UWPA, UWPM

Long-range wireless gateway: endpoint adapter and master concentrator

▶ Benefits

- **Long range communication**. Up to 10 km range in open air, 1 km in typical applications.
- **Low operating expenses.** Wireless solution (EU 868 MHz ISM band and US 915 MHz ISM band) with no SIM card or annual fees.
- **Easy and fast configuration** via free software.
- **Easy commissioning and diagnostics** thanks to the push button for communication test.
- **Security**. Embedded end-to-end AES128 encryption.
- **Reliable communication** thanks to high-performance antenna, interferences/obstacles immunity and downlink server acknowledge.
- **Compatibility**. It permits to interface a Carlo Gavazzi meter and analyser with standard third-party LoRaWAN® networks or with UWP 3.0 platform.

▶ Description

UWPA is an endpoint adapter that provides LoRa® or LoRaWAN® communication to an RS485 Carlo Gavazzi meter. UWPM is a master concentrator that permits UWP 3.0 to gather data from multiple UWPA.
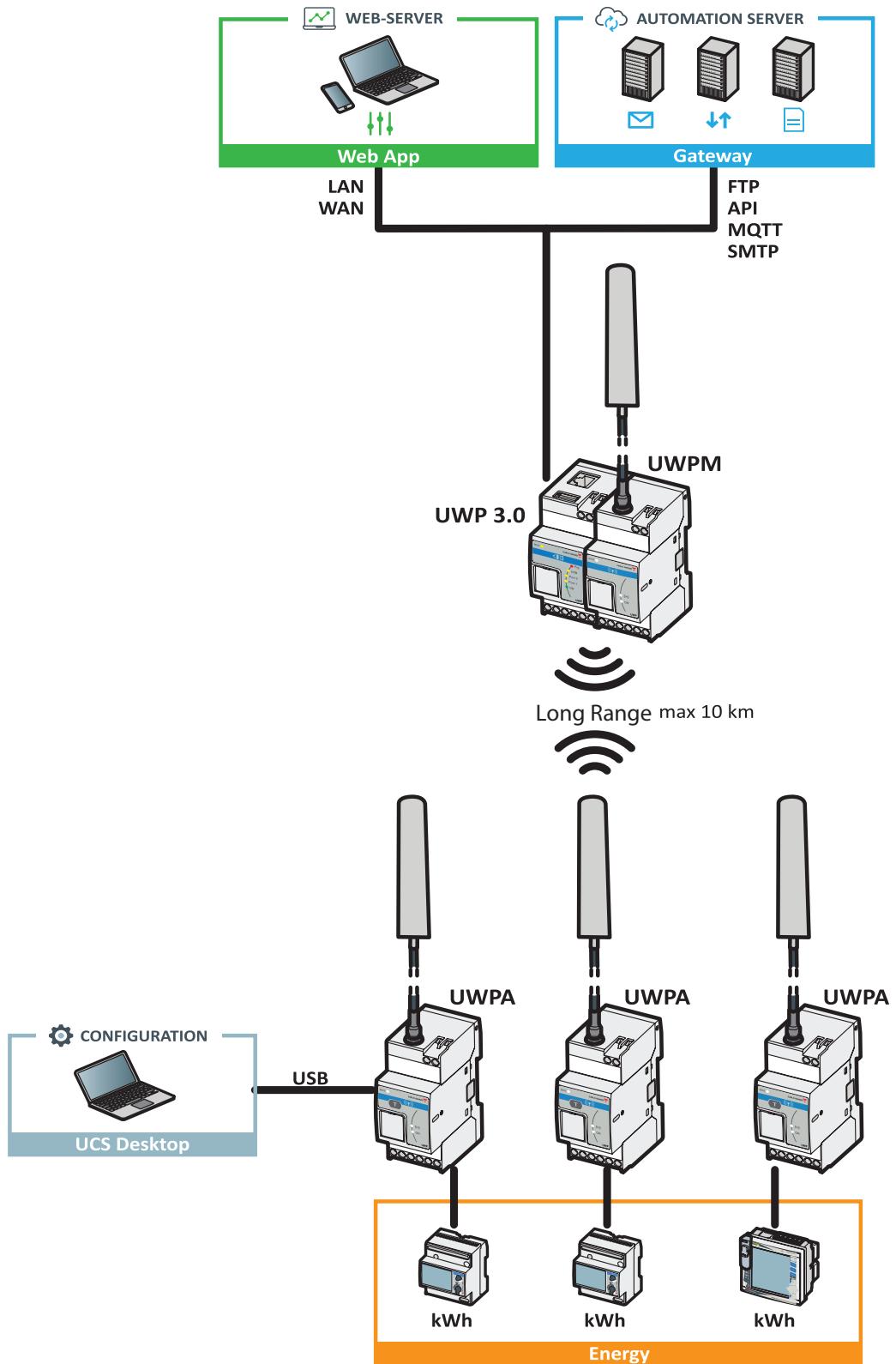
▶ Applications

