

# **HC-2 High-Current Control Board**

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#### **DESCRIPTION**

The HC-2 is a member of EFX-TEK's family of "amigo" boards: user-friendly, plug-and-play solutions to common prop and display circuit interfacing challenges. The HC-2 provides two solid-state (MOSFET) control outputs that allow Normally-Open switching and PWM control of DC loads up to 2.5A.

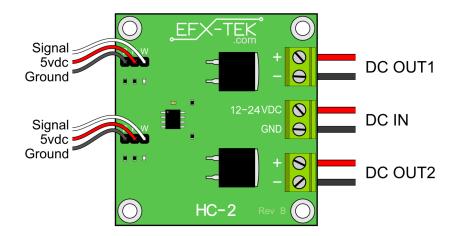
#### PRODUCT APPLICATIONS

- Museum and educational exhibits
- Holiday props and displays
- Film/TV/Theater effects and prop control

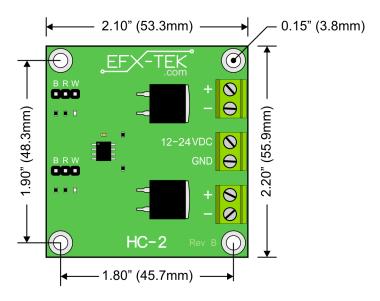
#### **FEATURES & BENEFITS**

- Plug-and-Play connection to most EFX-TEK controllers
  - uses standard WRB input header; terminal block control output
  - compatible with 5v (BASIC Stamp, Arduino) and 3.3v (Propeller) processors
- LED for each input indicates presence of 3.3v-5v control signal
- Very low current operation; less than 10mA per control channel 5vdc
- Output control: 12 to 24vdc, 2.5A
- Compact size: 2.1" x 2.2" (53.3mm x 55.9mm); 0.15" (3.8mm) mounting holes

#### **CONNECTIONS**



### **MECHANICAL SPECIFICATIONS**



# **ELECTRICAL SPECIFICATIONS**

Parameter	Cumbal	Specification			Unit
	Symbol	Min.	Typical	Max.	Unit
Control Signal Voltage	V <sub>CTRL</sub>	3	5	5.25	VDC
Control Signal Current	I <sub>CTRL</sub>			1	mA
Supply Voltage	V <sub>IN</sub>	4.75	5	5.25	VDC
Supply Current (both MOSFETs active)	I <sub>IN</sub>			20	mA
Output Voltage (DC Only)	VRo			24	VDC
Output Current	IRo			2.5	Α

## **PRODUCT CHANGES**

01 MAR 2013 First production release. PCB marked **Rev B**