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1 Product Specifications

In This Chapter

The MVI46-LNG ("Telegyr Communication Module") allows Rockwell Automation SLC I/O compatible processors to interface easily with other Telegyr communication devices.

1.1 General Specifications

The MVI46-LNG module interfaces to other Telegyr communication devices with the Rockwell Automation SLC processor. The protocol drivers permit both the reception and transmission of data between the Rockwell Automation processor and attached devices.

Some of the general specifications include:

- Landis & Gyr Telegyr protocol (8979 Rev. F) Slave implementation
- Support for the storage and transfer of internal database registers to/from the SLC
- Two ports to emulate a Telegyr slave RTU
- Configurable parameters include:

| Analog Input Count | 0 to 300 | |
|-----------------------------|-------------------------|--|
| Digital Input Count | 0 to 50 | |
| Accumulator Count | 0 to 50 | |
| Indication Point Word Count | 0 to 50 | |
| SBO Duration Time Base | 0 to 3 | |
| SBO Select Time | 0 to 32767 | |
| Slave Address | 1 to 255 | |
| Baud Rate | 110 to 115,200 | |
| Parity | None, Odd, Even | |
| Data Bits | 5 to 8 | |
| Stop Bits | 1 or 2 | |
| RTS On and Off Timing | 0 to 65535 milliseconds | |
| Minimum Response Delay | 0 to 65535 milliseconds | |
| Use of CTS Modem Line | Yes or No | |
| | | |

| Supported Function Codes: | |
|---------------------------|----------------------------|
| 0 | Analog Change Report |
| 1 | Analog Force Report |
| 2 | Analog Group Change Report |
| 3 | Analog Group Force Report |
| 5 | ADC Reference Force Report |
| 6 | Indication Change Report |
| 7 | Indication Force Report |
| 11 | Digital Input Force Report |
| 12 | Accumulator Change Report |
| 13 | Accumulator Force Report |
| 20 | Analog Output |
| 21 | SBO Select |
| 22 | SBO Operate |
| 23 | Digital Output |
| 24 | Accumulator Freeze |
| 25 | Pulse Output |
| 26 | Pulse Train Output |
| 30 | Restart RTU |
| 31 | RTU Configuration |
| 32 | Time Synchronization |
| 33 | Time Bias |
| 34 | Analog Deadbands |
| 35 | Analog Group Define |
| 36 | Accumulator Preset |
| 37 | Continuation Request |
| 38 | Repeat Last Message |
| 39 | Firmware Configuration |
| | |

A port configured as a Telegyr slave permits a remote master to interact with data contained in the module. This data is derived from the SLC processor.

1.1.1 Physical

This module is designed by ProSoft Technology and incorporates licensed technology from Rockwell Automation (SLC backplane technology).

SLC Form Factor - Single Slot

Connections:

- 2 RJ45 protocol ports
- 1 RJ45 RS-232 Configuration Tool Connector

1.1.2 SLC Interface

- Operation via simple ladder logic
- Complete set up and monitoring of module through RSLogix 500 software •
- SLC backplane interface via I/O access •
- All data related to the module is contained in a single controller tag with defined objects to ease in the configuration, monitoring, and interfacing with the module.
- Module configuration and communication data is transferred to the MVI46-• LNG via a predefined user data type in the processor

1.2 **Hardware Specifications**

The MVI46-LNG module is designed by ProSoft Technology and incorporates licensed technology from Rockwell Automation (SLC backplane technology).

- Current Loads:
- 800 ma @ 5V (from backplane)
- 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% (non-condensing) .
- 2-RJ45 RS-232 connectors Serial Connector:
- Configuration Connector: RJ45 RS-232 Connector (RJ45 to DB-9 cable • shipped with unit)

2 Functional Overview

In This Chapter

This chapter provides an overview of how the MVI46-LNG module transfers data using the LNG protocol. You should understand the important concepts in this chapter before you begin installing and configuring the module.

2.1 General Concepts

The following discussion explains several concepts that are important for understanding the operation of the MVI46-LNG module.

2.1.1 Module Power Up

On power up the module begins performing the following logical functions:

- 1 Initialize hardware components
 - o Initialize SLC backplane driver
 - Test and clear all RAM
 - Initialize the serial communication ports
- 2 Set up the serial communication interface for the debug/configuration port

After the module has received the configuration, the module begins receiving and transmitting messages with Telegyr devices on the network.

2.1.2 Main Logic Loop

Upon completing the power up configuration process, the module enters an infinite loop that performs the functions shown in the following diagram.



2.1.3 Backplane Data Transfer

The MVI46-LNG module is unique in the way it utilizes the SLC backplane. All data for the module is contained in the module's M1 file. Data is moved between the module and the SLC processor across the backplane using the module's M-files. The SLC scan rate and the communication load on the module determine the update frequency of the M-files. The COP instruction can be used to move data between user data files and the module's M1 file.

The following illustration shows the data transfer method used to move data between the SLC processor, the MVI46-LNG module and the Telegyr network.



As shown in the diagram above, all data transferred between the module and the processor over the backplane is through the M0 and M1 files. Ladder logic must be written in the SLC processor to interface the M-file data with data defined in the user-defined data files in the SLC. All data used by the module is stored in its internal database.

User data contained in this database is continuously read from the M1 file. The configuration data is only updated in the M1 file after each configuration request by the module to the SLC.

| Block Range | Descriptions |
|-------------|--------------------------------------|
| 9000 | Configuration request from module. |
| 9001 | Configuration ready from controller. |
| 9995 | Write time to controller. |
| 9997 | Write configuration to controller. |
| 9998 | Warm-boot control block. |
| 9999 | Cold-boot control block. |

Block identification codes define specific functions to the module. The block identification codes used by the module are listed in the following table:

Each block has a defined structure depending on the data content and the function of the data transfer as defined in the following sections:

2.1.4 Normal Data Transfer

This version of the module provides for direct access to the data in the module. All data related to the module is stored in the module's M1 file. To read data from the module, simply use the COP instruction to copy data from the module's M1 file to a user data file. To write data to the module, use the COP instruction to copy data from a user file to the module's M1 file.

Analog Output Data

This data block is only transferred to the processor on power-up and whenever a write command is received from the host. The 50-word block contains an image of the write data that has been received from the host.

Important Note: On power-up, the table is cleared and transferred once to the processor. After power-up, the block is only transferred to the processor after receiving a write command from the host.

The values will be 16-bit register values ranging from 0 to 4095 and should be placed into an integer file. Note that the user application ladder logic controls the placement and use of these values received.

<u>Digital Output Data</u>

This data block is only transferred to the processor on power-up and whenever a write command is received from the host. The 50-word block contains an image of write data that has been received from the host.

Important Note: On power-up, the table is cleared and transferred once to the processor. After power-up, the block is only transferred to the processor after receiving a write command from the host.

The values will be 16-bit Digital Output Images and can be placed into an integer file or a binary file. Note that the user application ladder logic controls the placement and use of these values received.

Accumulator Preset Data

This data block is only transferred to the processor on power-up and whenever a write command is received from the host. The 50-word block contains an image of the write data that has been received from the host.

Important Note: On power-up, each register in the table is set to 32767 and transferred once to the processor. After power-up, the block is only transferred to the processor after receiving a write command from the host.

