

CAEN-BLOCK – Network Block

Introduction

Crestron® Network Block (CAEN-BLOCK) is a termination block that provides four termination ports for Cresnet® wiring. The unit can be installed into a Crestron Automation Enclosure (CAEN-Series) to continue the connectivity of Cresnet from an enclosure that contains a Crestron Professional Automation Computer (PAC2) or any 2-Series processor.

The unit also has two 5-pin connections that provide communication to the modules. Contact closure override signals that produce an emergency over ride of the modules are also sent through these connections.

The unit is a pass-through device with a Cresnet power factor of zero.

Network Block Dimensions & Weight

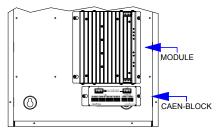
	Height	Width	Depth
Dimensions	2	6	1 ³ / ₄
Weight		3.4	

Dimensions are provided in inches. Weight is provided in ounces.

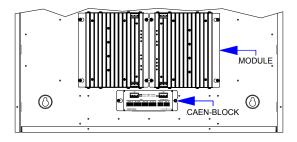
Installation

The CAEN-BLOCK must be mounted in accordance with all national and local codes. Use the two screws (8Bx1/4", supplied) to attach a CAEN-BLOCK to an enclosure. Refer to the two drawings below for location and orientation within an enclosure.

Example of CAEN-BLOCK Location and Orientation within a Single-Wide Enclosure



Example of CAEN-BLOCK Location and Orientation within a Double-Wide Enclosure



NOTE: Unless otherwise indicated, the lighting system specified in this guide is modular, requiring assembly in the field by a licensed electrician, in accordance with all national and local codes.

If you require a UL Listed panel, Crestron offers this service through its UL Listed panel shop. This includes complete in factory system configuration and assembly by Crestron for an additional fee.

Wiring

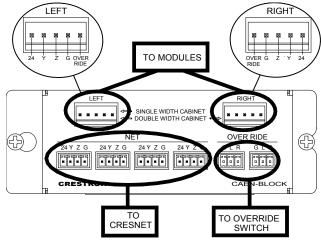
The CAEN-BLOCK distributes 24 volts direct current (VDC), Cresnet Y and Z data signals, and ground. Using any one of the NET connectors as an input source (receiving power, data, and ground from a PAC2), the remaining connectors may be used as outputs to other equipment (i.e., CAEN-BLOCKs in other enclosures or other Cresnet devices) to continue the connectivity of Cresnet from an enclosure that contains a 2-Series processor to other Cresnet devices.

Attach the module interconnect cable (supplied) to connect the CAEN-BLOCK to the Crestron lighting modules (CLX-Series) installed in the enclosure.

NOTE: When making the connection to a module in a **single-wide enclosure**, be sure to use the 5-pin module interconnect connector marked **LEFT** as shown in the illustration below.

When a switch contact closure is received between the "G" connections and the "L" or "R" connection (R is used in a double-wide enclosure only) on the CAEN BLOCK, the respective left or right column of modules will set the lights to the programmed emergency over-ride state.

CAEN-BLOCK Wiring Connections



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Further Inquiries

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