## USER MANUAL

## STC SERIES THYRISTOR STACKS FOR COMPLEX LOADS

For control of 3-phase loads in phase angle or soft start burst fire operating modes Including appendix covering the STC2500 model


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## Manual Issue Number and Applicable Software Versions

The issue number of this manual is R8, Dated February 2013.
Issue R3 corrects errors in the semiconductor fuse type table for 600A and 800A units, and revises the fuse replacement instructions for these units.

Issue R4 Added appendix for STC2500 series.
Issue R5 Added details for 1100A air cooled unit
Issue R6 Added details for 270V unit (revised 250V unit)
Issue R7 Added changed semiconductor fuse types for the 250A model, provided additional information on stop bits and parity when using Modbus communications.

Issue R8 Revised section on communications and moved to rear of manual as appendix 4. Incorporates information on models incorporating Anybus CompactCom (ABCC) fieldbus communications modules and on Profinet communications.

Issue R9 Table on page 14 and notes on page 15 modified for use with PCB main version S115R5 which only supports 2-wire RS485 communications for the Modbus option.
Issue R10 Added details for option PNH - Communications daughter board with Hilscher Netjack Profinet module.
The manual is intended for use with stack software versions:-
S135E1R1 to RL (with Modbus communications) Does not support open delta / star load configuration S136E1R1 to RL (with non-Modbus fieldbus communications) Does not support open delta / star load configuration

S143E1R9 (STC2500) with non-Modbus fieldbus communications (or no communications)

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## CONTACTING US

Please feel free to contact us if you require further information or advice on the application, installation or maintenance of these units.

## If in doubt - ask!

We can be contacted by telephone, e-mail, fax or letter. Contact information is on the front page of the manual. If you have a query regarding a specific unit, please let us know the model number and serial number of the unit, both of which are on the rating plate adjacent to the semiconductor fuses, when you contact us.

Figure 1 STC3000 Mounting Dimensions 80A to 800A


There are two model sizes covering 80A to 800A as shown below. All dimensions in mm. See appendix 2 for other models.

| Current <br> Rating | H1 <br> Overall <br> Height | H2 <br> Height <br> excluding <br> mounting <br> clips | H3 <br> Vertical <br> fixing centres | W1 <br> Overall width | W2 <br> Horizontal <br> fixing centres | D1 <br> Installed <br> depth | D2 <br> Depth with lid <br> open 90 |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| 80A to 200A | 450 | 390 | 426 | 256 | 203 | 280 | 510 |
| 315 A to <br> 800 A | 578 | 500 | 543 | 389 | 336 | 305 | 670 |

## DATA SHEET INFORMATION

## Features

- Multiple feedback modes
- Comprehensive current, power and voltage limit facilities
- Current ratings from 80A to 1100A standard. Others available to order.
- Conservatively rated at $50^{\circ} \mathrm{C}\left(45^{\circ} \mathrm{C} 800 \mathrm{~A}\right.$ unit) ambient temperature
- Modbus ${ }^{\circledR}$ RTU or DeviceNet communications facility enable full remote monitoring and control
- Multiple I / O capability enable sophisticated control strategies
- True RMS measurement of load voltage and currents
- Can switch between phase angle and soft start burst fire control while operating
- $2 \times 16$ line LCD display for configuration and display of operating conditions
- Space saving design


## General Description

This is a modern range of 3-phase thyristor stacks, operating in phase angle or soft start burst fire modes. They are specifically designed for control of AC heating loads in medium and high current applications for furnaces, ovens, dryers etc. These stacks are particularly useful where current limit is required (eg loads with low cold resistance), or for use with generator sets, or when feeding the primary of transformers. They are fitted with 2 analogue inputs and one analogue output, 4 isolated digital inputs, and 4 isolated digital outputs, 1 relay alarm output, and Modbus ${ }^{\circledR}$ RTU compatible or DeviceNet communications, providing a comprehensive systems capability.

## Ordering Information

The stacks may be ordered using the order code shown below, or by description:-

| Type | Current <br> Rating | Voltage <br> Rating | Driver <br> Supply <br> Voltage <br> AC $50 / 60 \mathrm{~Hz}$ | Hardware <br> Configuration <br> Code | Non-Modbus <br> comms if <br> required |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| STC 3000 |  |  |  |  |  |

80A, 125A, 160A, 200A, 250A, 315A, 400A, 600A, 800A, 1100A

270V, 480V, 660V
$115 \mathrm{~V}, 230 \mathrm{~V}$
Standard, 6-wire open delta, 6 wire open delta/star
Non-Modbus communications if required

The configuration code defines the hardware set up of the stack which we will deliver. Other details of the configuration may be set up as required by the user using a simple menu on the LCD display.
The standard configuration is for 3 -wire star or delta loads (including 3-wire transformer loads), and 4-wire star loads.

The 6-wire open delta connection is for use with the stack wired in the delta loop, thus reducing the required current rating of the stack. It may be used with resistive loads or 3 single phase transformers which feed independent loads. It is not for use with delta / star connected transformer coupled loads, which require the 6-wire open delta / star configuration. This mode of operation requires an additional card to be fitted in the stack. Note that a special transformer is also required for this mode of operation, which should not be attempted with standard transformers

If non-Modbus communications are required this must be specified when the stack is ordered, as the control card build is different, different software is installed, and an extra interface card is fitted.

## Summary of Facilities

## LOAD CONFIGURATION

3 - wire star or delta, 4 - wire star, 6 - wire open delta.

## FIRING MODES

The stacks operate in either phase angle mode, or soft start burst fire mode. Provision is made to switch between operating modes using a digital input. Current limit may be applied in either mode; in burst fire mode the stack will phase back if current limiting action is required. In burst fire mode the cycle time and the soft start / finish times may be independently set.

## FEEDBACK MODES

In phase angle mode the stack may either be operated open loop, or closed loop with $\mathrm{V}, \mathrm{I}, \mathrm{V}^{2}, \mathrm{I}^{2}, \mathrm{~V}$ rms $\times \operatorname{lrms}$, or $\mathrm{I}^{2} /$ $\mathrm{V}^{2}$ transfer feedback. The $\mathrm{I}^{2} / \mathrm{V}^{2}$ transfer is useful with loads which have a low cold resistance. The control signal initially controls the current fed to the load, until the voltage feedback signal becomes greater than the current feedback signal, when control is switched to voltage. Current limit action may also be applied.

In burst fire mode the stack operates open loop, with or without line voltage ${ }^{2}$ feedforward compensation, as selected.

## CONTROL AND LIMIT SETPOINTS

Control and limit setpoints may be provided as analogue inputs, settings on the LCD display, or via the communications link. There are two analogue inputs, so one may be assigned to control and one to a limit setpoint.
Setpoints available are; control, current limit, voltage limit, power limit. In theory all can be operational simultaneously.

Provision is made for limit setpoints to be activated / de-activated by means of digital inputs.

## DIGITAL INPUTS

Six opto-isolated digital inputs are provided. These may be used as either sink or source in association with 24V DC plc / logic systems, or, using the energising supply provided, with volt free contacts.
They are assigned to; phase angle / burst fire select; 3 off limit enable; control setpoint local (keypad or comms) / remote; stack enable.

## DIGITAL OUTPUTS

Two opto-isolated digital outputs are provided, which may be used as either sink or source in conjunction with 24 V DC plc or relay logic.

They are allocated to: Any limit setpoint in control; Stack Enabled
In addition a relay output is available (volt free contacts), contacts rated up to 250 V AC, which is allocated to an alarm condition.

## ANALOGUE OUTPUT

One analogue output is provided, which may be used as a retransmission signal of; Load Voltage, Load current (average of 3 currents), Load Power.

## Specifications

## PHYSICAL

| Stack Rating | Approximate dimensions | Approximate Weight |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| $80 \mathrm{~A}, 125 \mathrm{~A}, 200 \mathrm{~A}$ | $390 \mathrm{~mm} \mathrm{H} \times 256 \mathrm{~mm} \mathrm{~W} \times 280 \mathrm{~mm} \mathrm{D}$ | 13 KG |
| $250 \mathrm{~A}, 315 \mathrm{~A}, 400 \mathrm{~A}$, | $500 \mathrm{~mm} \mathrm{H} \times 389 \mathrm{~mm} \mathrm{~W} \times 305 \mathrm{~mm} \mathrm{D}$ | 27 KG |
| $600 \mathrm{~A}, 800 \mathrm{~A}$ | $500 \mathrm{~mm} \mathrm{H} \times 389 \mathrm{~mm} \mathrm{~W} \times 305 \mathrm{~mm} \mathrm{D}$ | 34 KG |
| 1100 A | $500 \mathrm{~mm} \mathrm{H} \times 757 \mathrm{~mm} \mathrm{~W} \times 350 \mathrm{~mm} \mathrm{D}$ | 65 KG |

## ENVIRONMENTAL

Ambient Operating Temperature
Storage Temperature
Relative Humidity
Pollution (IEC 664)

Elevation
$0-50^{\circ} \mathrm{C}\left(0-45^{\circ} \mathrm{C}-800 \mathrm{~A}\right.$ unit)
-25 to $+70^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$
$0-95 \%$ non condensing
Degree 2 (Only non conductive pollution is allowed. Temporary condensation may occur, but not normally while equipment is operating).
Derate current rating $1 \%$ per 100 metres above 200 metres

## ELECTRICAL

Rated Supply Voltage (Load)
Rated Current
270 V (170 to 300 ), 480 V ( 300 to 530 ), 660 V ( 415 to 700$)^{*}$
As ordered. Rated current is specified at $45 / 50^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ ambient temperature
Supply Frequency
50 Hz or $60 \mathrm{~Hz}+/-8 \%$
Rated Impulse Withstand Voltage (IEC 664)
4KV
Auxiliary Supply for control electronics
115 or $230 \mathrm{~V}+10 \%-15 \%, 50 / 60 \mathrm{~Hz}$. 80 A unit 40VA; 125, 200A units and fans 90VA; 315, 400A, 600A units 115VA; 800A unit 190VA.

## CONTROL SIGNAL INPUTS AND OUTPUTS

Analogue input control signals
Analogue output signal
Digital Inputs

Digital Outputs
Alarm Relay Output

## LED INDICATORS AND DISPLAY <br> LED INDICATORS AND DISPLAY

A green LED indicates that the stack is enabled. A red LED indicates an alarm condition. A 2 line $\times 16$ character LCD display and 4 buttons are used for configuration and calibration, and in use are used for entry of setpoints, and reading of line and load voltages, load currents etc.

