output. The I/O configuration determines whether the output is current or voltage.



## NOTICE

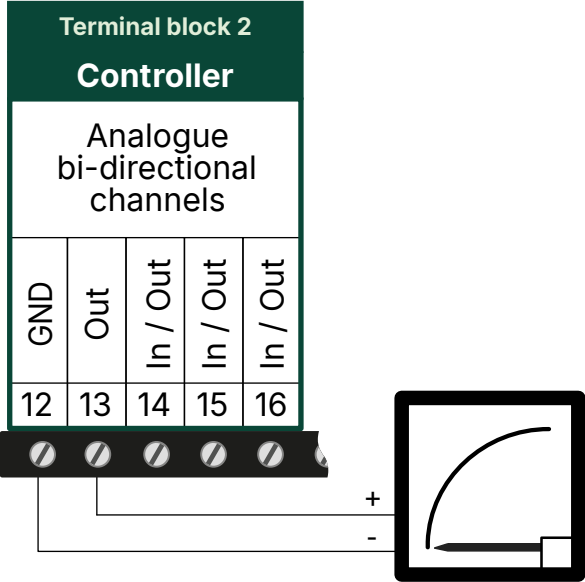


### Equipment damage

These outputs are active outputs. Do not connect an external power supply to these terminals. Connecting an external power supply may damage the equipment.

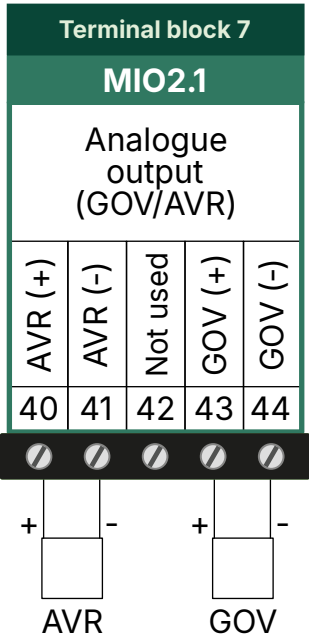
### Using an analogue output with an external instrument

The analogue output can be connected directly to a 4 to 20 mA external instrument:




DEIF recommends using instruments from the [DEIF DQ moving coil instrument series](http://www.deif.com). See [www.deif.com](http://www.deif.com) for more information.

The diagram below shows the connection of a governor and AVR to the MIO analogue voltage or pulse width modulation output. The I/O configuration determines whether the output is voltage or pulse width modulation.



NOTICE



**Equipment damage**

These outputs are active outputs. Do not connect an external power supply to these terminals. Connecting an external power supply may damage the equipment.

4.4.3 E-stop power cut-off

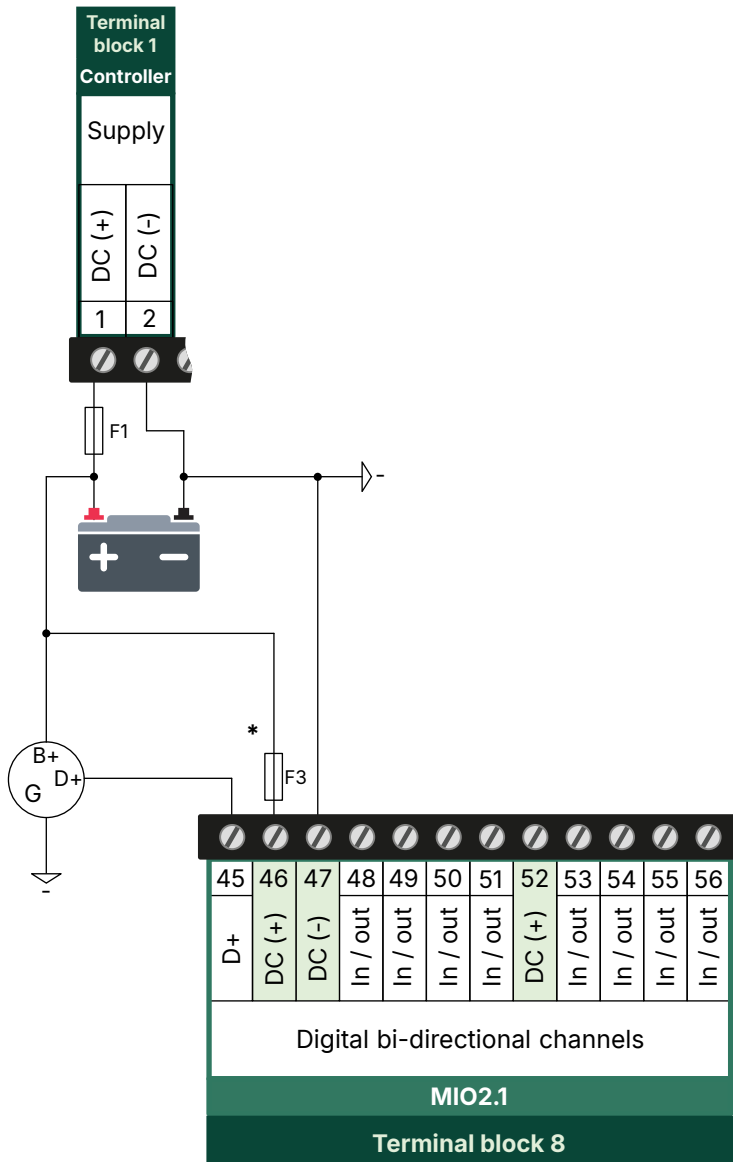
You can connect an external e-stop power cut-off to terminal 46. When the e-stop button is pressed, the power to D+ (terminal 45) and channels 9 to 12 (terminals 48 to 51) is cut off.

