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Safety Information



Important Information

NOTICE

Read these instructions carefully, and look at the equipment to become familiar with the device before trying to install, operate, or maintain it. The following special messages may appear throughout this documentation or on the equipment to warn of potential hazards or to call attention to information that clarifies or simplifies a procedure.



The addition of this symbol to a Danger or Warning safety label indicates that an electrical hazard exists, which will result in personal injury if the instructions are not followed.



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A DANGER

DANGER indicates an imminently hazardous situation, which, if not avoided, will result in death or serious injury.

A WARNING

WARNING indicates a potentially hazardous situation, which, if not avoided, **can result** in death, serious injury, or equipment damage.

A CAUTION

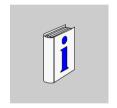
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About the Book



At a Glance

Document Scope

This manual describes how to use Ositrack compact stations and associated accessories..

Related Documents

Title of Documentation	Reference Number
User Guide: Splitter box, Ethernet Modbus TCP/IP	1655668 01
User Guide: Hand-held terminal	1706482 01

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General

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Presentation

Aim of this Chapter

This chapter presents the Ositrack compact stations and the associated range of equipment.

What's in this Chapter?

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System Presentation

Definition of RFID

RFID is the use of radio transmission to identify and locate objects.

An RFID system is based on three main components:

- A reader (Read/Write station)
- A radio antenna
- An electronic tag

Operation of an RFID System

The tag is fixed on, or in, the object to be tracked or identified. There is no contact with the reader. This means that the tag can be placed inside objects (boxes, bags, etc) and that the reader can be positioned behind a protective screen, as long as the materials are not metallic

When a tag enters the field generated by the reader, it detects the signal and exchanges the data (read or write) between its memory and the reader.

Presentation of the Ositrack Offer

Ositrack is an RFID system offering:

- Traceability and tracking of items
- Flexibility of production systems
- Various types of access control

An open system:

- System compatible with tags that comply with standards ISO 14 443 and ISO 15 693
- Modbus, Modbus TCP/IP and Uni-Telway protocols.

A simple system:

- No station programming
- Data formatted in accordance with PLC standards (16-bit words)
- Automatic configuration of communication parameters (speed, format, etc)
- Quick wiring using M12 connectors
- Extensive range of cables and fixing accessories
- · Possibility of using metal supports

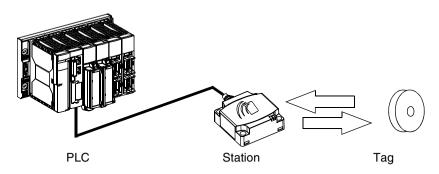
Integrated system:

- Reader, radio antenna and network functions in the same unit
- The smallest industrial RFID reader

Exchange Principle

Presentation

The compact station is used to send information from the tag to the PLC and vice versa, as described below:



Phases in the Process

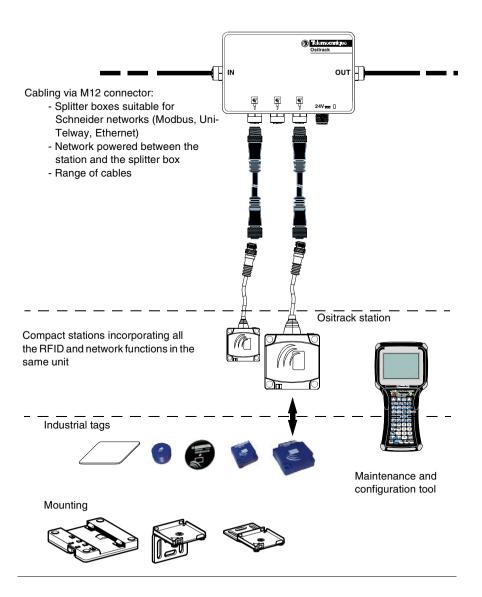
The following table shows the various exchange phases:

Phase	Exchanges			
	PLC	Station	Station	Tag
1			Look for a tag in the	e dialog zone
2			Positive	response
3	Send a read/write command	-		
4			Execution of the cor	mmand (with checks)
5	Send back report			

Notes:

1	If phase 3 is carried out with no tag present, an error message is sent back to the PLC.
2	If an error is detected in phase 4, this phase is automatically restarted (up to 3 times). If an error is still detected at the end of phase 4, an error report is sent back in phase 5.

Equipment in the Ositrack Range



Installing the system

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Presentation

Aim of this Chapter

This chapter describes the procedure for installing compact stations.

What's in this Chapter?

This chapter contains the following topics:

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Defining the System Environment

Station Characteristics

The following table gives the technical characteristics of the compact stations:

Type of station	1	XGC S4901201 - C format	XGC S8901201 - D format			
Temperature Operation		-25+55°C (-13+131°F)				
Storage		-40+85°C (-40+185°F)				
Degree of prote	ction	IP67 according to IEC60529				
Vibration resistance EN 60068.2.27 EN 60068.2.6		2 mm (0.078 in) from 5 to 29.5 Hz/7 g (7 gn) from 29.5 to 150 Hz 30 g (30 gn) / 11 ms				
Resistance to m	nechanical shocks	IK02 according to EN 50102				
Standards/Certi	fications	UL 508, CE, EN 300330, EN 301489-01/0	03, FCC Part 15			
Immunity to disturbance		Immunity to electrostatic discharges, radiated electromagnetic fields, fast transients, electrical surges, conducted and induced interference and power frequency magnetic field according to IEC61000.				
Unit dimensions	3	40x40x15 mm (1.57x1.57x0.59 in)	80x80x26 mm (3.15x3.15x1.02 in)			
RFID frequency		13.56 MHz				
Type of associa	ited tag	Standardized ISO 15693 and ISO 14443 tags.				
Nominal range (depending on associated tag)		1870 mm (0.702.75 in)	20100 mm (0.783.94 in)			
Nominal power	supply	24 V PELV				
Power supply v	oltage limits	19.229 V including ripple				
Power consump	otion	< 60 mA				
Serial link	Туре	RS485				
Protocol		Modbus RTU / Uni-Telway (Uni-Telway from version V3.8)				
	Speed	9600115,200 Bauds: Automatic detection				
Display		1 bi-color LED for network communication and 1 bi-color LED for RFID communication (Tag present, Station/tag dialog)				
Connection		One shielded 5-way male M12 connector for connection to the communication network and power supply				
Tightening torque for the fixing screws		< 1 Nm (8.85 lbf-in)	< 3 Nm (26.55 lbf-in)			

These RFID compact stations complies with part 15 of the FCC Rules.

Operation is subject to the following two conditions:

- (1) These devices may not cause harmful interference, and
- (2) these devices must accept any interference received, including interference that may cause undesired operation.

References:

	XGC S4901201	XGC S8901201
FCC ID	TW6XGCS4	TW6XGCS8
IC info	7002B-XGCS4	7002B-XGCS8

Changes or modifications not expressly approved by the party responsible for compliance could void the user's authority to operate the equipment.

Note:

The manufacturer is not responsible for any radio or TV interference caused by unauthorized modifications to this equipment. Such modifications could void the user's authority to operate the equipment.

