

# MBDC-200 Modbus Data Concentrator and Gateway

## Quick start reference guide

 This document is a reference guide only and must be used in conjunction with the MBDC-200 *User manual*.

IGMBDC200-2201

## INSTALLATION

### Regulatory notes

-  1. The MBDC-200 is suitable for use in non-hazardous locations only.
- 2. The MBDC-200 is not authorized for use in life support devices or systems.
- 3. Wiring and installation must be in accordance with applicable electrical codes in accordance with the authority having jurisdiction.
- 4. This is a Class A device and intended for commercial or industrial use. This equipment may cause radio interference if used in a residential area; in this case it is the operator's responsibility to take appropriate measures.
- 5. The precondition for compliance with EMC limit values is strict adherence to the guidelines specified in the MBDC-200 *User manual*. This applies in particular to the area of grounding and shielding of cables.

### FCC Notice (USA only)

This equipment has been tested and found to comply with the limits for a Class A digital device, pursuant to Part 15 of the FCC Rules. These limits are designed to provide reasonable protection against harmful interference when the equipment is operated in a commercial environment. This equipment generates, uses, and can radiate radio frequency energy and, if not installed and used in accordance with the instruction manual, may cause harmful interference to radio communications. Operation of this equipment in a residential area is likely to cause harmful interference in which case the user will be required to correct the interference at his own expense.

### Industry Canada Notice (Canada only)

This Class A digital apparatus complies with Canadian ICES-003.

## SAFETY PRECAUTIONS

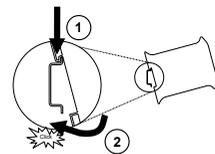


### ELECTRICAL HAZARD

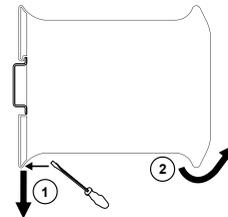
- This equipment must be installed and serviced only by qualified personnel. Such work should be performed only after reading the MBDC-200 *User manual* in its entirety.
- Before performing visual inspections, tests, or maintenance on this equipment, disconnect all sources of electric power. Assume that all circuits are live until they have been completely de-energized, tested, and tagged. Pay particular attention to the design of the power system. Consider all sources of power, including the possibility of backfeeding.
- Apply appropriate personal protective equipment and follow safe electrical practices.
- Turn off all power supplying the equipment in which the MBDC-200 is to be installed before installing, wiring or removing the MBDC-200.
- Always use a properly rated voltage sensing device to confirm that power is off.
- The successful operation of this equipment depends upon proper handling, installation, and operation. Neglecting fundamental installation requirements may lead to personal injury as well as damage to electrical equipment or other property.

**Failure to follow these instructions could result in death or serious injury!**

### DIN rail mounting and removal



To mount the unit on a DIN rail, slot the top part of the MBDC-200 into the upper guide of the rail and lower the enclosure until the bottom of the red hook clicks into place.



To remove the MBDC-200 from the DIN rail, use a screw driver as a lever by inserting it in the small slot of the red hook and push the red hook downwards. Then remove the unit from the rail by raising the bottom front edge of the enclosure.

### Mounting rules

-  • No water splash and water drops
- No aggressive gas, steam or liquids
- Avoid dusty environments.
- Avoid shock or vibration
- Do not exceed the specified operational temperatures and humidity range.
- Mount inside an electrical switchboard or control cabinet.
- Make sure there is sufficient air ventilation and clearance to other devices mounted next to the unit.
- Observe applicable local regulations like EN60204 / VDE0113.

## INTRODUCTION

### Package Contents

- MBDC-200 unit
- Quick start reference guide
- 2-pin terminal block plug
- 6-pin terminal block plug

### Documentation and Additional Resources

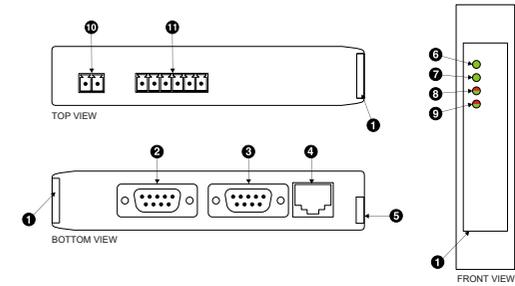
This Quick start reference guide must be used in conjunction with the MBDC-200 *User manual*.