The values will be 16-bit values that can be transferred directly to Counter Preset registers or to an integer file. Note that the user application ladder logic controls the placement and use of these received values.

Pulse Commands

These data blocks are transferred to the processor on a continuous basis. Bits and register values within the blocks are toggles and set as the result of receiving writes from the host. Valid Pulse Points, which can be addressed from the host, will range from 0 to 8.

Important Note: On power-up, each register in the table is set to 0 prior to being transferred to the processor. After power-up, the blocks are transferred to the processor continuously. Ladder logic must be implemented to decode and implement the pulse functionality.

Note that the user application ladder logic fully controls the implementation of pulse functionality.

These BTR Blocks contain pre-defined data structures within the block to assist the user in implementing the pulse commands. The structure of the two blocks is as follows:

M1

- 1 Pulse 10 ms raise
- 2 Pulse 10 ms lower
- 3 Pulse 100 ms raise
- 4 Pulse 100 ms lower
- 5 Pulse 1 second raise
- 6 Pulse 1 second lower
- 7 Pulse 10 second raise
- 8 Pulse 10 seconds lower

Within each of these 10-word structures, the following data can be extracted in the ladder logic:

| Word | Description |
|------|---|
| 0 | Pulse Cmd Active Flags |
| | Bits 0-8 in this word indicate that a Pulse Command has been received from the host addressed to Pulse Point 0 to 8. The time base commanded by the host determines where the data will be located. |
| 1-9 | Pulse Duration |
| | This value represents the duration in the selected time base, which is commanded by the host. |

SBO Commands

The SBO Command Block is transferred to the processor on a continuous basis. Ladder logic decoding must be provided to implement the SBO commands received from the host. The SBO Duration is the product of the SBO Duration Time Base and the SBO Count in milliseconds. The duration time has a maximum value of 32767 milliseconds.

SBO Duration (ms) = SBOBASE * SBO COUNT (From Host)

The selected point will be de-selected if not operated before the SBO Select Time (ms) expires.

Important Note: On power-up, each register in the table is set to 0 prior to being transferred to the processor. After power-up the blocks are transferred to the processor continuously. Ladder logic must be implemented to decode and implement the pulse functionality. Only one SBO command will be processed per command sequence from the host. Please ensure that only one command is sent at a time.

The BTR block contains a pre-defined data structure within the block to assist the user in implementing the SBO commands. The structure is as follows:

M1

850 SBO Active Flag

- 1 SBO Bit Address
- 2 SBO Operation
- **3** SBO Duration (ms)

SBO Active Flag

This field will contain a 1 when an SBO Command Select/Operate sequence has been successfully received from the host. It is used as the primary ladder logic decode to enable the use of the remaining SBO values.

SBO Bit Address

This value represents the Bit Address, which has been addressed by the host. This value can be used to indirectly address a bit file in the PLC.

SBO Operation

This value will contain a 1 to issue a Close command and a 0 to issue a Trip command.

SBO Duration

This value will contain the duration value received from the host as part of the SBO command. The time base is user-definable through the selection of timers in the processor. The duration value is in milliseconds.

Configuration Data Transfer

When the module performs a restart operation, it will request configuration information from the SLC processor. This data is transferred to the module in a specially formatted write block in the M0 file. The module will poll for this information by placing the value 9000 in word 0 of the M0 file. The ladder logic must construct the requested block in order to configure the module. The format of the block for configuration is given in the following section.

Module Configuration Data

This block sends configuration information from the processor to the module. The data is transferred in a block with an identification code of 9001. The structure of the block is displayed below:

| M0 Offset | Description | Length |
|-----------|----------------------|--------|
| 0 | 9001 | 1 |
| 2-7 | Backplane Setup | 6 |
| 12-22 | Port 1 Configuration | 11 |
| 32-42 | Port 2 Configuration | 11 |

If there are any errors in the configuration, the bit associated with the error will be set in one of the two configuration error words. The error must be corrected before the module starts operating.

Command Control Blocks

Command control blocks are special blocks used to control the module or request special data from the module. The current version of the software supports four command control blocks: write time, write configuration, warm boot and cold boot.

Write Time

This block is sent to the processor as a result of the Time Synchronization command. The block transferred to the module is as follows:

| M1 Offset | Description | Length | |
|-----------|-------------|--------|--|
| 0 | 9995 | 1 | |
| 3000 | Year | 1 | |
| 3001 | Month | 1 | |
| 3002 | Day | 1 | |

| M1 Offset | Description | Length |
|-----------|-------------|--------|
| 3003 | Hour | 1 |
| 3004 | Minute | 1 |
| 3005 | Second | 1 |

Write Configuration

This block is sent from the SLC processor to the module to force the module to write its current configuration back to the processor. This function is used when the module's configuration has been altered remotely using database write operations. The write block contains a value of 9997 in the first word. The module will respond with a block containing the module configuration data. Ladder logic must handle the receipt of the block. The block transferred from the module is as follows:

| M0 Offset | Description | Length |
|-----------|----------------------|--------|
| 0 | 9997 | 1 |
| 1 to 6 | Backplane Setup | 6 |
| 11 to 21 | Port 1 Configuration | 11 |
| 31 to 41 | Port 2 Configuration | 11 |

Ladder logic must process this block of information and place the data received in the correct data files in the SLC. The processor requests this block of information using the following write block:

| M1 Offset | Description | Length |
|-----------|-------------|--------|
| 6800 | 9997 | 1 |

Warm Boot

This block is sent from the SLC processor to the module when the module is required to perform a warm-boot (software reset) operation. This block is commonly sent to the module any time configuration data modifications are made in the configuration data area. This will force the module to read the new configuration information and to restart. The structure of the control block is shown below:

| M1 Offset | Description | Length |
|-----------|-------------|--------|
| 6800 | 9998 | 1 |

Cold Boot

This block is sent from the SLC processor to the module when the module is required to perform the cold boot (hardware reset) operation. This block is sent to the module when a hardware problem is detected by the ladder logic that requires a hardware reset. The structure of the control block is shown below:

| M0 Offset | Description | Length |
|-----------|-------------|--------|
| 6800 | 9999 | 1 |

3 Installing and Configuring the Module

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This chapter describes how to install and configure the module to work with your application. The configuration process consists of the following steps.

1 Use RSLogix 500 to identify the module to the processor and add the module to a project.

NOTE: The RSLogix 500 software must be in "offline" mode to add the module to a project.

2 Modify the example ladder logic to meet the needs of your application, and copy the ladder logic to the processor. Example ladder logic files are provided on the CD-ROM.

Note: If you are installing this module in an existing application, you can copy the necessary elements from the example ladder logic into your application.

The rest of this chapter describes these steps in more detail.