Tag The following table gives the technical characteristics of the tags: **Characteristics**

Type of tag			XGH B445345	XGH B444345	XGH B320345	XGH B221346	XGH B211345	XGH B90E340	
Temperature Operation			-	-25+70 °C (-13+158°F)					
	Storage		-40+85 °(-40+18	-				-40+55 °C (-40+131°F)	
Degree of pro	tection		IP68		IP65	IP68		IP65	
Standards sup	ported		ISO 14443	3	ISO 15693	*			
Vibration resis EN 60068.2.2 EN 60068.2.6	7		`	<i>178 in)</i> from 1n) / 11 ms	5 to 29.5 Hz / 7	g <i>(7 gn)</i> from 2	9.5 to 150 H	łz	
Resistance to	mechani	cal shocks	IK02 acco	rding to EN	I 50102				
Dimensions		40x40x15 mm (1.57x1.57x0.59 in)		Ø 30x3 mm (1.18x0.12 in)	26x26x13 mm (1.02x1.02x 0.51 in)	Ø 18 mm (0.70 in)	58x85.5x1 mm (2.28x3.34x 0.039 in)		
Casing materials			PBT+PC		PC	PBT+PC		PVC	
Mounting method			Screw or o	olip	Screw	Screw or clip	Threaded hole	-	
Tightening torque for the fixing screws			< 1 Nm (8.85 lbf-in)				-	-	
Memory capa	city (byte	s)	13,632	3,408	112	256	256	256	
Type of memo	ory		EEPROM						
Type of opera	tion		Read/Write						
Type of assoc	iated sta	tion	XGC S•						
Nominal range	Read/ Write	XGC S4	30 mm (1.18 in)	33 mm (1.30 in)	48 mm (1.89 in)	40 mm (1.57 in)	18 mm (0.70 in)	70 mm (2.75 in)	
		XGC S8	40 mm (1.57 in)	48 mm (1.89 in)	65 mm (2.56 in)	55 mm (2.16 in)	20 mm (0.78 in)	100 mm (3.94 in)	
Number of read cycles			Unlimited						
Number of write cycles			100,000 guaranteed across the whole temperature range						
Number of wri	te cycles	at 30°C	Typically 2.5 million						
Read time			SeeRead/Write Time, p. 47						
Write time			SeeRead/Write Time, p. 47						
Retention peri	iod		10 years						

Splitter Box Characteristics

The splitter box TCS AMT31FP is used to connect 1 to 3 XGCS compact stations to an RS485 network, ensuring distribution of the power supply.

Data is exchanged with the Ositrack stations using the Modbus protocol.

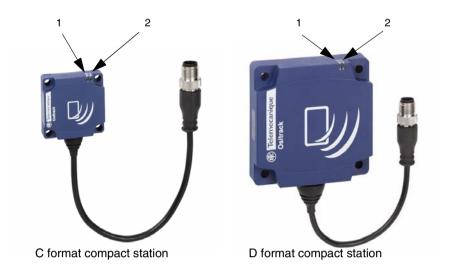
The following table gives the technical characteristics of the TCS AMT31FP splitter box:

Characteristics	
Storage temperature	-40+85°C (-40+185°F)
Operating temperature	-25+55°C (-13+131°F)
Degree of protection	IP65
Power supply	24 V PELV (19.229 V including ripple)
Stations	5-way female M12 connector
Conformity to standards	CE
LED indicators	Power supply (green)

The XGS Z33ETH splitter box performs the same functions using the Modbus TCP/IP protocol. For further information, see manual reference 165566801.

Setting up the Station

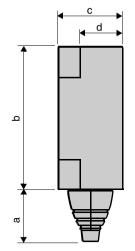
Presentation of the Stations

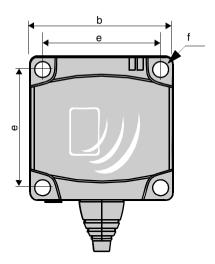


Item no.	Description
1	TAG: LED relating to the tags
2	COM: LED relating to communication

For further information on the operation of the LEDs, see *Diagnostics*, p. 85.

Station Dimensions





Dimensions in mm (inches):

	а	b	С	d	е	f
XGC S4 C format	14 (0.55)	40 (1.57)	15 (0.59)	9.8 (0.38)	33 (1.3)	4.5 (0.17)
XGC S8 D format	14 (0.55)	80 (3.15)	26 (1.02)	16 (0.63)	65 (2.56)	5.5 (0.21)

Distances Between Stations

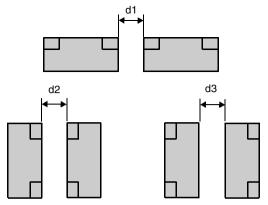
A CAUTION

UNINTENDED OPERATION

Follow the installation instructions below relating to distances between 2 stations. When two stations are too close to one another, there is a risk of mutual disturbance.

Failure to follow this instruction can result in injury or equipment damage.

Distances between two identical stations according to the tags used:

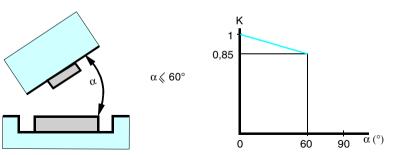


Distances in mm (inches):

Tag	XGC S4 - C format			XGC S8 - D format		
	d1	d2	d3	d1	d2	d3
XGH B90E340	310 (12.20)	550 (21.65)	120 (4.72)	430 (16.92)	750 <i>(29.52)</i>	280 (11.02)
XGH B221346	200 (7.87)	320 (12.59)	100 (3.93)	280 (11.02)	530 (20.86)	260 (10.23)
XGH B320345	140 (5.51)	360 (14.17)	110 (4.33)	310 (12.20)	540 (21.25)	240 (9.44)
XGH B211345	210 (8.26)	180 (7.08)	60 (2.36)	200 (7.87)	370 (14.56)	170 (6.69)
XGH B444345	90 (3.54)	190 (7.48)	30 (1.18)	310 (12.20)	400 (15.74)	160 <i>(6.29)</i>
XGH B445345	110 (4.33)	170 (6.69)	30 (1.18)	310 (12.20)	380 (14.96)	160 (6.29)

Angular Positioning

The angle between the station and the tag modifies the dialog distance according to the graph below:

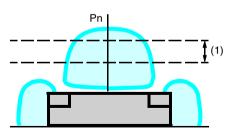


K = correction factor to be applied to the nominal range.

Reading distance = nominal range x K.

Sensing Zones

The dialog zones of the compact stations are circular. There is no recommended direction for the movement of the tag. The following diagram shows the dialog zones of the compact stations:



(1) Recommended movement zone: between 0.4 and 0.8 Pn.

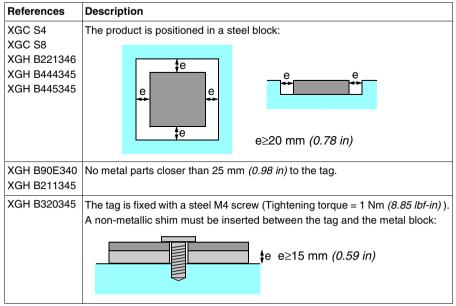
Note: Nominal range (Pn)

Conventional range, which does not take dispersions (manufacturing, temperature, voltage, mounting in metal) into account.

Mounting in metal

The presence of metal close to tags and stations affects the nominal range (Read/ Write distance).

The following table gives the minimum permissible mounting positions in a metal block:



The following table shows the effect on the nominal range when the station and the tag are mounted in metal in accordance with the most unfavorable cases given above:

Reference	Memory	Memory Dimensions		ge with metal	Nominal range	
	size		XGC S4	XGC S8	XGC S4	XGC S8
XGH B90E340	256 bytes	Badge 85x58x0.8 mm (3.35x2.28x0.03 in)	58 mm (2.28 in)	80 mm (3.15 in)	70 mm (2.75 in)	100 mm (3.94 in)
XGH B221346	256 bytes	26x26x13 mm (1.02x1.02x0.51 in)	30 mm (1.18 in)	33 mm (1.29 in)	40 mm (1.57 in)	55 mm (2.16 in)
XGH B320345	112 bytes	Ø 30x3 mm (1.18x0.12 in)	45 mm (1.77 in)	56 mm (2.20 in)	48 mm (1.89 in)	65 mm (2.56 in)
XGH B211345	256 bytes	Ø 18x12 mm (0.70x0.47 in)	16 mm (0.62 in)	15 mm (0.59 in)	18 mm (0.70 in)	20 mm (0.78 in)
XGH B444345	3.3 Kb	40x40x15 mm (1.57x1.57x0.59 in)	28 mm (1.10 in)	34 mm (1.33 in)	33 mm (1.30 in)	48 mm (1.89 in)
XGH B445345	13.3 Kb	40x40x15 mm (1.57x1.57x0.59 in)	24 mm (0.94 in)	28 mm (1.10 in)	30 mm (1.18 in)	40 mm (1.57 in)

Distances Between Tags

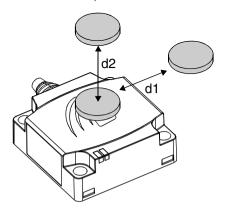
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Minimum distances in mm (inches):

Tag	XGC S4 - C format		XGC S8 - D form	at
	d1	d2	d1	d2
XGH B90E340	35 (1.37)	60 (2.36)	110 (4.33)	140 (5.51)
XGH B221346	50 (1.96)	10 (0.39)	120 (4.72)	50 (1.96)
XGH B320345	70 (2.75)	50 (1.96)	190 (7.48)	60 (2.36)
XGH B211345	40 (1.57)	10 (0.39)	120 (4.72)	20 (0.78)
XGH B444345	20 (0.78)	10 (0.39)	70 (2.75)	40 (1.57)
XGH B445345	10 (0.39)	10 (0.39)	60 (2.36)	10 (0.39)

Electromagnetics Disturbances

A CAUTION

UNINTENDED OPERATION

Do not install one station less than 300 millimeters (12 in) away from any product likely to generate electromagnetics disturbances (electric motor, solenoid valve...). The electromagnetics disturbances can stop the dialog between the Ositrack station and one tag.

