

# *IRP-1: Isolation Relay Package*

## **Purpose**

The PXL-250 Tiger Controller and PXL-100 Smart Entry Controller are designed with built-in voltage transient suppression. For most applications, this built-in protection is more than adequate – additional protection is not required. However, there are two applications that can require additional protection.

1. magnetic locking devices or dry-contact devices without built-in suppression (typically older models)
2. magnetic locking devices that draw large amounts of current (typically older models or defective devices)

For these applications, the IRP-1 should be used to isolate the PXL-250 or PXL-100 controller from the transients these devices can generate, ensuring reliable operation of the controller.

## **Contents**

The IRP-1 is made up of the following items.

- one printed circuit board containing an isolation relay, diode, and connector strip
- one transient suppression device (1.5KE39C nonpolarized transorb)
- double sticky-sided foam tape (for mounting)

## **Specifications**

The IRP-1's relay is rated as follows.

7 Amps max. @ 30 VDC

12 Amps max. @ 125 VAC

## **Application**

There are two primary applications for the IRP-1. It can be used with an external locking device (such as a magnetic lock or door strike) or with a dry-contact device (such as a switch or relay controlling a motor for a parking barrier or power gate). The wiring diagram is different for these two applications. Figures 1 and 2 are wiring diagrams for adding an IRP-1 to an external locking device. Figure 3 and 4 are wiring diagrams for adding an IRP-1 to a dry-contact device.

Install the IRP-1 as shown in Figures 1 through 4 to meet your application's requirements. If the application uses either 12 VDC or 24 VDC, install the supplied transorb as near to the external locking device or dry-contact device as possible. Do not install the transorb if the device is being powered with greater than 30 VDC.

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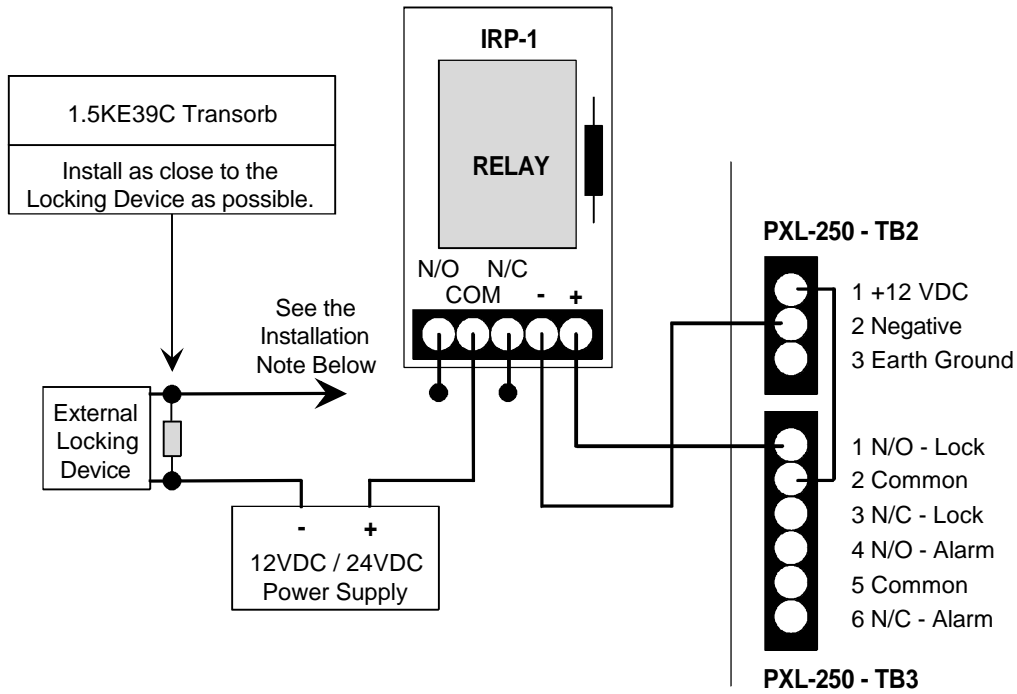


