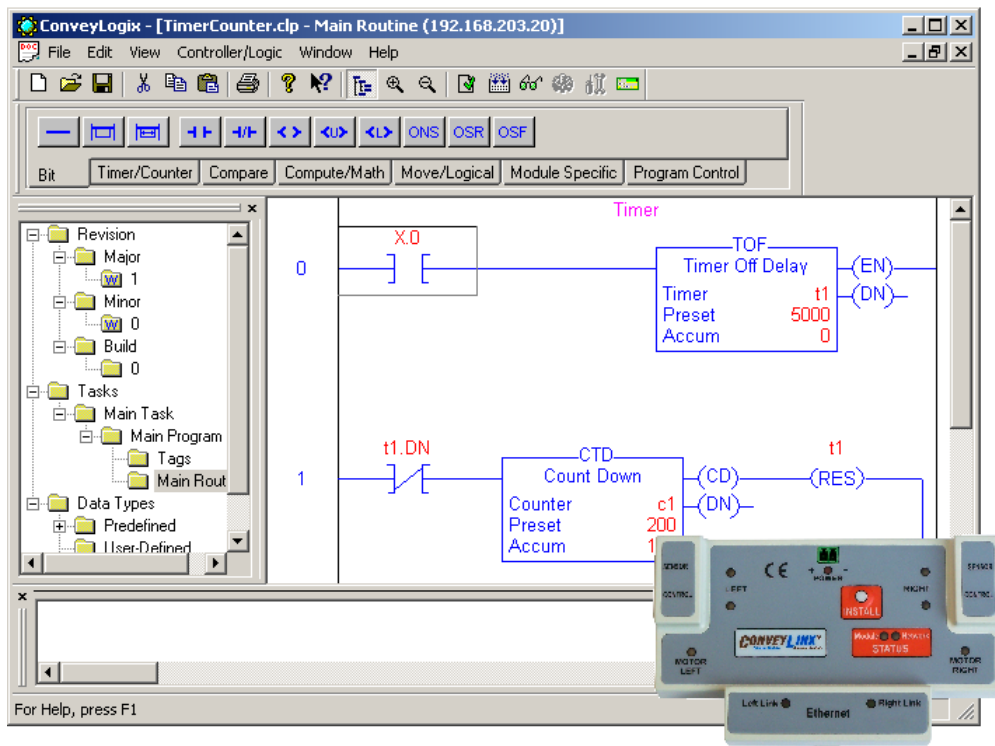


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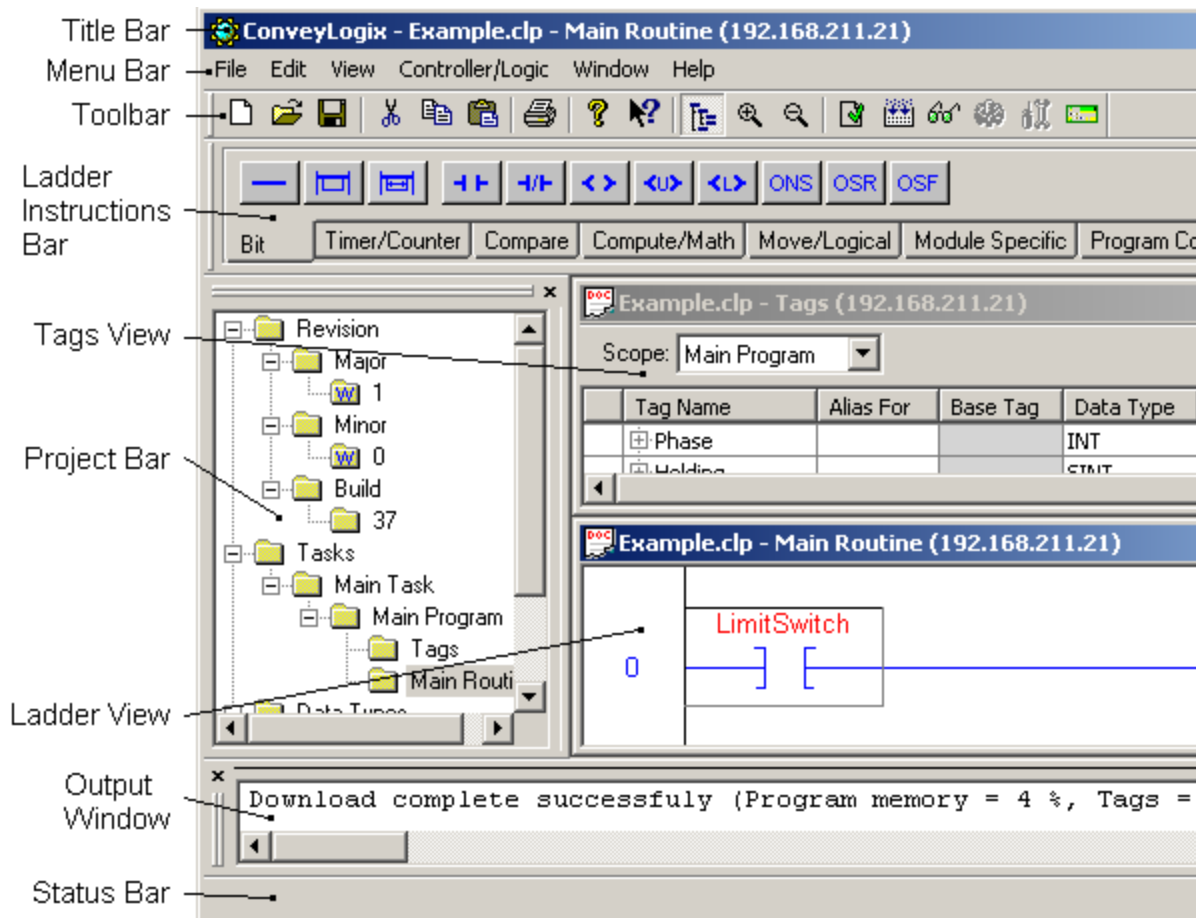
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# 1. Getting Started

## 1.1 Screen Areas

To understand more easily how to work with ConveyLogix Programmer software, main screen areas are pointed on the picture and described below:










### 1.1.1 Title Bar

Title Bar displays the information of working project (file with extension .clp), selected view (Main Program or Tags), controller IP Address and Debug information (described in point 6).












## 1.1.2 Menu Bar

File Menu	Description	Icon	Shortcut
<b>New</b>	creates an untitled project		Ctrl+N
<b>Open</b>	opens an existing project		Ctrl+O
<b>Close</b>	closes the current project		
<b>Save</b>	saves the current project		Ctrl+S
<b>Save As</b>	saves the current project to a different file		
<b>Print</b>	prints ladder logic and/or Main Program Tags		Ctrl+P
<b>Print Preview</b>	preview ladder logic and/or Main Program Tags before printing		
<b>Print Setup</b>	setup printer properties		
<b>Exit</b>	quits the application		

Edit Menu	Description	Icon	Shortcut
<b>Undo</b>	undo the last action		Ctrl+Z
<b>Cut</b>	cuts the selection and put it to Clipboard		Ctrl+X
<b>Copy</b>	copies the selection and put it to Clipboard		Ctrl+C
<b>Paste</b>	pastes the Clipboard content to the selected location		Ctrl+V

Edit menu commands apply only to Main Program (Ladder View) operations.



View Menu	Description	Icon
<b>Toolbar</b>	hides/displays the Toolbar	
<b>Status Bar</b>	hides/displays the Status Bar	
<b>Project Bar</b>	hides/displays the Project Bar	
<b>Zoom In</b>	increase the zoom level of the Main Program (Ladder View)	
<b>Zoom Out</b>	decrease the zoom level of the Main Program (Ladder View)	

Controller/Logic Menu	Description	Icon
<b>Verify Program</b>	Verifies the Ladder program. The result of the operation is displayed in Output window.	
<b>Download Program</b>	downloads the project to controller with chosen IP Address	
<b>Debug</b>	puts ConveyLogix Programmer in Debug mode (described in point 6)	
<b>Stop Debugging</b>	puts ConveyLogix Programmer in Normal (editable) mode	
<b>Program Mode</b>	puts the controller in Program mode. In this mode controller stops execute the Ladder program	
<b>Run Mode</b>	puts the controller in Run mode. In this mode controller executes the Ladder program	
<b>Controller Properties</b>	opens the dialog box to change Controller Type and/or its IP Address (described in point 1.5)	

Program Mode and Run Mode menus are active only in ConveyLogix Programmer Debug mode.

### Window Menu

Window Menu contains the standard Windows menus to navigate between Main Program (Ladder View) and Tags (Tags View).

Help Menu	Description	Icon
<b>Help Topics</b>	opens the ConveyLogix Programmer user's guide	
<b>About</b>	opens the dialog box to display ConveyLogix Programmer version information	



### 1.1.3 Toolbar

Toolbar contains the shortcuts to some of the menus:



Icons meaning is described above in section 1.1.1 Title Bar.

### 1.1.4 Ladder Instruction Bar

Ladder Instruction Bar is enabled only in Main Program (Ladder view). It divided on several tabs by categories. Every tab contains relevant Ladder Instructions buttons as described in section 5.0 Ladder Logic Instructions).

### 1.1.5 Project Bar

Project Bar contains the information of the current project as described in section 1.3 Project Organization ).

### 1.1.6 Tags View

Tag View is the window where you edit your tags.

### 1.1.7 Ladder View

Ladder view is the window where you edit your ladder logic.

### 1.1.8 Output Window

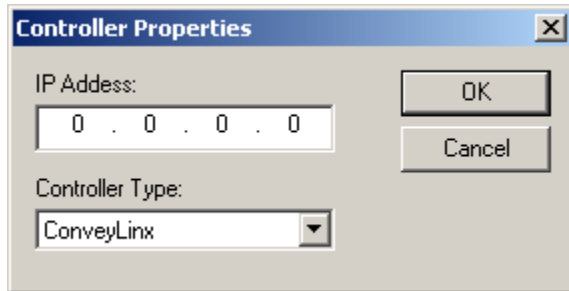
Output window displays the results of Download Program, Verify Program, runtime errors, etc.

### 1.1.9 Status Bar

The right side of the Status Bar provides ongoing status information and prompts as you use the software. The left side of the Status Bar provides information about Caps Lock, Num Lock and Scroll Lock keys.

## 1.2 Create a Project

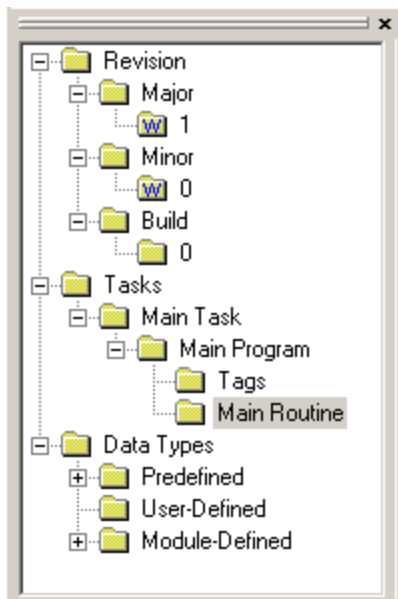
From the File menu, select New or click on  icon. The next dialog appears.



- Type the IP Address of the controller you need to work with.
- Choose the controller type – ConveyLinx or ConveyNet.
- Press OK button and a project called “Untitled” will be created.

## 1.3 Project Organization

The project organization is shown on Project Bar.





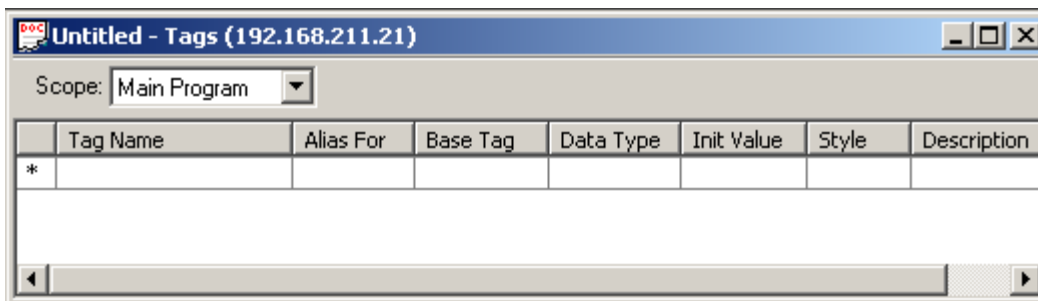
### 1.3.1 Revision

“Major” and “Minor” contain values as to the major and minor versions of the project and these fields are editable. Build contains a value which increments automatically during every Save operation.

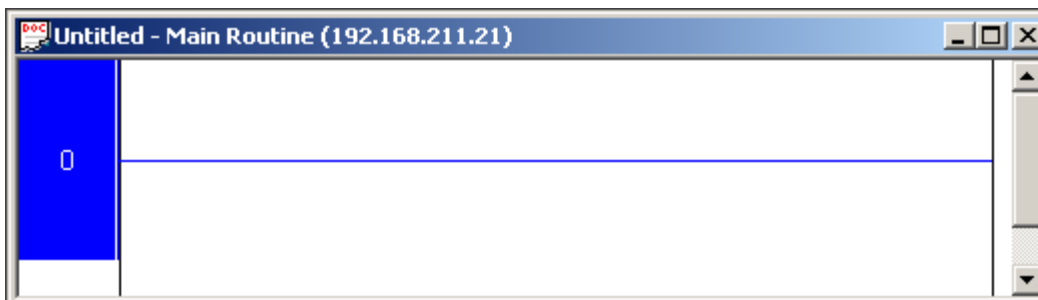
### 1.3.2 Tasks

ConveyLinx and ConveyNet controllers support only one task, called Main Task and run only one Program, called Main Program. Main Program represents by two views:

- Tags – double click to open Tags View. Tags View displays all information about tags.



- Main Routine – double click to open Ladder View. Ladder View displays all information about ladder diagram routine.




### 1.3.3 Data Types

Data Types are divided by three categories:

- Predefined – ConveyLogix supported data types.
- User-Defined – not supported.
- Module-Defined – controller supported data types.


## **1.4 Save, Close and Open a Project**

To save a project, select File/Save menu or click on  icon. If the project is Untitled, Save As dialog appears to choose your project name.

If you want to store a project with another name, select File/Save As menu.


When the project is saves once, the every next save operation increases Build value.

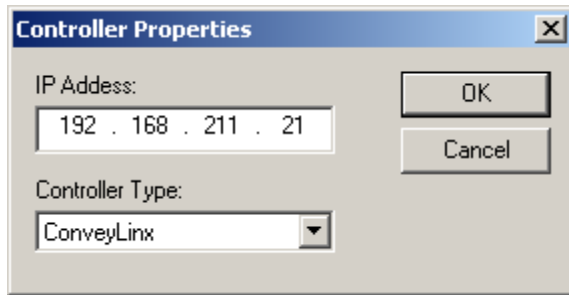
To close the project, select File/Close menu.

To open a project, select File/Open menu or click on  icon and select a file from disk.



## 1.5 Configure a Controller

To configure a controller, select Controller/Logic / Controller Properties menu or click on  icon. The next dialog appears.



- IP Address is the IP address of the controller you need to work with.
- Controller Type is a type of the controller – ConveyLinx or ConveyNet.
- Change the controller properties if you need and press OK button for confirmation.
- If you change the Controller Type from ConveyLinx or ConveyNet or vice versa, you may lose some Controller Tags properties.
- With changing controller's IP Address from dialog above, you may download and debug the same ladder program to different controllers.

### Example:

Let you have a network with three controllers with IP addresses 192.169.211.20, 192.169.211.21 and 192.169.211.22, which have to work with same ladder program.

- Change IP Address in dialog above to 192.169.211.20, then download and debug the ladder program.
- Then change IP Address in dialog above to 192.169.211.21, download and debug the ladder program.
- And then change IP Address to 192.169.211.22, download and debug the ladder program.



## **2.0 Organize Tags**

### **2.1 Defining Tags**

Tag is a named area of the controller's memory where data is stored. Tags are the basic mechanism for allocating memory, referencing data from logic, and monitoring data.

The controller uses the tag name internally and doesn't need to cross-reference a physical address.

The minimum memory allocation for a tag is a byte.

When you create a tag, you assign the following properties to the tag:

- Scope
- Tag Type
- Data Type

#### **2.1.1 Scope**

Tags might divide of two categories by Scope:

- Main Program Tags – user defined tags.
- Controller Tags – controller defined tags. They cannot be changed and depend from controller type. Controller tags are described in Appendix A – Controller Tags.

#### **2.1.2 Tag Type**

There are five types of tags that you can create:

- Base – refers to a normal tag (selected by default). This type of tag allows you to create your own internal data storage.
- Alias – allows you to assign your own name to an existing tag, structure tag member, or bit, and refers to a tag which references another tag with the same definition.
- Produce – refers to a tag that is produced by another controller whose data you want to use in this controller.
- Consumed – refers to a tag that is consumed by another controller.
- Non-volatile – power independent tags.



### 2.1.3 Data Type

The data type defines the type of data that a tag stores, such as a bit, integer, etc.

ConveyLogix Programmer supports four types of data:

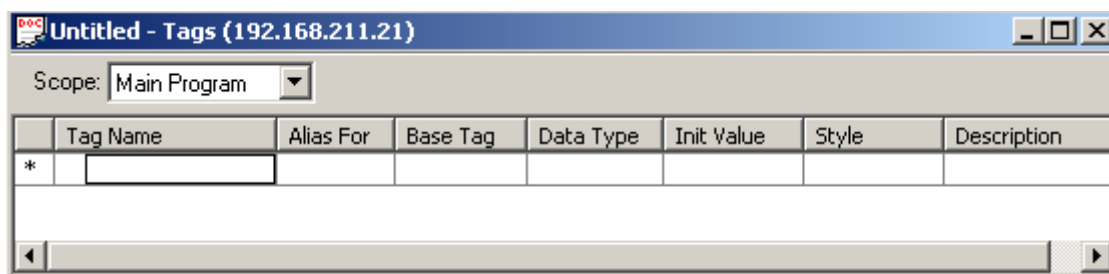
- Simple – BOOL, SINT, INT and DINT.

Data Type	Size	Range
<b>BOOL</b>	1 Bit	<b>0 or 1</b>
<b>SINT</b>	1 Byte	<b>-128 to +127</b>
<b>INT</b>	2 Bytes	<b>-32,768 to +32767</b>
<b>DINT</b>	4 Bytes	<b>-2,147,483,648 to +2,147,483,647</b>

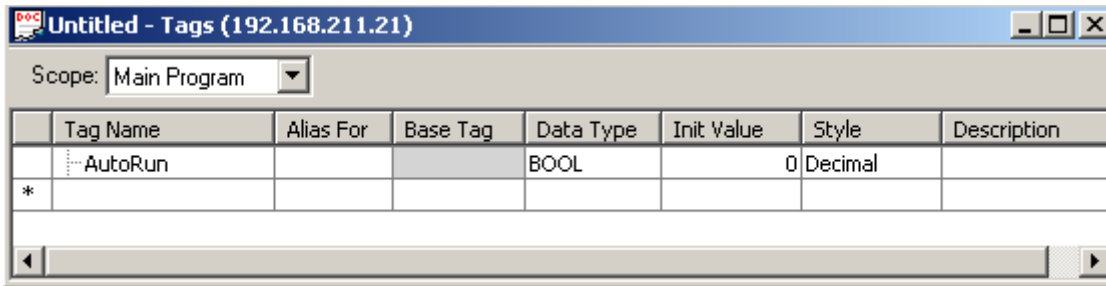
- Structure – a data type that is a combination of other data types. Structure is formatted to create a unique data type that matches a specific need. Within a structure, each individual data type is called a member. Like tags, members have a name and data type. ConveyLogix Programmer supports two predefined structures – TIMER and COUNTER for use with specific instructions such as timers, counters, etc. and one user-defined – Zone.
- Array – a numerically indexed sequence of elements of the same data type. In ConveyLogix Programmer, an array index starts at 0 and extends to the number of elements minus 1. An array can have up to 3 dimensions unless it is a member of a structure, where it can have only 1 dimension. An array tag occupies a contiguous block of memory in the controller with each element in sequence.

## 2.2 Create a Tag

Tags are created or edited in Tags View. Open Tags View by double click to Tags on Project Bar. To create a tag click into Tag Name area on the last row (marked with sign \*):



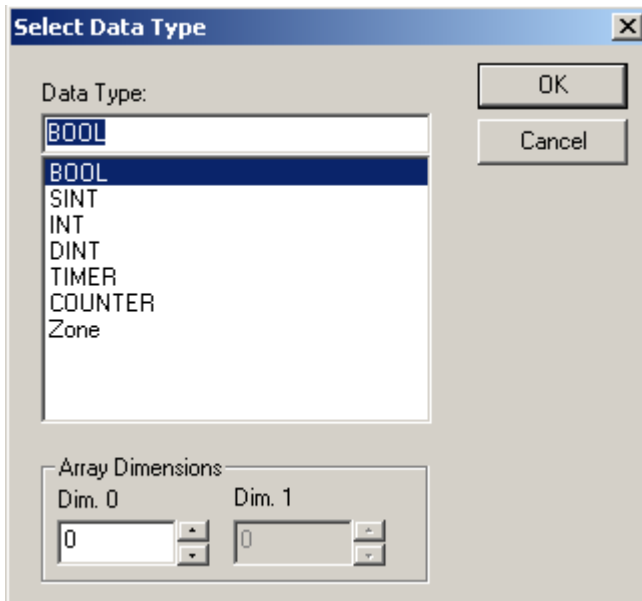
Type a name of the new tag and then press Enter key or click outside from the rectangle area.



The Tag has the next properties:

- Scope – to create a tag is allowed only for Main Program.
- Tag Name – unique alphanumeric name, excluding the symbols “.”, “,”, “[“ and “]”.
- Alias For – used to represent this tag to another (described in point 2.4).
- Base Tag – the original tag name, related to alias. In case that Alias For is not used, this field is disabled (grayed).
- Data Type – type of the data of the tag.

To change data type click on Data Type cell. The next dialog box appears:



- Choose a type from Data Type list and press OK button.
- If the chosen type is different from BOOL, the tag contains subtags, represent like a tree. If data type is a simple type the subtags are BOOL types. Count of subtags is equal of type length in bits.
- If data type is a structure, subtags are fields of the structure. Every field is represented down to BOOL types.



- If data type is an array, subtags are the elements of the array. Every field is represented down to BOOL types.
- For example choose data type as SINT. To see the subtags, click on “+” button (left of the tag name):

Tag Name	Alias For	Base Tag	Data Type	Init Value	Style	Description
AutoRun			SINT	0	Decimal	
AutoRun.0			BOOL	0	Decimal	
AutoRun.1			BOOL	0	Decimal	
AutoRun.2			BOOL	0	Decimal	
AutoRun.3			BOOL	0	Decimal	
AutoRun.4			BOOL	0	Decimal	
AutoRun.5			BOOL	0	Decimal	
AutoRun.6			BOOL	0	Decimal	
AutoRun.7			BOOL	0	Decimal	
*						

- Init Value – shows the initialize value of the tag, which is the start value when the controller power-up. Default value is 0.

To change this value, click on Init Value cell. Edit box is shown:

Tag Name	Alias For	Base Tag	Data Type	Init Value	Style	Description
AutoRun			SINT	0	Decimal	
*						

- Type the new value and then confirm by pressing Enter or clicking outside the edit box area. To cancel typed Init Value changes, press Esc.
- If typed Init Value is not in the range, message box will appear. When you press OK, edit box will stay to correct or cancel the value.
- The new Init Value will be changed on corresponding subtags (if they exist).

Tag Name	Alias For	Base Tag	Data Type	Init Value	Style	Description
AutoRun			SINT	23	Decimal	
AutoRun.0			BOOL	1	Decimal	
AutoRun.1			BOOL	1	Decimal	
AutoRun.2			BOOL	1	Decimal	
AutoRun.3			BOOL	0	Decimal	
AutoRun.4			BOOL	1	Decimal	
AutoRun.5			BOOL	0	Decimal	
AutoRun.6			BOOL	0	Decimal	
AutoRun.7			BOOL	0	Decimal	
*						

Likewise, if subtag is changed, change is reflected on corresponding tag.

- Style – the format that numeric values are displayed in.

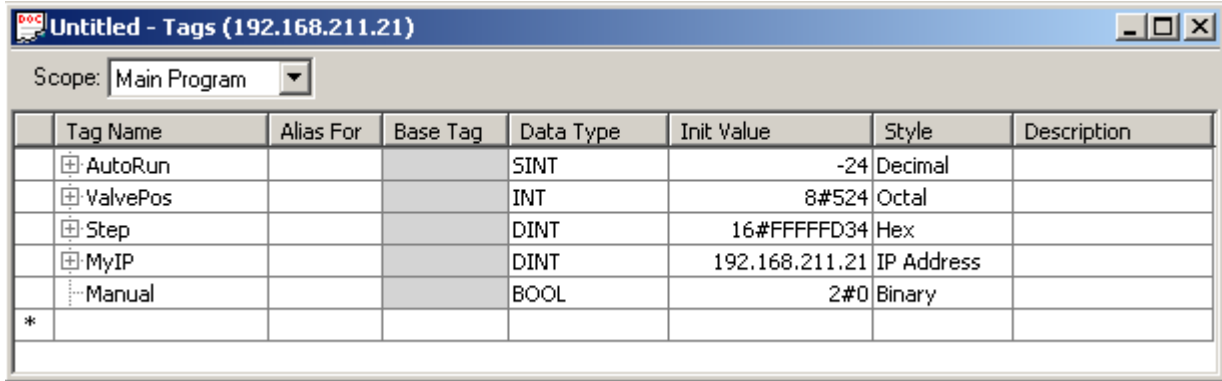
Style	Presentation	Example
<b>Binary</b>	2#	<b>2#1101</b>
<b>Octal</b>	8#	<b>8#47</b>
<b>Decimal</b>	Signed numeric value	<b>-5; 27</b>
<b>Hex</b>	16#	<b>16#FFFFFFFF</b>
<b>IP Address</b>	<b>IP Address</b>	<b>192.168.211.21</b>

To change the Tag style, click on Style cell. Combo box with permitted formats will appear. Open it and select desired style.

Tag Name	Alias For	Base Tag	Data Type	Init Value	Style	Description
AutoRun			SINT	6	Decimal	
*						



Confirm the selected style by pressing Enter or clicking outside the combo box area. On the next picture are shown tags with simple data types and different styles.



On the next table, Data Type ranges for simple data types are shown for different styles:

Data Type/ Style	BOOL	SINT	INT	DINT
Binary	2#0 to 2#1	2#00000000 to 2#11111111	2#0000000000000000 to 2#1111111111111111	<b>2#0000000000000000 0000000000000000 to 2#1111111111111111 1111111111111111</b>
Octal	8#0 to 8#1	8#0 to 8#377	8#0 to 8#177777	<b>8#0 to 8#377777</b>
Decimal	0 to 1	-128 to 127	-32768 to 32767	<b>-2,147,483,648 to +2,147,483,647</b>
Hex	16#0 to 16#1	16#00 to 16#FF	16#0000 to 16#FFFF	<b>16#00000000 up to 16#FFFFFFF</b>
IP Address	<b>Not used</b>	<b>Not used</b>	<b>Not used</b>	<b>0.0.0.0 to 255.255.255.255</b>

Init Value and Style are disabled for complex data types (structures and arrays).

If the Data Type is changed to type with smaller type length, and Init Value exceeds type range, the value is converted to new type.

**Example:**

Let Data Type of tag AutoRun is INT and Init Value is 16#FE17. Changing Data Type to SINT, Init Value will be changed to 16#17.

Correspondence from IP Address to number is explained in the next example.

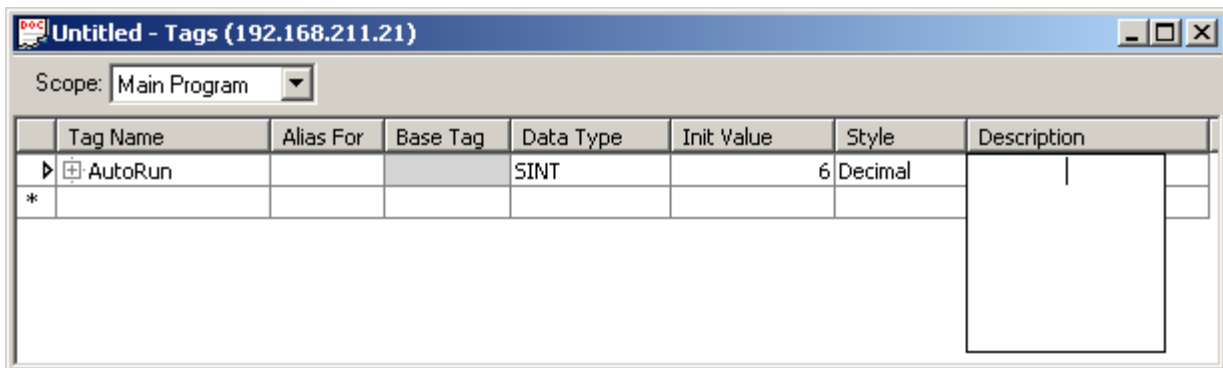
**Example:**

Lets have a tag *MyIP* (as shown on figure above) with Style IP Address and Init Value 192.168.211.21. If Style is changed to Hex, 16#D315C0A8 will displayed. Bytes respond to the next part of IP Address:

Most significant byte	D3 -> 211
...	15 -> 21
...	C0 -> 192
Least significant byte	A8 -> 168

- Description – user text for better explanation of the tag.

To enter a description, click on Description cell. Edit box will appear:



Type the description and then confirm by pressing Enter or clicking outside the edit box area.

All subtags inherit typed description. Inherited descriptions show in grey. If you type a description of subtag, its color will change to black (for example AutoRun.4 subtag).



Tag Name	Alias For	Base Tag	Data Type	Init Value	Style	Description
AutoRun			SINT		6 Decimal	Automatically Run Mode
AutoRun.0			BOOL		0 Decimal	Automatically Run Mode
AutoRun.1			BOOL		1 Decimal	Automatically Run Mode
AutoRun.2			BOOL		1 Decimal	Automatically Run Mode
AutoRun.3			BOOL		0 Decimal	Automatically Run Mode
AutoRun.4			BOOL		0 Decimal	Run Step 2
AutoRun.5			BOOL		0 Decimal	Automatically Run Mode
AutoRun.6			BOOL		0 Decimal	Automatically Run Mode
AutoRun.7			BOOL		0 Decimal	Automatically Run Mode
*						

### 2.3 Create an Array

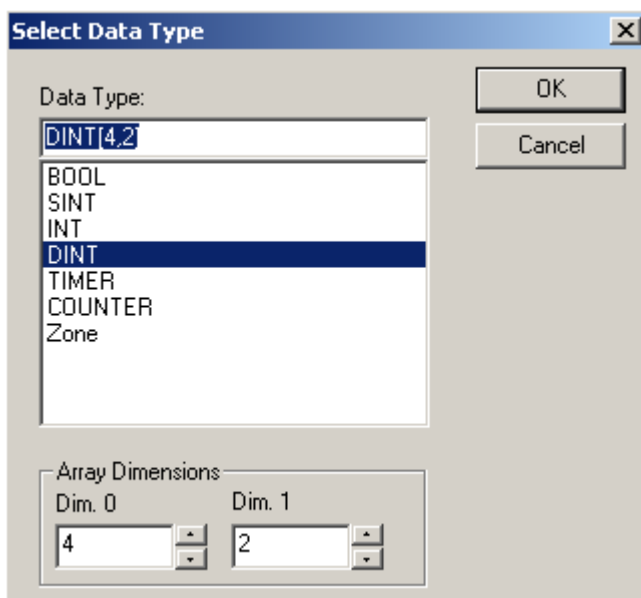
Array is a tag that contains a block of multiple pieces of data. Within an array, each individual piece of data is called an element. Each element uses the same data type.

An array tag occupies a contiguous block of memory in the controller, each element in sequence.

The Data may be organized into a block of 1 or 2 dimensions array.

An element within the array starts at 0 and extends to the number of elements minus 1 (zero based).

To create an array, click on Data Type cell of an existing tag. Select Data Type dialog will open. Choose Data Type and type the array dimensions.





Dim. 1 is the number of elements in the first dimension. If Dim.1 is zero, the next dimensions are disabled (grayed).

Dim. 2 is the number of elements in the second dimension. Choose OK button to confirm changes.

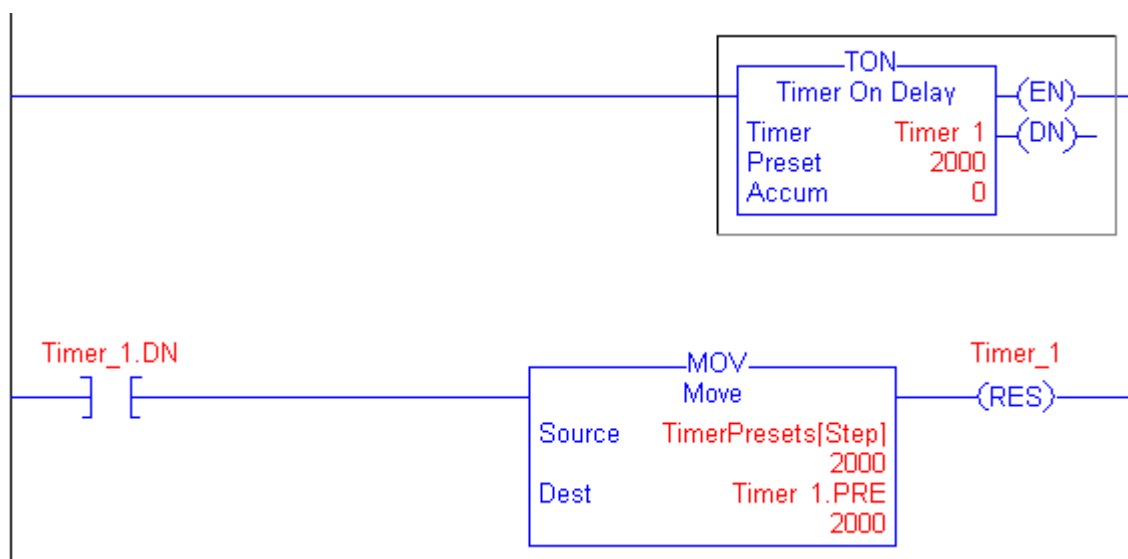
ConveyLogix and controllers can index arrays.

**Example:** Single dimension array

In this example, a single timer instruction times the duration of several steps. Each step requires a different preset value. Because all the values are the same data type (DINTs) an array is used.

Scope: Main Program

Tag Name	Alias For	Base Tag	Data Type	Init Value	Style	Description
Step			SINT	0	Decimal	
Timer_1			TIMER	{...}		
TimerPresets			DINT[4]	{...}		
TimerPresets[0]			DINT	2000	Decimal	
TimerPresets[1]			DINT	3000	Decimal	
TimerPresets[2]			DINT	4000	Decimal	
TimerPresets[3]			DINT	5000	Decimal	
*						





On MOV instruction Source operand indexes TimerPresets tag by Step. When Step = 0, TON instruction accumulate time to TimerPresets[0] = 2000 milliseconds. When Step = 1, TON instruction accumulate time to TimerPresets[1] = 3000 milliseconds and vice versa.

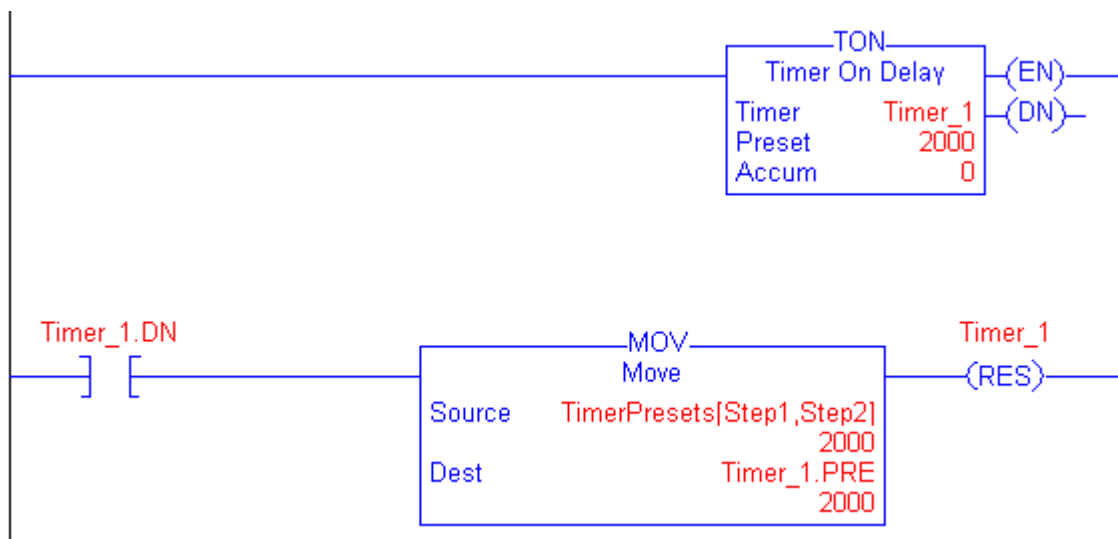
When Step is out of TimerPresets index range (Step < 0 or Step > 3), MOV instruction doesn't execute (rung-condition-out is false).

**Example:** Two dimension array

In this example, a single timer instruction times the duration of Step\_1 and Step\_2. Each pair of steps requires a different preset value.

Scope: Main Program

Tag Name	Alias For	Base Tag	Data Type	Init Value	Style	Description
Step1			SINT	0	Decimal	
Step2			SINT	0	Decimal	
Timer_1			TIMER	{...}		
TimerPresets			DINT[4,2]	{...}		
TimerPresets[0,0]			DINT	2000	Decimal	
TimerPresets[0,1]			DINT	3000	Decimal	
TimerPresets[1,0]			DINT	4000	Decimal	
TimerPresets[1,1]			DINT	5000	Decimal	
TimerPresets[2,0]			DINT	6000	Decimal	
TimerPresets[2,1]			DINT	7000	Decimal	
TimerPresets[3,0]			DINT	8000	Decimal	
TimerPresets[3,1]			DINT	9000	Decimal	



On MOV instruction Source operand indexes TimerPresets tag by Step1 and Step2.

When Step1 = 0 and Step2 = 0, TON instruction accumulate time to TimerPresets[0,0] = 2000 milliseconds. When Step1 = 0 and Step2 = 1, TON instruction accumulate time to TimerPresets[0,1] = 3000 milliseconds and vice versa.

When Step1 is out of TimerPresets first index range (Step1 < 0 or Step1 > 3) or Step2 is out of TimerPresets second index range (Step2 < 0 or Step2 > 1), MOV instruction doesn't execute (rung-condition-out is false).

## 2.4 Assign Alias Tags

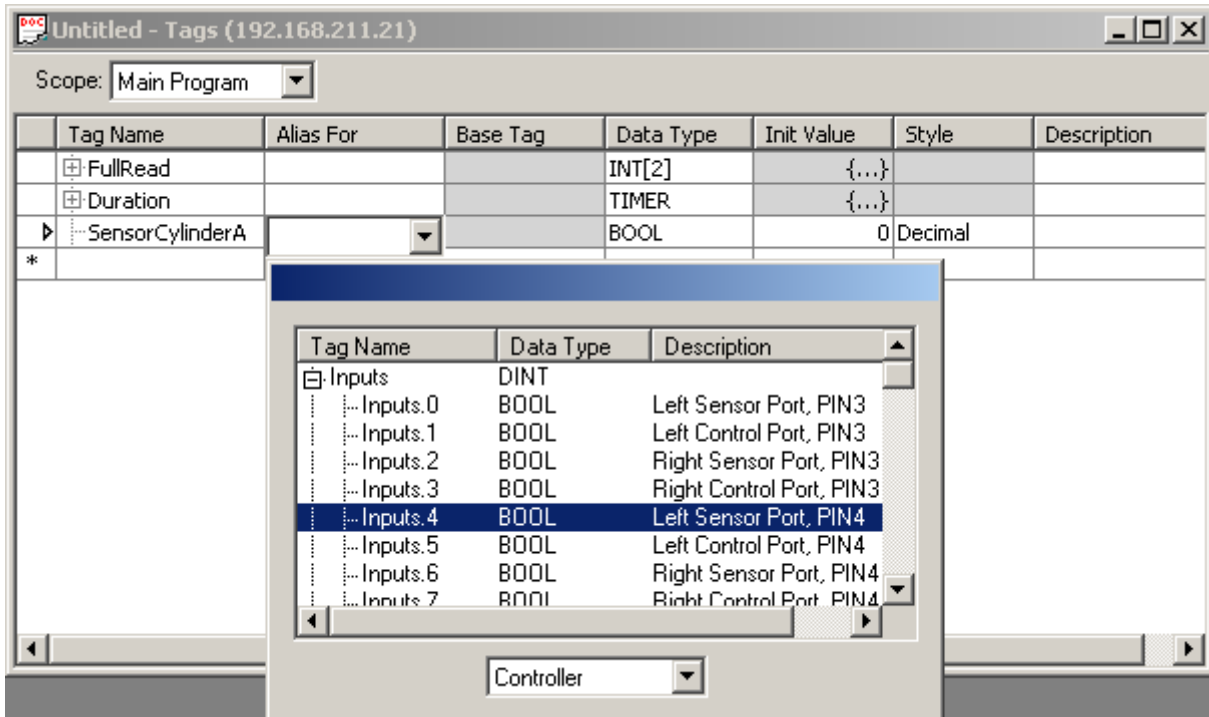
An alias tag lets you create one tag that represents another tag. Both tags share the same value. When the value of one of the tags changes, the other tag reflects the change as well.

Use aliases in the following situations:

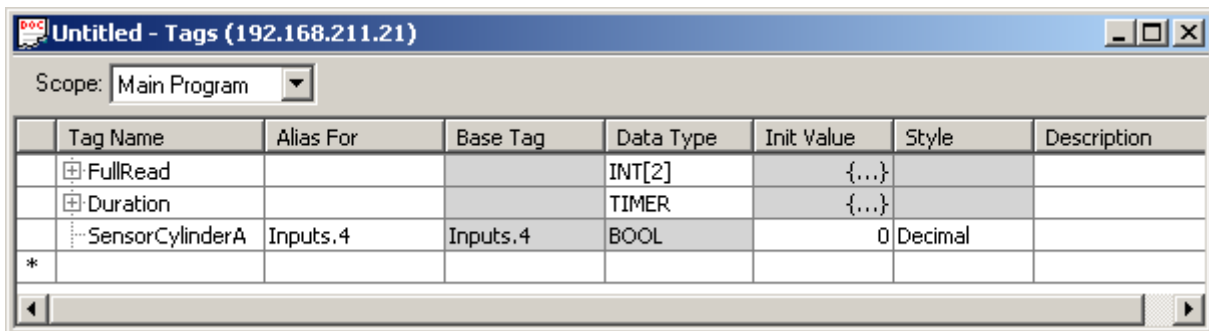
- Program logic in advance of wiring diagrams.
- Assign a descriptive name to controller I/O.
- Provide a simpler name for a complex tag.
- Use a descriptive name for an element of an array.

The tags window displays alias information. Aliases may be assigned only for Main Program tags.

To assign an alias, click on *Alias For* cell to desired tag. Combo-box will appear. Type tag name or open the combo-box to choose a tag from existing. For example, change the scope to Controller, click sign "+" on Inputs tag and select Inputs.4.



Double-click on Inputs.4 and then press Enter or click outside the combo-box.



Alias For shows the name of chosen tag. Base Tag shows the original tag. Data Type and Init Value are the values of Base Tag (in this example are on Input.4). If you change the Init Value of SensorCylinderA, you exactly change the Init Value of Input.4.

This example shows how to assign a descriptive name to controller I/O.

If you type an non-existent tag name for Alias For, the sign “X” will show in first column.

	Tag Name	Alias For	Base Tag	Data Type	Init Value	Style	Description
	FullRead			INT[2]	{...}		
	Duration			TIMER	{...}		
X	SensorCylinderA	Start					
*							

Use the steps above to assign the next tags aliases.

	Tag Name	Alias For	Base Tag	Data Type	Init Value	Style	Description
	FullRead			INT[2]	{...}		
	Duration			TIMER	{...}		
	SensorCylinderA	Inputs.4	Inputs.4	BOOL	0	Decimal	
	CylinderA	Outputs.4	Outputs.4	BOOL	0	Decimal	
	Preset	Duration.PRE	Duration.PRE	DINT	0	Decimal	
	FullReadA	FullRead[0]	FullRead[0]	INT	0	Decimal	
*							

- CylinderA shows how to assign a descriptive name to controller I/O.
- Preset shows how to provide a simpler name for a complex tag.
- FullReadA is a descriptive name for an element of an array.

## 2.5 Non-Volatile Tag

Non-volatile tags are power independent tags. They use the part of controller’s Flash memory. After power-up controller cycle, the values of non-volatile tags remain unchanged.

Non-volatile tags are supported only for ConveyLinx controller.

Size of all Non-volatile tags must not exceed 96 bytes.

Only Main Program tags may be non-volatile.

To make an existing tag as non-volatile, right-click on cell at the first column. The next menu appears:



Example.clp - Tags (192.168.211.21)

Scope: Main Program

	Tag Name	Alias For	Base Tag	Data Type	Init Value	Style	Description
	Run			BOOL	0	Decimal	
	Duration			TIMER	{...}		
	Phase			INT	0	Decimal	
	Holding			SINT	0	Decimal	
	HoldingFirst	Holding.0	Holding.0	BOOL	0	Decimal	

Non-volatile

Choose Non-volatile menu.

Example.clp - Tags (192.168.211.21)

Scope: Main Program

	Tag Name	Alias For	Base Tag	Data Type	Init Value	Style	Description
	Run			BOOL	0	Decimal	
	Duration			TIMER	{...}		
N	Phase			INT	0	Decimal	
	Holding			SINT	0	Decimal	
	HoldingFirst	Holding.0	Holding.0	BOOL	0	Decimal	

- Sign “N” in the first column shows that the tag is non-volatile.
- To make a non-volatile tag as ordinary, right-click on cell at the first column and select Non-volatile menu.

## 2.6 Produced and Consumed Tags

Produced and consumed tags are use to transfer data between controllers.

Produced tag sends data to another controller. Consumed tag receives data from another controller.

ConveyLogix Programmer supports up to four produced/consumed tags.

Information about produced/consumed tags is displayed in Tags View. To show it, change Scope to Controller.

Scope: Controller

	Tag Name	Alias For	Base Tag	Data Type	Init Value	Style	Descriptio ▲
	ServoResetRight			BOOL	0	Decimal	
	ServoCommandLeft			BOOL	0	Decimal	
	ServoCommandRight			BOOL	0	Decimal	
X	Tag1			SINT	0	Decimal	
X	Tag2			SINT	0	Decimal	
X	Tag3			SINT	0	Decimal	
X	Tag4			SINT	0	Decimal	

- When a produced/consumed tag is not used, the sign “X” is shown at the first column.
- To assign a produced/consumed tag, click on cell at the first column of Tag1. The next dialog box appears.

Connection Tag

IP Address:  OK Cancel

Type:

Not Used  
 Produced  
 Consumed

From/To:

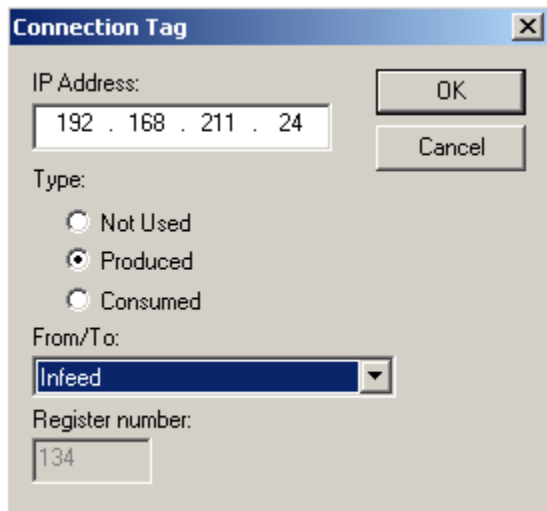
Register number:

- IP Address – IP Address of the controller, which is received/sent the data.
- Type – type of the connection.
- From/To – packet of data, which is received/sent. This field is enabled when Type of the connection is Produced/Consumed.
- Register number – the first local Modbus register of the packet of data. This field is disabled and is only for information in all cases, except the last. In the last case (Register number) this field is enabled. Allowed Modbus register numbers are form 1 up to 299 or greater and equal then 1100.

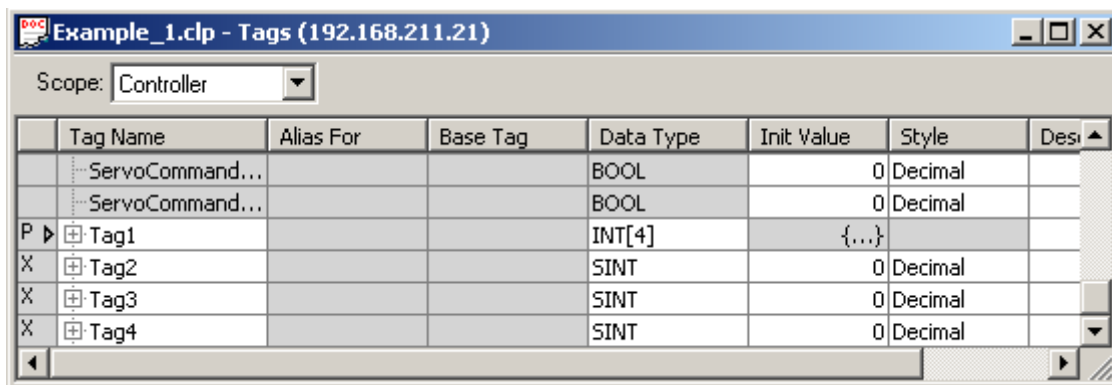


## 2.6.1 Assign a Produced Tag

To assign a produced tag (for example Tag1) fill the above dialog with the next data.



Press OK button. Then click on Data Type cell on Tag1 and select type INT and array Dimension 1 to 4. Press OK button.



In this example, Tag1 is a block of data with size 8 bytes. Our controller will send these 8 bytes to controller with IP Address 192.168.211.24 into Modbus registers 134 to 137 (8 bytes).

In the next table are shown starting Modbus registers of the controller, which will receive the data (in this example – 192.168.211.24). Size of the data depends of produced tag data type.

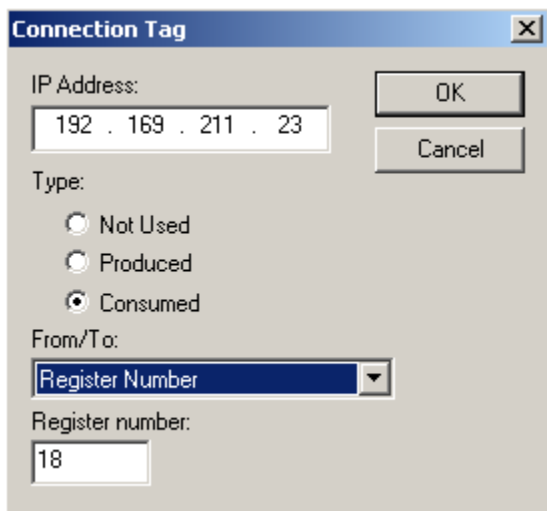


To	Starting Modbus register
<b>Accumulate/Release Up</b>	<b>104</b>
<b>Accumulate/Release Down</b>	<b>184</b>
<b>Infeed</b>	<b>134</b>
<b>Discharge</b>	<b>232</b>
<b>Register Number</b>	<b>User defined</b>

Size of the data of produced tag cannot exceed 32 bytes.

### 2.6.2 Assign a Consumed Tag

To assign a consumed tag (for example Tag2) fill the above dialog with the next data.



Press OK button. Then click on Data Type cell on Tag2 and select type INT.



	Tag Name	Alias For	Base Tag	Data Type	Init Value	Style	Desi
	ServoCommand...			BOOL	0	Decimal	
	ServoCommand...			BOOL	0	Decimal	
P	Tag1			INT[4]	{...}		
C	Tag2			INT	0	Decimal	
X	Tag3			SINT	0	Decimal	
X	Tag4			SINT	0	Decimal	

In this example, Tag2 is a block of data with size 2 bytes. Our controller will receive these 2 bytes from controller with IP Address 192.168.211.23 from Modbus registers 18 (2 bytes).

In the next table are shown starting Modbus registers of the controller, which will send the data (in this example – 192.168.211.24). Size of the data depends of produced tag data type.

To	Starting Modbus register
<b>Accumulate/Release Up</b>	<b>106</b>
<b>Accumulate/Release Down</b>	<b>186</b>
<b>Upstream Zone</b>	<b>116</b>
<b>Downstream Zone</b>	<b>190</b>
<b>Register Number</b>	<b>User defined</b>

Size of the data of produced tag can not exceed 32 bytes.

You may change Tag Name, Data Type, Init Value, Style and Description in the same way as normal tags.

## 2.7 Delete a Tag

Click on cell at the first column of tag, which you want to delete. Sing “P” will appear.

Scope: Main Program

	Tag Name	Alias For	Base Tag	Data Type	Init Value	Style	Descriptor ▲
	Run			BOOL	0	Decimal	
+	Duration			TIMER	{...}		
▶	Phase			INT	0	Decimal	
+	Holding			SINT	0	Decimal	
	HoldingFirst	Holding.0	Holding.0	BOOL	0	Decimal	

This sign indicate that this tag is currently selected. To delete a selected tag, press Del key. Conformation message will appear.



## 3.0 Program Ladder Logic

### 3.1 Definitions

Before you write or enter ladder logic, review the following terms:

- Instruction

You organize ladder logic as rungs on a ladder and put instructions on each rung. There are two basic types of instructions:

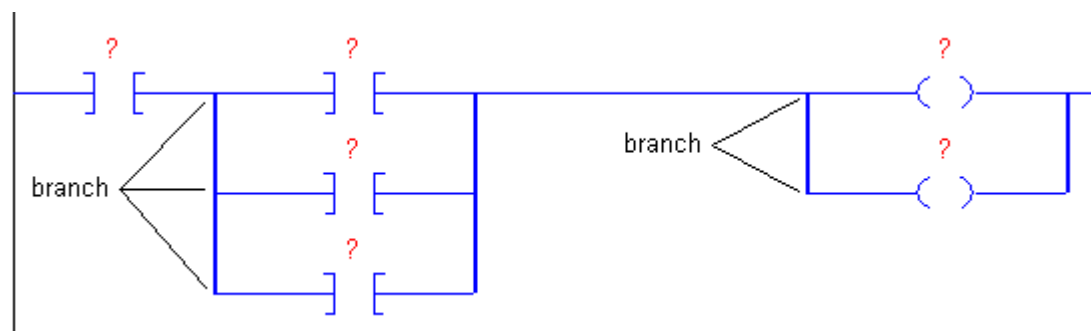
- Input instruction - An instruction that checks, compares, or examines specific conditions in your machine or process.

- Output instruction - An instruction that takes some action, such as turn on a device, turn off a device, copy data, or calculate a value.

