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## **Logix5000™ Controllers Motion Instructions**

**1756 ControlLogix®,  
1768 CompactLogix™,  
1789 SoftLogix™,  
20D PoweFlex®700S with  
DriveLogix™**

**Reference Manual**

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**WARNING**

Identifies information about practices or circumstances that can cause an explosion in a hazardous environment, which may lead to personal injury or death, property damage, or economic loss.

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**IMPORTANT**

Identifies information that is critical for successful application and understanding of the product.

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**ATTENTION**

Identifies information about practices or circumstances that can lead to personal injury or death, property damage, or economic loss. Attentions help you:

- identify a hazard
  - avoid a hazard
  - recognize the consequence
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**SHOCK HAZARD**

Labels may be located on or inside the equipment (e.g., drive or motor) to alert people that dangerous voltage may be present.

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**BURN HAZARD**

Labels may be located on or inside the equipment (e.g., drive or motor) to alert people that surfaces may be dangerous temperatures.

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### Introduction

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### Updated Information


This document contains the following changes:

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**Notes:**

## Introduction

This manual is one of several Logix5000-based instruction manuals.

<b>Task/Goal:</b>	<b>Documents:</b>
Program the controller for sequential applications	<i>Logix5000 Controllers General Instructions Reference Manual</i> , publication 1756-RM003
Program the controller for process or drives applications	<i>Logix5000 Controllers Process Control and Drives Instructions Reference Manual</i> , publication 1756-RM006
Program the controller for motion applications	<i>Logix5000 Controllers Motion Instructions Reference Manual</i> , publication 1756-RM007
<b>You are here</b> 	
Program the controller to use equipment phases	<i>PhaseManager User Manual</i> , publication LOGIX-UM001
Import a text file or tags into a project	<i>Logix5000 Controllers Import/Export Reference Manual</i> , publication 1756-RM084
Export a project or tags to a text file	
Convert a PLC-5 or SLC 500 application to a Logix5000 application	<i>Logix5550 Controller Converting PLC-5 or SLC 500 Logic to Logix5550 Logic Reference Manual</i> , publication 1756-6.8.5

You can use these Logix5000 controllers for motion control:

- 1756 ControlLogix® controllers
- 1768 CompactLogix™ controllers (available in the future)
- 1789 SoftLogix5800™ controllers
- 20D PoweFlex®700S with DriveLogix™ controllers

### **If you have a PoweFlex®700S with DriveLogix™ controller**

You can't use these instructions with a DriveLogix controller:

- Motion Direct Drive On (MDO)
- Motion Direct Drive Off (MDF)
- Motion Apply Axis Tuning (MAAT)
- Motion Run Axis Tuning (MRAT)
- Motion Apply Hookup Diagnostics (MAHD)
- Motion Run Hookup Diagnostics (MRHD)

## Who Should Use This Manual

This document provides a programmer with details about the motion instructions that are available for a Logix5000 controller. You should already be familiar with how the Logix5000 controller stores and processes data.

Novice programmers should read all the details about an instruction before using the instruction. Experienced programmers can refer to the instruction information to verify details.

## Purpose of This Manual

This manual provides information about each motion instruction.

<b>This section:</b>	<b>Provides this type of information:</b>
Instruction name	Identifies the instruction.  Defines whether the instruction is an input or an output instruction.
Operands	Lists all the operands of the instruction.
Structured Text	Describes the use of operands in Structured Text format.
Motion Instruction structure	Lists control status bits and values, if any, of the instruction.
Description	Describes the instruction's use.  Defines any differences when the instruction is enabled and disabled, if appropriate.
Arithmetic status flags	Defines whether or not the instruction affects arithmetic status flags.
Fault conditions	Defines whether or not the instruction generates minor or major faults.  if so, defines the fault type and code.
Error Codes	Lists and defines the applicable error codes.
Status Bits	Lists affected status bits, their states, and definitions.
Example	Provides at least one programming example.  Includes a description explaining each example.

## Sequential Function Chart (SFC)

A Sequential Function Chart is a flowchart that controls your machine or process. SFC uses steps and transitions to perform specific operations or actions. You can use SFC to:

- Organize the functional specification of your system.
- Program and control your system as a series of steps and transitions.

You gain the following advantages by using Sequential Function Chart (SFC).

- Graphical division of processes into major logic pieces.
- Faster repeated execution of individual pieces of your logic.
- A more simple screen display.
- Time to design and debug your program is reduced.
- Troubleshooting is faster and easier.
- Direct access to the point in the logic where the machine faulted.
- Easier to enhance and update.

For more detailed information about how to program and use SFC, see *Logix5000 Controllers Common Procedures Manual*, publication 1756-PM001.

## Conventions and Related Terms

### Set and clear

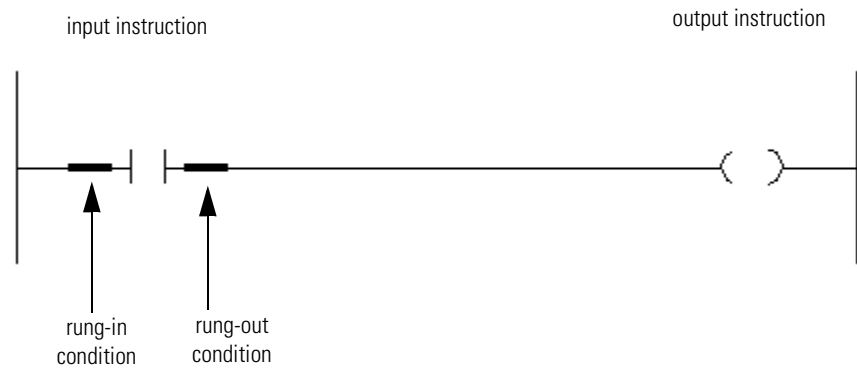
This manual uses set and clear to define the status of bits (booleans) and values (non-booleans):

This term:	Means:
set	the bit is set to 1 (ON) a value is set to any non-zero number
clear	the bit is cleared to 0 (OFF) all the bits in a value are cleared to 0

An instruction executes faster and requires less memory if all the operands of the instruction use the same optimal data type, typically DINT or REAL.

### Rung condition

The controller evaluates ladder instructions based on the rung condition preceding the instruction (rung-condition-in). Based on the rung-condition-in and the instruction, the controller sets the rung condition following the instruction (rung-condition-out), which in turn, affects any subsequent instruction.



If the rung-in condition to an input instruction is true, the controller evaluates the instruction and sets the rung-out condition based on the results of the instruction. If the instruction evaluates to true, the rung-out condition is true; if the instruction evaluates to false, the rung-out condition is false.



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## Motion Concepts

### Introduction

This chapter covers concepts that are common to all the motion instructions. It contains information on using motion parameters, instruction timing, types of timing sequences, and MOTION\_INSTRUCTION structure and its members.

The motion instruction set consists of six groups of instructions.

Group:	For more information, see:
Motion state instructions	Chapter 2
Motion move instructions	Chapter 3
Motion group instructions	Chapter 4
Motion event instructions	Chapter 5
Motion configuration instructions	Chapter 6
Coordinated Motion instructions	Chapter 7

These instructions operate on one or more axes. You must identify and configure axes before you can use them. For more information about configuring an axis, refer to the *ControlLogix Motion Module Setup and Configuration Manual*, publication 1756-UM006.

### Using Motion Parameters

#### Motion Status and Configuration Parameters

You can read motion status and configuration parameters in your ladder logic program using two methods.

Method	Example	For more information
Directly accessing the MOTION_GROUP and AXIS structures	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>axis faults</li> <li>motion status</li> <li>servo status</li> </ul>	See appendix A structures
Using the GSV instruction	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>actual position</li> <li>command position</li> <li>actual velocity</li> </ul>	See <i>Logix5000 Controller Instruction Set Reference Manual</i> , Publication 1756-RM003.

#### Modifying Motion Configuration Parameters

In your ladder logic program, you can modify motion configuration parameters using the SSV instruction. For example, you can change position loop gain, velocity loop gain, and current limits.

For more information about the SSV instruction, see the *Logix5000 Controller Instruction Set Reference Manual*, publication 1756-RM003.

For more information about motion instructions and creating application programs, see the *ControlLogix Motion Module Setup and Configuration Manual*, publication 1756-UM006.

## Instruction Timing

Motion instructions use three types of timing sequences.

Timing type:	Description:
Immediate	The instruction completes in one scan.
Message	The instruction completes over several scans because the instruction sends messages to the servo module.
Process	The instruction could take an indefinite amount of time to complete.

**Immediate Type Instructions** Immediate type motion instructions execute to completion in one scan. If the controller detects an error during the execution of these instructions, the error status bit sets and the operation ends.

Examples of immediate type instructions include the:

- Motion Change Dynamics (MCD) instruction
- Motion Group Strobe Position (MGSP) instruction

Immediate instructions work as follows:

1. When the rung that contains the motion instruction becomes true, the controller:
  - Sets the enable (.EN) bit.
  - Clears the done (.DN) bit.
  - Clears the error (.ER) bit.

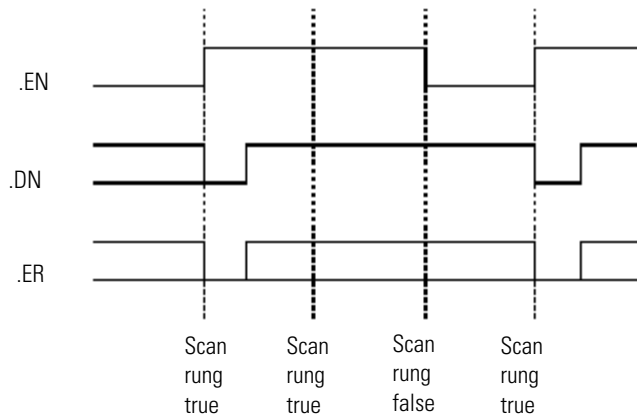
The controller executes the instruction completely.

2.

If the controller:	Then:
Does not detect an error when the instruction executes	The controller sets the .DN bit.
Detects an error when the instruction executes	The controller sets the .ER bit and stores an error code in the control structure.

3. The next time the rung becomes false after either the .DN or .ER bit sets, the controller clears the .EN bit.

- The controller can execute the instruction again when the rung becomes true.



**Figure 1.1 Immediate Type Instructions - Rung Conditions**

**Message Type Instructions** Message type motion instructions send one or more messages to the servo module.

Examples of message type instructions include the:

- Motion Direct Drive On (MDO) instruction
- Motion Redefine Position (MRP) instruction

Message type instructions work as follows:

- When the rung that contains the motion instruction becomes true, the controller:
  - Sets the enable (.EN) bit.
  - Clears the done (.DN) bit.
  - Clears the error (.ER) bit.
- The controller begins to execute the instruction by setting up a message request to the servo module.
 

The remainder of the instruction executes in parallel to the program scan.
- The controller checks if the servo module is ready to receive a new message.
- The controller places the results of the check in the message status word of the control structure.
- When the module is ready, the controller constructs and transmits the message to the module.

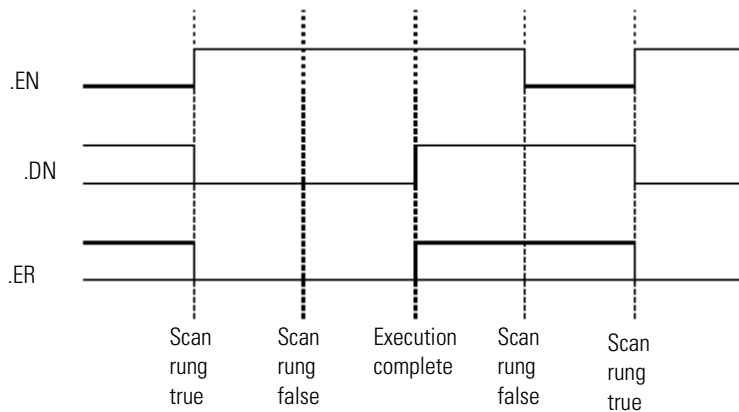
This process may repeat several times if the instruction requires multiple messages.

