

eletechsup ES32A08

eletechsup DC 12V 24V Multifunction ESP32 Expansion Board (ES32A08) User Manual

1. INTRODUCTION

This manual provides essential information for the proper installation, operation, and maintenance of your eletechsup DC 12V 24V Multifunction ESP32 Expansion Board (ES32A08). This board is designed to extend the capabilities of a 38-pin ESP32 development board, offering a wide range of digital and analog I/O, relay outputs, and communication interfaces for various DIY and industrial applications.

2. PRODUCT FEATURES

- **Working Voltage:** DC 12V-24V.
- **Current Consumption:** Standby current (Digital tube OFF) 15MA, Standby current (Digital tube ON) 50MA. Current increases with active relays (e.g., 1 relay open 76MA, 8 relays open 292MA).
- **On-board Resources:**
 - 1x RS485 Interface
 - 8x Opto-isolated Digital Inputs (low level trigger, NPN type)
 - 4x 0/4-20MA Current Inputs
 - 4x 0-5V/10V Voltage Inputs
 - 4x User Buttons
 - 1x 4-bit Digital Tube Display
 - 1x 38-pin ESP32 Slot
 - 8x Relay Outputs
- **Dimensions (ES32A08 Only Board):** 180mm x 72mm x 20mm.
- **Weight (ES32A08 Only Board):** 189g.

The board supports two widths of 38-pin ESP32 boards: 22.5mm and 25.4mm pin header spacing.

38-pin ESP32 Board 1 : Width is about 27.5MM (Pin header spacing: 25.4MM)

38-pin ESP32 Board 2 : Width is about 25MM (Pin header spacing: 22.5MM)