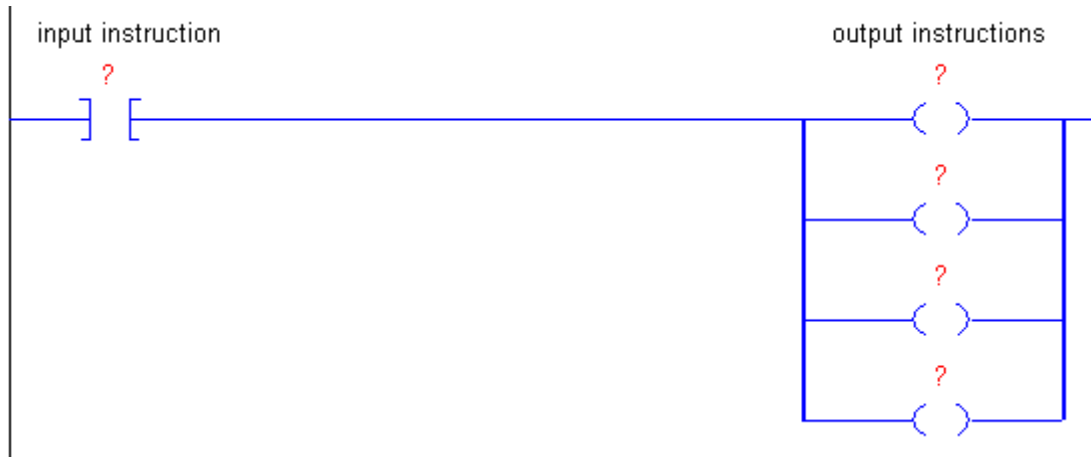


- Branch

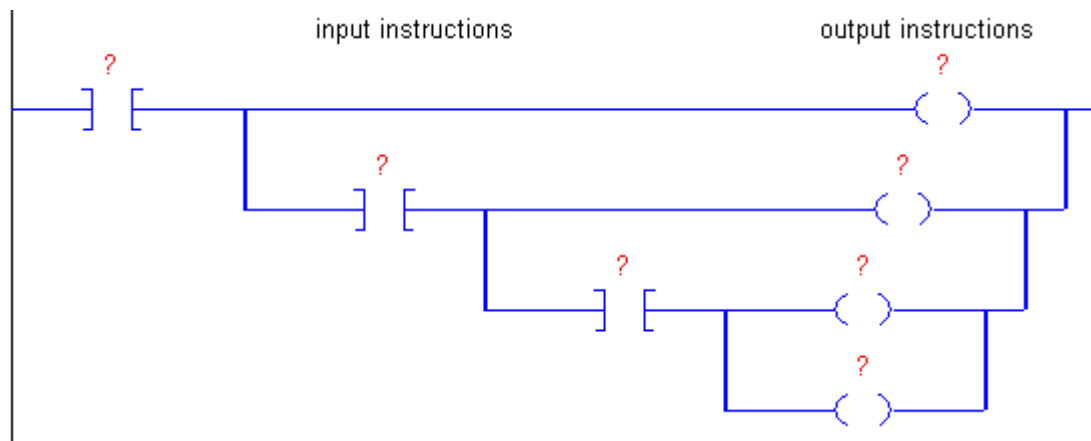
A branch is two or more instructions in parallel.



There is no limit to the number of parallel branch levels that you can enter. The following figure shows a parallel branch with four levels. The main rung is the first branch level, followed by three additional branches.

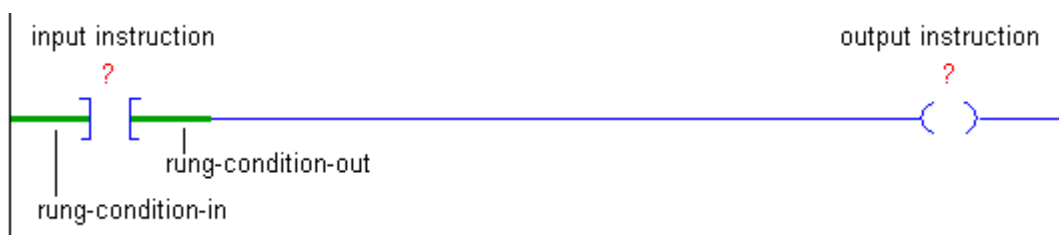


You can nest branches to levels. The following figure shows a nested branch. The bottom output instruction is on a nested branch that is three levels deep.



- Rung Condition

The controller evaluates ladder instructions based on the rung condition preceding the instruction (rung-condition-in). Based on the rung-condition-in and the instruction, the controller sets the rung condition following the instruction (rung-condition-out), which in turn, affects any subsequent instruction.



Only input instructions affect the rung-condition-in of subsequent instructions on the rung:

If the rung-condition-in to an input instruction is true, the controller evaluates the instruction and sets the rung-condition-out to match the results of the evaluation.

If the instruction evaluates to true, the rung-condition-out is true.

If the instruction evaluates to false, the rung-condition-out is false.

An output instruction does not change the rung-condition-out.

If the rung-condition-in to an output instruction is true, the rung-condition-out is set to true.

If the rung-condition-in to an output instruction is false, the rung-condition-out is set to false.

- Prescan

The controller also prescans instructions. Prescan is a special scan of all routines in the controller. The controller scans all main routines during prescan, but ignores jumps that could skip the execution of instructions. The controller uses prescan of relay ladder instructions to reset non-retentive I/O and internal values.

During prescan, input values are not current and outputs are not written. The following conditions generate prescan:

- Toggle from Program to Run mode.
- Automatically enter Run mode from a power-up condition.

Prescan does not occur for a program when:

- The program becomes scheduled while the controller is running.
- The program is unscheduled when the controller enters Run mode.

## **3.2 Write Ladder Logic**

To develop your ladder logic, perform the following actions:

- Choose the Required Instructions;
- Arrange the Input Instructions;
- Arrange the Output Instructions;
- Choose a Tag Name for an Operand(s).

Separate the conditions to check from the action to take. Choose the appropriate input instruction for each condition and the appropriate output instruction for each action.

To choose specific instructions, see Chapter 4.



The examples in this chapter use two simple instructions to help you learn how to write ladder logic. The rules that you learn for these instructions apply to all other instructions.

Symbol	Name	Mnemonic	Description						
	Examine If Closed	XIC	<p>An input instruction that looks at one bit of data.</p> <table border="1"> <thead> <tr> <th>If the bit is:</th> <th>Then the instruction (rung-condition-out) is:</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>on (1)</td> <td>true</td> </tr> <tr> <td>off (0)</td> <td>false</td> </tr> </tbody> </table>	If the bit is:	Then the instruction (rung-condition-out) is:	on (1)	true	off (0)	false
If the bit is:	Then the instruction (rung-condition-out) is:								
on (1)	true								
off (0)	false								
	Output Energize	OTE	<p>An output instruction that controls one bit of data.</p> <table border="1"> <thead> <tr> <th>If the instructions to the left (rung-condition-in) are:</th> <th>Then the instruction turns the bit:</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>true</td> <td>on (1)</td> </tr> <tr> <td>false</td> <td>off (0)</td> </tr> </tbody> </table>	If the instructions to the left (rung-condition-in) are:	Then the instruction turns the bit:	true	on (1)	false	off (0)
If the instructions to the left (rung-condition-in) are:	Then the instruction turns the bit:								
true	on (1)								
false	off (0)								

### 3.2.1 Arrange the Input Instructions

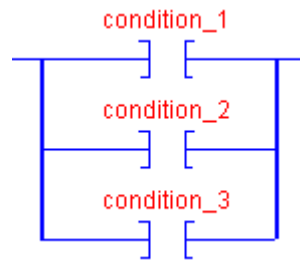
Arrange the input instructions on a rung using the following table.

To check multiple input conditions when:	Arrange the input instructions:
all conditions must be met in order to take action	In series:
For example, If condition_1 AND condition_2 AND condition_3...	
any one of several conditions must be met in order	In parallel:



to take action

For example, If condition\_1 OR condition\_2 OR condition\_3...



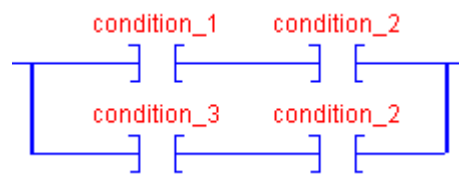
there is a combination of the above

For example, If condition\_1 AND condition\_2...

OR

If condition\_3 AND condition\_2...

In combination:



### 3.2.2 Arrange the Output Instructions

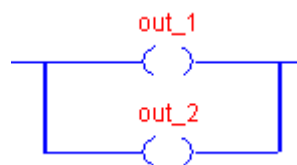
Place at least one output instruction to the right of the input instructions. You can enter multiple output instructions per rung of logic, as follows:

**Option:**

**Example:**

sequence on the rung (serial)

branches (parallel)

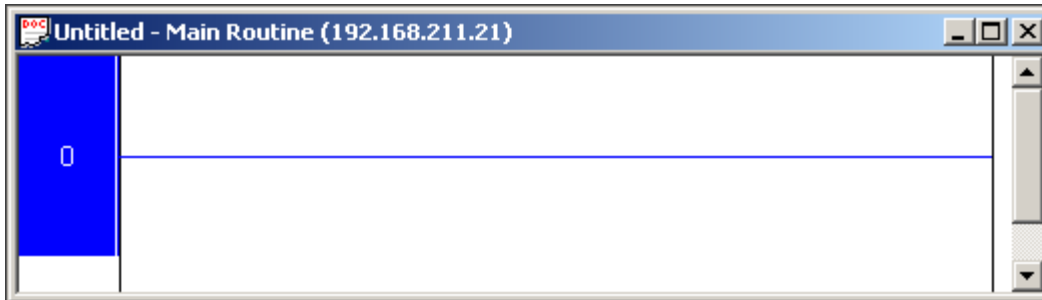


between input instructions, as long as

the last instruction on the rung is an output instruction

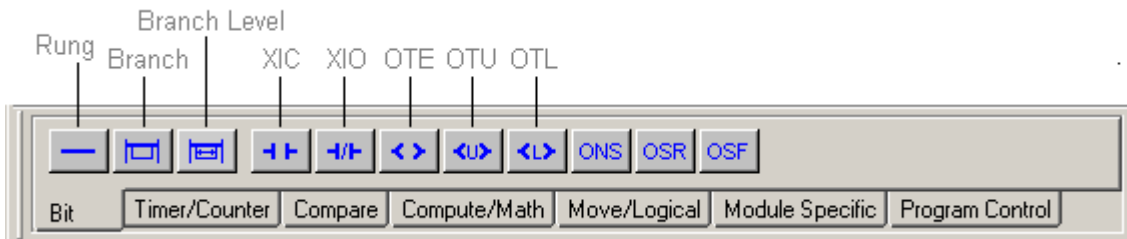
## 3.3 Enter Ladder Logic

A new routine contains a rung that is ready for instructions.



When rung is selected, the cursor is blue. When you add an instruction or branch, it appears to the right of the cursor.

Use the Instruction Bar to add a ladder logic element to your routine.



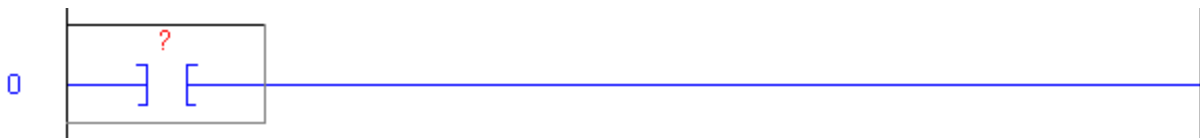
### 3.3.1 Append an Element

There is three ways to append an element:

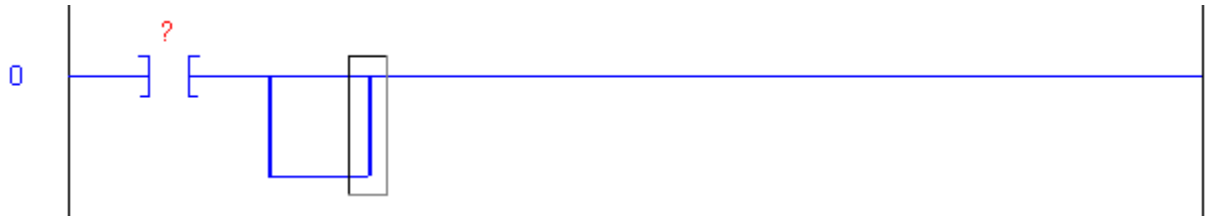
- using buttons from Instruction Bar;
- drag & drop an existing element;
- copy and paste an existing element.

**Example:** This example shows how to append elements, using methods above.

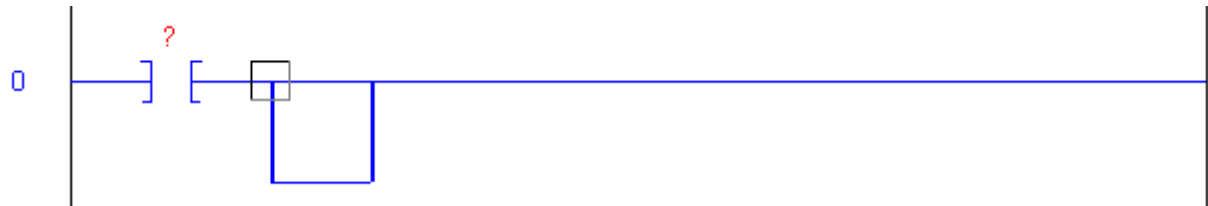
Click on XIC button from Instruction Bar.



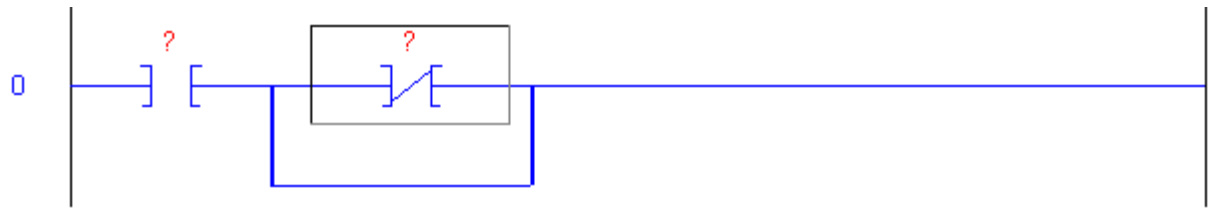
XIC element is appended and cursor is positioned around it. To add a parallel combination after selected XIC, click on Branch button.



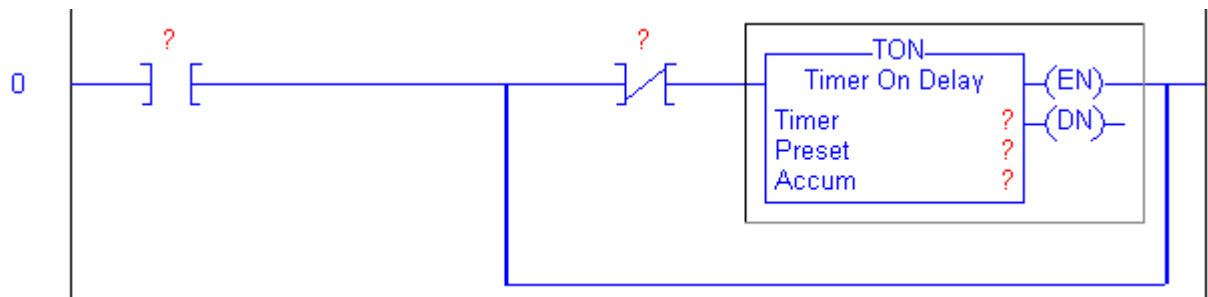
To append elements on first branch select on the beginning of the first branch.



Click on XIO button from Instruction Bar.



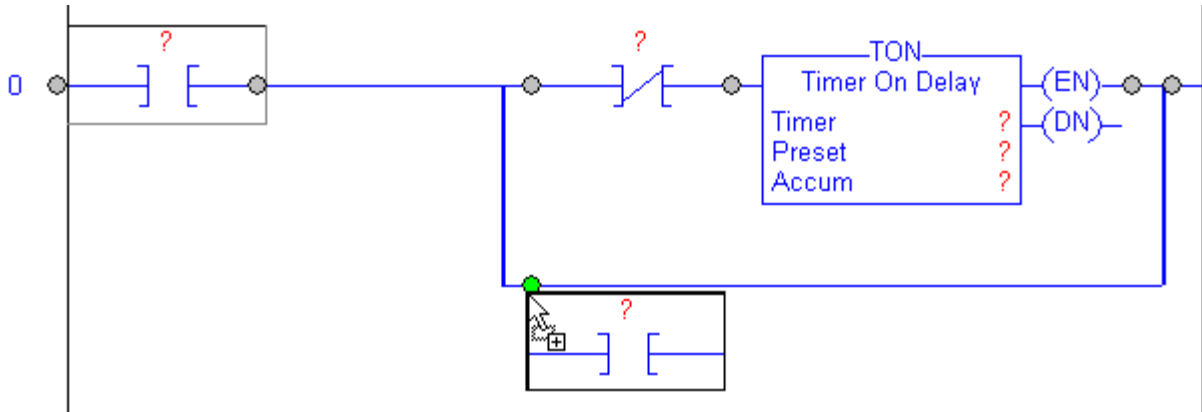
To append Timer On Delay element, select Timer/Counter tab from Instruction Bar and then click on TON button. Now parallel combination is on the left part on Ladder View because contains only input instruction.



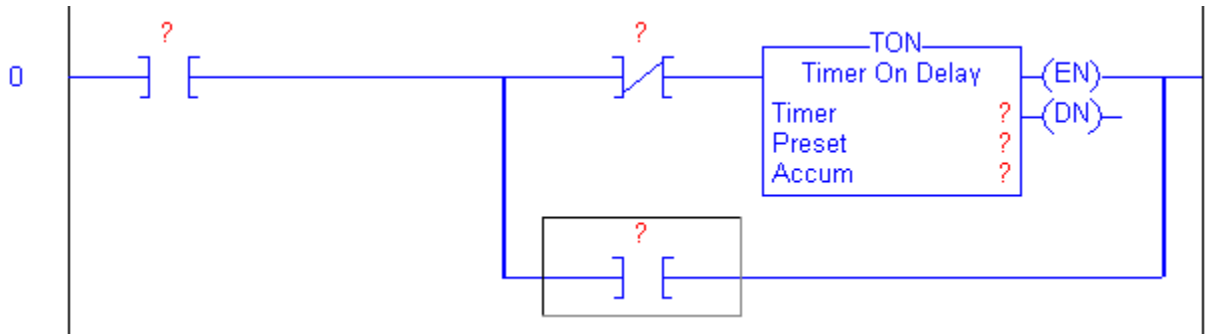
The last instruction in parallel combination is output instruction (TON) therefore parallel combination is placed on the left part on Ladder View.



Now XIC element will copy on the second branch by drag & drop operation. Select XIC element. Press left mouse button inside the selection, press CTRL key and then drag mouse. The cursor will change as on picture below.



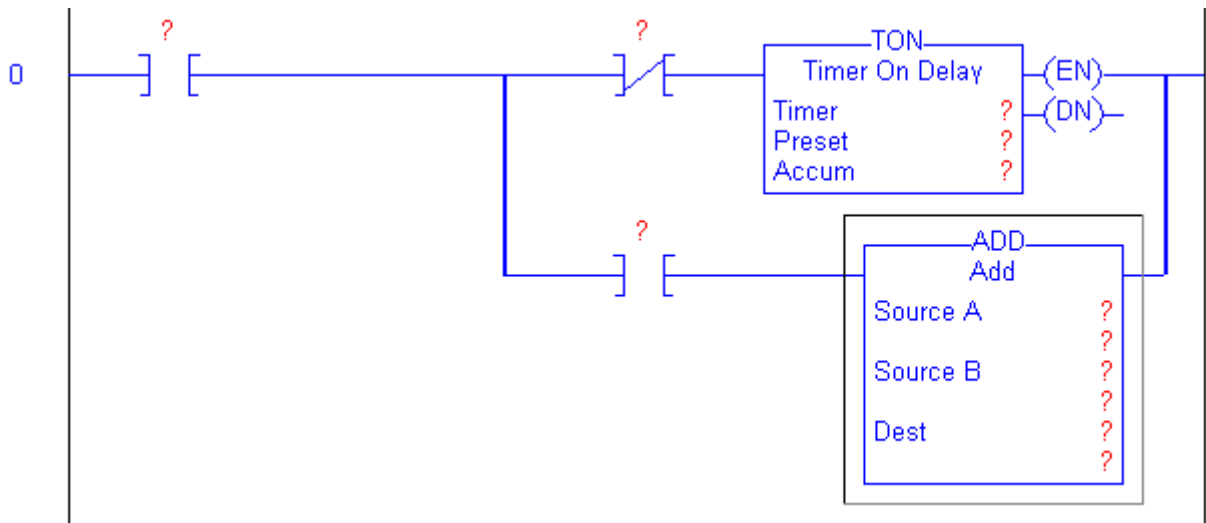
Grey circles show the possible places to copy the element. Grey circle is the chosen place. Release left mouse button on the beginning on the second branch.



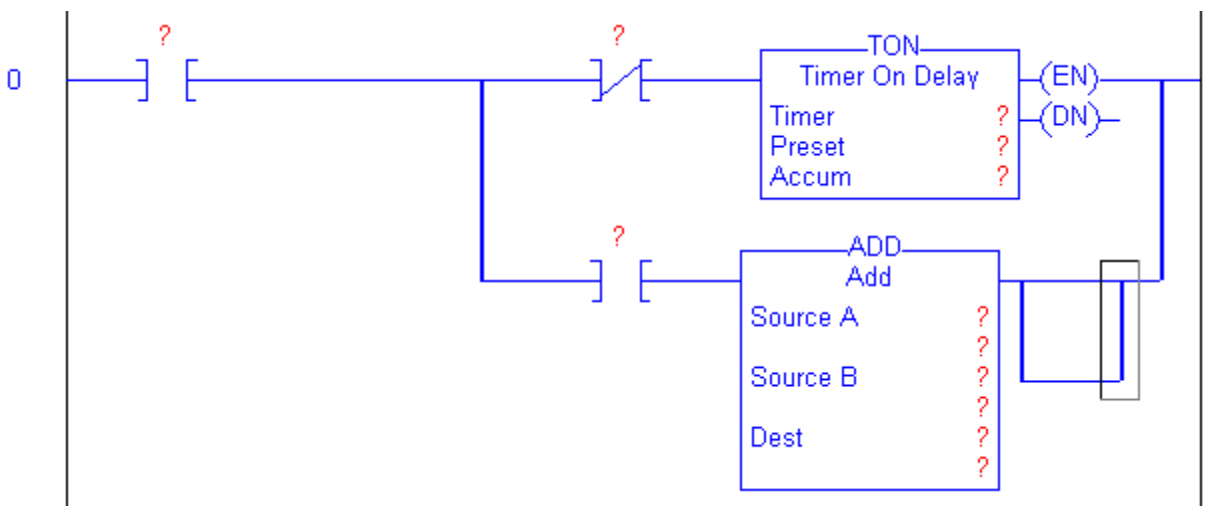
XIC element will copy on the beginning on the second branch.

If Ctrl key is not pressed, the selected element will move to chosen place.

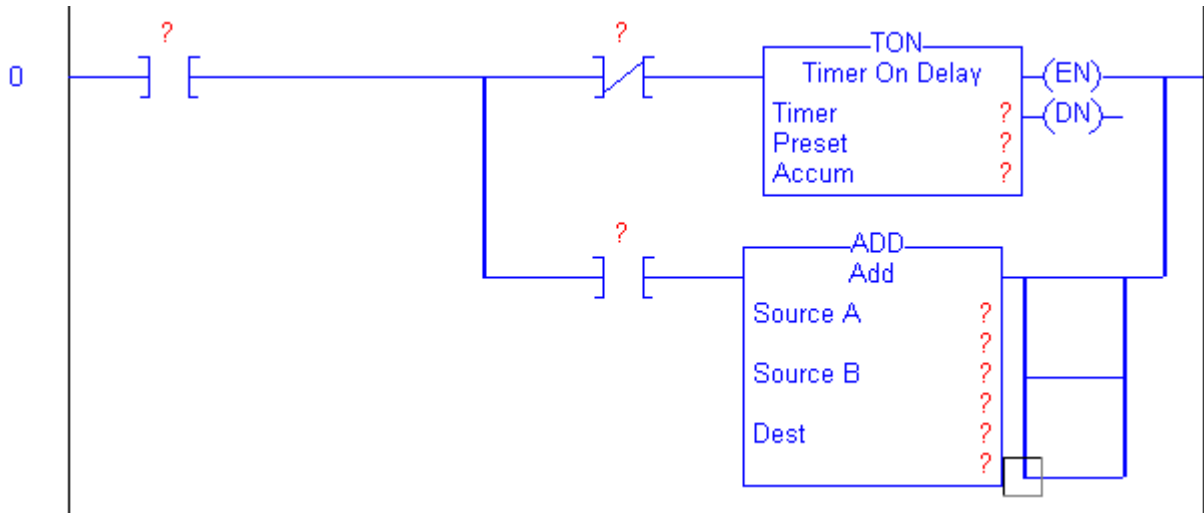
To append Add element, select Compute/Math tab from Instruction Bar and then click on ADD button.



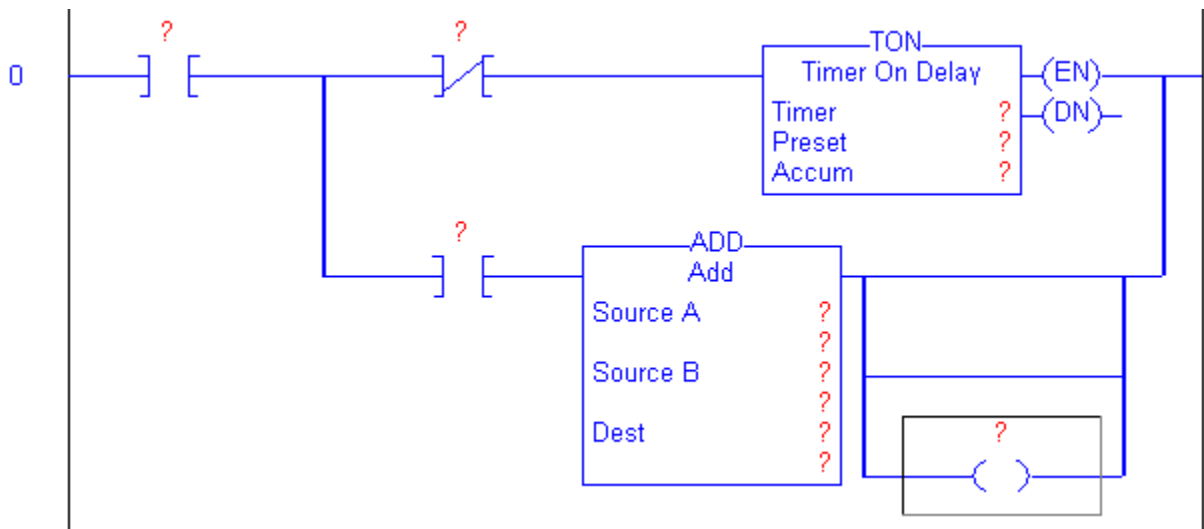
Click Branch button to add a parallel combinations after Add element.



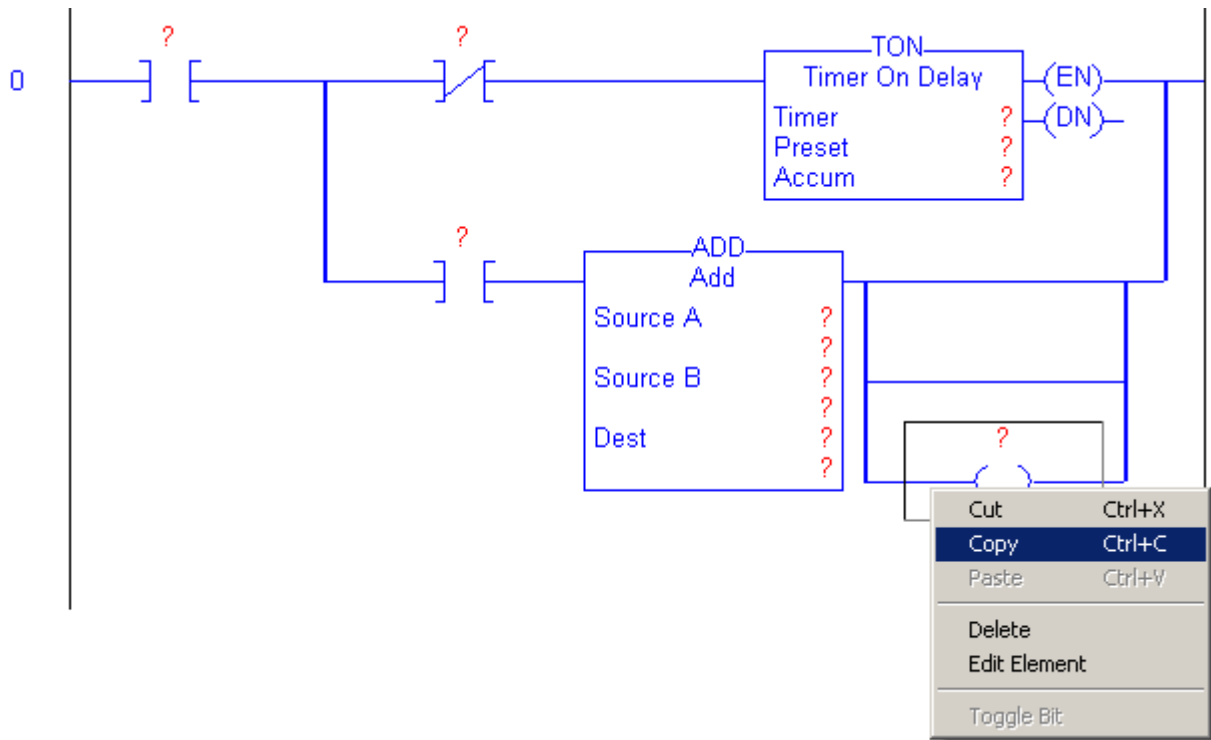
Then select on the beginning of any branch (for example of the second branch). Click on Branch Level button to append a branch. Branch is appended after the branch which element is selected.



Change Instruction Bar tab again to Bits and click on OTE button.

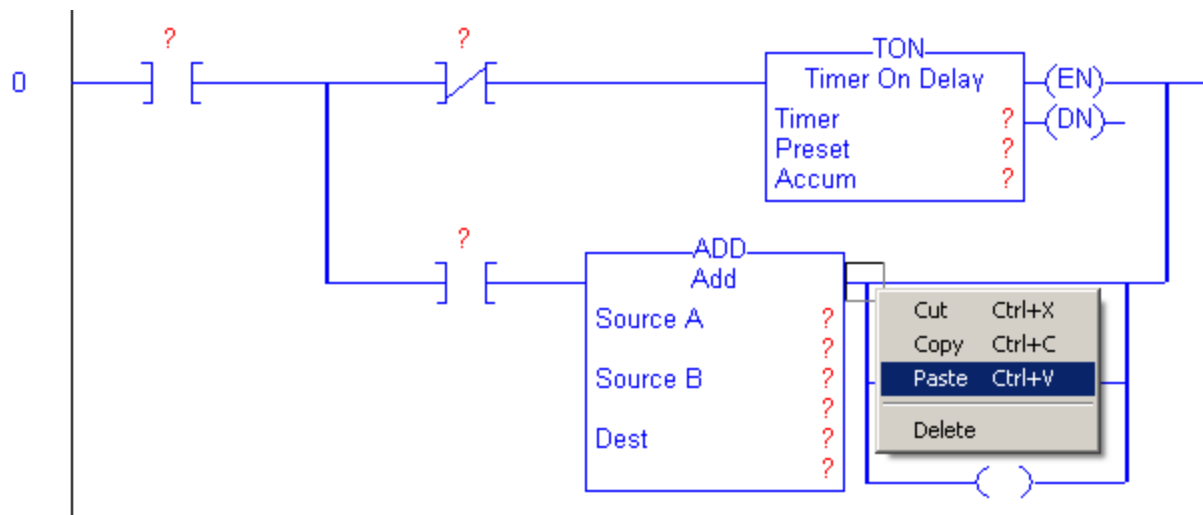


Now OTE elements will append by Copy/Paste operation. Right click on OTE element. The next menu will show:



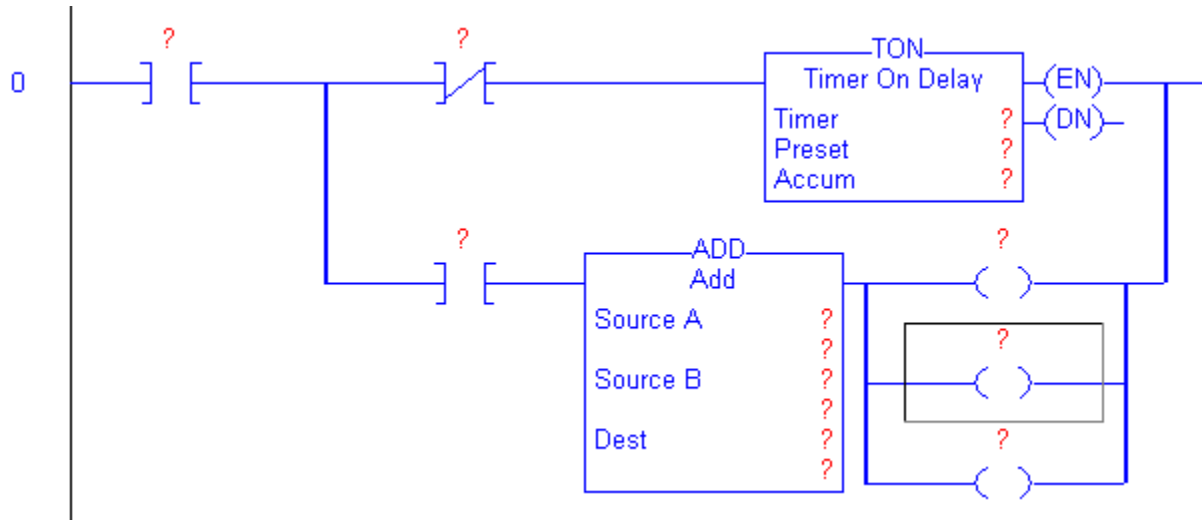
Click on menu Copy. OTE element copies into Clipboard.

Select the beginning of the first branch and right click in selection area.



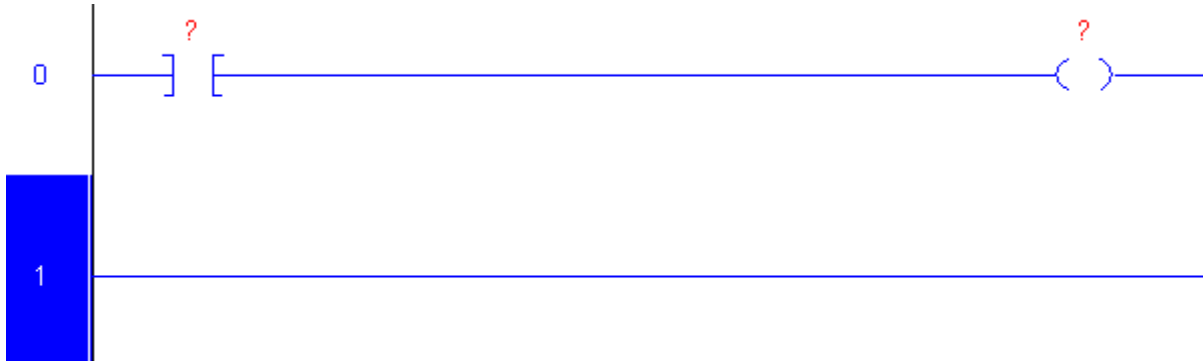
Click on menu Paste. OTE element copies from Clipboard.

Do the same to append OTE element on the second branch.



### 3.3.2 Append a Rung

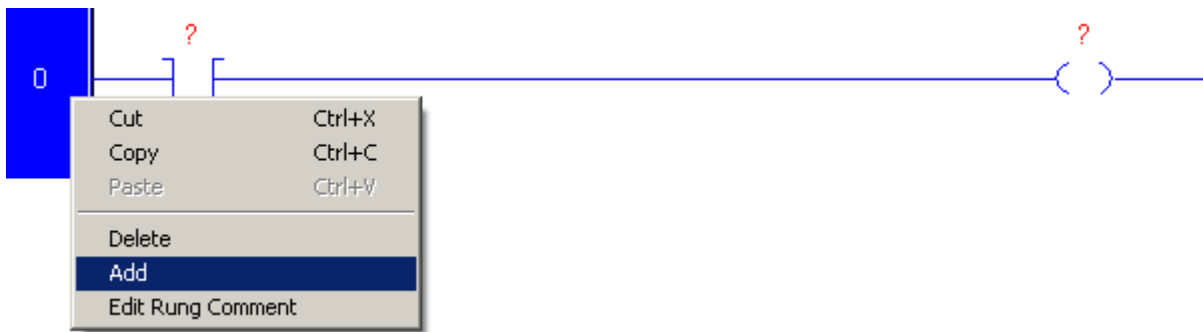
To append a rung, click on button Rung from Instruction Bar.



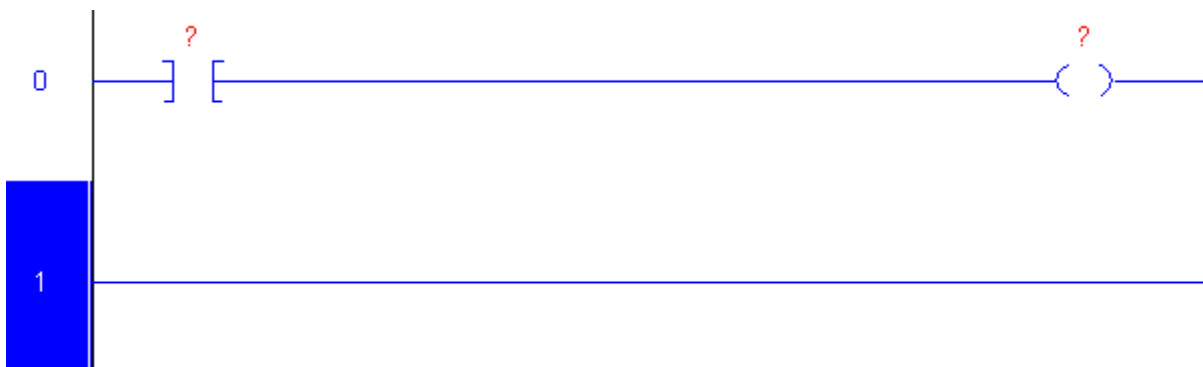
In this example rung will append on the end on ladder logic. Rung appends/insert after rung where the selected element is.

There is a second way to append a rung. Right-click on the rectangle before input power line of the desired rung and select Add menu.





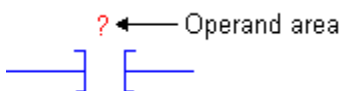
The new Rung (1) will append after the selected (0).



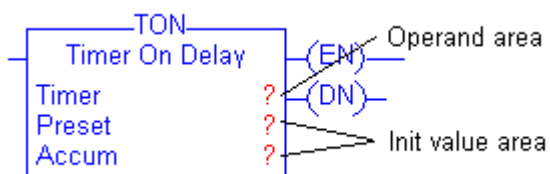
### 3.4 Assign Operands

Every element has one to three operands. Every operand has an operand area.

Most usable bit instructions (like XIC, XIO, OTE, OTU and OTL) have only one operand.

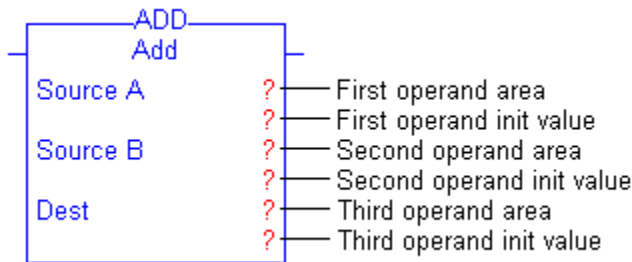


Timers and counters also have one operand.

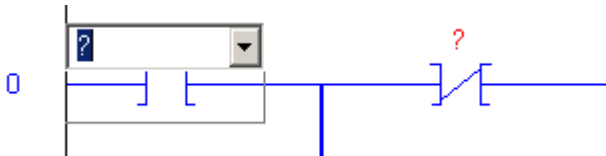




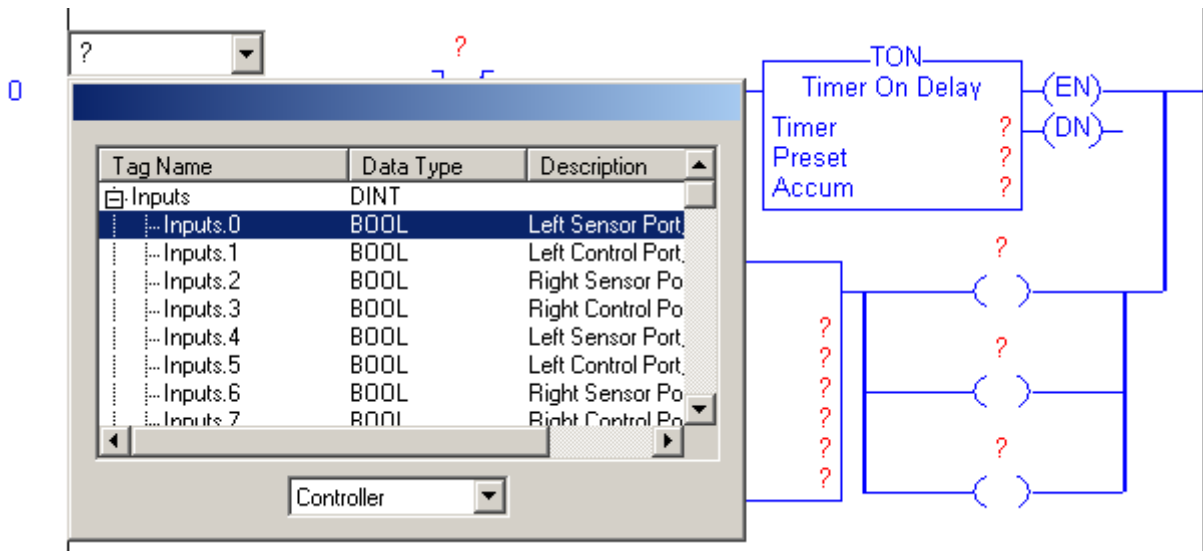
Mathematical elements (ADD, SUB, MUL and DIV) have three operands.



Unassigned operand is represents by red "?". To assign an operand double-click on operand area.

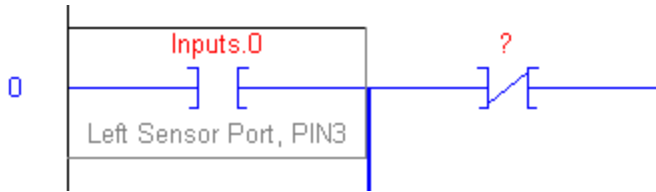


Type the operand name or open the combo-box to select the name from existing tags.



Because in example has no entering tags change the scope to Controller (combo-box at the bottom), open Inputs tag and select for example Inputs.0. Double-click on it or press Enter.

Tag name will put on the operand edit box. Click outside or press Enter to confirm operand name.



Inputs.0 is appeared in operand area. Tag’s description is shown bellow the element (if any).

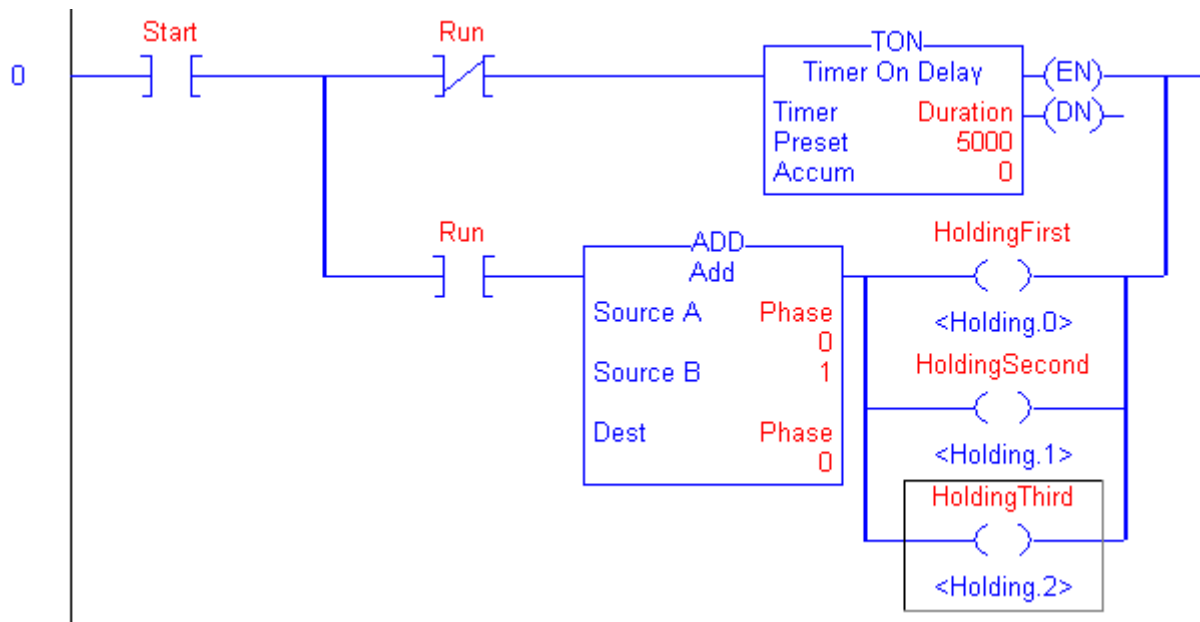
Now we will open Tags View and will created tag for this example usage.

Example.clp - Tags (192.168.211.21)

Scope: Main Program

Tag Name	Alias For	Base Tag	Data Type	Init Value	Style	Description
Run			BOOL	0	Decimal	
Duration			TIMER	{...}		
Duration.PRE			DINT	5000	Decimal	
Duration.ACC			DINT	0	Decimal	
Duration.EN			BOOL	0	Decimal	
Duration.TT			BOOL	0	Decimal	
Duration.DN			BOOL	0	Decimal	
Phase			INT	0	Decimal	
Holding			SINT	0	Decimal	
HoldingFirst	Holding.0	Holding.0	BOOL	0	Decimal	
HoldingSecond	Holding.1	Holding.1	BOOL	0	Decimal	
HoldingThird	Holding.2	Holding.2	BOOL	0	Decimal	
Start			BOOL	0	Decimal	
*						

Assign tags to element as a picture below.



Operands for XIC and XIO elements are tags with BOOL type.

TON has only one operand – Duration, which is a TIMER structure. Preset shows the init value of Duration.PRE element from Duration structure. Accum shows the Duration.ACC init value.

First operand (Source A) and Third operand (Dest) are tag Phase, which has INT type. For Second operand (Source B) is typed immediate (constant) value.

Tags for OTE elements in parallel are respectively HoldingFirst, HoldingSecond and HoldingThird. These tags are aliases and below the elements are shown base tag names.

If tag type is not supported to element operand, “?” symbol shows in init value area.

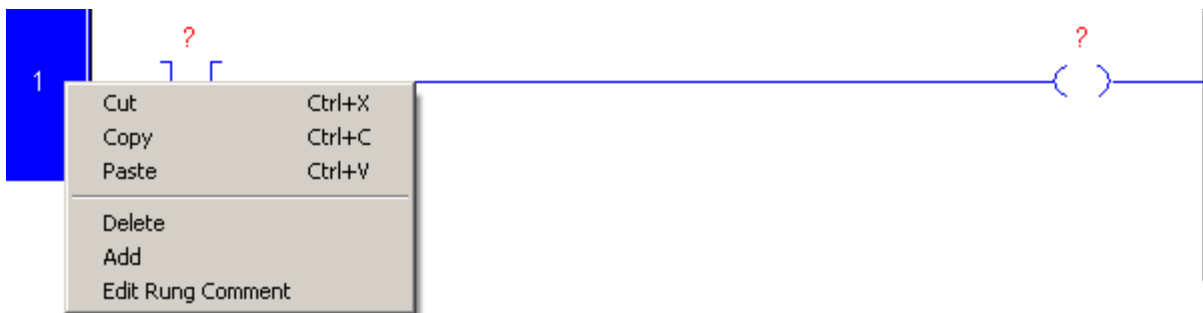
If operand is a constant, init value area below is hidden. If a constant is not in the type range, “?” symbol shows in init value area.

When init value for a tag is changed in Tags View, corresponding init values in Ladder View are refreshed immediately. Likewise, if init value in Ladder View is changed, it reflects to init value in Tags View.

### 3.5 Editing Ladder Logic

#### 3.5.1 Edit a Rung

Right-click in the rectangle before input power line of the desired rung. The next menu appears.



Use Cut or Copy menu to put the selected rung into Clipboard. When use cut operation, the selected rung deletes from the ladder logic.

Paste menu is enabled only when rung is put to Clipboard.

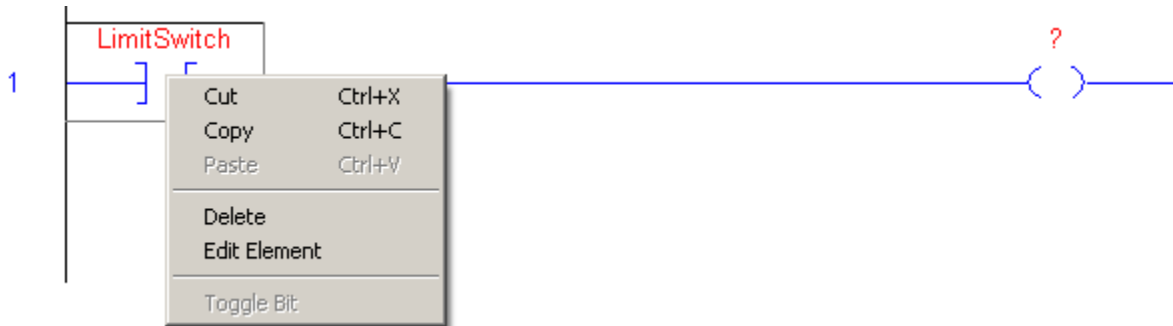
Cut, Copy and Paste menus are duplicated in Edit menu.

Select Delete menu to delete a rung.

There is a second way to delete a rung. Select a rung (right-click on the rectangle before input power line) and press Del key.

#### 3.5.2 Edit an Element

To edit an element, simply right-click on it. The next menu appears.



Use Cut or Copy menu to put the selected element into Clipboard. When use cut operation, the selected element deletes from the ladder logic.

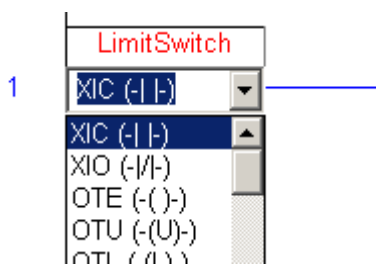
Paste menu is enabled only when element is put to Clipboard.

Cut, Copy and Paste menus are duplicated in Edit menu.

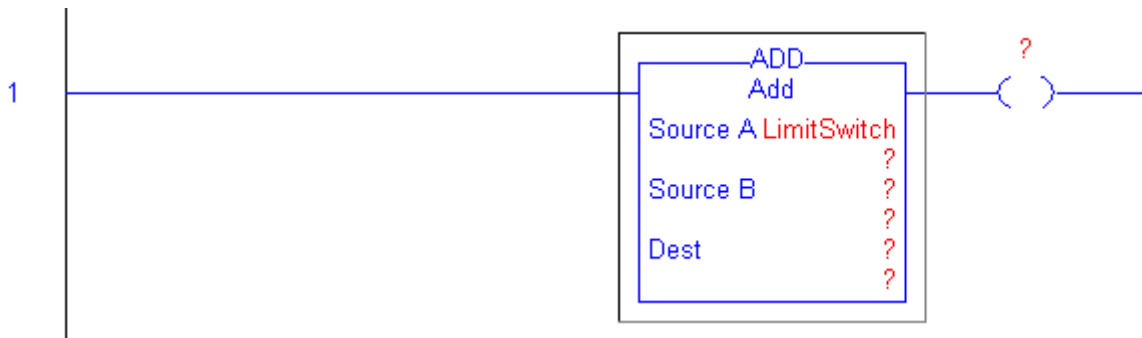
Select Delete menu to delete a rung.

The second way to delete an element is to select an element and press Del key.

To change an element instruction, select Edit Element menu. Combo-box with all supported instructions appears.

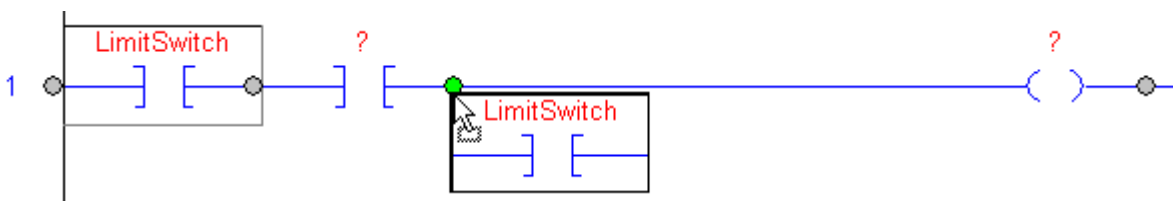


Select the desired instruction (for example ADD instruction) and click outside the combo-box or press Enter key. If you want to cancel the changing, press Esc key.

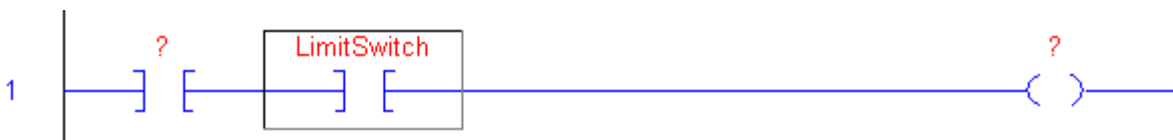


Operands from old instruction are copied to operands to the new instruction. Count of copied operands is equal of less count of operands of two instructions.

To move an element, click on it and drag over the ladder logic.

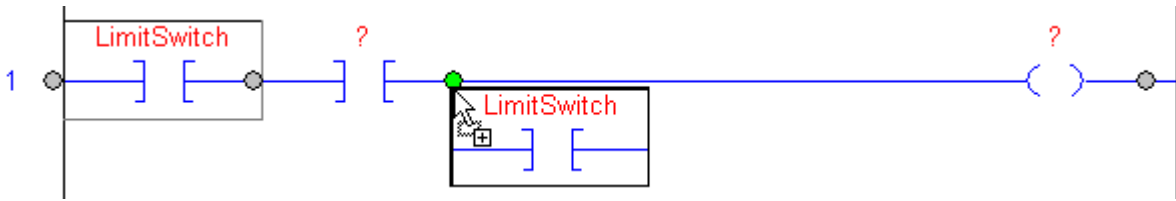


The grey circles show the possible places where you can move the dragged element. The current place is displayed in green circle. Drop the element by releasing the left mouse button.

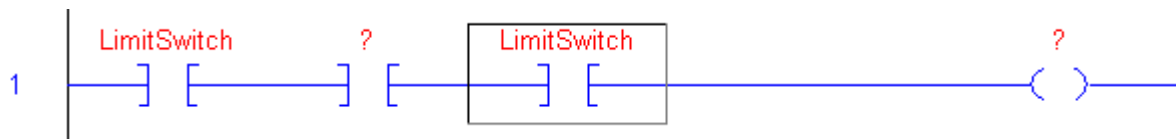


There is a way to copy an element by using drag & drop operation. In this way copied element doesn't put into Clipboard.

Press Ctrl key and then drag the element. Also, you may press Ctrl key during the drag operation (on the cursor displayed sign "+").



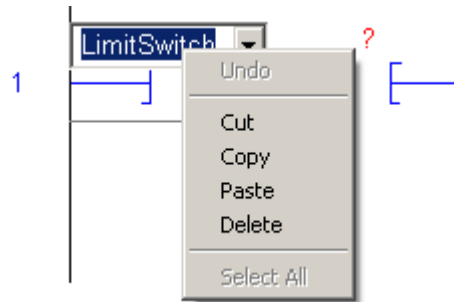
Drop the element.



### 3.5.3 Edit an Operand

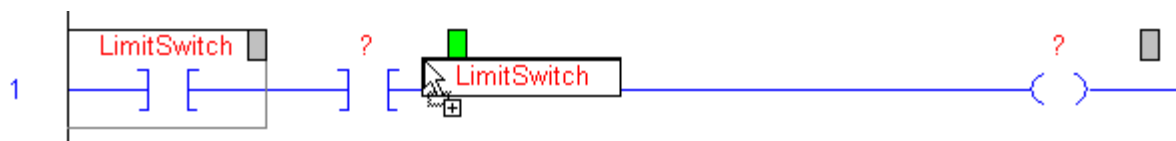
Editing an operand is performed by double-clicking on operand area as the same way, described in point 3.4.

You may cut, copy, paste and delete the text from/to operand edit-box using right-click menu commands.



