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JVA SMS Gateway User Manual

PTE0319



Introduction

The PTE0319 JVA SMS Gateway enables a group of JVA Z Series energisers to be controlled and monitored by SMS from anywhere in the world.

With a short SMS, users can obtain an up-to-date status report of all their energisers, turn on (arm) or off (disarm) all the energisers at once, as well as switch convenient output relays for custom applications.

If an energiser goes into alarm, or one of two inputs are triggered, an SMS will be automatically generated and sent to up to 10 stored numbers.

Designed with ease of use in mind, all configuration is via SMS to the unit. Commands are secured with a user definable PIN.

The JVA SMS Gateway communicates on the widely supported and robust GSM or 3G mobile phone networks, and will work in any country. Simply insert a valid topped-up SIM card from your preferred carrier and you are ready to remotely control and monitor your energisers from anywhere in the world.

Features

- Works with entire JVA Z range of energisers, including the ZM1, ZM20, ZM50 and ZLM4 monitors
- Can monitor and control up to 15 devices (linked via Keypad bus) , as well as two dry contact inputs and two 30Vdc 8A relays
- Produces an up-to-date status report including arm state, alarms and primary voltages of each device, and input and output states
- Responds to status request by SMS
- Can store up to 10 phone numbers to be notified if a device goes into alarm, or one of two inputs are triggered
- All commands secured by user configurable PIN
- Easily configurable by SMS
- Compatible with the all types of JVA Keypad
- Works in conjunction with Perimeter Patrol

Specifications

Power supply	12 V DC 1A
Inputs	Dry contact or active pull-down
Outputs	30Vdc 8A SPDT
SIM	Micro
Antenna connector	Female SMA

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Overview



LED Indicators

KPB	Blink when the unit is communicating with Z series devices
GSM	Blinks when the processor is communicating with the GSM module
ERROR	Flashes when there is a problem with the SIM (faulty or PIN locked)

Inputs

Two dry contact inputs are provided. If the unit sees a short circuit between the input terminals it will register the input as being 'On'.

Just like the inputs on all JVA Z series devices, the input can also be triggered by PLC or alarm panels by connecting the right-hand terminal to 0V.

Outputs

Two SPDT relays are available as general purpose outputs. These relays can switch DC voltage up to 30V and 8A. The outputs can be switched on or off by SMS, and are ideal for connection to external lights, pumps, electric motors, gate openers, or interfacing to an existing alarm or control system.

Antenna

A GSM antenna is supplied and must be connected to the unit for it to communicate on the mobile network. If mobile reception in the area is particularly weak, the antenna can be substituted for a more powerful one provided it has a compatible SMA connector.

Ensure the antenna is mounted away from any high voltage cables or AC power cables which could cause interference. If the unit is mounted inside a metal enclosure, the antenna should be mounted externally and the cable entry hole be sealed against water ingress.

Power and Keypad Bus

The keypad bus enables digital communication between the SMS Gateway and connected devices. Connect the DATA and GND terminals to the respective terminals of all connected devices.

The SMS Gateway requires 12V dc to operate. This power may be supplied from the keypad bus of a connected energiser, or for best results a separate 12V 1A power supply may be used. Do not connect the unit to a separate power supply **and** keypad bus +12V of an energiser at the same time.

The SMS Gateway operates as a keypad with keypad ID 2. Keypad ID 3 is reserved. If other keypads or keypad devices such as the PAE212 or Perimeter Patrol are to be used with the group, they should be set to keypad ID 1, 4, or greater.

SIM card

The unit does not use data or voice calls, only SMS. A suitable pre-paid or post-paid plan should be chosen that offers cheap or unlimited SMS messages for sites requiring frequent status updates, or long credit expiry time for sites requiring infrequent updates.

Installation

Detach the front of the case by gently lifting the side clips. Unclip the top of the circuit board to remove from the case back. Mount the case back using suitable screws. Be sure the screw head will not contact the PCB when it is re-installed. The unit must be mounted indoors or in a suitable enclosure to protect it from moisture. It is NOT water proof and damage due to moisture is not covered by the warranty.

The SMS Gateway requires a micro SIM card. Activate it according to the instructions, either via the internet or by phone, and make sure it has credit available. The SIM card should first be tested in a phone to ensure it can send and receive text messages.



Insert the SIM card into the unit, contact side down with the notched corner to the lower right. Clip the circuit board into the case back.