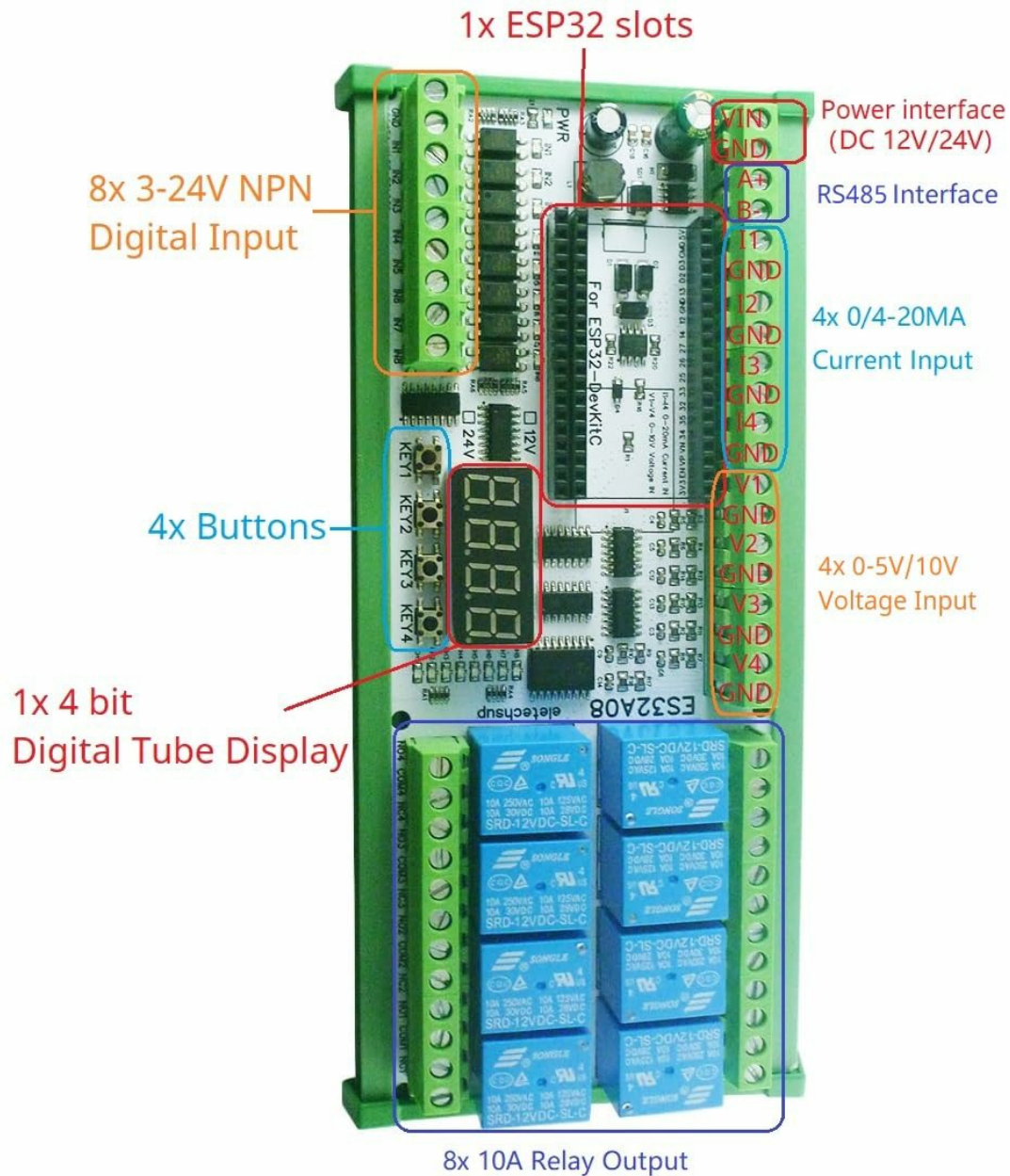


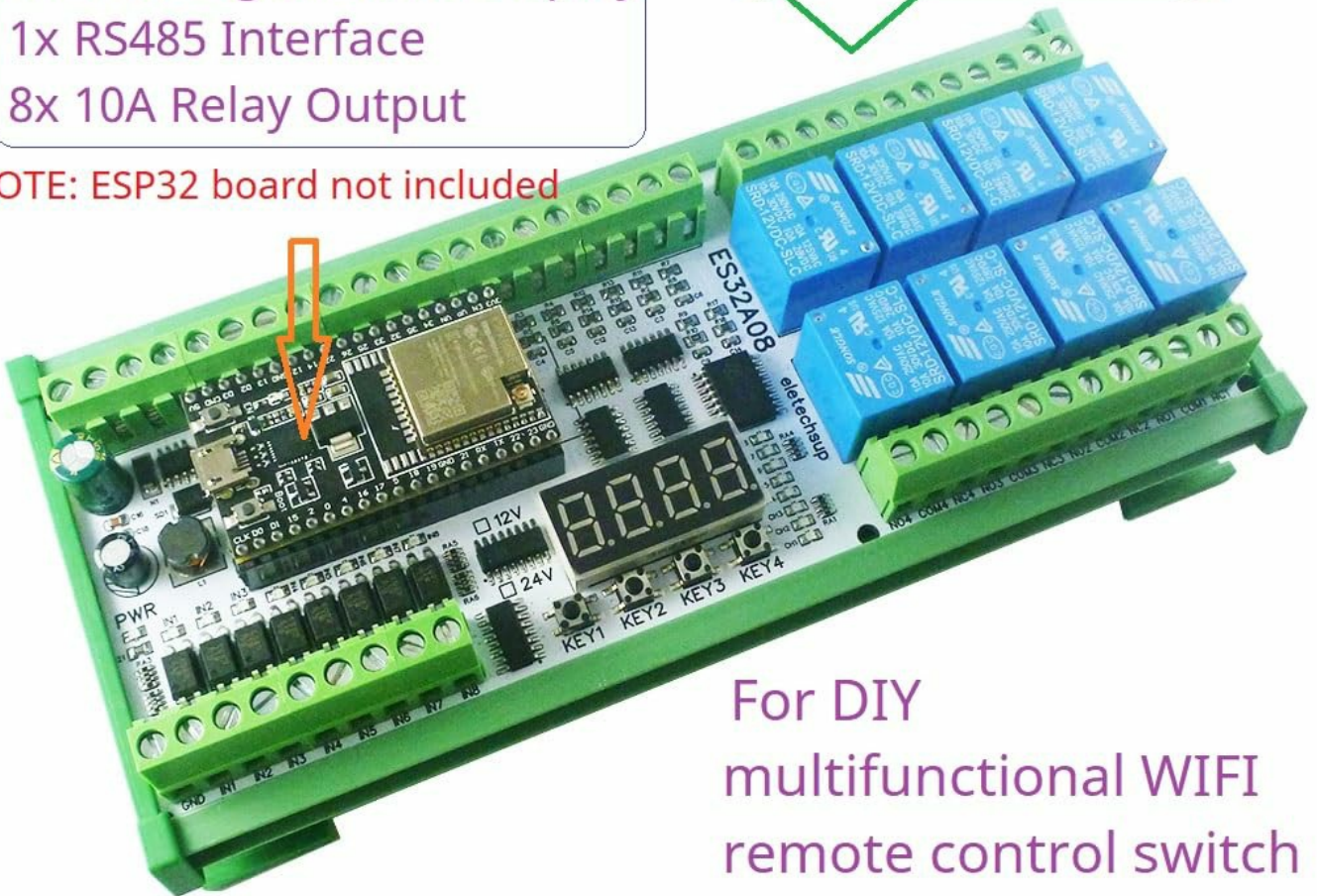
Image: Overview of the ES32A08 board, highlighting the ESP32 slot, various inputs, outputs, and display. It also shows compatibility with different ESP32 board widths.