6.

If the controller:	Then:
Does not detect an error when the instruction executes	The controller sets the .DN bit if all messaging to the module is completed.
Detects an error when the instruction executes	The controller sets the .ER bit and stores an error code in the control structure.

7. The next time the rung becomes false after either the .DN or .ER bit sets, the controller clears the .EN bit.

8. When the rung becomes true, the controller can execute the instruction again.



**Figure 1.2 Message Type Instructions - Rung Conditions**

**Process Type Instructions** Process type motion instructions initiate motion processes that can take an indefinite amount of time to complete.

Examples of process type instructions include the:

- Motion Arm Watch Position (MAW) instruction
- Motion Axis Move (MAM) instruction

Process type instructions work as follows:

1. When the rung that contains the motion instruction becomes true, the controller:
  - Sets the enable (.EN) bit.
  - Clears the done (.DN) bit.
  - Clears the error (.ER) bit.
  - Clears the process complete (.PC) bit.



- Sets the in process (.IP) bit.

2. The controller initiates the motion process.

3.

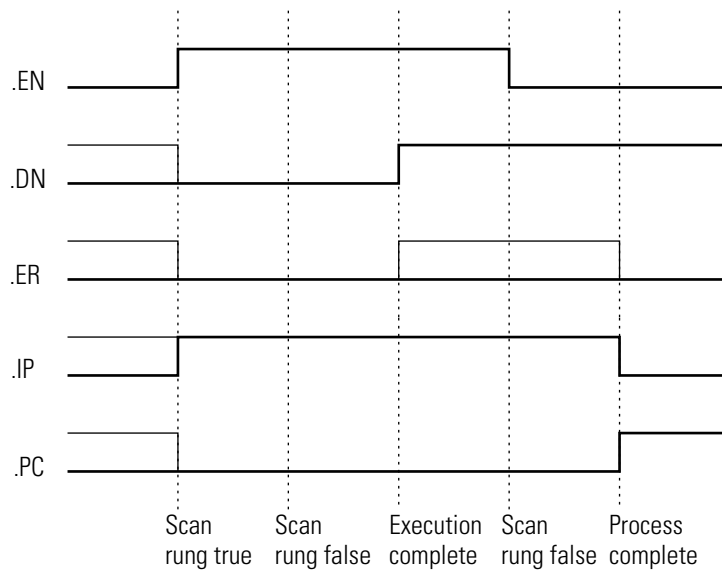
<b>If:</b>	<b>Then the controller:</b>
The controller does not detect an error when the instruction executes	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Sets the .DN bit.</li> <li>• Sets the in process (.IP) bit.</li> </ul>
The controller detects an error when the instruction executes	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Sets the .ER bit.</li> <li>• Stores an error code in the control structure.</li> </ul>
The controller detects another instance of the motion instruction	Clears the .IP bit for that instance.
The motion process reaches the point where the instruction can be executed again	Sets the .DN bit.  For some process type instructions, like MAM, this occurs on the first scan. For others, like MAH, the .DN bit is not set until the entire homing process is complete.
One of the following occurs during the motion process: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The motion process completes</li> <li>• Another instance of the instruction executes</li> <li>• Another instruction stops the motion process</li> <li>• A motion fault stops the motion process</li> </ul>	Clears the .IP bit.

4. After the initiation of the motion process, the program scan can continue.

The remainder of the instruction and the control process continue in parallel with the program scan.

5. The next time the rung becomes false after either the .DN bit or the .ER bit sets, the controller clears the .EN bit.

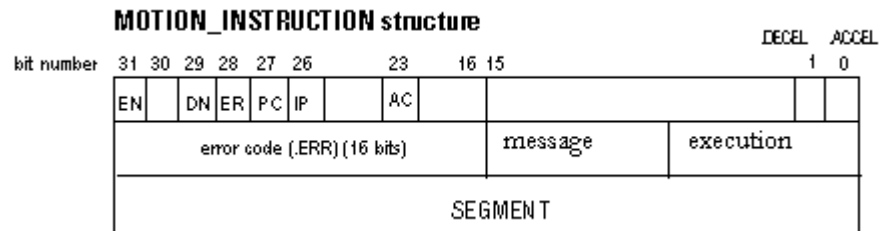
6. When the rung becomes true, the instruction can execute again.



**Figure 1.3 Process Type Instructions - Rung Conditions**

## Using the Motion Instruction Structure

The controller uses the `MOTION_INSTRUCTION` structure to store status information during the execution of motion instructions. Every motion instruction has an operand that requires a motion instruction structure. For each motion instruction you use, you must define a unique motion instruction structure. The structure of the motion instruction structure is shown below:



**Figure 1.4 Motion instruction Structure**

### Motion Instruction Structure

Mnemonic:	Data Type:	Description:
.EN	BOOL	The enable bit indicates that the instruction is enabled ( the rung-in and rung-out condition is true).
.DN	BOOL	The done bit indicates that all calculations and messaging (if any) are complete.
.ER	BOOL	The error bit indicates when the instruction is used illegally.
.IP	BOOL	The in process bit indicates that a process is being executed.
.PC	BOOL	The process complete bit indicates that the operation is complete.  The .DN bit sets after an instruction has completed execution. The .PC bit sets when the initiated process has completed.
.AC	BOOL	The Active Bit lets you know which instruction is controlling the motion when you have instructions queued. It sets when the instruction becomes active. It is reset when the Process Complete bit is set or when the instruction is stopped.
.ACCEL	BOOL	The .ACCEL bit indicates that the velocity has increased for the individual instruction that it is tied to i.e jog, move, gearing
.DECEL	BOOL	The .DECEL bit indicates that the velocity has decreased for the individual instruction that it is tied to i.e jog, move, gearing.
.ERR	INT	The error value contains the error code associated with a motion function. See page 1-8.
.STATUS	SINT	The message status value indicates the status condition of any message associated with the motion function. See page 1-10.

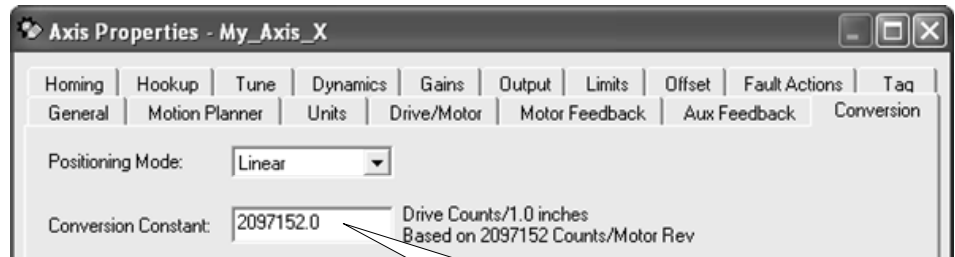
<b>Mnemonic:</b>	<b>Data Type:</b>	<b>Description:</b>
.STATE	SINT	The execution status value keeps track of the execution state of a function. Many motion functions have several steps and this value tracks these steps.
.SEGMENT	DINT	A segment is the distance from one point up to but, not including the next point. A .SEGMENT gives the relative position by segment number as the Cam is executing.

### Error codes (.ERR)

<b>Error Code</b>	<b>Error Message</b>	<b>Description</b>
1	Reserved Error Code 1	Reserved for future use.
2	Reserved Error Code 2	Reserved for future use
3	Execution Collision	The instruction tried to execute while another instance of this instruction was executing. This can occur when the controller executes a messaging instruction without checking the .DN bit of the preceding instruction.
4	Servo On State Error	The instruction tried to execute on an axis with a closed servo loop.
5	Servo Off State Error	The instruction tried to execute on an axis with a servo loop that is not closed.
6	Drive On State Error	The axis drive is enabled.
7	Shutdown State Error	The axis is in the shutdown state.
8	Illegal Axis Type	The configured axis type is not correct.
9	Overtravel Condition	The instruction tried to execute in a direction that aggravates the current overtravel condition.
10	Master Axis Conflict	The master axis reference is the same as the slave axis reference.
11	Axis Not Configured	At least one axis is not configured to a physical motion module or has not been assigned to a Motion Group.
12	Servo Message Failure	Messaging to the servo module failed.
13	Parameter Out Of Range	The instruction tried to use a parameter that is outside the range limit.
14	Tune Process Error	The instruction cannot apply the tuning parameters because of an error in the run tuning instruction.
15	Test Process Error	The instruction cannot apply the diagnostic parameters because of an error in the run diagnostic test instruction.
16	Home In Process Error	The instruction tried to execute with homing in progress.
17	Axis Mode Not Rotary	The instruction tried to execute a rotary move on an axis that is not configured for rotary operation.
18	Axis Type Unused	The axis type is configured as unused.
19	Group Not Synchronized	The motion group is not in the synchronized state. This could be caused by a missing servo module or a misconfiguration.
20	Axis In Faulted State	The axis is in the faulted state.
21	Group In Faulted State	The group is in the faulted state.
22	Axis In Motion	An MSO (Motion Servo On) or MAH (Motion Axis Home) instruction was attempted while the axis was in motion.
23	Illegal Dynamic Change	An instruction attempted an illegal change of dynamics.

<b>Error Code</b>	<b>Error Message</b>	<b>Description</b>
24	Illegal AC Mode Op	The controller attempted to execute an MDO, MSO, MAH, MAJ, MAM, MCD, MAPC, MATC, MAG, MRAT, or MRHD instruction when the controller was in the test mode.
25	Illegal Instruction	You attempted to execute an instruction that is not correct.
26	Illegal Cam Length	The cam array is of an illegal length.
27	Illegal Cam Profile Length	The cam profile array is of an illegal length.
28	Illegal Cam Type	You have an illegal segment type in the cam element.
29	Illegal Cam Order	You have an illegal order of cam elements.
30	Cam Profile Being Calculated	You tried to execute a cam profile while it is being calculated.
31	Cam Profile Being Used	The cam profile array you tried to execute is in use.
32	Cam Profile Not Calculated	The cam profile array you tried to execute has not been calculated.
33	Position Cam Not Enabled	It attempted to execute an MAH instruction without a position cam in process.
34	Registration in Progress	A MAH instruction is trying to start while a registration is already running.
35	Illegal Execution Target	Either the Logix controller or the Output Cam module does not support the specified Output Cam, axis, input or output.
36	Illegal Output Cam	Either the size of the Output Cam array is not supported or the value of one of its members is out of range.
37	Illegal Output Compensation	Either the size of the Output Compensation array is not supported or the value of one of its members is out of range.
38	Illegal Axis Data Type	The axis data type is illegal. It is incorrect for the operation.
39	Process Conflict	You have a conflict in your process. Test and Tune cannot be run at the same time.
40	Drive Locally Disabled	You are trying to run a MSO or MAH instruction when the drive is locally disabled.
41	Illegal Homing Config	The Homing configuration is illegal. You have an absolute homing instruction when the Homing sequence is not immediate.
42	Shutdown Status Timeout	The MASD or MGSD instruction has timed out because it did not receive the shutdown status bit. Usually a programmatic problem caused when either MASD or MGSD is followed by a reset instruction which is initiated before the shutdown bit has been received by the shutdown instruction.
43	Coordinate System Queue Full	You have tried to activate more motion instructions than the instruction queue can hold.
44	Circular Collinearity Error	You have drawn a line with three (3) points and no centerpoint (viapoint) or plane (centerpoint) can be determined.
45	Circular Start End Error	You have specified one (1) point (radius) or "drawn a line" (centerpoint, viapoint) and no centerpoint (radius) or plane (centerpoint, viapoint) can be determined.
46	Circular R1 R2 Mismatch Error	The programmed centerpoint is not equidistant from start and end point.
47	Circular Infinite Solution Error	Call Rockwell Automation Technical Support
48	Circular No Solutions Error	Call Rockwell Automation Technical Support
49	Circular Small R Error	$ R  < 0.01$ . R is basically too small to be used in computations.
50	Coordinate System Not in Group	The coordinate system tag is not associated with a motion group.
51	Invalid Actual Tolerance	You have set your Termination Type to Actual Position with a value of 0. This value is not supported.