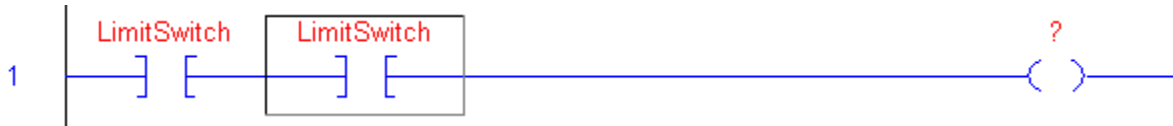
The second way to copy an operand is by using drag & drop operation.

Click on operand area and drag over the ladder logic.



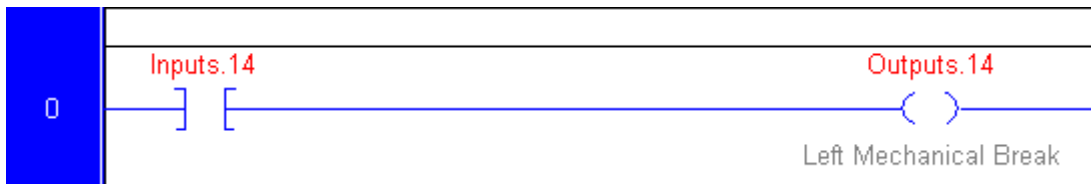


The grey rectangles show the possible places where you can move the dragged operand. The current place is displayed in green rectangle. Drop the operand by releasing the left mouse button.



### 3.6 Enter Rung Comment

To enter/edit rung comment double-click in marked rectangle (picture below) above the rung.




Type the comment text and then press Enter key or click outside.

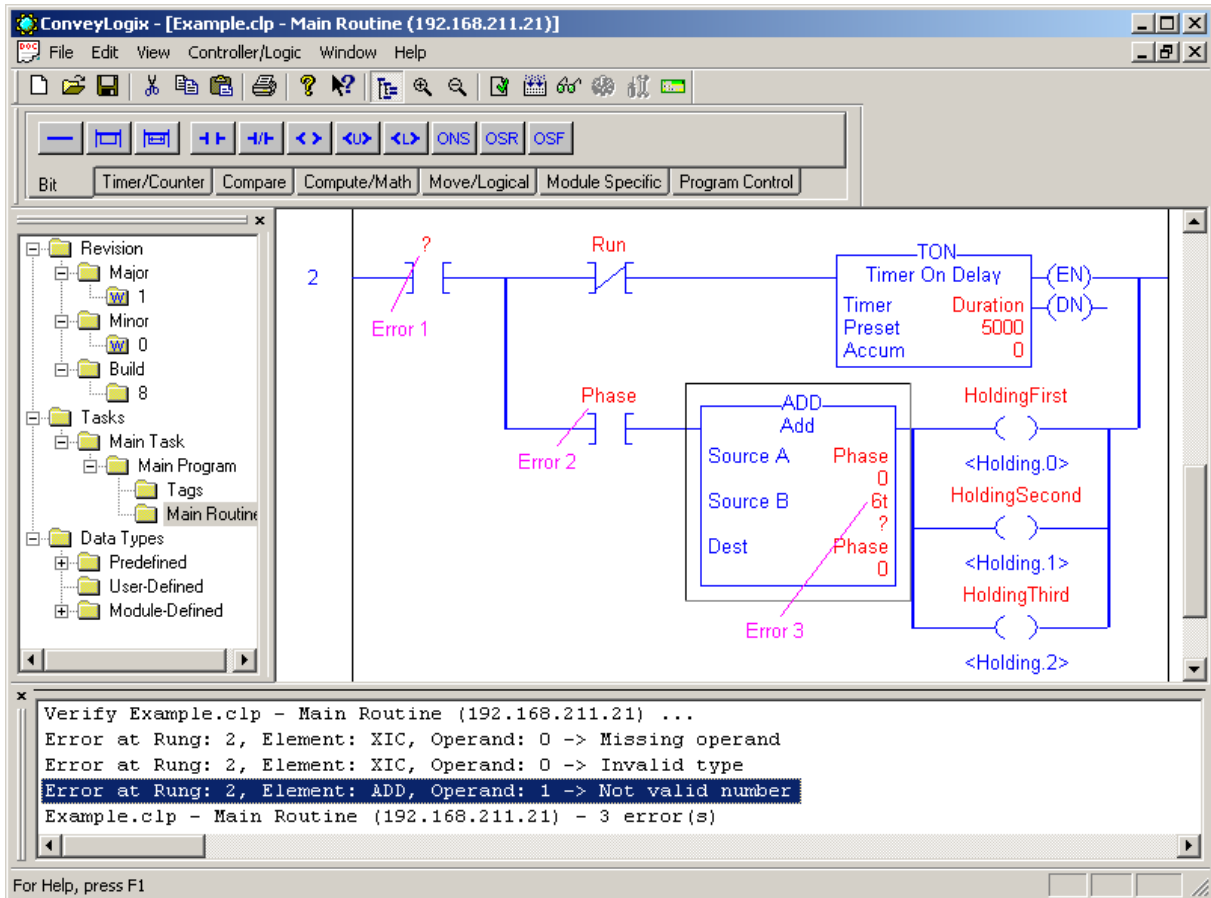


### 3.7 Verify the Routine

As you program your routine, periodically you may check your work.

Choose Controller/Logic / Verify Program menu or click on  icon. Your program will be checked and the result will display in Output window.

On the picture below is shown program with 3 errors. For example errors are marked and enumerated in mangenta color.



Double-click on error in Output window to select an element where is the error. In this example the selected error is related to ADD element.

Every error line contains the next information of the error:

- Rung number;
- Element instruction;
- Number of operand – started at 0;
- Error description.

Here is the explanation of errors in this example:

Error 1 – there are no assigned tag to the XIC instruction operand.

Error 2 – the operand of XIC instruction allow BOOL tag, but type of tag Phase is INT.

Error 3 – it is expected for Source B operand to be entered a immediate (constant) value, but 6t is not a constant.

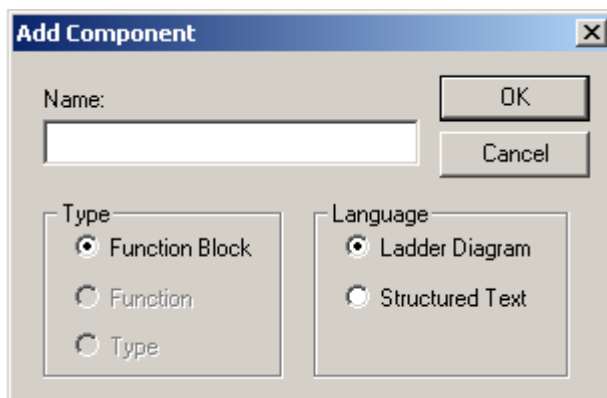
If the routine reports error, Download Program will break.

## 4.0 Function Blocks

Function block (FB) is a programmable organization unit which, when executed, yields one or more values. ConveyLogix Programmer uses two screens to represent FB definition. FB Routine contains your program instructions and FB Tags – FB parameters. Function block is called from Main Program or other FB by defined instance (tag) in the controller's memory.

### 4.1 Creating a Function Block

To create a Function block right click on Function blocks in Project Bar tree and select Add menu. The following dialog box appears:



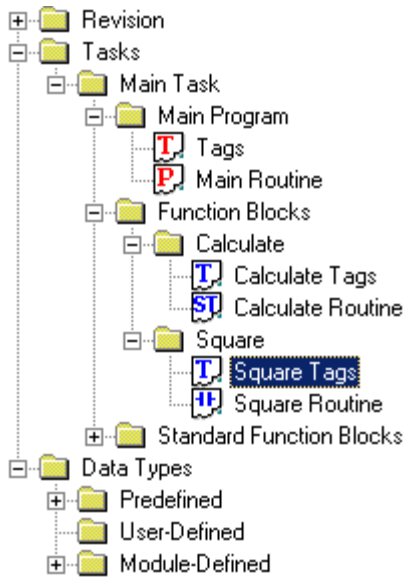
A FB is characterized with two elements:

- Name – unique name of Function block type;
- Language – program language of Function block instructions.

Press OK button to create the Function block type.

For example:

Create two function blocks named Calculate, used Structured Text and Square – used Ladder Diagram. They are added to Project Bar tree.



## 4.2 Function Block Parameters

To view and edit parameters double-click on created Function block Tags in Project Bar tree.

	Tag Name	Alias For	Base Tag	Data Type	Init Value	Style	Description
*	Input						
*	Output						
*	InOut						
*	Static						

The block parameters are defined in the interface of the called block. These parameters are referred to as formal parameters. They are placeholders for the parameters that are transferred to the block when it is called. The parameters transferred to the block when it is called are referred to as actual parameters.

The following rules apply to the use of block parameters within the block:

- Input parameters may only be read.
- Output parameters may only be written.
- In/out parameters may be read and written.

Static parameters are accessible only inside of an instance of a function block.

Input, Output and InOut parameters are accessible outside of an instance of a function block.

For example:

Add parameters to FB Calculate as the picture below:

	Tag Name	Alias For	Base Tag	Data Type	Init Value	Style	Description
<b>Input</b>							
	ParamA			INT	200	Decimal	First Param
	ParamB			INT	0	Decimal	Second Param
*							
<b>Output</b>							
	Sum			DINT	0	Decimal	Sum
*							
<b>InOut</b>							
	ParamC			INT	0	Decimal	Third Param
*							
<b>Static</b>							
	Const			SINT	100	Decimal	Constant
*							

### 4.3 Function Block Program

Function block program represents a set of instructions, which are executed on function block instance.

ConveyLogix supports two languages for function block program:

- Ladder Diagram (LD) – enables the programmable controller to test and modify data by means of graphic symbols. These symbols are laid out in networks in a similar manner to a “rung” of a relay ladder logic diagram. LD networks are bounded on the left and right by power rails;
- Structured Text (ST) – a textural programming language, derived from Pascal.

For example:

```

Function Block - Calculate - Routine
IF ELSIF CASE FOR
1   Sum := ParamA * ParamA + ParamB + ParamC + Const;
2
3   IF Sum > 5000 THEN
4       Sum := 5000;
5   END_IF;
6

```



## 4.4 Instances of Function Blocks

A call of a function block is referred to as an instance. An instance of function block is a block in controller's memory (tag) which type is a function block name.

For example:

Add an instance of FB Calculate in Main Tags – first define a tag named CalcA and then change its type to Calculate.

	Tag Name	Alias For	Base Tag	Data Type	Init Value	Style	Description
	Run			SINT	0	Decimal	
	CalcA			Calculate	{...}		
	Input						
	CalcA.ParamA			INT	200	Decimal	First Param
	CalcA.ParamB			INT	0	Decimal	Second Param
	Output						
	CalcA.Sum			DINT	0	Decimal	Sum
	InOut						
	CalcA.ParamC			INT	0	Decimal	Third Param
	Static						
	CalcA.Const			SINT	100	Decimal	Constant
	ResultCalc			DINT	0	Decimal	
*							

When you assign a FB type to a tag, FB parameters derive initial values of FB definition. Then if you change a parameter initial value for one instance, it is not changed to other instances and to FB definition.

## 4.5 Function Block Calls

When a block is called, you must assign values to the parameters in the block interface. By providing input parameters you specify the data with which the block is executed. By providing the output parameters you specify where the execution results are saved.

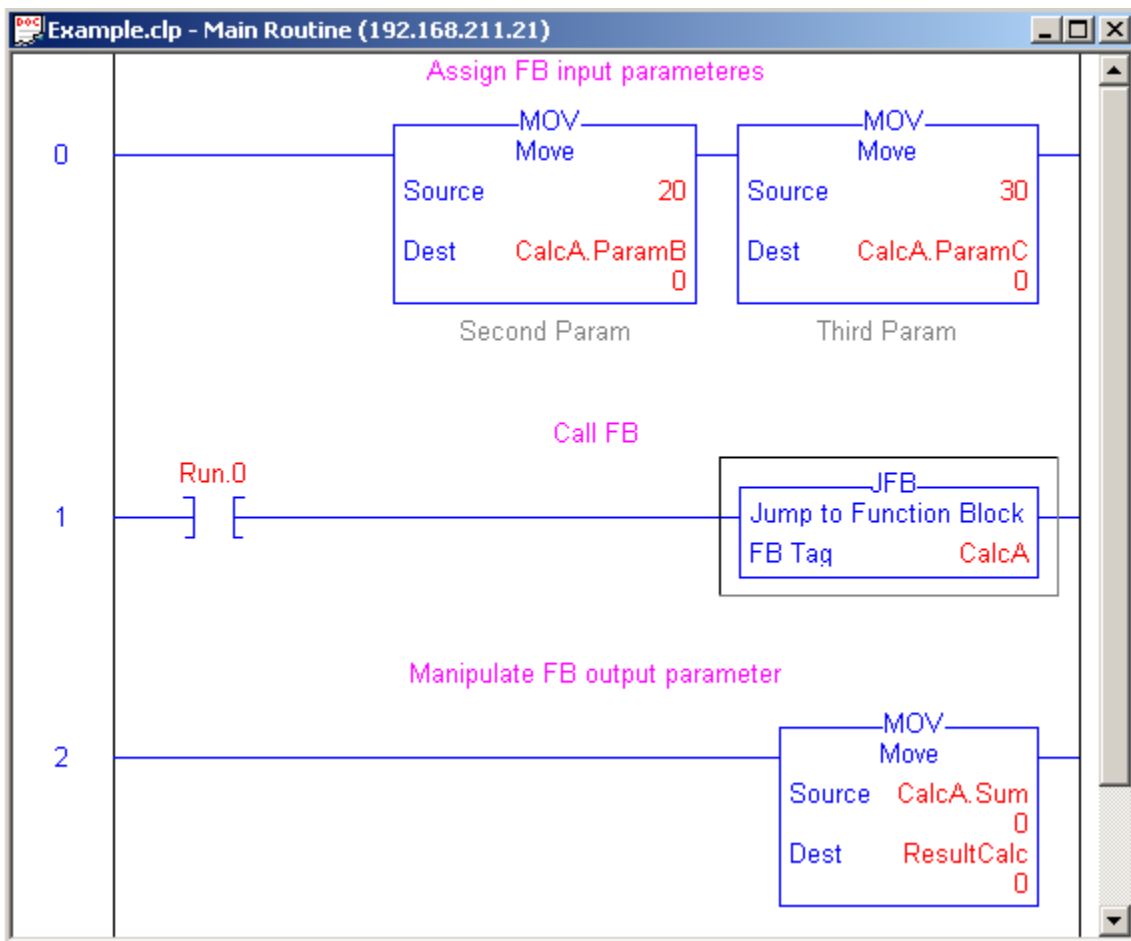
In your program (Main Routine or FB Routine) you can examine function block output parameters, but you can not assign a value to output parameter.

Also you can not use invoked function block static parameters.

From LD programs function block is called by JFB instruction with function block instance (FB Tag).

Example:

Calling function block from Main Program:



When Run.0 is false, FB is not executed and data in CalcA remain unchanged.

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When FB call is finished, you may check or assign output parameters. In this example main tag ResultCalc = CalcA.Sum.

When one block calls another block, the instructions of the called block are executed. Only when execution of the called block has been completed does execution of the calling block resume. The execution is continued with the instruction that follows on the block call.

When FB which calls another block is on LD language, calling performs in the same way as it is called from Main program.

When FB which calls another block is on ST language, calling performs by using called FB instance. In parentheses are assigned inputs parameters (by := sign) and refers outputs parameters (by => sign).

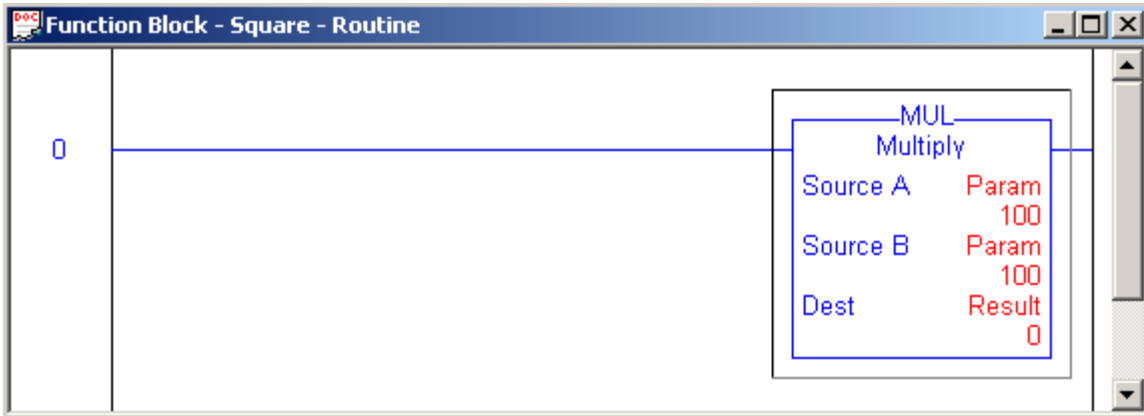
Example:

Calling instance SquareA from FB Square type from FB Calculate:



First create tag and routine of Square FB type.

Tag Name	Alias For	Base Tag	Data Type	Init Value	Style	Description
Input						
Param			INT	100	Decimal	
Output						
Result			DINT	0	Decimal	
InOut						
Static						



Then in Calculate FB create a tag, named SquareA with Square data type.

Tag Name	Alias For	Base Tag	Data Type	Init Value	Style	Description
InOut						
ParamC			INT	0	Decimal	Third Param
Static						
Const			SINT	100	Decimal	Constant
SquareA						
Input						
SquareA.Param			INT	100	Decimal	
Output						
SquareA.Result			DINT	0	Decimal	Square
InOut						
Static						
ResultSquare			DINT	0	Decimal	



Call SquareA instance from FB Calculate:

```

1   SquareA(Param := ParamA, Result => ResultSquare);
2
3   Sum := ResultSquare + ParamB + ParamC + Const;
4
5   IF Sum > 5000 THEN
6       Sum := 5000;
7   END_IF;
8

```

When SquareA instance is called (line 1) first ParamA is copied to Param. Then Square routine executes. After that Result is copied to Result.

There is second way to call SquareA instance – first assign inputs parameters, then call FB and after that assign outputs parameters.

```

1   SquareA.Param := ParamA;
2   SquareA();
3   ResultSquare := SquareA.Result;
4
5   Sum := ResultSquare + ParamB + ParamC + Const;
6

```

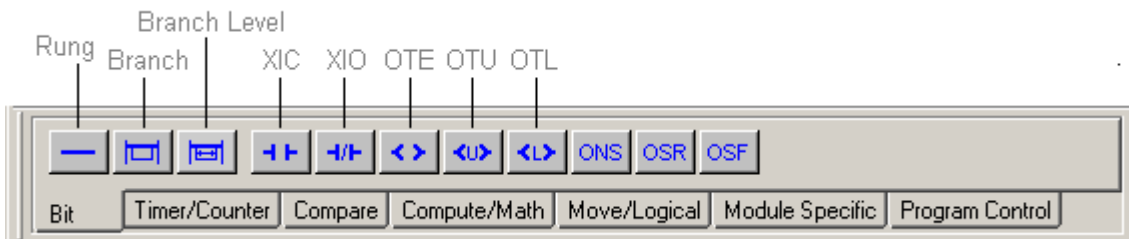


## 5.0 Ladder Logic Instructions

### 5.1 Bit Instructions

Use the bit (relay-type) instructions to monitor and control the status of bits.

To enter a bit instructions use buttons form Bit tab of Instruction Bar.

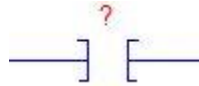


Instruction	Description
<b>XIC</b>	enable outputs when a bit is set
<b>XIO</b>	enable outputs when a bit is cleared
<b>OTE</b>	set a bit
<b>OTL</b>	set a bit (retentive)
<b>OTU</b>	clear bit (retentive)
<b>ONS</b>	enable outputs for one scan each time a rung goes true
<b>OSR</b>	set a bit for one scan each time a rung goes true
<b>OSF</b>	set a bit for one scan each time the rung goes false



### 5.1.1 Examine If Closed (XIC)

The XIC instruction examines the data bit to see if it is set.



**Operands:**

Operand	Type	Format	Description
<b>data bit</b>	BOOL	tag	bit to be tested

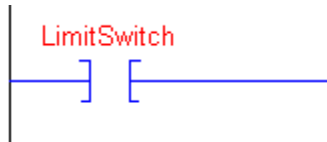
**Description:**

The XIC instruction examines the data bit to see if it is set.

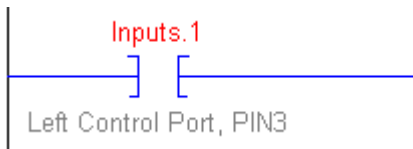
**Execution:**

Condition	Action
<b>prescan</b>	The rung-condition-out is set to false.
<b>rung-condition-in is false</b>	The rung-condition-out is set to false.
<b>rung-condition-in is true</b>	<pre> graph TD     Start(( )) --&gt; Exam{examine data bit}     Exam -- "data bit = 0" --&gt; SetFalse[rung-condition-out is set to false]     Exam -- "data bit = 1" --&gt; SetTrue[rung-condition-out is set to true]     SetFalse --&gt; End([end])     SetTrue --&gt; End             </pre>

**Examples:**



If LimitSwitch is set, this enables the next instruction (the rung-condition-out is true).

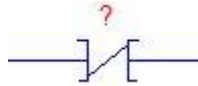


If Inputs.1 is set (indicates that an overflow has occurred), this enables the next instruction (the rung-condition-out is true).



### 5.1.2 Examine If Open (XIO)

The XIO instruction examines the data bit to see if it is cleared.



**Operands:**

Operand	Type	Format	Description
data bit	BOOL	tag	bit to be tested

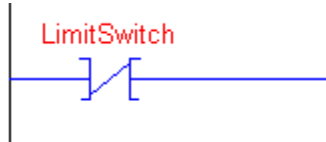
**Description:**

The XIO instruction examines the data bit to see if it is cleared.

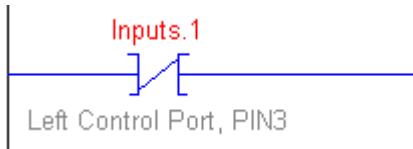
**Execution:**

Condition	Action
<b>prescan</b>	The rung-condition-out is set to false.
<b>rung-condition-in is false</b>	The rung-condition-out is set to false.
<b>rung-condition-in is true</b>	<pre> graph TD     Start(( )) --&gt; Decision{examine data bit}     Decision -- "data bit = 0" --&gt; Action1[rung-condition-out is set to true]     Decision -- "data bit = 1" --&gt; Action2[rung-condition-out is set to false]     Action1 --&gt; End([end])     Action2 --&gt; End             </pre>

**Examples:**



If LimitSwitch is cleared, this enables the next instruction (the rung-condition-out is true).

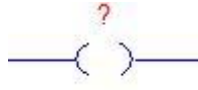


If Inputs.1 is cleared (indicates that no overflow has occurred), this enables the next instruction (the rung-condition-out is true).



### 5.1.3 Output Energize (OTE)

The OTE instruction sets or clears the data bit.



**Operands:**

Operand	Type	Format	Description
<b>data bit</b>	BOOL	tag	bit to be set or cleared

**Description:**

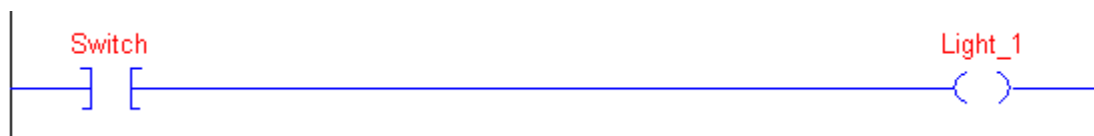
When the OTE instruction is enabled, the controller sets the data bit. When the OTE instruction is disabled, the controller clears the data bit.

**Execution:**

Condition	Action
<b>prescan</b>	The data bit is cleared. The rung-condition-out is set to false.
<b>rung-condition-in is false</b>	The data bit is cleared. The rung-condition-out is set to false.
<b>rung-condition-in is true</b>	The data bit is set. The rung-condition-out is set to true.

**Example:**

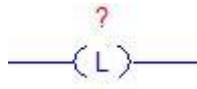
When Switch is set, the OTE instruction sets (turns on) Light\_1. When Switch is cleared, the OTE instruction clears (turns off) Light\_1.





### 5.1.4 Output Latch (OTL)

The OTL instruction sets (latches) the data bit.



**Operands:**

Operand	Type	Format	Description
data bit	BOOL	tag	bit to be set

**Description:**

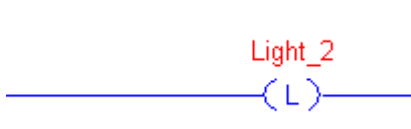
When enabled, the OTL instruction sets the data bit. The data bit remains set until it is cleared, typically by an OTU instruction. When disabled, the OTL instruction does not change the status of the data bit.

**Execution:**

Condition	Action
<b>prescan</b>	The data bit is not modified. The rung-condition-out is set to false.
<b>rung-condition-in is false</b>	The data bit is not modified. The rung-condition-out is set to false.
<b>rung-condition-in is true</b>	The data bit is set. The rung-condition-out is set to true.

**Example:**

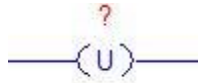
When enabled, the OTL instruction sets Light\_2. This bit remains set until it is cleared, typically by an OTU instruction.





### 5.1.5 Output Unlatch (OTU)

The OTU instruction clears (unlatches) the data bit.



**Operands:**

Operand	Type	Format	Description
<b>data bit</b>	BOOL	tag	bit to be cleared

**Description:**

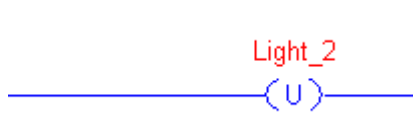
When enabled, the OTU instruction clears the data bit. When disabled, the OTU instruction does not change the status of the data bit.

**Execution:**

Condition	Action
<b>prescan</b>	The data bit is not modified. The rung-condition-out is set to false.
<b>rung-condition-in is false</b>	The data bit is not modified. The rung-condition-out is set to false.
<b>rung-condition-in is true</b>	The data bit is cleared. The rung-condition-out is set to true.

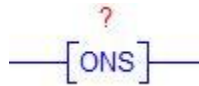
**Example:**

When enabled, the OTU instruction clears Light\_2.



### 5.1.6 One Shot (ONS)

The ONS instruction enables or disables the remainder of the rung, depending on the status of the storage bit.



**Operands:**

Operand	Type	Format	Description
<b>storage bit</b>	BOOL	tag	internal storage bit stores the rung-condition-in from the last time the instruction was executed

**Description:**

When enabled and the storage bit is cleared, the ONS instruction enables the remainder of the rung. When disabled or when the storage bit is set, the ONS instruction disables the remainder of the rung.

**Execution:**

Condition	Action
<b>prescan</b>	The storage bit is set to prevent an invalid trigger during the first scan. The rung-condition-out is set to false.
<b>rung-condition-in is false</b>	The storage bit is cleared. The rung-condition-out is set to false.
<b>rung-condition-in is true</b>	<pre> graph TD     Start(( )) --&gt; Decision{examine storage bit}     Decision -- "storage bit = 0" --&gt; Action1[storage bit is set rung-condition-out is cleared]     Decision -- "storage bit = 1" --&gt; Action2[storage bit remains set rung-condition-out is set]     Action1 --&gt; End([end])     Action2 --&gt; End     </pre>



**Example:**

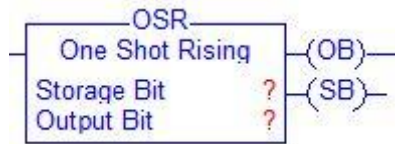
You typically precede the ONS instruction with an input instruction because you scan the ONS instruction when it is enabled and when it is disabled for it to operate correctly. Once the ONS instruction is enabled, the rung-condition-in must go clear or the storage bit must be cleared for the ONS instruction to be enabled again.

On any scan for which LimitSwitch is cleared or Storage is set, this rung has no affect. On any scan for which LimitSwitch is set and Storage is cleared, the ONS instruction sets Storage and the ADD instruction increments Sum by 1. As long as LimitSwitch stays set, Sum stays the same value. The LimitSwitch must go from cleared to set again for Sum to be incremented again.



### 5.1.7 One Shot Rising (OSR)

The OSR instruction sets or clears the output bit, depending on the status of the storage bit.

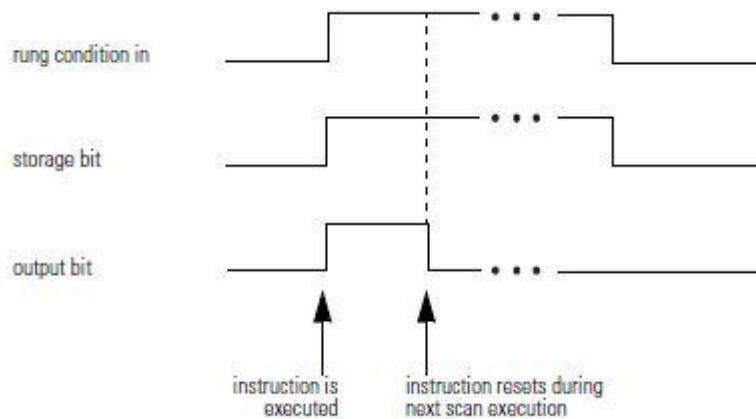


**Operands:**

Operand	Type	Format	Description
<b>storage bit</b>	BOOL	tag	internal storage bit stores the rung-condition-in from the last time the instruction was executed
<b>output bit</b>	BOOL	tag	bit to be set

**Description:**

When enabled and the storage bit is cleared, the OSR instruction sets the output bit. When enabled and the storage bit is set or when disabled, the OSR instruction clears the output bit



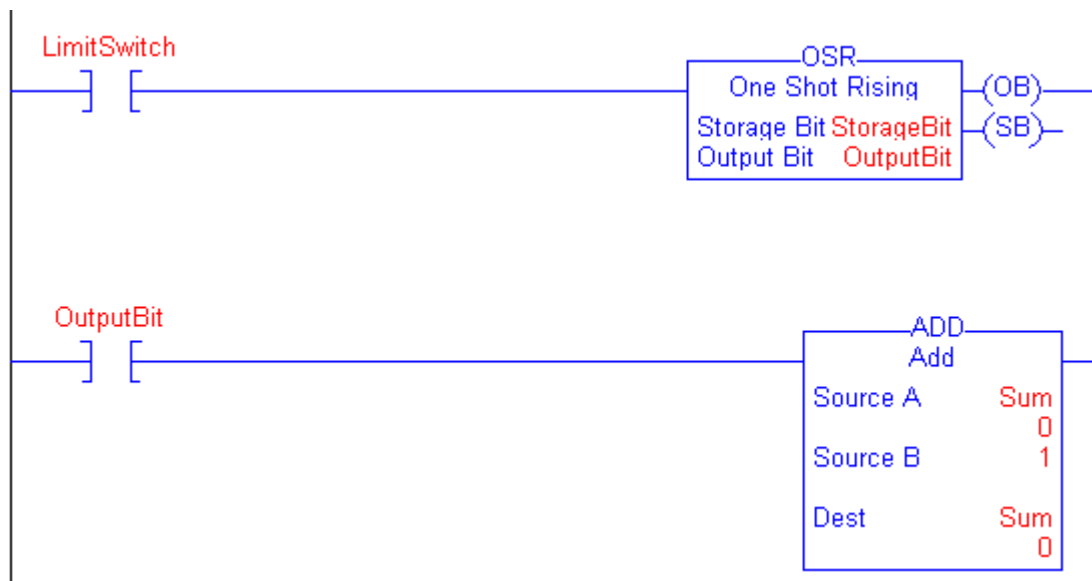


**Execution:**

Condition	Action
<b>prescan</b>	The storage bit is set to prevent an invalid trigger during the first scan. The rung-condition-out is set to false.
<b>rung-condition-in is false</b>	The storage bit is cleared. The output bit is not modified. The rung-condition-out is set to false.
<b>rung-condition-in is true</b>	<pre>                     graph TD                         Start(( )) --&gt; Examine{examine storage bit}                         Examine -- "storage bit = 0" --&gt; Set[storage bit is set output bit is set]                         Examine -- "storage bit = 1" --&gt; Clear[storage bit remains set output bit is cleared]                         Set --&gt; End([end])                         Clear --&gt; End                     </pre>

**Example:**

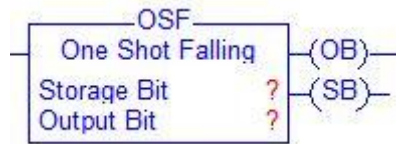
Each time LimitSwitch goes from cleared to set, the OSR instruction sets OutputBit and the ADD instruction increments sum by 1. As long as LimitSwitch stays set, Sum stays the same value. The LimitSwitch must go from cleared to set again for Sum to be incremented again. You can use OutputBit on multiple rungs to trigger other operations.





### 5.1.8 One Shot Falling (OSF)

The OSF instruction sets or clears the output bit depending on the status of the storage bit.

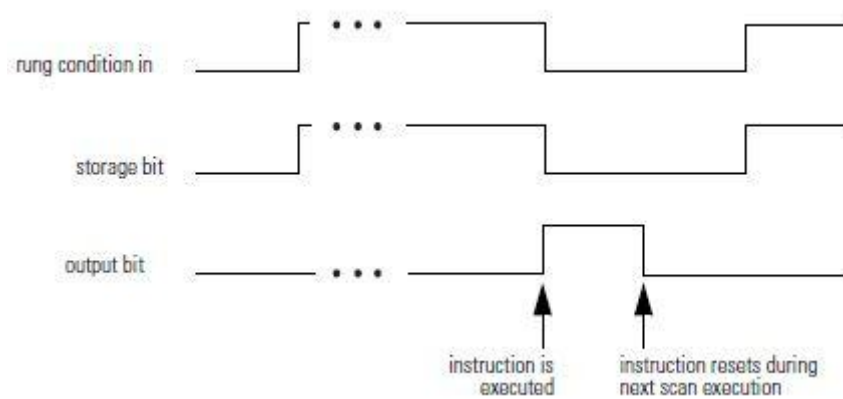


**Operands:**

Operand	Type	Format	Description
<b>storage bit</b>	BOOL	tag	internal storage bit stores the rung-condition-in from the last time the instruction was executed
<b>output bit</b>	BOOL	tag	bit to be set

**Description:**

When disabled and the storage bit is set, the OSF instruction sets the output bit. When disabled and the storage bit is cleared, or when enabled, the OSF instruction clears the output bit.



**Execution:**

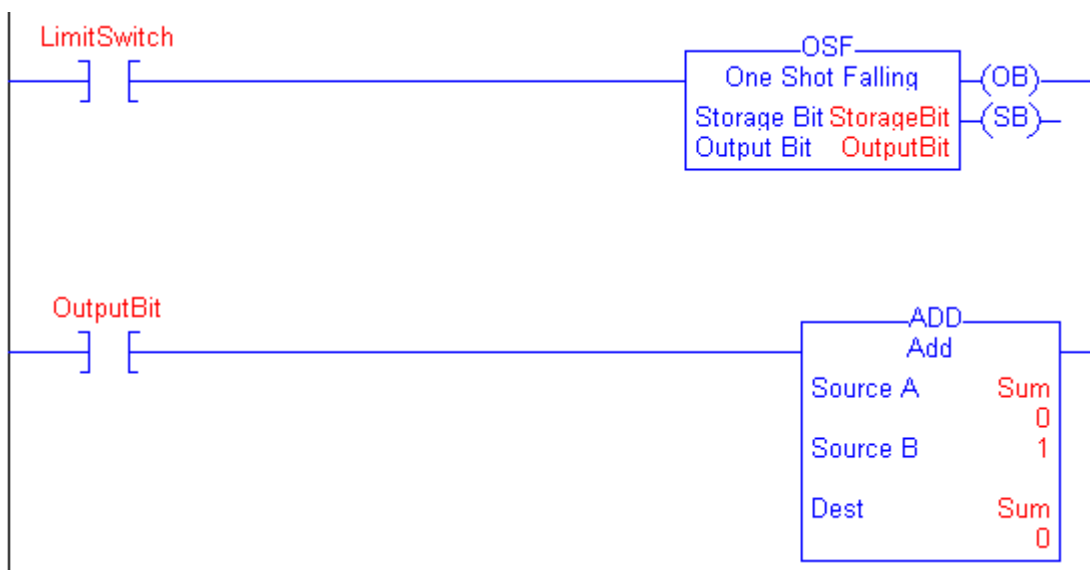
Condition	Action
<b>prescan</b>	The storage bit is cleared to prevent an invalid trigger during the first scan. The output bit is cleared. The rung-condition-out is set to false.



Condition	Action
<p><b>rung-condition-in is false</b></p>	<pre> graph TD     Start(( )) --&gt; Exam{examine storage bit}     Exam -- "storage bit = 0" --&gt; Box1[storage bit remains cleared output bit is cleared]     Exam -- "storage bit = 1" --&gt; Box2[storage bit is cleared output bit is set]     Box1 --&gt; End([end])     Box2 --&gt; End     </pre>
<p><b>rung-condition-in is true</b></p>	<p>The storage bit is set. The output bit is cleared. The rung-condition-out is set to true.</p>

**Example:**

Each time LimitSwitch goes from set to cleared, the OSF instruction sets OutputBit and the ADD instruction increments Sum by 1. As long as LimitSwitch stays cleared, Sum stays the same value. The LimitSwitch must go from set to clear again for Sum to be incremented again. You can use OutputBit on multiple rungs to trigger other operations.

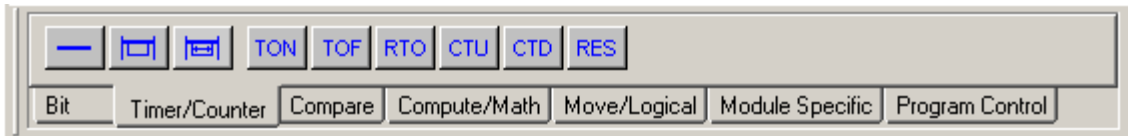




## 5.2 Timer and Counter Instructions

Timers and counters control operations based on time or the number of events.

To enter a timer/counter instruction use buttons form Timer/Counter tab of Instruction Bar.

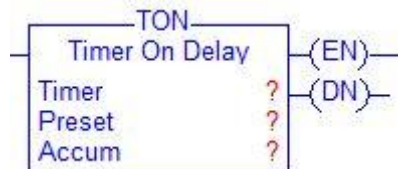


Instruction	Description
<b>TON</b>	time how long a timer is enabled
<b>TOF</b>	time how long a timer is disabled
<b>RTO</b>	accumulate time
<b>CTU</b>	count up
<b>CTD</b>	count down
<b>RES</b>	reset a timer or counter

The time base for all timers is 1 msec.

### 5.2.1 Timer On Delay (TON)

The TON instruction is a non-retentive timer that accumulates time when the instruction is enabled (rung-condition-in is true).



**Operands:**

Operand	Type	Format	Description
<b>Timer</b>	TIMER	tag	TIMER structure
<b>Preset</b>	DINT	immediate	how long to delay (accumulate time)
<b>Accum</b>	DINT	immediate	total msec the timer has counted initial value is typically 0

**TIMER Structure**

Mnemonic	Data Type	Description
<b>.EN</b>	BOOL	The enable bit indicates that the TON instruction is enabled.
<b>.TT</b>	BOOL	The timing bit indicates that a timing operation is in process
<b>.DN</b>	BOOL	The done bit is set when .ACC ≥ .PRE.
<b>.PRE</b>	DINT	The preset value specifies the value (1 msec units) which the accumulated value must reach before the instruction sets the .DN bit.
<b>.ACC</b>	DINT	The accumulated value specifies the number of milliseconds that have elapsed since the TON instruction was enabled.



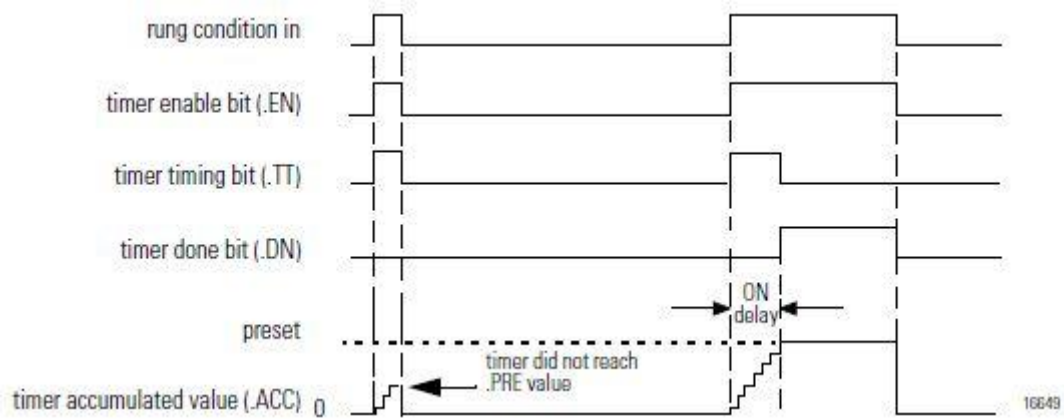
**Description:**

The TON instruction accumulates time until:

- the TON instruction is disabled
- the .ACC ≥ .PRE

The time base is always 1 msec. For example, for a 2-second timer, enter 2000 for the .PRE value.

When the TON instruction is disabled, the .ACC value is cleared.



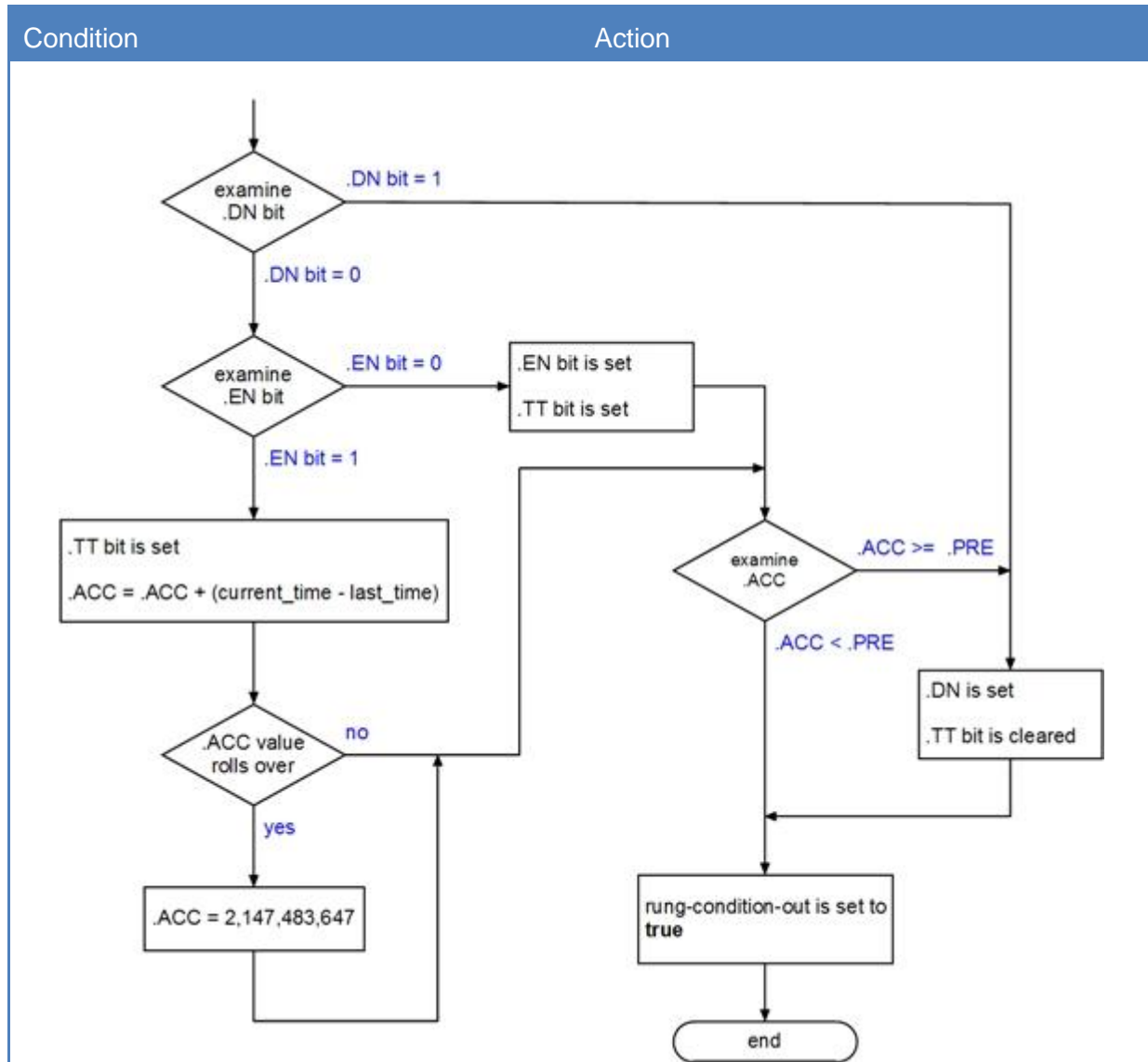
A timer runs by subtracting the time of its last scan from the time now:

$$ACC = ACC + (current\_time - last\_time\_scanned)$$

After it updates the ACC, the timer sets last\_time\_scanned = current\_time. This gets the timer ready for the next scan.

**Execution:**

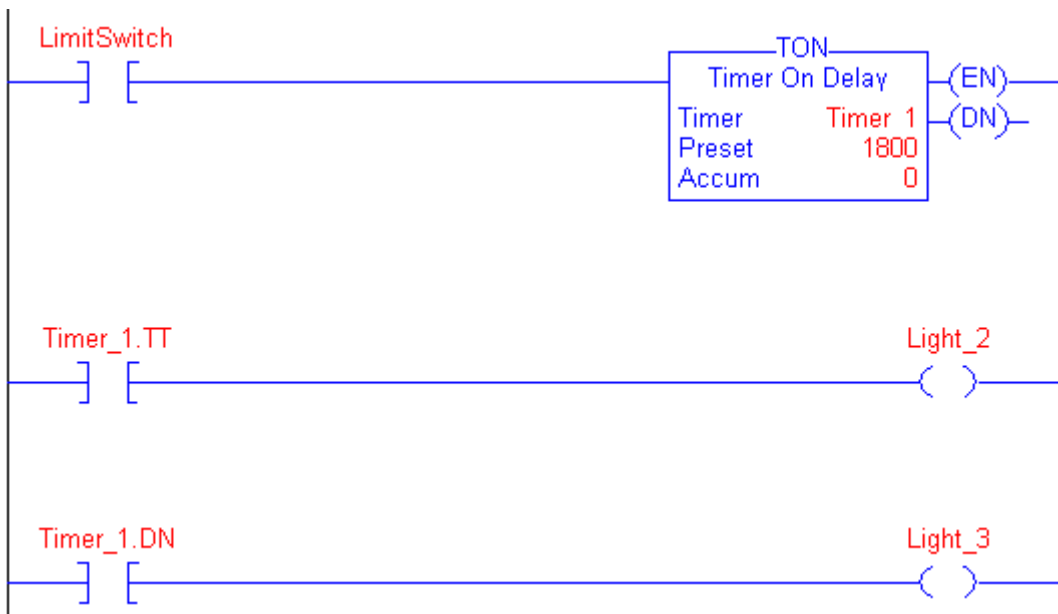
Condition	Action
<b>prescan</b>	The .EN, .TT, and .DN bits are cleared. The .ACC value is cleared. The rung-condition-out is set to false.
<b>rung-condition-in is false</b>	The .EN, .TT, and .DN bits are cleared. The .ACC value is cleared. The rung-condition-out is set to false.
<b>rung-condition-in is true</b>	





**Example:**

When LimitSwitch is set, Light\_2 is on for 1800 msec (Timer\_1 is timing). When Timer\_1.ACC reaches 1800, Light\_2 goes off and Light\_3 goes on. Light\_3 remains on until the TON instruction is disabled. If LimitSwitch is cleared while Timer\_1 is timing, Light\_2 goes off.



### 5.2.2 Timer Off Delay (TOF)

The TOF instruction is a non-retentive timer that accumulates time when the instruction is enabled (rung-condition-in is false).



**Operands:**

Operand	Type	Format	Description
<b>Timer</b>	TIMER	tag	TIMER structure
<b>Preset</b>	DINT	immediate	how long to delay (accumulate time)
<b>Accum</b>	DINT	immediate	total msec the timer has counted initial value is typically 0

**TIMER Structure**

Mnemonic	Data Type	Description
<b>.EN</b>	BOOL	The enable bit indicates that the TOF instruction is enabled.
<b>.TT</b>	BOOL	The timing bit indicates that a timing operation is in process
<b>.DN</b>	BOOL	The done bit is cleared when $.ACC \geq .PRE$ .
<b>.PRE</b>	DINT	The preset value specifies the value (1 msec units) which the accumulated value must reach before the instruction clears the .DN bit.
<b>.ACC</b>	DINT	The accumulated value specifies the number of milliseconds that have elapsed since the TOF instruction was enabled.

**Description:**

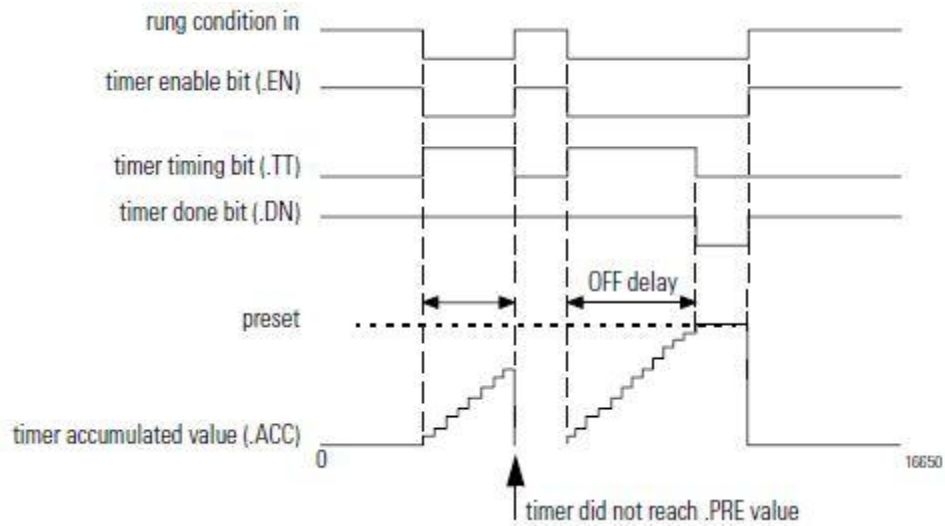
The TOF instruction accumulates time until:

- the TOF instruction is disabled
- the  $.ACC \geq .PRE$



The time base is always 1 msec. For example, for a 2-second timer, enter 2000 for the .PRE value.

When the TOF instruction is disabled, the .ACC value is cleared.



A timer runs by subtracting the time of its last scan from the time now:

$$ACC = ACC + (current\_time - last\_time\_scanned)$$

After it updates the ACC, the timer sets last\_time\_scanned = current\_time. This gets the timer ready for the next scan.



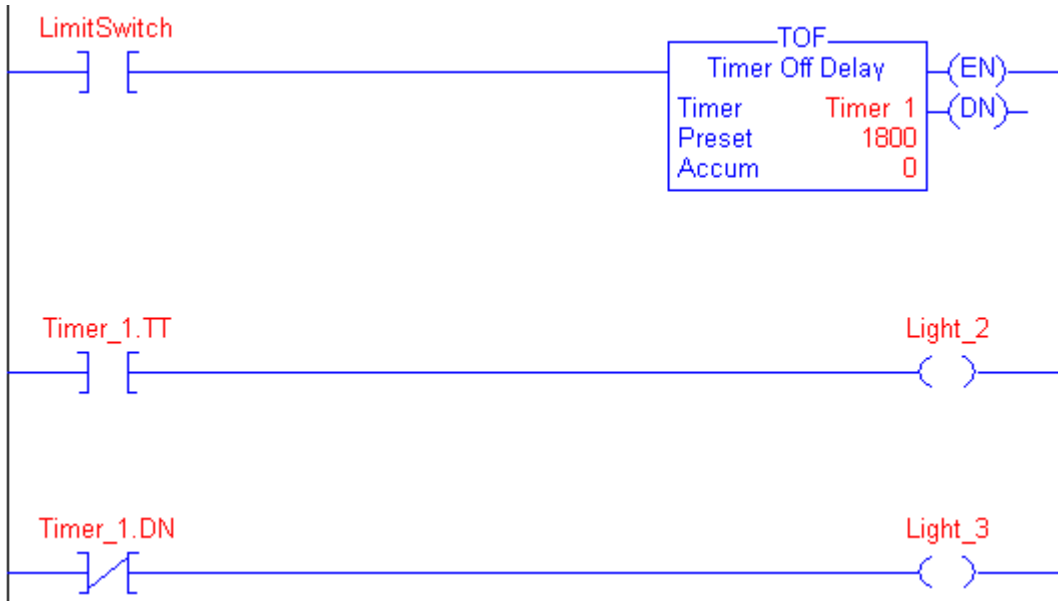
Execution:

Condition	Action
<b>prescan</b>	The .EN, .TT, and .DN bits are cleared. The .ACC value is set to equal the .PRE value. The rung-condition-out is set to false.
<b>rung-condition-in is false</b>	<pre> graph TD     Start(( )) --&gt; DN{examine .DN bit}     DN -- ".DN bit = 0" --&gt; DN_Clear[.DN is cleared .TT bit is cleared]     DN -- ".DN bit = 1" --&gt; EN{examine .EN bit}     EN -- ".EN bit = 1" --&gt; EN_Clear[.EN bit is cleared .TT bit is set]     EN -- ".EN bit = 0" --&gt; TT_Set[.TT bit is set .ACC = .ACC + (current_time - last_time)]     TT_Set --&gt; ACC_Roll{.ACC value rolls over}     ACC_Roll -- yes --&gt; ACC_Reset[.ACC = 2,147,483,647]     ACC_Roll -- no --&gt; ACC_Exp{examine .ACC}     ACC_Reset --&gt; ACC_Exp     EN_Clear --&gt; ACC_Exp     DN_Clear --&gt; Rung_Out_Set[rung-condition-out is set to false]     ACC_Exp -- ".ACC &gt;= .PRE" --&gt; DN_Clear     ACC_Exp -- ".ACC &lt; .PRE" --&gt; Rung_Out_Set     Rung_Out_Set --&gt; End([end])     </pre>
<b>rung-condition-in is true</b>	The .EN, .TT, and .DN bits are set. The .ACC value is cleared. The rung-condition-out is set to true.



**Example:**

When LimitSwitch is cleared, Light\_2 is on for 1800 msec (Timer\_1 is timing). When Timer\_1.ACC reaches 1800, Light\_2 goes off and Light\_3 goes on. Light\_3 remains on until the TOF instruction is enabled. If LimitSwitch is set while Timer\_1 is timing, Light\_2 goes off.



### 5.2.3 Retentive Timer On (RTO)

The RTO instruction is a retentive timer that accumulates time when the instruction is enabled.