Failure to follow this instruction can result in injury or equipment damage.

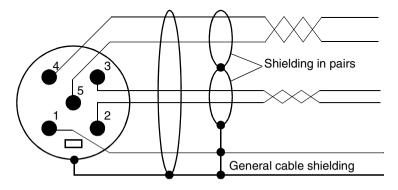
Connecting the Station

Connector Wiring

The stations are equipped with a single male M12 A-coded connector for the power supply and communication bus.

The communication bus wires are shielded separately from the power supply cables, to avoid interference carried by the power supply causing disturbance on the communication wires

Station M12 connector pinout:



Male M12 connector

Compact station

Pin no.	Signal	Description
1	Drain (SHLD)	Cable shielding
2	24 V	Station power supply *
3	0 V	0 V
4	D0	RS 485
5	D1	RS 485
Connector casing	Shielding	Cable shielding

^{*:} Use a PELV power supply and fused protection (1 A). The power supply used must be class II according to VDE 0106 (eg: Phaseo ABL 7/8 range from Telemecanique) and the 0V must be grounded.

Range of Accessories

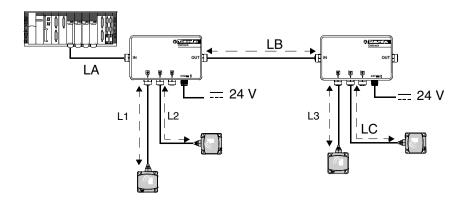
The TCS AMT31FP splitter box and the TCS Modbus/Uni-Telway cables supply power to the XGCS stations and enable their quick, easy connection to the Modbus network

network.		
	Description	Reference
(F) Telemoconique Ositrack	Splitter box for connecting up to three XGCS stations: Modbus/Uni-Telway	TCS AMT31FP
@ @ @ 24Vmm :	Modbus Ethernet TCP/IP (see manual 1655668 01)	XGS Z33ETH
	Shielded cable, 5-way male/female M12 coding A, for Modbus/Uni-Telway RS485 connection between one TCS AMT31FP splitter box and an XGCS station (or to another splitter box).	TCS MCN1M1F1 (1 m/3.28 ft) TCS MCN1M1F2 (2 m/6.56 ft) TCS MCN1M1F5 (5 m/16.4 ft) TCS MCN1M1F10 (10 m/32.8 ft)
	Shielded cable, 5-way female M12 coding A/flying leads, for Modbus/Uni-Telway RS485 connection between one TCS AMT31FP splitter box and one TSX SCA50 connector.	TCS MCN1F2 (2 m/6.56 ft) TCS MCN1F5 (5 m/16.4 ft) TCS MCN1M1F10 (10 m/32.8 ft)
	Cable, 4-way female M12 coding A/flying leads, for the splitter box power supply.	XGS Z08L2 (2 m/6.56 ft) XGS Z08L5 (5 m/16.4 ft) XGS Z08L10 (10 m/32.8 ft)
	Shielded cable, 5-way female M12 coding A/Mini-DIN, for connecting TCS AMT31FP splitter boxes to a Telemecanique PLC.	TCS MCN1F9M2P (2 m)
	Shielded cable, 5-way female M12 coding A/15-way SUB-D, for connecting TCS AMT31FP splitter boxes to a TSX SCA62 connector.	TCS MCN1FQM2 (2 m/6.56 ft)
	Shielded 5-way M12 coding A connectors with screw terminals	FTX CN12F5 (female) FTX CN12M5 (male)
	Tee, 5-way female M12/5-way female M12 + 5-way male M12 coding A	TCS CTN011M11F
	120Ω line terminator, M12 male coding A. For Modbus and CANopen only, unusable on Uni-Telway	FTXCNTL12

Wiring a Modbus/Uni-Telway Network

Network

Example of a Modbus/Uni-Telway network assembly:



Cable Sizes

The cables used for this assembly must comply with the rules for the maximum lengths of buses and tap-offs.

Maximum Bus Length

With Ositrack Compect stations, the maximum length of the bus (LA + LB + LC) depends on the network speed and the protocol :

Network	Network speed	Maximum length of the bus with Ositrack Compect stations
Modbus	9600 Bauds	1000 m (3280.83 ft)
	19200 Bauds	500 m (1640.41 ft)
Uni-Telway	9600 Bauds	500 m (1640.41 ft)
	19200 Bauds	250 m (820.21 ft)

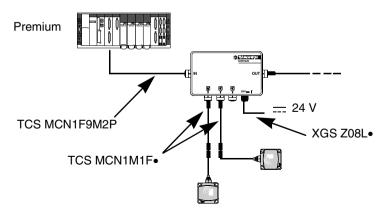
- On modbus, for lengths of more than 100 m (328.083 ft), it is recommended that a line terminator is added at the ends of the network (end of segment LC in the example).
- On Uni-Telway, and for the lengths above, it's not necessary to add a line terminator at the ends of the network. Never use FTX CNTL12 line terminator.

Maximum Tap-Off Length

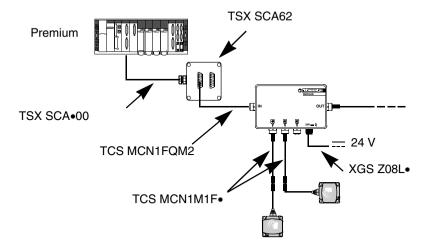
The maximum tap-off (L1, L2 and L3) length is 10 meters (32.8 ft).

Connection to a Telemecanique PLC using Modbus/Uni-Telway

Direct connection:



Connection via a TSX SCA62:

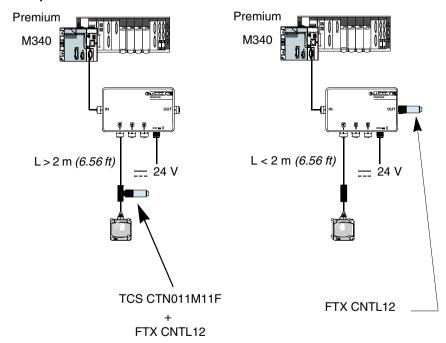


Connection of Line Terminators on Modbus

Using long network cables can generate signal distortion. The installation of line terminators corrects these distortions.

A line terminator near the station (M12 tee) may be necessary, depending on the quality of the cables and the EMC environment.

Examples:

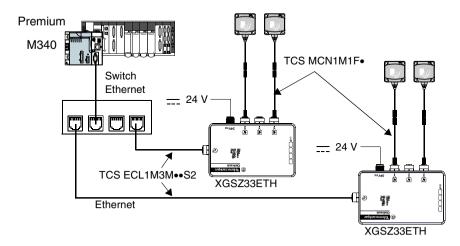


The line terminator can be positioned differently depending on the distance between the station and the splitter box.

Wiring an Ethernet Modbus TCP/IP network

Connection Diagram

Example of a Modbus Ethernet TCP/IP network setup with splitter box XGS Z33ETH:



The default transmission speed of the Ethernet splitter box (XGS Z33ETH) is 57600 bauds. This speed allows a total bus length of 160 m (524.93 ft) between the splitter box and the stations.