Error Code	Error Message	Description
52	Coordination Motion In Process Error	At least one axis is currently undergoing coordinated motion in another coordinated system.
54	Zero Max Decel	You have set the Decel Rate to zero. This is an illegal value for Decel Rate which, inhibits start motion.
65	The selected axis exceeded the maximum system travel limits (position overflowed)	The axis moved too far and the controller can't store the position. The range for position depends on the conversion constant of the axis.



- Maximum positive position = 2,147,483,647 / conversion constant of the axis
- Maximum negative position = -2,147,483,648 / conversion constant of the axis

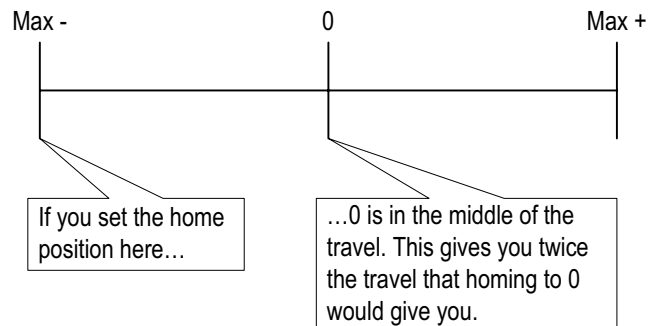
Suppose you have a conversion constant of 2,097,152 counts/inch. In that case:

- Maximum positive position = 2,147,483,647 / 2,097,152 counts/inch = 1023 inches
- Maximum negative position = -2,147,483,648 / 2,097,152 counts/inch = -1023 inches

To prevent this error:

- Set up soft travel limits that keep the axis within the position range.
- One way to get more travel is to use the max negative or max positive position as your home position.

Example



**Message Status (.STATUS)**

<b>Message Status:</b>	<b>Description:</b>
0x0	The message was successful.
0x1	The module is processing another message.
0x2	The module is waiting for a response to a previous message.
0x3	The response to a message failed.
0x4	The module is not ready for messaging.

**Execution Status (.STATE)** The execution status is always set to 0 when the controller sets the.EN bit for a motion instruction. Other execution states depend on the motion instruction.

**Profile Segment (.SEGMENT)** A segment is the distance from one point up to but, not including the next point. A.SEGMENT instruction gives the relative position by segment number as the Cam is executing.

**Notes:**



## Motion State Instructions

(MSO, MSF, MASD, MASR, MDO, MDF, MAFR)

### ATTENTION



Tags used for the motion control attribute of instructions should only be used once. Re-use of the motion control tag in other instructions can cause unintended operation. This may result in damage to equipment or personal injury.

## Introduction

Motion state control instructions directly control or change the operating states of an axis. The motion state instructions are:

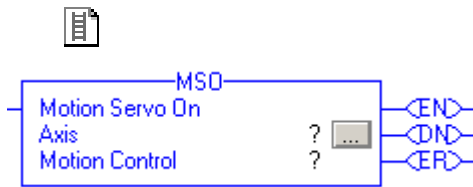
If you want to:	Use this instruction:	Available in these languages:
Enable the servo drive and activate the axis servo loop.	MSO	relay ladder structured text
Disable the servo drive and deactivate the axis servo loop.	MSF	relay ladder structured text
Force an axis into the shutdown operating state. Once the axis is in the shutdown operating state, the controller will block any instructions that initiate axis motion.	MASD	relay ladder structured text
Change an axis from an existing shutdown operating state to an axis ready operating state. If all of the axes of a servo module are removed from the shutdown state as a result of this instruction, the OK relay contacts for the module will close.	MASR	relay ladder structured text
Enable the servo drive and set the servo output voltage of an axis.	MDO	relay ladder structured text
Deactivate the servo drive and set the servo output voltage to the output offset voltage.	MDF	relay ladder structured text
Clear all motion faults for an axis.	MAFR	relay ladder structured text

The five operating states of an axis are:

<b>Operating State:</b>	<b>Description:</b>
Axis ready	This is the normal power-up state of the axis. In this state: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• the servo module drive enable output is inactive.</li> <li>• servo action is disabled.</li> <li>• no servo faults are present.</li> </ul>
Direct drive control	This operating state allows the servo module DAC to directly control an external drive. In this state: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• the servo module drive enable output is active.</li> <li>• position servo action is disabled.</li> </ul>
Servo control	This operating state allows the servo module to perform closed loop motion. In this state: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• the servo module drive enable output is active.</li> <li>• servo action is enabled.</li> <li>• the axis is forced to maintain the commanded servo position.</li> </ul>
Axis faulted	In this operating state, a servo fault is present, and the status of the drive enable output, the action of the servo, and the condition of the OK contact depend on the faults and fault actions that are present.
Shutdown	This operating state allows the OK relay contacts to open a set of contacts in the E-stop string of the drive power supply. In this state: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• the servo module drive enable output is inactive.</li> <li>• servo action is disabled.</li> <li>• the OK contact is open.</li> </ul>

## Motion Servo On (MSO)

Use the MSO instruction to activate the drive amplifier for the specified axis and to activate the axis' servo control loop.

**Operands: Relay Ladder**

Operand:	Type:	Format:	Description:
Axis	AXIS_GENERIC AXIS_SERVO AXIS_SERVO_DRIVE	tag	Name of the axis to perform operation on.
Motion control	MOTION_INSTRUCTION	tag	Structure used to access instruction status parameters.



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The operands are the same as those for the relay ladder MSO instruction.

**MOTION\_INSTRUCTION Structure**

Mnemonic:	Description:
.EN (Enable) Bit 31	It is set when the rung makes a false-to-true transition and remains set until the servo message transaction is completed and the rung goes false.
.DN (Done) Bit 29	It is set when the axis' servo action has been successfully enabled and the drive enable and servo active status bits have been set.
.ER (Error) Bit 28	It is set to indicate that the instruction detected an error, such as if you specified an unconfigured axis.

**Description:** The Motion Servo On (MSO) instruction directly activates the drive and enables the configured servo loops associated with a physical servo axis. It can be used anywhere in a program, but should not be used while the axis is moving. If this is attempted, the MSO instruction generates an “Axis in Motion” error.

The MSO instruction automatically enables the specified axis by activating the drive and by activating the associated servo loop. The resulting state of the axis is referred to the Servo Control state.

The most common use of this instruction is to activate the servo loop for the specified axis in its current position in preparation for commanding motion.

To successfully execute a MSO instruction, the targeted axis must be configured as a Servo axis. If this condition is not met the instruction errors.

**IMPORTANT**

The MSO instruction execution may take multiple scans to execute because it requires transmission of a message to the motion module and time for the drive output to stabilize and the servo loop to activate. The Done (.DN) bit is not set immediately, but only after the axis is in the Servo Control state.

This is a transitional instruction:

- In relay ladder, toggle the rung-condition-in from cleared to set each time the instruction should execute.
- In structured text, condition the instruction so that it only executes on a transition. See Appendix C.

**Arithmetic Status Flags:** not affected

**Fault Conditions:** none

**Error Codes: MSO Error Codes (.ERR)**

<b>Error Message:</b>	<b>Code:</b>	<b>Description:</b>
Execution Collision	3	Attempted execution on an axis that already has another instance of this instruction executing. This situation is possible when instructions that require messaging are executed without Done (.DN) bit 29 run qualification.
Shutdown State Error	7	Attempted execution with the axis in the Shutdown state.
Illegal Axis Type	8	Attempted execution with the axis not configured as servo.
Axis Not Configured	11	Passed axis value references an unconfigured axis meaning the axis has not been assigned to either a physical motion module channel or to a motion group.
Servo Message Failure	12	Messaging to targeted motion module failed.  See Extended Error section for more information on the cause of the error.
Axis Group Not Synchronized	19	Attempted execution on an axis whose associated axis group is not currently synchronized.

Error Message:	Code:	Description:
Axis in Faulted State	20	Attempted execution on an axis, which is in the Faulted state.
Group in Faulted State	21	Attempted execution on an axis, which is in a group, which is in the Faulted state.
Axis in Motion	22	Attempted execution on an axis, which is in motion.
Illegal Controller Mode Operation	24	Attempted execution when the processor is in test mode.
Illegal Axis Data Type	38	Attempted execution on an axis with an axis data type that does not support the instruction.
Drive Locally Disabled	40	You are trying to run an MSO instruction when the drive is locally disabled.

**Extended Error Codes:** Extended Error Codes provide additional instruction specific information for the Error Codes that are generic to many instructions. The following Extended Error codes help to pinpoint the problem when the MSO instruction receives a Servo Message Failure (12) error message.

Extended Error Code (decimal)	Associated Error Code (decimal)	Meaning
Object Mode conflict (12)	SERVO_MESSAGE_FAILURE (12)	Axis is in shutdown.
Permission Denied (15)	SERVO_MESSAGE_FAILURE (12)	Enable input switch error. (SERCOS)
Device in wrong state (16)	SERVO_MESSAGE_FAILURE (12)	Device state not correct for action. (SERCOS)

### MSO Changes to Status Bits **Axis Status Bits**

Bit Name:	State:	Meaning:
ServoActStatus	TRUE	Axis is in Servo Control state with the servo loop active.
DriveEnableStatus	TRUE	The axis drive enable output is active.

### Motion Status Bits

None

**Example:** When the input conditions are true, the controller enables the servo drive and activates the axis servo loop configured by *axis1*.

### Relay Ladder

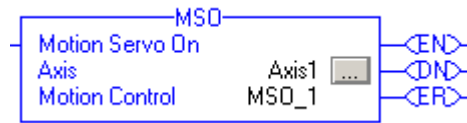


Figure 2.1 MSO Ladder Example

### Structured Text

```
MSO(Axis0,MSO_1);
```

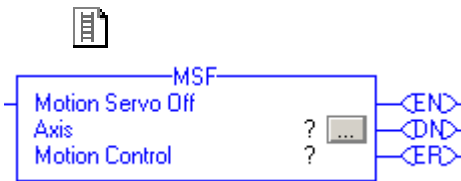
## Motion Servo Off (MSF)

Use the MSF instruction to deactivate the drive output for the specified axis and to deactivate the axis' servo loop.

**IMPORTANT**

If you execute an MSF instruction while the axis is moving, the axis coasts to an uncontrolled stop.

### Operands: Relay Ladder



Operand:	Type:	Format:	Description:
Axis	AXIS_GENERIC AXIS_SERVO AXIS_SERVO_DRIVE	tag	Name of the axis to perform action upon.
Motion control	MOTION_INSTRUCTION	tag	Structure used to access instruction status parameters.

### Structured Text

```
MSF(Axis,MotionControl);
```

The operands are the same as those for the relay ladder MSF instruction.

## MOTION\_INSTRUCTION Structure

Mnemonic:	Description:
.EN (Enable) Bit 31	It is set when the rung makes a false-to-true transition and remains set until the servo message transaction is completed and the rung goes false.
.DN (Done) Bit 29	It is set when the axis' servo action been successfully disabled and the drive enable and servo active status bits have both been cleared.
.ER (Done) Bit 28	It is set to indicate that the instruction detected an error, such as if you specified an unconfigured axis.

**Description:** The Motion Servo Off (MSF) instruction directly and immediately turns off drive output and disables the servo loop on any physical servo axis. This places the axis in the Axis Ready state. The MSF instruction also disables any motion planners that may be active at the time of execution. The MSF instruction requires no parameters – simply enter or select the desired axis.

If the targeted axis does not appear in the list of available axes, the axis has not been configured for operation. Use the Tag Editor to create and configure a new axis.