**Operands:**

Operand	Type	Format	Description
<b>Timer</b>	TIMER	tag	TIMER structure
<b>Preset</b>	DINT	immediate	how long to delay (accumulate time)
<b>Accum</b>	DINT	immediate	total msec the timer has counted initial value is typically 0

**TIMER Structure**

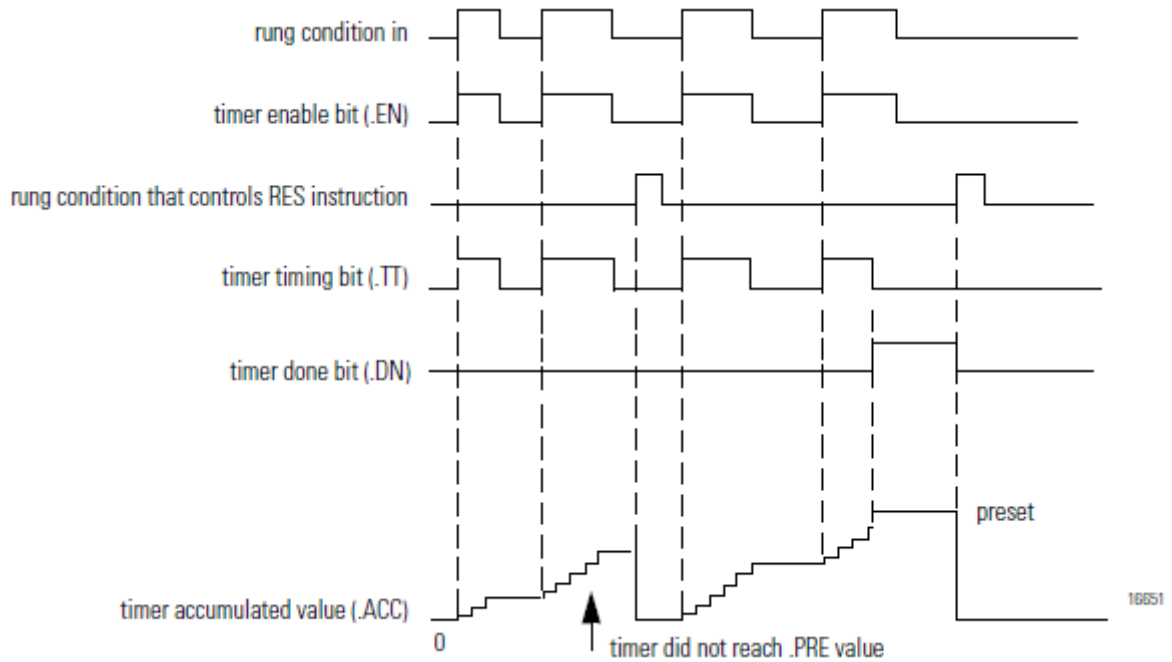
Mnemonic	Data Type	Description
<b>.EN</b>	BOOL	The enable bit indicates that the RTO instruction is enabled.
<b>.TT</b>	BOOL	The timing bit indicates that a timing operation is in process
<b>.DN</b>	BOOL	The done bit indicates that $.ACC \geq .PRE$ .
<b>.PRE</b>	DINT	The preset value specifies the value (1 msec units) which the accumulated value must reach before the instruction sets the .DN bit.
<b>.ACC</b>	DINT	The accumulated value specifies the number of milliseconds that have elapsed since the RTO instruction was enabled.

**Description:**

The RTO instruction accumulates time until it is disabled. When the RTO instruction is disabled, it retains its .ACC value. You must clear the .ACC value, typically with a RES instruction referencing the same TIMER structure.



The time base is always 1 msec. For example, for a 2-second timer, enter 2000 for the .PRE value.



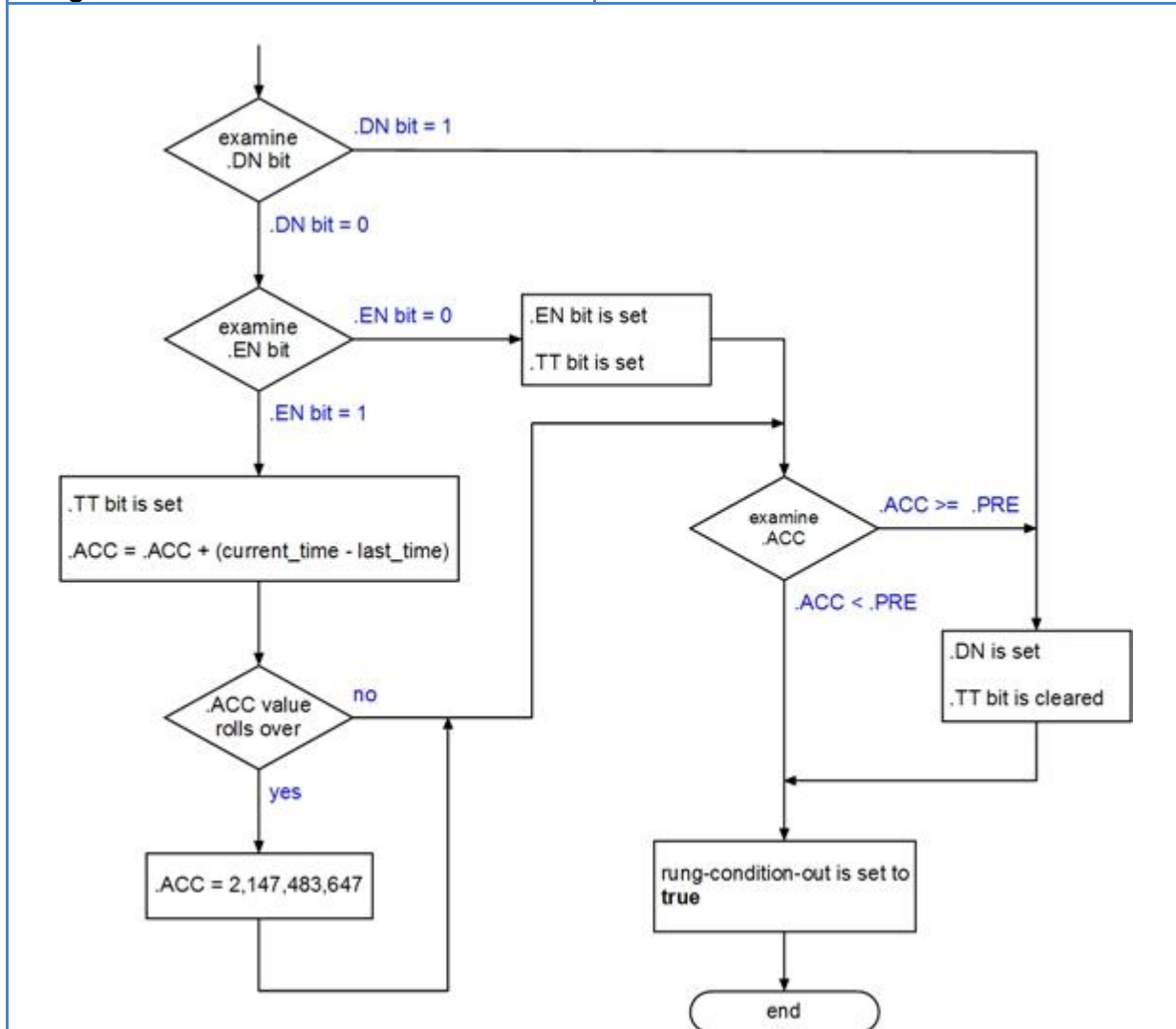
A timer runs by subtracting the time of its last scan from the time now:

$$ACC = ACC + (current\_time - last\_time\_scanned)$$

After it updates the ACC, the timer sets `last_time_scanned = current_time`. This gets the timer ready for the next scan.

Execution:

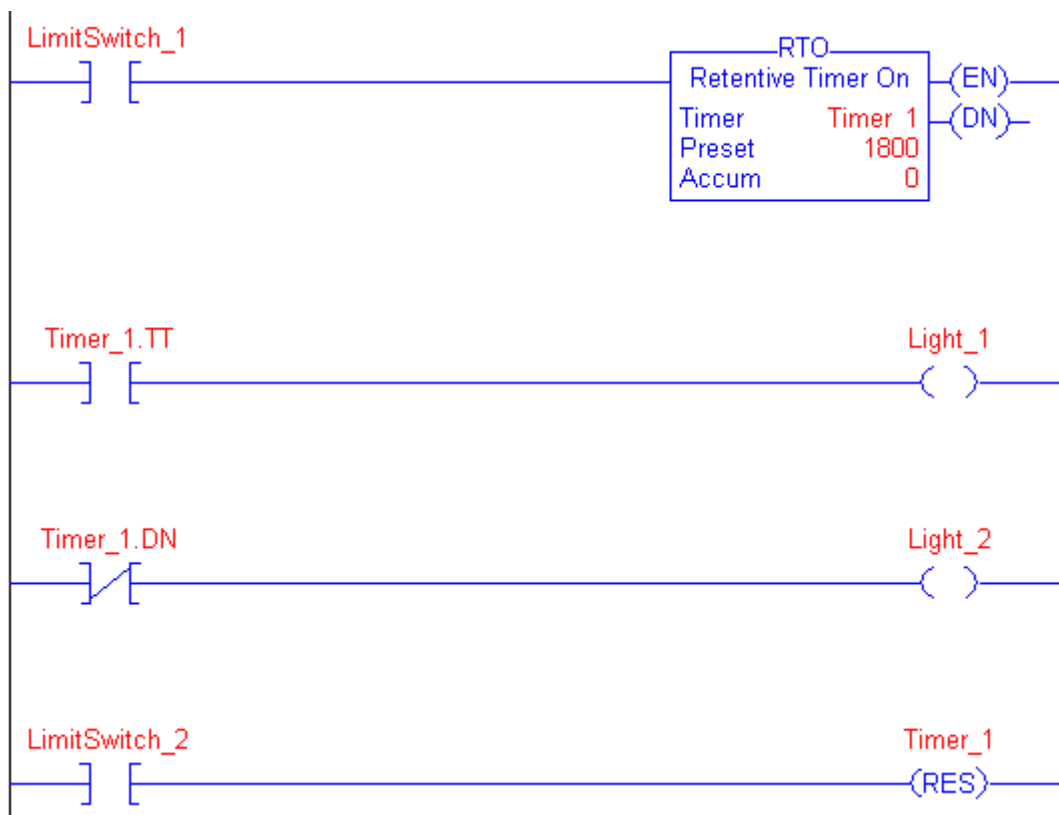
Condition	Action
<b>prescan</b>	The .EN, .TT, and .DN bits are cleared. The .ACC value is not modified. The rung-condition-out is set to false.
<b>rung-condition-in is false</b>	The .EN and .TT bits are cleared. The .DN bit is not modified. The .ACC value is not modified. The rung-condition-out is set to false.
<b>rung-condition-in is true</b>	





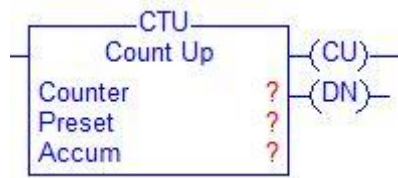
**Example:**

When LimitSwitch\_1 is set, Light\_1 is on for 1800 msec (Timer\_1 is timing). When Timer\_1.ACC reaches 1800, Light\_1 goes off and Light\_2 goes on. Light\_2 remains until Timer\_1 is reset. If LimitSwitch\_2 is cleared while Timer\_1 is timing, Light\_1 remains on. When LimitSwitch\_2 is set, the RES instruction resets Timer\_1 (clears status bits and .ACC value).



### 5.2.4 Count Up (CTU)

The CTU instruction counts upward.



**Operands:**

Operand	Type	Format	Description
<b>Counter</b>	COUNTER	tag	COUNTER structure
<b>Preset</b>	DINT	immediate	how high to count
<b>Accum</b>	DINT	immediate	number of times the counter has counted initial value is typically 0

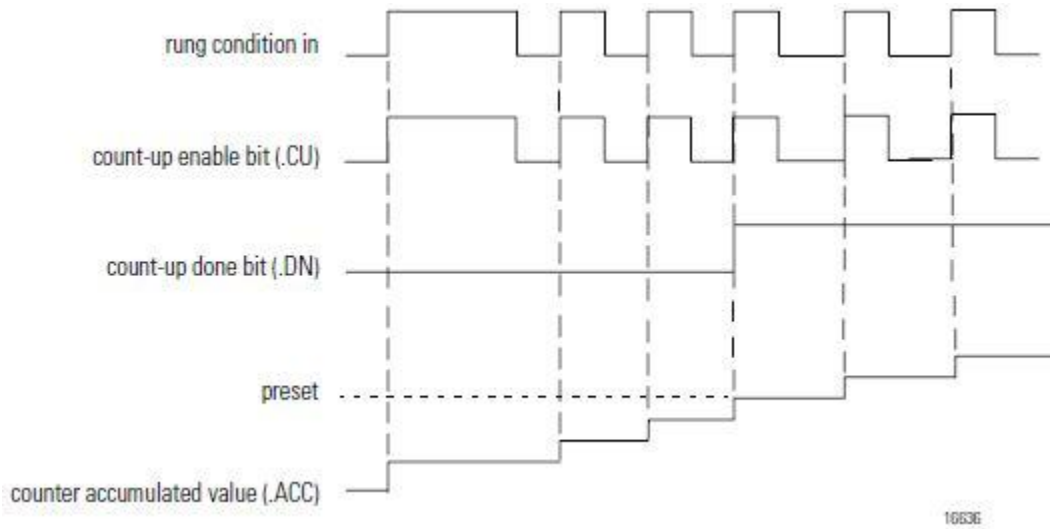
**COUNTER Structure**

Mnemonic	Data Type	Description
<b>.CU</b>	BOOL	The count up enable bit indicates that the CTU instruction is enabled.
<b>.DN</b>	BOOL	The done bit indicates that $.ACC \geq .PRE$ .
<b>.OV</b>	BOOL	The overflow bit indicates that the counter exceeded the upper limit of 2,147,483,647. The counter then rolls over to -2,147,483,648 and begins counting up again.
<b>.UN</b>	BOOL	The underflow bit indicates that the counter exceeded the lower limit of -2,147,483,648. The counter then rolls over to 2,147,483,647 and begins counting down again.
<b>.PRE</b>	DINT	The preset value specifies the value which the accumulated value must reach before the instruction sets the .DN bit.
<b>.ACC</b>	DINT	The accumulated value specifies the number of transitions the instruction has counted.

**Description:**



When enabled and the .CU bit is cleared, the CTU instruction increments the counter by one. When enabled and the .CU bit is set, or when disabled, the CTU instruction retains its .ACC value.

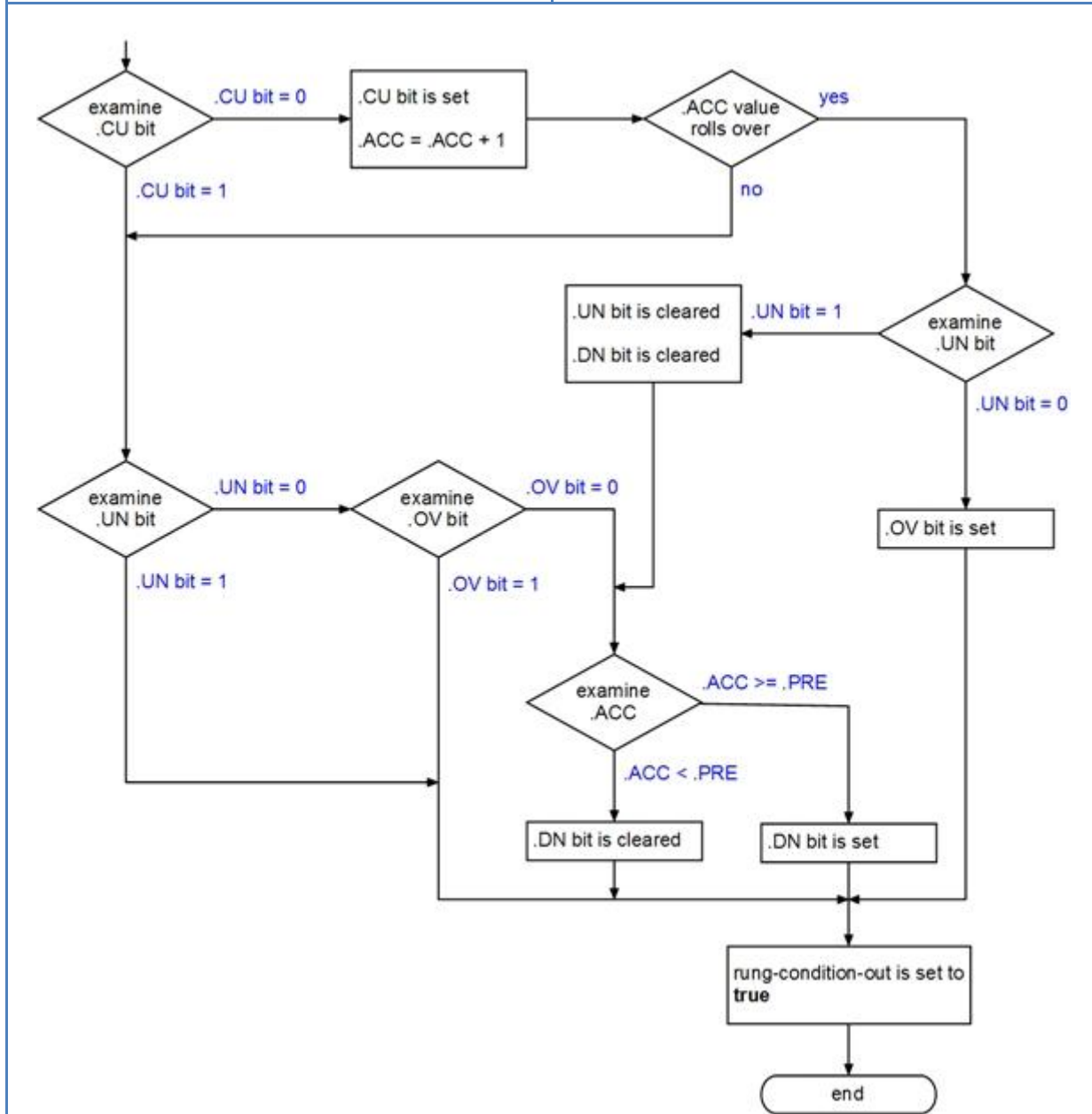


The accumulated value continues incrementing, even after the .DN bit is set. To clear the accumulated value, use a RES instruction that references the counter structure or write 0 to the accumulated value.



Execution:

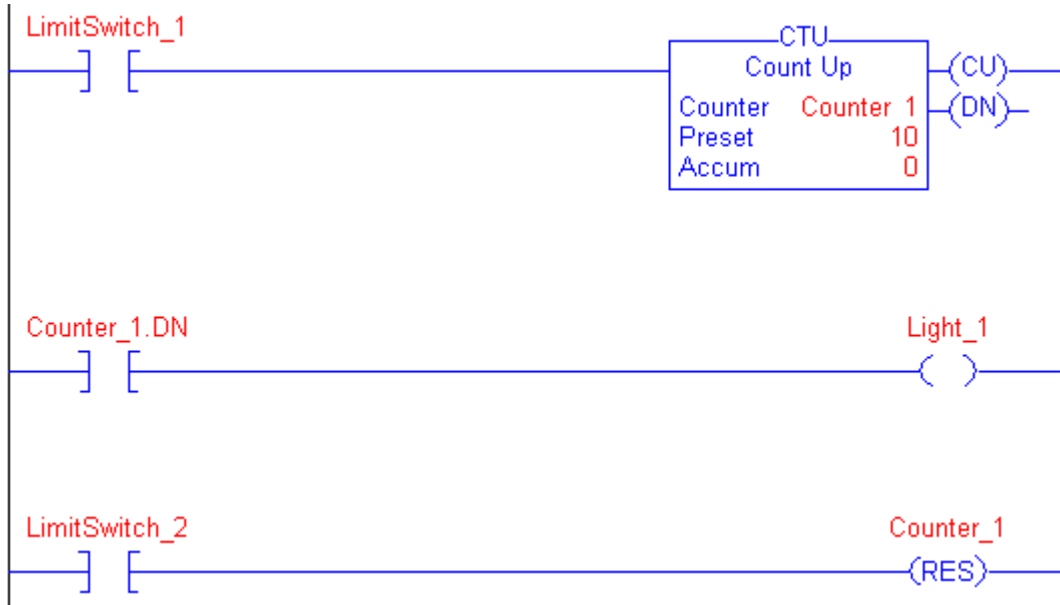
Condition	Action
<b>prescan</b>	The .CU bit is set to prevent invalid increments during the first program scan. The rung-condition-out is set to false.
<b>rung-condition-in is false</b>	The .CU bit is cleared. The rung-condition-out is set to false.
<b>rung-condition-in is true</b>	





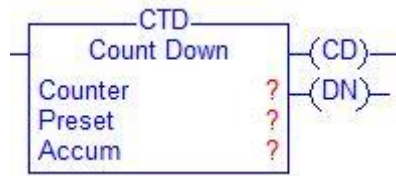
**Example:**

After LimitSwitch\_1 goes from disabled to enabled 10 times, the .DN bit is set and Light\_1 turns on. If LimitSwitch\_1 continues to go from disabled to enabled, Counter\_1 continues to increment its count and the .DN bit remains set. When LimitSwitch\_2 is enabled, the RES instruction resets Counter\_1 (clears the status bits and the .ACC value) and Light\_1 turns off.



### 5.2.5 Count Down (CTD)

The CTD instruction counts downward.



**Operands:**

Operand	Type	Format	Description
<b>Counter</b>	COUNTER	tag	COUNTER structure
<b>Preset</b>	DINT	immediate	how low to count
<b>Accum</b>	DINT	immediate	number of times the counter has counted initial value is typically 0

**COUNTER Structure**

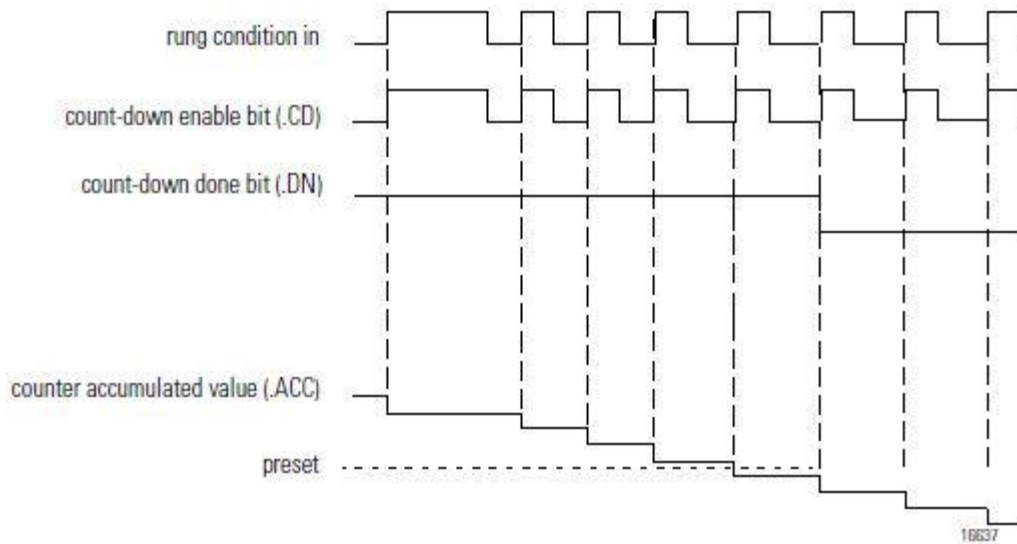
Mnemonic	Data Type	Description
<b>.CU</b>	BOOL	The count down enable bit indicates that the CTD instruction is enabled.
<b>.DN</b>	BOOL	The done bit indicates that $.ACC \geq .PRE$ .
<b>.OV</b>	BOOL	The overflow bit indicates that the counter exceeded the upper limit of 2,147,483,647. The counter then rolls over to -2,147,483,648 and begins counting up again.
<b>.UN</b>	BOOL	The underflow bit indicates that the counter exceeded the lower limit of -2,147,483,648. The counter then rolls over to 2,147,483,647 and begins counting down again.
<b>.PRE</b>	DINT	The preset value specifies the value which the accumulated value must reach before the instruction sets the .DN bit.
<b>.ACC</b>	DINT	The accumulated value specifies the number of transitions the instruction has counted.



**Description:**

The CTD instruction is typically used with a CTU instruction that references the same counter structure.

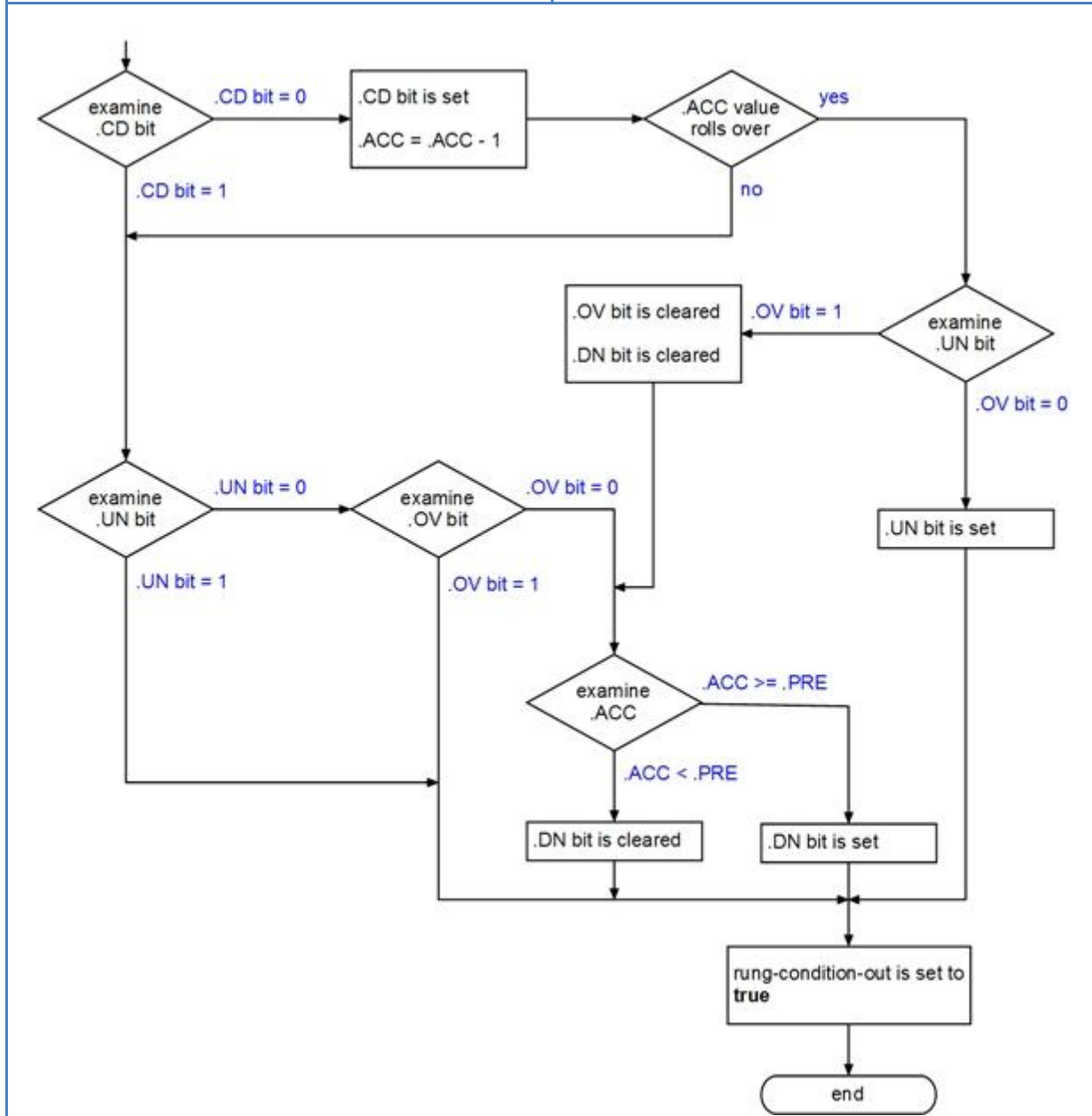
When enabled and the .CD bit is cleared, the CTD instruction decrements the counter by one. When enabled and the .CD bit is set, or when disabled, the CTD instruction retains its .ACC value.



The accumulated value continues decrementing, even after the .DN bit is set. To clear the accumulated value, use a RES instruction that references the counter structure or write 0 to the accumulated value.

Execution:

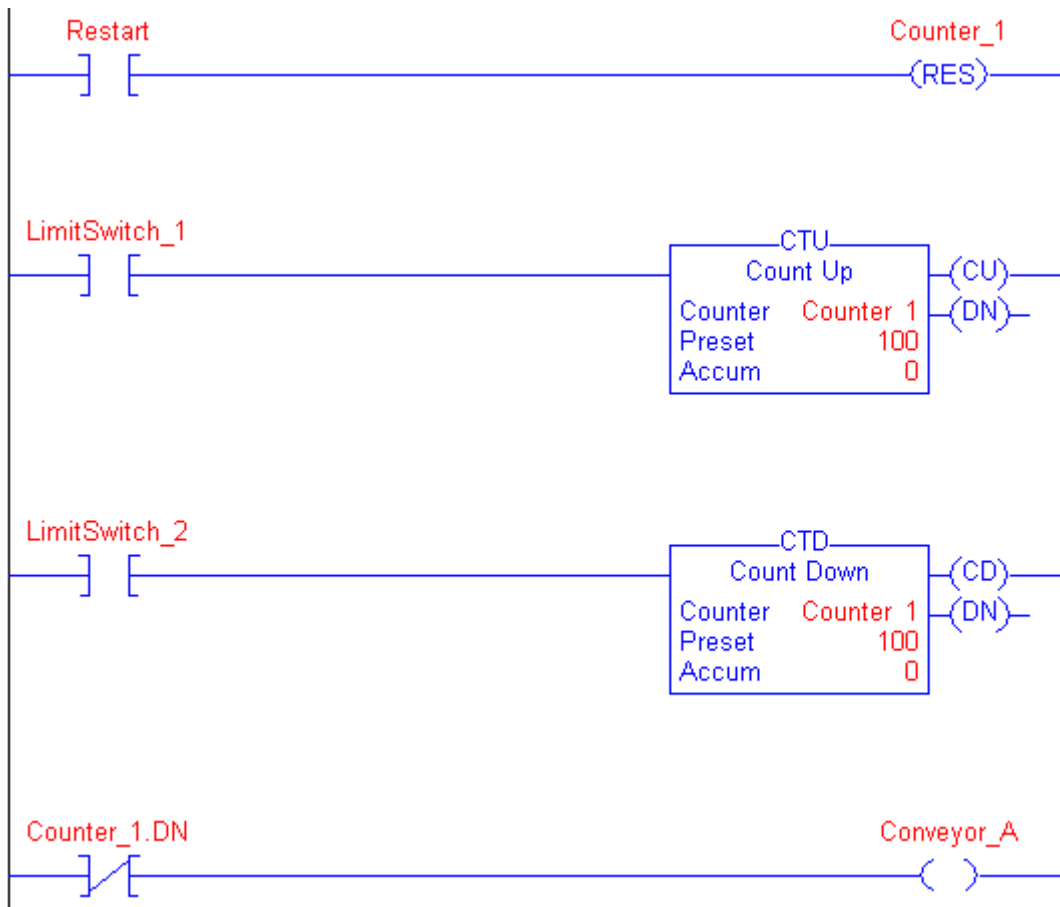
Condition	Action
<b>prescan</b>	The .CD bit is set to prevent invalid decrements during the first program scan. The rung-condition-out is set to false.
<b>rung-condition-in is false</b>	The .CD bit is cleared. The rung-condition-out is set to false.
<b>rung-condition-in is true</b>	





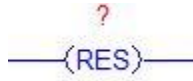
**Example:**

A conveyor brings parts into a buffer zone. Each time a part enters, LimitSwitch\_1 is enabled and Counter\_1 increments by 1. Each time a part leaves, LimitSwitch\_2 is enabled and Counter\_1 decrements by 1. If there are 100 parts in the buffer zone (Counter\_1.DN is set), Conveyor\_A turns on and stops the conveyor from bringing in any more parts until the buffer has room for more parts.



### 5.2.6 Reset (RES)

The RES instruction resets a TIMER or COUNTER structure.



**Operands:**

Operand	Type	Format	Description
<b>structure</b>	TIMER COUNTER	tag	structure to reset

**Description:**

When enabled the RES instruction clears these elements:


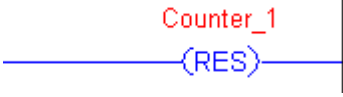
When Using a Res Instruction For a	The Instruction Clears
<b>TIMER</b>	.ACC value control status bits
<b>COUNTER</b>	.ACC value control status bits

**ATTENTION** Because the RES instruction clears the .ACC value, .DN bit and .TT bit, do not use the RES instruction to reset a TOF timer.

**Execution:**

Condition	Action
<b>prescan</b>	The rung-condition-out is set to false.
<b>rung-condition-in is false</b>	The rung-condition-out is set to false.
<b>rung-condition-in is true</b>	The RES instruction resets the specified structure. The rung-condition-out is set to true.


**Example:**

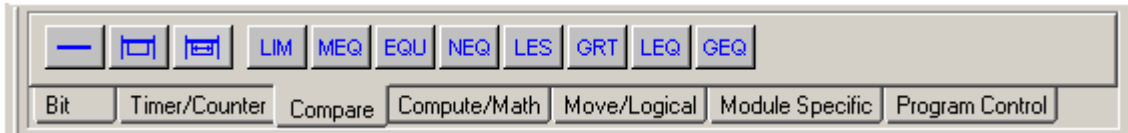
Example	Description
	When enabled, reset Timer_1.
	When enabled, reset Counter_1.



### 5.3 Compare Instructions

The compare instructions let you compare values by using an expression or a specific compare instruction.

To enter a timer/counter instruction use buttons form Timer/Counter tab of Instruction Bar.



Instruction	Description
<b>LIM</b>	test whether one value is between two other values
<b>MEQ</b>	pass two values through a mask and test whether they are equal
<b>EQU</b>	test whether two values are equal
<b>NEQ</b>	test whether one value is not equal to a second value
<b>LES</b>	test whether one value is less than a second value
<b>GRT</b>	test whether one value is greater than a second value
<b>LEQ</b>	test whether one value is less than or equal to a second value
<b>GEQ</b>	test whether one value is greater than or equal to a second value

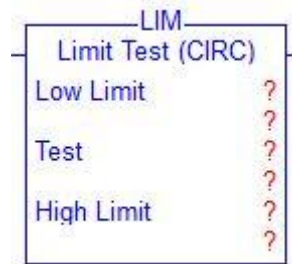
You can compare values of different data types, such as floating point and integer.

For relay ladder instructions, bold data types indicate optimal data types. An instruction executes faster and requires less memory if all the operands of the instruction use the same optimal data type, typically DINT.



### 5.3.1 Limit (LIM)

The LIM instruction tests whether the Test value is within the range of the Low Limit to the High Limit.



**Operands:**

Operand	Type	Format	Description
<b>Low limit</b>	SINT	immediate tag	value of lower limit
	INT		
	<b>DINT</b>		
<b>Test</b>	SINT	immediate tag	value to test
	INT		
	<b>DINT</b>		
<b>High limit</b>	SINT	immediate tag	value of upper limit
	INT		
	<b>DINT</b>		

If you enter a SINT or INT tag, the value converts to a DINT value by sign-extension.

**Description:**

The LIM instruction tests whether the Test value is within the range of the Low Limit to the High Limit.

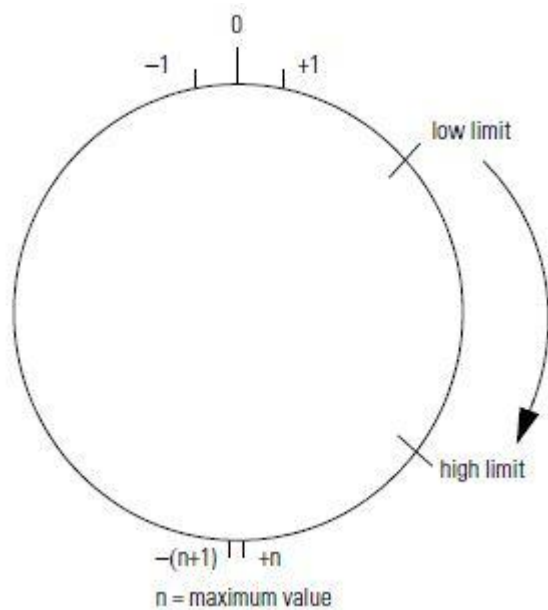
If Low Limit	And Test Value Is	The Rung-condition-out Is
<b>≤ High Limit</b>	equal to or between limits	true
	not equal to or outside limits	false
<b>≥ High Limit</b>	equal to or outside limits	true
	not equal to or inside limits	false

Signed integers “roll over” from the maximum positive number to the maximum negative number when the most significant bit is set. For example, in 16-bit integers (INT type), the maximum positive integer is 32767, which is represented in hexadecimal as 16#7FFF (bits 0 through 14 are all set). If you increment that number by one, the result is 16#8000 (bit 15 is set). For signed integers, hexadecimal 16#8000 is equal to -32768 decimal. Incrementing from this point on until all 16 bits are set ends up at 16#FFFF, which is equal to -1 decimal.

This can be shown as a circular number line (see the following diagrams). The LIM instruction starts at the Low Limit and increments clockwise until it reaches the High Limit. Any Test value in the clockwise range from the Low Limit to the High Limit sets the rung-condition-out to true. Any Test value in the clockwise range from the High Limit to the Low Limit sets the rung-condition-out to false.

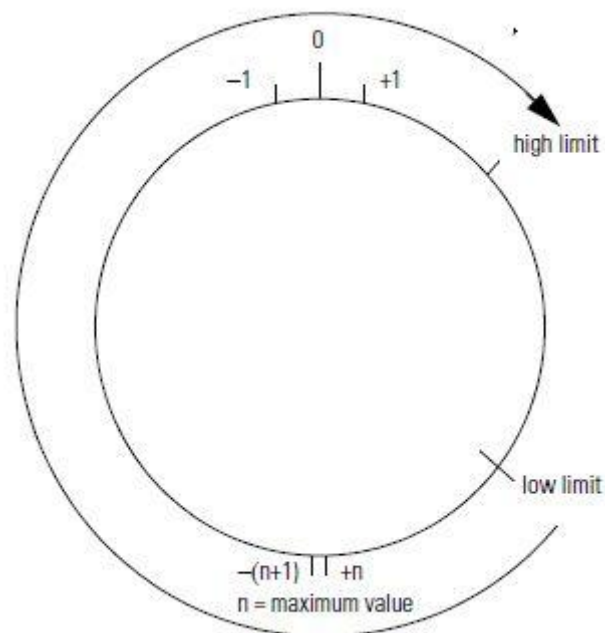
**Low Limit ≤ High Limit**

The instruction is true if the test value is equal to or between the low and high limit.



**Low Limit ≥ High Limit**

The instruction is true if the test value is equal to or outside the low and high limit.



**Execution:**

Condition	Action
<b>prescan</b>	The rung-condition-out is set to false.

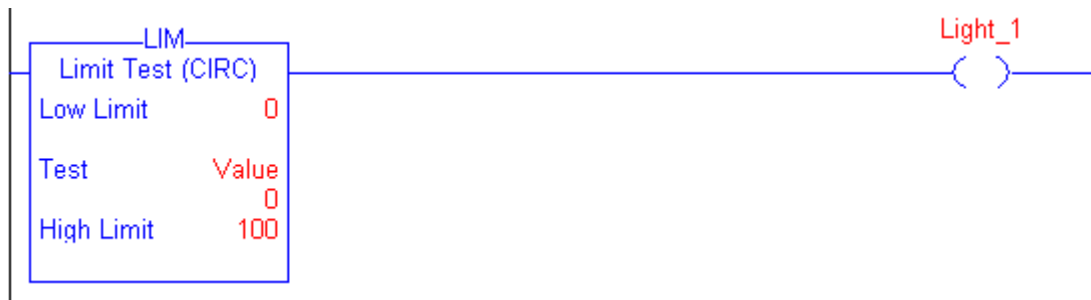


Condition	Action
<b>rung-condition-in is false</b>	The rung-condition-out is set to false.
<b>rung-condition-in is true</b>	<pre> graph TD     Start(( )) --&gt; Eval{evaluate limit}     Eval -- "comparison is true" --&gt; SetTrue[rung-condition-out is set to true]     Eval -- "comparison is false" --&gt; SetFalse[rung-condition-out is set to false]     SetTrue --&gt; End([end])     SetFalse --&gt; End             </pre>

**Example 1:**

Low Limit ≤ High Limit:

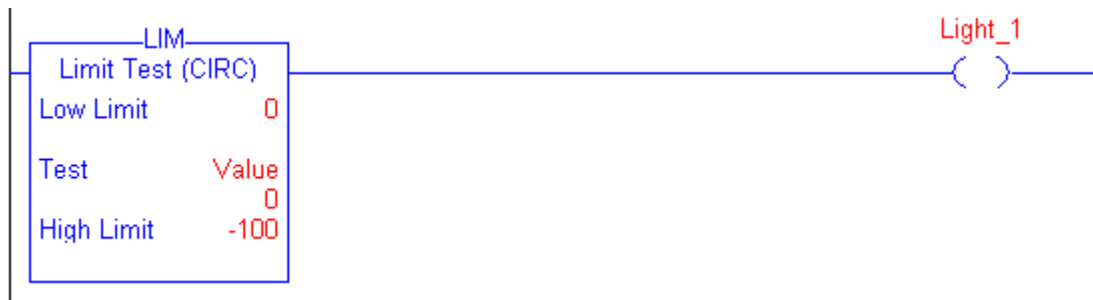
When 0 ≤ Value ≤ 100, set Light\_1. If Value < 0 or Value >100, clear Light\_1.



**Example 2:**

Low Limit ≥ High Limit:

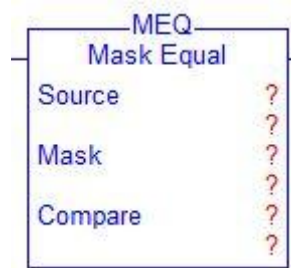
When Value ≥ 0 or Value ≤ -100, set Light\_1. If Value < 0 or Value >-100, clear Light\_1.





### 5.3.2 Mask Equal to (MEQ)

The MEQ instruction passes the Source and Compare values through a Mask and compares the results.



**Operands:**

Operand	Type	Format	Description
<b>Source</b>	SINT INT <b>DINT</b>	immediate tag	value to test against Compare
<b>Mask</b>	SINT INT <b>DINT</b>	immediate tag	defines which bits to block or pass
<b>Compare</b>	SINT INT <b>DINT</b>	immediate tag	value to test against Source

If you enter a SINT or INT tag, the value converts to a DINT value by zero-fill.

**Description:**

A “1” in the mask means the data bit is passed. A “0” in the mask means the data bit is blocked. Typically, the Source, Mask, and Compare values are all the same data type.

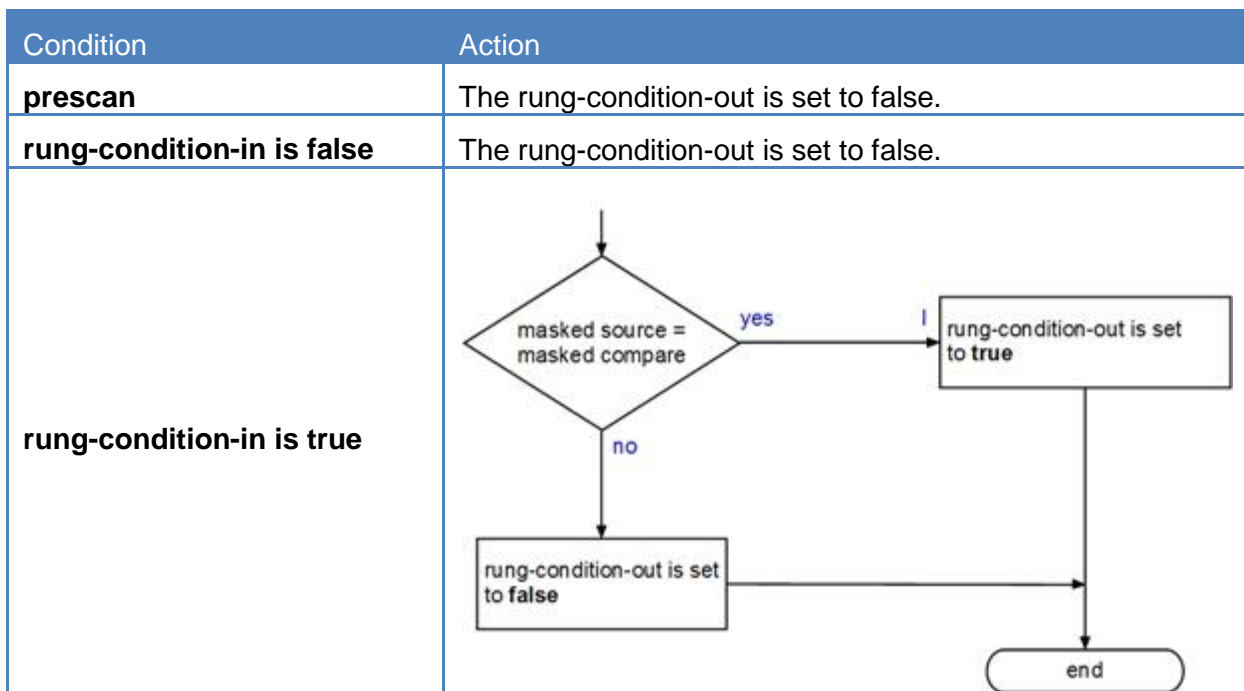
If you mix integer data types, the instruction fills the upper bits of the smaller integer data types with 0s so that they are the same size as the largest data type.

**Entering an Immediate Mask Value:**

When you enter a mask, the programming software defaults to decimal values. If you want to enter a mask using another format, precede the value with the correct prefix.

Prefix	Description	Example
2#	binary	2#00110011
8#	octal	8#16
16#	hexadecimal	16#0F0F

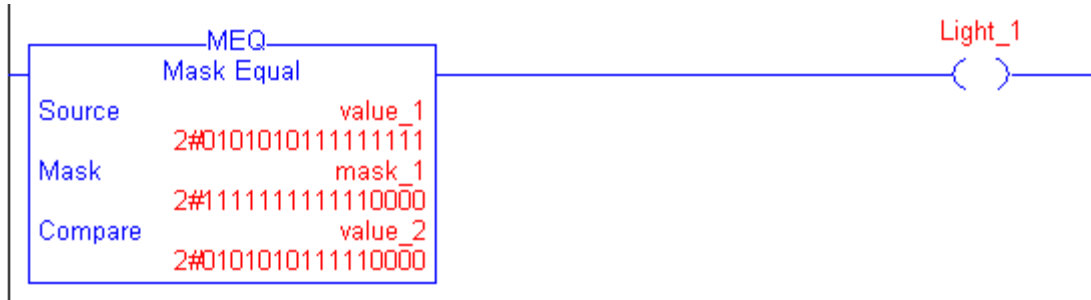
**Execution:**



**Example 1:**

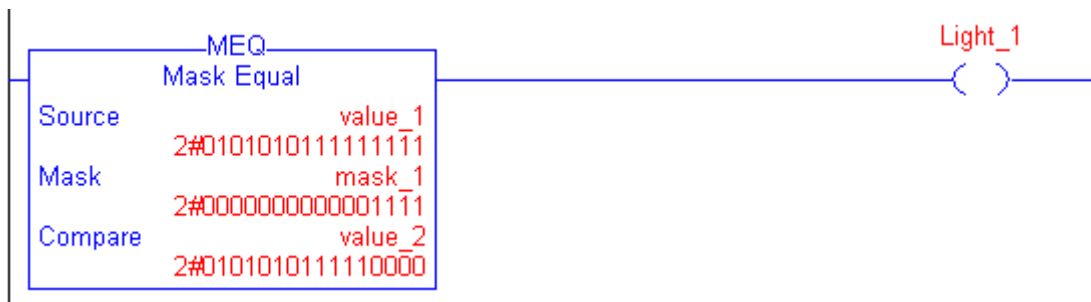
If the masked value\_1 is equal to the masked value\_2, set light\_1. If the masked value\_1 is not equal to the masked value\_2, clear light\_1. This example shows that the masked values are equal. A 0 in the mask restrains the instruction from comparing that bit (shown by x in the example).





**Example 2:**

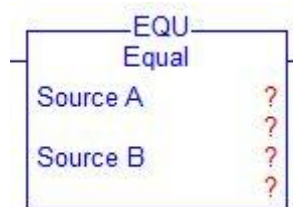
If the masked value\_1 is equal to the masked value\_2, set light\_1. If the masked value\_1 is not equal to the masked value\_2, clear light\_1. This example shows that the masked values are not equal. A 0 in the mask restrains the instruction from comparing that bit (shown by x in the example).





### 5.3.3 Equal to (EQU)

The EQU instruction tests whether Source A is equal to Source B.



**Operands:**

Operand	Type	Format	Description
<b>Source A</b>	SINT INT <b>DINT</b>	immediate tag	value to test against Source B
<b>Source B</b>	SINT INT <b>DINT</b>	immediate tag	value to test against Source A

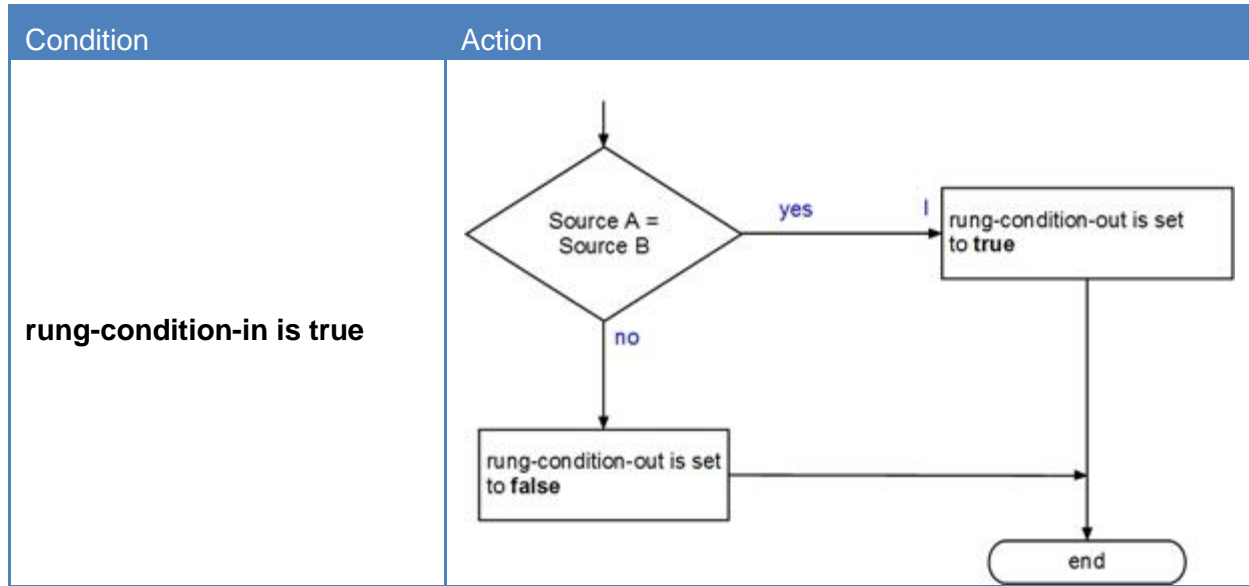
If you enter a SINT or INT tag, the value converts to a DINT value by sign-extension.

**Description:**

Use the EQU instruction to compare two numbers.

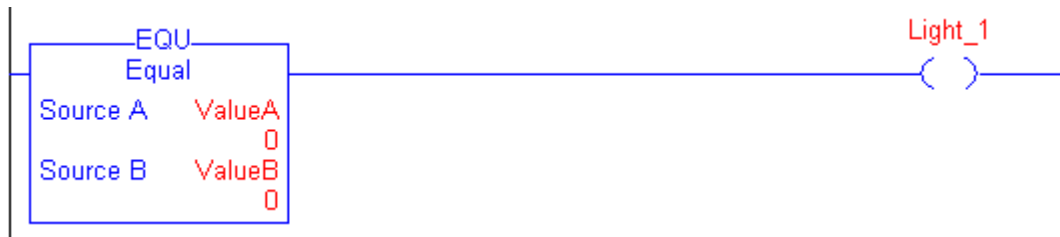
**Execution:**

Condition	Action
<b>prescan</b>	The rung-condition-out is set to false.
<b>rung-condition-in is false</b>	The rung-condition-out is set to false.



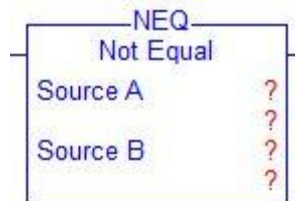
**Example:**

If ValueA is equal to ValueB, set Light\_1. If ValueA is not equal to ValueB, clear Light\_1.



### 5.3.4 Not Equal to (NEQ)

The NEQ instruction tests whether Source A is not equal to Source B.



**Operands:**

Operand	Type	Format	Description
<b>Source A</b>	SINT INT <b>DINT</b>	immediate tag	value to test against Source B
<b>Source B</b>	SINT INT <b>DINT</b>	immediate tag	value to test against Source A

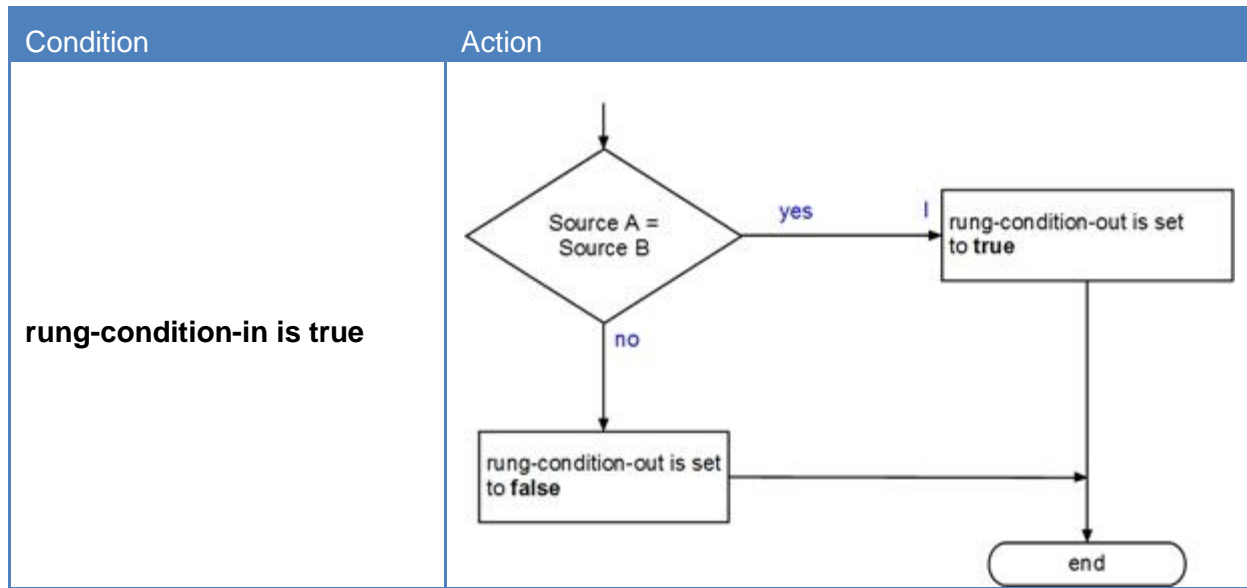
If you enter a SINT or INT tag, the value converts to a DINT value by sign-extension.

**Description:**

The NEQ instruction tests whether Source A is not equal to Source B.

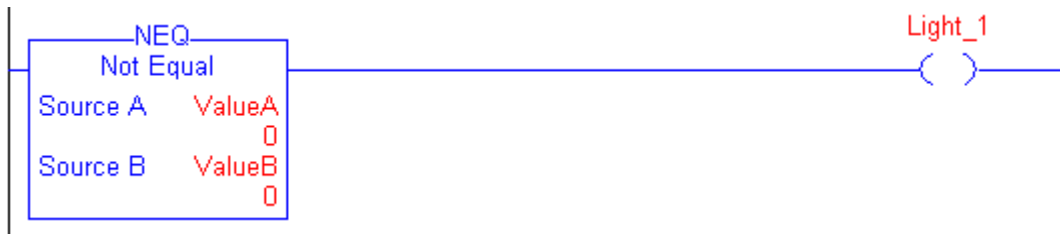
**Execution:**

Condition	Action
<b>prescan</b>	The rung-condition-out is set to false.
<b>rung-condition-in is false</b>	The rung-condition-out is set to false.



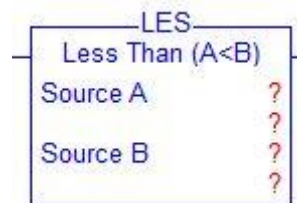
**Example:**

If ValueA is not equal to ValueB, set Light\_1. If ValueA is equal to ValueB, clear Light\_1.



### 5.3.5 Less Than (LES)

The LES instruction tests whether Source A is less than Source B.



