

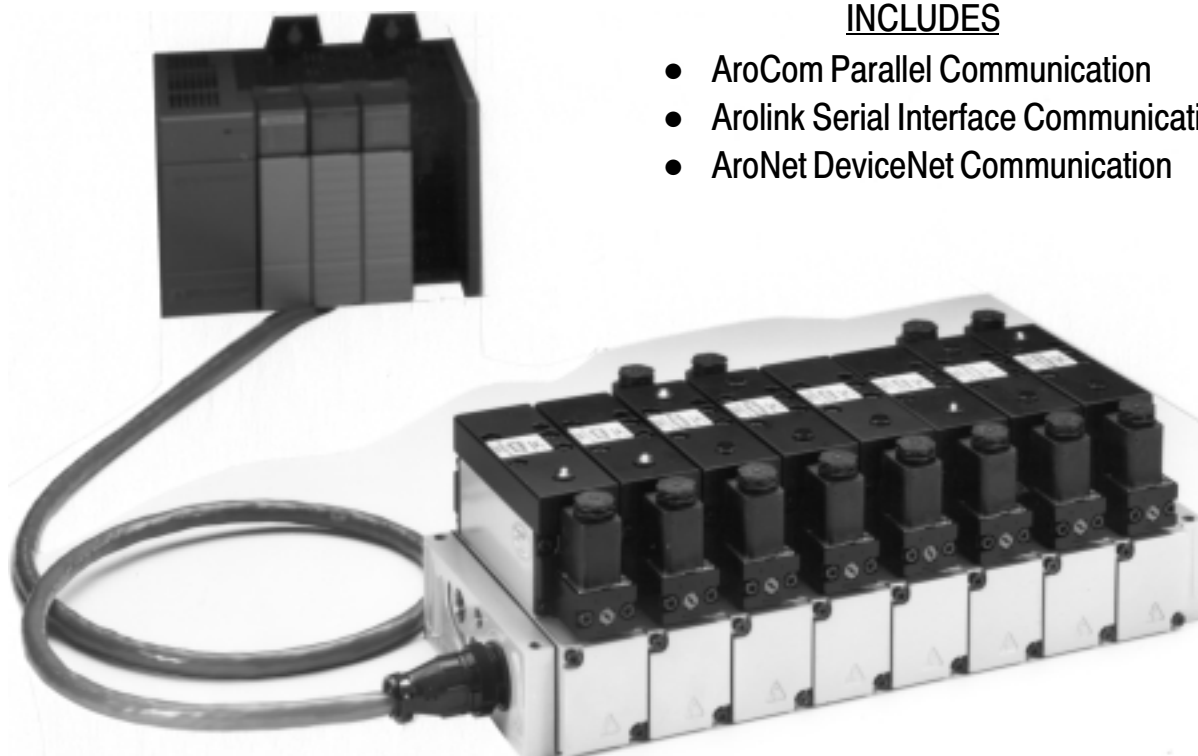


# ARO EasyWire™ System Installation Guide

Flexible Communications for ARO Genesis® Manifold  
Valves Using Any Discrete Output PLC.

## INCLUDES

- AroCom Parallel Communication
- AroLink Serial Interface Communication
- AroNet DeviceNet Communication

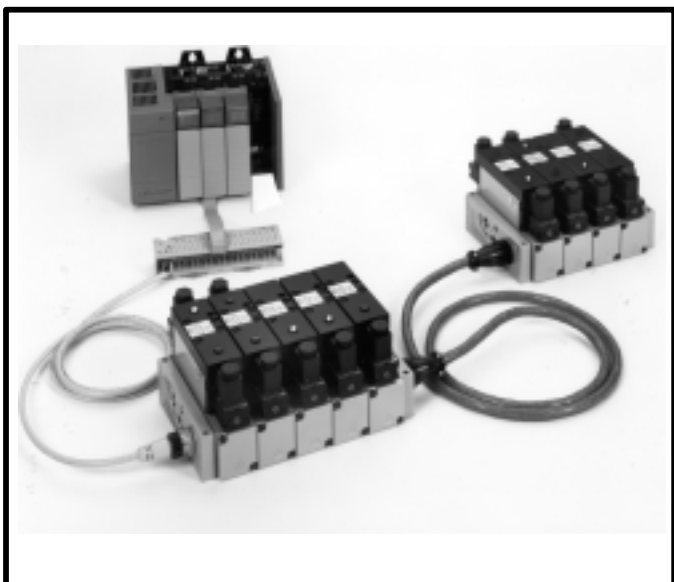


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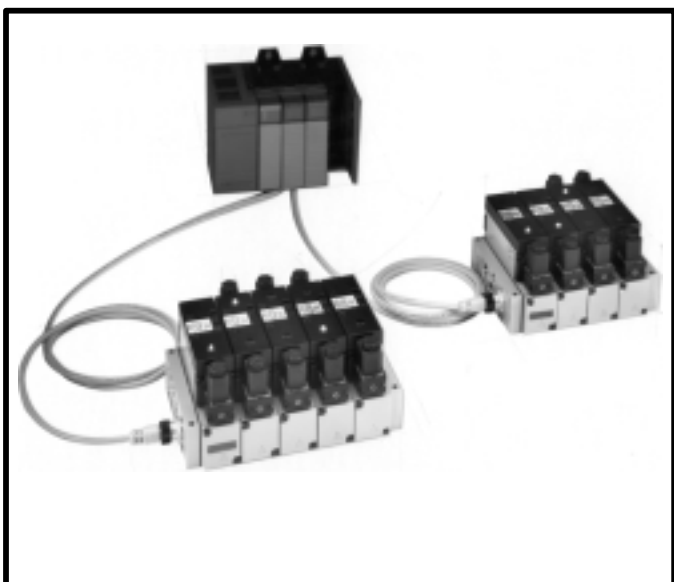
### **EasyWire AroCom Parallel Communication**

- Controls up to 15 Solenoids / 14 Valves.  
(first station must be Double Solenoid)
- Direct PLC to Valve interface.
- Split-Stack Mounting Capability.
- Very Low Power Draw with Aro Low-Watt Solenoid.
- Easy, Single-to-Double Solenoid Conversion.
- Add / Remove Valves in Minutes.
- Runs off TTL (3.4 - 24 V) Signal, Sourcing or Sinking.