You can use the MSF instruction to turn servo action **OFF** when you must move the axis by hand. Since the position continues to be tracked even with servo action **OFF**. When the servo loop is turned **ON** again, by the MSO instruction, the axis is again under closed-loop control, at the new position.

**Note:** The axis stopping behavior varies depending upon the type of drive. In some cases the axis coasts to a stop and in other cases the axis decelerates to a stop using the drive's available stopping torque.

To execute an MSF instruction successfully, the targeted axis must be configured as a Servo axis. If this condition is not met, the instruction errs. IF you have an Axis Type of Virtual the instructions errors because with a Virtual Axis the servo action and drive enable status are forced to always be true. A Consumed axis data type also errors

because only the producing controller can change the state of a consumed axis.

**IMPORTANT**

The MSF instruction execution may take multiple scans to execute because it requires transmission of a message to the motion module and time for the drive output and servo loop to be fully deactivated. The Done (.DN) bit is not set until this message has been successfully transmitted and the axis transitions to the Axis Ready state.

This is a transitional instruction:

- In relay ladder, toggle the rung-condition-in from cleared to set each time the instruction should execute.
- In structured text, condition the instruction so that it only executes on a transition. See Appendix C.

**Arithmetic Status Flags:** not affected

**Fault Conditions:** none

**Error Codes: MSF Error Codes (.ERR)**

<b>Error Message:</b>	<b>Code:</b>	<b>Description:</b>
Execution Collision	3	Attempted execution on an axis that already has another instance of this instruction executing. This situation is possible when instructions that require messaging are executed without Done (.DN) bit 29 run qualification.
Illegal Axis Type	8	Attempted execution with the axis not configured as servo.
Axis Not Configured	11	Passed axis value references an unconfigured axis meaning the axis has not been assigned to a physical motion module channel.
Servo Message Failure	12	Messaging to targeted motion module failed.
Axis Group Not Synchronized	19	Attempted execution on an axis whose associated axis group is not currently synchronized.
Illegal Axis Data Type	38	Attempted execution on an axis with an Axis Data Type that is not supported by the instruction.



## MSF Changes to Status Bits: Axis Status Bits

Bit Name	State	Meaning
ServoActionStatus	FALSE	Axis is in Servo On state with the servo loop active.
DecelStatus	FALSE	Axis Drive Enable output is active.

## Motion Status Bits

Bit Name	State	Meaning
AccelStatus	FALSE	Axis is not Accelerating.
DecelStatus	FALSE	Axis is not Decelerating.
MoveStatus	FALSE	Axis is not Moving.
JogStatus	FALSE	Axis is not Jogging.
GearingStatus	FALSE	Axis is not Gearing.
HomingStatus	FALSE	Axis is not Homing.
StoppingStatus	FALSE	Axis is not Stopping.
PositionCamStatus	FALSE	Axis is not Position Camming.
TimeCamStatus	FALSE	Axis is not Time Camming.
PositionCamPendingStatus	FALSE	Axis does not have a Position Cam Pending.
TimeCamPendingStatus	FALSE	Axis does not have a Time Cam Pending.
GearingLockStatus	FALSE	Axis is not in a Gear Locked condition.
PositionCamLockStatus	FALSE	Axis is not in a Cam Locked condition.

**Example:** When the input conditions are true, the controller disables the servo drive and the axis servo loop configured by *Axis0*.

### Relay Ladder

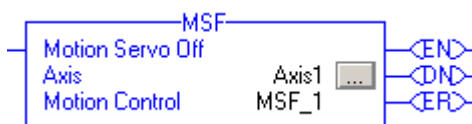


Figure 2.2 MSF Ladder Example

### Structured Text

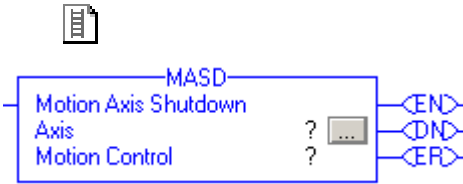
```
MSF(Axis0,MSF_1);
```

## Motion Axis Shutdown (MASD)

Use the MASD instruction to force a specified axis into the Shutdown state. The Shutdown state of an axis is the condition where the drive output is disabled, servo loop deactivated, and any available or

associated OK solid-state relay contacts open. The axis will remain in the Shutdown state until either an Axis or Group Shutdown Reset is executed.

**Operands: Relay Ladder**



Operand:	Type:	Format:	Description:
Axis	AXIS_FEEDBACK AXIS_VIRTUAL AXIS_GENERIC AXIS_SERVO AXIS_SERVO_DRIVE	tag	The name of the axis to perform operation on.
Motion control	MOTION_INSTRUCTION	tag	Structure used to access instruction status parameters.



MASD(Axis,MotionControl);

**Structured Text**

The operands are the same as those for the relay ladder MASD instruction.

**MOTION\_INSTRUCTION Structure**

Mnemonic:	Description:
.EN (Enable) Bit 31	It is set when the rung makes a false-to-true transition and remains set until the servo message transaction is completed and the rung goes false.
.DN (Done) Bit 29	It is set when the axis have been successfully set to Shutdown state.
.ER (Error) Bit 28	It is set to indicate that the instruction detected an error, such as if you specified an unconfigured axis.

**Description:** The Motion Axis Shutdown (MASD) instruction directly and immediately disables drive output, disables the servo loop, and opens any associated OK contacts. This action places the axis into the Shutdown state.

Another action initiated by the MASD instruction is the clearing of all motion processes in progress and the clearing of all the motion status bits. Associated with this action, the command also clears all motion instruction IP bits that are currently set for the targeted axis.

The MASD instruction forces the targeted axis into the Shutdown state. One of the unique characteristics of the Shutdown state is that, when available, the OK solid state relay contact for the motion module or

drive is Open. This feature can be used to open up the E-Stop string that controls main power to the drive system. Note that there is typically only one OK contact per motion module which means that execution of an MASD instruction for either axis associated with a given module opens the OK contact.

Another characteristic of the Shutdown state is that any instruction that initiates axis motion is blocked from execution. Attempts to do so result in an execution error. Only by executing one of the Shutdown Reset instructions can motion be successfully initiated.

To successfully execute a MASD instruction, the targeted axis must be configured as either a Servo or Feedback Only axis. If not, the instruction errs.

The axis remains in the shutdown state until either a Motion Axis Shutdown Reset (MASR) instruction or a Motion Group Shutdown Reset (MGSR) instruction executes.

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**IMPORTANT**

The MASD instruction execution may take multiple scans to execute because it requires transmission of a message to the motion module. Thus, the Done (.DN) bit is not set until after this message is successfully transmitted and the axis is in the Shutdown state.

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This is a transitional instruction:

- In relay ladder, toggle the rung-condition-in from cleared to set each time the instruction should execute.
- In structured text, condition the instruction so that it only executes on a transition. See Appendix C.

**Arithmetic Status Flags:** not affected

**Fault Conditions:** none

**Error Codes: MASD Error Codes (.ERR)**

<b>Error Message:</b>	<b>Code:</b>	<b>Description:</b>
Execution Collision	3	Attempted execution on an axis that already has another instance of this instruction executing. This situation is possible when instructions that require messaging are executed without Done (.DN) bit 29 run qualification.
Axis Not Configured	11	Passed axis value references an unconfigured axis meaning the axis has not been assigned to a physical motion module channel.
Servo Message Failure	12	Messaging to targeted motion module failed.
Axis Type Unused	18	Attempted execution on an axis that is not configured for use according the current Axis Type configuration attribute.
Axis Group Not Synchronized	19	Attempted execution on an axis whose associated axis group is not currently synchronized.
Illegal axis Data Type	38	You attempted to execute an instruction on an Axis Data Type that is not supported by the instruction.
Shutdown Status Time Out	42	The MASD instruction failed to detect the assertion of the Shutdown Status Bit within the established fixed delay time period.

**MASD Changes to Status Bits: Axis Status Bits**

<b>Bit Name:</b>	<b>State:</b>	<b>Meaning:</b>
ServoActStatus	FALSE	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The axis is in the axis ready state.</li> <li>• The servo loop is inactive.</li> </ul>
DriveEnableStatus	FALSE	The drive enable output is inactive.
ShutdownStatus	TRUE	The axis is in the shutdown state.

**Motion Status Bits**

<b>Bit Name</b>	<b>State</b>	<b>Meaning</b>
AccelStatus	FALSE	Axis is not Accelerating
DecelStatus	FALSE	Axis is not Decelerating
MoveStatus	FALSE	Axis is not Moving
JogStatus	FALSE	Axis is not Jogging
GearingStatus	FALSE	Axis is not Gearing
HomingStatus	FALSE	Axis is not Homing
StoppingStatus	FALSE	Axis is not Stopping
PositionCamStatus	FALSE	Axis is not Position Camming
TimeCamStatus	FALSE	Axis is not Time Camming

Bit Name	State	Meaning
PositionCamPendingStatus	FALSE	Axis does not have a Position Cam Pending.
TimeCamPendingStatus	FALSE	Axis does not have a Time Cam Pending.
GearingLockStatus	FALSE	Axis is not in a Gear Locked condition
PositionCamLockStatus	FALSE	Axis is not in a Cam Locked condition

**Example:** When the input conditions are true, the controller forces *axis1* into the shutdown operating state.

### Relay Ladder



**Figure 2.3 MASD Ladder Example**

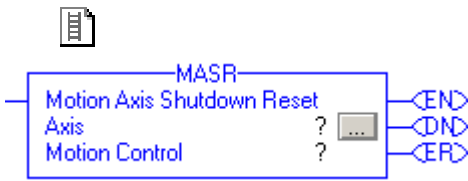
### Structured Text

```
MASD(Axis0,MASD_1);
```

## Motion Axis Shutdown Reset (MASR)

Use the MASR instruction to transition an axis from an existing Shutdown state to an Axis Ready state. All faults associated with the specified axis are automatically cleared. If, as a result of this instruction, all axes of the associated motion module are no longer in the Shutdown condition, the OK relay contacts for the module close.

**Operands: Relay Ladder**



Operand:	Type:	Format:	Description:
Axis	AXIS_FEEDBACK AXIS_VIRTUAL AXIS_GENERIC AXIS_SERVO AXIS_SERVO_DRIVE	tag	Name of the axis to perform operation on.
Motion control	MOTION_INSTRUCTION	tag	Structure used to access instruction status parameters.



MASR(Axis,MotionControl);

**Structured Text**

The operands are the same as those for the relay ladder MASR instruction.

**MOTION\_INSTRUCTION Structure**

Mnemonic:	Description:
.EN (Enable) Bit 31	It is set when the rung makes a false-to-true transition and remains set until the servo message transaction is completed and the rung goes false.
.DN (Done) Bit 29	It is set when the axis is successfully reset from Shutdown state.
.ER (Error) Bit 28	It is set to indicate that the instruction detected an error, such as if you specified an unconfigured axis.

**Description:** The Motion Axis Shutdown Reset (MASR) instruction clears all axis faults and takes the specified axis out of the Shutdown state. If the motion module supports an OK contact, and no other module axis is in the Shutdown state, the MASR instruction results in closure of the module’s OK solid-state relay contact. Regardless of the OK contact condition, execution of the MASR places the axis into the Axis Ready state.

Just as the MASD instruction forces the targeted axis into the Shutdown state, the MASR instruction takes the axis out of the Shutdown state into the Axis Ready state. One of the unique characteristics of the Shutdown state is that any associated OK solid state relay contact for the motion module is Open. If, as a result of an MASR instruction there are no axes associated with a given motion module in the Shutdown state, the OK relay contacts close as a result of the MASR. This feature can be used to close the E-Stop string that controls main power to the drive system and, thus, permit the customer to reapply power to the drive. Note that there is typically

only one OK contact per motion module which means that execution of the MASR instruction may be required for all axes associated with a given module for the OK contact to close.

To successfully execute a MASR instruction, the targeted axis must be configured as either a Servo or Feedback Only axis. Otherwise, the instruction errs.