Example:

- 3 x 50 meters (164.04 ft) for 3 stations
- 2 x 80 meters (262.46 ft) for 2 stations

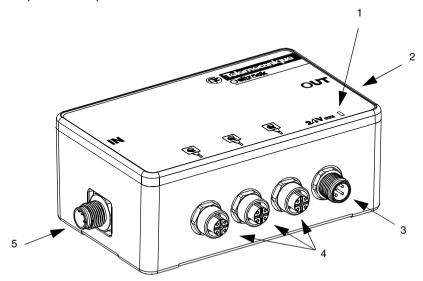
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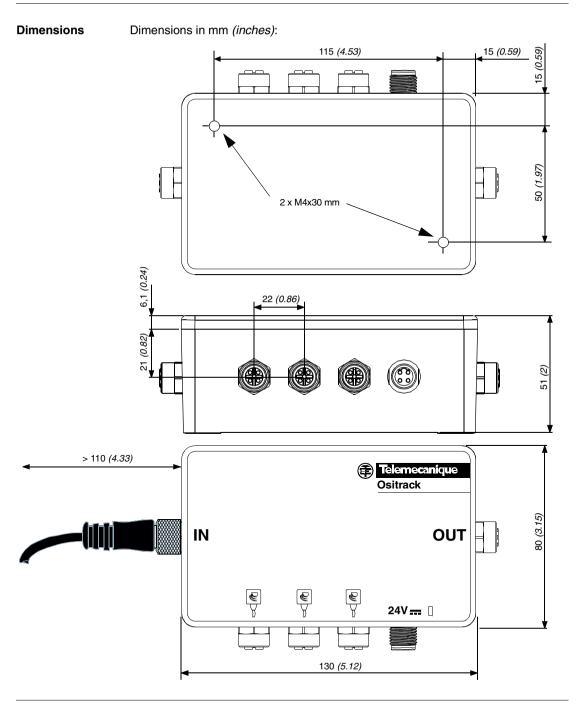
Connecting the TCS AMT31FP splitter box

Description

Description of the splitter box:



No.	Description
1	Green LED indicating voltage present
2	Sub-base to another splitter box (Network OUT)
3	24 V power supply sub-base
4	3 Ositrack compact station sub-bases
5	Sub-base to a PLC or another splitter box (Network IN)



Sub-Base to Station Wiring

Pinout of the female M12 coding A sub-base (station link):

Diagram	Pin no.	Signal	Description
	1	Drain (SHLD)	Cable shielding
1 2	2	24 V	Station power supply
((0 0 0)) \ 3	0 V/ GND	0 V
((50)) 4	D0	RS 485
4 3	5	D1	RS 485
	Connector casing	Shielding	Cable shielding

Sub-Base to Power Supply Wiring

Pinout of the male M12 coding A sub-base (power supply):

Diagram	Pin no.	Signal	Description
	1	24 V	Power supply +
2 1	2	=== 24 V	Power supply +
((• •))	3	0 V	Power supply -
3 4	4	0 V	Power supply -

Wiring for Sub-Base to Another Splitter Box

Pinout of the female M12 coding A sub-base (Network OUT):

Diagram	Pin no.	Signal	Description
	1	Drain (SHLD)	Cable shielding
1 2	2	-	Reserved
// 0 0 0 \\	3	0 V / GND	0 V
((50))	4	D0	RS 485
4 3	5	D1	RS 485
	Connector casing	Shielding	Cable shielding

Sub-base to PLC Wiring

Pinout of the male M12 coding A sub-base (Network IN):

Diagram	Pin no.	Signal	Description
	1	Drain (SHLD)	Cable shielding
$\frac{1}{2}$	2	-	Reserved
	3	0 V / GND	0 V
((5 ●))	4	D0	RS 485
3 4	5	D1	RS 485
	Connector casing	Shielding	Cable shielding

Connection Recommendations

Connection recommendations for TCSMCN1F• cables:



Connection:

Diagram	Pin no.	Signal	Description	Color of wire
1 2 0 0 50 0 4 3	1	Drain (SHLD)	Cable shielding	-
	2	24 V	Station power supply	Red
	3	0 V / GND	0 V	Black
	4	D0	RS 485	White
	5	D1	RS 485	Blue
	Connector casing	Shielding	Cable shielding	-

Setting the System Parameters

3

Presentation

Aim of this Chapter

This chapter describes the station parameter settings for network communication with the control system.

What's in this Chapter?

This chapter contains the following topics:

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Setting the Station Parameters

General

Each time the station is powered up, it automatically detects the format and network speed.

The stations are supplied configured at network address 1 with a transmission speed of 19200 Bauds.

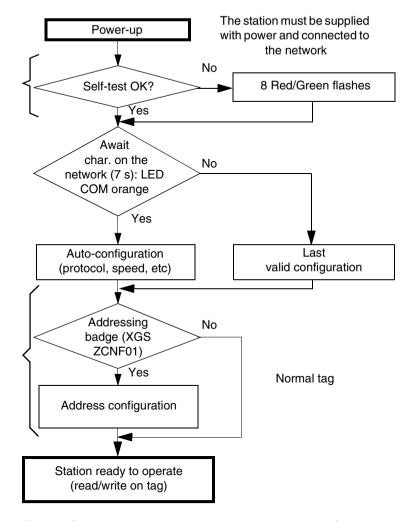
Before use, it is essential to configure the network address of each station. Stations can be addressed in two ways:

- Either using the XGS ZCNF01 configuration badge (supplied with the station)
- Or via the network (Modbus or Uni-Telway write command).

Station Initialization

The station start-up cycle is as follows:

SeeResult of the Self-Test. p. 86

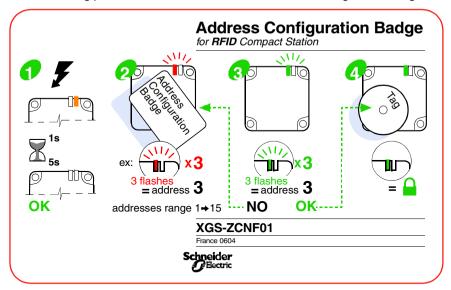


SeeAddress Configuration via the XGS ZCNF01 Badge, p. 38

At all times, if the station does not recognize three successive frames, it returns to Auto-configuration mode.

Advice: Launch a reading loop of the station status word to allow the autoconfiguration of the station. As soon as the station answers, it is ready to operate.

Address Configuration via the XGS ZCNF01 Badge The addressing procedure is described on the back of the configuration badge:



Configuring the station network address:

Step	Action	Result
0	Power up the Station Wait for 5 seconds	Station self-test
2	Place the configuration badge in front of the station. Count the number of flashes.	The TAG LED flashes red. Each red flash emitted corresponds to one increment of the network address.
3	Remove the configuration badge when the required network address is reached.	The TAG LED flashes green. The number of green flashes emitted corresponds to the network address that has just been configured. It is then possible to restart the configuration at step 2.
4	Place a "normal" (XGHB) tag in front of the station.	The configured network address is confirmed and saved in the station.

Note: The network address range is from 1 to 15.

Addressing via the Network

The station address can be modified using a standard word write request (see *Station Memory Zone, p. 43*).

The request will be sent to the known station address. The new address is immediately effective.

When the execution report has been sent, the TAG LED will emit as an echo a number of green flashes equivalent to the address that has just been configured.

Note: The network address range is from 1 to 15.

Setting the PLC Parameters

Electrical Characteristics

The network interface module supports 2-wire RS 485.

Communication Configuration for Modbus and Uni-Telway

The Modbus / Uni-Telway communication parameters that define the frame can be configured in various ways.

The Ositrack compact station parameters are defined so that they support the following values:

Parameter	Value							
	Modbus	Uni-Telway						
Mode	RTU	-						
Parity	Automatic detection (even, odd, no parity)	Odd						
Stop bit	1	1						
Data bit	8	8						
Data rate	Automatic detection (9600 115200 bauds)	Automatic detection (9600 19 200 bauds)						

WARNING

UNINTENDED OPERATION

Check that all the devices on the network are communicating using the appropriate parameters. A disparity between the parameters could result in unintended operation of the inputs, outputs and the other devices. The hardware configuration may cause unintended equipment operation.