### **EasyWire AroLink Serial Interface Communication**

- Controls up to 16 Solenoids per Wire.
- Works with any make Discrete Output PLC.
- Split-Stack Mounting Capability.
- Quick, Single-to-Double Solenoid Conversion.
- Add / Remove Valves in Minutes.
- Compatible with Omron Link Terminals.
- External Power Available.
- Up to 15 Valves per Wire.  
(first station must be Double Solenoid)



### **EasyWire AroNet DeviceNet Communication**

- Fully DeviceNet Compatible.
- Controls up to 16 Solenoids Per Node using a DevicNet Interface.
- Split-Stack Mounting Capability Without Consuming Additional Nodes.
- Diagnostics Capability.
- Software Programmable Addresses.
- Quick, Single-to-Double Solenoid Conversion.
- Add / Remove Valves in Minutes.
- External Power Available.
- Up to 15 Valves per Node.  
(first station must be Double Solenoid)

## EasyWire Model Description Chart

<b>MODEL</b>	<b>DESCRIPTION</b>
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**Manifolds** (for complete Manifold information refer to Form 9323-M)

<b>GMP1X7</b> ("X" = Port Size) 2 = 1/4" NPT 3 = 3/8" NPT	Genesis Manifold assembled with "Driver" cards for AroCom, AroLink, and AroNet Systems. For AroLink and AroNet systems, a "communications" card manifold must be ordered and installed at front (left) end of valve stack.
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<b>GMP1X6</b> ("X" = Port Size) 2 = 1/4" NPT 3 = 3/8" NPT	Genesis Manifold assembled with AroLink communications card. One card (manifold) needed per 16 solenoids. Driver card manifolds (GMP1X7) required for subsequent valves in stack.
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<b>GMP1X5</b> ("X" = Port Size) 2 = 1/4" NPT 3 = 3/8" NPT	Genesis Manifold assembled with AroNet Communications card. One card (manifold) needed per 16 solenoids. Driver card manifolds (GMP1X7) required for subsequent valves in stack.
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**Transmitter Terminal (for AroLink System)**

<b>119557</b>	24V PNP-Compatible, 16 Inputs
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**End Plates (for AroCom System)**

<b>119435</b>	<b>-1</b>	Parallel In (Left), Parallel Out (Right)
	<b>-2</b>	Parallel In (Left), External Power In (Right)
	<b>-3</b>	Parallel In (Left), Nothing Out with Air (Port) connections (Right)
	<b>-4</b>	Parallel In (Left), Nothing Out (Right)

<b>MODEL</b>	<b>DESCRIPTION</b>
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**End Plates (for AroLink and AroNet)**

<b>119435</b>	<b>-5</b>	Serial In (Left), Parallel Out (Right)
	<b>-6</b>	Serial In (Left), Serial Out (Right)
	<b>-7</b>	Serial In (Left), Nothing Out with Air (Port) Connections (Right)
	<b>-8</b>	Serial In (Left), Nothing Out (Right)
	<b>-11</b>	Serial In (Left), External Power In (Right)

**Cables (for AroCom System)**

<b>119436</b>	<b>-1</b>	28-Wire Cable, Plugs on Both Ends, 6-ft.
	<b>-2</b>	28-Wire Cable, Plugs on Both Ends, 12-ft.
	<b>-3</b>	28-Wire Cable, Plugs on Both Ends, 24-ft.
<b>119437</b>	<b>-1</b>	28-Wire Cable, Plug on One End, 6-ft.
	<b>-2</b>	28-Wire Cable, Plug on One End, 12-ft.
	<b>-3</b>	28-Wire Cable, Plug on One End, 24-ft. 3-Wire Power Supply Cable, 12-ft. Length

<b>119439</b>	<b>-1</b>	3-Wire Power Supply Cable, 12-ft. Length
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**Cables (for AroLink and AroNet Systems)**

<b>119438</b>	<b>-1</b>	5-Wire Serial Communication Cable with Plug on One End and 5 (ea.) stripped wires on other. 12-ft. Length
<b>119438</b>	<b>-2</b>	Same as -1, except 30-ft. Length.
<b>119439</b>	<b>-1</b>	3-Wire Power Supply Cable, 12-ft. Length

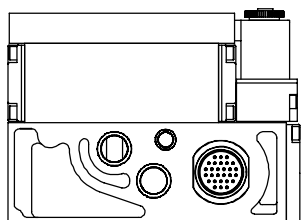
**Valves** (for complete Valve information refer to Form 9323-M)

<b>GP1XXX-024-D</b>	DC Standard Coil, No Lights
<b>GP1XXX-024-L</b>	DC Low-Watt Coil, No Lights
<b>GP1XXX-024-J</b>	DC Standard Coil, With Lights
<b>GP1XXX-024-P</b>	DC Low-Watt Coil, With Lights