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**IMPORTANT**

The MASR instruction execution may take multiple scans to execute because it requires transmission of a message to the motion module. Thus, the Done (.DN) bit is not set until after the message has been successfully transmitted.

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This is a transitional instruction:

- In relay ladder, toggle the rung-condition-in from cleared to set each time the instruction should execute.
- In structured text, condition the instruction so that it only executes on a transition. See Appendix C.

**Arithmetic Status Flags:** not affected

**Fault Conditions:** none

**Error Codes: MASR Error Codes (.ERR)**

Error Message:	Code:	Description:
Execution Collision	3	Attempted execution on an axis that already has another instance of this instruction executing. This situation is possible when instructions that require messaging are executed without Done (.DN) bit 29 run qualification.
Axis Not Configured	11	Passed axis value references an unconfigured axis meaning the axis has not been assigned to a physical motion module channel.
Servo Message Failure	12	Messaging to targeted motion module failed.
Axis Type Unused	18	Attempted execution on an axis that is not configured for use according the current Axis Type configuration attribute.
Axis Group Not Synchronized	19	Attempted execution on an axis whose associated axis group is not currently synchronized.
Illegal Axis Data Type	38	You attempted to execute an instruction on an Axis Data Type that is not supported by the instruction.

**Status Bits: MASR Changes to Status Bits**

Bit Name:	State:	Meaning:
ShutdownStatus	FALSE	The axis is not in the shutdown state.

**Example:** When the input conditions are true, the controller resets *axis1* from a previous shutdown operating state into an axis ready operating state.

**Relay Ladder**



**Figure 2.4 MASR Ladder Example**

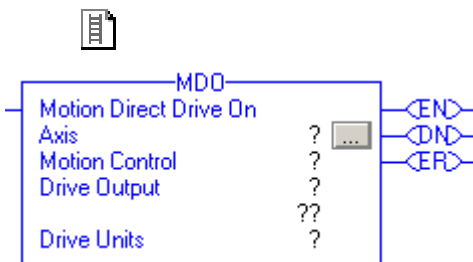
**Structured Text**

```
MASR(Axis0,MASR_1);
```

**Motion Direct Drive On (MDO)**

Use the MDO instruction in conjunction with motion modules that support an external analog servo drive interface, e.g. the 1756-M02AE or 1784-PM02AE servo module. This instruction activates the module’s Drive Enable, enabling the external servo drive, and also sets the servo module’s output voltage of the drive to the specified voltage level. The value for Drive Output may be specified in Volts or % of maximum axis’ Output Limit.

**Operands: Relay Ladder**



Operand:	Data Type:	Description:
Axis	Tag	Name of the axis to perform operation on.
Motion control	MOTION_ INSTRUCTION Tag	Structure used to access instruction status parameters.
Drive Output	REAL	Voltage to output in % of servo Output Limit or in Volts
Drive Units	Boolean	Units in which the Drive Output value is interpreted.

**Structured Text**

The operands are the same as those for the relay ladder MDO instruction.

```
MDO(Axis,MotionControl, DriveOutput,DriveUnits);
```



For the operands that require you to select from available options, enter your selection as:

This operand:	Has these options which you...	
	enter as text:	or enter as a number:
DriveUnits	volts	0
	percent	1

### MOTION\_INSTRUCTION Structure

Mnemonic:	Description:
.EN (Enable) Bit 31	It is set when the rung makes a false-to-true transition and remains set until the servo message transaction is completed and the rung goes false.
.DN (Done) Bit 29	It is set when the axis' drive enable bit is activated and the specified analog output is successfully applied.
.ER (Error) Bit 28	It is set to indicate that the instruction detected an error, such as if you entered a Drive Output value that was too large.

**Description:** For motion module's with an external servo drive interface, like the 1756-M02AE or 1784-PM02AE, the Motion Direct Drive On (MDO) instruction can be used to directly enable the Drive Enable output of the axis and set the analog output to a specified level determined by the Drive Output parameter. The Drive Output parameter can be expressed as a voltage, or as a percent of the maximum configured output voltage value given by the Output Limit attribute.

The MDO instruction can only be used on a physical axis whose Axis Type is configured for Servo. The instruction only executes when the axis' is in the Axis Ready state, i.e., servo action is OFF. The resulting state of the axis is referred to as the Drive Control state.

The MDO instruction automatically enables the specified axis by activating the appropriate Drive Enable output before setting the servo module's analog output to the specified voltage value. There is, typically, a 500 msec delay between the activation of the drive enable output and the setting of the analog output to the specified level to allow the drive's power structure to stabilize. To minimize drift during this drive enabling delay, the output voltage to the drive is set to the Output Offset attribute value (default is zero). Thereafter the output voltage is given by the specified Drive Output value of the MDO instruction and indicated by the Servo Output status attribute value.

The 16-bit DAC hardware associated with various Logix servo modules limits the effective resolution of the Direct Drive Motion Control to 305  $\mu$ V or 0.003%. In the case of Direct Drive operation, the module's servo loop is inactive and bypassed. The Motion Direct

Drive On instruction is only affected by the Servo Output Polarity configuration bit, the Output Offset, and Output Limit attributes for the axis. In the case where Output Limit configuration value is reduced below the current output voltage value, the Servo Output value is automatically clamped to the Output Limit value.

The most common use of this instruction is to provide an independent programmable analog output as an open loop speed reference for an external drive or for testing an external servo drive for closed loop operation.

To successfully execute a MDO instruction, the targeted axis must be configured as a Servo axis and be in the Axis Ready state, with servo action off. If these conditions are not met the instruction errs.

---

**IMPORTANT**

The MDO instruction execution may take multiple scans to execute because it requires transmission of a message to the motion module and time for the drive output to stabilize. The Done (.DN) bit is not set until after the axis is in the Drive Control state.

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This is a transitional instruction:

- In relay ladder, toggle the rung-condition-in from cleared to set each time the instruction should execute.
- In structured text, condition the instruction so that it only executes on a transition. See Appendix C.

**Arithmetic Status Flags:** not affected

**Fault Conditions:** none

**Error Codes: MDO Error Codes (.ERR)**

<b>Error Message:</b>	<b>Code:</b>	<b>Description:</b>
Execution Collision	3	Attempted execution on an axis that already has another instance of this instruction executing. This situation is possible when instructions that require messaging are executed without Done (.DN) bit 29 run qualification.
Servo On State Error	4	Attempted execution with the axis in Servo On state meaning that the targeted axis' servo loop is currently closed.
Shutdown State Error	7	Attempted execution with the axis in the Shutdown state.

<b>Error Message:</b>	<b>Code:</b>	<b>Description:</b>
Illegal Axis Type	8	Attempted execution with the axis not configured as servo.
Axis Not Configured	11	Passed axis value references an unconfigured axis meaning the axis has not been assigned to a physical motion module channel.
Servo Message Failure	12	Messaging to targeted motion module failed. See Extended Error section for more information on the cause of the error.
Axis Group Not Synchronized	19	Attempted execution on an axis whose associated axis group is not currently synchronized.
Axis in Faulted State	20	Attempted execution on an axis, which is in the Faulted state.
Group in Faulted State	21	Attempted execution on an axis, which is in a group, which is in the Faulted state.
Illegal Controller Mode Operation	24	Attempted execution when the processor is in test mode
Illegal Axis Data Type	38	Attempted execution on an axis whose Axis Data Type is not supported by this instruction.

**Extended Error Codes:** Extended Error Codes provide additional instruction specific information for the Error Codes that are generic to many instructions. The following Extended Error codes help to pinpoint the problem when the MDO instruction receives a Servo Message Failure (12) error message.

<b>Extended Error Code (decimal)</b>	<b>Associated Error Code (decimal)</b>	<b>Meaning</b>
Object Mode conflict (12)	SERVO_MESSAGE_FAILURE (12)	Axis is in shutdown.

**Status Bits: MDO Changes to Status Bits**

<b>Bit Name:</b>	<b>State:</b>	<b>Meaning:</b>
DriveEnableStatus	TRUE	Axis is in Drive Control state with the Drive Enable output active.

**Example:** When the input conditions are true, the controller activates the servo drive for *axis1* and sets the servo output voltage of *axis1*. In this example, the output is 2% of the output value.

### Relay Ladder

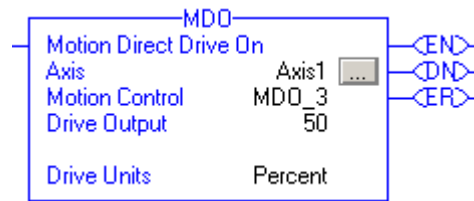


Figure 2.5 MDO Ladder Example

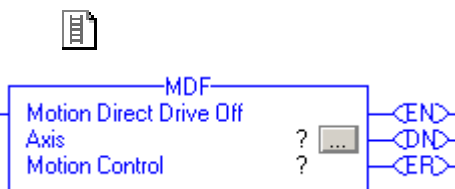
### Structured Text

```
MDO(Axis0,MDO_1,4,percent);
```

## Motion Direct Drive Off (MDF)

Use the MDF instruction to deactivate the servo drive and to set the servo output voltage to the output offset voltage. The output offset voltage is the output voltage that generates zero or minimal drive motion. You can specify this value during axis configuration.

### Operands: Relay Ladder



```
MDF(Axis,MotionControl);
```

Operand:	Data Type:	Description:
Axis	Tag	Name of the axis to perform operation on.
Motion control	MOTION_ INSTRUCTION Tag	Structure used to access instruction status parameters.

### Structured Text

The operands are the same as those for the relay ladder MDF instruction.

### MOTION\_INSTRUCTION Structure

Mnemonic:	Description:
.EN (Enable) Bit 31	It is set when the rung makes a false-to-true transition and remains set until the servo message transaction is completed and the rung goes false.
.DN (Done) Bit 29	It is set when the axis' drive signals have been successfully disabled and the drive enable status bit is cleared.
.ER (Error) Bit 28	It is set to indicate that the instruction detected an error, such as if you specified an unconfigured axis.

**Description:** For motion module's with an external servo drive interface, e.g. the 1756-M02AE, the Motion Direct Drive Off (MDF) instruction directly

disables the motion module Drive Enable output of the specified physical axis and also “zeroes” the modules’ servo output to the external drive by applying the configured Output Offset value.

The MDF instruction is used to stop motion initiated by a preceding MDO instruction and transition the axis from the Direct Drive Control state back to the Axis Ready state.

To successfully execute an MDF instruction, the targeted axis must be configured as either a Servo or Feedback Only axis. Otherwise, the instruction errors.

---

**IMPORTANT**

The MDF instruction execution may take multiple scans to execute because it requires transmission of a message to the motion module. The Done (.DN) bit is not set until after the message has been successfully transmitted.

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This is a transitional instruction:

- In relay ladder, toggle the rung-condition-in from cleared to set each time the instruction should execute.
- In structured text, condition the instruction so that it only executes on a transition. See Appendix C.

**Arithmetic Status Flags:** not affected

**Fault Conditions:** none

**Error Codes: MDF Error Codes (.ERR)**

<b>Error Message:</b>	<b>Code:</b>	<b>Description:</b>
Execution Collision	3	Attempted execution on an axis that already has another instance of this instruction executing. This situation is possible when instructions that require messaging are executed without Done (.DN) bit 29 run qualification.
Servo On State Error	4	Attempted execution with the axis in Servo On state meaning that the targeted axis’ servo loop is currently closed.
Illegal Axis Type	8	Attempted execution with the axis not configured as servo.

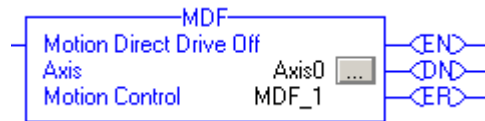
Error Message:	Code:	Description:
Axis Not Configured	11	Passed axis value references an unconfigured axis meaning the axis has not been assigned to a physical motion module channel.
Axis Group Not Synchronized	19	Attempted execution on an axis whose associated axis group is not currently synchronized.
Illegal Axis Data Type	38	Attempted execution on an axis whose Axis Data Type is not supported by this instruction.

