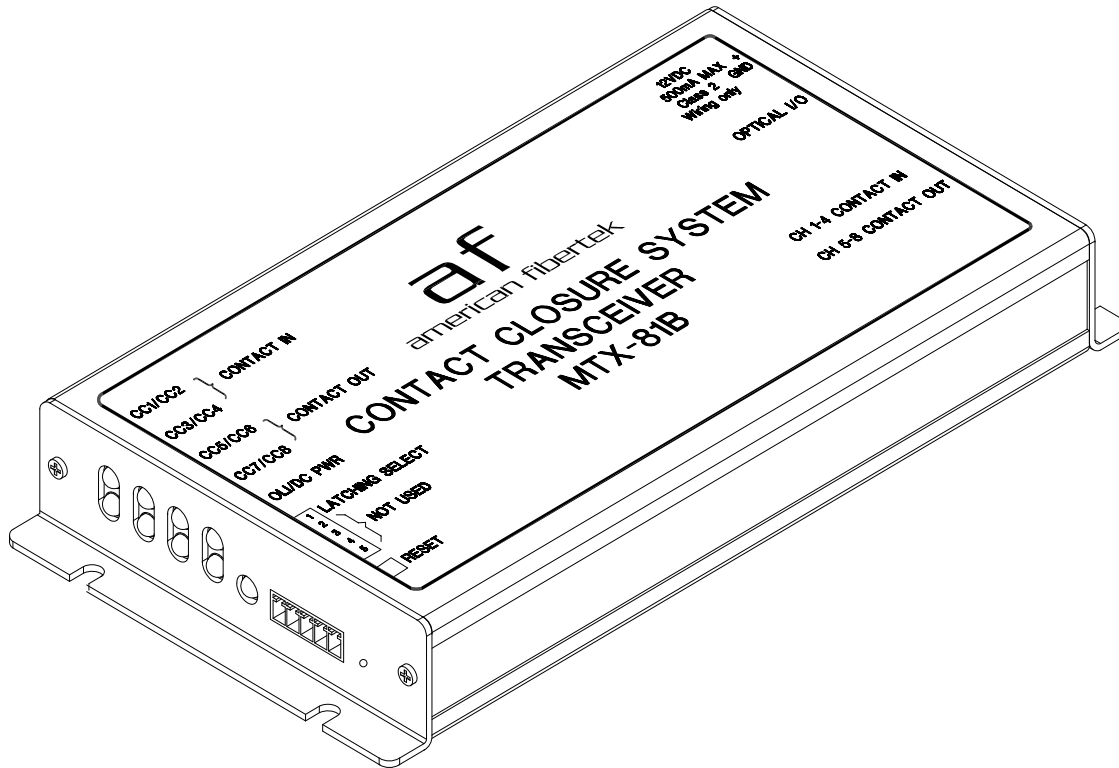


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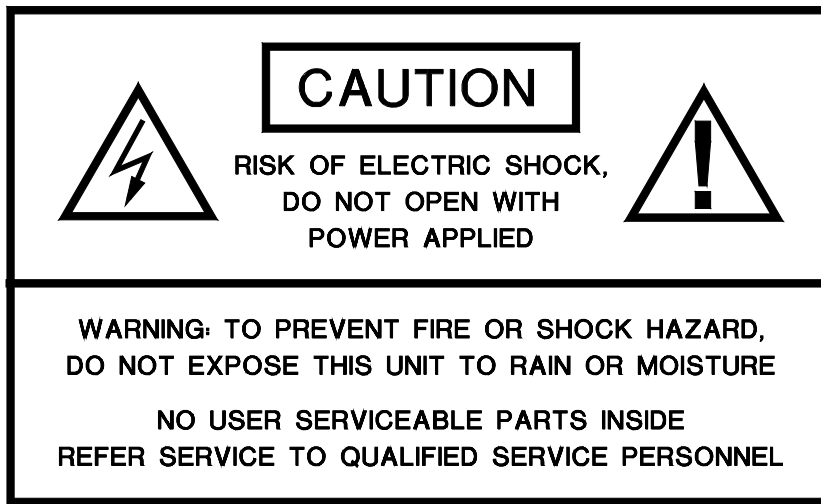


Instruction Manual

MTX-81B

Eight Channel

Contact Closure Transceiver



INSTALLATION AND OPERATION INSTRUCTIONS

INTRODUCTION

Thank you for purchasing your American Fibertek MTX-81B multimode contact closure transceiver. Please take a few minutes to read these installation instructions in order to obtain the maximum performance from this product.