The first step in installing and configuring the module is to define the module to the system. Select the I/O Configuration option from the program screen. The system displays the following window:

| I/O Configuration | | |
|---------------------------------------|-------------------------|--|
| Racks- | – Current Cards A | vailable- |
| 1 1746-A4 4-Slot Rack | | Filter All IO |
| 2 1/0 Rack Not Installed | Part # | Description |
| 3 1/0 Rack Not Installed | 1746-0BP8 | 8-Output [2 A](TRANS-SRC) 24VDC |
| | 1746-0BP16 1746-0G16 | 16-Output [1 A](TRANS-SRC) 24VDC 16-Output (TTL-SINK) 5 VDC |
| PowerSupply | 1746-0016 | 8-Output (TRANS-SINK) 10/50 VDC |
| | 1746-0V16 | 16-Output (TRANS-SINK) 10/50 VDC |
| # Part # Description | 1746-0VP16 | 16-Output [1 A](TRANS-SINK) 24VDC |
| 0 1747-L551 5/05 CPU - 16K Mem. 0S501 | 1746-0V32 | 32-Output (TRANS-SINK) 10/50 VDC |
| | 1746-0W4 | 4-Output (RLY) 240 VAC |
| 2 | 1746-0W8 | 8-Output (RLY) 240 VAC |
| 3 | 1746-0W16 | 16-Output (RLY) 240 VAC |
| | 1746-0×8 | 8-Output Isolated Relay |
| | 1746-QS | Synchronized Axes Module |
| | 1746-QV | Open Loop Velocity Control |
| | 1747-RCIF | Robot Control Interface Module |
| | 1747-SCNR | ControlNet SLC Scanner |
| | 1747-SDN | DeviceNet Scanner Module |
| | 1394-SJT | GMC Turbo System |
| | 1203-SM1 | SCANport Comm Module - Basic |
| | 1203-SM1 | SCANport Comm Module - Enhanced |
| | 1747-SN | RIO Scanner |
| Adv Config Help Hide All Cards | | Other Requires I/O Card Type ID 📃 |

ProSoft Technology, Inc. September 12, 2006 Select the Other module from the list. This causes the system to display the following dialog box:

| "Other" type IO card | × |
|--|--------------|
| Enter the IO card's ID number (decimal): 12835 | OK Cancel |
| | |

Enter the module I/O card ID number as 12835, then click OK. Double-click the mouse on the module just added to the rack. Fill in the dialog box as shown:

| Advanced I/O Configuration | × |
|--|----------------|
| Slot #: 1 OTHER I/O Module - ID Code = 12835 | ОК |
| Maximum Input Words : 2 Maximum Dutput Words : 2 | Cancel Help |
| Setup Scanned Input Worde : 2 Scanned Output Words : 2 | |
| Interrupt Service Routine (ISR) # : 0 M0 Length : 3000 M1 Length : 10000 | |
| G File Length : 0 | Edit G Data |

Click OK to apply the settings. Close this dialog box.

The last step in the module setup is to add the ladder logic. If the example ladder logic is used, adjust the ladder to fit the application. When the ladder example is not used, copy the example ladder logic to your application and alter as necessary.

The module is now ready to be used with your application. Insert the module in the rack (with the power turned off) and attach the serial communication cables. Download the new application to the controller and place the processor in run mode. If all the configuration parameters are set correctly and the module is attached to a network, the module's Application LED (APP LED) should remain off and the backplane activity LED (BP ACT) should blink very rapidly. Refer to the Troubleshooting section if you encounter errors. Attach a terminal to the Debug/Configuration port on the module and check the status of the module using the resident debugger in the module.

3.1 Module Data

All data related to the MVI46-LNG module is stored in a user defined data file and the module's M0 and M1 files. Additionally, a file should be defined to hold the module status data. The status data should be copied from the M1 file and placed in the assigned status file. The ladder logic is responsible for transferring all received data from a module into the user data files and for transferring all user data to the M1 file to be sent to the module.

| Start Address | End Address | Data |
|---------------|-------------|---------------------------|
| 0 | 299 | Analog Inputs |
| 300 | 349 | Digital Inputs |
| 350 | 399 | Accumulators |
| 400 | 449 | Indication Points |
| 600 | 649 | Analog Outputs |
| 650 | 699 | Digital Outputs |
| 700 | 749 | Accumulator Presets |
| 750 | | Pulse Raise 10ms Control |
| 751 | 759 | Pulse Raise 10ms |
| 760 | | Pulse Lower 10ms Control |
| 761 | 769 | Pulse Lower 10ms |
| 770 | | Pulse Raise 100ms Control |
| 771 | 779 | Pulse Raise 100ms |
| 780 | | Pulse Lower 100ms Control |
| 781 | 789 | Pulse Lower 100ms |
| 790 | | Pulse Raise 1s Control |
| 791 | 799 | Pulse Raise 1s |
| 800 | | Pulse Lower 1s Control |
| 801 | 809 | Pulse Lower 1s |
| 810 | | Pulse Raise 10s Control |
| 811 | 819 | Pulse Raise 10s |
| 820 | | Pulse Lower 10s Control |
| 821 | 829 | Pulse Lower 10s |
| 850 | | SBO Command |
| 851 | | SBO Bit |
| 852 | | SBO Operate |
| 853 | | SBO Duration |
| 860 | | PTO Active |
| 861 | | PTO Point |
| 862 | | PTO Command |
| | | |

3.1.1 MVI46-LNG Database Map

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| End Address | Data | |
|-------------|------------------------|---|
| | PTO On Duration | |
| | PTO Off Duration | |
| | RTU Config I/O Chassis | |
| | Chassis Number | |
| 2017 | Card Code | |
| 3005 | Time Sync Data | |
| | Configuration | |
| 6025 | Error / Status Table | |
| | 2017 3005 | PTO On Duration PTO Off Duration RTU Config I/O Chassis Chassis Number 2017 Card Code 3005 Time Sync Data Configuration |

Data contained in this database is written through the M1 files by coordination of the SLC logic and the MVI46-LNG module's program.

4 Ladder Logic

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Ladder logic is required for application of the MVI46-LNG module. Tasks that must be handled by the ladder logic are module data transfer and module control. This section discusses each aspect of the ladder logic as required by the module. Additionally, a power-up handler should be written to handle the initialization of the module's data and to clear any processor fault conditions.

4.1 MainRoutine

The MainRoutine recognizes the presence of configuration requests, special command request and response messages, and data transfer between the module and the processor. The following run saves the current control word found in the M0 file:



Word 0 of the M0 file is used by the module to indicate a response to a special command instruction, or to request the module's configuration. During normal program execution, this register should have a value of 0. If any other value is present, the data transfer function will not be executed. The following rung executes the data transfer function (Trnsf U:3) when the control word is set to zero.

| This rung jumps to sub routine 3, where the M files are processed OPERATION CONFIGURATION OPERATION CONFIGURATION EQU EQU Source A N10:60 0 0 0 | DATA TRANSFER SUBROUTINE Jump To Subroutine SBR File Number U:3 |
|---|--|
|---|--|

ProSoft Technology, Inc. September 12, 2006 The following rung calls each scan to process any special command request and response messages:

| | This rung is used to handle special command processing | | | |
|------|--|--------------------|-----|--|
| | | COMMANDS | | |
| | | SUBROUTINE | | |
| | | JSR — | | |
| 0002 | | Jump To Subroutine | | |
| | | SBR File Number | U:4 | |
| | | | | |

4.2 Transfer Routine

The Data Transfer task is responsible for handling the transfer of data between the processor user defined files and the module's M1 file. In this example, the RTU configuration data is copied from N11:0 to M1:1.2000; 200 words of Analog Input data are written from N31 to the M1 file; 100 words of Analog Input data are written from N33 to the M1 file; 50 words of Digital Input data are written from N34 to the M1 file; 50 words of Accumulator data are written from N37 to the M1 file; 50 words of Indication Point data are written from N38 to the M1 file; 50 words of Analog Out data are read from the M1 file and stored in N32; 50 words of Digital Out data are read from the M1 file and stored in N35; 80 words of Pulse data are read from the M1 file and stored in N35; 80 words of Pulse data are read from the M1 file and stored in N40; 4 words of SBO data are read from the M1 file and stored in N40; 4 words of SBO data are read from the M1 file and stored in N40; 4 words of SBO data are read from the M1 file and stored in N40; 4 words of SBO data are read from the M1 file and stored in N40; 4 words of SBO data are read from the M1 file and stored in N40; 4 words of SBO data are read from the M1 file and stored in N40; 4 words of SBO data are read from the M1 file and stored in N40; 33 words of Status data are read from the M1 file and stored in N30.







