

# BOOMPILOT<sup>®</sup>

## INSTALLATION MANUAL

Automatic boom section control installation manual  
for use with Berthoud TELEVOLUX w/Matrix<sup>®</sup> Pro



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Do not leave a vehicle while the BoomPilot is engaged.

Be sure that the area around the vehicle is clear of people and obstacles before and during engagement.

The BoomPilot is designed to support and improve efficiency while working in the field. The driver has full responsibility for the quality and work related results.

Disengage BoomPilot before operating on public roads or when not in use to prevent loss of vehicle control.

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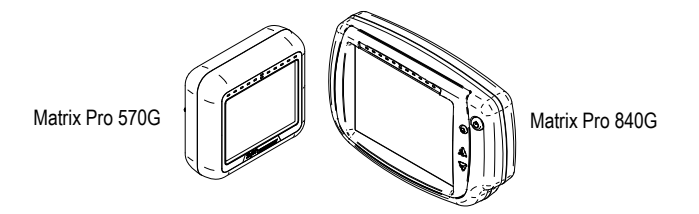
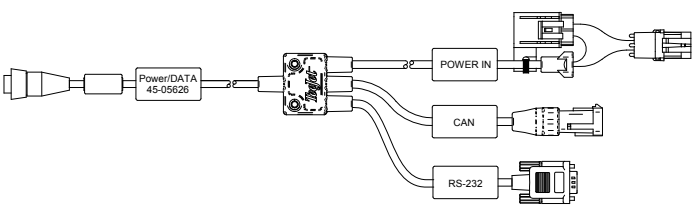
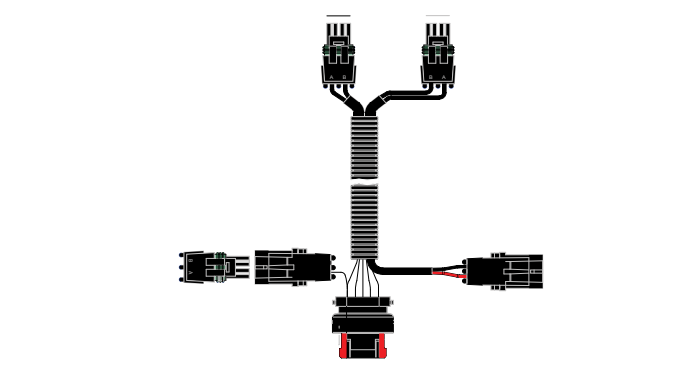
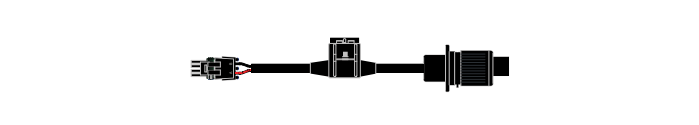


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## REQUIRED COMPONENTS

Unpack the installation kit and identify the required parts for your installation.

Item	Part Number	Description	Quantity
A	90-xxxx*	Matrix Pro guidance controller kit .....	1
B	45-05845	Power/CAN/data cable .....	1
C	198-410	BoomPilot harness (CANBUS & Power).....	1
D	48-XXXXX	Power cable with 3P COBO connector .....	1
E	990-888*	BoomPilot cable, 990-888 (Max. 15 Sections + Master for New Safi or Pneumatic Valves) .....	1
E	990-889*	BoomPilot cable, 990-889 (Max. 15 Sections + Master for Old Safi or ARAG Valves).....	1
F	78-05072	BoomPilot section driver module (SDM).....	1
G	020-049	Installation manual, Berthoud TELEVOLUX .....	1
H	98-05243	Matrix Pro BoomPilot setup guide .....	1