## COMMUNICATIONS

The stacks are provided with a galvanically isolated communications port which can be link configured as either RS422 (separate $t x$ and $r x$ twisted pairs) or RS485 (single twisted pair). The protocol emulated is a subset of Modbus ${ }^{\circledR}$ RTU. This facility enables most parameters (eg setpoints, voltages, currents, digital I/O) to be read, and setpoints to be written. Analogue parameters are stored as 16bit binary values, representing the parameter in engineering units, multiplied by 10 (eg a current of 96.5 A would be stored as 965 converted to 16 bit binary). Baud Rates available are 4,800; 9,$600 ; 19,200$; Parity odd; even or none.
At extra cost the stack may be fitted with an additional card offering communications to various fieldbus standards.

## Notes

The 80A unit is convection cooled. All other units are force cooled. An auxiliary power supply of either 115 or $230 \mathrm{~V}+10 \%,-15 \%, 50 / 60 \mathrm{~Hz}$. is required on all units to power the control electronics, and fans when fitted. All units are fitted with snubber capacitors and MOV transient over voltage protection.

* 660V units. Note that impulse withstand voltage is restricted to 4 kV . Consult us.


## Compliance With Standards

## Electrical

The stacks are designed to meet the requirements of international standards and are CE marked in compliance with the European Low Voltage Directive.
The following standards have been applied in whole or in part in the design of these units: EN 60947-1, EN61010-1, EN50178

## Electromagnetic Compatibility

The control circuits of the unit meet or exceed the requirements of EN 61000-6-2 and EN 50081 part 2 (immunity and emissions for industrial environment). Systems compliance with EN 50081 is not possible in phase angle mode, without the use of external filters.

## SAFETY INFORMATION

These thyristor stacks are intended for installation inside an enclosure which requires the use of a tool to gain access.

These thyristor stacks must be earthed. The earthing arrangements must be able to carry the fault current associated with a short circuit of the main load circuit to the metalwork of the stack, until the protection device opens.
Thyristor stacks must never be used as a means of supply isolation, as even in the 'off' state lethal leakage currents will flow. An independent means of isolation, complying with local standards must always be fitted.

The hinged door and polycarbonate top and bottom covers provide protection against accidental contact with live parts, but this does not mean that such parts are not accessible. The door and covers must never be opened or removed unless the main and control supplies have been isolated elsewhere. Busbars and circuitry on the printed circuit boards carry the full line voltage.

Maintenance and installation work on these units should only be carried out by suitably qualified and trained personnel who have read and are familiar with the contents of this manual. Account must also be taken of local regulations.
Additional information is provided under 'Installation - General Requirements'.

## CHANGING THE FUSES AND TABLE OF SEMICONDUCTOR FUSE TYPES

Checking or changing of any fuse must not be attempted unless both main and driver supplies are isolated. To attempt to change them without isolating both supplies is extremely dangerous, and may also cause damage to the stack.

## Control Card Fuse

The control card is fitted with a single subminiature European TR5 fuse which protects the primary of the mains transformer (see figure 5 for position). The fuse is antisurge (type T), rating 500 mA for 115 V supply, 200 mA for 230 V supply. The secondary of the transformer is protected by an electronic fuse which resets automatically when power is removed.

## Semiconductor Fuses

The semiconductor fuses listed in the table overleaf may be used. Consult us before using other fuse types. One fuse is required per phase. The fuses used on the 80A to 400A units are fitted with blade contacts; those in the 600 and 800A units have end contacts.

## BLADE CONTACT TYPES

The upper fuse support pillars are adjustable in slotted holes to cater for the different pitch of alternative fuses. If necessary slacken the hex head fixing screws on the reverse side of the mounting plate (see (8) in the drawing for end contact types), and adjust the pillar as required, then re-tighten.

Note that a serrated lock washer is fitted behind the fuse on the upper studs. It is most important that this is not omitted, otherwise excessive torque may be transmitted to the stud when the fuse retaining nuts are tightened. The recommended tightening torque for these nuts is 10 Nm on 80 to 250 A units, 15 Nm on 315 A and 400 A units.

## END CONTACT TYPES

It is imperative when loosening or tightening the nuts which secure these fuses that a counterbalancing torque is applied to the screw on which the nut is tightened. Failure to do so could result in damage to the busbars, thyristor module and fuse. A hex headed screw (1) is fitted inboard, and a hex socket screw (7) nearest the line connections.

Remove the old fuse by slackening the retaining nuts (2) and pulling the fuse (6) forward through the slots in the busbar. Ensure that a counterbalancing torque is applied as above. Remove the socket / hex head set screws from the fuse and screw them hand tight into the new fuse (with nuts and washers fitted as before), while holding the fuse in the hand. Slacken off the M8 hex head screws (8) which hold the line cable support pillars to the support plate, to allow the line busbar to tighten up correctly against the new fuse, which may be of slightly different thickness. Slide the fuse into the slots in the busbars. Ensure that the 50 mm load spreading washers (5) are fitted, and that they are seated flat against the busbars (not held off by the bend radius in the busbar) and the busbars are seated properly against the fuse. Ensure the fuse is inserted to the same depth in each busbar. Retighten the fuse nuts, applying a counterbalancing torque - recommended torque 25Nm. Retighten the cable support pillar screws (8), first ensuring that the pillars are square against the busbar.


|  | 1 Hex head <br> screw | 2 Nuts | 3 Spring <br> Washer | 4 Plain <br> Washer | $\mathbf{5}$ Pressure <br> Washer | 7 Socket <br> head screw |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| 600A | M10x30mm | M10 | M10 | M10 | 50 mm OD / <br> 12.5 mm I/D | M10x35mm |
| 800A, 1100A | M12x35mm | M12 | M12 | Not fitted | 50 mm OD / <br> 12.5 mm I/D | M12x35mm |

$M=$ ISO Metric Coarse.

| Stack Current <br> Rating | Nominal Fuse <br> Current Rating | Fuse I²t Rating <br> $\left(\mathrm{A}^{2}\right.$ s $) @ 660 \mathrm{~V}$ | Fuse Type <br> BS88 Fixing <br> Centres | Alternative fuse type <br> DIN 43 653/80/000 <br> (80mm fixing <br> centres, offset tab) |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| 80A | Ferraz <br> Bussman | 110 A | 6,800 | E330100 <br> 110 EET |
| 125AFerraz <br> Bussman | 160 A | F330055 | 170M1318 (125A) |  |

## INSTALLATION AND WIRING

## General Requirements

The following notes are a guide to ensuring sound system design, and compliance with the requirements of the European Low Voltage Directive and other international standards.

The stacks should be installed in a cabinet requiring a tool to gain access, and access should be restricted to suitably trained and qualified personnel. Provision should be made to exclude conductive pollution (eg graphite or foundry dust) from the cabinet, and to avoid condensation.

Caledon thyristor stacks are designed with an impulse withstand voltage of 4 kV . This meets the requirements of IEC and European standards for installation category 3, and supply voltage (line to earth) up to 300V (AC RMS). This corresponds to 520 V line to line ( 480 V nominal) on most distribution systems, in which the supply transformer is star connected with earthed star point. This does not preclude the use of the stacks in higher voltage systems (provided the thyristor devices are suitably rated), but precautions may be necessary (eg surge arrestors) to limit the expected impulse voltage level, if systems compliance with the above standards is required.
All stacks in the STC range incorporate integral semiconductor fuses. These are intended to provide short circuit protection for the thyristor devices, by limiting the peak half cycle surge current and total energy let through. They only provide limited protection against long term overload. The stack ratings are co-ordinated with standard HBC fuse values, and the supply cables should be protected with gL fuses or circuit breakers of current rating the same as, or lower than the stack. All the stacks with fan cooling also incorporate automatically resetting thermal cut outs, which monitor the temperature of the heatsink, and ensure that it does not rise to an unsafe level.
The stacks must be fitted with a protective earth conductor, and the earth connection must be capable of carrying the prospective fault current for the main load circuit until the protective fuse blows. The main reason for this is to protect against short circuit to ground which might occur in one of the semiconductor modules, should the internal structure rupture under severe fault conditions. Provided the correct semiconductor fuses are fitted, which limit the maximum energy let-through under short circuit conditions, a short cable of $25 \mathrm{~mm}^{2}$ cross section connecting between the stack earth stud and the chassis plate will provide an adequate local earth. Care must be taken to ensure that the panel in which the stack is installed is adequately earthed, with an earth loop impedance less than $0.03 \Omega(400 \mathrm{~V}, 800 \mathrm{~A}$ system $)$, and taking account of local regulations. Note that rfi filter capacitors fitted to the stack, together with leakage via the power modules can result in earth leakage currents in normal operation of the order of 5 mA .
The stacks are rated for a maximum ambient operating temperature of $50^{\circ} \mathrm{C}\left(45^{\circ} \mathrm{C}\right.$ for 800 A unit). This refers to the ambient air temperature entering the heatsinks at the base of the stack. The design of an installation must however take into account the ratings of cables and other switchgear within the cabinet. Elevated temperatures also shorten the life of some electronic components, notably electrolytic capacitors, which dry out. A major cause of elevated temperatures in a cabinet containing thyristor stacks is the power dissipated by the thyristor devices, which may be approximated in watts as $1.5 \times$ (RMS current) $\times$ (Number of controlled lines). The exhaust air temperature from the stack will be higher than ambient by up to $20^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$. It is not good practice to mount other items of control gear directly in the exhaust airflow. In particular the current carrying capability of fuses or circuit breakers will be significantly reduced if this is done. A tidy solution is to mount circuit breakers or fuses supplying the stack on a sub-chassis mounted forward from the main chassis on which the stack is mounted. The exhaust air then passes behind these components. Thyristor stacks should not be mounted one above the other, as this will significantly derate the upper unit, which, for rating purposes will be operating in an ambient equal to the exhaust air temperature of the lower unit. Heat from the thyristors, together with that dissipated by the semiconductor fuses will also raise the temperature of the stack busbars to which outgoing cables are connected, and high temperature cables should be used. The cross-section of the cables and their ventilation will influence the temperature of the connection studs, and the guide in the wiring section of this manual shows recommended cross sections.
Consideration must be given to fault conditions. In particular a short circuited thyristor could result in loss of control of the load current. If this could cause a dangerous temperature to arise in the controlled load, then an independent means of monitoring and switching off the current should be provided. This could take the form of an independent over-temperature controller switching a contactor or under voltage release on a circuit breaker fitted in the main supply lines (see figure 3 for example). Contacts should be arranged to de-energise in the alarm (over temperature) state. European standard EN 60519-2 Safety in electroheat installations, part 2: Particular requirements for resistance heating equipment, para 13.3 requires independent protection of electronic heating controllers and frequently operated heating control contactors, where temperature rise in the load could otherwise be excessive under fault conditions.

Independent provision for electrical isolation of the power and control circuits must be provided.

