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# Danfoss Smart Building Design

## NovoCon Intelligent Actuator for Pressure Independent Control Valves



# Four products-in-one for Building Intelligence

## Actuator

NovoCon® digital adjustment of AB-QM valve flow rate

## Flow & Energy Monitor

NovoCon® indicates flow rate and energy consumed per room

## Bus communication device

NovoCon® enables status and alarms and flow control including peripheral I/O via Fieldbus BACnet or Modbus

## Data portal

NovoCon® provides building information for fault finding, predictive maintenance and trending and optimisation



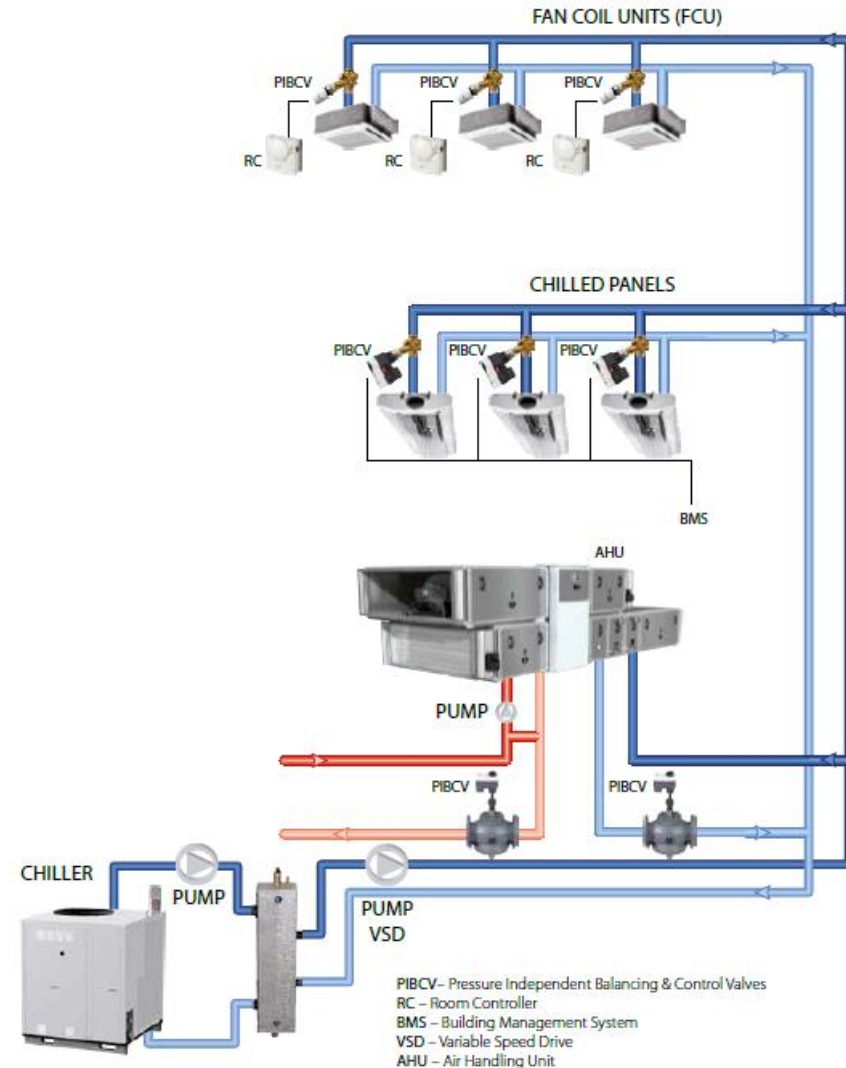
Superior hydronic performance of Danfoss AB-QM PICV combined with automation functionality and BMS connectivity

# Danfoss HVAC Smart Building Design PICV and NovoCon Versatility



Where would we use a PICV and NovoCon?  
Anywhere where a 2-port control valve is used:

- AHU
  - FCU
  - Heater batteries
  - Overdoor heaters
  - Large radiant panels
  - Heat exchanger
  - Calorifier
  - Trench Heating
  - Chillers
  - Chilled Beams
- Balance the whole system to maximise energy efficiency
- DN10-DN32HF NovoCon S
  - DN40-DN100 NovoCon M
  - DN125-DN250 NovoCon L/XL