**Operands:**

Operand	Type	Format	Description
<b>Source A</b>	SINT INT <b>DINT</b>	immediate tag	value to test against Source B
<b>Source B</b>	SINT INT <b>DINT</b>	immediate tag	value to test against Source A

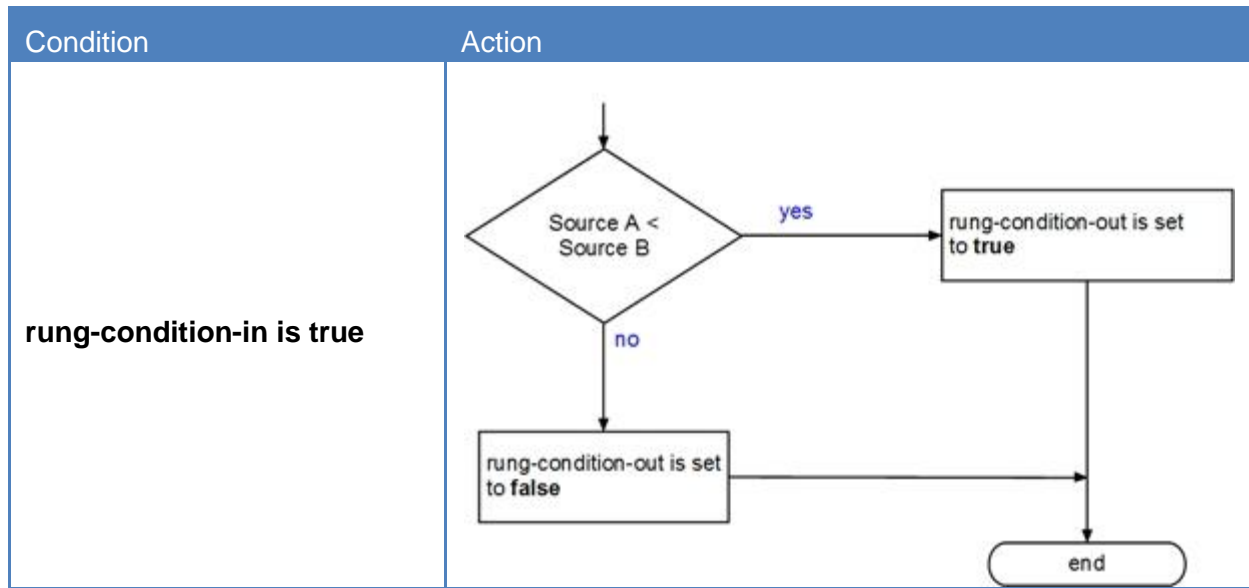
If you enter a SINT or INT tag, the value converts to a DINT value by sign-extension.

**Description:**

The LES instruction tests whether Source A is less than Source B.

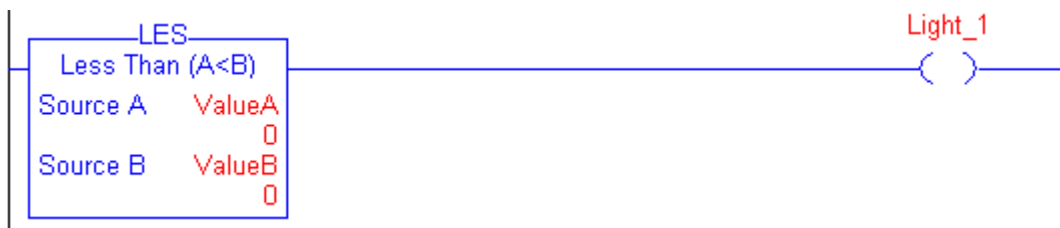
**Execution:**

Condition	Action
<b>prescan</b>	The rung-condition-out is set to false.
<b>rung-condition-in is false</b>	The rung-condition-out is set to false.



**Example:**

If ValueA is less than ValueB, set Light\_1. If ValueA is greater than or equal to ValueB, clear Light\_1.



### 5.3.6 Greater Than (GRT)

The GRT instruction tests whether Source A is greater than Source B.



**Operands:**

Operand	Type	Format	Description
<b>Source A</b>	SINT INT <b>DINT</b>	immediate tag	value to test against Source B
<b>Source B</b>	SINT INT <b>DINT</b>	immediate tag	value to test against Source A

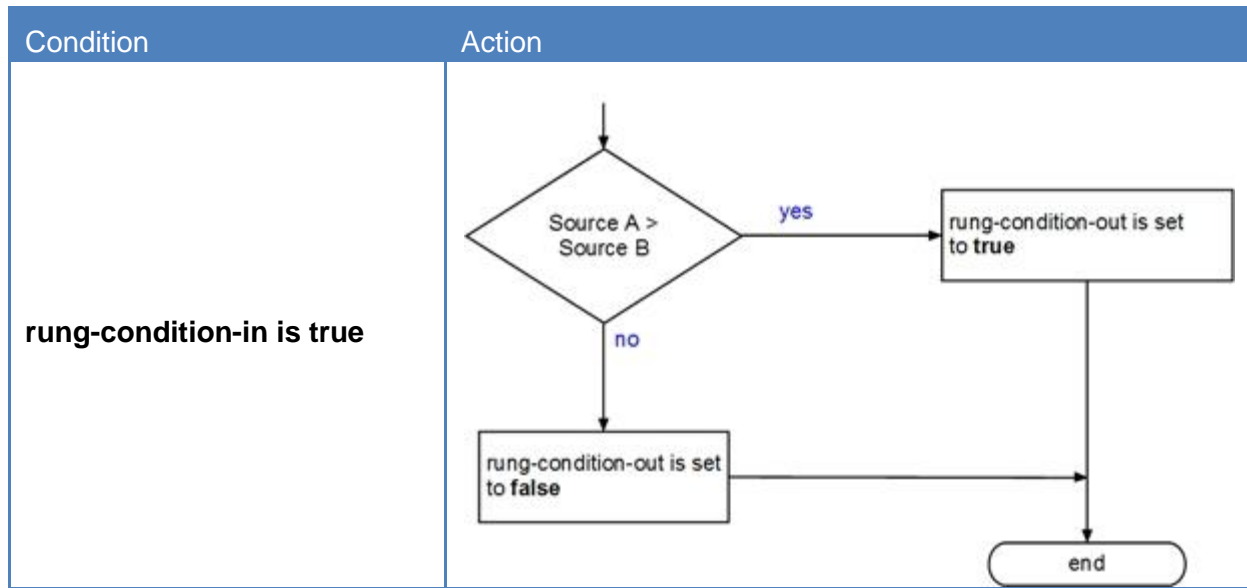
If you enter a SINT or INT tag, the value converts to a DINT value by sign-extension.

**Description:**

The GRT instruction tests whether Source A is greater than Source B.

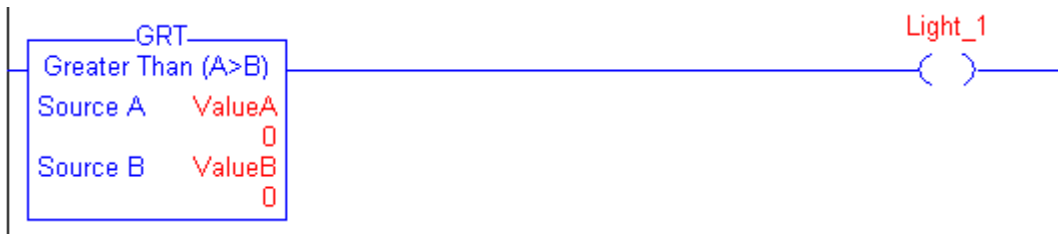
**Execution:**

Condition	Action
<b>prescan</b>	The rung-condition-out is set to false.
<b>rung-condition-in is false</b>	The rung-condition-out is set to false.



**Example:**

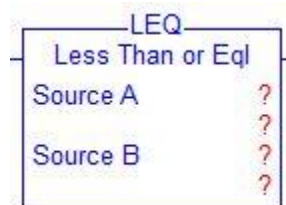
If ValueA is greater than ValueB, set Light\_1. If ValueA is less than or equal to ValueB, clear Light\_1.





### 5.3.7 Less Than or Equal to (LEQ)

The LEQ instruction tests whether Source A is less than or equal to Source B.



**Operands:**

Operand	Type	Format	Description
<b>Source A</b>	SINT INT <b>DINT</b>	immediate tag	value to test against Source B
<b>Source B</b>	SINT INT <b>DINT</b>	immediate tag	value to test against Source A

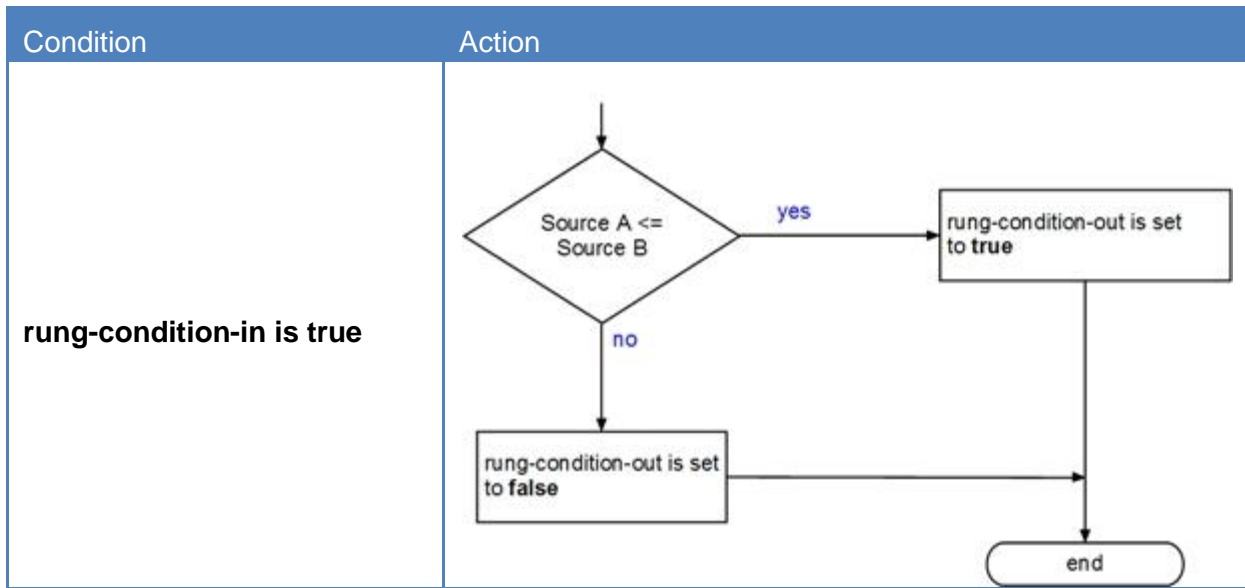
If you enter a SINT or INT tag, the value converts to a DINT value by sign-extension.

**Description:**

The LEQ instruction tests whether Source A is less than or equal to Source B.

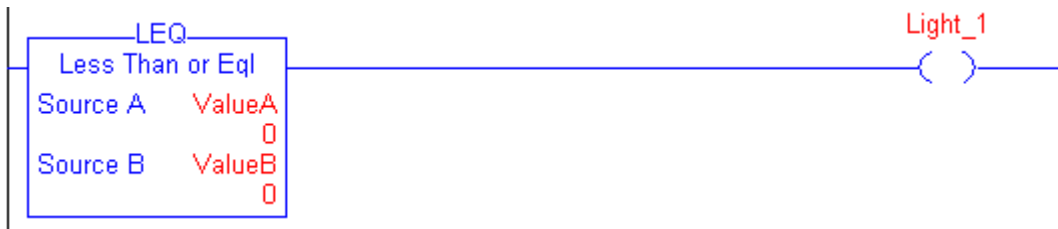
**Execution:**

Condition	Action
<b>prescan</b>	The rung-condition-out is set to false.
<b>rung-condition-in is false</b>	The rung-condition-out is set to false.



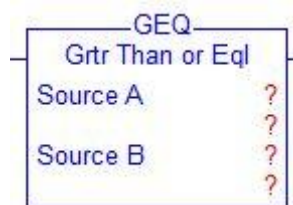
**Example:**

If ValueA is less than or equal to ValueB, set Light\_1. If ValueA is greater than ValueB, clear Light\_1.



### 5.3.8 Greater than or Equal to (GEQ)

The GEQ instruction tests whether Source A is greater than or equal to Source B.



**Operands:**

Operand	Type	Format	Description
<b>Source A</b>	SINT INT <b>DINT</b>	immediate tag	value to test against Source B
<b>Source B</b>	SINT INT <b>DINT</b>	immediate tag	value to test against Source A

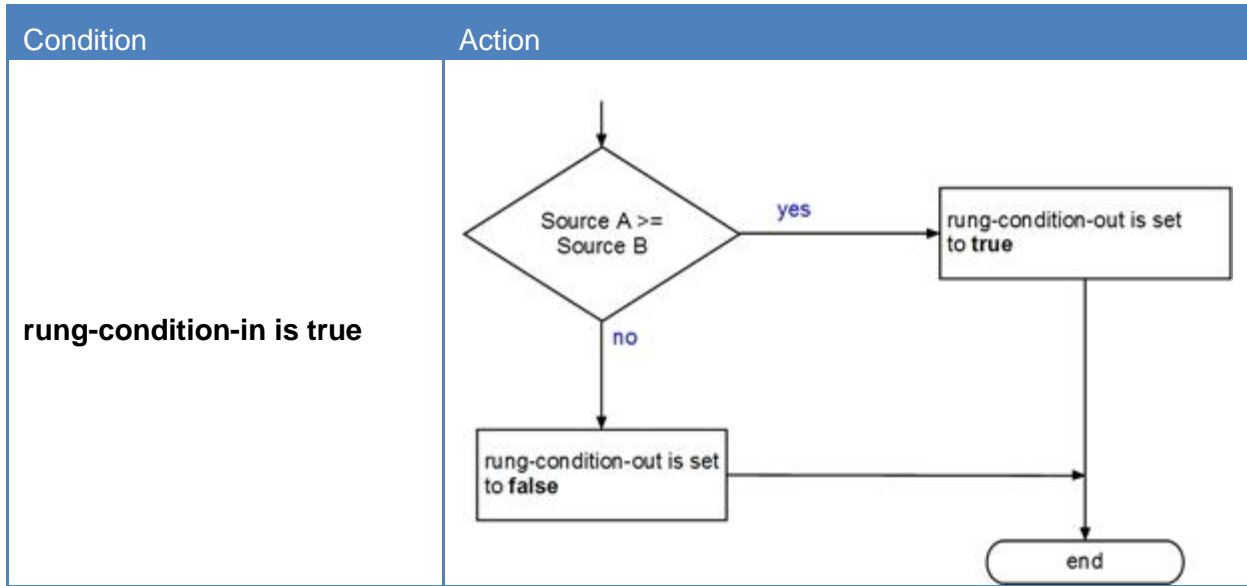
If you enter a SINT or INT tag, the value converts to a DINT value by sign-extension.

**Description:**

The LEQ instruction tests whether Source A is less than or equal to Source B.

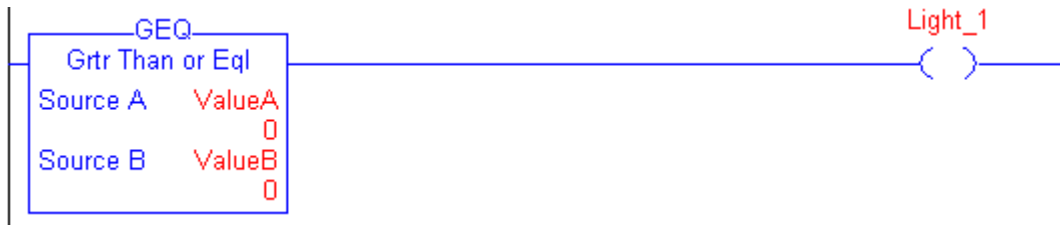
**Execution:**

Condition	Action
<b>prescan</b>	The rung-condition-out is set to false.
<b>rung-condition-in is false</b>	The rung-condition-out is set to false.



**Example:**

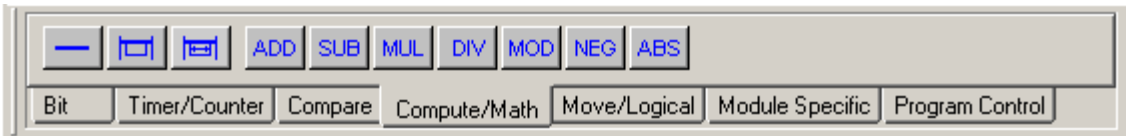
If ValueA is greater than or equal to ValueB, set Light\_1. If ValueA is less than ValueB, clear Light\_1.



## 5.4 Compute/Math Instructions

The compute/math instructions evaluate arithmetic operations using an expression or a specific arithmetic instruction.

To enter a compute/math instruction use buttons form Compute/Math tab of Instruction Bar.



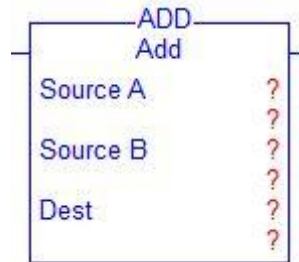
Instruction	Description
<b>ADD</b>	add two values
<b>SUB</b>	subtract two values
<b>MUL</b>	multiply two values
<b>DIV</b>	divide two values
<b>MOD</b>	determine the remainder after one value is divided by another
<b>NEG</b>	take the opposite sign of a value
<b>ABS</b>	take the absolute value of a value

For relay ladder instructions, bold data types indicate optimal data types. An instruction executes faster and requires less memory if all the operands of the instruction use the same optimal data type, typically DINT.



### 5.4.1 Add (ADD)

The ADD instruction adds Source A to Source B and places the result in the Destination.



**Operands:**

Operand	Type	Format	Description
<b>Source A</b>	SINT	immediate tag	value to add to Source B
	INT		
	A SINT or INT tag converts to a DINT value by sign-extension.		
<b>Source B</b>	SINT	immediate tag	value to add to Source A
	INT		
	A SINT or INT tag converts to a DINT value by sign-extension.		
<b>Destination</b>	SINT	tag	tag to store the result
	INT		
	DINT		

**Description:**

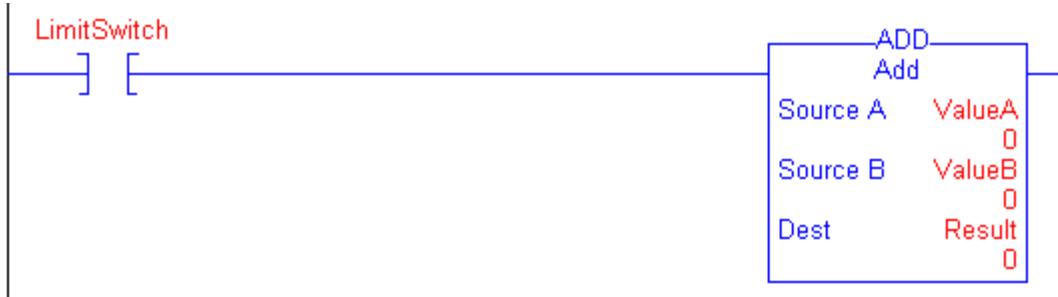
The ADD instruction adds Source A to Source B and places the result in the Destination.

**Execution:**

Condition	Action
<b>prescan</b>	The rung-condition-out is set to false.
<b>rung-condition-in is false</b>	The rung-condition-out is set to false.
<b>rung-condition-in is true</b>	Destination = Source A + Source B The rung-condition-out is set to true.

**Example:**

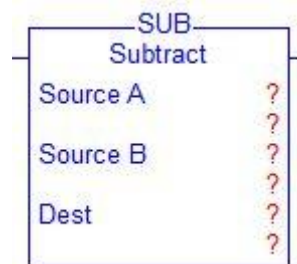
If LimitSwitch is set, add ValueA to ValueB and place the result in Result.





## 5.4.2 Subtract (SUB)

The SUB instruction subtracts Source B from Source A and places the result in the Destination.



### Operands:

Operand	Type	Format	Description
<b>Source A</b>	SINT	immediate tag	value from which to subtract Source B
	INT		
	<b>DINT</b>		A SINT or INT tag converts to a DINT value by sign-extension.
<b>Source B</b>	SINT	immediate tag	value to subtract from Source A
	INT		
	<b>DINT</b>		A SINT or INT tag converts to a DINT value by sign-extension.
<b>Destination</b>	SINT	tag	tag to store the result
	INT		
	<b>DINT</b>		

### Description:

The SUB instruction subtracts Source B from Source A and places the result in the Destination.

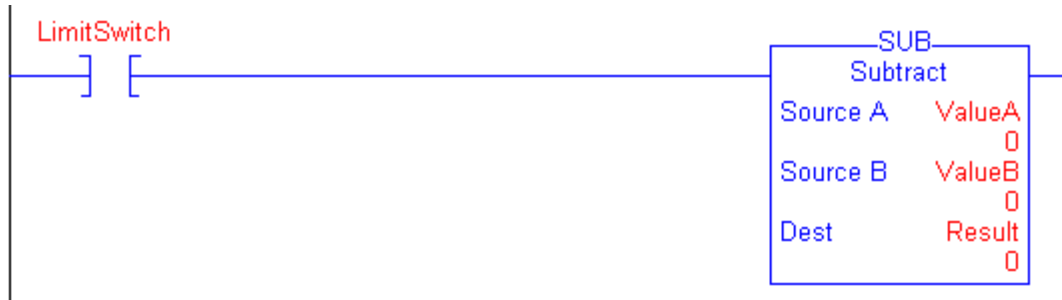
### Execution:

Condition	Action
<b>prescan</b>	The rung-condition-out is set to false.
<b>rung-condition-in is false</b>	The rung-condition-out is set to false.
<b>rung-condition-in is true</b>	Destination = Source B - Source A
	The rung-condition-out is set to true.



**Example:**

If LimitSwitch is set, subtract ValueB from ValueA and place the result in Result.





### 5.4.3 Multiply (MUL)

The MUL instruction multiplies Source A with Source B and places the result in the Destination.



**Operands:**

Operand	Type	Format	Description
<b>Source A</b>	SINT	immediate tag	value of the multiplicand
	INT		
	A SINT or INT tag converts to a DINT value by sign-extension.		
<b>Source B</b>	SINT	immediate tag	value of the multiplier
	INT		
	A SINT or INT tag converts to a DINT value by sign-extension.		
<b>Destination</b>	SINT	tag	tag to store the result
	INT		
	DINT		

**Description:**

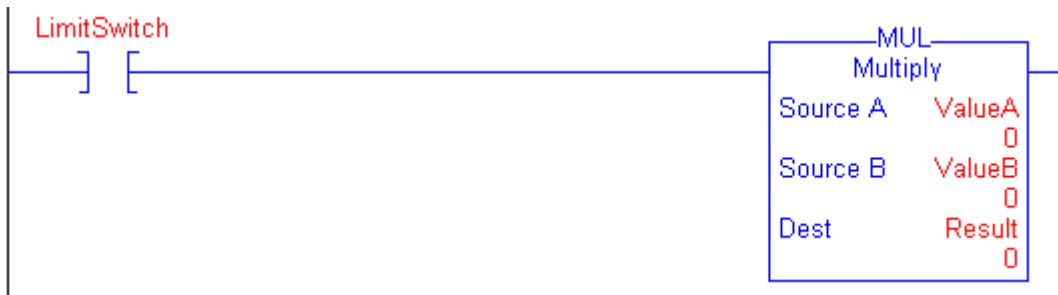
The MUL instruction multiplies Source A with Source B and places the result in the Destination.

**Execution:**

Condition	Action
<b>prescan</b>	The rung-condition-out is set to false.
<b>rung-condition-in is false</b>	The rung-condition-out is set to false.
<b>rung-condition-in is true</b>	Destination = Source B x Source A The rung-condition-out is set to true.

**Example:**

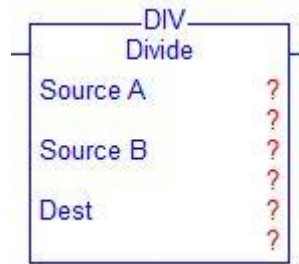
If LimitSwitch is set, multiply ValueA by ValueB and place the result in Result.





### 5.4.4 Divide (DIV)

The DIV instruction divides Source A by Source B and places the result in the Destination.



**Operands:**

Operand	Type	Format	Description
<b>Source A</b>	SINT	immediate tag	value of the dividend
	INT		
	A SINT or INT tag converts to a DINT value by sign-extension.		
<b>Source B</b>	SINT	immediate tag	value of the divisor
	INT		
	A SINT or INT tag converts to a DINT value by sign-extension.		
<b>Destination</b>	SINT	tag	tag to store the result
	INT		
	DINT		

**Description:**

DIV instruction truncates the result.

Operand	Type	Value
<b>Source A</b>	DINT	5
<b>Source B</b>	DINT	3
<b>Destination</b>	DINT	1

If Source B (the divisor) is zero, DIV instruction doesn't evaluate and the next runtime error occurs:

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If ConveyLogix Programmer is in Debug mode, runtime errors are shown in Output window.

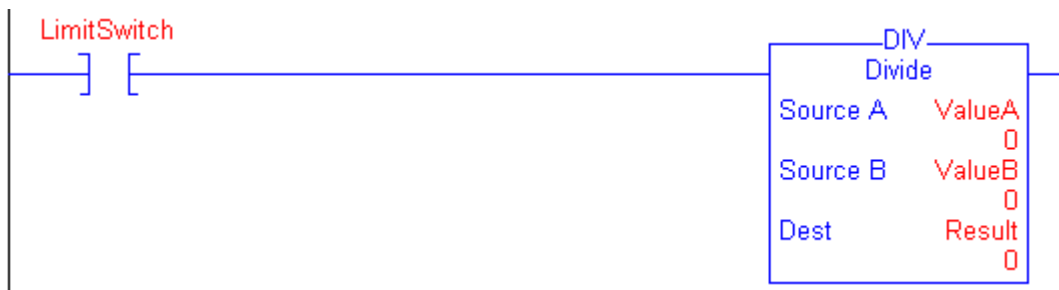
**Execution:**

Condition	Action
<b>prescan</b>	The rung-condition-out is set to false.
<b>rung-condition-in is false</b>	The rung-condition-out is set to false.
<b>rung-condition-in is true</b>	Destination = Source A / Source B The rung-condition-out is set to true.

**Example:**

If LimitSwitch is set, divide ValueA by ValueB and place the result in Result.

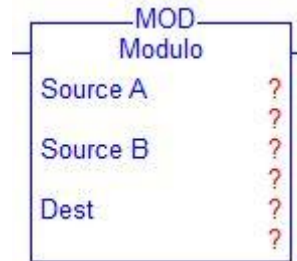
If ValueB (the divisor) is zero, DIV instruction doesn't evaluate.





### 5.4.5 Modulo (MOD)

The MOD instruction divides Source A by Source B and places the remainder in the Destination.



**Operands:**

Operand	Type	Format	Description
<b>Source A</b>	SINT	immediate tag	value of the dividend
	INT		
	A SINT or INT tag converts to a DINT value by sign-extension.		
<b>Source B</b>	SINT	immediate tag	value of the divisor
	INT		
	A SINT or INT tag converts to a DINT value by sign-extension.		
<b>Destination</b>	SINT	tag	tag to store the result
	INT		
	DINT		

**Description:**

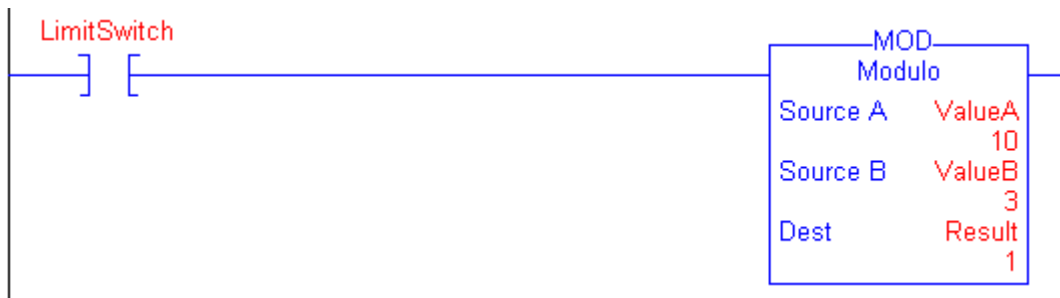
If Source B (the divisor) is zero, Source A is moved to Destination.

**Execution:**

Condition	Action
<b>prescan</b>	The rung-condition-out is set to false.
<b>rung-condition-in is false</b>	The rung-condition-out is set to false.
<b>rung-condition-in is true</b>	Destination = Source A – (TRN (Source A / Source B) * Source B)
	The rung-condition-out is set to true.

**Example:**

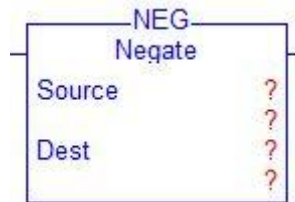
If LimitSwitch is set, divide ValueA by ValueB and place the remainder in Result. In this example, 3 goes into 10 three times, with a remainder of 1.





### 5.4.6 Negate (NEG)

The NEG instruction changes the sign of the Source and places the result in the Destination.



**Operands:**

Operand	Type	Format	Description
<b>Source</b>	SINT	immediate tag	value to negate
	INT		
	<b>DINT</b>		A SINT or INT tag converts to a DINT value by sign-extension.
<b>Destination</b>	SINT	tag	tag to store the result
	INT		
	<b>DINT</b>		

**Description:**

If you negate a negative value, the result is positive. If you negate a positive value, the result is negative.

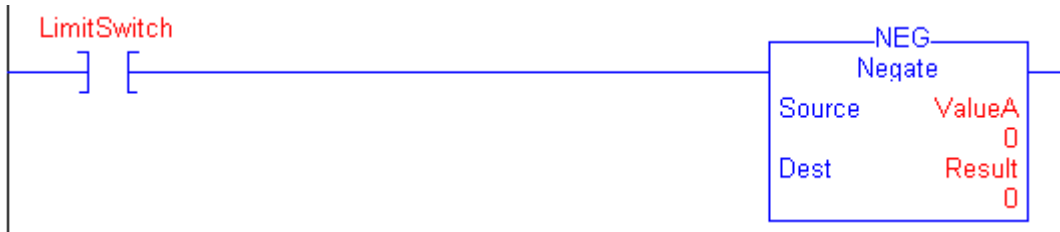
**Execution:**

Condition	Action
<b>prescan</b>	The rung-condition-out is set to false.
<b>rung-condition-in is false</b>	The rung-condition-out is set to false.
<b>rung-condition-in is true</b>	Destination = 0 – Source
	The rung-condition-out is set to true.



**Example:**

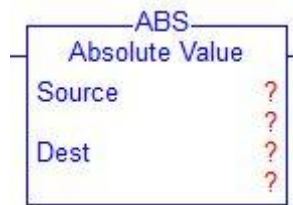
If LimitSwitch is set, change the sign of ValueA and place the result in Result.





### 5.4.7 Absolute Value (ABS)

The ABS instruction takes the absolute value of the Source and places the result in the Destination.



**Operands:**

Operand	Type	Format	Description
<b>Source A</b>	SINT	immediate tag	value of which to take the absolute value
	INT <b>DINT</b>		
A SINT or INT tag converts to a DINT value by sign-extension.			
<b>Destination</b>	SINT	tag	tag to store the result
	INT <b>DINT</b>		

**Description:**

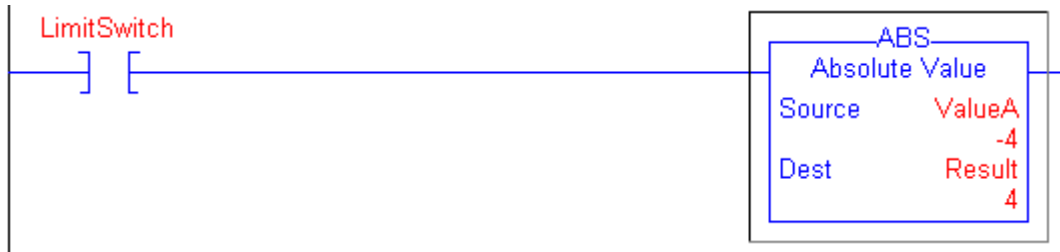
The ABS instruction takes the absolute value of the Source and places the result in the Destination.

**Execution:**

Condition	Action
<b>prescan</b>	The rung-condition-out is set to false.
<b>rung-condition-in is false</b>	The rung-condition-out is set to false.
<b>rung-condition-in is true</b>	Destination =  Source
	The rung-condition-out is set to true.

**Example:**

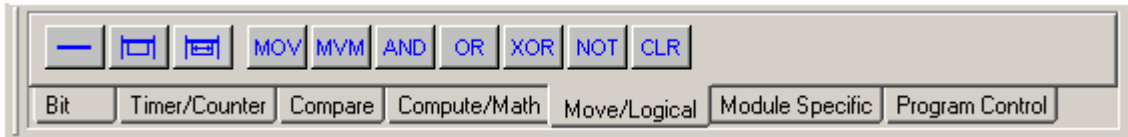
If LimitSwitch is set, place the absolute value of ValueA into Result. In this example, the absolute value of negative four is positive four.





## 5.5 Move/Logical Instructions

To enter a move/logical instruction use buttons form Move/Logical tab of Instruction Bar.



The move instructions modify and move bits.

Instruction	Description
<b>MOV</b>	copy a value
<b>MVM</b>	copy a specific part of an integer
<b>CLR</b>	clear a value

The logical instructions perform operations on bits.

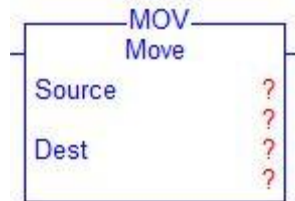
Instruction	Description
<b>Bitwise AND</b>	bitwise AND operation
<b>Bitwise OR</b>	bitwise OR operation
<b>Bitwise XOR</b>	bitwise, exclusive OR operation
<b>Bitwise NOT</b>	bitwise NOT operation

You can mix data types, but loss of accuracy and the instruction takes more time to execute.

Bold data types indicate optimal data types. An instruction executes faster if all the operands of the instruction use the same optimal data type, typically DINT.

### 5.5.1 Move (MOV)

The MOV instruction copies the Source to the Destination. The Source remains unchanged.



**Operands:**

Operand	Type	Format	Description
<b>Source</b>	SINT	immediate tag	value to move (copy)
	INT		
	<b>DINT</b>		A SINT or INT tag converts to a DINT value by sign-extension.
<b>Destination</b>	SINT	tag	tag to store the result
	INT		
	<b>DINT</b>		

**Description:**

The MOV instruction copies the Source to the Destination. The Source remains unchanged.

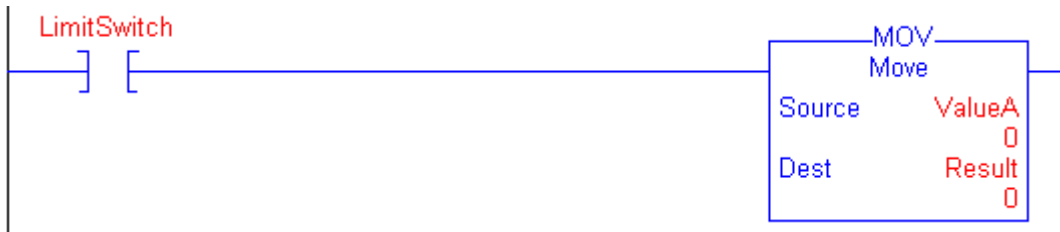
**Execution:**

Condition	Action
<b>prescan</b>	The rung-condition-out is set to false.
<b>rung-condition-in is false</b>	The rung-condition-out is set to false.
<b>rung-condition-in is true</b>	The instruction copies the Source into the Destination. The rung-condition-out is set to true.



**Example:**

If LimitSwitch is set, move the data in ValueA to Result.



### 5.5.2 Masked Move (MVM)

The MVM instruction copies the Source to a Destination and allows portions of the data to be masked.



**Operands:**

Operand	Type	Format	Description
<b>Source</b>	SINT	immediate tag	value to move
	INT		
	A SINT or INT tag converts to a DINT value by zero-fill.		
<b>Mask</b>	SINT	immediate tag	which bits to block or pass
	INT		
	A SINT or INT tag converts to a DINT value by zero-fill.		
<b>Destination</b>	SINT	tag	tag to store the result
	INT		
	DINT		

**Description:**

The MVM instruction uses a Mask to either pass or block Source data bits. A “1” in the mask means the data bit is passed. A “0” in the mask means the data bit is blocked.

If you mix integer data types, the instruction fills the upper bits of the smaller integer data types with 0s so that they are the same size as the largest data type.



### Entering an Immediate Mask Value:

When you enter a mask; the programming software defaults to decimal values. If you want to enter a mask using another format, precede the value with the correct prefix.

Prefix	Description	Example
<b>2#</b>	binary	2#00110011
<b>8#</b>	octal	8#16
<b>16#</b>	hexadecimal	16#0F0F

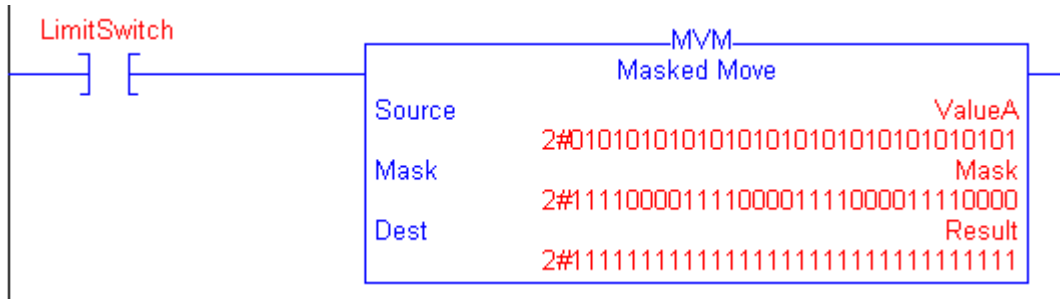
### Execution:

Condition	Action
<b>prescan</b>	The rung-condition-out is set to false.
<b>rung-condition-in is false</b>	The rung-condition-out is set to false.
<b>rung-condition-in is true</b>	The instruction passes the Source through the Mask and copies the result into the Destination. Unmasked bits in the Destination remain unchanged. The rung-condition-out is set to true.



**Example:**

If LimitSwitch is set, copy data from ValueA to Result, while allowing data to be masked (a 0 masks the data in ValueA).



1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
0	1	0	1	0	1	0	1	0	1	0	1	0	1	0	1	0	1	0	1	0	1	0	1	0	1	0	1	0	1	0	1
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0	1	0	1	1	1	1	1	0	1	0	1	1	1	1	1	0	1	0	1	1	1	1	1	0	1	0	1	1	1	1	1

The shaded boxes show the bits that changed in Result.



### 5.5.3 Bitwise AND (AND)

The AND instruction performs a bitwise AND operation using the bits in Source A and Source B and places the result in the Destination.



**Operands:**

Operand	Type	Format	Description
<b>Source A</b>	SINT	immediate tag	value to AND with Source B
	INT		
A SINT or INT tag converts to a DINT value by zero-fill.			
<b>Source B</b>	SINT	immediate tag	value to AND with Source A
	INT		
A SINT or INT tag converts to a DINT value by zero-fill.			
<b>Destination</b>	SINT	tag	tag to store the result
	INT		
<b>DINT</b>			

**Description:**

When enabled, the instruction evaluates the AND operation:

If the Bit In Source A Is	And the Bit In Source B Is:	The Bit In the Destination Is:
0	0	0
0	1	0
1	0	0
1	1	1

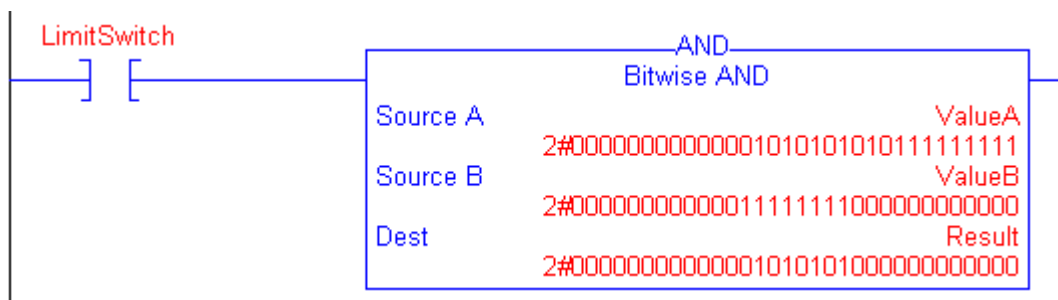
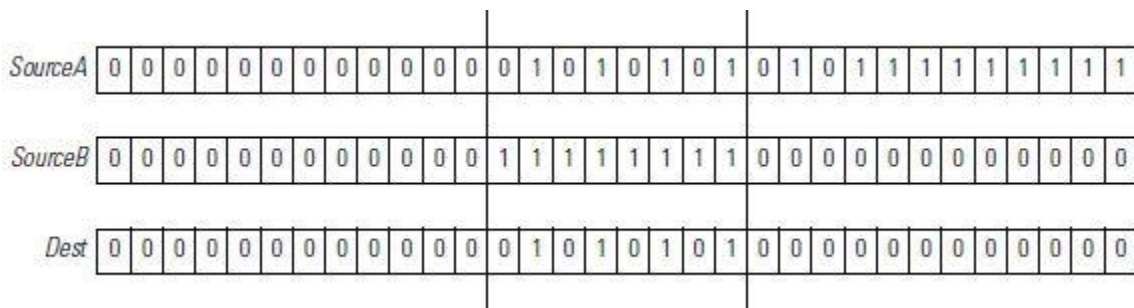
If you mix integer data types, the instruction fills the upper bits of the smaller integer data types with 0s so that they are the same size as the largest data type.

**Execution:**

Condition	Action
<b>prescan</b>	The rung-condition-out is set to false.
<b>rung-condition-in is false</b>	The rung-condition-out is set to false.
<b>rung-condition-in is true</b>	The instruction performs a bitwise AND operation. The rung-condition-out is set to true.

**Example:**

When enabled, the AND instruction performs a bitwise AND operation on ValueA and ValueB and places the result in the Result.





### 5.5.4 Bitwise OR (OR)

The OR instruction performs a bitwise OR operation using the bits in Source A and Source B and places the result in the Destination.



**Operands:**

Operand	Type	Format	Description
<b>Source A</b>	SINT	immediate tag	value to OR with Source B
	INT		
	A SINT or INT tag converts to a DINT value by zero-fill.		
<b>Source B</b>	SINT	immediate tag	value to OR with Source A
	INT		
	A SINT or INT tag converts to a DINT value by zero-fill.		
<b>Destination</b>	SINT	tag	tag to store the result
	INT		
	DINT		

**Description:**

When enabled, the instruction evaluates the OR operation:

If the Bit In Source A Is	And the Bit In Source B Is:	The Bit In the Destination Is:
0	0	0
0	1	1
1	0	1
1	1	1

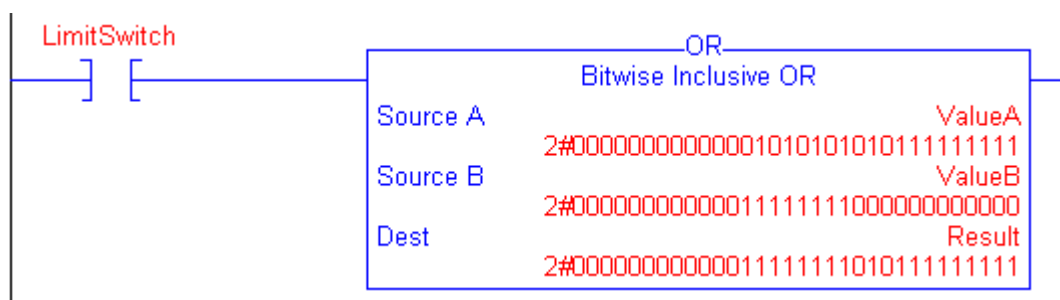
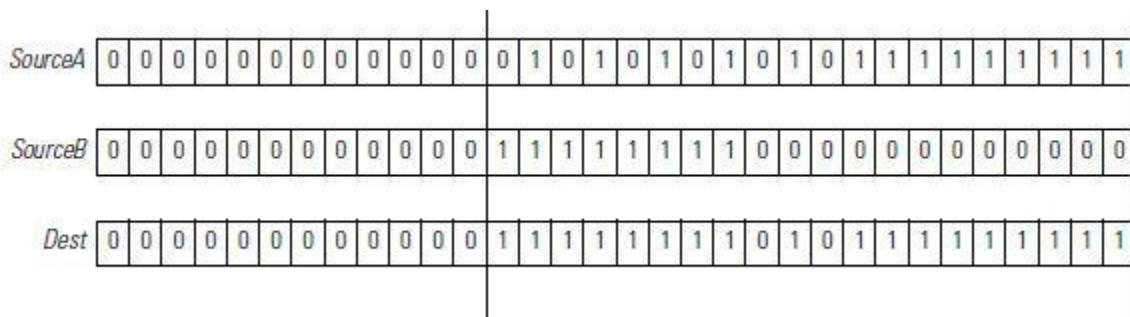
If you mix integer data types, the instruction fills the upper bits of the smaller integer data types with 0s so that they are the same size as the largest data type.

**Execution:**

Condition	Action
<b>prescan</b>	The rung-condition-out is set to false.
<b>rung-condition-in is false</b>	The rung-condition-out is set to false.
<b>rung-condition-in is true</b>	The instruction performs a bitwise OR operation. The rung-condition-out is set to true.

**Example:**

When enabled, the OR instruction performs a bitwise OR operation on ValueA and ValueB and places the result in Result.





### 5.5.5 Bitwise Exclusive OR (XOR)

The XOR instruction performs a bitwise XOR operation using the bits in Source A and Source B and places the result in the Destination.



**Operands:**

Operand	Type	Format	Description
<b>Source A</b>	SINT	immediate tag	value to XOR with Source B
	INT		
	A SINT or INT tag converts to a DINT value by zero-fill.		
<b>Source B</b>	SINT	immediate tag	value to XOR with Source A
	INT		
	A SINT or INT tag converts to a DINT value by zero-fill.		
<b>Destination</b>	SINT	tag	tag to store the result
	INT		
	DINT		

**Description:**

When enabled, the instruction evaluates the XOR operation:

If the Bit In Source A Is	And the Bit In Source B Is:	The Bit In the Destination Is:
0	0	0
0	1	1
1	0	1
1	1	0

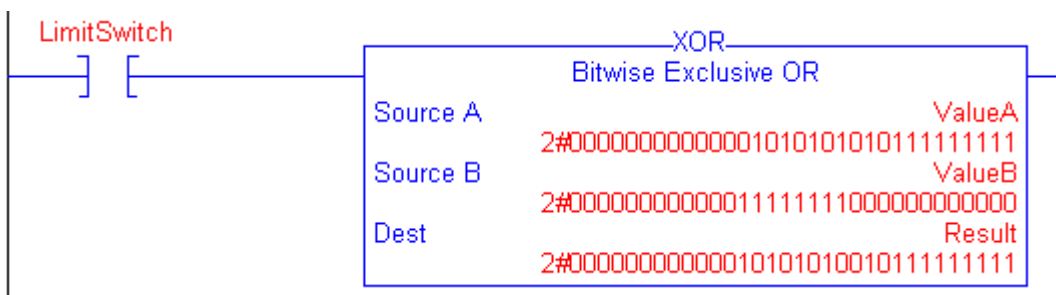
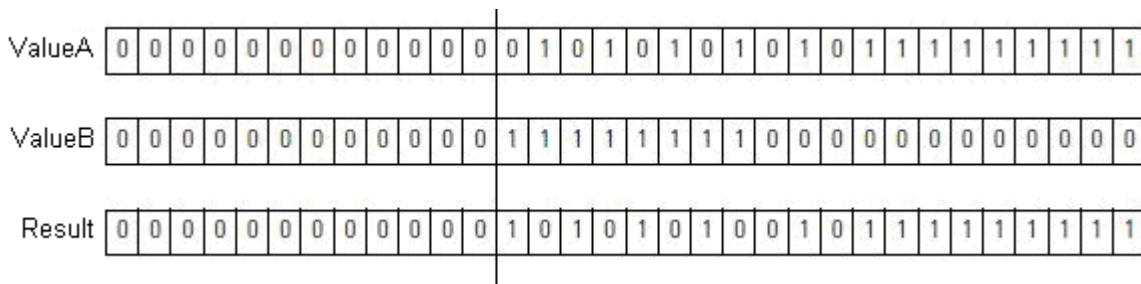
If you mix integer data types, the instruction fills the upper bits of the smaller integer data types with 0s so that they are the same size as the largest data type.

**Execution:**

Condition	Action
<b>prescan</b>	The rung-condition-out is set to false.
<b>rung-condition-in is false</b>	The rung-condition-out is set to false.
<b>rung-condition-in is true</b>	The instruction performs a bitwise OR operation. The rung-condition-out is set to true.

**Example:**

When enabled, the XOR instruction performs a bitwise XOR operation on ValueA and ValueB and places the result in the Result tag.





### 5.5.6 Bitwise NOT (NOT)

The NOT instruction performs a bitwise NOT operation using the bits in the Source and places the result in the Destination.



**Operands:**

Operand	Type	Format	Description
<b>Source</b>	SINT	immediate tag	value to NOT
	INT		
	<b>DINT</b>		A SINT or INT tag converts to a DINT value by sign-extension.
<b>Destination</b>	SINT	tag	tag to store the result
	INT		
	<b>DINT</b>		

**Description:**

When enabled, the instruction evaluates the NOT operation:

If the Bit In Source Is:	The Bit In the Destination Is:
<b>0</b>	1
<b>1</b>	0

If you mix integer data types, the instruction fills the upper bits of the smaller integer data types with 0s so that they are the same size as the largest data type.







### 5.5.7 Clear (CLR)

The CLR instruction clears all the bits of the Destination.



**Operands:**

Operand	Type	Format	Description
<b>Destination</b>	SINT INT DINT	tag	tag to clear

**Description:**

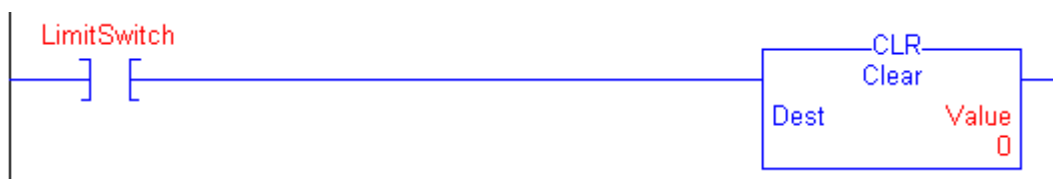
The CLR instruction clears all the bits of the Destination.

**Execution:**

Condition	Action
<b>prescan</b>	The rung-condition-out is set to false.
<b>rung-condition-in is false</b>	The rung-condition-out is set to false.
<b>rung-condition-in is true</b>	The instruction clears the Destination. The rung-condition-out is set to true.

**Example:**

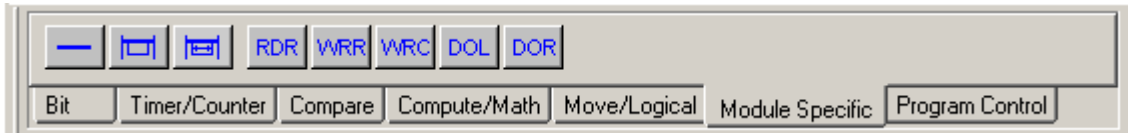
Let Value is equal to 9999. When enabled, clear all the bits of Value to 0.



## 5.6 Module Specific Instructions

The module specific instructions perform controller-specific operations.

To enter a module specific instruction use buttons from Module Specific tab of Instruction Bar.



Instruction	Description
<b>RDR</b>	read local Modbus register
<b>WRR</b>	write local Modbus register
<b>WRC</b>	write local Modbus register and send via communication
<b>DOL</b>	count pulses of the left motor when enabled
<b>DOR</b>	count pulses of the right motor when enabled

DOL and DOR instructions are available only for ConveyLinX controller type.



## 5.6.1 Read Register (RDR)

The RDR instruction copies the value of local Modbus register, referred to Reg No, to the Destination.



### Operands:

Operand	Type	Format	Description
<b>Reg No</b>	Modbus Register	immediate	Modbus register number. Must be from 1 to 512.
<b>Destination</b>	SINT INT DINT	tag	tag to store the result

### Description:

The RDR instruction copies the value of local Modbus register, referred to Reg No, to the Destination. The Modbus register value remains unchanged.

Destination Type	Action
<b>SINT</b>	Low BYTE of the Modbus register is copied to the Destination.
<b>INT</b>	The Modbus register is copied to the Destination.
<b>DINT</b>	Two consecutive Modbus registers are copied to the Destination. The first register is copied to Low WORD and the second – to High WORD of the Destination.

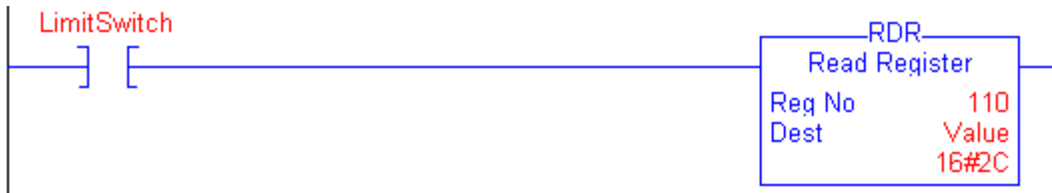
### Execution:

Condition	Action
<b>prescan</b>	The rung-condition-out is set to false.
<b>rung-condition-in is false</b>	The rung-condition-out is set to false.
<b>rung-condition-in is true</b>	The instruction copies the value, referred to Reg No, into the Destination. The rung-condition-out is set to true.

**Example 1:**

Type of Value is SINT. Let the value of local Modbus register 110 is 300 (16#012C).

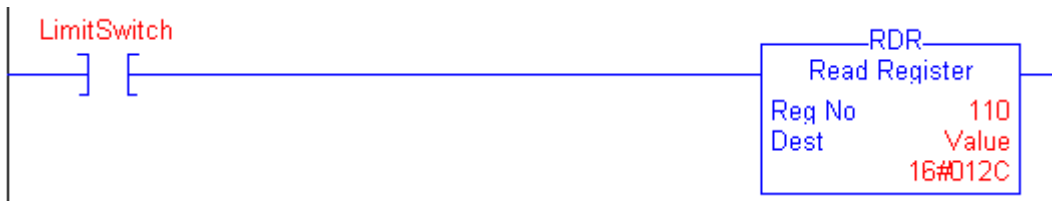
When enabled, read register 110 and put low BYTE (16#2C) of the value to Value tag. The high BYTE is truncated.



**Example 2:**

Type of Value is INT. Again let the value of local Modbus register 110 is 300 (16#012C).

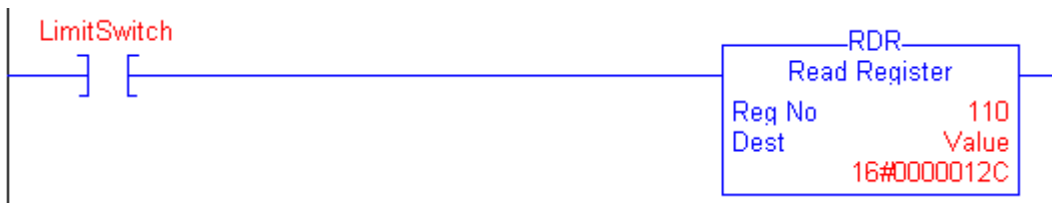
When enabled, read register 110 and put the value to Value tag.



**Example 3:**

Type of Value is DINT. Let the value of local Modbus register 110 is 300 (16#012C) and value of local Modbus register 111 is 0 (16#0000).

When enabled, read registers 110 and 111 and put the value of register 110 to low WORD (16#012C) of Value tag and the value of registers 111 to high WORD (16#0000) of Value tag.





## 5.6.2 Write Register (WRR)

The WRR instruction copies the value of Source to local Modbus register, referred to Reg No.



### Operands:

Operand	Type	Format	Description
<b>Source</b>	SINT INT DINT	tag	value to write
<b>Reg No</b>	Modbus Register	immediate	Modbus register number. Must be from 1 to 512.

### Description:

The WRR instruction copies the value of Source to local Modbus register, referred to Reg No. The Source value remains unchanged.