On-board Resources:

8x 3-24V NPN Digital Input
4x 0-20mA Current Input
4x 0-5V/10V Voltage Input
4x Buttons
1x 38Pin ESP32 slots
1x 4 bit Digital Tube Display
1x RS485 Interface
8x 10A Relay Output

ESP32 Expansion Board

NOTE: ESP32 board not included



For DIY
multifunctional WIFI
remote control switch

Image: The ES32A08 board with an ESP32 module installed, illustrating the on-board resources such as digital inputs, current/voltage inputs, buttons, digital display, RS485 interface, and relay outputs.

3. SETUP

3.1. Required Components

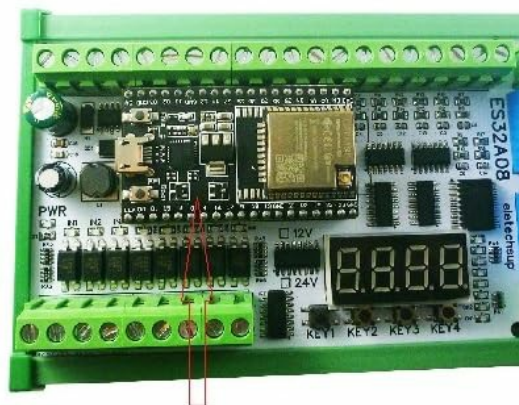
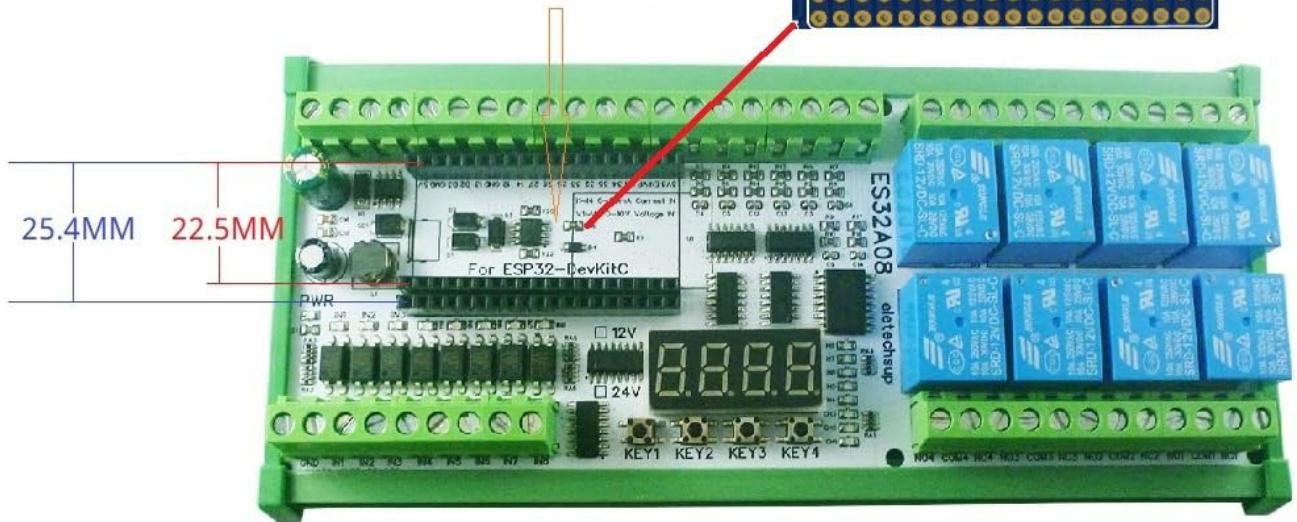
The ES32A08 expansion board cannot operate independently. It requires a 38-pin ESP32 development board to function. Ensure you have a compatible 38-pin ESP32 board before proceeding with setup.

