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## POWER MASTER 6

### Six Channel Vehicle Power Distribution Timer

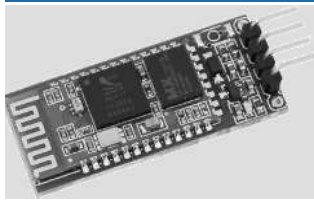
Configure  
with PC/Tablet  
or Phone

6 X 30 Amp  
Programmable  
Outputs



- **Solid State/Digital Design**
- **Each Channel 30 Amps** Individually Programmable  
Every channel has its own delay settings
- **Programmable delay** - tenths of a minute to 4 days
- **Status LED** signals output ON, OFF, Counting-down
- **Kill switch input** (turns all outputs off)
- **Optional direct-ignition sensing terminal**
- **Configure Via Computer, Smart Phone or Tablet**
- **Technician debug**, manually turn output on or off
- **In Field Firmware Updatable**

**TWO YEAR  
WARRANTY**



*Optional Bluetooth  
transceiver allows  
configuration via  
PC/Tablet/Smartphone*

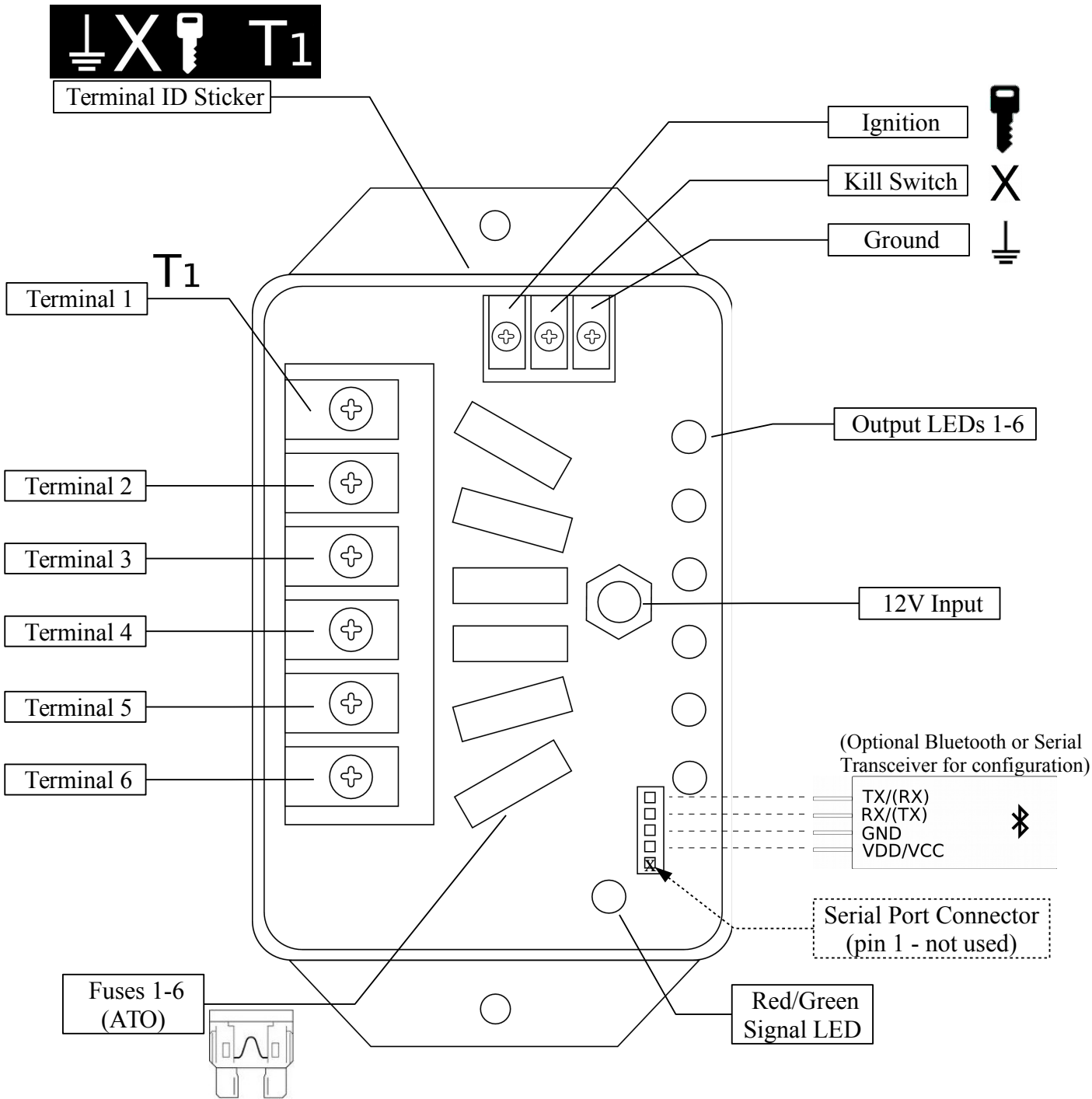
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# Copeland POWER MASTER 6 - Device I/O

