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# About This Document

## Abstract

The "Control Builder" configuration software program is used for UMC800 Controller and Operator Interface configuration and operates on a Windows '95™- or Windows NT-based PC. The software program uses graphic symbols and line drawing connections to create custom control strategies. Menus are provided in the software to allow selection of screens for the operator interface and to customize screen access methods and operator keys. Completed configurations are loaded into the control system using a dedicated communication port in the controller.

## References

The following list identifies all documents that may be sources of reference for material discussed in this publication.

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UMC800 Controller Technical Overview	51-52-03-24
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	Earth Ground. Functional earth connection. NOTE: This connection shall be bonded to Protective earth at the source of supply in accordance with national and local electrical code requirements.
	Chassis Ground. Identifies a connection to the chassis or frame of the equipment shall be bonded to Protective Earth at the source of supply in accordance with national and local electrical code requirements.

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# Introduction

## Overview

### Purpose of this section

This Reference Guide presents detailed reference data for each function block. The reference data is organized in **alphabetical** order by the Function Block type identification label.

There is a list of Function Blocks **grouped in categories** as they appear on the Control Builder.

The presented data covers each control block's:

- function,
- inputs/outputs,
- point name,
- configuration parameters
- index numbers (used for reading [RCON] and writing [WCON] block parameter constants)



#### ATTENTION

Select the index number of the required parameter from the specific function block reference data and enter it in the appropriate field in the "Read Constant Properties" (RCON) or "Write Constant Properties" (WCON) dialog box.

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- technical reference
- examples

Of course, data varies based on what is pertinent for each function block since they do not all have a point name or configuration parameters and do not all require technical reference information.

### Reader assumptions

It is assumed that you are familiar with the operation of the UMC800 Control Builder, and that you have read the following manual.

- UMC800 Control Builder User's Guide (51-52-25-63)

## Function Block Groups

### Introduction

Table 1 lists the Function Blocks by category.

**Table 1 Function block by category**

Category	Block Type	Reference Page
Loop Blocks	Analog Input (AI)	14
	Analog Out (AO)	36
	Time Prop Out (TPO)	261
	PID (PID)	185
	On-Off (ONOF)	162
	Carbon Potential (CARB)	44
	Loop Switch (LPSW)	117
	Mode Switch (MDSW)	141
	Mode Flags (MDFL)	143
	3 Position Step (TPSC)	263
	Write Tuning Constants (WTUN)	285
	Auto Manual Bias (AMB)	24
SP Program	Programmer (SPP)	227
	Recipe Selector (RCP)	210
	Event Decoder (SPEV)	224
	Synchronizer (SYNC)	252
Setpoint Scheduler	Setpoint Scheduler (SPS)	237
	State Switch (STSW)	246
	State Flag (STFL)	245
	Setpoint Scheduler Aux (SPSA)	241
	Event Decoder (SPEV)	224
Logic	Discrete Input (DI)	78
	8 Discrete Inputs (8DI)	80
	Discrete Output (DO)	84
	8 Discrete Outputs (8DO)	86
	Pushbutton (PB)	179
	Frequency Input (FI)	94
	Pulse Input (PI)	182
	2 Input AND (2AND)	30
	4 Input AND (4AND)	32
	8 Input AND (8AND)	34
	2 Input OR (2OR)	172
	4 Input OR (4OR)	174
	8 Input OR (8OR)	176
	Exclusive OR (XOR)	291
	NOT (NOT)	157
	Digital Switch (DSW)	89
	Trigger (TRIG)	277
	Latch (LTCH)	120
	Toggle Flip-Flop (TGFF)	256
	Free-Form Logic (BOOL)	41
Pushbutton (PB)	179	
Four Selector Switch (FSS)	97	

Category	Block Type	Reference Page
Fast Logic	Discrete Input (DI)	78
	8 Discrete Inputs (8DI)	80
	Discrete Output (DO)	84
	8 Discrete Outputs (8DO)	86
	2 Input AND (2AND)	30
	4 Input AND (4AND)	32
	8 Input AND (8AND)	34
	2 Input OR (2OR)	172
	4 Input OR (4OR)	174
	8 Input OR (8OR)	176
	Exclusive OR (XOR)	291
	NOT (NOT)	157
	Digital Switch (DSW)	89
	Trigger (TRIG)	277
	Latch (LTCH)	120
	Toggle Flip-Flop (TGFF)	256
System Monitor (FSYS)	100	
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	Periodic Timer (PT)	205
	Up Down Counter (UPDN)	279
	Off Delay Timer (OFDT)	160
	On Delay Timer (ONDT)	158
Math	Scale and Bias (SCB)	222
	Addition (ADD)	11
	Subtract (SUB)	247
	Multiply (MUL)	152
	Divide (DIV)	83
	4 Input ADD (4ADD)	12
	4 Input SUB (4SUB)	248
	4 Input MUL (4MUL)	154
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	Deviation Compare (DCMP)	70
	Absolute Value (ABS)	9
	Square Root (SQRT)	243
	Mass Flow (MSF)	149
	Max-Min-Ave-Sum (MMA)	145
	Negate (NEG)	156
	Relative Humidity (RH)	212
	Dewpoint (DEWP)	75
	Totalize (TOT)	258
Continuous Average (CAVG)	61	
Alarm Monitor	High Monitor (HMON)	103
	Low Monitor (LMON)	115
	System Monitor (ASYS)	38
	Analog Alarm (ALM)	20
Signal Selector	High Selector (HSEL)	110
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	Analog Switch (SW)	250
	Rotary Switch (RSW)	217
	Bumpless Transfer (XFR)	289

<b>Category</b>	<b>Block Type</b>	<b>Reference Page</b>
Auxiliary	Function Generator (FGEN)	90
	Lead Lag (LDLG)	112
	High-Low Limiter (HLLM)	101
	Velocity Limiter (VLIM)	281
	Rate of Change (ROC)	214
	Read Constant (RCON)	208
	Write Constant (WCON)	283
	Write Variable (WVAR)	287
	Track and Hold (TAHD)	254
	BCD Translator (BCD)	39
	Digital Encoder (DENC)	73
	Hand/Off/Auto (HOA)	105
	Device Control (DC)	65
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# Function Blocks

## Introduction

While you can determine the function of many blocks just from their labels and Input/output abbreviations, the purpose of others may be a complete mystery. This section is designed to familiarize you with function blocks in general and provide detailed reference data for each block.

### In this section

A listing of each function block type and respective reference page follows.

Function Block Type Identification Label		See Page
<b>ABS</b>	(Absolute Value)	9
<b>ADD</b>	(Addition 2 Inputs)	11
<b>4ADD</b>	(Addition 4 Inputs)	12
<b>AI</b>	(Analog Input)	14
<b>ALM</b>	(Analog Alarm)	20
<b>AMB</b>	(Auto/Manual Bias)	24
<b>2AND</b>	(AND - 2 Inputs)	30
<b>4AND</b>	(AND - 4 Inputs)	32
<b>8AND</b>	(AND - 8 Inputs)	34
<b>AO</b>	(Analog Output)	36
<b>ASYS</b>	(Alarm System Monitor)	38
<b>BCD</b>	(Binary Coded Decimal Translator)	39
<b>BOOL</b>	(Free Form Logic)	41
<b>CARB</b>	(Carbon Potential)	44
<b>CAVG</b>	(Continuous Average)	61
<b>CMPR</b>	(Comparison)	64
<b>DC</b>	(Device Control)	65
<b>DCMP</b>	(Deviation Compare)	70
<b>DENC</b>	(Digital Encoder)	73
<b>DEWP</b>	(Dewpoint)	75
<b>DI</b>	(Digital Input)	78
<b>8DI</b>	(Eight Digital Inputs)	80
<b>DIV</b>	(Division)	83
<b>DO</b>	(Digital Output)	84

Function Block Type Identification Label		See Page
<b>8DO</b>	(8 Digital Outputs)	86
<b>DSW</b>	(Digital Switch)	89
<b>FGEN</b>	(Function Generator)	90
<b>FI</b>	(Frequency Input)	94
<b>FSS</b>	(Four-Selector Switch)	97
<b>FSYS</b>	(System Monitor-Fast Logic)	100
<b>HLLM</b>	(High-Low Limiter)	101
<b>HMON</b>	(High Monitor)	103
<b>HOA</b>	(Hand/Off/Auto)	105
<b>HSEL</b>	(High Selector)	110
<b>LDLG</b>	(Lead Lag)	112
<b>LMON</b>	(Low Monitor)	115
<b>LPSW</b>	(Loop Switch)	117
<b>LSEL</b>	(Low Selector)	119
<b>LTCH</b>	(Latch)	120
<b>MATH</b>	(Free Form Math)	122
<b>MBR</b>	(Modbus Read)	126
<b>MBS</b>	(Modbus Slave)	130
<b>MBW</b>	(Modbus Write)	137
<b>MDSW</b>	(Mode Switch)	141
<b>MDFL</b>	(Mode Flag)	143
<b>MMA</b>	(Min-Max-Average-Sum)	145
<b>MSF</b>	(Mass Flow)	149
<b>MUL</b>	(Multiplication - 2 Inputs)	152
<b>4MUL</b>	(Multiplication - 4 Inputs)	154
<b>NEG</b>	(Negate)	156
<b>NOT</b>	(Not Boolean Logic)	157
<b>ONDT</b>	(On Delay Timer)	158
<b>OFDT</b>	(Off Delay Timer)	160
<b>ON/OFF</b>	(On/Off Control)	162
<b>2OR</b>	(OR - 2 Inputs)	172
<b>4OR</b>	(OR - 4 Inputs)	174

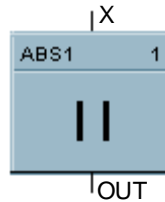
Function Block Type Identification Label		See Page
<b>8OR</b>	(OR - 8 Inputs)	176
<b>PB</b>	(Pushbutton)	179
<b>PI</b>	(Pulse Input)	182
<b>PID</b>	(Proportional, Integral, Derivative)	185
<b>PT</b>	(Periodic Timer)	205
<b>RCON</b>	(Read Configuration Parameter Data)	208
<b>RCP</b>	(Recipe Selector)	210
<b>RH</b>	(Relative Humidity)	212
<b>ROC</b>	(Rate of Change)	214
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<b>SW</b>	(Analog Switch)	250
<b>SYNC</b>	(Synchronize)	252
<b>TAHD</b>	(Track and Hold)	254
<b>TGFF</b>	(Toggle Flip Flop)	256
<b>TOT</b>	(Totalizer)	258
<b>TPO</b>	(Time Proportional Output)	261
<b>TPSC</b>	(Three Position Step Control)	263
<b>TRIG</b>	(Trigger)	277
<b>UPDN</b>	(UP/Down Counter)	279
<b>VLIM</b>	(Velocity (rate) Limiter)	281
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## ABS Function Block

### Description

The **ABS** label stands for **Absolute Value**. This block is part of the *Calculations* category. It looks like this graphically on the Control Builder.



### Function

Calculate the absolute value of a single analog variable input.

- $OUT = [ X ]$

### Input

**X** = Analog value to be modified.

### Output

**OUT** = modified value.

### Block properties

Double click on the function block to access the function block properties dialog box.

#### **Block Order (Read Only)**

You can change the assigned execution order number by selecting “Execution Order” in the “Configure” menu and arrange the order to suit your control strategy.

### ABS example

Figure 1 shows a Function Block Diagram configuration using an ABS function block to calculate the absolute value of the deviation between two analog inputs.

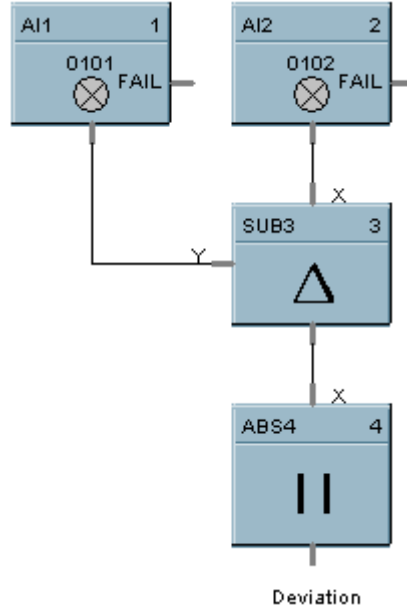
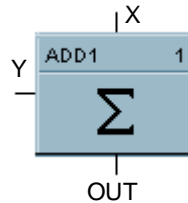


Figure 1 ABS function block example

## ADD Function Block

### Description

The **ADD** label stands for **Addition Mathematical Operation (2 Inputs)**. This block is part of the *Math* category. It looks like this graphically on the Control Builder.



### Function

Add two inputs (X,Y) to get an output.

- $OUT = X + Y$

### Input

**X** = First Analog Input  
**Y** = Second Analog Input

### Output

**OUT** = Sum of analog values

### Block properties

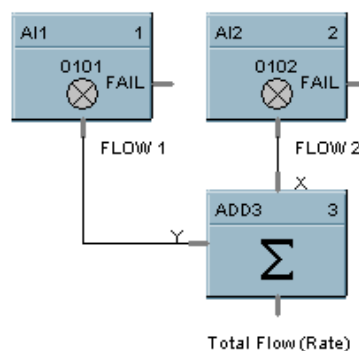
Double click on the function block to access the function block properties dialog box.

#### Block Order (Read Only)

You can change the assigned execution order number by selecting “Execution Order” in the “Configure” menu and arrange the order to suit your control strategy.

### ADD example

Figure 2 shows a Function Block Diagram using an ADD function block to find the total flow rate as the sum of Flow 1 and Flow 2.

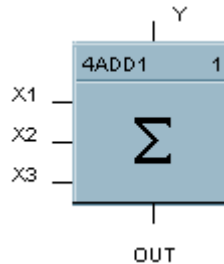


**Figure 2 ADD function block example**

## 4ADD Function Block

### Description

The **4ADD** label stands for **Addition Mathematical Operation (4 Inputs)**. This block is part of the *Math* category. It looks like this graphically on the Control Builder.



### Function

Add FOUR inputs (X1, X2, X3, Y) to get an output.

- **OUT** = X1 + X2 + X3 + Y

### Input

**X1** = First Analog Input  
**X2** = Second Analog Input  
**X3** = Third Analog Input  
**Y** = Fourth Analog Input



#### ATTENTION

All four inputs must be connected or unused inputs inverted. Unconnected inputs default to zero.

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### Output

**OUT** = Sum of the analog values

### Block properties

Double click on the function block to access the function block properties dialog box.

#### Block Order (Read Only)

You can change the assigned execution order number by selecting “Execution Order” in the “Configure” menu and arrange the order to suit your control strategy.



### 4ADD example

Figure 3 shows a Function Block diagram using a 4ADD function block to find the total Flow rate as the sum of Flow 1, Flow 2, Flow 3, and Flow 4.

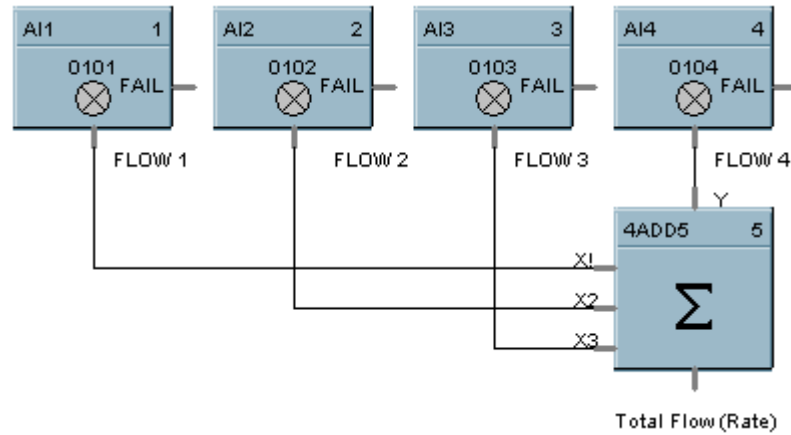
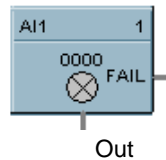


Figure 3 4ADD function block example

## AI Function Block

### Description

The **AI** label stands for **Analog Input**. This block is part of the *Loops* category. It looks like this graphically on the Control Builder.



### Function

Read value of an Analog Input from a specified real I/O address. Convert analog input value to corresponding output (OUT) in engineering units based on the necessary scaling and conversions performed.

**LINEAR** - Converts analog input value to corresponding output in units based on a linear 0 % to 100 % scale and specified high and low range values.

$$\text{OUT} = \text{Scale} \times \text{Input value} + \text{Bias}$$

where

:

$$\text{Scale} = \frac{\text{High range value} - \text{Low range value}}{100}$$

$$\text{Input value} = \text{Analog Value in percent}$$

**T/C or RTD** - Converts analog input value in engineering units using the range of Input Type.



### ATTENTION

The failsafe detection on this input block configured for 4-20mA range is:

Low Detection: -3.2mA  
High Detection: 21.6mA

Outside of the range the flag (Input Fail) is ON. There is no detection from 0 to 4 mA, but the block continues to work and provide data which could be compared via an Alarm Block.

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### Input

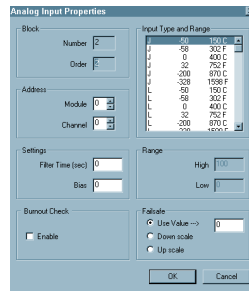
Analog value from specified real I/O address.

### Output

**OUT** =  
Analog Input value in engineering units.

**FAIL** =  
Digital status of channel  
Digital Low (0) = OK  
Digital High (1) = Open sensor or failed input channel.

## Configuration parameters



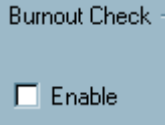
This is a view of the AI Properties Dialog box.

You must configure the AI function block parameters to the desired values or selections that match your operating requirements.

Table 2 describes the parameters and the value or selection.

**Table 2 Analog input configuration parameters**

Properties Group	Parameter	Index #	Parameter Description	Value or Selection
Block	Order	N/A	Execution Order for Block	Read Only. See "Configure" Menu, "Execution Order" to change.
	I/O Module		Address of selected I/O module (must match model selection guide)	Enter a value: from 1 to 6
	Channel		Channel on selected I/O Module	Enter a value: from 1 to 4
Input Type and Range	Input Type and Range	N/A	Thermocouple Input types RTD Input types Linear Input types	Select from list box. See Table 3 for Input Type and Range
Range	High Range Value	N/A	For Linear Inputs Only - output value that corresponds to 100 % input value  For example: Actuation Input = 4-20mA Process variable = Flow Range of Flow = 0 to 250 gal/min High Range Display Value = 250 Low range Display Value = 0 Then 20mA = 250, 4mA = 0	Enter a value: ± 99999 to ± 99999
	Low Range Value	N/A	For Linear Inputs Only - output value that corresponds to 0 % input value For example: See "High Range Value"	Enter a value: ± 99999 to ± 99999

Properties Group	Parameter	Index #	Parameter Description	Value or Selection
<b>Settings</b>	<b>Filter Time (sec)</b>	N/A	A software digital filter is provided for the input designated to smooth the input. You can configure the first order lag time constant from 1 to 120 seconds. 0=no filter	Enter a value: 0 to 120 seconds
	<b>Bias</b>	3	Bias is used to compensate the input for drift of an input value due to deterioration of a sensor, or some other cause.	Enter a value: ±9999 to ±99999
<b>Failsafe</b>	<b>Use Value field</b>	N/A	The output value to which the output will go to protect against the effects of failure of the equipment, such as, fuel shut-off if there is loss of flame in a furnace, or a sensor break.	Enter a value in Engineering Units ±9999 to ±99999
	<b>Use Value</b>	5	Use the value entered in the appropriate field.	Click on Radio button to select
	<b>Downscale</b>	5	<b>LINEAR</b> OUT = Value set at "Low range value" field.  <b>T/C or RTD</b> OUT = Value of Low range implied by input type.	Click on Radio button to select
	<b>Upscale</b>		<b>LINEAR</b> OUT = Value set at "High range value" field.  <b>T/C or RTD</b> OUT = Value of High range implied by input type.	Click on Radio button to select
<b>Burnout Check</b>		5	Burnout check enable (Thermocouples only)	Click on block to select or deselect

### Failsafe rules

If the controller is unable to access the physical channel or the sensor is faulty, and:

- If Failsafe is "Use Value"                   OUT = Configured Failsafe value
- If Failsafe is enabled and downscale      OUT = Range Lo (linear)  
Low Range Value of input type (T/C and RTD)
- If Failsafe is enabled and upscale         OUT = Range Hi (linear)  
High Range Value of input type (T/C and RTD)

**Table 3 Input Types and Ranges**

Input Type	Range
<b>Thermocouple Input Types</b>	
J	-50 to 150 °C
J	-58 to 302 °F
J	0 to 400 °C
J	32 to 752 °F
J	-200 to 870 °C
J	-328 to 1598 °F
L	-50 to 150 °C
L	-58 to 302 °F
L	0 to 400 °C
L	32 to 752 °F
L	-200 to 870 °C
L	-328 to 1598 °F
K	0 to 400 °C
K	32 to 752 °F
K	0 to 800 °C
K	32 to 1472 °F
K	0 to 1200 °C
K	32 to 2192 °F
K	-200 to 1370 °C
K	-328 to 2498 °F
N	0 to 400 °C
N	32 to 752 °F
N	0 to 800 °C
N	32 to 1472 °F
N	0 to 1200 °C
N	32 to 2192 °F
N	-200 to 1300 °C
N	-328 to 2372 °F
R	-20 to 1760 °C
R	-4 to 3200 °F
S	0 to 1600 °C
S	32 to 2912 °F

Input Type	Range
<b>Thermocouple Input Types (cont.)</b>	
S	-20 to 1760 °C
S	-4 to 3200 °F
T	-50 to 150 °C
T	-58 to 302 °C
T	0 to 150 °C
T	32 to 302 °F
T	50 to 150 °C
T	122 to 302 °F
T	-200 to 400 °C
T	-328 to 752 °F
T	-90 to 240 °C
T	-130 to 464 °F
U	-50 to 150 °C
U	-58 to 302 °F
U	0 to 150 °C
U	32 to 302 °F
U	50 to 150 °C
U	122 to 302 °F
U	-200 to 400 °C
U	-328 to 752 °F
NiMo	0 to 1400 °C
NiMo	32 to 2552 °F
W_W26	-20 to 2320 °C
W_W26	-4 to 4208 °F
W5W26	-20 to 2320 °C
W5W26	-4 to 4208 °F
PR20-40	0 to 1800 °C
PR20-40	32 to 3272 °F
B	40 to 1820 °C
B	104 to 3308 °F
MoCo*	0 to 1400 °C
MoCo*	32 to 2552 °F
PLTNL	-70 to 750 °C
PLTNL	-94 to 1382 °F
PLTNL	0 to 1380 °C
PLTNL	32 to 2516 °F

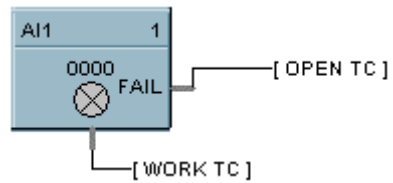
\*Nickel/Nickel Moly, 1990 temp. Standard

Input Type	Range
<b>RTD Input Types</b>	
Pt100	-50 to 150 °C
Pt100	-58 to 302 °F
Pt100	0 to 100 °C
Pt100	32 to 212 °F
Pt100	0 to 200 °C
Pt100	32 to 392 °F
Pt100	0 to 400 °C
Pt100	32 to 752 °F
Pt100	-200 to 800 °C
Pt100	-328 to 1472 °F
Pt100	-90 to 240 °C
Pt100	-130 to 464 °F
JIS	-50 to 150 °C
JIS	-58 to 302 °F
JIS	0 to 100 °C
JIS	32 to 212 °F
JIS	0 to 200 °C
JIS	32 to 392 °F
JIS	0 to 400 °C
JIS	32 to 752 °F
JIS	-200 to 500 °C
JIS	-328 to 932 °F
Ni50	-80 to 320 °C
Ni50	-112 to 608 °F
Ni508	-80 to 150 °C
Ni508	-112 to 302 °F
Cu10	-20 to 250 °C
Cu10	-4 to 482 °F
Ohms	0 to 200
Ohms	0 to 2000

Input Type	Range
<b>Linear Input Types</b>	
mV	0 to 10
mV	-10 to 10
mV	0 to 20
mV	-20 to 20
mV	0 to 50
mV	-50 to 50
mV	10 to 50
mV	0 to 100
mV	-100 to 100
mV	0 to 500
mV	-500 to 500
mA	0 to 20
mA	4 to 20
V	0 to 1
V	-1 to 1
V	0 to 2
V	-2 to 2
V	0 to 5
V	-5 to 5
V	1 to 5
V	0 to 10
V	-10 to 10

### Example

Figure 4 shows a Function Block Diagram configuration using an AI function block.



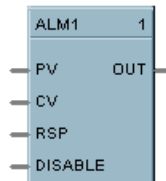
AI used for work temperature monitoring. Tag descriptors are used to identify the input. A digital tag connected to the fail output can alarm on an open sensor.

**Figure 4 AI function block example**

## ALM Function Block

### Description

The **ALM** label stands for the **Analog Alarm function**. This block is part of the *Alarms/Monitor* category. It looks like this graphically on the Control Builder.



### Function

The analog alarm block accepts an analog signal as a process variable and compares it to a limit value (setpoint) to determine an alarm condition. The setpoint may be entered by the user or be another analog signal in the controller.

Alarm actions may be high, low or high deviation, low deviation or band deviation. For deviation alarming, a second analog signal provides the reference and setpoints represent deviation from the reference.

The alarm output may be inverted to create normally active digital output. A user selection for latching until acknowledged or automatically reset is provided.

A user-specified hysteresis value in the engineering units of the process variable is provided.

An on-delay time value up to 240 seconds is available to prevent momentary alarm actions. A digital reset input is available to disable alarm actions.

### Alarm type function

#### **(PV>SP) High Process Variable/Local Setpoint**

- OUT = ON If the PV is greater than the local Setpoint
- OUT = OFF If the PV is less than the Local Setpoint minus Hysteresis

#### **(PV>CV) High Process Variable/Compare Value**

- OUT = ON If the PV is greater than the Compare Value (CV) i.e. Alarm Setpoint
- OUT = OFF If the PV is less than the Compare Value minus Hysteresis

#### **(PV<SP) Low Process Variable/Local Setpoint**

- OUT = ON If the PV is less than the Local Setpoint
- OUT = OFF If the PV is greater than the Local Setpoint + Hysteresis

#### **(PV<CV) Low Process Variable/Compare Value**

- OUT = ON If the PV is less than the Compare Value (CV)
- OUT = OFF If the PV is greater than the Compare Value + Hysteresis



**[(PV-CV)>SP] High Deviation Alarm**

- OUT = ON If the PV input minus the CV input is greater than the Local Setpoint
- OUT = OFF If the PV input minus the CV input is less than the Local Setpoint minus Hysteresis

**[(CV-PV)>SP] Low Deviation Alarm**

- OUT = ON If the CV input minus the PV input is greater than the local Setpoint
- OUT = OFF If the CV input minus the PV input is less than the Local Setpoint minus Hysteresis

**|PV-CV|>SP Band Deviation Alarm**

- OUT = ON If the absolute value of (PV-CV) is greater than the Local Setpoint
- OUT = OFF If the absolute value of (PV-CV) is less than the Local Setpoint minus Hysteresis

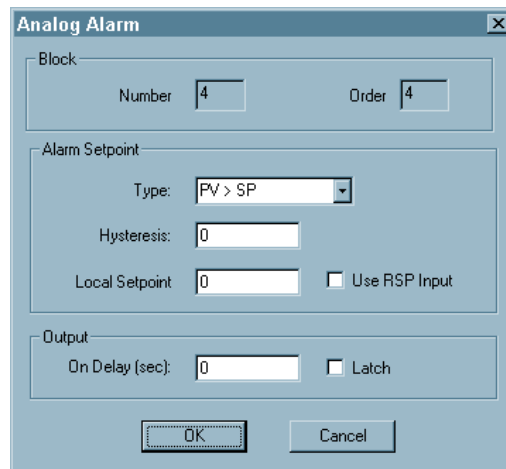
**Inputs**

**PV** = Process Variable  
**CV** = Compare Value  
**RSP** = Remote Setpoint  
**DISABLE** = On disables alarm action.

**Output**

**OUT** = Output

**Block properties**



Double click on the function block to access the function block properties dialog box.

**Block Order (Read Only)**

You can change the assigned execution order number by selecting “Execution Order” in the “Configure” menu and arrange the order to suit your control strategy.

**Configuration parameters**

You must configure the ALM function block parameters to the desired value or selection that matches your operating requirements.

Table 4 describes the parameters and the value or selection.



**ATTENTION**

Local Setpoint is set in the Control Builder unless “Use RSP Input” is enabled. Use an Analog Variable connected to one RSP input (use RSP Input Enabled) if you want to change alarm setpoint at the operator interface via the Variable Edit Display.

**Table 4 Analog alarm configuration parameters**

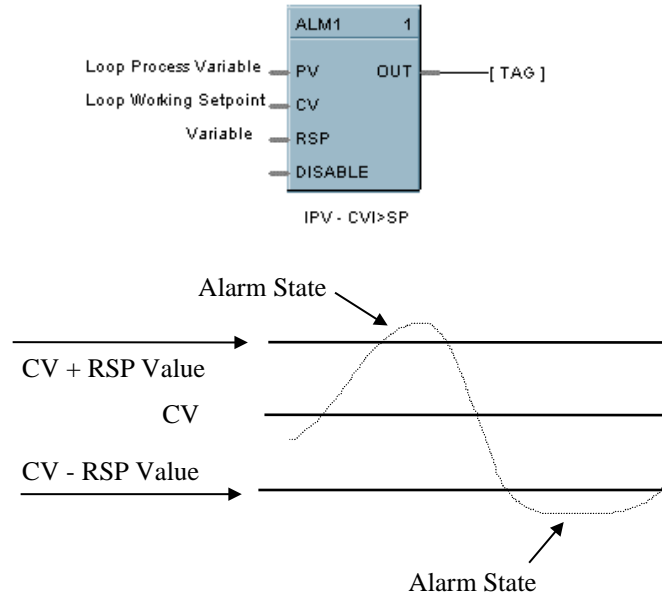
Properties Group	Parameter	Index #	Parameter Description	Value or Selection
<b>Block</b>	<b>Order</b>	N/A	Execution Order for Block	Read Only. See “Configure” Menu, “Execution Order” to change.
<b>Alarm Setpoint</b>	<b>Type</b>	N/A	Alarm Action Type	<b>PV&gt;SP</b> = High Process Variable/Local Setpoint <b>PV&gt;CV</b> = High Process Variable /Compare Value <b>PV&lt;SP</b> = Low Process Variable/Local Setpoint <b>PV&lt;CV</b> = Low Process Variable /Compare Value <b>(PV-CV)&gt;SP</b> = High Deviation Alarm <b>(CV-PV)&gt;SP</b> = Low Deviation Alarm <b>IPV-CVI&gt;SP</b> = Band Absolute Deviation Alarm
	<b>Hysteresis</b>	4	Hysteresis in engineering units can be set from 0 to the input span monitored variable.	0 to 99999.9 in Engineering Units
	<b>Local Setpoint</b>	0	Local Setpoint value in engineering units or a calculation from another function block via RSP (see “Use RSP Input”).	0 to 99999.9 in Engineering Units
	<input type="checkbox"/> Use RSP Input	1	Remote Setpoint selection	Click on box to use Remote Setpoint (RSP)
<b>Output</b>	<b>Latch</b>  <input type="checkbox"/> Latch	3	ON latches the alarm output until acknowledged. <i>To acknowledge an alarm, it must be tagged and entered into an alarm group. This will provide for the acknowledgment from the operator interface.</i>	Click on Box to select
	<b>On Delay</b>	6	Number of seconds the alarm is active before activating OUT.	0 to 240 seconds

**Example**

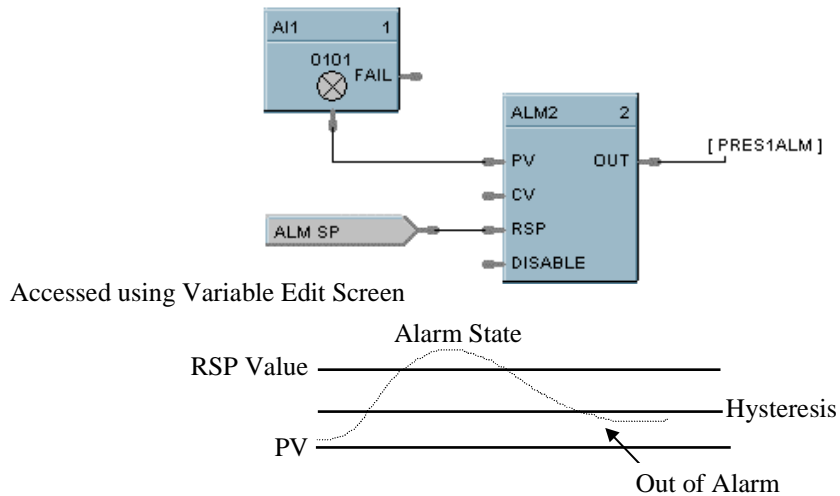
Figure 5/Example 1 shows an ALM function block being used for Band Deviation Alarm—a control loop process variable is compared to the loops working setpoint. A variable is used as the setpoint value to allow periodic changes. (RSP enabled). The Output contains a tag identification that will be used to identify the alarm state.

Example 2 shows an ALM function block being used to alarm on  $PV > SP$ .

**EXAMPLE 1**



**EXAMPLE 2**

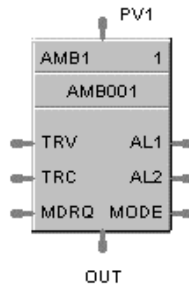


**Figure 5 ALM function block example**

## AMB Function Block

### Description

The AMB label stands for Auto/Manual Bias Function. This block is part of the *Loops* category. It looks like this graphically on the Control Builder.



### Function

On transfer from Manual to Auto; Bias is calculated to make  $PV + Bias = Output$ .

### Inputs

- PV1** = Process Variable Input (%)
- TRV** = Output Track Value in percentage (Output = TRV Value when TRC is ON).
- TRC** = Output Track Command—1 = enable TRV (Mode = Local Override), 0 = disable
- MDRQI** = External Mode Request (connected to the MDRQO output of a MDSW function block)  
encoded as follows:
  - 0.0 = No Change
  - 1.0 = Manual Mode Request
  - 2.0 = Automatic Mode Request

### Outputs

- OUT** = Control Output (–5 % to 105 %)
- AL1** = Alarm 1
- AL2** = Alarm 2
- MODE** = Actual Mode encoded as follows: (Connect to Mode Flags block [MDFL] to encode mode status.)
  - 4.0 LSP AUTO
  - 5.0 LSP MAN
  - 7.0 LSP LO (Local Override)

### Block properties

Double click on the function block to access the function block properties dialog box.

### Configuration parameters

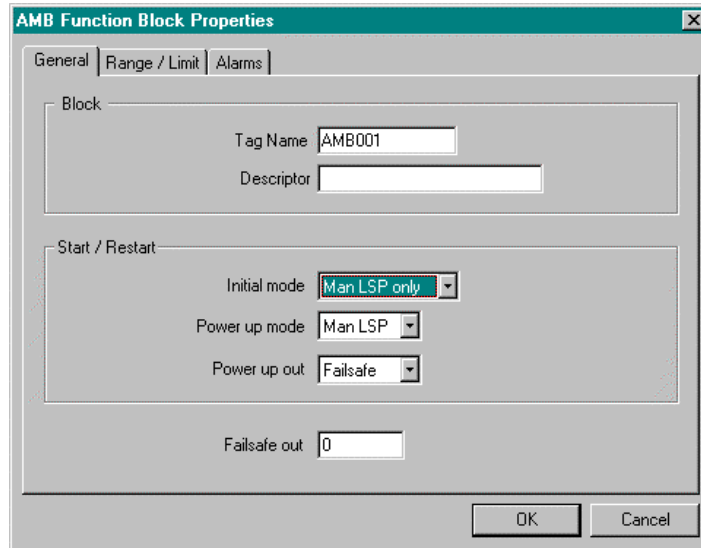
The Auto/Manual Bias properties dialog box is divided into three tab cards

**GENERAL**  
**RANGE/LIMIT**  
**ALARMS**

Click on the tab to access the properties for that tab.

**GENERAL tab**

It looks like this graphically on the Control Builder. Table 5 describes the parameters and the value or selection.

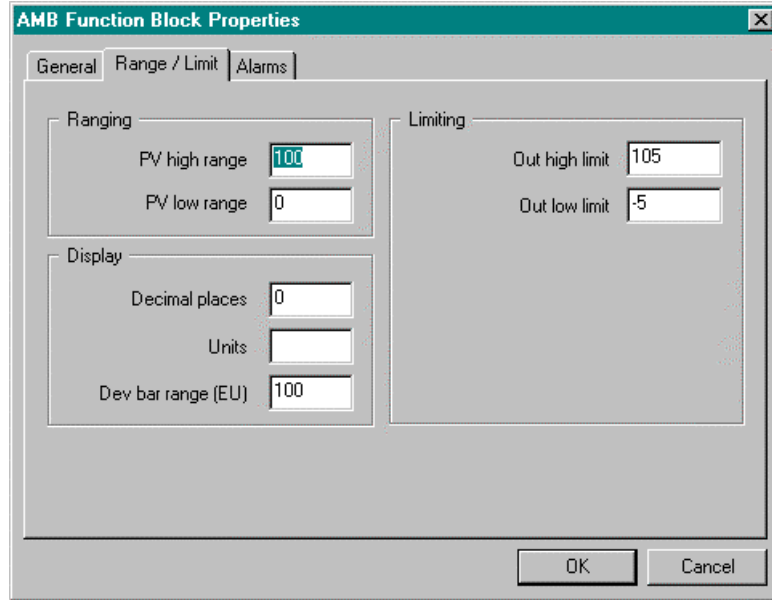


**Table 5 General tab configuration parameters**

Properties Function	Parameter	Index #	Parameter Description	Value or Selection
<b>Block</b>	<b>Tag Name</b>	N/A	8-character tag name	
	<b>Descriptor</b>	N/A	Block description	
<b>Start/Restart</b>	<b>Initial Mode</b>	N/A	Mode at NEWSTART  <b>Newstart</b> is the first scan cycle following the cold start of the controller	<b>MAN</b> Manual <b>AUTO</b> Automatic
	<b>Power up Mode</b>	N/A	Mode at power up	<b>MAN</b> Manual <b>PREVIOUS</b> Same mode (auto or manual)
	<b>Power Up Out</b>	N/A	Output at Power up	<b>FAILSAFE</b> Failsafe output value. <b>LAST OUT</b> Same as at power down.
	<b>Failsafe Out</b>	7	Failsafe Output Value	-5 to 105 (default 0)

**RANGE/LIMIT tab**

It looks like this graphically on the Control Builder. Table 6 describes the parameters and the value or selection.



**Table 6 Range/limit tab configuration parameters**

Properties Function	Parameter	Index #	Parameter Description	Value or Selection
Ranging	PV High Range	0	PV High Range Value	-5 % to 105 %
	PV Low Range	1	PV Low Range Value	-5 % to 105 %
Display	Decimal Places	N/A	Number of digits to display after decimal point.	0 to 5
	Units	N/A	Text to display for EU	4 characters
	DEV Bar Range (EU)	N/A	Deviation Bar Range on the Operator Interface	-99999 to 99999
Limiting	Out High Limit	5	Output High Limit Value - prevents the Output from going above the value set here.	-5 % to 105 %
	Out Low Limit	6	Output Low Limit Value - prevents the Output from going below the value set here.	-5 % to 105 %

**ALARMS tab**

It looks like this graphically on the Control Builder. Table 7 describes the parameters and the value or selection.

The screenshot shows the 'AMB Function Block Properties' dialog box with the 'Alarms' tab selected. The dialog has three tabs: 'General', 'Range / Limit', and 'Alarms'. The 'Alarms' tab contains two sections, 'Alarm 1' and 'Alarm 2', and a 'Hysteresis (%)' field. Each alarm section has two 'Setpoint' input fields and a 'Type' dropdown menu. The 'Setpoint 1' field for Alarm 1 contains the letter 'C', while all other setpoint fields contain '0'. All 'Type' dropdown menus are set to 'No Alarm'. The 'Hysteresis (%)' field contains '0'. At the bottom right, there are 'OK' and 'Cancel' buttons.

Alarm	Setpoint 1	Setpoint 2	Type
Alarm 1	C	0	No Alarm
Alarm 2	0	0	No Alarm

Hysteresis (%) 0

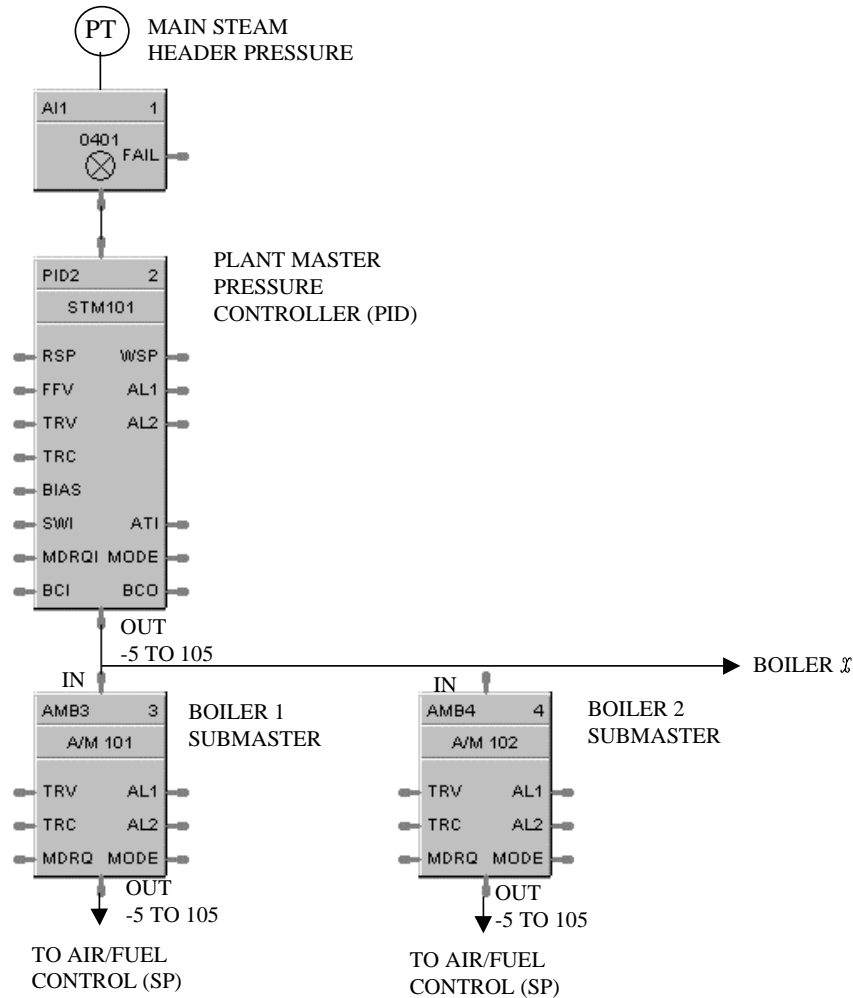
**Table 7 Alarm tab configuration parameters**

Properties Function	Parameter	Index #	Parameter Description	Value or Selection
<b>Alarm 1</b>	<b>Setpoint 1</b>	8	<b>Alarm 1 Setpoint 1 Value</b> - this is the value at which you want the alarm type chose below to activate	-5 % to +105 % (default 0)
	<b>Type</b>	N/A	Alarm 1 Setpoint 1 Type - select what you want Alarm 1 Setpoint 1 to represent.	Selections: NO ALARM AL_PV_HI AL_PV_LO AL_OUT_HI AL_OUT_LO
	<b>Setpoint 2</b>	9	Alarm 1 Setpoint 2 Value	Same as <b>Alarm 1 Setpoint 1</b>
	<b>Type</b>	N/A	Alarm 1 Setpoint 2 Type	Same as <b>Alarm 1 Setpoint 1</b>
<b>Alarm 2</b>	<b>Setpoint 1</b>	10	Alarm 2 Setpoint 1 Value	Same as <b>Alarm 1 Setpoint 1</b>
	<b>Type</b>	N/A	Alarm 2 Setpoint 1 Type	Same as <b>Alarm 1 Setpoint 1</b>
	<b>Setpoint 2</b>	11	Alarm 2 Setpoint 2 Value	Same as <b>Alarm 1 Setpoint 1</b>
	<b>Type</b>	N/A	Alarm 2 Setpoint 2 Type	Same as <b>Alarm 1 Setpoint 1</b>
<b>Alarm Hysteresis</b>	%	16	Alarm Hysteresis in %	0 % to 5 %



**Example**

Figure 6 shows an function block diagram using an AMB function block.



AMB Block (Boiler Submaster):

Operators place AMB Block to “MAN” mode to adjust fuel setpoints up or down independent of each boiler.

**AMB: OUT = IN + BIAS** **MAN MODE** Bias is automatically calculated as operator increment or decrement out value.  $Bias = OUT - IN$

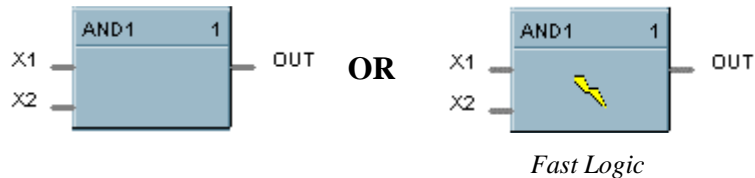
**AUTO MODE** Bias is a fixed value from the man mode calculation. Above  $OUT = IN + Bias$

**Figure 6 AMB function block example**

## 2AND Function Block

### Description

The **2AND** label stands for the **AND Boolean function (2 Inputs)**. This block is part of the *Logic* and *Fast Logic* categories. It looks like this graphically on the Control Builder.



### Function

Turns digital output (OUT) **ON** when inputs X1 and X2 are **ON**. Thus,

- If *all* inputs are ON, then: **OUT = ON**.
- If *any* input is OFF, then: **OUT = OFF**.

### Input

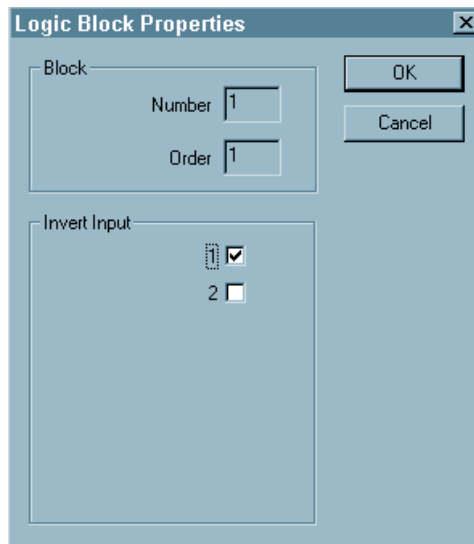
**X1** = First digital signal.

**X2** = Second digital signal.

### Output

**OUT** = Digital signal controlled by status of input signals.

### Block properties



Double click on the function block to access the function block properties dialog box.

**Block Order (Read Only)**

You can change the assigned execution order number by selecting “Execution Order” in the “Configure” menu and arrange the order to suit your control strategy.

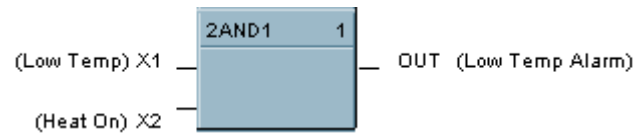
**Input state**



You can invert Input 1 or Input 2 or both. If the input is inverted, an input line that is ON is seen as OFF (“N” on Icon next to inverted input).

**Example**

Figure 7 shows an AND function block being used to monitor two input signals for an alarm condition.

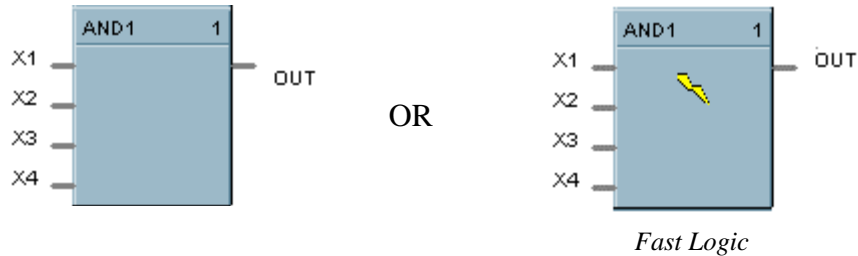


**Figure 7 2AND function block example**

## 4AND Function Block

### Description

The **4AND** label stands for the **AND Boolean function (4 Inputs)**. This block is part of the *Logic* and *Fast Logic* categories. It looks like this graphically on the Control Builder.



### Function

Turns digital output (OUT) **ON** when inputs X1 through X4 are **ON**. Thus,

- If all inputs are ON, then: **OUT = ON**.
- If any input is OFF, then: **OUT = OFF**.

### Input

**X1** = First digital signal  
**X2** = Second digital signal  
**X3** = Third digital signal  
**X4** = Fourth digital signal



### ATTENTION

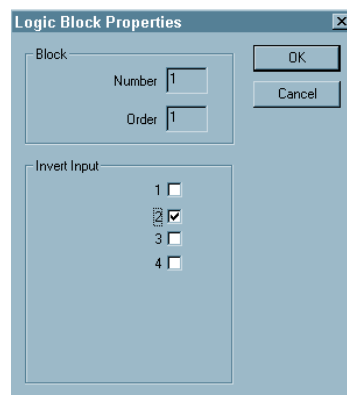
Unused values must be set to 1 or inverted.

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### Output

**OUT** = Digital signal controlled by status of input signals

### Block properties



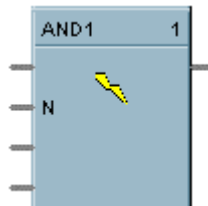
Double click on the function block to access the function block properties dialog box.

**Block Order (Read Only)**

You can change the assigned execution order number by selecting “Execution Order” in the “Configure” menu and arrange the order to suit your control strategy.

**Input state**

You can invert Input 1, 2, 3, 4, or all. If the input is inverted, an input line that is ON is seen as OFF (“N” on Icon next to inverted input).

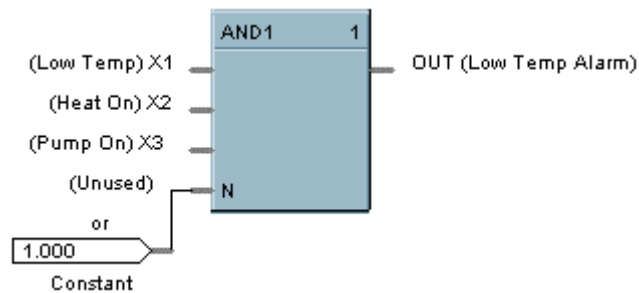


**ATTENTION**

Unused values must be set to 1 or inverted.

**Example**

Figure 8 shows a Function Block Diagram configuration using a 4AND function block. The function block is being used to monitor 3 input signals for an alarm condition. Note unused input is terminated.

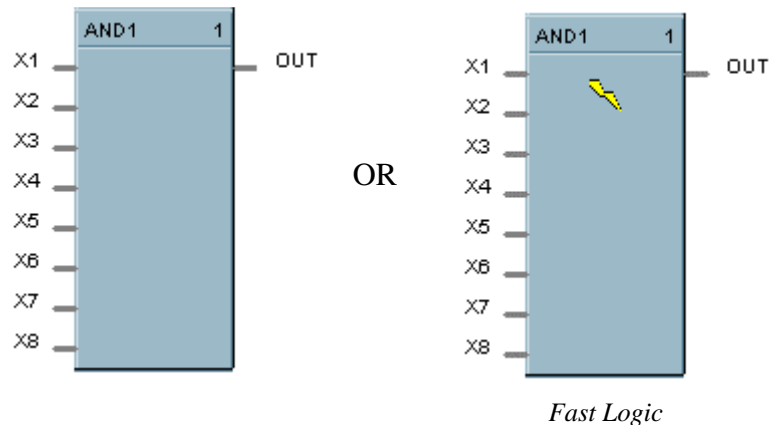


**Figure 8 4AND function block example**

## 8AND Function Block

### Description

The **8AND** label stands for the **AND Boolean function (8 Inputs)**. This block is part of the *Logic* and *Fast Logic* categories. It looks like this graphically on the Control Builder.



### Function

Turns digital output (OUT) **ON** when inputs X1 through X8 are **ON**. Thus,

- If *all* inputs are ON, then: **OUT = ON**.
- If *any* input is OFF, then: **OUT = OFF**.

### Input

**X1** = First digital signal  
**X2** = Second digital signal  
**X3** = Third digital signal  
**X4** = Fourth digital signal  
**X5** = Fifth digital signal  
**X6** = Sixth digital signal  
**X7** = Seventh digital signal  
**X8** = Eighth digital signal



#### ATTENTION

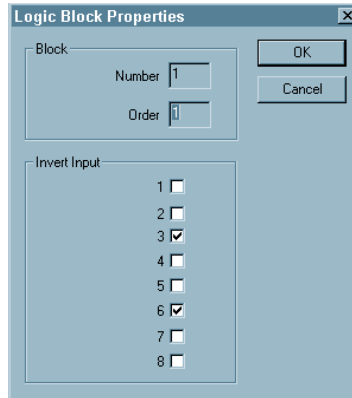
Unused values must be set to 1 or inverted.

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### Output

**OUT** = Digital signal controlled by status of input signals.

## Block properties



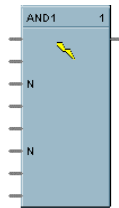
Double click on the function block to access the function block properties dialog box.

### Block Order (Read Only)

You can change the assigned execution order number by selecting “Execution Order” in the “Configure” menu and arrange the order to suit your control strategy.

### Input state

You can invert Input 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8 or all. If the input is inverted, an input line that is ON is seen as OFF (“N” on diagram next to inverted input).



### ATTENTION

Unused values must be set to 1 or inverted.

### Example

Figure 9 shows a Function Block Diagram configuration using a 8AND function block. The function block is used in a startup sequence to enable heaters when 6 input conditions are true.

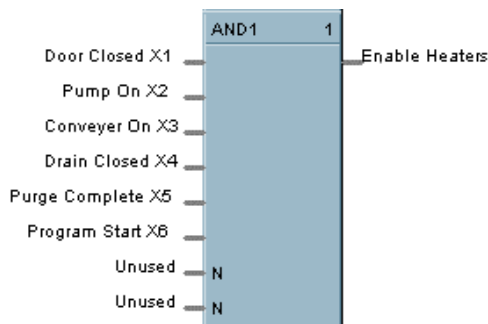
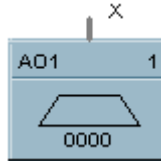


Figure 9 8AND function block example

## AO Function Block

### Description

The **AO** label stands for a milliamp **Analog Output**. This block is part of the *Loops* category. It looks like this graphically on the Control Builder.



### Function

Range High and Range Low are used to specify the Engineering Unit values for 100 % and 0 % of this block's input span. For reverse outputs, Range High may be set to a value less than Range Low.

The output range high and range low values (0-20 maximum) set the milliamp output values that correspond to the 0 % to 100 % span limits of the inputs.

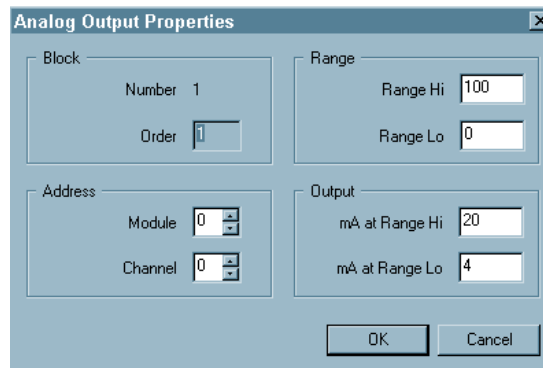
### Input

**X** = Analog value

### Output

Converted value sent to specified real I/O address.

### Block properties



Double click on the function block to access the function block properties dialog box.

#### Block Order (Read Only)

You can change the assigned execution order number by selecting "Execution Order" in the "Configure" menu and arrange the order to suit your control strategy.

### Configuration parameters

You must configure the AO function block parameters to the desired value or selection that matches your operating requirements. Table 8 describes the parameters and the value or selection. AO's Address starts at Module 4.



**Table 8 Analog output configuration parameters**

Properties Group	Parameter	Index #	Parameter Description	Value or Selection
<b>Block</b>	<b>Order</b>	N/A	Execution Order for Block	Read Only. See "Configure" Menu, "Execution Order" to change.
	<b>I/O Module</b>		Address of selected I/O module (must match model selection guide)	Enter a value: from 4 to 10
<b>Address</b>	<b>Channel</b>		Channel on selected I/O Module	Enter a value: from 1 to 4
	<b>Range Hi</b>	1	High Range Value Engineering Unit - value of input that corresponds to 100 % output value	-99999 to 999999 Default = 100
<b>Range</b>	<b>Range Low</b>	2	Low Range Value Engineering Unit - value of input that corresponds to 0 % output value	-99999 to 999999 Default = 0.0
	<b>mA at range High</b>	3	Value of mA output that corresponds to 100 % output signal (for example: 20 mA)	0 to 20 Default = 20
<b>Output</b>	<b>mA at Low Range</b>	4	Value of mA output that corresponds to 0 % output signal (for example: 4 mA)	0 to 20 Default = 4

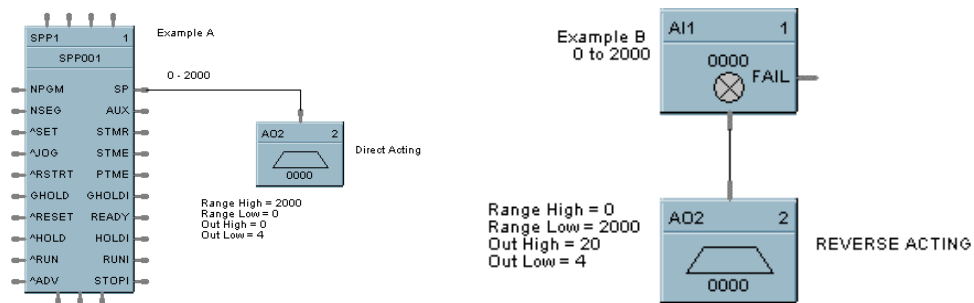
**Example**

Figure 10 shows a Function Block Diagram configuration using an AO function block to retransmit an analog input value. In example A, the output is from a SPP block to an external controller via the AO block. In example B, the mA output is 4 mA for an analog input of 2000.



**ATTENTION**

Reverse scaling is required for duplex control outputs.



**Figure 10 AO function block example**

## ASYS Function Block

### Description

The **Analog System Status Block (ASYS)** is a function block and is part of the *Alarm/Monitor* category. It provides read access to controller status values including those related to the Analog execution cycle. The output may be connected to function block inputs. The outputs may also be connected to signal tags for operator interface monitoring. The ASYS System Monitoring block is assigned block number 249. It looks like this graphically on the Control Builder:

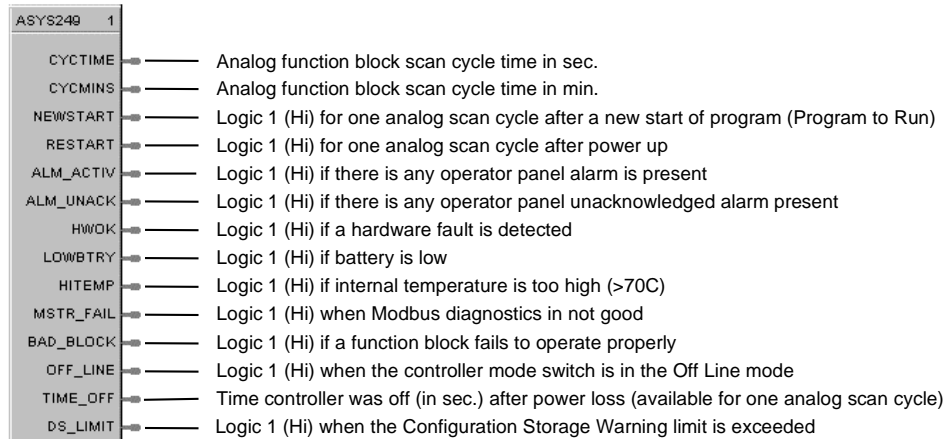


Table 9 describes the outputs for the Analog system status block.

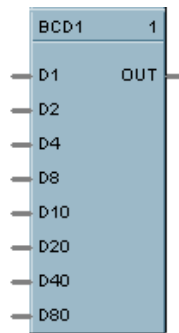
**Table 9 Analog system status block outputs**

Output	Description
CYCTIME	Control Block Cycle Time in seconds
CYCMINS	Control Block Cycle Time in minutes
NEWSTART	Newstart is ON for one full cycle of control block execution, following a New start of the system. For example: starting after a change from program to run.
RESTART	Restart is ON for one full cycle of control block execution, following power up.
ALM ACTIV	Alarm Active is ON if any operator panel alarm is ON.
ALMUNACK	Alarm unacknowledge is ON if any operator panel's alarm is unacknowledged.
HWOK	Hardware OK is ON if there are no faults.
LOWBTRY	Low Battery is ON if the battery is low, Off when battery is good.
HI TEMP	High CJ Temperature is ON if the CJ temperature is high.
MSTR FAIL	Communications Failure is ON when Modbus master diagnostic is not good
BAD BLOCK	Bad Block is ON when one or more blocks are not operating properly.
OFF LINE	On when Controller Mode switch is in Off Line mode.
TIME OFF	Number of seconds power was turned off. Valid for one cycle of control blocks execution following power up. Then it is cleared to zero.
DS LIMIT	ON when the configuration storage warning limit is exceeded. OFF when the storage capacity falls below the warning limit.

## BCD Function Block

### Description

The **BCD** label stands for **Binary Coded Decimal Translator**. This block is part of the *Auxiliary* category. It looks like this graphically on the Control Builder.



### Function

Accept up to 8 digital inputs in sequence and interprets the ON/OFF status of the first 4 inputs as a BCD value between 0 and 9 and the second 4 digits as a value between 10 and 90.

### Input

**D1** = Bit 0 of the BCD lower digit

**D2** = Bit 1 of the BCD lower digit

**D4** = Bit 2 of the BCD lower digit

**D8** = Bit 3 of the BCD lower digit

**D10** = Bit 0 of the BCD upper digit

**D20** = Bit 1 of the BCD upper digit

**D40** = Bit 2 of the BCD upper digit

**D80** = Bit 3 of the BCD upper digit

### Output

**OUT** = Analog output integer in the range of 0 to 99

$$\begin{aligned} \text{OUT} = & (1 * (1 \text{ if D1 is ON, else } 0)) + \\ & (2 * (1 \text{ if D2 is ON, else } 0)) + \\ & (4 * (1 \text{ if D4 is ON, else } 0)) + \\ & (8 * (1 \text{ if D8 is ON, else } 0)) + \\ & (10 * (1 \text{ if D10 is ON, else } 0)) + \\ & (20 * (1 \text{ if D20 is ON, else } 0)) + \\ & (40 * (1 \text{ if D40 is ON, else } 0)) + \\ & (80 * (1 \text{ if D80 is ON, else } 0)) \end{aligned}$$

### Block properties

Double click on the function block to access the function block properties dialog box.

#### Block Order (Read Only)

You can change the assigned execution order number by selecting “Execution Order” in the “Configure” menu and arrange the order to suit your control strategy.

### Example

Figure 11 shows a Function Block Diagram configuration using a BCD function block to select a Recipe.

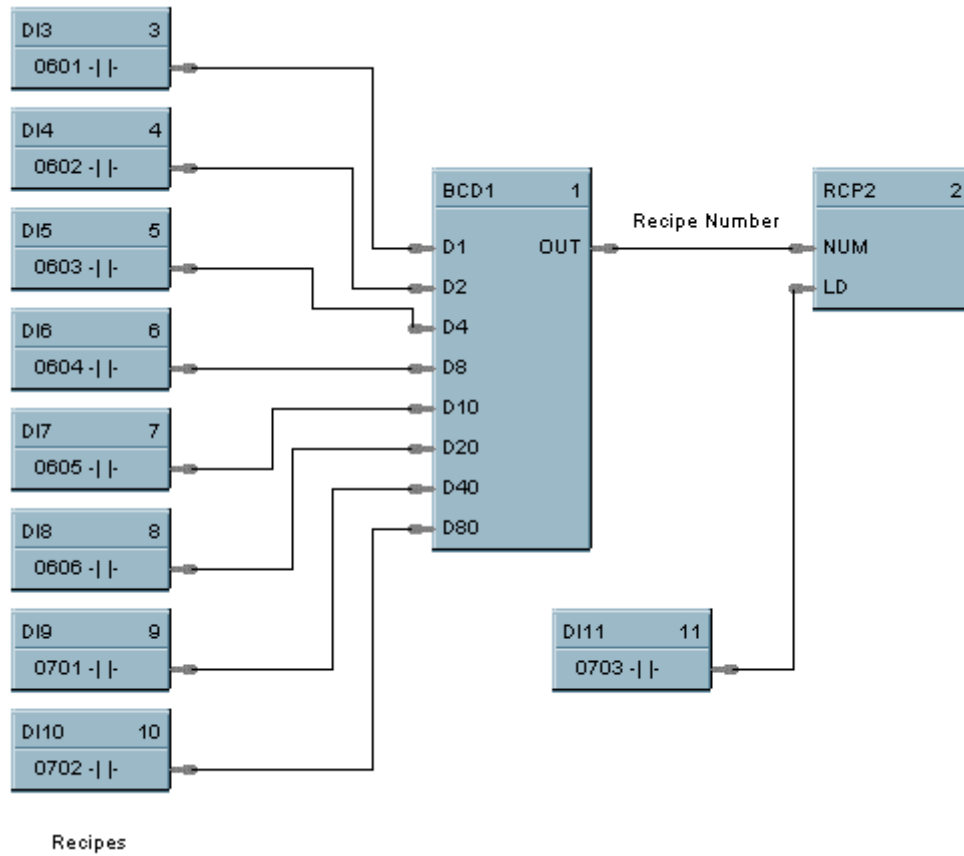
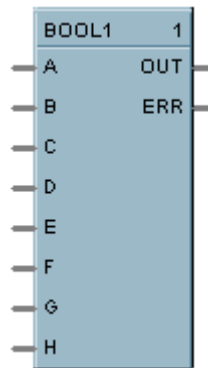


Figure 11 BCD function block example

## BOOL Function Block

### Description

The **BOOL** label stands for **Free Form Logic**. This block is part of the *Logic* category. It looks like this graphically on the Control Builder.