Failure to follow this instruction can result in death, serious injury, or equipment damage.

Operating Principles

4

Presentation

Aim of this Chapter

This chapter describes the system operating principle based on memory zones.

What's in this Chapter?

This chapter contains the following topics:

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Memory Zones

Presentation

The addressing memory zone is divided into two zones:

- The tag memory zone
- The station memory zone

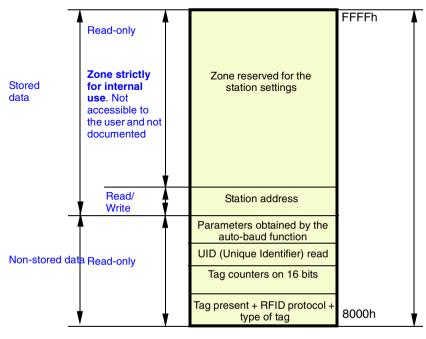
Definition of the word address zones used:

%MW65535		FFFFh
	Station	
	memory zone	
%MW32768		8000h
%MW32767		7FFFh
	Tag	
%MW0	memory zone	0000h
,5,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,		

Station Memory Zone

General Description

Definition of the word address zones used:



Type of access

Word addresses in hexadecimal format

System Zone

Modifications to values in this zone are taken into account by the station immediately.

Composition of the system zone:

Object no.	Description	Mode *
8000h	Tag family present/Tag system flags	R
8001h	Tag counter	R
8002h8009h	UID	R
8018h	Station address	R/W

^{*:} R = Read - W = Write

Object 8000h

Status:

MSB		LSB					
Tag family	y present	Tag system flags					
Indicates the tag family while it is		Updated	Updated in real time.				
present. R	eset when no longer present.						
Bit		Bit					
8	15693	0 (LSB)	Tag present				
9	Icode	1	Initial parameter-setting phase following				
			boot-up				
Α	14443A	2	Reserved				
В	14443B	3	Reserved				
С	Inside	4	Reserved				
D	Reserved	5	Configuration badge present				
E	Reserved	6 Reserved					
F (MSB)	Reserved	7	Reserved				

Object 8001h

Tag counter:

MSB	LSB
Incremented each time there is a new tag	. Reset at each time power-up.

Objects 8002h...8009h

UID:

MSB	LSB
Updated each time there is a new tag and ve	alid if tag present.

Each tag has a different unique code (UID). This code is spread over 16 bytes.

Object 8018h

Station address:

Read request:

Response to the read request:

MSB	LSB
0	Station address

Write request:

Write request:		Result
MSB LSB		
01E Station address		No action
1F	Station address	The new station address is immediately effective.

Tag Memory Zone

Automated Production Tag

These tags are addressed according to the table below and are accessible in Read/ Write mode.

The station can read any tag in the XGHB range (automatic detection of the tag type).

Type of tag	XGH B90E340		XGH B221346		XGH B320345		XGH B211345		XGH B444345		XGH B445345	
256 bytes		256 bytes		112 bytes		256 bytes		3408 bytes		13632 bytes		
Addresses	Dec.	Hex.	Dec.	Hex.	Dec.	Hex.	Dec.	Hex.	Dec.	Hex.	Dec.	Hex.
	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	to	to	to	to	to	to	to	to				
	127	7F	127	7F	55	37	127	7F	to	to		
	(1)	•	(1)	•	(1)	•	(1)	•			to	to
									1703	6A7		
									(2)			
											6815	1A9F
											(2)	•

(1): Reserved addresses

(2): Reject if higher address requested

A CAUTION

UNINTENDED OPERATION

Do not use XGH B445345 and XGH B444345 tags in the same application.

Once the station has automatically detected the XGH B445345 tag, it will no longer recognize the XGH B444345 tag.

Failure to follow this instruction can result in injury or equipment damage.

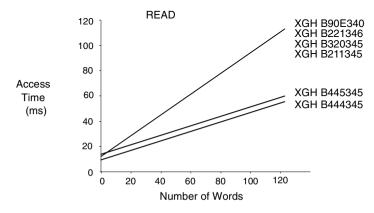
Read/Write Time The read/write times are calculated using the following formulas:

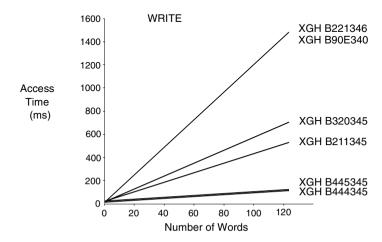
N: Number of words

The following table gives the read/write speeds:

Access time (ms)	XGH B90E340	XGH B221346	XGH B320345	XGH B211345	XGH B444345	XGH B445345
Read time	12+0.825xN	12+0.825xN	12+0.825xN	12+0.825xN	9.25+0.375xN	16.25+0.375xN
Write time	20+11.8xN	20+11.8xN	12+5.6xN	19+4.1xN	13+0.8xN	20+0.8xN

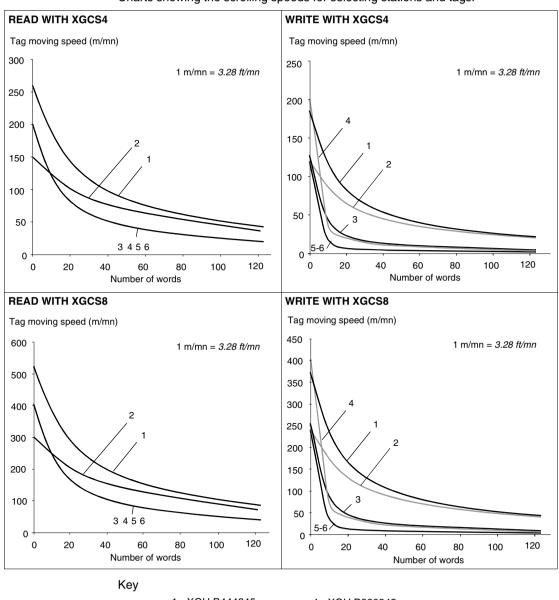
Charts showing the access times for selecting stations and tags:





Note: The access times given do not take the transfer times on the network into account.

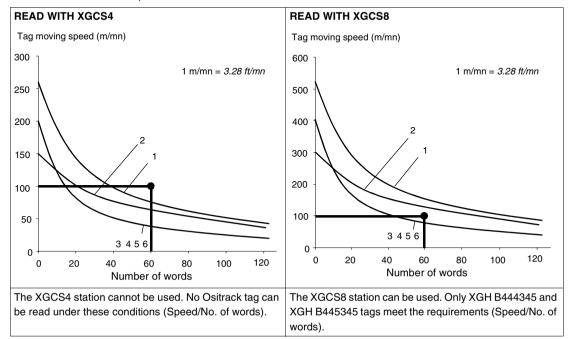
Charts showing the scrolling speeds for selecting stations and tags:



- 1 XGH B444345
- 2 XGH B445345
- 3 XGH B211345
- 4 XGH B320345
- 5 XGH B90E340
- 6 XGH B221346

Example of using the charts:

On an assembly line, the scrolling speed is 100 m/min (328 ft/mn). The application requires 60 words to be read.



Communicating with the Uni- Telway Protocol

5

Presentation

Aim of this Chapter

This chapter describes the Uni-Telway protocol communication principle (Only from version V3.8 of the station).

What's in this Chapter?

This chapter contains the following topics:

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General

General

In the Telemecanique communication architecture, all message exchanges are performed in point-to-point mode between two logical entities (client and server).

These logical entities must be identified by an address which is unique within the whole environment.

These addresses (sender address and destination address) are transmitted with each message.

Message structure:

SENDER ADDRESS DESTINATION ADDRESS MESSAGE

In the Telemecanique addressing system, based on the TSX7 PLC architecture, these addresses (sender and destination) are coded on 5 bytes:

- network number
- station number
- gate number
- module number
- channel number

The network number and station number bytes are used to identify the devices connected to the Uni-Telway network.