Energy efficiency monitoring and energy cost allocation, sub-metering in large buildings, big facilities, farms and city areas are the best use cases for long range wireless Carlo Gavazzi systems. Thanks to LoRa®/ LoRaWAN® long communication range, security and robustness, wireless networks can be easily set-up, without high expenses due to the use of SIM cards or repeaters.
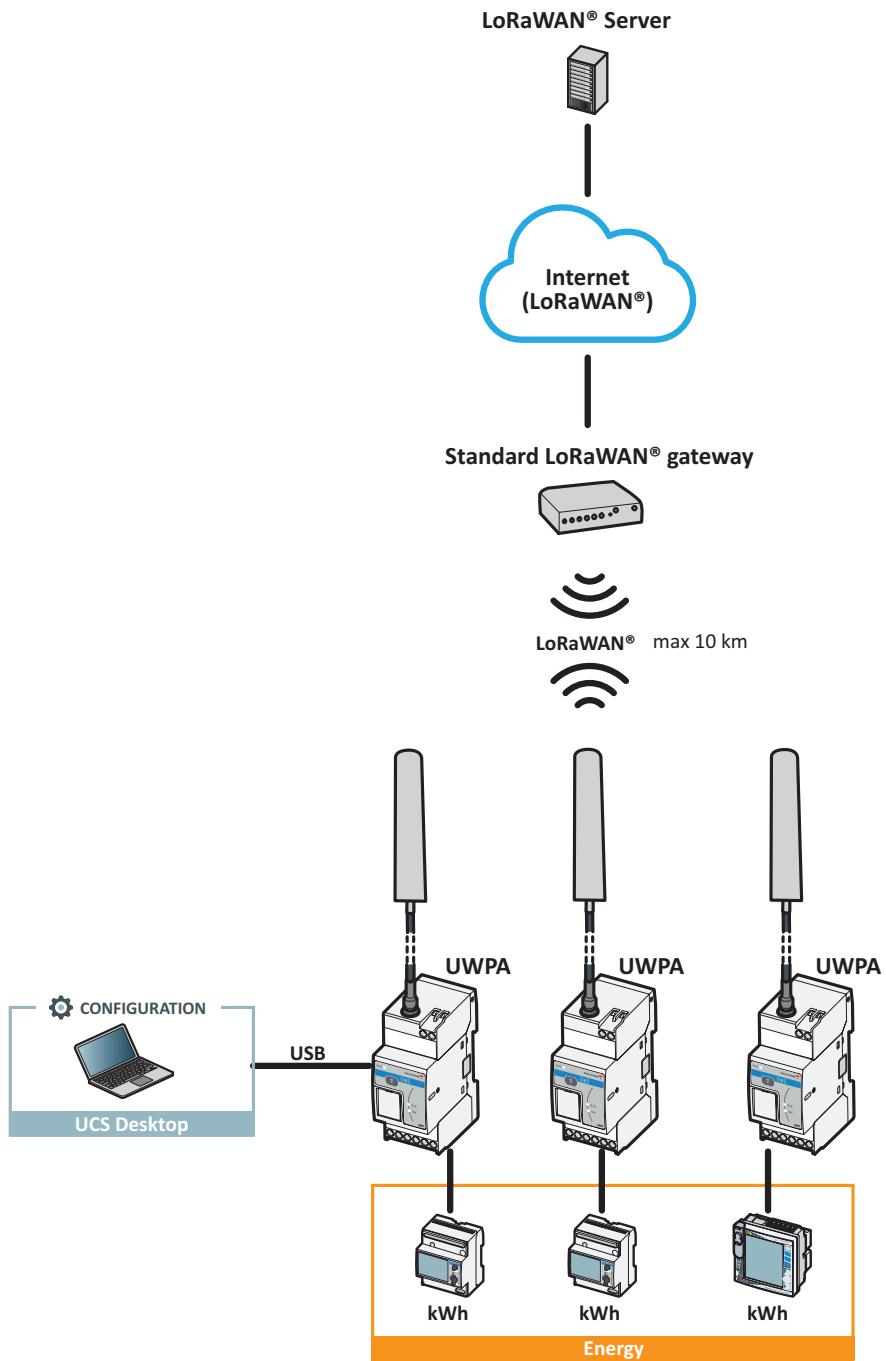
▶ Main functions

- LoRa®/LoRaWAN® communication for a RS485 Carlo Gavazzi meter and analyser (UWPA)
- Plug'n play commissioning of a long-range wireless monitoring system based on UWP 3.0 (UWPA+UWPM)
- Integration of pulse output meters (electricity, gas and water) in combination with VMU-MC/OC.

