



# Expands Data Logger Control Capacity

For dc devices with moderate current loads

### Overview

With an SDM-CD8S, your data logger can control dc devices that have a moderate current load, such as solenoids, solenoid valves, dc motors, stepper motors, lights, horns, heaters, and

fans. The SDM-CD8S is ideal for applications requiring only a few control ports, where a larger, high-powered relay module (such as the SDM-CD16S) is not necessary.

### **Benefits and Features**

- > Provides a manual override
- ▶ Enables multiple SDM-CD8S devices to be wired to one data logger, increasing the number of devices that can be controlled
- Includes LEDs that provide a visual indicator of active outputs

## **Detailed Description**

The SDM-CD8S has eight dc-voltage outputs and returns that can be switched on and off manually or under data logger control.

- When the manual control switch is in the ON position, outputs are controlled by the position of the individual rocker switches.
- In the OFF position the state of the relays is controlled by the SDM commands from the data logger.

The voltage range for this device is 8 to 26 Vdc. It can deliver up to 1 A per channel with a maximum of 6 A total for all

channels. The power input (8 to 26 Vdc) powers both the outputs and the SDM-CD8S logic.

### **SDM Operation**

The SDM-CD8S is a synchronously addressed data logger peripheral. Data logger control ports 1, 2, and 3 are used to address the SDM-CD8S, then clock out the desired state of each of the eight control ports. Up to 15 SDM-CD8S controllers may be addressed, making it possible to control a maximum of 120 ports from the first three data logger control ports.



### **Specifications**

Function	Allows the data logger to control dc devices that have a moderate current load, such as solenoids, solenoid valves, dc motors, stepper motors, lights, horns, heaters, and fans.
Number of Channels	8
Supply Voltage Range	8 to 26 Vdc
Operating Voltage	12 Vdc
Logic Current Drain (@ 12 Vdc)	▶ 15 mA (quiescent)

	2.5 mA per active LED (manual or auto)
Toggle Switch	<ul><li>Individual dip switches for manual</li><li>MANUAL, OFF, AUTO</li></ul>
Maximum Current	<ul><li>1 A (per channel)</li><li>6 A (all channels total)</li></ul>
Actuation/Release Times	8 μs/200 μs
Operating Temperature	-40° to +70°C
Dimensions	11.1 x 8.6 x 2.4 cm (4.4 x 3.4 x 0.9 in.)