3.2. Board Installation

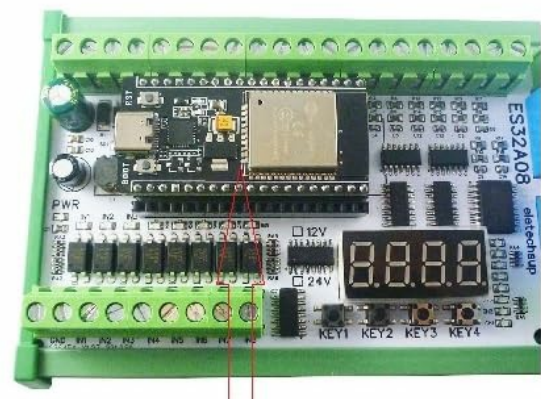
1. Carefully align your 38-pin ESP32 board with the designated ESP32 slot on the ES32A08 expansion board.
2. Gently press the ESP32 board into the slot, ensuring all pins are correctly seated.
3. Connect a DC 12V-24V power supply to the power interface terminals (labeled PWR) on the ES32A08 board. Observe correct polarity.

Supports 2 widths of ESP32 boards,
pin header width: 22.5MM, 25.4MM

38-pin ESP32 board socket



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(Pin header spacing: 25.4MM)



38-pin ESP32 Board 2 :
Width is about 25MM
(Pin header spacing: 22.5MM)

Image: The ES32A08 board illustrating the insertion of a 38-pin ESP32 development board into its socket, with measurements for pin header spacing.

4. OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

4.1. Programming the ESP32

This expansion board functions under the control of the ESP32. You will need to write custom ESP32 code to utilize its features. The manufacturer provides basic VSCode code examples for hardware testing. For advanced functionalities, custom code development is required.

4.2. Input/Output Connections

Refer to the board's silkscreen labels and the provided diagrams for connecting external devices to the various inputs and outputs:

- **RS485 Interface:** Connect A+ and B- terminals for RS485 communication.
- **Digital Inputs (IN1-IN8):** Connect NPN type low-level trigger signals.

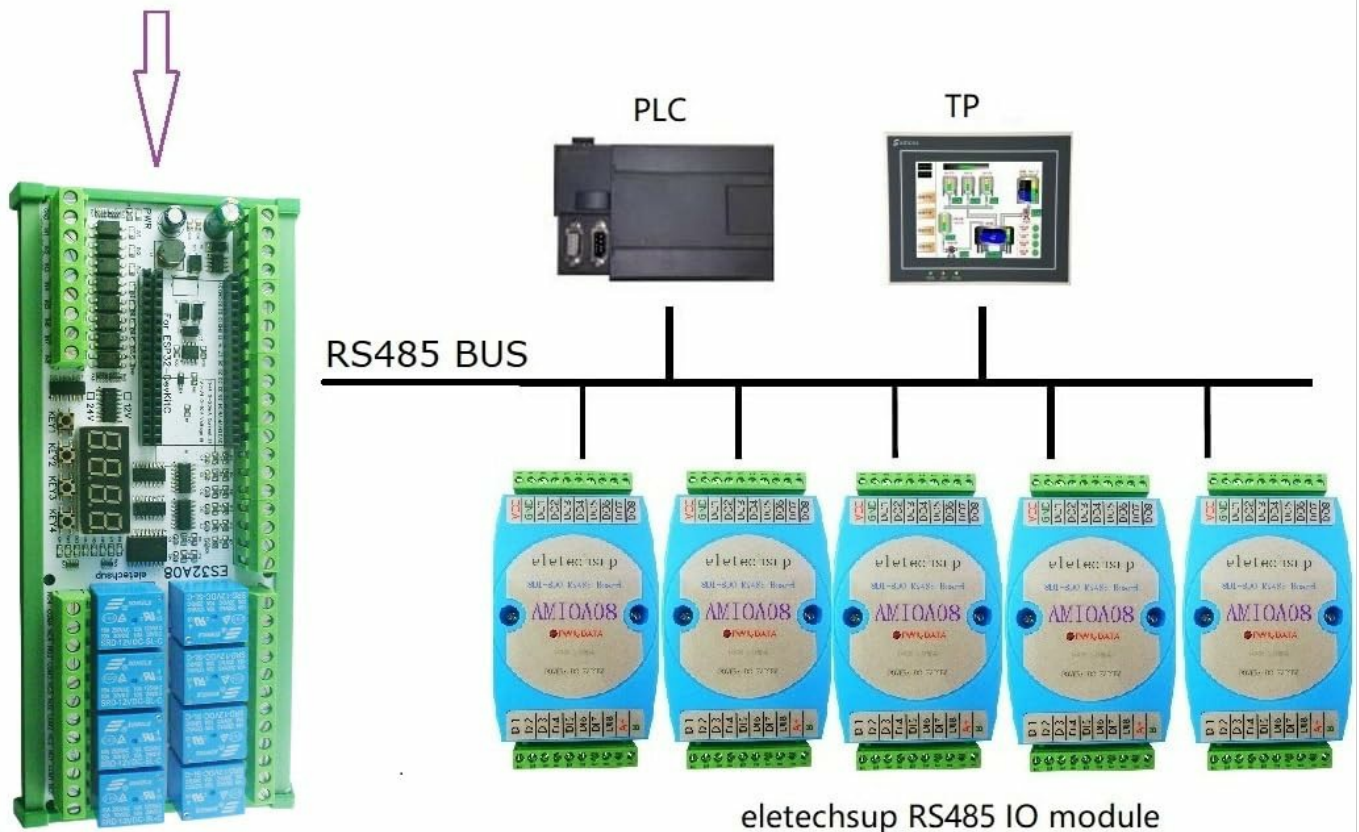
- Application : Through the programming of ESP32 , various delay customization functions can be realized instead of PLC.