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Architecture (private UWP network)

WEB-SERVER

Web App

AUTOMATION SERVER

Gateway

LAN
WAN

FTP
API
MQTT
SMTP

UWPM

UWP 3.0

Long Range max 10 km

UWPA　　**UWPA**　　**UWPA**

CONFIGURATION

USB

UCS Desktop

kWh　　kWh　　kWh

Energy

Architecture (LoRaWAN® network)

LoRaWAN® Server

Internet (LoRaWAN®)

Standard LoRaWAN® gateway

LoRaWAN®   max 10 km

CONFIGURATION

USB

UCS Desktop

UWPA   **UWPA**   **UWPA**

kWh   **kWh**   **kWh**

Energy

Main features

- Compatibility with generic LoRaWAN® Gateways/Servers/Networks (UWPA)
- Full ownership of data with no need to rely on any wireless/cloud operator (UWPA+UWPM)
- EU 868 MHz ISM band communication
- US 915 MHz ISM band communication
- Up to 50 UWPA per UWPM (max. 3 UWPM per UWP 3.0)

UCS (Universal configuration software) specifications

- Free software, compatible with Windows® PCs
- Intuitive user interface
- The same software for configuring UWPA and a Carlo Gavazzi meter
- UWPA password management for protecting your LoRa®/LoRaWAN® network
- Configurations database for helping system integrators
- Real time diagnostics and datalogging
- Export of .csv or Excel files from the configured devices list for an easy integration into LoRaWAN® network
- Export of the configured devices file for the UWP network to import into UWP 3.0

UWPA

Wireless endpoint gateway

Main features

- Gateway from RS485 to LoRa®/LoRaWAN® for Carlo Gavazzi meters (one meter for each UWPA)
- USB port for easy set-up via UCS Software
- Universal power supply
- Configurable LoRaWAN® communication
- OTAA or ABP authentication
- Long communication range (10 km in open air, from 200 m to 3 km in typical applications)
- Communication interval from 5 min to 24 h
- Remote diagnostics via LoRa® RF technology communication
- LED indication of operating status

Description

UWPA is a device to be connected to a Carlo Gavazzi meter via RS485. The resulting system transmits measured data either to standard third-party LoRaWAN® systems or to the UWPM concentrator using LoRa® technology.

Applications

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Main functions

- LoRa®/LoRaWAN® communication for RS485 Carlo Gavazzi meters and analyzers
- Plug'n play commissioning of a LoRa®-based monitoring system based on UWP 3.0 (in combination with UWPM)
- Compatibility with standard third-party LoRaWAN® Gateways/Servers/Networks
- Full ownership of data with no need to rely on any wireless/cloud operator (in combination with UWPM)
- Local diagnostics thanks to micro-USB connection and dashboard displaying the status in UCS software
- Communication test via push button

Structure
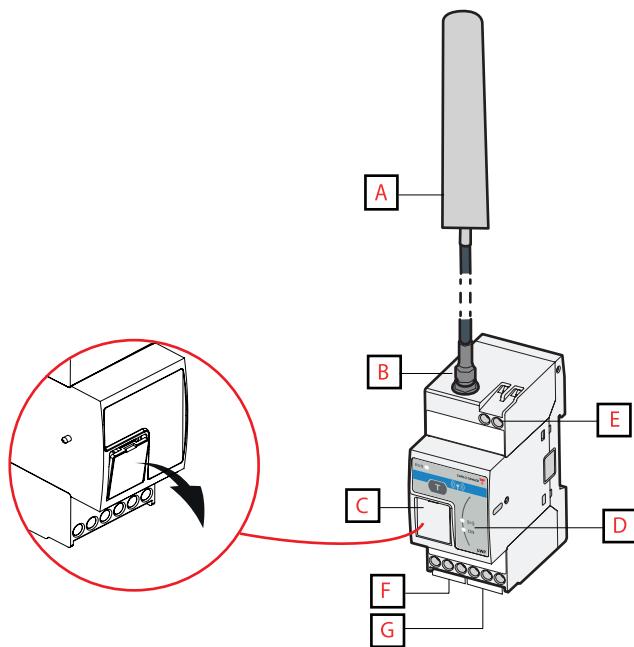
Area	Description
A	High-performance antenna
B	Antenna connector
C	USB port
D	LEDs: Green: Power supply Yellow: RS485 Blue: LoRa®
E	Power supply connection block
F	Terminals for RS485 connection to meter
G	Terminals for RS485 termination

Special functions

- Meter auto scan via RS485
- Powered by USB for setting up without an external power supply
- Password protected configuration
- The same software (UCS) to configure both UWPA and connected device
- Adapter firmware upgrade: user can select the firmware file and activate the firmware upgrade procedure
- Clock synchronization with server time via wireless downlink

LED indication

Colour	Status LED	Description
Green	ON	Power supply OK
	OFF	No Power supply
	Fast Blinking	Hardware failure
Yellow	ON	Communication in progress without errors
	OFF	Communication disabled
	Slow blinking	Meter auto scan in progress
	Fast blinking	Not valid meters or communication error
Blue	ON	Push button disabled to comply with ISM band restrictions on duty cycle
	OFF	LoRa® RF technology communication disabled or network joint successfully executed (waiting for the next communication)
	Slow blinking	Communication in progress
	Fast blinking	Network joint not executed or communication failed

