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**FT1A Touch External Device Setup Manual  
Supplement  
Modbus RTU Slave Function**

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## **Introduction**

This manual is supplement for “Automation Organizer External Device Setup Manual B912(25)”, and explains Modbus RTU Slave function which is added in Automation Organizer Ver.2.21(WindO/I-NV2 Ver.5.11).

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# FT1A Touch Modbus RTU Slave function

## 1. Overview

### 1.1. Overview

Modbus RTU Slave function is a method that reads and writes FT1A Touch communication devices via RS232C or RS485/422 from a PC or PLC (referred to as the external device).

The read/write of a device is performed using the Modbus RTU protocol.

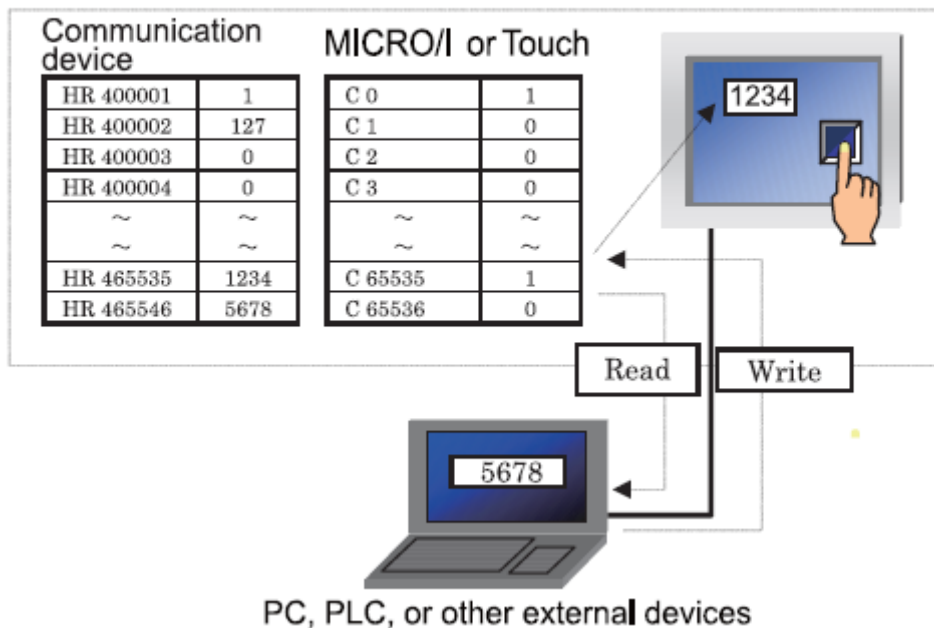
### 1.2. Operation of the Communication

The external device is capable of reading/writing to the FT1A Touch communication devices. It is also possible to read or write communication devices from the FT1A Touch.

### 1.3. Read/Write from the External Device

The external device is capable of reading or writing the data in the communication devices at the any timing.

## Conceptual Diagram of Communication



## 2. Devices

The following devices are available for Modbus RTU Slave function.

### Bit Device

Device Name	Device Symbol	Address Range	FT1A Touch Read/Write	External Device Read/Write	Address Gradual
Coil Status	C	1 - 4096	R/W	R/W	Decimal
Input Status	I	100001 - 104096	R/W	R	Decimal

### Word Device

Device Name	Device Symbol	Address Range	FT1A Touch Read/Write	External Device Read/Write	Address Gradual
Holding Register	HR	400001 - 404096	R/W	R/W	Decimal
Input Register	IR	300001 - 304096	R/W	R	Decimal

## 3. Settings

The settings of the Modbus RTU Slave function can be configured in the Configuration - System Setup - Project dialog boxes in WindO/I-NV3. The following table lists the configurable settings. Configure the settings according to the external device to be used.

Dialog Box - Tab	Settings	Description
Project Settings - Host I/F Driver or Communication Driver	Manufacturer	Select "Modicon".
	Host I/F Driver Communication Driver	Select "Modbus RTU Slave".
	Slave Address	Set FT1A Touch slave address.
Project Settings - Communication Interface	Protocol	When using the O/I Link, select "Enable".