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## Overview – Copeland POWER MASTER 6

### Multichannel High Current Control with Maximum Configurability

The Power Master 6 device is a power accessory timer with six configurable channels each with its own Ignition Off Timeout. Channels are rated and fused at 30 Amps each with a total system rating of over 200 Amps. The device can be easily configured via Smart Phone, Tablet or PC using a standard terminal interface making changes to installed units easy, forever. The device can have its firmware updated through its serial port.



### Kill Switch

The device has an optional Kill Switch input that when grounded by an attached switch disables all outputs.

### Out of Range Voltage Protection:

The Power Master 6 has programmable voltage thresholds for Low Battery and Over Voltage to protect from over-drain or voltage regulator failure.

Factory Default Voltage Levels: (defaults can be changed for custom orders)

Low Battery: 11.0V  
Ignition Off: 13.2V  
Over Voltage: 18.0V

### Out of Range Timeouts:

The Power Master 6 has programmable system timeouts for Low Battery and Over Voltage. The range can be set from 1 second to 18 hours in one second increments.

Factory Default Out of Range Timeouts: (defaults can be changed for custom orders)

Low Battery: 60 seconds  
Over Voltage: 15 seconds

### Ignition Off Timeout Setting:

All output terminals (1 through 6) can each be configured to have from one tenth of a minute (six seconds) to over four days timeout in tenth of a minute increments.

Factory Default Ignition Off Timeouts: (defaults can be changed for custom orders)

Terminal 1: 0.2 minutes (12 seconds)  
Terminal 2: 15.0 minutes  
Terminal 3: 60.0 minutes  
Terminal 4: 90.0 minutes  
Terminal 5: 120.0 minutes  
Terminal 6: 240.0 minutes

## Configuring settings via Bluetooth or serial terminal connection

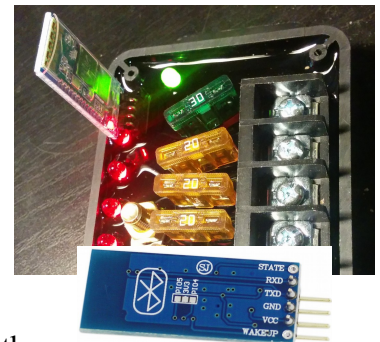
With a standard Bluetooth adapter inserted the device can be configured with a smart phone, tablet or Bluetooth enabled PC. A serial adapter can also be connected direct wired configuration from a PC. The device generates a VT100 compatible terminal mode interface so no special software is needed.



### Connecting the Device for Terminal Configuration

#### Option 1: Connecting Bluetooth transceiver

Insert the Bluetooth transceiver into the Serial Port Connector leaving Pin 1 of the serial connector open (Pin 1 is plugged at the factory and opened for firmware update). Align the VDD/VCC pin to pin 2 and the rest of the pins will fall into place; ground, RX and TX will go into pins 3, 4 and 5. Some transceivers reverse the TX/RX designations (as seen by the transceiver) but this does not affect connection. The system has been tested with two modules that are 5V tolerant and adhere to the standard “Wireless Bluetooth RF Transceiver Module serial RS232 HC-06 for Arduino”. Pair the transceiver to the smart phone or tablet.



- Ventisonic® Wireless Bluetooth RF Transceiver Module serial RS232 HC-06 for Arduino TTL
- SunFounder Wireless Bluetooth RF Transceiver Module HC-06 RS232 4 Pin Serial With Backplane for Arduino UNO R3 Mega 2560 Nano

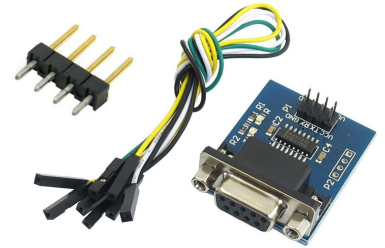
The default parameters for the Bluetooth transceiver should be the same as for the Power Master 6: 9600 baud, no parity, 8 data bits, 1 stop bit. Most Bluetooth transceivers have Passkey: 1234 or 0000

Install a VT-100 terminal emulator on the PC/Tablet/Phone, this example uses BlueTerm, an open source client for Android. Free terminal emulators are available for Android, Apple, Windows and Linux.