Alternatively, you can connect an external e-stop power cut-off to terminal 52. When the e-stop button is pressed, the power to channels 13 to 16 (terminals 53 to 56) is cut off.

When the DC (+) power to a channel used as an output is cut off, the output is low. When the DC (+) power to a channel used as an input is cut off, the channel can still detect signals.

**NOTE** The DC (+) supply (terminals 46 and/or 52) must be powered for digital inputs 1 to 8 (terminals 57 to 64) to work.

#### 4.4.4 Power supply



#### Fuses

- F1: 5 A DC max. time-delay fuse/MCB, c-curve
- F3: 3 A DC max. time-delay fuse/MCB, b-curve

**NOTE** Remember to mount the freewheeling diodes.

**NOTE** \* This terminal can be used for an e-stop power cut-off. For more information, see [E-stop power cut-off](#).

## NOTICE



### Recommended fuse for high current draw

If the supply is used for the crank or another high current draw can make the voltage drop below 12 V, then for F1, use a 6 A DC max. time-delay fuse/MCB, c-curve.

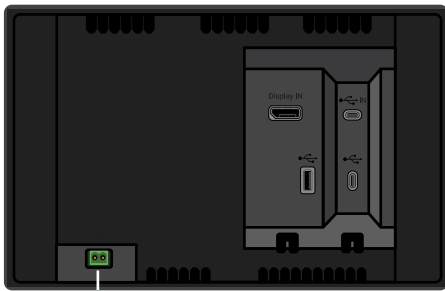
### Backup power supply

The equipment does not contain a backup power supply. The power supply source must therefore include the necessary power backup.

#### 4.4.4.1 iE 7 display Power supply

Connect the power supply (+) to the 12 or 24 V DC power supply, and the power supply (-) to the 0 V DC power supply.

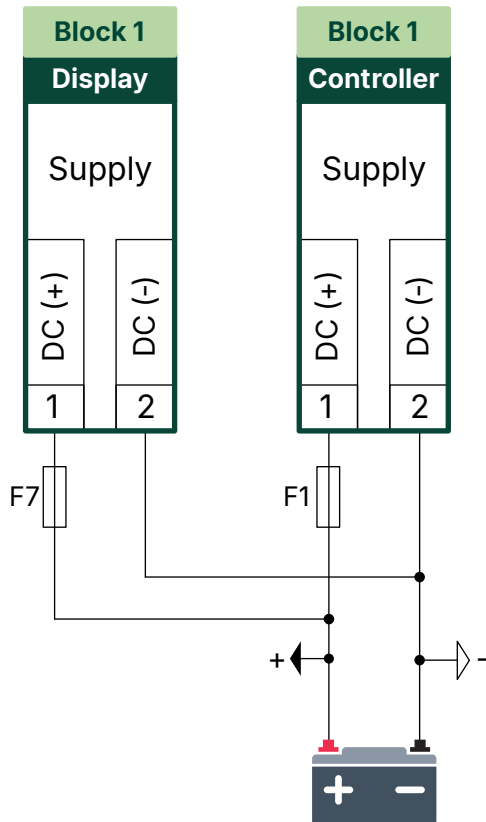
Display



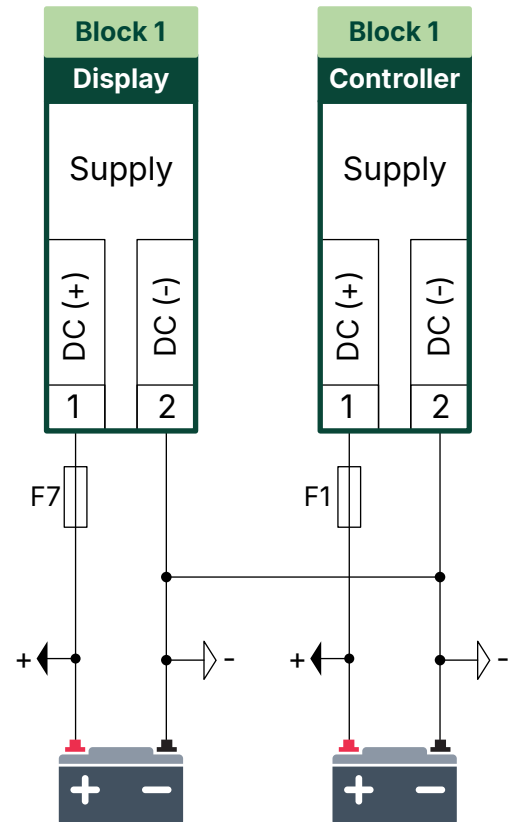
Power supply

### iE 7 display and controller power supply wiring

#### Shared power supply



#### Separate power supplies



## Fuse

- F7: 2 A DC max. time-delay fuse/MCB, c-curve

### NOTICE



**Nominal auxiliary voltage is 12 or 24 V DC (8 to 36 V DC operating range).**

For F7, if voltage drops are likely, a 4 A time-delay fuse may be needed.

