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Connection Interface



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PowerRise[®] 2.0, PowerGlide[®] 2.0, and PowerTilt[™] with Platinum[™] Technology Products

The Connection Interface is the wired link between a Hunter Douglas PowerRise® 2.0, PowerGlide® 2.0, or PowerTilt[™] with Platinum[™] Technology motorized window covering product and any automation system with available dry contact outputs. It is used for basic control (Open, Close, Tilt, or Traverse) of a Hunter Douglas motorized window covering from a home automation system.

Product Compatibility

The Connection Interface can be used with the following Hunter Douglas motorized products.

PowerRise 2.0	PowerGlide 2.0	PowerTilt with Platinum Technology	
Applause [®] Honeycomb Shades	Luminette [®] Modern Draperies	Country Woods [®] Wood Blinds	
Duette [®] Honeycomb Shades	Luminette Privacy Sheers	EverWood [®] Collection Alternative Wood Blinds	
Nantucket [™] Window Shadings	Skyline [™] Gliding Window Panels	Modern Precious Metals® Aluminum Blinds	
Pirouette® Window Shadings			
Silhouette® Window Shadings			
Vignette [®] Modern Roman Shades			

Wiring Diagrams

The following options show how the Connection Interface can be wired into any automation system.







Wiring Example of a Connection Interface



tor End Cap

6-Pin Port Location on Hunter Douglas Window Coverings



Duette and Applause PowerRise 2.0 Shades



Pirouette PowerRise 2.0 Shadings

Silhouette and Nantucket PowerRise 2.0 Shadings, and Vignette PowerRise 2.0 Modern Roman Shades



Luminette PowerGlide 2.0 Privacy Sheers and Skyline PowerGlide 2.0 Gliding Window Panels



Country Woods, Everwood, and Modern Precious Metals PowerTilt with Platinum Techology Blinds

Mount the Connection Interface

The Connection Interface can be mounted onto any flat surface.

Place the Connection Interface close enough so that the 8" cables coming out of the unit can reach the 6-pin and 2-pin connector port on the motor-end of the shade. (Luminette Interface Connection shown.)



Fasten the Connection Interface to the mounting surface using the screws provided.

CAUTION: Do not screw the Connection Interface directly into the motor housing as it will hamper motor operation or damage the motor.

Attach the Platinum Satellite Eye (Optional)

In addition to home automation control, operation from a Platinum remote or Platinum Wireless Wall Switch is also possible. For more information about setting up and operating a Hunter Douglas window covering from a Platinum remote or Platinum Wireless Wall Switch, please refer to the instructions provided with each specific device.

- Connect the 6-pin cable from the Platinum Satellite Eye into the 6-pin port on the top of the Connection Interface.
- Attach the satellite eye to a mounting surface.



Dry Contact Closure Commands

All PowerRise[®] 2.0, PowerGlide[®] 2.0, and PowerTilt[™] with Platinum[™] Technology motorized systems have the ability to be controlled via 2 contact closure pins (Open and Close). Activating these pins (i.e. pulling them 'Low') for a duration of time will cause the motorized window covering to raise, lower, stop, traverse, or tilt.

Duette®, Applause®, and Vignette® Shades

Definition	Command	Shade Condition	Action	Timing Required
Open or close the shade by briefly making and releasing contact between the signal Ground and the Open or Close signal line.	Close Shade	Open and at rest.	Shade bottom rail lowers to the fully Closed limit position.	Contact between the signal Ground and the Open or Close signal line must be
		Already fully Closed.	No movement will occur.	
		Is Opening.	Shade will stop.	
NOTE: "Open" refers to raising a shade.	Open Shade	Closed and at rest.	Shade bottom rail raises to the fully Open limit position.	made for at least 0.100 of a second ,
"Close" refers to lowering a shade.		Already fully Open.	No movement will occur.	but for no more than 1.000 second .
		Is Closing.	Shade will stop.	
Express Mode (Vignette® shades only)			Shade bypasses a preset intermediate stop position and/or transition	For Express Mode, contact between
Express mode allows a shading to bypass			points during travel.	the signal Ground and the Open or Close
a preset intermediate stop position and/or				signal line must be made for at least
transition points during travel				2.000 seconds, but for no more than
				4.000 seconds.