\*Part number is dependent on kit contents

Item	Part #	Description	Illustration
A	Part number is dependent on kit contents	Matrix Pro guidance controller kit	 <p>Matrix Pro 570G      Matrix Pro 840G</p>
B	45-05845	Power/CAN/data cable	
C	198-410	BoomPilot Harness, TJ844 (9 sections + master)	
D	48-XXXXX	Power cable with 3P COBO connector	
E	990-888*	BoomPilot cable, 990-888 (Max. 15 Sections + Master for New Safi or Pneumatic Valves)	
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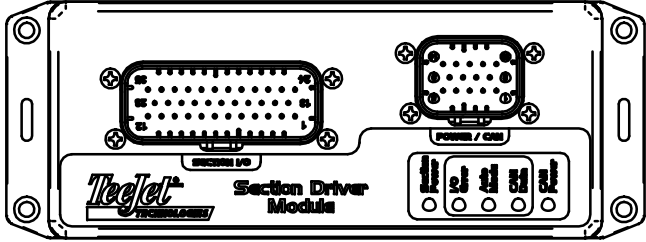
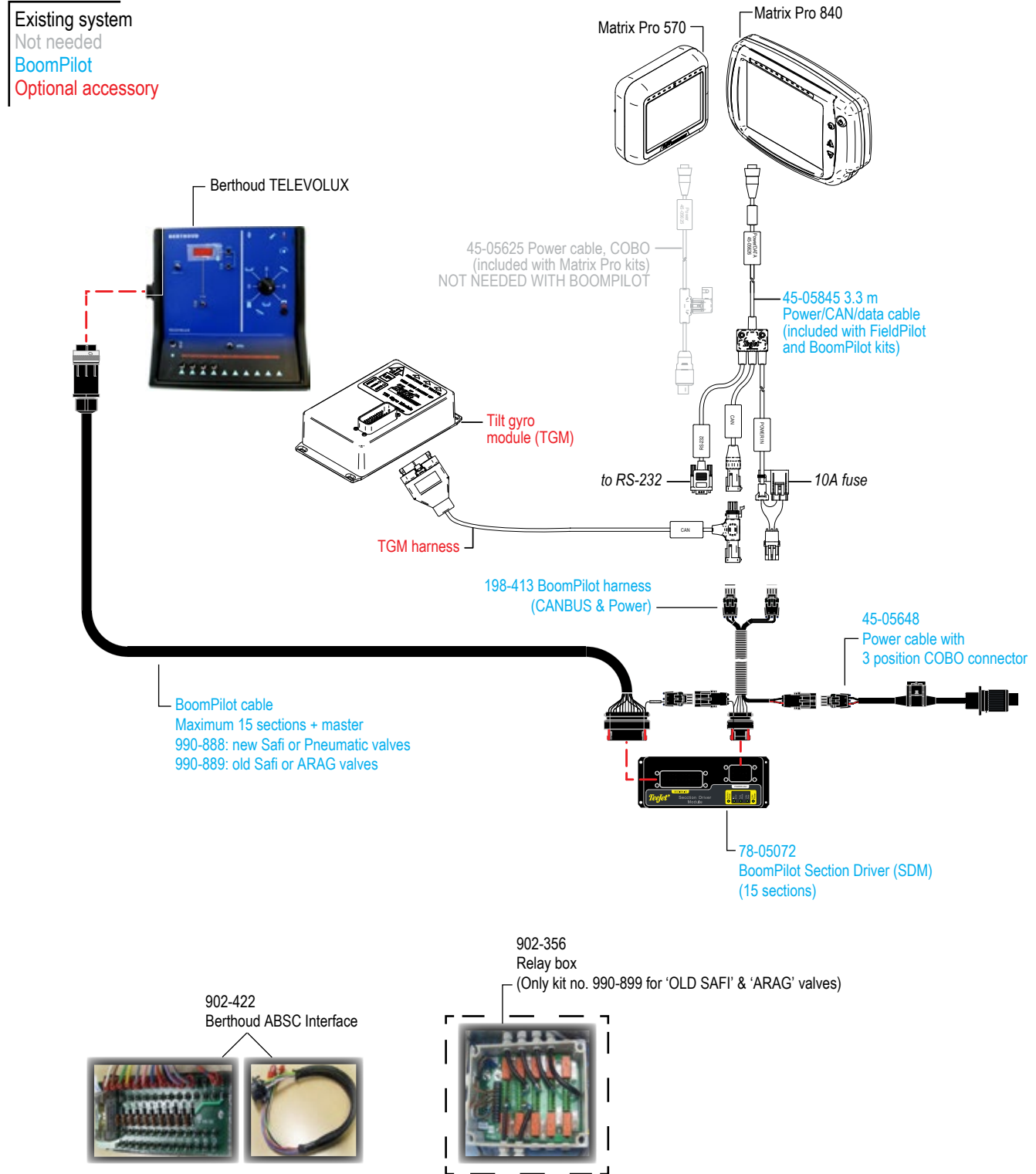
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F	78-05072	BoomPilot section driver module (SDM)	
G	020-049	Installation manual, Berthoud TELEVOLUX	
H	98-05243	Matrix Pro BoomPilot setup guide	