### NOTICE



**Negative power supply terminal**

The negative power supply terminal on the iE 7 display, must be connected to the negative power supply terminal on the controller power supply, to make an equipotential bonding conduction.

## 4.5 Communication wiring

### 4.5.1 Recommended cables for communication

#### CAN communication (Engine, DAVR) RS-485 communication (Modbus)

Belden 3105A or equivalent, 22 AWG (0.33 mm<sup>2</sup>) twisted pair, shielded, impedance 120 Ω (Ohm), < 40 mΩ/m, min. 95 % shield coverage.

#### Ethernet communication (network) or EtherCAT (Extension rack)

The cable must meet or exceed the SF/UTP CAT5e specification.

#### USB type A to C (display control)

USB cable must support USB 2.0.  
Recommended length 1.8 m (5.9 ft).  
Maximum length 3 m (9.8 ft).

#### DisplayPort (display)

VESA DisplayPort compliant cable.  
Recommended length 1.8 m (5.9 ft).  
Maximum length 3 m (9.8 ft).

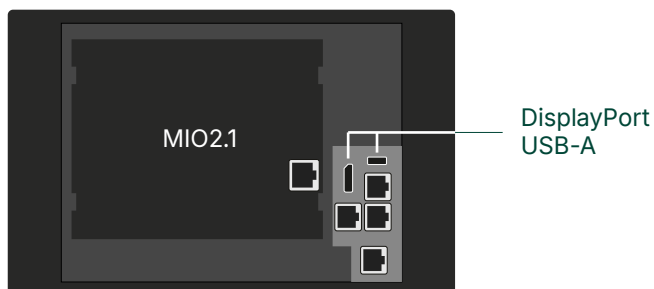
### 4.5.2 Display connections

#### 4.5.2.1 iE 7 display connections

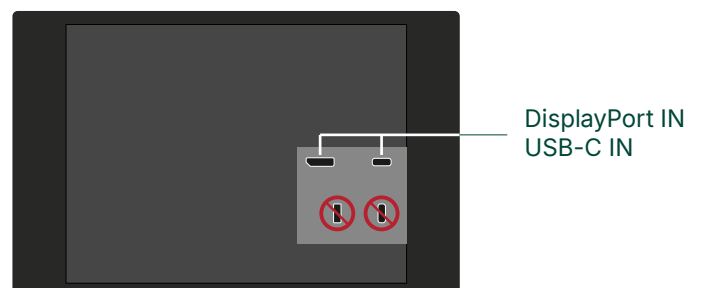
The display has inputs for **DisplayPort IN** and **USB type C IN**. It also has additional USB communication ports for future use.

The **DisplayPort IN** and **USB type C IN** are needed to connect and operate to the base-mounted controller.

Controller



Display



The additional USB ports on the display are for future use.

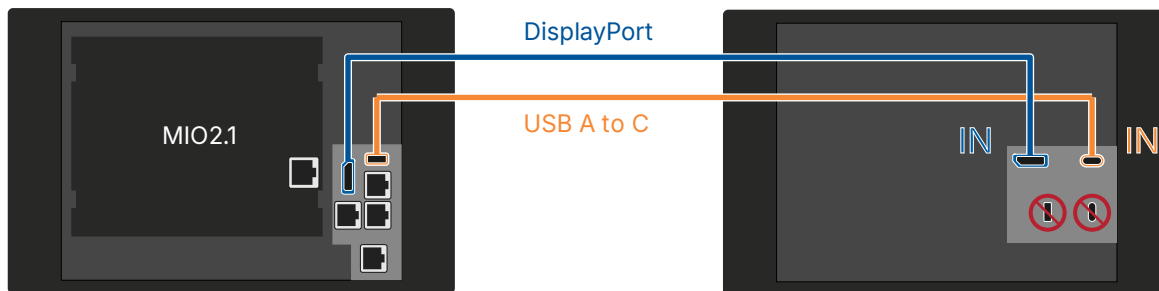
#### Connection constraints

- The display is only for use with a base-mounted controller.
- The **DisplayPort IN** and **USB type C IN** cables must be connected to operate the base-mounted controller.
- Controllers must be connected directly without a USB hub or similar.
- All USBs support 2.0.
- Both the DisplayPort and USB A to C cables are supplied.
- Connection to the display must use the ports marked **IN**.

## Base-mounted controller to display connection

Controller

Display



USB Connection to display must use USB IN.