Pirouette[®], Silhouette[®], and Nantucket[™] Shadings

Definition	Command	Shading Condition	Action	Timing Required
Open or close the shading by briefly making and releasing contact between the signal Ground and the Open or Close	Close Shading	Open and at rest.	Shading bottom rail lowers to the next stopping position (e.g preset intermediate position (shade lowered/vanes closed), or fully closed position).	
signal line.		Already fully Closed.	No movement will occur.	Contact between the signal Ground and
NOTE: "Open" refers to raising a shading. "Close" refers to lowering a shading. "Fully Closed" refers to the shading being completely lowered and vanes are in the Open position.	-	Is Opening.	Shading will stop.	 the Open or Close signal line must be made for at least 0.100 of a second, but for no more than 1.000 second.
	Open Shading	Closed and at rest.	Shading bottom rail raises to the next stopping position (e.g preset intermediate position (shade lowered/vanes closed), or fully closed position).	
		Already fully Open.	No movement will occur.	
		Is Closing.	Shading will stop.	
Express Mode Express mode allows a shading to bypass			Shading bypasses a preset intermediate stop position and/or transition points during travel.	For Express Mode , contact between
				signal line must be made for at least
a preset intermediate stop position and/or				2.000 seconds, but for no more than
				4.000 seconds.

Luminette[®] Sheers, Luminette Modern Draperies, and Skyline[™] Panels

Definition	Command	Sheer/Panel Condition	Action	Timing Required
Traverse the sheers/panels by briefly making and releasing contact between the signal Ground and the Open or Close signal line. NOTE: "Open" refers to the sheers/panels stacked to the side(s) "Closed" refers to	Traverse Close Sheers/Panels	Open and at rest.	Sheers/Panels begin traversing to the closed position and stop at the end limit position. IMPORTANT: (Luminette [®] Sheers Only) If contact is maintained continuously between the Ground and Close signal lines, after reaching the full traverse closed limit position, the system enters the Tilt Mode and begins tilting the vanes.	Contact between the signal Ground
the sheers/panels covering the window.		Already fully Closed.	No movement will occur.	and the Open or Close signal line
		Is Opening.	Sheers/Panels will stop.	of a second but for no more than
	Traverse Open Sheers/Panels	Closed and at rest.	Sheers/Panels begin traversing to the open position and stop at the fully open limit position.	1.000 second.
		Closed and Tilted (Luminette Sheers Only).	The system first rotates the vanes to the Tilt-Center position, then begins traversing open.	
		Already fully Open.	No movement will occur.	
		Is Closing.	Sheers/Panels will stop.	
Tilt Mode (Luminette Privacy Sheers Only)Clockwise Vane TiltTo tilt the vanes clockwise or counter- clockwise, the sheers must be in the fully Traversed-Closed position.Counter- Clockwise Vane TiltNOTE: There must be at least a 4-second delay between the end of a Traverse Mode command and the beginning of a Tilt Mode command.Counter- Clockwise Vane Tilt	Clockwise Vane Tilt		The amount of tilt is determined by the length of time contact is made between the signal Ground and the Open signal line, and stops at the fully tilted position.	The Tilt Mode is initiated by
		The amount of tilt is determined by the length of time contact is made between the signal Ground and the Closed signal line, and stops at the fully tilted position.	making contact between the signal Ground and the Open or Close signal line for 1.125 seconds or longer.	

Country Woods[®], Everwood[®], and Modern Precious Metals[®] Blinds

Definition	Command	Slat Condition	Action	Timing Required
Tilt Mode Tilt the slats by briefly making and releasing contact between the signal	Clockwise Slat Tilt	In any position and at rest.	The amount of tilt is determined by the length of time contact is made between the signal Ground and the Open signal line, and stops at the fully tilted position.	The Tilt Mode is initiated by making contact between the signal
Ground and the Open or Close signal line. NOTE: "Open" refers to tilting the slats clockwise. "Close" refers to tilting the slats counter-clockwise.	Counter- clockwise Slat Tilt	In any position and at rest.	The amount of tilt is determined by the length of time contact is made between the signal Ground and the Open signal line, and stops at the fully tilted position.	Ground and the Open or Close signal line for 1.125 seconds or longer.

Serial Communication (Tx/Rx lines)

The Tx and Rx lines are not currently active. They have been reserved for future implementation.