

The ECB-VAV-N controller is a microprocessor-based programmable variable air volume (VAV) controller designed to control any variable air volume box that requires a separate damper actuator. This controller uses the BACnet[®] MS/TP LAN communication protocol and is BTL[®]-Listed as BACnet Application Specific Controllers (B-ASC).



- Flexible inputs and outputs support all industry-standard VAV unitary applications
- Rugged hardware inputs and outputs eliminate the need for external protection equipment
- On-board airflow sensor for precise airflow monitoring and control at low and high airflow rates
- Factory pre-loaded applications allow for out-of-the-box, energy efficient operation of standard VAV equipment
- Optimized air balancing through *myDC* AirBalancing saving time during the commissioning process
- Supports EC-*gfx* Program, making Building Automation System programming effortless
- Open-to-Wireless™ ready, supporting a wide variety of wireless sensors and switches and helping to reduce installation costs
- Supports the Allure™ Series Communicating Sensors, providing intelligent sensing and environmental zone control

Model Selection

Example: ECB-VAV-N

| Series | Model |
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| ECB- | VAV-N: 11 points, 15 Vdc power supply, flow sensor, 4 UI, 4 DO, 2 UO |

Accessories

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| Terminal covers | Terminal cover designed to conceal the controller's wire terminals. Required to meet local safety regulations in certain jurisdictions. |
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Recommended Applications

| Model | ECB-VAV-N |
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| Large damper VAV box | ■ |
| Existing damper actuator | ■ |

BACnet Objects List

BACnet Objects

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| Calendar Objects | 1 |
| Special events per calendar | 25 |
| Schedule Objects | 2 |
| Special events per schedule | 5 |
| PID Loop Objects | 8 |

Commandable Objects

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| BV Objects | 10 |
| MSV Objects | 10 |
| AV Objects | 25 |

Non-Commandable Objects

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| BV Objects | 40 |
| MSV Objects | 40 |
| AV Objects | 75 |

Product Specifications

Power Supply Input

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| Voltage Range ¹ | 24VAC/DC; ±15%; Class 2 |
| Frequency Range | 50/60Hz |
| Overcurrent Protection | Field replaceable fuse |
| Fuse Type | 2.0A 3.0A (for triacs when using the internal power supply) |
| Power Consumption | 10 VA typical plus all external loads ² , 85 VA max (including powered triac outputs). |

1. 24VDC does not support DO (triac outputs).
2. External loads must include the power consumption of any connected modules such as an Allure Series Communicating Sensor. Refer to the respective module's datasheet for related power consumption information.

Communications

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| Communication Bus | BACnet MS/TP |
| BACnet Profile | B-ASC ¹ |
| EOL Resistor | Built-in, jumper selectable |
| Baud Rates | 9600, 19 200, 38 400, or 76 800 bps |
| Addressing | Dip switch or with an Allure EC-Smart-Vue Series Communicating Sensor |

1. Refer to Distech Controls' Protocol Implementation Conformity Statement for BACnet.

Subnetwork

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| Communication | RS-485 |
| Cable | Cat 5e, 8 conductor twisted pair |
| Connector | RJ-45 |
| Connection Topology | Daisy-chain |
| Maximum number of room devices supported per controller combined | 4 ¹ |

1. A controller can support a maximum of 2 Allure sensor models equipped with a CO₂ sensor. Any remaining connected sensors must be without a CO₂ sensor.

Hardware

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| Processor | STM32 (ARM Cortex™ M3) MCU, 32 bit |
| CPU Speed | 68 MHz |
| Applications Memory | 384 kB Non-volatile Flash |
| Storage Memory | 1 MB Non-volatile Flash |
| Memory (RAM) | 64 kB RAM |
| Real Time Clock (RTC) | Built-in Real Time Clock without battery Network time synchronization is required at each power-up cycle before the RTC become available |
| Green LEDs | Power status & LAN Tx |
| Orange LEDs | Controller status & LAN Rx |

Wireless Receiver

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| Communication Protocol | EnOcean wireless standard ¹ |
| Number of Wireless Inputs ² | 18 |
| Supported Wireless Receivers | Refer to the Open-to-Wireless Application Guide |
| Cable | Telephone cord |
| Connector | 4P4C modular jack |
| Length (maximum) | 6.5ft (2m) |



1. Available when an optional external Wireless Receiver module is connected to the controller. Refer to the Open-to-Wireless Application Guide for a list of supported EnOcean wireless modules.
2. Some wireless modules may use more than one wireless input from the controller.

Mechanical

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| Dimensions (H × W × D) | 5.7 × 7.1 × 2.13" (145 × 180 × 54.0 mm) |
| Dimensions with terminal block covers (H × W × D) | 5.7 × 7.7 × 2.13" (145 × 195 × 54.0 mm) |
| Shipping Weight (Controller) | 0.92 lbs (0.42 kg) |
| Enclosure Material ¹ | FR/ABS |
| Enclosure Rating | Plastic housing, UL94-5VB flammability rating Plenum rating per UL1995 |

1. All materials and manufacturing processes comply with the RoHS directive and are marked according to the Waste Electrical and Electronic Equipment (WEEE) directive

Environmental

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

Standards and Regulation

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| CE Emission | EN61000-6-3: 2007; A1:2011 |
| CE Immunity | EN61000-6-1: 2007 |
| FCC | Compliance with FCC rules part 15, subpart B, class B |
| UL Listed (CDN & US) | UL916 Energy management equipment |
| CEC Appliance Database | Appliance Efficiency Program ¹ |



1. California Energy Commission's Appliance Efficiency Program: The manufacturer has certified this product to the California Energy Commission in accordance with California law.

