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## INTRODUCTION

The PathWay ${ }_{\circledR}$ Model 4143 RS-232 DB25 Automatic Fallback A/B Switch allows the user the capability of sharing a single DB25 interface device connected to the "COMMON" port among two other devices connected to the " $A$ " and " $B$ " ports with local and remote access functionality. Remote access can be accomplished using Pin 9 of the DB25 COMMON port.

## FEATURES:

- The switch ports are transparent to all data.
- All 25 pins of the DB25 interface are switched.
- All switched signals are passed via latching copper contact relays that maintain their position and continuity even in the event of a power loss or failure.
- Control of the switch position using Pin 9 of the DB25 Common port or alternatively, the front panel pushbutton.
- A transition from 5VDC to OVDC on Pin 9 of the DB25 Common port triggers the unit to switch positions.
- Custom length DB25 cables available.



## SPECIFICATIONS:

PORT CONNECTORS: (3) DB25 (F) connectors labeled $A, B$ and COMMON.
FRONT PANEL CONTROL: (1) Manual pushbutton allows local switching.
DISPLAY: (2) Front panel LED's display switch position and power status.
REMOTE CONTROL: Transition signals on pin 9 of the COMMON port DB25 will trigger a change to the switch position.
POWER: UL approved $110 / 120$ VAC, 60 Hz wall mount power module supplies 12 VAC, 500 mA to the unit.
DIMENSIONS: Desktop 7.9" W x 7.25" D x $2.0^{\prime \prime} \mathrm{H}$. WEIGHT: Approximately 2.8 lbs

## Model 4143 Application / Function



