



# INSTALLATION GUIDE FL3 - BLUETOOTH ARROW BOARD

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## **IMPORTANT**



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## **WARNINGS**

This document provides all the necessary information for the proper and safe installation of your Bluetooth ARROW BOARD (FL3) System.

Before proceeding with the installation or configuration of the **Bluetooth ARROW BOARD (FL3) System**, the technician must first have read and understood the instructions in this guide.

This document contains important information to prevent the risk of serious injury to both technicians and users.

# **GENERAL DESCRIPTION OF THE MODULE**

The Bluetooth Arrow Board (FL3) was designed to speed up the installation on your vehicle. Ideal for rental vehicles as no holes are needed to connect the keyboard to the Arrow Board which is outside. The installation is centralized at the Arrow Board, simplifies the connections of 2 strobe lights, and the motorized support directly to the Arrow Board.

# **TECHNICAL SPECIFICATIONS**

Operating Voltage: 10Vdc to 18Vdc

**Operating Temperature:** -40°C to 75°C (-40°F to 167°F)

Current Draw: Without IGNITION / Output disabled = less than 5mA

(Supply Voltage = 12.0Vdc) With IGNITION / Output disabled = 50mA

With IGNITION / Output all activated with no load = 600mA

Output Power: i. Motor 12Vdc, 10A

ii. Strobe Light 12Vdc, 5A iii. Aux. 12Vdc, 5A

# LISTE DES ÉQUIPEMENTS :







CLAV08BT-ALIM





#### **FUNCTIONS**

Activate and deactivate the different functions offered by this Bluetooth Arrow Board (FL3) using the 8-key keyboard. It is important to ensure that the keyboard is properly connected by Bluetooth to your Arrow Board in order to activate these functions (See below, Bluetooth section).

For motorized supports, the Bluetooth Arrow Board system (FL3) automatically manages the limitation of the up and down motion of the motor with or without a clutch models. It is also possible, thanks to its GPS antenna, to automatically lower the Arrow Board whenever a certain speed is reached. Speed programming requires no additional connections.

Ignition detection is done via a reading of the battery voltage :

- Battery > 13.1Vdc → Ignition *ON*
- Battery < 12.8Vdc → Ignition *OFF*

**NOTE**: Between 12.8VDC and 13.1VDC, ignition detection will depend on the previous ignition state. This is a buffer zone (hysteresis).

Keys	Operating mode				
<b>—</b>	Activate/Deactivate Left Arrow				
<b>*</b>	Activate/Deactivate Double Arrow				
-	Activate/Deactivate Right Arrow				
	Activate/Deactivate Arrow Bar				

Keys	Operating mode
	Activate/Deactivate Strobe Light (Red Wire)
AUX	Activate/Deactivate Aux. Output (Green Wire)
	Programming Menu
*	Photocell Bypass (Arrow Board Lights intensity at 100%)

#### Bluetooth





LED ON = Bluetooth Communication Activated LED OFF = No Bluetooth Communication

This LED will automatically close when Ignition is OFF (Battery < 12.8Vdc for 30 seconds).

The reconnection between the keyboard and the Arrow Board takes place a few seconds after pressing a key (See notes below):

A voltage above 13.1Vdc maintains active communication between the keypad and the module.
 However, switching from ignition (OFF) to ignition (ON) will not reactivate Bluetooth communication if it has been deactivated.

NOTE #1: The system may take 3 to 6 seconds to reconnect and activate the desired function.

**NOTE #2**: If reconnection does not occur automatically within 10 seconds when a key is pressed, the keyboard will emit 2 beeps and close the key. Try again in this situation.



#### **PROGRAMMING**

The Bluetooth Arrow Board system (FL3) allows the modification of different parameters. To access it, simply press and hold one of the buttons shown below in addition to the ZONE (Z) button until the LEDs activate for a moment and then turn off. Release the keys as soon as all LEDs light up.

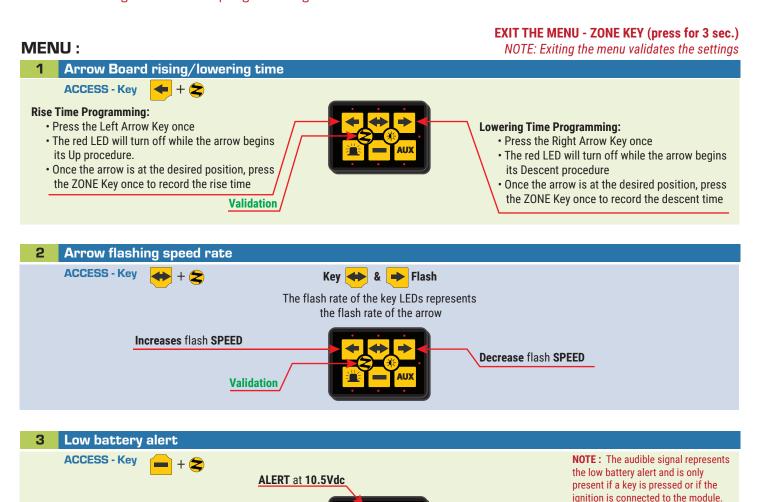
Each press of the keys will have an impact on the options chosen. Refer to the table below for details of each menu.

To exit the programming menu, press and hold the ZONE (Z) key for 3 seconds.

No ALERT of the battery

**Validation** 

**NOTE**: It is important to deactivate *ALL* keys and wait for the arrow descent cycle to complete *BEFORE* entering the different programming menus.



