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Foxboro/Systronics Minimote RTU Slave Communication Module 3150-SYS

Applications using the Foxboro/Systronics slave module can be found in many industrial sectors and in the following applications:

- Foreign device data concentrator
- Pipelines
- Offshore platforms
- Oil field lease

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The inRAx Systronics slave module is a single slot solution for the Rockwell Automation 1746 platforms. By providing configurable access to both ports, this product provides previously unavailable functionality and versatility. Support has been added to the product to support the report by exception capabilities associated with VSAT implementations of the protocol.

Features and Benefits

All module setup and operating controls are performed over the backplane through simple ladder logic and data table configuration. The only software necessary is a standard ladder-programming package.

Hands-Off Operation

After the SYS module has been setup for operation, the module provides transparent control and monitoring capabilities. The SYS module, integrated directly into the PLC/SLC rack, forms a tightly integrated and practical solution. After configuration, the module will perform all protocol related functions on a stand-alone basis.

The ProSoft module installs in any slot in a local rack.

Functional Specifications

- Foxboro / Systronics Minimote RTU Protocol, with VSAT reporting support
- Full radio, modem and Multi-drop support
- Supports RS-232C, RS-422 and RS-485 interfaces
- Communication error codes and counters returned to ladder logic (Slave port)
- Configurable character delay to support VSAT packetizing delays
- Configuration via simple ladder logic
- Supports broadcast commands from Master
- Supports write commands from host in both direct or indirect modes
- Setpoint select and operate
- · Control point continuous and momentary



Supported file numbers

| File | Description | |
|------|--|--|
| 14h | Analog Data | |
| 19h | Status Data | |
| 37h | Accumulator Data32 bit | |
| 1Dh | Momentary Control Select | |
| 21h | Setpoint Select | |
| 23h | Execute Selected Control File | |
| 2Ch | Pulse Train Control File | |
| 30h | Multi-file Streaming Data Setup | |
| 3Fh | Multi-file Streaming Data | |
| 3Ch | VSAT Timer Setup | |
| 3Eh | 20 msec Timer | |
| 41h | Analog Deviation Limits | |
| 44h | Accumulator Reset Commands | |
| 47h | 32 bit Accumulator Current End of Batch | |
| 4Bh | Tank Levels | |
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Communication parameters

| Parameter | Value |
|------------|-----------------------------|
| Address | 1 to 254 (127 is broadcast) |
| Parity | None, Odd, Even |
| Stop Bit | 1 or 2 |
| Baud rate | 300 to 38.4K |
| RTS Delays | 1 ms resolution on and off |

Hardware Specifications

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| Specification | Description |
|------------------------|--|
| Backplane current load | 3150 module for SLC |
| | 5V @ 0.15 A, 24 V @ 0.040 A |
| Operating temperature | 0 to 60°C (32 to 140°F) |
| Storage temperature | 40 to 85°C (–40 to 185°F) |
| Relative humidity | 5 to 95% (w/o condensation) |
| LED indicators | Module Status, Backplane transfer status, Serial port TX/RX activity LED, Serial port error LED status |

| Specification | Description |
|--------------------------|---|
| Application Serial ports | DB-9M 3150 module |
| | RS-232/422/485 jumper selectable |
| | RS-422/485 screw termination included (two per module) |
| | RS-232 hardware handshaking (RTS/CTS, DTR) |
| | 500V Optical isolation from backplane |

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