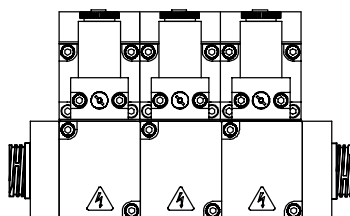
## AroCom Parallel Wiring System Configurations

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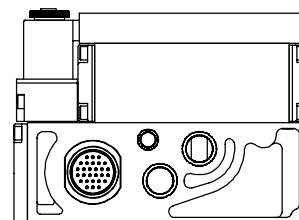
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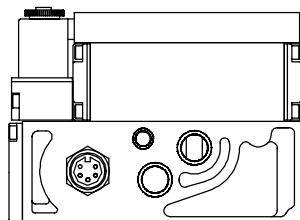
AroCom System with  
Parallel-In Connector  
(left side)



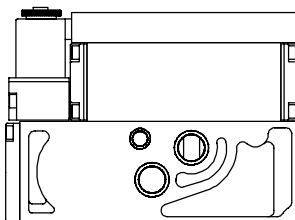
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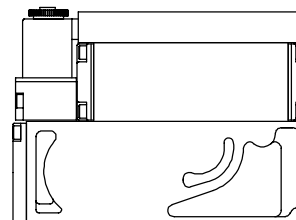
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Right Side External  
Power In  
(119435-2)



Right Side Ports Only  
(119435-3)

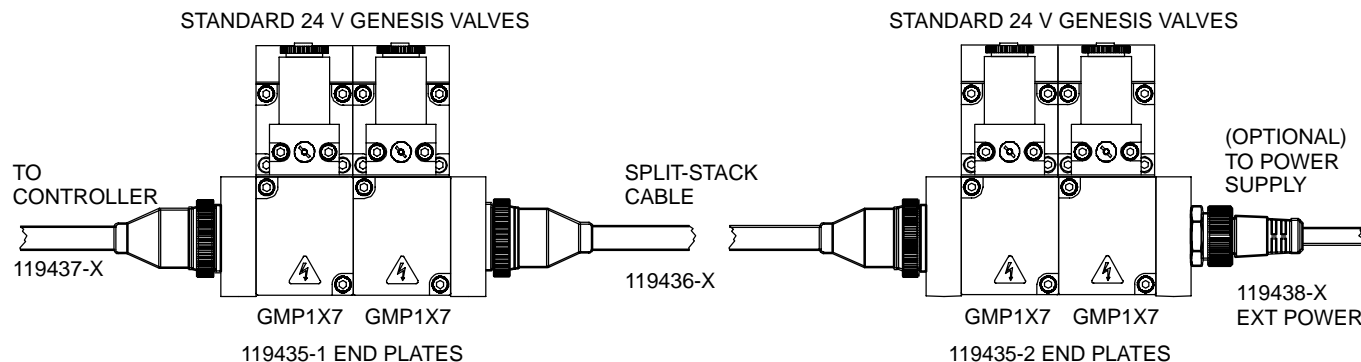


Right Side Blank  
(119435-4)

## Sample AroCom System with Split-Stack:

This system is a four station AroCom system with external power. A Split-Stack is used between the second and third station.

Note: This system would be ordered as (1) two station AroCom system with parallel out and (1) two station AroCom system with external power (if needed). Cables are ordered separately.



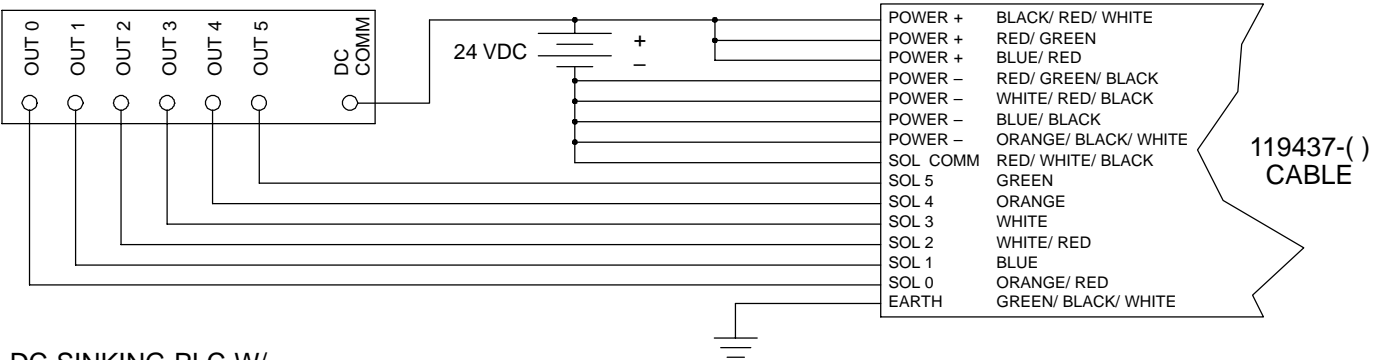
# AroCom Parallel System Wiring Diagrams

DC COMM at the PLC is wired to +24 V for sourcing and 0 V for sinking.