Figure 1: System diagram



## PRINCIPLE OF OPERATION

The BoomPilot system controls the sections valves according to the GPS position. The GPS makes it possible to avoid overlaps or skips.

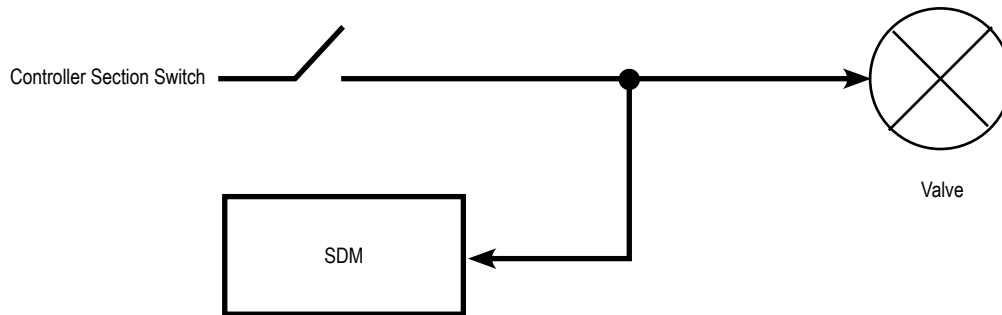
The Section Driver Module (SDM) is designed for switching active high when spraying. This means that a 12V signal is issued to control the corresponding section valve.

The SDM is connected in parallel with the controller section switches.

The BoomPilot controls the section valves in automatic mode, and the controller section switches should be set to off unless the operator wants to override the auto mode and thus force spraying.

The BoomPilot monitors the controller section switches that controls the valves in manual mode. The the Master switch can be used both in automatic mode as well as in manual mode.

Figure 2: Principle of operation



## INSTALLATION



If there are questions concerning the installation of the BoomPilot system on this vehicle, or due to the changes in component specifications the parts supplied in the kit are not exactly as presented in this document, please contact your dealer or TeeJet Customer service representative for clarification before installation. TeeJet Technologies is not responsible for misuse or incorrect installation of the system.

*NOTE: All references to left and right are stated as if the user is seated in the driver's seat.*

*NOTE: BE VERY CAREFUL TO ABSOLUTELY SECURE ALL CABLES AND HOSES SO THAT THEY DON'T INTERFERE WITH THE MANY MOVING PARTS OF THE MACHINE!*

### 1. LOCATE THE CONNECTION POINT FOR THE SDM HARNESS

Locate the existing system's flow control harness on the right side of the cab under the control panel inside the black cowling as it routes up to the back of the Berthoud TELEVOLUX console.