Source Type	Action
<b>SINT</b>	The Source is copied to the Low BYTE of the Modbus register. The High BYTE of the Modbus register remains unchanged.
<b>INT</b>	The Source is copied to the Modbus register.
<b>DINT</b>	The Source is copied to two consecutive Modbus registers. The Low WORD of Source is copied to the first Modbus register and the High WORD – to the second Modbus registers.

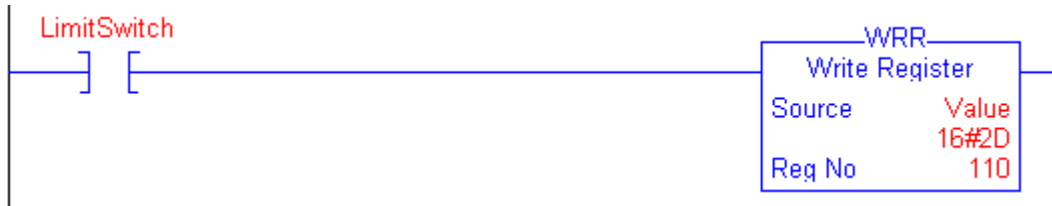
### Execution:

Condition	Action
<b>prescan</b>	The rung-condition-out is set to false.
<b>rung-condition-in is false</b>	The rung-condition-out is set to false.
<b>rung-condition-in is true</b>	The instruction copies the value of Source to Modbus register, referred to Reg No. The rung-condition-out is set to true.

**Example 1:**

Let type of Value is SINT and Value is equal to 45 (16#2D).

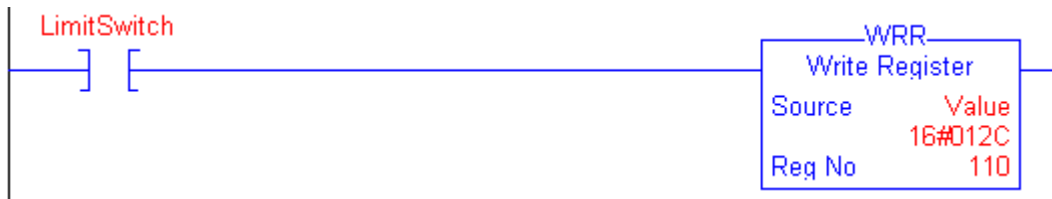
When enabled, copies the value of Value tag to the Low BYTE of the Modbus register 110. The High BYTE of the Modbus register 110 remains unchanged.



**Example 2:**

Let type of Value is INT and Value is equal to 300 (16#012C).

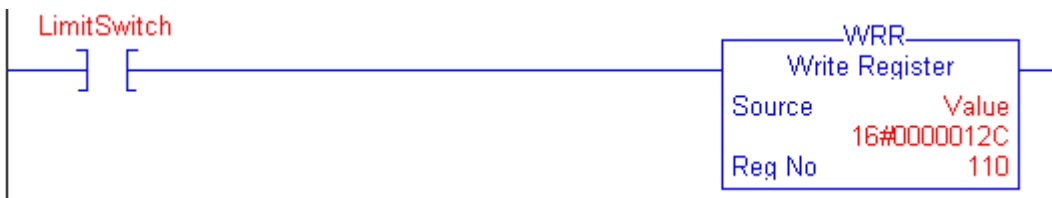
When enabled, copies the value of Value tag to Modbus register 110.



**Example 3:**

Let type of Value is DINT and Value is equal to 300 (16#0000012C).

When enabled, copies the low WORD of Value tag (16#012C) to Modbus register 110 and the high WORD of Value tag (16#0000) to Modbus register 111.





### 5.6.3 Write Register Comm (WRC)

The WRC instruction copies the value of Source to local Modbus register, referred to Reg No and send via communication.



**Operands:**

Operand	Type	Format	Description
<b>Source</b>	SINT	tag	value to write
	INT		
	DINT		
<b>Reg No</b>	Modbus Register	immediate	Modbus register number. Must be from 1 to 512.

**Description:**

The WRC instruction copies the value of Source to local Modbus register, referred to Reg No and send via communication. The Source value remains unchanged.



ConveyLinx and ConveyNet controllers are organized by events. When using the WRC instruction; it may cause interrupts to awaken idle tasks. Frequent use of the WRC instruction in certain cases may affect processor loading and performance such that communications and/or motor commutation tasks may delay or cause unexpected results.

Source Type	Action
<b>SINT</b>	The Source is copied to the Low BYTE of the Modbus register. The High BYTE of the Modbus register remains unchanged.
<b>INT</b>	The Source is copied to the Modbus register.
<b>DINT</b>	The Source is copied to two consecutive Modbus registers. The Low WORD of Source is copied to the first Modbus register and the High WORD – to the second Modbus registers.

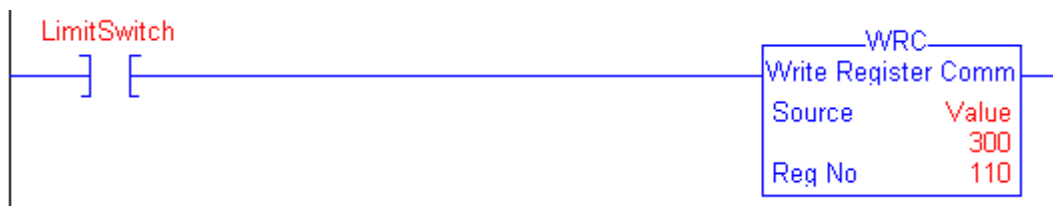


**Execution:**

Condition	Action
<b>prescan</b>	The rung-condition-out is set to false.
<b>rung-condition-in is false</b>	The rung-condition-out is set to false.
<b>rung-condition-in is true</b>	The instruction copies the value of Source to Modbus register, referred to Reg No. The rung-condition-out is set to true.

**Example:**

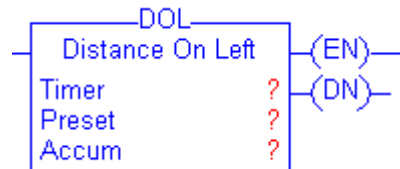
When enabled, copies the value of Value tag to local Modbus register 110. If register 110 participates to any of the controller events, sends update to the other controller(s).





### 5.6.4 Distance On Left (DOL)

The DOL instruction counts evaluated pulses of the left motor when the instruction is enabled.



**Operands:**

Operand	Type	Format	Description
<b>Timer</b>	TIMER	tag	TIMER structure
<b>Preset</b>	DINT	immediate	how high to count
<b>Accum</b>	DINT	immediate	evaluated pulses of the left motor initial value is typically 0

**TIMER Structure**

Mnemonic	Data Type	Description
<b>.EN</b>	BOOL	The enable bit indicates that the DOL instruction is enabled.
<b>.TT</b>	BOOL	The timing bit indicates that a counting operation is in process
<b>.DN</b>	BOOL	The done bit is set when $.ACC \geq .PRE$ .
<b>.PRE</b>	DINT	The preset value specifies the value which the accumulated value must reach before the instruction sets the <b>.DN</b> bit.
<b>.ACC</b>	DINT	The accumulated value specifies the number of pulses, evaluated from the left motor, the instruction has counted.

**Description:**

When enabled, the DOL instruction counts the pulses, evaluated of left motor.

The DOL instruction accumulates pulses until:

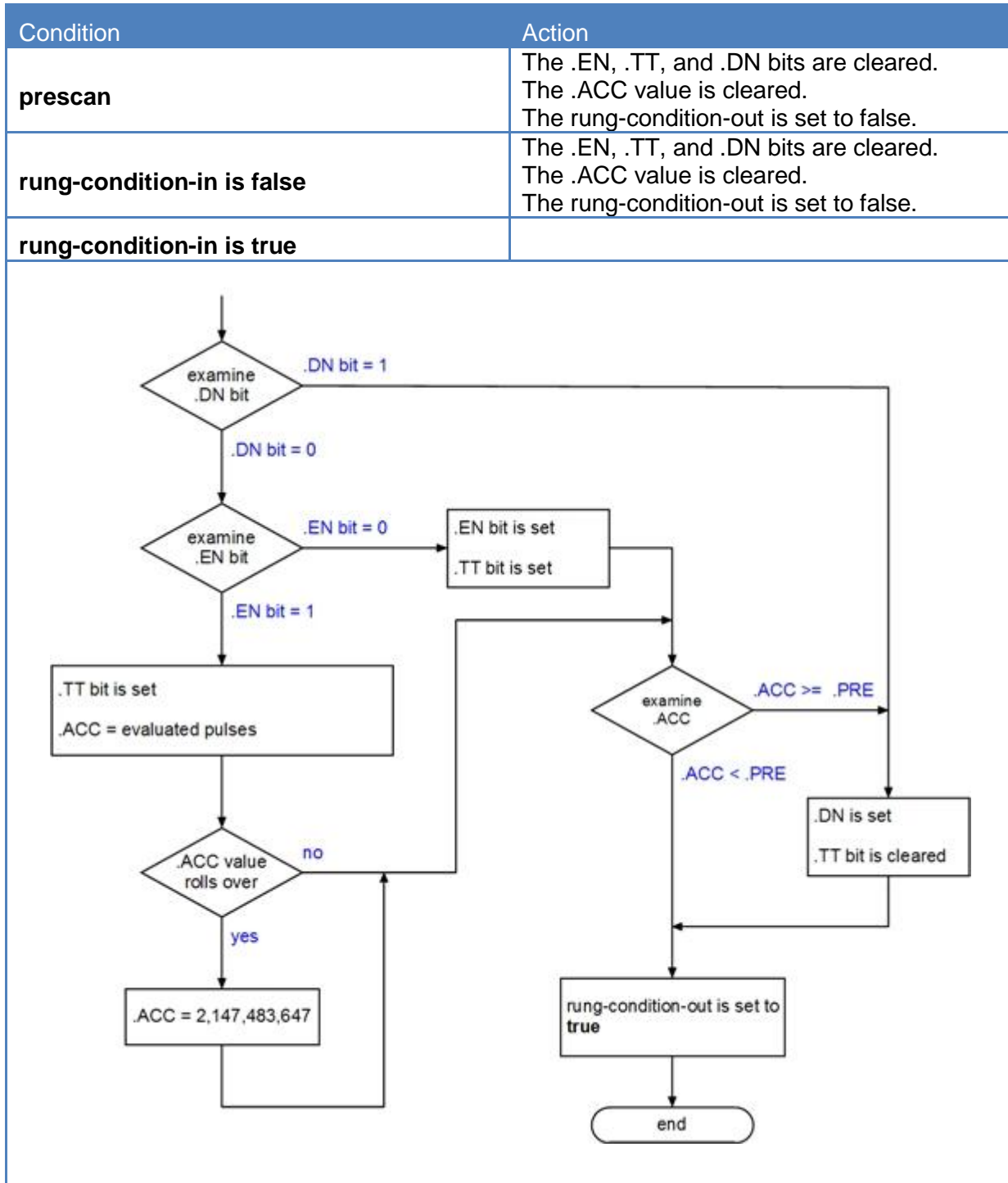
- the DOL instruction is disabled
- the  $.ACC \geq .PRE$

When the DOL instruction is disabled, the .ACC value is cleared.



DOL instruction is available only for ConveyLinx controller type.

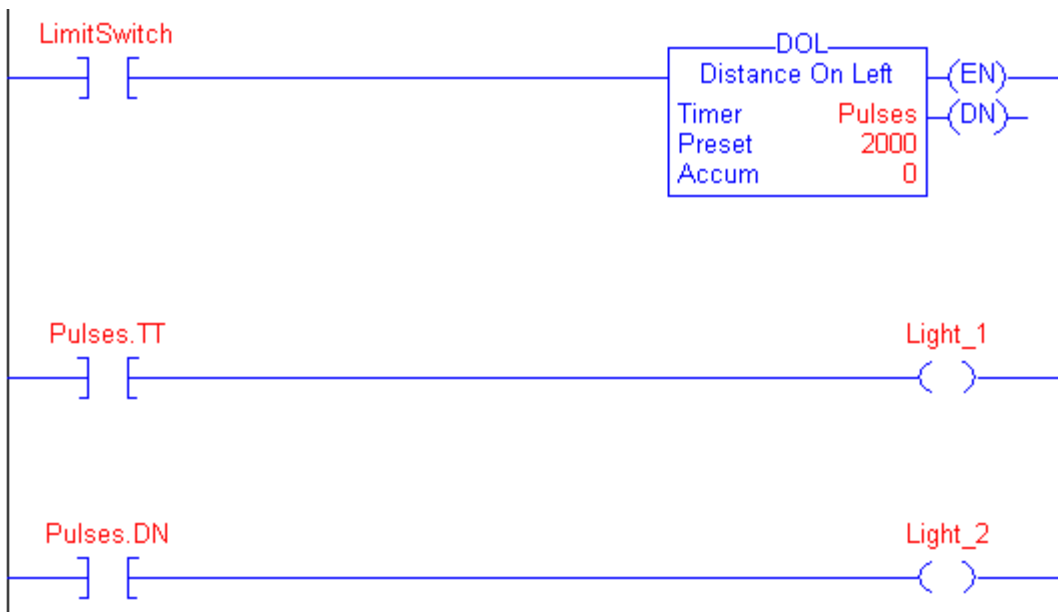
**Execution:**





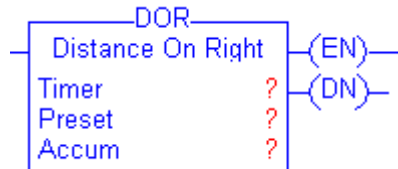
**Example:**

When LimitSwitch is set, Light\_1 is on for 2000 pulses. When Pulses.ACC reaches 2000, Light\_1 goes off and Light\_2 goes on. Light\_2 remains on until the DOL instruction is disabled. If LimitSwitch is cleared while DOL is counting, Light\_1 goes off.



### 5.6.5 Distance On Right (DOR)

The DOR instruction counts evaluated pulses of the right motor when the instruction is enabled.



**Operands:**

Operand	Type	Format	Description
<b>Timer</b>	TIMER	tag	TIMER structure
<b>Preset</b>	DINT	immediate	how high to count
<b>Accum</b>	DINT	immediate	evaluated pulses of the right motor initial value is typically 0

**TIMER Structure**

Mnemonic	Data Type	Description
<b>.EN</b>	BOOL	The enable bit indicates that the DOR instruction is enabled.
<b>.TT</b>	BOOL	The timing bit indicates that a counting operation is in process
<b>.DN</b>	BOOL	The done bit is set when $.ACC \geq .PRE$ .
<b>.PRE</b>	DINT	The preset value specifies the value which the accumulated value must reach before the instruction sets the .DN bit.
<b>.ACC</b>	DINT	The accumulated value specifies the number of pulses, evaluated from the right motor, the instruction has counted.

**Description:**

When enabled, the DOR instruction counts the pulses, evaluated of right motor.

The DOR instruction accumulates pulses until:

- the DOR instruction is disabled
- the  $.ACC \geq .PRE$



When the DOR instruction is disabled, the .ACC value is cleared.



DOL instruction is available only for ConveyLinx controller type.

**Execution:**

Condition	Action
<b>prescan</b>	The .EN, .TT, and .DN bits are cleared. The .ACC value is cleared. The rung-condition-out is set to false.
<b>rung-condition-in is false</b>	The .EN, .TT, and .DN bits are cleared. The .ACC value is cleared. The rung-condition-out is set to false.
<b>rung-condition-in is true</b>	

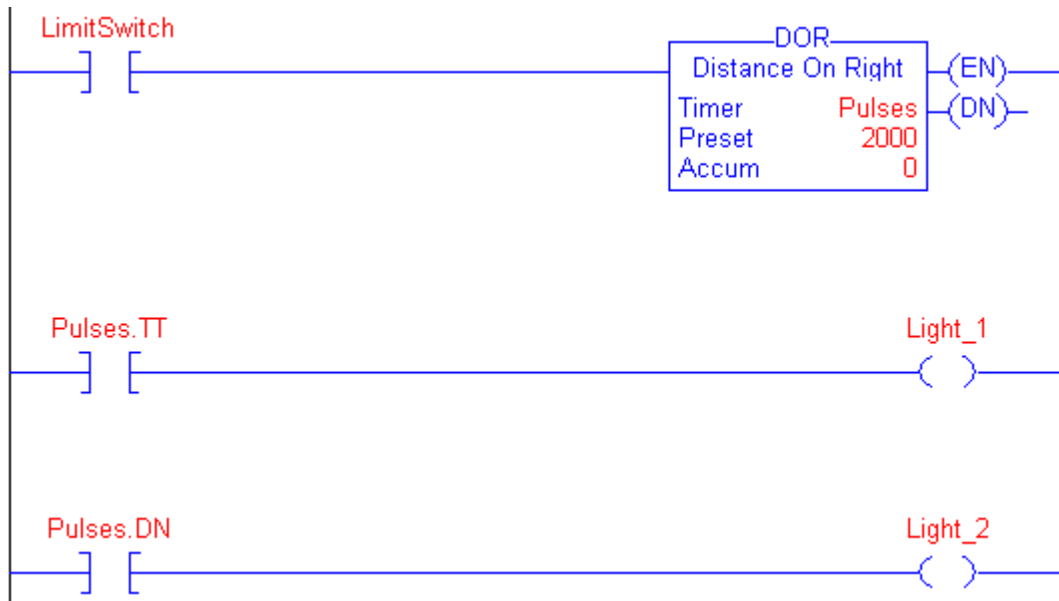
  

```

graph TD
    Start(( )) --> DN{examine .DN bit}
    DN -- ".DN bit = 1" --> DNSet[.DN is set  
.TT bit is cleared]
    DNSet --> End1([end])
    DN -- ".DN bit = 0" --> EN{examine .EN bit}
    EN -- ".EN bit = 0" --> ENSet[.EN bit is set  
.TT bit is set]
    ENSet --> ACC{examine .ACC}
    EN -- ".EN bit = 1" --> TTSet[.TT bit is set  
.ACC = evaluated pulses]
    TTSet --> ACC
    ACC -- ".ACC >= .PRE" --> DNSet
    ACC -- ".ACC < .PRE" --> RCO[rung-condition-out is set to true]
    RCO --> End2([end])
    TTSet --> ROL{.ACC value rolls over}
    ROL -- "no" --> ACC
    ROL -- "yes" --> ACCVal[.ACC = 2,147,483,647]
    ACCVal --> ACC
  
```

**Example:**

When LimitSwitch is set, Light\_1 is on for 2000 pulses. When Pulses.ACC reaches 2000, Light\_1 goes off and Light\_2 goes on. Light\_2 remains on until the DOR instruction is disabled. If LimitSwitch is cleared while DOR is counting, Light\_1 goes off.

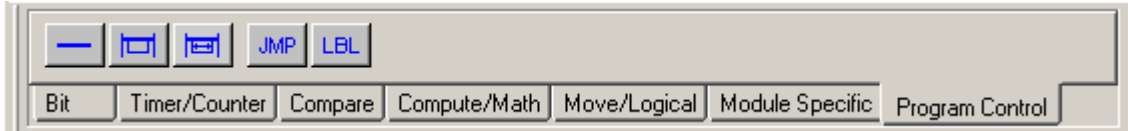




## 5.7 Program Control Instructions

Use the program control instructions to change the flow of logic.

To enter a program control instruction use buttons form Program Control tab of Instruction Bar.



Instruction	Description
<b>JMP</b>	skip portions of ladder logic
<b>LBL</b>	the target of the JMP instruction



### 5.7.1 Jump (JMP)

The JMP instruction skips portions of ladder logic.



**Operands:**

Operand	Type	Format	Description
label name	LABEL	LABEL name	name for associated LBL instruction

**Description:**

When enabled, the JMP instruction skips to the referenced LBL instruction and the controller continues executing from there. When disabled, the JMP instruction does not affect ladder execution.



The JMP instruction can move ladder execution only forward.

Jumping to a label saves program scan time by omitting a logic segment until it's needed.

JMP conditions are scanned and it is not allowed to jump forward ladder logic. If it occurs, controller doesn't run and the next error reports:

#11 – Wrong Jump

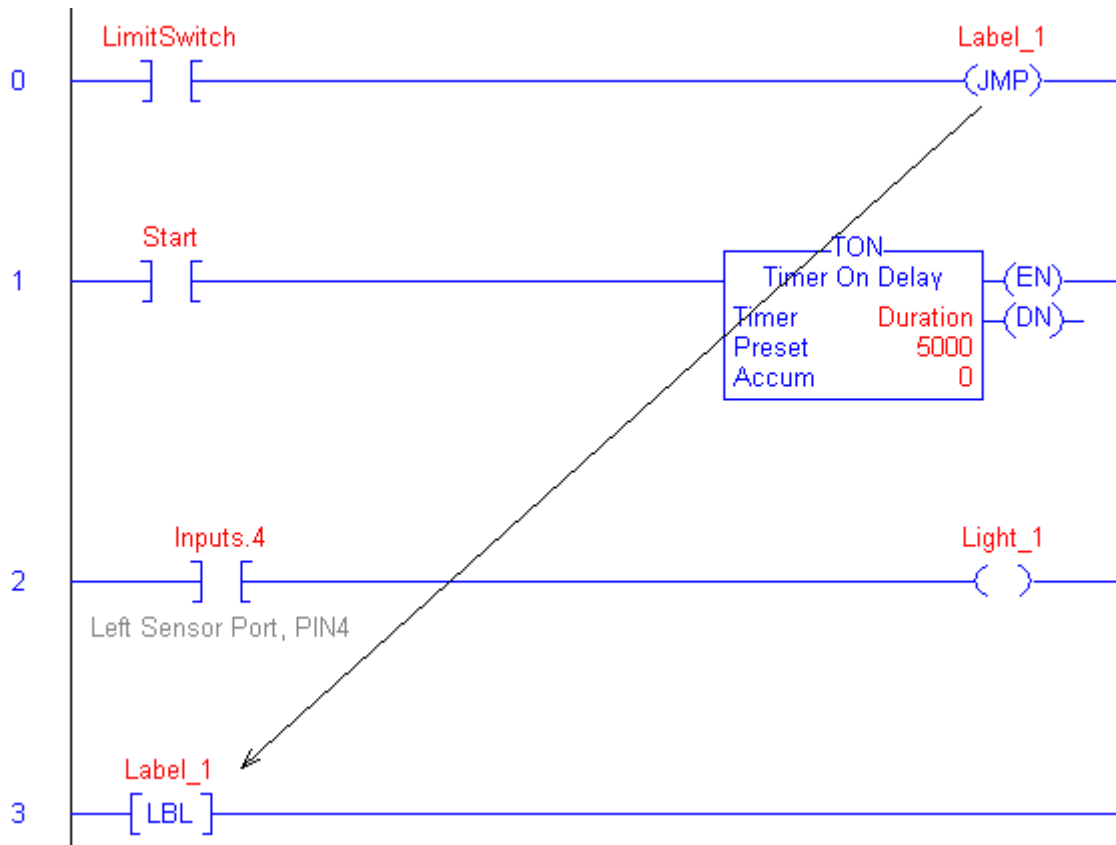
**Execution:**

Condition	Action
<b>prescan</b>	The rung-condition-out is set to false.
<b>rung-condition-in is false</b>	The rung-condition-out is set to false.
<b>rung-condition-in is true</b>	Ladder logic execution jumps to the rung that contains the LBL instruction with the referenced label name. The rung-condition-out is set to true.



**Example:**

When the JMP instruction is enabled, execution jumps over successive rungs of logic until it reaches the rung that started with LBL instruction with name Label\_1.



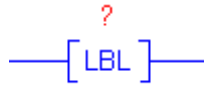
When the JMP instruction is executed, instructions between JMP and LBL instructions are not executed (in this example - instructions of Rung 1 and Rung 2).



In this example TON instruction will not be executed.

### 5.7.2 Label (LBL)

The LBL instruction is the target of the JMP instruction that has the same label name.



**Operands:**

Operand	Type	Format	Description
label name	LABEL	LABEL name	name for LBL instruction

**Description:**

The LBL instruction marks the rung where the logic will continue after execution of JMP instruction with the same name.

Make sure the LBL instruction is the first instruction on its rung.

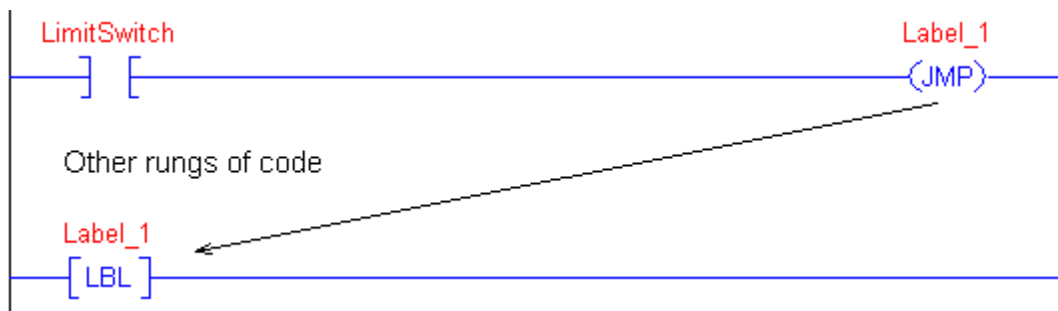
A label name must be unique within a routine. The name can contain letters, numbers, and underscores (\_).

**Execution:**

The LBL instruction is a blank instruction. It is not executed.

**Example:**

When the JMP instruction is enabled, “Other rungs of code” are jumped, and logic continues the rung that started with LBL instruction with name Label\_1.





### 5.7.3 Jump to Function Block (JFB)

The JFB instruction calls function block.



**Operands:**

Operand	Type	Format	Description
FB Tag	FB type	tag	name of function block instance

**Description:**

When enabled, the JFB instruction executes function block routine.



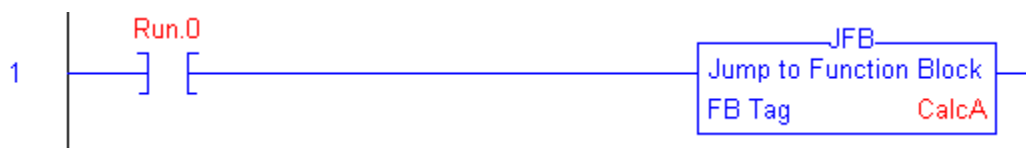
The JFB instruction is complete when all function block routine instructions are executed.

**Execution:**

Condition	Action
prescan	The rung-condition-out is set to false.
rung-condition-in is false	The rung-condition-out is set to false.
rung-condition-in is true	Executes all function block routine instruction. The rung-condition-out is set to true.

**Example:**

When Run.0 is set, routine of function block Calculate is executed, using CalcA instance data.



### 5.7.4 Return from Function Block (RFB)

The RFB instruction breaks the execution of current function block routine.



**Operands:**

The RFB instruction has no operands.

**Description:**

When enabled, the RFB instruction breaks the execution of current function block routine.



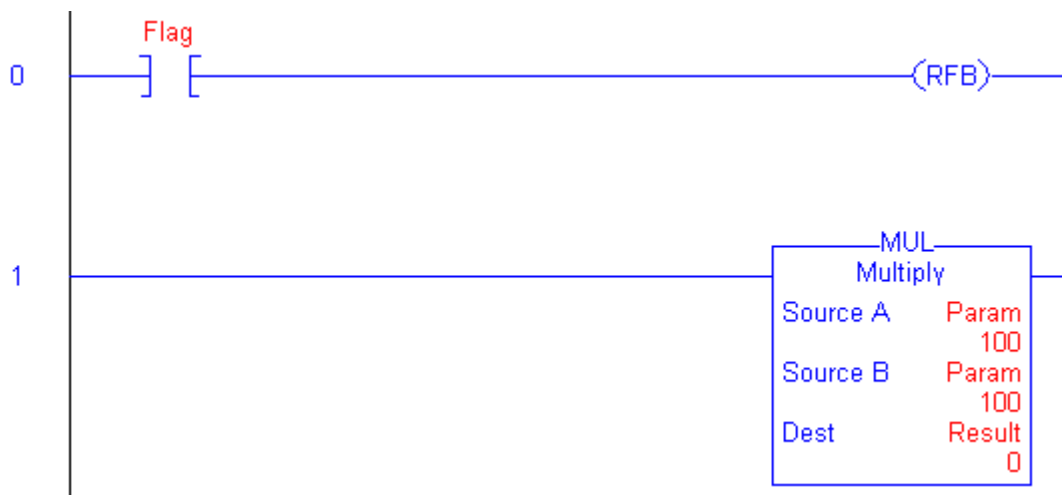
All instructions after RFB are not executed.

**Execution:**

Condition	Action
prescan	The rung-condition-out is set to false.
rung-condition-in is false	The rung-condition-out is set to false.
rung-condition-in is true	Breaks the execution of current function block routine. The rung-condition-out is set to true.

**Example:**

When Flag is set, all instructions after RFB are not executed (instruction MUL is not executed).





## 6.0 Program Structured Text

Structured text is a textual programming language that uses statements to define what to execute.

- Structured text is case sensitive.
- Use tabs and carriage returns (separate lines) to make your structured text easier to read. They have no effect on the execution of the structured text.

Structured text can contain these components:

Term	Definition	Examples	
Assignment	Use an assignment statement to assign values to tags. The “:=” operator is the assignment operator. Terminate the assignment with a semi colon “;”.	value2 := value1;	
Expression	An expression is a part of a complete assignment or construct statement.  An expression evaluates to a numerical expression (number) or to a BOOL expression (true or false). An expression contains:		
	Tag	A named area of the memory where data is stored (BOOL, SINT, INT, DINT).	value1
	Immediate	A constant value.	4
	Operator	A symbol or mnemonic that specifies an operation within an expression.	value1 + value2 value2 >= value1
	Function	When executed, a function yields one value. Use parentheses to contain the operand of a function.  Functions can be used in expressions.	function(value1)
Function Block	A function block call is a standalone statement and cannot be used in expressions.  A function block call uses parenthesis to contain its input or/and output parameters.  Depending on the function block type and call, there can be zero, one, or multiple parameters.  When executed, a function block yields one or more values that are part of a data structure.  Terminate the instruction with a semi colon “;”.	FB_instance();  FB_instance(In1 := value1);  FB_instance(In1 := value1, In2 := value2, Out => value3);	



Term	Definition	Examples
Construct	A conditional statement used to trigger structured text code (other statements). Terminate the construct with a semi colon “;”.	IF...THEN CASE FOR...DO EXIT CONTINUE RETURN
Comment	Text that explains or clarifies what a section of structured text does. Use comments to make it easier to interpret the structured text. Comments do not affect the execution of the structured text. Comments can appear anywhere in structured text.	//comment  (*start of comment . . . end of comment*)  /*start of comment . . . end of comment*/

## 6.1 Assignment

Use an assignment to change the value stored within a tag. An assignment has this syntax:

tag := expression;

Component	Description								
tag	Represents the tag that is getting the new value. The tag must be a BOOL, SINT, INT, or DINT.								
:=	Is the assignment symbol.								
expression	Represents the new value to assign to the tag.								
	<table border="1" style="width: 100%;"> <thead> <tr> <th>If tag is this data type</th> <th>Use this type of expression</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>BOOL</td> <td>BOOL expression</td> </tr> <tr> <td>SINT</td> <td rowspan="3">Numeric expression</td> </tr> <tr> <td>INT</td> </tr> <tr> <td>DINT</td> </tr> </tbody> </table>	If tag is this data type	Use this type of expression	BOOL	BOOL expression	SINT	Numeric expression	INT	DINT
	If tag is this data type	Use this type of expression							
	BOOL	BOOL expression							
	SINT	Numeric expression							
INT									
DINT									
;	Ends the assignment.								

The tag retains the assigned value until another assignment changes the value.

The expression can be simple, such as an immediate value or another tag name, or the expression can be complex and include several operators and/or functions.



## 6.2 Expression

An expression is a tag name, equation, or comparison. To write an expression, use any of these elements:

- Tag name that stores the value (variable).
- Number that you enter directly into the expression (immediate value).
- Functions, such as: MOD.
- Operators, such as: +, -, <, >, AND, OR.

For more complex requirements, use parentheses to group expressions within expressions. This makes the whole expression easier to read and ensures that the expression executes in the desired sequence.



You may add user comments inline. Therefore, local language switching does not apply to your programming language.

In structured text, you use two types of expressions:

- **BOOL expression** – an expression that produces either the BOOL value of TRUE (1) or FALSE (0).

A BOOL expression uses BOOL tags, relational operators, and logical operators to compare values or check if conditions are true or false.

For example, tag1 > 65

A simple BOOL expression can be a single BOOL tag.

Typically, you use BOOL expressions to condition the execution of other logic.

- **Numeric expression** – an expression that calculates an integer value.

A numeric expression uses arithmetic operators, arithmetic functions, and bitwise operators.

For example, tag1 + 5

Often, you nest a numeric expression within a BOOL expression.

For example, (tag1 + 5) > 65

Use the following table to choose operators for your expressions:

<b>If you want to</b>	<b>Then</b>
Calculate an arithmetic value	Use Arithmetic Operators and Functions
Compare two values	Use Relational Operators
Check if conditions are true or false	Use Logical Operators
Compare the bits within values	Use Bitwise Logical Operators
Read/write Modbus Register	Use Modbus Register Operators



## 6.2.1 Arithmetic Operators and Functions

Arithmetic operators calculate new values. You can combine multiple operators and functions in arithmetic expressions.

To	Use this operator	Optimal data type
Add	+	DINT
Subtract	-	DINT
Multiply	*	DINT
Divide	/	DINT
Absolute value	ABS	DINT
Negate	NEG	DINT

Arithmetic functions perform math operations. Specify a constant, a non-boolean tag, or an numeric expression for the function.

For	Use this operator	Optimal data type
Modulo-divide	MOD(num_exp1, num_exp2)	DINT
Absolute value	ABS(num_exp)	DINT

For example:

Use this format	Example	
	For this situation	You'd write
<i>value1 operator value2</i>	If gain and gain_adj are DINT tags and your specification says: "Add 15 to gain and store the result in gain_adj."	gain_adj := gain + 15;
<i>operator value1</i>	If alarm and high_alarm are DINT tags and your specification says: "Negate high_alarm and store the result in alarm."	alarm := -high_alarm;
<i>function(numeric_expression)</i>	If overtravel and overtravel_POS are DINT tags and your specification says: "Calculate the absolute value of overtravel and store the result in overtravel_POS."	overtravel_POS := ABS(overtravel);
<i>value1 operator (function((value2+value3)/2))</i>	If adjustment and position are DINT tags and sensor1 and sensor2 are REAL tags and your specification says: "Find the absolute value of the average of sensor1 and sensor2,	position := adjustment + ABS((sensor1 + sensor2)/2);

---

**Use this format**

---

**Example**

---

add the adjustment, and store the  
result in position.”

---



## 6.2.2 Relational Operators

Relational operators compare two values or strings to provide a true or false result. The result of a relational operation is a BOOL value.

If the comparison is	The result is
true	1
false	0

Use these relational operators.

For this comparison:	Use this operator:	Optimal Data Type:
Equal	=	DINT
Less than	<	DINT
Less than or equal	<=	DINT
Greater than	>	DINT
Greater than or equal	>=	DINT
Not equal	<>	DINT

For example:

Use this format	Example	
	For this situation	You'd write
<i>value1 operator value2</i>	If temp is a DINT tag and your specification says: "If temp is less than 100·then ..."	IF temp < 100 THEN ...
<i>bool_tag := bool_expression</i>	If count and length are DINT tags, done is a BOOL tag, and your specification says "If count is greater than or equal to length, you are done counting."	done := (count >= length);

### 6.2.3 Logical Operators

Logical operators let you check if multiple conditions are true or false. The result of a logical operation is a BOOL value:

If the comparison is	The result is
true	1
false	0

Use these logical operators:

For	Use this operator	Data Type
Logical AND	&, AND	BOOL
Logical OR	OR	BOOL
Logical exclusive OR	XOR	BOOL
Logical complement	NOT	BOOL

For example:

Use this format	Example	
	For this situation	You'd write
<i>BOOLtag</i>	If photoeye is a BOOL tag and your specification says: "If photoeye_1 is on then..."	IF photoeye THEN...
NOT <i>BOOLtag</i>	If photoeye is a BOOL tag and your specification says: "If photoeye is off then..."	IF NOT photoeye THEN...
<i>expression1</i> & <i>expression2</i>	If photoeye is a BOOL tag, temp is a DINT tag, and your specification says: "If photoeye is on and temp is less than 100·then..."	IF photoeye & (temp < 100) THEN...
<i>expression1</i> OR <i>expression2</i>	If photoeye is a BOOL tag, temp is a DINT tag, and your specification says: "If photoeye is on or temp is less than 100·then..."	IF photoeye OR (temp < 100) THEN...
<i>expression1</i> XOR <i>expression2</i>	If photoeye1 and photoeye2 are BOOL tags and your specification says: "If: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• photoeye1 is on while photoeye2 is off or</li> <li>• photoeye1 is off while photoeye2 is on</li> </ul>	IF photoeye1 XOR photoeye2 THEN...



Use this format	Example	
	then..."	
<i>BOOLtag</i> := <i>expression1</i> & <i>expression2</i>	If photoeye1 and photoeye2 are BOOL tags, open is a BOOL tag, and your specification says: "If photoeye1 and photoeye2 are both on, set open to true".	open := photoeye1 & photoeye2;

## 6.2.4 Bitwise Operators

Bitwise operators manipulate the bits within a value based on two values.

Operator	Use this operator	Optimal Data Type
Bitwise AND	&, AND	DINT
Bitwise OR	OR	DINT
Bitwise exclusive OR	XOR	DINT
Bitwise complement	NOT	DINT
Bitwise clear	CLR	DINT
Shift left	<<	DINT
Shift right	>>	DINT

For example:

Use this format	Example	
	For this situation	You'd write
<i>value1 operator value2</i>	If input1, input2, and result1 are DINT tags and your specification says: "Calculate the bitwise result of input1 and input2. Store the result in result1."	result1 := input1 AND input2;
<i>value1 &lt;&lt; 2</i>	If input1 and result1 are DINT tags and your specification says: "Shift left input1 two times and store the result in result1."	result1 := input1 << 2;



## 6.2.5 Modbus Register Operators

Modbus register operators allow read from or write to the controller's Modbus registers.

*%Rreg\_number*

### Operands:

Operand	Type	Format	Description
reg_number	Modbus Register	immediate	Modbus register number. Must be from 1 to 512.

### Description:

To read a Modbus register use the next syntax:

```
tag := %Rreg_number;
```

The value of Modbus register is 2 byte. If *tag* type is SINT, only Low BYTE of the Modbus register is copied to *tag*.

To write into Modbus register use the next syntax:

```
%Rreg_number := tag;
```

The value of Modbus register is 2 byte.

If *tag* type is DINT, only the Low WORD of *tag* value is copied to Modbus register.

For example:

Use this format	Example	
	For this situation	You'd write
<i>tag := %Rreg_number</i>	The value of Modbus register 110 will be put to Value.	Value := %R110;
<i>%Rreg_number := tag</i>	The value of Value will be put to Modbus register 110.	%R110 := Value;
<i>tag := %Rreg_number1 + %Rreg_number2</i>	The sum of Modbus registers 110 and 112 values will be put to Value.	Value := %R110 + %R112;

## 6.2.6 Order of Execution

The operations you write into an expression are performed in a prescribed order, not necessarily from left to right.

- Operations of equal order are performed from left to right.



- If an expression contains multiple operators or functions, group the conditions in parenthesis “( )”. This ensures the correct order of execution and makes it easier to read the expression.

Order	Operation
1	()
2	function(...)
3	%R
4	NOT, NEG, ABS, CLR
5	*, /, MOD
6	+, -
7	<<, >>
8	<, <=, >, >=
9	=, <>
10	&, AND
11	XOR
12	OR



## 6.3 Constructs

Constructs can be programmed singly or nested within other constructs.

<b>If you want to</b>	<b>Use this construct</b>
Do something if or when specific conditions occur	IF...THEN
Select what to do based on a numerical value	CASE...OF
Do something a specific number of times before doing anything else	FOR...DO
Continue the loop	CONTINUE
Exit the loop	EXIT
Exit the function block	RETURN

### 6.3.1 IF...THEN

Use IF...THEN construct to do something if or when specific conditions occur.

```
IF bool_expression THEN
    <statement>;
END_IF;
```

**Operands:**

Operand	Type	Format	Description
bool_expression	BOOL	tag expression	BOOL tag or expression that evaluates to a BOOL value (BOOL expression)

**Syntax:**

```
IF bool_expression1 THEN
    <statement>; //Statements to execute when bool_expression1 is true
    ...
//Optional
ELSIF bool_expression2 THEN
    <statement>; //Statements to execute when bool_expression2 is true
    ...
//Optional
ELSE
    <statement>; //Statements to execute when both expressions are false
    ...
END_IF;
```

To use ELSIF or ELSE, follow these guidelines:

- To select from several possible groups of statements, add one or more ELSIF statements.
  - Each ELSIF represents an alternative path.
  - Specify as many ELSIF paths as you need.
  - The controller executes the first true IF or ELSIF and skips the rest of the ELSIFs and the ELSE.



- To do something when all of the IF or ELSIF conditions are false, add an ELSE statement.

This table summarizes combinations of IF, THEN, ELSIF, and ELSE.

<b>If you want to</b>	<b>And</b>	<b>Then use this construct</b>
Do something if or when conditions are true	Do nothing if conditions are false	IF...THEN
	Do something else if conditions are false	IF...THEN...ELSE
Choose from alternative statements (or groups of statements) based on input conditions	Do nothing if conditions are false	IF...THEN...ELSIF
	Assign default statements if all conditions are false	IF...THEN...ELSIF...ELSE

#### Example 1:

IF...THEN

<b>If you want this</b>	<b>Enter this structured text</b>
If rejects > 3 then conveyor = off (0) alarm = on (1)	IF rejects > 3 THEN conveyor := 0; alarm := 1; END_IF;

#### Example 2:

IF...THEN...ELSE

<b>If you want this</b>	<b>Enter this structured text</b>
If conveyor direction contact = forward (1) then light = off Otherwise light = on	IF conveyor_direction THEN light := 0; ELSE light := 1; END_IF;

#### Example 3:

IF...THEN...ELSIF

<b>If you want this</b>	<b>Enter this structured text</b>
If sugar low limit switch = low (on) and sugar high limit switch = not high (on) then inlet valve = open (on) Until sugar high limit switch = high (off)	<pre> IF Sugar.Low &amp; Sugar.High THEN     Sugar.Inlet := 1; ELSIF NOT(Sugar.High) THEN     Sugar.Inlet := 0; END_IF;                     </pre>

**Example 4:**

IF...THEN...ELSIF...ELSE

<b>If you want this</b>	<b>Enter this structured text</b>
If tank temperature > 100 then pump = slow If tank temperature > 200 then pump = fast otherwise pump = off	<pre> IF tank.temp &gt; 200 THEN     pump.fast :=1; pump.slow :=0; pump.off :=0; ELSIF tank.temp &gt; 100 THEN     pump.fast :=0; pump.slow :=1; pump.off :=0; ELSE     pump.fast :=0; pump.slow :=0; pump.off :=1; END_IF;                     </pre>



## 6.3.2 CASE...OF

Use CASE...OF construct to select what to do based on a numerical value.

**CASE** numeric\_expression **OF**

selector1: <statement>;

selectorN: <statement>;

**ELSE**

<statement>;

**END\_CASE**;

### Operands:

Operand	Type	Format	Description
numeric_expression	SINT	tag	tag or expression that evaluates to a number (numeric expression)
	INT	expression	
	DINT		
selector	SINT	immediate	same type as numeric_expression
	INT		
	DINT		

### Syntax:

**CASE** numeric\_expression **OF**

*//specify as many alternative selector values (paths) as you need*

selector1:

<statement>; *//statements to execute when numeric\_expression = selector1*

...

selector2:

<statement>; *//statements to execute when numeric\_expression = selector2*

...

selector3 :

<statement>; *//statements to execute when numeric\_expression = selector3*

...

optional

```

ELSE //statements to execute when numeric_expression ≠ any selector
    <statement>;
    ...
END_CASE;

```

The syntax for entering the selector values is:

When selector is:	Enter:
one value	<i>value: statement</i>
multiple, distinct values	<i>value1, value2, valueN : &lt;statement&gt;</i> Use a comma (,) to separate each value.
a range of values	<i>value1..valueN : &lt;statement&gt;</i> Use two periods (..) to identify the range.
distinct values plus a range of values	<i>valuea, valueb, value1..valueN : &lt;statement&gt;</i>

The CASE construct is similar to a switch statement in the C or C++ programming languages. However, with the CASE construct the controller executes *only* the statements that are associated with the *first matching* selector value. Execution *always breaks after the statements of that selector* and goes to the END\_CASE statement.

**Example:**

If you want this	Enter this structured text
If recipe number = 1 then Ingredient A outlet 1 = open (1) Ingredient B outlet 4 = open (1)	CASE recipe_number OF 1:    Ingredient_A.Outlet_1 :=1; Ingredient_B.Outlet_4 :=1;
If recipe number = 2 or 3 then Ingredient A outlet 4 = open (1) Ingredient B outlet 2 = open (1)	2,3:  Ingredient_A.Outlet_4 :=1; Ingredient_B.Outlet_2 :=1;
If recipe number = 4, 5, 6, or 7 then Ingredient A outlet 4 = open (1) Ingredient B outlet 2 = open (1)	4..7:  Ingredient_A.Outlet_4 :=1; Ingredient_B.Outlet_2 :=1;
If recipe number = 8, 11, 12, or 13 then Ingredient A outlet 1 = open (1)	8,11..13:  Ingredient_A.Outlet_1 :=1; Ingredient_B.Outlet_4 :=1;
	ELSE Ingredient_A.Outlet_1 :=0;



---

```
Ingredient B outlet 4 = open (1)           Ingredient_A.Outlet_4 :=0;
Otherwise all outlets = closed (0)         Ingredient_B.Outlet_2 :=0;
                                           Ingredient_B.Outlet_4 :=0;
                                           END_CASE;
```

---



### 6.3.3 FOR...DO

Use the FOR...DO loop to do something a specific number of times before doing anything else.

```
FOR count:= initial_value TO final_value BY increment DO
    <statement>;
END_FOR;
```

**Operands:**

Operand	Type	Format	Description
count	SINT	tag	tag to store count position as the FOR...DO executes
	INT		
	DINT		
initial_value	SINT	tag	must evaluate to a number specifies initial value for count
	INT	expression	
	DINT	immediate	
final_value	SINT	tag	specifies final value for count, which determines when to exit the loop
	INT	expression	
	DINT	immediate	
increment	SINT	tag	(optional) amount to increment count each time through the loop  If you don't specify an increment, the count increments by 1.
	INT	expression	
	DINT	immediate	

**Syntax:**

```
FOR count := initial_value
    TO final_value
    //optional
    BY increment //If you don't specify an increment, the loop increments by 1.
DO
    <statement>;
    //optional
    IF bool_expression1 THEN
```



`EXIT;` //If there are conditions when you want to exit the loop early, use other statements, such as an `IF...THEN` construct, to condition an `EXIT` statement.

`END_IF;`

//optional

`IF bool_expression2 THEN`

`CONTINUE;` //If there are conditions when you want to continue the loop, use other statements, such as an `IF...THEN` construct, to condition a `CONTINUE` statement.

`END_IF;`

`END_FOR;`



Make sure that you *do not* iterate within the loop too many times in a single scan.

The controller *does not* execute any other statements in the routine until it completes the loop.

Consider using a different construct, such as `IF...THEN`.

**Example 1:**

If you want this	Enter this structured text
Clear bits 0 - 31 in an array of BOOLS: 1. Initialize the subscript tag to 0. 2. Clear array[subscript]. For example, when subscript = 5, clear array[5]. 3. Add 1 to subscript. 4. If subscript is ≤ to 31, repeat 2. and 3. Otherwise, stop.	<pre>FOR subscript: = 0 TO 31 BY 1 DO     array[subscript] := 0; END_FOR;</pre>

**Example 2:**

If you want this	Enter this structured text
Copy elements from one array to another until the position not exceeds the number of valid elements. Both arrays are from DINT type and contain 10 elements. 1. Initialize the position tag to 0.	<pre>FOR position := 0 TO 10 BY 1 DO     IF position &lt;= valid_count THEN         Quantity[position] :=         Inventory[position];     ELSIF         EXIT;</pre>

---

2. If valid\_count not exceeds current position      END\_IF;  
the value of position copies from Inventory array      END\_FOR;  
to Quantity. Otherwise, stop.

3. Add 1 to position.

4. If position is  $\leq$  to 10, repeat 2 and 3.  
Otherwise, stop.

---



### 6.3.4 RETURN

Use the RETURN statement if you want to exit the program directly.

**RETURN;**

#### **Description:**

RETURN statement exits the program directly, without executing any code.

RETURN statement may be used anywhere in program code.

#### **Example:**

<b>If you want this</b>	<b>Enter this structured text</b>
If rejects > 3 then conveyor = off (0) alarm = on (1) return program	IF rejects > 3 THEN conveyor := 0; alarm := 1; RETURN; END_IF;

## 6.4 Function Block

Function block statements consist of the mechanisms for invoking a function block and for returning control. Function block is invoked by a statement consisting of the name of the function block instance followed by a parenthesized list of input or/and output parameters assignment.

```
FB_instance(In1 := TRUE, In2 := 44, Out => bDone);
```

Component	Description						
FB_instance	tag name of the function block instance						
()	Optional consist function block input or/and output parameters assignment.						
	<table border="1"> <thead> <tr> <th>Symbol</th> <th>Description</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>:=</td> <td>Assign tag, immediate or expression to input or in-out parameter.</td> </tr> <tr> <td>=&gt;</td> <td>Assign output or in-out parameter value to tag.</td> </tr> </tbody> </table>	Symbol	Description	:=	Assign tag, immediate or expression to input or in-out parameter.	=>	Assign output or in-out parameter value to tag.
Symbol	Description						
:=	Assign tag, immediate or expression to input or in-out parameter.						
=>	Assign output or in-out parameter value to tag.						
;	Ends the function block call.						

### Description:

A function block call is a standalone statement and cannot be used in expressions.

A function block call uses parenthesis to contain its input or/and output parameters.

Depending on the function block type and call, there can be zero, one, or multiple parameters.

When executed, a function block yields one or more values that are part of a data structure.

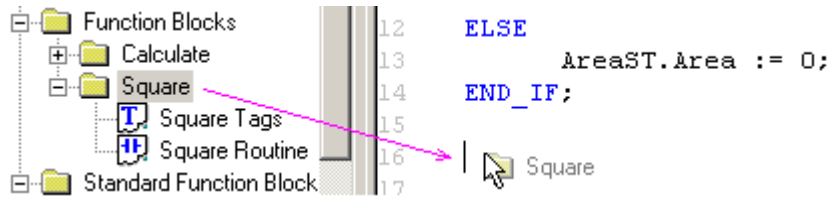
Terminate the instruction with a semi colon “;”.

The order in which parameters are listed in a function block invocation shall not be significant. It is not required that all parameters be assigned in every invocation of a function block. If a particular input parameter is not assigned a value in a function block invocation, the previously assigned value (or initial value, if no previous assignment has been made) shall apply.

There is two ways for entering function block call:

- by Drag&Drop operation.

Click on function block name in Project Bar and drag it to ST Routine View:



The cursor displays the place where instance will be inserted. Leave the mouse button. Create New Tag dialog appears. Write a desired name and select OK.

If tag squareN from type Square does not exist, it is created

- by typing the symbol “(” after existing function block tag name.

## 6.4.1 Standard Function Blocks

Standard function blocks are involved in ConveyLogix Programmer.

Unlike ladder logic, in structured text there is no rung-condition-in that trigger execution and rung-condition-out to state transition. For some standard function block (for example IEC\_TON) input parameter EN is used for rung-condition-in and output parameter Q – for rung-condition-out.

### IEC\_TON

IEC\_TON function block is a non-retentive timer that accumulates time when an instance is called and enabled (EN operand is true).

#### Syntax

Declaration of an instance of IEC\_TON is performed in “Static” section of the function block tags (for example: myIEC\_TON).

To call IEC\_TON use the following syntax:

```
myIEC_TON(EN := <Operand>, PT := <Operand>, Q => <Operand>, ET => <Operand>)
```

#### Operands

Operand	Declaration	Type	Description
EN	Input	BOOL	Enable input
PT	Input	DINT	Duration of the on delay in milliseconds. The value of the PT parameter must be positive.
Q	Output	BOOL	Operand that is set when the time PT expires
ET	Output	DINT	Current time value

#### Description

IEC\_TON instruction is used to delay the setting of the Q parameter for the programmed duration PT. The instruction starts when EN parameter changes from "0" to "1" (positive signal edge). The programmed time PT begins when the instruction starts. When the PT duration has expired, the Q parameter returns signal state "1". The parameter Q remains set as long as the start input is still "1". If the signal state of the EN parameter changes from "1" to "0", the parameter Q will be reset. The timer function is started again when a new rising edge is detected at the parameter EN.

The current time value is stored in the ET parameter. The time value starts at "0" and ends when the value of the time duration PT is reached. The ET parameter is reset as soon as the signal state of the parameter EN changes to "0".



### Example:

Lets TimerA is a tag from standard function block IEC\_TON type. When Switch is set, Light will be set after 1800 ms. Then when Switch is cleared, Light goes off.

```
TimerA(EN := Switch, PT := 1800, Q => Light);
```

There is second way to write this example – first assign inputs parameters, then call function block and after that assign outputs parameters.

```
Timer.EN := Switch;
```

```
TimerA.PT := 1800;
```

```
TimerA();
```

```
Light := TimerA.Q;
```

## IEC\_TOF

IEC\_TOF function block is a non-retentive timer that accumulates time when an instance is called and enabled (EN operand is false).

### Syntax

Declaration of an instance of IEC\_TOF is performed in “Static” section of the function block tags (for example: myIEC\_TOF).

To call IEC\_TOF use the following syntax:

```
myIEC_TOF(EN := <Operand>, PT := <Operand>, Q => <Operand>, ET => <Operand>)
```

### Operands

Operand	Declaration	Type	Description
EN	Input	BOOL	Enable input
PT	Input	DINT	Duration of the on delay in milliseconds. The value of the PT parameter must be positive.
Q	Output	BOOL	Operand that is reset when the time PT expires
ET	Output	DINT	Current time value

### Description

IEC\_TOF instruction is used to delay the resetting of the Q parameter for the programmed duration PT. The Q parameter is set when EN parameter changes from "0" to "1" (positive signal edge). When the signal state of the EN parameter changes back to "0", the programmed time PT starts. The parameter Q remains set as long as the time duration PT is running. When the time duration PT expires, the Q parameter is reset. If the signal state of



the IN parameter changes to "1" before the time duration PT has expired, the timer is reset. The signal state of the Q parameter remains set to "1".

The current time value is stored in the ET parameter. The current time value starts at 0 and ends when the value of the time duration PT is reached. When the time duration PT expires, the ET parameter remains set to the current value until the EN parameter changes back to "1". If the EN parameter changes to "1" before the time duration PT has expired, the ET parameter is reset to the value 0.

**Example:**

Lets myTOF is a tag from standard function block IEC\_TOF type. To call IEC\_TON use the following syntax:

```
myTOF(EN := Tag_Start, PT := Tag_PresetTime,
      Q => Tag_Status, ET => Tag_ElapsedTime);
```

There is second way to write this example – first assign inputs parameters, then call function block and after that assign outputs parameters.

```
myTOF.EN := Tag_Start;
myTOF.PT := Tag_PresetTime;
myTOF ();
Tag_Status := myTOF.Q;
Tag_ElapsedTime := myTOF.ET;
```

With a change in the signal state of the "Tag\_Start" operand from "0" to "1", the "Tag\_Status" operand is set. When the signal state of the "Tag\_Start" operand changes from "1" to "0", the time programmed for the "Tag\_PresetTime" parameter is started. As long as the time is running, the "Tag\_Status" operand remains set. When the time has expired, the Tag\_Status operand is reset. The current time value is stored in the "Tag\_ElapsedTime" operand.

**IEC\_RTO**

IEC\_RTO function block is a retentive timer that accumulates time when an instance is called and enabled (EN operand is true).

The syntax and operands of IEC\_RTO are the same as IEC\_TON function block. IEC\_RTO accumulates the time until it is disabled.