### 4.5.2.2 External third-party display

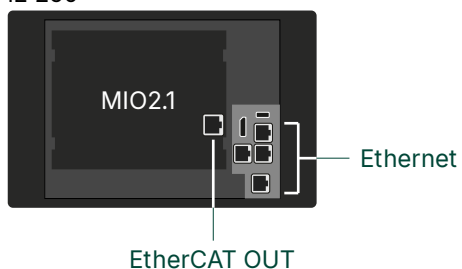
External third-party non-DEIF displays connected to the DisplayPort, should be configured to **Input** mode instead of **Automatic** detection.

## 4.5.3 EtherCAT connections

### 4.5.3.1 EtherCAT and extension racks

The EtherCAT connection on the MIO add-on module is used for communication to extension racks.

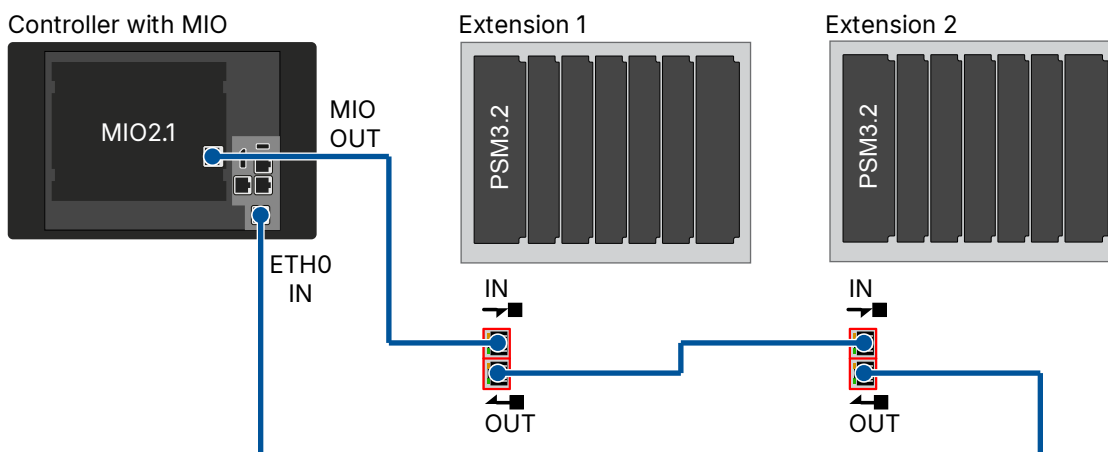
iE 250



The connection on the MIO add-on module is EtherCAT only.

### 4.5.3.2 Extension rack communication

Extension racks are connected to a controller using the EtherCAT port on the MIO2.1. Do not use this port for any other communication.



**NOTE** Redundant EtherCAT ring connections are only possible if wired back to **ETH0** and EtherCAT redundancy is enabled in the CODESYS project.

**Internal communication requirements**

The OUT port must always be connected to the IN port on the next extension rack.

Power off the extension rack(s) before you exchange or re-connect them to another controller.

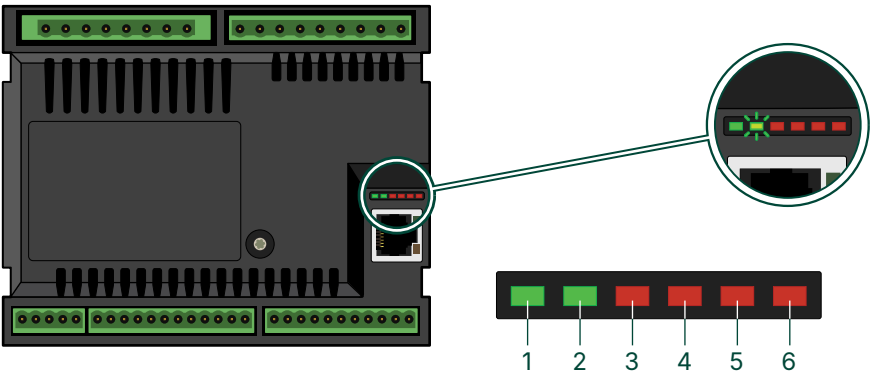
- Up to 5 extension racks can be connected to the same controller.
- The controller and extension rack must be connected directly (without a switch between them).

**EtherCAT cable requirements**

- The cables must not be longer than 100 metres from point-to-point.
- The cables must meet or exceed the SF/UTP CAT5e specification.
- The cable bend radius must not be tighter than the minimum bend radius specified by the cable manufacturers.
  - We recommend that you always follow the cable manufacturer's bend radius requirements.
  - It is recommended to use velcro-strips (and not cable-ties) for the Ethernet cables.

**4.5.3.3 EtherCAT LEDs**

The communication status for the EtherCAT connection is shown directly above the port. This indicates both internal communication between the controller and the MIO2.1, and the external connected equipment. These can be useful for troubleshooting communication issues.



LED	Notes
1.	EtherCAT run.
2.	Link/activity to controller.
3.	Receive error from controller.
4.	Receive error from external equipment.
5.	Error.
6.	Reserved.