Figure 1 – Adding an IRP-1 to an External Locking Device - PXL-250 Configuration

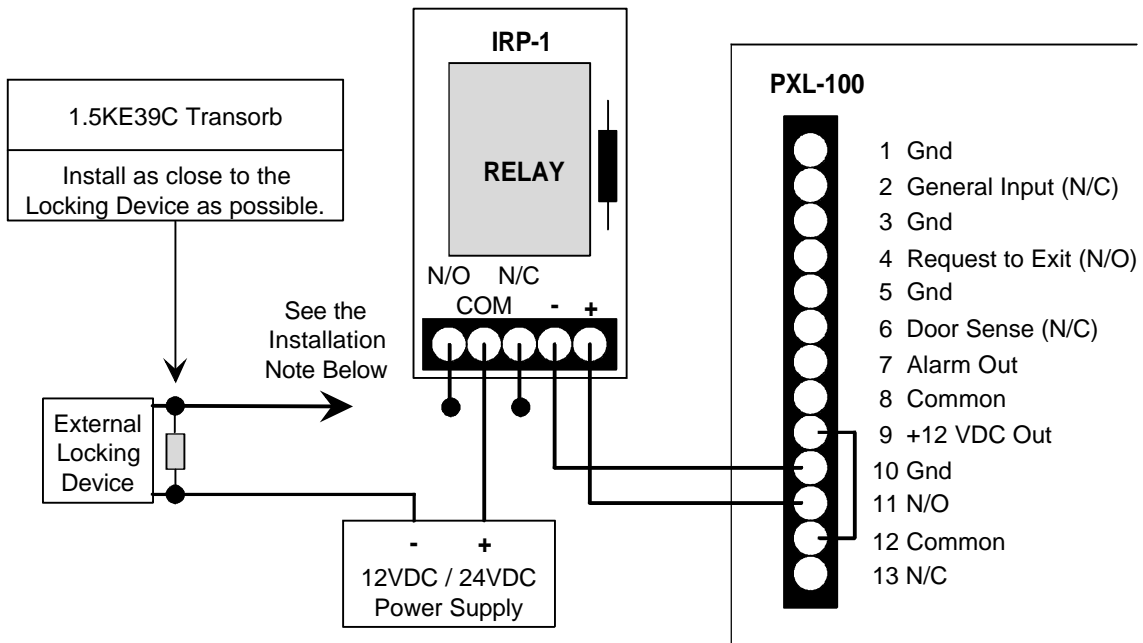


Figure 2 – Adding an IRP-1 to an External Locking Device - PXL-100 Configuration

**NOTE:** The IRP-1 N/O N/C relay output must be wired to match the type of locking device being used: N/O and Common for a Fail-Secure locking device, N/C and Common for a Fail-Safe locking device.