FUNCTIONAL DESCRIPTION

The MTX-81B operates as half of a transceiver pair for the transmission of eight dry latching contact closure signals. Four contact closures are transmitted in one direction on the link with the remaining four contact closures transmitted in the opposite direction. It is designed to operate with the MRX-81B or RRX-81B contact closure transceiver over one multimode fiber optic cable. The MTX-81B transceiver has a user selectable switch that allows the contact outputs of the unit to be maintained unchanged through loss of optical or electrical power at the MTX-81B. The MTX-81B transceiver also includes a recessed button to clear all contacts to a default state.

The MTX-81B converts four contact closure inputs into an optical output using a 1310 nm wavelength source. The MTX-81B also converts an optical input from the MRX-81B or RRX-81B into four contact closure outputs using a 1550 nm wavelength detector. The MTX-81B operates on 50 μm or 62.5 μm multimode fiber. The 81B Series product is designed to operate over an optical loss budget range of 0 to 12 dB when using 62.5 μm fiber. Refer to the data sheets for detailed performance specifications.

This unit is contained in a compact and rugged aluminum housing with internal dc voltage regulation. The detachable terminal blocks and LED indicators provide for easy installation and monitoring of contact closure and power. The MTX-81B is designed for mounting as a modular stand alone unit. For a rack mounted version please see the RTX-81B.

INSTALLATION

THIS INSTALLATION SHOULD BE MADE BY A QUALIFIED SERVICE PERSON AND SHOULD CONFORM TO THE NATIONAL ELECTRICAL CODE, ANSI/NFPA 70 AND LOCAL CODES.

Mount the unit to a secure surface using #8 (3mm) hardware in four places. See the drawing on the next page for mounting dimensions. Be sure to allow sufficient room for the required minimum bend radius of the fiber cable used.

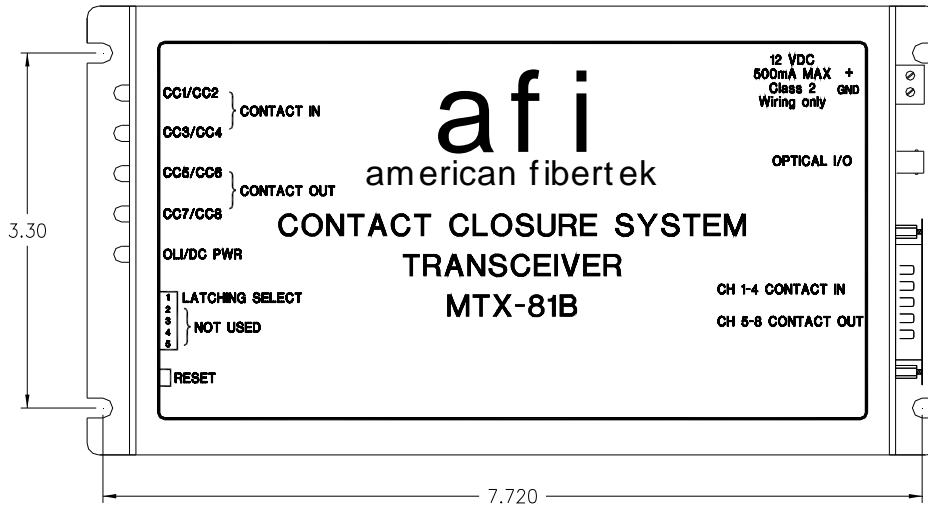
POWER SOURCE

THIS PRODUCT SHALL BE POWERED BY A LISTED CLASS 2 POWER SUPPLY ONLY.

This unit requires a 12 volt DC power source for proper operation. In the USA and in Canada an American Fibertek PS-12 is supplied with this unit. ANSI/NFPA 70 Class 2 wiring is recommended.

POWER CONNECTION

Power is supplied to the unit via a two pin terminal connector on the right side of the unit. See label on unit for proper location of input power.