4.3 CMDS

The CMDS sub-routine handles special block processing. This includes module configuration requests from the module and processor induced commands. Each time the modules performs a restart or warm-boot operation, the module requests its configuration from the SLC processor. This request is made by placing a value of 9000 in the M0:1.0 register. The following rung shows how to configure the module.



When the ladder logic recognizes the value 9000 in the control register, it copies the configuration information from the N10 file. After completing this task, the processor places a value of 9001 into the control register. This signals to the module that the configuration is ready to process. The module continually waits for the value of 9001 in the control register. After the module is successfully

configured, it places a value of 0 in the control register so that normal data transfer can occur.

9995 Timeset

The module will pass blocks with identification codes of 9995 to the processor for each Time Synchronization command received. Ladder logic must handle the receipt of all Time synchronization writes to the processor and to respond as expected to commands issued by the remote Telegyr master device. The ladder logic should copy the received data and control the processor as expected by the master device.



9997 Transfer Configuration

The module will pass blocks with identification codes of 9997 to the processor each time the module configuration is written to the processor via the debug port. Ladder logic must handle the receipt of the configuration data and write it into processor memory.

| Т | This rung moves data from the processor to the module M | WI46-LNG |
|---|--|--|
| | OPERATION CONFIGURATION OPERATION_CONFIG | MODULE CONFIGURATION #LNG_CONFIG |
| - | Equal Source A N10:60 0< Source B 9997 9997< | COP Copy File Source #MO:1.1 Dest #N10:0 Length 42 |
| | | TRANSFER DONE CONTROL MOV Source 0 |
| | | Source 0 0< Dest M0:1.0 ?< |

9998 Warm Boot

The SLC processor can request a warm-boot operation of the module by placing a value of 9998 in the M1 register 6800 (command control register). Ladder logic to perform this task is shown in the following rung:



9999 Cold Boot

The SLC processor can request a cold-boot operation of the module by placing a value of 9999 in the M1 register 6800 (command control register). Ladder logic to perform this task is shown in the following rung:



5 Diagnostics and Troubleshooting

In This Chapter

This section provides information on diagnostics and troubleshooting in the following forms:

- Status data values are transferred from the module to the processor.
- All data contained in the module can be viewed through the Configuration/Debug port attached to a terminal emulator.
- LED status indicators on the front of the module provide information on the modules status.

5.1 Reading Status Data From the Module

The MVI46-LNG module returns a 26-word Status Data Block that may be used to determine the module's operating status. This data is located in the module's database in registers 6000 through 6025 and at the location specified in the configuration.

This data is transferred to the SLC processor continuously with each read block (M1 file).

The Configuration/Debug port provides the following functionality:

- Full view of the module's configuration data
- View of the module's status data
- Complete display of the module's internal database (registers 0 to 9999)
- Version Information
- Control over the module (warm boot, cold boot, transfer configuration)

5.1.1 The Configuration/Debug Menu

The Configuration and Debug menu for this module is arranged as a tree structure, with the Main Menu at the top of the tree, and one or more sub-menus for each menu command. The first menu you see when you connect to the module is the Main menu.

Because this is a text-based menu system, you enter commands by typing the command letter from your computer keyboard in the terminal application (for

example, HyperTerminal). The module does not respond to mouse movements or clicks. The command executes as soon as you press the command letter — you do not need to press **[Enter]**. When you type a command letter, a new screen will be displayed in your terminal application.

Navigation

All of the sub-menus for this module contain commands to redisplay the menu or return to the previous menu. You can always return from a sub-menu to the next higher menu by pressing **[Z]** on your keyboard.

The organization of the menu structure is represented in simplified form in the following illustration:



The remainder of this section shows you the menus available for this module, and briefly discusses the commands available to you.

Keystrokes

The keyboard commands on these menus are almost always non-case sensitive. You can enter most commands in lower case or capital letters.

The menus use a few special characters ([?], [-], [+], [@]) that must be entered exactly as shown. Some of these characters will require you to use the [Shift], [Ctrl] or [Alt] keys to enter them correctly. For example, on US English keyboards, enter the [?] command as [Shift][/].

Also, take care to distinguish capital letter **[I]** from lower case letter **[I]** (L) and number **[1]**; likewise for capital letter **[O]** and number **[0]**. Although these characters look nearly the same on the screen, they perform different actions on the module.

5.1.2 Required Hardware

You can connect directly from your computer's serial port to the serial port on the module to view configuration information, perform maintenance, and send (upload) or receive (download) configuration files.

ProSoft Technology recommends the following minimum hardware to connect your computer to the module:

- 80486 based processor (Pentium preferred)
- 1 megabyte of memory
- At least one serial communications port available
- A null modem serial cable.

5.1.3 Required Software

In order to send and receive data over the serial port (COM port) on your computer to the module, you must use a communication program (terminal emulator).

A simple communication program called HyperTerminal is pre-installed with recent versions of Microsoft Windows operating systems. If you are connecting from a machine running DOS, you must obtain and install a compatible communication program. The following table lists communication programs that have been tested by ProSoft Technology.

| ProComm, as well as several other terminal emulation programs |
|---|
| Terminal |
| HyperTerminal |
| HyperTerminal |
| |

The module uses the Ymodem file transfer protocol to send (download) and receive (upload) configuration files from your computer. If you use a communication program that is not on the list above, please be sure that it supports Ymodem file transfers.

5.1.4 Using the Configuration/Debug Port

To connect to the module's Configuration/Debug port:

- 1 Connect your computer to the module's port using a null modem cable.
- **2** Start the communication program on your computer and configure the communication parameters with the following settings:

| Baud Rate | 57,600 |
|----------------------|----------|
| Parity | None |
| Data Bits | 8 |
| Stop Bits | 1 |
| Software Handshaking | XON/XOFF |

3 Open the connection. When you are connected, press the [?] key on your keyboard. If the system is set up properly, you will see a menu with the module name followed by a list of letters and the commands associated with them.

If there is no response from the module, follow these steps:

- 1 Verify that the null modem cable is connected properly between your computer's serial port and the module. A regular serial cable will not work.
- 2 Verify that your communication software is using the correct settings for baud rate, parity and handshaking.
- **3** On computers with more than one serial port, verify that your communication program is connected to the same port that is connected to the module.