**MDF Changes to Status Bits: Axis Status Bits**

Bit Name:	State:	Meaning:
DriveEnableStatus	FALSE	Axis is in Axis Ready state with the Drive Enable output now active.

**Example:** When the input conditions are true, the controller deactivates the servo drive for *axis1* and sets the servo output voltage of *axis\_* to the output offset value.

**Relay Ladder**



**Figure 2.6 MDF Ladder Example**

**Structured Text**

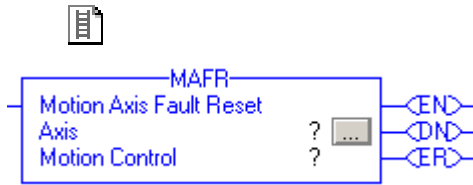
```
MDF(Axis0,MDF_1);
```

**Motion Axis Fault Reset (MAFR)**

Use the MAFR instruction to clear all motion faults for an axis. This is the only method for clearing axis motion faults.

**IMPORTANT**

The MAFR instruction removes the fault status, but does not perform any other recovery, such as enabling servo action. In addition, when the controller removes the fault status, the condition that generated the fault(s) may still exist. If the condition is not corrected before using the MAFR instruction, the axis immediately faults again.

**Operands: Relay Ladder**

Operand:	Type:	Format:	Description:
Axis	AXIS_FEEDBACK AXIS_VIRTUAL AXIS_GENERIC AXIS_SERVO AXIS_SERVO_DRIVE	tag	Name of the axis to perform operation on.
Motion control	MOTION_INSTRUCTION	tag	Structure used to access instruction status parameters.



```
MAFR(Axis,MotionControl);
```

**Structured Text**

The operands are the same as those for the relay ladder MAFR instruction.

**MOTION\_INSTRUCTION Structure**

Mnemonic:	Description:
.EN (Enable) Bit 31	It is set when the rung makes a false-to-true transition and remains set until the servo message transaction is completed and the rung goes false.
.DN (Done) Bit 29	It is set when the axis' faults have been successfully cleared.
.ER (Error) Bit 28	It is set to indicate that the instruction detected an error, such as if you specified an unconfigured axis.

**Description:** The Motion Axis Fault Reset (MAFR) instruction directly clears the specified fault status on the specified axis. It does not correct the condition that caused the error. If the condition is not corrected prior to executing the MAFR instruction the axis could immediately fault again giving the appearance that the fault status was not reset.

This instruction is most commonly used as part of a fault handler program, which provides application specific fault action in response to various potential motion control faults. Once the appropriate fault action is taken, the MAFR instruction can be used to clear all active fault status bits.

To successfully execute a MAFR instruction, the targeted axis must be configured as either a Servo or Feedback Only axis. Otherwise, the instruction errors.

**IMPORTANT**

The MAFR instruction execution may take multiple scans to execute because it requires transmission of a message to the motion module. The Done (.DN) bit is not set until after this message has been successfully transmitted. There is no guarantee that all faults are cleared by this instruction as one or more faults may be the result of a persistent condition.

This is a transitional instruction:

- In relay ladder, toggle the rung-condition-in from cleared to set each time the instruction should execute.
- In structured text, condition the instruction so that it only executes on a transition. See Appendix C.

**Arithmetic Status Flags:** not affected

**Fault Conditions:** none

**Error Codes: MAFR Error Codes (.ERR)**

<b>Error Message:</b>	<b>Code:</b>	<b>Description:</b>
Execution Collision	3	Attempted execution on an axis that already has another instance of this instruction executing. This situation is possible when instructions that require messaging are executed without Done (.DN) bit 29 run qualification.
Axis Not Configured	11	Passed axis value references an unconfigured axis meaning the axis has not been assigned to a physical motion module channel.
Servo Message Failure	12	Messaging to targeted motion module failed.
Axis Type Unused	18	Attempted execution on an axis that is not configured for use according the current Axis Type configuration attribute.
Axis Group Not Synchronized	19	Attempted execution on an axis whose associated axis group is not currently synchronized.
Illegal Axis Data Type	38	You attempted to execute an instruction on an Axis Data Type that is not supported by the instruction.



**MAFR Changes to Status Bits:** None

**MAFR Example:** When the input conditions are true, the controller clears all motion faults for *axis1*.

### Relay Ladder



**Figure 2.7 MAFR Ladder Example**

### Structured Text

```
MAFR(Axis0,MAFR_1);
```

**Notes:**

## Motion Move Instructions

(MAS, MAH, MAJ, MAM, MAG, MCD, MRP, MCCP, MAPC, MATC, MCSV)

### ATTENTION



Tags used for the motion control attribute of instructions should only be used once. Re-use of the motion control tag in other instructions can cause unintended operation. This may result in damage to equipment or personal injury.

## Introduction

The Move Control Instruction category includes all motion instructions that cause or directly affect axis motion. These instructions include moving, jogging, gearing, stopping, camming, etc. This category also includes motion instructions that directly modify current axis position that are typically used to reference the specified axis to some absolute physical position of the axis. Instructions to redefine axis position and perform a homing sequences fall under this category.

The motion move instructions are:

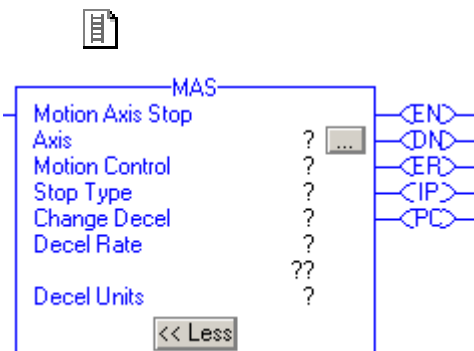
If you want to:	Use this instruction:	Available in these languages:
Initiate a controlled stop of any motion process on an axis.	MAS	relay ladder structured text
Home an axis.	MAH	relay ladder structured text
Initiate a jog motion profile for an axis.	MAJ	relay ladder structured text
Initiate a move profile for an axis.	MAM	relay ladder structured text
Provide electronic gearing between any two axes.	MAG	relay ladder structured text
Change the speed, acceleration rate, or deceleration rate of a move profile or a jog profile in progress.	MCD	relay ladder structured text
Change the command or actual position of an axis.	MRP	relay ladder structured text
Calculate a cam profile.	MCCP	relay ladder structured text

If you want to:	Use this instruction:	Available in these languages:
Initiate a position cam profile.	MAPC	relay ladder structured text
Initiate a time cam profile	MATC	relay ladder structured text
Calculate the slave value, slope value, derivative of the slope for a given cam profile and master value.	MCSV	relay ladder structured text

## Motion Axis Stop (MAS)

Use the MAS instruction to initiate a controlled stop of any motion process on the designated axis. Axis motion is specified via the Motion Type parameter as a specific motion process, such as jogging, moving, or gearing, etc., or all motion processes currently in effect. This command defaults to stop at the Maximum Deceleration rate; established when the axis is configured. MAS' Change Decel parameter can be used to specify a deceleration rate different from the currently configured Maximum Decel value.

### Operands: Relay Ladder



Operand:	Type:	Format:	Description:
Axis	AXIS_VIRTUAL AXIS_GENERIC AXIS_SERVO AXIS_SERVO_DRIVE	tag	Name of the axis to perform operation on.
Motion control	MOTION_ INSTRUCTION	tag	Structure used to access instruction status parameters.
Stop type	UINT32	immediate	Determines what motion process on the specified axis to stop. Options are: 0 = stop all motion 1 = stop jogging 2 = stop moving 3 = stop gearing 4 = stop homing 5 = stop tuning 6 = stop test 7 = stop position camming 8 = stop time camming 9 = stop a Master Offset Move

Operand:	Type:	Format:	Description:
Change Decel	Boolean	immediate	Set to enable use of the instruction's Decel value rather than the current configured Max Deceleration rate. Select either: 0 = no 1 = yes
Decel rate	REAL	immediate or tag	Deceleration rate of the axis in % or Deceleration Units The axis could overshoot its target position if you reduce the deceleration while a move is in process.
Decel units	Boolean	immediate	Engineering units in which the Decel value is displayed. Select either: 0 = units per sec <sup>2</sup> 1 = % of maximum



MAS(Axis,MotionControl, StopType,ChangeDecel, DecelRate,DecelUnits);

### Structured Text

The operands are the same as those for the relay ladder MAS instruction.

For the operands that require you to select from available options, enter your selection as:

This operand:	Has these options which you...	
	enter as text:	or enter as a number:
StopType	all jog move gear home tune test timecam positioncam masteroffsetmove	0 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9
ChangeDecel	no yes	0 1
DecelUnits	unitspersec2 %ofmaximum	0 1

## MOTION\_INSTRUCTION Structure

Mnemonic:	Description:
.EN (Enable) Bit 31	It is set when the rung makes a false-to-true transition and remains set until the servo message transaction is completed and the rung goes false.
.DN (Done) Bit 29	It is set when axis stop has been successfully initiated.
.ER (Error) Bit 28	It is set to indicate that the instruction detected an error, such as if you specified an unconfigured axis.
.IP (In Process) Bit 26	It is set on positive rung transition and cleared after the Motion Axis Stop is complete, or terminated by a shutdown command or a servo fault.
.PC (Process Complete) Bit 27	It is set after the stop operation has successfully completed.

**Description:** The Motion Axis Stop (MAS) instruction stops any motion on the specified physical axis without disabling the servo loop, if active. It is useful when a decelerated stop is desired for any controlled motion in progress. Motion initiated by jog, move, gear, home, time cam, position cam, or master offset move instructions can be individually or collectively stopped using the MAS instruction. The MAS instruction can also be used to abort a test or tune process initiated by an MRHD or MRAT instruction.

When stopping a gearing or position camming process, select the *slave* axis to turn off the specific process and stop the axis. If the master axis is a servo axis, the master axis may be stopped which in turn stops the slave without disabling the gearing or position camming.

When stopping a master offset move, the specified axis defines the slave axis, deceleration rate and units represent master axis user units, and maximum refers to the master axis maximum.

## Stop Specific Motion

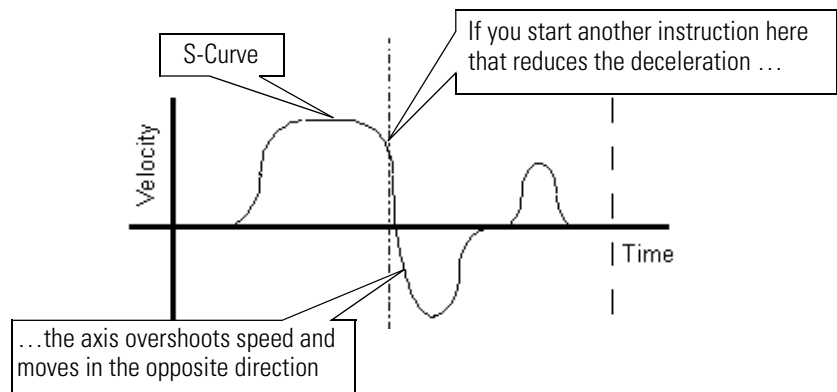
This is used to stop a specified type of motion on an axis while leaving other motion unaffected; in this case the axis may still be moving after the MAS process is complete.

### ATTENTION



### If you use an S-Curve profile

Be careful if you change the acceleration, deceleration, or speed while an axis is accelerating or decelerating along an S-Curve profile. You can cause an axis to overshoot its speed or move in the opposite direction.