ALERT at 11.5Vdc

ALERT at 11Vdc

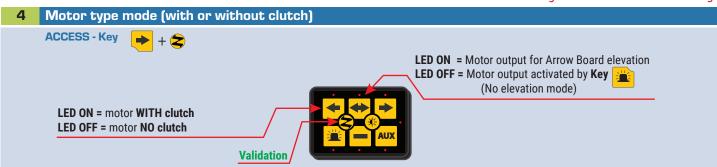


# PROGRAMMING (cont..)

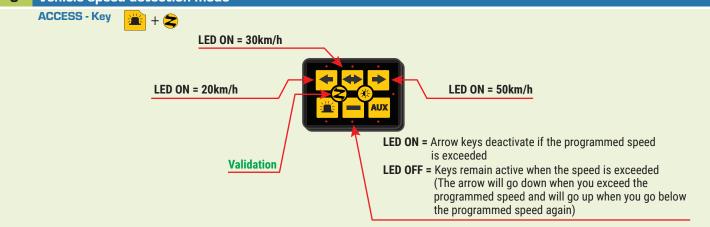
#### **MENU:**

#### **EXIT THE MENU - ZONE KEY (press for 3 sec.)**

NOTE: Exiting the menu validates the settings



## 5 Vehicle speed detection mode



#### 6 Mode fonctionnement



\*NOTE: Ignition is detected based on battery voltage reading

Battery > 13,1Vdc → IGN *ON*Battery < 12,8Vdc → IGN *OFF* 

#### 7a Réinitialisation des paramètres de base (Reset)





**Press** and **hold** the key for 2 sec. to reset (*RESET*) the keyboard settings.



\*NOTE: When replacing a keyboard, downloading the Arrow Board data to the new keyboard is mandatory if you want to keep the same programmed parameters. Otherwise, perform a reset.

## 7b Téléchargement des données (Flèche > Clavier)





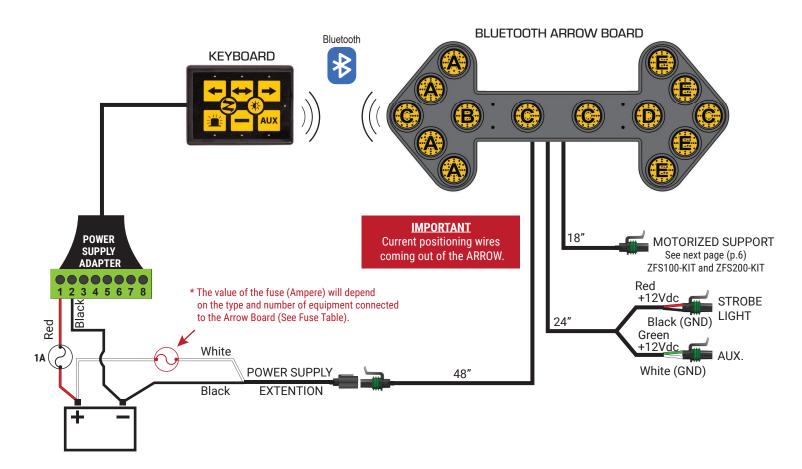
**Press** and **hold** the key for 2 sec. to download the data.

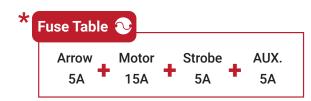






# **CONNECTION DIAGRAM**





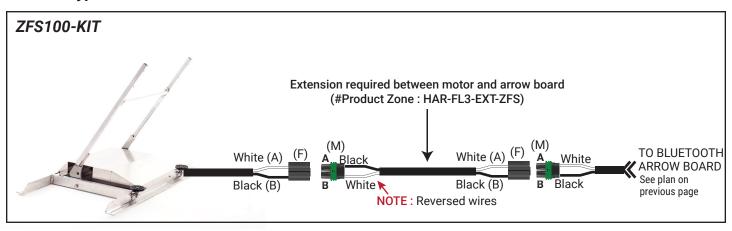
**NOTE :** Add each of the values according to the connected accessories. Ex. Arrow (5A) + Motor (15A) + Strobe (5A) = 25A

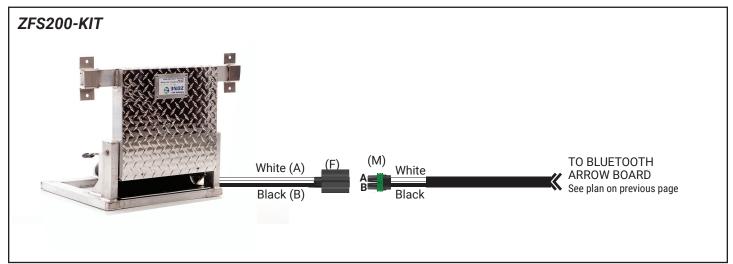
Gauge (AWG) ———							
Current (A)							_
30A	#10	#8	#8	#6	#6	#4	For intermediate values, use the higher value to make your choice.
25A	#12	#10	#10	#8	#6	#6	
20A	#14	#12	#12	#12	#10	#8	
15A	#14	#12	#12	#12	#10	#8	
10A	#16	#14	#12	#12	#10	#8	
	10'	20'	30'	40'	50'	60'	Length
NOTE: The basic harness provided is #12 gauge							e



## **CONNECTION DIAGRAM**

# **Motor Type**





#### To know if the motor is with clutch or without clutch

Find the label on the motor (see photo) which will indicate whether it has a clutch or not.



IMPORTANT: Refer to the programming menu under mode #4 Motor type if you wish to use a motor with clutch. The default programming is for the use of a no clutch motor.





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