If you are still not able to establish a connection, you can contact ProSoft Technology, Inc. Technical Support for further assistance.

5.1.5 Main Menu

When you first connect to the module from your computer, your terminal screen will be blank. To activate the main menu, press the [?] key on your computer's keyboard. If the module is connected properly, the following menu will appear on your terminal screen:

Main Menu Selected LANDIS 3 GYR SLAVE COMMUNICATION NODULE (MV146 LNC) MENU 7=Display Menu A=Data Analyzer B=Block Transfer Statistics C Hodule Configuration D=LNC Database View V=Version Information H=Harm Boot Hodule V=Transfer Hodule Cfg to Processor Communication Status : 1 Port 1 2 Port 2 Port Configuration : 6=Port 1 7=Port 2 Fsc=Fxit Program

Caution: Some of the commands available to you from this menu are designed for advanced debugging and system testing only, and can cause the module to stop communicating with the processor or with other devices, resulting in potential data loss or other failures. Only use these commands if you are specifically directed to do so by ProSoft Technology, Inc. Technical Support staff. Some of these command keys are not listed on the menu, but are active nevertheless. Please be careful when pressing keys so that you do not accidentally execute an unwanted command.

Opening the Data Analyzer Menu

Press **[A]** to open the Data Analyzer Menu. Use this command to view all bytes of data transferred on each port. Both the transmitted and received data bytes are displayed. Refer to Data Analyzer for more information about this menu.

Important: When in analyzer mode, program execution will slow down. Only use this tool during a trouble-shooting session. Before disconnecting from the

Config/Debug port, please be sure to press **[M]** to return to the main menu and disable the data analyzer. This action will allow the module to resume its normal operating mode.

Viewing Block Transfer Statistics

Press **[B]** from the Main Menu to view the Block Transfer Statistics screen.

Use this command to display the configuration and statistics of the backplane data transfer operations between the module and the processor. The information on this screen can help determine if there are communication problems between the processor and the module.

Tip: To determine the number of blocks transferred each second, mark the numbers displayed at a specific time. Then some seconds later activate the command again. Subtract the previous numbers from the current numbers and divide by the quantity of seconds passed between the two readings.

Viewing Module Configuration

Press [C] to view the Module Configuration screen.

Use this command to display the current configuration and statistics for the module.

Opening the Database Menu

Press **[D]** to open the Database View menu. Use this menu command to view the current contents of the module's database.

Resetting diagnostic data

Press **[U]** to reset the status counters for the client and/or servers in the module.

Viewing Version Information

Press [V] to view Version information for the module.

Use this command to view the current version of the software for the module, as well as other important values. You may be asked to provide this information when calling for technical support on the product.

Values at the bottom of the display are important in determining module operation. The Program Scan Counter value is incremented each time a module's program cycle is complete.

Tip: Repeat this command at one-second intervals to determine the frequency of program execution.

Warm Booting the Module

Caution: Some of the commands available to you from this menu are designed for advanced debugging and system testing only, and can cause the module to stop communicating with the processor or with other devices, resulting in potential data loss or other failures. Only use these commands if you are specifically directed to do so by ProSoft Technology, Inc. Technical Support staff. Some of these command keys are not listed on the menu, but are active nevertheless. Please be careful when pressing keys so that you do not accidentally execute an unwanted command.

Press **[W]** from the Main Menu to warm boot (restart) the module. This command will cause the program to exit and reload, refreshing configuration parameters that must be set on program initialization. Only use this command if you must force the module to re-boot.

Transferring Module Configuration to the Processor

Press **[Y]** to transfer the module's configuration data to the processor. Ladder logic is required in the processor to receive and implement the updated configuration. You will be prompted to confirm the transfer.

| 0 Transfer successful -1 Error transferring module configuration data (block –9000) -2 Error transferring device definition data (blocks –9100 to –9103) | Code | Description |
|--|------|---|
| | 0 | Transfer successful |
| -2 Error transferring device definition data (blocks –9100 to –9103) | -1 | Error transferring module configuration data (block –9000) |
| | -2 | Error transferring device definition data (blocks –9100 to –9103) |
| -3 Error transferring master command list data (blocks –6000 to –6007) | -3 | Error transferring master command list data (blocks –6000 to –6007) |

If the operation is not successful, an error code will be returned.

After successful data transfer, the module will perform a warm-boot operation to read in the new data.

Viewing Port Communication Status

Press **[1]** or **[2]** from the Main Menu to view the port communication status for Ports 1 and 2.

Use this command to view communication status and statistics for the selected port. This information can be informative when trouble-shooting communication problems.

Viewing Port Configuration

Press [6] or [7] from the Main Menu to view configuration information for ports 1 and 2.

Use this command to display detailed configuration information for the selected port.

Exiting the Program

Caution: Some of the commands available to you from this menu are designed for advanced debugging and system testing only, and can cause the module to stop communicating with the processor or with other devices, resulting in potential data loss or other failures. Only use these commands if you are specifically directed to do so by ProSoft Technology, Inc. Technical Support staff. Some of these command keys are not listed on the menu, but are active nevertheless. Please be careful when pressing keys so that you do not accidentally execute an unwanted command.

Press **[Esc]** to exit the program and display the operating system prompt. This command will cause the module to cease operation and stop transferring data between the ports and the module, and between the processor and the module. This could interrupt a currently running process. Only use this command if instructed to do so by the ProSoft Technical Support Group.

Database View Menu

Press **[D]** from the Main Menu to open the Database View menu. Use this menu command to view the current contents of the module's database. Press **[?]** to view a list of commands available on this menu.

| M = Main Menu | |
|-------------------------|--|
| D = Database Menu | |
| ? = Display Menu | Redisplays (refreshes) this menu |
| 0 - 3 = Pages 0 to 3000 | Selects page 0, 1000, 2000 or 3000 |
| S = Show Again | Redisplays last selected page of data |
| - = Back 5 Pages | Goes back five pages of data |
| P = Previous Page | Goes back one page of data |
| + = Skip 5 Pages | Goes forward five pages of data |
| N = Next Page | Goes forward one page of data |
| D = Decimal Display | Displays data in decimal format |
| H = Hexadecimal Display | Displays data in hex format |
| F = Float Display | Displays data in floating point format |
| A= ASCII Display | Displays data in text format |
| M = Main Menu | Goes up one level to main menu |

Viewing Register Pages

To view sets of register pages, use the keys described below:

| Command | Description |
|---------|--------------------------------|
| [0] | Display registers 0 to 99 |
| [1] | Display registers 1000 to 1099 |
| [2] | Display registers 2000 to 2099 |

And so on. The total number of register pages available to view depends on your module's configuration.