Features

General

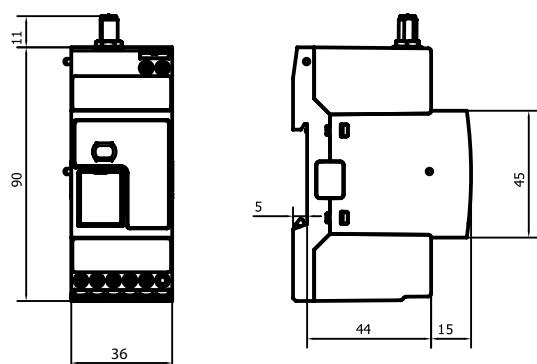| Material	Noryl, self-extinguishing V-0 (UL 94)
Protection degree	Front: IP50 Terminals: IP20 Antenna: IP65
Terminals	Cable Section: 1.5 mm^2 Torque: from 0.4 to 0.8 Nm
Mounting	DIN rail
Dimensions	2-DIN module
Weight (packaging included)	520 g
Antenna cable length	2 m
Antenna dimensions	See picture 2

Fig. 1 *UWPA dimensions*
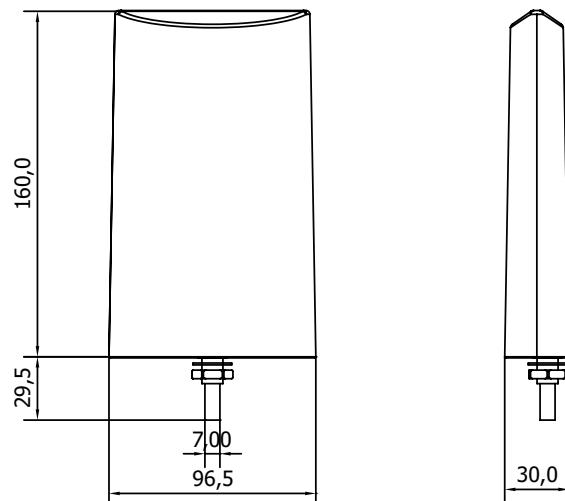
Fig. 2 *High-performance antenna dimensions*

Power supply

Power supply	24 V dc +/-20% 115-240 V ac 50/60 Hz +/-10%
Consumption	DC: 1.3 W max. AC: 5.5 VA max.
Connector	Screw terminals

Environmental specifications

Operating temperature	-25° to +55°
Storage temperature	-30° to +70°

NOTE: R.H. < 90% non-condensing

Input and output insulation

	Power supply	RS485	USB
Power supply	-	4 kV VRMS	4 kV VRMS
RS485	4 kV VRMS	-	0.5 kV VRMS
USB	4 kV VRMS	0.5 kV VRMS	-

Communication

RS485 port

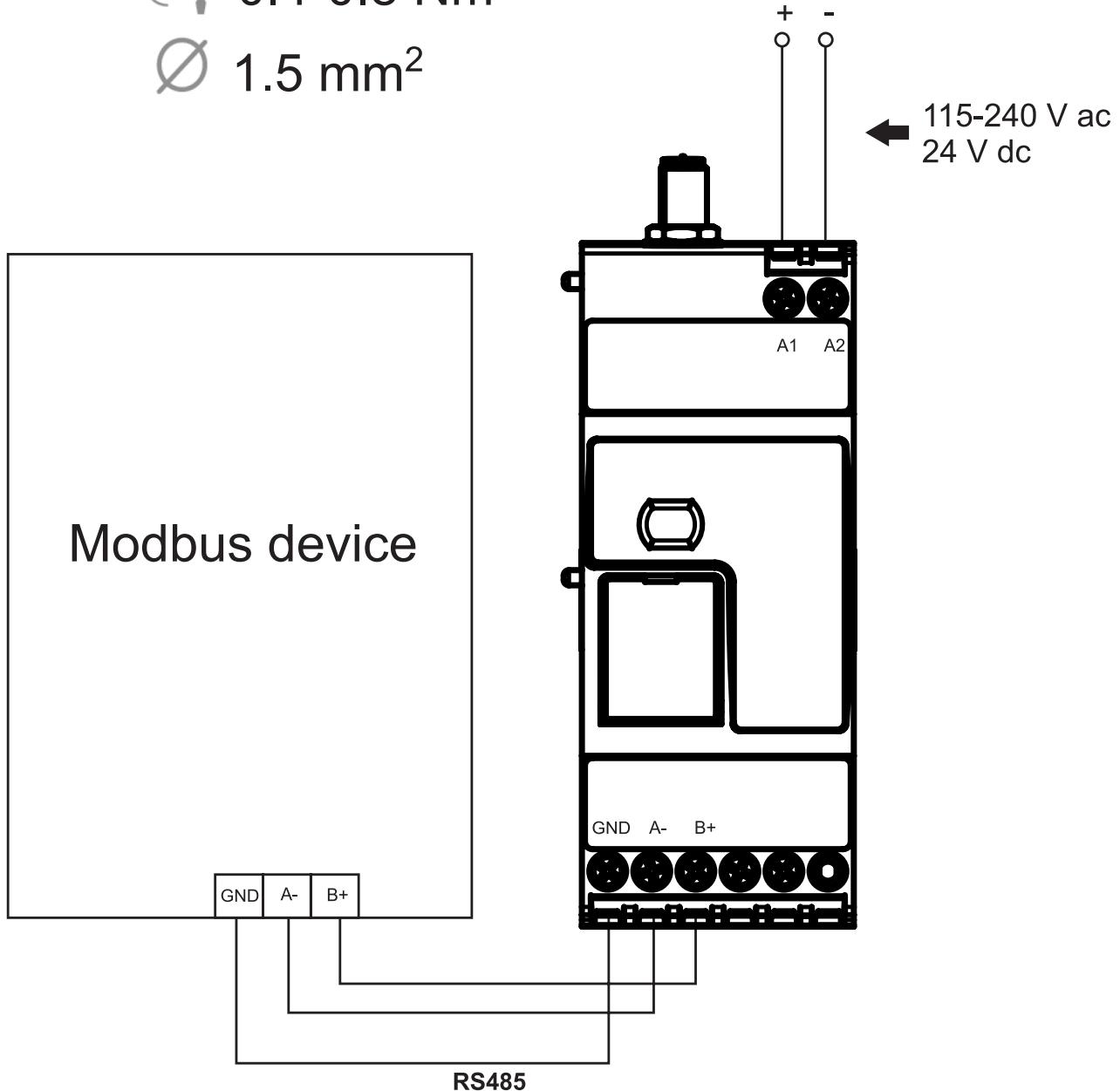| Communication type	Multidrop, bidirectional (static and dynamic variables)
Connection type	Screw terminals 3 wires
Protocol	Modbus RTU
Data	All
Data format	1 start bit, 8 data bits, Parity (None/ Odd/ Even), 1 or 2 stop bit
Configuration parameters	Modbus address (from 1 to 247) Baud rate: 4.8 / 9.6 / 19.2 / 38.4 / 57.6 / 115.2 kbps Parity (None/ Odd/ Even) Stop bit (1 or 2)
Maximum number of connected devices	1 meter x 1 UWPA