### Function

Read digital inputs A through H and calculates the output based on specified Boolean logic function.

- Offers the following Boolean logic functions:

AND  
 OR  
 NOT  
 XOR  
 ( - Left parenthesis  
 ) - Right Parenthesis

### Inputs

**A** = Block Input 1  
**B** = Block Input 2  
**C** = Block Input 3  
**D** = Block Input 4  
**E** = Block Input 5  
**F** = Block Input 6  
**G** = Block Input 7  
**H** = Block Input 8

### Output

**ERR** = error during execution of the equation. **Error = ON. No Error = OFF.**

**OUT** = Calculated Output (ON or OFF)

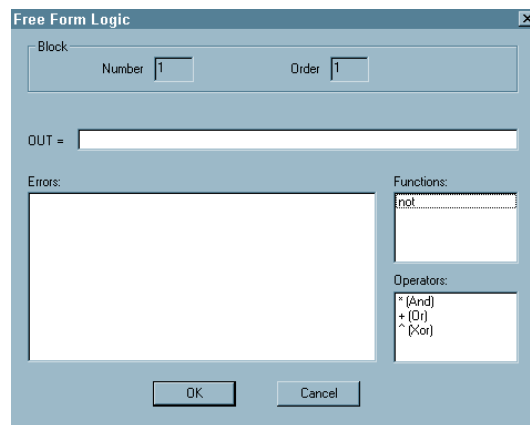
A maximum of 50 tokens per equation is allowed. A token is an operator, a variable, or a pair of parentheses.



**TIP**

- Use only the following list of words and characters in an equation:
    - AND - logical AND,
    - OR - logical OR,
    - NOT - unary NOT,
    - XOR - exclusive OR, or
    - "()", "[ ]", and "{"}" parentheses - three types.
  - A left parenthesis must have a matching right parenthesis.
  - The matching parenthesis must be the same type, that is, "()", "[ ]", or "{"}".
  - Parentheses may be nested to any depth.
  - Logicals AND, OR, and XOR must have a left and right operand.
  - Unary NOT must have one operand to the right, and the operand must be enclosed in parentheses; for example, NOT(G).
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**Block properties**



Double click on the function block to access the function block properties dialog box.

**Block Order (Read Only)**

You can change the assigned execution order number by selecting “Execution Order” in the “Configure” menu and arrange the order to suit your control strategy.

### Configuration parameters

You must configure the BOOL function block parameters to the desired value or selection that matches your operating requirements. Table 10 describes the parameters and the value or selection.

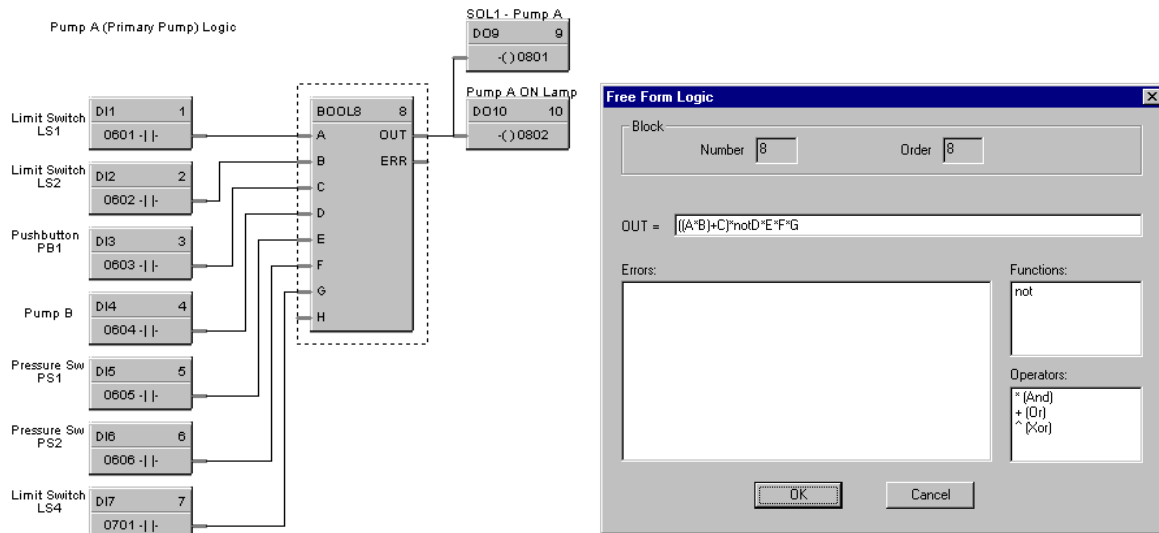
**Table 10 BOOL function block configuration parameters**

Properties Group	Parameter	Index #	Parameter Description	Value or Selection
Equations	Equation Field	N/A	Equation Field	Enter the desired equation in this field
Functions	Logic Functions	N/A	NOT	Double Click on a function to select from the list box
Operators	Logic Operations	N/A	* (AND) + (OR) ^ (XOR)	Double Click on an operation from the list box
Errors	Error list	N/A	List of equation errors	

### Example

## Free Form Logic - Boolean Expressions

Rather than using individual logic function blocks, a boolean expression may be entered directly using the Free Form Logic block which accepts up to 8 inputs. This can save function blocks. The inputs may come from other blocks with discrete outputs, DI's, or digital signal tags. The example below is a direct entry of the Example 4 boolean expression, with the output connected to two DO's. The Free Form Logic popup dialog box is also shown indicating format for expression entry. Note that Input H is unused. You may use multiple levels of parenthesis to generate the boolean expression. You can use as many blocks as required up to the limit. This implementation uses 10 function blocks.

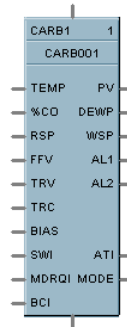


**Figure 12 BOOL function block example**

## CARB Function Block

### Description

The **CARB** label stands for **Carbon Potential**. This block is part of the *Loops* category. It looks like this graphically on the Control Builder.



### Function

A combined Carbon Probe and Temperature Probe and PID algorithm determine Carbon Potential of furnace atmospheres based on a Zirconia probe input.

### Input

**Probe** = Sensor Input from AI block (0-2 mV)

**TEMP** = Temperature Input (°F or °C) from AI block

**%CO** = Percent Carbon Monoxide 1 % to 100 %

**RSP** = Remote Setpoint Analog Input value in Engineering Units or Percentage (0-1.5)

**FFV** = Feedforward value in percentage (0 % to 100 %) The Feedforward value is multiplied by the Feedforward Gain, then directly summed into the output of the PID block.

**TRV** = Output Track value in Percentage. Output = TRV when TRC is on. (If control output OUT is connected back to the Track Value Input [TRV], then the Track Command Input [TRC] will function as an output hold. This may be used where input probes are undergoing burnoff.)

**TRC** = Output Track Command [ON, OFF] On – Enables TRV (Mode = Local Override)

**BIAS** = Remote Bias value for Ratio PID

**SWI** = Switch Inputs (from LPSW function block)

0 = No Change

1 = Initiate Autotuning

2 = Change Control Action (reverse to direct acting or direct to reverse acting)

4 = Force Bumpless Transfer

8 = Switch to Tune Set 1

16 = Switch to Tune Set 2



**MDRQI** = External Mode request (typically connected to the MDRQO output of a MDSW function block that encodes discrete switch inputs).

- 0 = No Change
- 1 = Manual Mode Request
- 2 = Auto Mode Request
- 4 = Local Setpoint Request
- 8 = Remote Setpoint Request

**BCI** = Back Calculation Input Value—See ATTENTION 1.

## Output

**PV** = Calculated Process Variable (% Carbon) for monitoring

**DEWPT** = Calculated Dewpoint

**WSP** = Working Setpoint in Engineering Units for monitoring (setpoint in use)

**AL1** = Alarm 1 - Digital Signal

**AL2** = Alarm 2 - Digital Signal

**ATI** = Autotune Indicator (ON = Autotune in Progress)

**MODE** = Loop mode status (typically connected to the Mode Flags block for encoding). Value indicates mode as follows:

- 0.0 RSP AUTO
- 1.0 RSP MAN
- 2.0 RSP Initialization Manual (See ATTENTION 1)
- 3.0 RSP Local Override (See ATTENTION 1)
- 4.0 LSP AUTO
- 5.0 LSP MAN
- 6.0 LSP Initialization Manual (See ATTENTION 1)
- 7.0 LSP Local Override (See ATTENTION 1)

**BCO** - Back Calculation Output (for blocks used as Cascade Secondary)—See ATTENTION 2.



### ATTENTION

1. When a request to change from Auto to manual is received and:
  - the request comes from the operator Interface, *the request is ignored.*
  - the request comes from the Mode Switch (MDSW) function block, *the request is retained and when leaving the Initialization Mode or Local Override Mode the loop will go to manual.*
2. BCO output is provided for applications where the block is used as a cascade secondary. BCI input is provided for applications where the block is used as a cascade primary. When the BCO output of a secondary loop is connected to the BCI input of a primary loop, bumpless transfer is achieved when the secondary is switched into remote setpoint (i.e., cascade) mode. In addition, the primary loop is prevented from reset windup when the secondary is decoupled from the process. The secondary is decoupled from the process when it is in local setpoint mode or manual output mode, has reached a setpoint or output limit, or is integral limiting because its BCI input. For example, see Figure 60.

### Configuration parameters

The CARB properties dialog box is divided into seven tab cards

- GENERAL**
- RSP**
- RANGE/LIMIT**
- TUNING**
- ACCUTUNE**
- ALARMS**
- CARBON POTENTIAL**

Click on the tab to access the properties for that tab.

#### **GENERAL tab**

It looks like this graphically on the Control Builder. Table 11 describes the parameters and the value or selection.

The screenshot shows a dialog box titled "Carbon Potential Function Block Properties" with a close button (X) in the top right corner. The dialog has seven tabs: "General", "RSP", "Range / Limit", "Tuning", "Accutune", "Alarms", and "Carbon Potential". The "General" tab is selected. The dialog is divided into several sections:

- Block:** Contains four input fields: "Number" (value: 1), "Tag Name" (value: CARB001), "Order" (value: 1), and "Descriptor" (empty).
- Control:** Contains three dropdown menus: "Algorithm" (value: PID A), "Direction" (value: Reverse), and "SP tracking" (value: None).
- Start / Restart:** Contains three dropdown menus: "Initial mode" (value: Man LSP), "Power up mode" (value: Man LSP), and "Power up out" (value: Failsafe).
- Failsafe out:** A text input field with the value 0.

At the bottom right of the dialog are "OK" and "Cancel" buttons.

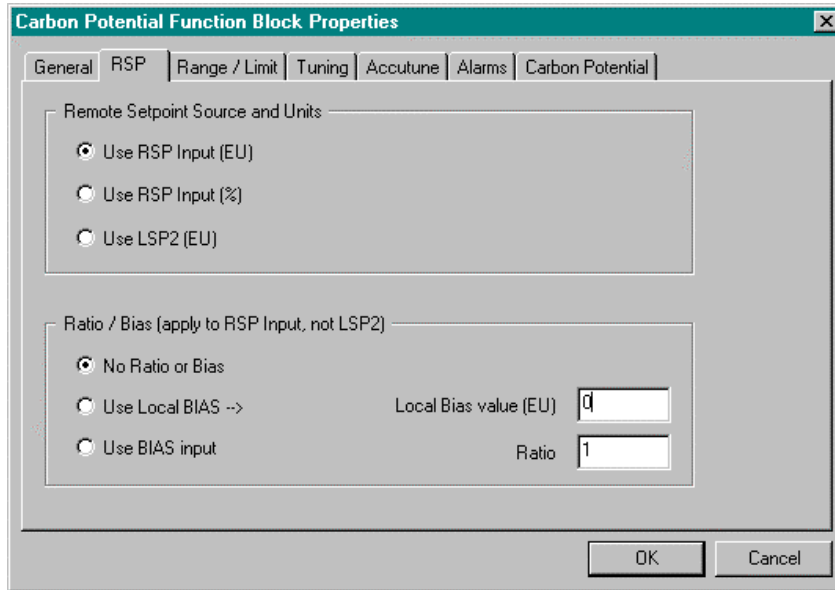
**Table 11 General tab configuration parameters**

Properties Group	Parameter	Index #	Parameter Description	Value or Selection
<b>Block</b>	<b>Order</b>	N/A	Execution Order	Read Only. See "Configure" Menu, "Execution Order" to change.
	<b>Tag Name</b>		8 character tag name	
	<b>Descriptor</b>		Block Descriptor	
<b>Control</b>	<b>Algorithm</b>	N/A	Control Algorithm  <i>Note: In PID B, step changes in setpoint will not bump the output; the output will slew smoothly to the new value.</i>  <i>In PID A, a step change in setpoint will result in a step change in output.</i>	<b>PID A</b> - is normally used for 3 mode control. The output can be adjusted somewhere between 100 % and 0 %. It applies all three control actions - Proportional (P), Integral (I), and Derivative (D) - to the error signal.  <b>PID B</b> - Unlike the PID-A equation, the controller gives only an integral response to a setpoint change, with no effect on the output due to the Gain or Rate action, and gives full response to PV changes.  <b>DUPA</b> - like PIDA but provides an automatic method to switch tuning constant sets for Heat/Cool applications.  <b>DUPB</b> - like PIDB but provides an automatic method to switch tuning constant sets for Heat/Cool applications.  NOTE: With PID B or DUPB selection, you <b>will not</b> be allowed to set RESET or RPM to 0.00 (OFF). Reset must be enabled.
	<b>Direction</b>	N/A	Control Action	<b>DIRECT</b> - PID action causes output to <b>increase</b> as process variable increases.  <b>REVERSE</b> - PID action causes output to <b>decrease</b> as process variable increases.
	<b>SP Tracking</b>	N/A	Setpoint Tracking	<b>NONE</b>  <b>TRACK PV</b> When control mode is "manual", local setpoint tracks process variable.  <b>TRACK RSP</b> When setpoint is "remote setpoint", local setpoint tracks remote setpoint.

Properties Group	Parameter	Index #	Parameter Description	Value or Selection
<b>Start/Restart</b>	<b>Initial Mode</b>	N/A	Control Mode and Setpoint at NEWSTART  <b>Newstart</b> is the first scan cycle following the cold start of the controller	<p><b>MAN LSP</b> Manual control and last local setpoint</p> <p><b>AUTO LSP</b> Automatic control and last local setpoint.</p> <p><b>AUTO RSP</b> Automatic control and remote setpoint.</p> <p><b>MAN LSPonly</b> Manual control and local setpoint only.</p> <p><b>AUTO LSPonly</b> Automatic control and local setpoint only*.</p> <p><b>AUTO RSPonly</b> Automatic control and remote setpoint only*.</p> <p>*These modes will override the configured POWER UP MODE.</p>
	<b>Power Up Mode</b>	N/A	Control Mode and Setpoint at power up	<p><b>MAN LSP</b> Manual control and last local setpoint</p> <p><b>AM LSP</b> Same control mode (auto or manual) and last local setpoint.</p> <p><b>AM LR</b> Same control mode (auto or manual) and setpoint (local or remote) as at power-down.</p>
	<b>Power Up Out</b>	N/A	Output at Power up	<p><b>FAILSAFE</b> Failsafe output value.</p> <p><b>LAST OUT</b> Same as at power down.</p>
<b>Failsafe Out</b>	<b>Failsafe Out</b>	16	Failsafe Output Value	<b>-5 % to 105 %</b>

**RSP tab**

It looks like this graphically on the Control Builder. Table 12 describes the parameters and the value or selection.

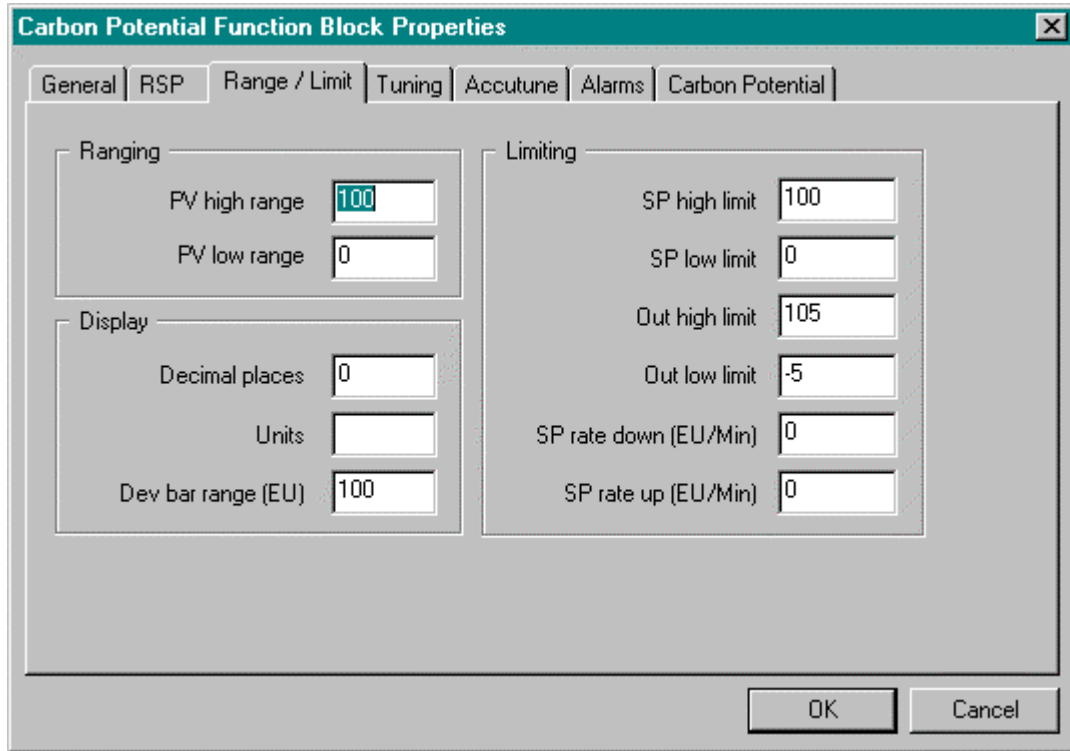


**Table 12 RSP tab configuration parameters**

Properties Group	Parameter	Index #	Parameter Description	Value or Selection
<b>Remote Setpoint Source and Units</b>	<b>Use RSP Input (EU)</b>	N/A	Use Remote Setpoint in Engineering Units	Click on radio button to select.
	<b>Use RSP Input (%)</b>	N/A	Use Remote Setpoint in Percent	Click on radio button to select.
	<b>Use LSP2 (EU)</b>	N/A	Use Local Setpoint #2 in Engineering Units	Click on radio button to select.
<b>Ratio/Bias (RSP Input Only)</b>	<b>No Ratio or Bias</b>	N/A	No ratio and bias applied to the function block	Click on radio button to select.
	<b>Use Local Bias</b>		Use Bias value selected on Tab	Click on radio button to select Enter value at " <b>Local Bias Value</b> " on tab.
	<b>Use Bias Input</b>		Use Bias value attached to an input to the block	Click on radio button to select.
	<b>Local Bias Value (EU)</b>	40	Local bias value in engineering units	Enter local bias value.
	<b>Ratio</b>	39	Gain value for Ratio PID	-20 to +20

**RANGE/LIMIT tab**

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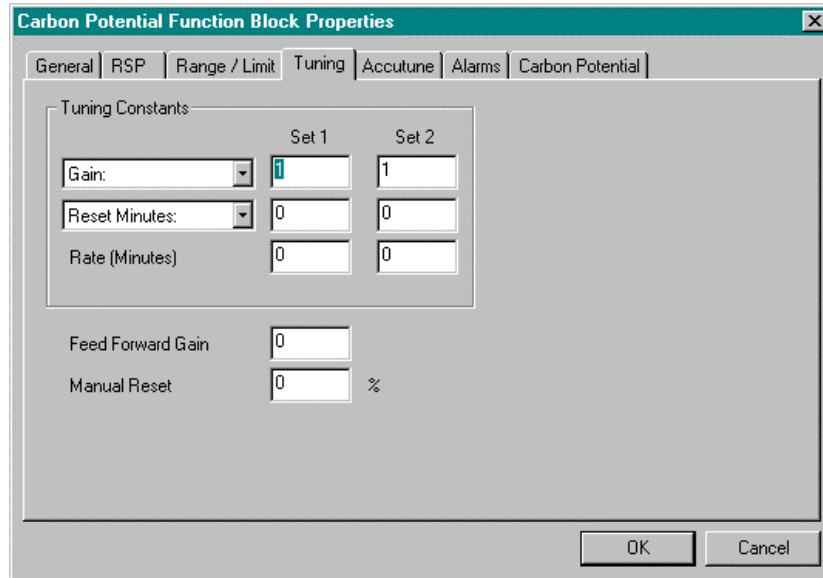


**Table 13 Range/limit tab configuration parameters**

Properties Group	Parameter	Index #	Parameter Description	Value or Selection
Ranging	PV High range	4	PV High Range Value	-99999 to 99999
	PV Low Range	5	PV Low Range Value	-99999 to 99999
Display	Decimal Places	N/A	Number of digits to display after decimal point.	0 to 5
	Units	N/A	Text to display for EU	4 characters
	DEV Bar Range (EU)	N/A	Deviation Bar Range on Operator Interface	-99999 to 99999
Limiting	SP High Limit	11	Setpoint High Limit Value - prevents the local and remote setpoints from going above the value set here.	-99999 to 99999 Used for anti-soot
	SP Low limit	12	Setpoint Low Limit Value - prevents the local and remote setpoints from going below the value set here.	-99999 to 99999
	Out High Limit	14	Output High Limit Value - is the highest value of output beyond which you do not want the automatic output to exceed	-5 % to 105 %
	Out Low Limit	15	Output Low Limit Value - is the lowest value of output beyond which you do not want the automatic output to exceed	-5 % to 105 %
	SP Rate Down	35	Setpoint Rate Down value - when making a setpoint change, this is the rate at which setpoint will change from the original setpoint <b>down</b> to the new one.	0 (off) to 9999 (eu/min)
	SP Rate Up	36	Setpoint Rate Up value - when making a setpoint change, this is the rate at which setpoint will change from the original setpoint <b>up</b> to the new one.	0 (off) to 9999 (eu/min)

**TUNING tab**

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**Table 14 Tuning tab configuration parameters**

Properties Group	Parameter	Index #	Parameter Description	Value or Selection
Tuning Constants	Prop Band	0 PB1 or Gain 1	<b>Proportional Band (PB)</b> - is the percentage of the range of the measured variable for which a proportional controller will produce a 100 % change in its output.	0.1 to 1000 0.1% to 1000 %
	or Gain	30 PB2 or gain 2	<b>Gain</b> - is the ratio of output change (%) over the measured variable change (%) that caused it.  $G = \frac{100 \%}{PB \%}$ <p>where PB is the proportional Band (in %)</p>	



Properties Group	Parameter	Index #	Parameter Description	Value or Selection
	<b>Reset Minutes or Repeats/Minute</b>	2 Reset 1  32 Reset 2	<b>RESET</b> (Integral Time) - adjusts the controller's output according to both the size of the deviation (SP-PV) and the time it lasts. The amount of corrective action depends on the value of Gain.  The reset adjustment is measured as how many times proportional action is repeated per minute ( <b>Repeats/minute</b> ) or how many minutes before one repeat of the proportional action occurs ( <b>Minutes/repeat</b> ).	0.02 to 50.00  <b>Must be enabled for PID-B or DUP-B algorithm selections.</b>
	<b>Rate Minutes</b>	1 Rate 1  31 Rate 2	<b>RATE</b> action, in minutes affects the controller's output whenever the deviation is changing; and affects it more when the deviation is changing faster.	0 or 0.1 to 10.00 minutes 0 = OFF
<b>Feedforward Gain</b>	<b>Feed-Forward Gain</b>	37	Applies Gain to the Feedforward value (FFV). Feedforward Input is multiplied by this value.	0.0 to 10.0
<b>Manual Reset</b>	<b>Manual Reset</b>	26	MANUAL RESET- is only applicable if you do not use RESET (Integral Time).	-100 to 100 (in % of Output)

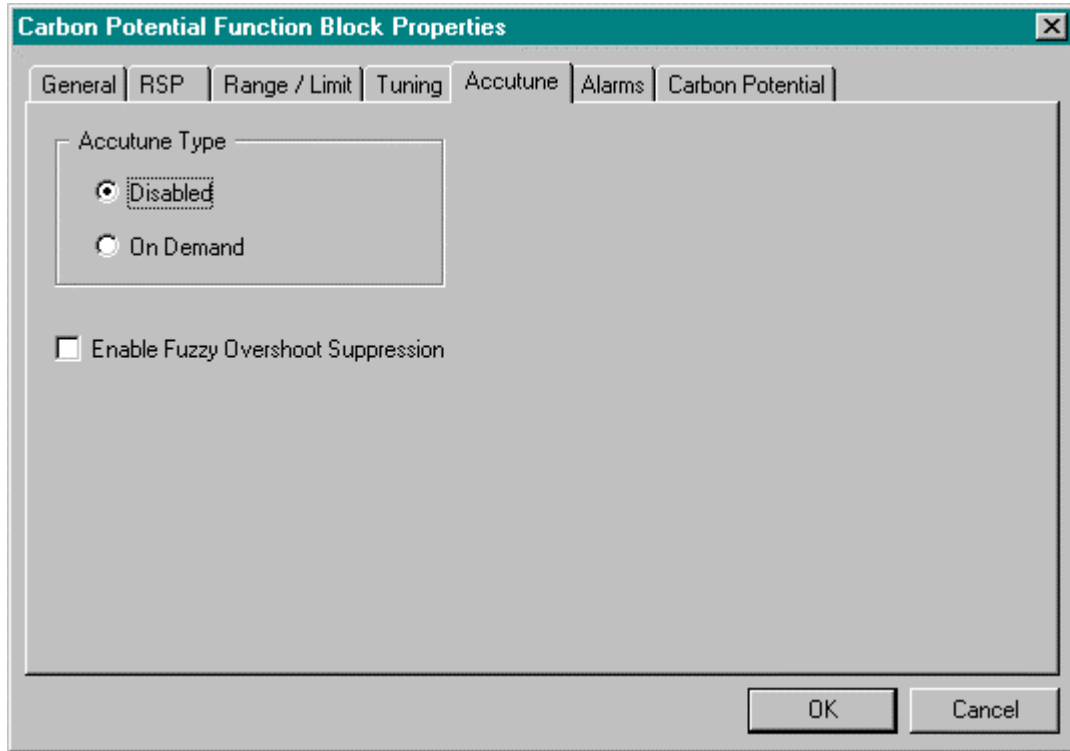


#### ATTENTION

DUPA and DUPB algorithm types automatically select tuning set #2 for outputs between 50 % and -5 %. Tuning set #2 must be entered for DUPA and DUPB.

**ACCUTUNE tab**

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**Table 15 Accutune tab configuration parameters**

Properties Group	Parameter	Index #	Parameter Description	Value or Selection
Accutune Type	Disabled	N/A	Disables Accutune	Click on radio button to select
	On Demand		When initiated at the operator interface or the LPSW function block, the controller will start controlling to the setpoint while it identifies the process, calculates the tuning constants, and begins PID control with the correct tuning parameters.	Click on radio button to select
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Enable Fuzzy Overshoot Suppression  Click on block to select		28	<p>Fuzzy Overshoot Suppression minimizes overshoot after a setpoint change or a process disturbance.</p> <p>The fuzzy logic observes the speed and direction of the PV signal as it approaches the setpoint and temporarily modifies the internal controller response action as necessary to avoid an overshoot.</p> <p>There is no change to the CARB algorithm, and the fuzzy logic does not alter the CARB tuning parameters.</p> <p>This feature can be independently Enabled or Disabled as required by the application to work with "TUNE" On-Demand tuning.</p>	



**ATTENTION**

Accutune is an On-demand tune only. You must provide a 0 to 1 transition to start another tuning cycle. The tuning will disturb the output to evaluate the tuning constants required.

**ALARMS tab**

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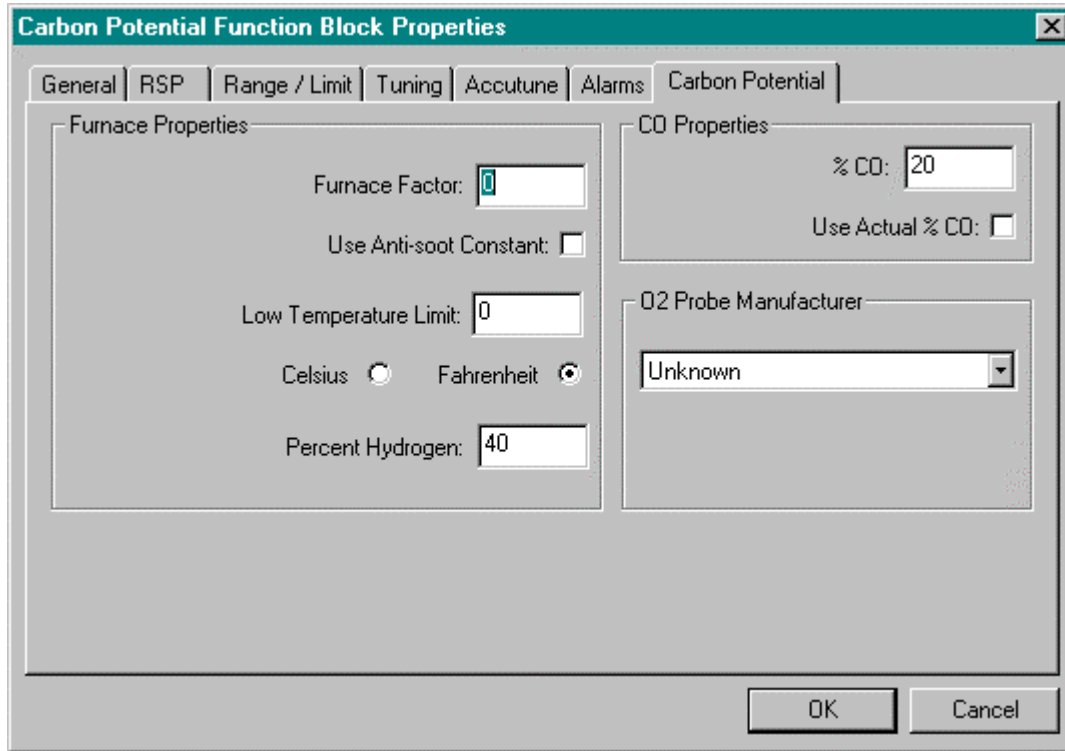
The screenshot shows a dialog box titled "Carbon Potential Function Block Properties" with a close button (X) in the top right corner. The dialog has several tabs: "General", "RSP", "Range / Limit", "Tuning", "Accutune", "Alarms", and "Carbon Potential". The "Alarms" tab is currently selected. Inside the dialog, there are two sections for alarms: "Alarm 1" and "Alarm 2". Each section contains two "Setpoint" input fields and a "Type" dropdown menu. In the "Alarm 1" section, the first Setpoint 1 field contains a blue square icon, and the second Setpoint 2 field contains the value "0". In the "Alarm 2" section, both Setpoint 1 and Setpoint 2 fields contain the value "0". Below the alarm sections, there is a "Hysteresis (%)" input field containing the value "0". At the bottom right of the dialog, there are "OK" and "Cancel" buttons.

**Table 16 Alarms tab configuration parameters**

Properties Group	Parameter	Index #	Parameter Description	Value or Selection
<b>Alarm 1</b>	<b>Setpoint 1</b>	17	<b>Alarm 1 Setpoint 1 Value</b> - this is the value at which you want the alarm type chosen below to activate	-99999 to 99999 in Engineering Units
	<b>Type</b>	N/A	<b>Alarm 1 Setpoint 1 Type</b> - select what you want Alarm 1 Setpoint 1 to represent.	Selections: NO ALARM PV_HIGH PV_LOW DEV_HIGH DEV_LOW SP_HIGH SP_LOW OUT_HIGH OUT_LOW
	<b>Setpoint 2</b>	18	Alarm 1 Setpoint 2 Value	Same as <b>Alarm 1 Setpoint 1</b>
	<b>Type</b>	N/A	Alarm 1 Setpoint 2 Type	Same as <b>Alarm 1 Setpoint 1</b>
<b>Alarm 2</b>	<b>Setpoint 1</b>	19	Alarm 2 Setpoint 1 Value	Same as <b>Alarm 1 Setpoint 1</b>
	<b>Type</b>	N/A	Alarm 2 Setpoint 1 Type	Same as <b>Alarm 1 Setpoint 1</b>
	<b>Setpoint 2</b>	20	Alarm 2 Setpoint 2 Value	Same as <b>Alarm 1 Setpoint 1</b>
	<b>Type</b>	N/A	Alarm 2 Setpoint 2 Type	Same as <b>Alarm 1 Setpoint 1</b>
<b>Alarm Hysteresis</b>	<b>Hysteresis</b>	25	Alarm Hysteresis in %	0 % to 5 %

**CARBON POTENTIAL tab**

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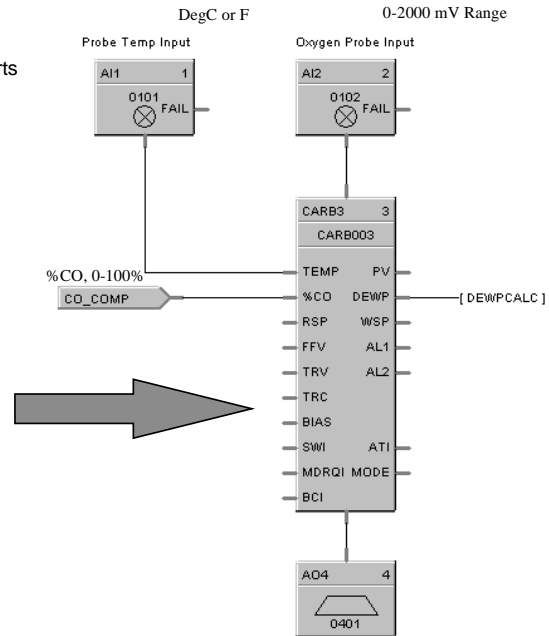
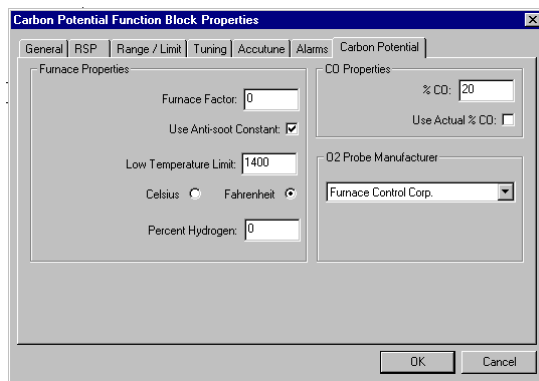
**Table 17 Carbon potential tab configuration parameters**

Properties Group	Parameter	Index #	Parameter Description	Value or Selection
<b>Furnace Properties</b>	<b>Furnace Factor</b>	45	Allows you to adjust the % Carbon as measured by the controller to agree with the results of actual shim stock tests. This adjustment may be needed to correct for specific furnace characteristics such as atmosphere differences, probe location, and furnace leaks.	-0.5 %C to +0.5 %C
	Use Anti-soot Constant	46	Activates anti-sooting feature that limits the working setpoint of the carbon control loop to a value that prevents sooting in the furnace.	Click on block to select  SP HLIM is used for anti-soot.
	<b>Low Temperature Limit</b>	48	Holds controller output to 0 % until limit is exceeded.	0 to 2500 degrees F (1400° recommended) Unit should match C/F selection
	Celsius <input type="radio"/> Fahrenheit	47	Probe temperature units for display.	Click on radio button to select
	<b>Percent Hydrogen</b>	50	Percent Hydrogen	1 to 100  default = 40
<b>CO Properties</b>	<b>%CO</b>	43	Allows you to adjust % Carbon measurement to compensate for variations in the amount of CO in the carrier gas.	2.0 to 35.0  default = 20
	Use Actual % CO:	44	Function block will use the actual % Carbon Monoxide that is defined through an analog input.	Click on block to select
<b>O2 Probe Manufacturer</b>	<b>Carbon Probe Vendor</b>	N/A	Select from Drop Down List of Manufacturers.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Advanced Atmosphere Control Corp.</li> <li>• Furnace Control Corp.</li> <li>• Marathon Monitors</li> <li>• Super Systems Inc.</li> </ul>

**Example**

Figure 13 shows Function Block Diagrams using a CARB function block.

- Supports Zirconia Probes from:
  - Super Systems Inc., Marithon Monitors
  - Furnace Control Corp., Advanced Atmosphere
- Uses a single block for %C calculation and PID control Supports CO Compensation from an Analyzer input or a fixed value (use 20% as default for Methane)
- Calculates Dewpoint applied to separate output
- Provides a Furnace Factor Bias adjustment (to adjust %C to match lab samples)
- Provides Anti-sooting setpoint limiting
- Probe burn-off using standard logic functions

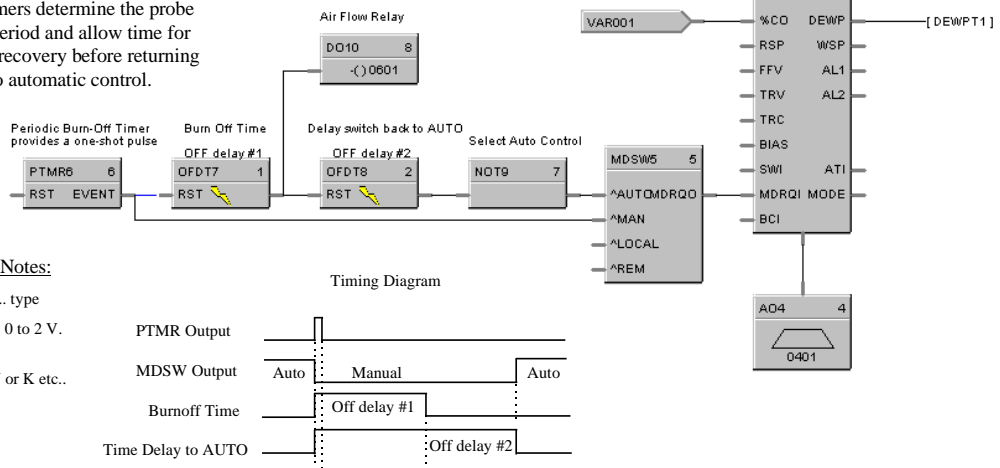


**Carbon Potential Probe Burn-off**

Application:

To clean a carbon probe periodically by blowing air across it for a specific time.

In this configuration, a periodic timer generates a pulse a designated time interval which suspends automatic control and energizes a relay output to cause air flow for a probe burn off cycle. Timers determine the probe burn-off period and allow time for the probe recovery before returning the loop to automatic control.



Configuration Notes:

- Select probe Mfg. type
- O2 probe input: 0 to 2 V. (0 to 2000 range)
- Select T/C type J or K etc..

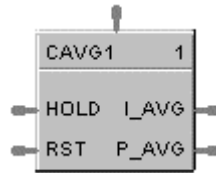
**Figure 13 CARB function block examples**



## CAVG Function Block

### Description

The **CAVG** label stands for **Continuous Average**. This block is part of the *Calculations* category. It looks like this graphically on the Control Builder.



### Function

Provides the average value of a single analog parameter for a user specified time period, plus the running (instantaneous) average within the time period. A running average value is updated at the end of each sample period. Time periods to 1440.0 minutes are supported. At the end of the time period, the running average value is transferred to I/O process output value. A hold input allows excluding samples from the average when active.

*Cold Start* – On the first cycle after a cold start, the instantaneous average output is initialized to current input value, the sample counter begins to increment, and the period timer begins to decrement (assuming that Reset is OFF). The previous average output is set to zero.

*Warm Start* – On a warm start, the calculations continue where they left off. There is no attempt to compensate for the time the power was off or to resynchronize with the time of day.

### Input

**INPUT** = Analog Input

**RESET** = Controls the sample calculations.

If **OFF**, the input samples are accumulated, the sample counter is incremented, the time remaining decrements and the average value is calculated and written to the outputs.

If **ON**, the outputs are held at their last values, the internal accumulators and sample counters are cleared, and the time remaining is re-initialized to the full average period.

If **ON to OFF transition**, the average output is set to the input value, and the period timer begins to decrement.

The RESET pin does not affect the previous average output value.

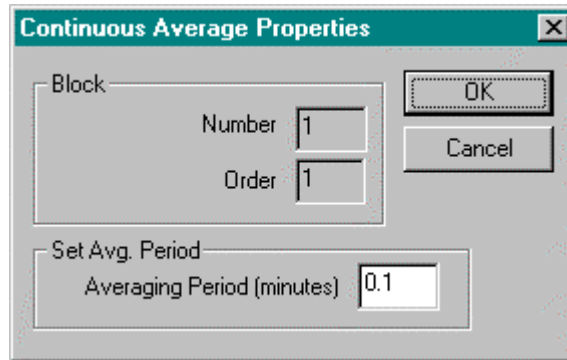
**HOLD** = If **OFF**, calculations run as normal. If **ON**, input samples are not accumulated and included in the average calculation, the time remaining continues to decrement. The output values are held at their last state prior to the OFF to ON transition.

If the averaging period elapses while **HOLD is ON**, the instantaneous average will maintain the last calculated average value, the previous average is updated to this value, the internal accumulators and sample counters are cleared, and the time remaining is re-initialized to the full averaging period.

## Output

**I AVG** = Instantaneous calculation of the current average.  
**P AVG** = previous calculated average value.

## Block properties



Double click on the function block to access the function block properties dialog box.

### Block Order (Read Only)

You can change the assigned execution order number by selecting “Execution Order” in the “Configure” menu and arrange the order to suit your control strategy.

## Configuration parameters

You must configure the CAVG function block parameters to the desired value or selection that matches your operating requirements.

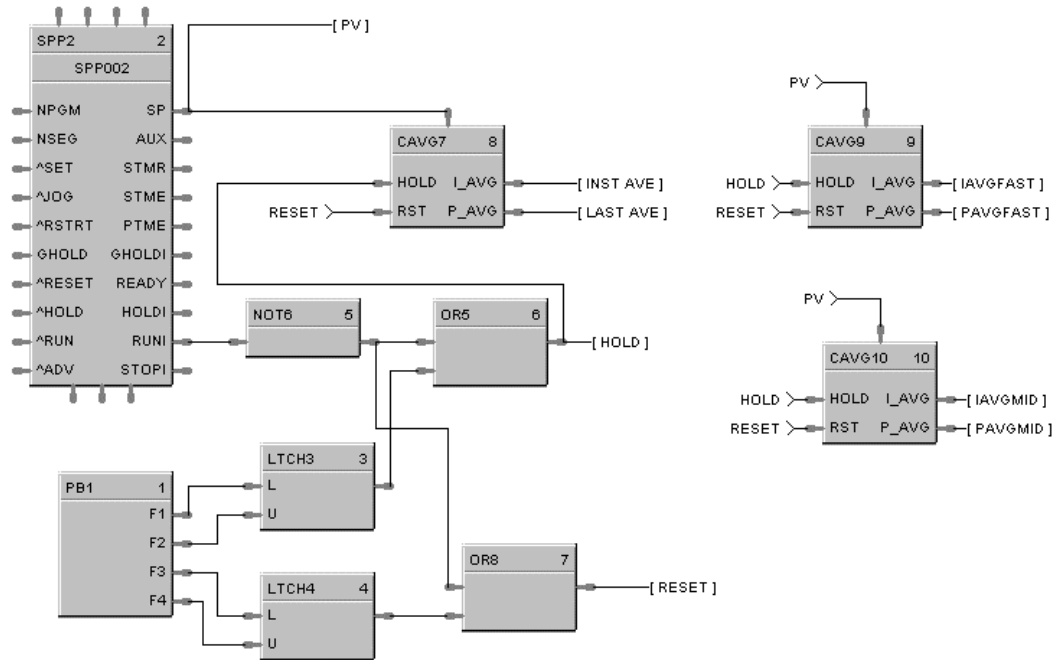
Table 18 describes the parameters and the value or selection.

**Table 18 Continuous average configuration parameters**

Properties Group	Parameter	Index #	Parameter Description	Value or Selection
<b>Set Avg. Period</b>	<b>Averaging Period</b>	0	Time period in which the Continuous Average will be calculated. When the averaging period elapses, the last valid value will be set equal to the instantaneous value. The internal accumulators and sample counters will be cleared and the time remaining will be re-initialize to the full average period.	0.1 to 1440.0 in minutes

**Example**

Figure 14 shows a Function Block Diagram using a CAVG function block.

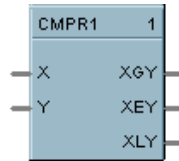


**Figure 14 CAVG function block example**

## CMPR Function Block

### Description

The **CMPR** label stands for **Comparison Calculation**. This block is part of the *Calculations* category. It looks like this graphically on the Control Builder.



### Function

Compares value of X input to value of Y input and turns **ON** one of three outputs based on this comparison.

- If X input is greater than Y input, then: **XGY = ON**.
- If X input equals Y input, then: **XEY = ON**.
- If X input is less than Y input, then: **XLY = ON**.

### Input

**X** = First analog value.  
**Y** = Second analog value

### Output

**XGY** = Digital signal state based on calculation.  
**XEY** = Digital signal state based on calculation.  
**XLY** = Digital signal state based on calculation.

### Block properties

Double click on the function block to access the function block properties dialog box.

#### Block Order (Read Only)

You can change the assigned execution order number by selecting “Execution Order” in the “Configure” menu and arrange the order to suit your control strategy.

### Example

Figure 15 shows a Function Block Diagram using a CMPR function block to open a vent if input 1 is higher than input 2.

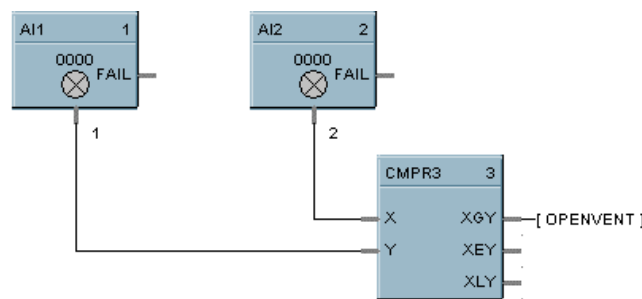
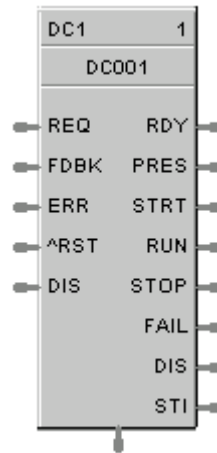


Figure 15 CMPR function block example

## DC Function Block

### Description

The **DC** label stands for **Device Control**. This block is part of the *Auxiliary* category. It looks like this graphically on the Control Builder.



### Function

The Device Control function block is normally used to control pumps. Based on certain events listed in Table 19 the device will be placed into one of six states: READY, PRESTART, STARTING, RUNNING, STOPPING, DISABLED, or FAILED. The READY (off state) is the initial state of the function block. Each configuration is limited to a maximum of 16 Device Control function blocks. Forcing of outputs is NOT permitted within this block.

### Inputs

**REQ** = (run request) when ON [Logic 1], puts the device in the Starting / Running state. When OFF, puts the device in Stopping / Ready state.

**FDBK** = feedback from the controlled device; ON = device has started, OFF = device has not started.

**ERR** = (in) – ON when the controlled device reports a failure, causes the device control to transition to the FAILED state.

OFF = No device failure.

**^RST** = an OFF to ON transition will manually reset the control when it is in the FAILED state and return to the READY state.

**DIS** = (disable) When OFF, the device control operates normally. When ON, immediately transitions to the DISABLED state, it prevents the device from starting if in the ready state or immediately shuts-down the device if it is currently starting up or running state.

## Outputs

**OUT** = Primary block output – the output is ON in the RUNNING and STOPPING states, else OFF.

**RDY** = (ready) ON when the control is in the Ready State (the controlled device is off and waiting for a request to run), otherwise OFF.

**PRES** = (prestart) ON while in the prestart state (a request to run the device has been received and the start delay timer is >0, otherwise OFF.

**STRT** = (starting) ON while in the start state (start timer has expired and there is a request to start the device. The device feedback timer is started. The device is being monitored for failures),

**RUN**= (running) ON while in the Running state (the controlled device has completed start up (Device Feedback) and is now running; occurs after the start delay timer expires; device is being monitored for failures and feedback that it started) otherwise OFF.

**STOP** = (stopping) ON while in the Stopping state (the controlled device is requested to turn off; stop delay timer is running; device is being monitored for failures, interlocking and returning to the run state), otherwise OFF.

**FAIL** = (failed) ON when the control is in the Failed state (the controlled device reported a failure or did not start up in time; device is being monitored for a manual or automatic reset), otherwise OFF.

**DIS** = (disabled) ON while in the Disabled state (the controlled device is locked-out; it cannot start running until the disable input signal turns OFF), otherwise OFF.

**STI** = An enumeration representing the different states of the control.

Where: 0 = NOT USED, 1 = READY, 2 = PRESTART, 3 = STARTING, 4 = RUNNING, 5 = STOPPING, 6 = FAIL, 7 = DISABLE.

## Conditions for transition from FAIL to READY state

One of the following conditions must occur to transition from the FAIL state to the READY state:

- a) If a Feedback error is the initial reason for the failure, then a manual reset is the only method for returning to the Ready state.
- b) If Automatic-Reset is selected, then you return to the Ready state when Device Failure input turns OFF.
- c) If Automatic-Reset is not selected, then you return to the Ready state when Device Failure input is OFF and the Reset input transitions OFF to ON.

### Monitored events and device states

Table 19 shows which events are monitored in each state.

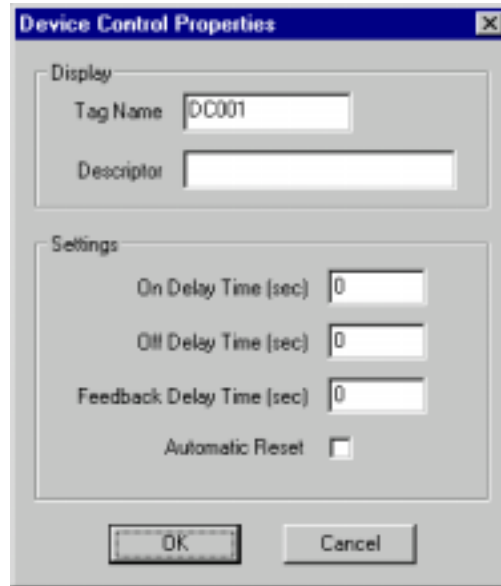
**Table 19 Monitored events and device states**

MONITORED EVENTS	DEVICE STATES						
	READY (Note 1)	PRE-START	START-ING	RUN-NING	DISABLED (Notes 1,2)	STOPPING	FAILED
Run Request turns ON	X					X	
Run Request turns OFF		X	X	X			
Disable (ON)	X	X	X	X		X	
Disable (OFF)					X		
Feedback from Device			X	X			
Device (ERR) Fail ON	X		X	X		X	
Device (ERR) Fail OFF							X Note 3
Reset (Rising Edge)							X
Start Delay Timer Expires (edge)		X					
Feedback Timer Expires (edge)			X	X			
Stop Delay Timer Expires (edge)						X	

**Notes:**

1. If a device fails while in the state of READY or DISABLE, the device failure is not recognized until the control goes into the PRESTART state.
2. There are restrictions when the control goes into the Disable state from the Running State. The device is immediately turned OFF without a Stop Delay. When the disable turns OFF, the control changes to the Ready state.
3. ERR Off (device fail) is monitored in Failed state, only if:
  - a) Failed input caused the failure, and
  - b) Auto Reset is enabled.

## Block properties



Double click on the function block to access the function block properties dialog box.

## Configuration parameters

You must configure the DC function Block parameters to the desired value or selection that matches your operating requirements. Table 20 describes the parameters and the value or selection.

**Table 20 Device control function block parameters**

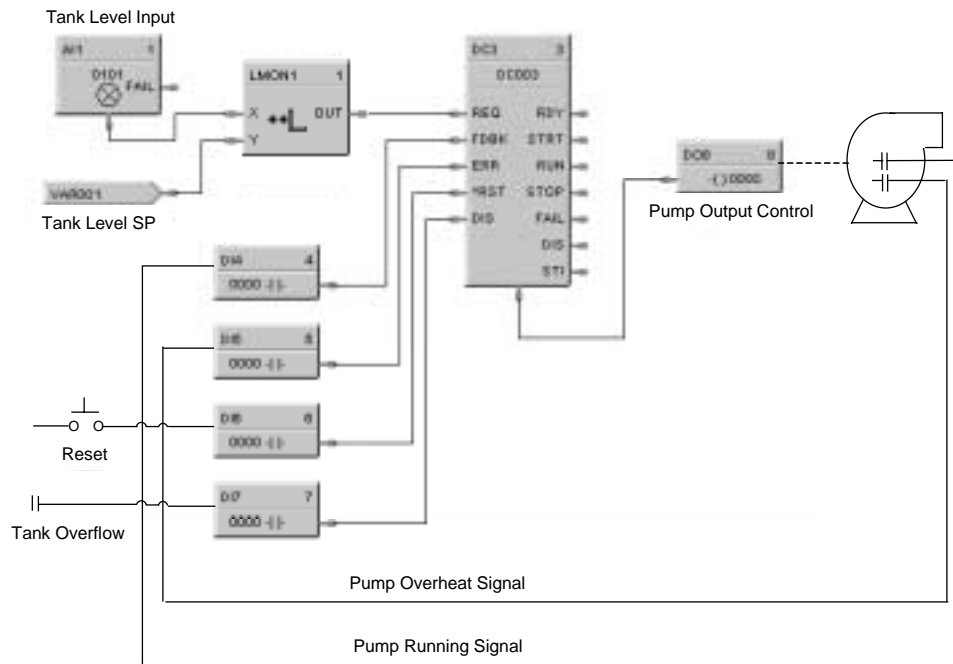
Properties Group	Parameter	Index #	Parameter Description	Value or Selection
<b>Display</b>	<b>Tag Name</b>	N/A	8-character tag name	
	<b>Descriptor</b>	N/A	Block description	16 characters maximum
<b>Settings</b>	<b>On Delay Time (sec)</b>	1	<i>Starting Time</i> – time delay between RUN request and Output ON.  This parameter is configurable from the Operator Interface.	Range: 0 – 99999 seconds (default 0)
	<b>Off Delay Time (sec)</b>	2	Stopping Time – time delay before the Output turns OFF after and OFF request.  This parameter is configurable from the Operator Interface.	Range: 0 – 99999 seconds (default 0)



Properties Group	Parameter	Index #	Parameter Description	Value or Selection
	<b>Feedback Delay Time (sec)</b>	3	Feedback-Fail-Delay: if during this time-period there is no feedback from a device confirming the control is in the Running state, then the block enters the FAIL state and Out is turned OFF.  If a device sends feedback during this time-period, then this timer is reset.  This parameter is configurable from the Operator Interface.	Range: 0 – 99999 seconds (default 0)
	<b>Automatic Reset</b> <i>(Click on Box to turn ON)</i>	0	if set to AUTO, then the block will reset itself after the failure (Fail input) turns off. If set to MANUAL, a Reset (signal input or from the Operator Interface station) is required to remove the failure condition. This parameter is determined when the block is configured.	ON = Automatic Reset <i>(box selected)</i>  OFF = Manual Reset <i>(box deselected)</i>

**Example**

Figure 16 shows a Function Block Diagram using a Device Control function block to control a pump to fill a tank.

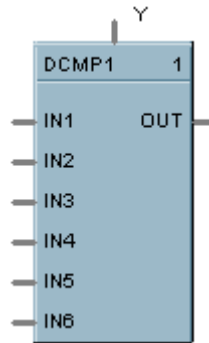


**Figure 16 DC function block example**

## DCMP Function Block

### Description

The **DCMP** label stands for **Deviation Compare**. This block is part of the *Calculations* category. It looks like this graphically on the Control Builder.



### Function

Compares up to 6 analog inputs to a + or – user-entered deviation setpoint to a 7<sup>th</sup> input reference value and sets the output true if any input exceeds the deviation value from the reference value. Output is off if all inputs are less than the deviation.



#### ATTENTION

When the reference input is the average of the 6 inputs, the block performs deviation from average.

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### Input

**IN1** = Input 1  
**IN2** = Input 2  
**IN3** = Input 3  
**IN4** = Input 4  
**IN5** = Input 5  
**IN6** = Input 6  
**Y** =Reference Input



#### ATTENTION

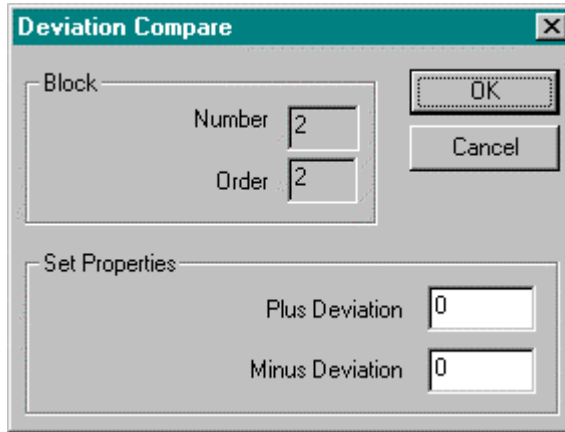
All inputs should be used or a single value should be connected to multiple inputs. Unused inputs will default to 0.

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### Output

OUT = Hi (1) when any input exceeds the specified deviation from the reference value.

## Block properties



Double click on the function block to access the function block properties dialog box.

### Block Order (Read Only)

You can change the assigned execution order number by selecting “Execution Order” in the “Configure” menu and arrange the order to suit your control strategy.

## Configuration parameters

You must configure the DCMP function block parameters to the desired value or selection that matches your operating requirements.

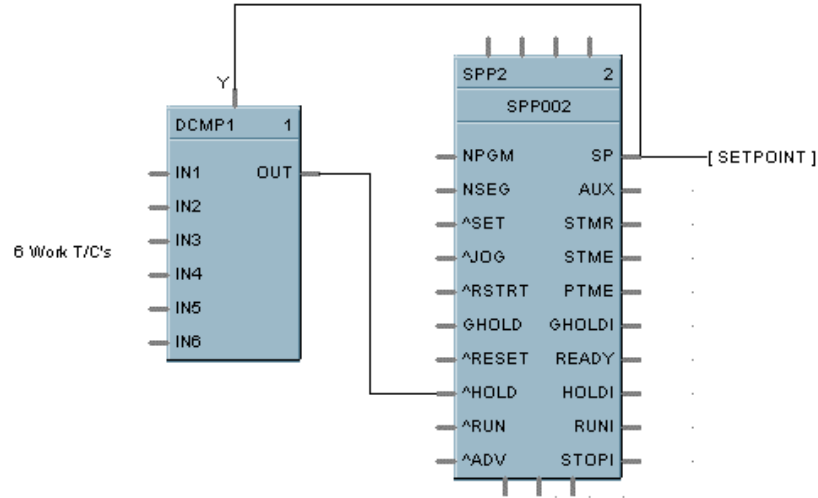
Table 21 describes the parameters and the value or selection.

**Table 21 DCMP configuration parameters**

Properties Group	Parameter	Parameter Description	Value or Selection
Set Properties	Plus Deviation	Plus value deviation from reference point	Within the range of the inputs
	Minus Deviation	Minus value deviation from reference point	Within the range of the inputs

### Example

Figure 17 shows a Function Block Diagram using a DCMP function block to hold a setpoint program if any of 6 work thermocouples deviate from the setpoint by more than the  $\pm$  Deviation Limits.



**Figure 17 DCMP function block example**

## DENC Function Block

### Description

The **DENC** label stands for **Digital Encoder**. This block is part of the *Auxiliary* category. It looks like this graphically on the Control Builder.



### Function

This block's main function is to totalize the number of ON states from up to 16 digital signals. The block digitally encodes up to 16 digital inputs to a single floating point output value.

Forcing of the output is not permitted.

### Inputs

Sixteen digital inputs: Example: ON causes the input to be included in the total output. Unconnected pins default to OFF.

IN 1	= Digital Input 1	IN 9	= Digital Input 9
IN 2	= Digital Input 2	IN 10	= Digital Input 10
IN 3	= Digital Input 3	IN 11	= Digital Input 11
IN 4	= Digital Input 4	IN 12	= Digital Input 12
IN 5	= Digital Input 5	IN 13	= Digital Input 13
IN 6	= Digital Input 6	IN 14	= Digital Input 14
IN 7	= Digital Input 7	IN 15	= Digital Input 15
IN 8	= Digital Input 8	IN 16	= Digital Input 16

### Outputs

**ICNT** = Sum of the Inputs set to ON.

**DENC** = Not Used

### Block properties

Double click on the function block to access the function block properties dialog box.

#### Block Order (Read Only)

You can change the assigned execution order number by selecting “Execution Order” in the “Configure” menu and arrange the order to suit your control strategy.

### Example

Figure 18 shows a Function Block Diagram using a DENC function block using multiple digital status to select an appropriate setpoint for a flow loop.

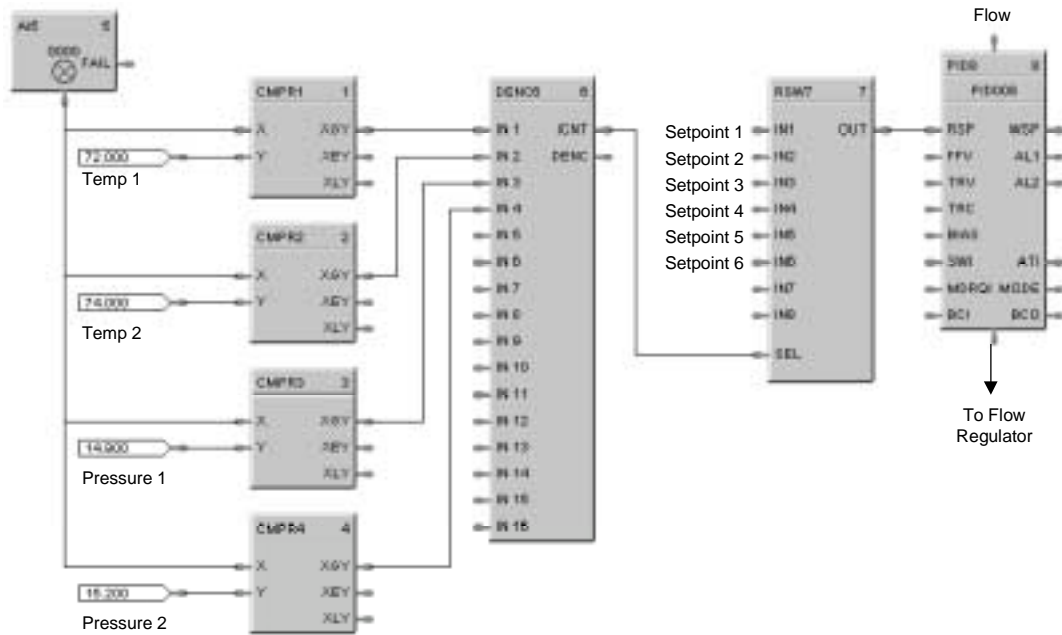
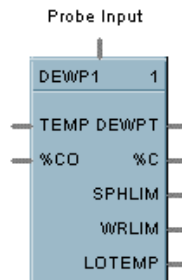


Figure 18 DENC function block example

## DEWP Function Block

### Description

The **DEWP** label stands for **Dewpoint** Calculation. This block is part of the *Calculations* category. It looks like this graphically on the Control builder.



### Function

Monitors Dewpoint or Carbon Potential, or uses a Zirconia Probe sensor input to supply a Dewpoint PV to a PID function block for Dewpoint control. Use in conjunction with other blocks including a PID to generate more elaborate control strategies than that provided by the Carbon potential (CARB) function block.

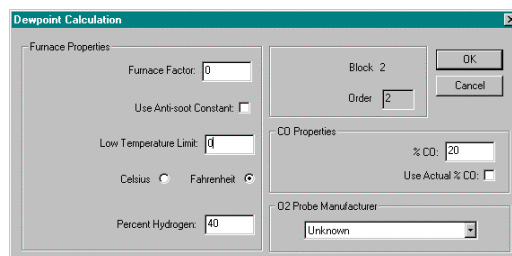
### Inputs

**Probe** = Oxygen Sensor Input from AI (0-2 mV)  
**TEMP** = Temperature Input (°F or °C) from AI Input  
**%CO** = Percent Carbon Monoxide Input 1 - 100 %

### Outputs

**DEWPT** = Calculated Dewpoint Output  
**%C** = Calculated Percent Carbon Output  
**SPHLIM** = Control Setpoint High Limit for Anti-soot.  
**WRLIM** = Command to write the setpoint high limit.  
**LOTEMP** = ON when TEMP is <= calculated low temperature dropoff.

### Block properties



Double click on the function block to access the function block properties dialog box.

### Block Order (Read Only)

You can change the assigned execution order number by selecting "Execution Order" in the "Configure" menu and arrange the order to suit your control strategy.

### Configuration parameters

You must configure the DEWP function Block parameters to the desired value or selection that matches your operating requirements. Table 22 describes the parameters and the value or selection.