## Mounting

The stack must be mounted vertically, with the fan at the bottom of the unit. Allow a minimum of 100 mm above and below the stack body to allow free airflow. Do not mount stacks one above the other. The stacks may be mounted closely side by side in multi-zone applications, but care must be taken to ensure that the door can be opened. We recommend a minimum gap between units of 50 mm .
The mounting arrangement for units up to 800 A is shown in figure 2. For the 1100A unit see appendix 2 . Screw the upper and lower mounting brackets (1 and 2) to the mounting plate, but do not fully tighten. For units up to 200A use M6 x 16 mm screws or similar (suitable holes should be drilled and tapped in the mounting plate). For units 315A to 800A use M8 screws. We recommend tapping the mounting plate and screwing in hex head screws from the rear to form captive studs, and using nuts at the front to hold the mounting plates. Fixing dimensions are shown in figure 1. Hook the stack over the lower mounting bracket, and raise the upper mounting bracket to the limit allowed by the slotted holes so that the stack may be installed against the mounting plate and the bracket hooked down over it. Tighten up first the top bracket, and then the lower bracket.


## Typical Wiring Schematics

Figure 3 shows an outline typical wiring schematic, and figure 4 shows skeleton outlines of various load connections. Fuses and provision for isolation, furnace over temperature etc must be fitted as described in 'General Considerations' above.

## Figure 3

Typical wiring schematic with stack feeding a delta / star transformer coupled load. The load on the transformer secondary is delta connected.


Figure 4 - Skeleton load connection diagrams

$i-3$ wire star connected load

iii- 4 wire star connected load

ii - 3 wire delta connected load

iv - 6 wire open delta connected load (with stack wired in the delta loop). It is most important that the rotation of the connections; ie load 1 to line 2 etc. should be as shown, and not reversed.

## Recommended Power Cable Sizes

The following is a guide only, as installation conditions will vary. A maximum control cabinet temperature of $45^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ has been assumed, with cables routed in free air in the immediate vicinity of the stack, and passing into trunking in groups of three. The cable protective fuse or circuit breaker rating has been assumed to be equal to the stack current rating. For units rated up to 200A a cable with a maximum operating temperature of $85 / 90^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ has been assumed. Above 200A high temperature cable should be used, with an operating temperature of $120^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$. Suitable types are Brand Rex cross linked polyolefin (POLYRAD) or coil leads type 5 to BS 7655 with silicone rubber insulation. The 600A and 800A units have been designed for use with two cables connected in parallel.

| STACK RATING | CABLE X SECTION |
| :--- | :--- |
| 80A | $25 \mathrm{~mm}^{2}$ |
| 125A | $50 \mathrm{~mm}^{2}$ |
| 160A | $70 \mathrm{~mm}^{2}$ |
| 200A | $120 \mathrm{~mm}^{2}$ |
| 250A | $120 \mathrm{~mm}^{2}$ |
| 315A | $150 \mathrm{~mm}^{2}$ |
| 400A | $150 \mathrm{~mm}^{2}$ |
| 600A | $2 \times 150 \mathrm{~mm}^{2}$ |
| 800A | $2 \times 150 \mathrm{~mm}^{2}$ |
| 1100A | $2 \times 185 \mathrm{~mm}^{2}$ |

## Power Cable Wiring

Use the guide in the previous paragraph when determining cable type and cross section. Cables should be connected using heavy duty tube type ring crimp terminals. The stud diameter is 8 mm on the 80A to 200A units, 10 mm on the 315A and 400A units, 12mm on the 600A and 800A units. Do not forget to feed the line and load cables through the holes in the polycarbonate covers before attaching to the terminals!
A protective earth connection of suitable cross section should be made to the stud at the top of the unit.
More information is provided under 'Installation-General Requirements'.
Note that all studs are fitted with a plain and spring washer. The recommended tightening torques are 10 Nm on M8 studs and 15 Nm on M10 and M12 studs.

## Control Cable Wiring

It is not specifically necessary to use screened cable for the wiring of control circuits to meet the emc immunity level specified in EN 61000-6-2. We recommend that good wiring practice be followed within the control panel in which the stack is installed, taking care to avoid running signal wiring parallel to high current or switching circuits as far as is reasonably practical. If signals are sourced from outside the panel we recommend that screened cable be used outside the panel, and the screen earthed at the point of entry to the panel. This is most conveniently undertaken using special glands, but if pigtails are used these should be earthed to the metalwork as directly as possible. If screened cable is used between the entry to the panel and the stack, then the screen should be earthed to the metalwork near the stack. Incorrect earthing of screened cables can result in worse performance than using non-screened cables.

## Control Signal Connections

These connections are made direct to the printed circuit board connectors on the control card which is fitted in the lid of the stack. The connectors are suitable for cable up to $1.5 \mathrm{~mm}^{2}$ cross section. Cables are fed via the slot in the plastic cover at the bottom of the stack. Note that all connectors are unpluggable for ease of maintenance.

## Terminal Function List

The following table shows the terminal functions, with brief explanations.

| Number | Function | Comment |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Control card and fan power supply |  |  |  |
| 1 | Supply Live | Either 115 V or 230 V , as defined on the stack rating plate. The voltage rating cannot be changed without changing the fans. This supply does not need to be phase related to the 3-phase supply. The supply cable should be protected with a circuit breaker or fuse, not greater than 6A. The control transformer is protected by an on board fuse. The fans are impedance protected. |  |
| 2 | No connection |  |  |
| 3 | Supply Neutral |  |  |
| Alarm Relay Connections |  |  |  |
| 4 | Normally open | Open in the de-energised or alarm state. | The alarm relay contacts should not be wired in the coil circuit of a contactor wired in the 3-phase supply to the stack, as the stack is in alarm when it loses the 3-phase supply, and this will prevent the supply from energising. |
| 5 | Normally closed | Closed in the de-energised or alarm state. <br> Alarm relay contacts are volt free, and suitable for wiring into circuits energised with up to 250 V AC 30 V $D C, 2 A$. |  |
| 6 | Common |  |  |
| Analogue inputs Analogue inputs and outputs share a common OV rail, which is isolated from the digital I/O. |  |  |  |
| 7 | Analogue input $1+$ | Remote Control setpoint. | Wire a 250 ohm burden resistor across the input terminals for mA inputs. The input can be set as $0-5 \mathrm{~V}$ or $1-5 \mathrm{~V}$ in the configuration menu, and converted to $0-10 \mathrm{~V}$ or $2-10 \mathrm{~V}$ by fitting jumpers (see figure 5) |
| 8 | Analogue input 1 - (0V) |  |  |
| 9 | Analogue input $2+$ | Limit setpoint if configured |  |
| 10 | Analogue input 2 - (0V) |  |  |
| 11 | +5V | A supply that can be used in conjunction with a potentiometer to feed the analogue inputs for manual setting if wished. (Configure the input as $0-5 \mathrm{~V}$ ) |  |
| Continued on next page |  |  |  |




Figure 5 - Jumper positions on control card
If the DeviceNet / Fieldbus daughter board is fitted, this will have to be unscrewed to gain access to jumpers 2, 3, 4, 1, 9 which are underneath it. See page 30 for details.
JMP 5, 6, 7 Do not alter the settings of these jumpers.
JMP2 When fitted converts analogue input 1 from $0-5 \mathrm{~V}$ or $1-5 \mathrm{~V}$ to $0-10 \mathrm{~V}$ or $2-10 \mathrm{~V}$
JMP3 When fitted converts analogue input 2 from $0-5 \mathrm{~V}$ or $1-5 \mathrm{~V}$ to $0-10 \mathrm{~V}$ or $2-10 \mathrm{~V}$
JMP4 When fitted converts analogue output from 0-5V to 0-10V
JMP1* Fit in position A for 2 wire RS485 (Modbus) communications; fit in position B for 4 wire (separate Rx and Tx)
JMP8* Fit to connect $240 \Omega$ terminating resistor across RS485 Receive lines
JMP9* Fit to connect $240 \Omega$ terminating resistor across RS485 Transmit lines
*Units supplied from 1 April 2016 do not have jumpers 1 or 8 fitted. Jumper 9 connects terminating resistor across RS485 tx / rx lines.

## COMMISSIONING AND CONFIGURATION

## General Considerations

The following points must be considered when commissioning the stack.
1 Is the hardware configuration compatible with the configuration set in the configuration menu, and the chosen load connection?

2 Is the stack configured for the correct line voltage, and the required operating mode?
3 Is the control circuit power supply the correct voltage -115 V or 230 V ? This is ultimately determined by the voltage rating of the fans fitted.
4 Is the hardware I/O wired as required? At the very least the 'enable' input must be activated for the stack to operate.

5 Is the stack to be operated with communications? If so note the specific points in the section headed 'Considerations when using comms'.

## Navigating the Display

The display has two lines; the upper line generally has an instruction or label, and the lower line a value. This value may be read only (eg line voltage), or adjustable (eg a setpoint). A map of the configuration menu is laid out in the table below. The menu tree can be considered as a number of layers with several parameters on each layer. To scroll round the parameters on a layer (vertical columns in the table) use the scroll (U) button. To change to the next layer (move across columns) use the enter ( $\downarrow$ ) button. The $\lrcorner$ symbol appears on screens where it is possible to change layers. To return to a previous layer scroll to the 'previous layer' screen and press enter. To change adjustable parameters use the up $(\Delta)$ or down $(\nabla)$ button to change to the desired value. Holding down $\downarrow$ while $\Delta$ or $\nabla$ are pressed speeds up the rate of change of the value.

## Configuration Display Menus

The fundamental operating parameters for the stack are defined using the display in configuration mode, and stored in EEPROM. To enter configuration mode all 4 buttons must be pressed simultaneously on first energising the control supply to the stack, while the 'L1 L3 PL TE MODE' screen is displayed (the screen displayed on power up), and before the stack enables for the first time (green LED illuminates). Normally this will allow approximately 5 seconds in which to press the buttons, but if this is not enough the hardware 'enable' input can be disconnected, or the 3-phase supply left un-energised, to allow as much time as required. Once the desired parameters have been set, there is a choice of 'no save and exit' or 'save and exit' which return the stack to normal operating mode. The table below shows the available options, which are described in detail after the table cross referenced by the reference number.

| $\begin{aligned} & \text { Ref } \\ & \text { No } \end{aligned}$ | Level 1 U | Level 2 <br> U | $\Delta \nabla$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | Load Type |  | ' 3-wire; 4-wire star; delta loop; delta loop / star |
| 2 | Phase angle ل |  | ' |
| 3 |  | Feedback Mode | Open Loop; Voltage; Voltage ${ }^{2}$; Current; Current ${ }^{2}$; $\mathrm{V}_{\text {RMS }} \times \mathrm{I}_{\text {RMS }} ; \quad \mathrm{I}^{2} / \mathrm{V}^{2}$ transfer |
| 4 |  | Response Speed 1 | ' 1-80 (seconds) |
| 5 |  | Response Speed 2 | , 1-80 (seconds) |
| 6 | SS Burst Fire ل |  | i |
| 7 |  | Feedback Mode | ' Open Loop; Line Voltage Compensation |
| 8 |  | Cycle Time @ 50Hz | 1 1s to 60s @ 50Hz |
| 9 |  | Ramp up time | 1-80 cycles @ 50Hz |
| 10 |  | Response Speed 2 | : 1-80 (seconds) Same parameter as for phase angle |
| 11 | Comms Config ل |  | - |
| 12 |  | Modbus unit ID | 1-127 |
| 13 |  | Baud Rate | ; 4,800; 9,600; 19,200 |
| 14 |  | Parity | , None; Even; Odd |
| 15 |  | Comms mode | , Read only; Read/ Write |
| Continued on next page |  |  |  |



The following notes provide more information on the menu functions where appropriate. They are cross referenced by the reference number from the table above

## 1 Load Type

There are a number of different load configurations, and for correct firing and feedback operation these must be set to match the connected load. The delta loop configurations also require hardware changes to be made on the stack snubber boards otherwise the stack will not read the correct load voltage.