USB port

Type	USB2.0/USB3.0
Connection type	Micro-USB
Protocol	JBUS/Modbus compatible
Configuration parameters	Modbus address (from 1 to 247) Baud rate: 4.8 / 9.6 / 19.2 / 38.4 / 57.6 / 115.2 kbps Parity (None/ Odd/ Even) Stop bit (1 or 2)

LoRa® and LoRaWAN®

Protocol	LoRa® (private UWP network, in combination with UWPM) or LoRaWAN® (LoRaWAN® network)
Configuration parameters	Transmission interval Authentication type (ABP or OTAA) Appkey or Appskey and Nwkskey
Frequency	EU 868 MHz ISM band
	US 915 MHz ISM band
Encryption	Embedded end-to-end AES128 encryption
Transmission interval	Configurable from 5 min to 24 h
Antenna	Included high performance antenna (SMA connector, cable length 2m)
Test function	Push button command for diagnostic or commissioning purposes

Connection Diagrams

$\oplus$ 0.4-0.8 Nm

$\varnothing$ 1.5 mm^2

+ -

115-240 V ac
24 V dc

A1 A2

Modbus device

GND A- B+

GND A- B+

RS485

References

Further reading

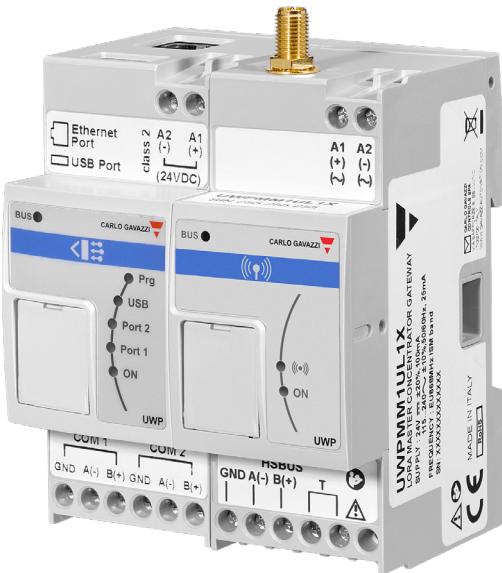| Document	Where to find it
Guidelines	www.gavazziautomation.com/UWPA-UWPM_Guideline.pdf
Instruction manual	www.gavazziautomation.com/UWPA_ML.pdf
	www.gavazziautomation.com/UWPA_IM_USA.pdf

CARLO GAVAZZI compatible components

Purpose	Component name/code key	Notes
Energy analyzers	EM24 (family), EM210 (family), EM50	See relevant datasheet
Energy meters	EM100-300-500 (family)	See relevant datasheet
Power quality analyzers	WM20-30-40 (family), CPA (family)	See relevant datasheet
Power transducers	ET100-300 (family)	See relevant datasheet
Pulse concentrator	VMU-MC / OC	See relevant datasheet
Power analyzer	WM15	See relevant datasheet