On-Board Air-Flow Sensor

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| Differential Pressure Range | ±2.0 in. W.C. (±500 Pa) Polarity-free high-low sensor connection |
| Input Resolution | 0.00007 in. W.C. (0.0167 Pa) |
| Air Flow Accuracy | ±4.0% @ > 0.05 in. W.C. (12.5 Pa) ±1.5% once calibrated through air flow balancing @ > 0.05 in. W.C. (12.5 Pa) |

Universal Inputs (UI)

General

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| Input Type | Universal; software configurable |
| Input Resolution | 16-Bit analog / digital converter |
| Power Supply Output | 15 VDC; maximum 80mA |

Contact

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| Type | Dry contact |
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Counter

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| Type | Dry contact |
| Maximum Frequency | 1Hz maximum |
| Minimum Duty Cycle | 500ms On / 500ms Off |

0 to 10VDC

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| Range | 0 to 10VDC (40kΩ input impedance) |
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0 to 5VDC

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| Range | 0 to 5VDC (high input impedance) |
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0 to 20mA

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| Range | 0 to 20mA 249Ω external resistor wired in parallel |
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Resistance/Thermistor

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| Range | 0 to 350 KΩ |
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Supported Thermistor Types Any that operate in this range

Pre-configured Temperature Sensor Types:

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| Thermistor | 10KΩ Type 2, 3 (10KΩ @ 77°F; 25°C) |
| Platinum | Pt1000 (1KΩ @ 32°F; 0°C) |
| Nickel | RTD Ni1000 (1KΩ @ 32°F; 0°C) RTD Ni1000 (1KΩ @ 69.8°F; 21°C) |

Universal Outputs (UO)

General

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| Output Type | Universal; software configurable |
| Output Resolution | 10-bit digital to analog converter |
| Output Protection | Built-in snubbing diode to protect against back-EMF, for example when used with a 12VDC relay Output is internally protected against short circuits |
| Load Resistance | Minimum 600 Ω for 0-10VDC and 0-12VDC outputs |
| Auto-reset fuse | Provides 24VAC over voltage protection |

0 or 12VDC (On/Off)

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| Range | 0 or 12VDC |
| Source Current | Maximum 20 mA at 12VDC (minimum load resistance 600Ω) ¹ |

1. Relays equipped with a coil that consume between 20 and 35mA can be used with up to 2 Universal Outputs when the 15V Power Supply Output is de-rated to supply 50mA maximum current.

PWM

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| Range | Adjustable period from 2 to 65 seconds |
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| Thermal Actuator Management | Adjustable warm up and cool down time |
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Floating

Minimum Pulse On/Off Time 500 milliseconds
Drive Time Period Adjustable

0 to 10VDC

Range 0 to 10VDC linear
Source Current Maximum 20 mA at 10VDC
(minimum load resistance 600Ω)

Digital Outputs (DO)

General

Output Type 24VAC Triac; software configurable
Maximum Current per Output 0.5A continuous
1A @ 15% duty cycle for a 10-minute period
Power Source External or internal power supply (jumper selectable)

0 or 24VAC (On/Off)

Range 0 or 24VAC

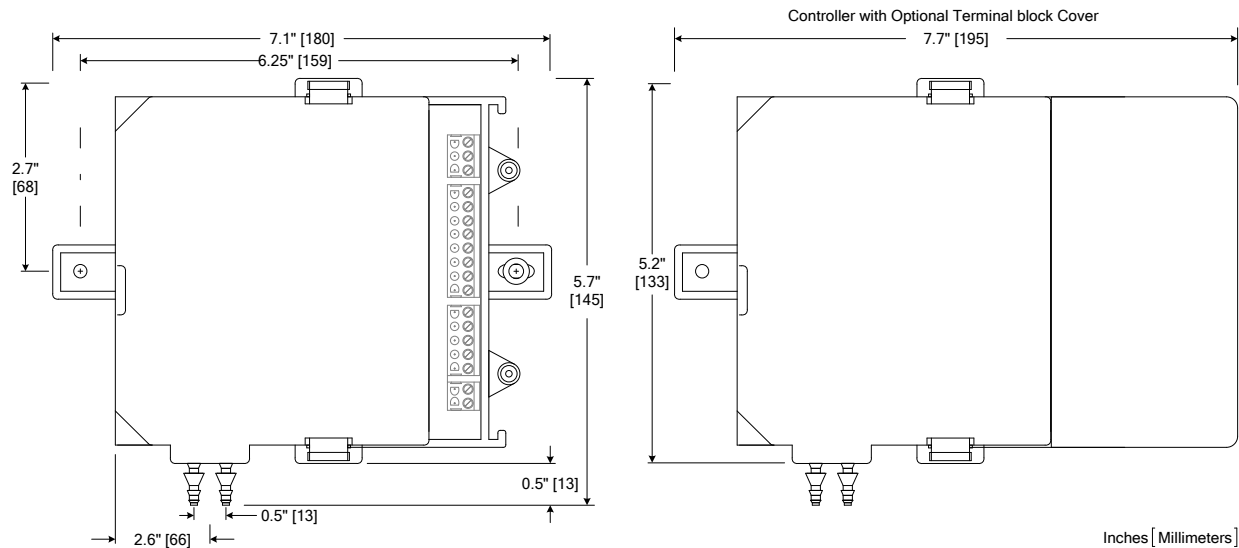
PWM

Range Adjustable period from 2 to 65 seconds

Floating

Minimum Pulse On/Off Time 500 milliseconds
Drive Time Period Adjustable
Power Source External or internal power supply (jumper selectable)

Dimensions



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