## 4. Communication Format

This chapter describes the communication format of the Modbus RTU communication.

The Modbus RTU communication supports functions of the MODBUS APPLICATION PROTOCOL SPECIFICATION V1.1b3. For details about the communication methods, refer to the MODBUS over Serial Line Specification and Implementation Guide V1.02 as well as this manual.

### 4.1. Basic Format

The following table lists the basic format of communications. The same format applies to both requests and responses.

Data is processed as a byte sequences.

	Description
Idle	3.5 characters (*1)
Byte 0	Slave Address    Set FT1A Touch slave address
Byte 1	Function code (*2)
Byte 2-	Data (*3)
Byte n-1	CRC(*4)
Byte n	
Idle	3.5 characters

(\*1) Idle means no data flowing on the communication line.

RTU mode requires a minimum of 3.5-character-long idle time between frames to determine the beginning of a frame.

(\*2) Numbers assigned for functions such as reading and writing.

(\*3) Data required for each processing.

(\*4) CRC is calculated by the following method.

### CRC

RTU mode uses CRC check codes.

#### Modbus RTU Mode — Calculating the CRC-16 (cyclic redundancy checksum)

Calculate the BCC using CRC-16 for the range from the slave number to the byte immediately before the BCC. The generation polynomial is:  $X^{16} + X^{15} + X^2 + 1$ .

1. Take the exclusive OR (XOR) of FFFFh and the first 1-byte data at the slave number.
2. Shift the result by 1 bit to the right. When a carry occurs, take the exclusive OR (XOR) of A001h, then go to step 3.  
If not, directly go to step 3.
3. Repeat step 2, shifting 8 times.
4. Take the exclusive OR (XOR) of the result and the next 1-byte data.

5. Repeat step 2 through step 4 up to the byte immediately before the BCC.
6. Swap the higher and lower bytes of the result of step 5, and store the resultant CRC-16 to the BCC (CRC) position. (Example:1234h                      □ 34h, 12h)

## 4.2. Supported Function

The FT1A Touch supports the following functions.

Function code	Function name	Description
3	Read multiple registers	Reading of Holding Register (HR) consecutively
16(10Hex)	Write multiple registers	Writing to Holding Register (HR) consecutively
1	Read coils	Reading of Coil (C) consecutively
2	Read discrete inputs	Reading of Input Relay (I) consecutively
4	Read input registers	Reading of Input Register (IR) consecutively
5	Write coil	Writing to a single Coil (C)
6	Write single register	Writing to a single Holding Register (HR)

## 4.3. Function Details

The following section describes the details of the functions.

### 4.3.1. FC3 Read multiple registers

Reading of Holding Register (HR) consecutively

Request

byte 1	FC (Function code) = 03
byte 2 – 3	Reference No.
byte 4 – 5	Number of read words (1 to 125 words)

Normal response

byte 1	FC (Function code) = 03
byte 2	Number of bytes of the response (number of read words x 2)
byte 3~	Read data

Abnormal response

byte 1	FC (Function code) = 83 (HEX)
byte 2	Exception code 01 or 02

Example

Reading of HR400001 (1 word). The read value is 1234 (HEX).

03 00 00 00 01 => 03 02 12 34

### 4.3.2. FC16 Write multiple registers

Writing to Holding Register (HR) consecutively

Request

byte 1	FC (Function code) = 10 (HEX)
byte 2 - 3	Reference No.
byte 4 - 5	Number of write words (1 to 100 words)
byte 6	Number of write bytes (2 x number of write words)
byte 7 ~	Write data

Normal response

byte 1	FC (Function code) = 10(HEX)
byte 2 - 3	Reference No.
byte 4~	Number of write words

Abnormal response

byte 1	FC (Function code) = 90 (HEX)
byte 2	Exception code 01 or 02

Example

Writing to HR400001 (1 word). The write value is 1234 (HEX).