### 2. MOUNT & CONNECT SDM

1. Mount SDM (E) as shown where LED's can be seen for troubleshooting.
2. Connect SDM (E) to BoomPilot Harness (C).

Figure 3: Connect SDM

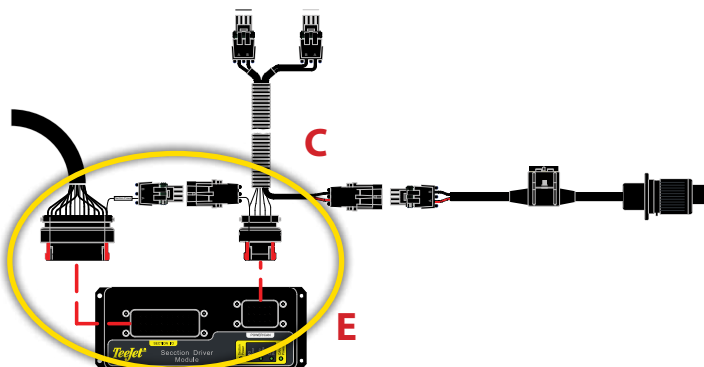
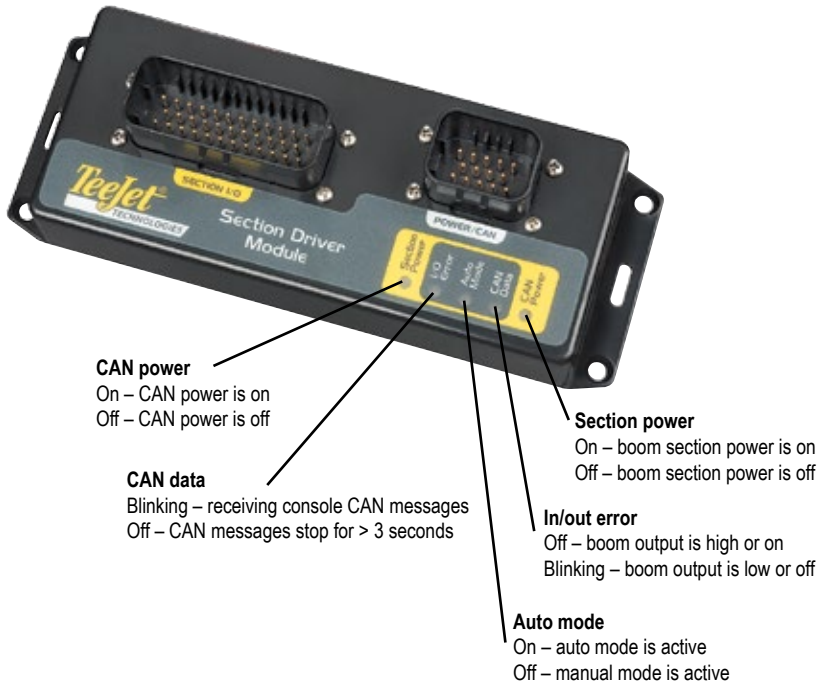


Figure 4: LED description



### 3. INSTALLING THE BERTHOUD TELEVOLUX KIT

To get electrical contact with the Sections and the Master switch in the Berthoud TELEVOLUX Switch Box, it's necessary to install a Berthoud ABSC Interface (See pos. 7 and 8 on the two System Overview drawings). Before starting the installation, make sure that the power is disconnected.

*Warning: This is a critical operation and must only be conducted of persons with the necessary skills. In case the Berthoud TELELUX Switch Box is damaged during the installation, it's on the buyers sole risk and therefore the buyer is not entitled to any form for compensation.*

Figure 5: Installing the Circuit board



Place the interface in the right part of the box as shown on the picture.

Drill two  $\varnothing 3.5$  mm holes in the plastic housing with a distance of 95 mm.