3-wire
This is the most common connection, without neutral. The load may be star or delta connected, and if transformer coupled the secondary of the transformer may be connected either star or delta. It is essential for one of either the primary or secondary of a transformer to be delta connected, to avoid unbalance caused by triplen harmonics. The normal connection is delta / star.
4-wire star
A star connected load with the star point connected to neutral. Note that with this connection, even with a balanced load, heavy neutral currents can flow in phase angle operation, particularly if the stack is operating in current limit, when the neutral current can be nearly twice the line current.
True delta loop - also check hardware configuration.
The stack is wired in the delta loop, thus reducing the required current rating by a factor of $\sqrt{ } 3$. This mode is for use with three single phase loads; ie 3 resistive loads or 3 single phase transformers. It is most important that the rotation of the load connections should be as shown in Figure 4 (iv).
Delta loop / star - also check hardware configuration
This mode is for the specific case of a transformer coupled load, with the stack wired in the delta loop of the primary, and the secondary star connected with either a 3-wire star or delta connected load. This configuration requires special firing pulses and specially connected voltage feedback. Note that this mode of operation causes high reflected voltages across the thyristors (Peak $=1.5 \times$ peak line voltage), and between the stack load connections and ground (Peak $=1.8 x$ peak line to ground voltage). A special transformer is also required, otherwise there is very likely to be excessive leakage of magnetic flux and unacceptable heating of the transformer frame and casing.

## 2 Phase angle

Enter the setup parameters for phase angle operating mode

## $3 \quad$ Feedback Mode

When the stack is operating in phase angle mode the controlled variable may be selected from this list. Open loop controls the firing angle in proportion to the control signal. $\mathrm{I}^{2} / \mathrm{V}^{2}$ transfer compares the normalised feedback signals for $\mathrm{I}^{2}$ and $\mathrm{V}^{2}$, and controls whichever is the greater to the setpoint.

If it is proposed to switch between phase angle and burst fire operation while running it is a good idea to choose $\mathrm{V}^{2}$ feedback in phase angle mode, and line voltage compensated operation in burst fire mode. This will ensure that the power supplied to the load remains approximately constant during the switch over.
If the controlled variable is volts or amps the setpoint is also set in volts or amps. For other controlled variables the setpoint is set as a percentage of maximum. The maximum values are determined from the values for ' $V$ span' and 'I span' set under 'Set V and I spans'. These are also the values used to normalise the feedback for $\mathrm{I}^{2} / \mathrm{V}^{2}$ transfer.
$\mathrm{V}_{\text {RMS }} \times \mathrm{I}_{\text {RMS }}$ is an approximation to providing 'true power' feedback. The actual formulae used depend on the load configuration, as follows:-
3-wire star or 4 wire star $\quad V_{\text {LOAD }} \times\left(I_{1}+I_{2}+I_{3}\right)$ where $V_{\text {LOAD }}$ is measured between load terminal 2 and load terminal 3, not load terminal to star point.

6-wire (stack in delta loop) $\quad V_{\text {LOAD }} \times\left(I_{1}+I_{2}+I_{3}\right) \quad$ where $V_{\text {LOAD }}$ is measured load terminal 2 to line terminal 3.
For 4-wire star and true delta loop load configurations the calculated power will be accurate at all firing angles. For other load configurations, if the load is unbalanced there will be an inaccuracy, normally less than $10 \%$. The calculation takes account of the power factor degradation caused by the chopping action of the thyristors, but not of any angle of lead or lag caused by the load.
4 Response Speed 1 (Range 1-80 seconds, typical value 5 seconds)
This parameter sets the speed at which the stack phases up and down under integral action. The value should be set empirically to optimise the speed of response without resulting in oscillatory control, which will occur if it is set too fast. When operating in a feedback mode involving current you should make the time constant cautiously long, as the loop gain is effectively increased when operating into (for example) a low cold resistance load.
5 Response Speed 2 (Range 1-80 seconds, typical value 20 seconds)
This parameter is as parameter 4, but operates when the stack is in current limit. If the stack is to be used with loads having a low cold resistance, such as Molybdenum disilicide it may be necessary to set this value to 10x the value set in (4) to ensure stability. This parameter is also available in the SS Burst Fire menu.

## $6 \quad$ SS Burst Fire

Enter the setup parameters for soft start burst fire operating mode.

## $7 \quad$ Feedback Mode

Open loop means that the ratio of on to off time is defined entirely by the setpoint, and is independent of variations in load or in supply voltage. With line voltage compensation the setpoint signal is modified by the factor

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\frac{(\text { Span Voltage })^{2}}{(\text { Line Voltage })^{2}} \quad(\text { see } 22 \text { and 23) }
$$

This keeps the power supplied to the load reasonably independent of supply voltage variations, but means that if the supply voltage is high the stack will not turn on continuously. (Also see 3 above).

8 Cycle Time @ 50Hz (Range 1s to 60s, typical value 15 s on transformer load, 5 s on resistive load)
Sets the approximate period in seconds that the stack takes for a complete on + off cycle. The period remains constant for duty cycles between $10 \%$ and $90 \%$, but is then lengthened to accommodate minimum on and off times, set at $10 \%$ of the cycle time. The minimum duty cycle (below which the stack is off) is $1 \%$. The control algorithm counts 3-phase supply cycles, so the period will be faster on 60 Hz supplies.

9 Ramp up time (Range 1-80, calibrated approximately in supply cycles @ 50 Hz ), typical value 10. Sets the time the soft start (and end) of a burst takes to ramp up (and down). Note that care must be taken not to set this time too long in comparison with the duty cycle, as this will prevent the stack from turning on fully. The fastest time available is in practice limited to approximately 7 cycles.
10 Response Speed 2 (Range 1-80 seconds, typical value 20.
Sets the response speed when the stack goes into current limit in either phase angle mode or ss burst fire mode. The value set here should be much higher than the normal response speed, to ensure stable operation into low resistance loads (This is the same parameter as in (5) above).

## 11 Comms Config

Note that if communications other than Modbus are fitted, Modbus unit ID, baud rate and parity are not available on the menu. Other settings may be set on the fieldbus daughter board (see appendix 4).
14 Parity

The Modbus data formats are:- No parity, 8 data bits, 2 stop bits Even parity, 8 data bits, 1 stop bit Odd parity, 8 data bits, 1 stop bit.

## 15 Comms mode

The setting here determines whether communications are 'read only' (user interrogates the stack) or read/write (user can also send setpoints etc to the stack). If the communications are read only they are not monitored by the stack, and will not cause the stack to shut down if communication with the user is lost. If the communications are read/write, then the stack will alarm and disable if communication with the user is lost, and can only be re-enabled by re-establishing communication, or by re-configuring the stack to read only.

## 16 Analogue I/O

Configures the analogue I/O. Analogue input 1 is always assigned to the control setpoint, but analogue input 2 can be assigned to one of the three limit setpoints, and different limits may be chosen for phase angle operation and burst fire operation. If 'None' is chosen then the limit setpoints will be set on the buttons or by the communications. The control setpoint source may be switched between analogue input 1 or the buttons / communications by digital input 5.

## 17 AN1 Range

The input can be ranged to accept $0-5 \mathrm{~V}$ or $1-5 \mathrm{~V}$. A link on the board (see figure 5 ) can be fitted to halve the gain of the input amplifier, ranging the input to $0-10 \mathrm{~V}$ or $2-10 \mathrm{~V}$. For mA signals use a 250 ohm burden resistor across the input terminals in conjunction with $0-5 \mathrm{~V}$ or $1-5 \mathrm{~V}$

## 18 AN2 Range

As AN1 range.

## 19, 20 AN I/P 2 Funct

Analogue input 2 may be set to control one of the limit setpoints if desired. It is possible to control a different limit in phase angle mode from burst fire mode, or only to control a limit in one of the two modes. When the limit is not configured for this input (ie 'none' is chosen) it is available as a local setpoint.

## 21 AN O/P Funct

The analogue output may be set to retransmit load voltage, current or power. The standard output is $0-5 \mathrm{~V}$, which may be changed to $0-10 \mathrm{~V}$ by fitting jumper 4 on the control card (see figure 5 ). The output is scaled so that 5 V (or 10 V ) represents $1.2 x$ Span, span defined in 22 to 24 below. This enables the output to cope with an overload without saturating.

## 22 Set V \& I Spans

The values set here determine the range over which the stack setpoints will operate. If operating with 'power' feedback, the span is calculated using the formulae in 3 above, and the values set here.

## 23

Set V Span
The value set here will normally be the nominal supply voltage on which the stack is to operate. Note however that if this is done, and the actual supply voltage is high, it will not be possible to make the stack turn fully on, as with a setpoint of $100 \%$ the stack will control the output to the span. This will be true for Voltage, or Voltage ${ }^{2}$ control in phase angle mode, and control with line voltage compensation in burst fire mode. In power control the effect will also depend on the current span.

## 24 Set I Span

The value set here will normally be slightly higher than the maximum current drawn by the load.

## 25 Save and Exit (Return to Operating mode)

When this option is chosen all values in the configuration are saved. Until 'Save and Exit' is performed any changes which have been made have not been saved. If power is removed before saving them they will be lost. After saving the stack reverts to normal operation.

## 26 No Save and Exit (Return to Operating mode)

Returns to normal operation without saving any configuration changes made, which are lost.

## 27 Calibration

The calibration procedure allows the calibration to be checked or adjusted with little danger of completely
mis-adjusting the values. The values set in 28,29 and 30 are read only. Consult us if you think they are incorrect or need adjusting. After making changes to the calibration the 'Save and Exit' routine must be performed to save them. On software versions S135E1 up to issue R3, and S136E1 up to issue R6, only the span can be calibrated. On software issues above these the zero can also be adjusted.

