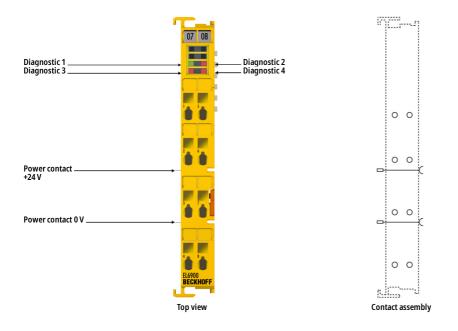
EL6900 | EtherCAT Terminal communication interface, TwinSAFE Logic





Product status: regular delivery

The EL6900 TwinSAFE component is a dedicated safety controller. It is used for the realization of safety-oriented applications on the basis of Boolean values. For this purpose, certified function blocks are available that enable the processing of safe input signals and the generation of safe output signals. The functionality of the function blocks ranges from simple Boolean functions such as AND and OR to complex function blocks for muting the safety function.

With the backup and restore function, the EL6900 additionally offers a simple way to exchange a safety controller in case of service.

The EL6900 can safely exchange data via FSoE with up to 128 safe communication devices.

The EL6900 is programmed with the TwinCAT 3 Safety Editor or with TwinCAT 2.

Special features:

- safety applications on the basis of Boolean values
- up to 128 safe connections
- up to 255 function blocks
- up to 32 TwinSAFE groups
- up to 8 users
- backup and restore support

Product information

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Technical data

Technical data	EL6900
Specification	link unit between safe input and output signals
Protocol	TwinSAFE/Safety over EtherCAT
Cycle time	approx. 500 µs/according to project size
Fault response time	\leq watchdog time (parameterizable)
Current consumption power contacts	-
Current consumption E-bus	typ. 188 mA
Installation position	horizontal
Safety standard	DIN EN ISO 13849-1:2008 (Cat. 4, PL e) and EN 61508:2010 (SIL 3)
Weight	approx. 50 g
IP protection rating	IP20
Ex marking	ATEX: II 3 G Ex nA IIC T4 Gc IECEx: Ex ec IIC T4 Gc

Housing data	EL-12-8pin
Design form	compact terminal housing with signal LEDs
Material	polycarbonate
Dimensions (W x H x D)	12 mm x 100 mm x 68 mm
Installation	on 35 mm DIN rail, conforming to EN 60715 with lock
Side by side mounting by means of	double slot and key connection
Marking	labeling of the BZxxx series
Wiring	solid conductor (s), flexible conductor (st) and ferrule (f): spring actuation by screwdriver
Connection cross-section	s*: 0.082.5 mm², st*: 0.082.5 mm², f*: 0.141.5 mm²
Connection cross-section AWG	s*: AWG 2814, st*: AWG 2814, f*: AWG 2616
Stripping length	89 mm
Current load power contacts	Imax: 10 A

*s: solid wire; st: stranded wire; f: with ferrule