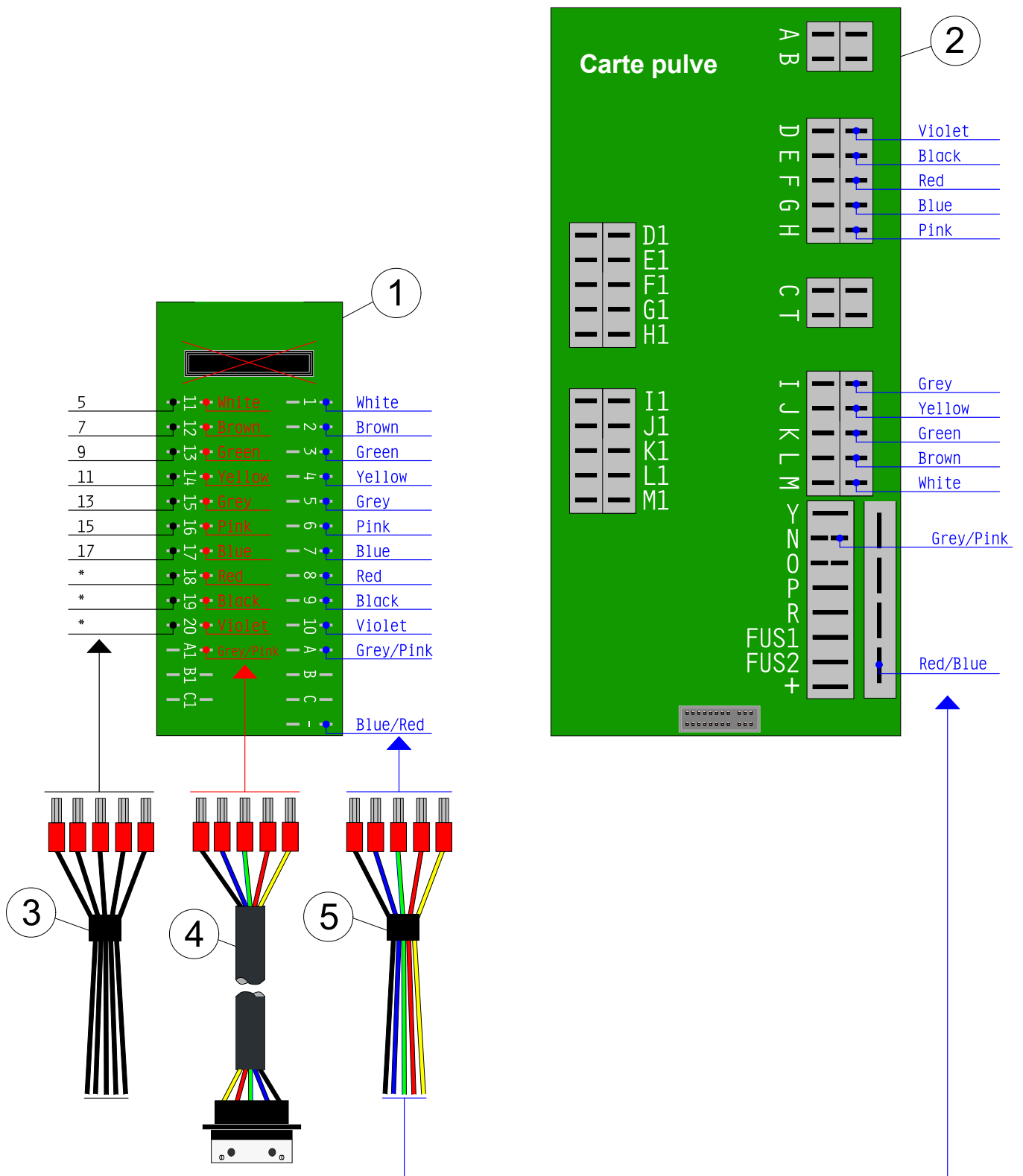
It's practical to install the wires on the interface before installing it (See diagram next page).

Figure 6: Installing the Connector



Make a hole in the left part of the plastic housing and install the round connector. The Hole should be  $\varnothing 25$  mm and fixing holes  $\varnothing 3.2$  mm.

Connect the Automatic Boom section kit as show on the system overview drawings. The kit includes all necessary connectors to get electrical contact with the Berthoud TELEVOLUX Switch Box.



1. Connect the external connector cable (4) to the interface (1), in the middle row.
2. Disconnect the wires (3) from the "Carte Pulvé" board (2) and connect them to the interface (1).
3. Connect the wires (5) to the interface (1) and to the "Carte Pulvé" board (2).

## 4. DISCONNECT & RECONNECT HARNESSES & CABLES

The BoomPilot SDM harness (C) tees into the existing system's connection between the Berthoud TELEVOLUX rate controller and flow control harness.