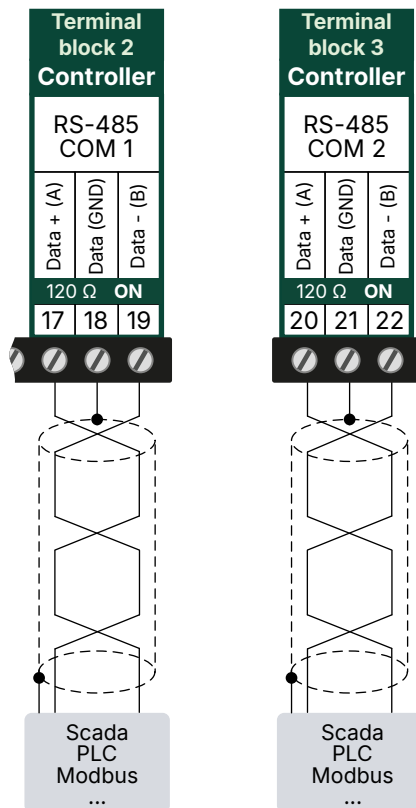


## 4.5.4 Serial communication COM 1 / COM 2

Can be used for example to Modbus RTU, SCADA systems, or PLCs.

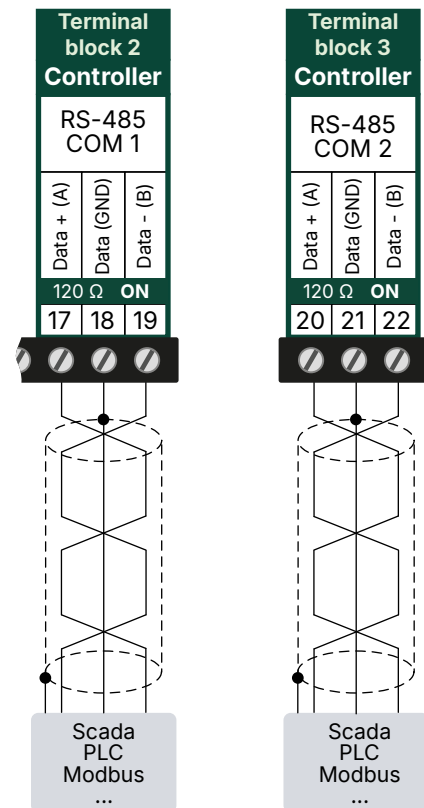
### 2-wire connection

With 2-wires, connect the GND terminal to the cable shield. Only connect the shield to earth at one end.



### 3-wire connection

Only connect the shield to earth at one end.



## 4.5.5 Ethernet connections

### 4.5.5.1 Network constraints

- Controllers must be connected with **Network chain** or **Network ring** configurations.
- Up to 32 controllers can be connected to each other in each network.
- The cables must not be longer than 100 metres, point-to-point.
- The cables must meet or exceed the SF/UTP CAT5e specification.
- The network to SCADA, AMS and/or Modbus must be connected to the controllers as branches of the **Network chain** or **Network ring**. Do not place these network connections inside the network chain or ring.
- If you use an Ethernet switch, this must support and be enabled for Rapid Spanning Tree Protocol (RSTP), otherwise a broadcast storm will occur.
- For maritime applications, a maritime classification society approved managed switch should be used to connect the DEIF network to your own network. (An ordinary Ethernet switch is not recommended).
- The EtherCAT port on the MIO2.1 can not be used for Ethernet communication. It is used for EtherCAT communication to extension racks.
- The Ethernet 0 (ETH0) port on the controller can not be used for communication between DEIF controllers (that is, for the DEIF network Ethernet). Use the Ethernet switch ports 1 to 3.

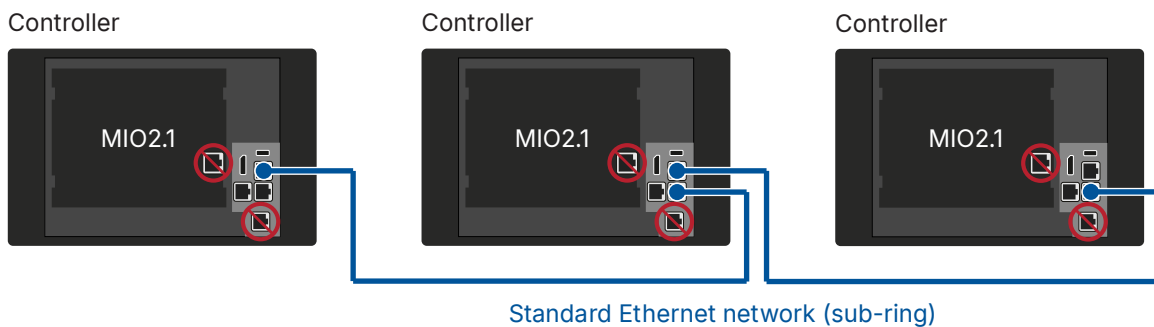
### 4.5.5.2 Ethernet communication

The Ethernet ports are not assigned to a particular service. By default these are configured as Automatic. The controllers detect the equipment connected to the port.