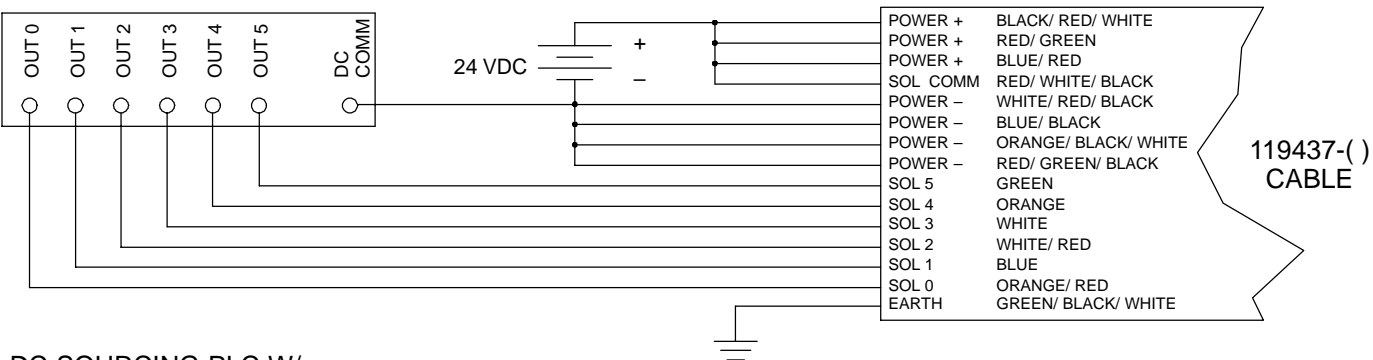
For clarity, only the first 6 outputs are shown. (15 total)

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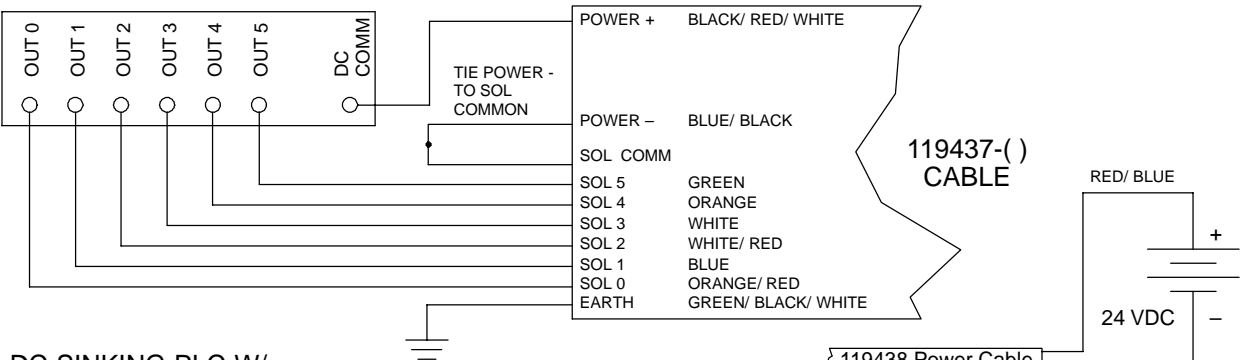
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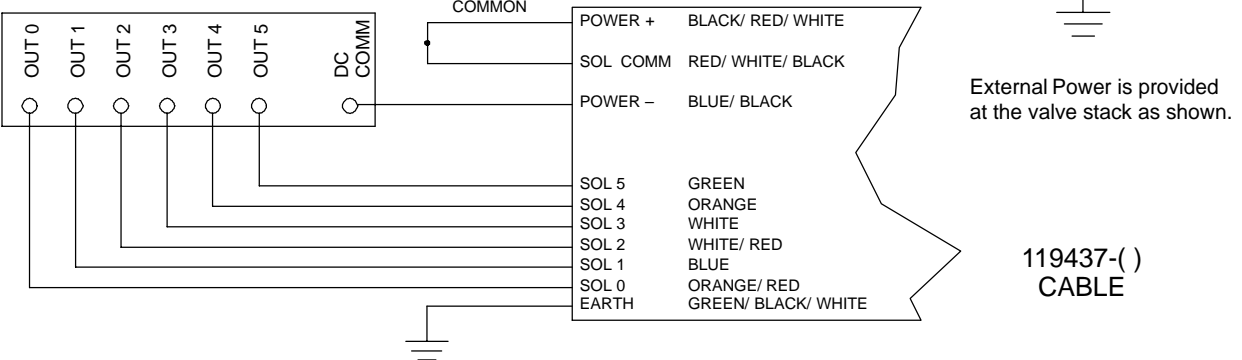
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## DC SOURCING PLC W/ EXTERNAL POWER