- WiFi remote control switches.
- WiFi current and voltage data collection.
- Home automation and smart home DIY projects.
- RS485 master-slave device control (e.g., PLC, MCU).

- Motor forward and reverse control.
- Timing ON/OFF functions.
- Various delay functions: power-up delay, trigger delay, infinite loop delay, finite cyclic delays.
- Power sequencer.

Application 2: It can be used as an RS485 master device instead of PLC/PC/touch screen to control various RS485 slave devices.



NOTE: This is an ESP32 expansion board only, you also need to plug in an ESP32 board for it to work properly

Image: An application example demonstrating the ES32A08 board acting as an RS485 master device, controlling multiple RS485 slave modules, replacing traditional PLC/PC/touch screen setups.

5. MAINTENANCE

To ensure the longevity and reliable operation of your expansion board:

- Keep the board clean and free from dust and moisture.
- Avoid exposing the board to extreme temperatures or direct sunlight.
- Ensure proper ventilation if enclosed in a case.
- Regularly check all connections for secure fit.

- Disconnect power before making any wiring changes or performing maintenance.

6. TROUBLESHOOTING

- **Board not powering on:** Verify that the DC 12V-24V power supply is correctly connected and providing the specified voltage. Check for correct polarity.
- **ESP32 not recognized or functioning:** Ensure the 38-pin ESP32 board is properly seated in its slot. Confirm that the ESP32 board itself is functional.
- **No information on I/O pin connections:** The board's silkscreen provides labels for I/O. For detailed pin mapping to the ESP32, refer to the manufacturer's provided code examples or contact the seller for specific documentation.
- **Analog input accuracy issues:** The accuracy of analog quantity acquisition is determined by the ESP32 board. It is recommended to collect multiple readings and average them for improved accuracy.
- **Relays not activating:** Check your ESP32 code to ensure the relay control pins are correctly configured and being driven. Verify the power supply is sufficient for the relays.

7. SPECIFICATIONS

Specification	Value
Working Voltage	DC 12V-24V
Current Rating	0.29 Amps (per relay, typical)
Wattage	7 watts
Coil Voltage	12 Volts (DC)
Minimum Switching Voltage	12 Volts (DC)
Maximum Switching Voltage	24 Volts
Connector Type	Through Hole
Contact Material	Silver Alloy
Contact Type	Normally Open
Mounting Type	PCB Mount
Item Weight	0.06 ounces (board only)

8. WARRANTY AND SUPPORT

Specific warranty information for this product is not provided in the available documentation. For any technical support, detailed pinout diagrams, or code examples beyond the basic hardware testing code, please contact the eletechsup seller directly through your purchase platform. They can provide further assistance and resources for your specific application needs.