#### Network constraints

- The cables must not be longer than 100 metres, point-to-point.
- The cables must meet or exceed the SF/UTP CAT5e specification.
- The network to SCADA, AMS and/or Modbus must be connected to the controllers as branches of the **Network chain** or **Network ring**. Do not place these network connections inside the network chain or ring.
- If you use an Ethernet switch, this must support and be enabled for Rapid Spanning Tree Protocol (RSTP), otherwise a broadcast storm will occur.
- For maritime applications, a maritime classification society approved managed switch should be used to connect the DEIF network to your own network. (An ordinary Ethernet switch is not recommended).
- The EtherCAT port on the MIO2.1 can not be used for Ethernet network communication. It is used for EtherCAT communication to extension racks.
- The Ethernet 0 (ETH0) port on the controller can not be used for Ethernet network communication. Use the Ethernet switch ports 1 to 3.

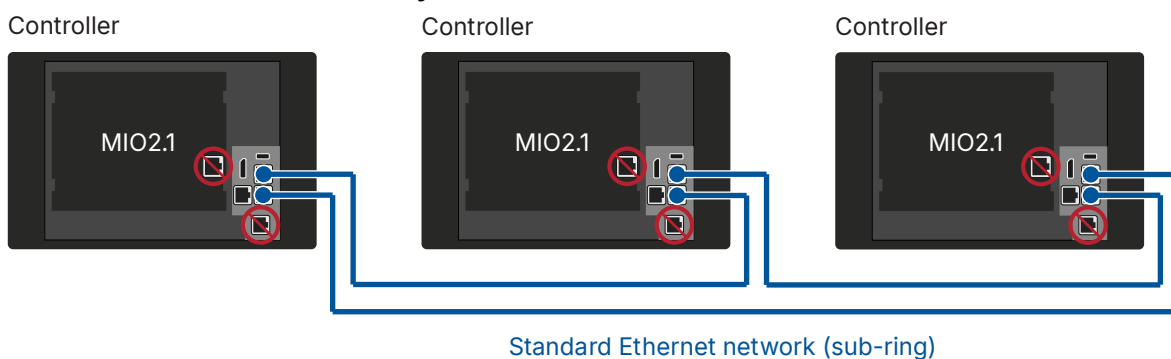
#### Network chain



Do not use the EtherCAT port on the MIO2.1 for Ethernet network communication.

Do not use the ETH0 port on the controller for Ethernet network communication.

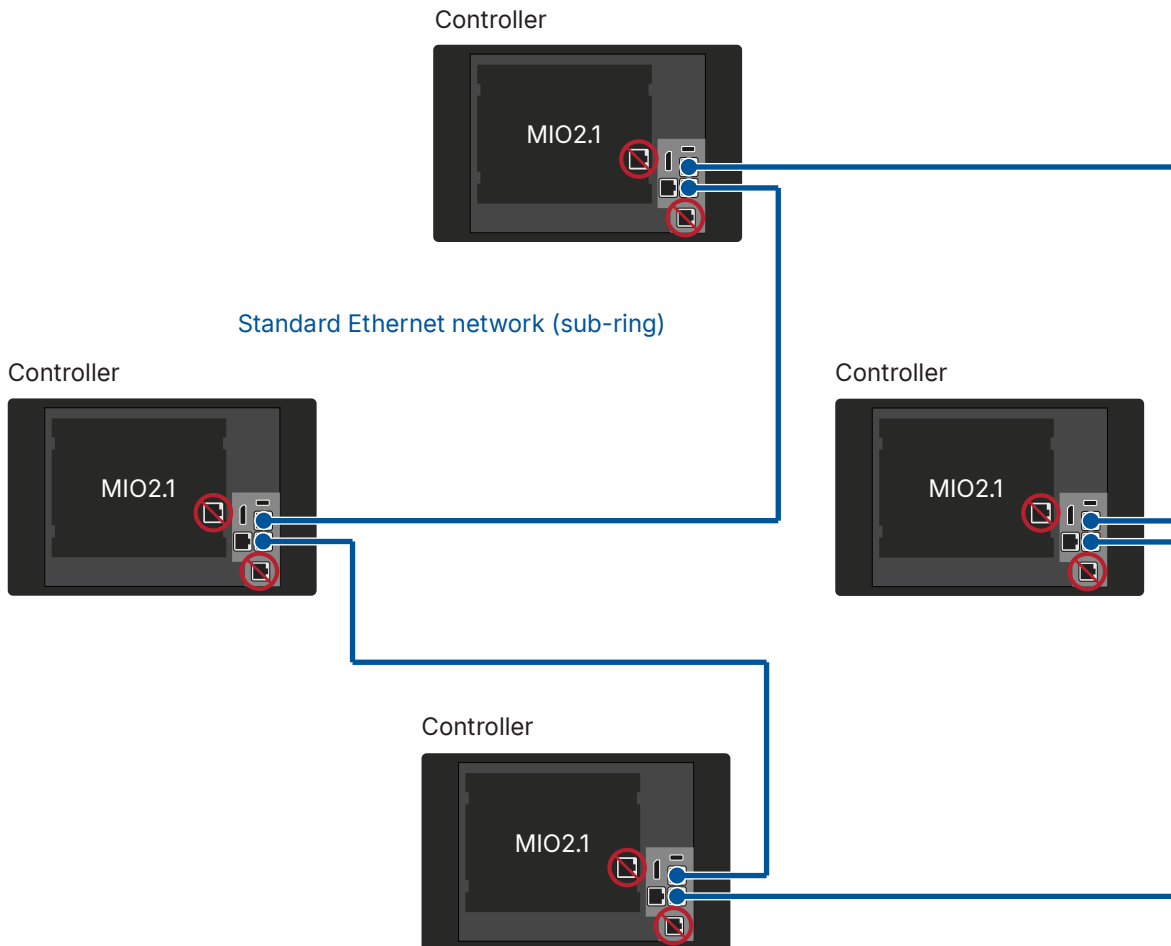
#### Network chain (with redundancy connection)