## 28 Maximum Voltage

This value is read only. It is factory set to match the hardware, and represents the maximum voltage which the $A / D$ converter on the control board can accept.

## 29 Maximum Current

This value is read only. It is factory set to match the hardware, and represents the maximum current which the $A / D$ converter on the control board can accept.

## 30 <br> Current rating

This value is read only. It is factory set to match the hardware, and represents the maximum current which the stack is designed to conduct. Current limit action will occur if the load attempts to draw a current greater than this value.

## $31 \quad$ Adjust scaling

The values set in 28 and 29 nominally calibrate the stack, but do not take account of component tolerances. The 'adjust scaling' screens ( 32 to 36 ) enable a scaling factor to be adjusted while observing the measured parameter on the upper line of the display. On software versions S135E1 version R4 and above, and S136E1 version R7 and above, the zero offset may also be adjusted on these screens. This should be done before adjusting the scaling factor. With no voltage or current applied, a small zero offset may be observed. Pressing the $\cup$ button will remove this offset. It may be pressed more than once, until the best results are obtained. When this has been done a suitable signal may be applied and the scaling factor adjusted as described below.

The nominal value of the scaling factor is 1.000 with provision to vary it from 0.800 to 1.200 . Press $\downarrow$ after entering the required value, to move to the next parameter. Increasing the scaling factor increases the value recorded by the stack. Because the stack is not operating when in configuration mode, it is not simple for the user to check the calibration while viewing the screen, because apart from the line voltage it is not possible to apply the required voltage or current to the stack. However, when the stack is operating normally, a note can be taken of the recorded values on the normal operating display, and compared with the reading on the user's reference meter. The required adjustment to the scaling factor can be calculated and the scaling factor adjusted subsequently if desired. Note that the measurements made by the stack are true RMS, and any meter used for calibration purposes must be true RMS reading, otherwise there will be serious errors when measuring phase angle controlled waveforms. At the factory the voltage calibration is performed with the stack off load, and corresponding line and load terminals shorted together. Current calibration is performed from the secondary of the current transformer only (ie any inaccuracy in the current transformer is not compensated).

## OPERATION AND OPERATING USER INTERFACE

## Covers

For safety reasons the stack should not be operated with the door open. Additionally, the fans direct a proportion of their airflow over the control card and semiconductor fuses, and this cooling action, particularly of the fuses, will be impaired if the door is open.

## Operating Status Indication

In normal operation the operational status of the stack can be determined with the use of the LEDs and LCD display on the fascia.
For the stack to fire (supply current to the load) the red Alarm LED must be off and the green Enable LED must be on.

The alarm LED (and output) will come on if any of the following occur:-
Any of the 3-phase supply phases is missing.
The stack loses phase lock.
The heatsink temperature is too high.
If the communications mode is read/write and the communication link has failed.
The enable LED (and output) will only come on 3 seconds after the following conditions are met:-
All 3 supply phases are present.
The stack has achieved phase lock.
The heatsink is below its maximum limit temperature.

The hardware enable (digital input) is set.
The communications enable bit is set (only required if the communications is read/write).
If the alarm LED is on, or the stack fails to enable, the cause can be determined by looking at the status of the flags on the first two screens of the LCD display. The following sections describe the use of the display and the meaning of the flags.

When the stack is operating the display can also be used to read values of the currents, voltages and power it is controlling, and (if appropriate to the application) to adjust operating and limit setpoints.

## Navigating the Display

The display has two lines; the upper line generally has an instruction or label, and the lower line a value. This value may be read only (eg line voltage), or adjustable (eg a setpoint). A map of the operating display menu is laid out in the table below. There are a number of parameters on each layer, and two layers. To scroll round the parameters on a layer (vertical columns in the tables) use the scroll ( $U$ ) button. To change to the next layer (move across columns) use the enter $(\downarrow)$ button. To return to a previous layer scroll to the 'previous layer' screen and press enter. To change adjustable parameters use the up $(\Delta)$ or down $(\nabla)$ button to change to the desired value. Holding down $\downarrow$ while $\Delta$ or $\nabla$ are pressed speeds up the rate of change of the value.

## Operating Display Menus

The operating menu appears as in the table below, and further explanations are provided after the table where appropriate, cross referenced to the reference number:-

| $\begin{aligned} & \text { Ref } \\ & \text { No } \end{aligned}$ | Level 1 <br> U | Level 2 U | $\Delta \nabla$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | L1 L3 PL TE MODE  <br> $*$ $*$ $*$ $*$ BF/PA |  | Read Only |
| 2 | C CE HE IL VL WL <br> $*$ $*$ $*$ $*$ $*$ $*$ |  |  |
| 3 | Control Setpoint |  |  |
| 4 | Local S/Ps 」 |  |  |
| 5 |  | PA Control S/P | Set in units defined for control parameter (\%, volts, amps) |
| 6 |  | BF Control S/P | 0-100\% |
| 7 |  | Current Limit S/P | 0 -Stack current span |
| 8 |  | Power Limit S/P | - 0-100\% |
| 9 |  | Voltage Limit S/P | 0 -Stack voltage span |
| 10 | Line Voltage |  | Read Only |
| 11 | Load Voltage |  |  |
| 12 | Line 1 Current |  |  |
| 13 | Line 2 Current |  |  |
| 14 | Line 3 Current |  |  |
| 15 | Average I Value |  |  |
| 16 | Load Power |  |  |
| 17 | Conduction Angle |  |  |

## 1 L1 L3 PL TE MODE

This screen displays a number of flags, and there must be asterisks under all the flag labels (indicating that the flag is set) before the stack will fire. The flags are as follows:-
L1 Line voltage is present between line 1 and line 2
L3 Line voltage is present between line 3 and line 2
PL The stack has synchronised to the 3-phase supply (phase locked)
TE The stack heatsink temperature is not over its allowable limit.
The operating MODE can be either burst fire (BF) or phase angle (PA) as indicated.
2 C CE HE IL VL WL

This screen displays flags as follows (the flag is set when an asterisk appears below its label):-
C Communications are established (Only in Read/Write mode) (Modbus or DeviceNet)
CE The 'comms enable' bit is set. This is required when communications are in Read/Write mode before the stack will fire.

HE The hardware enable input is set. This is required before the stack will fire.
IL The stack is operating in current limit.
VL The stack is operating in voltage limit
WL The stack is operating in power limit

## 3 Control Setpoint

This is the setpoint to which the stack is controlling the load (unless a limit setpoint has taken control as indicated on screen 2. It may have come from analogue input 1 or a local setpoint set by the buttons or by the communications.

## 4 Local S/Ps

This screen gives access to local control and limit setpoints. These values are normally read only, but can beset by the buttons, or, if the communications are in Read/Write mode, by communications. If the communications are not in Read/Write mode the local setpoints may be 'unprotected' so that they can be adjusted by the buttons, by pressing all four buttons together while the PA control setpoint is being displayed. After leaving the 'local setpoints' layer of the menu the values will again become write protected. If the communications are in Read/Write mode, local setpoints can only be set using communications.
The limit setpoints can only become active if the associated digital input or communications bit has been set high. Note however that current limit will always operate if the load attempts to draw a current greater than the rated current of the stack.
New values take effect immediately they are entered. They are stored in the stack RAM, and saved to EEPROM when the 'Local setpoints' menu layer is exited, or when power is removed from the stack control board. If the menu is left on the 'Local Setpoints' layer and the processor resets for some reason (an operating error) before the control card next powers down, any changes to the local setpoints will be lost, and previous values restored from the EEPROM.

## $5 \quad$ PA Control S/P

This setpoint operates when the stack is in phase angle mode and local setpoint. It may be set in different engineering units from the burst fire setpoint (which is always set in \%), depending on what load parameter the stack is set to control in phase angle mode.

## $6 \quad$ BF Control S/P

This setpoint operates when the stack is in burst fire mode and local setpoint. It is set in Percent of maximum.

## 7 Current Limit S/P

The current limit setpoint operates on the greatest of the 3 measured line currents, and phases back the stack to limit this to the setpoint. In burst fire mode the stack will limit the conduction angle in the 'on' burst if the current limit would otherwise be exceeded.

## $8 \quad$ Power Limit S/P

When the stack is operating in phase angle mode power limit limits the measured power supplied to the load as calculated using the formulae below:-

| 3-wire or 4 wire star | $\mathrm{V}_{\text {LOAD }} \times\left(l_{1}+I_{2}+I_{3}\right)$ | where $V_{\text {LOAD }}$ is measured load terminal 2 to load <br> terminal 3, not load terminal to star point. |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| 6-wire (stack in delta loop) | $V_{\text {LOAD }} \times\left(l_{1}+I_{2}+I_{3}\right)$ | where $V_{\text {LOAD }}$ is measured load terminal 2 to line terminal <br> 3. |

When the stack is operating in burst fire mode the 'power' limit is applied to the setpoint, and effectively limits the maximum 'on' time. This does not take account of the current being drawn by the load.

## $9 \quad$ Voltage Limit S/P

The voltage limit setpoint does not operate when the stack is in burst fire mode.

## 10 Line Voltage

The true RMS voltage measured between line terminals 1 and 2. Note that if one of the line supply fuses blows, this voltage may still read line volts $/ \sqrt{ } 3$. This is caused by the class $Y$ (line to earth) capacitors fitted on each line of the stack for rfi suppression purposes resulting in a measurement of the voltage between line and earth.

## 11 Load Voltage

When the stack is configured for 3-wire or 4-wire star load types this is the true RMS voltage measured between load terminal 2 and load terminal 3 . Note that for 4 -wire star loads and balanced 3 -wire star loads this is $\sqrt{ } 3 x$ the voltage between load terminal and star point.

When the stack is configured for delta loop load type, this is the true RMS voltage measured between load terminal

2 and line terminal 3.
When the stack is configured for delta loop / star a special measurement is taken, which is proportional to the voltage seen on the transformer secondary.

## 12 Load 1 Current

The true RMS current flowing out of load terminal 1. Note that when the stack is in the delta loop, the line current from the supply will be $\sqrt{ } 3 x$ the value displayed here.

## 13 Load 2 Current

The true RMS current flowing out of load terminal 2. Note that when the stack is in the delta loop, the line current from the supply will be $\sqrt{ } 3 x$ the value displayed here

## 14 Load 3 Current

The true RMS current flowing out of load terminal 3. Note that when the stack is in the delta loop, the line current from the supply will be $\sqrt{ } 3 x$ the value displayed here

## 15 Average I Value

The average of the three currents above.