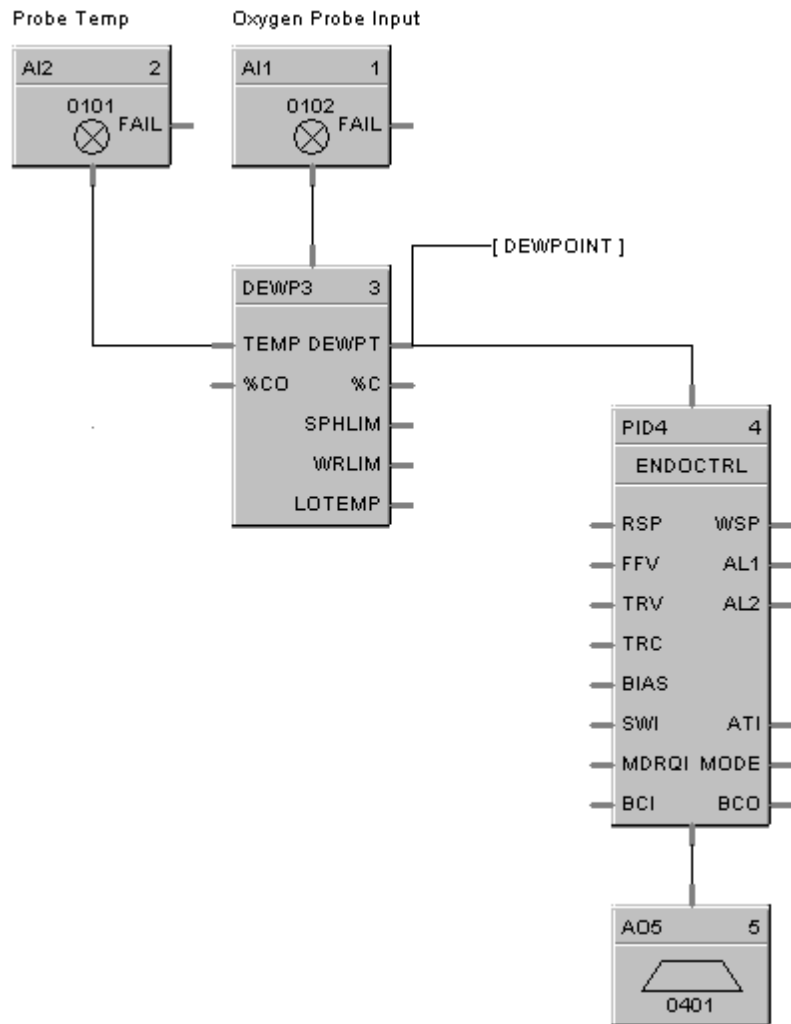
**Table 22 Dewpoint function block parameters**

Properties Group	Parameter	Index #	Parameter Description	Value or Selection
<b>Furnace Properties</b>	<b>Furnace Factor</b>	2	Allows you to adjust the % Carbon as measured by the controller to agree with the results of actual shim stock tests. This adjustment may be needed to correct for specific furnace characteristics such as atmosphere differences, probe location, and furnace leaks.	-0.5 %C to +0.5 %C
	<b>Use Anti-soot Constant</b>	3	Activates anti-sooting feature that limits the working setpoint of the carbon control loop to a value that prevents sooting in the furnace.	Click on block to select  SP HLIM is used for anti-soot.
	<b>Low Temperature Limit</b>	5	Holds controller output to 0 % until limit is exceeded.	0 to 2500 degrees F (1400° recommended) Unit should match C/F selection
	<b>Display Units</b>	4	Probe temperature units for display.	Click on radio button to select
	<b>Percent Hydrogen</b>	7	Percent Hydrogen	1 to 100  default = 40
<b>CO Properties</b>	<b>%CO</b>	0	Allows you to adjust % Carbon measurement to compensate for variations in the amount of CO in the carrier gas.	2.0 to 35.0  default = 20
	<b>Use Actual % CO</b>	1	Function block will use the actual % Carbon Monoxide that is defined through an analog input.	Click on block to select
<b>O2 Probe Manufacturer</b>	<b>Carbon Probe Manufacturer</b>	N/A	Select from Drop Down List of Manufacturers.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Advanced Atmosphere Control Corp.</li> <li>• Furnace Control Corp.</li> <li>• Marathon Monitors</li> <li>• Super Systems Inc.</li> </ul>



**Example**

Figure 19 shows a Function Block Diagram using a DEWP function block. This application uses the Dew Point function block to calculate dew point based on using a carbon probe. A typical example might be for control of an endothermic atmosphere generator. Alternatively, a Honeywell dew point transmitter could be used for a more direct measurement.

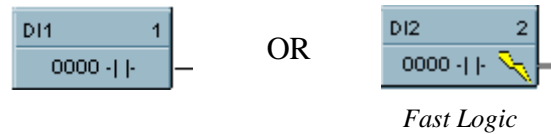


**Figure 19 DEWP function block example**

## DI Function Block

### Description

The **DI** label stands for **Discrete Input**. This block is part of the *Logic* and *Fast Logic* categories. It looks like this graphically on the Control Builder.



### Function

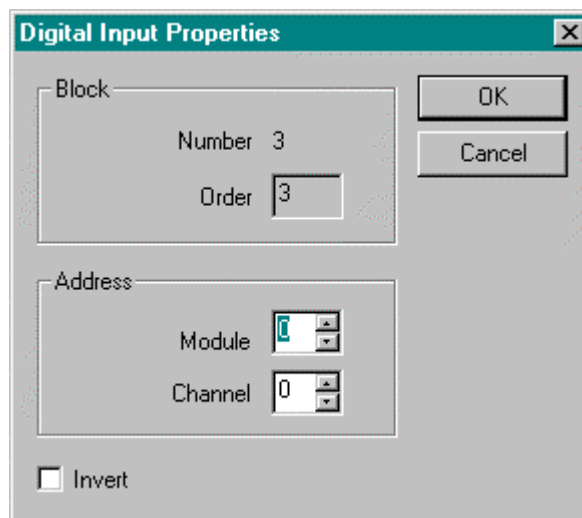
Discrete input blocks are used to process the digital status of a specific channel of a discrete input module. Each block requires a module and channel number during configuration. The Input status may be inverted.

If Digital Point is ON, then OUT = ON.

### Output

OUT = Digital Signal

### Block properties



Double click on the function block to access the function block properties dialog box.

### Block Order (Read Only)

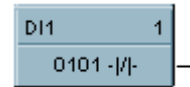
You can change the assigned execution order number by selecting “Execution Order” in the “Configure” menu and arrange the order to suit your control strategy.

### Configuration parameters

You must configure the DI function Block parameters to the desired value or selection that matches your operating requirements. Table 23 describes the parameters and the value or selection.

**Table 23 Digital input configuration parameters**

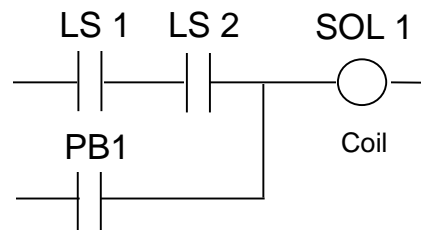
Properties Group	Parameter	Index #	Parameter Description	Value or Selection
<b>Address</b>	<b>I/O Module</b>	0	Address of select I/O Module	From 6 to 16
	<b>Channel</b>		Channel on selected I/O Module	From 1 to 6
<input type="checkbox"/> <b>Invert</b>		1	If INVERT is selected, OUT = inverse of physical input. The slash will be present in the CONTACT symbol only when the invert box is selected on the dialog box. (See below.)	



**Example**

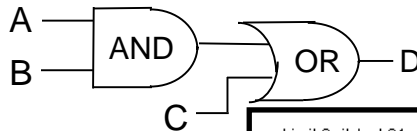
Figure 20 shows a Function Block Diagram using DI function blocks in a basic Series Parallel Circuit.

This is a basic series-parallel circuit. If Limit Switch 1 (LS1) is ON and Limit Switch 2 (LS2) is ON, or if pushbutton PB1 is ON, then Solenoid 1 is turned ON, otherwise it is OFF. Note "power flow" can be delivered in either of two paths to the solenoid.



**Equivalent Boolean Logic Expression**

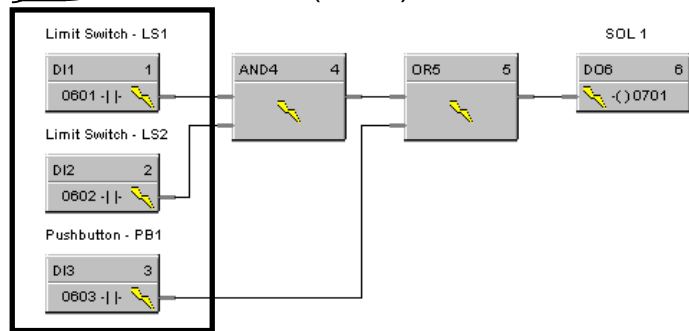
A = LS1, B = LS2  
C = PB1, D = Output



AND Symbol      OR Symbol  
 $(A * B) + C = D$

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This uses a basic 2 Input AND block and a 2 Input OR block.  
6 Function blocks are used.

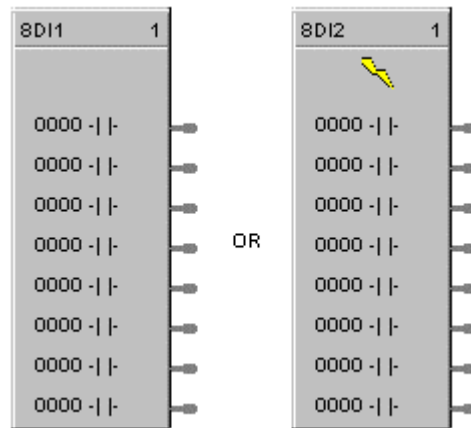


**Figure 20 Digital input function block example**

## 8DI Function Block

### Description

The **8DI** label stands for **Eight Point Digital Inputs**. This block is part of the *Logic* and *Fast Logic* categories. It looks like this graphically on the Control Builder.



### Function

Provides read access for up to 8 physical digital inputs.

It minimizes the number of blocks required to configure all of the Digital I/O required in a system. Digital input blocks are used to process the digital status of specific channels of a digital input module. Each block input requires a module and channel number during configuration.

The Input status may be inverted.

If Digital Point is ON, then OUT = ON.

### Output

**OUT D1**= Digital Signal

**OUT D2**= Digital Signal

**OUT D3**= Digital Signal

**OUT D4**= Digital Signal

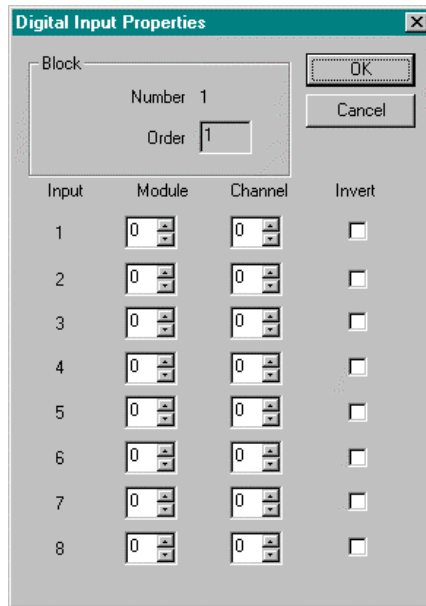
**OUT D5**= Digital Signal

**OUT D6**= Digital Signal

**OUT D7**= Digital Signal

**OUT D8**= Digital Signal

## Block properties



Double click on the function block to access the function block properties dialog box.

### Block Order (Read Only)

You can change the assigned execution order number by selecting “Execution Order” in the “Configure” menu and arrange the order to suit your control strategy.

## Configuration parameters

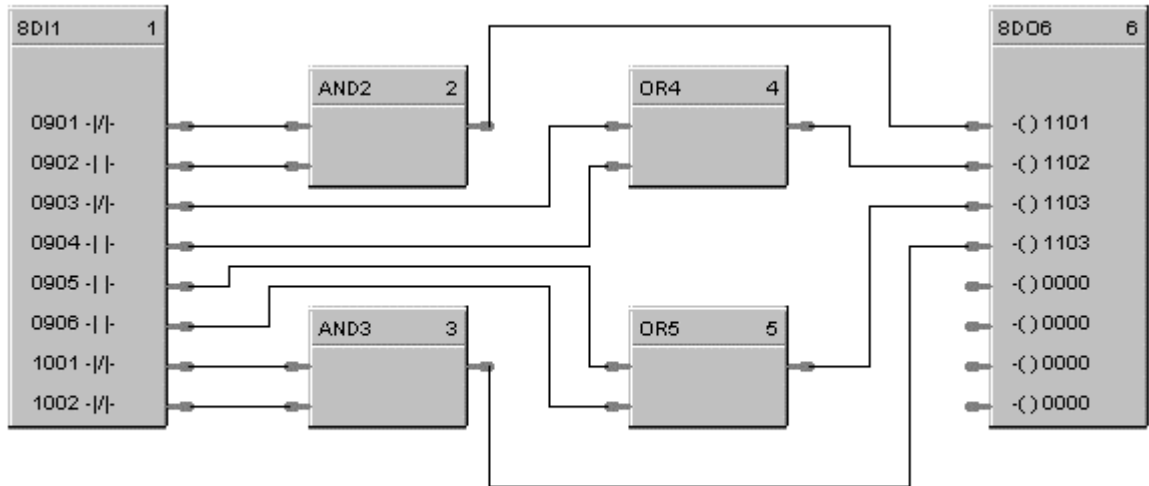
You must configure the 8 point DI function Block parameters to the desired value or selection that matches your operating requirements. Table 24 describes the parameters and the value or selection.

**Table 24 Eight Digital input configuration parameters**

Properties Group	Parameter	Index #	Parameter Description	Value or Selection
Input 1 through Input 8	I/O Module	0	Address of selected I/O Module	From 1 to 16
	Channel		Channel on selected I/O Module	From 1 to 6
<input type="checkbox"/> Invert		1	If INVERT is selected, OUT = inverse of physical input. The slash will be present in the CONTACT symbol only when the invert box is selected on the dialog box. (See below.)	

**Example**

Figure 21 shows a Function Block Diagram using 8 point DI function blocks.



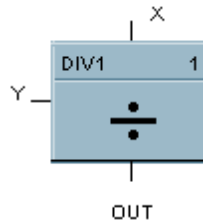
In this example, two blocks are used for a total of 12 digital I/O points.

**Figure 21 8Point DI function block example**

## DIV Function Block

### Description

The **DIV** label stands for **Division** Mathematical operation. This block is part of the *Math* category. It looks like this graphically on the Control Builder.



### Function

Divides one input (X) by another (Y)

- If  $Y = 0$ , then  $OUT = 0$  and block status is set to error; otherwise,  $OUT = X \div Y$ .

### Input

**X** = First analog value

**Y** = Second analog value

### Output

**OUT** = Calculated Value

### Block properties

Double click on the function block to access the function block properties dialog box.

#### Block Order (Read Only)

You can change the assigned execution order number by selecting “Execution Order” in the “Configure” menu and arrange the order to suit your control strategy.

### Example

Figure 22 shows a Function Block Diagram using a DIV function block.

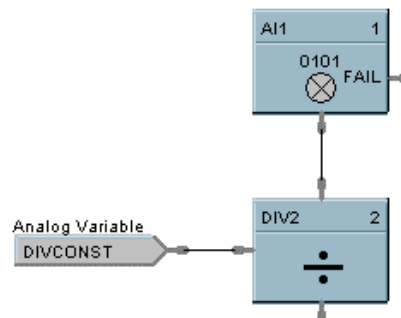
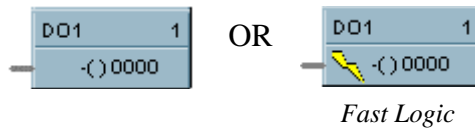


Figure 22 DIV function block example

## DO Function Block

### Description

The **DO** label stands for **Digital Output**. This block is part of the *Logic* and *Fast Logic* categories. It looks like this graphically on the Control Builder.



### Function

Provides a digital status from the algorithms and functions to physical logic output hardware. Each block requires a module and channel number during configuration. The output status may be inverted.

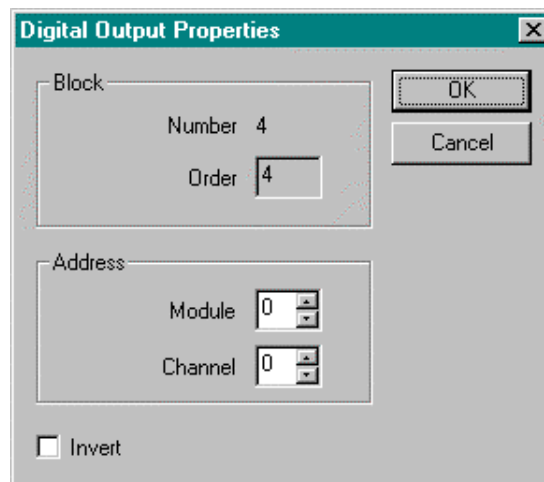
### Input

X = Input Status Signal

### Output

None

### Block properties



Double click on the function block to access the function block properties dialog box.

### Block Order (Read Only)

You can change the assigned execution order number by selecting "Execution Order" in the "Configure" menu and arrange the order to suit your control strategy.

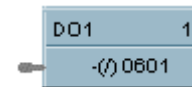
### Configuration parameters

You must configure the DO function Block parameters to the desired value or selection that matches your operating requirements. Table 25 describes the parameters and the value or selection.



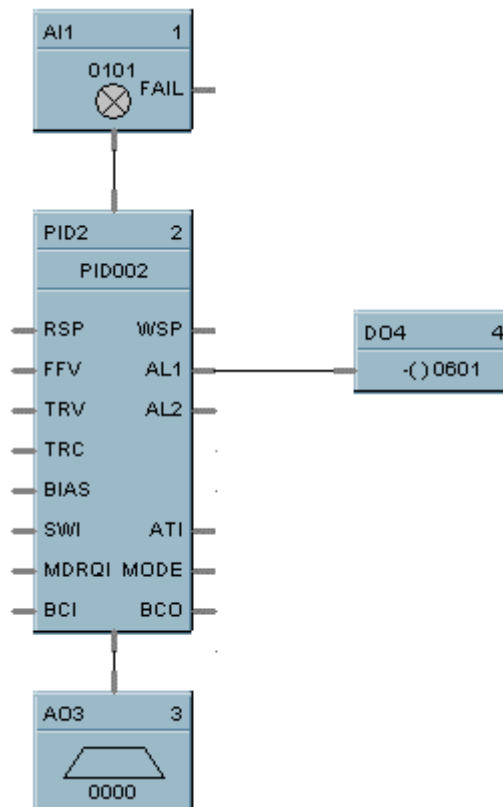
**Table 25 Digital output configuration parameters**

Properties Group	Parameter	Index #	Parameter Description	Value or Selection
<b>Address</b>	<b>I/O Module</b>	N/A	Address of select I/O Module	From 1 to 16
	<b>Channel</b>		Channel on selected I/O Module	From 1 to 6
<input type="checkbox"/> Invert		1	If INVERT is selected, Invert IN before writing to output The slash will be present in the COIL symbol only when the invert box is selected on the dialog box. (See below.)	



**Example**

Figure 23 shows a Function Block Diagram using a DO function block. A digital output signal from PID block AL1 will turn the Digital Output block ON & OFF for remote alarming. This output could be OR'd with other alarm outputs if going to a common alarm relay.

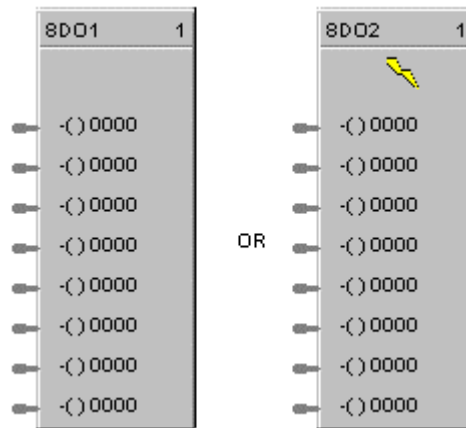


**Figure 23 DO function block example**

## 8DO Function Block

### Description

The **8DO** label stands for **Eight Point Digital Outputs**. This block is part of the *Logic* and *Fast Logic* categories. It looks like this graphically on the Control Builder.



### Function

Provides write access to any physical digital output. (All read at the same time) It minimizes the number of blocks required to configure all of the digital I/O required in the system. It provides a digital status from the algorithms and functions to physical logic output hardware. Each block output requires a module and channel number during configuration. The output status may be inverted.

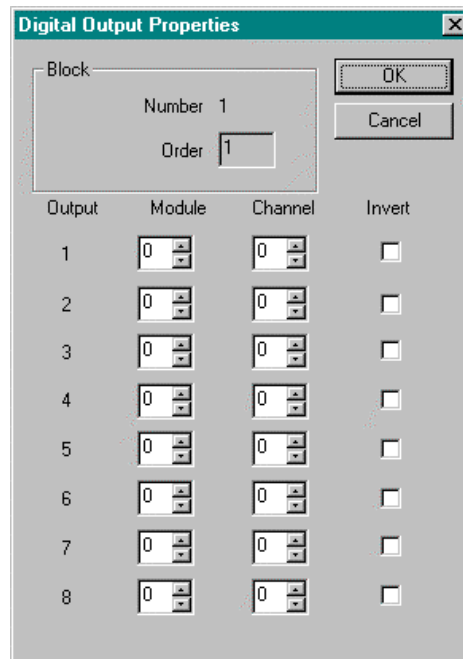
### Input

**IN D1** = Input Status Signal  
**IN D2** = Input Status Signal  
**IN D3** = Input Status Signal  
**IN D4** = Input Status Signal  
**IN D5** = Input Status Signal  
**IN D6** = Input Status Signal  
**IN D7** = Input Status Signal  
**IN D8** = Input Status Signal

### Output

None

## Block properties



Double click on the function block to access the function block properties dialog box.

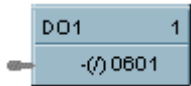
### Block Order (Read Only)

You can change the assigned execution order number by selecting “Execution Order” in the “Configure” menu and arrange the order to suit your control strategy.

## Configuration parameters

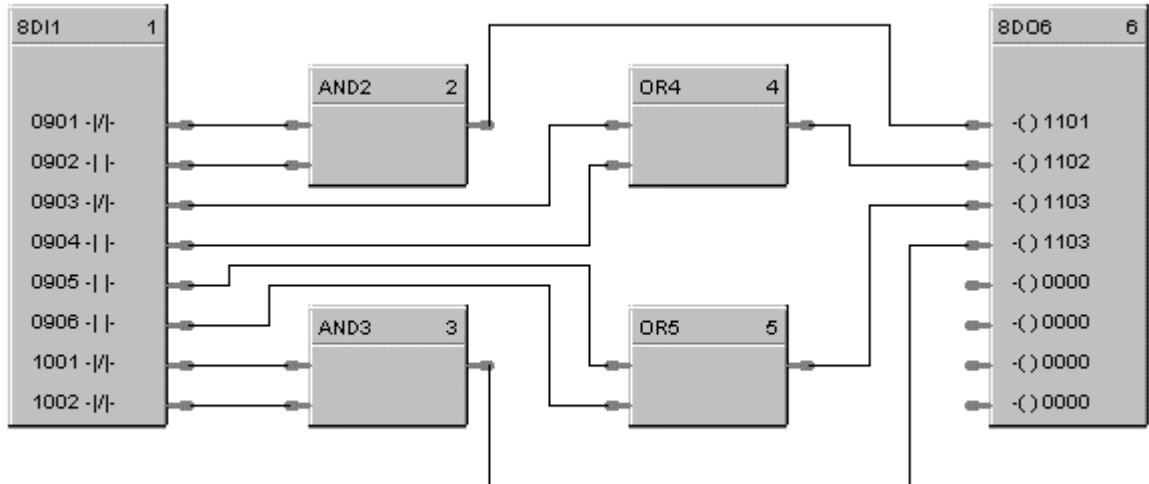
You must configure the 8Point DO function Block parameters to the desired value or selection that matches your operating requirements. Table 26 describes the parameters and the value or selection.

**Table 26 Eight Digital output configuration parameters**

Properties Group	Parameter	Index #	Parameter Description	Value or Selection
Output 1 through 8	I/O Module	N/A	Address of select I/O Module	From 1 to 16
	Channel		Channel on selected I/O Module	From 1 to 16
			NOTE: <i>If you don't want to use an output pin, leave the Module # and Channel # at 0.</i>	
	<input type="checkbox"/> Invert	1	If INVERT is selected, Invert IN before writing to output The slash will be present in the COIL symbol only when the invert box is selected on the dialog box. (See below.)	

**Example**

Figure 24 shows a Function Block Diagram using a 8 Point DO function block.



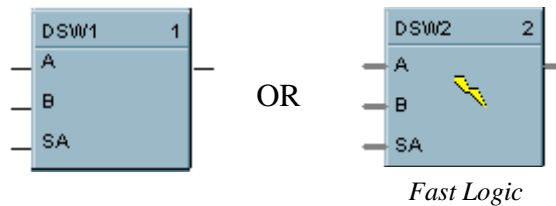
In this example, two blocks are used for a total of 12 digital I/O points.

**Figure 24 8 Point DO function block example**

## DSW Function Block

### Description

The **DSW** label stands for **Digital Switch**. This block is part of the *Logic* and *Fast Logic* categories. It looks like this graphically on the Control Builder.



### Function

Sets the output of the block equal to either input A or Input B depending on the value of input SA. If input SA (Select A) is ON, then OUT = Input A, otherwise OUT = Input B.

### Input

**A** = 1<sup>st</sup> of two inputs to select from.

**B** = 2<sup>nd</sup> of two inputs to select from.

**SA** = Select A

### Output

**Out** = If SA is ON, then A, else B.

### Block properties

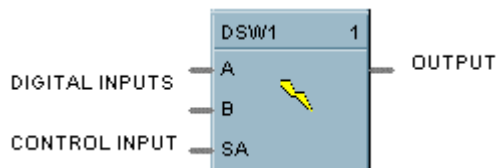
Double click on the function block to access the function block properties dialog box.

#### Block Order (Read Only)

You can change the assigned execution order number by selecting “Execution Order” in the “Configure” menu and arrange the order to suit your control strategy.

### Example

Figure 25 shows an example of a DSW function block. The output is switched **between two digital inputs** based on the ON or OFF state of the **control input**. Output = A input state when SA input is OFF and B input state when SA input is ON.

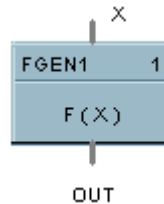


**Figure 25 DSW function block example**

## FGEN Function Block

### Description

The **FGEN** label stands for **Function Generator - 10 Segment**. This block is part of the *Auxiliary* category. It looks like this graphically on the Control Builder:



### Function

Generate output characteristic curve based on up to 11 configurable “Breakpoints” for both input (X) and Output (OUT) values.

OUT = interpolation of OUT (Yb) values for segment in which X falls.

- If  $X \leq X(1)$ , then  $OUT = OUT(1)$
- If  $X \geq X(11)$ , then  $OUT = OUT(11)$



#### ATTENTION

The  $X(n)$  value must be  $< X(n+1)$  value. Thus, if fewer than 11 breakpoints are needed, be sure to configure any unneeded breakpoints with the same X and OUT values used for the previous breakpoint.

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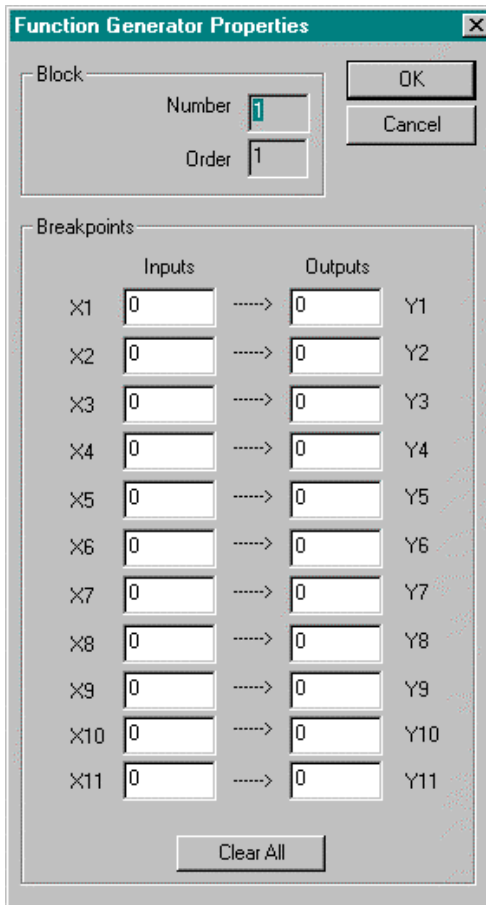
### Input

X = Analog Value

### Output

OUT = Calculated Analog Value

## Block properties



The dialog box is titled "Function Generator Properties" and contains the following elements:

- Block** section:
  - Number:
  - Order:
- Breakpoints** section:
 

	Inputs		Outputs	
X1	<input type="text" value="0"/>	----->	<input type="text" value="0"/>	Y1
X2	<input type="text" value="0"/>	----->	<input type="text" value="0"/>	Y2
X3	<input type="text" value="0"/>	----->	<input type="text" value="0"/>	Y3
X4	<input type="text" value="0"/>	----->	<input type="text" value="0"/>	Y4
X5	<input type="text" value="0"/>	----->	<input type="text" value="0"/>	Y5
X6	<input type="text" value="0"/>	----->	<input type="text" value="0"/>	Y6
X7	<input type="text" value="0"/>	----->	<input type="text" value="0"/>	Y7
X8	<input type="text" value="0"/>	----->	<input type="text" value="0"/>	Y8
X9	<input type="text" value="0"/>	----->	<input type="text" value="0"/>	Y9
X10	<input type="text" value="0"/>	----->	<input type="text" value="0"/>	Y10
X11	<input type="text" value="0"/>	----->	<input type="text" value="0"/>	Y11
- Buttons:** OK, Cancel, and Clear All.

Double click on the function block to access the function block properties dialog box.

### Block Order (Read Only)

You can change the assigned execution order number by selecting “Execution Order” in the “Configure” menu and arrange the order to suit your control strategy.

### Configuration parameters

You must configure the FGEN function Block parameters to the desired value or selection that matches your operating requirements. Table 27 describes the parameters and the value or selection.

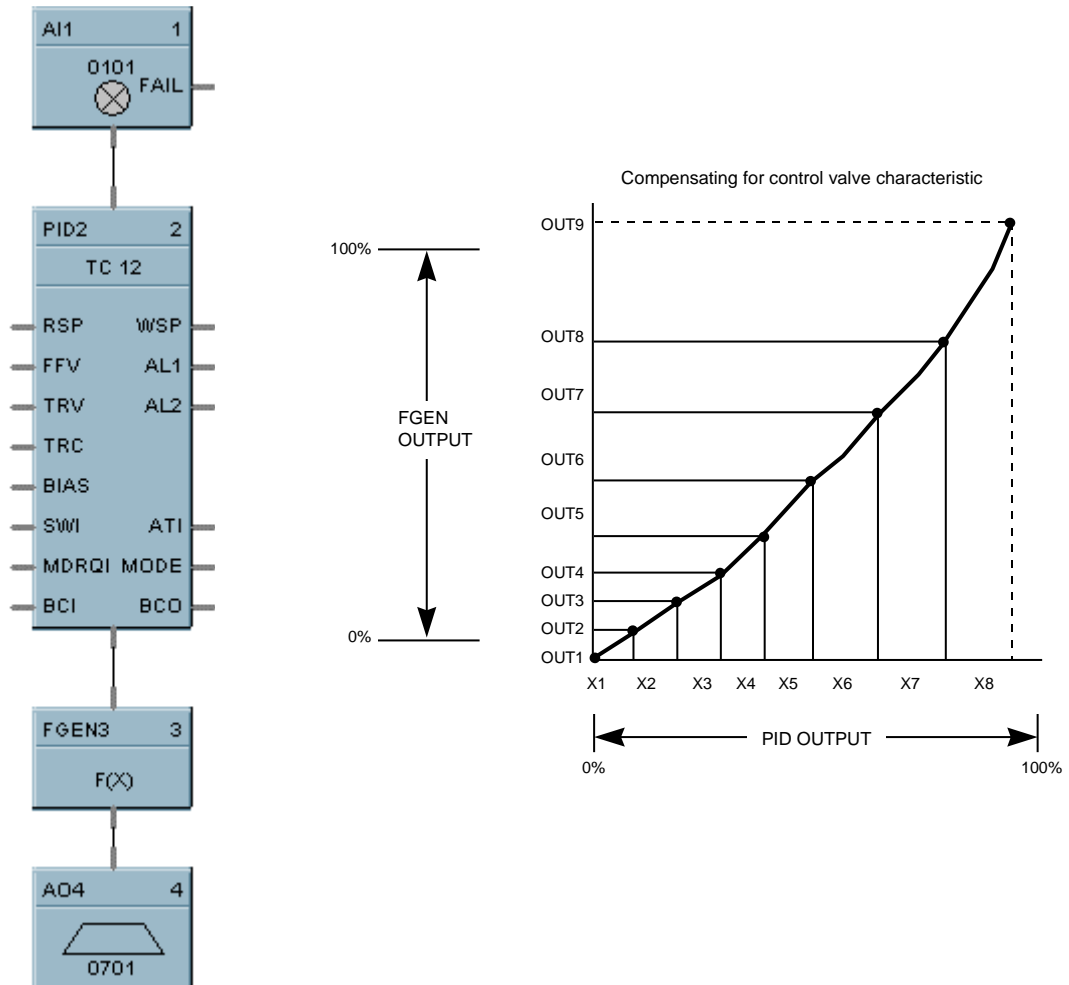
**Table 27 Function generator configuration parameters**

Properties Group	Parameter	Index #	Parameter Description	Value or Selection
<b>Block</b>	<b>Block Order</b>			Read Only. See "Configure" Menu, "Execution Order" to change.
<b>Breakpoints</b>	<b>X1</b>	0	X-value at Input Breakpoint 1	-99999 to 999999
	<b>X2</b>	1	X-value at Input Breakpoint 2	-99999 to 999999
	<b>X3</b>	2	X-value at Input Breakpoint 3	-99999 to 999999
	<b>X4</b>	3	X-value at Input Breakpoint 4	-99999 to 999999
	<b>X5</b>	4	X-value at Input Breakpoint 5	-99999 to 999999
	<b>X6</b>	5	X-value at Input Breakpoint 6	-99999 to 999999
	<b>X7</b>	6	X-value at Input Breakpoint 7	-99999 to 999999
	<b>X8</b>	7	X-value at Input Breakpoint 8	-99999 to 999999
	<b>X9</b>	8	X-value at Input Breakpoint 9	-99999 to 999999
	<b>X10</b>	9	X-value at Input Breakpoint 10	-99999 to 999999
	<b>X11</b>	10	X-value at Input Breakpoint 11	-99999 to 999999
	<b>Y1</b>	11	Y-value at Output Breakpoint 1	-99999 to 999999
	<b>Y2</b>	12	Y-value at Output Breakpoint 2	-99999 to 999999
	<b>Y3</b>	13	Y-value at Output Breakpoint 3	-99999 to 999999
	<b>Y4</b>	14	Y-value at Output Breakpoint 4	-99999 to 999999
	<b>Y5</b>	15	Y-value at Output Breakpoint 5	-99999 to 999999
	<b>Y6</b>	16	Y-value at Output Breakpoint 6	-99999 to 999999
	<b>Y7</b>	17	Y-value at Output Breakpoint 7	-99999 to 999999
	<b>Y8</b>	18	Y-value at Output Breakpoint 8	-99999 to 999999
	<b>Y9</b>	19	Y-value at Output Breakpoint 9	-99999 to 999999
	<b>Y10</b>	20	Y-value at Output Breakpoint 10	-99999 to 999999
<b>Y11</b>	21	Y-value at Output Breakpoint 11	-99999 to 999999	
<b>Clear All Button</b>		Click on button to clear all breakpoint values.		



**Examples**

Figure 26 shows a function block diagram using a FGEN function block to characterize the PID control loop output for control valve operation using 9 breakpoints.

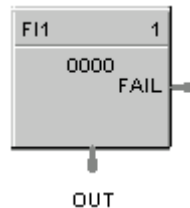


**Figure 26 FGEN function block example**

## FI Function Block

### Description

The **FI** label stands for **Frequency Input**. This block is part of the *Logic* category. It looks like this graphically on the Control Builder.



### Function

This function block reads a single frequency channel from a pulse-frequency-input module. It scales inputs from the module to user-configured engineering units per unit time. The function is used for measuring speed and flow rate. The frequency high and low limits are sent to the module and the module will respond with **FAIL** or the frequency input value.

### Inputs

None

### Outputs

**FAIL** = A Boolean value that turns ON when the Pulse/Frequency input module reports a failure.

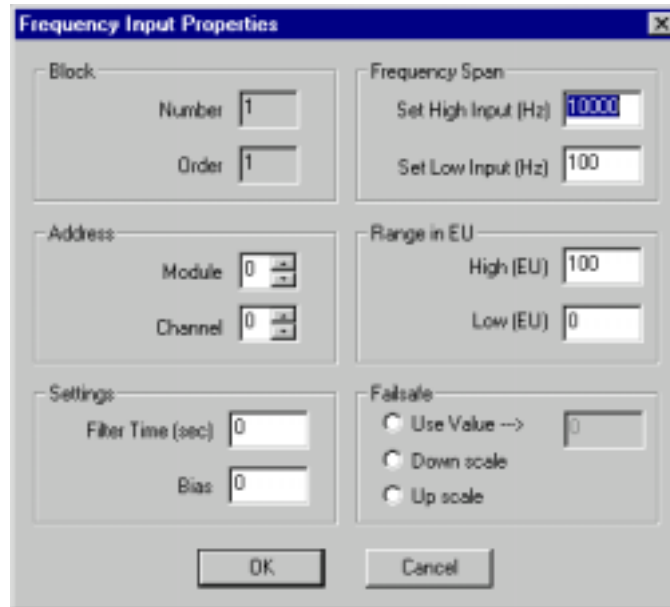
**OUT** = The frequency input value in engineering units (after needed ranges, bias, or failsafe conditions have been applied).

The formula for calculating the Output value is:

$$OUT = \left( \frac{FREQ_{IN} - FREQ_{ZERO}}{FREQ_{SPAN} - FREQ_{ZERO}} \right) * (EU_{HIGH} - EU_{LOW}) + EU_{LOW} + BIAS$$

The generic forcing of outputs is not permitted.

## Block properties



Double click on the function block to access the function block properties dialog box.

### Block Order (Read Only)

You can change the assigned execution order number by selecting “Execution Order” in the “Configure” menu and arrange the order to suit your control strategy.

## Configuration parameters

You must configure the FI function Block parameters to the desired value or selection that matches your operating requirements. Table 22 describes the parameters and the value or selection.

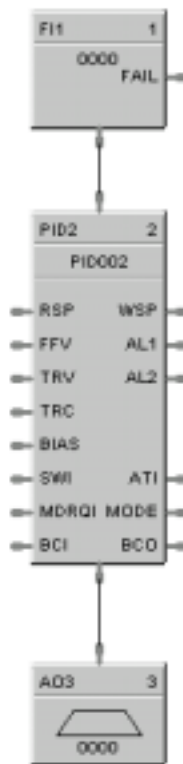
**Table 28 Frequency input function block parameters**

Properties Group	Parameter	Index #	Parameter Description	Value or Selection
<b>Address</b>	<b>I/O Module</b>	N/A	Address of select I/O Module	From 1 to 16
	<b>Channel</b>	N/A	Channel on selected I/O Module	From 1 to 4
<b>Settings</b>	<b>Filter Time (sec)</b>	2	Filter Time Constant	0 – 120 seconds Default = 0
	<b>Bias</b>	3	Bias value applied to the Output	0-100000 EU Default = 0
<b>Frequency Span</b>	<b>Set High Input (Hz)</b>	9	Frequency High Input Highest value of the input device – must be larger than the lower Input	10Hz to 100KHz Default = 10KHz
	<b>Set Low Input (Hz)</b>	8	Frequency LOWLimit Low value of the input device	10Hz to 100KHz Default = 100Hz

Properties Group	Parameter	Index #	Parameter Description	Value or Selection
Range in EU	High (EU)	6	Out high limit in EU	0-1000000 EU Default = 100
	Low (EU)	7	Out low limit in EU	0-1000000 EU Default = 0
Failsafe	Use Value	4	The output value to which the output will go to protect against the effects of failure of the equipment	Failsafe value in Engineering Units
	Downscale	N/A	Use Range Low	Click on Radio button to select
	Upscale	N/A	Use Range High	Click on Radio button to select

**Example**

Figure 27 shows a Function Block Diagram using a FI function block for a Flow control loop with Pulse output and Flowmeter input.

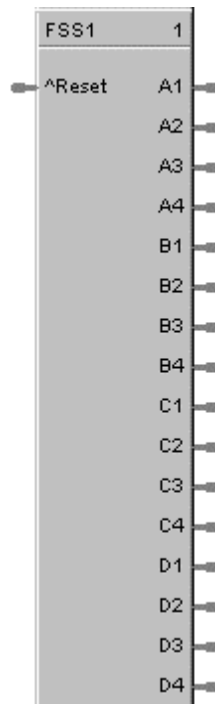


**Figure 27 FI function block example**

## FSS Function Block

### Description

The **FSS** label stands for **Four-Selector Switch**. This block is part of the *Logic* category. It looks like this graphically on the Control Builder:



### Function

Provides 16 digital outputs in groups of four. A dedicated display allows activating of only one output per group while other outputs are turned off.

### Inputs

**RESET** = Off to ON requests a reset state. Reset Input turns on #1 output of all 4 groups.

### Outputs

**A1, A2, A3, A4** = Bank A Output 1 through Output 4

**B1, B2, B3, B4** = Bank B Output 1 through Output 4

**C1, C2, C3, C4** = Bank C Output 1 through Output 4

**D1, D2, D3, D4** = Bank D Output 1 through Output 4



#### ATTENTION

Only one output ON per group, A, B, C, D.

If the Operator Interface makes a request and RESET occurs on the same cycle, RESET will take precedence.

## Block properties

Double click on the function block to access the function block properties dialog box.

### Block Order (Read Only)

You can change the assigned execution order number by selecting “Execution Order” in the “Configure” menu and arrange the order to suit your control strategy.

## Configuration parameters

You must configure the FSS function Block parameters to the desired value or selection that matches your operating requirements. Table 29 describes the parameters and the value or selection.

**Table 29 Four selector switch configuration parameters for operator interface display**

Properties Group	Parameter	Index #	Parameter Description	Value or Selection
<b>Title</b>			Enter a Title for the block	24 characters
<b>Bank x Labels</b> <b>X = A, B, C, or D</b>	<b>Descriptor</b>		Enter a Descriptor for Bank x Labels	16 characters
	<b>Bank x Label 1</b>		Enter a label name for display	6 characters
	<b>Bank x Label 2</b>		Enter a label name for display	6 characters
	<b>Bank x Label 3</b>		Enter a label name for display	6 characters
	<b>Bank x Label 4</b>		Enter a label name for display	6 characters

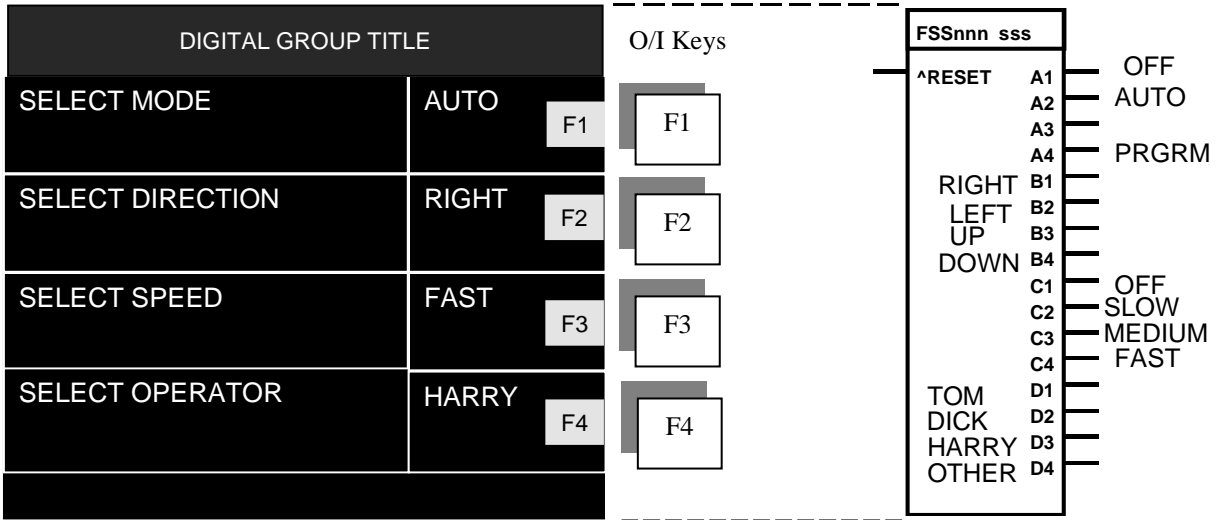
**Example**

Figure 28 shows a FFS function block and its associated display.



**ATTENTION**

The Four Selector group display is directly associated with the Four Selector Function Block. Pressing O/I Keys F1 through F4 call up a dialog box that allows changes to the output selection for the associated block.



**Figure 28 FSS function block example**

## FSYS Function Block

### Description

The **Fast Logic Status Block (FSYS)** is a function block and is part of the *Fast Logic* category. It provides read access to controller status values including those related to the Fast Logic execution cycle. The output may be connected to function block inputs. The outputs may also be connected to signal tags for operator interface monitoring. The FSYS System Monitoring block is assigned block number 250. It looks like this graphically on the Control Builder:

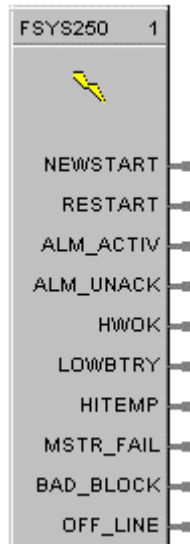


Table 30 describes the outputs for the Fast Logic system status block.

**Table 30 Fast logic system status block outputs**

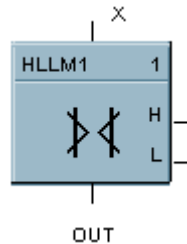
Output	Description
NEWSTART	Newstart is ON for one full scan cycle of Fast Logic control block execution, following a cold start of the controller. For example: starting after a change from program to run.
RESTART	Restart is ON for one full scan cycle of Fast Logic control block execution, following the warm start of the controller.
ALM ACTIV	Alarm Active is ON if any operator panel alarm is ON.
ALMUNACK	Alarm unacknowledge is ON if any operator panel's alarm is unacknowledged.
HWOK	Hardware OK is ON if there are no faults.
LOWBTRY	Low Battery is ON if the battery is low, Off when battery is good.
HI TEMP	High CJ Temperature is ON if the CJ temperature is high.
MSTR FAIL	Communications Failure is ON when Modbus master diagnostic is not good
BAD BLOCK	Bad Block is ON when one or more blocks are not operating properly.
OFF LINE	Off Line is ON when the controller mode switch is in the Off Line mode.



## HLLM Function Block

### Description

The HLLM label stands for **High Low** limiter. This block is part of the *Auxiliary* category. It looks like this graphically on the Control Builder:



### Function

Provide high-low limit for an analog (**X**) value.

Turns ON H or L digital output if input exceeds or falls below set limits.

- If  $X \leq$  Low Limit value, then: **OUT = LoLIM; L = ON; H = OFF.**
- If  $X \geq$  High Limit value, then: **OUT = HiLIM; L = OFF; H = ON.**
- If  $X >$  Low Limit value and  $<$  high Limit value, then: **OUT = X; L = OFF; H = OFF.**

### Input

**X** = Analog Value

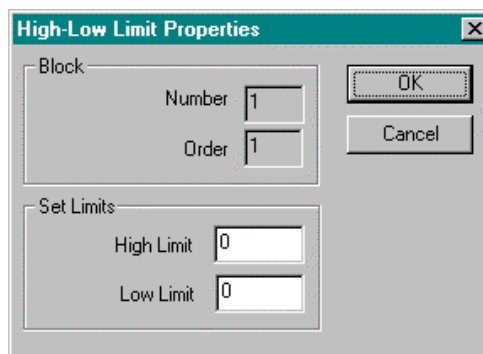
### Output

**OUT** = Analog value within limits

**L** = Low Limit digital indication

**H** = High Limit digital indication

### Block properties



Double click on the function block to access the function block properties dialog box.

**Block Order (Read Only)**

You can change the assigned execution order number by selecting “Execution Order” in the “Configure” menu and arrange the order to suit your control strategy.

**Configuration parameters**

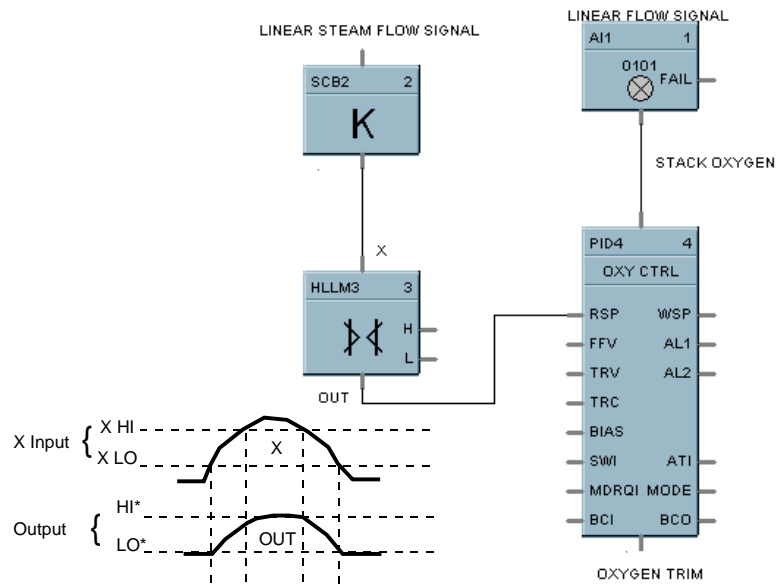
You must configure the HLLM function Block parameters to the desired value or selection that matches your operating requirements. Table 31 describes the parameters and the value or selection.

**Table 31 High low limit configuration parameters**

Properties Group	Parameter	Index #	Parameter Description	Value or Selection
Set Limits	High Limit	0	High limit value for analog (X) value	-99999 to 999999
	Low Limit	1	Low limit value for analog (X) value	-99999 to 999999

**Example**

Figure 29 shows a Function Block Diagram using an HLLM function block to provide a remote setpoint signal within specified limits to a PID Control Loop.

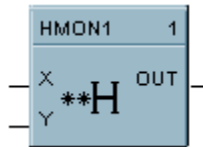


**Figure 29 HLLM function block example**

## HMON Function Block

### Description

The **HMON** label stands for **High Monitor**. This block is part of the *Alarm/Monitor* category. It looks like this graphically on the Control Builder.



### Function

Monitors two analog input values (X and Y) and turns ON a digital output if X exceeds Y. A hysteresis adjustment is provided to prevent output cycling.

- If  $X > Y$ , then **OUT = ON**.
- If  $X \leq (Y - \text{Hysteresis})$ , then **OUT = OFF**.
- If  $(Y - \text{Hysteresis}) < X < Y$ , then **OUT = Previous State**.

### Input

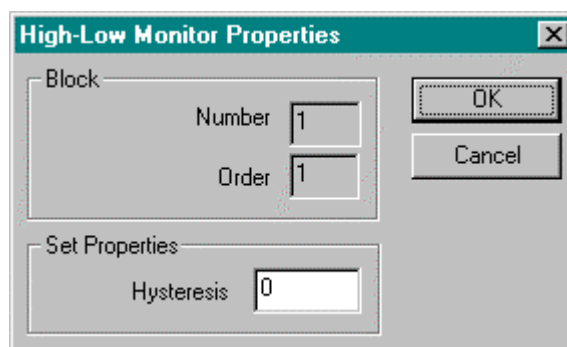
**X** = Analog value.

**Y** = Analog value

### Output

**OUT** = Digital signal

### Block properties



Double click on the function block to access the function block properties dialog box.

### Block Order (Read Only)

You can change the assigned execution order number by selecting “Execution Order” in the “Configure” menu and arrange the order to suit your control strategy.

### Configuration parameters

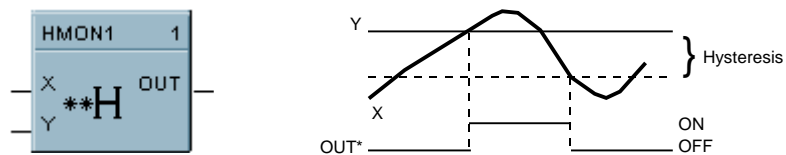
You must configure the HMON function Block parameters to the desired value or selection that matches your operating requirements. Table 32 describes the parameters and the value or selection.

**Table 32 High monitor function block configuration parameters**

Properties Group	Parameter	Index #	Parameter Description	Value or Selection
Set Properties	Hysteresis	0	An adjustable overlap of the On/Off states of the output.	0 to the Span of Y input in Engineering units.

### Example

Figure 30 shows a Function Block Diagram using an HMON function block. It shows a typical output signal response provided by an HMON function block.

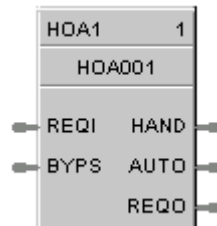


**Figure 30 HMON function block example**

## HOA Function Block

### Description

The **HOA** label stands for **Hand/Off/Auto Switch**. This block is part of the *Auxiliary* category. It looks like this graphically on the Control Builder.



### Function

The Hand – Off – Auto (HOA) switch function block permits state change requests from a Local Operator Interface or a Remote source. The block states are: **BYPASS** (external manual operation of a device), **HAND** (manual operation from an operator interface), **AUTO** (default – requests are operated automatically), or **OFF** (relay to be switched to Bypass, Hand, or Auto)

The HOA switch is also used with the Device Control (DC) function block to comprise a Pump Control algorithm which is used to manipulate the state of a controlled device (pump).

Each configuration is limited to a maximum of 16 HOA function blocks.  
Forcing of outputs is NOT permitted within this block.

### Input

**REQUI** = If the current state of the block is **AUTO**, then **REQO** output (on/off) equals the **REQUI** input (on/off)

**BYP5** = If **ON**, the **REQO** output is forced off and any state change requests are ignored. If **OFF**, the block returns to its previous state (Hand, Off, Auto)

### Output

**HAND** = **ON** when the block is in the **HAND** state, else **OFF**. Device is in manual operation from an operator interface; prevents automatic operation; this state forces the **REQO** output **ON**.

**AUTO** = **On** when block is in **AUTO** state, else **OFF**. Requests are operated automatically.

**REQO** = This is **ON** when in the **HAND** state, or when in the **AUTO** state and the **REQUI** input signal is **ON**. **OFF** when in the **OFF** or **BYPASS** state.

*Note. Both **HAND** and **AUTO** are **OFF** in the **OFF** and **BYPASS** states.*

### Block properties

The **HAND/OFF/AUTO** properties dialog box is divided into two tab cards:

**GENERAL**  
**FEEDBACK SIGNAL**

Click on the tab to access the properties for that tab.

#### **GENERAL tab**

It looks like this graphically on the Control Builder. Table 33 describes the parameters and the value or selection.



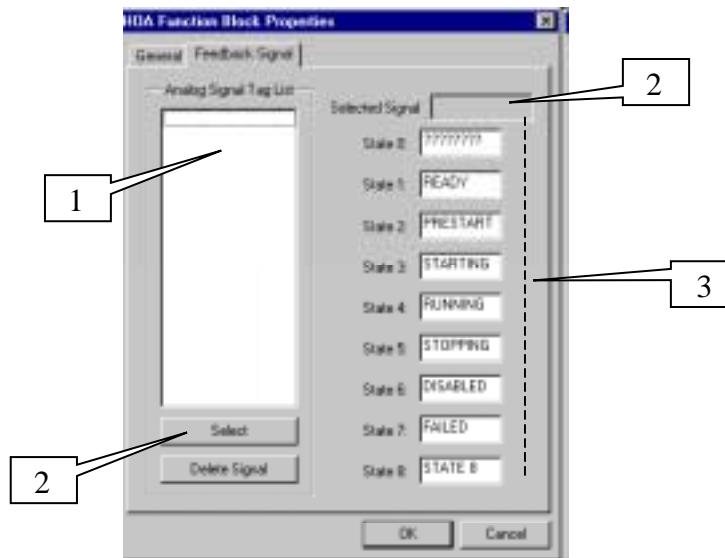
**Table 33 HOA general tab parameters**

Properties Group	Parameter	Index #	Parameter Description	Value or Selection
<b>Display</b>	<b>Tag Name</b>	N/A	8-character tag name	
	<b>Descriptor</b>	N/A	Block description	
<b>Settings</b>	<b>HOA Source</b>	N/A	Determines which devices have permission to write Hand-Off-Auto state change requests	<b>Local</b> (Local Operator Interface) <b>Remote</b> (Serial Communications) <b>Local/Remote</b> Default = Local/Remote
	<b>Initial State</b>	N/A	Start-up state of the function block. User can change the current state from the operator interface if the <b>HOA Source</b> is <b>Local</b> or <b>Both</b>	<b>OFF</b> <b>HAND</b> <b>AUTO</b>

**FEEDBACK SIGNAL tab**


It looks like this graphically on the Control Builder. Table 34 describes the parameters and the value or selection. The feedback signal is used for display purposes.




When the HOA block is used in conjunction with a Device Control (DC) block, the feedback is typically referenced to the (STI) status output pin of the DC block. The sample text shown in Table 34 would correspond to the states of the DC block.



To select a Feedback signal and to define state text for the enumerated value of the feedback signal, proceed with the sequence 1 through 3 below.

**Table 34 HOA feedback signal tab parameters**

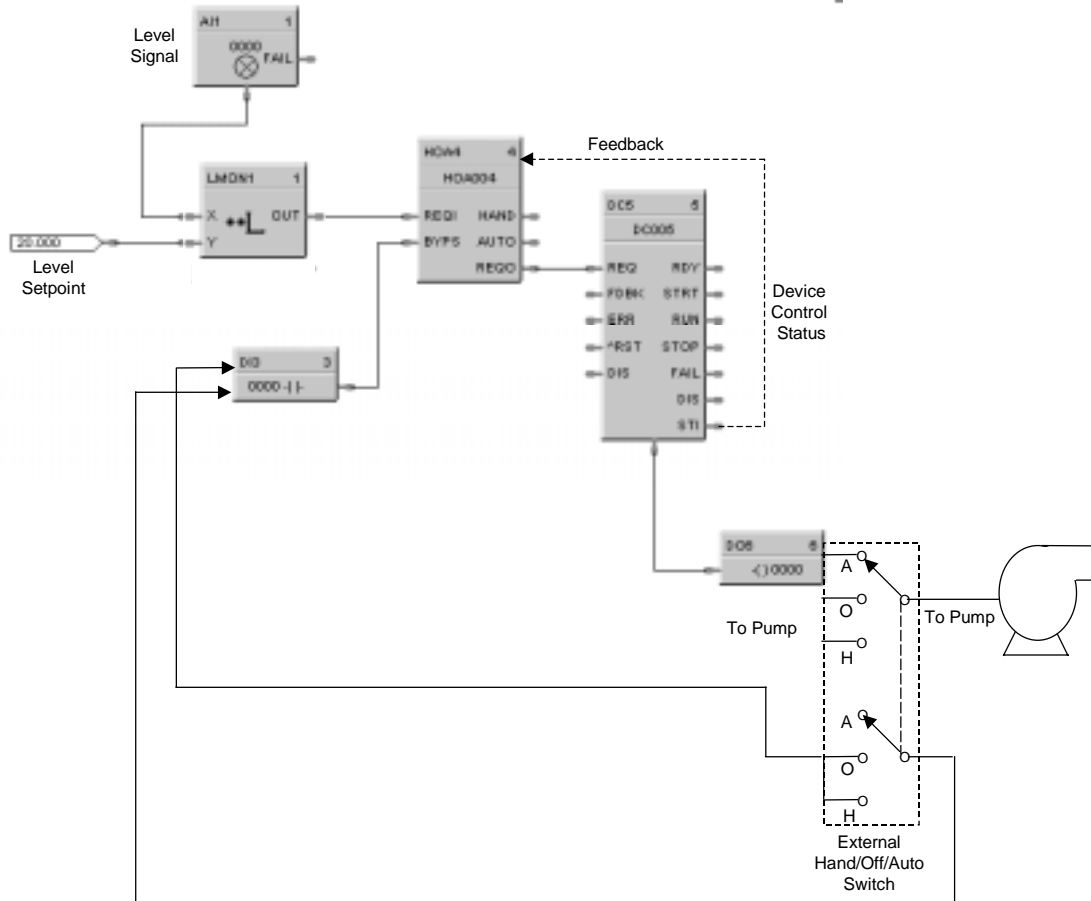
Sequence Number	Parameter Field	Action	Selections	Comments
1		Click on a signal tag in the list	Select from all configured Analog Signal tags listed	

Sequence Number	Parameter Field	Action	Selections		Comments
2		Click "Select" at the bottom of the "Analog Signal Tag List" to place highlighted signal tag into the "Selected Signal" field			 The selection is placed in the Selected Signal field on the dialog box.  Click on "Delete Signal" at the bottom of the "Analog Signal Tag List" to remove a signal tag from field.
3		The state text will be selected for the display based on the numerical value (0 through 8) of the specified analog signal.	<u>Default Text</u>  ???????? READY PRESTART STARTING RUNNING STOPPING FAILED DISABLED STATE 8	<u>Enumerated value of selected signal</u>  0 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8	You can highlight any state and change the text to whatever you desire for that state.  ???????? = Block not used



**Example**

Figure 32 shows a Function Block Diagram using an HOA function block in conjunction with a Device Control (DC) block and an external HOA switch for pump control. The level signal input and Compare (CMPR) function are used to determine pump On/Off demand.

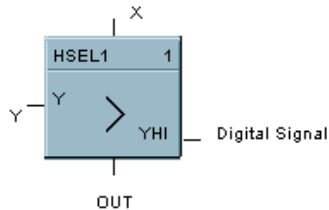


**Figure 31 HOA function block example**

## HSEL Function Block

### Description

The **HSEL** label stands for **High Selector**. This block is part of the *Signal Selectors* category. It looks like this graphically on the Control Builder.



### Function

Selects higher of two analog input values (X and Y) for output.  
Indicates when Y is higher than X.

- If  $X \geq Y$ , then: **OUT = X; YHI = OFF.**
- If  $X < Y$ , then: **OUT = Y; YHI = ON.**

### Input

**X** = Analog value  
**Y** = Analog value

### Output

**OUT** = Higher analog value  
**YHI** = Digital signal. (ON when  $Y > X$ .)

### Block properties

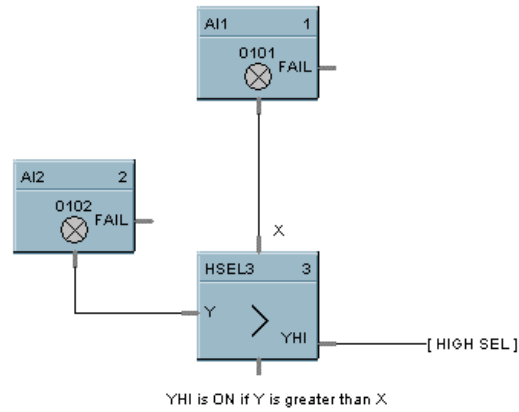
Double click on the function block to access the function block properties dialog box.

#### Block Order (Read Only)

You can change the assigned execution order number by selecting “Execution Order” in the “Configure” menu and arrange the order to suit your control strategy.

### Example

Figure 32 shows a Function Block Diagram using an HSEL function block to monitor two analog inputs to activate an alarm signal tag.

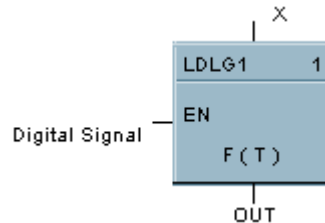


**Figure 32 HSEL Function Block Example**

## LDLG Function Block

### Description

The **LDLG** label stands for **Lead/Lag**. This block is part of the *Auxiliary* category. It looks like this graphically on the Control Builder.



### Function

Modifies an analog input value (**X**) to include LEAD (**T2**) and LAG (**T1**) time constants of from 0 to 99 minutes, when a digital input (**EN**) is ON.

- If **EN** = ON, then:

$$\text{OUT} = \frac{1 + sT2}{1 + sT1} \times X$$

$s = \text{Laplace operator}$

If **T1** = 0, then:

$$\text{OUT} = \text{last } X + \frac{T2}{t} (X - \text{last } X)$$

$\text{last } X = \text{Input value from execution cycle.}$

$t = \text{Duration of previous cycle time in minutes.}$

If **T2** = 0, then the block functions as a digital lag filter.

- If **EN** = OFF, or initial start, then: **OUT** = **X**.

### Inputs

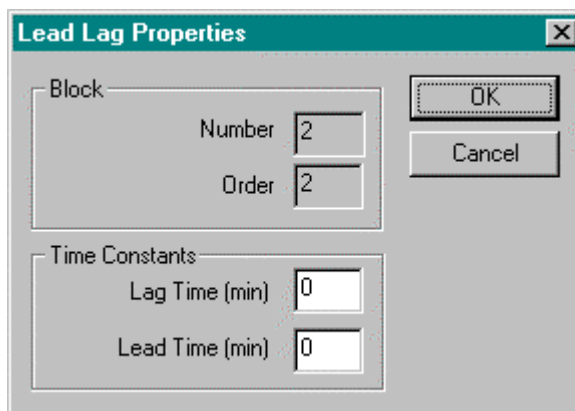
**X** = Analog value (Primary Input)

**EN** = Digital signal (Enable)

### Output

**OUT** = Analog value as modified

## Block properties



Double click on the function block to access the function block properties dialog box.

### Block Order (Read Only)

You can change the assigned execution order number by selecting “Execution Order” in the “Configure” menu and arrange the order to suit your control strategy.