▶ Conformity

Directives	For UWPAM1US1L1X	• 2014/53/EU (RED) • 2011/65/EU + 2015/863/EU (RoHS)
	For UWPAM1US1L2X	• FCC Rules Part 15 • ISED compliance statements: ICES-003 / NMB 003 • Radio compliance for Mexico: NOM-208-SCFI-2016 • 2011/65/EU + 2015/863/EU (RoHS) • 2014/35/EU (LVD)
Standards	• Electromagnetic compatibility (EMC) - Immunity EN61000-6-2 • Electromagnetic compatibility (EMC) - Emission EN61000-6-3 • EN60950-1 • ETSI EN 300 220-1 • ETSI EN 300 220-2 • EN62479 • UL standard compliance: 60950-1 • Electrical safety for Mexico: NOM-019-SCFI-1998	
Approvals	UWPAM1US1L1X only	$C\,E$
	UWPAM1US1L1X and UWPAM1US1L2X	
	UWPAM1US1L2X only	
Certifications	LoRaWAN Certified CM	

UWPM

Master concentrator gateway

Main features

- Wireless solution with no SIM card (ISM band)
- Data concentrator for up to 50 UWPA endpoints
- Long communication range (up to 10 km in open air)
- Fast commissioning
- Robust and secure communication
- Compatible with Carlo Gavazzi UWP 3.0 platform
- High-performance antenna

Description

UWPM is a master concentrator that permits UWP 3.0 to gather data from multiple UWPA. This allows setting-up and operating a secure and robust wireless data network in the ISM band.

Applications

Energy efficiency monitoring and energy cost allocation, sub-metering in large buildings, big facilities, farms and city areas are the best use cases for LoRa®-based Carlo Gavazzi systems. Thanks to LoRa® long communication range, security and robustness, wireless networks can be easily set-up, without any expenses due to the use of SIM cards or repeaters.

Main functions

- Plug'n play commissioning of a wireless monitoring system based on UWP 3.0 (in combination with UWPA)
- Full ownership of data with no need to rely on any wireless/cloud operator (in combination with UWPA)

Structure
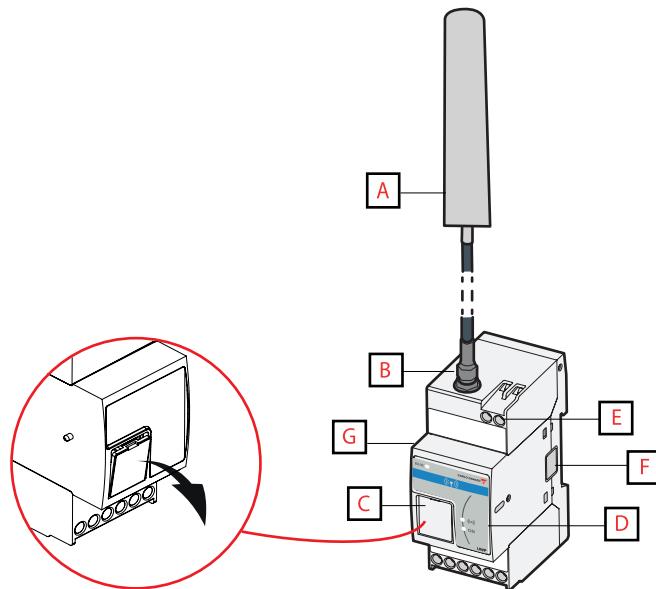
Area	Description
A	High-performance antenna
B	Antenna connector
C	USB port
D	LEDs: Green: Power supply Yellow: HSBus Blue: LoRa®
E	Power supply connection block
F	Right-side female HSBus connector for additional modules
G	Left-side male HSBus connector for UWP 3.0

Special functions

• Fully integrated with UWP 3.0 platform
• Data gathered by UWPM can be logged, displayed, transmitted to other systems thanks to UWP 3.0 powerful capabilities

LED indication

Colour	Status LED	Description
Green	ON	Power supply OK
	OFF	No Power supply
	Fast Blinking	Hardware failure
Yellow	ON	HSBus communication in progress without errors
	OFF	HSBus communication error
	Fast blinking	
Blue	Slow blinking	Receiving message
	Fast blinking	The message is not valid or has been sent by a UWPA not included into the configuration

Features

▶ General

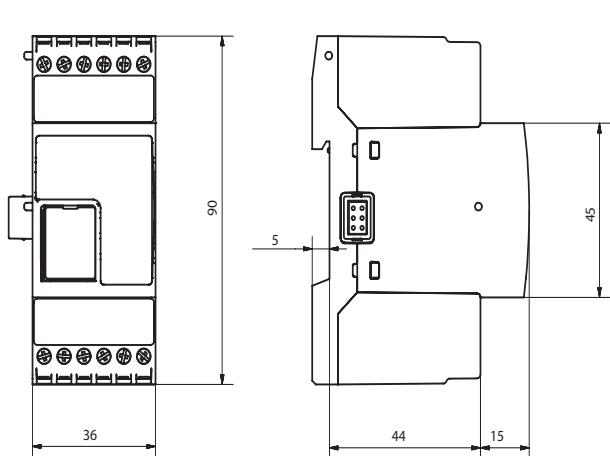| Material	Noryl, self-extinguishing V-0 (UL 94)
Protection degree	Front: IP50 Terminals: IP20
Terminals	Cable Section: 1.5 mm^2 Torque: from 0.4 to 0.8 Nm
Mounting	DIN rail
Dimensions	2-DIN module
Weight (packaging included)	520 g
Antenna cable length	2 m
Antenna dimensions	See picture 2