## 16 Load Power

Load power as calculated from the formulae listed in (8) above. In burst fire mode the load voltage and currents are measured when the stack is conducting fully; power is calculated by entering these values in the formula, and the result is multiplied by the ratio of on time to (on + off) time. The value obtained in this way may not correspond exactly with the setpoint, as in burst fire mode the stack does not operate with closed loop control.

## 17 Conduction Angle

Shows the conduction angle at which the stack is operating. For 3 -wire and delta loop/star operation the nominal range required is $0-150^{\circ}$, but, other than in open loop phase angle mode the stack is allowed to advance the angle to $170^{\circ}$, which compensates for unbalanced loads. For 4 -wire and true delta loop (effectively 3 single phase loads) the range is $0-180^{\circ}$.

## CONTROL PARAMETERS AND THEIR UNITS

The following is a summary of the units used for the various setpoints and measured values.

## Phase Angle Operation

## SETPOINTS

The setpoint is set in percent, except when the feedback mode (controlled parameter) is voltage or current, in which case the setpoint is set in volts and amps respectively.

## For Open Loop Control

$100 \%$ corresponds to the maximum conduction angle, $150^{\circ}$ for 3 -wire operation, $180^{\circ}$ for 4 -wire operation or 6 -wire delta loop operation.
For $\mathrm{V}^{2}$ Control
$100 \%$ corresponds to $\left(\mathrm{V}_{\text {SPAN }}\right)^{2}$. Therefore Setpoint $(\%)=\frac{\left(\mathrm{V}_{\text {LOAD }}\right)^{2} \times 100}{\left(\mathrm{~V}_{\text {SPAN }}\right)^{2}}$
Where $\mathrm{V}_{\text {LOAD }}$ is measured load terminal 2 to load terminal 3 for 3 -wire and 4 wire star connected loads (not load terminal to star point), and is measured load terminal 2 to line terminal 3 when the stack is in the delta loop.

## For $I^{2}$ Control

$100 \%$ corresponds to $\left(I_{\text {SPAN }}\right)^{2}$. Therefore Setpoint $(\%)=\left(I_{\text {LOAD }}\right)^{2} \times 100 \quad$ (where $I_{\text {LOAD }}$ is the average of the 3 $\left(I_{\text {SPAN }}\right)^{2} \quad$ load currents)
Note that when the stack is in the delta loop the supply current will be $\sqrt{3} x$ the current measured here.

For $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{Rms}} \mathbf{X} \mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{Rms}}$ Control ('Power' Control)
3-wire or 4-wire star load
$100 \%$ corresponds to $\mathrm{V}_{\text {sPAN }} \times \sqrt{ } 3$ (I $\left.\mathrm{I}_{\text {SPAN }}\right)$

$$
\text { And Setpoint }(\%)=\frac{\frac{V_{\text {LOAD }} \times\left(I_{1}+I_{2}+I_{3}\right)}{\sqrt{3}}}{V_{\text {SPAN }} \times \sqrt{3}\left(I_{\text {SPAN }}\right)} \times 100
$$

where $\mathrm{V}_{\text {LOAD }}$ is measured load terminal 2 to load terminal 3, not load terminal to star point.

6-wire (stack in delta loop)
$100 \%$ corresponds to $\mathrm{V}_{\text {SPAN }} \times 3\left(\mathrm{I}_{\text {SPAN }}\right)$

$$
\text { And Setpoint }(\%)=\frac{V_{\text {LOAD }} \times\left(I_{1}+I_{2}+I_{3}\right) \times 100}{V_{\text {SPAN }} \times 3\left(I_{\text {SPAN }}\right)}
$$

where $\mathrm{V}_{\text {LOAD }}$ is measured load terminal 2 to line terminal 3.

## MEASURED POWER

The measured power expressed as a percentage uses the formulae defined above. Power is also displayed in kW, calculated using the following formulae, and dividing by 1000:-

| 3-wire or 4 wire star | $\frac{V_{\text {LOAD }} \times\left(l_{1}+I_{2}+I_{3}\right)}{}$ | where $V_{\text {LOAD }}$ is measured load terminal 2 to load <br> terminal 3, not load terminal to star point. |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| 6-wire (stack in delta loop) | $V_{\text {LOAD }} \times\left(l_{1}+I_{2}+I_{3}\right)$ | where $V_{\text {LOAD }}$ is measured load terminal 2 to line terminal <br> 3. |

## Soft Start Burst Fire Operation

## SETPOINTS

The setpoint is expressed in percent.
For Open Loop Operation
Setpoint (\%) = (On Time) $\times 100$
(On Time + Off Time)
For operation with Line Voltage Compensation
Setpoint (\%) $=\frac{(\text { On Time }) \times 100}{(\text { On Time }+ \text { Off Time })} \quad \times \quad \frac{\left(V_{\text {LINE }}\right)^{2}}{\left(\mathrm{~V}_{\text {SPAN }}\right)^{2}}$
Power Limit. With ss burst fire operation the power limit acts on the setpoint, and not the measured power. It is effectively a second setpoint defined as above, and the stack will control to whichever is the lower of the control setpoint or the limit setpoint.

## MEASURED POWER

The measured power is defined by measuring the currents and voltage when the stack is conducting during an 'on' period, calculating the power using the same formulae as for phase angle operation, and multiplying the result by the known ratio of (on time) / (on time + off time). The measured power expressed in percent will not necessarily equal the setpoint value, as the setpoint does not take account of the actual value of the load current with either feedback mode. (As an extreme example, if there is no load on the stack the control setpoint could be any value, and the measured power would always be zero).

## APPENDIX 1 STC2500

The following notes apply only to the STC2500 range, and describe the differences between these units and the STC3000

## Application and Wiring

The STC2500 series stacks are intended for 2 line control of a transformer coupled load with open V primary, and secondaries connected to supply a single phase load (see figure). This is the only load type for which they are suitable, and the configuration menu has no provision for other load types.


The outer limbs of the stack (T1 and T3) are controlled, and should be connected to the open ends of the V primary of the transformer. The centre limb of the stack is fitted with a straight through busbar, and should be connected to the centre limb of the transformer. The centre limb is intended to carry twice the current flowing in the outer limbs. The stack is rated for the outer limb current.

The centre limb connection to the stack is used to monitor the limb current, to monitor line and load voltages, and to determine phase rotation.
Control wiring is identical to that for the STC3000 range. The stack may be operated in phase angle or soft start burst fire modes.

## Other Differences from the STC3000

1 Average load current is omitted from the user menu on the stack display, but appears on the communications menu, where it is the average of the two outer limb currents.

2 The firing angle range is 0-180 degrees.
3 Load voltage as seen on the secondary of the transformer (for a $1: 1$ transformer) is (P1-P2) - (P2-P3), where P1 to P3 are the phase voltage phasors. The stack is designed to monitor a voltage phasor with this relationship, but scaled so that at full conduction the modulus of the voltage (displayed value) equals the line voltage rather than $\sqrt{ } 3 x$ line voltage.
4 Current Limit operates only on the two outer (controlled) limbs.
5 Maximum load power is $\sqrt{3} \times$ (line voltage) $x$ (outer limb current).
6 For 160A and 200A units the maximum current which can be measured is 400A.

## APPENDIX 2

## Mounting Details for 1100A Air Cooled Unit



Depth
0 mm with door closed
550 mm with door open

Allow at least 150 mm top and bottom for ventilation. The aluminium channel sections are mounted on 8 mm studs fitted to the mounting plate. These may conveniently be screws screwed in to tapped holes from behind. The stack is then lifted onto the bottom channel. The L shaped clamps are then slipped on to the four outer studs so that they hook over the lips which run along top and bottom of the stack. Nuts are then tightened down on the clamps and the centre studs to secure the assembly.

Square holes are cut in the plate behind the fuses at the top of the stack. Bars may be fed through these from the front of the stack to which slings may be fitted for lifting.

## APPENDIX 3

## Tables of Standard Calibration Values

The following tables show the standard calibration values set in the Calibration Menu. They represent the values of voltage and current which correspond with maximum count on the $A / D$ converter - not maximum ratings.

| Voltage Range | Maximum Voltage |
| :--- | :--- |
| 250V (STC2500) | 310.6 with h.f. <br> isolator cards fitted |
| 270 V | 313.2 V with <br> h.f.isolator cards <br> fitted |
| 480 V | 546.6 with 50 Hz <br> isolator transformers <br> fitted <br> 559.1 with h.f. <br> isolator cards fitted |
| 660 V | 768.8 V with h.f. <br> isolator cards |


| Current Rating | Maximum Current |
| :--- | :--- |
| 80 A | 97 |
| 125 A | 160 |
| 160 A | 194 |
| 200 A | 266.7 |
| 250 A | 320 |
| 315 A | 400 |
| 400 A | 480 |
| 600 A | 800 |
| 800 A | 1,000 |
| 1100 A | 1,500 |
| STC2500 |  |
| 80 A | 194 |
| 125 A | 320 |
| 160 A | 400 |
| 200 A | 400 |

## APPENDIX 4

## Considerations When Using Communications / Communications Parameters

The stacks support either Modbus RTU slave communications (standard option) or one of a number of fielbuses in cyclical I/O mode only, using 'Anybus' embedded interface products supplied by HMS Industrial Networks AB. The standard Modbus interface is fitted on the main control board. Other fieldbuses require an additional daughter board which is fitted in place of the Modbus interface.

There are two modes in which communications can be used with the stack (selected in the 'Comms Config' menu in configuration):-

1 Read Only -
in which the user can read values of parameters in the stack, but cannot change any values.
2 Read and Write - in which the user can both read values of parameters in the stack and also change certain values, eg setpoints or digital I/O.

If 'Read Only' mode is chosen the user can access the readable (production) data registers as desired. This has no effect on the operation of the stack, which must be controlled by hard wired signals, eg setpoints or digital I/O. If using fieldbus communications other than Modbus the stack node must be configured for 19 16-bit registers. All the data listed in the table of registers is made available, and this cannot be altered. In the event of a failure within the stack of communication between the control processor and the fieldbus card, the values of all registers will be set to zero. Otherwise communications are not monitored by the stack.
If Read and Write mode is chosen then two sets of registers become available to the user - read only (production) and write only (consumption). (The consumption registers can also be read if using Modbus communications, but the values in them will simply be those written to them by the user). If using fieldbus communications other than Modbus the stack node must be configured to have 19 read (production) registers and 6 write (consumption) registers. The read only registers behave as above. The write only registers give the user control over the following items:-
$1 \quad$ All the digital inputs except the enable input. The default condition for these is low or inactive. They may be set high by the hard wired inputs, in which case the communications cannot set them low, or if the hardwired inputs are left disconnected (low) the communications is free to set them high or low as required. A hardware enable (digital input 6 , terminal 18 ) is always required.