\*Recommended - correct engineering, high efficiency

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# Traditional Method of Installation and Commissioning V New NovoCon Digital Installation

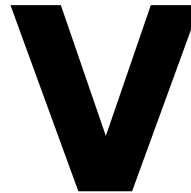
### Traditional Method:

- Install PICV
  - Pressure test the system
  - Fill and flush the system
  - Remove any air in the system
  - Set the flow rate on the valve
  - **Install the actuator**
  - Close the ceiling
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- Ceiling closing time is crucial to completing the installation

### Return Visits:

- Removal of air
- Further system flushing
- Seasonal commissioning

This requires physical access to the building



### NovoCon Method:

- Install PICV + NovoCon
- Close the ceiling

### -Via the BMS

- remote flow setting
- remote flow indication
- remote flush and de-airing
- remote failure detection



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### **NovoCon S Remote I/O**

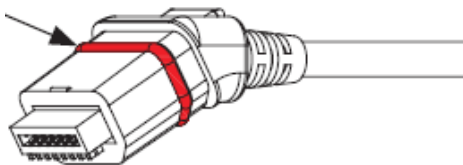
- Lower cost of building automation by reducing nr. of room controllers
- Increase energy efficiency with Novocon high accuracy
- Accessory:
  - Remote I/O cable fitting to middle port (7 wires, 1.5m)
  - Junction box (non-Danfoss)
  - Sensors or other field devices (non-Danfoss)

#### NovoCon® I/O cable



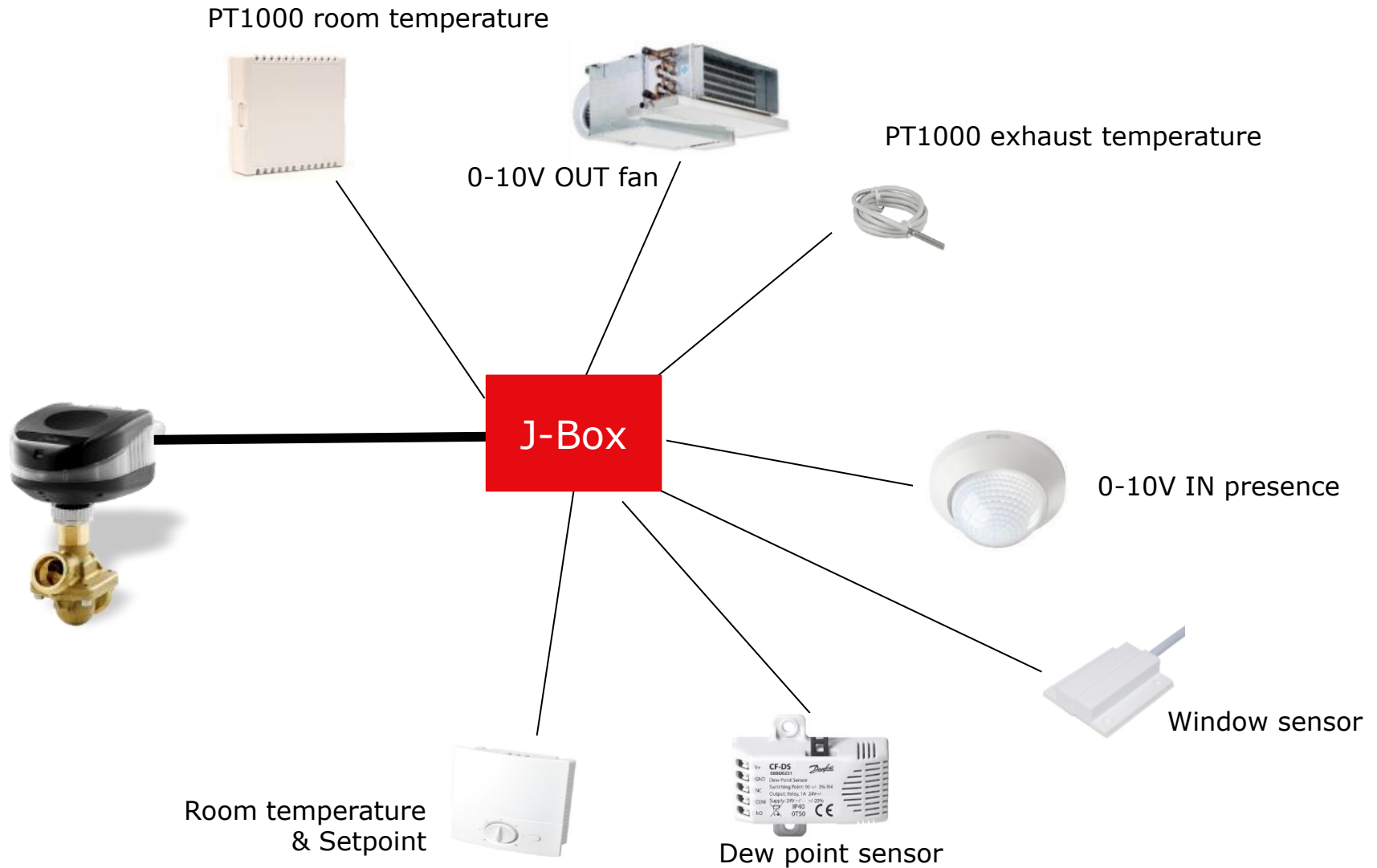
#### Available I/O:

- T1 (1-10 k $\Omega$  resistance input)
- T2 (1-10 k $\Omega$  resistance input)
- 0-10V in
- 0-10V out
- 24V power supply



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## NovoCon S Remote I/O



## Danfoss HVAC Smart Building Design Energy Indication

HVAC accounts for 34%  
of energy used on site and 31%  
of primary energy use

**34%** 

### Save Energy, Save Money

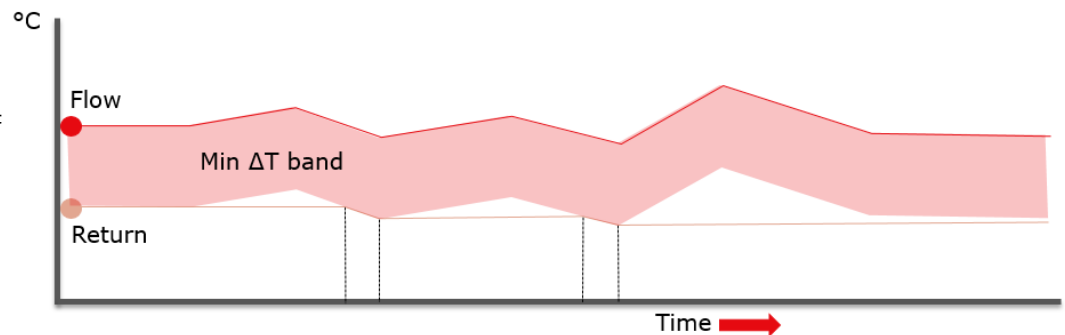
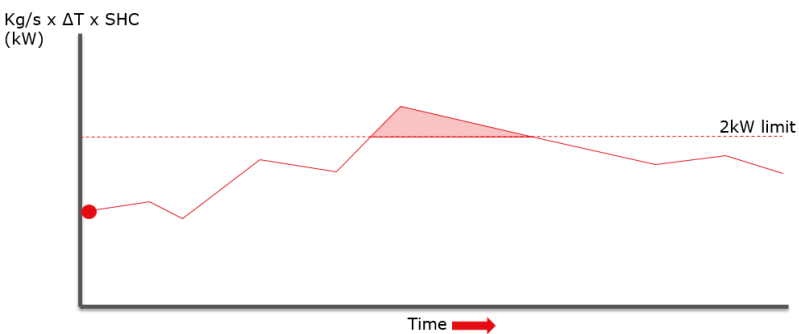
- Energy allocation on terminal units
- Energy monitoring & optimization
- Continuous commissioning



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## Energy Savings

- **Power Limitation Setup** - NovoCon will override the DDC control signal when the calculated power exceeds the user defined limit and the valve will begin to close
- **Minimum  $\Delta T$  Manager** - NovoCon overrides the DDC control signal and maintains a minimum temperature difference between the flow and return temperatures by closing the valve when the user defined minimum is not achieved.
- **Set  $\Delta T$  Control** - NovoCon overrides the DDC control signal and maintains a constant temperature difference between the flow and return temperatures by opening and closing the valve when the user defined  $\Delta T$  is exceeded or not achieved.