1. Disconnect existing connection at the back of the Berthoud TELEVOLUX console.
2. Connect BoomPilot harness (C) to Berthoud TELEVOLUX console.
3. Connect BoomPilot harness (C) to existing Berthoud TELEVOLUX flow control harness.

Figure 7: Disconnect existing connection



Figure 8: BoomPilot harness to flow control harness



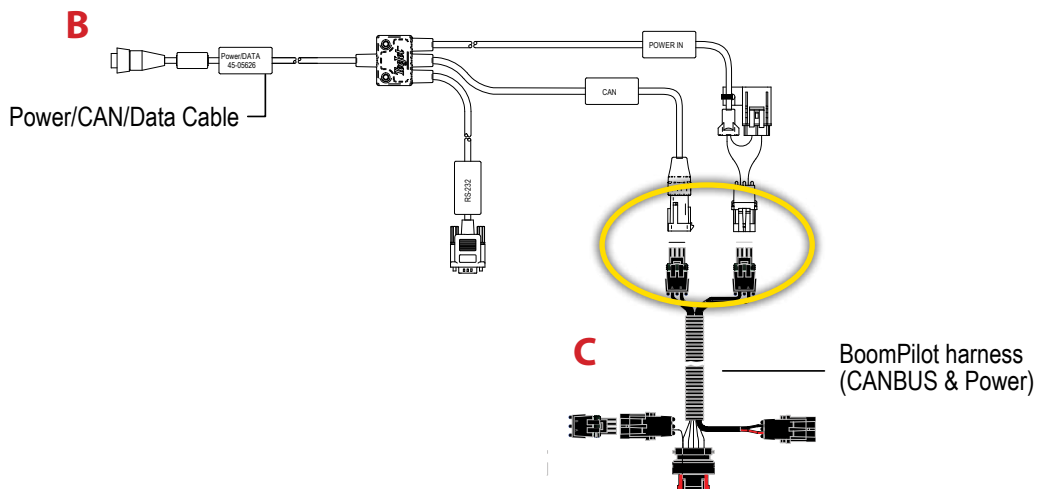
BoomPilot harness to controller



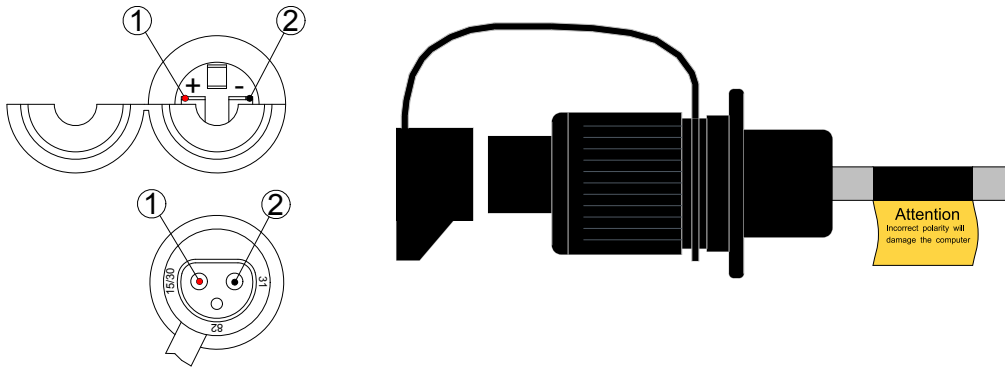
## 5. CONNECT POWER/CAN/DATA CABLE TO BOOMPILLOT HARNESS

Connect Power/CAN/data cable (B) to BoomPilot harness (C).

Figure 9: Connect power/CAN/data cable to BoomPilot harness



## 6. CONNECTING POSITION M TO POWER



Position	Description
1	+12V (15/30)
2	Ground (31)

*Warning: When connecting the system to 12V power it's very important that the polarity is correct, if not the system will be damaged*

### Battery Cable (Option)

The power supply must be strong enough to operate the Section and Master valves. The total current will depend on the used valve type. If a power connector (Socket) isn't available in the tractor cabin, a optional battery cable can be used (PN 96ET14).