2 All the 'local' setpoints; ie those otherwise set using the buttons on the stack user interface. When communications are set to 'Read/Write' the facility to use the buttons to set local setpoints is disabled. This means that the user must send values to all these setpoints if he wishes to use them. It is not possible to set some of the setpoints via communications and some using the buttons. Setpoints configured to be set via analogue inputs cannot be set via communications (but they can be read).
3 A 'comms' enable bit (consumption status register 2, bit 5). This bit must be set to 1 (in addition to wiring the hardware enable) for the stack to operate.
4 A 'comms established' bit. (consumption status register 2, bit 6)
For Modbus, DeviceNet or Profibus This bit must be set to 1 , otherwise the stack will alarm and shut down. This bit should be permanently set at 1 . If communications is lost the stack will set it to zero as described below, causing a stack alarm.
With Modbus communications the stack continuously checks to see if the stack is being polled, and if it does not receive a poll for approximately 10 seconds all writable registers will be set to zero. With DeviceNet or Profibus communications, if the fieldbus network stops communicating all writable registers will be set to zero. This action is a safety measure which switches the stack off in the event of failure of the communications.

For all other fieldbus types this bit must be toggled by the host once per second to maintain the stack in the enabled state. If it is not toggled the stack will alarm and all writable registers will be set to zero after 5 seconds. Toggling may be performed by a timer in the host, or alternatively Production Status Register 1, bit 7 is toggled and may be read by the host and written back to Consumption Status Register 2 Bit 6.

Numerical parameters are presented as 16 bit binary values representing the parameter value in engineering units multiplied by 10.
The following tables detail the registers. All registers are 16 bit.

| Read Only (Production) Registers The Modbus address is given. On other |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| $\begin{aligned} & \text { Ref } \\ & \text { No } \end{aligned}$ |  | Name | Additional Information |
| 1 | 01 | Status Register 1 | Stack operating status <br> Bit 0 Line 1 present <br> Bit 1 Line 3 present <br> Bit 2 Phase lock achieved <br> Bit 3 Heatsink temperature OK <br> Bit 4 Phase angle / burst fire mode (burst fire when set) <br> Bit 5 Stack enabled <br> Bit 6 Alarm (Software versions S135E1 issue R2 and S136E1 issue R5 and above) <br> Bit 7 Bit is toggled approximately once per second (stacks supplied from February 2013) <br> Bit 8 Current limit active <br> (stack is being controlled to the limit setpoint) <br> Bit 9 Voltage limit active <br> Bit 10 Power limit active <br> Bits 11-15 not used |
| Remote Setpoints can be read here. They cannot be written by communications. |  |  |  |
| 2 | 02 | Working Setpoint | The setpoint which is controlling the stack (either local or remote), except when a limit setpoint is in control. Value in units associated with the controlled parameter (\%, volts, amps) |
| 3 | 03 | Remote setpoint 1 | Analogue input 1, control setpoint, value in units associated with the controlled parameter (\%, volts, amps) . |
| 4 | 04 | Remote setpoint 2 | Limit setpoint if configured. Value in units associated with configured parameter (\%, volts, amps). Set to zero if 'none' configured. |
| 5 | 05 | Line Voltage | In volts |
| 6 | 06 | Load Voltage | In volts $\quad$ In burst fire mode, when the stack is cycling, the values of the on-stat |
| 7 | 07 | Load 1 Current | In amps load voltage and currents are transmitted continuously, updated at the |
| 8 | 08 | Load 2 Current | In amps end of each on period. When the stack is conducting continuously they |
| 9 | 09 | Load 3 Current | In amps $\begin{aligned} & \text { are updated continuously, and when the stack is off they are reset to } \\ & \text { zero. }\end{aligned}$ |
| 10 | OA | Average Current | Average of the three load currents in amps |
| 11 | OB | Load power (kW) | (Calculated using the formulae in ref 3 under 'Configuration' |
| 12 | OC | Load Power (\%) | As percentage of span |
| 13 | OD | Diagnostic Register | Not implemented |
| Local setpoints read here are as set by the buttons if communications write is not configured, or echo back the values written into the write registers in the next table if communications write is configured. If too large a value is written to the 'write' register, the value echoed back here will be limited to the valid range). |  |  |  |
| 14 | OE | Local Phase angle control setpoint | In units associated with the control parameter (\%, volts, amps) |
| 15 | 0F | Local SS Burst Fire Control Setpoint | In \% |
| 16 | 10 | Local current limit setpoint | In amps |
| 17 | 11 | Local power limit setpoint | In \% |
| 18 | 12 | Local voltage limit setpoint | In volts |
| 19 | 13 | Status Register 2 | Digital I/O and enable status <br> Bits 11 to 15 not used |

## Write (Consumption) Registers

The Modbus address is given. On other fieldbus communications the registers appear in the order below.

| Ref No |  | Name | Additional Information |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |

## Local setpoints

Local control setpoints are those set via the buttons on the stack in the 'local setpoints' menu, or via the comms. Remote setpoints are those set via an analogue input, and they cannot be written via the comms. Local control setpoints can be written to by the comms when comms write is enabled, and cannot then be set using the buttons. The value set in these registers should be the required value multiplied by 10, and expressed in 16 bit binary. This effectively allows one decimal place to be sent; eg setpoint 39.5A, send 395 expressed in binary.

| 1 | 14 | Local phase angle <br> control setpoint | The control setpoint is the normal setpoint which operates when a limit setpoint is not <br> active. It is set in the units applicable to the type of feedback mode set in <br> configuration (\%, volts, amps). |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| 2 | 15 | Local SS Burst <br> Fire Control <br> Setpoint | Set In \% |
| 3 | 16 | Local current limit <br> setpoint | Set in amps (0-Ispan) |
| 4 | 17 | Local power limit <br> setpoint | Set in \% |
| 5 | 18 | Local voltage limit <br> setpoint | Set in volts (0-V VPAN) |

## MODBUS RTU COMMANDS AND DATA FORMATS

The Modbus RTU communications accept the following Modbus commands:-

0x03 Read Holding Registers
$0 \times 10$ Force Multiple Registers
$0 \times 05$ Force Single Coil (Bit)

Applicable to the whole address range.
Applicable to the Write address range above
Applicable to Status register 2, bits 0-6

The Modbus data formats (set in the configuration menu) are:-
No parity, 8 data bits, 2 stop bits
Even parity, 8 data bits, 1 stop bit
Odd parity, 8 data bits, 1 stop bit.

## COMMUNICATIONS HARDWARE

## Before making changes to the settings or removing / replacing the communications daughter board the control board power supply must be switched off.

The RS485 interface associated with Modbus communications is fitted on the main control board. If any other communications fieldbus is specified the Modbus interface is not fitted and a separate daughter board is mounted on the control board immediately above the connectors.
Prior to December 2012 the daughter boards fitted were HMS (www.hms.se) 'Anybus-S' type; DeviceNet and Profibus DP versions have been fitted. To remove this type of board to gain access to jumpers fitted beneath it simply remove the three M3 screws which attach it to its support pillars.
From December 2012 onwards a new interface daughter board is fitted into which a grey HMS 'CompactCom' (ABCC) module is plugged. These modules are available for various fieldbuses. To remove this type of board to gain access to jumpers fitted beneath it the three M3 screws which attach it to its support pillars must be removed. One of these screws is underneath the ABCC module which must first be removed. To do this slacken off the two Torx (T8) screws which retain its fascia (which faces downwards). The module may then be slid downwards out of
its connector. (It is a tight fit and care should be exercised. When replacing the module ensure that it is fully home in the socket, and that the hooks locate correctly under the edge of the daughter board).

## SWITCH SETTINGS AND LEDS ON THE ANYBUS-S DEVICENET / PROFIBUS CARDS (WHEN FITTED)

The DIP switch on the DeviceNet card enables setting of the baud rate and MAC ID. Settings for baud rate etc on the display configuration menu refer only to the Modbus communications, and are not available when the DeviceNet card is fitted. The Mode setting in the configuration menu (Read only or read/write) is applicable to both Modbus and DeviceNet.

The DIP switch settings are only read at switch on of the stack control card supply.
1,2 Set the baud rate
$00=125 \mathrm{k} ; 01=250 \mathrm{k} ; 10=500 \mathrm{k}$; (11 reserved)
3-8 Module address (MAC ID); (coded in binary, switch $3=$ MSB, $8=$ LSB) Addresses 0-63 may be set.
There are 4 LEDs on the DeviceNet card. The two left hand LEDs are unused. The right hand LEDs are 'Network Status' and 'Module Status'. Indications are as follows:-

| Module Status | Steady off | No network power |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
|  | Steady red | Unrecoverable fault |
|  | Steady green | Device operational |
|  | Flashing red | Minor fault |
| Network Status | Steady off | Not powered / Not on line |
|  | Steady green | Link OK on line. Connected |
|  | Steady red | Critical link failure |
|  | Flashing green | On line not connected |
|  | Flashing red | Connection time out |

The Profibus card is fitted with two rotary switches which enable the station address to be set in the decimal range 1-99 (Left hand switch = 10s, right hand switch = units).

The 2-pole DIP switch activates line termination. Each bus segment in a PROFIBUS network must be terminated properly to ensure error-free operation. If the module is used as the first or last node in a network segment, the termination switch should be in ON position. Otherwise the switch should be in OFF position.

Note: If an external termination connector is used, the switch must be in OFF position.
The LEDs on the Profibus card are as in the table below.

| Fieldbus Online <br> (Top right) | Green | Bus online data exchange possible |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
|  | Off | Bus not online (or no power) |
| Fieldbus Offline | Red | Bus offline |
| (Bottom right) | Off | Bus not offline (or no power |
| Fieldbus Diagnostics <br> (Bottom left) | Off | No diagnostics present (or no power) |
|  | Red, flashing $(1 \mathrm{~Hz})$ | Error in Configuration Data |
|  | Red, flashing $(2 \mathrm{~Hz})$ | Error in Parameter Data |
|  | Red, flashing $(4 \mathrm{~Hz})$ | Error in initialisation of the PROFIBUS communication ASIC |
|  | Red, flashing $(8 \mathrm{~Hz})$ | Watchdog timeout (internal error) |

## SWITCH SETTINGS AND LEDS ON THE DAUGHTER BOARD WITH ANYBUS COMPACTCOM MODULES

This daughter board, fitted from December 2012 onwards, interfaces between the main processor on the control board and the HMS Anybus ABCC module. The board is fitted with two LEDs, a DIP switch and jumpers. The DIP switch and jumpers are only read at power up. Their function depends on the network type of the ABCC module fitted. Details are below. Fieldbus network status is indicated on separate LEDs on the ABCC module. Details of these for various network types are provided at the back of the manual.