**IEC\_DOL**

IEC\_DOL function block counts evaluated pulses of the left motor when an instance is called and enabled (EN operand is true).

The syntax and operands of IEC\_DOL are the same as IEC\_TON function block.



## IEC\_DOR

IEC\_DOR function block counts evaluated pulses of the right motor when an instance is called and enabled (EN operand is true).

The syntax and operands of IEC\_DOR are the same as IEC\_TON function block.

## IEC\_CTU

IEC\_CTU function block counts upward when an instance is called and enabled (CU operand is true).

### Syntax

Declaration of an instance of IEC\_CTU is performed in "Static" section of the function block tags (for example: myIEC\_CTU).

To call IEC\_CTU use the following syntax:

```
myIEC_CTU(CU := <Operand>, R := <Operand>, PV := <Operand>,
          Q => <Operand>, CV => <Operand>)
```

### Operands

Operand	Declaration	Type	Description
CU	Input	BOOL	Count up input
R	Input	BOOL	Reset input
PV	Input	DINT	Value at which the output Q is set.
Q	Output	BOOL	Counter status
CV	Output	DINT	Current counter value

### Description

IEC\_CTU instruction is used to increment the value at the CV parameter. When the signal state of the parameter CU changes from "0" to "1" (positive signal edge), the instruction is executed and the current counter value of the parameter CV is incremented by one. When the instruction is executed for the first time the current count of the CV parameter is set to zero. The counter value is increased each time a positive signal edge is detected, until it reaches the value of the parameter CV. When the CV value is reached, the signal state of the CU parameter no longer has an effect on the instruction.

The signal state of the Q parameter is determined by the PV parameter. When the current counter value is greater than or equal to the value of the PV parameter, the Q parameter is set to signal state "1". In all other cases, the signal state of the Q parameter is "0". You can also specify a constant for the PV parameter.

The value of the CV parameter is reset to zero when the signal state at the R parameter changes to "1". As long as the signal state of the R parameter is "1", the signal state of the CU parameter has no effect on the instruction.

### Example:

Lets myCTU is a tag from standard function block IEC\_CTU type. To call IEC\_CTU use the following syntax:

```
myCTU(CU := Tag_Count, R := Tag_Reset, PV := Tag_PresetValue
      Q => Tag_Status, CV => Tag_CounterValue)
```

There is second way to write this example – first assign inputs parameters, then call function block and after that assign outputs parameters.

```
myCTU.CU := Tag_Count;
myCTU.R := Tag_Reset;
myCTU.PV := Tag_PresetValue;
myCTU();
Tag_Status := myCTU.Q;
Tag_CounterValue := myCTU.CV;
```

When the signal state of the "Tag\_Count" operand changes from "0" to "1", the IEC\_CTU instruction executes and the current counter value of the "Tag\_CounterValue" operand is incremented by one. With each additional positive signal edge, the counter value is incremented until it reaches the "Tag\_PresetValue" value.

The "Tag\_Status" output has signal state "1" as long as the current counter value is greater than or equal to the value of the "Tag\_PresetValue" operand. In all other cases, the "Tag\_Status" output has signal state "0". The current counter value is stored in the "Tag\_CounterValue" operand.

## IEC\_CTD

IEC\_CTD function block counts downward when an instance is called and enabled (CD operand is true).

### Syntax

Declaration of an instance of IEC\_CTD is performed in "Static" section of the function block tags (for example: myIEC\_CTD).

To call IEC\_CTD use the following syntax:

```
myIEC_CTD(CD := <Operand>, LD := <Operand>, PV := <Operand>,
          Q => <Operand>, CV => <Operand>)
```



## Operands

Operand	Declaration	Type	Description
CD	Input	BOOL	Count down input
LD	Input	BOOL	Load input
PV	Input	DINT	Value at which the output Q is set.
Q	Output	BOOL	Counter status
CV	Output	DINT	Current counter value

## Description

IEC\_CTD instruction is used to decrement the value at the parameter CV. When the signal state of the CD parameter changes from "0" to "1" (positive signal edge), the instruction is executed and the current counter value of the CV parameter is decremented by one. When the instruction is executed for the first time, the counter value of the CV parameter will be set to the value of the PV parameter. Each time a positive signal edge is detected, the counter is decremented until it reaches the zero. When the zero is reached, the signal state of the CD parameter no longer has an effect on the instruction.

If the current counter value is less than or equal to zero, the Q parameter is set to signal state "1". In all other cases, the signal state of the Q parameter is "0".

The value of the CV parameter is set to the value of the PV parameter when the signal state of the LD parameter changes to "1". As long as the signal state of the LD parameter is "1", the signal state of the CD parameter has no effect on the instruction.

## Example:

Lets myCTD is a tag from standard function block IEC\_CTD type. To call IEC\_CTD use the following syntax:

```
myCTD(CD := Tag_Count, LD := Tag_Load, PV := Tag_PresetValue
      Q => Tag_Status, CV => Tag_CounterValue)
```

There is second way to write this example – first assign inputs parameters, then call function block and after that assign outputs parameters.

```
myCTD.CD := Tag_Count;
myCTD.LD := Tag_Load;
myCTD.PV := Tag_PresetValue;
myCTD();
Tag_Status := myCTD.Q;
```

Tag\_CounterValue := myCTD.CV;

When the signal state of the "Tag\_Count" changes from "0" to "1", the IEC\_CTD instruction executes and the value of the "Tag\_CounterValue" operand is decremented by one. With each additional positive signal edge, the counter value will be decremented until it reaches the zero.

The operand "Tag\_Status" has the signal state "1" as long as the current counter value is less than or equal to zero. In all other cases, the "Tag\_Status" output has signal state "0". The current counter value is stored in the "Tag\_CounterValue" operand.



## 6.4.2 User-defined Function Blocks

User-defined function blocks are created by the user (see point 4.1).

### **Example:**

Call CalcA instance of Calculate function block (the same example from point 4.5) on ST from your custom function block.

```
//Assign input parameters
CalcA.ParamB := 20;
CalcA.ParamC := 30;
/*Call FB*/
CalcA();
(*Assign output parameter*)
ResultCalc := CalcA.Sum;
```

This part of can be written also in one line:

```
CalcA(ParamB := 20, ParamC := 30, Sum => ResultCalc);
```

You can examine function block output parameters:

```
IF CalcA.Sum > 500 THEN ... END_IF;
```

But you cannot assign a value to output parameter:

```
CalcA.Sum := 500;
```

Also you cannot use called function block static parameters:

```
IF CalcA.Const > 500 THEN
```

```
    CalcA.Const := 500;
```

```
END_IF;
```

## 6.5 Comments

To make your structured text easier to interpret, add comments to it.

- Comments let you use plain language to describe how your structured text works.
- Comments do not affect the execution of the structured text.

To add comments to your structured text:

To add a comment:	Use one of these formats:
on a single line	<i>//comment</i>
at the end of a line of structured text	<i>(*comment*)</i> <i>/*comment*/</i>
within a line of structured text	<i>(*comment*)</i> <i>/*comment*/</i>
that spans more than one line	<i>(*start of comment . . . end of comment*)</i> <i>/*start of comment . . . end of comment*/</i>

For example:

Format:	Example:
<i>//comment</i>	<p><b>At the beginning of a line</b></p> <pre>//Check conveyor belt direction IF conveyor_direction THEN...</pre> <p><b>At the end of a line</b> <pre>ELSE //If conveyor isn't moving, set alarm light light := 1; END_IF;</pre> </p>
<i>(*comment*)</i>	<pre>Sugar.Inlet[:=]1;(*open the inlet*) IF Sugar.Low (*low level LS*)&amp; Sugar.High (*high level LS*)THEN... (*Controls the speed of the recirculation pump. The speed depends on the temperature in the tank.*) IF tank.temp &gt; 200 THEN...</pre>



---

**Format:**

*/\*comment\*/*

**Example:**

Sugar.Inlet := 0; /\*close the inlet\*/

IF bar\_code = 65 /\*A\*/ THEN...


/\*Gets the number of elements in the Inventory array  
and stores the value in the Inventory\_Items tag\*/

END\_IF;

---



## 7.0 Download a Project into Controller

To download the project into controller, select Controller/Logic / Download Program menu or click on  icon.

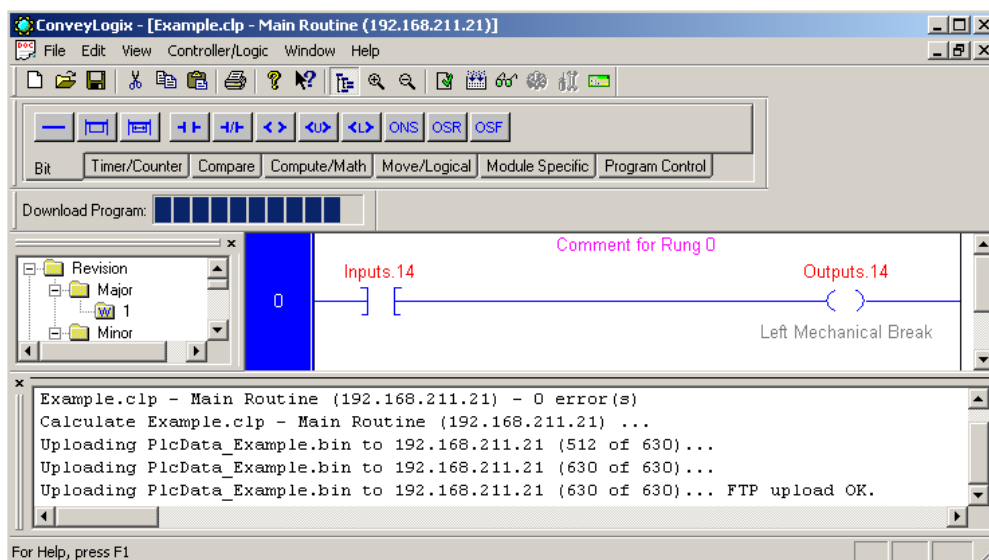
Download procedure requires to be fulfilled the next conditions:

- controller IP Address must be set;
- project must be saved on the disc;
- The controller must be ONLINE. If the controller is ConveyLinx, it have to be in PLC mode;
- No errors in the routine;
- All JMP/LBL instructions are correct.

Download procedure passes the next points:

- Verifies the routine;
- Calculates tags and instructions addresses;
- Verifies and calculates JMP/LBL conditions;
- Creates PLCDATA\_XXX.bin file on the same folder, where is situated the project file. Xxx is the project name;
- Downloads PLCDATA\_XXX.bin into the controller;
- Waits to give time the controller to start new program execution.

During Download procedure all features are disabled and progress bar is shown to indicate the process.



If some error occurs Download operation is interrupted. The result of Download operation is shown in Output bar.



## 8.0 Debug Mode

Debug mode is used to test and debug the ladder logic. ConveyLogix Programmer's Debug mode doesn't interfere with the controller's function.

In Debug mode ConveyLogix Programmer send requests for controller's header and for needed tags values.

In Debug mode tags values are displayed in green color.


### 8.1 Enter the Debug Mode

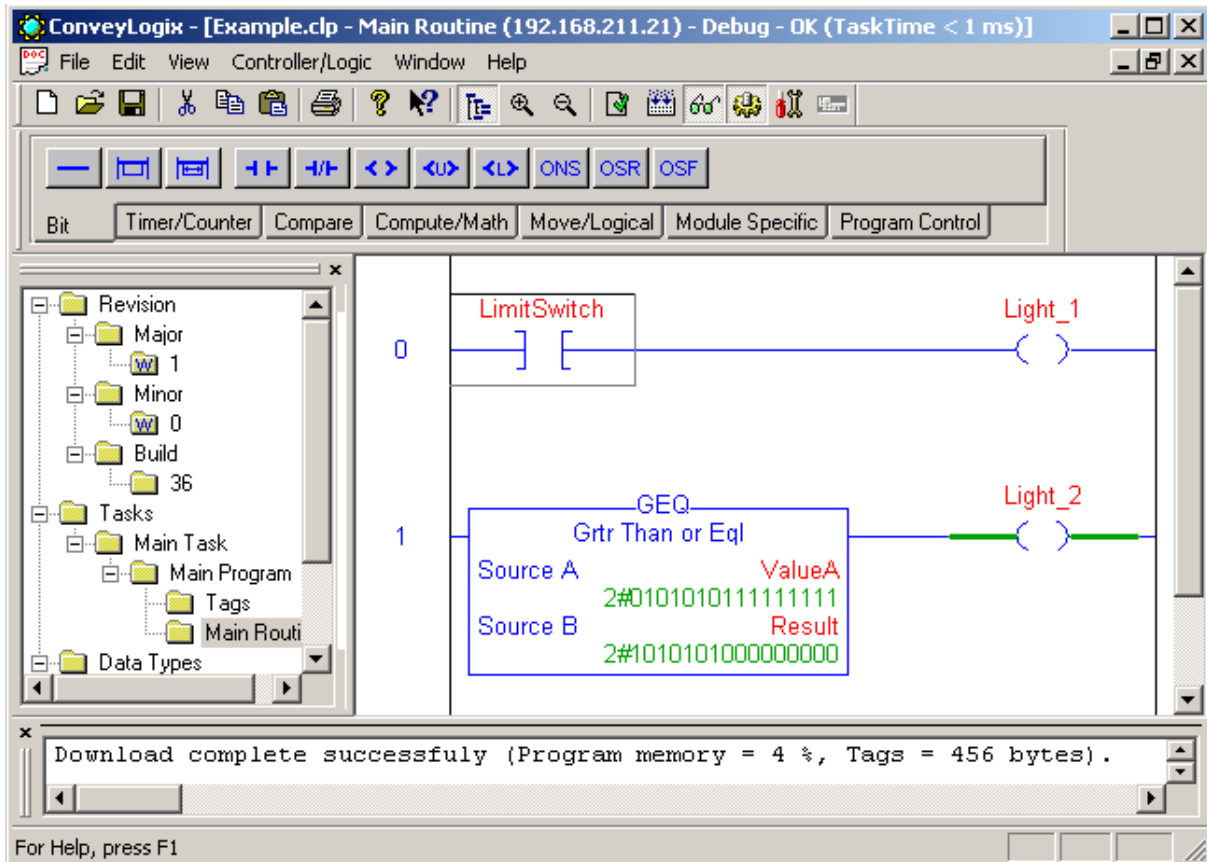
To enter the Debug mode, select Controller/Logic / Debug menu or click on  icon.

ConveyLogix Programmer checks the next conditions:

- The project is saved on the disc;
- The controller is ONLINE;
- There is a ladder program into controller;
- Ladder program into controller is the same as the project;
- Reading of controller service information is successful;
- The controller doesn't report critical errors.

If any of conditions are not fulfilled, the message is reported. The error descriptions are given on Appendix 1.

If Debug mode runs successful, debug icon is checked – .



On the Title bar is displayed Debug mode and time of ladder program execution.

## 8.2 Change the Controller Mode


The controller has two modes:

- Program Mode – the controller doesn't execute ladder the logic program.
- Run Mode – the controller runs the ladder program.

You may see the controller's mode only in ConveyLogix Programmer Debug mode.

When the controller is in Run Mode the Controller/Logic / Run Mode menu is checked and corresponding icon is chosen.



To change the controller's mode to Program, select Controller/Logic / Program Mode menu or click on  icon.

When the controller is in Program Mode the Controller/Logic / Program Mode menu is checked and corresponding icon is chosen.



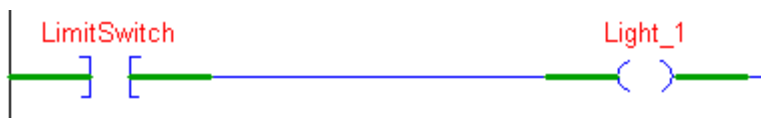
To change the controller's mode to Run, select Controller/Logic / Run Mode menu or click on



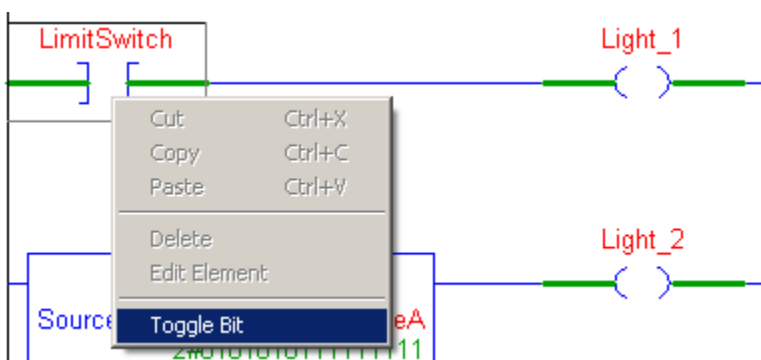
The controller's modes are mutually exclusive.

### 8.3 Watch and Change Boolean Tags

When the operand of boolean instructions is 1 (TRUE), rung-condition-in and rung-condition-out of the element are displayed in green colour.



To change the value of the operand of boolean instruction right-click on the element and select Toggle Bit menu (or press Ctrl + T keys).



If the value of the operand was 1 (TRUE), it is changed to 0 (FALSE).



Now in this example, LimitSwitch is cleared, and Light\_1 is cleared.

If the value of the operand was 0 (FALSE), it is changed to 1 (TRUE).

You also may watch and change Boolean values in Tags view.

Tag Name	Alias For	Base Tag	Data Type	Debug Value	Style
ValueB			INT	2#1010010111111111	Binary
Light_1			BOOL	0	Decimal
LimitSwitch			BOOL	0	Decimal
Light_2			BOOL	1	Decimal

Current tags values are displayed in Debug Value column in green colour. To change Boolean value, click on Debug Value cell for the corresponding tag.

Tag Name	Alias For	Base Tag	Data Type	Debug Value	Style
ValueB			INT	2#1010010111111111	Binary
Light_1			BOOL	0	Decimal
LimitSwitch			BOOL	<input type="text" value="0"/>	Decimal
Light_2			BOOL	1	Decimal

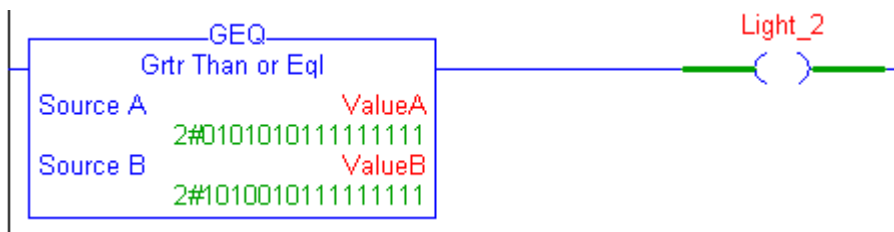
Type the new value (0 or 1) and click outside the rectangle or press Enter key.

Tag Name	Alias For	Base Tag	Data Type	Debug Value	Style
ValueB			INT	2#1010010111111111	Binary
Light_1			BOOL	1	Decimal
LimitSwitch			BOOL	1	Decimal
Light_2			BOOL	1	Decimal

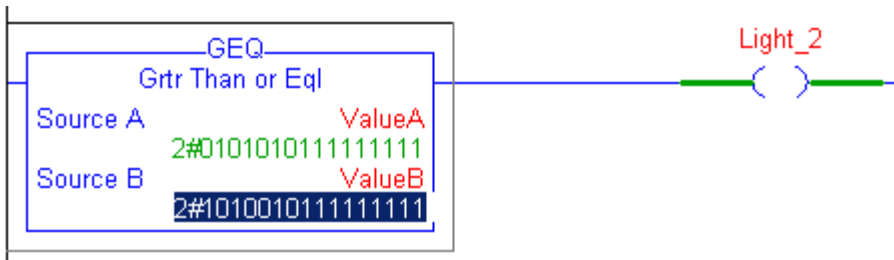
When you change a bit value on Tags View, changing is reflected all occurrences on on Ladder View. And backwards, when you change a bit value on Ladder View, changing is reflected on Tags View.

### 8.4 Watch and Change Non-boolean Tags

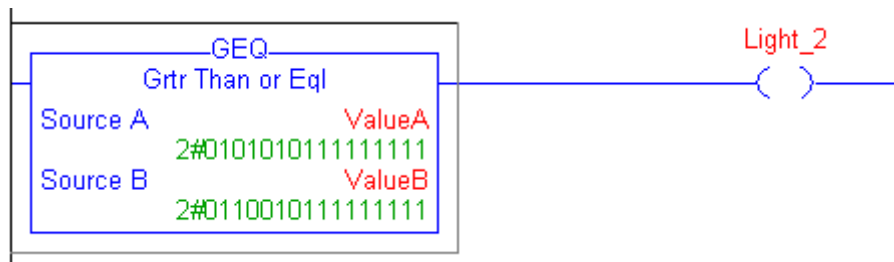
In Debug mode non-boolean operands are displayed below tag name in style, defined in Tags View.



To change the tag value, double-click on it. Edit box will appear.



Type the new value and click outside the edit box or press Enter key.



Now in this example, ValueA is not greater than or equal to ValueB, and Light\_2 is cleared.

You also may watch and change non-boolean values in Tags View in the same way as boolean tags.



Tag Name	Alias For	Base Tag	Data Type	Debug Value	Style
ValueB			INT	2#0110010111111111	Binary
Light_1			BOOL	0	Decimal
LimitSwitch			BOOL	0	Decimal
Light_2			BOOL	0	Decimal

To change non-boolean value, click on Debug Value cell for the corresponding tag.


Tag Name	Alias For	Base Tag	Data Type	Debug Value	Style
ValueB			INT	2#0110010111111111	Binary
Light_1			BOOL	0	Decimal
LimitSwitch			BOOL	0	Decimal
Light_2			BOOL	0	Decimal

Type the new value and click outside the rectangle or press Enter key.

Tag Name	Alias For	Base Tag	Data Type	Debug Value	Style
ValueB			INT	2#0010010111111111	Binary
Light_1			BOOL	0	Decimal
LimitSwitch			BOOL	0	Decimal
Light_2			BOOL	1	Decimal

When you change the tag value on Tags View, changing is reflected to all occurrences on Ladder View. And backwards, when you change the tag value on Ladder View, changing is reflected on Tags View.

## 8.5 Leave the Debug mode

To leave the Debug mode, select Controller/Logic / Stop Debugging menu or click on checked  icon.



## Appendix A – Controller Tags

### ConveyLinx Controller Tags

Controller Tag Name	Type	Modbus Register(s)
Input Controller Tags		
<b>Inputs</b>	DINT	See ConveyLinx Inputs Tag
<b>FromUpstreamState</b>	INT	134
<b>FromUpstreamTracking</b>	DINT	139, 140
<b>FromDownstreamState</b>	INT	232
<b>FromPLC</b>	DINT	266, 267
<b>FromPLCArray</b>	INT[16]	13200 – 13215
<b>MyIPAddress</b>	DINT	26, 27
<b>ServoReadyLeft</b>	BOOL	11 – bit 0
<b>ServoReadyRight</b>	BOOL	16 – bit 0
<b>FirstLadderExec</b>	BOOL	---
Output Controller Tags		
<b>Outputs</b>	DINT	See ConveyLinx Outputs Tag
<b>ToUpstreamState</b>	INT	116
<b>ToDownstreamState</b>	INT	196
<b>ToDownstreamTracking</b>	DINT	201, 202
<b>ToPLC</b>	DINT	268, 269
<b>ToPLCArray</b>	INT[16]	13100 - 13115
<b>SensorPolarity</b>	INT	34
<b>SpeedLeftMTR</b>	INT	40
<b>SpeedRightMTR</b>	INT	64
<b>ServoControlLeft</b>	INT	8
<b>ServoControlRight</b>	INT	13
<b>ServoResetLeft</b>	BOOL	9 – bit 0



Controller Tag Name	Type	Modbus Register(s)
<b>ServoResetRight</b>	BOOL	14 – bit 0
<b>ServoCommandLeft</b>	BOOL	9 – bit 1
<b>ServoCommandRight</b>	BOOL	14 – bit 1

### ConveyLinx Inputs Tag

Tag Bit	Description	Modbus Register	Register Bit
<b>0</b>	PIN3, Left Sensor Port	35	0
<b>1</b>	PIN3, Left Control Port	35	1
<b>2</b>	PIN3, Right Sensor Port	35	2
<b>3</b>	PIN3, Right Control Port	35	3
<b>4</b>	PIN4, Left Sensor Port	35	4
<b>5</b>	PIN4, Left Control Port	35	5
<b>6</b>	PIN4, Right Sensor Port	35	6
<b>7</b>	PIN4, Right Control Port	35	7
<b>16</b>	Right Sensor Detect	36	0
<b>17</b>	Left Sensor Detect	36	1

### ConveyLinx Outputs Tag

Tag Bit	Description	Modbus Register	Register Bit
<b>0</b>	Left MDR RUN	260	0
<b>1</b>	Left MDR Direction	260	8
<b>2</b>	Right MDR RUN	270	0
<b>3</b>	Right MDR Direction	270	8
<b>4</b>	Left Control Digital Out	37	1
<b>5</b>	Right Control Digital Out	37	3
<b>6</b>	Left MDR Dig. Mode Enable	60	15
<b>7</b>	Right MDR Dig. Mode Enable	84	15
<b>8</b>	Left MDR Low MOSFET 1	60	0

Tag Bit	Description	Modbus Register	Register Bit
9	Left MDR Low MOSFET 2	60	1
10	Left MDR Low MOSFET 3	60	2
11	Right MDR Low MOSFET 1	84	0
12	Right MDR Low MOSFET 2	84	1
13	Right MDR Low MOSFET 3	84	2
14	Left Mechanical Break	60	6
15	Right Mechanical Break	84	6
16	Left Mechanical Break Control	60	7
17	Right Mechanical Break Control	84	7

## **ConveyLinx-Ai and ConveyLinx-Ai2 Controller Tags**

ConveyLinx-Ai and ConveyLinx-Ai2 Controller Tags are the same as ConveyLinx Controller Tags except Inputs, Outputs and the following two tags:

Controller Tag Name	Type	Modbus Register(s)
<b>ServoPositionLeft</b>	INT	62
<b>ServoPositionRight</b>	INT	86

## **ConveyLinx-Ai and ConveyLinx-Ai2 Inputs Tag**

Tag Bit	Description	Modbus Register	Register Bit
0	Left Input, PIN2	35	0
2	Right Input, PIN2	35	2
4	Left Sensor Port, PIN4	35	4
6	Right Sensor Port, PIN4	35	6
16	Right Sensor Detect	36	0
17	Left Sensor Detect	36	1



### ConveyLinx-Ai and ConveyLinx-Ai2 Outputs Tag

Tag Bit	Description	Modbus Register	Register Bit
0	Left MDR RUN	260	0
1	Left MDR Direction	260	8
2	Right MDR RUN	270	0
3	Right MDR Direction	270	8
4	Left Control Digital Out	37	0
5	Right Control Digital Out	37	1
6	Left MDR Dig. Mode Enable	60	15
7	Right MDR Dig. Mode Enable	84	15
8	Left MDR Low MOSFET 1	60	0
9	Left MDR Low MOSFET 2	60	1
10	Left MDR Low MOSFET 3	60	2
11	Right MDR Low MOSFET 1	84	0
12	Right MDR Low MOSFET 2	84	1
13	Right MDR Low MOSFET 3	84	2
18	Left Set Pin2 As Output	37	5
19	Left Set Pin2 As Output	37	6

### ConveyNet I/P (CNIP) Controller Tags

Controller Tag Name	Type	Modbus Register(s)
Input Controller Tags		
<b>Inputs</b>	DINT	Physical Digital Inputs
<b>FromUpstreamState</b>	INT	134
<b>FromUpstreamTracking</b>	DINT	139, 140
<b>FromDownstreamState</b>	INT	232
<b>FromPLC</b>	DINT	266, 267
<b>MyIPAddress</b>	DINT	26, 27

Controller Tag Name	Type	Modbus Register(s)
<b>RS485 InData</b>	INT[4]	40, 41, 42, 43
<b>RS485 Errors</b>	INT	79
<b>FirstLadderExec</b>	BOOL	---
Output Controller Tags		
<b>Outputs</b>	DINT	Physical Digital Outputs
<b>ToUpstreamState</b>	INT	116
<b>ToDownstreamState</b>	INT	196
<b>ToDownstreamTracking</b>	DINT	201, 202
<b>ToPLC</b>	DINT	268, 269
<b>RS485 OutData</b>	INT[4]	50, 51, 52, 53
<b>RS485 Default</b>	INT[4]	60, 61, 62, 63
<b>SlaveID</b>	INT	70
<b>StartRead</b>	INT	71
<b>NumToRead</b>	INT	72
<b>Start Write</b>	INT	73
<b>NumToWrite</b>	INT	74
<b>Baudrate</b>	INT	75
<b>RS485 Setings</b>	INT	76
<b>Scanrate</b>	INT	77
<b>RS485 Timeout</b>	INT	78



## Appendix B – Data Type Conversion

Data conversions occur when you mix data types for the parameters within one instruction.

Instructions execute faster and require less memory if all the operands of the instruction use:

- The same data type.
- An optimal data type:
  - In the “Operands” section of each instruction in this manual, a **bold** data type indicates an optimal data type.
  - The DINT data type is typically the optimal data types.

If you mix data types and use tags that are not the optimal data type, the controller converts the data according to these rules

- If any of the operands is not a DINT value, then input operands convert to DINT.
- After instruction execution, the result (a DINT value) converts to the destination data type, if necessary.

You cannot specify a BOOL tag in an instruction that operates on integer data types.

Because the conversion of data takes additional time and memory, you can increase the efficiency of your programs by:

- Using the same data type throughout the instruction.
- Minimizing the use of the SINT or INT data types.

In other words, use all DINT tags, along with immediate values, in your instructions.

The following sections explain how the data is converted when you use SINT or INT tags or when you mix data types.

### **SINT or INT to DINT**

For those instructions that convert SINT or INT values to DINT values, the



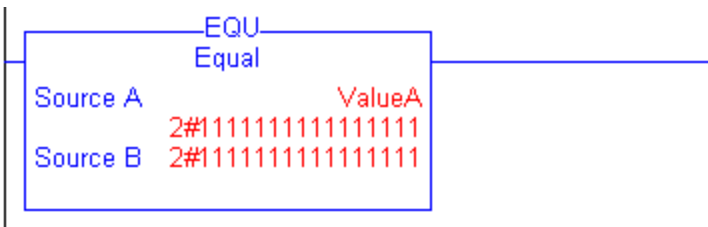
“Operands” sections in this manual identify the conversion method.

Conversion Method	Converts Data By Placing
Sign-extension	the value of the left-most bit (the sign of the value) into each bit position to the left of the existing bits until there are 32 bits.
Zero-fill	zeroes to the left of the existing bits until there are 32 bits.

The following example shows the results of converting a value using sign-extension and zero-fill.

Value	2#1111_1111_1111_1111	(-1)
Converts by sign-extension	2#1111_1111_1111_1111_1111_1111_1111_1111	(-1)
Converts by zero-fill	2#0000_0000_0000_0000_1111_1111_1111_1111	(65535)

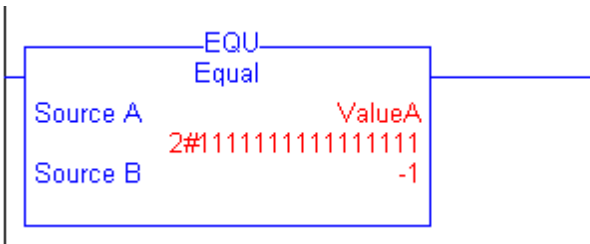
Because immediate values are always zero-filled, the conversion of a SINT or INT value may produce unexpected results. In the following example, the comparison is false because Source A, an INT, converts by sign-extension; while Source B, an immediate value, is zero-filled.



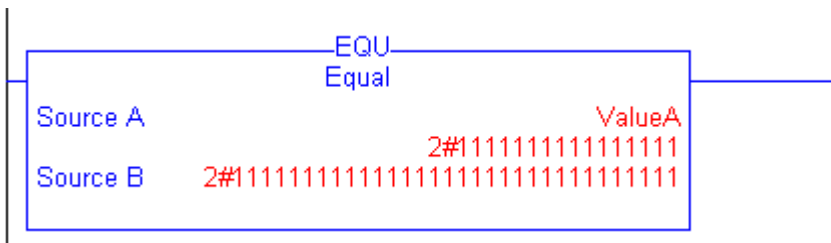
If you use a SINT or INT tag and an immediate value in an instruction that converts data by sign-extension, use one of these methods to handle immediate values:

- Specify any immediate value in the decimal radix.

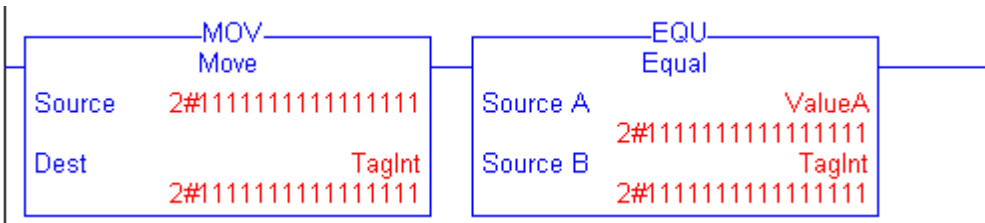




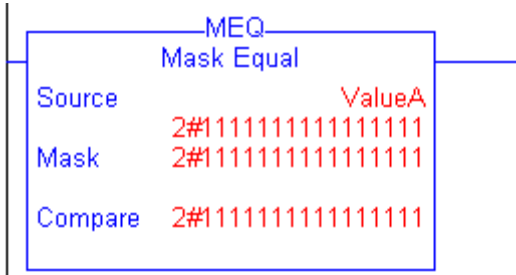
- If you are entering the value in a radix other than decimal, specify all 32 bits of the immediate value. To do so, enter the value of the left-most bit into each bit position to its left until there are 32 bits.



- Create a tag for each operand and use the same data type throughout the instruction. To assign a constant value, either:
  - Enter it into one of the tags.
  - Add a MOV instruction that moves the value into one of the tags.



- Use a MEQ instruction to check only the required bits.





## **DINT to SINT or INT**

To convert a DINT value to a SINT or INT value, the controller truncates the upper portion of the DINT, if necessary. The following example shows the result of a DINT to SINT or INT conversion.

<b>DINT Value</b>	<b>Converts To This Smaller Value</b>	
16#00010081 (65665)	INT	16#0081 (129)
	SINT	16#81 (-127)

## Appendix C – Errors description

### Critical errors description

<b>Error #</b>	<b>Description</b>	<b>Type</b>
1	Type is not ConveyLinx or ConveyNet	Header
2	PLC program size is greater then PLC file	Header
3	Wrong Ladder Program size	Header
4	"?"	Header
5	Wrong Tags size	Header
6	"?"	Header
7	Ladder Program Start, Ladder Program End or Tags Start in not a DWORD address	Header
8	Allocating RAM for Tags Error	Header
9	Wrong Non Volatile Tags size	Header
10	Non Volatile Tags size is greater then 96 bytes	Header
100	Connection Tags Error	Header
1	First instruction is not RUNG or missing RUNG or RND	Prescan
2	Invalid Instruction Code	Prescan
3	BST number is different then BND number in one Rung	Prescan
4	BST number is different then NXB number in one Rung	Prescan
5	Too low stack for BST/BND instructions	Prescan
6	Bit Operand exceed 31	Prescan



7	Bit Operand Address >= Tags Size	Prescan
8	Timer Operand Address >= Tags Size	Prescan
9	Operand Address >= Tags Size	Prescan
10	Operand Address must be Tag Address	Prescan
11	Wrong JMP or JSR instructions	Prescan
12	Wrong MCR (must be even count)	Prescan
13	Ladder Program length error or missing two DWORDs after END	Prescan
14	Missing END of Ladder Program	Prescan
15	Missing RUNG or RND (must be equal)	Prescan
16	LBL is not first instruction of Rung	Prescan
17	Operand Address is not aligned to WORD/DWORD	Prescan
18	Wrong Operand Type (must be 0, 1, 2, 4 or 8)	Prescan
20	Subroutine parameters exceed 31	Prescan
21	Wrong Address of JSR or FOR instructions	Prescan
22	SBR must be first instruction in Rung	Prescan
23	JSR parameters (inputs and outputs) are different	Prescan
24	SBR parameters must be Tags	Prescan
25	Only one SBR must be in routine	Prescan
26	Each routine must finish with RET, RND or END	Prescan
27	Shouldn't have SBR in Main routine	Prescan
28	Before FOR(code 69) must be FOR(code 63) init	Prescan
29	Routine address in FOR must start first Rung	Prescan
30	FOR parameters must be Zero (4 DWORDs)	Prescan

31	BRK or RET instructions can't be use in Main routine	Prescan
32	Order Type (0, 1, 2) exceed 2	Prescan
33	In SWP if Source Operand is DWORD then Dest Operand must be DWORD	Prescan
34	Wrong Operand Type in SWP	Prescan

### Runtime errors description

<b>Error #</b>	<b>Description</b>	<b>Type</b>
100	The End of Stack	Runtime
101	The numbers of JSR out parameters is different then in parameters	Runtime
102	FOR instruction Step Size is Zero	Runtime
103	Divide by Zero	Runtime
111	Incorrect Instruction - Online	Runtime



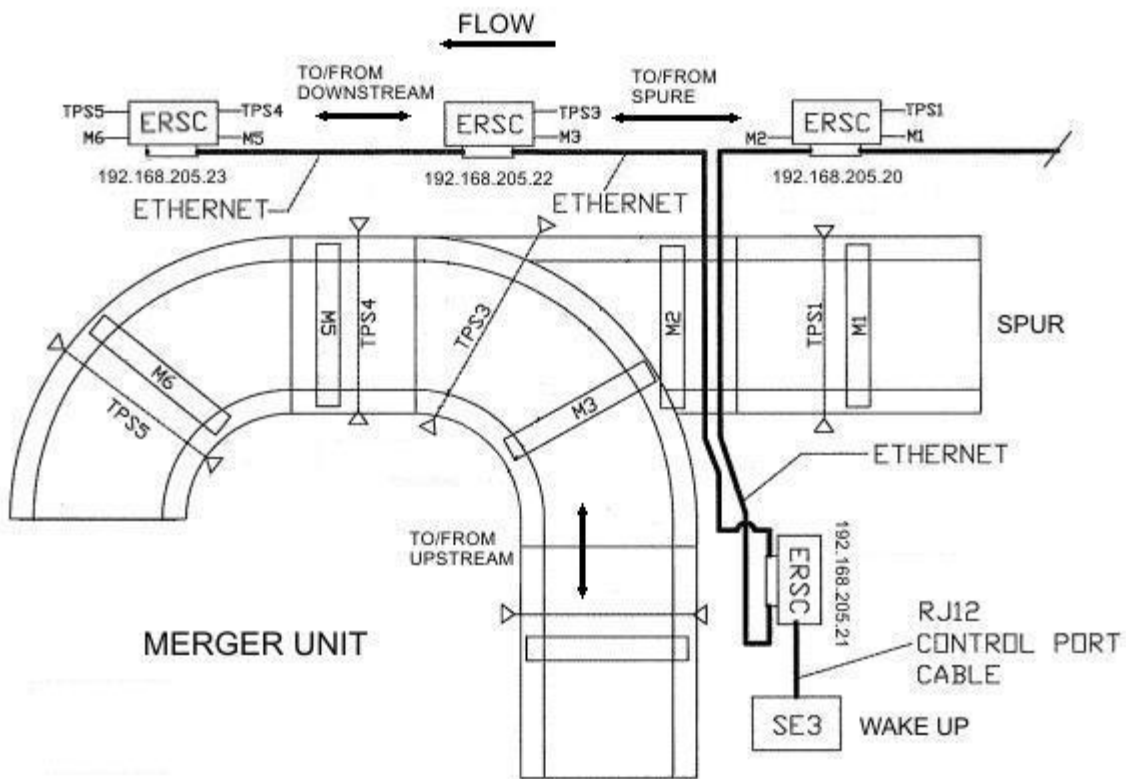
## Appendix D – Module-Defined Structures

### Zone Structure

Mnemonic	Data Type	Description
.NU1	SINT	Not used.
.NU2	SINT	Not used.
.State	SINT	
.ReverseState	SINT	
.NU3	SINT	Not used.
.NU4	SINT	Not used.
.Sensors	SINT	
.Motors	SINT	
.ZoneTracking	DINT	
.ToNextTracking	DINT	

## Appendix E – Merger Unit Example

In this example is shown how to make a Merger Unit on picture below, using four ConveyLinX modules in 192.168.205.XX subnet.



### Step 1

Wire the ConveyLinX modules how is shown on the picture. Press Install button of the first module (marked with 192.168.205.20 IP Address) and hold it pressed about 20 seconds. Install procedure starts. When the install procedure is finished the ConveyLinX modules will be with IP Addresses from 192.168.205.20 to 192.168.205.23.

### Step 2



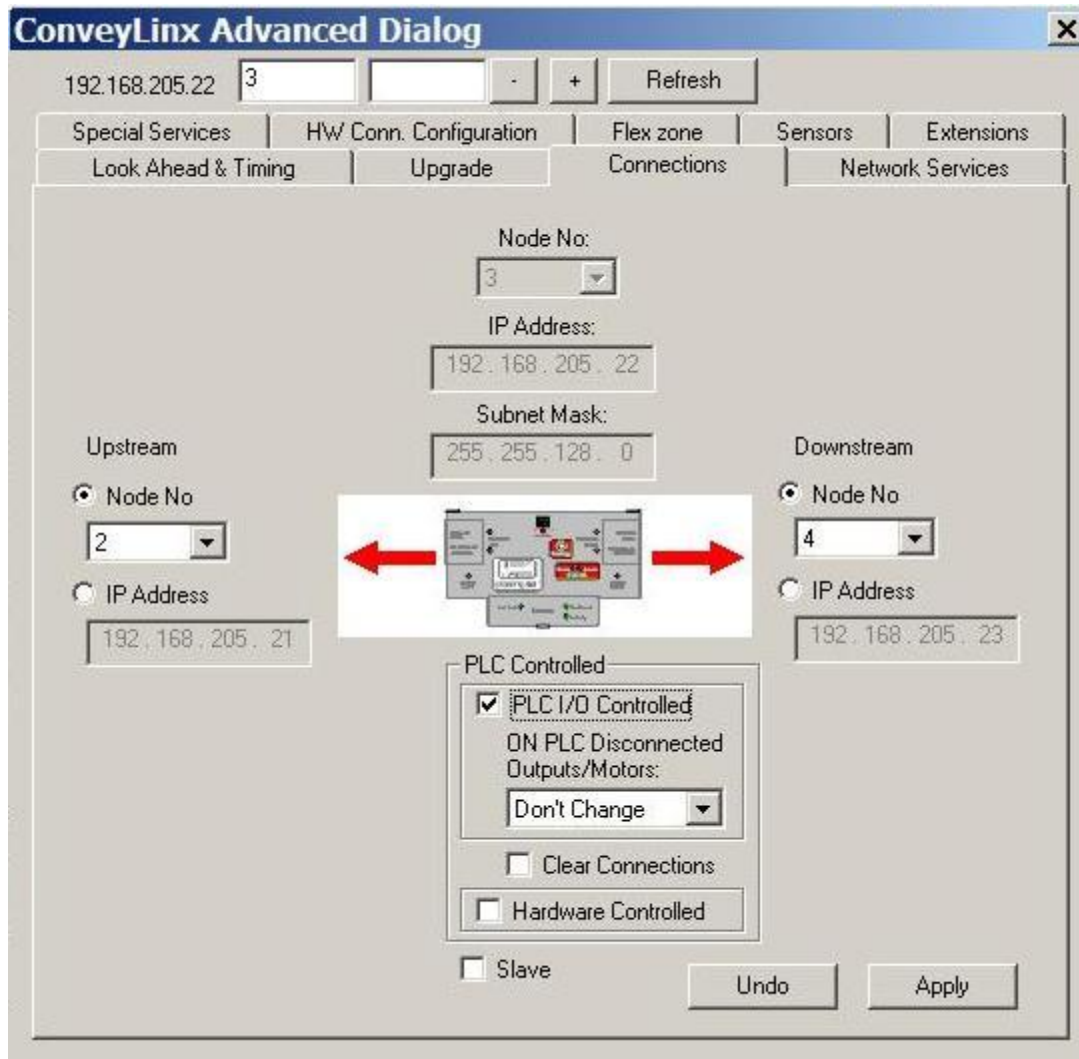
Put the ConveyLinx modules to corresponding mode depending of their purpose.

<b>IP Address</b>	<b>Purpose</b>	<b>Mode</b>
192.168.205.20	Spur control	ZPA mode
192.168.205.21	Upstream to Merge zone control	ZPA mode
192.168.205.22	Controls the Merge zone	PLC I/O Controlled mode
192.168.205.23	Downstream to Merge zone control	ZPA mode

Use EasyRoll, “Advanced Dialog” (F2)/“Connection” Tab to remove connection from 192.168.205.20 to 192.168.205.21 and vice versa.

Again use EasyRoll, “Connection” Tab to put 192.168.205.22 in PLC I/O Controlled mode, but LEAVE CONNECTIONS to Upstream and Downstream module.





Because you left the connections to Upstream and Downstream modules, in your PLC program you may use the following Controller tags for:

Controller Tag	Purpose
ToUpstreamState	Automatically propagated over connection to Upstream module. Use the next states to control Upstream module.
<b>Value</b>	<b>State</b>



1	EMPTY
2	SENDING/ACCEPTING
4	FULL_RUNNING
5	FULL_STOPPED
6	BUSY

ToDownstreamState Automatically propagated over connection to Downstream module. Same states values as above.

ToDownstreamTracking Automatically propagated over connection to Downstream module.

### Step 3

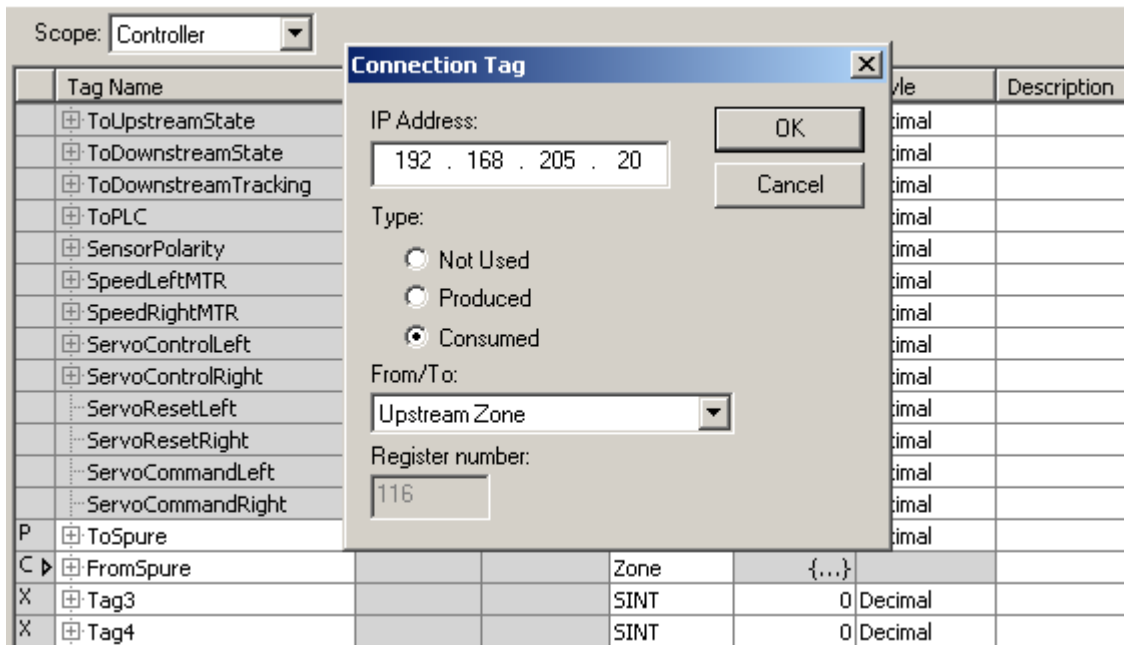
To communicate with other modules (different from Upstream and Downstream ) you may use four special purpose tags in the Controller Tags. By default they are named Tag1, Tag2, Tag3, Tag 4, but you may change their names and data type.

Scope:

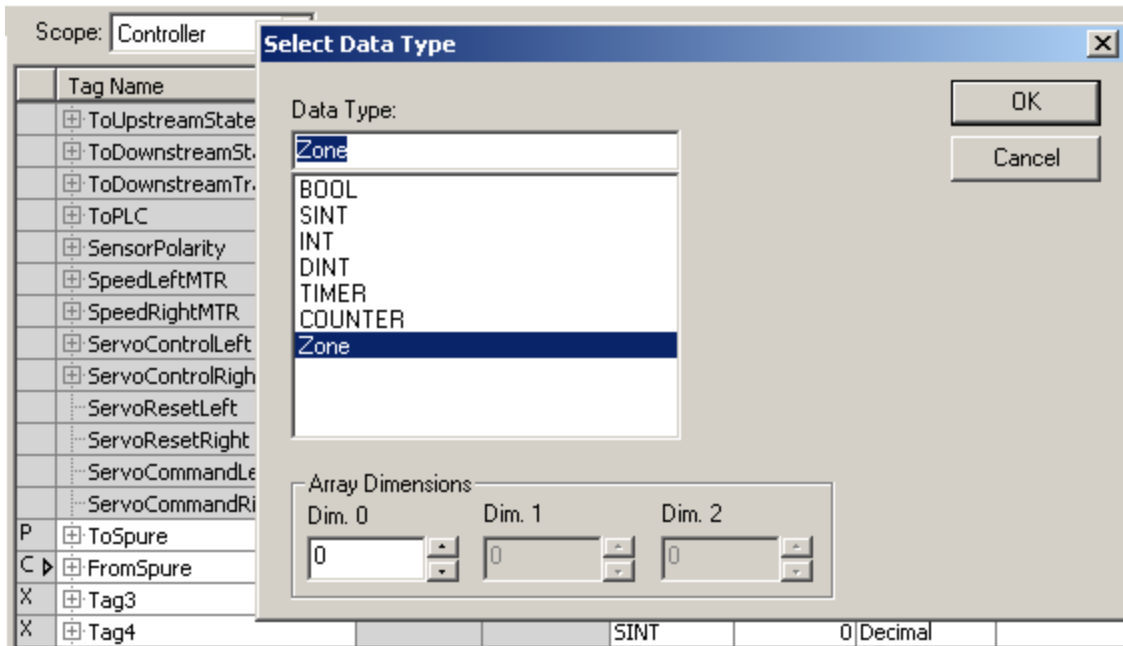
	Tag Name	Alias For	Base Tag	Data Type	Init Value	Style	Description
	SpeedRightMTR			INT	0	Decimal	
	ServoControlLeft			INT	0	Decimal	
	ServoControlRight			INT	0	Decimal	
	ServoResetLeft			BOOL	0	Decimal	
	ServoResetRight			BOOL	0	Decimal	
	ServoCommandLeft			BOOL	0	Decimal	
	ServoCommandRight			BOOL	0	Decimal	
X	Tag1			SINT	0	Decimal	
X	Tag2			SINT	0	Decimal	
X	Tag3			SINT	0	Decimal	
X	Tag4			SINT	0	Decimal	

To configure communication properties of these tags, click with mouse on the left most box (where X shows unused, C shows Consumed tag and P shows Produced tag).

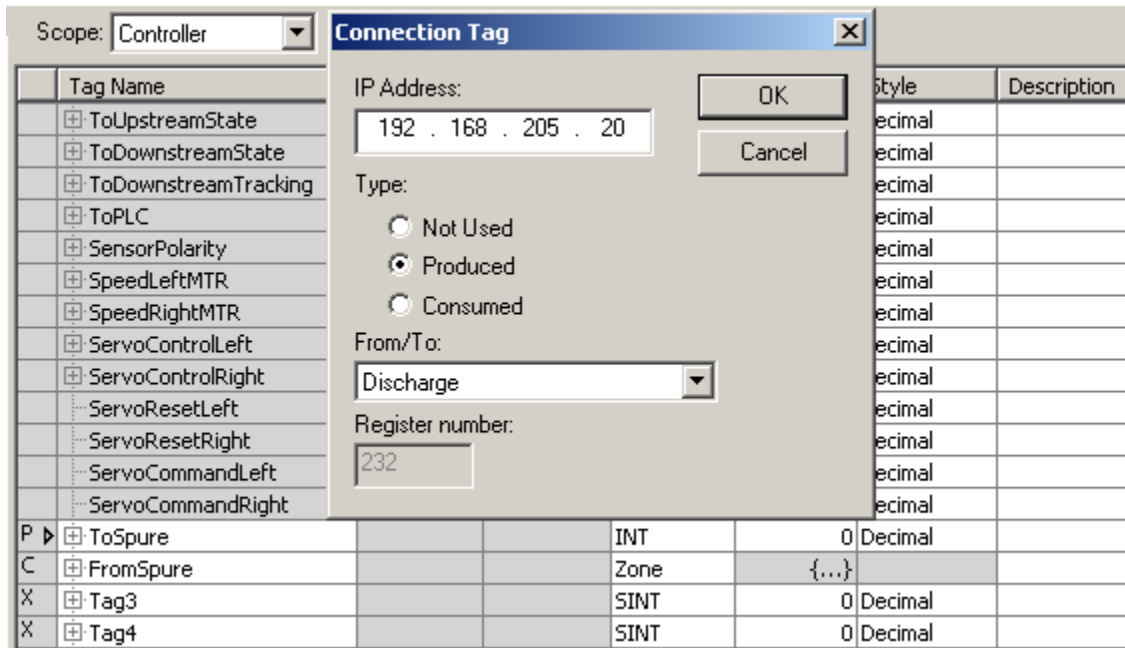
For receiving data from the Spur module rename “Tag2” to “FromSpur” and configured it as consumed from 192.168.205.20. Select From UpstreamZone to receive data from the spur’s Upstream zone (as this module have only one zone, which is always upstream).



From the Spur module you need to receive both the state of the zone and the tracking. To do this you’ll have to change the Data Type of this tag to “Zone” (Module-Defined structure data type).



To control the Spur, rename “Tag1” to “ToSpur”, Configure it as Produced to 192.168.205.20.  
 As you want to control the Discharge side of this module, select “To Discharge”.  
 Leave data type of this tag SINT or INT.



Few details on the example:

All sensor and control port inputs are packed in controller tag Inputs. You may see description for each bit in Description field.

You may use SensorPolarity tag to inverse polarity of each Sensor/Control input.

Setting ON on any of SensorPolarity bit inverts the appropriate Input bit.

In this example on Merge zone is used only one sensor, attached to right sensor port.

It's with a retro reflector, so it is needed to inverse Right Sensor Pin4 bit. Sensors also have ON on sensor error pin when there is no error, so it is also needed to invert Right Sensor Pin3.

Using SensorPolarity tag helps you in 2 ways:

- You may use positive logic in your program (ON when there is product on the sensor and OFF when there is no product, ON when there is gain error and OFF when there is no error).
- LEDs on the module will show the correct state – Green ON when there is product, Red ON when there is gain error.

You may see sensor polarity change in rung 0.



On the Merge zone it is used only one sensor and one MDR (connected to the right motor port).

You may add second motor control and Jam sensor logic.



There is no JAM or error control logic in the example.

Take special care on tracking manipulation. You should take tracking from Spur/Upstream on raising edge of the Merger sensor and place it in an internal tag.



You should prepare tracking for downstream module at the time you report to it that you are in the EMPTY/SENDING state. At the same time you should clear your internal tag to avoid tracking duplication if somebody throw product on the merge zone.