Do not use the EtherCAT port on the MIO2.1 for Ethernet network communication.

Do not use the ETH0 port on the controller for Ethernet network communication.

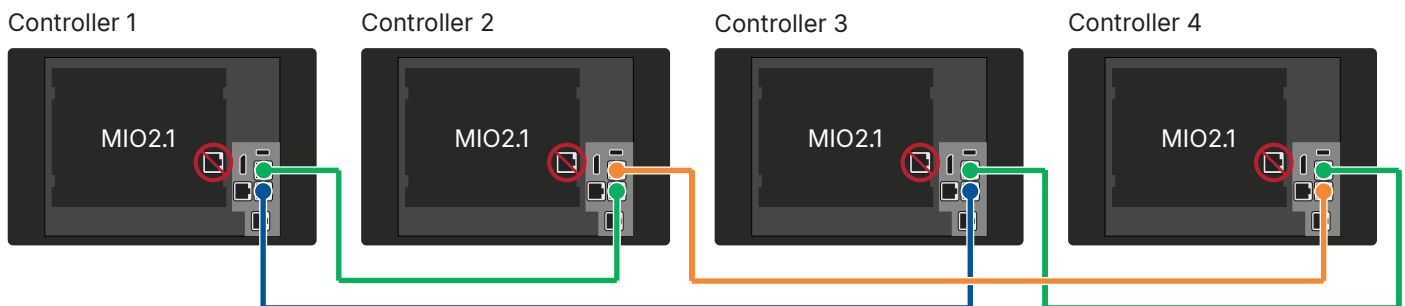
## Network ring



## Interleaving

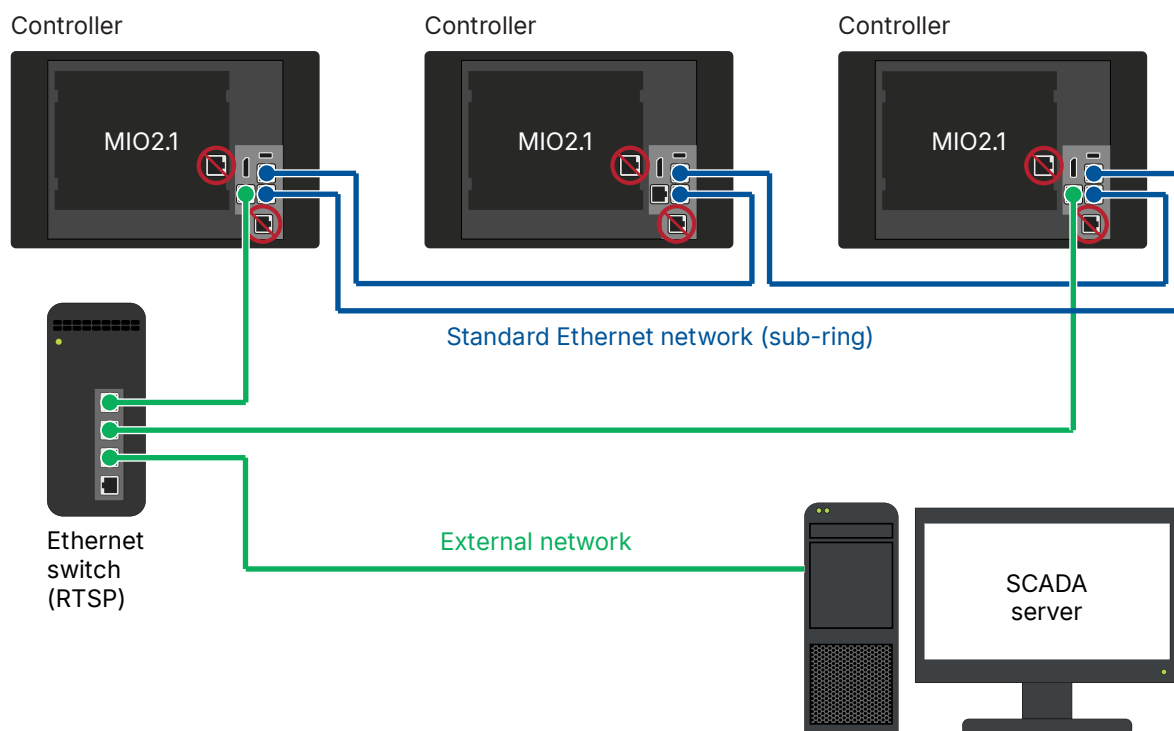
To avoid a long return connection for a long row of controllers, you can interleave the controller connections.