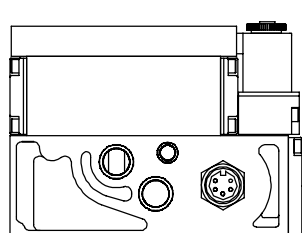
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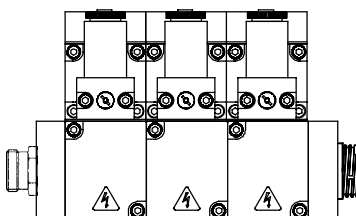
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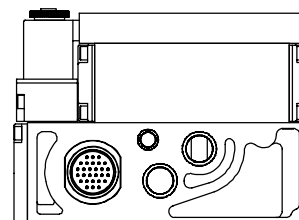
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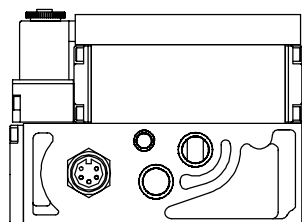
AroLink System with  
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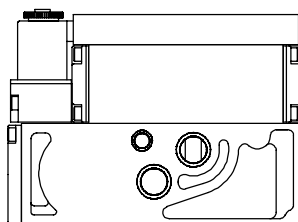
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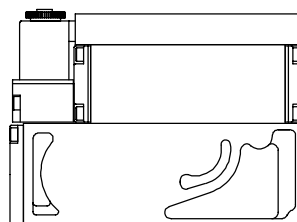
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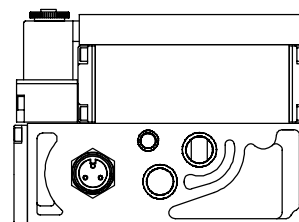
Right Side Serial Out  
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Right Side Ports Only  
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Right Side Blank  
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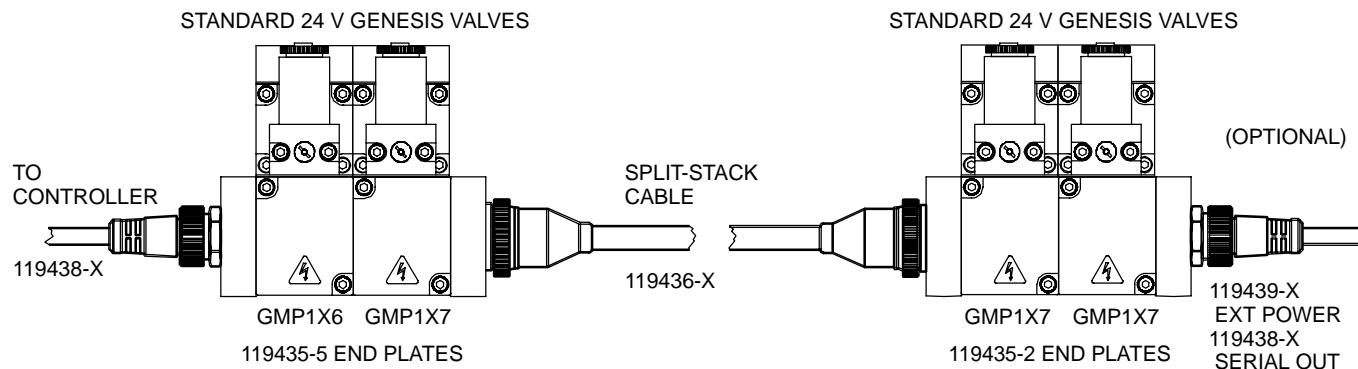


Right Side External  
Power In  
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## Sample AroLink System with Split-Stack

This system is a four station AroLink system with external power. A Split-Stack is used between the second and third station.

Note: This system would be ordered as (1) two station AroLink system with parallel out and (1) two station AroCom system with external power (if needed). Cables are ordered separately.



Wire colors given as: WIRE/ STRIPE/. (i.e. RED/ WHITE is a red wire with a white stripe).  
Link Terminal is a trademark of Omron Electronics Inc.

The diagram illustrates the wiring for a 11957 Link Terminal Transmitter. It shows the transmitter's terminal block connected to a PLC's output terminals. The transmitter is powered by 24 VDC. The signal lines are labeled as follows:

- RED/ ORANGE: SIGNAL
- RED/ BLUE: POWER +
- GREEN: POWER -
- RED/ BLACK: SEC. SIG.
- RED/ WHITE: EARTH

The transmitter is also connected to a 11948 Serial Cable, which is plugged into a terminal block. The terminal block has two ground symbols (⚡) indicating earth connections.

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Omron CQM1 Module or Equivalent.

RED/ ORANGE SIGNAL  
 RED/ BLUE POWER +  
 GREEN POWER -  
 RED/ BLACK EARTH  
 RED/ WHITE EARTH

To Additional Transmitter/ Receiver

119438 Serial Cable

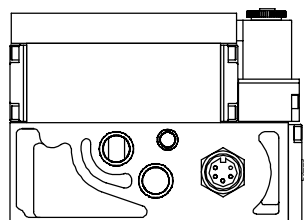
119439 Power Cable

24 VDC  
 RED/ WHITE +  
 RED/ BLACK -

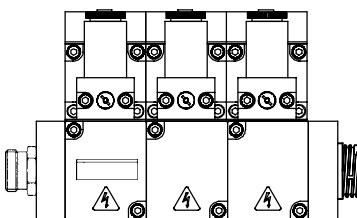
## AroNet Network Serial Wiring System Configurations

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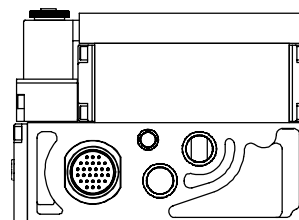
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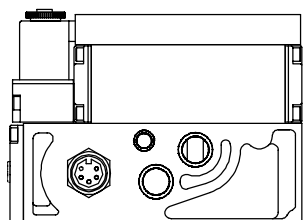
AroNet System with  
Serial-In Connector  
(left side)



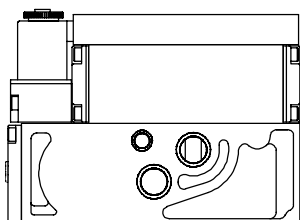
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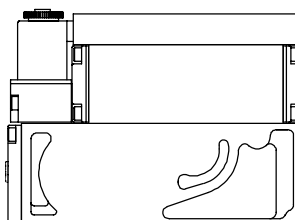
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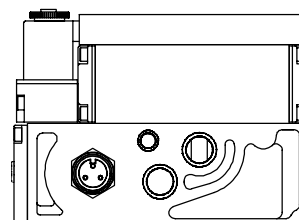
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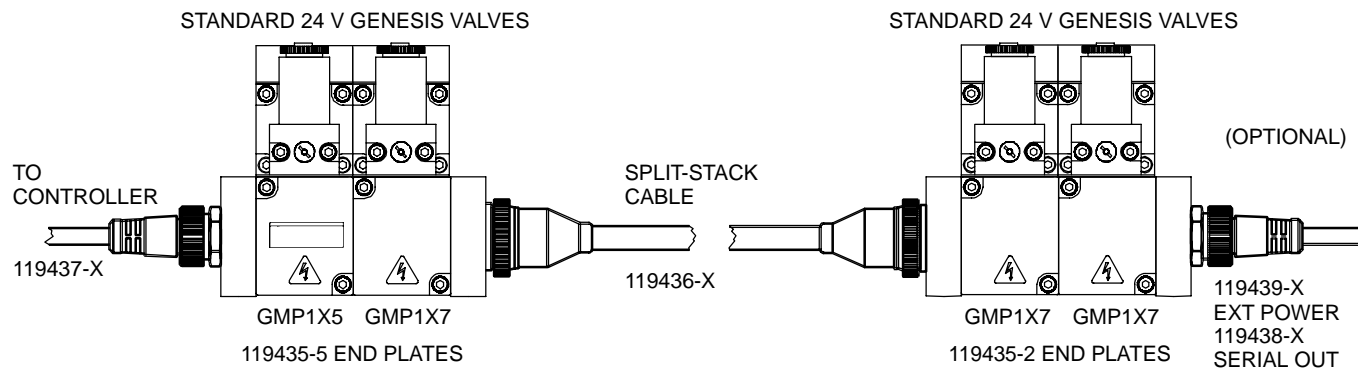