## Configuration parameters

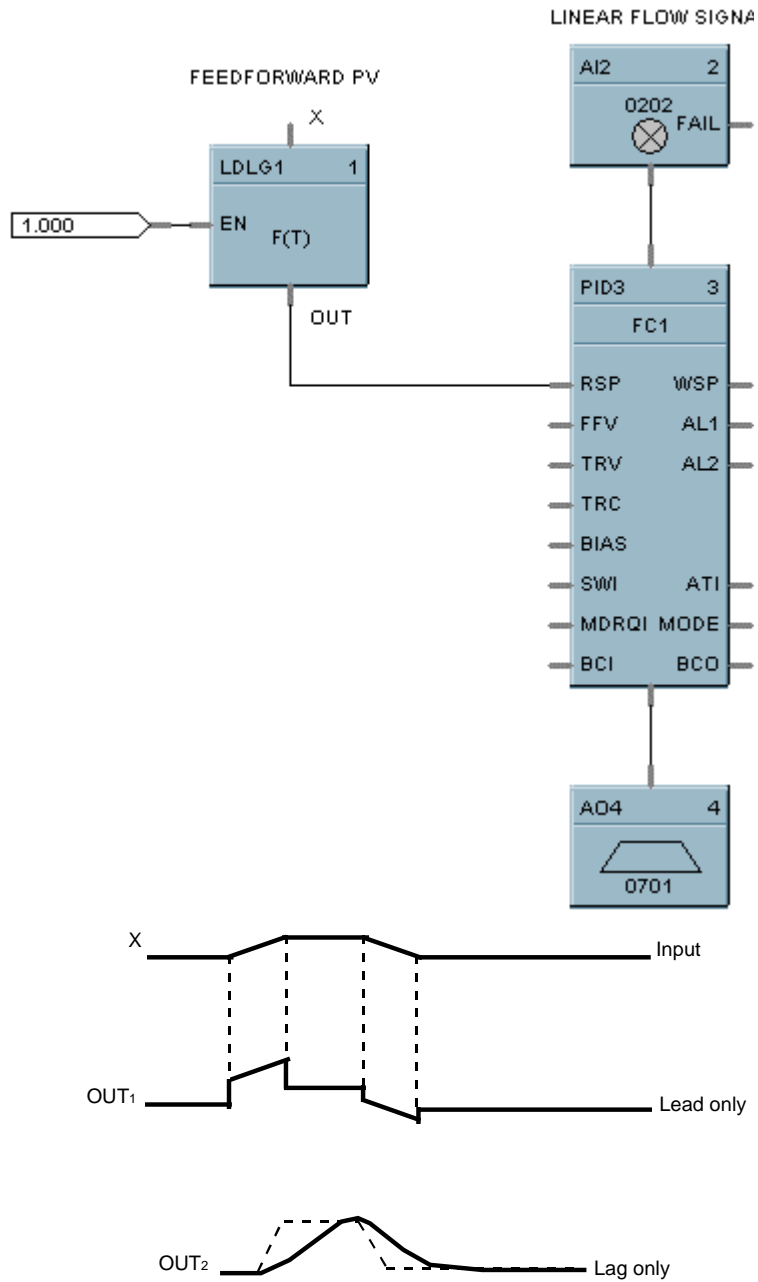
You must configure the LDLG function Block parameters to the desired value or selection that matches your operating requirements. Table 35 describes the parameters and the value or selection.

**Table 35 Lead lag configuration parameters**

Properties Group	Parameter	Index #	Parameter Description	Value or Selection
Time Constants	Lag Time (min)	0	T1 - Lag Time Constant	0.00 to 99.00 minutes
	Lead Time (min)	1	T2 - Lead Time Constant  NOTE: If T2 is set to 0, function becomes a lag filter.	0.00 to 99.00 minutes

**Example**

Figure 33 shows a Function Block Diagram using an LDLG function block to modify the PV signal for the remote setpoint input of the PID control loop.

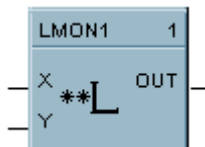


**Figure 33 LDLG function block example**

## LMON Function Block

### Description

The **LMON** label stands for **Low Monitor**. This block is part of the *Alarm/Monitor* category. It looks like this graphically on the Control Builder.



### Function

Monitors two analog input values (X and Y), and turns ON a digital output if X is less than Y. A hysteresis adjustment is provided to prevent output cycling.

- If  $X < Y$ , then: **OUT = ON.**
- If  $X > \text{or } = (Y + \text{Hysteresis})$ , then: **OUT = OFF.**
- If  $(Y + \text{Hysteresis}) > X > Y$ , then: **OUT = Previous State.**

### Input

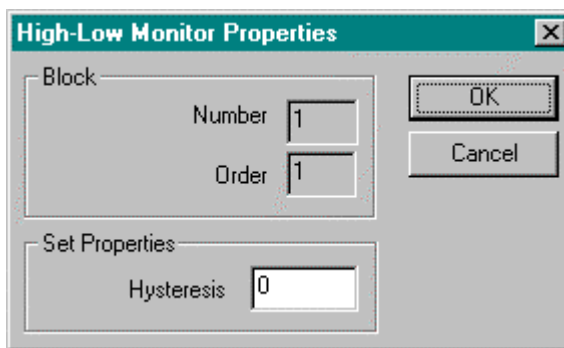
**X** = Analog value.

**Y** = Analog value

### Output

**OUT** = Digital signal

### Block properties



Double click on the function block to access the function block properties dialog box.

### Block Order (Read Only)

You can change the assigned execution order number by selecting "Execution Order" in the "Configure" menu and arrange the order to suit your control strategy.

### Configuration parameters

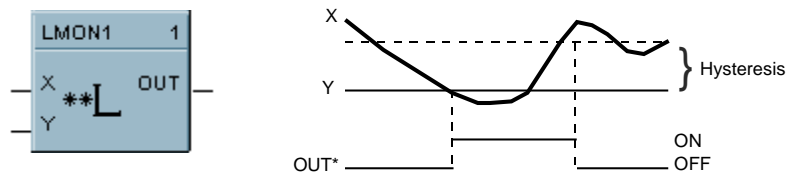
You must configure the LMON function Block parameters to the desired value or selection that matches your operating requirements. Table 36 describes the parameters and the value or selection.

**Table 36 Low monitor function block configuration parameters**

Properties Group	Parameter	Index #	Parameter Description	Value or Selection
Set Properties	Hysteresis	0	An adjustable overlap of the On/Off states of the output.	0 to the Span of Y input in Engineering units.

### Example

Figure 34 shows a Function Block Diagram using an LMON function block. It shows a typical output response provided by a LMON function block.



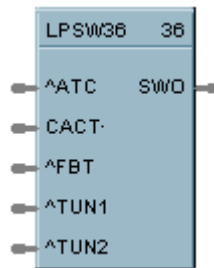
**Figure 34 LMON function block example**



## LPSW Function Block

### Description

The **LPSW** label stands for **Loop Switch**. This block is part of the *Loops* category. It looks like this graphically on the Control Builder.



### Function

Digital interface to control loops to initiate autotuning, change control action, force bumpless transfer, select tuning set. Connects to a PID, TPSC, or CARB function blocks.

### Inputs

**^ATC** = Autotune Command (OFF to ON initiates Autotuning)\*\*

**CACT** = Change Control Action (ON changes Control Action)

**^FBT** = Force Bumpless Transfer (OFF to ON Forces Bumpless Transfer)\*\*

**^TUN1** = Tune Set 1 (OFF to ON switches to Tune Set 1)\*\*

**^TUN2** = Tune Set 2 (OFF to ON switches to Tune Set 2)\*\*

\* *Switch to Tune Set 1 overrides concurrent command to switch to Tune Set 2*

\*\* *Not available for ON/OFF function Block*

### Output

**SWO** = The output of this block must connect to the SW1 input of a PID, CARB, and TPSC function block.

### Block properties

Double click on the function block to access the function block properties dialog box.

#### Block Order (Read Only)

You can change the assigned execution order number by selecting "Execution Order" in the "Configure" menu and arrange the order to suit your control strategy.

### Example

Figure 35 shows a Function Block Diagram using an LPSW function block

**Function:** Digital interface to initiate:

- Autotuning
- Change Control Action: Direct/Reverse Action
- Force Bumpless Transfer (rebalance the algorithm)
- Select Tuning Set #1
- Select Tuning Set #2

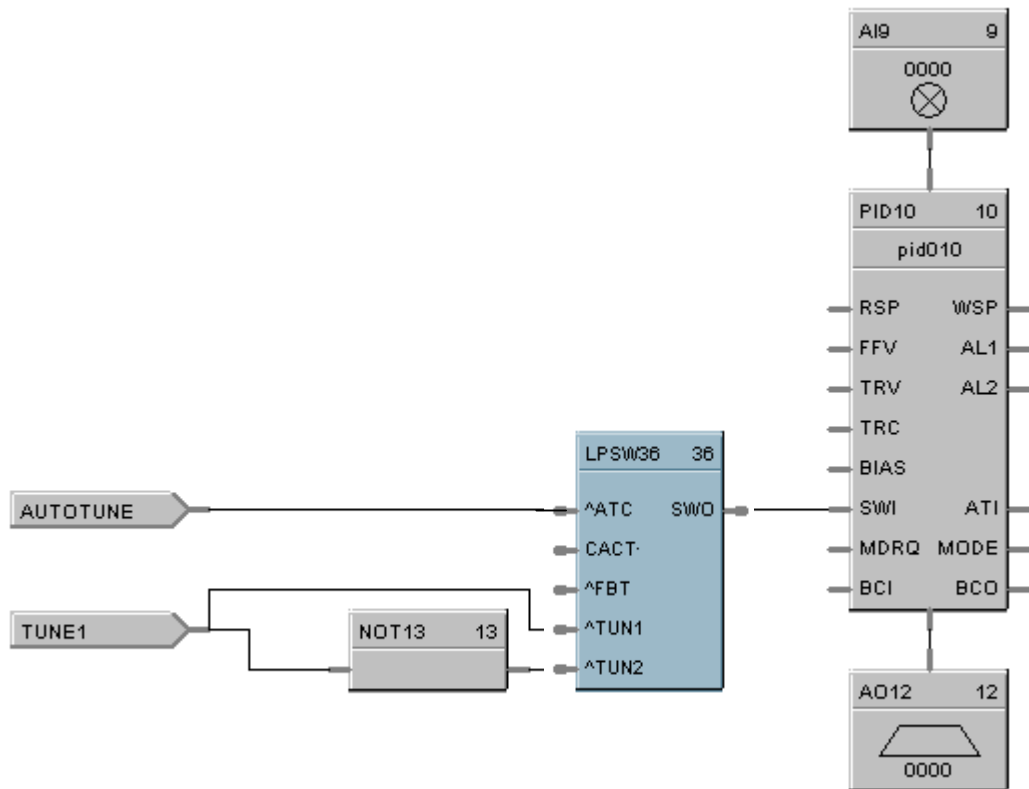
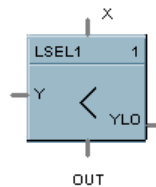


Figure 35 LPSW function block example

## LSEL Function Block

### Description

The **LSEL** label stands for **Low Selector**. This block is part of the *Signal Selectors* category. It looks like this graphically on the Control Builder.



### Function

Selects lower of two analog input values (X & Y) for output.  
Indicates when Y is lower than X.

- If  $X \leq Y$ , then: **OUT = X; YLO = OFF.**
- If  $X > Y$ , then: **OUT = Y; YLO = ON.**

### Input

**X** = Analog value  
**Y** = Analog value

### Output

**OUT** = Lower analog value  
**YLO** = Digital signal (ON when  $Y < X$ )

### Block properties

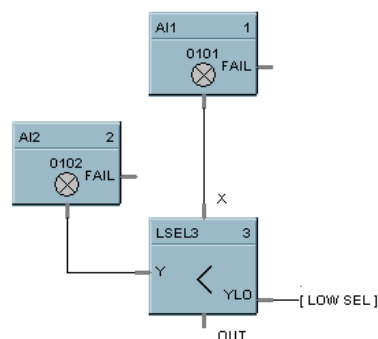
Double click on the function block to access the function block properties dialog box.

#### Block Order (Read Only)

You can change the assigned execution order number by selecting “Execution Order” in the “Configure” menu and arrange the order to suit your control strategy.

### Example

Figure 36 shows a Function Block Diagram using an LSEL function block to monitor two analog inputs to activate an alarm signal tag.

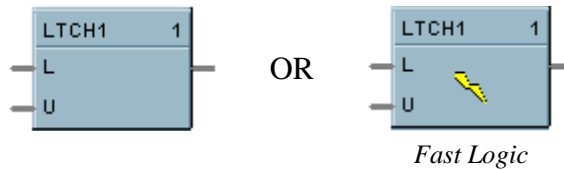


**Figure 36 LSEL function block example**

## LTCH Function Block

### Description

The **LTCH** label stands for **Latch**. This block is part of the *Logic* and *Fast Logic* categories. It looks like this graphically on the Control Builder.



### Function

Latches output (OUT) ON when latch input (L) turns ON and maintain latched output until unlatch input (U) turns ON. Note that latch input must be OFF for unlatch input to work.

- If U = ON, then: **OUT = OFF**.
- If L = ON, then: **OUT = ON**.
- Else, **OUT = Previous State**.

### Input

**L** = Latch Command Digital signal.

**U** = Unlatch Command Digital signal.

### Output

**OUT** = Digital signal

### Block properties

Double click on the function block to access the function block properties dialog box.

#### Block Order (Read Only)

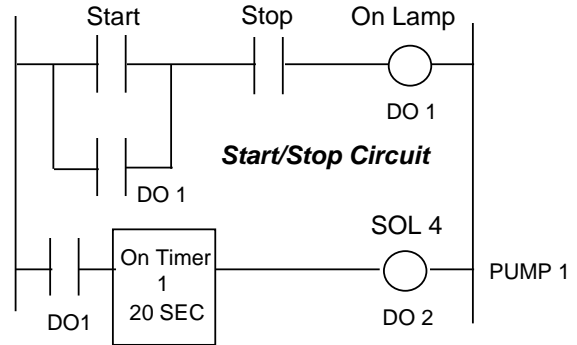
You can change the assigned execution order number by selecting “Execution Order” in the “Configure” menu and arrange the order to suit your control strategy.

**Example**

Figure 37 shows a Function Block Diagram using an LTCH function block.

*PLC Ladder Logic*

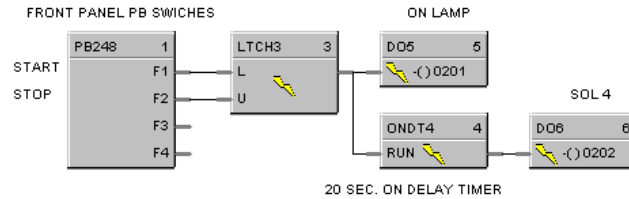
An ON Delay timer is added to a basic Start/Stop circuit which activates the ON Lamp. In ladder logic, the DO1 contact status is used to activate the timer and latch in the start pushbutton action. After 20 sec., SOL4 (DO2) is turned ON which is held as long as DO1 is ON.



*UMC 800 Logic*

The Start/Stop latch circuit is used since no external confirmation is needed. In this example, the Operator Panel pushbutton switches (F1 and F2) are used to substitute for panel switches. The Push Button function block is used to assign Start to F1 and Stop to F2. The latch output turns on the ON Lamp and starts the timer. After 20 sec., Solenoid 4 is activated. Note: the ON and OFF Delay timers are reset after timeout or if the logic state to the input goes to logic 0 (or low).

5 Function Blocks

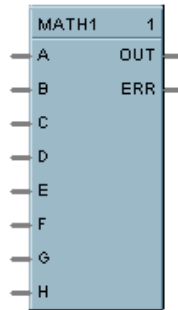


**Figure 37 LTCH function block example**

## MATH Function Block

### Description

The **MATH** label stands for **Free Form Math**. This block is part of the *Math* category. It looks like this graphically on the Control Builder.



### Function

Read inputs A through H and calculates the output based on specified general purpose calculation. OUT is calculated from an equation entered here.

- Offers the following general purpose calculation functions:
  - abs = addition,
  - EXP = exponential ( $\ln^{-1}$ ),
  - Ln = natural log (log base e),
  - Log 10 = log base 10,
  - neg (Unary) - = negation,
  - sqrt = Square Root,
  - + = addition,
  - - = subtraction,
  - \* = multiplication,
  - / = division,
  - ^ = raised to power of ( $x^y$ )
  - ( = left parenthesis,
  - ) = right parenthesis, and
- A maximum of either 50 tokens (note 1) per equation or 100 characters per line is allowed, whichever is first exceeded.



#### ATTENTION

A token is an operation, variable, or pair of parenthesis; the end of an equation counts as one token.

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## Inputs

**IN A** – block input 1  
**IN B** – block input 2  
**IN C** – block input 3  
**IN D** – block input 4  
**IN E** – block input 5  
**IN F** – block input 6  
**IN G** – block input 7  
**IN H** – block input 8

## Output

**ERR** = ON if block detects an error on any of the following operations:

- division by 0
- fractional root of a negative number (for example:  $-2^{**}0.5$ )
- zero to the zero power
- LOG10 or LN of a negative number or 0
- result of  $x^y$  is greater than  $1.7E + 308$ .
- result of EXP (x) is greater than  $3.4E + 308$  or less than  $3.4E -308$ .



### ATTENTION

- For the above rules, groups of constants will be combined and treated as one constant.
- Any number less than or equal to  $3.4E -308$  is considered 0.

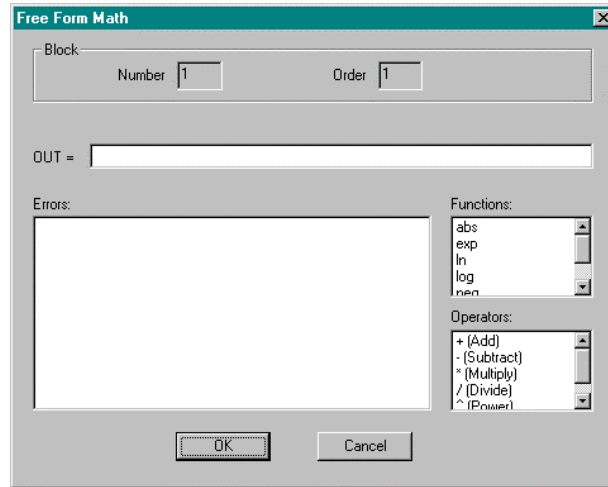
**OUT** = Calculated Output



### ATTENTION

- Use only the following words and characters in equations
  - +; -; \*; /; ^; EXP; LOG10; Ln; Negative (Unary minus);
  - ' '           Blank space (ignored)
  - 'a' . . 'h'   Variables (operand) either a constant or tag
  - ( ), [ ], { }   Parentheses - 3 types
- A left parenthesis must have a matching right parenthesis.
- The matching parenthesis must be the same type - e.g., ( ), [ ], or { }.
- Parentheses may be nested to any depth.
- Infix operators: +, -, \*, /, ^ must have a left and right operand.
- If the '-' operator only has a right operand, it is interpreted as the Unary minus.
- Function operators: EXP, LOG10, Ln must have an operand to the right, and the operand must be enclosed in parentheses.  
 Example: EXP(A), LOG10(b), LN(c).

## Block properties



Double click on the function block to access the function block properties dialog box.

### Block Order (Read Only)

You can change the assigned execution order number by selecting “Execution Order” in the “Configure” menu and arrange the order to suit your control strategy.

### Configuration parameters

You must configure the MATH function Block parameters to the desired value or selection that matches your operating requirements. Table 37 describes the parameters and the value or selection.

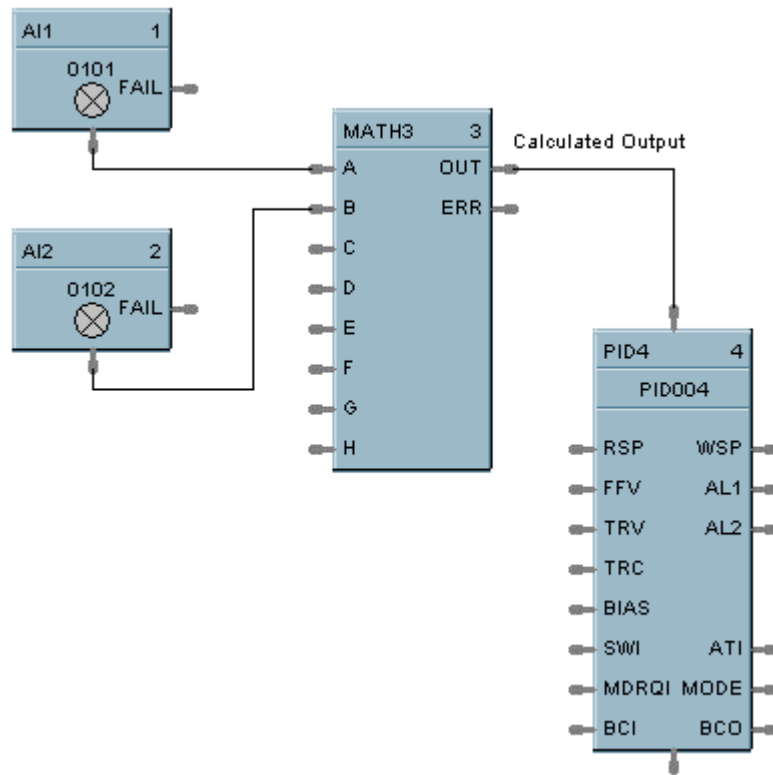
**Table 37 Math function block configuration parameters**

Properties Group	Parameter	Index #	Parameter Description	Value or Selection
Equations	Equation Field	N/A	OUT= [equation]	Enter the desired equation in this field
Functions	Math Functions	N/A	abs, exp, ln, log, neg, sqrt	Double Click on a function to select from the list box
Operators	Math Operations	N/A	+ (add) - (subtract) * (multiply) / (divide) ^ (power)	Double Click on an operation from the list box
Errors	Error list	N/A	List of equation errors	



**Example**

Figure 38 shows a Function Block Diagram using a MATH function block to determine a general-purpose calculation output.

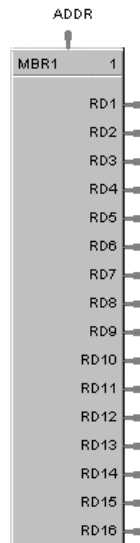


**Figure 38 MATH function block example**

## MBR Function Block

### Description

The **MBR** label stands for **Modbus Read**. This block is part of the *Communications* category. It looks like this graphically on the Control Builder.



### Function

A communication function block that expands the read capability of the Modbus Slave function block to 16 additional data points. Multiple blocks may be connected to the same Modbus Slave block.

The Modbus read block has no inputs and 16 outputs. Up to 16 registers can be configured as the source of data for the outputs.

The configuration data for each point will consist of:

- the address of the source device on the Modbus link,
- the register address of the desired data,
- and the register type: Integer, Float, or Bit Packed.

The sixteen outputs can be connected or tagged in the same manner as any other function block output.

### Inputs

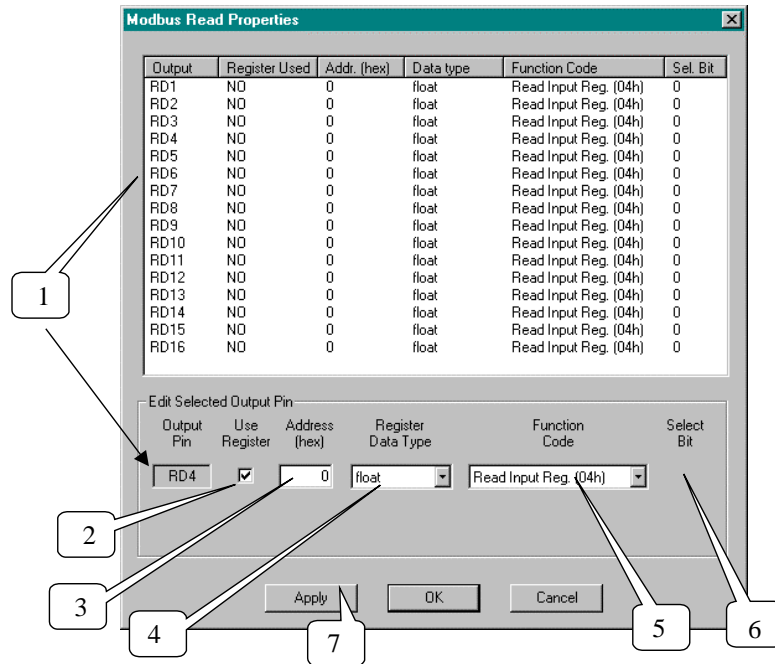
**ADDR** = Slave address from associated MBS block. (Must be connected to a MBS block)

### Outputs

**RD1 through RD16** – Last read value from selected address

### Block properties




Double click on the function block to access the function block properties dialog box.

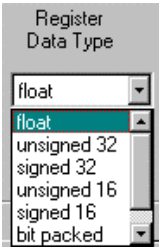
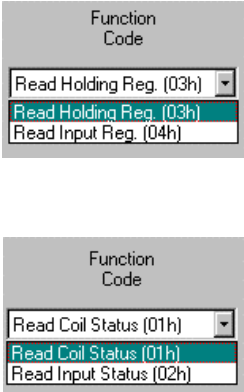



### Configuration parameters

You must configure the MBR function Block Output Pins as shown in the “Edit Selected Output Pin” portion of the dialog box. Follow the numbered sequence shown above referring to Table 38.

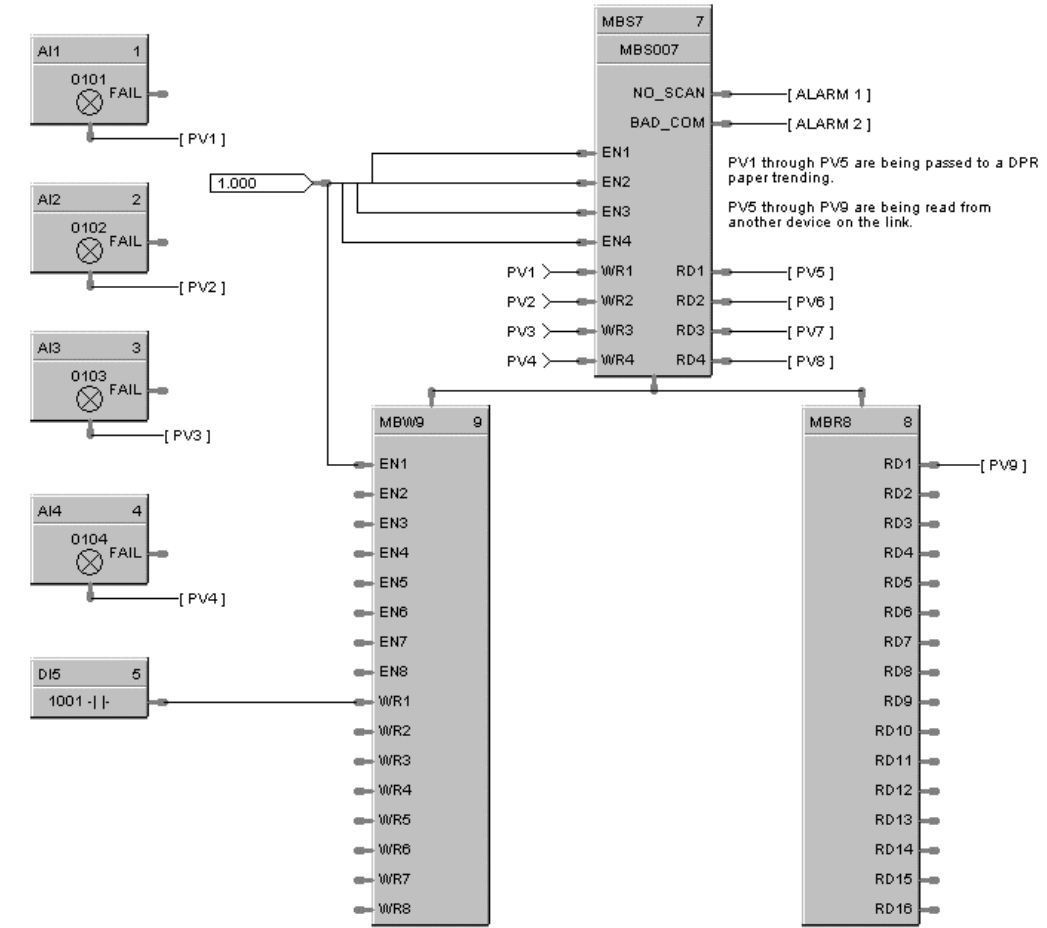
**Table 38 MBR function block configuration parameters**

Sequence Number	Parameter Field	Action	Selections	Comments
1		Click on an Output Pin from the list of pins in the upper portion of the dialog box.	RD1 through RD16	The selected Output Pin will appear in the Output Pin Field.
2		Click on the “Use Register” field to assign a register to the Output pin.	RD1 through RD16	YES will be indicated in the “Register used” column when you select “Apply”
3		Type in the address of the register (in Hex) on the slave device		

Sequence Number	Parameter Field	Action	Selections	Comments
4		From the drop down menu, select the Register Data Type	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Float</li> <li>• Unsigned 32</li> <li>• Signed 32</li> <li>• Unsigned 16</li> <li>• Signed 16</li> <li>• Bit Packed</li> <li>• Single Bit</li> </ul>	If read as an integer, the output is converted to a floating point.
5		<p>Select a function code for “<b>Float, Unsigned, Signed, or Bit Packed</b>” register data type</p> <p>Select a function code for “<b>Single Bit</b>” Register data type.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Read Holding Reg – Function Code 03</li> <li>• Read Input Registers – Function Code 04</li> <li>• Read Coil Status – Function Code 01</li> <li>• Read Input Status – Function Code 02</li> </ul>	<p>Function code 03 or Function code 04 is used to read the contents of input registers in the slave.</p> <p>Function code 01 is used to read a slave's coil's (discrete output's) ON/OFF status of the slave device in a binary data format.</p> <p>Function code 02 is used to read a slave's input's (discrete input's) ON/OFF status of the slave device in a binary data format.</p> <p>Output is floating point equivalent (0.0 or 1.0).</p> <p>NOTE: Refer to the Communications manual for the function codes supported by the specific device.</p>
6		Select which bit (0-15) to read when Register Data Type = Bit Packed	0 to 15	<p>If read as a bit packed number, you must select which bit to mask (0-15).</p> <p>The output will be the floating-point equivalent (0.0 or 1.0) of the masked bit.</p>
7	You must press [APPLY] to accept the register changes.			

**Example**

Figure 39 shows a Function Block Diagram using Modbus function blocks.

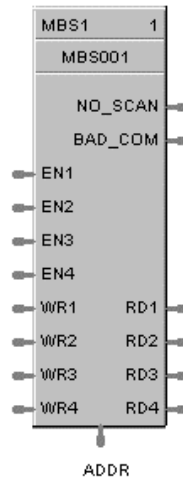


**Figure 39 MBR function block example**

## MBS Function Block

### Description

The **MBS** label stands for **Modbus Slave Status**. This block is part of the *Communications* category. It looks like this graphically on the Control Builder.



### Function

A communication function block that is internally assigned to optional Communication Port B that allows the controller to act as a master device and communicate with slave devices using the Modbus protocol. Requires one block per slave device, up to 16 devices maximum. Only one block may be assigned to each slave device. It supports 4 read and 4 write parameters plus provides digital indication of communication integrity.

### Inputs

**EN1 through EN4** = [ON] Data value written once per scan

**WR1 through WR4** = Values to be written to the selected register



#### ATTENTION

- This block does not support bit packing and single bit writing.
  - If the register is an integer data type, the floating point input will be rounded up prior to writing to the address register.
  - Message Broadcasting is not supported on the UMC800.
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### Outputs

**RD1 through RD4** = Last read value from the selected address

**NO\_SCAN** = Scan Indication

ON = Device is “Out of Scan”

OFF = Device is “In Scan”.

**BAD\_COM** = Communications Indication  
 ON = Bad quality or device not defined  
 OFF = Good Communications

**ADDR** = Slave Address for use with MBR and MBW function blocks



**ATTENTION**

- Integer values are converted to floating point values prior to output.
- If a Modbus slave device does not respond to a request, the last output value will be maintained.

**Block properties**

Double click on the function block to access the function block properties dialog box.

**Configuration parameters**

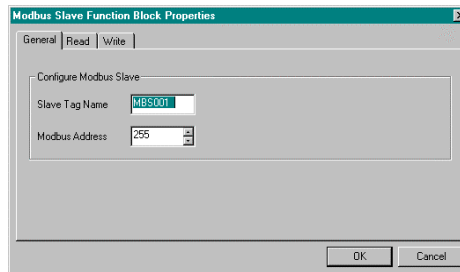
The ON/OFF properties dialog box is divided into Three tab cards:

- GENERAL**
- READ**
- WRITE**

Click on the tab to access the properties for that tab.

**GENERAL tab**

It looks like this graphically on the Control Builder. Table 39 describes the parameters and the value or selection.

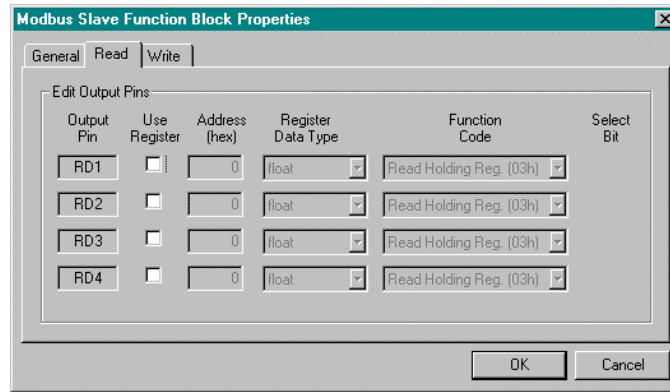


**Table 39 MBS Block General tab configuration parameters**

Properties Function	Parameter	Index #	Parameter Description	Value or Selection
Configure Modbus Slave	Slave Tag Name	1	Description of Slave Device	8-character tag name Slave address and Tag Name must be unique within a control file.
	Modbus Address	2	Address of Slave device on the Modbus link	Enter unique address between 1 and 247 Default MB address = 255 which means slave will <b>NOT</b> be in scan

**READ tab**

It looks like this graphically on the Control Builder. Table 40 describes the parameters and the value or selection.



**Table 40 MBS Block Read tab configuration parameters**

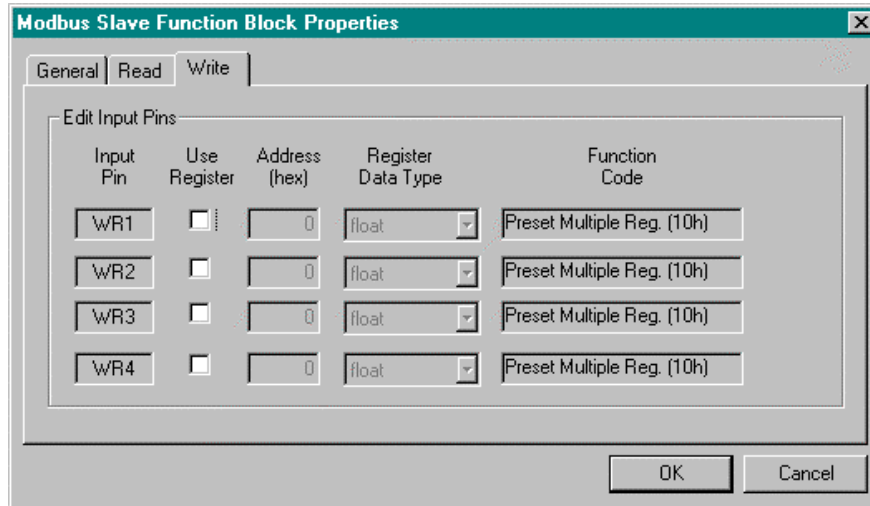
Properties Function	Parameter	Index #	Parameter Description	Value or Selection
<b>Edit Output Pins</b>	<b>Output Pin</b>	1	Output pin designation	Register request assigned to RD1, RD2, RD3, or RD4 pin
	<b>Use Register</b>	2	Register Request	Click on the “Use Register” field to assign a register to the Output pin.
	<b>Address (hex)</b>		Register Address	Type in the address of the Read register (in Hex) on the slave device <b>NOTE: A single configuration may contain up to 256 enabled registers.</b>
	<b>Register Data Type</b>		Register data type	From the drop down menu, select the Register Data Type <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Float</li> <li>• Unsigned 32</li> <li>• Signed 32</li> <li>• Unsigned 16</li> <li>• Signed 16</li> <li>• Bit Packed</li> <li>• Single Bit</li> </ul> <p>If read as an integer, output is converted to floating point equivalent.</p>



Properties Function	Parameter	Index #	Parameter Description	Value or Selection
	<b>Function Code</b>		Several standard Modbus RTU function codes are supported. These standard function codes provide basic support for IEEE 32-bit floating point numbers and 16-bit integer register representation of instrument's process data	<p>Function code <b>03 – Read Holding Registers</b> or Function code <b>04 – Read Input Registers</b> is used to read the contents of input registers in the slave.</p> <p><b>Supported Data Types for Function Codes 03 and 04.</b> From the drop down menu, select a function code for <b>“Float, Unsigned, Signed, or Bit Packed”</b> register data type</p> <p>Function code <b>01 – Read Coil Status</b> is used to read the coil's (discrete output's) ON/OFF status of the slave device in a binary data format.</p> <p>Function code <b>02 – Read Input Status</b> is used to read the input's (discrete input's) ON/OFF status of the slave device in a binary data format.</p> <p><b>Supported Data Types for Function Codes 01 and 02.</b> Select a function code for <b>“Single Bit”</b> Register data type.</p> <p>NOTE: Refer to the Communications manual for the function codes supported by the specific device.</p>
	<b>Select Bit</b>	23-26	<p>Bit to read when Read register's data type = Bit Packed</p> <p>You must then select which bit to mask (0-15).</p> <p>The output will be the floating-point equivalent (0.0 or 1.0) of the masked bit.</p>	0-15

**Write tab**

It looks like this graphically on the Control Builder. Table 41 describes the parameters and the value or selection.



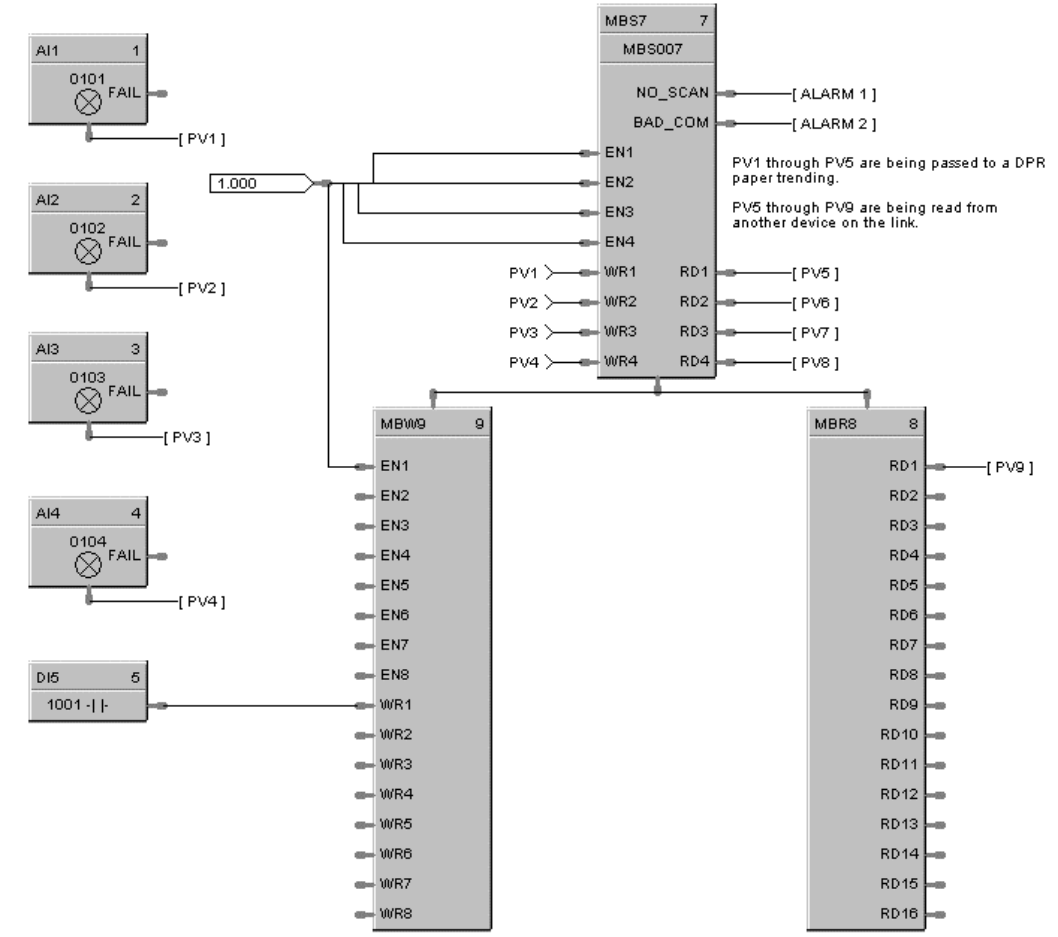
**Table 41 MBS Block Write tab configuration parameters**

Properties Function	Parameter	Index #	Parameter Description	Value or Selection
<b>Edit Input Pins</b>	<b>Input Pin</b>		Input pin designation	Register request assigned to WR1,WR2,WR3, or WR4 pin
	<b>Use Register</b>		Register Request	Click on the “Use Register” field to assign a register to the Input pin.
	<b>Address (hex)</b>		Register Address	Type in the address of the Write register (in Hex) on the slave device
	<b>Register Data Type</b>		Register data type	From the drop down menu, select the Register Data Type <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Float</li> <li>• Unsigned 32</li> <li>• Signed 32</li> <li>• Unsigned 16</li> <li>• Signed 16</li> </ul>

Properties Function	Parameter	Index #	Parameter Description	Value or Selection
	<p><b>Function Code</b></p>		<p>Several standard Modbus RTU function codes are supported. These standard function codes provide basic support for IEEE 32-bit floating point numbers and 16-bit integer register representation of instrument's process data</p> <p>Preset Single Registers – Function Code 06</p> <p>Preset Multiple Registers – Function Code 10 hex</p>	<p>The function code for “<b>Unsigned 16 or Signed 16,</b>” register data type is <b>06</b> – <b>Preset Single Registers*</b> presets integer value into a single register..</p> <p>The function code for “<b>Float, Unsigned 32 or Signed 32,</b>” register data type is <b>10 hex</b> – <b>Preset Multiple Registers*</b> presets values into holding registers.</p> <p><i>*automatically selected when you select “Register Data Type”</i></p> <p>NOTE: Refer to the Communications manual for the function codes supported by the specific device.</p>

**Example**

Figure 40 shows a Function Block Diagram using an Modbus function blocks.



**Figure 40 MBS function block example**

## MBW Function Block

### Description

The **MBW** label stands for **Modbus Write**. This block is part of the *Communications* category. It looks like this graphically on the Control Builder.



### Function

A communication function block that expands the write capability of the Modbus Slave function block to 8 additional data points. Multiple blocks may be connected to the same Modbus Slave block.

The Modbus write block has 8 inputs and no outputs. The Modbus destination for each of the eight inputs can be configured. An enable pin lets the data value be written once per scan.

The configuration data for each point will consist of : the address of the destination device on the Modbus link, the register address of the desired data, and the register type: Integer or Float.

### Inputs

**EN1 through EN8** = [ON] Data value is written once per scan

**WR1 through WR8** = Value to be written to the selected register address.

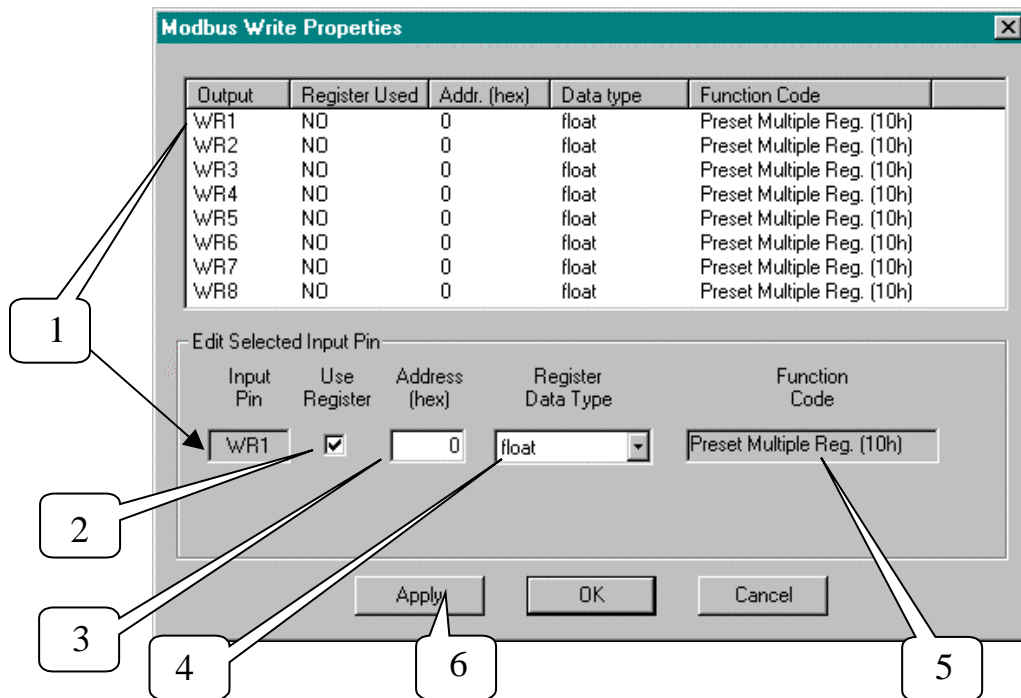
**ADDR** = Slave address from associated MBS block. (*Must be connected to MBS block*)

### Outputs

None

### Block properties



Double click on the function block to access the function block properties dialog box.


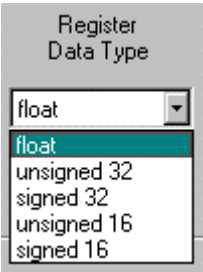
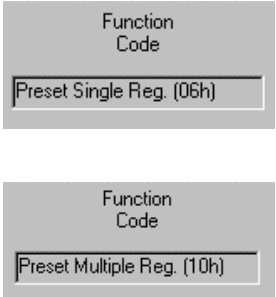


### Configuration parameters

You must configure the MBW function Block Input Pins as shown in the “Edit Selected Input Pin” portion of the dialog box. Follow the numbered sequence shown above referring to Table 42.

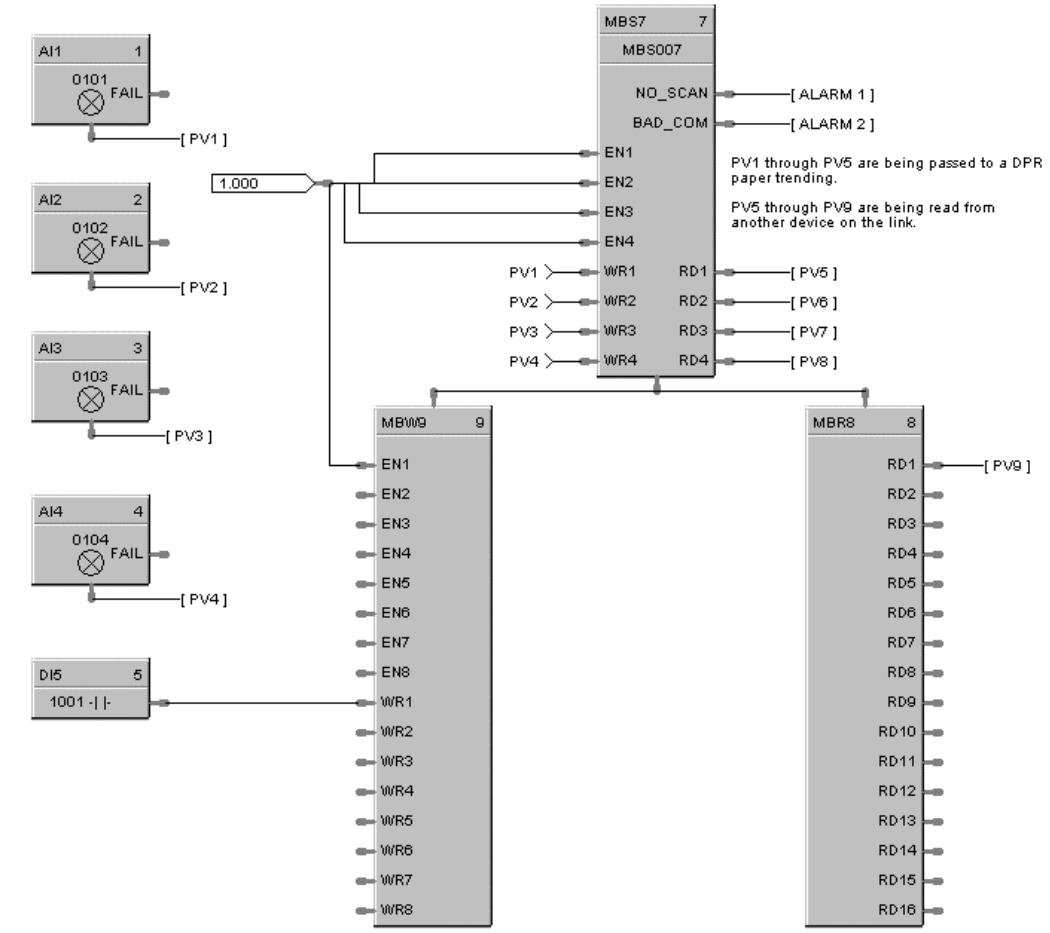
**Table 42 MBW function block configuration parameters**

Sequence Number	Parameter Field	Action	Selections	Comments
1		<p>Click on an Input Pin from the list of pins in the upper portion of the dialog box.</p> <p>The selected Input Pin will appear in the “Input Pin” Field.</p>	WR1 through WR8	
2		<p>Click on the “Use Register” field to assign a register to the Input pin.</p> <p>YES will be indicated in the “Register Used” column when you select “Apply” .</p>	WR1 through WR8	

Sequence Number	Parameter Field	Action	Selections	Comments
3		Type in the address of the register (in Hex) on the slave device		
4		From the drop down menu, select the Register Data Type	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Float</li> <li>• Unsigned 32</li> <li>• Signed 32</li> <li>• Unsigned 16</li> <li>• Signed 16</li> </ul>	Several standard Modbus RTU function codes are supported. These standard function codes provide basic support for IEEE 32-bit floating point numbers and 16-bit integer register representation of instrument's process data. (see Sequence Number 5 below)
5		<p>The function code for “<b>Unsigned 16 or Signed 16</b> register data type is (06)*”</p> <p>The function code for “<b>Float, Unsigned 32 or Signed 32</b> register data type is (10 hex)*”</p> <p><i>*automatically selected when you select “Register Data Type”</i></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Preset Single Registers – Function Code 06</li> <li>• Preset Multiple Registers – Function Code 10 hex</li> </ul>	<p>Function code 06 presets integer value into a single register.</p> <p>Function Code 10 hex presets values into holding registers.</p> <p>NOTE: Refer to the Communications manual for the function codes supported by the specific device.</p>
6	You must press [APPLY] to accept the register changes.			

**Example**

Figure 41 shows a Function Block Diagram using an Modbus function blocks.



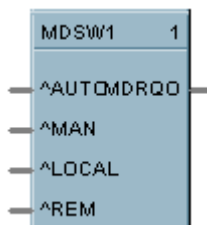
**Figure 41 MBW function block example**



## MDSW Function Block

### Description

The **MDSW** label stands for **Mode Switch**. This block is part of the *Loops* category. It looks like this graphically on the Control Builder.



### Function

Digital interface to control loops to select automatic or manual modes and/or local or remote setpoint. Connects to PID, ON/OFF, CARB, or TPSC mode block input.

### Inputs

**AUTO** = Automatic Output mode (OFF to ON\* sets MDRQO to Automatic control mode)

**MAN** = Manual Output mode (OFF to ON\* sets MDRQO to Manual control mode)

**LOCAL** = Local Setpoint mode (OFF to ON\* sets MDRQO to Local Setpoint mode)

**REM** = Remote Setpoint mode (OFF to ON\* sets MDRQO to Remote Setpoint mode)

*\* for one control cycle*

### Output

**MDRQO (Mode Request Output)** = The output of this block must connect to the MDRQI input of a PID, CARB, TPSC, or ON/OFF function block.

### Block properties

Double click on the function block to access the function block properties dialog box.

#### Block Order (Read Only)

You can change the assigned execution order number by selecting "Execution Order" in the "Configure" menu and arrange the order to suit your control strategy.

### Example

Figure 42 shows a Function Block Diagram using an MDSW function block.

Application: External mode switching of the PID Block - changing a loop to MAN, to AUTO, to LOCAL SP, or REMOTE SP.



#### ATTENTION

Mode switching is also provided as an integral part of the Operator Panel, Loop Displays.

The MDSW (Mode Switch) Function Block is used exclusively with the MDRQI (Mode Request Input) of the PID, ON/OFF, CARB< or TPSC Function Block. Its output provides encoded switch commands to the PID Block.

All inputs are OFF to ON edge-triggered, requiring a separate input for each action. The example shows digital inputs as the transfer inputs but any digital status could be used.

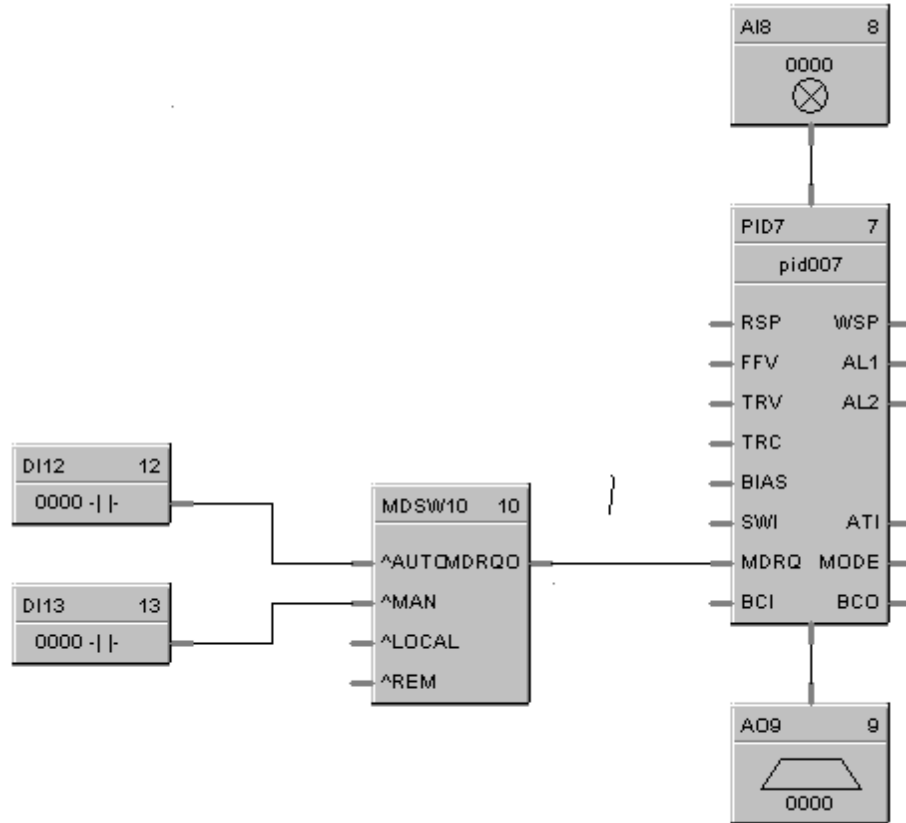
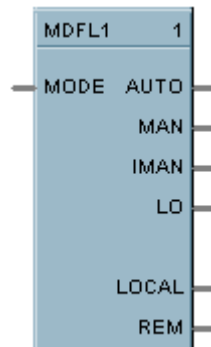


Figure 42 MDSW function block example

## MDFL Function Block

### Description

The **MDFL** label stands for **Mode Flag**. This block is part of the *Loops* category. It looks like this graphically on the Control Builder.



### Function

Turns ON the output that corresponds to the current value of MODE.

Turns OFF all other outputs.

### Input

The MODE input must connect to the MODE output of a PID, CARB, TPSC, or ONOFF function block.

### Output

- REM = ON**      If MODE = Remote Setpoint
- LOCAL = ON**    If MODE = Local Setpoint
- AUTO = ON**      If MODE = Automatic Control
- MAN = ON**        If MODE = Manual Control
- IMAN = ON**      If MODE = Loop in Initialization Manual
- LO = ON**         If MODE = Local Override

### Block properties

Double click on the function block to access the function block properties dialog box.

#### Block Order (Read Only)

You can change the assigned execution order number by selecting “Execution Order” in the “Configure” menu and arrange the order to suit your control strategy.

### Example

Figure 43 shows a Function Block Diagram using an MDFL function block. The mode output of the PID Block is used exclusively with the MDFL (Mode Flags) Block.

Any of the status outputs may be referenced by a Signal Tag or may be transferred externally using a DO.

The output shown is ON when in Manual and OFF when in Automatic.

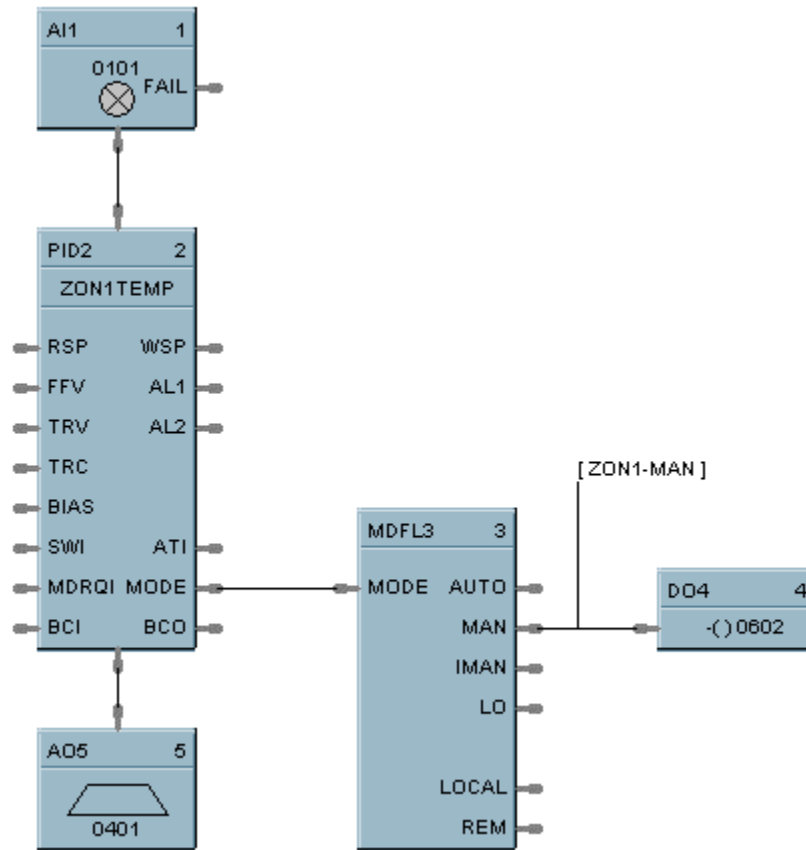
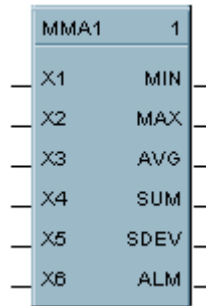


Figure 43 MDFL function block example

## MMA Function Block

### Description

The MMA label stands for **Min-Max-Average-Sum**. This block is part of the *Calculations* category. It looks like this graphically on the Control Builder.



### Function

Accepts inputs from up to six analog input values (X1 - X6) and calculates these values for output:

- MIN - Minimum input value
- MAX - Maximum input value
- AVG - Average of the 6 input values
- SUM - Sum of the 6 input values
- DEV - Standard deviation of the 6 input values
- ALM - Alarm output for deviations

Turns ON ALM when any input is outside the configured number of standard deviations when the configuration parameter  $DEV > 0$ .

- If DEV configured = 0, then:
  - no standard deviation is calculated;
  - all inputs connected to the block are used to calculate the MIN, MAX, AVG, AND SUM outputs.
- If DEV configured 0, then:
  - the standard deviation is calculated for the number of inputs connected to the block, and
  - all inputs connected to the block are used to calculate the MIN, MAX, AVG, and SUM outputs.
- If DEV configured  $> 0$ , then:
  - the standard deviation is calculated for the number of inputs connected to the block, and SDEV = result;
  - any inputs that deviate more than the configured number (DEV) of standard deviations from the average are not used to calculate the MIN, MAX, AVG, and SUM outputs;
  - if any input deviates more than the configured number (DEV) of standard deviations, ALM turns ON;

- if all inputs deviate more than the configured number (DEV) of standard deviations, then the MIN, MAX, AVG, and SUM outputs all equal zero (0), and ALM turns ON.

• Standard Deviation (SDEV) = 
$$\sqrt{\frac{\sum_{i=1}^{i=n} (X_i - \bar{X})^2}{n}}$$

where:  $\bar{X}$  = AVG  
n = the number of connected inputs.

### Input

**X1** = First analog value.

**X2** = Second analog value.

**X3** = Third analog value.

**X4** = Fourth analog value.

**X5** = Fifth analog value.

**X6** = Sixth analog value.

### Output

**MIN** = Calculated minimum analog value.

**MAX** = Calculated maximum analog value.

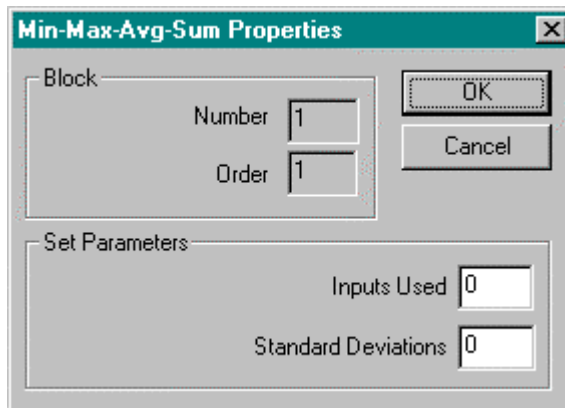
**AVG** = Calculated average of analog values.

**SU** = Calculated sum of analog values.

**SDEV** = Square root of Z divided by N, where Z = the sum of individual squared deviations from the average of the first n inputs.

**ALM** = Digital signal for alarm indication.

### Block properties



Double click on the function block to access the function block properties dialog box.

**Block Order (Read Only)**

You can change the assigned execution order number by selecting “Execution Order” in the “Configure” menu and arrange the order to suit your control strategy.

**Configuration parameters**

You must configure the MMA function Block parameters to the desired value or selection that matches your operating requirements. Table 43 describes the parameters and the value or selection.

**Table 43 Min/Max/Ave/Sum function block configuration parameters**

Properties Group	Parameter	Index #	Parameter Description	Value or Selection
<b>Set Calculation Parameters</b>	<b>Inputs Used</b>	N/A	Number of inputs connected to block  (Connect inputs in numerical order; that is, unused inputs from the bottom up - X6, X5, etc.)  Unused inputs default to 0.	1 to 6
	<b>Standard Deviations</b>	1	Number of standard deviations within which inputs are used for calculation	-99999 to 99999  <0 No Standard Deviation  =0 Standard Deviation with no alarm  >0 Standard Deviation with alarm

### Example

Figure 44 shows a Function Block Diagram using an MMA function block. In this application, control is determined by automatic selection of the lowest or highest sensor, such as a thermocouple. As shown the MMA block is configured for highest (MAX).

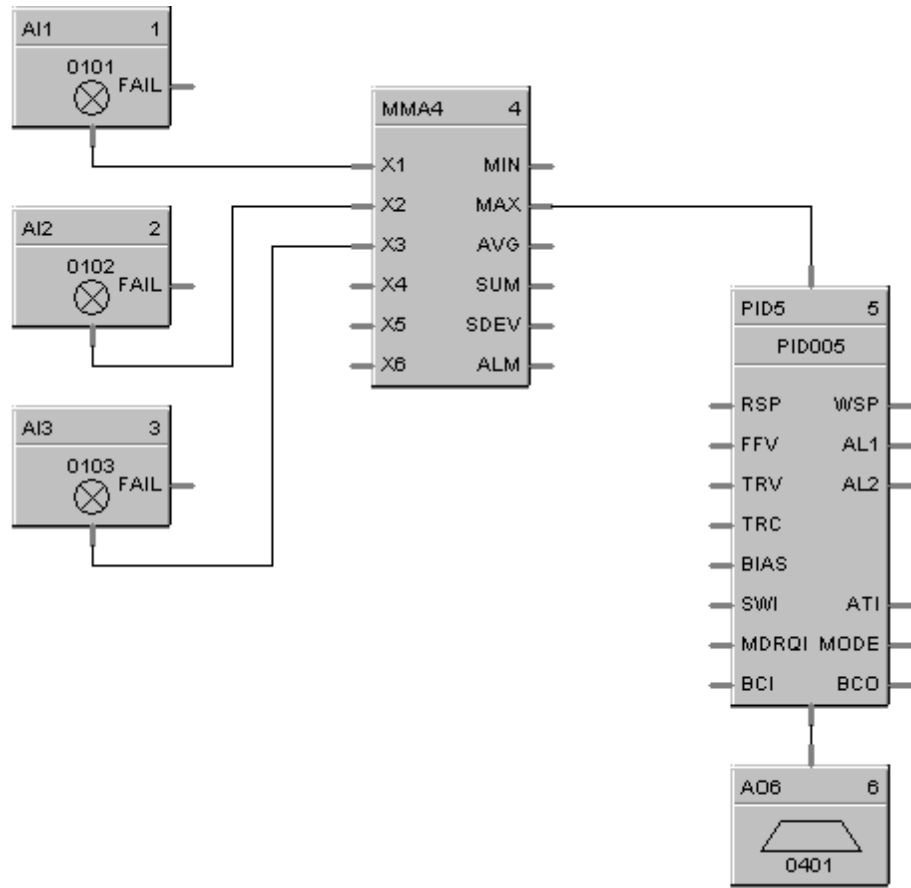


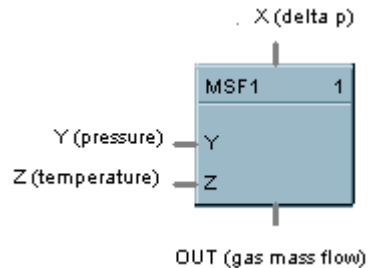
Figure 44 MMA function block example



## MSF Function Block

### Description

The **MSF** label stands for **Mass Flow Calculation**. This block is part of the *Calculations* category. It looks like this graphically on the Control Builder.



### Function

Calculates gas mass flow (OUT) from differential pressure input value (X) that represents a pressure drop across an orifice plate (for example). It accepts two other inputs to include pressure (Y) and/or temperature (Z) compensation in the calculation. The calculation includes square root extraction.