## Option 2: Connecting via Serial transceiver to PC

Use a MAX232 or other compatible serial port transceiver like the one shown. Insert a four pin header post strip, also shown, into the Serial Port Connector leaving Pin 1 of the serial connector open (Pin 1 is plugged at the factory and opened for firmware update). Using four jumper wires (usually supplied with the transceiver) connect:

- Pin 1 Not Connected
- Pin 2 to VDD/VCC of transceiver
- Pin 3 ground
- Pin 4 RX
- Pin 5 TX



## Configuring the Device

Once the device is connected, pressing any key brings up the menu:  
(menus may differ depending on revision)

```
Rev 0.3

      V Levels:
a: Batt Low: 11.0
b: Run: 13.2
c: Over charge: 18.0

      T Secs:
d: T Over Chg: 60
e: T Batt Low: 15

      T Mins:
f: T IGN OFF1: 0.2
g: T IGN OFF2: 15.0
h: T IGN OFF3: 60.0
i: T IGN OFF4: 90.0
j: T IGN OFF5: 120.0
k: T IGN OFF6: 240.0
r: Factory Reset
Choose a-k, enter(refresh menu),
r(factory reset),x(exit)->
```

To change a setting press a letter from a to k to select the setting, type in the new setting, and press <Enter>. This menu will be displayed again with the new setting included.

- To reset the values to the factory defaults press `r` and <Enter>
- To exit, press `x` and “Console Off” will be displayed
- If nothing is entered the display will eventually time out and display “Time!” pressing any key will resume.

## Debug Mode

Debug mode allows the technician to turn on and off output channels and watch system variables with a PC, smart phone or tablet. To enter Debug Mode, connect device as previously instructed, press any key to get into configuration menu, then press ? to get into debug mode. This brings up the menu:

```
1-6 to toggle channel, r to reset count, all else exits
Debug Countdown: 196

Status:  IGNSWon Running AuxOn
Prescale: 06
Status  Count(disabled)
T1: OFF 00
T2: OFF 148
T3: OFF 598
T4: OFF 898
T5: OFF 1198
T6: OFF 2398

Levels
VBatt      13.3v
Aux        196
IgnSw      249 IGNbit 1

Targets
Batt Low   11.0v
Run        13.2v
Over charge 18.0v
AuxOn      225
IGNSWon    20
```

Once in Debug Mode the technician can watch system variables such as *vehicle voltage*, *count down* for each channel, *AUX input state*, *Ignition Switch input state*, and see the thresholds the system compares inputs to such as *Aux Input* and *Ignition Switch*. Values shown are raw and unformatted, as used internally, for greatest accuracy.

Any channel can be toggled ON or OFF by pressing that channel number (1 through 6).

Useful when installing to a device channel, technician can turn OFF a channel, connect items to it, and turn it on to assure proper connection, turn it off again to button up installation, and turn channel on again to perform final test before exiting Debug Mode.

Debug Mode is exited if 'r' is not pressed before Debug Countdown reaches 0 or if a key other than 1-6 or 'r' is pressed.

### DEBUG MODE NOTES:

- Channels are left in whatever On/Off state they were in when Debug Mode was entered.
- Channels power states do NOT change automatically when in Debug mode. Counts continue but do not affect output state.
- If the AUX input is grounded all outputs are off regardless of count, or mode. However turning on a channel will result in it being turned on momentarily, which is useful for quick power tests.
- If Aux input is grounded (usually with a switch), all outputs go off, and do not turn on even if Aux is ungrounded (switch turned off), however each channel can then be turned on manually.  
This is to assure technician never accidentally turns on any channel in debug mode accidentally

## LED Signals

### Red/Green Signal LED

- Green Steady – Run Mode, Ignition is ON
- Red Blinking – Count down to channel being turned off  
(one or more channels may already be off)
- Red Steady – All counts expired, all channels off
- Green/Red alternating – Edit or Debug Mode, terminal connection in progress

### Output Channel LEDs

- Bright – Output (1-6) is ON, fuse is intact
- Dim – Output (1-6) is ON, but fuse is blown so no power out
- Off – Output (1-6) is OFF, (no power out, no fuse indication)