Right Side External  
Power In  
(119435-11)

## Sample AroNet System with Split-Stack

This system is a four station AroNet system with external power. A Split-Stack is used between the second and third station.

Note: This system would be ordered as (1) two station AroNet system with parallel out and (1) two station AroCom system with external power (if needed). Cables are ordered separately.

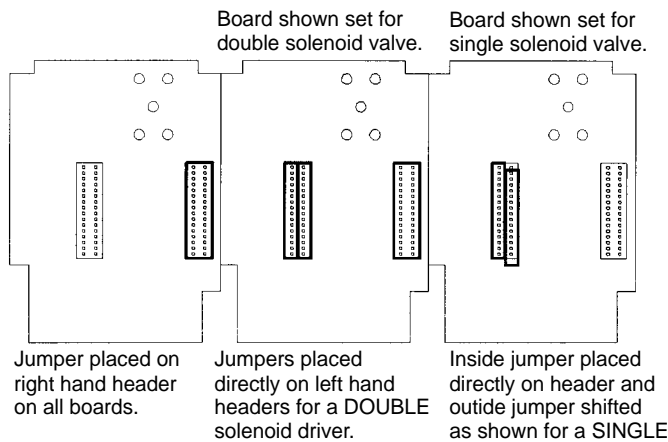


# EasyWire Internal Wiring Instructions

## For All Systems

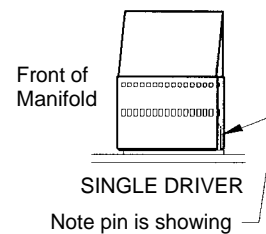
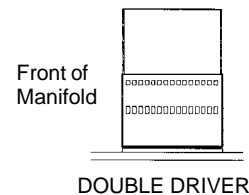
### AroCom boards

Shown from the top to illustrate jumper placement.



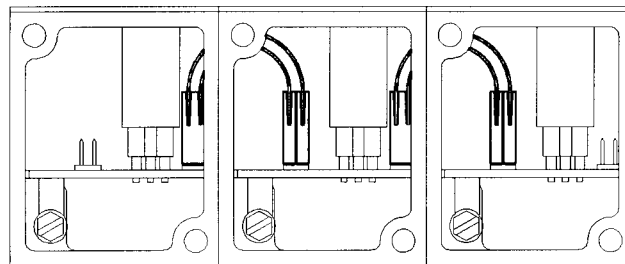
NOTE: The first station in any manifold (leftmost) is automatically set for a DOUBLE solenoid valve. Sol 0 is the "12" end and Sol 1 is the "14" end. This is explained further in the "Numbering" section.

Jumpers shown from the right hand side.



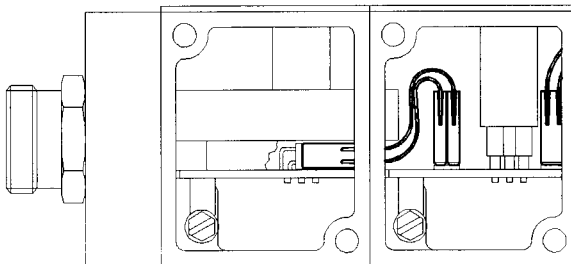
### AroCom Manifolds

Shown from the front.



### AroLink Manifold

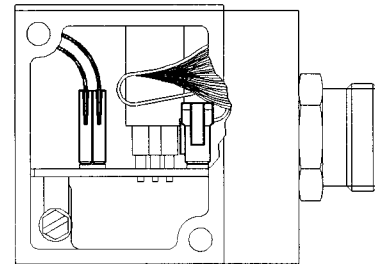
With cutaway to show position of header.



Jumpers placed directly on right hand header located under the Receiver Chip.

NOTE: Header is horizontal.

### Manifold With External Power Connector.

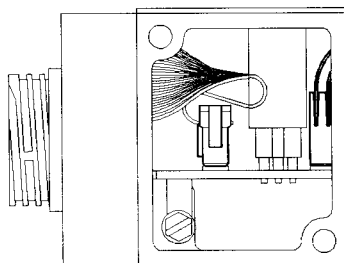


Connector receptacle placed onto right header.

NOTE: Ribs on receptacle face LEFT and ribbon cable extends to the RIGHT. If installed any other way, the system will not function.

### AroCom Manifold

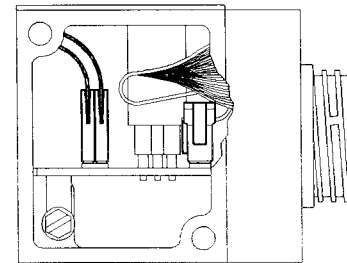
With Parallel Input Connector.