The MBDC-200 *User manual* and supplemental software packages can be downloaded from the MBDC-200 web site:  
<http://www.proconx.com/mbdc200>

### Quick start checklist

- Obtain a copy of the MBDC-200 *User manual* and read it properly and in its entirety.
- Mount the unit.
- Connect the power. Do not connect yet serial ports.
- Configure the Ethernet communications settings with a web browser (using an Ethernet crossover cable) or with a terminal program like *HyperTerminal* (using a null modem cable)
- Configure the serial line communication settings.
- Configure the operational aspects of the device.
- Wire serial line interfaces.

## DESCRIPTION



-  Clear front cover
-  Serial port 1 RS-232 connector
-  Serial port 2 RS-232 connector
-  Ethernet connector
-  DIN rail clip
-  Power LED
-  Ethernet link LED
-  Status 1 LED
-  Status 2 LED
-  Power terminals
-  Serial port 1 and 2 RS-485 or serial port 1 RS-422 terminals

### Before connecting anything

-  1. Before installing or removing the unit or any connector, ensure that the system power and external supplies have been turned off.
- 2. Check the system supply voltage with a multimeter for correct voltage range and polarity.
- 3. Connect the power supply cable and switch on the system power. Check if the Power LED is lit.
- 4. Turn off system power.
- 5. Connect all I/O cables.
- 6. Once you are certain that all connections have been made properly, restore the power.

### Power terminals pin assignment

 Before connecting power please follow the rules in the section called "SAFETY PRECAUTIONS" and the section called "Before connecting anything".



1	V+	Positive voltage supply (10 - 30 V DC)
2	V-	Negative voltage supply, DC power return



Make sure that the polarity of the supply voltage is correct before connecting any device to the serial ports! A wrong polarity can cause high currents on the ground plane between the V- power supply pin and the serial port ground pins, which can cause damage to the device.

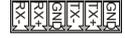
Please observe the wiring, grounding and shielding instructions described in the MBD-C200 *User manual!*

## RS-485/RS-422 terminals pin assignment

Pin	RS-485	RS-422	Description
4	GND	GND	Modbus Common
3	GND	TX+	Modbus D1 or TXD1
5	D- port 1	TX-	Modbus D0 or TXD0
7	D+ port 2	RX+	Modbus D1 or RXD1
8	D- port 2	RX-	Modbus D0 or RXD0



Do not connect the cable shield to the GND pin! Use an external chassis ground connection to terminate the shield.



RS-485

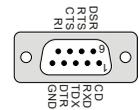


RS-422

Pinout as per EIA-574 DTE. Please observe the cabling instructions described in the MBD-C200 *User manual!*

## RS-232 connector pin assignment

1	DCD (unused)	in
2	RXD (Receive data)	in
3	TXD (Transmit data)	out
4	DTR (unused)	out
5	GND (Signal ground)	in
6	DSR (unused)	in
7	RTS (unused)	out
8	CTS (unused)	in
9	RI (unused)	in



## MAINTENANCE AND TROUBLESHOOTING

### Maintenance

The MBD-C200 does not require maintenance, nor does it contain any user-serviceable parts. If the MBD-C200 requires service, contact us directly for assistance.

Refer to the technical support contacts provided at the end of this document.

Do not open the MBD-C200 enclosure; this will void the product warranty.

### Diagnostics and troubleshooting



• This equipment must be installed and serviced only by qualified personnel.  
 • Qualified persons performing diagnostics or troubleshooting that require electrical conductors to be energized must comply with and follow safe electrical work practices.  
 Failure to follow these instructions could result in death or serious injury!

The status web pages served by the MBD-C200, display diagnostic data that may be helpful in troubleshooting communication problems.

In addition the About page contains information about your specific MBD-C200, including the serial number and media access control (MAC) address. Some of these pages show a Clear Counter button. Clicking this button clears all cumulative readings shown on this particular page. If power to the MBD-C200 is lost, all values reset to zero.

### LED Indicators

A LED test is exercised at power-up, cycling each LED off, green and then red for approximately 0.25 seconds. At the same time the power-on self test of the device is performed.