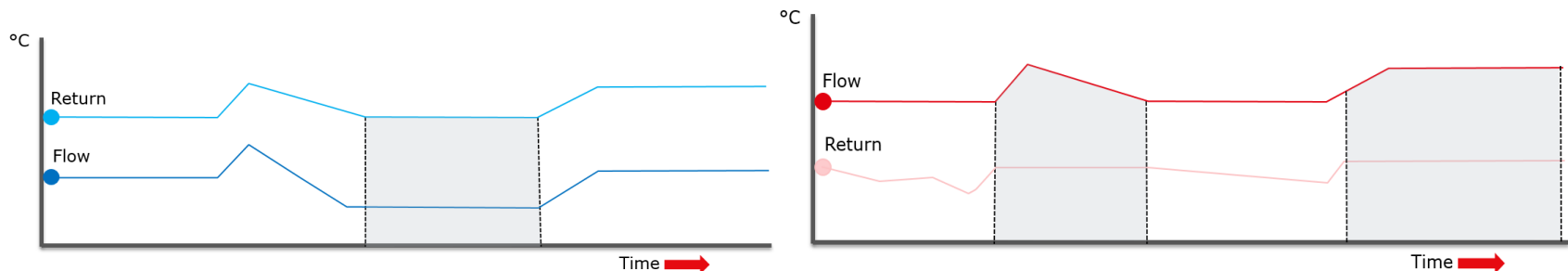




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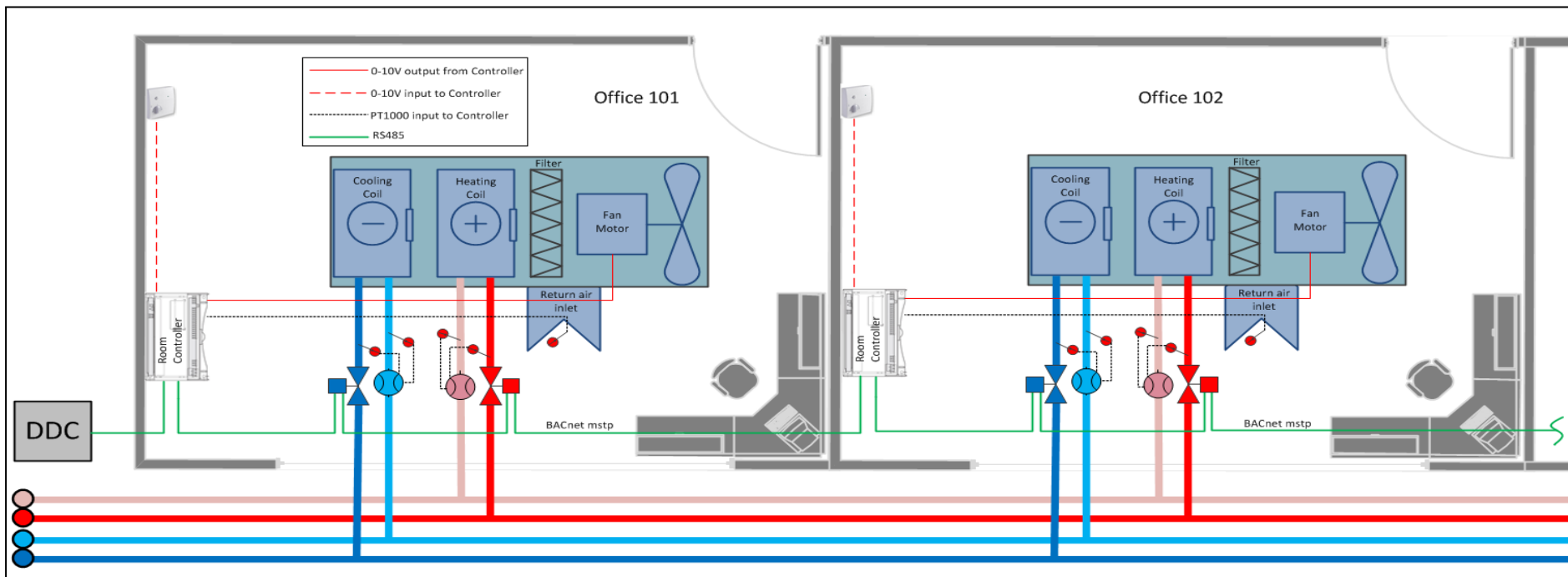
### Energy Savings