1. Connect each controller to the controller one step away, that is, connect 1 and 3 (blue), 2 and 4 (orange).
  - Make sure the cable paths are separated to minimise the risk of damaging two cables at the same time.
2. Connect the first two controllers to each other (green).
3. Connect the last two controllers to each other (green).



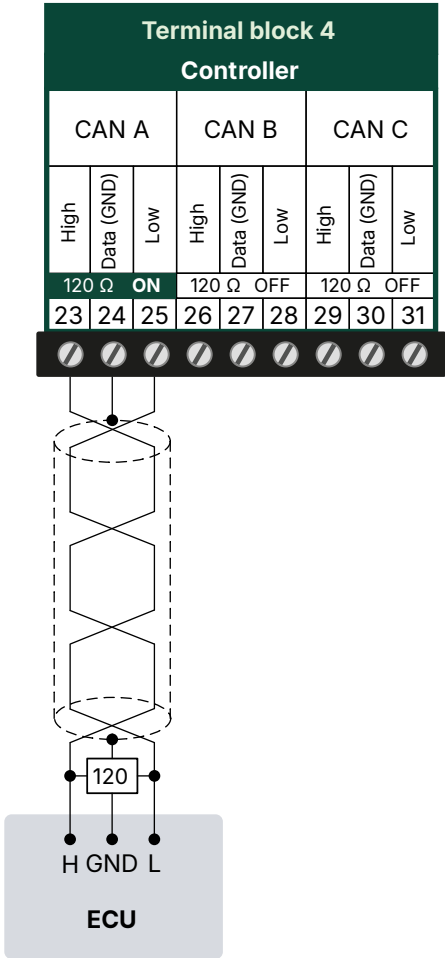
## Redundant connection to SCADA or AMS

The network ring can be connected to a SCADA server, or an alarm monitoring system (AMS), with a redundant connection to two different controllers. This requires a switch that supports and has enabled Rapid Spanning Tree Protocol (RSTP). The controllers do not take an active part in RSTP, and additional re-configuration time may be expected.

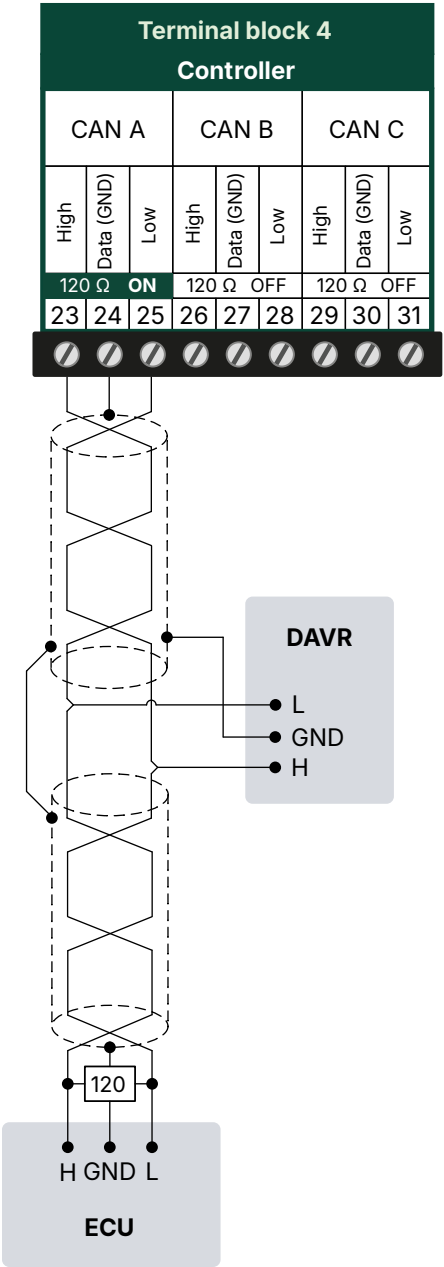


4.5.6 CAN bus ECU or DAVR communication

ECU only



DAVR and ECU on same CAN bus



**NOTE** The ECU and/or DAVR can be connected to CAN A, CAN B, or CAN C.

## 5. End-of-life

### 5.1 Disposal of waste electrical and electronic equipment

WEEE symbol



All products that are marked with the crossed-out wheeled bin (the WEEE symbol) are electrical and electronic equipment (EEE). EEE contains materials, components and substances that can be dangerous and harmful to people's health and to the environment. Waste electrical and electronic equipment (WEEE) must therefore be disposed of properly. In the EU, the disposal of WEEE is governed by the WEEE directive issued by the European Parliament. DEIF complies with this directive.

You must not dispose of WEEE as unsorted municipal waste. Instead, WEEE must be collected separately, to minimise the load on the environment, and to improve the opportunities to recycle, reuse and/or recover the WEEE. In the EU, local governments are responsible for facilities to receive WEEE. If you need more information on how to dispose of DEIF WEEE, please contact DEIF.