Connector receptacle placed onto left header.

NOTE: Ribs on receptacle face LEFT and ribbon cable extends to the LEFT. If installed any other way, the system will not function.

### Manifold With Parallel Output Connector.



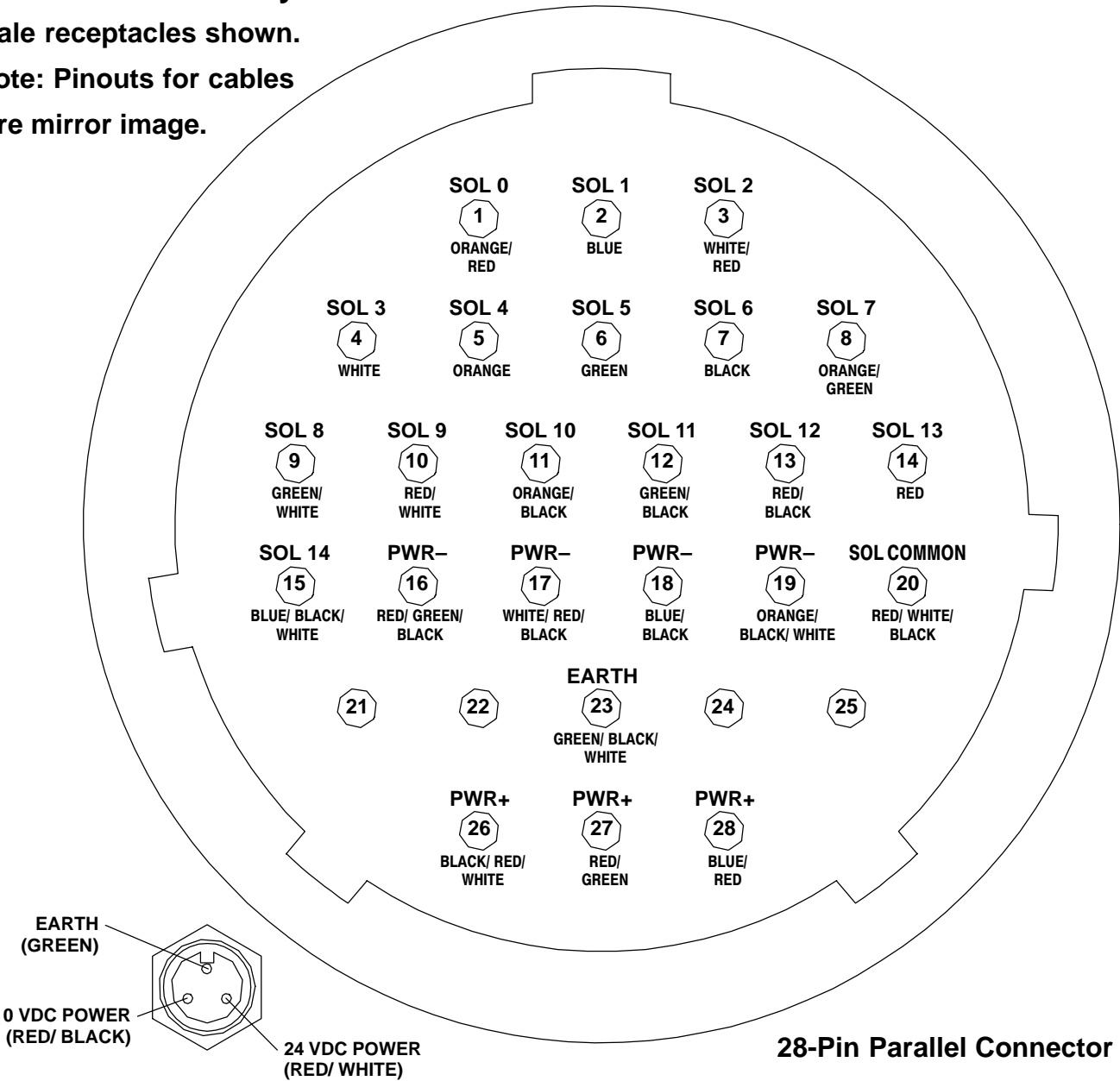
Connector receptacle placed onto right header.

NOTE: Ribs on receptacle face LEFT and ribbon cable extends to the RIGHT. If installed any other way, the system will not function.

# Parallel and Serial System Pinouts for Stack Connections

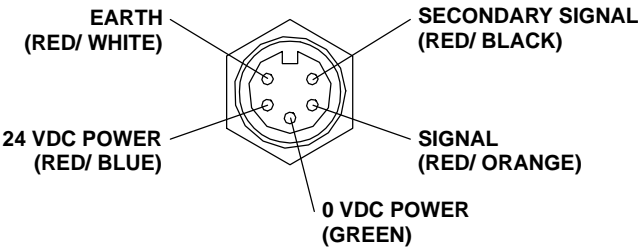
Male receptacles shown.

Note: Pinouts for cables are mirror image.

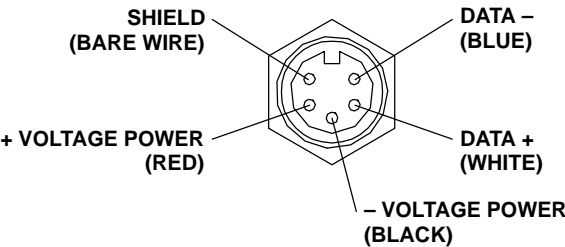


These pinouts are given for reference, actual wiring diagrams are included for each system.