- **Minimum Return Temperature Management** - This function will mainly be used for a Cooling application where the return temperature is higher than the flow temperature.
- **Maximum Return Temperature Management** - This function will mainly be used for a Heating application where the return temperature is lower than the flow temperature.
- **Set Return Temperature Control** - NovoCon overrides the DDC control signal and maintains a constant return temperature by opening and closing the valve when the user defined Return T is exceeded or not achieved.
- **Control Loop Setup** - NovoCon has a simple control loop built in which allows simple stand alone control of e.g. a FCU that is controlling the room temperature.



# NovoCon IO Application Topology

## IO & Energy Application Example

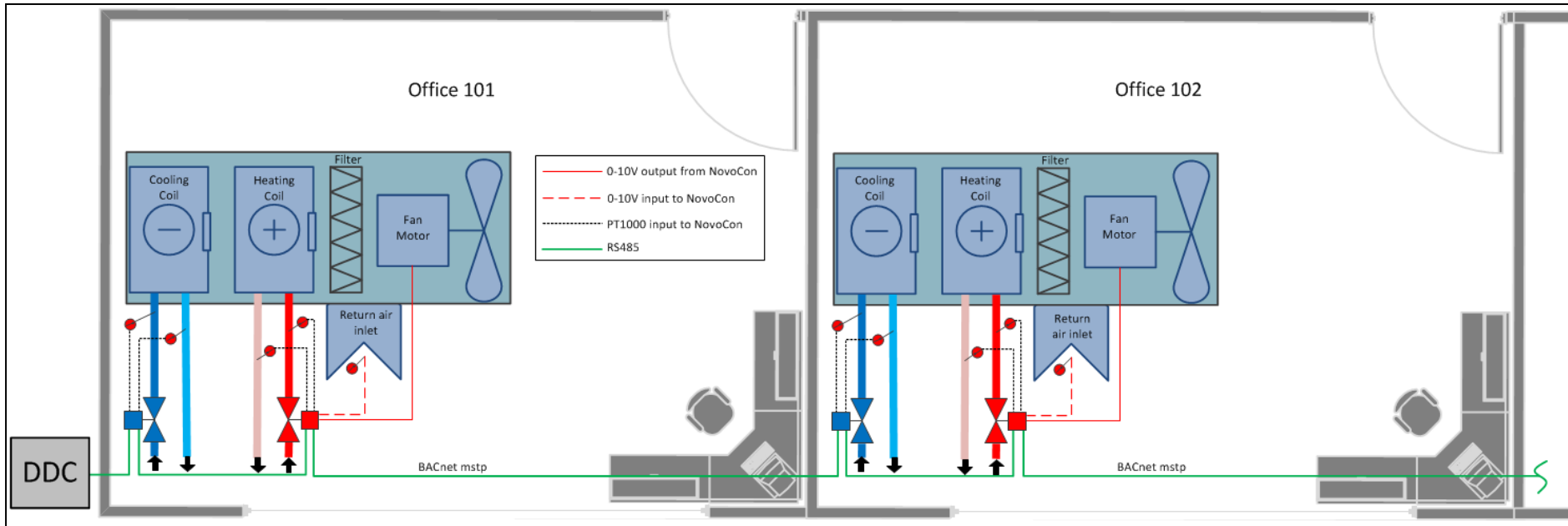


### Traditional Solution:

DDC, Room Controller, 2 bus MID flowmeter actuators, 2 x PIBCV, Return air temperature, Set-point adjuster, 0-10V fan control

# NovoCon IO Application Topology

## IO & Energy Application Example



### NovoCon IO and Energy Solution per room:

2 x NovoCon, 2 x PIBCV, 0-10V Return air temperature, 0-10V fan control, Cooling pipe temperature sensors, Heating pipe temperature sensors

# Danfoss HVAC Smart Building Design Seamless BMS integration

- Auto MAC addressing & Auto baud rate – time saving
- BACnet & Modbus in single product – ease of use
- Daisy chaining & plug in cables – time and cost saving
- Energy Indication- energy saving, energy proportioning
- Remote I/O – lower BA cost
- Comm tool – easy, quick, cost effective commissioning
- Remote fault finding by unique alarm system