Fig. 3 *UWPM dimensions*   **Fig. 4** *High-performance antenna dimensions*
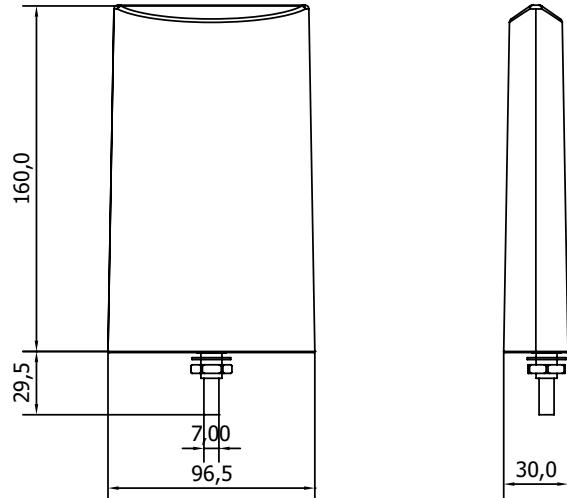
▶ Power supply

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Consumption	DC: 1.3 W max. AC: 5.5 VA max.
Connector	Screw terminals

▶ Environmental specifications

Operating temperature	-25° to +55°
Storage temperature	-30° to +70°

NOTE: R.H. < 90% non-condensing

Communication

▶ **Long-range wireless**

Protocol	LoRa® (private UWP network, in combination with UWPA)
Configuration parameters	Managed UWPA devices and variables by means of UCS file import
Frequency	EU 868 MHz ISM band US 915 MHz ISM band
Encryption	Embedded end-to-end AES128 encryption
Antenna	Included high performance antenna (SMA connector, cable length 2m)
Diagnostics	Signal strength UWPA status
UWPA number	Maximum: 50 UWPA per UWPM. The number may change according to the transmission interval and the interferences.

▶ **HSBus**

Bus type	RS485 high speed bus
Protocol	Internal proprietary protocol
Number of slaves	Max. 3 per UWP 3.0
Connection type	By local bus (left and right connectors) or terminals GND, A(-), B(+) T1, T2: terminalization inputs

▶ **UWPA per UWPM and transmission parameters**

1 package (max. 8 variables*)

Transmission interval	Maximum number of UWPA per UWPM	UCS parameters	
		Spreading factor	Retry
5 min	10	SF11	1
10 min	10	SF12	1
	50	SF11	2
15 min	50	SF12	2

2 packages (max. 16 variables*)

Transmission interval	Maximum number of UWPA per UWPM	UCS parameters	
		Spreading factor	Retry
10	10	SF11	1
15	10	SF12	1
30 min	10	SF12	1
	50	SF11	2

Transmission interval	Maximum number of UWPA per UWPM	UCS parameters	
		Spreading factor	Retry
1 h	50	SF12	2

3 packages (max. 24 variables*)

Transmission interval	Maximum number of UWPA per UWPM	UCS parameters	
		Spreading factor	Retry
15 min	10	SF11	1
30 min	10	SF12	1
1 h	50	SF12	2

*The maximum number of variables for each package depends on their format. The indicated value refers to the real time variables (such as voltage, current, power); with hour counter variables (such as energy) that value has to be halved.