Connect the antenna. Mount the antenna away from high voltage and mains power cables, vertically if possible. If the unit is housed in a metal enclosure, the antenna should be mounted outside the enclosure and the enclosure earthed.



Connect 12V plus and minus to an external power supply. Connect Data and Ground wires from the unit to a JVA energiser. Power on the unit and the energiser(s).

Confirm the KPB and GSM lights are flashing, and ERROR light is not flashing. Clip the case front back on. Your JVA SMS Gateway is ready to use.

Energiser Configuration

If the SMS Gateway is being used with a stand-alone energiser, the energiser may need to be reconfigured to operate correctly. If the energiser has firmware earlier than 8v20, it must be programmed to ID 1. This will require the use of a keypad. Refer to the energiser manual for more information.

Operation

SMS Commands

The unit is controlled and configured by SMS. All commands are of the format

PIN command parameter

with spaces separating each part. The commands and parameters are not case sensitive. Many commands may be replaced with only their first letter.

A help message can be requested by issuing the **help** command. The unit will reply with a summarised list of available commands.

PIN

All commands are prefixed by a PIN number, to secure the unit against unauthorised changes. The PIN must be between 4 and 12 digits long. **The default PIN is 1234**. The PIN can be changed by issuing a **changepin** command, with the new PIN as the parameter. If successful the unit will reply and inform everyone on the report list of the new PIN.

If you forget the PIN, a factory reset must be performed. See the section 'Factory Reset' for more information.

Querying the Status

The SMS Gateway can be queried to return the status of the inputs, outputs and all Z series devices connected to it via the Keypad Bus by issuing a **status** command. The response will take the following format:

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Model(ID) <On (V1, V2, ...) or Off> <Alarms>
Model(ID) <On (V1, V2, ...) or Off> <Alarms>
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In1 <on|off> In2 <on|off> Out1 <on|off> Out2 <on|off>

Model	Energiser model eg Z14, ZM20	
ID	Keypad bus device ID (1-15)	
V1, V2,	Primary voltages, usually feed and return, in	
	kV, V or A. Device dependent.	
	ZM1: Feed, Return, Ground, Current	
	ZM20: Feed, Ground, Current 1, Current 2	
	ZLM4: Zone Voltages 1-4	
	Z1x: Return, Feed	
	Z2x: Return 1, Return 2	
Alarms	CommsFail OR	
	FenceAlarm1 FenceAlarm2 AcFail LowBatt	
	BadBatt Tamper Fault GateAlarm OR	
	No Alarms	

Querying the GSM signal

The GSM status of the unit can be requested by issuing a **gsm** command. The unit will reply with signal strength from 1 to 30, and the firmware version.

Report List

The unit can store up to 10 phone numbers which it will SMS if a device goes into alarm or an input changes. This list is configured and maintained using the **add** and **remove** commands. You can retrieve the current list of numbers using the **numbers** command.

Issuing an **add** command with no further parameters will add the sending number to the report list. Issuing an **add** command, followed by a valid number, will add the supplied number to the report list. Numbers can be in either the national format, eg 0412 345 6789, or international dialling format, eg +61 412 345 6789. International format is recommended, as this reduces the chance of adding duplicate numbers to the list. If this were to happen, that number would receive two messages each time an SMS is broadcast. After successfully adding a number the unit will reply with a confirmation message.

Numbers can be removed by issuing the **remove** command. If no parameter is supplied, the sending number is removed. If the parameter is supplied it can be either the number you wish to remove, or the position of the number in the report list. If entering a number, it must be in the same format as it is stored in the list. After successfully removing a number the unit will issue a confirmation message.

Controlling Energisers and Outputs

The unit can turn all energisers on (arm) or off (disarm) by issuing the **on** or **off** commands. When arming, the unit will arm in high power only, and arm both channels of any dual channel energisers. When the unit has confirmed the new arm state it will reply to the sender with a confirmation message, or a message indicating it was unable to control all devices (in the case of a device being offline).

The unit has two relays than can be turned on or off. Issue an **output1** or **output2** command with the parameter **on** or **off**. Note there is no space between "output" and the number "1" or "2". The unit will reply with a confirmation message.

Alerting users

The unit monitors the connected energisers and will send a SMS to everyone on the report list if the following things occur:

- A fence alarm occurs, usually due to a short on the fence
- An energiser stops communicating
- An input changes

If multiple energisers report changes at the same time, the unit will send one SMS for each change.

Basic Commands

The following is the minimum commands you will need to know to get your JVA SMS Gateway working. It assumes the PIN is still set to the default of 1234.