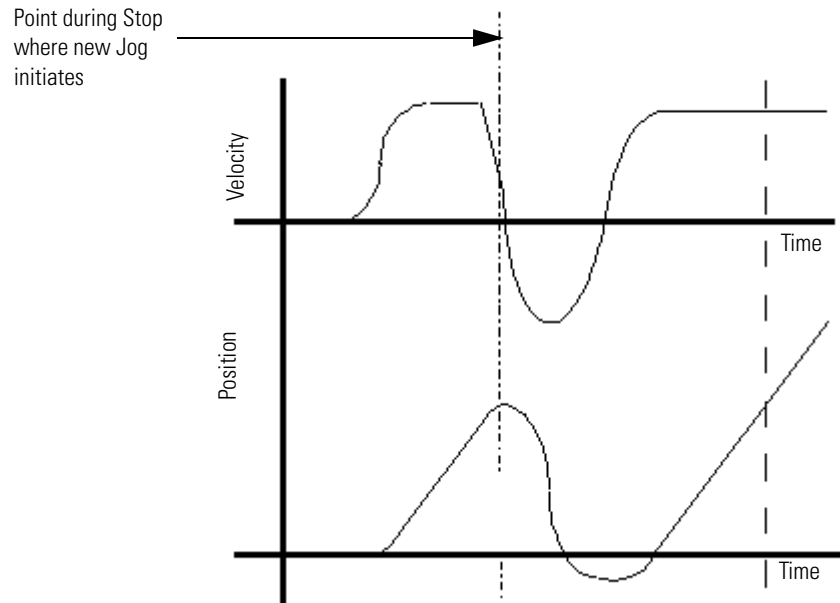
This happens because jerk limits the acceleration and deceleration time of an S-Curve profile. You reduce jerk when you reduce acceleration, reduce deceleration, or increase speed. The smaller jerk can cause:

- an accelerating axis to overshoot its speed
- a decelerating axis to move in the opposite direction

For more information, see Logix5000 Motion Modules User Manual, publication 1756-UM006.

The following graph shows what could happen when a Motion Axis Jog is initiated during a Motion Axis Stop. The deceleration rate of the Jog is significantly smaller than the current deceleration rate of the executing Stop. The new deceleration jerk rate becomes smaller. The time required to decelerate to zero causes velocity to undershoot,

passing through zero and becoming negative. Axis motion reverses direction until velocity returns to zero.



**Figure 3.1 MAJ Initiated During MAS**

### Stop All Motion

When Stop All Motion is entered or selected all motion in process, i.e., jog, move, gear, home, test, tune, time cam, position cam, or master offset move processes are stopped simultaneously, bringing the axis to a controlled stop.

#### **IMPORTANT**

The MAS instruction execution completes in a single scan, thus the Done (.DN) bit and the In Process (.IP) bit are set and the Process Complete (.PC) bit is cleared immediately. The In Process (.IP) bit remains set until the initiated stop process is completed, or superseded by another MAS instruction, or terminated by a Servo Fault Action. The Process Complete (.PC) bit is only set if the initiated clutch profile is completed prior to any other of the above events terminating the stop process and clearing the In Process (.IP) bit.

This is a transitional instruction:

- In relay ladder, toggle the rung-condition-in from cleared to set each time the instruction should execute.
- In structured text, condition the instruction so that it only executes on a transition. See Appendix C.



**Arithmetic Status Flags:** not affected

**Fault Conditions:** none

**Error Codes: MAS Error Codes (.ERR)**

Error Message	Code	Description
Servo Off State Error	5	Attempted execution on an axis that does not have the servo loop closed.
Shutdown State Error	7	Attempted execution with the axis in the Shutdown state.
Illegal Axis Type	8	Attempted execution with the axis not configured as virtual or servo.
Axis Not Configured	11	Passed axis value references an unconfigured axis meaning the axis has not been assigned to a physical motion module channel.
Parameter Out of Range	13	Attempted execution with an input parameter that was out of range. See Extended Error section for more information on the cause of the error.
Axis Group Not Synchronized	19	Attempted execution on an axis whose associated axis group is not currently synchronized.
Illegal Axis Data Type	38	You attempted to execute an instruction on an Axis Data Type that is not supported by the instruction.

**Extended Error Codes:** Extended Error Codes provide additional instruction specific information for the Error Codes that are generic to many instructions. Extended Error codes for the Parameter Out of Range (13) error code lists a number that refers to the number of the operand as they are listed in the faceplate from top to bottom with the first operand being counted as zero. Therefore for the MAS instruction, an extended error code of 4 would refer to the Decel Rate operand's value. You would then have to check your value with the accepted range of values for the instruction.

### MAS Changes to Status Bits: Motion Status Bits

If Stop Motion Type of All is entered or selected, the MAS instruction clears all Motion Status bits.

Bit Name	Status	Meaning
MoveStatus	FALSE	Axis is not Moving
JogStatus	FALSE	Axis is not Jogging
GearingStatus	FALSE	Axis is not Gearing
HomingStatus	FALSE	Axis is not Homing
StoppingStatus	TRUE	Axis is Stopping
PositionCamStatus	FALSE	Axis is not Position Camming
TimeCamStatus	FALSE	Axis is not Time Camming
PositionCamPendingStatus	FALSE	Axis does not have a Position Cam Pending.
TimeCamPendingStatus	FALSE	Axis does not have a Time Cam Pending.
GearingLockStatus	FALSE	Axis is not in a Gear Locked condition
PositionCamLockStatus	FALSE	Axis is not in a Cam Locked condition

If a specific stop type is selected, only the Motion Status Bit associated with the motion is cleared. All other bits are unaffected.

**Example:** When the input conditions are true, the controller stops motion on *axis1* and clears all associated motion status flags.

#### Relay Ladder

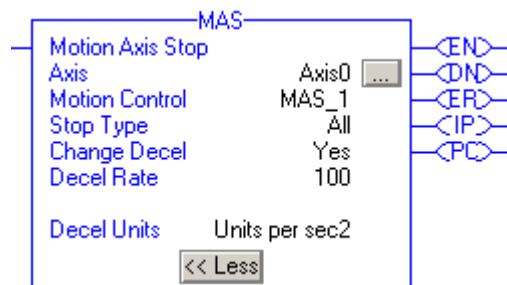


Figure 3.2 MAS Ladder Example

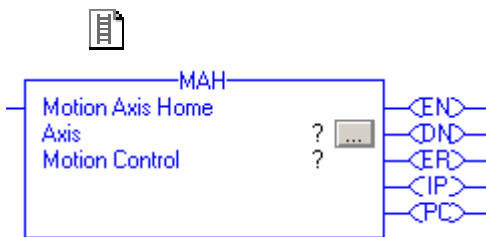
#### Structured Text

```
MAS(Axis0,MAS_1,All,Yes,100,Unitspersec2);
```

## Motion Axis Home (MAH)

Use the MAH instruction to home an axis. Two different homing modes can be selected during axis configuration: Active or Passive. If an Active homing sequence is selected, the axis executes the configured Home Sequence Type and establishes an absolute axis position. If Passive homing is selected, however, no specific homing sequence is executed and the axis is left waiting for the next marker pulse to establish the home position.

### Operands: Relay Ladder



Operand:	Type:	Format:	Description:
Axis	AXIS_FEEDBACK AXIS_VIRTUAL AXIS_GENERIC AXIS_SERVO AXIS_SERVO_DRIVE	tag	Name of the axis to perform operation on.
Motion control	MOTION_INSTRUCTION	tag	Structure used to access instruction status parameters.

### Structured Text



```
MAH(Axis,MotionControl);
```

The operands are the same as those for the relay ladder MAH instruction.

### MOTION\_INSTRUCTION Structure

Mnemonic:	Description:
.EN (Enable) Bit 31	It is set when the rung makes a false-to-true transition and remains set until the servo message transaction is completed and the rung goes false.
.DN (Done) Bit 29	It is set when axis home has been successfully completed or is aborted.
.ER (Error) Bit 28	It is set to indicate that the instruction detected an error, such as if you specified an unconfigured axis.
.IP (In Process) Bit 27	It is set on positive rung transition and cleared after the Motion Home Axis is complete, or terminated by a stop command, shutdown, or a servo fault
.PC (Process Complete) Bit 26	It is set when axis home is successfully completed.

**Description:** The Motion Axis Home (MAH) instruction is used to calibrate the absolute position of the specified axis. For axes that are configured as type Servo, the axis can be homed using Active, Passive, or Absolute Homing Mode configuration. For Feedback Only axes, only Passive and Absolute homing modes are available. Absolute Homing Mode requires the axis to be equipped with absolute feedback device.

## Active Homing

When the axis Homing Mode is configured as Active, the physical axis is first activated for servo operation. As part of this process all other motion in process is canceled and appropriate status bits cleared. The axis is then homed using the configured Home Sequence which may be Immediate, Switch, Marker, or Switch-Marker. The later three Home Sequences result in the axis being jogged in the configured Home Direction and then after the position is re-defined based on detection of the home event, the axis is automatically moved to the configured Home Position.

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**IMPORTANT**

When unidirectional active homing is performed on a rotary axis and the Home Offset value is less than the deceleration distance when the home event is detected, the control moves the axis to the unwind position of zero. This ensures that the resulting move to the Home Position is unidirectional.

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## Passive Homing

When the axis Homing Mode is configured as Passive, the MAH instruction re-defines the actual position of a physical axis on the next occurrence of the encoder marker. Passive homing is most commonly used to calibrate Feedback Only axes to their markers, but can also be used on Servo axes. Passive homing is identical to active homing to an encoder marker except that the motion controller does not command any axis motion.

After initiating passive homing, the axis must be moved past the encoder marker for the homing sequence to complete properly. For closed-loop Servo axes, this may be accomplished with a MAM or MAJ instruction. For physical Feedback Only axes, motion cannot be commanded directly by the motion controller, and must be accomplished via other means.

## Absolute Homing

If the motion axis hardware supports an absolute feedback device, Absolute Homing Mode may be used. The only valid Home Sequence for an absolute Homing Mode is “immediate”. In this case, the absolute homing process establishes the true absolute position of the axis by applying the configured Home Position to the reported position of the absolute feedback device. Prior to execution of the absolute homing process via the MAH instruction, the axis must be in the Axis Ready state with the servo loop disabled.

To successfully execute a MAH instruction on an axis configured for Active homing mode, the targeted axis must be configured as a Servo

Axis Type. To successfully execute an MAH instruction, the targeted axis must be configured as either a Servo or Feedback Only axis. If any of these conditions are not met the instruction errs.

**IMPORTANT**

When the MAH instruction is initially executed, the In process .IP bit is set and the Process Complete (.PC) bit is cleared. The MAH instruction execution may take multiple scans to execute because it requires transmission of multiple messages to the motion module. Thus, the Done (.DN) bit, is not set until after these messages have been successfully transmitted. The In process .IP bit is cleared and the Process Complete (.PC) bit is set at the same time that the Done (.DN) bit is set.

This is a transitional instruction:

- In relay ladder, toggle the rung-condition-in from cleared to set each time the instruction should execute.
- In structured text, condition the instruction so that it only executes on a transition. See Appendix C.

**Arithmetic Status Flags:** not affected

**Fault Conditions:** none

**Error Codes: MAH Error Messages (.ERR)**

<b>Error Message</b>	<b>Code</b>	<b>Description</b>
Execution Collision	3	Attempted execution on an axis that already has another instance of this instruction executing. This situation is possible when instructions that require messaging are executed without Done (.DN) Bit 29 run qualification.
Shutdown State Error	7	Attempted execution with the axis in the Shutdown state.
Illegal Axis Type	8	Attempted execution with the axis not configured as servo.
Axis Not Configured	11	Passed axis value references an unconfigured axis meaning the axis has not been assigned to a physical motion module channel.
Servo Message Failure	12	Messaging to targeted motion module failed. See Extended Error section for more information on the cause of the error.
Axis Type Unused	18	Attempted execution on an axis that is not configured for use according the current Axis Type configuration attribute.
Axis Group Not Synchronized	19	Attempted execution on an axis whose associated axis group is not currently synchronized.