Displaying the Current Page of Registers Again

| DATABASE | DISPLAY | Ø TO 9 | 9 (DECI | MAL) | | | | | |
|----------|---------|--------|---------|------|----|---|---|---|----|
| 100 | 101 | 102 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 | 10 |
| 11 | 12 | 13 | 14 | 15 | 16 | Ø | Ø | Ø | Ø |
| 0 | Ø | 0 | Ø | 0 | 0 | 0 | Ø | Ø | 0 |
| 0 | Ø | 0 | 0 | Ø | Ø | Ø | Ø | Ø | 0 |
| 0 | Ø | 0 | 0 | Ø | Ø | Ø | Ø | Ø | 0 |
| 0 | Ø | Ø | Ø | Ø | Ø | Ø | Ø | Ø | 0 |
| 0 | Ø | 0 | Ø | Ø | Ø | 0 | Ø | Ø | 0 |
| 0 | Ø | Ø | Ø | Ø | Ø | Ø | Ø | Ø | Ø |
| Ø | Ø | Ø | Ø | Ø | Ø | Ø | Ø | Ø | Ø |
| 0 | Ø | 0 | 0 | Ø | Ø | Ø | Ø | Ø | 0 |

This screen displays the current page of 100 registers in the database.

Moving Back Through 5 Pages of Registers

Press [-] from the Database View menu to skip back to the previous 500 registers of data.

Viewing the Previous 100 Registers of Data

Press **[P]** from the Database View menu to display the previous 100 registers of data.

Skipping 500 Registers of Data

Hold down [Shift] and press [=] to skip forward to the next 500 registers of data.

Viewing the Next 100 Registers of Data

Press **[N]** from the Database View menu to select and display the next 100 registers of data.

Viewing Data in Decimal Format

Press [D] to display the data on the current page in decimal format.
Viewing Data in Hexadecimal Format

Press [H] to display the data on the current page in hexadecimal format.

Viewing Data in Floating Point Format

Press **[F]** from the Database View menu. Use this command to display the data on the current page in floating point format. The program assumes that the values are aligned on even register boundaries. If floating-point values are not aligned as such, they are not displayed properly.

Viewing Data in ASCII (Text) Format

Press **[A]** to display the data on the current page in ASCII format. This is useful for regions of the database that contain ASCII data.

Returning to the Main Menu

Press [M] to return to the Main Menu.

5.2 LED Status Indicators

| ProSoft Module | Color | Status | Indication |
|-------------------|---------------|--------|--|
| P1 | Green | On | Data is being transferred between the module and a remote terminal using the Configuration/Debug port. |
| | | Off | No data is being transferred on the Configuration/Debug port. |
| P2 | Green | On | Data being transferred between master and port 1. |
| | | Off | No data |
| P3 | Green | On | Data being transferred between master and port 2. |
| | | Off | No data |
| APP | Amber | Off | The MVI46-LNG is working normally. |
| Status | | On | The MVI46-LNG module program has recognized a communication error. |
| BP ACT | Amber | On | The LED is on when the module is performing a write operation on the backplane. |
| | | Off | The LED is off when the module is performing a read operation on the backplane. Under normal operation, the LED should blink rapidly on and off. |
| OK | Red/ Green | Off | The card is not receiving any power and is not securely plugged into the rack. |
| | | Green | The module is operating normally. |

The LEDs indicate the module's operating status as follows:

| ProSoft Module | Color | Status | Indication |
|-------------------|-------|--------|---|
| | | Red | The program has detected an error or is being configured. If the LED remains red for over 10 seconds, the program has probably halted. Remove the card from the rack and re-insert the card to restart the module's program. |
| BAT | Red | Off | The battery voltage is OK and functioning. |
| | | On | The battery voltage is low or the battery is not present. Replace the battery on the module. |

During module configuration, the OK LED will be red and the APP and BP ACT LEDs will be on. If the LEDs are latched in this mode for a long period of time, check the configuration error words in the configuration request block.

If the APP, BP ACT, and OK LEDs blink at a rate of every one-second, call Prosoft Technology support. There may be a serious problem with the module and it will have to be sent back to ProSoft.

5.2.1 Clearing a Fault Condition

Typically, if the OK LED on the front of the module becomes illuminated red for over ten seconds, a hardware problem has been detected in the module or the program has exited. To attempt to clear the condition:

- 1 Turn the power to the rack off
- 2 Remove the card from the rack
- 3 Make certain all jumpers are set correctly
- 4 Re-insert the card in the rack and turn the power back on
- **5** Verify the configuration data being transferred to the module from the SLC processor

If the module's OK LED does not turn green, make sure the module is inserted completely into the rack. If this does not cure the problem, contact the factory.

5.2.2 Troubleshooting

Use the following troubleshooting steps if you encounter problems when the module is powered up. If these steps do not resolve your problem, please contact ProSoft Technology Technical Support.

| Problem Description | Steps to take |
|----------------------------|---|
| Processor Fault | Be sure that the module is plugged into the slot that has been configured for the MVI46-LNG module. |
| | Be sure the ladder logic has been set up correctly |

| Problem Description | Steps to take | | |
|--|--|--|--|
| BP ACT LED remains off or blinks slowly | This indicates that backplane transfer operations are failing. Use the Configuration/Debug port facility to check this. To establish backplane communications, verify the following items: | | |
| | The backplane driver is loaded in the module. | | |
| | The module is configured for read and write block data transfer. | | |
| | The ladder logic handles all read and write block situations. | | |
| | The module is configured in the processor. | | |
| OK LED remains red | The program has halted or a critical error has occurred. Connect to the Configuration/Debug port to see if the module is running. If the program has halted, remove the card from the rack, then reinsert. | | |

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6.1 Cable Connections

The application ports on the MVI46-LNG module support RS-232, RS-422, and RS-485 interfaces. Please check the module to ensure that the jumpers are set correctly to correspond with the type of interface you are using.

Note: When using RS-232 with radio modem applications, the module requires hardware handshaking.

6.1.1 RS-232

When the RS-232 interface is selected, the use of the modem control lines is user definable. If no modem control lines will be used, the cable to connect to the port is as shown below:



RS-232 -- Modem Connection

This type of connection is required between the module and a modem or other communication device.



The "Use CTS Line" parameter for the port configuration should be set to 'Y' for most modem applications.

RS-232 -- Null Modem Connection (Hardware Handshaking)

This type of connection is used when the device connected to the module requires hardware handshaking (control and monitoring of modem signal lines).



RS-232 -- Null Modem Connection (No Hardware Handshaking)

This type of connection can be used to connect the module to a computer or field device communication port.



NOTE: If the port is configured with the "Use CTS Line" set to 'Y', then a jumper is required between the RTS and the CTS line on the module connection.

6.1.2 RS-232 Configuration/Debug Port

This port is physically an RJ45 connection. An RJ45 to DB-9 adapter cable is included with the module. This port permits a PC based terminal emulation program to view configuration and status data in the module and to control the module. The cable for communications on this port is shown in the following diagram:



6.1.3 RS-485

The RS-485 interface requires a single two or three wire cable. The ground connection is optional and dependent on the RS-485 network. The cable required for this interface is shown below:



6.1.4 RS-422



RS-422 Application Port Cable

<u>RS-485 and RS-422 Tip</u>

If communication in the RS-422/RS-485 mode does not work at first, despite all attempts, try switching termination polarities. Some manufacturers interpret +/- and A/B polarities differently.