LED1 indicates the status of communication between the daughter board and the main control board. Before communication is established it blinks at a fast rate ( 0.25 s toggle), and when communication is established (normal operation) it blinks at a slow rate (1s toggle).

LED2 indicates the fieldbus network status. It remains off unless network communication is established.

## Switch and jumper settings with DeviceNet ABCC module fitted

The switch operates in the same way as the switch on the older Anybus-S cards:-
1,2 Set the baud rate
$00=125 \mathrm{k} ; 01=250 \mathrm{k} ; 10=500 \mathrm{k}$; (11 reserved)
3-8 Module address (MAC ID); (coded in binary, switch $3=$ MSB, $8=$ LSB) Addresses $0-63$ may be set.
The jumpers have no function and should be left unlinked.

## Switch and jumper settings with Profibus ABCC module fitted*

*This information may be subject to change.
The switch sets the module address in the range 0-125, coded in binary; switch $2=$ MSB, $8=$ LSB. Addresses 1-125 are valid.

The jumpers have no function and should be left unlinked.

## Switch and jumper settings with Profinet ABCC module fitted

The jumpers and switch are only read at power up.
Jumper 2 (2-way, unmarked in the drawing) has no function and should be left unlinked.
Jumpers 1:B and 1:C affect the station name setting (see below) and should never be fitted.
If jumper 1:A is fitted at power up the values of IP address and Profinet Station Name stored in the ABCC module will be reset to their default state. The default IP address is 0.0 .0 .0 . The station name is left empty. These are the values that a Profinet controller will expect to see when a station is attached to a Profinet network being configured for the first time. These are also the values that will be in the ABCC module when the thyristor stack is supplied new. After using the jumper to set the default values it should be removed before the next power up, otherwise newly written values will again be reset to the defaults.
The switch enables a Profinet Station Name for the thyristor stack to be written to the ABCC module where it is stored. Normally the Station Name will be assigned by the Profinet controller, and written by the controller when the Profinet network is commissioned. Subsequently, if a replacement thyristor stack has to be fitted it will be recognised by the controller if it has the correct station name, and in these circumstances it is useful to be able to assign the station name to the replacement from within the thyristor stack.

If the switch is set to all off then no change is made to the value of the Station Name. This is the normal setting for the switch.

Switches 3 to 8 enable a value 1 to 63 to be set (binary coded with switch $3=$ MSB, switch $8=$ LSB). If set at power up a station name will be written to the ABCC module of the form Thyristor-0xx where xx is the number set on the switch. After writing a name the switch should ideally be set back to all off, to avoid rewriting the name to the ABCC module each time the thyristor stack is powered up.

To make use of this facility the Station Name chosen for the thyristor stack when the system is designed / commissioned must be of the form Thyristor-0xx.

## OPTION PNH - PROFINET DAUGHTER BOARD WITH HILSCHER NETJACK MODULE

The data is arranged as follows:
Read (production) Data; $\quad 19$ off 16 bit registers arranged as 3 off 2 byte slots and 1 off 32 byte slot.
Write (consumption) Data; 6 off 16 bit registers arranged as 6 off 2 byte slots.
The jumpers have no function and should not be fitted.
If the DIP switch is set with all positions off then the values used for Station Name and IP address will be the last value written to (and stored in) the Netjack module via the Profinet network. (Specifically not the last value set via the DIP switch).
If a numerical value is set on the DIP switch then the station name and IP address will be of the form thyristor-0xx and 192-168-0-xx where $x x$ is the value set on the DIP switch. Switches 3 to 8 enable the value 1 to 63 to be set (binary coded with switch $3=\mathrm{MSB}$, switch $8=\mathrm{LSB}$ ). The switch is only read at power up, but these values are not stored on power down so the switch must be left on if these values are to remain active..
LED1 indicates the status of communication between the daughter board and the main control board. Before communication is established it blinks at a fast rate ( 0.25 s toggle), and when communication is established (normal operation) it blinks at a slow rate (1s toggle).
LED2 indicates the fieldbus network status. It remains off unless network cyclical data exchange is established.

## LEDs on the Netjack Module

| SYS | System Status | This LED should be on permanent green. |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| SF | System Failure | Off <br> Flashing Red Red | Normal status. <br> Response to a DCP signal from the controller. System error. |
| BF | Bus Failure | Off <br> Flashing Red Red | Normal: cyclical data exchange with controller established No cyclical data exchange. Network disconnected. |

## Overview



| $\#$ | Description | Description |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| A | DeviceNet Connector | See Appendix B-1 "Connectors" |
| B | Configuration Switches | See 2-3 "MAC ID \& Baud Rate Configuration" |
| C | Network Status LEDs | See 1-2 "Network Status LEDs" |

## Network Status LEDs

These leds indicate run time status and errors to the user.

| LED | State | Meaning |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Network Status (NS) | Off | Not powered, not on line |
|  | Green | On line, one or more connections established |
|  | Green, flashing | On line, no connections established |
|  | Red | Critical link failure |
|  | Red, flashing | One or more connections timed out |
|  | Alternating Red/Green | Device self-test in progress |
|  | Off | No power |
|  | Green | Normal operation |
|  | Green, flashing | Auto baud in progress |
|  | Red | Major fault |
|  | Red, flashing | Minor fault |
|  | Alternating Red/Green | Device self-test in progress |

## Overview



| $\#$ | Description | Notes |
| :---: | :--- | :--- |
| 1 | PROFIBUS Connector | See C-1 "Connectors" |
| 2 | Termination Switch | See below. |
| 3 | Node Address Switches |  |
| 4 | Status Indicators |  |

## Termination Switch

Each bus segment in a PROFIBUS network must be terminated properly to ensure error-free operation. If the module is used as the first or last node in a network segment, the termination switch shall to be in ON position. Otherwise the switch has to be in OFF position.


Note: If an external termination connector is used, the switch must be in OFF position.

## Node Address Switches

These rotary switches can be used to set the node address of the module in the range 1... 99. The switches are read once during startup, i.e. if the setting is changed, a reset is required in order for the change to have effect.


## Example:

When the left switch is set to 4 and the right one is set to 2 , the final value will be 42 .

## Status Indicators

| Led | State | Description |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Fieldbus Online | Green | Bus online, data exchange possible |
|  | Off | Bus not online (or no power) |
|  | Red | Bus offline |
|  | Off | Bus not offline (or no power) |
| Fieldbus Diagnostics | Off | No diagnostics present (or no power) |
|  | Red, flashing (1 Hz) | Error in Configuration Data |
|  | Red, flashing (2 Hz) | Error in Parameter Data |
|  | Red, flashing (4 Hz) | Error in initialisation of the PROFIBUS communication ASIC |
|  | Red, flashing (8 Hz) | Watchdog timeout (internal error) |

### 1.3 Front View

| $\#$ | Item |
| :--- | :--- |
| 1 | Network Status LED |
| 2 | Module status LED |
| 3 | DeviceNet Connector |
| 4 | M12 Female Connector |
| 5 | M12 Male Connector |



## Network Status

| State | Indication |
| :--- | :--- |
| Off | Not online / No power |
| Green | On-line, one or more connections are established |
| Flashing Green (1 Hz) | On-line, no connections established |
| Red | Critical link failure |
| Flashing Red $(1 \mathrm{~Hz})$ | One or more connections timed-out |
| Alternating Red/Green | Self test |

## Module Status

| State | Indication |
| :--- | :--- |
| Off | No power |
| Green | Operating in normal condition |
| Flashing Green (1 Hz) | Missing or incomplete configuration, device needs commissioning |
| Red | Unrecoverable Fault(s) |
| Flashing Red (1 Hz) | Recoverable Fault(s) |
| Alternating Red/Green | Self test |

## DeviceNet Connector

This connector provides DeviceNet connectivity.

| Pin | Signal | Description |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| 1 | V- | Negative bus supply voltage $^{\mathrm{a}}$ |
| 2 | CAN_L | CAN low bus line |
| 3 | SHIELD | Cable shield |
| 4 | CAN_H | CAN high bus line |
| 5 | V+ | Positive bus supply voltage ${ }^{\mathrm{a}}$ |

a. DeviceNet bus power. For more information, see D-48 "Technical Specification".

### 1.3 Front View

| $\#$ | Item |
| :--- | :--- |
| 1 | Operation Mode |
| 2 | Status |
| 3 | PROFIBUS Connector |
| 4 | M12 Female Connector |
| 5 | M12 Male Connector |



## Operation Mode

| State | Indication | Comments |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Off | Not online / No power | - |
| Green | Data exchange | - |
| Flashing Green | Clear | - |
| Flashing Red (1 flash) | Parametrization error | See "Parametrization Data Handling" on page 15 |
| Flashing Red (2 flashes) | PROFIBUS Configuration error | See "Configuration Data Handling" on page 16 |

## Status

| State | Indication | Comments |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Off | Not initialized | Anybus state = 'SETUP'"' or 'NW_INIT'' |
| Green | Initialized | Anybus module has left the 'NW_INIT' state |
| Flashing Green | Initialized, diagnostic event(s) present | Extended diagnostic bit is set |
| Red | Exception error | Anybus state = 'EXCEPTION' |

### 1.3 Front View



## Network Status LED

Note: A test sequence is performed on this LED during startup.

| LED State | Description | Comments |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Off | Offline | - No power <br> - No connection with IO Controller |
| Green | Online (RUN) | - Connection with IO Controller established <br> - IO Controller in RUN state |
| Green, flashing | Online (STOP) | - Connection with IO Controller established <br> - IO Controller in STOP state |

## Module Status LED

Note: A test sequence is performed on this LED during startup.

| LED State | Description | Comments |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Off | Not Initialized | No power - or - Module in 'SETUP' or 'NW_INIT' state |
| Green | Normal Operation | Module has shifted from the 'NW_INIT' state |
| Green, 1 flash | Diagnostic Event(s) | Diagnostic event(s) present |
| Green, 2 flashes | Blink | Used by engineering tools to identify the node on the network |
| Red | Exception Error | Module in state ‘EXCEPTION' |
| Red, 1 flash | Configuration Error | Expected Identification differs from Real Identification |
| Red, 2 flashes | IP Address Error | IP address not set |
| Red, 3 flashes | Station Name Error | Station Name not set |
| Red, 4 flashes | Internal Error | Module has encountered a major internal error |

## LINK/Activity LED

| LED State | Description | Comments |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Off | No Link | No link, no communication present |
| Green | Link | Ethernet link established, no communication present |
| Green, flickering | Activity | Ethernet link established, communication present |

## Ethernet Interface

The Ethernet interface operates at 100 Mbit , full duplex, with autonegotiation enabled as default.

## IMPORTANT:

For information on how to connect the PROFINET cable, see "Protective Earth (PE) Requirements" on page 150.