- **OUT = Kq \* sqrt [(dP \* P) / T]**

Kq = Orifice Constant

dP = Differential pressure which  
=  $(Kx * X) + Bx$ ; where:

Kx = Delta pressure scaled for desired engineering units

X = Analog input value

Bx = Delta pressure bias in desired engineering units

P = Absolute gas pressure which

=  $(Ky * Y) + By$ ; where:

Ky = Pressure scaler for desired engineering units

Y = Gas pressure analog input value

By = Pressure bias in desired engineering units

T = Absolute gas temperature which

=  $(Kz * Z) + Bz$ ; where:

Kz = Temperature scaler for desired engineering units

Z = Gas temperature analog input value

Bz = Temperature bias in desired engineering units

*If  $(Kz * Z) + Bz = 0$ , then: OUT = 0*

- If calculation is  $\leq$  Dropoff, OUT = 0, else OUT = Calculation

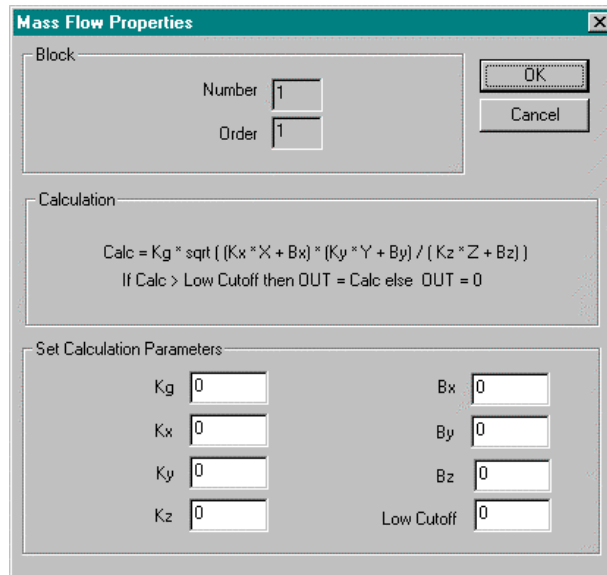
### Input

**X** = Differential pressure analog value.  
**Y** = Gas pressure analog value.  
**Z** = Gas Temperature analog value.

### Output

**OUT** = Calculated analog value

### Block properties



Double click on the function block to access the function block properties dialog box.

#### **Block Order (Read Only)**

You can change the assigned execution order number by selecting “Execution Order” in the “Configure” menu and arrange the order to suit your control strategy.

### Configuration parameters

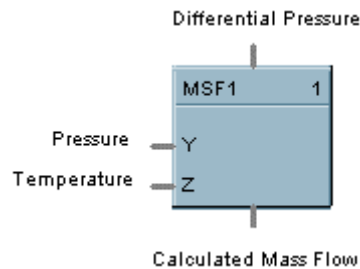
You must configure the MSF function Block parameters to the desired value or selection that matches your operating requirements. Table 44 describes the parameters and the value or selection.

**Table 44 Mass flow function block configuration parameters**

Properties Group	Parameter	Index #	Parameter Description	Value or Selection
<b>Set Calculation Parameters</b>	<b>K<sub>Q</sub></b>	0	Orifice constant	-99999 to 999999
	<b>K<sub>X</sub></b>	1	Delta pressure scaler	-99999 to 999999
	<b>K<sub>Y</sub></b>	2	Pressure scaler	-99999 to 999999
	<b>K<sub>Z</sub></b>	3	Temperature scaler	-99999 to 999999
	<b>B<sub>Y</sub></b>	4	Pressure bias	-99999 to 999999(EU)
	<b>B<sub>X</sub></b>	5	Delta pressure bias	-99999 to 999999(EU)
	<b>B<sub>Z</sub></b>	6	Temperature bias	-99999 to 999999(EU)
	<b>Low Cutoff</b>	7	Low Dropoff Value sets the output to zero when the calculation is below this limit.	0 to 99999 in Engineering Units

**Example**

Figure 45 shows a MSF Function Block Diagram using inputs to calculate a mass flow output.

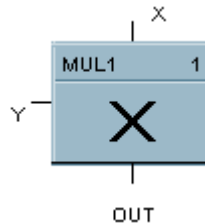


**Figure 45 MSF function block example**

## MUL Function Block

### Description

The **MUL** label stands for **Multiplication Mathematical operation (2 Inputs)**. This block is part of the *Math* category. It looks like this graphically on the Control Builder.



### Function

Multiplies one analog input value (X) by another (Y).

- $OUT = X * Y$

### Input

**X** = First analog value

**Y** = Second analog value

### Output

**OUT** = Calculated analog value

### Block properties

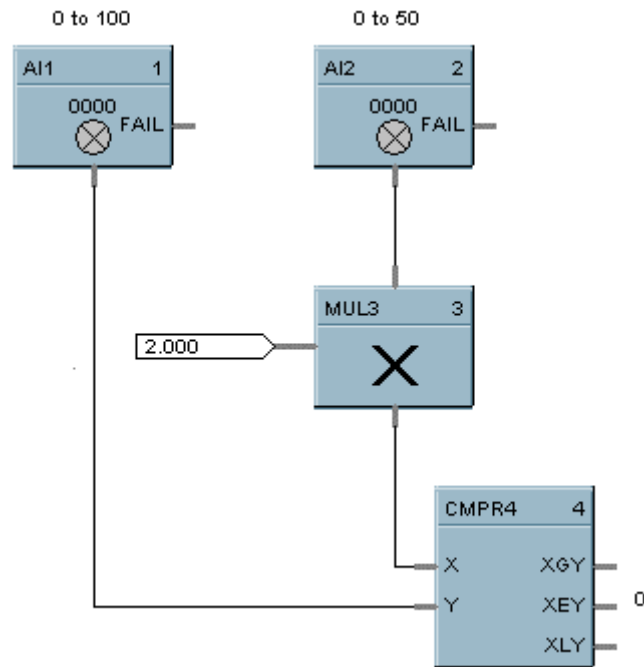
Double click on the function block to access the function block properties dialog box.

#### **Block Order (Read Only)**

You can change the assigned execution order number by selecting “Execution Order” in the “Configure” menu and arrange the order to suit your control strategy.

### Example

Figure 46 shows a Function Block Diagram using a MUL function block

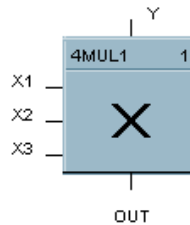


**Figure 46 MUL function block example**

## 4MUL Function Block

### Description

The **4MUL** label stands for **Multiplication Mathematical Operation (4Inputs)**. This block is part of the *Math* category. It looks like this graphically on the Control Builder.



### Function

Multiplies four inputs to get an output.

### Input

**X1** = First analog value  
**X2** = Second analog value  
**X3** = Third Analog value  
**Y** = Fourth Analog value



#### ATTENTION

All four inputs must be connected. Unconnected inputs default to zero. If only three inputs are needed, the fourth should be connected to a constant value of 1.

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### Output

**OUT** = Calculated analog value

### Block properties

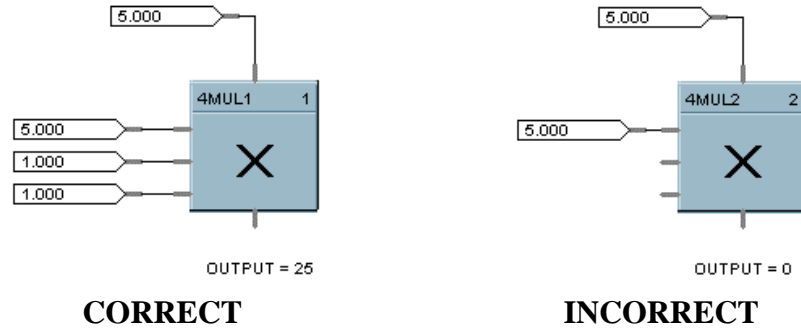
Double click on the function block to access the function block properties dialog box.

#### **Block Order (Read Only)**

You can change the assigned execution order number by selecting “Execution Order” in the “Configure” menu and arrange the order to suit your control strategy.

**Example**

Figure 47 shows correct and incorrect example of a 4MUL function block. Note that all unused inputs must be connected to a constant value of one.

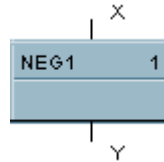


**Figure 47 4MUL function block example**

## NEG Function Block

### Description

The **NEG** label stands for **N**egate. This block is part of the *Calculations* category. It looks like this graphically on the Control Builder.



### Function

Convert a value to the opposite sign; i.e.,  $+5 \text{ IN} = -5 \text{ OUT}$ ,  $-6 \text{ IN} = +6 \text{ OUT}$ .  
(Invert sign of an analog value.)

### Input

**X** = positive or negative analog value

### Output

**Y** = analog value of opposite sign from input

### Block properties

Double click on the function block to access the function block properties dialog box.

#### Block Order (Read Only)

You can change the assigned execution order number by selecting “Execution Order” in the “Configure” menu and arrange the order to suit your control strategy.

### Example

Figure 48 shows a Function Block Diagram using a NEG function block.



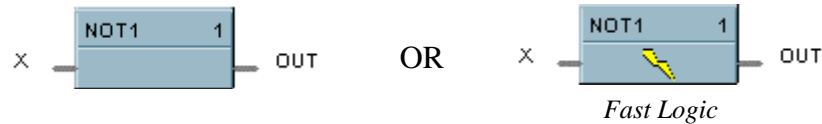
**Figure 48 NEG function block example**



## NOT Function Block

### Description

The **NOT** label stands for the **NOT Boolean logic function or Logic Inverter**. This block is part of the *Logic* and *Fast Logic* categories. It looks like this graphically on the Control Builder.



### Function

Reverse state of a digital input (X).

- **OUT = Opposite state of X**  
If X = ON, then: **OUT = OFF**.  
IF X = OFF, then: **OUT = ON**.

### Input

X = Digital signal

### Output

OUT = Complement of input signal

### Block properties

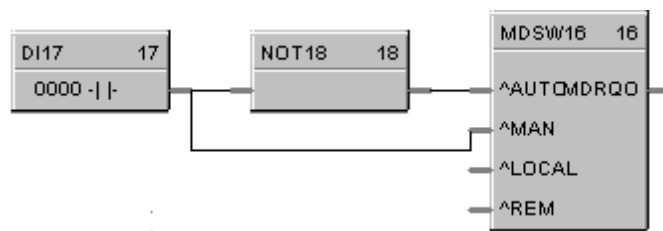
Double click on the function block to access the function block properties dialog box.

#### Block Order (Read Only)

You can change the assigned execution order number by selecting “Execution Order” in the “Configure” menu and arrange the order to suit your control strategy.

### Example

Figure 49 shows a Function Block Diagram using a NOT function block. Use a single input to place a loop in manual when the input is ON (1) and return to Auto when OFF (0).



**Figure 49 NOT function block example**

## ONDT Function Block

### Description

The **ONDT** label stands for the **On Delay Timer**. This block is part of the *Fast Logic and Counters/Timers* categories. It looks like this graphically on the Control Builder.



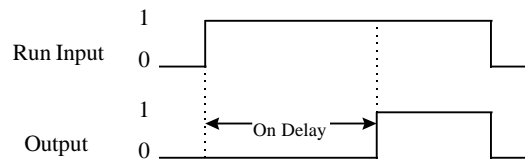
### Function

Provides an ON state logic output delayed by a user specified delay time after an OFF to ON transition of the RUN input.

An ON to OFF transition of the RUN input before the delay time has elapsed causes the timer to reset. Transitions from OFF to ON of the input are not delayed.

- If RUN is OFF, then OUT = OFF
- If previous RUN input is OFF and RUN is ON, then  $TIMER = DELAY$ , else if timer is not zero, then  $TIMER = TIMER - 1$ .
- If RUN is ON and  $TIMER = 0$ , then  $OUT = ON$  (delay time has timed out).

### Timing Diagram



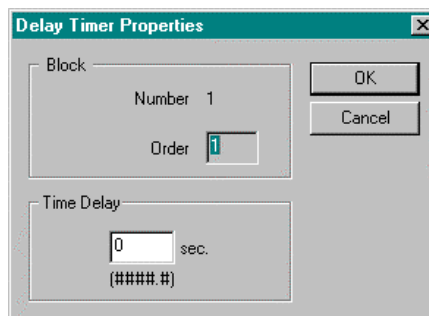
### Input

**RUN** = Logic Input

### Output

**OUT** = Logic Output

### Block properties



Double click on the function block to access the function block properties dialog box.

**Block Order (Read Only)**

You can change the assigned execution order number by selecting “Execution Order” in the “Configure” menu and arrange the order to suit your control strategy.

**Configuration parameters**

You must configure the ONDT function Block parameters to the desired value or selection that matches your operating requirements. Table 45 describes the parameters and the value or selection.

**Table 45 On delay timer function block example**

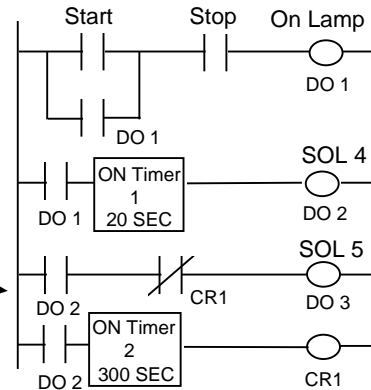
Properties Group	Parameter	Index #	Parameter Description	Value or Selection
Time Delay	Time delay	0	Delay Time - specifies the amount of time the ON state logic output will occur after an OFF to ON transition of the RUN input.	0.1 sec, 0 to 9999.9  Enter as 0.1 to 99999 in 0.1 increments

**Example**

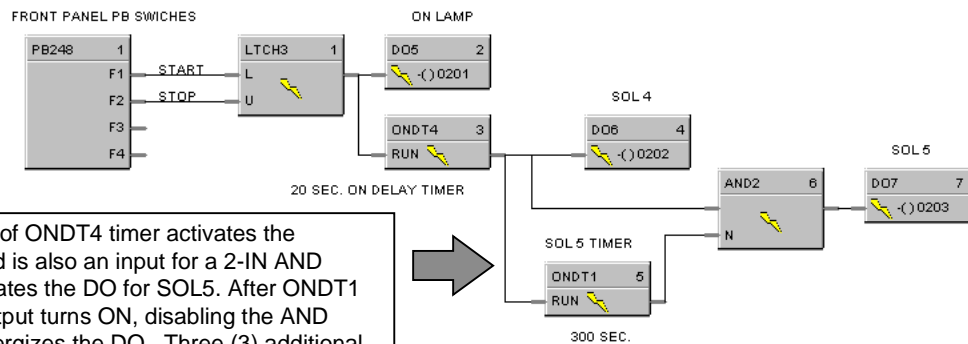
Figure 50 shows a Function Block Diagram using an ONDT function block.

*PLC Ladder Logic*

The application requirement is to turn on a pump, a compressor, etc. for a fixed period of time - a common use for timers. This application, the turn on of Pump2 for 300 sec., requires two additional rungs of ladder logic. After SOL4 is turned ON, SOL 5 (Pump 2) is also turned ON since CR1 (NC) is OFF (logic true). When ON Delay Timer 2 times out after 300 sec., the CR1 coil is turned ON which turns off SOL 5.



*UMC 800 Logic*



In UMC logic, the output of ONDT4 timer activates the ONDT1 timer directly and is also an input for a 2-IN AND gate, whose output activates the DO for SOL5. After ONDT1 times for 300 sec., its output turns ON, disabling the AND gate output which de-energizes the DO. Three (3) additional function blocks are used.

**Figure 50 ONDT function block example**

## OFDT Function Block

### Description

The **OFDT** label stands for the **Off Delay Timer**. This block is part of the *Fast Logic and Counters/Timers* categories. It looks like this graphically on the Control Builder.



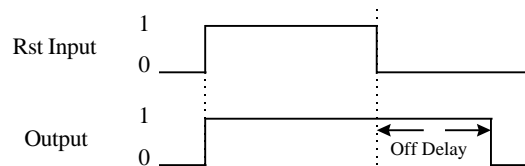
### Function

Provides an OFF state logic output delayed by a user specified delay time after an On to OFF transition of the RESET input.

An OFF to ON transition of the RESET input before the delay time has elapsed causes the timer to reset. Transitions from OFF to ON of the input are not delayed.

- IF RESET is ON, then OUT = ON.
- If previous RESET input is ON and RESET is OFF, then TIMER = DELAY.
- If RESET is OFF and TIMER is not 0, then time = TIMER - 1.
- If RESET is OFF and TIMER is 0, then OUT = OFF (delay time is reset).

### Timing Diagram



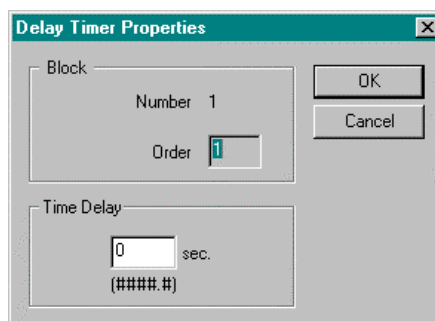
### Input

**RST** = Logic Input

### Output

**OUT** = Logic Output

### Block properties



Double click on the function block to access the function block properties dialog box.

**Block Order (Read Only)**

You can change the assigned execution order number by selecting “Execution Order” in the “Configure” menu and arrange the order to suit your control strategy.

**Configuration parameters**

You must configure the OFDT function Block parameters to the desired value or selection that matches your operating requirements. Table 46 describes the parameters and the value or selection.

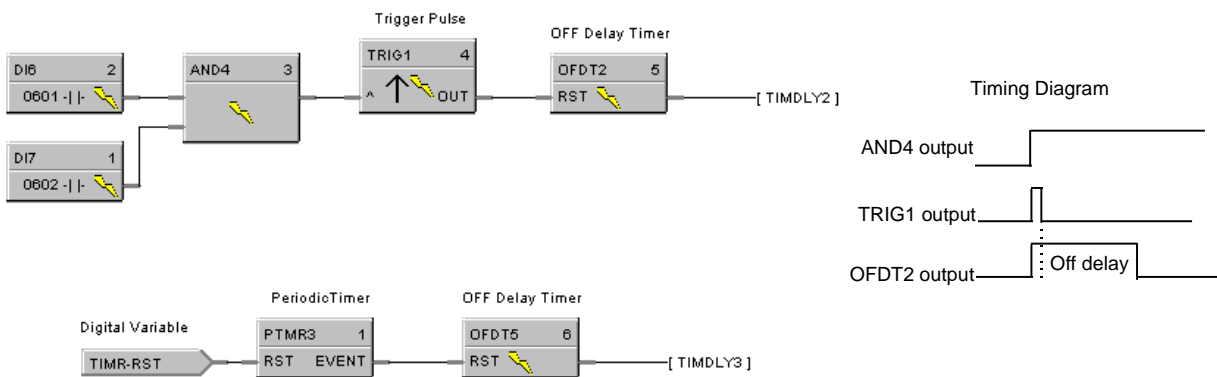
**Table 46 Off delay timer configuration parameters**

Properties Group	Parameter	Index #	Parameter Description	Value or Selection
Time Delay	Time delay	0	Delay Time - specifies the amount of time the OFF state logic output will occur after an ON to OFF transition of the Reset input.	0.1 sec, 0 to 9999.9  Enter as 0.1 to 99999 in 0.1 increments

**Example**

Figure 51 shows a Function Block Diagram using an OFDT function block.

An OFF delay timer block output is ON as long as the RST input is logic HI (ON). It can be used for time duration but must be triggered by an ON to OFF transition on the Reset input. This can be accomplished using Trigger blocks to create one-shot pulses which last one scan cycle. The fast logic trigger pulse will last 100 ms. while the normal logic trigger pulse will last the complete scan cycle for analog blocks. Use according to application need. A Periodic timer output pulse may also be used to start the timer for the OFF delay.

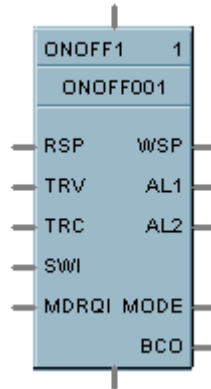


**Figure 51 OFDT function block example**

## ON/OFF Function Block

### Description

The **ON/OFF** label stands for the **On/Off Control function**. This block is part of the *Loops* category. It looks like this graphically on the Control Builder.



### Function

Provide ON/OFF control. The output is either ON (100 %) or OFF (0 %).

### Inputs

**RSP** = Remote Setpoint (% or EU per SP Units)

**TRV** = Track Value Output—1 = ON, 0 = OFF

**TRC** = Track Value Command—1 = enable, 0 = disable (Mode = Local Override)

**SWI** = Switch Inputs (from LPSW function block)

**MDRQI**= External Mode Request (connected to the MDRQO output of a MDSW function block) encoded as follows:

- 0.0 = No Change
- 1.0 = Manual Mode Request
- 2.0 = Automatic Mode Request
- 4.0 = Local Setpoint Request
- 8.0 = Remote Setpoint Request

## Outputs

**WSP** = Working Setpoint in Engineering Units for monitoring

**AL1** = Alarm 1

**AL2** = Alarm 2

**MODE** = Actual Mode encoded as follows: (Connect to Mode Flags block [MDFL] to encode mode status.)

0.0	RSP AUTO
1.0	RSP MAN
2.0	RSP Initialization Manual (See ATTENTION)
3.0	RSP Local Override (See ATTENTION)
4.0	LSP AUTO
5.0	LSP MAN
6.0	LSP Initialization Manual (See ATTENTION)
7.0	LSP Local Override (See ATTENTION)

**BCO** = Back Calculation Output (for blocks used as Cascade Secondary)



### ATTENTION

When a request to change from Auto to manual is received and:

- the request comes from the operator Interface, the request is ignored.
  - the request comes from the Mode Switch (MDSW) function block, *the request is retained and when leaving the Initialization Mode or Local Override Mode the loop will go to manual.*
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## Block properties

Double click on the function block to access the function block properties dialog box.

## Configuration parameters

The ON/OFF properties dialog box is divided into four tab cards:

**GENERAL**  
**RSP**  
**RANGE/LIMIT**  
**ALARMS**

Click on the tab to access the properties for that tab.

**GENERAL tab**

It looks like this graphically on the Control Builder. Table 47 describes the parameters and the value or selection.

The screenshot shows the 'ONOFF Function Block Properties' dialog box with the 'General' tab selected. The dialog has four sub-tabs: 'General', 'RSP', 'Range / Limit', and 'Alarms'. The 'General' tab contains the following fields:

- Block:**
  - Number: 1
  - Order: 1
  - Tag Name: ONOFF001
  - Descriptor: (empty)
- Control:**
  - Direction: Reverse
  - SP tracking: None
  - Hysteresis (%): 0
- Start / Restart:**
  - Initial mode: Man LSP
  - Power up mode: Man LSP
- Fail Safe Out:** Off

At the bottom of the dialog are 'OK' and 'Cancel' buttons.

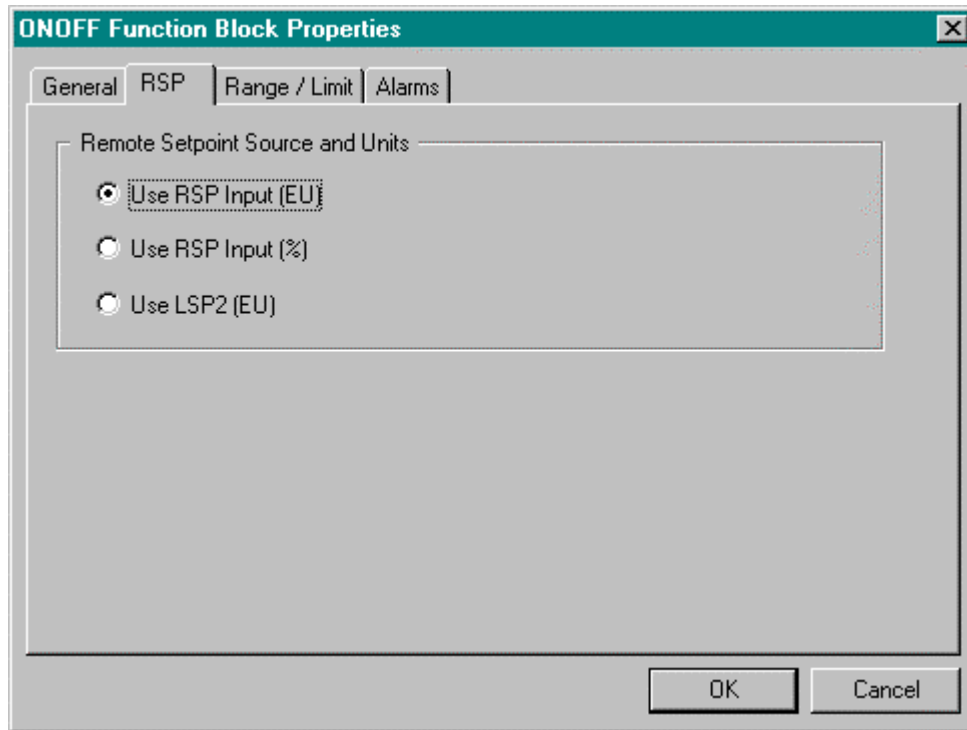


**Table 47 General tab configuration parameters**

Properties Function	Parameter	Index #	Parameter Description	Value or Selection
<b>Block</b>	<b>Order</b>	N/A	Execution Order	Read Only. See "Configure" Menu, "Execution Order" to change.
	<b>Tag Name</b>	N/A	8-character tag name	
	<b>Descriptor</b>	N/A	Block description	
<b>Control</b>	<b>Direction</b>	N/A	Control Action	<b>REVERSE</b> - Proportional action causes output to decrease as process variable increases. <b>DIRECT</b> - Proportional action causes output to increase as process variable increases.
	<b>SP Tracking</b>	N/A	Setpoint Tracking	<b>NONE</b> <b>TRACK PV</b> - When control mode is "manual", local setpoint tracks process variable. <b>TRACK RSP</b> - When setpoint is remote setpoint, local setpoint tracks remote setpoint.
	<b>Hysteresis</b>	13	Output Hysteresis	0 % to 10 % of input span
<b>Start/Restart</b>	<b>Initial Mode</b>	N/A	Control Mode and Setpoint at NEWSTART <b>Newstart</b> is the first scan cycle following the cold start of the controller	<b>MAN LSP</b> - Manual control and last local setpoint <b>AUTO LSP</b> - Automatic control and last local setpoint. <b>AUTO RSP</b> - Automatic control and remote setpoint. <b>MAN LSPonly</b> - Manual control and local setpoint only. <b>AUTO LSPonly</b> - Automatic control and local setpoint only*. <b>AUTO RSPonly</b> - Automatic control and remote setpoint only*. <i>*These modes will override the configured POWER UP MODE.</i>
	<b>Power up Mode</b>	N/A	Control Mode and Setpoint at power up	<b>MAN LSP</b> - Manual control and last local setpoint <b>AM LSP</b> - Same control mode (auto or manual) and last local setpoint. <b>AM LR</b> - Same control mode (auto or manual) and setpoint (local or remote) as at power-down.
	<b>Failsafe Out</b>	23	Failsafe Output Selection	ON OFF

**RSP tab**

It looks like this graphically on the Control Builder. Table 48 describes the parameters and the value or selection.



**Table 48 RSP tab configuration parameters**

Properties Function	Parameter	Index #	Parameter Description	Value or Selection
Remote Setpoint Source and Units	Use RSP Input (EU)	N/A	Use Remote Setpoint in Engineering Units	Click on radio button to select
	Use RSP Input (%)		Use Remote Setpoint in Percent	Click on radio button to select
	Use LSP2 (EU)		Use Local Setpoint #2 in Engineering Units	Click on radio button to select

**RANGE/LIMIT tab**

It looks like this graphically on the Control Builder. Table 49 describes the parameters and the value or selection.

The screenshot shows the 'ONOFF Function Block Properties' dialog box with the 'Range / Limit' tab selected. The dialog is divided into four sections: 'Ranging', 'Limiting', 'Display', and 'Alarms'. The 'Ranging' section contains 'PV high range' (100) and 'PV low range' (0). The 'Limiting' section contains 'SP high limit' (100), 'SP low limit' (0), 'SP rate down (EU/Min)' (0), and 'SP rate up (EU/Min)' (0). The 'Display' section contains 'Decimal places' (0), 'Units' (empty), and 'Dev bar range (EU)' (100). The 'Alarms' tab is currently inactive. 'OK' and 'Cancel' buttons are at the bottom right.

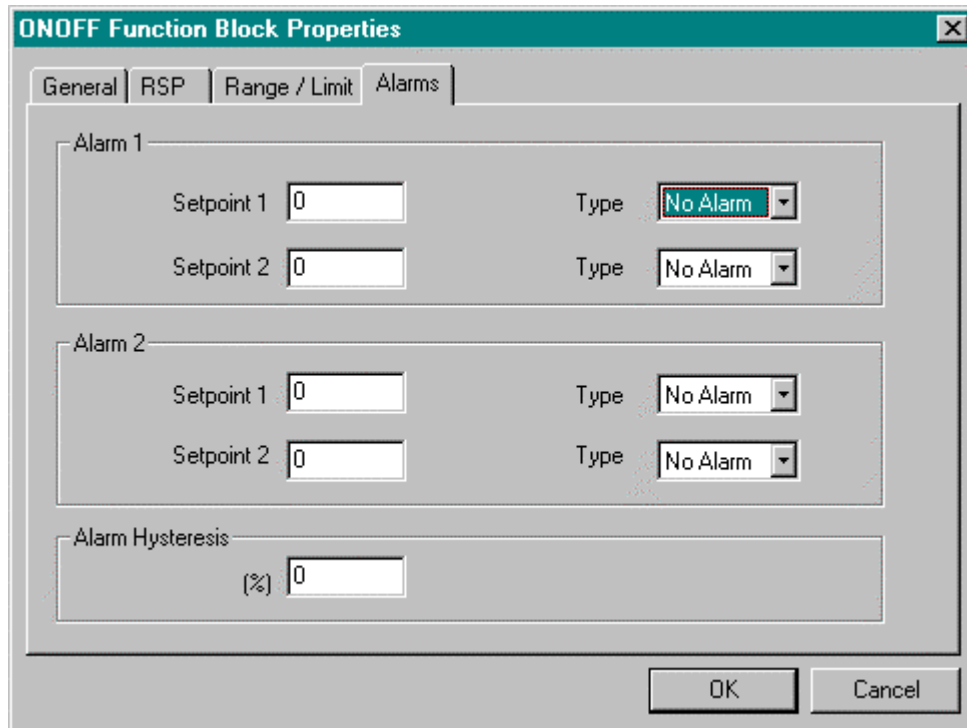
Section	Parameter	Value
Ranging	PV high range	100
	PV low range	0
Limiting	SP high limit	100
	SP low limit	0
	SP rate down (EU/Min)	0
	SP rate up (EU/Min)	0
Display	Decimal places	0
	Units	
	Dev bar range (EU)	100

**Table 49 Range/limit tab configuration parameters**

Properties Function	Parameter	Index #	Parameter Description	Value or Selection
<b>Ranging</b>	<b>PV High range</b>	0	PV High Range Value	-99999 to 99999
	<b>PV Low Range</b>	1	PV Low Range Value	-99999 to 99999
<b>Display</b>	<b>Decimal Places</b>	N/A	Number of digits to display after decimal point.	0 to 5
	<b>Units</b>	N/A	Text to display for EU	4 characters
	<b>DEV Bar Range (EU)</b>	N/A	Deviation Bar Range on the Operator Interface	-99999 to 99999
<b>Limiting</b>	<b>SP High Limit</b>	6	Setpoint High Limit Value - prevents the local and remote setpoints from going above the value set here.	-99999 to 99999
	<b>SP Low limit</b>	7	Setpoint Low Limit Value - prevents the local and remote setpoints from going below the value set here.	-99999 to 99999
	<b>SP Rate Down</b>	9	Setpoint Rate Down value - when making a setpoint change, this is the rate at which setpoint will change from the original setpoint <b>down</b> to the new one.	0 (off) to 9999 (eu/min)
	<b>SP Rate Up</b>	10	Setpoint Rate Up value - when making a setpoint change, this is the rate at which setpoint will change from the original setpoint <b>up</b> to the new one.	0 (off) to 9999 (eu/min)

**ALARMS tab**

It looks like this graphically on the Control Builder. Table 50 describes the parameters and the value or selection.

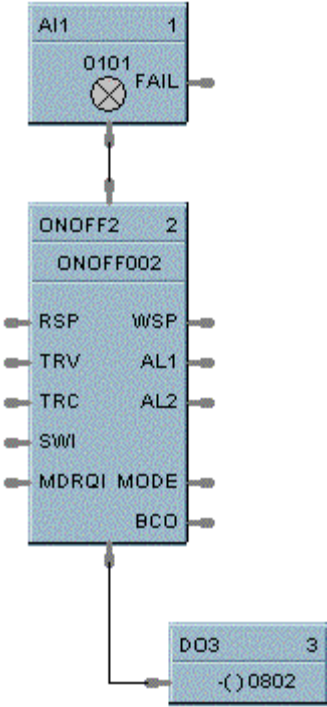


**Table 50 Alarm tab configuration parameters**

Properties Function	Parameter	Index #	Parameter Description	Value or Selection
<b>Alarm 1</b>	<b>Setpoint 1</b>	14	<b>Alarm 1 Setpoint 1 Value</b> - this is the value at which you want the alarm type chose below to activate	-99999 to 99999 in Engineering Units
	<b>Type</b>	N/A	Alarm 1 Setpoint 1 Type - select what you want Alarm 1 Setpoint 1 to represent.	Selections: NO ALARM PV_HIGH PV_LOW DEV_HIGH DEV_LOW SP_HIGH SP_LOW OUT_HIGH OUT_LOW
	<b>Setpoint 2</b>	15	Alarm 1 Setpoint 2 Value	Same as <b>Alarm 1 Setpoint 1</b>
	<b>Type</b>	N/A	Alarm 1 Setpoint 2 Type	Same as <b>Alarm 1 Setpoint 1</b>
<b>Alarm 2</b>	<b>Setpoint 1</b>	16	Alarm 2 Setpoint 1 Value	Same as <b>Alarm 1 Setpoint 1</b>
	<b>Type</b>	N/A	Alarm 2 Setpoint 1 Type	Same as <b>Alarm 1 Setpoint 1</b>
	<b>Setpoint 2</b>	17	Alarm 2 Setpoint 2 Value	Same as <b>Alarm 1 Setpoint 1</b>
	<b>Type</b>	N/A	Alarm 2 Setpoint 2 Type	Same as <b>Alarm 1 Setpoint 1</b>
<b>Alarm Hysteresis</b>	%	22	Alarm Hysteresis in %	0 % to 5 %

**Example**

Figure 52 shows a Function Block Diagram using an ON/OFF function block.

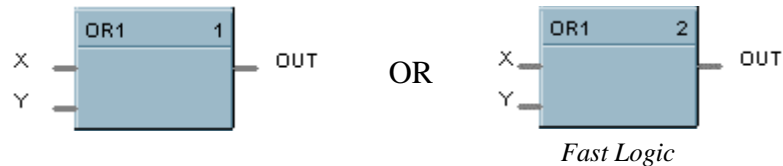


**Figure 52 ON/OFF function block example**

## 2OR Function Block

### Description

The **2OR** label stands for the inclusive **OR (2 Inputs) Boolean logic function**. This block is part of the *Logic* and *Fast Logic* categories. It looks like this graphically on the Control Builder.



### Function

Monitors two digital input signals (X, Y) to set state of digital output signal (OUT).

- If X = OFF and Y = OFF, then **OUT = OFF**.
- If X = ON and/or Y = ON, then: **OUT = ON**.

### Input

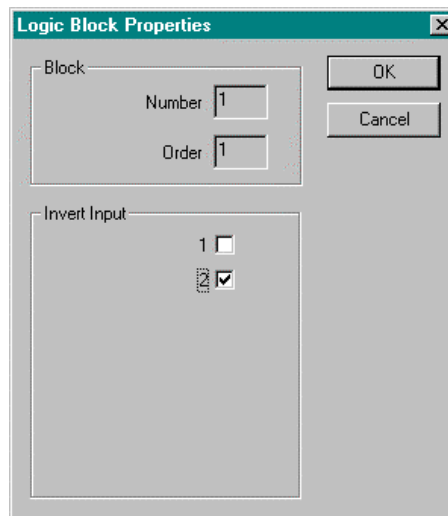
**X** = First digital signal.

**Y** = Second digital signal.

### Output

**OUT** = Digital signal controlled by status of input signals

### Block properties



Double click on the function block to access the function block properties dialog box.

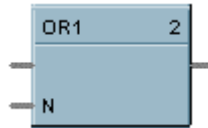


**Block Order (Read Only)**

You can change the assigned execution order number by selecting “Execution Order” in the “Configure” menu and arrange the order to suit your control strategy.

**Input state**

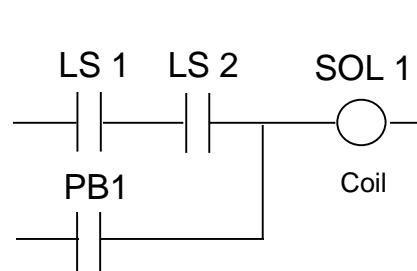
You can invert Input 1 or input 2 or both. If the input is inverted, an input line that is ON is seen as OFF. (“N” appears on Icon next to the inverted input.)



**Example**

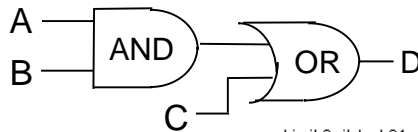
Figure 53 shows a Function Block Diagram using a 2OR function block.

This is a basic series-parallel circuit. If Limit Switch 1 (LS1) is ON and Limit Switch 2 (LS2) is ON, or if pushbutton PB1 is ON, then Solenoid 1 is turned ON, otherwise it is OFF. Note “power flow” can be delivered in either of two paths to the solenoid.



**Equivalent Boolean Logic Expression**

A = LS1, B = LS2  
C = PB1, D = Output

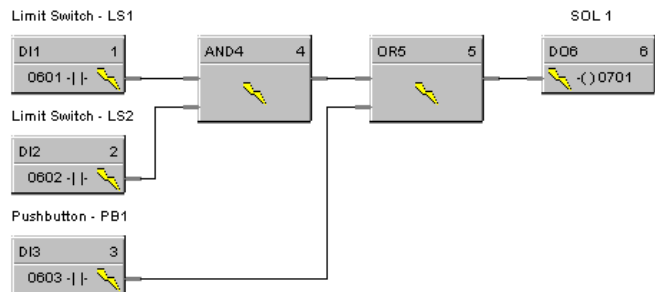


AND Symbol      OR Symbol  
 $(A * B) + C = D$

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This uses a basic 2 Input AND block and a 2 Input OR block.

6 Function blocks are used.

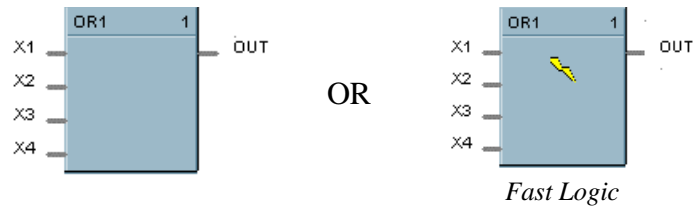


**Figure 53 2OR function block example**

## 4OR Function Block

### Description

The **4OR** label stands for the inclusive **OR (4 Inputs) Boolean logic function**. This block is part of the *Logic* and *Fast Logic* categories. It looks like this graphically on the Control Builder.



### Function

Turns digital output (OUT) **OFF** when inputs X1 through X4 are **OFF**. Thus,

- If input X1 or X2 or X3 or X4 is **ON**, then: **OUT = ON**.
- If all inputs are OFF, then: **OUT = OFF**.

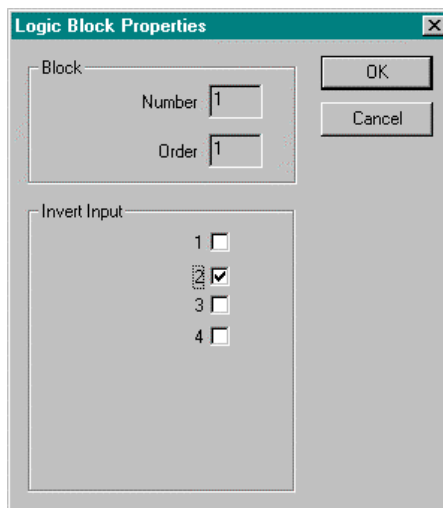
### Input

**X1** = First digital signal  
**X2** = Second digital signal  
**X3** = Third digital signal  
**X4** = Fourth digital signal

### Output

**OUT** = Digital signal controlled by status of input signals

### Block properties



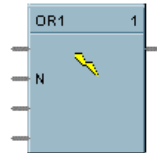
Double click on the function block to access the function block properties dialog box.

**Block Order (Read Only)**

You can change the assigned execution order number by selecting “Execution Order” in the “Configure” menu and arrange the order to suit your control strategy.

**Input state**

You can invert Input 1, 2, 3, 4, or all. If the input is inverted, an input line that is ON is seen as OFF. (“N” appears on the Icon next to the inverted input.)



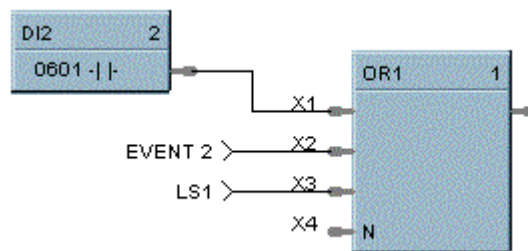
**ATTENTION**

Unused Inputs default to 0.

**Example**

Figure 54 shows a Function Block Diagram using a 4OR function block.

Output = X1 or X2 or X3 or  $\overline{X4}$

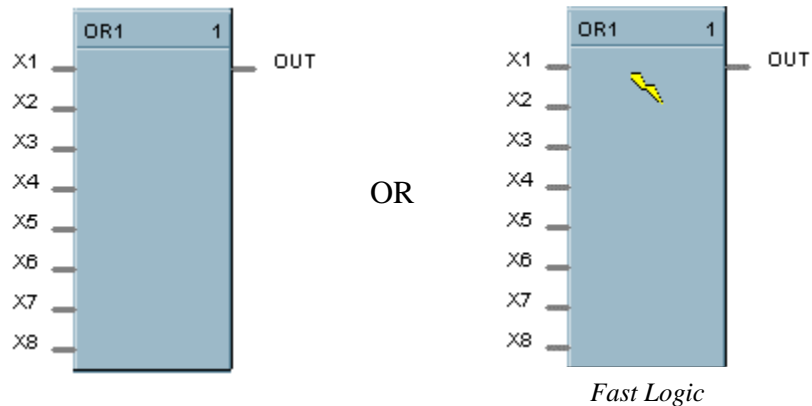


**Figure 54 4OR function block example**

## 8OR Function Block

### Description

The **8OR** label stands for the inclusive **OR (8 Inputs) Boolean logic function**. This block is part of the *Logic* and *Fast Logic* categories. It looks like this graphically on the Control Builder.



### Function

Turns digital output (OUT) OFF when inputs X1 through X8 are off, thus:

- If input X1 or X2 or X3 or X4 or X5 or X6 or X7 or X8 is ON, then: **OUT = ON**.
- If all inputs are OFF, then: **OUT = OFF**.

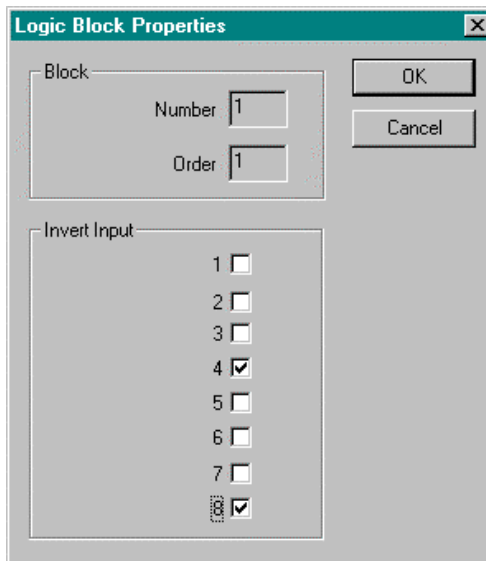
### Input

**X1** = First digital signal  
**X2** = Second digital signal  
**X3** = Third digital signal  
**X4** = Fourth digital signal  
**X5** = Fifth digital signal  
**X6** = Sixth digital signal  
**X7** = Seventh digital signal  
**X8** = Eight digital signal.

### Output

**OUT** = Digital signal controlled by status of input signals

## Block properties



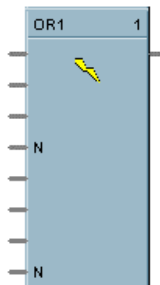
Double click on the function block to access the function block properties dialog box.

### Block Order (Read Only)

You can change the assigned execution order number by selecting “Execution Order” in the “Configure” menu and arrange the order to suit your control strategy.

### Input state

You can invert Input 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8 or all. If the input is inverted, an input line that is ON is seen as OFF. (“N” appears on the ICON next to the inverted input.)



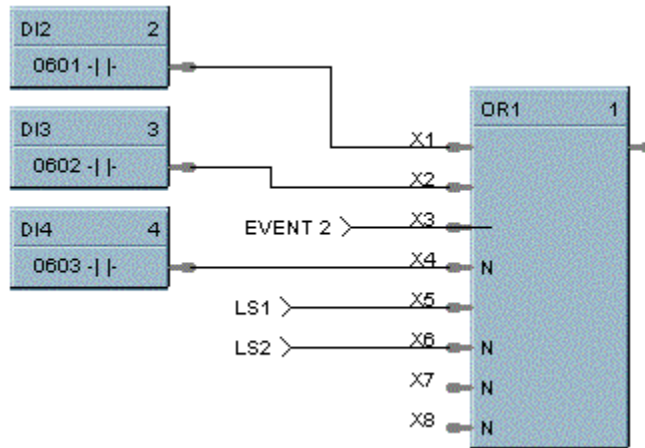
### CAUTION

Unused Inputs default to 0.

**Example**

Figure 55 shows a Function Block Diagram using an 8OR function block.

Output =  $X1$  or  $X2$  or  $X3$  or  $\overline{X4}$  or  $X5$  or  $\overline{X6}$  or  $\overline{X7}$  or  $\overline{X8}$

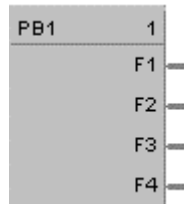


**Figure 55 8OR function block example**

## PB Function Block

### Description

The **PB** label stands for the inclusive **Pushbutton**. This block is part of the *Logic* category. It looks like this graphically on the Control Builder.



### Function

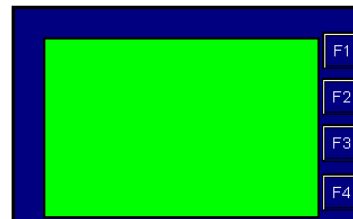
Provides the interface from the operator panel to the logic functions of the controller. Provides a one-shot logic ON in response to pressing the corresponding function key on the operator interface.

This selection lets you **configure** the Pushbutton function display that will provide the interface to the four logic operator keypad keys (F1 through F4). You can do this for up to four Pushbutton blocks giving you 4 groups (total 16 pushbuttons) that can be set up for selection on your display buttons (1-8).

When you select a pushbutton group on a display button (1-8), the operator interface will display the pushbutton function group screen and buttons F1-F4 on the operator interface will display the information that has been set up for that group.

PUSHBUTTON GROUP	
	20:49
TAG45678 STATE1	FUNCTION DESCRIP <input type="text"/>
TAG45678 STATE1	FUNCTION DESCRIP <input type="text"/>
TAG45678 STATE1	FUNCTION DESCRIP <input type="text"/>
TAG45678 STATE1	FUNCTION DESCRIP <input type="text"/>

*Pushbutton Function Group Screen*



### Output

- F1** = Provide 1 shot logic ON in response to pressing Pushbutton F1
- F2** = Provide 1 shot logic ON in response to pressing Pushbutton F2
- F3** = Provide 1 shot logic ON in response to pressing Pushbutton F3
- F4** = Provide 1 shot logic ON in response to pressing Pushbutton F4

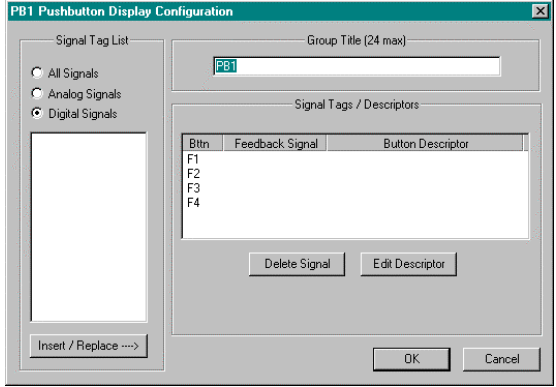
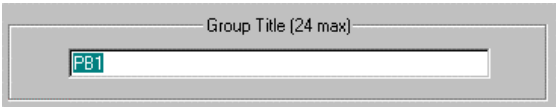
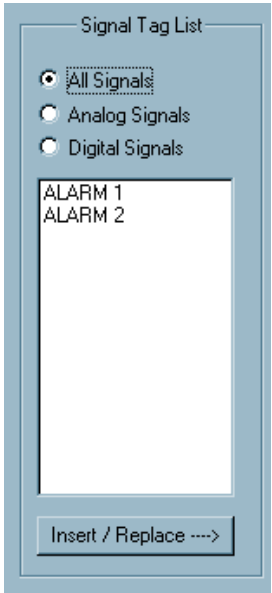
### Configuration

Double click on the function block to access the “Pushbutton Display Configuration” dialog box.

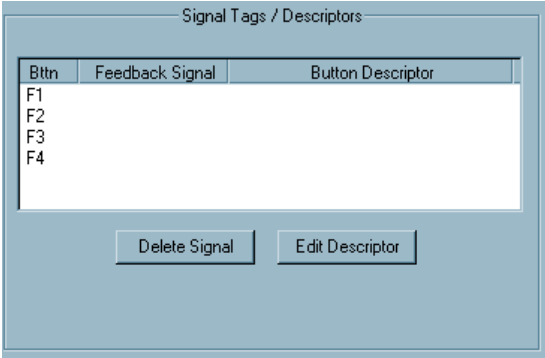
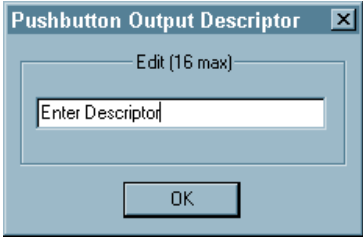
### Configuration procedure

Follow the procedure in Table 51 to configure the Pushbutton Function Groups.

**Table 51 Pushbutton function group configuration**

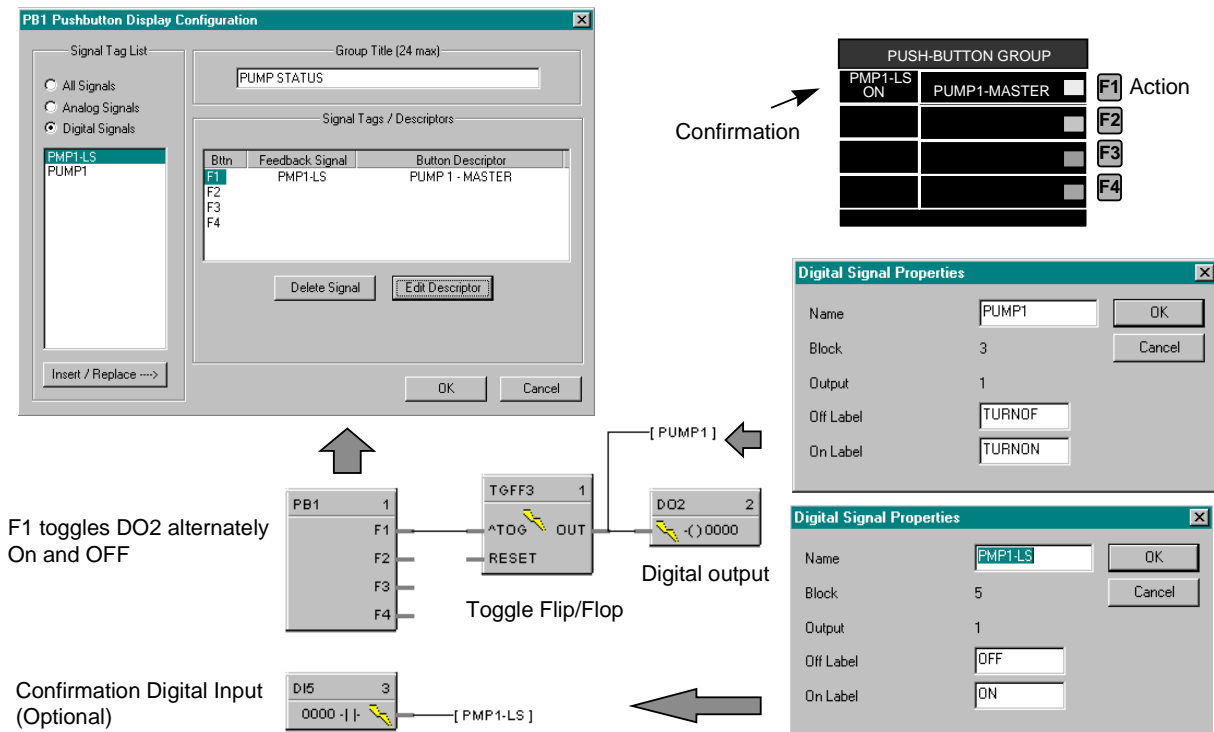
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>There are four pushbuttons that can be configured for each block.</li> </ul> <p>You can assign just a label for the display using the Output descriptor.</p> <p>You can also select signal tags from the “Signal Tag List” if you require a feedback signal to be shown on the pushbutton display.</p>	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Enter the Group Title Text in the appropriate field.</li> </ul>	
<p>The “Signal Tag List” field shows all the Signal Tags that have been configured on the Function Block Diagram. Select “All Signals”, “Analog Signals”, or “Digital Signals”.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>To Add a Digital Signal tag to a Pushbutton location:</b> Click on a signal tag in the list, then click on “Insert/Replace”. The selected Signal tag will be placed in the next available position in the “Signal Tags/Descriptors” field.</li> <li><b>To Insert a Digital Signal tag to a Pushbutton location:</b> Select a position in the “Signal Tags/Descriptors” field., then click on INSERT. (You must click in the <i>first</i> column of the Selected Signal Tag list to select a row.) The selected Signal tag will be placed in the position chosen, and other signal tags will move down as required. You may only insert to the occupied portion of the list. An attempt to insert to any empty row will place the new item in the first empty row.</li> </ul>	



<p>The selected Signal Tag will be placed in the “Signal Tags/Descriptors” field</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Repeat</b> selection for up to 4 Pushbuttons.</li> <li>• To <b>delete</b> a selected Tag, click on the position of the tag and click “Delete”.</li> </ul>	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• To Add or Edit and output descriptor to the display, click on the “Btnn” number and then on “Edit Descriptor” and type in the descriptor in the Edit field.</li> <li>• Click “OK”.</li> </ul> <p><b>You can assign Pushbutton Configuration Groups to Display Buttons, refer to Display Buttons (1-8) Configuration in the Control Builder User’s Guide.</b></p>	

**Example**

Figure 56 is an overview of a pushbutton configuration.

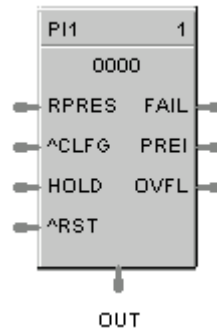


**Figure 56 PB function block example**

## PI Function Block

### Description

The **PI** label stands for **Pulse Input**. This block is part of the *Logic* category. It looks like this graphically on the Control Builder.



### Function

This function block reads a single input channel from a pulse-frequency-input module. It scales inputs from the module to user-configured engineering units corresponding to accumulated pulses. The scaling typically represents a quantity. The preset values, reset, preset action, hold and clear flags are sent to the module and the module will respond with FAIL, counter overflow indicator (OVFL), preset indicator (PREI) and accumulated pulse counts.

### Input

**RPRESS** = Remote preset count value (in EU); used to determine the status of the PREI output

**PREI** = OFF, [0] when count is less than the RPRESS value, else ON)

**^CLFG** = Clear flags. An OFF to ON transition clears the FAIL and OVFL flags to zero.

**HOLD** = A Boolean value when set to ON holds the pulse counter at its current value.

**^RST** = when the HOLD input is set to ON, an OFF to ON transition resets the pulse counter to zero. It also clears the FAIL and OVFL flags.

### Output

**FAIL** = Failed Input Indication. A Boolean value that turns ON when the Pulse/Frequency Input module reports a failure. This is cleared by the ^CLFG or ^RST inputs.

**PREI** = A Boolean value that turns ON when the accumulated pulse count => preset count. (Note 1.)

**OVFL** = Overflow flag. This turns ON when the counter on the module overflows. This is cleared by the ^CLFG or ^RST inputs.

**OUT** = The accumulated Engineering Unit (EU) count. The forcing of OUT is permitted within this block.

**Note 1.** Due to the delay in messaging and the response time of the module, there can be a lag between the PREI output of the function block versus the DO on the module. The function block output can lag the digital output on the card by as much as one scan cycle period.

## Block properties



Double click on the function block to access the function block properties dialog box.


### Block Order (Read Only)

You can change the assigned execution order number by selecting “Execution Order” in the “Configure” menu and arrange the order to suit your control strategy.

## Configuration parameters

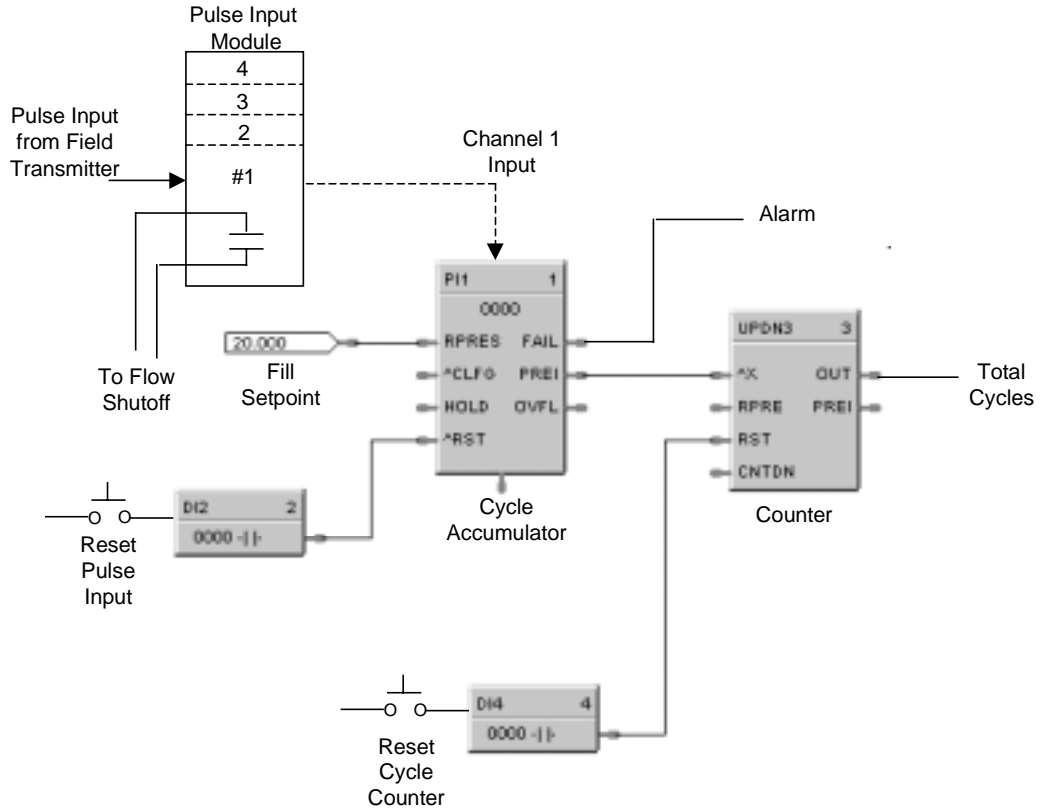
You must configure the PI function Block parameters to the desired value or selection that matches your operating requirements. Table 22 describes the parameters and the value or selection.

**Table 52 Pulse input function block parameters**

Properties Group	Parameter	Index #	Parameter Description	Value or Selection
<b>Address</b>	<b>I/O Module</b>	N/A	Address of select I/O Module	From 1 to 16
	<b>Channel</b>	N/A	Channel on selected I/O Module	From 1 to 6
<b>Pulse Weight</b>	<b>EU per Pulse</b>	1	Number of EU per Pulse	0-99999 EU Default = 1
<b>Preset</b>	<b>Use Remote</b>	4	Remote Preset Count Click on radio button to turn ON	<b>ON</b> = Use Remote Preset <b>OFF</b> = Use Local Preset Default = ON
	<b>Use Local</b>	3	Local Preset Count in EU. Used to determine the status of the PREI output. Click on radio button to select.	0 = no alarming
	<b>Preset Action</b>	2	Preset Action determines how the PREI and the associated digital output on the module react when the counter reaches the preset value.   = ON	<b>OFF</b> = (latch) the hardware module output latches ON until reset. The PREI latches ON until the module acknowledges the Reset. <b>ON</b> = (trigger) the hardware module output turns ON for 1 second. The PREI turns ON for approximately 1 second. Default = ON

**Example**

Figure 57 shows a Function Block Diagram using a Pulse Input Module and PI function block to control the amount of material flowing into a tank. A counter is used to count fill cycles.

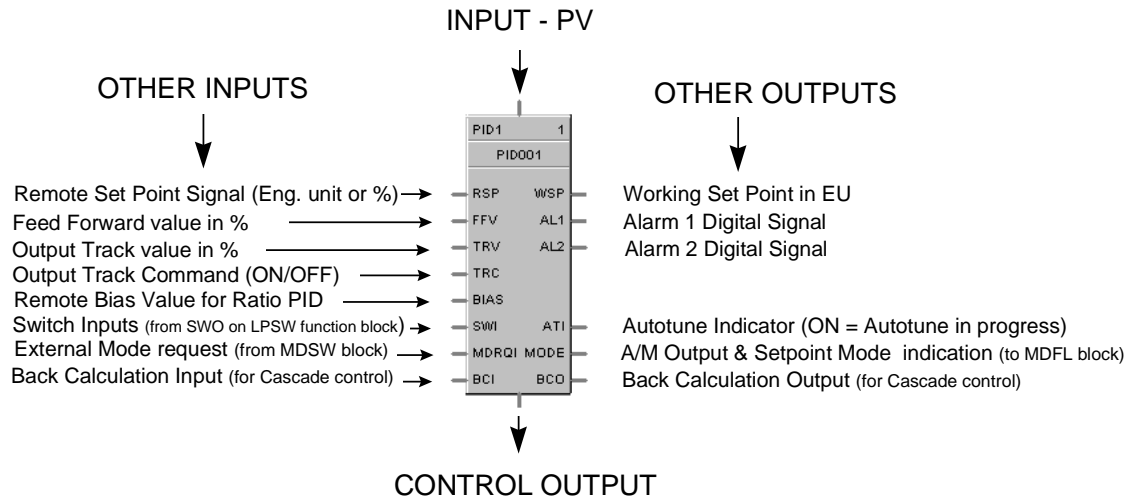


**Figure 57 PI function block example**

## PID Function Block

### Description

The **PID** label stands for **Proportional, Integral, Derivative (3-mode)** control action. This block is part of the *Loops* category. It looks like this graphically on the Control Builder.



### Function

Provides Proportional (P), Integral (I) and Derivative (D), (3-mode) control action based on the deviation or error signal created by the difference between the setpoint (SP) and the Process variable analog input value (PV).

It provides two digital output signals for alarms based on configured parameters.

The PID function block provides for Feedforward, Cascade, and Ratio control.

Automatic tuning with Fuzzy Logic Overshoot Suppression can be configured.

Digital inputs may be used to set control mode, select the setpoint source, change control action plus other discrete actions.

#### For examples of PID Control, refer to:

*Basic PID Configuration*

*Duplex Control*

*Cascade Control*

*Ratio Control*

*Cascade Control of Boiler Drum Level*

*Cascade Control of a Boiler Drum Level - 3 Element Feedwater Control*

### Inputs

**PV** = Process Variable Analog Input value in Engineering Units to be controlled

**RSP** = Remote Setpoint Analog Input value in Engineering Units or Percent to provide external setpoint

**FFV** = Feedforward value in percent. The Feedforward value is multiplied by the Feedforward Gain, then directly summed into the output of the PID block.

**TRV** = Output Track value in Percentage (PID Output = TRV Input when TRC = ON.)

**TRC** = Output Track Command [ON, OFF] (On -Enables TRV.) (Mode = Local Override)

**BIAS** = Remote Bias value for Ratio PID

**SWI** = Switch Inputs (from SWO on LPSW function block)

- 0 = No Change
- 1 = Initiate Autotuning
- 2 = Change Control Action
- 4 = Force Bumpless Transfer
- 8 = Switch to Tune Set 1
- 16 = Switch to Tune Set 2

**MDRQI** = External Mode request (typically connected to the MDRQO output of a MDSW function block that encoded discrete switch inputs).

- 0 = No Change
- 1 = Manual Mode Request
- 2 = Auto Mode Request
- 4 = Local Mode Request
- 8 = Remote Mode Request

**BCI** = Back Calculation Input (for blocks used as Cascade Primary)—See ATTENTION 2.

## Outputs

**OUT** = Control Output

**WSP** = Working Setpoint in Engineering Units for monitoring

**AL1** = Alarm 1 - Digital Signal

**AL2** = Alarm 2 - Digital Signal

**ATI** = Autotune Indicator (ON = Autotune in Progress)

**MODE** = Loop mode status (typically connected to the Mode Flags block for encoding). Value indicates modes as follows:

- 0.0 RSP AUTO
- 1.0 RSP MAN
- 2.0 RSP Initialization Manual (See ATTENTION 1)
- 3.0 RSP Local Override (See ATTENTION 1)
- 4.0 LSP AUTO
- 5.0 LSP MAN
- 6.0 LSP Initialization Manual (See ATTENTION 1)
- 7.0 LSP Local Override (See ATTENTION 1)

**BCO** - Back Calculation Output (for blocks used as Cascade Secondary)—See ATTENTION 2.



### ATTENTION

1. When a request to change from Auto to manual is received and:
  - the request comes from the operator Interface, *the request is ignored.*
  - the request comes from the Mode Switch (MDSW) function block, *the request is retained and when leaving the Initialization Mode or Local Override Mode the loop will go to manual.*
2. BCO output is provided for applications where the block is used as a cascade secondary. BCI input is provided for applications where the block is used as a cascade primary. When the BCO output of a secondary loop is connected to the BCI input of a primary loop, bumpless transfer is achieved when the secondary is switched into remote setpoint (i.e., cascade) mode. In addition, the primary loop is prevented from reset windup when the secondary is de-coupled from the process. The secondary is de-coupled from the process when it is in local setpoint mode or manual output mode or has reached a setpoint or output limit or is integral limiting because of it's BCI input. For example, see Figure 60.

