

### 2-Channel Universal Dimmer (310 W@230 VAC/200 W@110 VAC)

ZDI-DBDX2 TECHNICAL DOCUMENTATION

### **FEATURES**

- 2 channels for R L C loads and for Dimmable CFL and LED lamps
- Automatic detection of R L C load type
- Automatic frequency detection
- Dimming pattern selection for CFL and LED lamps
- Optional manual Dimming control
- 2 Analog/Digital inputs
- · Total data saving on KNX bus failure
- Integrated KNX BCU (TP1-256)
- Dimensions 67 x 90 x 79 mm (4.5 DIN units)
- DIN rail mounting according to IEC 60715 TH35, with fixing clamp
- Conformity with the CE, UKCA, RCM directives (marks on the right side)

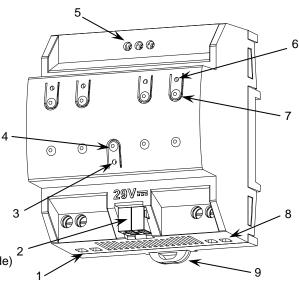


Figure 1: DIMinBOX DX2

<ol> <li>Power supply input</li> </ol>	<ol><li>KNX connector</li></ol>	<ol><li>Programming/Tes</li></ol>	t LED 4. Program	nming/Test button
<ol><li>Analog/Digital inputs</li></ol>	<ol><li>Output status LED</li></ol>	7. Output control button	8. Output channels	<ol><li>Fixing clamp</li></ol>

Programming/Test button: short press to set programming mode. If this button is held while plugging the device into the KNX bus, it enters the safe mode. If this button is held for more than 3 seconds, the device enters the test mode.

Programming/Test LED: programming mode indicator (red). When the device enters the safe mode, it blinks (red) every half second. The manual mode is indicated by the green color. During the start-up (reset or after KNX bus failure) and if the device is not in safe mode, it emits a red flash.

GENERAL SPECIFICATIONS						
CONCEPT			DESCRIPTION			
Type of device		Electric operation control dev	ice			
	Voltage (typic	al)	29 VDC SELV			
	Voltage range		21-31 VDC	21-31 VDC		
1/11//	Maximum	Voltage	mA	mW		
KNX supply		29 VDC (typical)	11	319		
	consumption	24 VDC <sup>1</sup>	15	360		
	Connection ty	pe	Typical TP1 bus connector for 0.8 mm Ø rigid cable			
External power	er supply		110-230 VAC 50/60 Hz			
Operation tem	nperature		0 +55 °C			
Storage tempor	erature		-20 +55 °C	-20 +55 °C		
Operation hur	nidity		5 95%	5 95%		
Storage humidity		5 95%				
Complementa	ry characteristic	S	Class B	Class B		
Protection cla	SS					
Operation type	е		Continuous operation			
Device action	type		Type 1			
Electrical stres	ss period		Long			
Degree of protection		IP20, clean environment				
Installation		Independent device to be mounted inside electrical panels with DIN rail (IEC				
IIIStaliation			60715)			
Minimum clea	rances		Not required			
Response on	KNX bus failure		Data saving according to parameterization			
Response on KNX bus restart			Data recovery according to parameterization			
			The programming LED indicates programming mode (red) and test mode			
Operation indi	icator		(green). Each output LED indicates its status (fixed = active output; flashing			
		= error in the output)				
Weight			210 g			
PCB CTI index		175 V	1191			
Housing material		PC FR V0 halogen free	PC FR V0 halogen free			

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Maximum consumption in the worst-case scenario (KNX Fan-In model).

OUTPUTS SPECIFICATIONS AND CONNECTIONS				
CONCEPT		DESCRIPTION		
Number of outputs		2		
Output type		Solid state switching device		
Short-circuit protection		YES		
Overload protection		YES		
Connection method		Screw terminal block (0.5 Nm max.)		
Cable cross-section		1.5-4 mm² (IEC) / 26-10 AWG (UL)		
LOADS AND ALLOWED POWER (@ 35 °C ambient temperature around the device)				
		230 VAC	110 VAC	
RLC	Individual channels	Up to 310 W	Up to 200 W	
	Common channel	Up to 600 W	Up to 400 W	

Up to 310 W

Up to 600 W

Individual channels

Common channel

Also, for load characterization process, please refer to the link https://www.zennio.com/download/technical\_note\_diminbox-dx2\_tests\_en.