### Valves connection

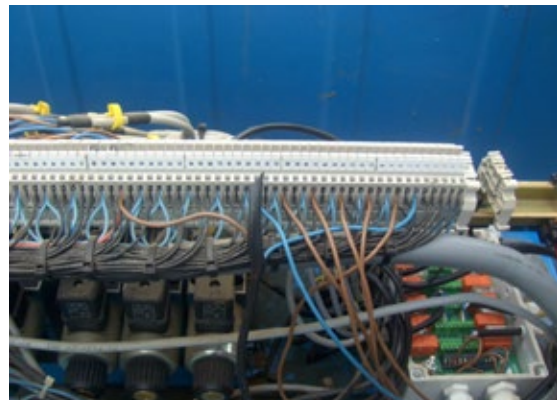
**Berthoud sprayers with New Safi or pneumatic valves** - No particular connection has to be done. Original cabling is ok.

**Berthoud sprayers with Old Safi or Arag valves** -Relay box installation

Take out the blue cover above the boom



Fix the relay box to the frame



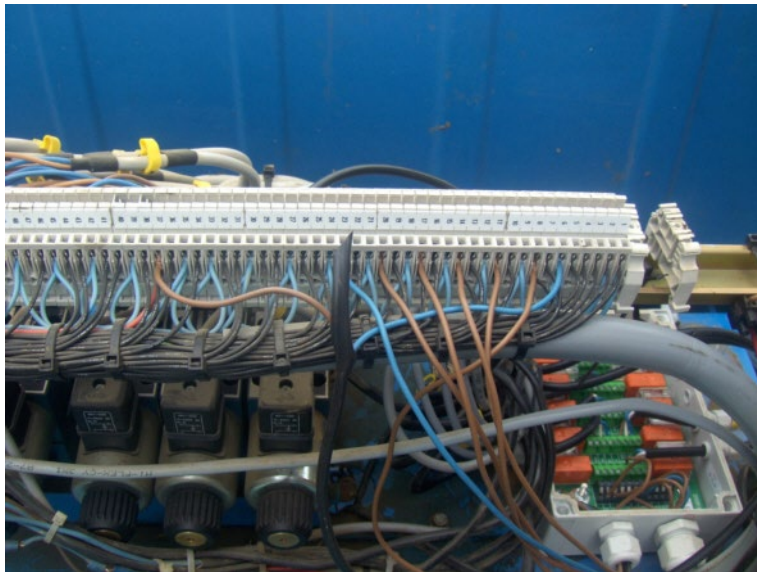
## 7. RECOMMENDED ELECTRONICS INSTALLATION

The control console can be mounted to the operator's preference. The GPS antenna should be mounted in the center on top of the cab on a metal surface of at least 10 cm square.

## Driving wires connection to relay box

Connect loose wires to the connection bloc. Below a informative table but verify that the respective connections are giving out 12 V when section is ON.

Name	S1	S2	S3	S4	S5	S6	S7	S8	GND	12V
Pin	8	11	14	17	20	23	27	30	6	37



## Valves connections to relay box

Disconnect the valves from the connection bloc and connect them into the relay box.

	Wire Color	Connection	Function
SAFI	Brown	NH	12 V for closing
	White	NL	12 V for opening
	Blue	GND	Permanent Ground
ARAG	Brown	NH	12 V for closing
	Blue	NL	12 V for opening