### Block properties

Double click on the function block to access the function block properties dialog box.

### Dialog box structure

The PID properties dialog box is divided into six tab cards

**GENERAL**  
**RSP**  
**RANGE/LIMIT**  
**TUNING**  
**ACCUTUNE**  
**ALARMS**

Click on the tab to access the properties for that tab.

**GENERAL tab**

It looks like this graphically on the Control Builder. Table 53 describes the parameters and the value or selection.

The screenshot shows the 'PID Function Block Properties' dialog box with the 'General' tab selected. The dialog has a title bar with a close button (X) and a tabbed interface with the following tabs: General, RSP, Range / Limit, Tuning, Accutune, and Alarms. The 'General' tab contains the following fields:

- Block**
  - Number: 1
  - Tag Name: PID001
  - Order: 1
  - Descriptor: (empty text box)
- Control**
  - Algorithm: PID A
  - Direction: Reverse
  - SP tracking: None
- Start / Restart**
  - Initial mode: Man LSP
  - Power up mode: Man LSP
  - Power up out: Failsafe
  - Failsafe out: 0

At the bottom right of the dialog are 'OK' and 'Cancel' buttons.



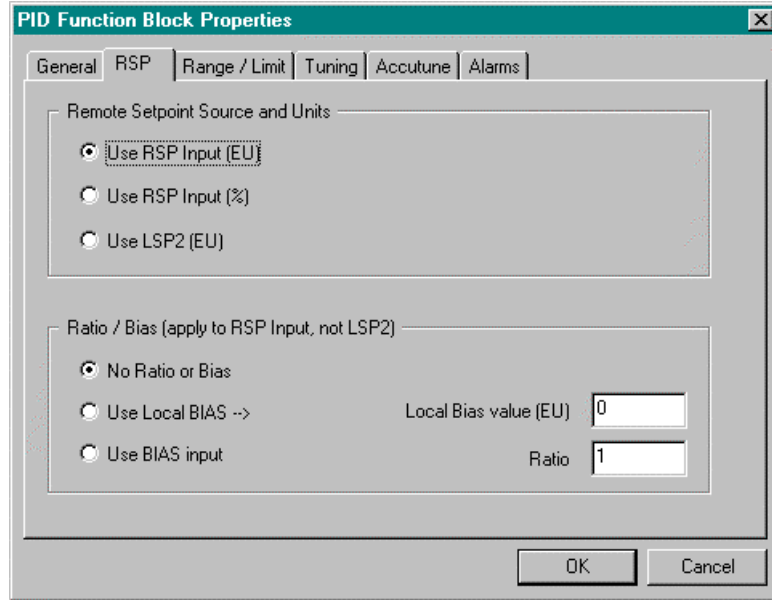
**Table 53 General tab configuration parameters**

Properties Group	Parameter	Index #	Parameter Description	Value or Selection
<b>Block</b>	<b>Order</b>	N/A	Execution Order	Read Only. See "Configure" Menu, "Execution Order" to change.
	<b>Tag Name</b>	N/A	8 character tag name	
	<b>Descriptor</b>	N/A	Block descriptor	
<b>Control</b>	<b>Algorithm</b>	N/A	Control Algorithm  <i>Note: In PID B, step changes in setpoint will not bump the output; the output will slew smoothly to the new value.</i>  <i>In PID A, a step change in setpoint will result in a step change in output.</i>	<p><b>PID A</b> - is normally used for 3 mode control. The output can be adjusted somewhere between 100 % and 0 %. It applies all three control actions - Proportional (P), Integral (I), and Derivative (D) - to the error signal.</p> <p><b>PID B</b> - Unlike the PID-A equation, the controller gives only an integral response to a setpoint change, with no effect on the output due to the Gain or Rate action, and gives full response to PV changes.</p> <p><b>DUPA</b> - like PID A but provides an automatic method to switch tuning constant sets for Heat/Cool applications.</p> <p><b>DUPB</b> - like PID B but provides an automatic method to switch tuning constant sets for Heat/Cool applications.</p> <p>NOTE: With PID B or DUPB selection, you <b>will not</b> be allowed to set RESET or RPM to 0.00 (OFF). Reset must be enabled.</p>
	<b>Direction</b>	N/A	Control Action	<p><b>DIRECT</b> - PID action causes output to <b>increase</b> as process variable increases.</p> <p><b>REVERSE</b> - PID action causes output to <b>decrease</b> as process variable increases.</p>
	<b>SP Tracking</b>	N/A	Setpoint Tracking	<p><b>None</b></p> <p><b>Track PV</b> - When control mode is "manual", local setpoint tracks process variable.</p> <p><b>Track RSP</b> - When setpoint is "remote setpoint", local setpoint tracks remote setpoint.</p>

Properties Group	Parameter	Index #	Parameter Description	Value or Selection
<b>Start/ Restart</b>	<b>Initial Mode</b>	N/A	Control Mode and Setpoint at NEWSTART  <b>Newstart</b> is the first scan cycle following the cold start of the controller	<b>MAN LSP</b> - Manual control and last local setpoint  <b>AUTO LSP</b> - Automatic control and last local setpoint.  <b>AUTO RSP</b> - Automatic control and remote setpoint.  <b>Man LSPonly</b> - Manual control and local setpoint only.  <b>Auto LSPonly</b> - Automatic control and local setpoint only*.  <b>Auto RSPonly</b> - Automatic control and remote setpoint only*.  <i>*These modes will override the configured POWER UP MODE.</i>
	<b>Power Up Mode</b>	N/A	Control Mode and Setpoint at power up	<b>MAN LSP</b> - Manual control and last local setpoint  <b>AM LSP</b> - Same control mode (auto or manual) and last local setpoint.  <b>AM LR</b> - Same control mode (auto or manual) and setpoint (local or remote) as at power-down.
	<b>Power Up Out</b>	N/A	Output at Power up	<b>LAST OUT</b> - Same as at power down.  <b>FAILSAFE</b> - Failsafe output value.
<b>Failsafe Out</b>	<b>Failsafe Out</b>	16	Failsafe Output Value	-5 % to 105 %

**RSP tab**

It looks like this graphically on the Control Builder. Table 54 describes the parameters and the value or selection.



**Table 54 RSP tab configuration parameters**

Properties Group	Parameter	Index #	Parameter Description	Value or Selection
Remote Setpoint Source and Units	Use RSP Input (EU)	N/A	Use Remote Setpoint in Engineering Units	Click on radio button to select
	Use RSP Input (%)		Use Remote Setpoint in Percent	Click on radio button to select
	Use LSP2 (EU)		Use Local Setpoint #2 in Engineering Units	Click on radio button to select
Ratio/Bias (RSP Input Only)	No Ratio or Bias	N/A	No ratio and bias applied to the function block	Click on radio button to select
	Use Local Bias		Use Bias value selected on Tab	Click on radio button to select Enter value at "Local Bias Value" on tab.
	Use Bias Input		Use Bias value attached to an input to the block	Click on radio button to select
	Local Bias Value (EU)	40	Local bias value in engineering units	Enter local bias value -99999 to 99999
	Ratio	39	Gain value for Ratio PID	-20 to +20

**RANGE/LIMIT tab**

It looks like this graphically on the Control Builder. Table 55 describes the parameters and the value or selection.

The screenshot shows the 'PID Function Block Properties' dialog box with the 'Range / Limit' tab selected. The dialog has a title bar with a close button (X) and a tabbed interface with the following tabs: General, RSP, Range / Limit (selected), Tuning, Accutune, and Alarms. The main content area is divided into four sections: Ranging, Display, Limiting, and a bottom section with OK and Cancel buttons.

Section	Parameter	Value
Ranging	PV high range	100
	PV low range	0
Display	Decimal places	0
	Units	
	Dev bar range (EU)	100
Limiting	SP high limit	100
	SP low limit	0
	Out high limit	105
	Out low limit	-5
	SP rate down (EU/Min)	0
SP rate up (EU/Min)	0	

**Table 55 Range/limit tab configuration parameters**

Properties Group	Parameter	Index #	Parameter Description	Value or Selection
<b>Ranging</b>	<b>PV High Range</b>	4	PV High Range Value	-99999 to 99999
	<b>PV Low Range</b>	5	PV Low Range Value	-99999 to 99999
<b>Display</b>	<b>Decimal Places</b>	N/A	Number of digits to display after decimal point.	0 to 5
	<b>Units</b>	N/A	Text to display for EU	4 characters
	<b>DEV Bar Range (EU)</b>	N/A	Deviation Bar Range on the Operator Interface	-99999 to 99999
<b>Limiting</b>	<b>SP High Limit</b>	11	Setpoint High Limit Value - prevents the local and remote setpoints from going above the value set here.	-99999 to 99999
	<b>SP Low Limit</b>	12	Setpoint Low Limit Value - prevents the local and remote setpoints from going below the value set here.	-99999 to 99999
	<b>Out High Limit</b>	14	Output High Limit Value - is the highest value of output beyond which you do not want the automatic output to exceed	-5 % to 105 %
	<b>Out Low Limit</b>	15	Output Low Limit Value - is the lowest value of output beyond which you do not want the automatic output to exceed	-5 % to 105 %
	<b>SP Rate Down</b>	35	Setpoint Rate Down value - when making a setpoint change, this is the rate at which setpoint will change from the original setpoint <b>down</b> to the new one.	0 (off) to 9999 (eu/min)
	<b>SP Rate Up</b>	36	Setpoint Rate Up value - when making a setpoint change, this is the rate at which setpoint will change from the original setpoint <b>up</b> to the new one.	0 (off) to 9999 (eu/min)

### TUNING tab

It looks like this graphically on the Control Builder. Table 56 describes the parameters and the value or selection.



#### ATTENTION

Use of Tune SET 1 or 2 can be selected via input (SWI) from the Loop Switch block output (SWO) or, in the case of DUP\_A or DUP\_B, automatically depending on the value of the previous output ( $\geq 50\%$  or  $< 50\%$ ).

The screenshot shows the 'PID Function Block Properties' dialog box with the 'Tuning' tab selected. The dialog has a title bar with a close button (X) and a tabbed interface with the following tabs: General, RSP, Range / Limit, Tuning (selected), Accutune, and Alarms. The 'Tuning Constants' section contains the following fields:

	Set 1	Set 2
Gain:	1	1
Reset Minutes:	0	0
Rate (Minutes)	0	0
Feed Forward Gain	0	
Manual Reset	0	%

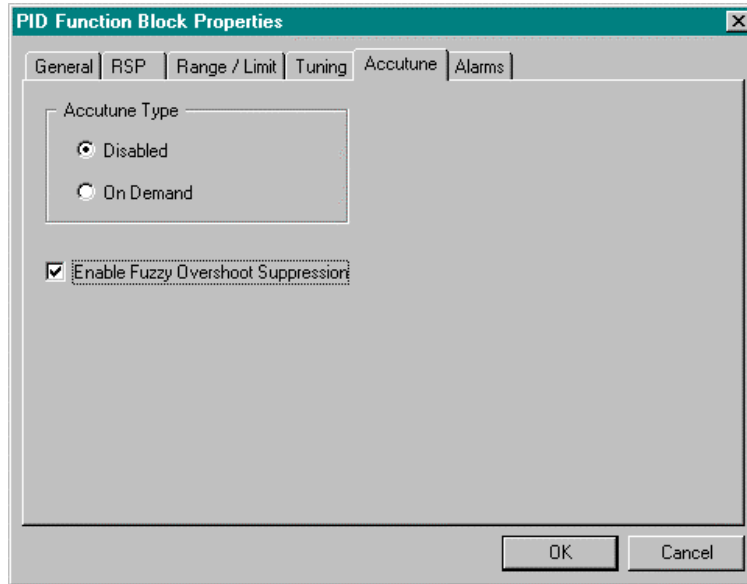
At the bottom right of the dialog are 'OK' and 'Cancel' buttons.

**Table 56 Tuning tab configuration parameters**

Properties Group	Parameter	Index #	Parameter Description	Value or Selection
Tuning Constants	<b>Prop Band</b>	0 PB1 or Gain1	Proportional Band (PB) - is the percentage of the range of the measured variable for which a proportional controller will produce a 100 % change in its output.	0.1 to 1000
	<b>or Gain</b>	30 PB2 or Gain2	Gain - is the ratio of output change (%) over the measured variable change (%) that caused it.  $G = \frac{100 \%}{PB \%}$  where PB is the proportional Band (in %)	0.1 % to 1000 %  ATTENTION: Enter values for tuning set 1 and tuning set 2 in specified fields.
	<b>Reset Minutes</b>  <b>or Repeats per Minute</b>	2 Reset1  or  32 Reset2	RESET (Integral Time) - adjusts the controller's output according to both the size of the deviation (SP-PV) and the time it lasts. The amount of corrective action depends on the value of Gain.  The reset adjustment is measured as how many times proportional action is repeated per minute (Repeats/minute) or how many minutes before one repeat of the proportional action occurs (Minutes/repeat).	0.02 to 50.00  <i>Must be enabled for PID-B or DUP-B algorithm selections.</i>
	<b>Rate Minutes</b>	1 Rate1  or  31 Rate2	RATE action, in minutes affects the controller's output whenever the deviation is changing; and affects it more when the deviation is changing faster.	0 or 0.1 to 10.00 minutes  0 = OFF
<b>Feedforward Gain</b>	<b>Feedforward Gain</b>	37	Applies Gain to the feedforward value (FFV). Feedforward Input is multiplied by this value.	0.0 to 10.0
<b>Manual Reset</b>	<b>Manual Reset</b>	26	MANUAL RESET- is only applicable if you do not use RESET (Integral Time)  Allows correction of output to account for load changes to bring the PV up to setpoint.	-100 to 100 (in % of Output)

**ACCUTUNE tab**

It looks like this graphically on the Control Builder. Table 57 describes the parameters and the value or selection.



**Table 57 Accutune tab configuration parameters**

Properties Group	Parameter	Index #	Parameter Description	Value or Selection
Accutune Type	Disabled	N/A	Disables Accutune	Click on radio button to select.
	On Demand		When initiated, the controller will start controlling to the setpoint while it identifies the process, calculates the tuning constants, and begins PID control with the correct tuning parameters.	Click on radio button to select.
	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Enable Fuzzy Overshoot Suppression	28	<p>Fuzzy Overshoot Suppression minimizes overshoot after a setpoint change or a process disturbance.</p> <p>The fuzzy logic observes the speed and direction of the PV signal as it approaches the setpoint and temporarily modifies the internal controller response action as necessary to avoid an overshoot.</p> <p>There is no change to the PID algorithm, and the fuzzy logic does not alter the PID tuning parameters.</p> <p>This feature can be independently Enabled or Disabled as required by the application to work with "TUNE" On-Demand tuning.</p>	Click on block to select



**ATTENTION**

Accutune is an On-demand tune only. You must provide a 0 to 1 transition to start another tuning cycle. The tuning will disturb the output to evaluate the tuning constants required.



**ALARMS tab**

It looks like this graphically on the Control Builder. Table 58 describes the parameters and the value or selection.

The screenshot shows the 'PID Function Block Properties' dialog box with the 'Alarms' tab selected. The dialog has a title bar with a close button (X) and a tabbed interface with the following tabs: General, RSP, Range / Limit, Tuning, Accutune, and Alarms. The 'Alarms' tab contains two sections: 'Alarm 1' and 'Alarm 2'. Each section has two 'Setpoint' input fields and a 'Type' dropdown menu. The 'Setpoint 1' field in Alarm 1 contains the value '0'. The 'Type' dropdown for both setpoints in Alarm 1 is set to 'No Alarm'. The 'Alarm 2' section has both 'Setpoint 1' and 'Setpoint 2' fields containing '0', and both 'Type' dropdowns set to 'No Alarm'. Below the alarm sections is a 'Hysteresis (%)' input field containing '0'. At the bottom right of the dialog are 'OK' and 'Cancel' buttons.

Alarm	Setpoint 1	Setpoint 2	Type
Alarm 1	0	0	No Alarm
Alarm 2	0	0	No Alarm

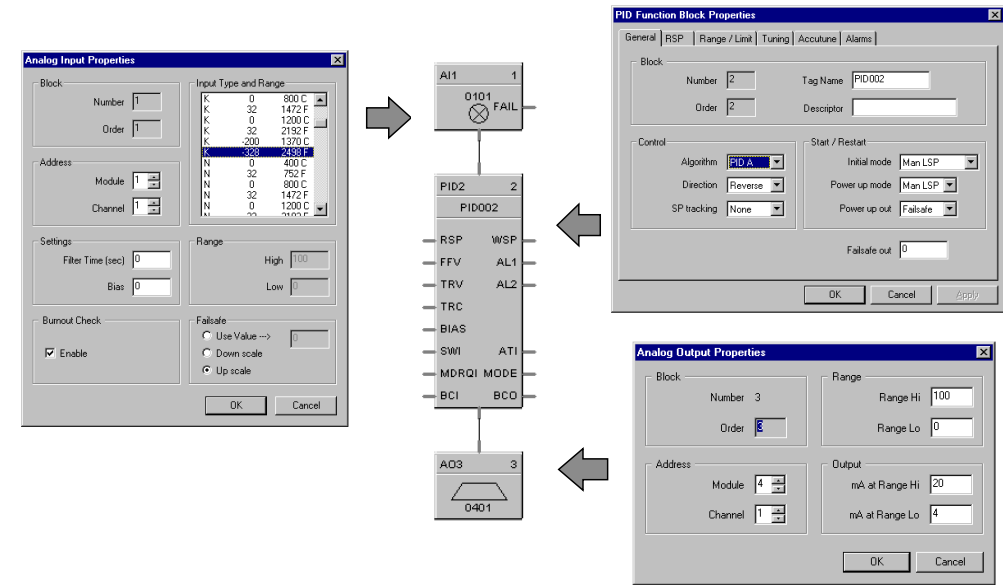
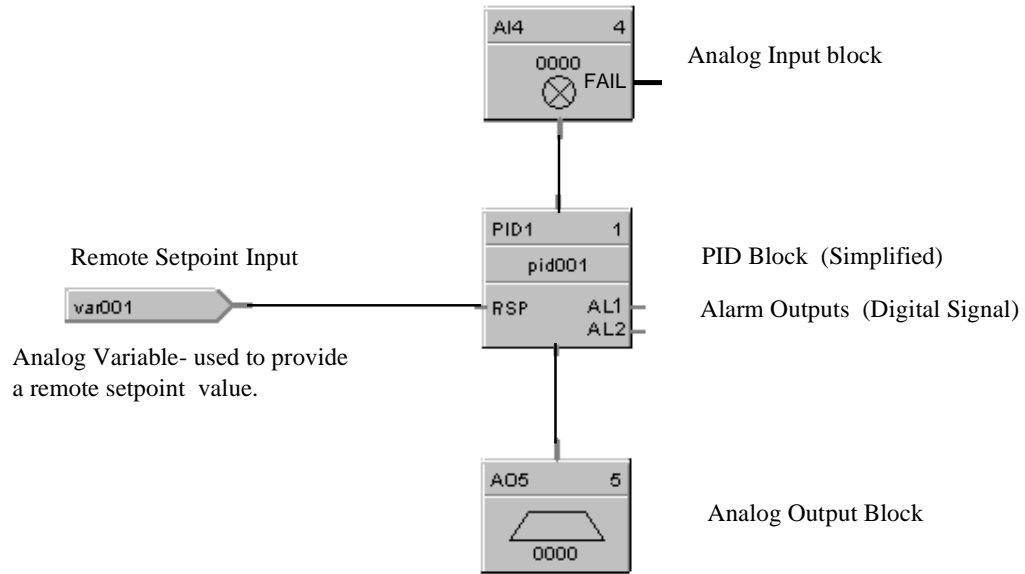
Hysteresis (%) 0

**Table 58 Alarms tab configuration parameters**

Properties Group	Parameter	Index #	Parameter Description	Value or Selection
<b>Alarm 1</b>	<b>Setpoint 1</b>	17	<b>Alarm 1 Setpoint 1 Value</b> - this is the value at which you want the alarm type chose below to activate	-99999 to 99999 in Engineering Units  Within the PV range when alarm type is PV or SP  Within PV span when alarm type is DEV  -5 % to 105 % when alarm type is output.
	<b>Type</b>	N/A	<b>Alarm 1 Setpoint 1 Type</b> - select what you want Alarm 1 Setpoint 1 to represent.	Selections:  NO ALARM  PV_HIGH      High PV Alarm  PV_LOW        Low PV Alarm  DEV_HIGH      High Deviation alarm  DEV_LOW       Low Deviation alarm  SP_HIGH       High Setpoint alarm  SP_LOW        Low Setpoint alarm  OUT_HIGH      High Output alarm  OUT_LOW       Low Output alarm
	<b>Setpoint 2</b>	18	Alarm 1 Setpoint 2 Value	Same as <b>Alarm 1 Setpoint 1</b>
	<b>Type</b>	N/A	Alarm 1 Setpoint 2 Type	Same as <b>Alarm 1 Setpoint 1</b>
<b>Alarm 2</b>	<b>Setpoint 1</b>	19	Alarm 2 Setpoint 1 Value	Same as <b>Alarm 1 Setpoint 1</b>
	<b>Type</b>	N/A	Alarm 2 Setpoint 1 Type	Same as <b>Alarm 1 Setpoint 1</b>
	<b>Setpoint 2</b>	20	Alarm 2 Setpoint 2 Value	Same as <b>Alarm 1 Setpoint 1</b>
	<b>Type</b>	N/A	Alarm 2 Setpoint 2 Type	Same as <b>Alarm 1 Setpoint 1</b>
<b>Alarm Hysteresis</b>	<b>%</b>	25	Alarm Hysteresis in %	0 % to 5 %

**Example 1 - Basic PID configuration example**

Figure 58 shows a Function Block Diagram using a simplified PID Configuration (reference only) and its basic Configuration.



**Figure 58 PID function block example**

### Example 2 - Duplex control - PID with heat/cool (duplex) output

Use standard PID Function Block

- Select PID A Duplex or PID B Duplex
- Set to Reverse acting
- Use Tuning Constant Set #1 from 50% to 100% Heat Output
- Use Tuning Constant Set #2 from 50% to 0% Cool Output

Choose Output Types for Heat and Cool (Current/Current, Current/Time Proportioning, Time Prop./ Time Prop., etc.), connect each to PID block output.

Use output block scaling to set duplex output spans. Set output scaling Range Lo and Hi to 50 - 100 % for heat output and 50% to 0% for cooling output, respectively. You may need to adjust range limits for overlap or deadband as required.

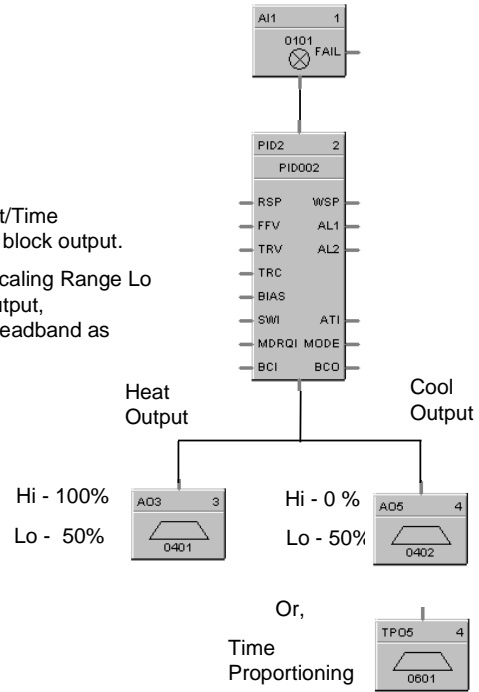
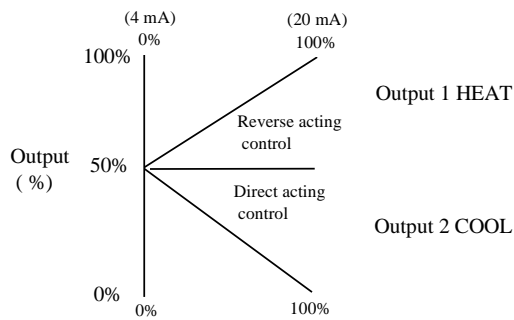


Figure 59 Duplex control example

### Example 3 - Cascade control

The Cascade loop uses 2 PID blocks with the Back Calculation pin of the secondary connected to the primary loop. This transfers values back to the primary loop to adjust the PID for changes due to manual control.

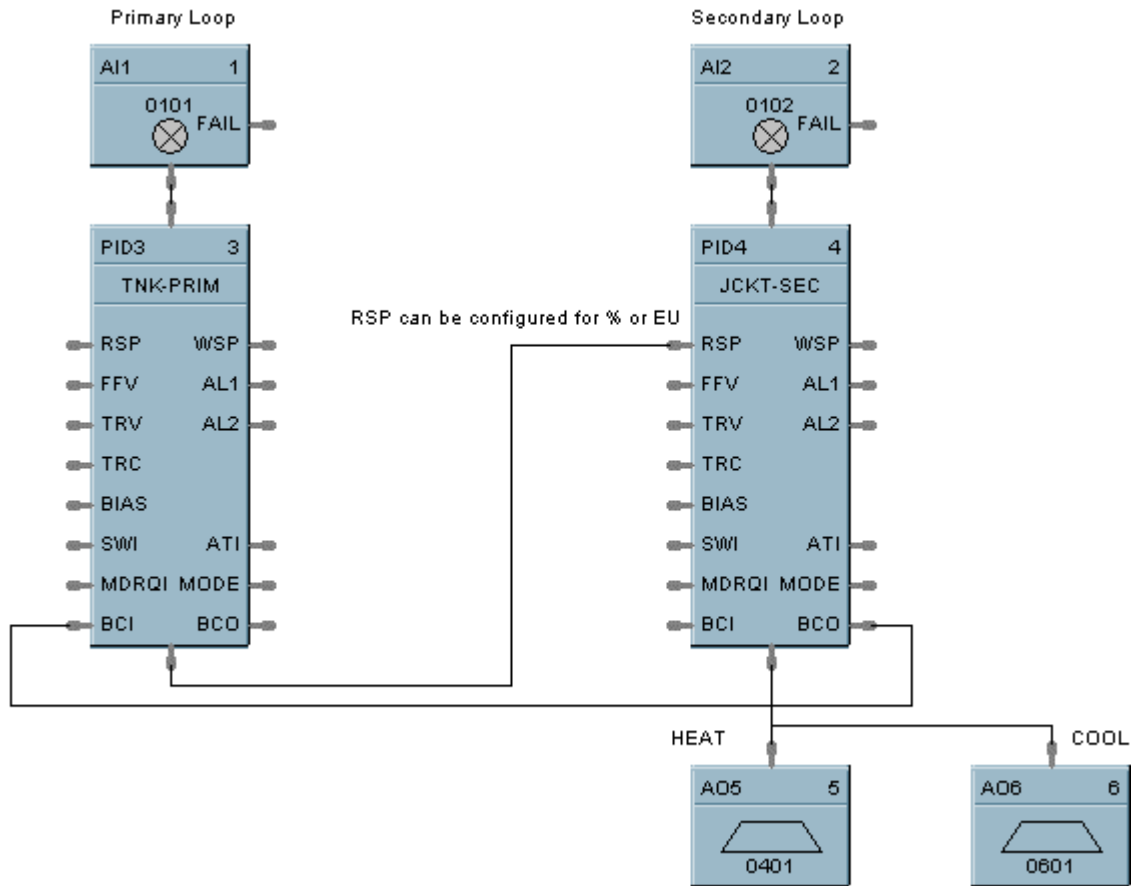
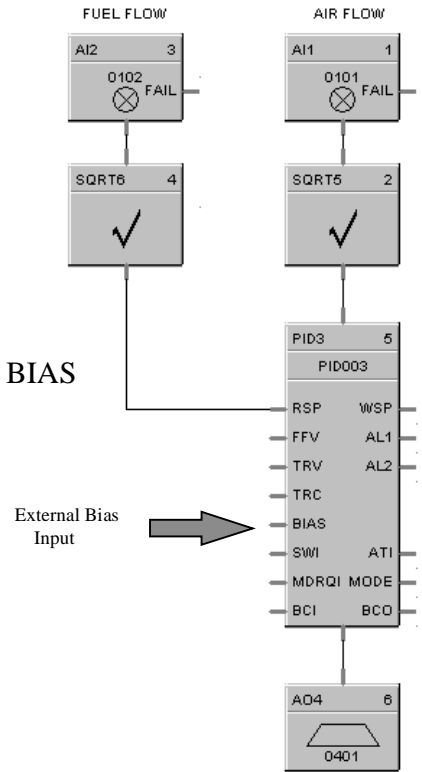
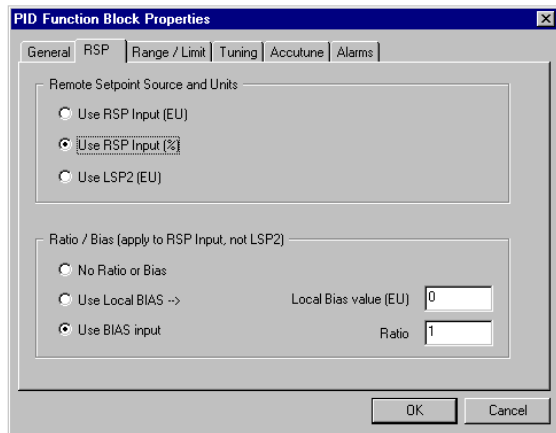


Figure 60 Cascade control example

**Example 4 - Ratio control**

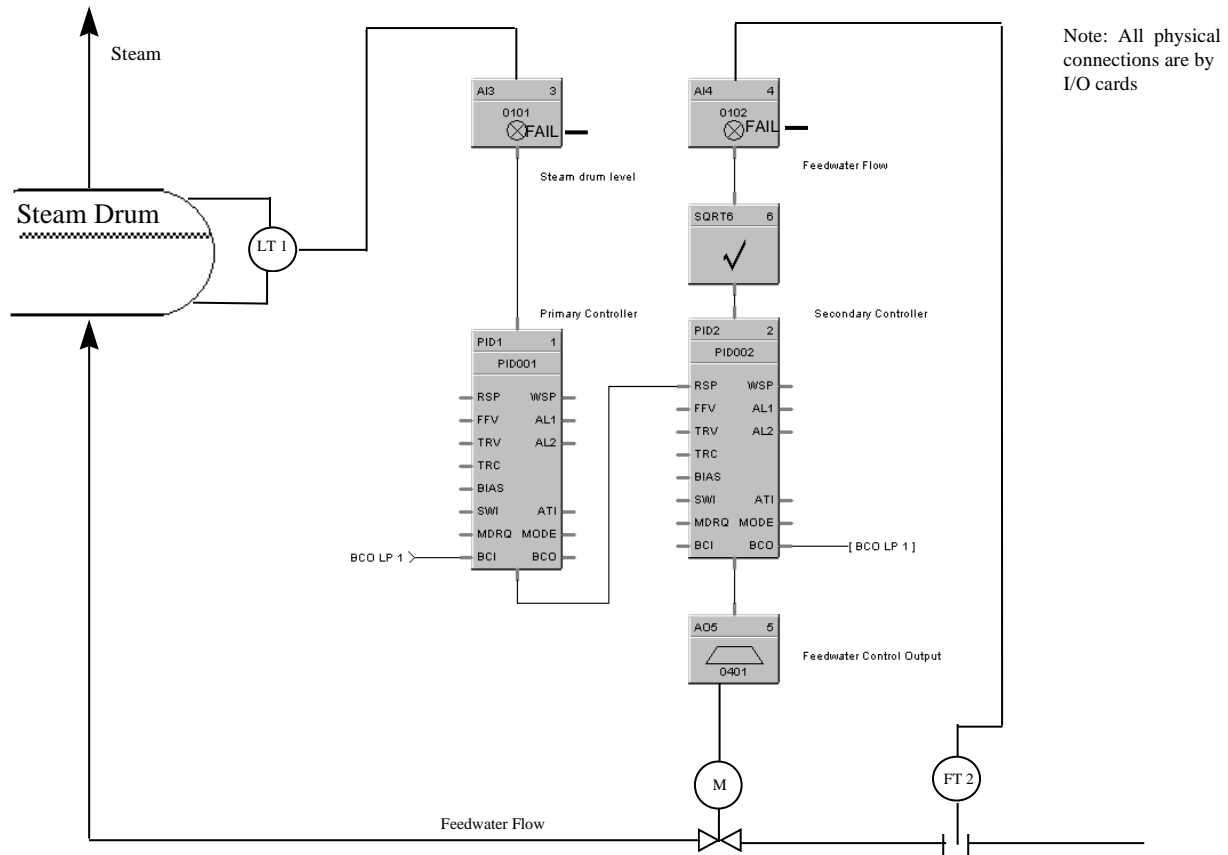
The RATIO control loop requires selection of the remote SP of the PID for ratio control. The Ratio and Bias values are available for adjustment from the Control Setup screen of the Operator Interface. The Bias may be a local value or come from an external source such as an O2 analyzer trim arrangement. You may elect to use % for the ratioed inputs (typically for boiler applications) or Eng. Units (EU) (for feed flows to a reactor, for example).

$$\text{Air (controlled variable)} = \text{Ratio} \times \text{Fuel (RSP, or wild variable)} + \text{BIAS}$$



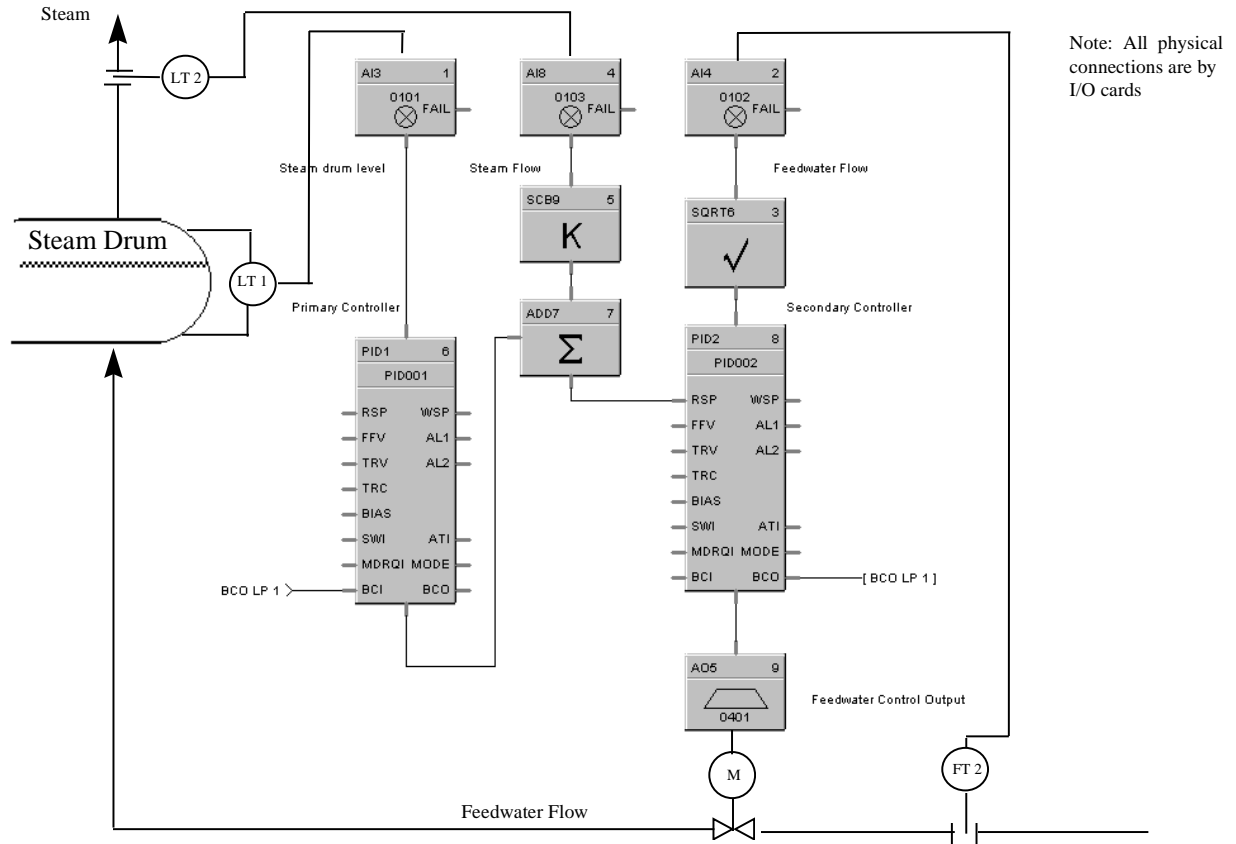
**Figure 61 Ratio control example**

**Example 5 - Cascade control of a boiler drum level - basic**



**Figure 62 Cascade control of a boiler drum level - basic**

**Example 6 - Cascade control of a boiler drum level - 3 element feedwater control**



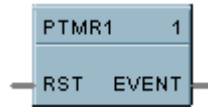
**Figure 63 Cascade control of a boiler drum level - 3 element feedwater control**



## PT Function Block

### Description

The **PT** label stands for **Periodic Timer**. This block is part of the *Counters/Timers* category. It looks like this graphically on the Control Builder.



### Function (1 or 2)

4. *Time/Cycle*: Generates a discrete output pulse at a specified start time based on the real-time clock and at specified time periods thereafter.

Start Times = Month, Day, Hour, Minute, Second

Cycle Periods = Monthly, Weekly, Daily

Time Cycle Periods Within a Day = Hours (0-23) Minutes (0-59) Seconds (0-59)

NOTE: Once started, period repeats until reset.

5. *Reset Cycle*: Generates a digital output based on a digital input and at regular intervals thereafter.

Time Start = ON to OFF transition of reset input.

Cycle Time Period = Hours (0-23) Minutes (0-59) Seconds (0-59)

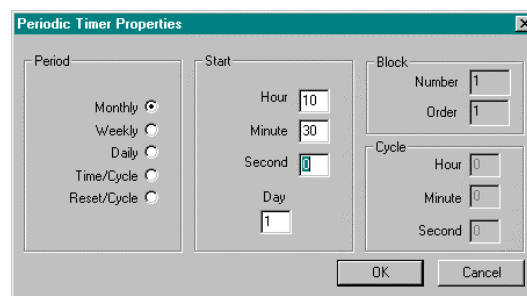
### Input

**RST** = Reset/Enable (ON = Output disable, OFF = Output enable)

### Output

**OUT** = Logic State. Output turns ON for one scan cycle when elapsed time matches setpoint time (One-shot)

### Block properties



Double click on the function block to access the function block properties dialog box.

### Block Order (Read Only)

You can change the assigned execution order number by selecting "Execution Order" in the "Configure" menu and arrange the order to suit your control strategy.

### Configuration parameters

You must configure the PT function block parameters to the desired value or selection that matches your operating requirements. Table 59 describes the parameters and the value or selection.

**Table 59 PT function block configuration parameters**

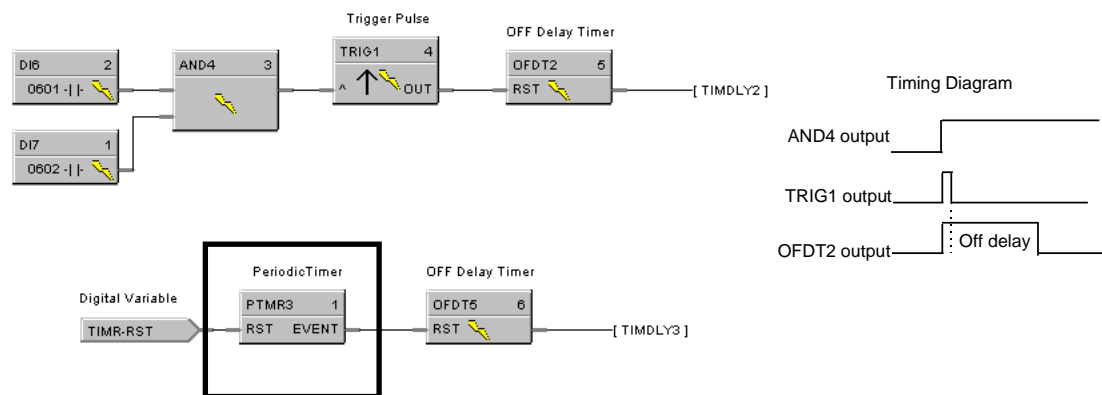
Properties Group	Parameter	Index #	Parameter Description	Value or Selection
<b>Block</b>	<b>Block Order</b>	N/A		Read Only. See "Configure" Menu, "Execution Order" to change.
<b>Period</b>	<b>Monthly</b>	N/A	Output turns ON once a month for one scan cycle. If the current month's last day is less than 31 it will turn ON on the last day of the month.  Reset/Enable: ON = Hold off output OFF = Run	Enter <b>START - Day</b> (Days >31 = 31), <b>Hour, Minute, Seconds</b>
	<b>Weekly</b>	N/A	Output turns ON once a week for one scan cycle.  Reset/Enable: ON = Hold off output OFF = Run	Enter at <b>START - Day</b> (Monday through Sunday), <b>Hour, Minute, Seconds</b>
	<b>Daily</b>	N/A	Output turns ON once a day for one scan cycle.  Reset/Enable: ON = Hold off output OFF = Run	Enter at <b>START - Hour, Minute, Seconds</b>
	<b>Time/Cycle</b>	N/A	Timer starts at a specific time of day then output pulses on/off on a time interval. Once started, start time is ignored until reset.  Reset Input: ON = stops cycle and holds off start OFF = enables start time	Enter at <b>START - Hour, Minute, Seconds</b>  Enter at <b>CYCLE - Hour, Minute, Second</b>
	<b>Reset/Cycle</b>	N/A	Timer starts on an ON (1) to OFF (0) transition of the reset input, then output pulses on/off on a time interval. Once started, the cycle continues until the reset turns on.  Reset Input: ON = stops cycle and holds off start OFF = Output turns ON for one scan cycle at ON to OFF transition and cycle begins.	Enter at <b>CYCLE - Hour, Minute, Second</b>

Properties Group	Parameter	Index #	Parameter Description	Value or Selection
<b>Start</b>	<b>Hour</b>	N/A	Start Hour	0 through 23
	<b>Minute</b>	N/A	Start Minute	0 through 59
	<b>Second</b>	N/A	Start Second	0 through 59
	<b>Day</b>	N/A	Start Day	<b>Monthly</b> - 1 - 31 (Days >31 = 31) If the current month's last day is less than 31 it will turn ON on the last day of the month. <b>Weekly</b> -Monday through Sunday
<b>Cycle</b>	<b>Hour</b>	N/A	Cycle Hour	0 through 23
	<b>Minute</b>	N/A	Cycle Minutes	0 through 59
	<b>Second</b>	N/A	Cycle Seconds	0 through 59

### Example

Figure 64 shows a Function Block Diagram using a PT function block.

An OFF delay timer block output is ON as long as the RST input is logic HI (ON). It can be used for time duration but must be triggered by an ON to OFF transition on the Reset input. This can be accomplished using Trigger blocks (TRIG) to create one-shot pulses which last one scan cycle. The fast logic trigger pulse will last 100 ms. while the normal logic trigger pulse will last the complete scan cycle for analog blocks. Use according to application need. A **Periodic Timer (PT)** output pulse may also be used to start the timer for the OFF delay for time duration.

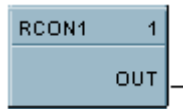


**Figure 64 PT function block example**

## RCON Function Block

### Description

The **RCON** label stands for **Read Constant Parameter Data**. This block is part of the *Auxiliary* category. It looks like this graphically on the Control Builder.



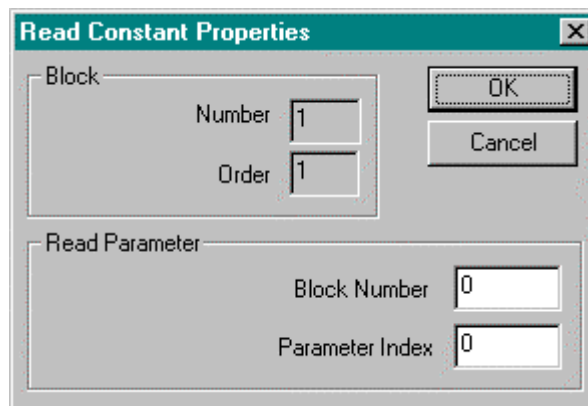
### Function

Reads the numerical value of selected configuration parameter in a given function block. *Select the index number of the required parameter from the specific function block reference data and enter it in the appropriate field in the “Read Constant Properties” dialog box.*

### Output

OUT = Analog value of parameter

### Block properties



Double click on the function block to access the function block properties dialog box.

#### Block Order (Read Only)

You can change the assigned execution order number by selecting “Execution Order” in the “Configure” menu and arrange the order to suit your control strategy.

### Configuration parameters

You must configure the RCON function Block parameters to the desired value or selection that matches your operating requirements. Table 60 describes the parameters and the value or selection.

**Table 60 Read constant configuration data**

Properties Group	Parameter	Index #	Parameter Description	Value or Selection
Read Parameters	Block Number	N/A	Number of control block that contains desired configuration parameter	1 to 250
	Parameter Index	N/A	Index number of configuration parameter to be read.	Select the index number of the required parameter from the specific function block reference data

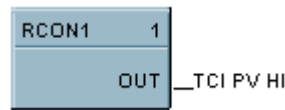


**TIP**

The main purpose of this control block is to make a block configuration parameter (constant) available for display. To do this, you must enter the corresponding parameter index number for the selected configuration parameter. **Select the index number of the required parameter from the specific function block reference data and enter it in the appropriate field in the “Read Constant Properties” dialog box.**

**RCON Example**

Figure 65 shows a Function Block Diagram using the RCON function block.



**ATTENTION**

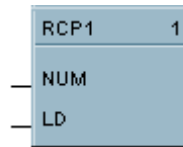
The process variable High Range Value for a PID block (Index #4) may be displayed at the Operator Panel with the Analog Signal Tag name TC1 PV HI, and/or the process variable may be used as an input to another control block.

**Figure 65 RCON function block example**

## RCP Function Block

### Description

The **RCP** label stands for **Recipe Selector**. This block is part of the *Setpoint Program* category. It looks like this graphically on the Control Builder.



### Function

Used to initiate loading of recipe values into a chosen set of controller variables. Inputs include recipe number and load command. Loads numbered RECIPE (NUM) when digital signal (LD) is ON into the various blocks of the controller.

- If LD = OFF to ON, then: **Recipe numbered (NUM) is loaded in place of the current set of variable values.**

### Input

**NUM** = Recipe number (1-50).

**LD** = Load recipe - OFF to ON will load the recipe.



#### TIP

The recipe is loaded at the time of block execution. If using multiple RECIPE blocks, they may counteract. Also, use the lowest execution numbers.

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### Block properties

Double click on the function block to access the function block properties dialog box.

#### Block Order (Read Only)

You can change the assigned execution order number by selecting “Execution Order” in the “Configure” menu and arrange the order to suit your control strategy.



#### ATTENTION

The recipe is loaded while the LD signal is on. It is not a one time load, it is a continuous load while the LD signal is on.

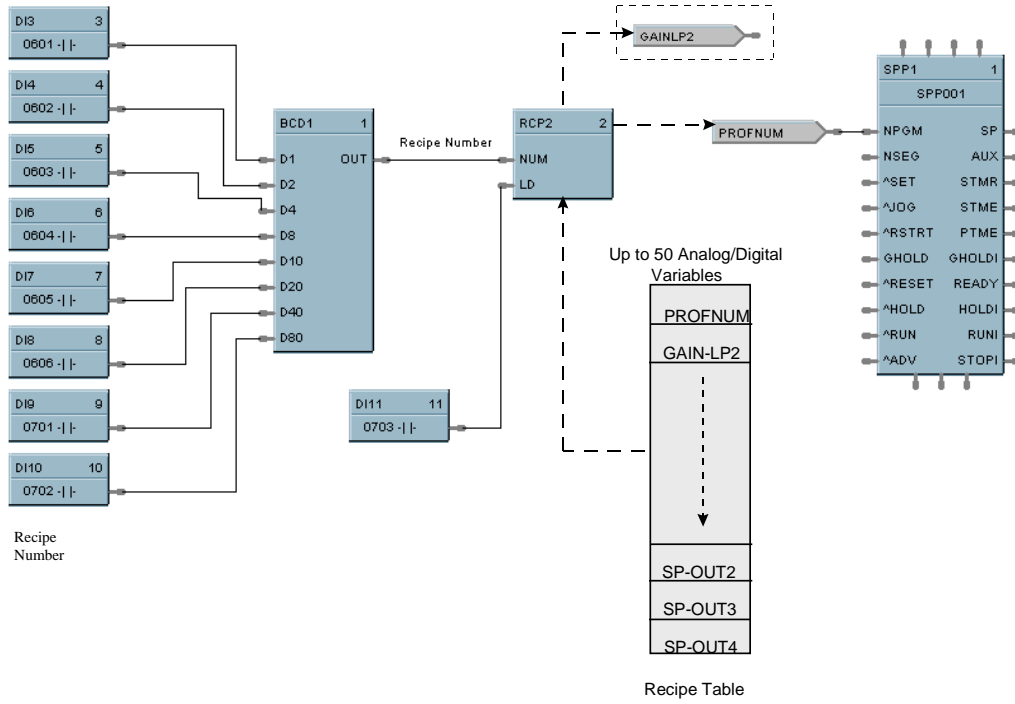
If the OI operator attempts to change a variable value (done by means of the Variable Edit display on the OI), the operator's changes will immediately be overwritten by the loading recipe since it also contains the variable.

To correct this problem, configure a one-shot trigger signal between LD and its signal. This will cause LD to go on for one scan cycle instead of staying on.

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**Example**

Figure 66 shows a Function Block Diagram using an RCP function block. The BCD block selects a recipe number and the RCP block loads the recipe in place of the current set of recipe variables.

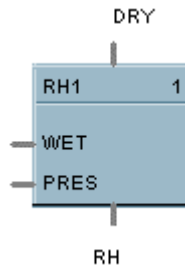


**Figure 66 RCP function block example**

## RH Function Block

### Description

The **RH** label stands for **Relative Humidity**. This block is part of the *Calculations* category. It looks like this graphically on the Control Builder.



### Function

Calculates RH as a function of wet bulb temperature, dry bulb temperature and atmospheric pressure.  
0-100 % RH is output as a floating point number between 0 and 100.

### Input

**DRY** = Dry Bulb Temperature (°F, metric = °C)

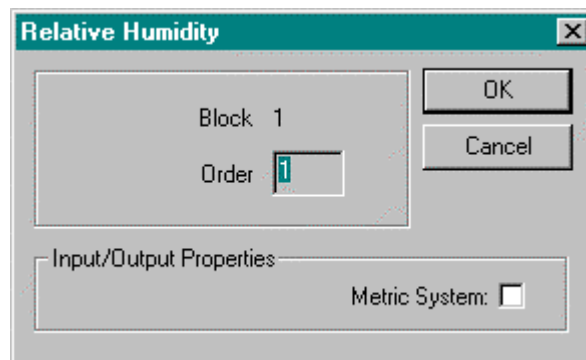
**WET** = Wet Bulb Temperature (°F, metric = °C)

**PRES** = Atmospheric Pressure (psi, metric = Pa)

### Output

**RH** = Relative Humidity (0-100)

### Block properties



Double click on the function block to access the function block properties dialog box.

### Block Order (Read Only)

You can change the assigned execution order number by selecting “Execution Order” in the “Configure” menu and arrange the order to suit your control strategy.



**Metric system**

Click on this box to select Metric Units. Table 61 lists the units for the inputs and outputs.

**Table 61 Metric units**

Metric	ON	OFF
DRY	°C	°F
WET	°C	°F
PRES	Pa	PSI



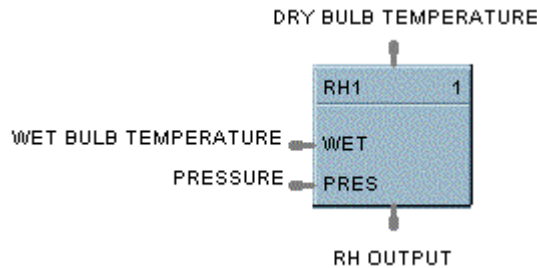
**TIP**

It is physically impossible for the wet bulb to be warmer than the dry bulb. If this appears to be the case, it implies a problem with the sensors, and will result in a RH greater than 100 %. Downstream blocks should detect that situation and react promptly.

**Example**

Figure 67 shows an RH function block example.

A setup parameter allows inputs to be in Degrees F or Degrees C. When Degrees F is selected, pressure is assumed to be in PSIA. When Degrees C is selected, pressure is assumed to be in Pa. (101325 Pa = 1 std. Atmosphere.

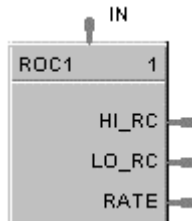


**Figure 67 RH function block example**

## ROC Function Block

### Description

The **ROC** label stands for **Rate of Change**. This block is part of the Auxiliary category. It looks like this graphically on the Control Builder.



### Function

Provides:

- an analog output representing units per minute change of the analog input.
- compare setpoints for high and low rate of change.
- compare selections for increasing, decreasing or both directions of change.
- a logic 1(ON) output when input rate exceeds high rate setpoint
- a logic 1(ON) output when input rate is less than the low rate setpoint.

### Inputs

**IN** = Analog Input

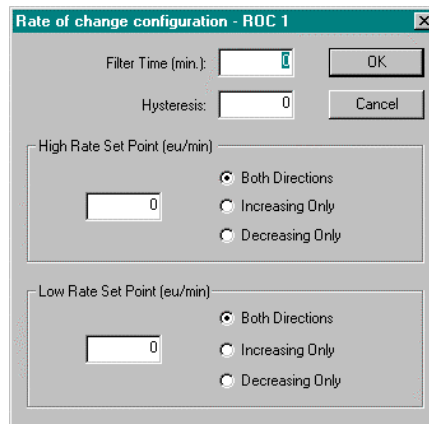
### Outputs

**HI\_RC** = ON if input rate exceeds High Rate setpoint

**LO\_RC** = ON if input rate is less than the Low Rate setpoint

**RATE** = Analog Output representing Engineering Units per minute of change of the Analog Input

## Block properties



Double click on the function block to access the function block properties dialog box.

### Block Order (Read Only)

You can change the assigned execution order number by selecting “Execution Order” in the “Configure” menu and arrange the order to suit your control strategy.

## Configuration parameters

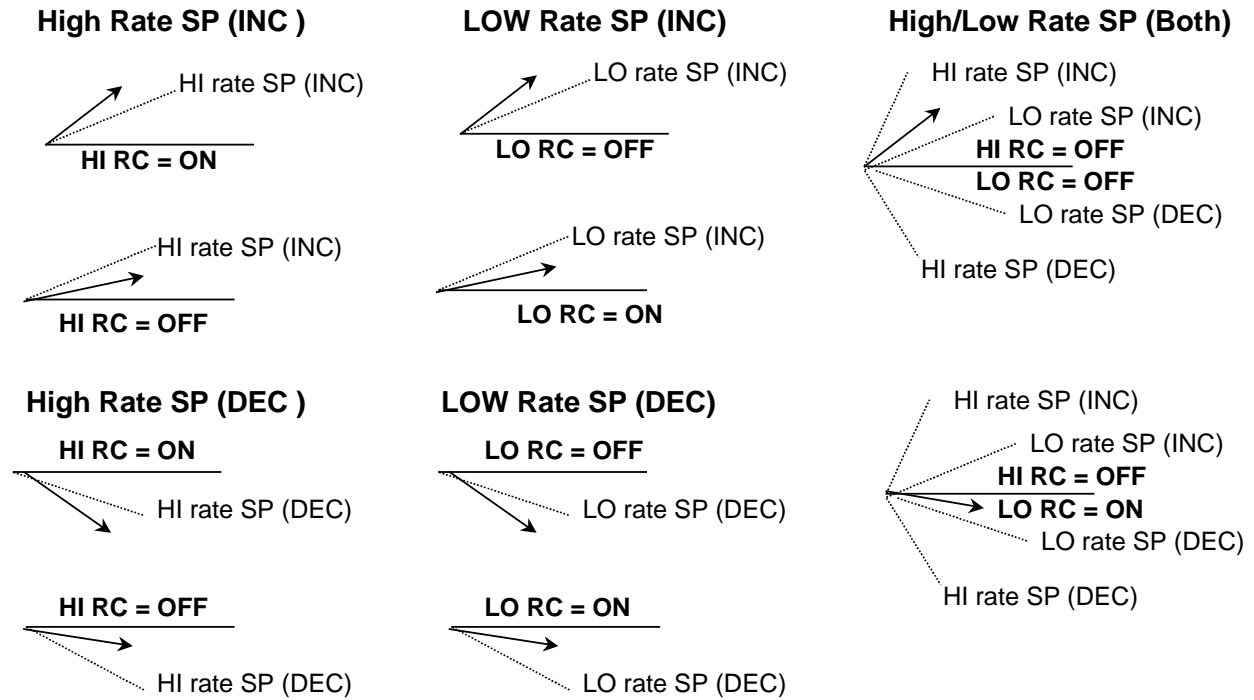
You must configure the ROC function Block parameters to the desired value or selection that matches your operating requirements. Table 62 describes the parameters and the value or selection.

**Table 62 ROC configuration parameters**

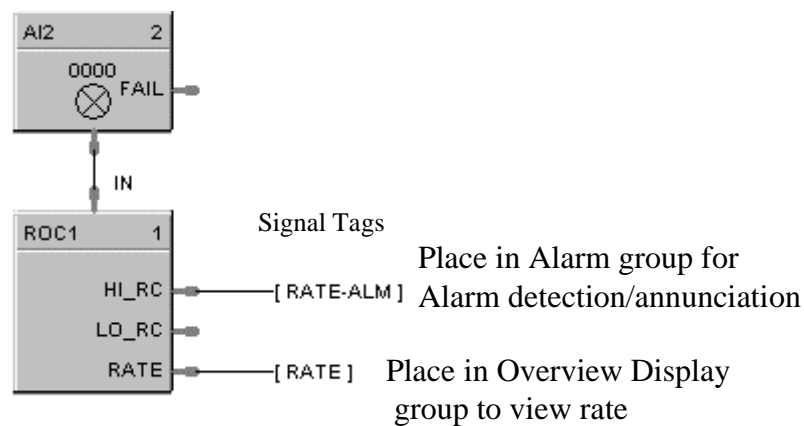
Properties Group	Parameter	Index #	Parameter Description	Value or Selection
<b>Filter Time Constant</b>		0	Filter Time Constant	0.0 to 3.0 minutes
<b>Setpoint Limits</b>	<b>High Rate</b>	1	High Rate of Change setpoint	0 (off) to 99999.9 eu/min
	<b>Low Rate</b>	2	Low Rate of Change setpoint	0 (off) to 99999.9 eu/min
<b>Direction Rate High</b>		3	High Rate Direction <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Both</li> <li>• Increasing only</li> <li>• Decreasing only</li> </ul>	Click on radio button to select
<b>Direction Rate Low</b>		4	Low Rate Direction <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Both</li> <li>• Increasing only</li> <li>• Decreasing only</li> </ul>	Click on radio button to select
<b>Hysteresis</b>		5	Hysteresis	0-999

**Example**

Figure 68 illustrates various responses for the Rate Of Change Function Block. You can also use the ROC block to alarm if Rate exceeds the Preset Setpoint Limit.



**Figure 68 ROC function block responses**

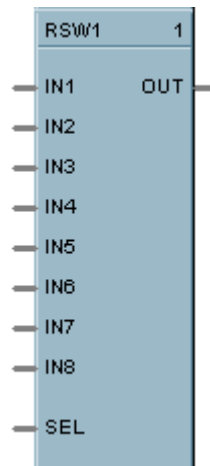


**Figure 69 ROC function block example**

## RSW Function Block

### Description

The **RSW** label stands for **Rotary Switch**. This block is part of the *Signal Selectors* category. It looks like this graphically on the Control Builder.



### Function

The single output value is selected from up to 8 analog inputs by a number of from 1 to 8.



#### ATTENTION

Numbers less than one select input one as the output. Numbers greater than eight select Input 8 as the output.

### Input

**IN1** = Input 1  
**IN2** = Input 2  
**IN3** = Input 3  
**IN4** = Input 4  
**IN5** = Input 5  
**IN6** = Input 6  
**IN7** = Input 7  
**IN8** = Input 8  
**SEL** = Selects Input # to Output

### Output

**OUT** = Output Value

### Block properties

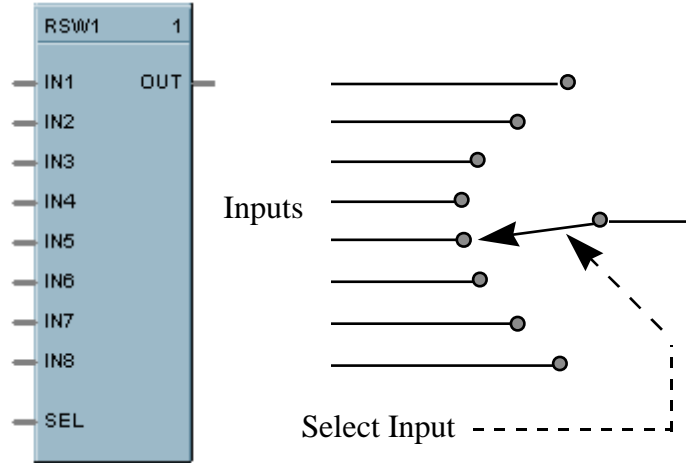
Double click on the function block to access the function block properties dialog box.

#### Block Order (Read Only)

You can change the assigned execution order number by selecting “Execution Order” in the “Configure” menu and arrange the order to suit your control strategy.

**Example**

Figure 70 shows how a RSW function block works. It selects an output value from up to 8 analog values or number inputs.

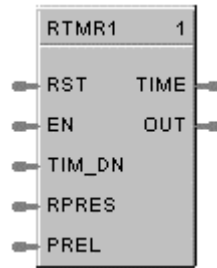


**Figure 70 RSW function block example**

## RTMR Function Block

### Description

The **RTMR** label stands for **Resettable Timer**. This block is part of the *Counters/Timers* category. It looks like this graphically on the Control Builder.



### Function

The Resettable Timer block has the following attributes:

- Provides increasing or decreasing timing base on an enable input.
- Increasing time from 0 or preload value.
- Decreasing time from preset or preload value.
- Increasing time provides digital output upon reaching Preset
- Decreasing time provides digital output upon reaching zero
- Reset input sets increasing timer to zero.
- Reset input sets decreasing timer to preset value.
- Preset value may be internal, or remote via a dedicated input
- Inc./Dec. selection is via digital input.

### Inputs

**RST** = Off to On transition, Reset

**EN** = ENABLE ON = run; timer is counting  
OFF = Timer is stopped; output (TIMER) held at last value

**TIM\_DN** = ON (time down); OFF (time up)

**RPRES** = Remote Preset (0.0 – 99999.9)  
If *Time-up*, RPREs represents **Stop** value in seconds  
If *Time-down*, RPREs represents **Start** value in seconds

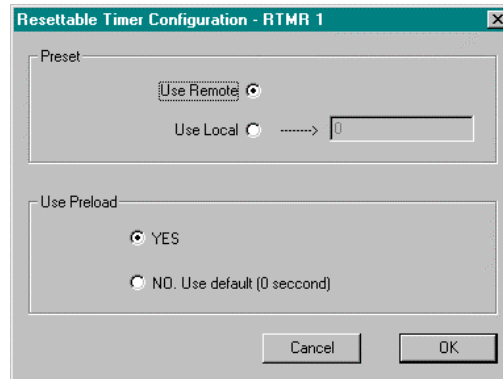
**PREL** = Preload (0.0 – 99999.9)  
If *Time-up*, PREL represents **Start** value in seconds  
If *Time-down*, PREL represents **Start** value in seconds

## Outputs

**TIME** = current value of time in seconds

**OUT** = Output (Digital) turned ON when Preset value is reached or time reaches 0, depending on TIMDN input status

## Block properties



Double click on the function block to access the function block properties dialog box.

### Block Order (Read Only)

You can change the assigned execution order number by selecting “Execution Order” in the “Configure” menu and arrange the order to suit your control strategy.

## Configuration parameters

You must configure the RTMR function Block parameters to the desired value or selection that matches your operating requirements. Table 63 describes the parameters and the value or selection.

**Table 63 RTMR configuration parameters**

Properties Group	Parameter	Index #	Parameter Description	Value or Selection
<b>Presets</b>	<b>Local Preset</b>	0	Local Preset	Click Radio Button to select Enter a value in the field 1 to 99999
<b>Remote Preset</b>		1	ON = use remote preset	Click on radio button to select
<b>Use Preload</b>		2	YES = use external preload rather than zero for starting or stopping NO = Use default (0 second)	Click on radio button to select



### Timing diagram

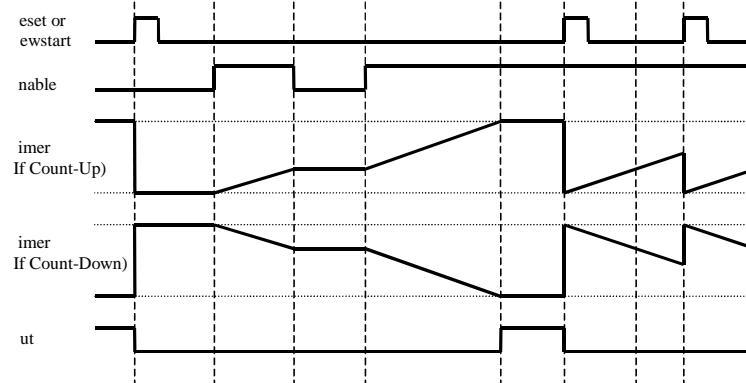
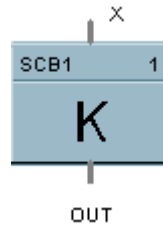


Figure 71 Timing diagram for resettable timer

## SCB Function Block

### Description

The **SCB** label stands for **Scale and Bias**. This block is part of the *Math* category. It looks like this graphically on the Control Builder.