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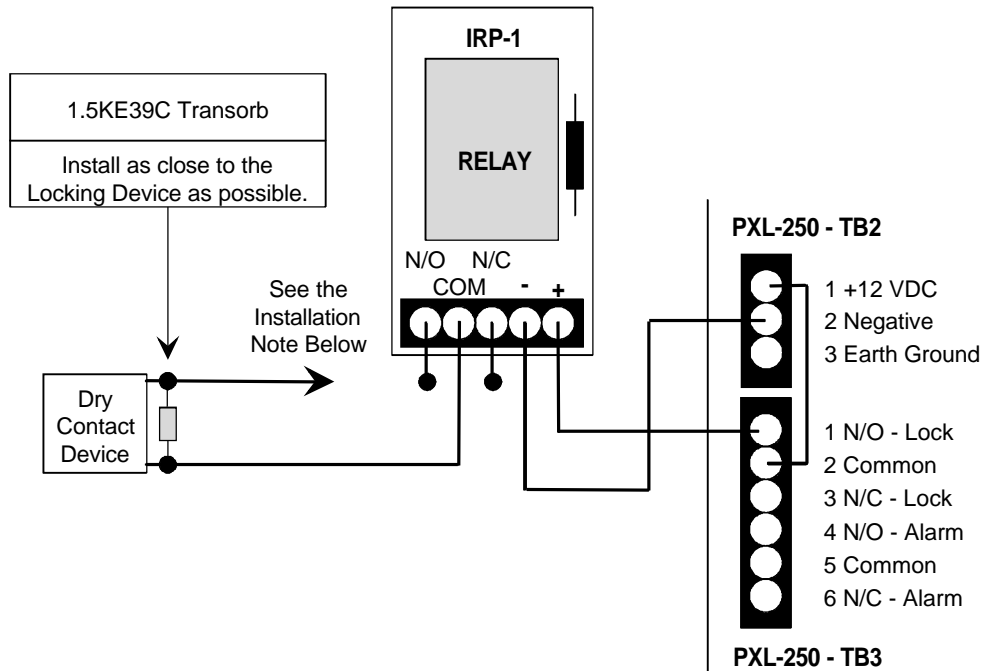


Figure 3 – Adding an IRP-1 to a Dry-Contact Device - PXL-250 Configuration

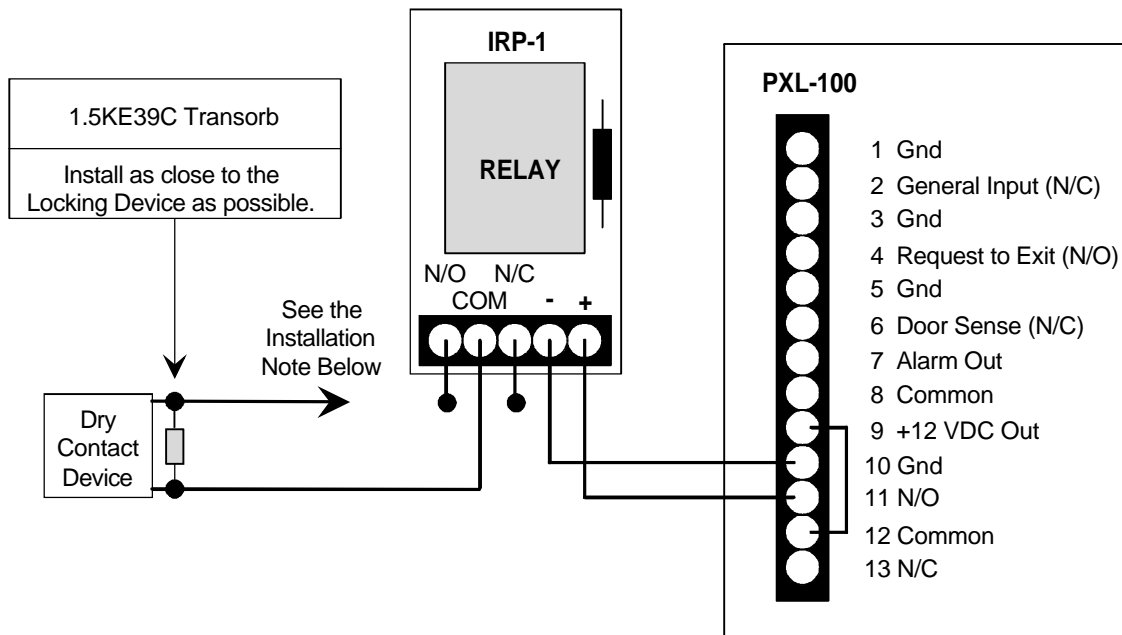


Figure 4 – Adding an IRP-1 to a Dry-Contact Device - PXL-100 Configuration

**NOTE:** The IRP-1 N/O N/C relay output must be wired to match the type of locking device being used: N/O and Common for a device requiring a short/closed circuit to activate the unit, N/C and Common for a device requiring an open circuit to activate the unit.