Exchange Principle

The UNI-TE requests supported by the Ositrack system enable the following operations:

- data exchanges with the tag in direct operating mode using standard requests:
 - WRITE OBJECTS
 - READ OBJECTS
 - WRITE WORD
 - READ WORD
 - INIT
- access to data specific to the system (product version, protocol version, communication quality, etc) using standard requests:
 - IDENTIFICATION
 - PROTOCOL VERSION
 - STATUS
 - MIRROR
 - READ COUNTERS
 - CLEAR COUNTERS

Note: The Ositrack compact stations does not accept more than one request at the same time. A negative acknowledgement (nack) is returned if a request is received while the previous one is not yet finished.

Connection

For more detailed explanations on installation and connection, see *Installing the system*, *p.* 13.

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Request

Reading Objects

This request is used to read n objects.

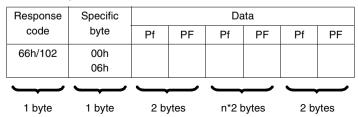
Request:

	ı	ı		ı			
Request	Category	Segment	Specific	Object		Number of	
code	code		byte	address		s objects to be r	
				Pf	PF	Pf	PF
36h/54	00h	01h	00h				
		68h	06h				
<u></u>	<u> </u>	<u> </u>	<u> </u>				
1 byte	1 byte	1 byte	1 byte	2 bytes		2 by	ytes

- Segment: 01h or 68h = physical address of words
- Specific byte:
 - 00h = request for deferred response if tag missing
 - 06h = request for immediate response
- Object address: Address of the first word to be read.

Station response:

Positive response:



Negative response (eg: with byte 06h if tag missing):



Causes of rejection:

- Unknown tag
- Inadequate access rights
- Unknown object

- Address of the last object outside limits
- Indexed address outside limits
- Tag missing if specific byte = 06h.

Note: The reading is limited to 120 words maximum.

Writing Objects

This request is used in direct operating mode to write n words to the tag or station memory zones.

In this operating mode, all the data processing is carried out by the PLC or the computer.

Request:

Request code	Category code	Segment	Specific byte		Object address		•		Da	ata
				Pf	PF	Pf	PF	Pf	PF	
37h/55	00h	01h	00h					Series of		
		68h	06h					wo	rds	
—	—	—	—	_				_		
1 byte	1 byte	1 byte	1 byte	2 b	ytes	2 b	ytes	n*2 l	oytes	

- Segment: 01h or 68h = physical address of words
- Specific byte:
 - 00h = request for deferred response if tag missing
 - 06h = request for immediate response
- Object address: Address of the first word to be written.

Station response:

Positive response:



Negative response (eg: with byte 06h if tag missing):



Causes of rejection:

- Unknown tag
- Inadequate access rights
- Unknown object
- · Address of the last object outside limits

- Writing not checked
- Indexed address outside limits
- Tag missing if specific byte = 06h.

Note: The writing is limited to 120 words maximum.

Read a Word

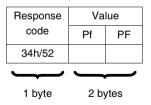
This request is used for direct access to words in an addressable memory zone.

Request:

Request	Category	Word number		
code	code	Pf	PF	
04h/04	00h			
—	<u></u>	_		
1 byte	1 byte	2 b	ytes	

Station response:

Positive response:



Negative response:



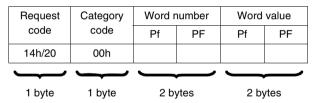
Causes of rejection:

- Inadequate access rights
- Unknown object
- Word number address outside limits
- · Tag missing.

Write a Word

This request is used for direct access to words in an addressable memory zone.

Request:

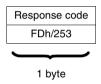


Station response:

Positive response:



Negative response:



Causes of rejection:

- Unknown request
- Inadequate access rights
- Word number outside limits
- Tag missing
- Tag not initialized.

INIT Request

This request is used to cancel all current requests.

Request:

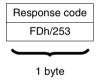
Request code	Category code			
nequest code	Calegory code			
33h/51	00h			
1 byte	1 byte			

Station response:

Positive response:



Negative response:



Causes of rejection:

- Unknown request
- Inadequate access rights

MIRROR Request

This service is used to test the system and the communication path.

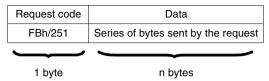
The client sends a sequence which the server sends back to the client.

Request:

Request code	Category code	Data				
FAh/250	00h	Series of bytes (maximum 32)				
1 byte	1 byte	n bytes				

Station response:

Positive response:

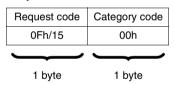


Note: There is never a negative response.

IDENTIFI-CATION Request

This request is used to obtain the product type and product version as a response.

Request:



Station response:

Positive response:

Response code	Category code	Product sub-type	Product Version	Length	Product Identification
3Fh/63	24h/36	01h	(1)	0Bh	(2)
<u> </u>	<u> </u>	<u> </u>	<u> </u>	<u> </u>	
1 byte	1 byte	1 byte	1 byte	1 byte	n bytes

(1): Version number in BCD format.

(2): Product identification: "XGC-S-V3.8"

Negative response:



Causes of rejection:

- Unknown request
- Inadequate access rights

PROTOCOL VERSION Request

This service is used to identify the version and any parameters of the application protocol which is used for the conversation. In this request, the client provides the versions of the application protocol which it supports, the maximum message size, the size of the request file, etc. The server will then send back its own specifications. This then enables the client to send requests in a format and size which is known to both parties.

Request:

	Request code	Category code	Max. message size		•		Length (1)	Version (2)
			Pf PF					
	30h/48	00h	20h 00h		01h	Series of bytes		
•	~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~							
	1 byte	1 byte	2 bytes		1 byte	n bytes		

(1): number of versions supported.

(2): list of versions supported.

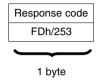
Station response:

Positive response:

Response code	Max. message size		Length	Version	Request	t file size
	Pf	PF			Pf	PF
60h/96	80h 00h		01h	(1)	00h	00h
<u> </u>			<u> </u>			
1 byte	2 bytes		1 byte	1 byte	2 b	vtes

(1): 10h for version V 1.0.

Negative response:



Causes of rejection:

- Unknown request
- Inadequate access rights

STATUS Request

The station provides its status in the response.

Request:

Request code	Category code	Detail required
31h/49	00h	00h
1 byte	1 byte	1 byte

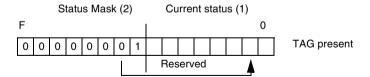
Station response:

Positive response:

Response code	Current status	Status Mask
61h/97	(1)	(2)
1 byte	1 byte	1 byte

Status mask: Bit string. Only those current status bits whose bit of the same rank in "status mask" is at 1 are significant.

Example:



Negative response:



Causes of rejection:

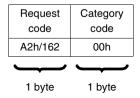
• Inadequate access rights (request in process)

READ COUNTER Request

Each station manages a log of link faults (character error, frame error, protocol error), and counts 4 types of error in counters (16-bit words):

- number of messages sent and not acknowledged
- number of messages sent and refused
- number of messages received and not acknowledged
- number of messages received and refused

Request:



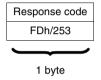
Station response:

Positive response:

Response code	messag and	per of ges sent not gledged	Number of messages refused		Number of messages received and not acknowledged		Number of messages refused	
	Pf	PF	Pf	PF	Pf	PF	Pf	PF
D2h/210								
1 byte	2 by	2 bytes		ytes	2 b	ytes	2 b	ytes

Note: There is no counter overflow. The counters remain frozen at address 7FFFh (32767) until they are reset by sending a clear counter request (A4h).

Negative response:



Causes of rejection:

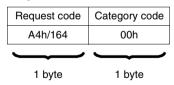
Unknown request

• Inadequate access rights

CLEAR COUNTER Request

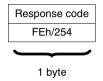
This request is used to clear the 4 error counters of a device to zero.

Request:



Station response:

Positive response:



Negative response:



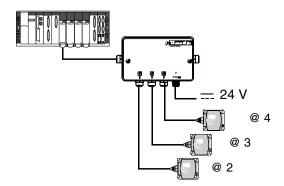
Causes of rejection:

- Unknown request
- Inadequate access rights

Programming

Application Example

A splitter box and a Premium PLC are connected to a Uni-Telway network.