### Function

Multiplies an analog input value (X) by a scaling constant (K) and adds Bias to it.

- $OUT = (K * X) + BIAS$

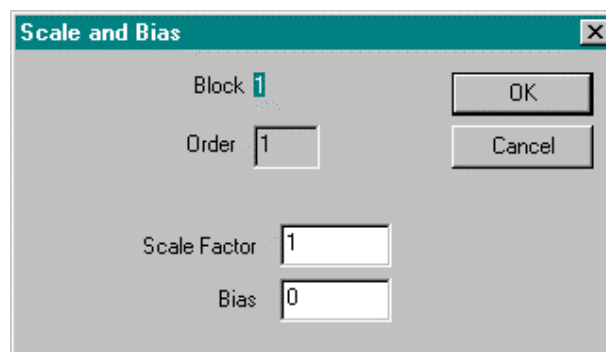
### Input

X = Analog Value

### Output

OUT = Modified Analog Value

### Block properties



Double click on the function block to access the function block properties dialog box.

### Block Order (Read Only)

You can change the assigned execution order number by selecting "Execution Order" in the "Configure" menu and arrange the order to suit your control strategy.

### Configuration parameters

You must configure the SCB function Block parameters to the desired value or selection that matches your operating requirements. Table 64 describes the parameters and the value or selection.

**Table 64 SCB configuration parameters**

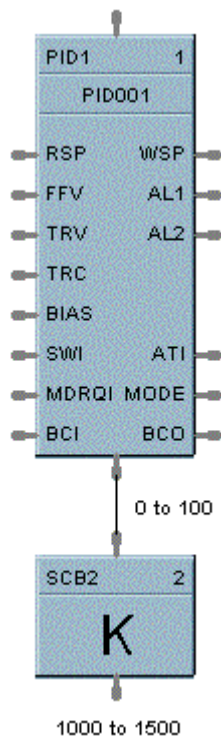
Properties Group	Parameter	Index #	Parameter Description	Value or Selection
	<b>Scale Factor</b>	0	K - Multiplier (scaling) constant	-99999 to 99999
	<b>Bias</b>	1	Bias Constant - is used to compensate the input for drift of an input value due to deterioration of a sensor, or constant offset to an input.	-99999 to 99999

**Example**

Figure 72 shows function block diagrams using a SCB function block.

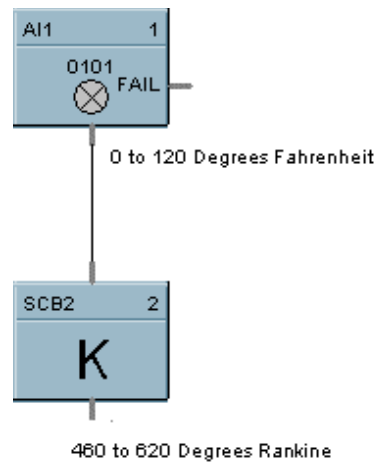
**Example 1**

*Scale Factor = 5*  
*Bias = 1000*



**Example 2**

*Scale Factor = 1*  
*Bias = 460*

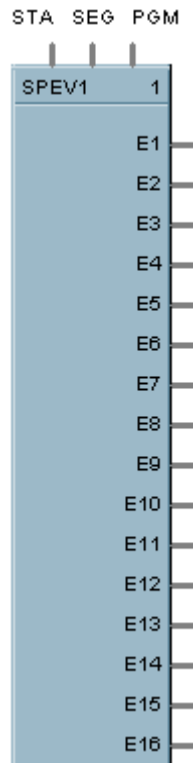


**Figure 72 SCB function block examples**

## SPEV Function Block

### Description

The **SPEV** label stands for **Setpoint Programming Events**. This block is part of the *Setpoint Program* category. It looks like this graphically on the Control Builder.



### Function

Sets up to sixteen digital event outputs that may be ON or OFF on a per segment basis. Inputs include program number, segment number, and program state (READY, RUN, HOLD, GHOLD, STOP) from setpoint program block.

- If Program Number (PGM) = 0, Segment Number (SEG) = 0, or Program State (STA) is RESET; then: **E1 to E16 = OFF**.
- Otherwise, **E1 to E16** = as specified in program (PGM), segment (SEG).

### Inputs

**PGM** = Profile number (1 to 70).  
**SEG** = Segment number (1 to 50).  
**STA** = Program State (Ready, Run, Hold, Ghold, Stop).



#### ATTENTION

SPEV inputs must be connected directly to corresponding outputs of SPP (Setpoint Program) or SPS (Setpoint Scheduler) block.

In Stop state, events stay in the state defined in the last segment.

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## Outputs

- E1** = Digital signal - segment event 1
- E2** = Digital signal - segment event 2
- E3** = Digital signal - segment event 3
- E4** = Digital signal - segment event 4
- E5** = Digital signal - segment event 5
- E6** = Digital signal - segment event 6
- E7** = Digital signal - segment event 7
- E8** = Digital signal - segment event 8
- E9** = Digital signal - segment event 9
- E10** = Digital signal - segment event 10
- E11** = Digital signal - segment event 11
- E12** = Digital signal - segment event 12
- E13** = Digital signal - segment event 13
- E14** = Digital signal - segment event 14
- E15** = Digital signal - segment event 15
- E16** = Digital signal - segment event 16

## Block properties

Double click on the function block to access the function block properties dialog box.

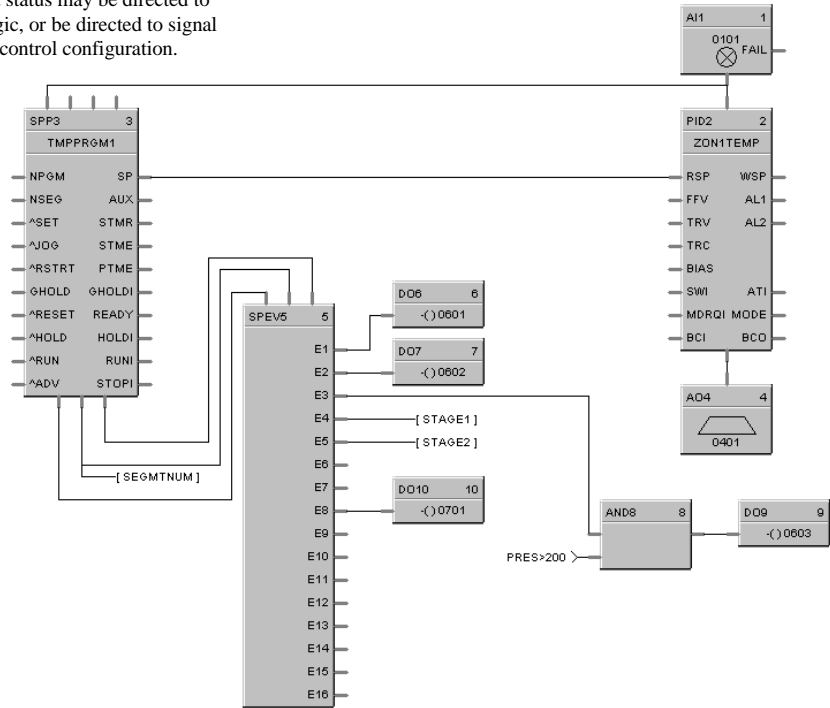
### **Block Order (Read Only)**

You can change the assigned execution order number by selecting “Execution Order” in the “Configure” menu and arrange the order to suit your control strategy.

**Example**

Figure 73 shows a function block diagram using a SPEV function block to provide event outputs for a setpoint programmer.

The SP programmer event output status may be directed to digital outputs, part of control logic, or be directed to signal tags for use anywhere within the control configuration.

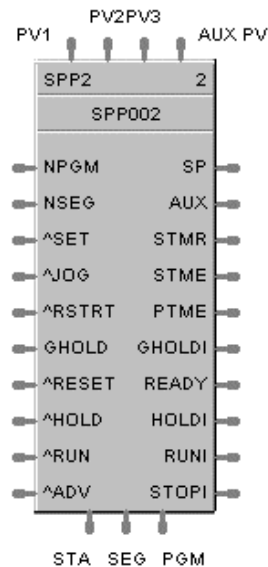


**Figure 73 SPEV function block example**

## SPP Function Block

### Description

The **SPP** label stands for **Setpoint Programmer**. This block is part of the *Setpoint Program* category. It looks like this graphically on the Control Builder.



### Function

Runs a setpoint ramp/soak program that produces a setpoint output on a time-based profile that is loaded into the block. Up to 4 SPP blocks may be included in a system configuration. A single profile may be from 2 to 50 segments in length. Up to 70 profiles are stored in the controller's memory. Each segment of the profile may be a ramp or soak except the last segment must be a soak.

In addition to the main ramp and soak output value, a second (AUX) analog value is available for each step of the program. This output is a fixed soak value that may be used to provide a setpoint value for a secondary control loop in the process. [For example, see *Example 4 - Using the setpoint programmer AUX output* (page 235).]

A Setpoint guarantee function is provided that holds the program if a process variable exceeds a predefined deviation from setpoint. Selections allow setpoint guarantee to be active for the entire program, for soak segments only, or for user specified segments, or for no segments. [For example, see *Example 1 - PID with setpoint programmer and guaranteed soak* (page 232).]

Up to 3 Process Variables may be configured as inputs to the block for setpoint guarantee.

### Input

- PV1** = Process Variable #1 value in engineering units, for deviation check.
- PV2** = Process Variable #2 value in engineering units, for deviation check.
- PV3** = Process Variable #3 value in engineering units, for deviation check.
- Aux PV** = Aux PV for Aux PV Display.
- NPGM** = New profile number (1 to 70). *See ATTENTION.*

- NSEG** = New start segment number (1 to 99). When connected, it is used in conjunction with the SET input of the block to set the current segment of the profile to the value of NSEG. *See ATTENTION.*
- ^SET** = Pulse input to load NPGM and NSEG numbers.
- ^JOG** = Pulse input to Jog to a predefined segment.
- RSTRT** = Pulse input for restart action after power interruption [For example, see *Example 5 - Controlled Restart after Power Loss (page 236).*]
- GHOLD** = Guaranteed soak hold - changes program state from RUN to GHOLD when turned ON and GHOLD to run when OFF.
- ^RESET** = Pulse input RESETS program, when turned ON.\*
- ^HOLD** = Pulse input puts program in HOLD, when turned ON. Run needed to restart.
- ^RUN** = Pulse input puts program in RUN, when turned ON; except when program is in GHOLD state.
- ^ADV** = Pulse Input for advance of segment.

*\*For example, see Example 3 - Alternate methods for actuating SP programmer START/HOLD/RESET functions (page 234).*



#### **ATTENTION**

When connected to variables, it is not necessary to pulse input on SET to accomplish the program or segment load function. In this case, changes to the value of the variables will be automatically detected by the block.

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If either or both NPGM and NSEG are connected directly to analog variables and that analog variable should change (for example: via a recipe load), then the Setpoint Programmer block will immediately use the new value internally.

If NPGM or NSEG is connected to any other function type then their values are loaded into the SP Programmer only when ^SET goes through a positive transition.

#### **Output**

- SP** = Programmed setpoint value in engineering units
- AUX** = Second non-ramping auxiliary setpoint output in engineering units. [For example, see *Example 4 - Using the setpoint programmer AUX output (page 235).*]
- STMR** = Time Remaining in current segment - in minutes.
- STME** = Time Elapsed in current segment - in minutes.
- PTME** = Time Elapsed in program - in minutes
- GHOLDI** = Guaranteed soak hold indication - turns on if PV is outside guaranteed soak band and Guaranteed Soak is enabled.
- READY** = Program Reset state indication
- HOLDI** = Program Hold state indication
- RUNI** = Program Run state indication
- STOPI** = Program Stop indication (Program Complete)



- PGM** = Current Profile Number (1 to 70) - connect to PGM input on SPEV block.
- SEG** = Current Segment Number (1 to 50) - connect to SEG input on SPEV block.
- STA** = Current program state (RESET, HOLD, RUN, GHOLD, STOP). Connected to STA input of the SPEV block



#### ATTENTION

The program states are:

- 0 = Until block is first executed after power up
- 1 = Reset
- 2 = Hold
- 3 = Run
- 4 = GHold
- 5 = Stop



#### TIP

- If the first step of a profile is a ramp, the program will start the ramp from the value of PV Input 1. If the first step of a profile is a soak, the program will start from the soak value. If consistent starting values are required, begin all profiles with a soak.
- The PV inputs are used to determine PV–SP deviation for guaranteed soak segments.
- Valid program numbers begin with 1. Valid segment numbers begin with 1.
- The GHOLD output is not affected by the status of the GHOLD input.
- The RST, HLD, RUN, JOG, ADV, SET, RESTART inputs are activated only when the respective input changes from OFF to ON. A maintained ON input has no different affect than a pulsed ON input (that is, it has no effect until it turns OFF and then back ON again).
- The program may be changed (with some exceptions) from the current state to a new state by the operator as well as by inputs to the SPP block. Table 65 lists the resulting states.
- Concerning changing program state, if more than one function block input is on in the same execution cycle, RESET has priority over HOLD and RUN, and GHOLD has priority over RUN.
- Also, function block inputs will override inputs from the Operator Panel that occur during the same execution cycle. And finally, state changes from the Operator Panel are processed on the basis of the “last change wins.”
- At the beginning of a segment, STME will be 0 for one execution cycle to permit start of segment detection by other blocks.
- At the end of a segment, STMR will be 0 for one execution cycle to permit end of segment detection by other blocks.
- If RESTART is On, the block will use PV1 as a starting value and ramp at Restart Rate back to the last SP value, then complete the remaining portion of the segment. Restart Rate is a property of the profile (program)
- “Fastforward” (i.e. Verify) is initiated through the operator interface. It is not an input pin. Fastforward is a way to check for proper functioning of the profile’s events and outputs, without having to wait for the profile to execute at its normal speed. When FASTFORWARD is ON, the program will run at a speed 60 times faster. When FASTFORWARD is OFF, the program will run at normal speed.

**Table 65 SPP inputs and current state**

Input	Current State				
	RESET	HOLD	RUN	GHOLD	STOP
RESET	RESET	RESET	RUN	RESET	RESET
HOLD	HOLD	HOLD	HOLD	HOLD	STOP
RUN	RUN	RUN	RUN	GHOLD	STOP
GHOLD	RESET	HOLD	GHOLD	GHOLD	STOP

**Restart scenario options**

Table 66 is a list of Restart Scenario options for the Setpoint Program.

**Table 66 Restart scenario options**

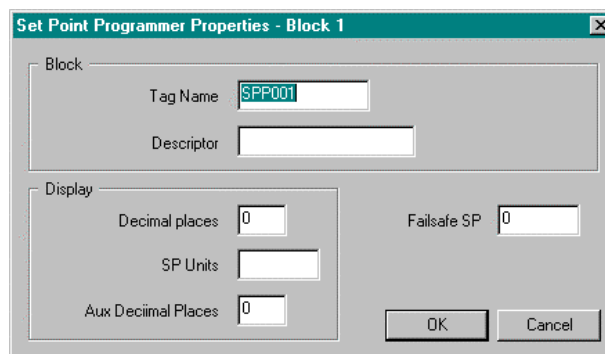
<b>1</b>	No Action taken	Program will start at the point where it was prior to power down.
<b>2</b>	Use the Restart feature of the Setpoint Programmer with a configurable Ramp Rate.	This feature will use the PV (connected to PV1) as the initial starting point for the Setpoint and will use a configurable ramp rate for the profile. When the temperature gets to the original Setpoint prior to power down, the program will continue. <b>See Figure 78, Scenario A.</b>
<b>3</b>	Use the Restart feature of the Setpoint Programmer with a configurable Ramp Rate and use a compare function so that the restart will apply only after a certain time.	You may gate this Restart input to the programmer to only apply after a certain time off and/or a certain segment if desired using Compare function blocks. <b>See Figure 78, Scenario B.</b>



**ATTENTION**

Be sure to configure the Restart Ramp Rate when a controlled restart is being configured. If not the default value of 0 will cause the programmer to freeze.

**Block properties**



Double click on the function block to access the function block properties dialog box.

**Block Order (Read Only)**

You can change the assigned execution order number by selecting “Execution Order” in the “Configure” menu and arrange the order to suit your control strategy.

**Configuration parameters**

You must configure the SPP function Block parameters to the desired value or selection that matches your operating requirements. Table 67 describes the parameters and the value or selection.

**Table 67 SPP configuration parameters**

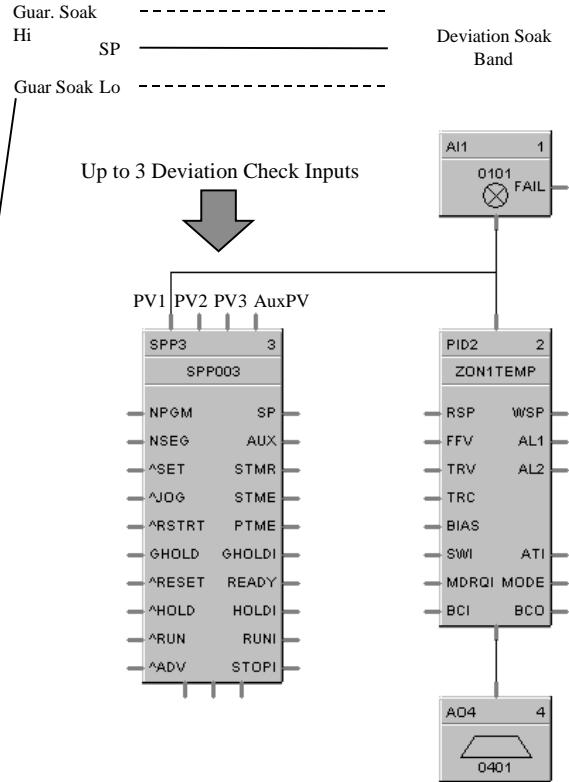
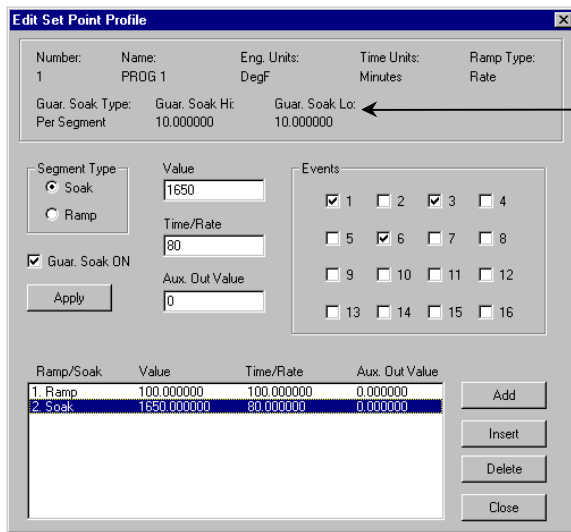
Properties Group	Parameter	Index #	Parameter Description	Value or Selection
<b>Block</b>	<b>Tag Name</b>	N/A	8 character tag name	
	<b>Descriptor</b>	N/A	Block descriptor	
<b>Display</b>	<b>Decimal Places</b>	N/A	Number of places to display after the decimal point	0-5
	<b>SP Units</b>	N/A	Engineering unit descriptor	4 Characters
	<b>Aux Decimal Places</b>	N/A	Number of places to display after the decimal point	4 Characters
<b>Failsafe SP</b>	<b>Failsafe Setpoint</b>	0	Failsafe Setpoint Value	-9999 to 9999 Engineering Units

**Example 1 - PID with setpoint programmer and guaranteed soak**

## PID with Set Point Programmer & Guaranteed Soak

Guaranteed Soak is configured as part of the SET POINT PROFILE configuration using the Control Builder Software or from the UDC 800 Operator Interface, Set Point profile EDIT /DETAIL display. This can be applied to all soaks, selected soaks or all segments.

This example uses the loop PV as the deviation check input vs. the SP output. The user has the option of using 2 more PV's for expanding the deviation check requiring all inputs to be within the band before the Hold is released.



**Figure 74 PID with setpoint programmer and guaranteed soak**

### Example 2 - PID with setpoint programmer and event outputs

The SP programmer event output status may be directed to digital outputs, part of control logic, or be directed to signal tags for use anywhere within the control configuration.

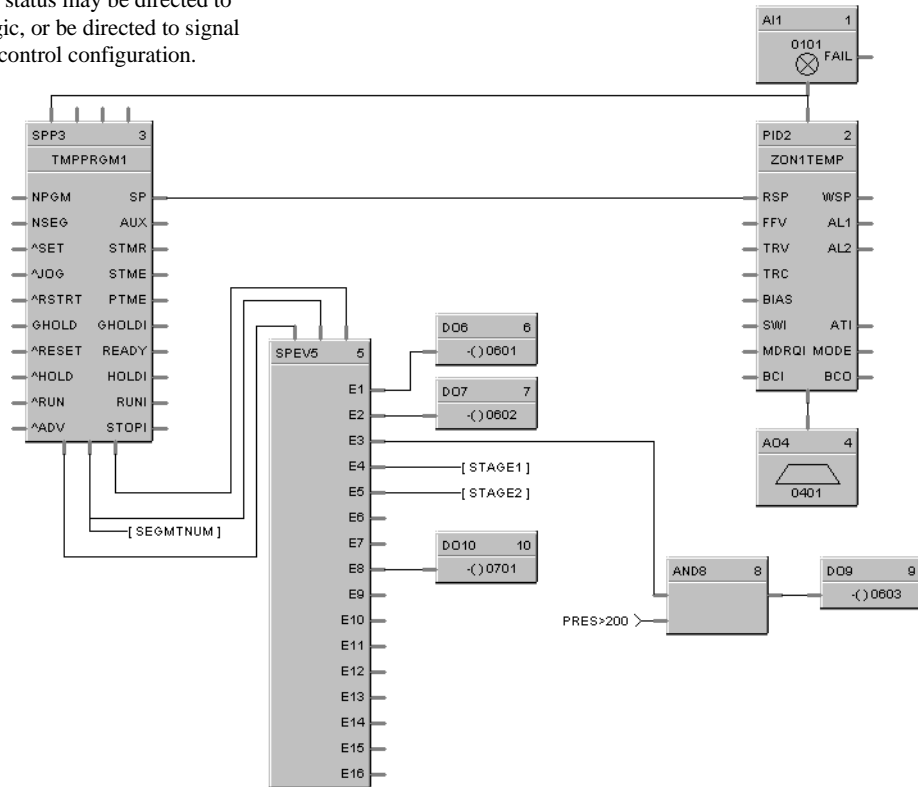


Figure 75 PID with setpoint programmer and event outputs

**Example 3 - Alternate methods for actuating SP programmer START/HOLD/RESET functions**

Two methods are shown

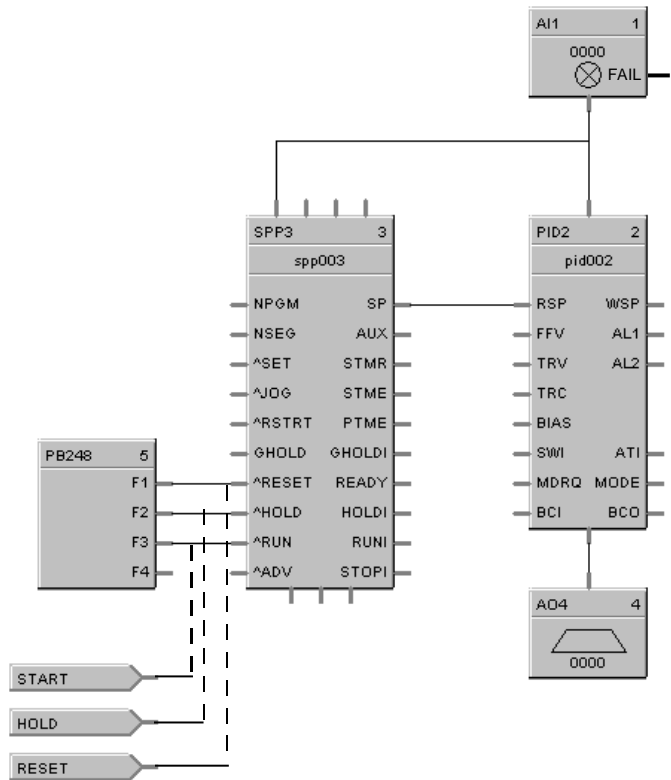
The pushbutton block will tie this function to the Pushbutton screen display. Pushbuttons will provide a one-shot output each time they are pressed.

Using the Digital variable block this function can be displayed on the OVERVIEW display.

Note: Since Digital variables are turned ON and OFF from the overview display, once turned ON they must be manually turned OFF, to be used a second time.

Note: Control Builder Software will not allow the output of two block to be tied together.

Connections are shown for DEMO only of an alternative connection.



**Figure 76 Alternate methods for actuating SP programmer START/HOLD/RESET functions**

### Example 4 - Using the setpoint programmer AUX output

The Auxiliary output of the Set Point Programmer (SPP) block can be used to drive the RSP of a secondary PID control block on a level basis. This precludes the use of another SPP block. A different (or same) set point can be configured for each programmer step. This can be used to program pressure, %C, etc. for a second control loop. Both PID loops can be shown on the same SP Programmer display. The PV for the secondary PID block is connected to the top right pin of the SPP block to allow view of the PV on the SP Programmer display.

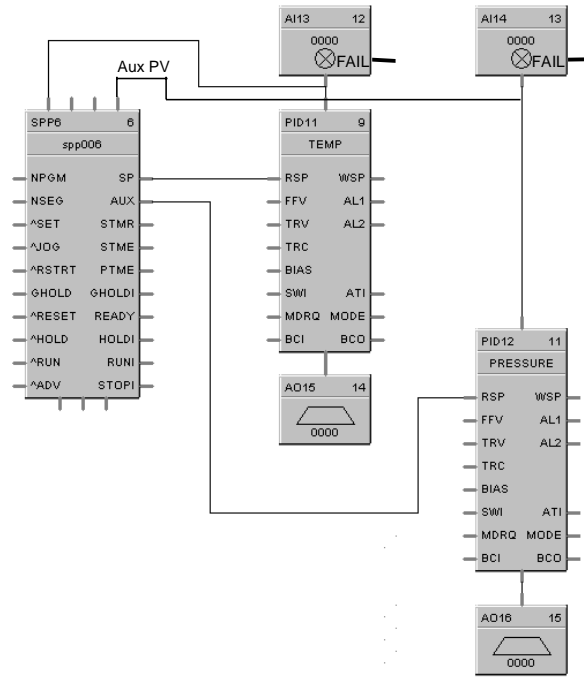
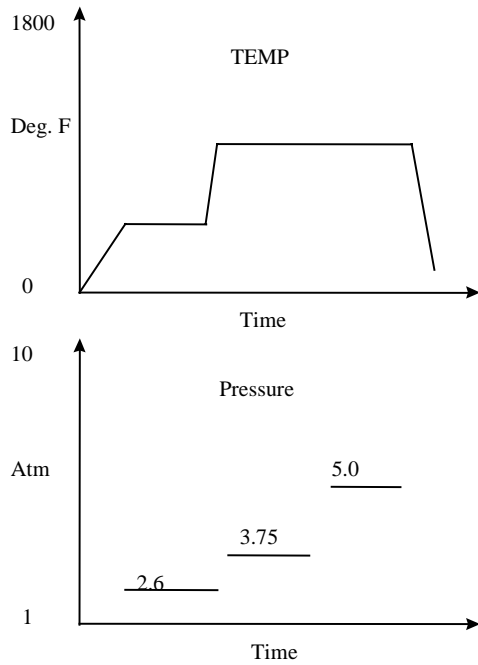


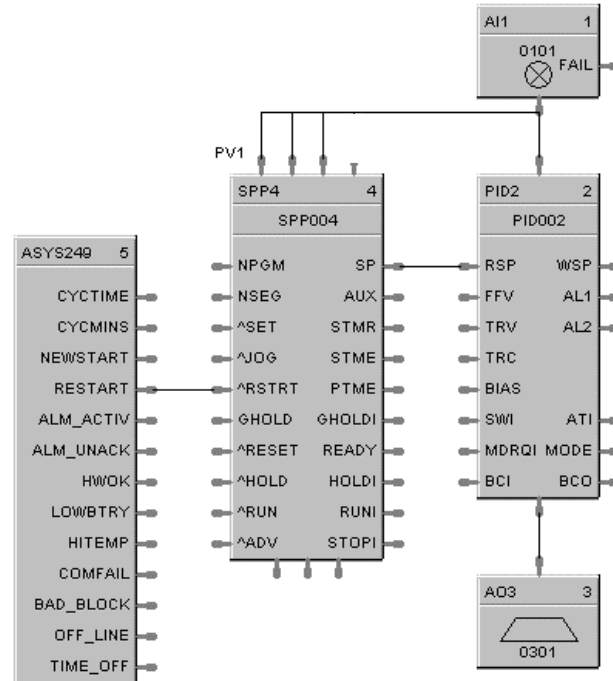
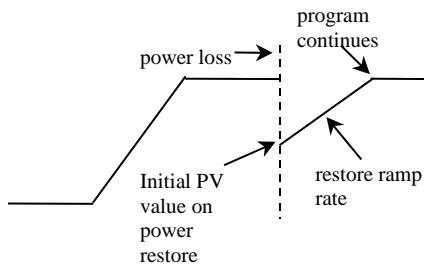
Figure 77 Using the setpoint programmer AUX output

### Example 5 - Controlled Restart after Power Loss

#### SCENARIO A

To prevent stress to the work in a furnace on power up after a power loss, you may use the Restart feature of the SP programmer. This feature will use the PV (connected to PV1) as the initial starting point for the Setpoint and will use a configurable ramp rate for the profile. When the temperature gets to the original Setpoint prior to power down, the program will continue. You may gate this Restart input to the programmer to only apply after a certain time off and/or a certain segment if desired using Compare function blocks.

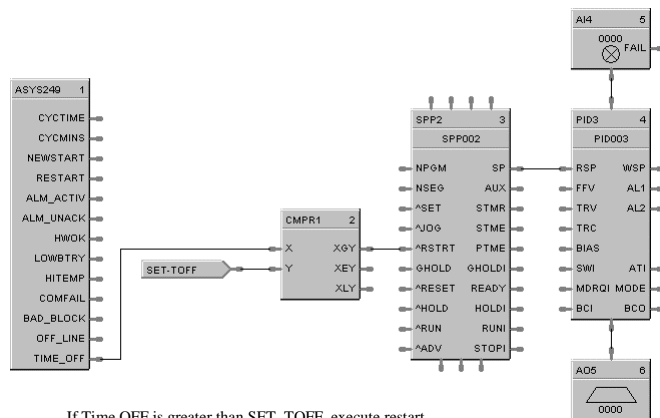
This example uses the System Monitor block to provide a restart pulse to the programmer Restart input after power restore. This will initiate the restart procedure.



#### SCENARIO B

A System Monitor block output (RESTART) is on for the first scan cycle after a power loss plus TIME\_OFF output indicates the time the power has been off. A Compare block can be used to evaluate the time off and cause an output to initiate the restart if greater than a set amount.

Time Off is in seconds.



If Time OFF is greater than SET\_TOFF, execute restart  
NOTE: Execution sequence relative to SPP block

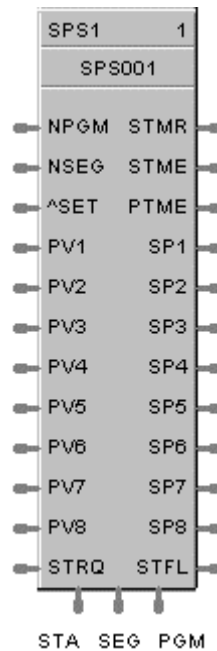
Figure 78 Controlled restart after power loss



## SPS Function Block

### Description

The SPS label stands for **Master Setpoint Scheduler**. This block is part of the *Setpoint Scheduler* category. It looks like this graphically on the Control Builder.



### Overview

The objective of the Setpoint Scheduler is to provide a sequence of multiple setpoint outputs (both analog and digital) which are referenced to a common time base. Five setpoint schedule block types will be implemented:

- Master Setpoint Scheduler Block (SPS)
- Auxiliary Setpoint Block [*SPSA Function Block (page 241)*]
- Digital Event Block [*SPEV Function Block (page 224)*]
- State Switch Block [*STSW Function Block (page 246)*]
- State Flags Block [*STFL Function Block (page 245)*]

A suite of Setpoint Scheduler blocks is comprised of one master Setpoint Block (required) and optionally, one Digital Event, one Auxiliary Setpoint, one State Switch, and/or one State Flags block.

See Figure 79 for a Setpoint Scheduler Function Block Suite.

### SPS Block Function

The Master (SPS) block supports up to 8 ramp or soak outputs operating on a common time base. It accepts one PV for each setpoint. Setpoint guarantee is provided for the master (SPS) block setpoints with a single symmetrical value for each setpoint output. You can assign a failsafe value for each setpoint.

### Inputs

- NPGM** = Program Number (when SET is ON)
- NSEG** = Starting Segment Number (when SET is ON)
- ^SET** = Pulse Input to load PGM and SEG numbers
- PV1** = 1<sup>st</sup> Process Variable
- PV2** = 2<sup>nd</sup> Process Variable
- PV3** = 3<sup>rd</sup> Process Variable
- PV4** = 4<sup>th</sup> Process Variable
- PV5** = 5<sup>th</sup> Process Variable
- PV6** = 6<sup>th</sup> Process Variable
- PV7** = 7<sup>th</sup> Process Variable
- PV8** = 8<sup>th</sup> Process Variable

**STRQ** = for connection to the STQR output of the STSW function block. (See Figure 79.) The STSW block encodes discrete inputs to a form that will convey change mode requests from the STSW block:

- 0.0 No Change
- 1.0 Jog State
- 2.0 Guaranteed Hold State
- 4.0 Reset State
- 8.0 Hold State
- 16.0 Run State
- 32.0 Advance state

### Outputs

- PGM** = Current Program Number
- SEG** = Current Segment number
- STA** = Program State (Reset, Run, Hold, Ghold, Stop).
- SP1** = Setpoint #1 Output (EU)
- SP2** = Setpoint #2 Output (EU)
- SP3** = Setpoint #3 Output (EU)
- SP4** = Setpoint #4 Output (EU)
- SP5** = Setpoint #5 Output (EU)
- SP6** = Setpoint #6 Output (EU)
- SP7** = Setpoint #7 Output (EU)
- SP8** = Setpoint #8 Output (EU)

## Block properties

Double click on the function block to access the function block properties dialog box.

### Block Order (Read Only)

You can change the assigned execution order number by selecting “Execution Order” in the “Configure” menu and arrange the order to suit your control strategy.

## Configuration parameters

You must configure the SPS Function Block parameters to the desired value or selection that matches your operating requirements. Table 68 describes the parameters and the value or selection.

**Table 68 SPS configuration parameters**

Properties Group	Parameter	Index #	Parameter Description	Value or Selection
<b>Block</b>	<b>Tag Name</b>	N/A	8 character tag name	
	<b>Descriptor</b>	N/A	Block descriptor	
	<b>Failsafe Setpoints</b>	0	Failsafe Setpoint 1	Value in EU
		1	Failsafe Setpoint 2	Value in EU
		2	Failsafe Setpoint 3	Value in EU
		3	Failsafe Setpoint 4	Value in EU
		4	Failsafe Setpoint 5	Value in EU
		5	Failsafe Setpoint 6	Value in EU
		6	Failsafe Setpoint 7	Value in EU
		7	Failsafe Setpoint 8	Value in EU

**Failsafe Value is the initial value when exiting the program mode. Default Failsafe value is 0.0.**

Setpoint scheduler example

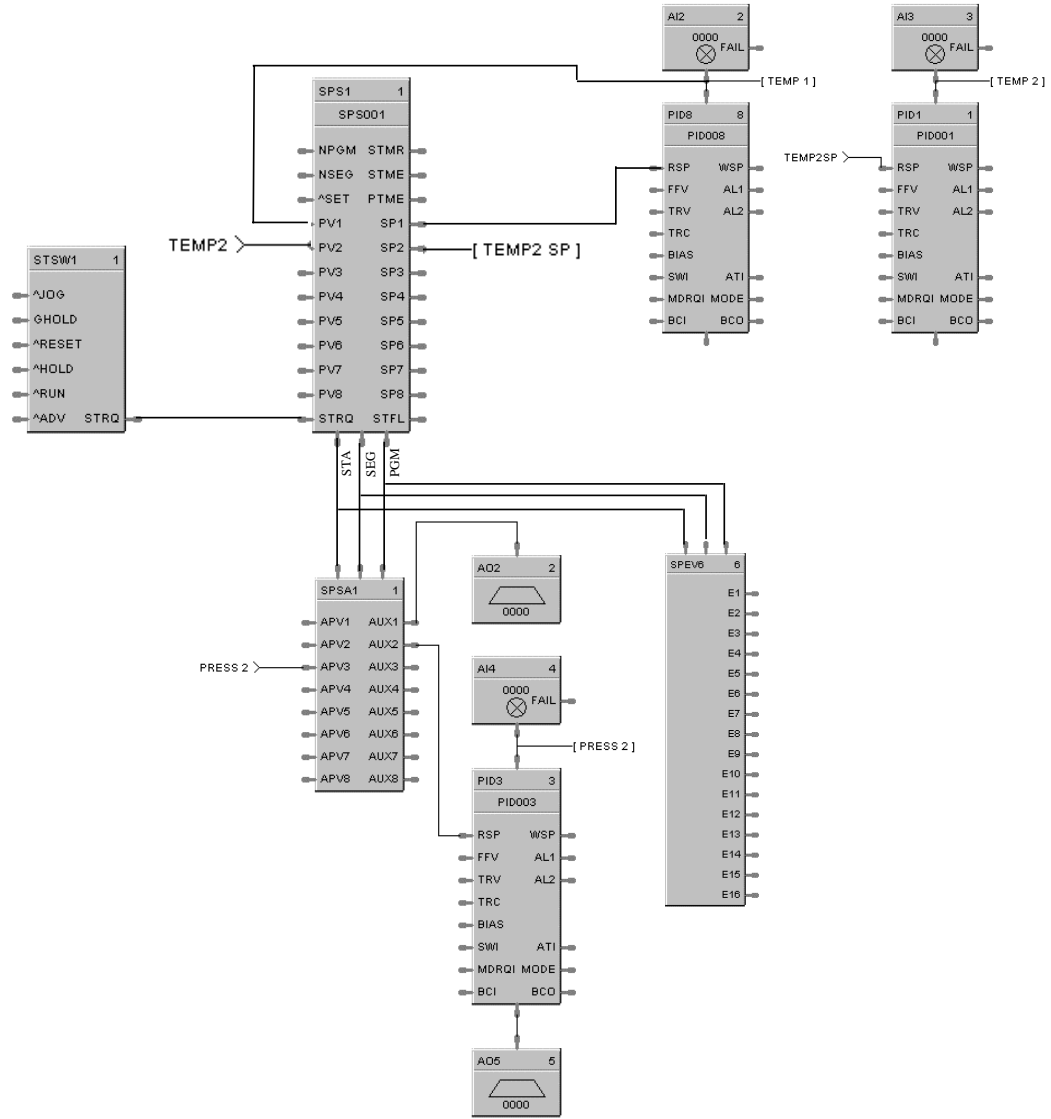
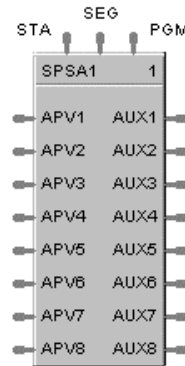


Figure 79 Setpoint scheduler function block suite

## SPSA Function Block

### Description

The **SPSA** label stands for **Setpoint Scheduler Auxiliary Setpoint Block**. This block is part of the *Setpoint Scheduler* category. It looks like this graphically on the Control Builder.



### Function

The eight setpoint outputs of the Auxiliary Setpoint block are set to the current step value. The current step is an input to the block and must be connected to the step output of a Master Scheduler block. At the end of a step, the outputs of the slave block go directly to the next step value. That is, Ramps are not supported.

### Inputs

**PGM** = Current Program Number

**SEG** = Current Segment number

**STA** = Program State (Reset, Run, Hold, Ghold, Stop).

**APV1** = 1<sup>st</sup> Auxiliary Process Variable (EU)

**APV2** = 2<sup>nd</sup> Auxiliary Process Variable (EU)

**APV3** = 3<sup>rd</sup> Auxiliary Process Variable (EU)

**APV4** = 4<sup>th</sup> Auxiliary Process Variable (EU)

**APV5** = 5<sup>th</sup> Auxiliary Process Variable (EU)

**APV6** = 6<sup>th</sup> Auxiliary Process Variable (EU)

**APV7** = 7<sup>th</sup> Auxiliary Process Variable (EU)

**APV8** = 8<sup>th</sup> Auxiliary Process Variable (EU)

### Outputs

**AUX 1** = Auxiliary Output #1

**AUX 2** = Auxiliary Output #2

**AUX 3** = Auxiliary Output #3

**AUX 4** = Auxiliary Output #4

**AUX 5** = Auxiliary Output #5

**AUX 6** = Auxiliary Output #6

**AUX 7** = Auxiliary Output #7

**AUX 8** = Auxiliary Output #8

### **Block properties**

Double click on the function block to access the function block properties dialog box.

#### **Block Order (Read Only)**

You can change the assigned execution order number by selecting “Execution Order” in the “Configure” menu and arrange the order to suit your control strategy.

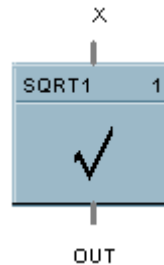
### **Example**

Figure 79 shows a Function Block Diagram (Setpoint Scheduler Suite) using a SPSA function block.

## SQRT Function Block

### Description

The **SQRT** label stands for **Square Root**. This block is part of the *Calculations* category. It looks like this graphically on the Control Builder.



### Function

Extracts the square root of the analog input (X) as long as the input is greater than the configured DROPOFF value.

- If  $X > \text{DROPOFF}$ , then:  $\text{OUT} = \text{square root of } X$ .
- Otherwise,  $\text{OUT} = 0$ .

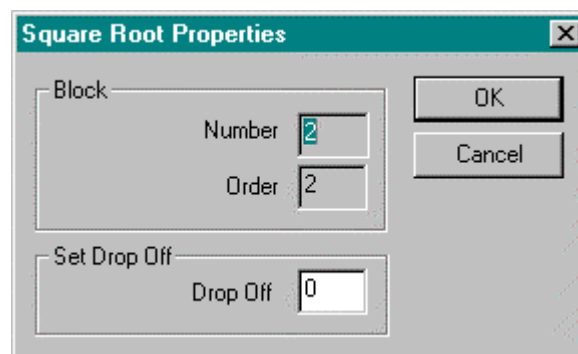
### Input

**X** = Analog value for square root extraction

### Output

**OUT** = Square Root value

### Block properties



Double click on the function block to access the function block properties dialog box.

### Block Order (Read Only)

You can change the assigned execution order number by selecting “Execution Order” in the “Configure” menu and arrange the order to suit your control strategy.

**Configuration parameters**

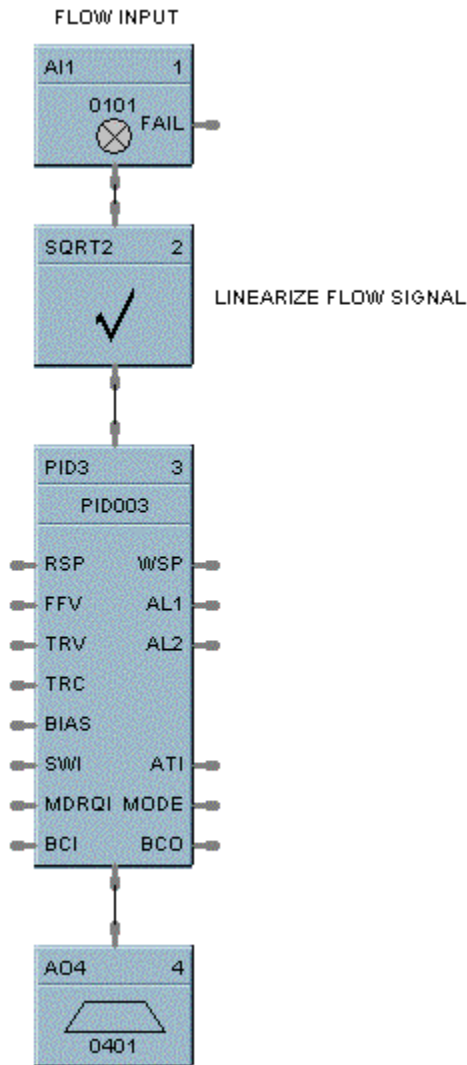
You must configure the SQRT function Block parameters to the desired value or selection that matches your operating requirements. Table 69 describes the parameters and the value or selection.

**Table 69 SQRT configuration parameters**

Properties Group	Parameter	Index #	Parameter Description	Value or Selection
Set Dropoff	Dropoff	0	Minimum Input for Square Root	0 to 99999 Must be set at > = 0

**Example**

Figure 80 shows a Function Block Diagram using a SQRT function block.



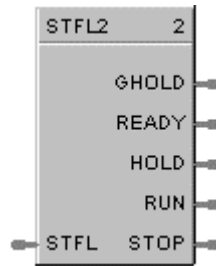
**Figure 80 SQRT function block example**



## STFL Function Block

### Description

The **STFL** label stands for the **Setpoint Scheduler State Flags**. This block is part of the *Setpoint Scheduler* category. It looks like this graphically on the Control Builder.



### Function

Connects to Master block (SPS) via dedicated connection and provides logic 1(ON) state digital outputs for Scheduler modes. The State Flags block accepts the encoded master block state as an input and produces digital outputs corresponding to the current value of STFL.

### Inputs

**STFL** = this input is connected to the STFL output of the SPS function block. (See Figure 79.)

### Outputs

- GHOLD** = ON if state = 1.0, else OFF
- READY** = ON if state = 2.0, else OFF
- HOLD** = ON if state = 4.0, else OFF
- RUN** = ON if state = 8.0, else OFF
- STOP** = ON if state = 16.0, else OFF

### Block properties

Double click on the function block to access the function block properties dialog box.

#### **Block Order (Read Only)**

You can change the assigned execution order number by selecting “Execution Order” in the “Configure” menu and arrange the order to suit your control strategy.

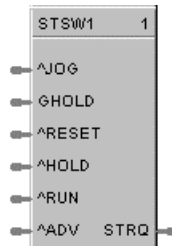
### Example

Figure 79 shows a Function Block Diagram (Setpoint Scheduler Suite) using a STFL function block.

## STSW Function Block

### Description

The **STSW** label stands for the **Setpoint Scheduler State Switch**. This block is part of the *Setpoint Scheduler* category. It looks like this graphically on the Control Builder.



### Function

Connects to Master block (SPS) via dedicated connection and accepts digital inputs to cause scheduler mode changes. The State Switch block accepts state request digital inputs and produces an encoded output for input to the master (SPS) block.

### Inputs

- ^JOG** = OFF to ON requests JOG state
- ^GHOLD** = ON = guaranteed Hold State; ON to OFF and previous state was RUN, then return to RUN mode.
- ^RESET** = OFF to ON requests RESET state
- ^RUN** = OFF to ON requests RUN state
- ^ADV** = OFF to ON requests ADVANCE state

### Outputs

**STRQ** = for connection to the STQR input of the SPS function block. This block encodes discrete inputs to a form that will convey change mode requests to the SPS block:

0.0	No Change
1.0	Jog State
2.0	Guaranteed Hold State
4.0	Reset State
8.0	Hold State
16.0	Run State
32.0	Advance state

### Block properties

Double click on the function block to access the function block properties dialog box.

#### Block Order (Read Only)

You can change the assigned execution order number by selecting “Execution Order” in the “Configure” menu and arrange the order to suit your control strategy.

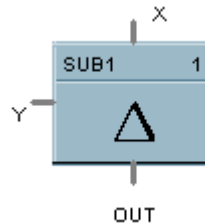
### Example

Figure 79 shows a Function Block Diagram (Setpoint Scheduler Suite) using a STSW function block.

## SUB Function Block

### Description

The **SUB** label stands for the **Subtraction mathematical operation (2 Inputs)**. This block is part of the *Math* category. It looks like this graphically on the Control Builder.



### Function

Subtracts one input (X) from another (Y) to obtain an output.

- $OUT = X - Y$

### Input

**X** = First analog value

**Y** = Second analog value

### Output

**OUT** = Calculated Value

### Block properties

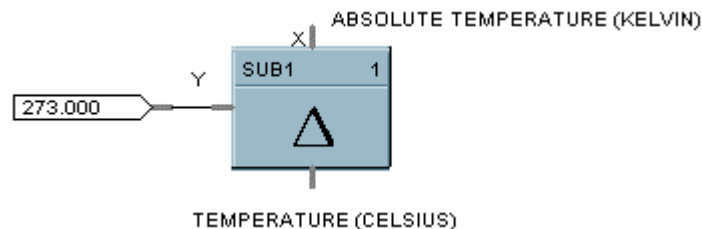
Double click on the function block to access the function block properties dialog box.

#### Block Order (Read Only)

You can change the assigned execution order number by selecting “Execution Order” in the “Configure” menu and arrange the order to suit your control strategy.

### Example

Figure 81 shows a Function Block Diagram using a SUB function block.

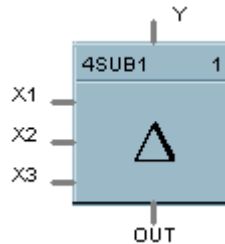


**Figure 81 SUB function block example**

## 4SUB Function Block

### Description

The **4SUB** label stands for the **Subtraction mathematical operation (4 Inputs)**. This block is part of the *Math* category. It looks like this graphically on the Control Builder.



### Function

Subtracts three analog inputs (X1, X2, X3) from Y input to get an output.

### Input

**X1** = First analog input

**X2** = Second analog input

**X3** = Third analog input

**Y** = Fourth analog input (number to subtract from)



#### ATTENTION

All four inputs must be connected. Unconnected inputs default to zero.

### Output

**OUT** = Calculated Value

### Block properties

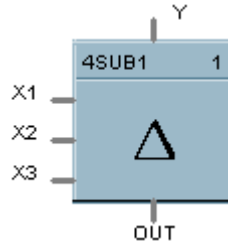
Double click on the function block to access the function block properties dialog box.

#### Block Order (Read Only)

You can change the assigned execution order number by selecting “Execution Order” in the “Configure” menu and arrange the order to suit your control strategy.

**Example**

Figure 82 shows a Function Block Diagram using a 4SUB function block.  
 $Y - X1 - X2 - X3 = \text{OUT}$

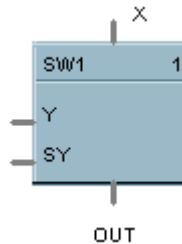


**Figure 82 4SUB function block example**

## SW Function Block

### Description

The **SW** label stands for **Analog Switch**. This block is part of the *Signal Selectors* category. It looks like this graphically on the Control Builder.



### Function

Selects input **Y** for output when digital input signal (**SY**) is ON.

- If **SY** = ON, then; **OUT** = **Y**
- Otherwise, **OUT** = **X**

### Input

**X** = First analog value

**Y** = Second analog value

**SY** = Where ON selects **Y** command digital signal.

### Output

**OUT** = Selected value

### Block properties

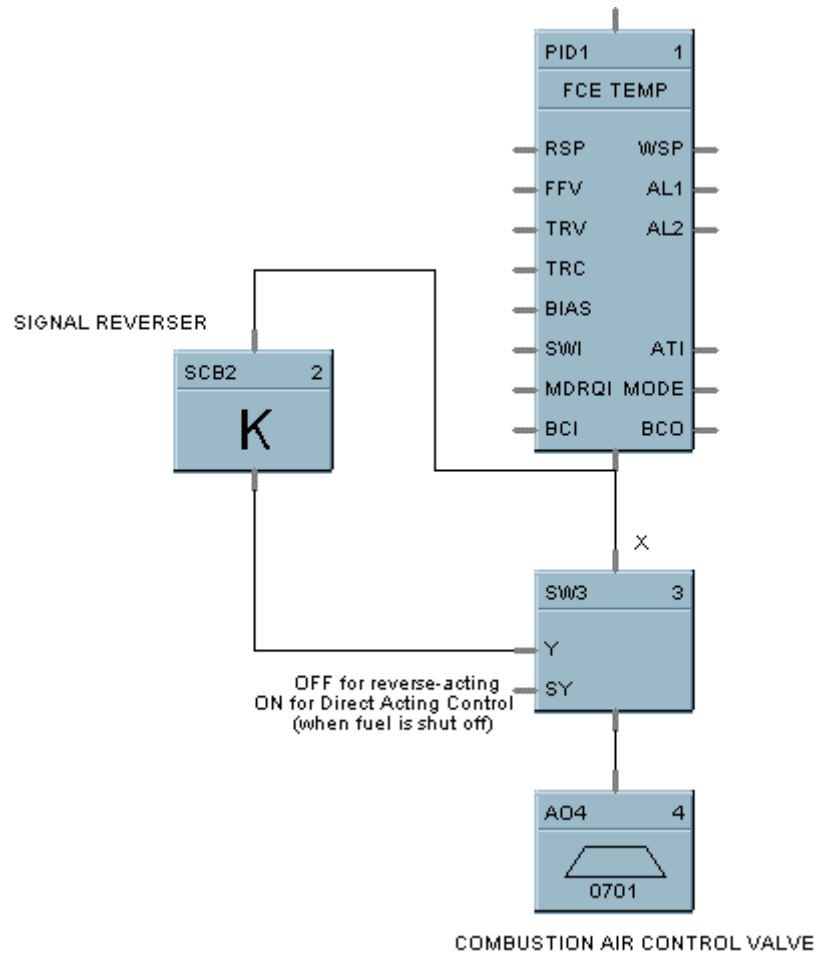
Double click on the function block to access the function block properties dialog box.

#### **Block Order (Read Only)**

You can change the assigned execution order number by selecting “Execution Order” in the “Configure” menu and arrange the order to suit your control strategy.

**Example**

Figure 83 shows a Function Block Diagram using an SW function block to select control signal for output.

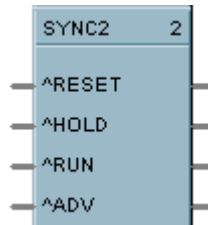


**Figure 83 SW function block example**

## SYNC Function Block

### Description

The **SYNC** label stands for **Synchronize**. This block is part of the *Setpoint Program* category. It looks like this graphically on the Control Builder.



### Function

Used to synchronize the operation of two setpoint programs given the run. Hold and reset signals from each program.

### Input (available for logic control of programmer)

**RST** = RESET command, when turned ON.

**HLD** = HOLD command, when turned ON.

**RUN** = RUN command, when turned ON.

**ADV** = ADVANCE command, when turned ON

### Output

The status of each programmer connected to the output pins of the block are monitored. A change in state of any of the programmers is transferred to the other programmers. This occurs regardless of input pin connections. Use of block inputs is optional.



#### ATTENTION

Ghold status is not transferred between programmers with this block.

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### Block properties

Double click on the function block to access the function block properties dialog box.

#### Block Order (Read Only)

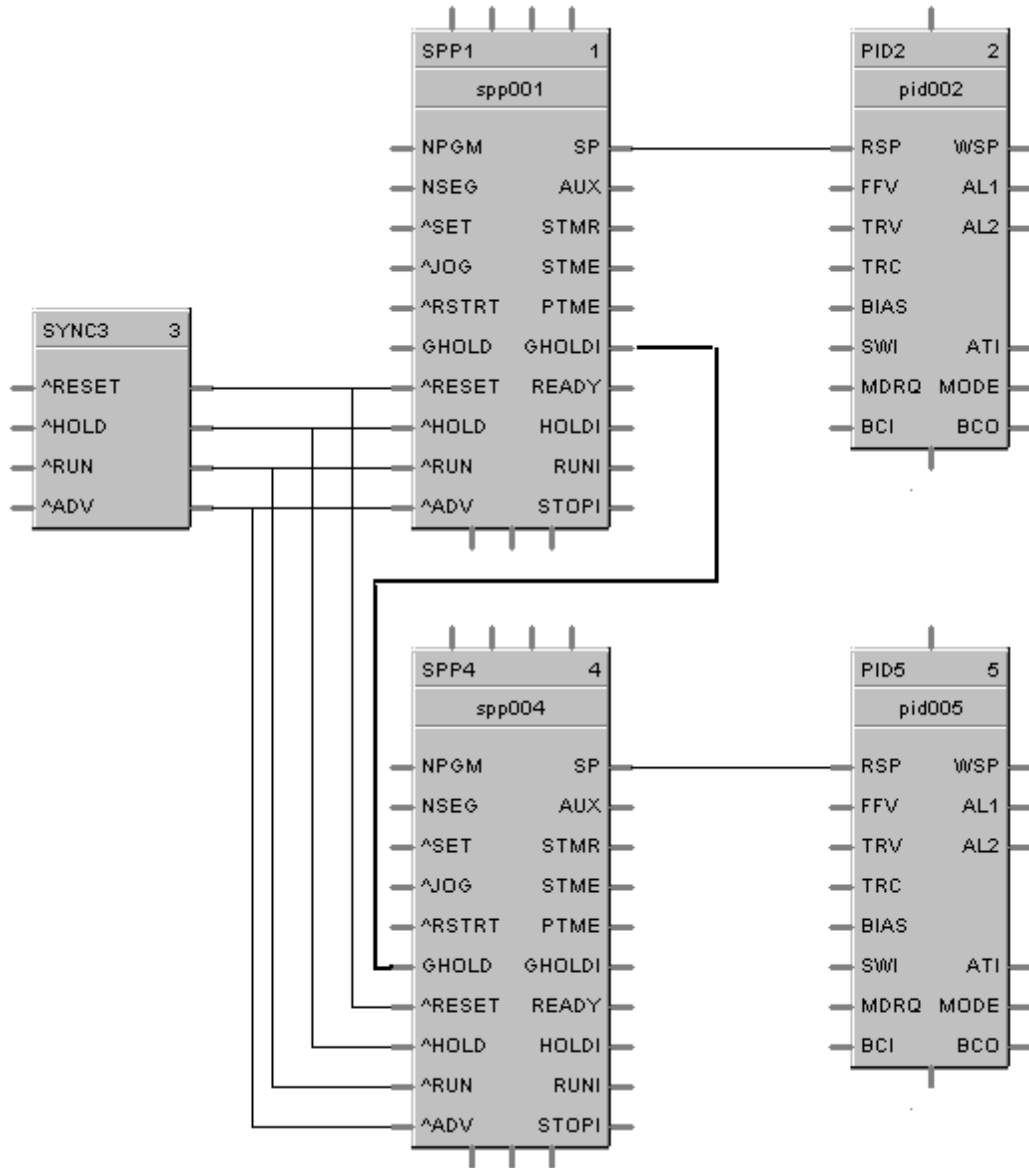
You can change the assigned execution order number by selecting “Execution Order” in the “Configure” menu and arrange the order to suit your control strategy.



**Example**

Figure 84 shows a Function Block Diagram using a SYNC function block.

**Function:** Synchronizes changes in setpoint program state for multiple SPP function blocks when the state of any connected SPP is changed from the Operators Panel or via a remote connection. (Analog and digital I/O blocks required to complete this function are not shown.)

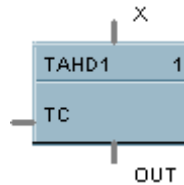


**Figure 84 SYNC function block example**

## TAHD Function Block

### Description

The **TAHD** label stands for **Track and Hold**. This block is part of the *Auxiliary* category. It looks like this graphically on the Control Builder.



### Function

Provides an output that tracks the value of the input (X), when a digital input signal (TC) is On; or when TC is OFF, holds output at last value of X.

- If TC = ON, then: OUT = X (TRACK)
- If TC = OFF, then: OUT = Last value of X (HOLD)

### Input

**TC** = Track command signal, when turned ON.  
**X** = Value to be tracked.

### Output

**OUT** = track and hold value of X

### Block properties

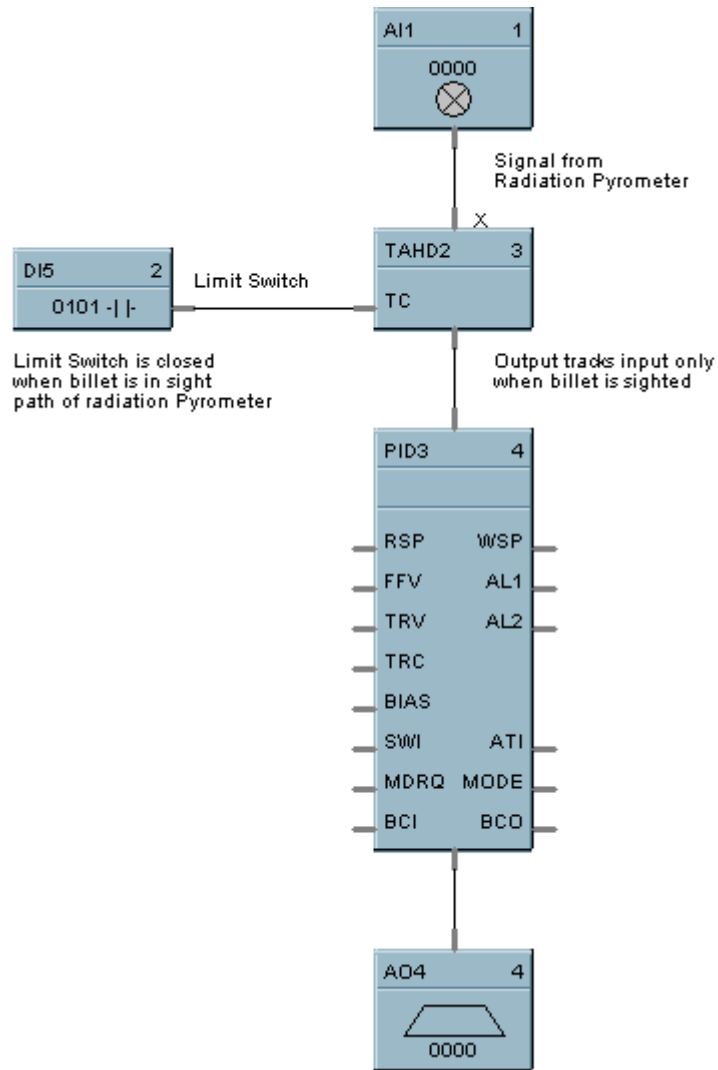
Double click on the function block to access the function block properties dialog box.

#### **Block Order (Read Only)**

You can change the assigned execution order number by selecting “Execution Order” in the “Configure” menu and arrange the order to suit your control strategy.

**Example**

Figure 85 shows a function block diagram using a TAHD function block to track the Input signal for a PID control loop in conjunction with a digital input.

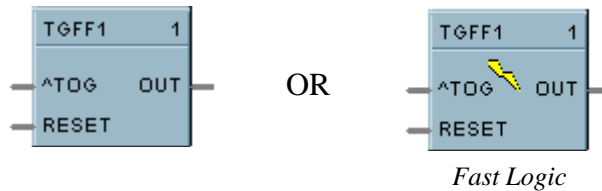


**Figure 85 TAHD function block example**

## TGFF Function Block

### Description

The **TGFF** label stands for **Toggle Flip-Flop**. This block is part of the *Logic* and *Fast Logic* categories. It looks like this graphically on the Control Builder.



### Function

Provides an ON state output when a digital input goes from OFF to ON and the previous state of the output was OFF, and an OFF state output when the digital input goes from OFF to ON and the previous state of the output was ON.

- **OUT = ON** when **^TOG** changes from OFF to ON and the previous state of **OUT** was *OFF*.
- **OUT = OFF** when **^TOG** changes from OFF to ON and the previous state of **OUT** was *ON*.
- Reset sets output to OFF, regardless of current state.

### Input

**^TOG** = Digital Input

**RESET** = Digital input ON      Input = OFF output

### Output

**OUT** = Digital Output

### Block properties

Double click on the function block to access the function block properties dialog box.

#### Block Order (Read Only)

You can change the assigned execution order number by selecting “Execution Order” in the “Configure” menu and arrange the order to suit your control strategy.

### Example

Figure 86 shows a Function Block Diagram using a TGFF function block and how to tag the output.

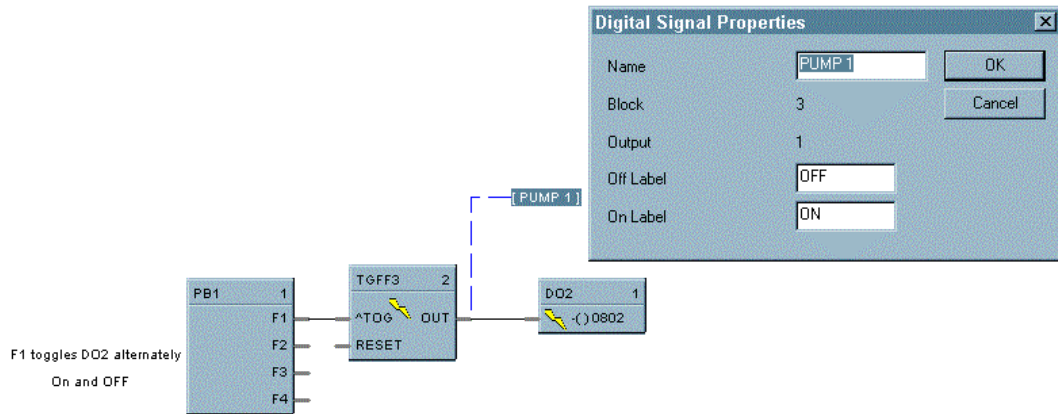
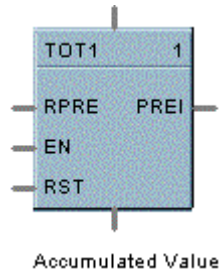


Figure 86 TGFF function block example

## TOT Function Block

### Description

The **TOT** label stands for **Totalizer**. This block is part of the *Calculations* category. It looks like this graphically on the Control Builder.



### Function

Integrates an Analog variable using a specified rate. Rate may be in units per second, minute, hour, or day.

A preset is provided to reset the value when a specific quantity has been accumulated and provide a digital status output.

Separate digital enable and reset inputs are provided.

Accumulated value may increment from 0 to preset for increasing totals or decrement from the preset to 0 for decreasing totals.