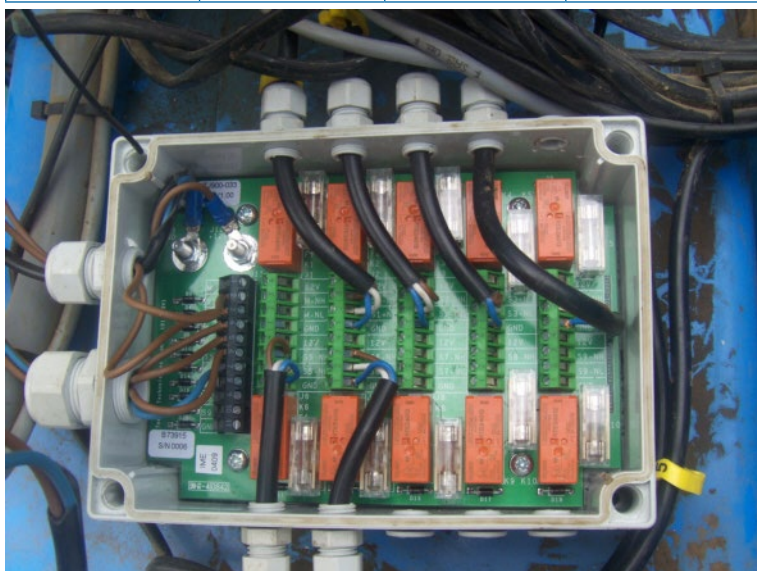
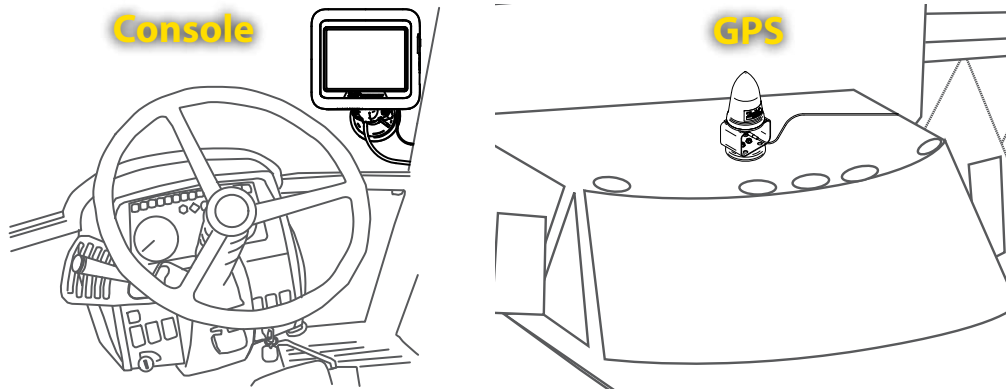


Figure 10: Recommended electronics installation



## 8. COMPLETE ELECTRONIC INSTALLATION

Refer to the Matrix Pro BoomPilot Setup Guide for further instructions on setting up and using your Matrix Pro for ABSC.

If not using a Matrix Pro, please refer to the owner's manual supplied with the guidance system to complete the electronic installation and setup.

## SYSTEM CHECK

After connecting the power connector, it is time to make a system check. To check the system, it is necessary to have full GPS signal. To obtain full GPS signal, the vehicle must be placed outside.

### Check AUTOMATIC mode:

XXXX:

Section switches should be in the OFF position when working in Automatic mode. The Master switch will control the sprayer and should be ON to enable automatic switching of the sections.

*Matrix Pro:*

- Turn on the Matrix Pro console
- Encode the number of sections and the width of each (Refer to the Matrix Pro user manual)
- Wait for GPS signal
- Set the BoomPilot mode to AUTOMATIC  
◀ Status Bar Icon will change to green ▲
- Drive forward (> 2 km/h)
- Observe that all valves open
- Check that the valves close when the Master switch is set to OFF

### Check MANUAL mode:

XXXX:

- Set the section switches to ON
- Set the Master switch to ON

*Matrix Pro:*

- Set the BoomPilot mode to MANUAL  
◀ Status Bar Icon will change to red ▲
- Check in the 'Vehicle View Screen' (Matrix Pro) that the section icons turn off and on according to the valve/switch status
- Observe that all valves are open

Figure 11: Automatic to all booms on mode







# BOOMPILOT<sup>®</sup>

## USER MANUAL

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A series of equipment-specific installation kits have been developed to work in conjunction with your automated boom section control system. This kit contains the necessary components and instructions to install ABSC on a Berthoud TELEVOLUX w/Matrix<sup>®</sup> Pro. Please review this manual thoroughly before beginning the installation process.

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