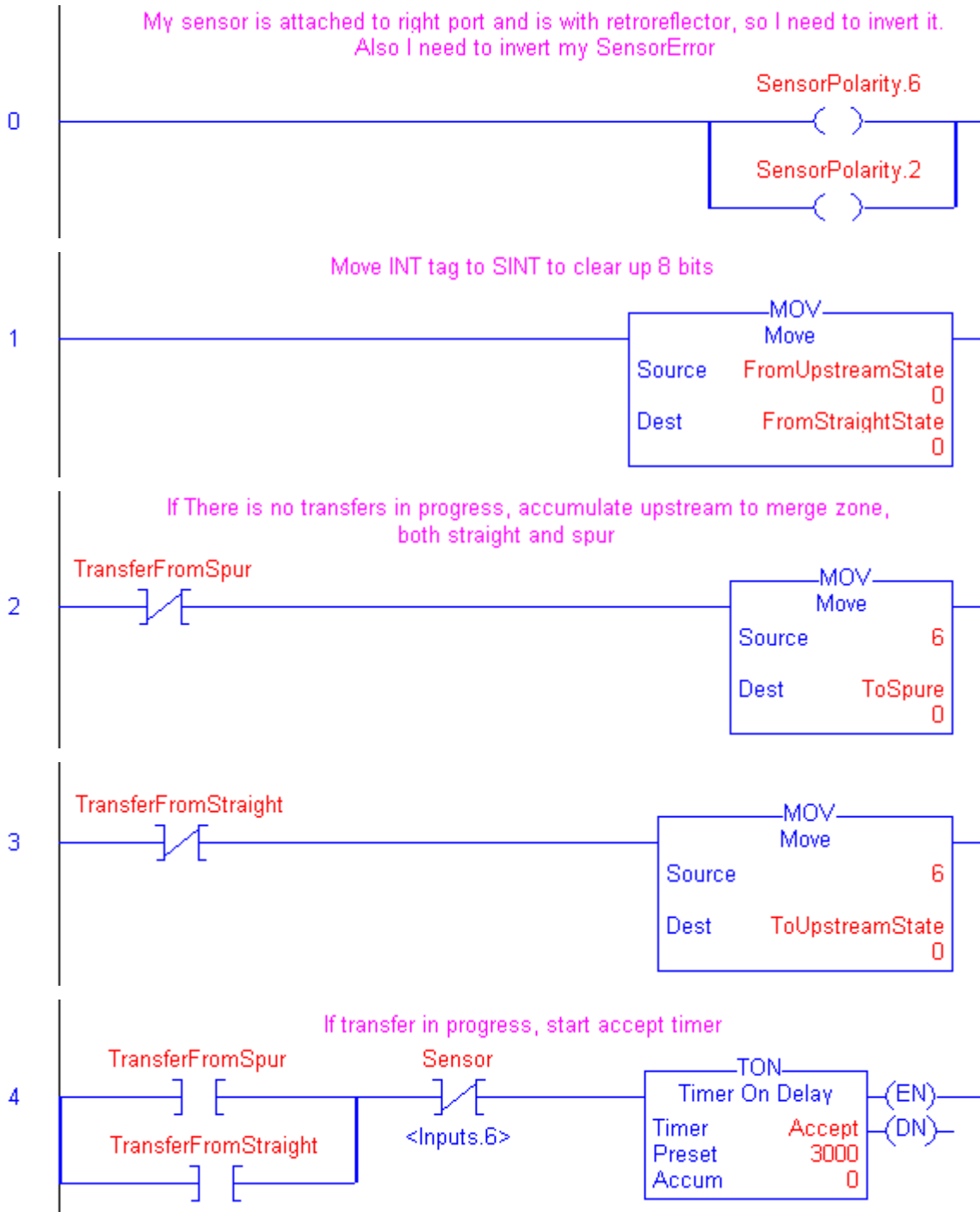
In the FromUpstreamState/FromDownstreamState tags you should always mask out the highest 8 bits (they are used in bi-directional operation and are not part of the tracking). In this example it is done by simply copying these tags in SINT tags.

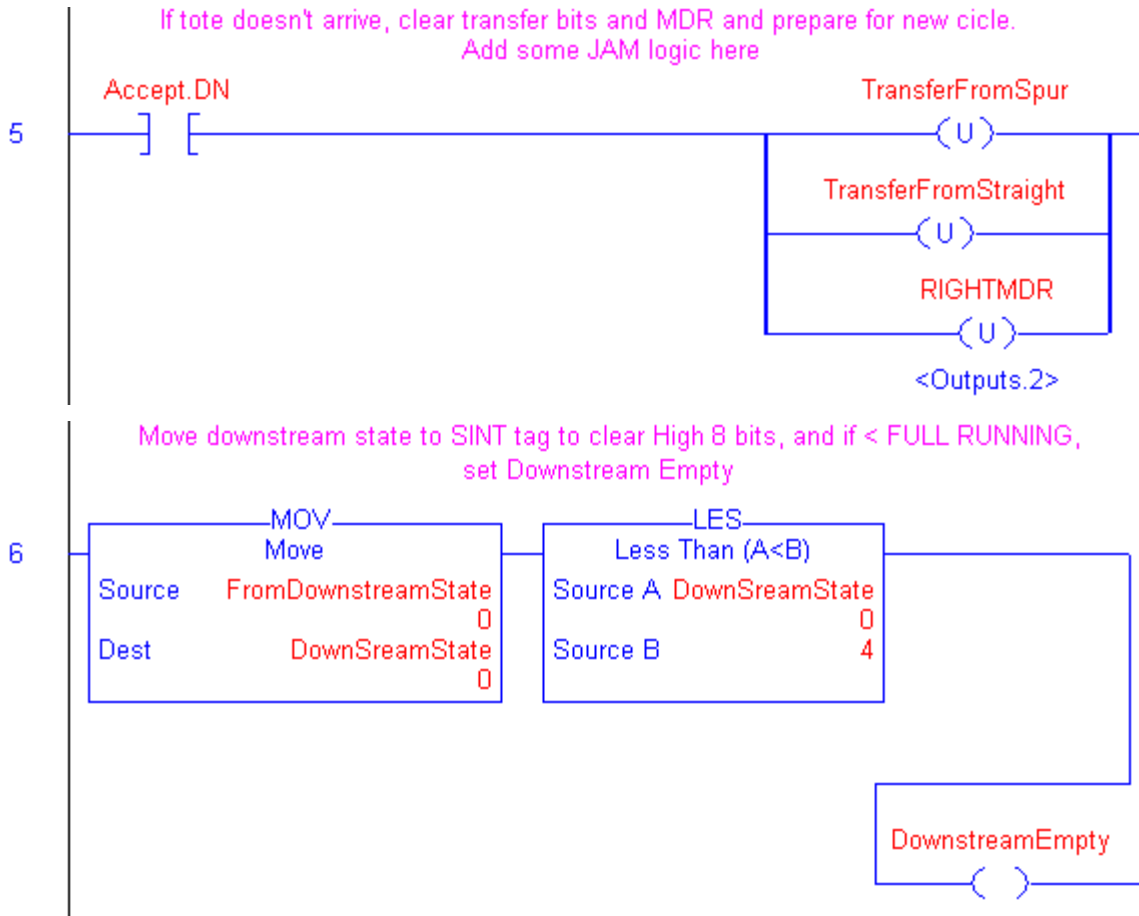
### Main Program Tags

Scope: Main Program							
	Tag Name	Alias For	Base Tag	Data Type	Init Value	Style	Description
	TransferFromStraight			BOOL	0	Decimal	
	TransferFromSpur			BOOL	0	Decimal	
+	Accept			TIMER	{...}		
+	Transfer			TIMER	{...}		
+	State			INT	0	Decimal	
+	MergeTracking			DINT	0	Decimal	
	Sensor	Inputs.6	Inputs.6	BOOL	0	Decimal	
	DownstreamEmpty			BOOL	0	Decimal	
+	DownStreamState			SINT	0	Decimal	
	TransferInProgress			BOOL	0	Decimal	
	SensorTrailing			BOOL	0	Decimal	
	RIGHTMDR	Outputs.2	Outputs.2	BOOL	0	Decimal	
	SensorRaising			BOOL	0	Decimal	
+	FromStraightState			SINT	0	Decimal	
*							

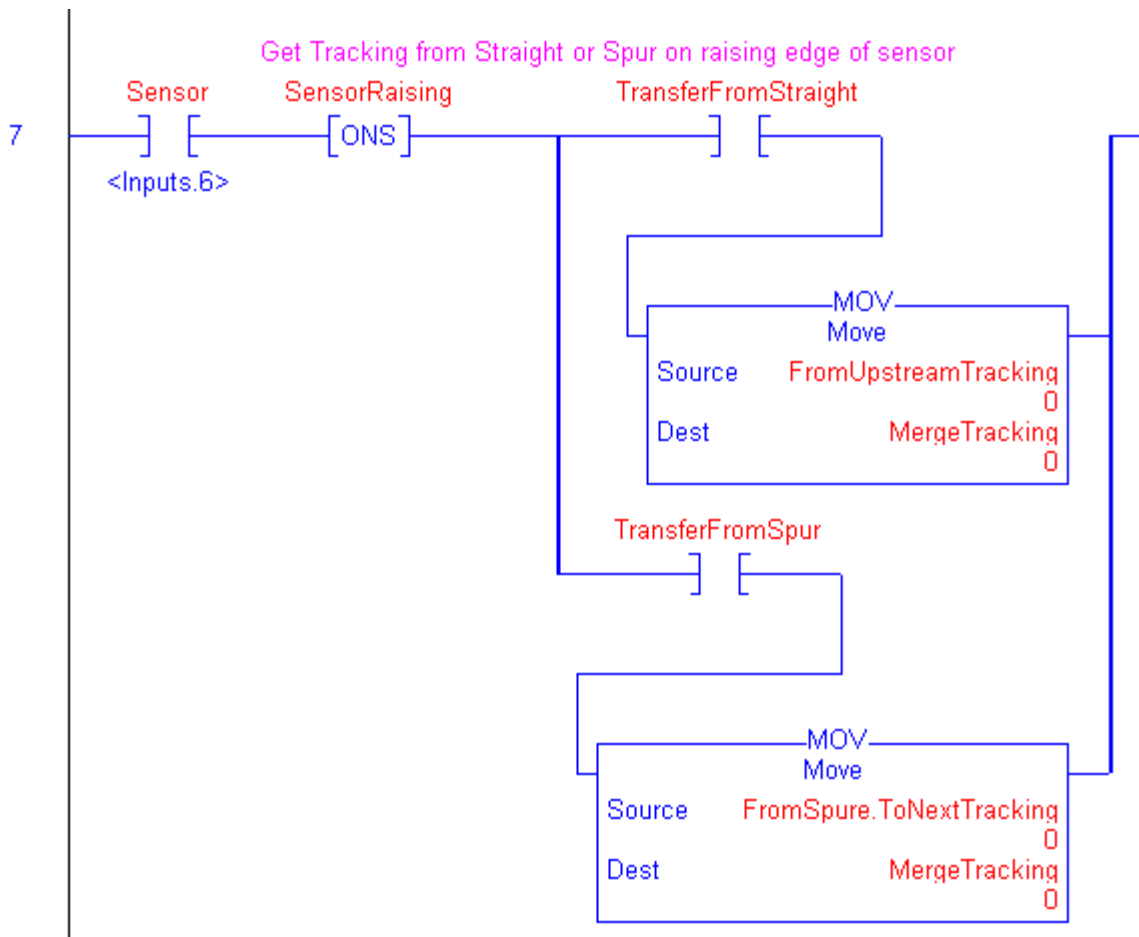
The values of Accept.PRE and Transfer.PRE are equal to 3000.

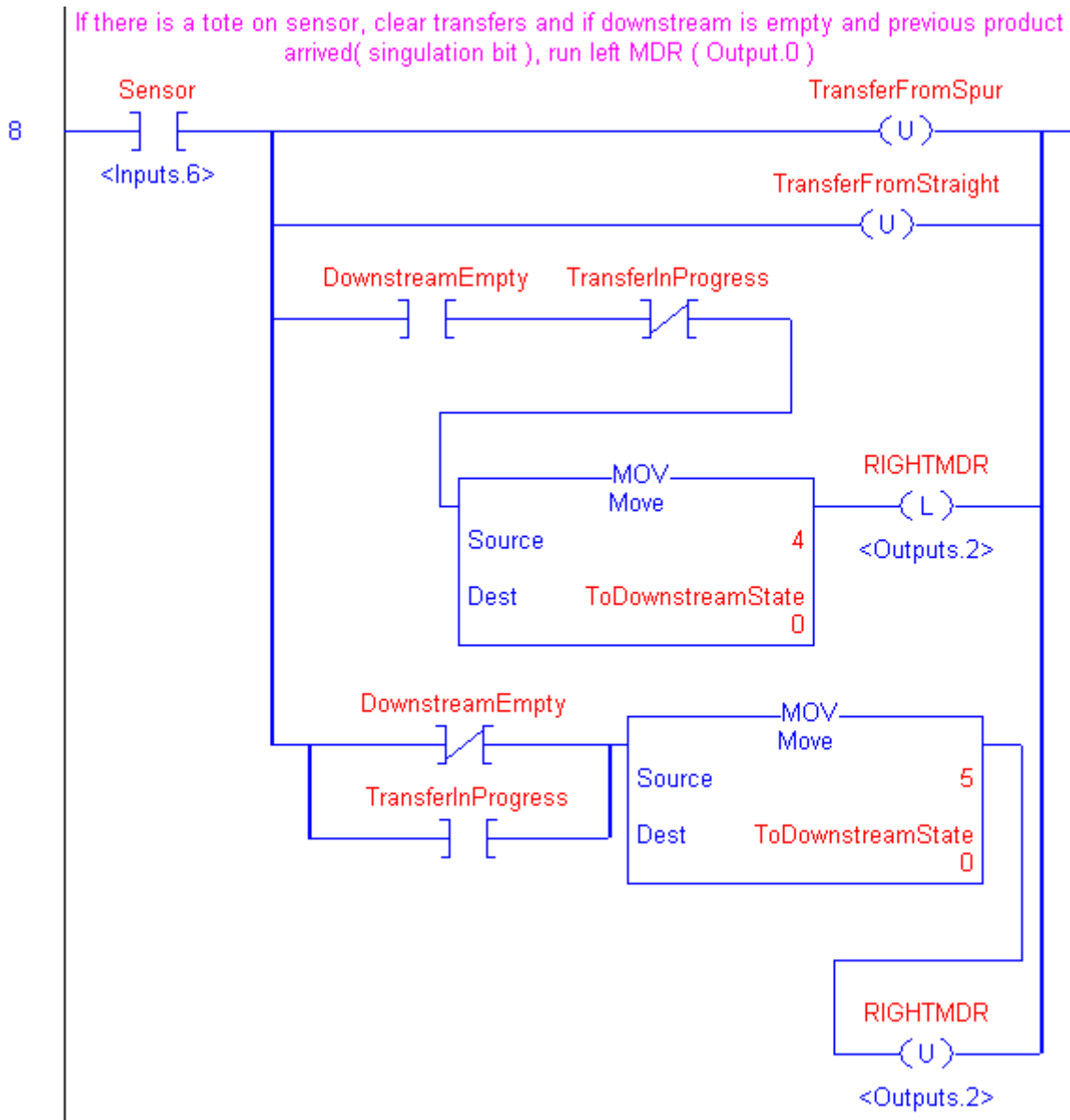
Ladder Logic Program

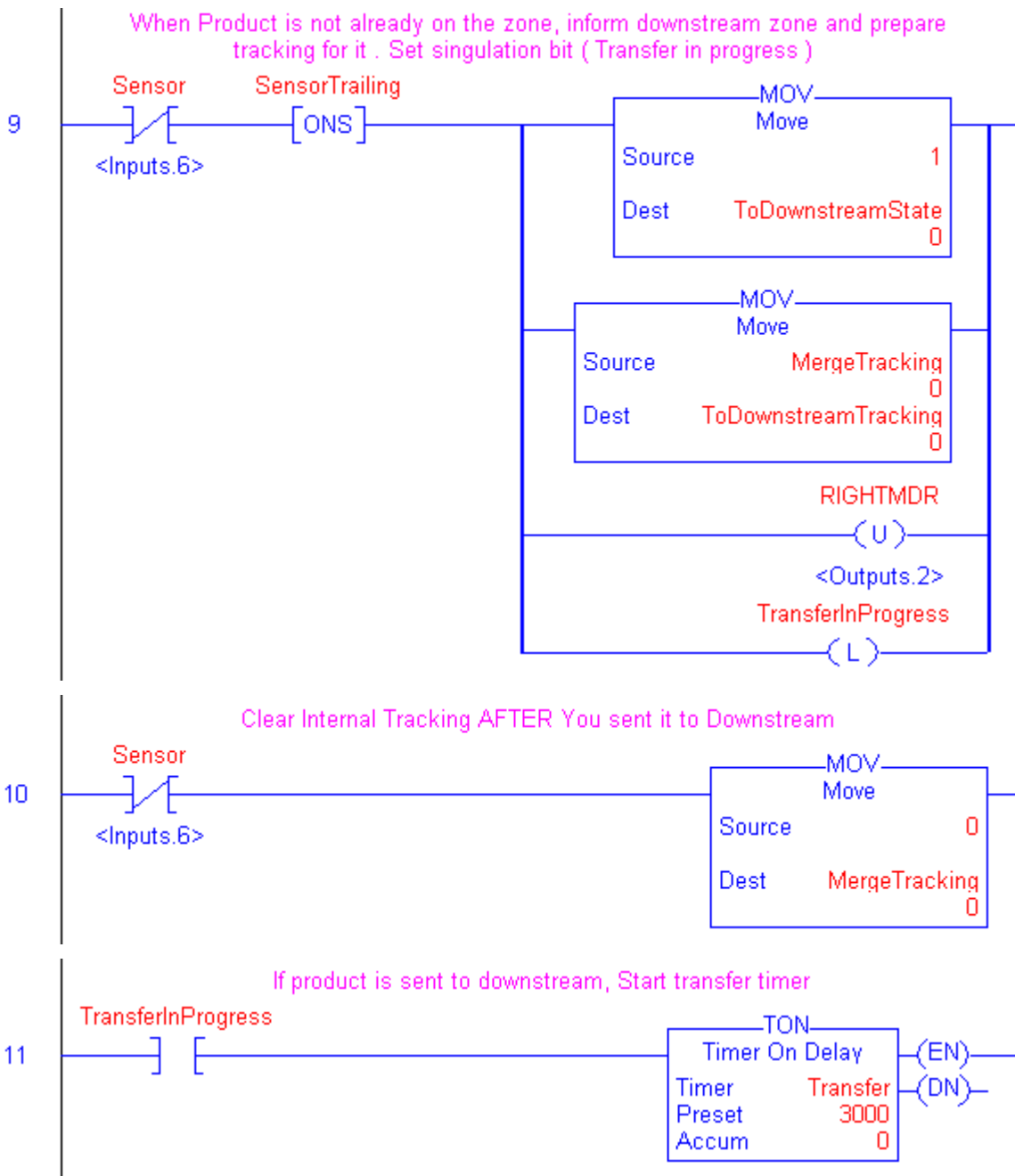


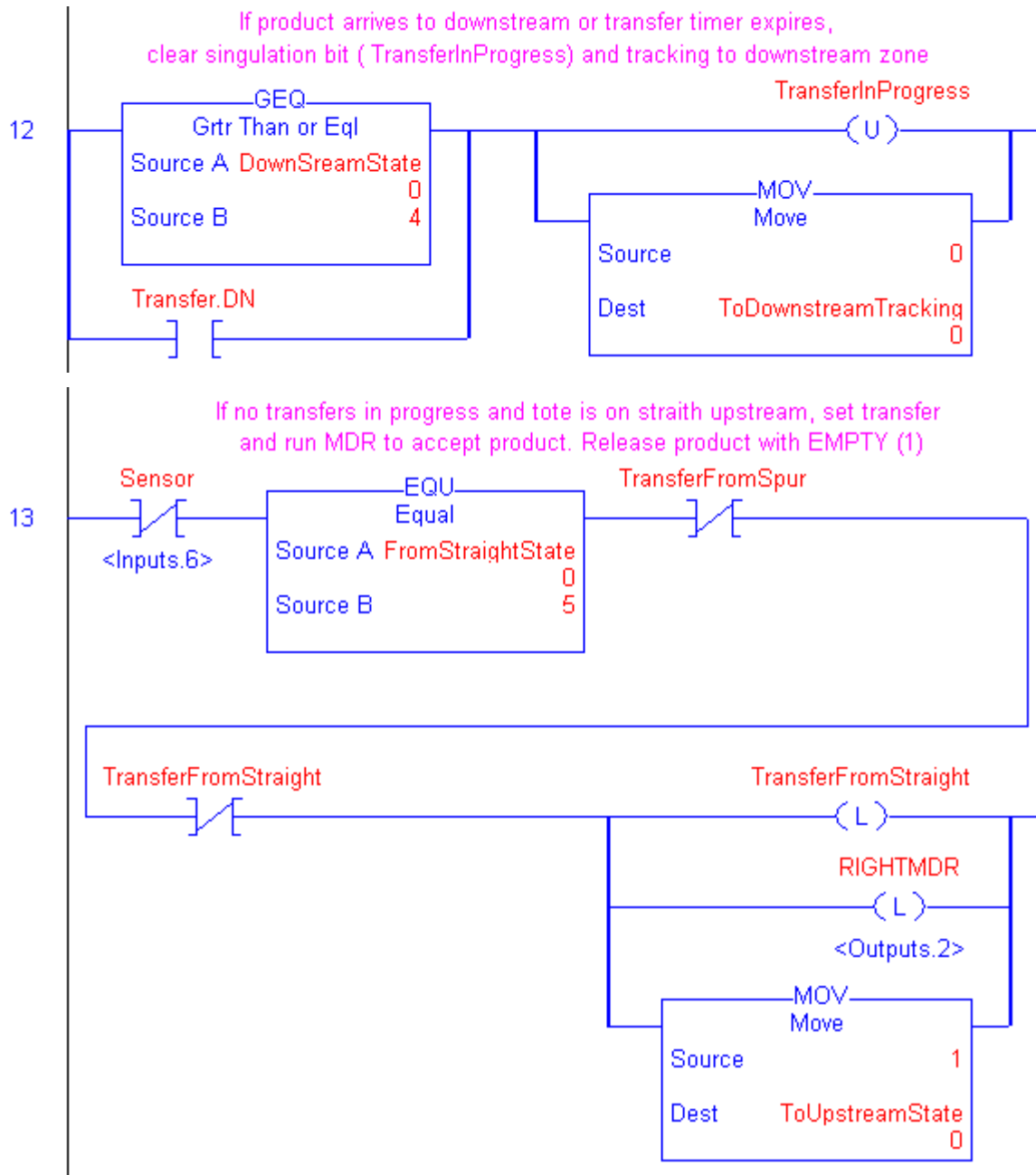


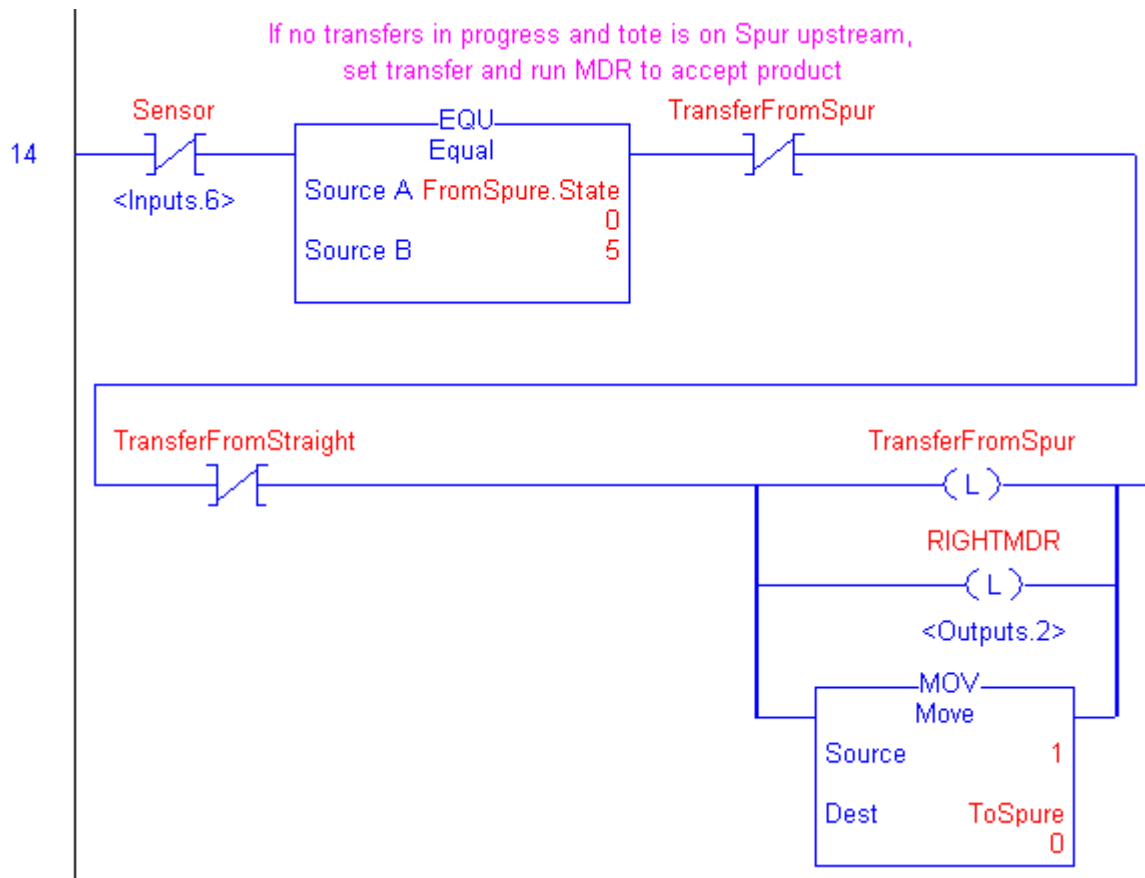








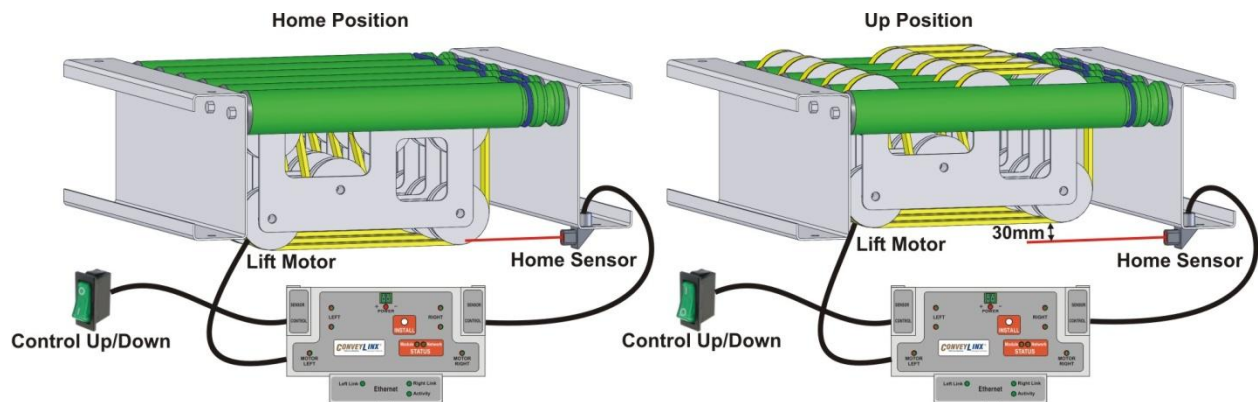






## Appendix F – Simple Motor Control Example with Servo Commands

In this example is shown how to make a Right Angle Transfer (RAT), using simple motor control.



There is one sensor, named Home Sensor and one switch – Control Up/Down.

Home Sensor is connected to Right Control Port, PIN4 which corresponds to “Input.7” controller tag. In ConveyLogix program we create the tag “HomeSensor”, which is an alias of “Input.7”.

Control Up/Down switch is connected to Left Control Port, PIN4 which corresponds to Input.5 controller tag. “Control\_UpDown” tag is an alias of Input.7.

Tags “StateUp” and “StateDown” indicate the end position of the RAT lift.

“LiftOffset” tag is the distance, which RAT lift has to move to reach the up position. In this example the Lift mechanism travels 30 mm that corresponds to 300 pulses.

In this example, the following Controller Tags are used:

“ServoCommandLeft” – when set, Lift motor starts to move upward (counter-clockwise) to the position which is set in “ServoControlLeft”.

“ServoControlLeft” – contains the pulses that the left motor has to process.

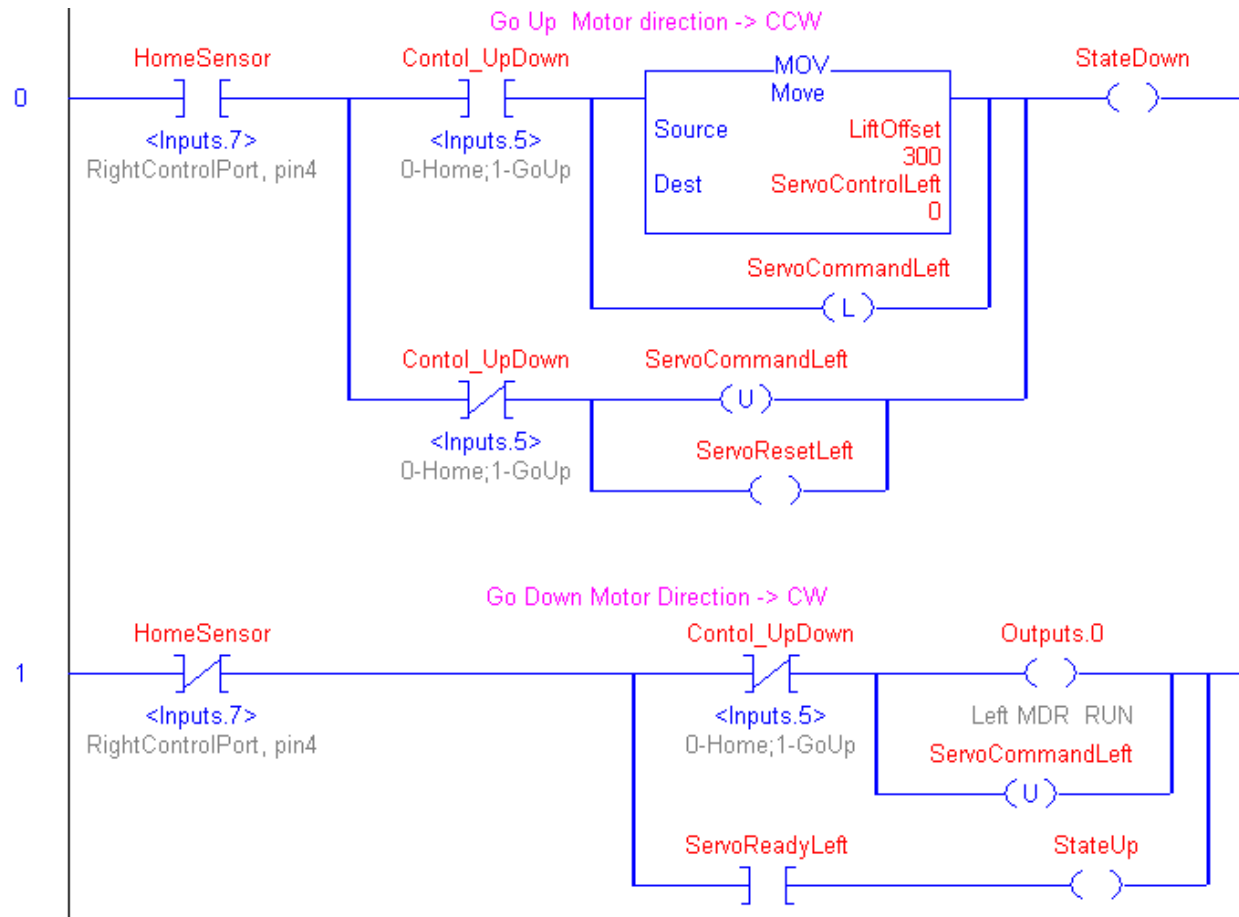
“ServoResetLeft” – clears the pulses that the left motor has to process.

“ServoReadyLeft” – indicates that the pulses are reached.



Main program tags and routine are the following:

Tag Name	Alias For	Base Tag	Data Type	Init Value	Style	Description
LiftOffset			INT	300	Decimal	300 pulses = 30 mm
StateUp			BOOL	0	Decimal	
StateDown			BOOL	0	Decimal	
HomeSensor	Inputs.7	Inputs.7	BOOL	0	Decimal	RightControlPort, pin4
Contol_UpDown	Inputs.5	Inputs.5	BOOL	0	Decimal	0-Home;1-GoUp
*						





When Lift is in Home position (“HomeSensor” is true) and Control switch is off (“Control\_UpDown” is false) the next operations are processed:

“ServoCommandLeft” is unlatched – left motor stops its movement.

“ServoResetLeft” is set – the pulses in “ServoControlLeft” are reset.

“StateDown” is set – Lift is in Home position.

When Lift is in Home position (“HomeSensor” is true) and Control switch is turned on (“Control\_UpDown” is set) the next operations are processed:

To “ServoControlLeft” 300 pulses are set.

“ServoCommandLeft” is latched – the left motor starts to move upward

“StateDown” is set – Lift is still in Home position.

When Lift leaves Home Sensor (“HomeSensor” is changed to false) and Control switch is still on the motor continues to run counter-clockwise (upward) until it reaches the pulses. When Lift motor reaches the pulses, “ServoResetLeft” is reset and “StateUp” is set.

When Lift is in Up position (“HomeSensor” is false) and Control switch is turned off (“Control\_UpDown” is reset) the next operations are processed:

“Output.0” is true – left motor starts to move downward.

“ServoCommandLeft” is unlatched – left motor servo command is cleared.

When Lift reaches Home Sensor, left motor stops its movement.

During the motor movement “StateUp” and “StateDown” are false.

The following is the same example written in Structured Text:

First you have to create a function block in Structured Text (in this example it is name “RAT”).


**RAT tags:**

Tag Name	Alias For	Base Tag	Data Type	Init Value	Style	Description
<input type="checkbox"/> Input						
HomeSensor			BOOL	0	Decimal	
Contol_UpDown			BOOL	0	Decimal	
ServoReady			BOOL	0	Decimal	
*						
<input type="checkbox"/> Output						
State_Down			BOOL	0	Decimal	
State_Up			BOOL	0	Decimal	
RunMotor			BOOL	0	Decimal	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> ServoControl			INT	0	Decimal	
ServoCommand			BOOL	0	Decimal	
ServoReset			BOOL	0	Decimal	
*						
InOut						
*						
<input type="checkbox"/> Static						
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> LiftOffset			INT	300	Decimal	300 pulses = 30 mm
*						

**RAT Routine:**

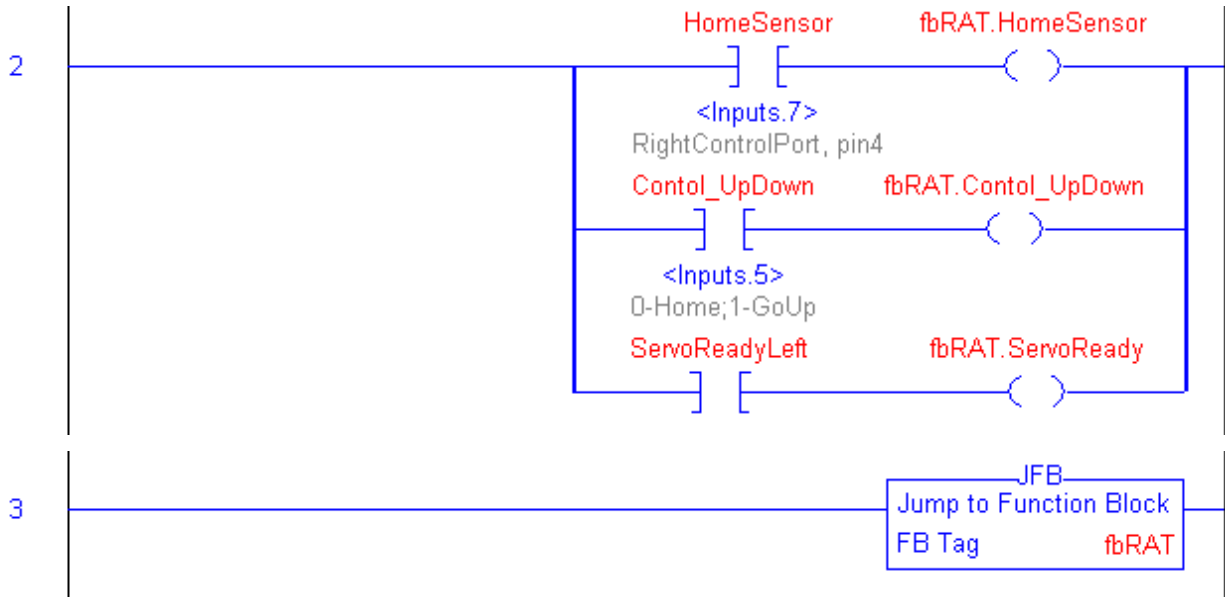
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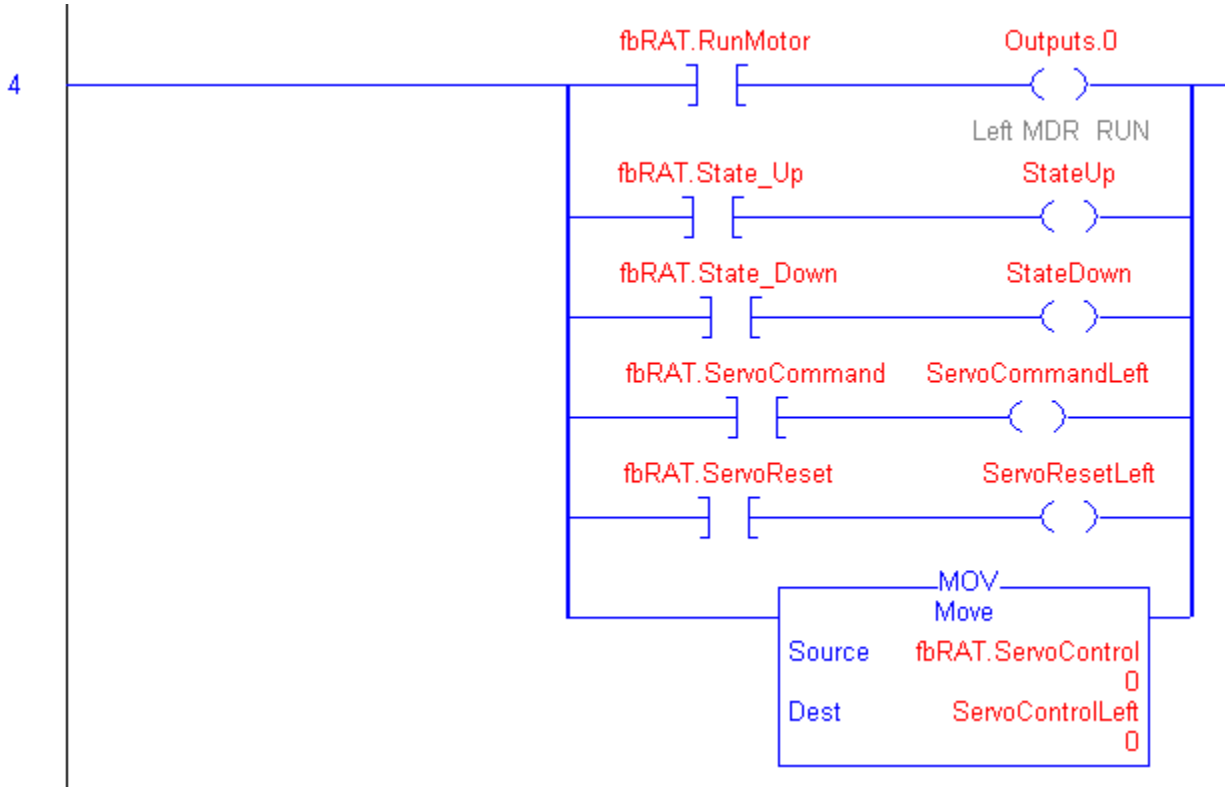
ServoReset := 0;
State_Down := 0;
State_Up := 0;
RunMotor := 0;
IF HomeSensor = 1 THEN
    State_Down := 1;
    IF Contol_UpDown = 1 THEN
        ServoCommand := 1;
        ServoControl := LiftOffset;
    ELSE
        ServoCommand := 0;
        ServoReset := 1;
    END_IF;
ELSE
    IF Contol_UpDown = 1 THEN
        IF ServoReady = 1 THEN
            State_Up := 1;
        END_IF;
    ELSE
        RunMotor := 1;
        ServoCommand := 0;
    END_IF;
END_IF;
    
```

Second, you have to create an instance of “RAT” function block (named “fbRAT”) in Main Tags:

Scope: Main Program							
Tag Name	Alias For	Base Tag	Data Type	Init Value	Style	Description	
StateUp			BOOL	0	Decimal		
StateDown			BOOL	0	Decimal		
HomeSensor	Inputs.7	Inputs.7	BOOL	0	Decimal	RightControlPort, pin4	
Contol_UpDown	Inputs.5	Inputs.5	BOOL	0	Decimal	0-Home;1-GoUp	
fbRAT			RAT	{...}			
*							

And third, you have to initialize “Input” tags of “RAT” function block, call an instance and then return the values of “Output” tags in Main Program.

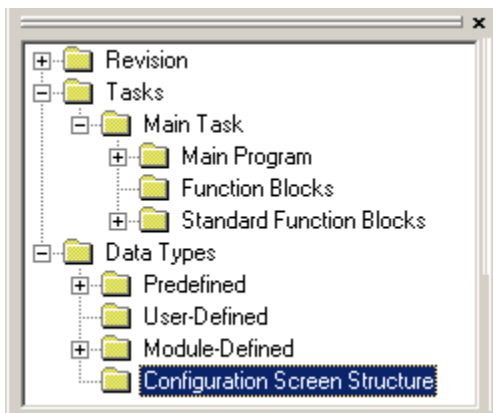




## Appendix G – Configuration Screen Structure

Configuration Screen Structure is designed to provide an easy way to configure a module via EasyRoll software.

To open the view of the configuration structure, double-click on “Configuration Screen Structure” in Project Tree:



Blank tags view is opened. Configuration Structure view is similar to User-Defined type tags view:

Configuration								
	Tag Name	Control Type	Control Properties	Data Type	Init Value	Style	Description	Dimensionion
*								

Tags are added, edited and deleted as the same way as User-Defined type tags.

Data types of tags in Configuration Screen Structure can only be simple data types (BOOL, SINT, INT and DINT).

Tags may be divided into two categories, according to EasyRoll software usage:

- Normal – for monitoring only.



- Configuration Non-volatile – for configuration and monitoring. These tags are power independent and use the non-volatile memory of the module. After power cycle, their values remain unchanged.

To make a tag Configuration Non-volatile, right-click on the cell at the first column and select “Configuration Non-volatile” menu:

	Tag Name	Control Type	Control Properties	Data Type	Init Value	Style	Descri
	Run	Check		BOOL	0	Decimal	Timer is
			Min = 1000; Max = 10000	DINT	8000	Decimal	Timer p
				DINT	0	Decimal	Timer e
C	Phase	Selection	Reset = 0; Execute = 1...	INT	0	Decimal	Phase c
	TimerDone	Check		BOOL	0	Decimal	Timer is
*							

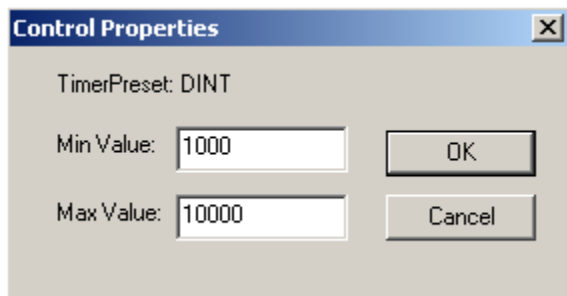
Configuration Non-volatile tags are marked with sign “C” in the first column.

“Control Type” field defines how the tag will appears in EasyRoll software. For some Control Types you may add Control Properties.

When you click on this field, a combo-box with three options appears:

- Check – check-box. It is suitable for BOOL data types.
- Number – edit-box. It is suitable for SINT, INT and DINT data types.

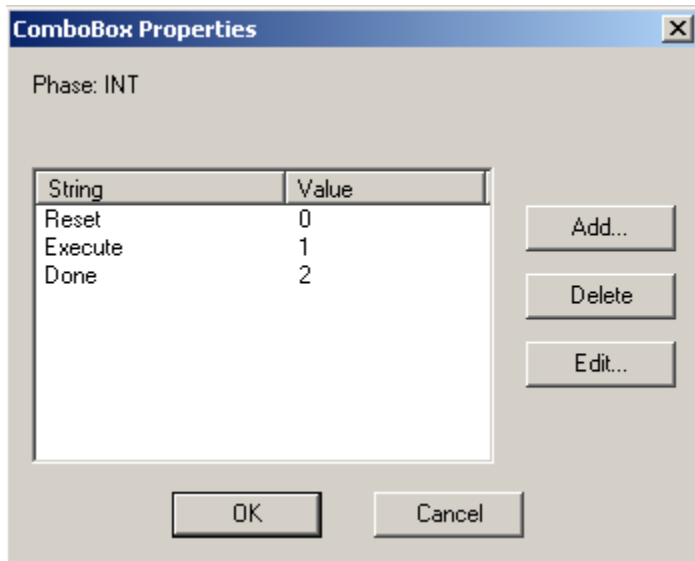
With left-click on “Control Properties” cell you may add minimum and/or maximum values for the tag.



When a tag is Configuration Non-volatile in EasyRoll software “Set” button is displayed next to the edit-box. “Set” button is used for changing tag values. When the value is not in defined range a message box appears.

- Selection – combo-box. It is suitable for SINT, INT and DINT data types.

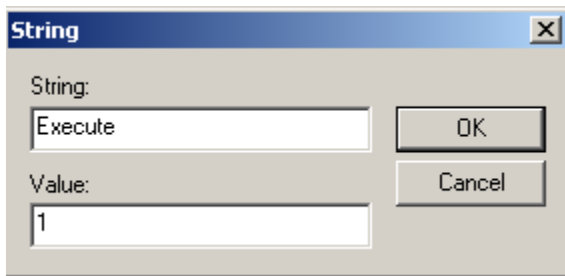
With left-click on “Control Properties” cell you may add, edit and delete selection strings of the tag.



To add a new selection string, click on Add button.

To change the string name or value, select the desired string and then click on Edit button.

To delete the string, select the desired string and then click on Delete button.



When the value of the tag does not correspond to any string, the selection in EasyRoll software is empty.

The text written in “Description” field will appear in the control tool tip in EasyRoll software.

The text written in “Dimension” field will appear after the control in EasyRoll software.

To work with Configuration Structure you have to add a tag in Main Tags with “Configuration” data type. You may create only one instance of “Configuration” data type.

When you change a field of Configuration Structure from Main Tags view, it is will be reflected in the corresponding field in Configuration Screen Structure. And vice versa, if a field from



Configuration Screen Structure tag is changed, it is reflected in the Configuration Structure instance in Main Tags.

**Example:**

In this example a timer will be started, monitored and reset, using Configuration Structure.

The following tags in Configuration Screen Structure are added:

	Tag Name	Control Type	Control Properties	Data Type	Init Value	Style	Description	Dimensionion
	Run	Check		BOOL	0	Decimal	Timer is running	
C	TimerPreset	Number	Min = 1000; Max ...	DINT	8000	Decimal	Timer preset va...	ms
	TimerValue	Number		DINT	0	Decimal	Timer evaluate...	ms
C	Phase	Selection	Reset = 0; Execu...	INT	0	Decimal	Phase of the timer	
	TimerDone	Check		BOOL	0	Decimal	Timer is done	
*								

“Run”, “TimerValue” and “TimerDone” are used for monitoring only.

“Run” tag indicates whether the timer is running.

“TimerValue” tag displays timer evaluated value in milliseconds.

“TimerDone” tag is set when timer expires.

“TimerPreset” and “Phase” tags are configurable from EasyRoll software. They are power independent and use controller’s Flash memory.

“TimerPreset” tag contains the timer preset value in milliseconds.

“Phase” tag controls the timer execution. When tag value is “0”, the timer will reset. When tag value is “1”, the timer will start. When timer expires, “Phase” tag value will set to “2”.

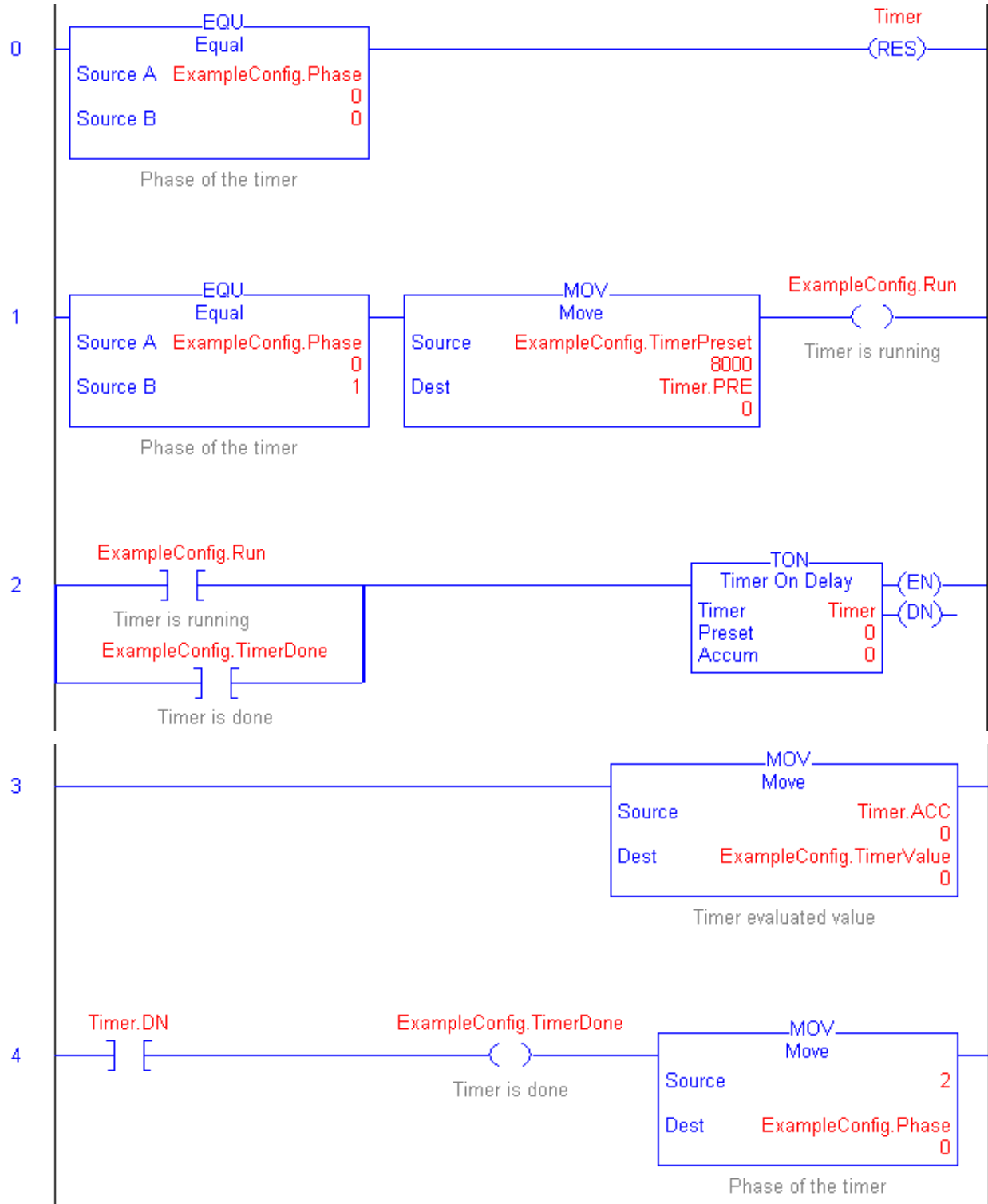
A tag named “ExampleConfig” with “Configuration” data type is added in Main tags.

Scope: Main Program							
	Tag Name	Alias For	Base Tag	Data Type	Init Value	Style	Description
	ExampleConfig			Configuration	{...}		
	ExampleConfig.Run			BOOL	0	Decimal	Timer is running
N	ExampleConfig.TimerPreset			DINT	8000	Decimal	Timer preset v...
	ExampleConfig.TimerValue			DINT	0	Decimal	Timer evaluate...
N	ExampleConfig.Phase			INT	0	Decimal	Phase of the ti...
	ExampleConfig.TimerDone			BOOL	0	Decimal	Timer is done
	Timer			TIMER	{...}		
*							

The sign “N” shows that the tags are Non-volatile.

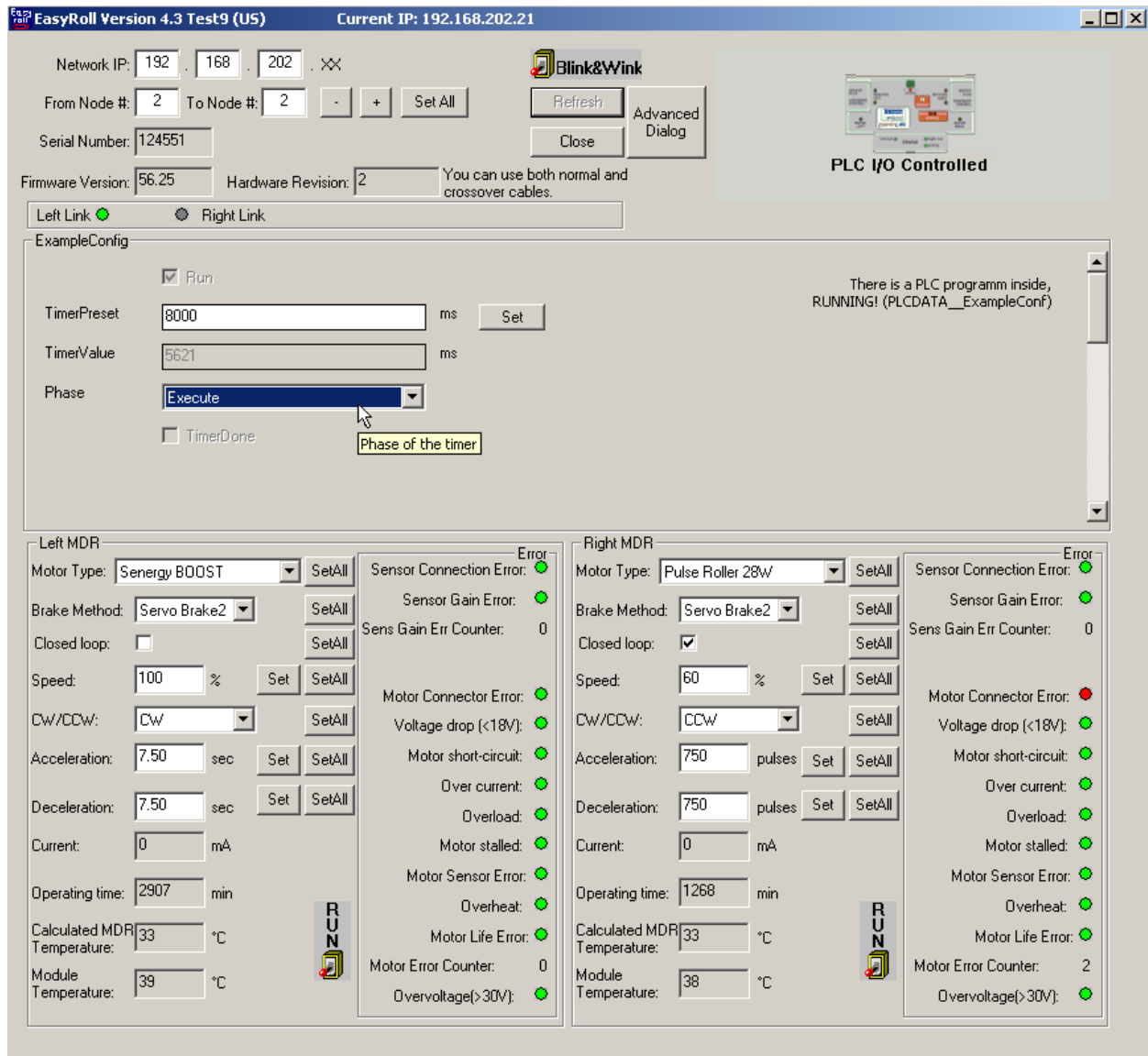


The next picture shows the example Main Program:





In EasyRoll software the controls of Configuration Structure are shown as follows:



**Notes:**



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