6.2 Setting Jumpers

If you use an interface other than RS-232 (default), you must change the jumper configuration to match the interface. The following illustration shows the MVI46-LNG jumper configuration:



6.3 MVI46-LNG Status Data Area

This section contains a listing of the data contained in the MVI46-LNG status data object.

| Block Offset Start | Content | Description |
|--------------------------|--|--|
| 6000 | Program cycle counter | This value is incremented each time a complete program cycle occurs in the module. |
| 6001 | Product name as ASCII string | This register contains the product code of "LNG" |
| 6003 | Revision level as ASCII string | This register contains the product version for the current software. |
| 6005 | Operating system level as ASCII string | This register contains the month and year values for the program operating system. |
| 6007 | Run number as ASCII string | This register contains the run number value for the current software. |
| 6008 | Number of requests – Port 1 | Contains the number of port messages sent out of the port. |
| 6009 | Number of responses – Port 1 | Contains the total number of messages received on the port. |
| 6010 | Number of errors sent – Port 1 | Contains the total number of message errors sent out of the port. |
| 6011 | Number of errors received – Port 1 | Contains the total number of message errors received on the port. |
| 6012 | Number of requests – Port 2 | Contains the total number of messages sent out the port. |
| 6013 | Number of responses – Port 2 | Contains the total number of messages received on the port. |

| Block Offset Start | Content | Description |
|--------------------------|------------------------------------|---|
| 6014 | Number of errors sent – Port 2 | Contains the total number of message errors sent out the port. |
| 6015 | Number of errors received – Port 2 | Contains the total number of message errors received on the port. |
| 6016 | Backplane Transfer Writes | Contains the total number of write blocks transferred from the processor to the module. |
| 6017 | Backplane Transfer Reads | Contains the total number of read blocks transferred from the module to the processor. |
| 6018 | N/A | |
| 6019 | N/A | |
| 6020 | N/A | |
| 6021 | Backplane Transfer Errors | Contains the total number of block errors recognized by the module. |
| 6022 | Current Error – Port 1 | For a slave port, this field contains the value of the current error code returned. For a master port, this field contains the index of the currently executing command. |
| 6023 | Last Error – Port 1 | For a slave port, this field contains the value of the last error code returned. For a master port, this field contains the index of the command with the error. |
| 6024 | Current Error – Port 2 | For a slave port, this field contains the value of the current error code returned. For a master port, this field contains the index of the current executing command. |
| 6025 | Last Error – Port 2 | For a slave port, this field contains the value of the last error code returned. For a master port, this field contains the index of the command with an error. |

A data file should be allocated in the ladder logic to hold this block of data. The size of the block of data is 33 words.

6.4 MVI46-LNG Configuration Data Definition

This section contains a listing of the parameters and their definitions for the MVI46-LNG module configuration file definition.

| Location | Range | Parameter | Description |
|----------|----------|-----------------------------|---|
| N[]:0 | 0 to 300 | Number of Analog Inputs | This value represents the number of Analog Input data points that will be transferred to the LNG module. |
| N[]:1 | 0 to 50 | Number of Digital Inputs | This value represents the number of 16-bit Digital Input words that will be transferred to the LNG module. |
| N[]:2 | 0 to 50 | Number of Accumulators | This value represents the number of Accumulator registers that will be transferred to the LNG module from the PLC/SLC hardware. |

| Location | Range | Parameter | Description |
|----------|------------|--|---|
| N[]:3 | 0 to 50 | Number of Indication (MCD) Point Words | This value represents the number of Contact Status Indication words that will be transferred to the LNG module. It is recommended that this be set no higher than necessary to improve processing time. |
| N[]:4 | 0 to 65535 | Backplane Fail Counter | This parameter specifies the number of successive transfer errors that must occur before the communication ports are shut down. If the parameter is set to 0, the communication ports will continue to operate under all conditions. If the value is set larger than 0 (1 to 65535), communications will cease if the specified number of failures occur. |
| N[]:5 | 0 to 3 | SBO Duration | SBO Timer Duration is multiplied by the Timer Base |
| | | Timer Base | 0 = 10 milliseconds |
| | | | 1 = 100 milliseconds |
| | | | 2 = 1 second |
| | | | 3 = 10 seconds |
| N[]:6 | 0 to 32767 | SBO Select Time | This is the time in milliseconds that a select is valid for an SBO point. This value is used for all SBO ports. |
| N[]:10 | 0, 1 | Port 1 Enable | This parameter defines if the port will be used. If the parameter is set to 0, the port is disabled. A value of 1 enables the port. |
| N[]:11 | | Port 1 Baud Rate | This is the baud rate to be used for the port. Enter the baud rate as a value. Baud rate entries are 110 150, 300, 600, 1200, 2400, 4800, 9600, 19200, 28800, 384, 576, 115. |
| N[]:12 | 0 to 2 | Port 1 Parity | This is the parity code to be used for the port. The coded values are as follows: 0 = None, 1 = Odd, 2 Even |
| N[]:13 | 5 to 8 | Port 1 Data Bits | This parameter sets the number of bits for each word used by the protocol. |
| N[]:14 | 1, 2 | Port 1 Stop Bits | This parameter sets the number of stop bits to be used with each data value sent. |
| N[]:15 | 0 to 65535 | Port 1 RTS On (mSec) | This parameter sets the number of milliseconds to delay after RTS is asserted before the data will be transmitted. |
| N[]:16 | 0 to 65535 | Port 1 RTS Off (mSec) | This parameter sets the number of milliseconds to delay after the last byte of data is sent before the RTS modem signal will be set low. |
| N[]:17 | 0 to 65535 | Port 1 Minimum Response Delay (mSec) | This parameter sets the number of milliseconds to wait before a response message is sent out of the port. This parameter is required when interfacing to a slow responding device. |
| N[]:18 | 0, 1 | Port 1 Use CTS (Y, N) | This parameter specifies if the CTS modem control line is to be used. If the parameter is set to 0, the CTS line will not be monitored. If the parameter is set to 1, the CTS line will be monitored and must b high before the module will send data. Normally, this parameter is required when half-duplex modems are used for communication (2-wire). |

| Location | Range | Parameter | Description |
|----------|------------|--|---|
| N[]:19 | 0 to 255 | Port 1 Slave ID | Slave address used by the host to access this port. |
| N[]:20 | 0 to 65535 | Port 1 Guard Band Timer (mSec) | Not implemented at this time. |
| N[]:30 | 0, 1 | Port 2 Enable | This parameter defines if the port will be used. If the parameter is set to 0, the port is disabled. A value of 1 enables the port. |
| N[]:31 | | Port 2 Baud Rate | This is the baud rate to be used for the port. Enter the baud rate as a value. Baud rate entries are 110, 150, 300, 600, 1200, 2400, 4800, 9600, 19200, 28800, 384, 576, 115. |
| N[]:32 | 0 to 4 | Port 2 Parity | This is the parity code to be used for the port. The coded values are as follows: 0 = None, 1 = Odd, 2 = Even |
| N[]:33 | 5 to 8 | Port 2 Data Bits | This parameter sets the number of bits for each word used by the protocol. |
| N[]:34 | 1, 2 | Port 2 Stop Bits | This parameter sets the number of stop bits to be used with each data value sent. |
| N[]:35 | 0 to 65535 | Port 2 RTS On (mSec) | This parameter sets the number of milliseconds to delay after RTS is asserted before the data will be transmitted. |
| N[]:36 | 0 to 65535 | Port 2 RTS Off (mSec) | This parameter sets the number of milliseconds to delay after the last byte of data is sent before the RTS modem signal will be set low. |
| N[]:37 | 0 to 65535 | Port 2 Minimum Response Delay (mSec) | This parameter sets the number of milliseconds to wait before a response message is sent out of the port. This parameter is required when interfacing to a slow responding device. |
| N[]:38 | 0, 1 | Port 2 Use CTS (Y, N) | This parameter specifies if the CTS modem control line is to be used. If the parameter is set to 0, the CTS line will not be monitored. If the parameter is set to 1, the CTS line will be monitored and must be high before the module will send data. Normally, this parameter is required when half-duplex modems are used for communication (2-wire). |
| N[]:39 | 0 to 255 | Port 2 Slave ID | Slave address used by the host to access this port. |
| N[]:40 | 0 to 65535 | Port 2 Guard Band Timer (mSec) | Not implemented at this time. |