Read 10 words under PL7 PRO (READ_VAR command)

Read 10 words at tag address 0.

The Ositrack compact station is at address 1 on the TSX SCY 21601 card of PREMIUM PLC (slot 3, channel 0).

```
(* Description *)
(* %MW : Type of object to be read = internal word *)
(* %MD480 : Address of the first word to be read in the tag *)
(* 10 : Number of objects to be read *)
(* %MW600:10 : Table containing the value of the objects to be read *)
(* %MW470:4 : Management parameters *)

%MD480 : = 0;
IF NOT %MW470:X0 THEN
(* send request and store result in %MW600:10 *)
READ_VAR(ADR#3.0.1, '%MW', %MD480, 10, %MW600:10, %MW470:4);
END IF;
```

Write 10 Words under Unity (WRITE_VAR command) Write 10 words starting at tag address 16#100.

The Ositrack compact station is at address 1 on the TSX SCY 21601 card of a PREMIUM PLC (slot 3, channel 0).

```
(* Description *)
(* %MW : Type of object to be written = internal word *)
(* %MD480 : Address of the first word to be written to the tag
*)
(* 10 : Number of objects to be written *)
(* %MW600:10 : Table containing the value of the objects to be written *)
(* %MW470:4 : Management parameters *)

%MD480 : = 16#100;
IF NOT %MW470:X0 THEN
(* send request to write data to the tag *)
WRITE_VAR(ADR#3.0.1, '%MW', %MD480, 10, %MW600:10, %MW470:4);
END_IF;
```

Write 10 words (SEND_REQ command)

Comment: (%MW471 = 0 if exchange correct) Send a request:

```
(* Description *)
(* %MW480 : Lo specific byte Lo segment *)
(* %MW481 : Address *)
(* %MW482 : No. of objects to be written *)
(* %MW483 : Value of 1st word *)
(* %MW492 : Value of 10th word *)
(* %MW473 : 26 bytes *)
(* %MW600 : Reception table *)
%MW480 : =16#0001:
%MW481 : =16#0100:
%MW482 : =16#000A;
%MW483 : =1st word:
%MW492 : =10th word;
%MW473 : =16#001A;
%MW600 : =reception table;
IF NOT %MW470:X0 THEN
(* send request to write data to the tag *)
SEND REO(ADR#3.0.1, 16#0037, %MW480:3, %MW600:1, %MW470:4);
END IF;
```

Communicating with the Modbus Protocol

6

Presentation

Aim of this Chapter

This chapter describes the Modbus protocol communication principle.

What's in this Chapter?

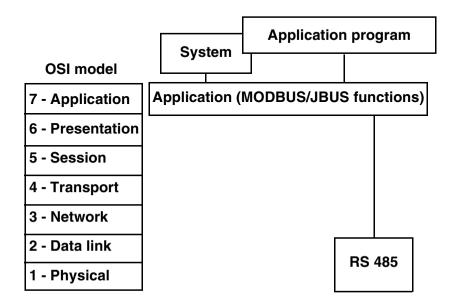
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General

Presentation

With reference to the 7-layer OSI model, in which each layer performs a specific service, the Modbus/JBUS protocol supports the following three layers:



Communication between a PLC (or computer) processor and the Ositrack identification system using the Modbus/Jbus protocol is performed by exchanging messages in both directions on a multidrop bus, via a serial link module with an asynchronous link. Dialog between the higher processing levels and the Ositrack system is of the question/answer type. The initiator (master station) sends the messages to be executed to the Ositrack station (slave station), which answers after execution. With the Modbus/Jbus protocol, the Ositrack station communicates in RTU (Remote Terminal Unit) mode.

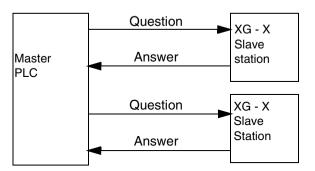
Information coding principle:

Characteristics	8 RTU bits
Coding system	8-bit binary code
Number of bits per character Start bit Significant bits Parity Stop bit	 1 8 Even/Odd/No parity 1 / 2
Message structure Message Check End of frame	MODBUS frameCRC3-character silence

Exchange Principles

Dialog between the PLC (or computer) and the Ositrack station is of the question/ answer type. The addressed slave answers every message sent by the master station (PLC) immediately. The response time is dependent on:

- The command processing time (which depends on the amount of data to be exchanged and the type of tag)
- The speed on the serial link
- The length of the message



Connection

For more detailed explanations on installation and connection, see *Installing the system, p. 13*.

Supported Modbus functions

The table below lists the supported Modbus functions:

Code		Type of request
Hex.	Dec.	
3	3	Read n words (1 \leq n \leq 123)
6	6	Write one word
8	8	Diagnostics
В	11	Read event counters
10	16	Write n words (1 \leq n \leq 123)
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Point-to-point mode

When the PLC is connected directly to a compact station, this station can operate in point-to-point mode. In this operating mode, the station responds to the requests sent to address F8 as well as those sent to the station network address.

Broadcasting mode

In this mode, the PLC sends requests to address 0 and the slaves do not respond to the Modbus requests.

This mode is not authorized for Ositrack compact stations.

Requests

Read N Words

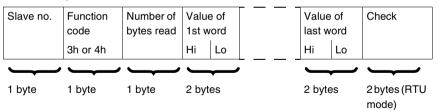
This function is used to read objects (word, word string).

Read request:

Slave no.	Function code	Address of 1st word		Number of words		Check
	3h	Hi	Lo	Hi	Lo	
—	_	J			—	_
1 byte	1 byte	2 bytes		2 bytes		2 bytes (RTU mode)

- Slave no: 01h to 0Fh in multidrop mode or F8h in point-to-point mode
- Function code: 3h
- Address of the first word: Corresponds to the address of the first word to be read in the tag or the station (depending on the address)
- Number of words: 1 ≤ N ≤ 123

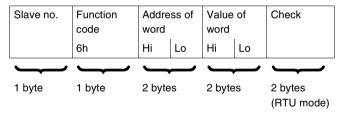
Station response:



- Slave no: Same as read request
- Function code: Same as read request
- Number of bytes read: 2 to 246
- Value of the words read: 0000h to FFFFh
- If there is no tag present, the station sends an error report (see Error Messages, p. 78).

Write One Word

Write request:



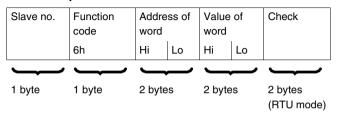
• Slave no: Same as read request

Function code: 6h

• Word address: Same addressing field as for the read request

• Word values: 0000h to FFFFh

Station response:



The response is an echo of the request, indicating that the value contained in the request has been taken into account by the station.

Write N Words Write request:

Slave no.	Function code	Address 1st word		Numb		Number of bytes	Value word	of 1st	 Value last w		Check
	10h	Hi Lo	0	Hi	Lo		Hi	Lo	Hi	Lo	
—	<u> </u>		_	_	س	<u> </u>	_		 _		<u> </u>
1 byte	1 byte	2 bytes		2 byte	es	1 byte	2 byte	es	2 byte	es	2 bytes (RTU mode)

• Slave no: Same as read request

• Function code: 10h

• Number of words: $1 \le N \le 123$

• Number of bytes: Twice the number of words

• Word values: 0000h to FFFFh

Station response:

Slave no.	Function code	Address of 1st word written		Number of words written		Check
	10h	Hi	Lo	Hi	Lo	
_	_	J		J		_
1 byte	1 byte	2 bytes		2 bytes 2 bytes		2 bytes (RTU mode)

• Slave no.: Same as request

• Function code: Same as request

• Address of first word written: Same as request

• Number of words written: Same as request

Read diagnostic counters code 08h

Functions 08h and 0Bh are used to check the PLC/station link and operate the event counters (or diagnostic counters).