Note: The SF11 spreading factor, unlike the SF12, reduces the distance and the resilience to interferences of the signal. This reduction is more evident with spreading factors inferior to SF11.
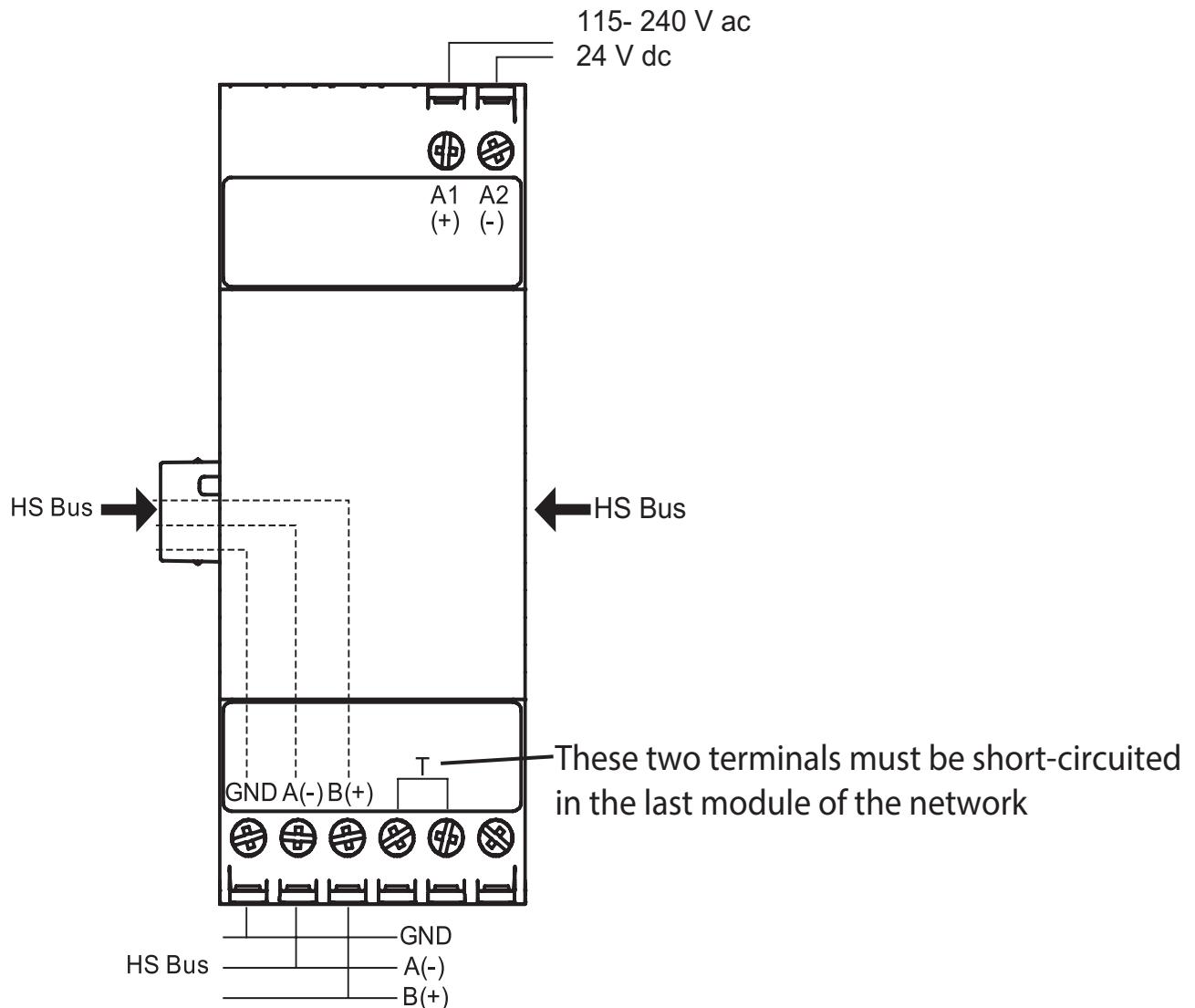
Frequencies (Europe model UWPMM1UL1X)

Name	Type	Channel (MHz)	Bandwidth (MHz)	Band	Band duty cycle (%)
FA	Base	868.100	125	M-B1	1
FB	Base	868.300	125	M-B1	1
FC	Base	868.500	125	M-B1	1
F1	Custom	869.900	125	R-B4	1
F2	Custom	867.100	125	L-B0	1
F3	Custom	867.300	125	L-B0	1
F4	Custom	867.500	125	L-B0	1

Frequencies (US model UWPMM1UL2X)

Name	Type	Channel (MHz)	Bandwidth (MHz)
F64	Standard	903.000	500
F65	Standard	904.600	500
F66	Standard	906.200	500
F67	Standard	907.800	500
F68	Standard	909.400	500
F69	Standard	911.000	500
F70	Standard	912.600	500

Connection Diagrams

115- 240 V ac
24 V dc

A1   A2
(+)   (-)

HS Bus   HS Bus

These two terminals must be short-circuited
in the last module of the network

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GND A(-) B(+)

GND
HS Bus   A(-)
B(+)

References

 Further reading

Document	Where to find it
Guidelines	www.gavazziautomation.com/UWPA-UWPM_Guideline.pdf
Instruction manual	www.gavazziautomation.com/UWPM_IM_USA.pdf www.gavazziautomation.com/UWPM_ML.pdf

 CARLO GAVAZZI compatible components

Purpose	Component name/code key	Notes
Universal web platform	UWP 3.0	See relevant datasheet
Europe wireless endpoint gateway	UWPA	See relevant datasheet

 Conformity

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Approvals	UWPMM1UL1X only	
	UWPMM1UL1X and UWPMM1UL2X	
	UWPMM1UL2X only	

How to order

UWPA

Code	Description
UWPAM1US1L1X	Europe wireless endpoint gateway
UWPAM1US1L2X	USA wireless endpoint gateway

UWPM

Code	Description
UWPMM1UL1X	Europe master concentrator gateway
UWPMM1UL2X	USA master concentrator gateway

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