

# Interfacing RFID Module with FireBird V

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- ✓ RFID tags are an improvement over bar codes because the tags have read and write capabilities. Data stored on RFID tags can be changed, updated and locked.

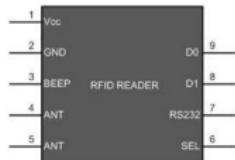


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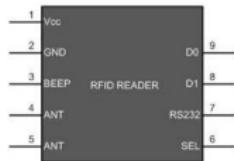


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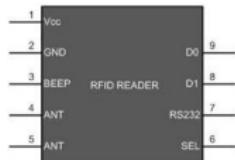
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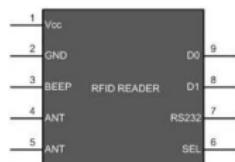
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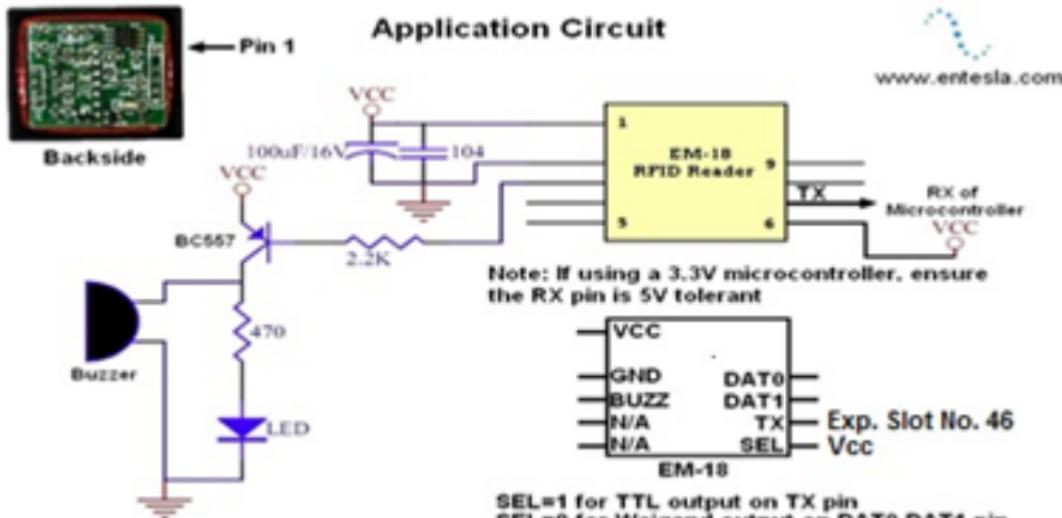
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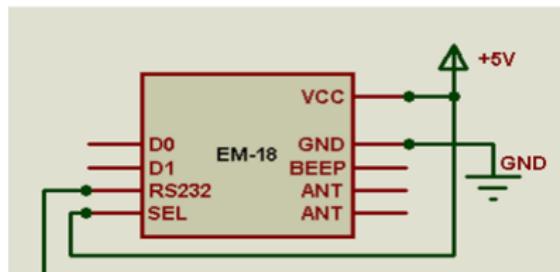
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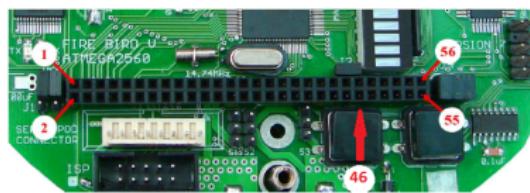
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To RX pin of MCU i.e., Pin 46  
on expansion slot



Expansion Header on Microcontroller Board



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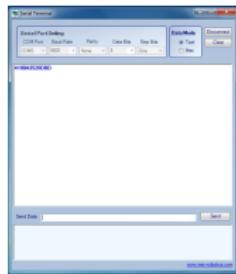
# USB to Serial Converter



- ① The figure shows the USB to Serial converter
- ② The figure shows the connections to be made for serial transmission
- ③ connect the common ground - pin of the converter
- ④ VCC Pin of the Converter need not be connected
- ⑤ The RS232 output pin is connected to RX pin of the Converter



# Serial terminal



- ① 1. Open the serial terminal software
- ② 2. Set the COM port for the device
- ③ 3. Set the baud rate to 9600
- ④ 4. Set the number of start bits, stop bits and parity bits
- ⑤ 5. Change the Data mode to Text



# Sample output on LCD screen of FBV



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