Request:

Slave no.	Function code	Sub-function code		Data		Check
	08h	00	Lo	00	00	
_	\	J	_			
1 byte	1 byte	2 bytes		2 byte	es	2 bytes (RTU mode)

Station response:

Slave no.	Function code	Sub-function code		Data		Check
	08h	00	Lo	Hi	Lo	
_	_	_				_
1 byte	1 byte	2 bytes		2 byte	s	2 bytes (RTU mode)

Designation of the event counters:

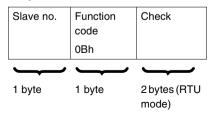
Sub- functions	Counter	Description
0Bh	1	Number of requests correctly received by the station, whether or not that station is affected
0Ch	2	Number of requests received with CRC errors
0Dh	3	Number of error messages sent back by the station (fault message), or not sent back in the event of broadcasting
0Eh	4	Number of correct requests specifically addressed to the station (apart from broadcasting)
0Fh	5	Number of broadcast requests received and correctly processed
10h	6	Number of executions not carried out due to communication with the tag not being possible
12	7	Number of faults due to incorrect characters (format, parity, etc) received by the station
00h	-	Mirror function
0Ah	8	Reset event counters function

Read events code 0Bh

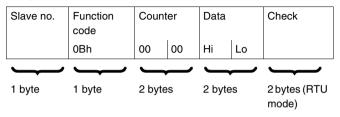
Functions 08h and 0Bh are used to check the PLC/station link and operate the event counters (or diagnostic counters).

Read events code 0Bh sends back the number of requests received by the station and correctly executed.

Request:



Response:



Identification Request

Function 2Bh: This function is used to identify the station.

Read request:

Slave no.	Function code	MEI *	Read Device ID code	Object ID
	2Bh	0Eh	01h, 02h, 03h	00h

^{*:} MEI = Modbus Encapsulated Interface

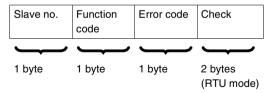
Station response:

Index	Object name & description	Description	Data type
0 (0000h)	Manufacturer's name	TELEMECANIQUE	ASCII string
1 (0001h)	Product code		
2 (0002h)	Version number	Vx.y (eg: V3.6)	

Error Messages

When an anomaly in the message (or during its execution) is detected by the station to which it is addressed, the station sends back an error message to the master system.

Syntax:



- Slave no.: Same as request
- Function code: Same as the function code and most significant bit of the byte set to 1

Examples:

- Function code of the error message after a read request: 83h = (80 + 03) or 84h = (80 + 04)
- Function code of the error message after a write request:
 90h = (80 + 10)

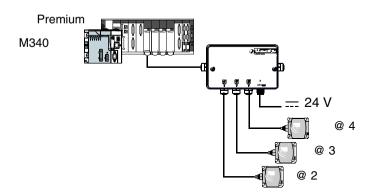
Error code:

- 1h: Unknown function code or incorrect request format
- 2h: Incorrect address or prohibited zone or protected zone or address outside the tag memory zone
- 3h: Incorrect data. Too much or not enough data in the frame, or quantity = 0, or data incompatible
- 4h: Execution fault (in read or write mode, or tag missing)

Programming

Application Example

A splitter box and a PLC are connected to a Modbus network.



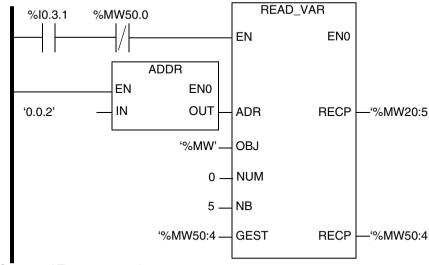
Example of Program in Unity

Program example: read station @ 2 status word.

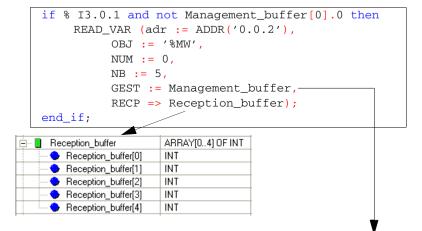
Example of Program in UNITY PRO

Program example: Read 5 words in the tag starting at word %MW 0 of the tag in station @ 2

LADDER programming



Structured Text programming



🖃 📘 Management_buffer	ARRAY[03] OF INT
Management_buffer[0]	INT
Management_buffer[1]	INT
- Management_buffer[2]	INT
Management_buffer[3]	INT

Integration Tips

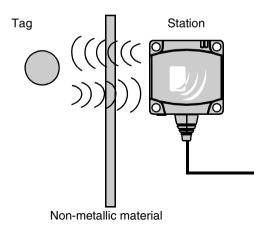
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Tips

Protecting the System

To protect the system against impacts, you can:

- Embed the station in metal (see Mounting in metal, p. 22)
- Embed the tag in metal (see Mounting in metal, p. 22)
- Protect the station by making use of its ability to work through non-metallic materials, for example:

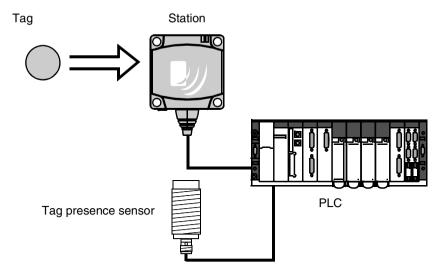


Thermal Protection

Avoid exposing the tags to radiating heat sources, such as infrared dryers.

Automation

Synchronize the Read/Write operations with a sensor that indicates the presence of the tag to the control system:



In case of processing errors (such as incorrect positioning of the tag or a transmission error) provide for repetition of the request before switching to "Fallback" mode (abandoning of the request and generation of an alarm).

Reading/Writing Tag

Before initiating a tag Read/Write request, ensure that the tag is present using a request to read the station STATUS word.

A CAUTION

UNINTENDED OPERATION

- Only perform a write request when the tag is in the station's sensing zone.
- Do not use XGH B445345 and XGH B444345 tags in the same application.

Failure to follow this instruction can result in injury or equipment damage.

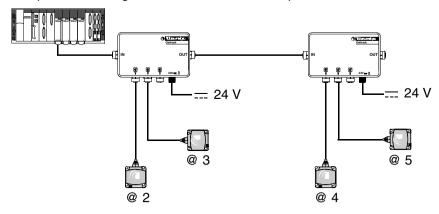
For more informations about the station's sensing zone, see Sensing Zones, p. 21.

To make maintenance easier

Leave address 1 on the network free.

A new station (by default address 1) can then be added without disturbing the network.

Example of addressing for ease of maintenance or replacement of stations:



Diagnostics

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Diagnosing a Fault

Meaning of the 2 LEDs

The 2 LEDs on the station display all the operating states of the station:



Description of the states of the TAG LED:

Station status	LED	Description
Tag not present	Series of green flashes (periodic)	Number of flashes = network address of the station
Tag present	Continuous green	Tag present in the dialog zone Read/Write functions activated
	Red	Communication error with the tag

Description of the states of the COM LED:

Station status	LED	Description
No communication on the network	Orange	Awaiting data on the network for the automatic configuration after power-up (time: 7 seconds) then the LED goes out and station reverts to its last stored configuration
Communication on the network	Green	Transmission or reception of messages (addressed to the station) on the network
	Red	Communication error on the network

Result of the Self-Test

On power-up, a self-test detects any faults on the station subassemblies.

In the event of a fault, the network communication LED flashes 8 times in succession, and the color of each of these 8 flashes indicates the result of the test:

Flash	Test	Result
1	Flashing test (checksum test)	Green if OK, Red if faulty
2	RAM test (read/write tests)	Green if OK, Red if faulty
3	EEPROM test (log)	Green if OK, Red if faulty
4	Line inversion test	Green if OK, Red if D0 and D1 are inverted
5	Analog/digital converter test	Green if OK, Red if faulty
6	Reader and bus test (read/write test)	Green if OK, Red if faulty. If there is a fault, the Address and Data bus bits alternate between states 1 and 0 while the 8 flashes are being transmitted, so that the buses can be tested using an oscilloscope and any faults will be detected.
7	Test of the internal clocks	Green if OK, Red if faulty
8	Watchdog test	Green if OK, Red if faulty (watchdog not working)

Note: If the tests do not show up any faults, the 8 consecutive flashes do not take place.

Note: Following the self-test, a LED operating test is performed: 1 red flash then 1 green flash on each LED