### Inputs

**RPRE** = Remote Preset Value in Engineering Units

**EN** = When the enable input is ON, the input value is integrated to a preset value. (Value HOLD when EN = OFF.)

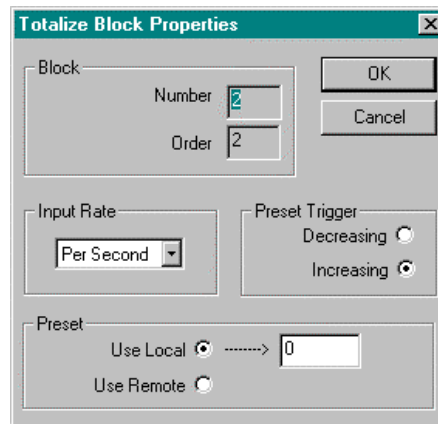
**RST** = ON resets the output to zero. (Accumulated value set to 0.)

### Output

**PREI** = Digital output, ON when the output = Preset Value. Upon reaching the preset value the digital output is enabled for one scan and the totalizer restarts from 0.

**OUT** = Accumulated value in engineering units.

## Block properties



Double click on the function block to access the function block properties dialog box.

### Block Order (Read Only)

You can change the assigned execution order number by selecting “Execution Order” in the “Configure” menu and arrange the order to suit your control strategy.

## Configuration parameters

You must configure the TOT function Block parameters to the desired value or selection that matches your operating requirements. Table 70 describes the parameters and the value or selection.

**Table 70 TOT configuration parameters**

Properties Group	Parameter	Index #	Parameter Description	Value or Selection
<b>Block</b>	<b>Order</b>	N/A	Execution Order	Read Only. See “Configure” Menu, “Execution Order” to change.
<b>Input Rate</b>	<b>Input Rate</b>	N/A	Input rate	Select: Per Second Per Minute Per Hour Per Day
<b>Use Preset</b>	<b>Use Local</b>	N/A	Local Preset	Click on Radio Button to select and enter value in Local Preset field
		1	Local Preset Value	1 to 999999
	<b>Use Remote</b>	N/A	Remote Preset	Click on Radio Button to select
<b>Preset Trigger</b>	<b>Decreasing</b>	N/A	Select this to decrement from preset down to zero	Click on Radio Button to select
	<b>Increasing</b>	N/A	Select this to accumulate from 0 to preset value	Click on Radio Button to select

**Example**

Figure 87 shows Function Block Diagrams using a TOT function block.

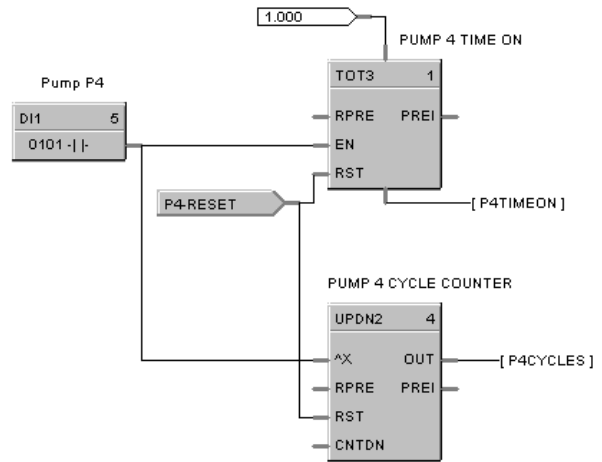
**EXAMPLE 1**

In UMC ON Delay timers are not retentive - if the RUN input is logic 0, the timer is reset. A retentive timer has an Enable and a Reset input. As long as the timer is not reset, time will be accumulated when the Enable Input is logic 1 (ON). This permits recording the time a device such as a pump has been on.

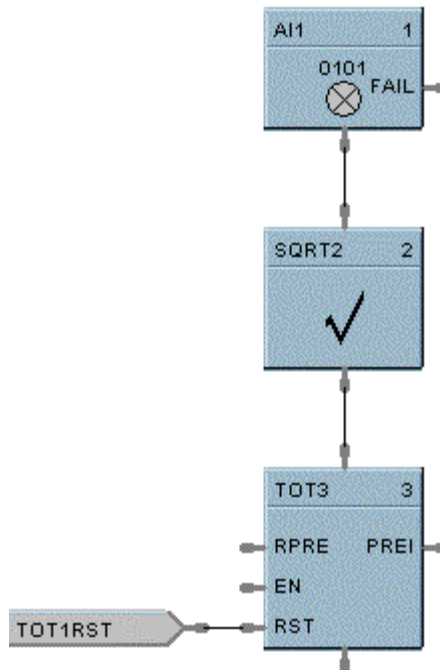
This example uses a Totalizer function block as a retentive timer. If a fixed input of 1 is provided to the block using a Numeric Constant, the totalizer will time up to 1 at the input rate selected (per sec, per min., per hr, or per day). For example, if the "per hr" rate were selected, the output would be 1.0 after 1 hour, 2.0 after 2 hours, etc, up to the Preset value.

A counter is shown to count the number of pump cycles (On to OFF transitions).

The P4-RESET Digital Variable is used to reset the timer and counter



**EXAMPLE 2 - FLOW TOTALIZATION**



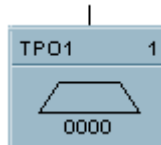
**Figure 87 TOT function block examples**



## TPO Function Block

### Description

The **TPO** label stands for **Time Proportional Output**. This block is part of the *Loops* category. It looks like this graphically on the Control Builder.



### Function

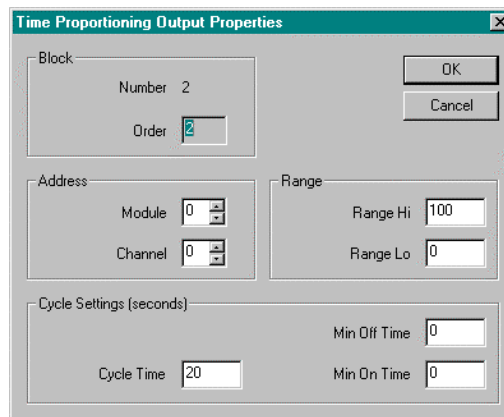
Proportions the amount of ON time and OFF time of a Digital Output over a user defined cycle time.

- On Time =  $[\text{cycle time} * (\text{IN} - \text{range lo})] / (\text{range hi} - \text{range lo})$
- OFF Time = cycle time - On Time
- If On Time < minimum ON time, then On Time = 0.0
- If OFF Time < minimum OFF time, then OFF Time = 0.0.

### Input

Analog Input value in Percent (%)

### Block properties



Double click on the function block to access the function block properties dialog box.

#### Block Order (Read Only)

You can change the assigned execution order number by selecting “Execution Order” in the “Configure” menu and arrange the order to suit your control strategy.

### Configuration parameters

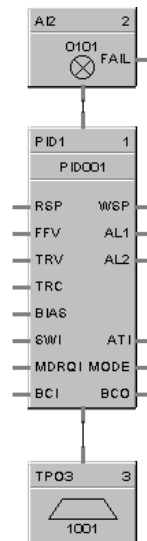
You must configure the TPO function Block parameters to the desired value or selection that matches your operating requirements. Table 71 describes the parameters and the value or selection.

**Table 71 TPO configuration parameters**

Properties Group	Parameter	Index #	Parameter Description	Value or Selection
<b>Address</b>	<b>I/O Module</b>	0	Address of selected I/O module	Enter a value: from 1 to 16
	<b>Channel</b>		Channel on selected I/O Module	Enter a value: from 1 to 4
<b>Range</b>	<b>Range Hi</b>	1	High Range Value	-9999 to 9999 Default = 100
	<b>Range Lo</b>	2	Low Range Value	-9999 to 9999 Default = 0
<b>Cycle Settings</b>	<b>Cycle Time</b>	3	Output Cycle Time	1 to 120 seconds Default = 20
	<b>Min Off Time</b>	4	Minimum OFF time	to 15.0 seconds Default = 0.0
	<b>Min On Time</b>	5	Minimum ON time	to 15.0 seconds Default = 0.0

**Example**

Figure 88 shows a Function Block Diagram using a TPO function block. Time Proportioning outputs are commonly used for electrically heated applications where regulating the amount of ON time vs. OFF time of a heater is used to control temperature. In the example the TPO output is used to activate a relay output to control a heater.

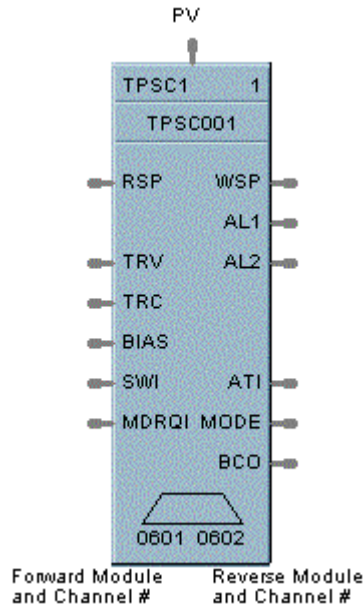


**Figure 88 TPO function block example**

## TPSC (3POS) Function Block

### Description

The **TPSC (3POS)** label stands for **Three Position Step Control** operation. This block is part of the *Loops* category. It looks like this graphically on the Control Builder.



### Function

This block combines a PID controller with 3 position step control output functions to provide motor position control without position sensing. Allows the control of a valve or other actuator having an electric motor driven by two digital output channels; one to move the motor upscale, the other to move it downscale, without a feedback slidewire linked to the motor shaft.

### Inputs

- PV** = Process Variable Analog Input value in Engineering Units
- RSP** = Remote Setpoint Analog Input value in Engineering Units or Percent
- TRV** = Output Track value in Percentage (PID Output = TRV Input when TRC = ON.)
- TRC** = Output Track Command [ON, OFF] (On -Enables TRV) (Mode = Local Override)
- BIAS** = Remote Bias value for Ratio PID
- SWI** = Switch Inputs (from SWO on LPSW function block)
  - 0 = No Change
  - 1 = Initiate Autotuning
  - 2 = Change Control Action
  - 4 = Force Bumpless Transfer
  - 8 = Switch to Tune Set 1
  - 16 = Switch to Tune Set 2
- MDRQI** = External Mode request (typically connected to the MDRQO output of a MDSW function block).
  - 0 = No Change
  - 1 = Manual Mode Request
  - 2 = Auto Mode Request
  - 4 = Local Mode Request
  - 8 = Remote Mode Request

## Outputs

**WSP** = Working Setpoint in Engineering Units for monitoring

**AL1** = Alarm 1 - Digital Signal

**AL2** = Alarm 2 - Digital Signal

**ATI** = Autotune Indicator (ON = Autotune in Progress)

**MODE** = Loop mode status (typically connected to the Mode Flags block for encoding). Value indicates modes as follows:

0.0	RSP AUTO
1.0	RSP MAN
2.0	RSP Initialization Manual (See ATTENTION)
3.0	RSP Local Override (See ATTENTION)
4.0	LSP AUTO
5.0	LSP MAN
6.0	LSP Initialization Manual (See ATTENTION)
7.0	LSP Local Override (See ATTENTION)

**BCO** - Back Calculation Output (for blocks used as Cascade Secondary). This block can *only* be used as a cascade secondary; therefore, no BCI input is provided.



### ATTENTION

When a request to change from Auto to manual is received and:

- the request comes from the operator Interface, *the request is ignored.*
  - the request comes from the Mode Switch (MDSW) function block, *the request is retained and when leaving the Initialization Mode or Local Override Mode the loop will go to manual.*
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## Block properties

Double click on the function block to access the function block properties dialog box.

## Dialog box structure

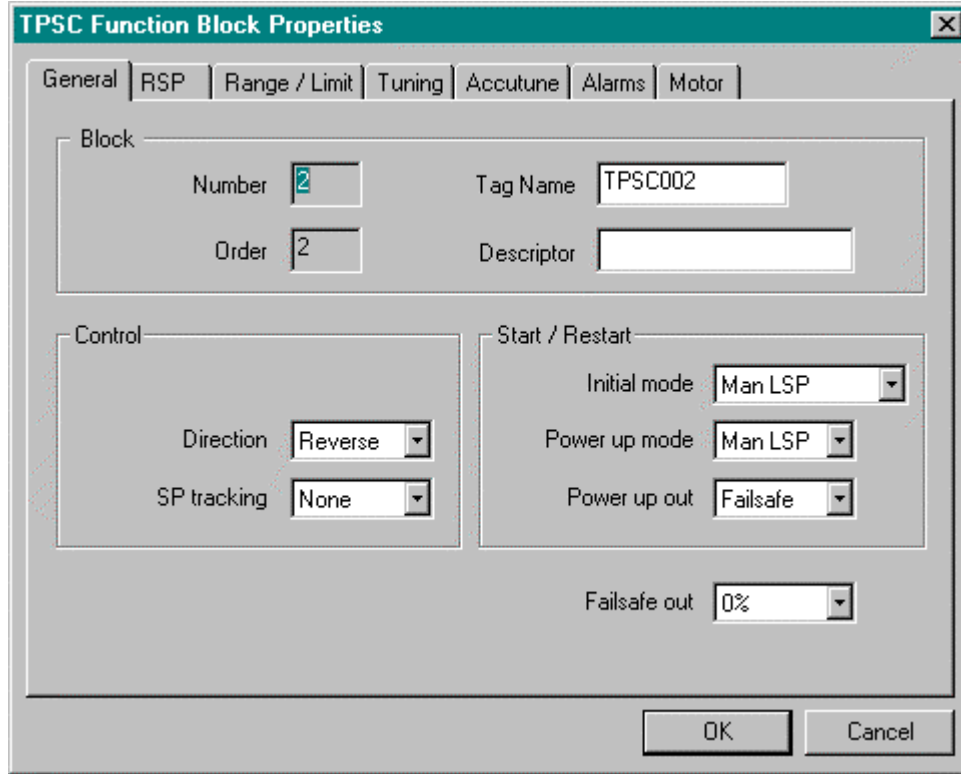
The TPCS properties dialog box is divided into six tab cards

**GENERAL**  
**RSP**  
**RANGE/LIMIT**  
**TUNING**  
**ACCUTUNE**  
**ALARMS**  
**MOTOR**

Click on the tab to access the properties for that tab.

**GENERAL tab**

It looks like this graphically on the Control Builder. Table 72 describes the parameters and the value or selection.



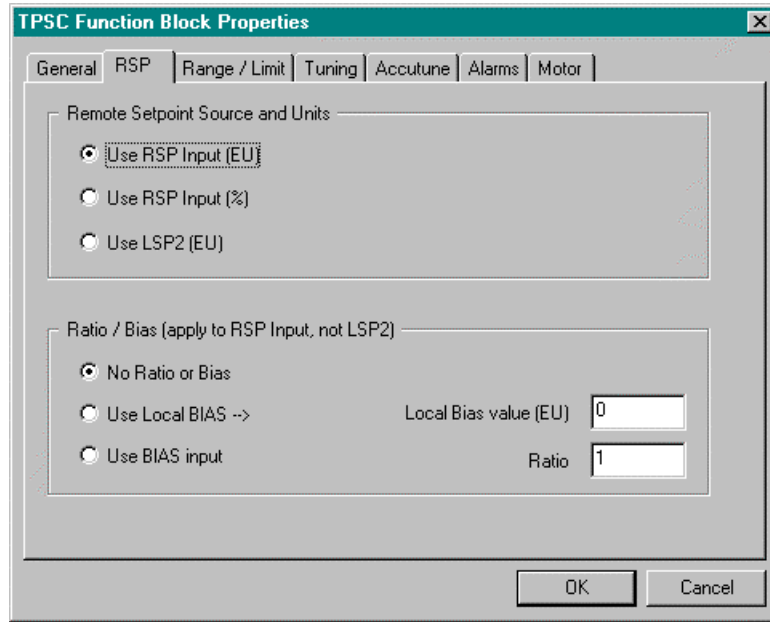
**Table 72 General tab configuration parameters**

Properties Group	Parameter	Index #	Parameter Description	Value or Selection
<b>Block</b>	<b>Order</b>	N/A	Execution Order	Read Only. See "Configure" Menu, "Execution Order" to change.
	<b>Tag Name</b>	N/A	8 character tag name	
	<b>Descriptor</b>	N/A	Block descriptor	
<b>Control</b>	<b>Direction</b>	N/A	Control Action	<b>DIRECT</b> - Proportional action causes output to <b>increase</b> as process variable increases. <b>REVERSE</b> - Proportional action causes output to <b>decrease</b> as process variable increases.
	<b>SP Tracking</b>	N/A	Setpoint Tracking	<b>None</b> <b>Track PV</b> - When control mode is "manual", local setpoint tracks process variable. <b>Track RSP</b> - When setpoint is "remote setpoint", local setpoint tracks remote setpoint.

Properties Group	Parameter	Index #	Parameter Description	Value or Selection
<b>Start/Restart</b>	<b>Initial Mode</b>	N/A	Control Mode and Setpoint at NEWSTART  <b>Newstart</b> is the first scan cycle following the cold start of the controller	<b>MAN LSP</b> - Manual control and last local setpoint.  <b>AUTO LSP</b> - Automatic control and last local setpoint.  <b>AUTO RSP</b> - Automatic control and remote setpoint.  <b>Man LSPonly</b> - Manual control and local setpoint only.  <b>Auto LSPonly</b> - Automatic control and local setpoint only*.  <b>Auto RSPonly</b> - Automatic control and remote setpoint only*.  <i>*These modes will override the configured POWER UP MODE.</i>
	<b>Power Up Mode</b>	N/A	Control Mode and Setpoint at power up	<b>MAN LSP</b> - Manual control and last local setpoint.  <b>AM LSP</b> - Same control mode (auto or manual) and last local setpoint.  <b>AM LR</b> - Same control mode (auto or manual) and setpoint (local or remote) as at power-down.
	<b>Power Up Out</b>	N/A	Output at Power up	<b>LAST OUT</b> - Same as at power down.  <b>FAILSAFE</b> - Failsafe output value.
<b>Failsafe out</b>	<b>Failsafe Output</b>	13	Failsafe Output Value	Selections:  0 % 100 %

**RSP tab**

It looks like this graphically on the Control Builder. Table 73 describes the parameters and the value or selection.



**Table 73 RSP tab configuration parameters**

Properties Group	Parameter	Index #	Parameter Description	Value or Selection
<b>Remote Setpoint Source and Units</b>	<b>Use RSP Input (EU)</b>	N/A	Use Remote Setpoint in Engineering Units	Click on radio button to select
	<b>Use RSP Input (%)</b>	N/A	Use Remote Setpoint in Percent	Click on radio button to select
	<b>Use LSP2 (EU)</b>	N/A	Use Local Setpoint #2 in Engineering Units	Click on radio button to select
<b>Ratio/Bias (RSP Input Only)</b>	<b>No Ratio or Bias</b>	N/A	No ratio and bias applied to the function block	Click on radio button to select
	<b>Use Local Bias</b>	N/A	Use Bias value selected on Tab	Click on radio button to select Enter value at " <b>Local Bias Value</b> " on tab.
	<b>Use Bias Input</b>	N/A	Use Bias value attached to an input to the block	Click on radio button to select
	<b>Local Bias Value (EU)</b>	38	Local bias value in engineering units	Enter local bias value -99999 to 99999
	<b>Ratio</b>	37	Gain value for Ratio PID	-20 to +20

**RANGE/LIMIT tab**

It looks like this graphically on the Control Builder. Table 74 describes the parameters and the value or selection.

The image shows a screenshot of the 'TPSC Function Block Properties' dialog box, specifically the 'Range / Limit' tab. The dialog has a title bar with a close button (X) and a tabbed interface with the following tabs: General, RSP, Range / Limit (selected), Tuning, Accutune, Alarms, and Motor. The 'Range / Limit' tab is divided into three sections: 'Ranging', 'Display', and 'Limiting'. Each section contains several input fields with numerical values.

Section	Parameter	Value
Ranging	PV high range	100
	PV low range	0
Display	Decimal places	0
	Units	
	Dev bar range (EU)	100
Limiting	SP high limit	100
	SP low limit	0
	AT Out low limit	0
	AT Out High limit	100
	SP rate down (EU/Min)	0
SP rate up (EU/Min)	0	

At the bottom right of the dialog, there are two buttons: 'OK' and 'Cancel'.

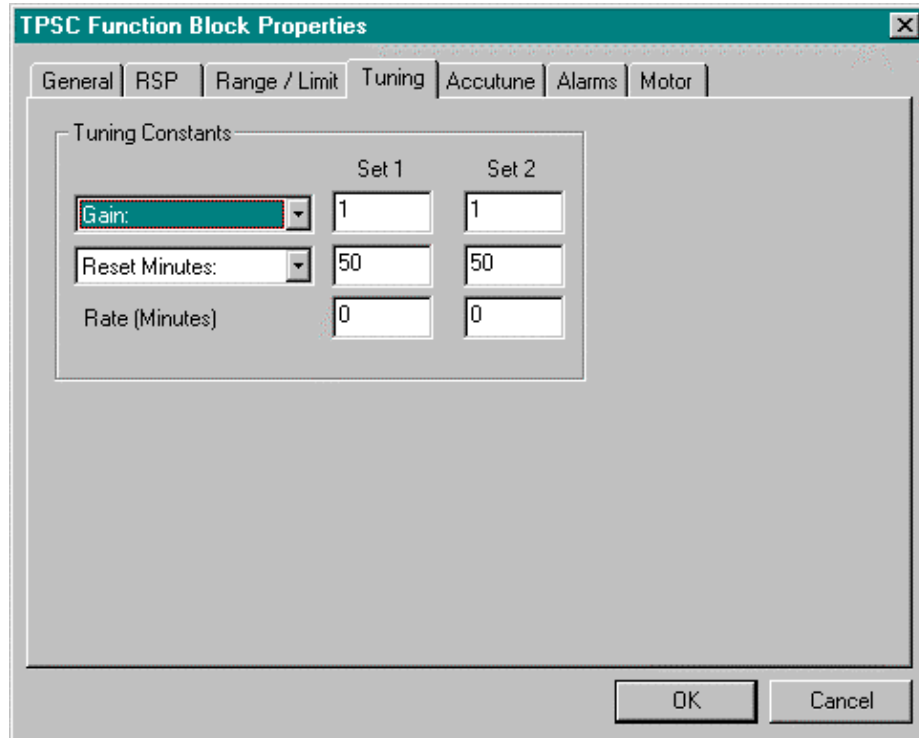


**Table 74 Range/limit tab configuration parameters**

Properties Group	Parameter	Index #	Parameter Description	Value or Selection
<b>Ranging</b>	<b>PV High Range</b>	3	PV High Range Value	-99999 to 99999
	<b>PV Low Range</b>	4	PV Low Range Value	-99999 to 99999
<b>Display</b>	<b>Decimal Places</b>	N/A	Number of digits after decimal point for display	0-5
	<b>Units</b>	N/A	Engineering units for display	up to 4 characters
	<b>DEV Bar Range (EU)</b>	N/A	Deviation Bar Range on the Operator Interface	-99999 to 99999
<b>Limiting</b>	<b>SP High Limit</b>	10	Setpoint High Limit Value - prevents the local and remote setpoints from going above the value set here.	-99999 to 99999
	<b>SP Low Limit</b>	11	Setpoint Low Limit Value - prevents the local and remote setpoints from going below the value set here.	-99999 to 99999
	<b>Out High Limit</b>	25	Autotuning Output High Limit Value - is the highest value of the output beyond which the motor no longer affects the process.	0 % to 100 %
	<b>Out Low Limit</b>	26	Autotuning Output Low Limit Value - is the lowest value of the output beyond which the motor no longer affects the process.	0 % to 100 %
	<b>SP Rate Down</b>	34	Setpoint Rate Down value - when making a setpoint change, this is the rate at which setpoint will change from the original setpoint <b>down</b> to the new one.	0 (off) to 9999 (eu/min)
	<b>SP Rate Up</b>	35	Setpoint Rate Up value - when making a setpoint change, this is the rate at which setpoint will change from the original setpoint <b>up</b> to the new one.	0 (off) to 9999 (eu/min)

**TUNING tab**

It looks like this graphically on the Control Builder. Table 75 describes the parameters and the value or selection.

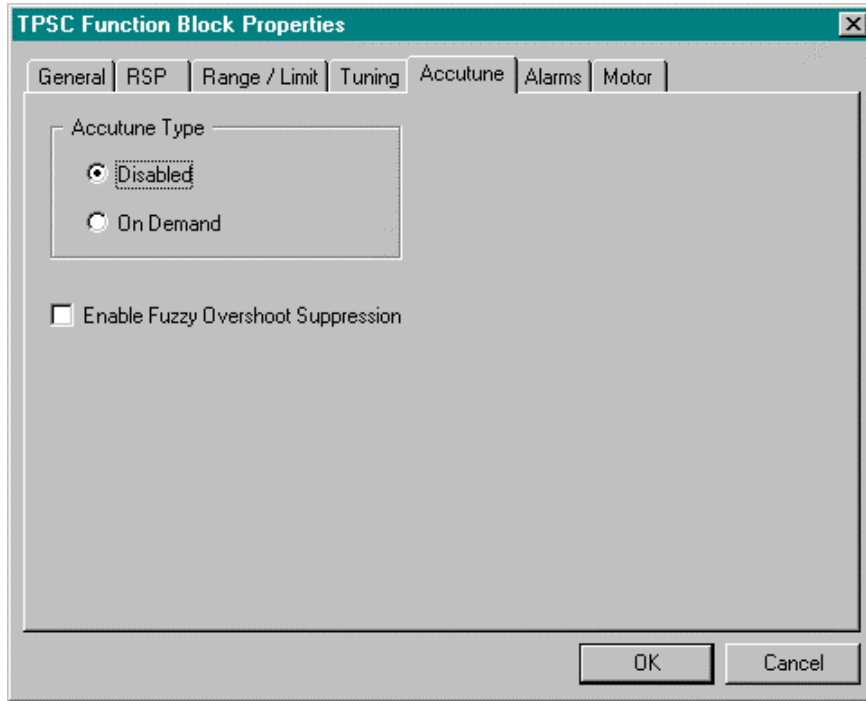


**Table 75 Tuning tab configuration parameters**

Properties Group	Parameter	Index #	Parameter Description	Value or Selection
Tuning Constants	<b>Prop Band</b>	0 PB1 or Gain1	<b>Proportional Band (PB)</b> - is the percentage of the range of the measured variable for which a proportional controller will produce a 100 % change in its output.	0.1 to 1000
	<b>or Gain</b>	29 PB2 or Gain2	<b>Gain</b> - is the ratio of output change (%) over the measured variable change (%) that caused it.  $G = \frac{100 \%}{PB \%}$ <p>where PB is the Proportional Band (in %)</p>	0.1 % to 1000 %  <b>ATTENTION: Enter values for tuning set 1 and tuning set 2 in specified fields.</b>
	<b>Reset Minutes or Repeats per Minute</b>	2 Reset1 or 31 Reset2	<b>RESET</b> (Integral Time) - adjusts the controller's output according to both the size of the deviation (SP-PV) and the time it lasts. The amount of corrective action depends on the value of Gain.  The reset adjustment is measured as how many times proportional action is repeated per minute ( <b>Repeats/minute</b> ) or how many minutes before one repeat of the proportional action occurs ( <b>Minutes/repeat</b> ).	0.02 to 50.00
<b>Rate Minutes</b>	1 Rate1 or 30 Rate2	<b>RATE</b> action, in minutes affects the controller's output whenever the deviation is changing; and affects it more when the deviation is changing faster.	0 or 0.1 to 10.00 minutes 0 = OFF	

**ACCUTUNE tab**

It looks like this graphically on the Control Builder. Table 76 describes the parameters and the value or selection.



**Table 76 Accutune tab configuration parameters**

Properties Group	Parameter	Index #	Parameter Description	Value or Selection
Accutune Type	Disabled	N/A	Disables Accutune	Click on radio button to select
	On Demand	N/A	When initiated, the controller will start controlling to the setpoint while it identifies the process, calculates the tuning constants, and begins TPSC control with the correct tuning parameters.	Click on radio button to select
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Enable Fuzzy Overshoot Suppression  Click on block to select		27	Fuzzy Overshoot Suppression minimizes overshoot after a setpoint change or a process disturbance.  The fuzzy logic observes the speed and direction of the PV signal as it approaches the setpoint and temporarily modifies the internal controller response action as necessary to avoid an overshoot.  There is no change to the TPSC algorithm, and the fuzzy logic does not alter the TPSC tuning parameters.  This feature can be independently Enabled or Disabled as required by the application to work with "TUNE" On-Demand tuning.	

**ALARMS tab**

It looks like this graphically on the Control Builder. Table 77 describes the parameters and the value or selection.

The screenshot shows the 'TPSC Function Block Properties' dialog box with the 'Alarms' tab selected. The dialog has a title bar with a close button (X) and a tabbed interface with the following tabs: General, RSP, Range / Limit, Tuning, Accutune, Alarms (selected), and Motor. The 'Alarms' section contains two alarm configurations:

- Alarm 1:**
  - Setpoint 1:
  - Setpoint 2:
  - Type:  (dropdown)
  - Type:  (dropdown)
- Alarm 2:**
  - Setpoint 1:
  - Setpoint 2:
  - Type:  (dropdown)
  - Type:  (dropdown)

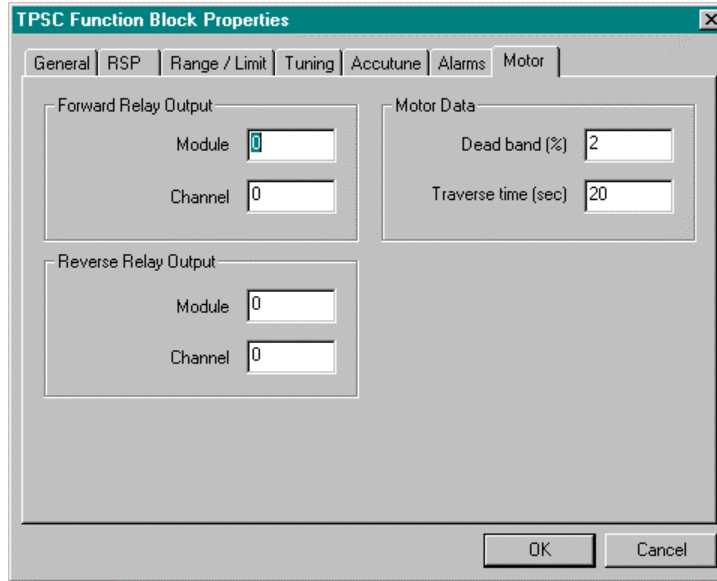
Below the alarm configurations, there is a 'Hysteresis (%)' parameter with a value of . At the bottom right of the dialog are 'OK' and 'Cancel' buttons.

**Table 77 Alarms tab configuration parameters**

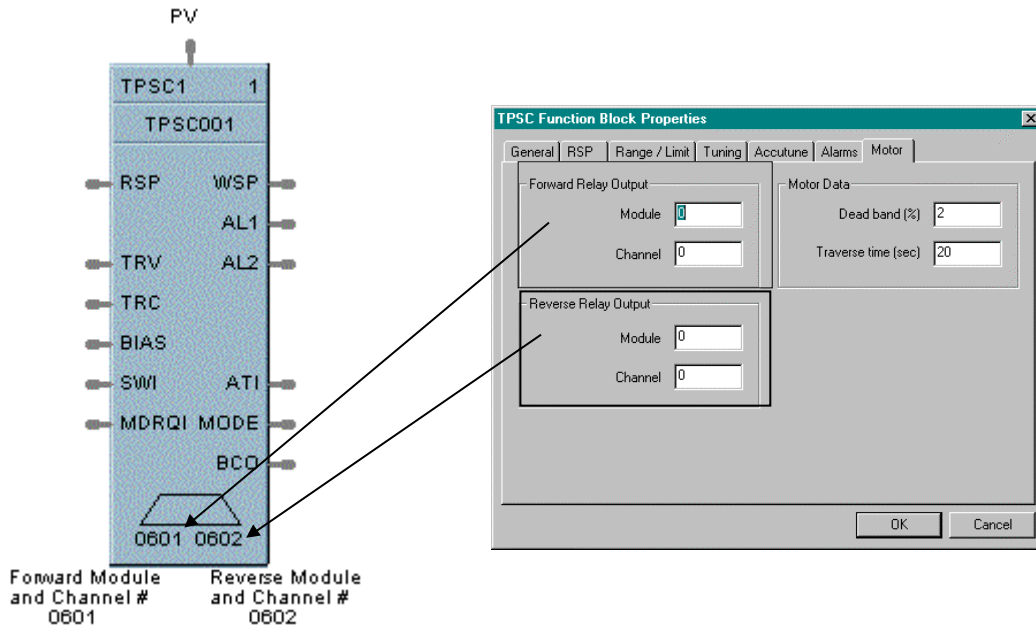
Properties Group	Parameter	Index #	Parameter Description	Value or Selection
<b>Alarm 1</b>	<b>Setpoint 1</b>	14	<b>Alarm 1 Setpoint 1 Value</b> - this is the value at which you want the alarm type chose below to activate	-99999 to 99999 in Engineering Units  Within the PV range when alarm type is PV or SP  Within PV span when alarm type is DEV  -5 % to 105 % when alarm type is output.
	<b>Type</b>	N/A	Alarm 1 Setpoint 1 Type - select what you want Alarm 1 Setpoint 1 to represent.	Selections:  NO ALARM  PV_HIGH      High PV Alarm  PV_LOW        Low PV Alarm  DEV_HIGH     High Deviation alarm  DEV_LOW      Low Deviation alarm  SP_HIGH      High Setpoint alarm  SP_LOW        Low Setpoint alarm  OUT_HIGH     High Output alarm  OUT_LOW      Low Output alarm
	<b>Setpoint 2</b>	15	Alarm 1 Setpoint 2 Value	Same as <b>Alarm 1 Setpoint 1</b>
	<b>Type</b>	N/A	Alarm 1 Setpoint 2 Type	Same as <b>Alarm 1 Setpoint 1</b>
<b>Alarm 2</b>	<b>Setpoint 1</b>	16	Alarm 2 Setpoint 1 Value	Same as <b>Alarm 1 Setpoint 1</b>
	<b>Type</b>	N/A	Alarm 2 Setpoint 1 Type	Same as <b>Alarm 1 Setpoint 1</b>
	<b>Setpoint 2</b>	17	Alarm 2 Setpoint 2 Value	Same as <b>Alarm 1 Setpoint 1</b>
	<b>Type</b>	N/A	Alarm 2 Setpoint 2 Type	Same as <b>Alarm 1 Setpoint 1</b>
<b>Alarm Hysteresis</b>	<b>%</b>	22	Alarm Hysteresis in %	0 % to 5 %

**MOTOR tab**

It looks like this graphically on the Control Builder. Three Position Step control is accomplished by assigning the motor control relays physical address under this tab. Table 78 describes the parameters and the value or selection.



**Example**



**ATTENTION**

TPSC output addresses are not checked for redundant assignment or mismatch with controller hardware; therefore, use caution to insure unique address and correct I/O module.

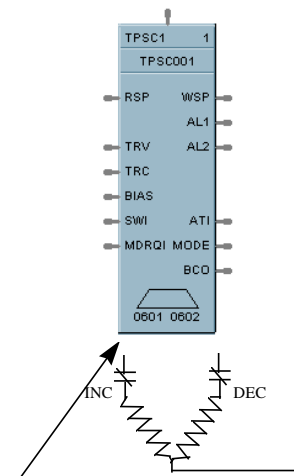
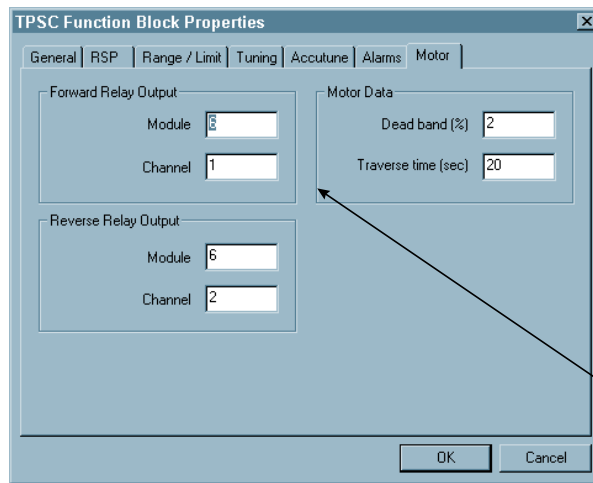
**Table 78 Motor tab configuration parameters**

Properties Group	Parameter	Index #	Parameter Description	Value or Selection
Forward Relay Output	Module	41	Module Number for Forward Motor Direction	1 to 16
	Channel		Channel Number for Forward Motor Direction	1 to 4
Reverse Relay Output	Module	42	Module Number for Reverse Motor Direction	1 to 16
	Channel		Channel Number for Reverse Motor Direction	1 to 4
Motor Data	Deadband (%)	43	Deadband is an adjustable gap in which neither output operates	0.5 % to 5 %
	Traverse Time (sec)	N/A	Motor Travel Time - the time it takes the motor to travel from 0 % to 100 %	0 to 1800 seconds

**Example**

Figure 89 shows a Function Block Diagram using a TPSC function block

3 position step control (without slidewire feedback) is accomplished by assigning the motor control relays physical address under the Motor tab section of the block configuration. See example below:



Note Motor-Relay Output Module & Channel # assignment:

- 0601- Forward motor direction
- 0602 - Reverse motor direction

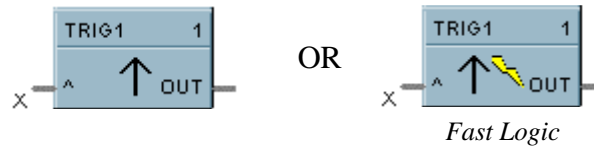
**Figure 89 TPSC function block example**



## TRIG Function Block

### Description

The **TRIG** label stands for **Trigger** or **“One Shot”** operation. This block is part of the *Logic* and *Fast Logic* categories. It looks like this graphically on the Control Builder.



### Function

Turns a Logic output (OUT) ON for one logic scan cycle, when a logic input (X) goes from OFF to ON.

- If X = ON and previous value of X was OFF, then: OUT = ON (one scan)
- Otherwise, OUT = OFF

### Input

**X** = Trigger command signal

### Output

**OUT** = triggered pulse



#### ATTENTION

The duration of the logic pulse output is one function block execution cycle. The duration of the fast logic pulse output is 100 ms, or the fast logic cycle time.

### Block properties

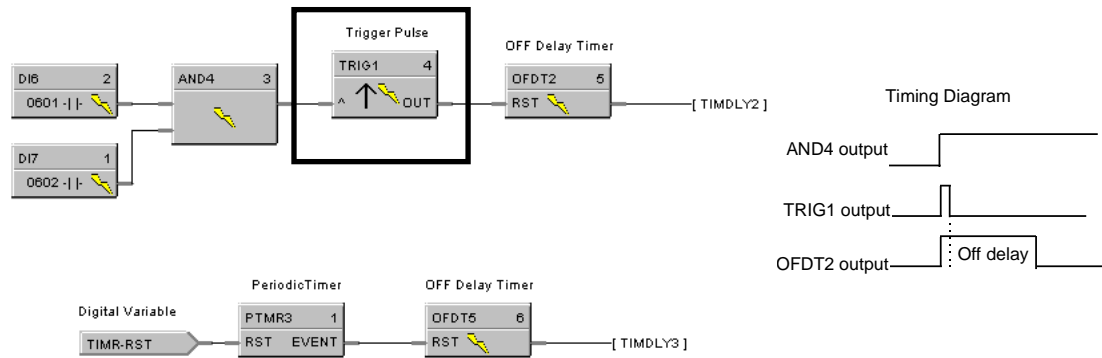
Double click on the function block to access the function block properties dialog box.

#### Block Order (Read Only)

You can change the assigned execution order number by selecting “Execution Order” in the “Configure” menu and arrange the order to suit your control strategy.

### Example

Figure 90 shows a Function Block Diagram using a TRIG function block. An OFF delay timer block output is ON as long as the RST input is logic HI (ON). It can be used for time duration but must be triggered by an ON to OFF transition on the Reset input. This can be accomplished using **Trigger blocks (TRIG)** to create one-shot pulses which last one scan cycle. The fast logic trigger pulse will last 100 ms, while the normal logic trigger pulse will last the complete scan cycle for analog blocks. Use according to application need. A Periodic timer output pulse may also be used to start the timer for the OFF delay.

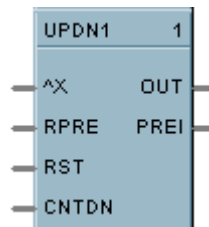


**Figure 90 TRIG function block example**

## UPDN Function Block

### Description

The **UPDN** label stands for **UP/DOWN Counter**. This block is part of the *Counters/Timers* category. It looks like this graphically on the Control Builder.



### Function

The output counts the number of rising edge logic transactions on the input to the block up to a preset value (RPRE or LPRE). When the preset value is reached, a logic output (PREI) is enabled until a Reset input (RST) resets the block. Value may be set to increase to the preset value or decrease from the preset value.

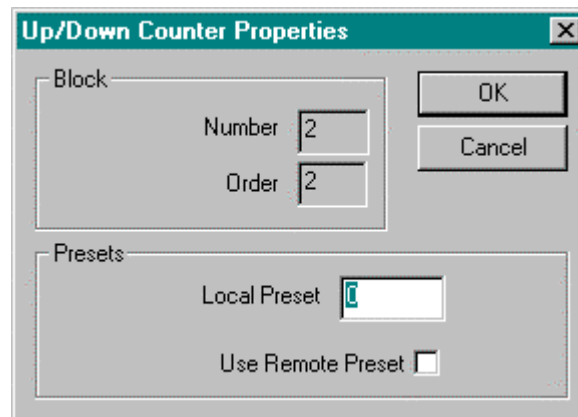
### Inputs

**^X** = Positive Edge Detect Count Input  
**RPRE** = Remote Preset  
**RST** = ON resets the count  
**CNTDN** = ON counts down

### Outputs

**OUT** = Output  
**PREI** = Preset Indicator

### Block properties



Double click on the function block to access the function block properties dialog box.

**Block Order (Read Only)**

You can change the assigned execution order number by selecting “Execution Order” in the “Configure” menu and arrange the order to suit your control strategy.

**Configuration parameters**

You must configure the UPDN function Block parameters to the desired value or selection that matches your operating requirements. Table 79 describes the parameters and the value or selection.

**Table 79 Up/down configuration parameters**

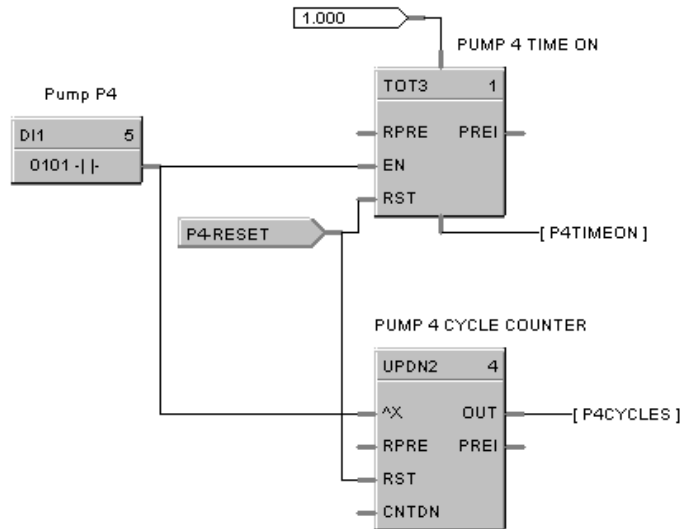
Properties Group	Parameter	Index #	Parameter Description	Value or Selection
Presets	Local Preset	0	Local Preset	1 to 99999
	Use Remote Preset <input type="checkbox"/>	1	On selects remote preset	Click on Box to select

**Example**

Figure 91 shows a Function Block Diagram using a UPDN function block. This example uses a Totalizer function block as a retentive timer. If a fixed input of 1 is provided to the block using a Numeric Constant, the totalizer will time up to 1 at the input rate selected (per sec, per min., per hr, or per day). For example, if the “per hr” rate were selected, the output would be 1.0 after 1 hour, 2.0 after 2 hours, etc, up to the Preset value.

A counter is shown to count the number of pump cycles (On to OFF transitions).

The P4-RESET Digital Variable is used to reset the timer and counter

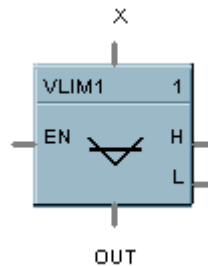


**Figure 91 UPDN function block example**

## VLIM Function Block

### Description

The **VLIM** label stands for **Velocity (Rate) Limiter**. This block is part of the *Auxiliary* category. It looks like this graphically on the Control Builder.



### Function

Limits the rate at which an analog input value (X) can change, when a digital input signal (EN) is ON. Individual rate of change limits are configured for an increasing and a decreasing X, respectively.

Separate digital status outputs indicate when High (H) or Low (L) rate limits are active.

- If EN = OFF or system state = NEWSTART\*, then:  
**OUT = X,**  
**L = OFF,**  
**H = OFF.**
- If EN = ON and  $OUT < X$ , then:  
**OUT moves toward X at Increasing RATE limit,**  
**L = OFF,**  
**H = ON until OUT = X.**
- If EN = ON and  $OUT > X$ , then:  
**OUT moves toward X at Decreasing RATE,**  
**L = ON until OUT = X,**  
**H = OFF.**

\* *Newstart* is the first scan cycle following the cold start of the controller.

### Input

**X** = Analog Value (Primary Input)

**EN** = Enable Input command

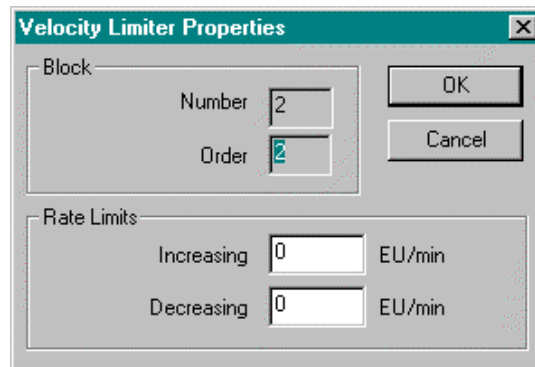
### Output

**OUT** = Rate Limited Input Value

**H** = High Rate alarm indication

**L** = Low Rate alarm indication

## Block properties



Double click on the function block to access the function block properties dialog box.

### Block Order (Read Only)

You can change the assigned execution order number by selecting “Execution Order” in the “Configure” menu and arrange the order to suit your control strategy.

## Configuration parameters

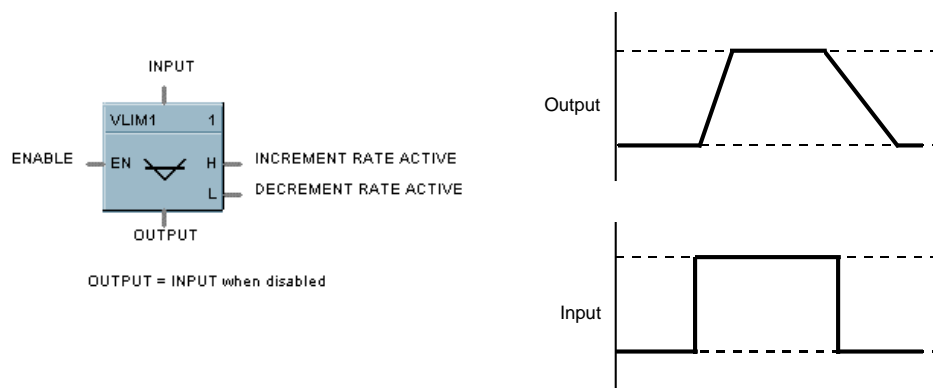
You must configure the VLIM function Block parameters to the desired value or selection that matches your operating requirements. Table 80 describes the parameters and the value or selection.

**Table 80 VLIM Configuration Parameters**

Properties Group	Parameter	Index #	Parameter Description	Value or Selection
Set Limits	Increase Rate Limit	0	Limits the <i>increasing</i> rate at which the analog input value can change	0 to 99999 (eu/min)
	Decrease Rate Limit	1	Limits the <i>decreasing</i> rate at which the analog input value can change	0 to 99999 (eu/min)

## Example

Figure 92 shows a VLIM function block that limits the increasing or decreasing rate at which the output can change based on user specified limits when the Enable input is ON (1).

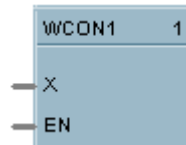


**Figure 92 VLIM function block example**

## WCON Function Block

### Description

The **WCON** label stands for **Write Constant**. This block is part of the *Auxiliary* category. It looks like this graphically on the Control Builder.



### Function

Writes the numerical value of selected configuration parameter to a given control block. *Select the index number of the required parameter from the specific function block reference data and enter it in the appropriate field in the “Write Constant Properties” dialog box.*

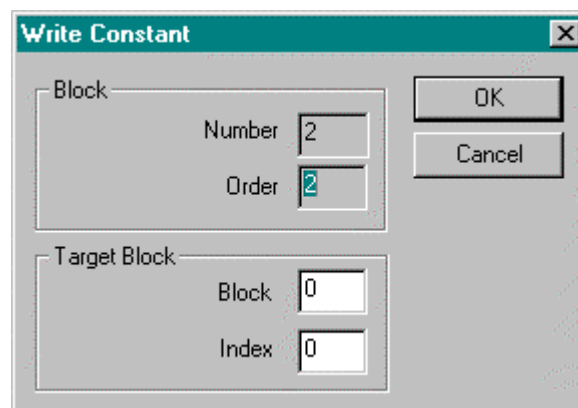
- If EN is ON, change the selected parameter to the value of X.

### Input

**X** = Value to be written (invalid for parameters of type other than BOOL or REAL)

**EN** = Enable command

### Block properties



Double click on the function block to access the function block properties dialog box.

### Block Order (Read Only)

You can change the assigned execution order number by selecting “Execution Order” in the “Configure” menu and arrange the order to suit your control strategy.

### Configuration parameters

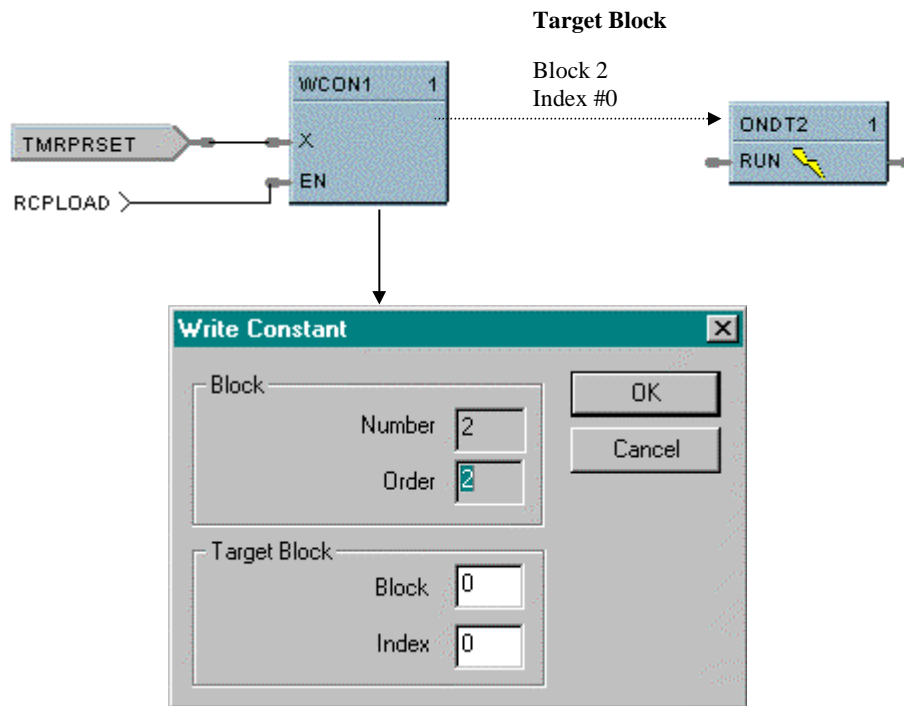
You must configure the WCON function Block parameters to the desired value or selection that matches your operating requirements. Table 81 describes the parameters and the value or selection.

**Table 81 Write configuration data**

Properties Group	Parameter	Index #	Parameter Description	Value or Selection
Set Write Parameters	Block Number	N/A	Number of control block that contains desired configuration parameter	1 to 250
	Parameter Index #	N/A	Index number of configuration parameter to be modified	Select the index number of the required parameter from the specific function block reference data

**Example**

Figure 93 shows a Function Block Diagram using a WCON function block to write a new On Delay Timer, time delay value.



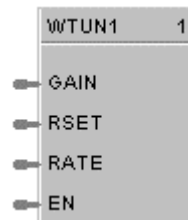
**Figure 93 WCON function block example**



## WTUN Function Block

### Description

The **WTUN** label stands for **Write Tuning Constants**. This block is part of the *Loops* category. It looks like this graphically on the Control Builder.



### Function

Writes the numerical value of Gain, Rate, and Reset to a Target PID, TPSC, or CARB block without any operator interaction.

*Select the target block number from the specific function block diagram and enter it in the appropriate field in the “Write Tune Constants” dialog box.*

- If EN is ON, then the tuning constants are set to the Gain, Rate, and Reset input values..



#### ATTENTION

Invalid for block number whose type is other than PID, CARB, or TPSC.

If the target block is in AUTO mode, tuning parameter change will cause a bump in the output.

If any input value is “out-of-range”, no values will be written.

### Input

**GAIN** = Value for GAIN tuning constant

**RSET** = Value for RESET tuning constant (Integration time)

**RATE** = Value for RATE tuning constant (Derivative time)

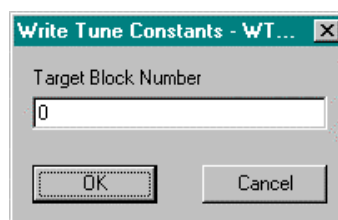
**EN** = Enable command



#### ATTENTION

The three analog inputs can originate as recipe items or be calculated for adaptive control.

### Target block number



Double click on the function block to access the “Target Block Number” dialog box.

Enter the Target Block number in the appropriate field. **Selections are from 1 to 248.**

### Example

Figure 94 shows a Function Block Diagram using a WTUN function block to write Tuning Parameters to a PID function block.

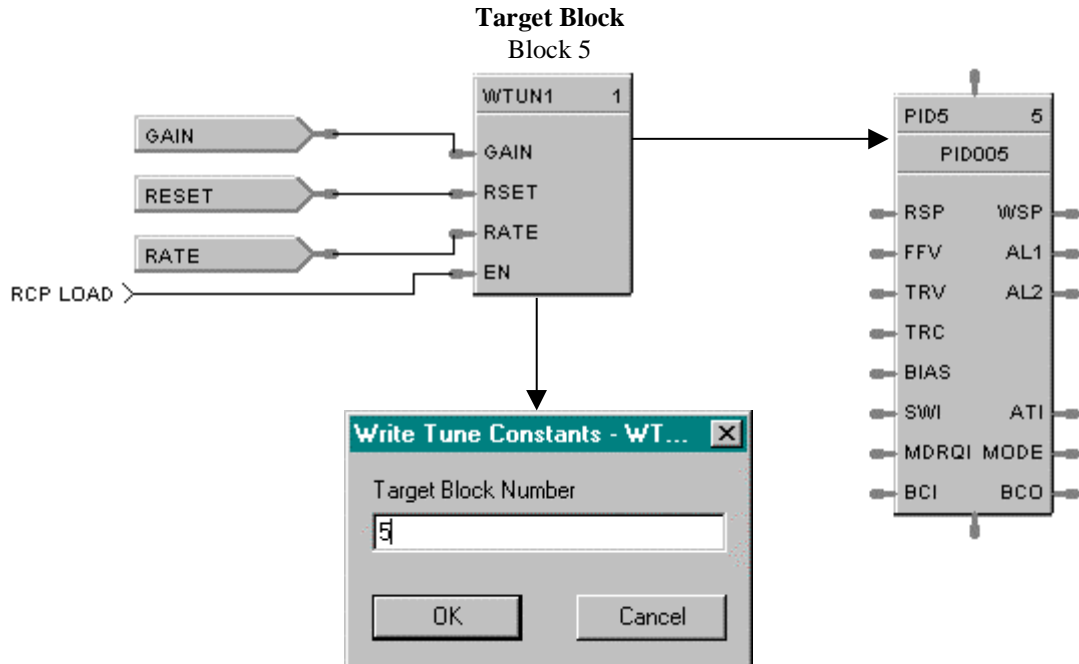
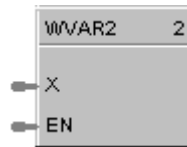


Figure 94 WTUN function block example

## WVAR Function Block

### Description

The **WVAR** label stands for **Write Variable**. This block is part of the *Auxiliary* category. It looks like this graphically on the Control Builder.



### Function

Writes a new value to a selected Variable number.

*Select the target variable number from the specific function block reference data and enter it in the appropriate field in the “Write Variable Number” dialog box.*

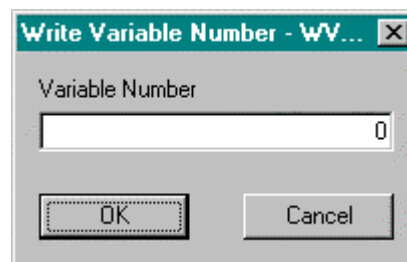
- If EN is ON, then the Variable selected is set to the value of X. (For example: X = a constant value)

### Inputs

**X** = Value to be written to the selected variable

**EN** = Enable command

### Target write variable number

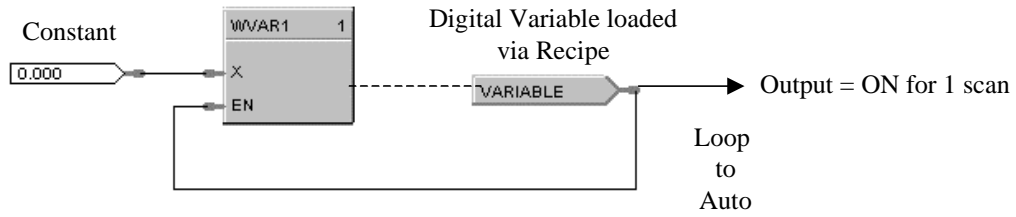


Double click on the function block to access the “Write Variable Number” dialog box.

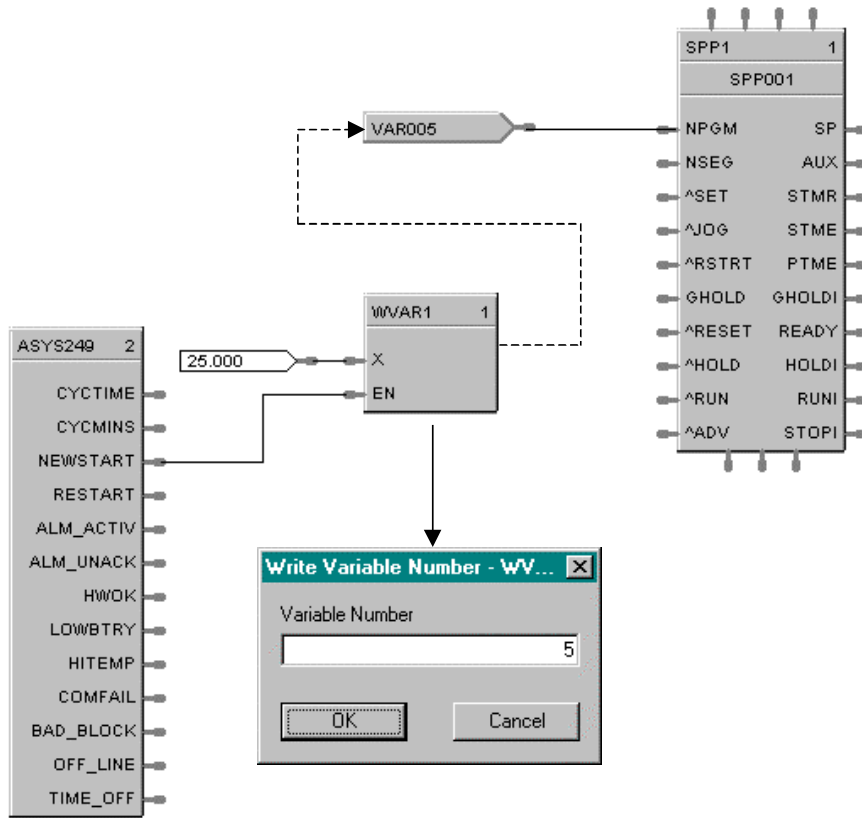
Enter the Target Variable number in the appropriate field. **Selections are from 1 to 150.**

**Example**

Figure 95 shows two examples of Function Block Diagrams using a WVAR function block.



Using a Write Variable to write 0 (OFF) to a digital variable after being set to 1, (ON) by a recipe. Digital variable is ON for one scan cycle



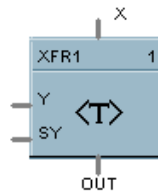
On a Cold Start, this will load Setpoint Program #25 into the SPP block

**Figure 95 WVAR function block examples**

## XFR Function Block

### Description

The **XFR** label stands for **Bumpless Analog Transfer Switch**. This block is part of the *Signal Selectors* category. It looks like this graphically on the Control Builder.



### Function

Provide “bumpless” switching between two analog input values (X, Y) that is triggered by a digital input signal (\*SY). When switched, the output ramps to the new value at a specified rate.

The rate at which the output (OUT) changes to a switched value (Y or X) is set by YRATE and XRATE configuration values, respectively.

- If SY is switched to ON, then: **OUT changes to Y value at YRATE.**
- If SY is switched to OFF, then: **OUT changes to X value at XRATE.**
- When OUT reaches the selected target input, OUT tracks the selected input (until SY changes).

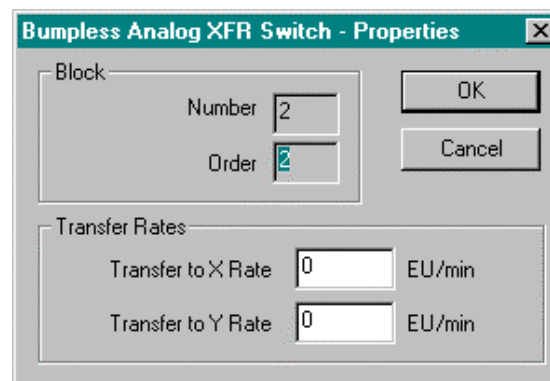
### Input

- X** = First analog value.  
**Y** = Second analog value.  
**SY** = Switch to Y command digital signal

### Output

**OUT** = Selected Value

### Block properties



Double click on the function block to access the function block properties dialog box.

**Block Order (Read Only)**

You can change the assigned execution order number by selecting “Execution Order” in the “Configure” menu and arrange the order to suit your control strategy.

**Configuration parameters**

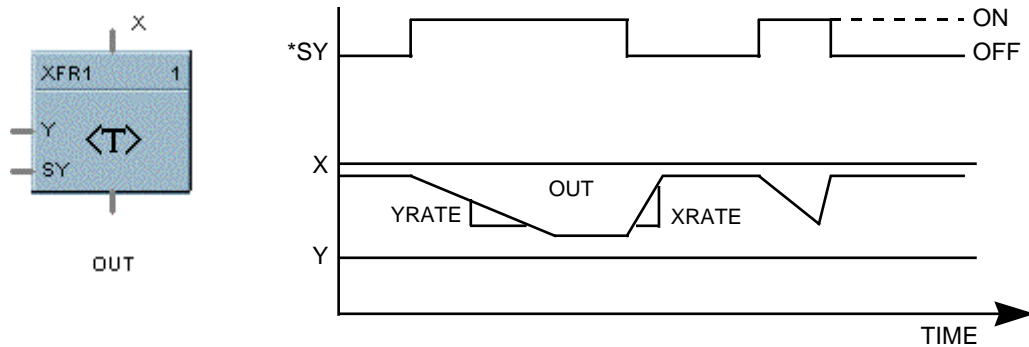
You must configure the XFR function block parameters to the desired value or selection that matches your operating requirements. Table 82 describes the parameters and the value or selection.

**Table 82 XFR switch configuration data**

Properties Group	Parameter	Index #	Parameter Description	Value or Selection
Set Transfer Rates	Transfer to X Rate	0	Rate at which output changes from Y to X in engineering units per minute	0 to 99999 Must be set at $\geq 0$
	Transfer to Y Rate	1	Rate at which output changes from X to Y in engineering units per minute	0 to 99999 Must be set at $\geq 0$

**Example**

Figure 96 shows a Function Block Diagram using a XFR function block. It shows a typical switch action for a XFR function block.

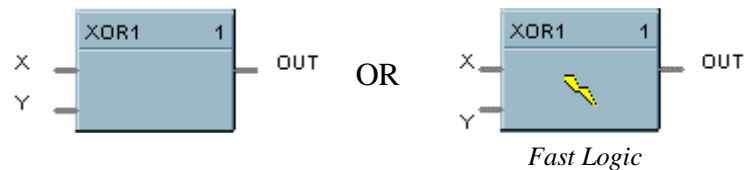


**Figure 96 XFR function block example**

## XOR Function Block

### Description

The **XOR** label stands for the **Exclusive OR** Boolean operation. This block is part of the *Logic* and *Fast Logic* categories. It looks like this graphically on the Control Builder.



### Function

Turns a digital output signal (OUT) ON if only one of two digital input signals (X, Y) is ON. Otherwise, the output is OFF.

- If X = OFF and Y = ON, then: **OUT = ON.**
- If X = ON and Y = OFF, then: **OUT = ON.**
- If X = ON and Y = ON, or X = OFF and Y = OFF, then **OUT = OFF.**

### Input

**X** = First Digital Signal  
**Y** = Second Digital Signal

### Output

**OUT** = resultant digital signal

### Block properties

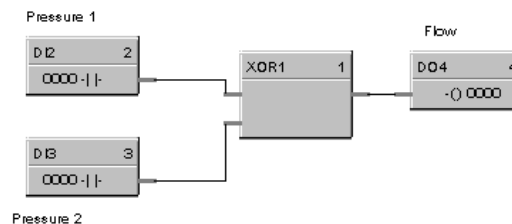
Double click on the function block to access the function block properties dialog box.

#### Block Order (Read Only)

You can change the assigned execution order number by selecting “Execution Order” in the “Configure” menu and arrange the order to suit your control strategy.

### Example

Figure 97 shows a Function Block Diagram using a XOR function block. In the example, if pressure input 1 or 2 is high or low, flow is disabled. If only one pressure input is ON, flow is enabled.



**Figure 97 XOR function block example**





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