

# **Automatic Sensor Signals**

Detects train and changes signal automatically to red Used own & signal changes back to green after train short time

# **Automatic Coach Lighting**

DC & AUTO WIRE 00 DCC AUTO FREE HO

- Easy to fit no wiring or switch senses motion & turns on!
- Turns off automatically fits most coaches may be cut down No pickups or wires so works on regular DC & DCC

Or link to other Sensor Signals for fully automatic block signalling Can be used on both DC & DCC - Feather & Theatre versions

Traditional warm white or modern cool white Also with tail light, sparking, door beeps and door light effects

# Servo Controller

- Controls standard radio control servo from DCC, Track Sensor or Mimic switch
- Ideal for animating Level Crossing barriers / gates, Slow points or signals, Coal hopper Easy to wire and set up connects directly to DCC or 8-16 volts smooth DC supply

#### **Relay Controller**

- Two channel Relay unit which can be controlled by Track Sensor, Sensor Signal or DCC Enables remote control of motors, solenoids, lamps etc
- Incorporates two heavy duty relays with changeover contacts rated at 8-24 volts at 3 A

#### Automatic Train Control



- Link Sensor Signals to Relay Controller for automatic trains which stop at red lights!
- Can be used on DC or DCC Layouts
  Easy wiring: Sensor Signal link with one wire and Isolated braking section two wires.
- Also supports ABC fitted DCC Loco's for gradual slow down and speed up with sound

# Tools, LEDs & Accessories

We offer a range of LED packs, battery holders, wire, switches & terminals Also handy modelling tools including precision cutters, drill bits & spare batteries

#### **Smart Screen**

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- Real working animated screen customise with your message • Use DCC to program - then can be run on DC or DCC
- Trigger messages with DCC, swtiches, track sensors or just cycle
- Message can change with direction of train on both DC & DCC
- Display upto 10 different messages can also show real time clock
   Range of enclosure available Programming service available
- Small w 31mm x h 9.5mm x d 4.5mm
- Stationary top line bottom line automatically scrolls

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# LED 2 Pack of 10 LEDs & resistors 5mm diameter assorted colours

- Pack of 10 assorted colour 5mm diameter LEDs
- Use with LFX2 Home & Shop Lighting controller
- Or use on DC or battery using resistors supplied

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post & base plus detailing kit

Low cost - adapt to your own design Control by switches or signal controller
 LEDs are prefitted to a narrow PCB
 Ground signals - modern & original Feather & Theatre kits available Signal Head only for gantries etc

Signal Controllers

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**LED2 - LED Pack** 

### LED 2 - Pack of 10 assorted colour 5mm diameter LEDs

#### CAUTION - ALWAYS SWITCH OFF POWER TO YOUR LAYOUT BEFORE CONNECTING OR DISCONNECTING ACCESSORIES

#### Introduction

#### **LED 2 Contents**

2 x Red LEDs

2 x Green LEDs

2 x Amber LEDs

2 x Yellow LEDs

2 x White LEDs

10 1KΩ resistors (brown, black, red)

This set of assorted 5mm LEDs was primarily designed for use with the Train-Tech LFX2 Home and Shop Lighting effect controller but can equally well be used for many other applications or control systems.

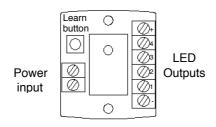
These instructions include basic information on connecting and using LEDs with LFX and regular DC supplies.

### **Using LEDs with LFX Controller**

If using the LEDs in this set with an LFX LED controller please refer to the detailed instructions included with the LFX. It will show how to connect them and the maximum number you can use.

Please note that you do not need to use resistors with LEDs connected to an LFX as resistors have already been built into the controllers.

#### LFX controller



For detailed connection information see instructions supplied with the LFX

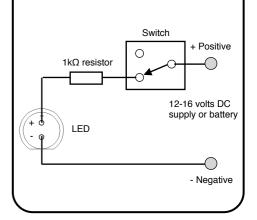
### Using LEDs with a DC supply

These LEDs may be used with a standard DC power supply or battery.

If using them on a DC supply it is very important to connect a resistor in series (in between) the LED and the power supply or permanent damage to the LED will result.

This pack includes a  $1K\Omega$  resistor for every LED supplied.

### Wiring LED, switch and resistor



#### **General information on LEDs**

LEDs are really useful lights which, unlike their conventional filament bulb counterparts, are robust, low power and if used correctly can effectively last forever. But there are important considerations to using them.

LED stands for Light Emitting Diode and a diode is an electronic component which only works electrically in one direction, so always need to be fitted the correct way round to work correctly and last. Whilst LED's will work on AC (alternating current or DCC which is a form of AC) for a while, continuous use on AC or reverse connection will reduce the life. Most standard miniature LEDs which a modeller will use must only have a maximum voltage of 2 to 3 volts applied, so current flowing through the LED needs to be reduced and this is usually done by a resistor in series (in between), typically 1000 ohms for a 12 V supply. However to make wiring easier for modellers all Train-Tech LFX and Signal LED controllers already have resistors built in so that LEDs can connect directly to the module without the need for any resistors.

Train-Tech also offer packs of various LEDs for modellers and these always come with instructions and also suitable resistors for using them on a standard Model Railway 12V DC supply.

#### **LED** connections

As explained previously most LEDs have a polarity and must be connected the correct way round to light. The most popular LEDs come in 3mm and 5mm diameter cases and look similar to this:



The best indication of polarity on this type of LED is to find the flat side on the round base. This side usually indicates the negative (Cathode) connection and the other wire the positive (Anode) connection to power.

Another very small LED we supply for some Train-Tech products looks like this:



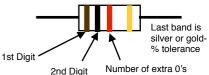
There are many LEDs on the market and it is good to experiment, but check manufacturers data for specific connection information as there are no real standards.

Remember to always use a resistor in series with the LED when using it on a standard DC power supply or battery.

# Resistors

We offer the following for interest only - a modeller does not usually have to know what a component does, just when to use it. Resistors are probably the most commonly used electronic component. They offer a resistance to flow of current in a circuit by converting the 'resisted' energy into heat, though in practice you will not usually be able to detect the heat dissipated because of the small amounts of power usually involved. Every resistor has a resistance value measured in ohms. often shown as  $\Omega$  or sometimes R. The resistors supplied with our LEDs are  $1K\Omega$ ; 1 kilo ohm or 1000 ohms. There are many different values of resistor and most are colour coded to indicate their value. For interest, this is the colour code system in case you ever need to identify one:

Black	0	Green	5
Brown	1	Blue	6
Red	2	Violet	7
Orange	3	Grey	8
Yellow	4	White	9
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So a  $1000\Omega(1k\Omega)$  resistor is colour coded: Brown = 1; Black = 0; Red = 0.0