The following table outlines the indicator condition and the corresponding status after the power-on self-test has been completed:

LED	Function	Condition	Indication
Power	Power	Green	Power supply OK
	Ethernet	Off	No Ethernet link
	Ethernet link	Green	Ethernet link OK
Status1	Device sta-	Green	The device is operating in normal condition.
		Flashing red	Device operational but has a fault listed which requires acknowledgment.
Status2	Communication sta-	1 s rate	The device has an unrecoverable fault; may need replacing.
		Flashing red - 1 s rate	Communication error Modbus slave devices.
tus	Flashing red-	green	Modbus/TCP connection established but communication error Modbus slave devices.
		1 s rate	Modbus/TCP connection established but communication error Modbus slave devices.
Off	No Modbus/TC connection.	Green	Modbus/TC connection established.
		Flashing red	Modbus/TC connection established but communication error Modbus slave devices.
Red	The device has an unrecoverable fault; may need replacing. Flashing sequence and rate of Status2 LED indicates fault class.	1 s rate	The device has an unrecoverable fault; may need replacing.
		Flashing red	Device operational but has a fault listed which requires acknowledgment.

## SPECIFICATIONS

### Power supply

Voltage	10-30 V DC
Current	30 mA typical @ 24 V DC
Intrinsic consumption	750 mW
Emissions	AS/NZS CISPR 22 / EN 55022 (Class A)
Immunity	EN 55024

### Electromagnetic compatibility

Electrostatic discharge	EN 61000-4-2
Radiated RF	EN 61000-4-3
Fast transients	EN 61000-4-4
Conducted RF	EN 61000-4-6

### Enclosure

Material	Self-extinguishing PC/ABS blend (UL 94-V0)
Mounting	35 mm DIN rail (EN 60715)
Classification / Type rating	IP 20 / NEMA Type 1
Cooling	Convection

### Environmental

Operating temperature	0 to 60 °C / 32 to 140 °F
Storage temperature	-25 to 85 °C / -13 to 185 °F
Humidity rating	10 to 95% relative humidity, non condensing
Operating ambience	Free from corrosive gas, minimal dust

### Physical

Dimensions	101 x 22.5 x 120 mm / 3.98 x 0.886 x 4.72 in
Weight	0.12 kg / 0.265 lb

### Compliance

Australia	C-Tick
Europe	CE, RoHS
USA	FCC Part 15 (Class A)
Canada	ICES-003 (Class A)

### Ethernet & IP configuration

Before configuring the MBD-C200, obtain a unique static IP address, subnet mask, and default gateway address from your network administrator.

Use a web browser or a terminal program like *HyperTerminal* to configure the MBD-C200's TCP/IP settings with this information.

The factory default IP address of the MBD-C200 is 169.254.0.10 which is in the Automatic Private IP Addressing (APIPA) address range.

In order to connect to the MBD-C200 via TCP/IP, your PC must be on same IP subnet as the gateway.

### IP setup using a web browser

1. Disconnect your PC from your corporate network. If your computer is configured for DHCP it should now automatically fall back to use a default IP address from the APIPA range 169.254.x.x (Windows PCs only). If your computer is configured with a static IP address or does not support APIPA, it must be changed manually to be part of the 169.254.0.0/16 subnet, for example to 169.254.0.1.
2. Connect an Ethernet crossover cable from the MBD-C200 to the computer.
3. Start *Internet Explorer*.
4. In the address box, type 169.254.0.10 and then press **Enter**.
5. Click **Configure...** and then **Ethernet & IP** in the menu on the left side of the page.
6. Enter the IP address, subnet mask, and gateway address assigned to your MBD-C200, then click **save**.
7. Reconnect your computer to your corporate network. If you assigned a static IP address to your computer in step 1, you must restore your computer's original settings before reconnecting to your network.

## CONTACT

This product is designed and manufactured by:

*proconX* Pty Ltd  
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### Technical Support

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<https://www.proconX.com/support>

### Product Returns

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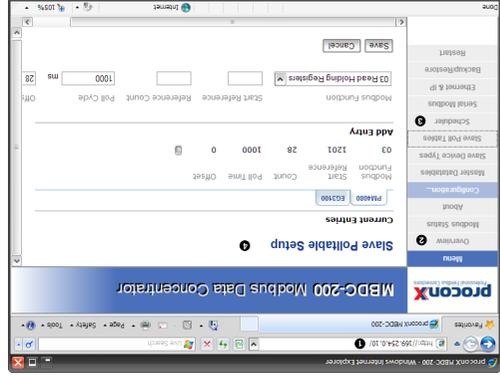
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## Configuring and commissioning

The configuration pages are accessed using the integrated web server:



### 1 Gateway IP address

### 2 Main menu

### 3 Configuration sub-menu

### 4 Information area

Please consult the MBD-C200 *User Manual* for further details how to set-up the MBD-C200.

## IP setup using a terminal program like HyperTerminal

Please consult the MBD-C200 *User manual* for further details on this method.