When you have installed and powered on your unit for the first time, the connected energiser(s) are powered on, and the GSM light is flashing once every 2 seconds, issue a status command

1234 s

The unit will reply with a summary of all connected energisers. Next, add your number to the report list. Send

1234 a

The unit will reply with "<your number> has been added to the report list" Now try arming you energiser(s) by sending

1234 on

You should see the energiser(s) arm, and receive an sms saying "Energiser(s) are on". Now disarm the energiser(s) by sending

1234 off

You will see the energiser(s) disarm and receive another confirmation message. For a complete list of commands, refer to the section "Command Summary".

Command Summary

The table below summarises all available SMS commands. The default PIN is used in examples but you should replace this with your own PIN if it has been changed.

Command	Description	Example	Response
changepin <pin></pin>	Changes the PIN	1234 changepin 4321	PIN is now 4321
or c <pin></pin>		4321 c 1234	PIN is now 1234
		1234 c 123	Invalid PIN
add	Adds your number, or	1234 a	+61412345678 has been
or a	the specified number,	1234 a +61 41 234 5678	added to the report list
or add <number></number>	to the report list	1234 a 555JVAROCKS	Invalid phone number
or a <number></number>			
numbers	Requests the report list	1234 numbers	1.+61412345678
or n		1234 n	
remove	Removes your number,	1234 r	+61412345678 has been
or remove <index></index>	the number at the	1234 remove 1	removed from the report
or r <index></index>	given index, or the	1234 r +61412345678	list
or remove <number></number>	specified number from	1234 r 2	Number not found in
or r <number></number>	the report list	1234 remove 041 234	report list
		5678	
gsm	Requests GSM status	1234 gsm	Signal: 25 Fw: 2v00
or g			
status	Requests	1234 status	Z14(1) On (6.8kV, 6.4kV)
or s	energiser/monitor	1234 s	No alarms
or?	primary voltages, arm	1234?	ZM20(2) Off LowBatt
	and alarm state, and		In1 Off In2 Off Out1 On
	unit input and output		Out2 Off
	state		
help	Requests a command	1234 help	This table, summarised
or h	summary	1234 h	
		1234	
on	Arms all devices	1234 on	Energiser(s) are on
or arm			
off	Disarms all devices	1234 off	Energiser(s) are off
or disarm			
output1 <on off></on off>	Controls relay 1 or 2	1234 output1 on	Output 1 is now on
or out1 <on off></on off>		1234 1 off	Output 1 is now off
or 1 <on off></on off>		1234 out2 on	Output 2 is now on
or aux <on off></on off>		1234 gate off	Output 2 is now off
output2 <on off></on off>			
or out2 <on off="" =""></on>			
or 2 <on off="" =""></on>			
or gate <on off></on off>			

Troubleshooting

The JVA SMS Gateway is designed to work straight out of the box with little set up or configuration. The only crucial step is to ensure the unit has good mobile reception and an activated SIM card with credit. Refer to the troubleshooting table below for more information.

Fault	Likely Cause	Remedy
No lights are on	Power is not connected	Check power connections
	Power wires are reversed	Check voltage at power
		connections with a multimeter
KPB light not flashing	Keypad bus is not	Check the keypad bus DATA and
	connected	GND connections
Error light flashing	SIM card not inserted, not	Confirm SIM is activated by
	activated, or PIN locked	inserting into a mobile phone and
		sending and receiving texts
Unit does not respond to	Poor signal strength	Check antenna connection
SMS		Move antenna mounting place
Unit responds to SMS	Insufficient or expired	Check the SIM card has credit
commands but does not	credit	available
reply		
Unit does not control	Another keypad or keypad	Disconnect the other keypad, or
energisers	device is connected with	change its ID to 1, 4, or greater
	keypad ID 2	
	Energiser malfunction	Confirm a JVA keypad can control
		the energiser using the same
		connections
	Group configured	If there is more than one
	incorrectly	energiser, ensure one is
		configured as master (device ID 1)
		and the others have unique device
		IDs of 2 or more

If the unit is still not working correctly, contact your nearest JVA distributor for technical support.

Support

Factory Reset

If the PIN has been changed from its default setting and has been forgotten, the unit will need to be factory reset. A factory reset will also clear the memory of seen devices, necessary if devices have been added or removed.

To reset, remove power from the unit. Remove J4. Apply power to the unit, wait 5 seconds, then reapply J4. This will reset the PIN to default, clear the report list, and clear the memory of seen devices.

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