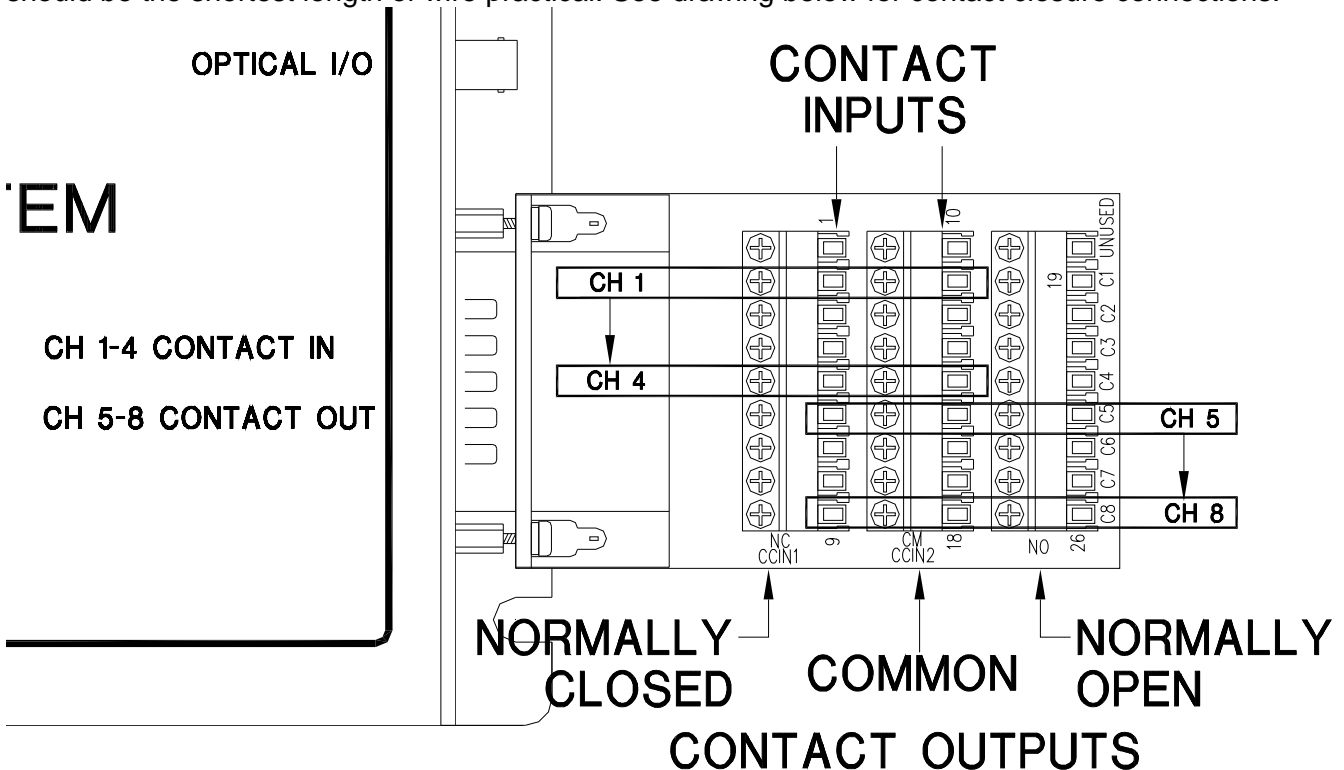


FIBER CONNECTION

The optical connection is made via a ST connector located on the right side of the unit.

CONTACT CLOSURE INPUT AND OUTPUT CONNECTIONS

Contact closure input and output connections are made via terminal blocks attached to the right side of the unit. Please note that the two Channel 1 inputs begin at the second terminal screw closest to the fiber connection on each of the two nine pin terminal strips. Channels 2 through 8 connections continue down the terminal strip. For optimum performance the copper cables carrying the contact closure signal should be the shortest length of wire practical. See drawing below for contact closure connections.



RESET PUSH BUTTON

A recessed momentary contact push button is located on the left side of the chassis near the LED indicators. Pushing this button resets the four contact outputs of the MTX-81B to their default states and sends a signal to the MRX-81B or RRX-81B to reset all its outputs to their default states.

LATCHING SELECT SWITCH

A latching select switch is located on the left side of the chassis near the LED indicators. When switch #1 is set to the up (off) position, all contact output states remain unchanged during a loss of optical connection or DC power to the MTX-81B. Contact outputs will remain unchanged until DC power is restored to the MTX-81B and a valid data stream is received from the MRX-81B or RRX-81B or the reset button is depressed. When switch #1 is set to the down (on) position, all contact output states will revert to their default states during a loss of optical connection or DC power to the MTX-81B.

MTX-81B STATUS INDICATORS

The MTX-81B provides the following LED status indicators to aid in installation and troubleshooting:

CC1 THROUGH CC8

A green LED indicator is provided for each of the contact closure inputs and outputs of the MTX-81B. Contact closure status associated with these LED's is summarized below.

Contact Closure LED	Contact Closure Input /Output Status
Green	Contact Terminals Closed (Shorted)
Off	Contact Terminals Open

OLI/DC PWR

A bicolor LED indicator monitors the power of the optical signal that is being received at the MTX-81B from the MRX-81B or RRX-81B. DC power and optical input status associated with this LED are summarized below.

Optical Level Indicator	DC Power Status	Optical Status
Green	On	Proper Optical Input Power Present
Red	On	Optical Input Not Detected
Off	Off	Check Power Supply

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There are no user serviceable parts inside the unit.

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