EXTERNAL POWER SUPPLY SPECIFICATIONS AND CONNECTIONS			
CONCEPT		DESCRIPTION	
Power supply protection fuse	Voltage	250 V	
	Current	10 A	
	Response type	F (Fast acting)	
Connection method		Screw terminal block (0.5 Nm max.)	
Cable cross-section		1.5-4 mm <sup>2</sup> (IEC) / 26-10 AWG (UL)	

### WIRING DIAGRAMS

CFL and LED 1

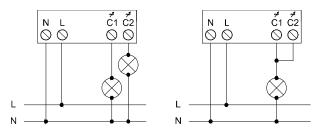
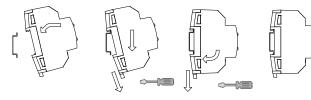


Figure 2: Wiring examples (independent channels and common channel connection)

# Attaching DIMinBOX DX2 to DIN rail:



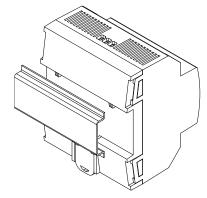












Up to 200 W

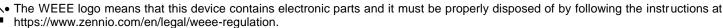
Up to 400 W

Figure 3. Mounting DIMinBOX DX2 on DIN rail



# SAFETY INSTRUCTIONS AND ADDITIONAL NOTES

- Installation should only be performed by qualified professionals according to the laws and regulations applicable in each country.
- Do not connect the mains voltage nor any other external voltage to any point of the KNX bus; it would represent a risk for the entire KNX system. The facility must have enough insulation between the mains (or auxiliary) voltage and the KNX bus or the wires of other accessories, in case of being installed.
- The facility must be equipped with a device that ensures the omnipolar sectioning. Installation of a 10 A mini-circuit-breaker is recommended. To prevent accidents, it must remain open in case of manipulation of the device.
- The device has a short-circuit protection fuse that, in case of activation, should only be rearmed or replaced by the Zennio technical
- Once the device is installed (in the panel or box), it must not be accessible from outside.
- Keep the device away from water (condensation over the device included) and do not cover it with clothes, paper or any other material while in use.



<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>For leading edge, the maximum load could change depending on the load type. Please refer to the link <a href="https://zennio.com/download/technical\_note\_diminbox-dx\_list\_process\_en">https://zennio.com/download/technical\_note\_diminbox-dx\_list\_process\_en</a>.

### SUPPORTED LOADS

- R = Resistive
- L = Inductive
- C = Capacitive
- CFL = Dimmable Compact Fluorescent Lamps
- LED = Dimmable LED lamps



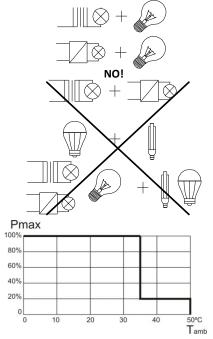
Please, make sure that the loads used are dimmable.

### LOAD COMBINATION

- In case of combining resistive (R) with inductive (L) loads, the resistive loads must not exceed the 50% of the total power.
- In case of combining resistive (R) with capacitive (C) loads, the resistive loads must not exceed the 50% of the total power.
- Combination of capacitive loads with inductive loads is NOT ALLOWED.
- Do not combine CFL or LED lamps with R L C loads.
- It is not advisable to combine different models of CFL lamps, LED lamps or transformers in the same channel since correct operation can be affected.

### **OVERHEATING PROTECTION**

- When the ambient temperature is too high the dimmer actuator will regulate itself, at a maximum of 20%.
- Once the ambient temperature decreases, the dimmer actuator will resume its normal operation. Please, refer to user manual.



INPUTS SPECIFICATIONS AND CONNECTIONS		
CONCEPT	DESCRIPTION	
Number of inputs	2	
Inputs per common	2	
Operation voltage	+3.3 VDC in the common	
Operation current	1 mA @ 3.3 VDC (per input)	
Switching type	Dry voltage contacts between input and common	
Connection method	Screw terminal block (0.5 Nm max.)	
Cable cross-section	0.5-2.5 mm <sup>2</sup> (IEC) / 26-12 AWG (UL)	
Maximum cable length	30 m	
NTC probe length	1.5 m (extensible up to 30 m)	
NTC accuracy (@ 25 °C) <sup>2</sup>	±0.5 °C	
Temperature resolution	0.1 °C	
Maximum response time	10 ms	

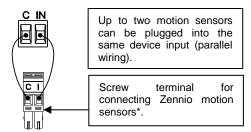
<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> For Zennio temperature probes.

### INPUTS CONNECTION

Any combination of the following accessories is allowed in the inputs:

# Temperature Probe\*\* C IN Zennio temperature probe.





## Switch/Sensor/ Push button



<sup>\*</sup> In case of using ZN1IO-DETEC-P sensor, its micro switch number 2 must be in Type B position.

<sup>\*\*</sup> Zennio temperature probe or any NTC with known resistance values at three points in the range [-55, 150 °C].

# **ERROR NOTIFICATIONS**

ERROR	LED BEHAVIOR	VISUAL NOTIFICATION
Short circuit	The two status LEDs of the channel with the error blink alternately every 0.25 second. When the output is locked, the programming LED blinks in blue.	CHANNEL  C1
Voltage Surge	The two status LEDs of the channel with the error blink simultaneously each 0.25 seconds.  When the output is locked, the programming LED lights in blue.	CHANNEL  C1
Overheating	The LEDs blink every second.	CHANNEL  C1
Supply Voltage Failure	One LED of each channel blinks every second.	CHANNEL  C1
Anomalous Frequency	All the LEDs of each channel blinks (during two seconds) sequentially	CHANNEL  C1
Parameterization Error	One LED of the channel blink every second while the other LED blinks every 0.25 seconds.	CHANNEL C1 C2