Wire colors given as: WIRE/ STRIPE/ SECOND STRIPE. (i.e. BLACK/ WHITE is a black wire with a white stripe, while BLACK/ RED/ WHITE is a black wire with a red stripe and a white stripe).



5-Pin AroLink Connector



5-Pin AroNet Connector  
(DeviceNet Standard)

# ARO EasyWire System Technical Data

## EasyWire General

	Low Watt Coil	Standard Watt Coil
Power (VDC)	24	24
Current per Coil (mA)	75	240
Max. Solenoids ON at any time (per system of 16 coils)	16	12
Max. Temperature (deg. F)	240 (115 C)	240 (115 C)
Max. Pressure (p.s.i.g.)	115 (7.9 bar)	150 (10.3 bar)

## EasyWire Systems

	AroCom System	AroLink System	AroNet System
Power (VDC)	24	24	24
Signal Voltage / Current	3.4 V @ 3.4 mA to 24 V @ 33 mA	20 V to 24 V @ 6 mA	–
Max. Distance: Power at PLC	60 ft (18 m)	50 ft (15 m)	Refer to
External Power	100 ft (30 m)	330 ft (100 m)	DeviceNet
Dual Power	130 ft (40 m)	1640 ft (500 m)	Specifications
Max. Scan Time (mS)	–	19 (high speed 3 mS available)	–
PLC to be used	any discrete output DC (3.4 V to 24 V)	sourcing discrete output PLC (24 V)	–

## AroNet Configuration

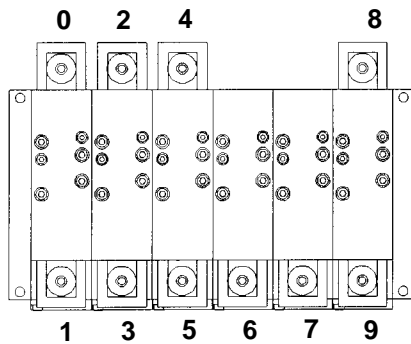
DIP Switch Configurations:	SW1	SW2	Baud Rate
	OPEN	OPEN	125k
	CLOSED	OPEN	250k
	OPEN	CLOSED	500k
Reset MAC ID to 63 @ Power On	CLOSED	CLOSED	Default Setting

LED Designations	LED 1 (Module Status)	LED 2 (Network Status)
Solid Green	AroNet Receiving Power	AroNet Properly Allocated
Flashing Green	AroNet Running thru startup procedures	AroNet senses network, but is unable to communicate. Possible Node Allocation Collision.
Red (any form)	Not Applicable	Fault Mode. AroNet is unable to sense network. Possible failure to allocate a node on network.

Communication Type:	Polled Device (Group 2 only slave)
Bit Mapping Reservations:	16 Bit output word, additional enable bit dependent upon DeviceNet scanner / PLC interfacing.

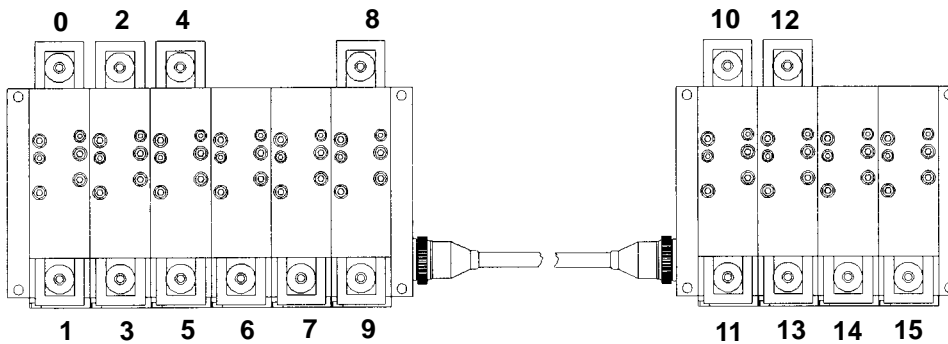
## EasyWire Solenoid Numbering

AroLink and AroNet may control up to 16 solenoids per control point (node) and AroCom, up to 15 solenoids. The first manifold (leftmost looking at the conduit covers) in each stack is always configured for a double solenoid valve and each remaining manifold may be configured as either a single or double at any time.

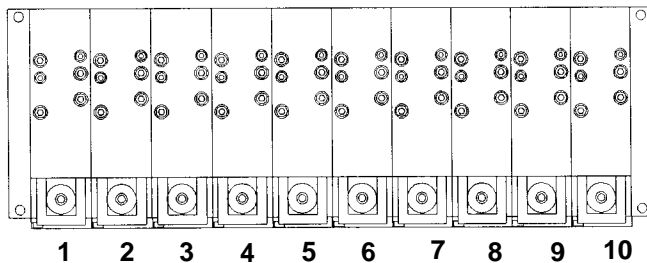


Numbering will begin with the leftmost manifold using Outputs #0 and #1 and increase as valves are added to the right of this. The “12” end solenoid on double solenoid valves will be the lower number and the “14” end on single solenoid valves will be the ONLY number.

EXAMPLE: Engaging Output 8 at the PLC activates the “12” end on the sixth valve in the above stack.



If all of the points available in any of the three systems are not used in the first valve stack, a “parallel-out” endplate may be used on the right side. Using a 119436 cable, an AroCom system may be added to consume the remaining outputs. The numbering on the added stack begins where that of the original stack left off.



If the leftmost manifold does not use a double solenoid valve, as seen above, the first output, Output 0, will have no effect. Because of this, the maximum number of single solenoid valves available with AroLink and AroNet is 15 and 14 for AroCom.