6.5 Command Descriptions

The following table provides details on supported commands.

| Command | Command Description |
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| Analog Change Report – 0 | This command is implemented in the module per the protocol specification. Up to 300 analog values are supported by the module. |
| Analog Force Report – 1 | This command is implemented in the module per the protocol specification. Up to 300 analog values are supported by the module. |

| | Command De | escription | | | | |
|-----------------------------------|--|--|--|---|---|--|
| Analog Group Change Report - 2 | | d is implemented Up to 300 analog | | | odule. | |
| Analog Group Force Report – 3 | | d is implemented Up to 300 analog | | | odule. | |
| ADC Reference Force Report – 5 | | d returns hardcoo values are return | | | DC point. | |
| | Percent | Offset Binary | Bipolar | Hex | | |
| | 90 | 3890 | 1842 | 732 | | |
| | 0 | 2048 | 0 | 800 | | |
| | -90 | 205 | –1842 | F32 | | |
| Report – 6 | data is derived point section of indication bits data must be indication cha | • | laced in the more ad. The actual ed by the ladde file when the la | dule when the ind logic to set and c r logic. Indicatior dder program de | dication clear the point tects an | |
| | The M1 file is read in segments controlled by an internal block counter. The module will cycle through the block reading the entire data area. The indication point section of the database is read each time in addition to the normal data block. The indication block is tested for changes immediately after being read. When a change is found, the status bit corresponding to the indication point is updated and the memory bit is set if there has been more than one change since the last host query. This update method provides for an indication point update time of approximately 5 – 10ms depending on how many indication words are defined. The update time is lower with fewer points defined. Therefore the number of words of indication points should not be set any higher than necessary. When the host requests the indication point data, the change data is cleared in the module. | | | | | |
| | At this time, the functionality to switch from the SOE mode to the Time based mode is not implemented. | | | | | |
| | | | switch from the | SOE mode to th | | |
| | based mode is Note: If both p first master to after either ma | | switch from the d. g indication cha vill see change. read. In order fo | nge report reque The change is c r both masters to | ne Time sts, the leared | |
| Indication Force Report – 7 | based mode is Note: If both p first master to after either ma new data, both This command indication poin the data place file is read. Th performed by | s not implemente orts are receiving send a request v aster performs a i | switch from the d. g indication cha vill see change. read. In order for use the indicat us and memory sted by the hos when the indicat set and clear th Indication point | nge report reque The change is c r both masters to on force report. bit values for the t. This data is de tion point section e indication bits r data must be writ | ne Time sts, the leared o see the e rived from o of the M must be | |
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| | based mode is Note: If both p first master to after either ma new data, both This command indication poin the data place file is read. Th performed by M1 file when t At this time, th based mode is This command | s not implemente sorts are receiving send a request v aster performs a in masters should d returns the state that are reque ed in the module v is actual logic to the ladder logic. he ladder programe functionality to | switch from the d. g indication cha vill see change. read. In order for use the indicat us and memory sted by the hos when the indica set and clear the indication point m detects an in- switch from the d. in the module p | nge report reque The change is c r both masters to on force report. bit values for the t. This data is de tion point section e indication bits r data must be wri dication change. SOE mode to the per the protocol | ne Time sts, the leared o see the rived from of the M must be itten to th ne Time | |
| Report – 7 Digital Input Force | based mode is Note: If both p first master to after either man new data, both This command indication point the data place file is read. Th performed by M1 file when t At this time, th based mode is This command specification. | s not implemente sorts are receiving send a request v aster performs a in masters should d returns the state that are reque d in the module v the ladder logic. he ladder programe functionality to s not implemented | switch from the d. g indication cha vill see change. read. In order for use the indicat us and memory sted by the hos when the indica set and clear th Indication point m detects an in switch from the d. in the module p values are supp in the module p | nge report reque The change is c r both masters to on force report. bit values for the t. This data is de tion point section e indication bits r data must be wri dication change. SOE mode to the per the protocol orted by the mode per the protocol | the Time sts, the leared p see the erived fror of the M must be itten to th he Time | |

| Command | Command Description |
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| Analog Output – 20 | This command is implemented in the module per the protocol specification. Up to 50 analog values are supported by the module. |
| SBO Select – 21 | When an SBO select command is received from the host, the point is selected and the timer is started. The point will remain selected until the point is operated upon, the timer expires, or another point is selected. The select time is determined by the SBO Select Time value. |
| SBO Operate – 22 | The SBO Operate command will cause a previously selected point to be operated. An error response will be generated if the point has not been selected. |
| | There is no real limit on the number of SBO points that can be addressed by the host. The ladder logic implemented as part of the application will determine if a write command will move into the processor data table. |
| Digital Output – 23 | This command is implemented in the module per the protocol specification, except that the upper 8 bits of the 24 bit write are disregarded. This allows 50 words of 16 bit digital output data to be addressed. |
| Accumulator Freeze – 24 | This command is implemented in the module per the protocol specification. Up to 50 analog values are supported by the module. |
| Pulse Output – 25 | This command is implemented in the module per the protocol specification. The module decodes the write command and moves the data to the processor in a series of data structures depending on the type and time base of the command. Through these data structures, support is provided to address 9 pulse points. |
| Pulse Train Output – 26 (Hold) | This command is not implemented at this time. |
| Restart RTU – 30 | This command is implemented in the module per the protocol specification, performing a cold boot. |
| RTU Configuration – 31 | This command is implemented in the module to support one rack of configuration data. The configuration data is moved to the module with a write to the M1 file. |
| Analog Deadbands – 34 | This command is implemented in the module per the protocol specification. Up to 300 analog values are supported by the module. |
| Analog Group Defines – 35 | This command is implemented per the protocol specification. Up to 300 analog values are supported by the module. |
| Accumulator Preset – 36 | This command is implemented in the module per the protocol specification. Up to 300 preset values are supported by the module. |
| Continuation Request – 37 | This command is implemented in the module per the protocol specification. It only pertains to functions 0, 1, 2, 3, and 7 as the other commands cannot return a message long enough to require a continuation. |
| Repeat Last Message – 38 | This command is implemented in the module per the protocol specification. |
| Firmware Configuration – 39 | This command is implemented in the module per the protocol specification. The value returned is the version level of the ProSoft firmware. |
| Exception Report – 63 | This command is implemented in the module per the protocol specification. Not all of the exception codes are supported due to hardware dissimilarities between L&G and Rockwell Automation. |

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