10 00 00 00 01 02 12 34 => 10 00 00 00 01

### 4.3.3. FC1 Read coils

Reading of Coil (C) consecutively

Request

byte 1	FC (Function code) = 01
byte 2 - 3	Reference No.
byte 4 - 5	Number of read bits (1 to 2000 bits)

Normal response

byte 1	FC (Function code) = 01
byte 2	Number of bytes for the response ((number of read bits +7)/8)
byte 3 ~	Read data

Abnormal response

byte 1	FC (Function code) = 81 (HEX)
byte 2	Exception code 01 or 02

Example

Reading of C1. 1 bit. The read value is 1.

01 00 00 00 01 => 01 01 01



### Data sequence of read value

When two or more data are read out, the read data are arranged starting from the lowest address by 8 bits (1 byte). Within any 1 byte, data in the lower address is set to the lower bit. The data in the unread bit becomes "0". For example, when reading an 11-bit data as shown below, the read value becomes 21 03.

Address	Data	Remarks
C 1	1	Data for the 1st byte Bit pattern= 00100001 = 21 (HEX)
C 2	0	
C 3	0	
C 4	0	
C 5	0	
C 6	1	
C 7	0	
C 8	0	
C 9	1	Data for 2nd byte Bit pattern 00000011 = 03 (HEX)
C 10	1	
C 11	0	
C 12	0	
C 13	0	
C 14	0	
C 15	0	
C 16	0	

#### 4.3.4. FC2 Read discrete inputs

Reading of Input Relay (I) consecutively

Request

byte 1	FC (Function code)=02
byte 2 - 3	Reference No.
byte 4 - 5	Number of read bits (1 to 2000 bits)

Normal response

byte 1	FC (Function code)=02
byte 2	Number of bytes for the response ((number of read bits+7)/8)
byte 3~	Read data

Abnormal response

byte 1	FC (Function code)=82 (HEX)
byte 2	Exception code 01 or 02

Example

Reading of I100001. 1 bit. The read value is 1.

02 00 00 00 01 => 02 01 01

The data sequence for the read value is similar to that of FC1 Read Coils.

#### 4.3.5. FC4 Read input registers

Reading of Input Register (IR) consecutively

Request

byte 1	FC (Function code)=04
byte 2 - 3	Reference No.
byte 4 - 5	Number of read words (1 to 125 words)

Normal response

byte 1	FC (Function code)=04
byte 2	Number of bytes for the response (number of read words x 2)
byte 3 ~	Read data

Abnormal response

byte 1	FC (Function code)=84 (HEX)
byte 2	Exception code 01 or 02

Example

Reading of IR300001 (1 word). The read value is 1234 (HEX).

04 00 00 00 01 => 04 02 12 34

#### 4.3.6. FC5 Write coil

Writing to a single Coil (C)

Request

byte 1	FC (Function code)=05
byte 2 - 3	Reference No.
byte 4	Write value (FF when write value is 1, and 00 when write value is 0)
byte 5	Fixed value 00

Normal response

byte 1	FC (Function code)=05
byte 2 - 3	Reference No.
byte 4	Write value (FF when write value is 1, and 00 when write value is 0)
byte 5	Fixed value 00

Abnormal response

byte 1	FC (Function code)=85 (HEX)
byte 2	Exception code 01 or 02

Example

Writing of C1 (1 bit). The write value is 1.

05 00 00 FF 00 => 05 00 00 FF 00

#### 4.3.7. FC6 Write single register

Writing to a single Holding Register (HR)

Request

byte 1	FC (Function code) = 06 (HEX)
byte 2 – 3	Reference No.
byte 4 – 5	Write data

Normal response

byte 1	FC (Function code) = 06 (HEX)
byte 2 – 3	Reference No.
byte 4 – 5	Write data

Abnormal response

byte 1	FC (Function code)=86 (HEX)
byte 2	Exception code 01 or 02

Example

Writing to HR400001. The write value is 1234 (HEX).

06 00 00 12 34 => 06 00 00 12 34