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1 Function block "FB_PARA_RW_ETH"

1.1 Brief description

This function block is used to access parameter data of the respective products via various systems.

Systems:

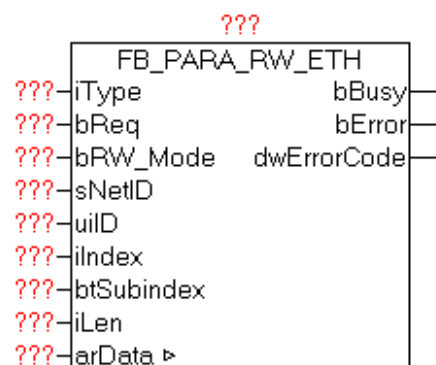
- Beckhoff TwinCAT 2 – EtherCat
- Beckhoff TwinCAT 2 – Profinet

The functions Read parameter and Write parameter are available.

Please refer to the respective parameter lists for the documents of the corresponding products.

1.2 Image of function block

Example of function block:



1.3 Parameter - Input

name	data type	description
iType	INT	Select the system: 0 = EtherCat 1 = Profinet
bReq	BOOL	Execute the read or write process
bRW_Mode	BOOL	Select the mode: 0 = Read 1 = Write
sNetId	STRING	Specification of the network identifier
uiID	UINT	Address of the desired ID
iIndex	INT	Index of the object to be used
btSubindex	BYTE	Subindex of the object to be used (can only be used with EtherCat)
iLen	INT	Number of data to be used in bytes
arData	ARRAY [0..231] OF BYTE	Address (pointer) to the data buffer: Read -> read data available Write -> enter data to be written

1.4 Parameter - Output

name	data type	description
bBusy	BOOL	Is active during the processing of the process until a feedback occurs
bError	BOOL	Will be activated if an error has occurred
dwErrorCode	DWORD	Returns the ADS error code of last executed command in case of an error

1.5 Additional information

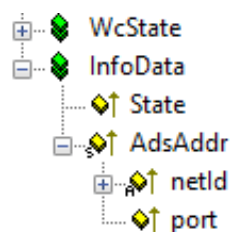
In order to perform the required functions, library blocks were used. For the block described here to work, the PLC library "TcEtherCAT.Lib" must be integrated into the project.

So that data can be read from the object directory of an EtherCAT slave, the slave must have a mailbox and support the "CANopen over EtherCAT" (CoE) protocol.

1.5.1 EtherCat

The necessary network identifier can be found in the System Manager. Select the desired device and enter the values under "netId" in sNetID and "port" in uiID.

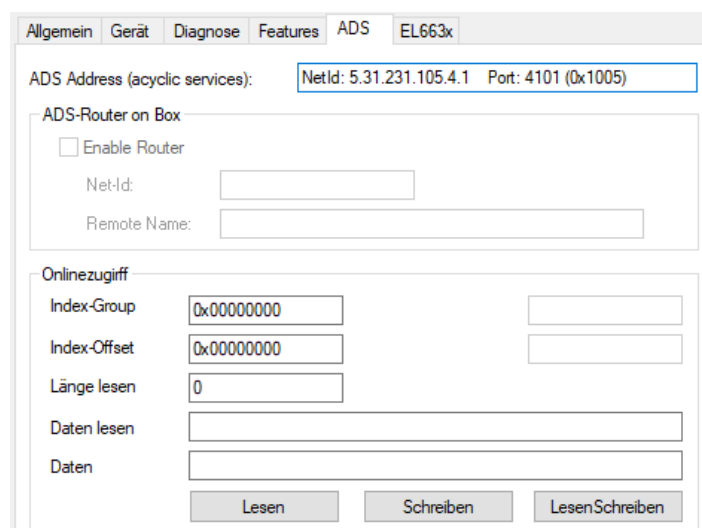
Example EtherCat – network ID:



1.5.2 Profinet

The Profinet also shows the necessary network ID to the System Manager. Select the desired device, change to the tab "ADS" and enter the values "NetId" in sNetID and "Port" in uiID.

Example Profinet – network ID:



2 Appendix

2.1 List of abbreviations

abbreviation	description
FB	Function block
EPC	Energy- and Processcontrol
CM	Condition Monitoring
EM	Energy Monitoring
PM	Predictive Maintenance

2.2 Note

- The byte order of the product is represented as big endian.

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