Error Message	Code	Description
Axis in Faulted State	20	Attempted execution on an axis, which is in the Faulted state.
Group in Faulted State	21	Attempted execution on an axis, which is in a group, which is in the Faulted state.
Axis in Motion	22	Attempted execution on an axis, which is in motion
Illegal Controller Mode Operation	24	Attempted execution when the processor is in test mode
Registration in Progress	34	Attempted execution while a registration is in process.
Illegal Axis Data Type	38	You attempted to execute an instruction on an Axis Data Type that is not supported by the instruction.
Drive Locally Disabled	40	You are trying to run an MAH instruction when the drive is locally disabled.
Illegal Homing Configuration	41	The homing configuration is illegal. See Extended Error section for more information on the cause of the error.
Maximum Deceleration Value is Zero	54	The Decel Rate of the Axis is set to zero. This is an illegal value for Decel Rate, which inhibits start motion. See the Extended Error section for more information about this error.

**Extended Error Codes:** Extended Error Codes provide additional instruction specific information for the Error Codes that are generic to many instructions. The following Extended Error codes help to pinpoint the problem when the MAH instruction receives a Servo Message Failure (12) error message or Illegal Homing Configuration (41).

Associated Error Code (decimal)	Extended Error Code (decimal)	Meaning
SERVO_MESSAGE_FAILURE (12)	Process terminated on request (1)	Home execution followed by an instruction to shutdown/disable drive, or a motion stop instruction or a Processor change requests a cancel of Home.
SERVO_MESSAGE_FAILURE (12)	No Resource (2)	Not enough memory resources to complete request. (SERCOS)
SERVO_MESSAGE_FAILURE (12)	Object Mode conflict (12)	Axis is in shutdown.
SERVO_MESSAGE_FAILURE (12)	Permission denied (15)	Enable input switch error. (SERCOS)
SERVO_MESSAGE_FAILURE (12)	Device in wrong state (16)	Redefine Position, Home, and Registration 2 are mutually exclusive (SERCOS), device state not correct for action. (SERCOS)

Associated Error Code (decimal)	Extended Error Code (decimal)	Meaning
ILLEGAL_HOMING_CONFIG (41)	Home sequence (4)	You have an absolute homing instruction when the Homing sequence is not immediate.
ILLEGAL_HOMING_CONFIG (41)	Home speed of zero (6)	Home speed cannot be zero.
ILLEGAL_HOMING_CONFIG (41)	Home return speed of zero (7)	The Home Return Speed cannot be zero.

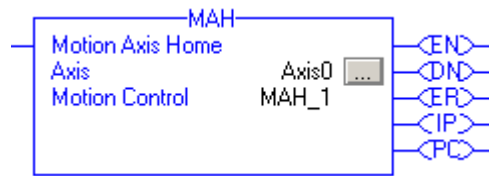
For the Error Code 54 – Maximum Deceleration Value is Zero, if the Extended Error returns a positive number (0-*n*) it is referring to the offending axis in the coordinate system. Go to the Coordinate System Properties General Tab and look under the Brackets ( [ ] ) column of the Axis Grid to determine which axis has a Maximum Deceleration value of 0. Click on the ellipsis button next to the offending axis to access the Axis Properties screen. Go to the Dynamics tab and make the appropriate change to the Maximum Deceleration Value. If the Extended Error number is -1, this means the Coordinate System has a Maximum Deceleration Value of 0. Go to the Coordinate System Properties Dynamics Tab to correct the Maximum Deceleration value.

#### Status Bits: MAH Changes to Status Bits

Bit Name	State	Meaning
HomingStatus	TRUE	Axis is Homing
JogStatus	FALSE	Axis is no longer Jogging*
MoveStatus	FALSE	Axis is no longer Moving*
GearingStatus	FALSE	Axis is no longer Gearing
StoppingStatus	FALSE	Axis is no longer Stopping

**Note:** During portions of the active homing sequence these bits may be set and cleared. The MAH instruction uses the Move and Jog motion profile generators to move the axis during the homing sequence. This also means that any disruption in the Move or Jog motion profiles due to other motion instructions can affect the successful completion of the MAH initiated homing sequence.

If in Passive homing mode, the MAH instruction simply sets the Homing Status bit.

**Example: Relay Ladder****Figure 3.3 MAH Ladder Example****Structured Text**

```
MAH(Axis0,MAH_1);
```

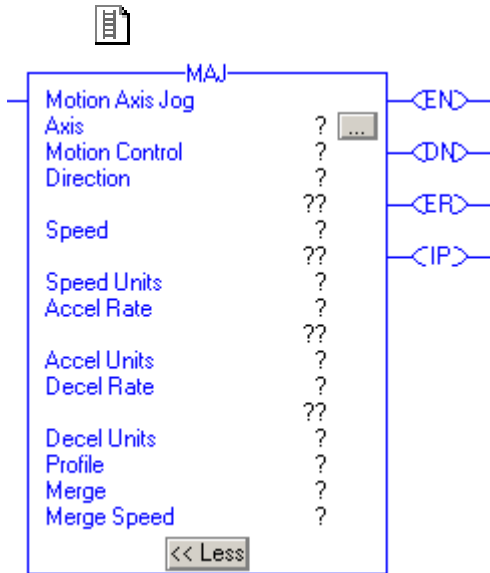
**Motion Axis Jog (MAJ)**

Use the MAJ instruction to initiate a jog motion profile for the specified axis. The Axis jogs at the Forward or Reverse direction at the steady-state speed specified by the parameter, Speed. The motion control's jog profile generator handles acceleration or deceleration of the axis to the steady-state jog speed using the specified Accel and Decel values and the profile type given by the Profile Parameter. The values for Speed, Acceleration, and Deceleration may be specified in user defined units (Speed Units, Accel Units, Decel Units) or in % of maximum values (Max Speed, Max Accel, Max Decel) determined during configuration. The MAJ instruction may also be used to convert any current axis motion into a pure jog motion profile by specifying the Merge option. If merging is enabled, the Merge Speed option may be used to specify the speed of the Jog to be either the programmed Speed value or the Current speed of the axis.

An axis jog can be stopped by using the Motion Axis Stop (MAS) instruction or by specifying a speed of zero with the MAJ instruction.



### Operands: Relay Ladder



Operand:	Type:	Format:	Description:
Axis	AXIS_VIRTUAL AXIS_GENERIC AXIS_SERVO AXIS_SERVO_DRIVE	tag	Name of the axis to perform operation on.
Motion control	MOTION_INSTRUCTION	tag	Structure used to access instruction status parameters.
Direction	UDINT	immediate or tag	Direction of jog. Select either: 0 = forward jog 1 = reverse jog
Speed	REAL	immediate or tag	Speed to move the axis in % or Speed Units.
Speed units	UDINT	immediate	Engineering units in which the Speed value is displayed. Select either: 0 = units per sec 1 = % of maximum speed
Accel rate	REAL	immediate or tag	Accel rate of the axis in % or Acceleration Units
Accel units	UDINT	immediate	Engineering units in which the Acceleration value is displayed. Select either: 0 = units per sec <sup>2</sup> 1 = % of maximum acceleration
Decel rate	REAL	immediate or tag	Deceleration rate of the axis in % or Deceleration Units.
Decel units	UDINT	immediate	Engineering units in which the Deceleration value is displayed. Select either: 0 = units per sec <sup>2</sup> 1 = % of maximum deceleration

Operand:	Type:	Format:	Description:
Profile	UDINT	immediate	select the velocity profile to run the jog: 0 = trapezoidal 1 = S-curve
Merge	UDINT	immediate	When enabled, Merge instructs the motion control to turn all current axis motion, regardless of the motion instructions currently in process, into a pure jog governed by this instruction. Select either: 0 = disabled 1 = enabled
Merge speed	UDINT	immediate	With Merge enabled, this determines whether the speed is the specified Speed value of this instruction or the Current axis speed. Select either: 0 = programmed value in the speed field 1 = current axis speed



MAJ(Axis,MotionControl, Direction,Speed,SpeedUnits, AccelRate,AccelUnits, DecelRate,DecelUnits,

### Structured Text

The operands are the same as those for the relay ladder MAJ instruction.

For the operands that require you to select from available options, enter your selection as:

This operand:	Has these options which you...	
	enter as text:	or enter as a number:
SpeedUnits	unitspersec %ofmaximum	0 1
AccelUnits	unitspersec2 %ofmaximum	0 1
DecelUnits	unitspersec2 %ofmaximum	0 1
Profile	trapezoidal scurve	0 1
Merge	disabled enabled	0 1
MergeSpeed	programmed current	0 1

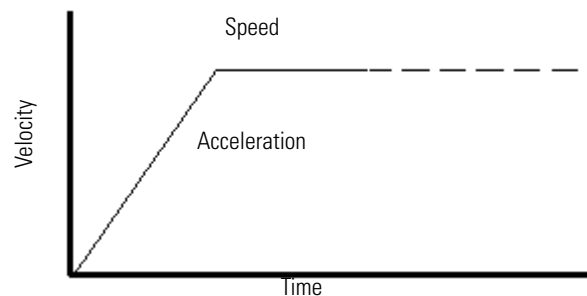
## MOTION\_INSTRUCTION Structure

Mnemonic:	Description:
.EN (Enable) Bit 31	It is set when the rung makes a false-to-true transition and remains set until the servo message transaction is completed and the rung goes false.
.DN (Done) Bit 29	It is set when axis jog has been successfully initiated.
.ER (Error) Bit 28	It is set to indicate that the instruction detected an error, such as if you specified an unconfigured axis.
.IP (In Process) Bit 26	It is set on positive rung transition and cleared when the Jog process is superseded by another Motion Axis Jog command, or terminated by a Motion Stop command, merge, shutdown, or servo fault.

**Description:** The Motion Axis Jog (MAJ) instruction jogs (moves continuously) a physical axis in the specified direction at a specified speed and using a specified acceleration and deceleration. To jog an axis, enter or select the desired Axis and Direction and enter values or tag variables for the desired Speed, Accel, and Decel as percentages of the current configured maximum values or directly in the configured speed and acceleration units of the axis.

If the targeted axis does not appear in the list of available axes, the axis has not been configured for servo operation. Use the Tag Editor to create and configure a new axis.

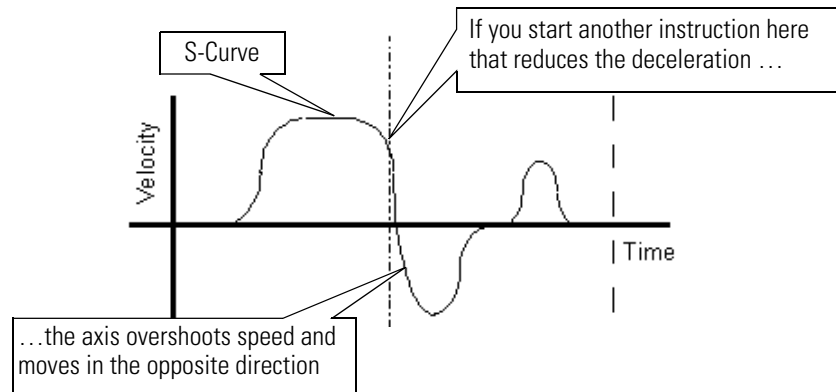
The Figure below shows the general form of a trapezoidal jog starting with the axis at standstill.



**Figure 3.4 Trapezoidal Jog**

**ATTENTION****If you use an S-Curve profile**

Be careful if you change the acceleration, deceleration, or speed while an axis is accelerating or decelerating along an S-Curve profile. You can cause an axis to overshoot its speed or move in the opposite direction.



This happens because jerk limits the acceleration and deceleration time of an S-Curve profile. You reduce jerk when you reduce acceleration, reduce deceleration, or increase speed. The smaller jerk can cause:

- an accelerating axis to overshoot its speed
- a decelerating axis to move in the opposite direction

For more information, see Logix5000 Motion Modules User Manual, publication 1756-UM006.

**Jog Profile Type**

The Profile selection of the MAJ instruction sets the type of motion profile used for the jog.

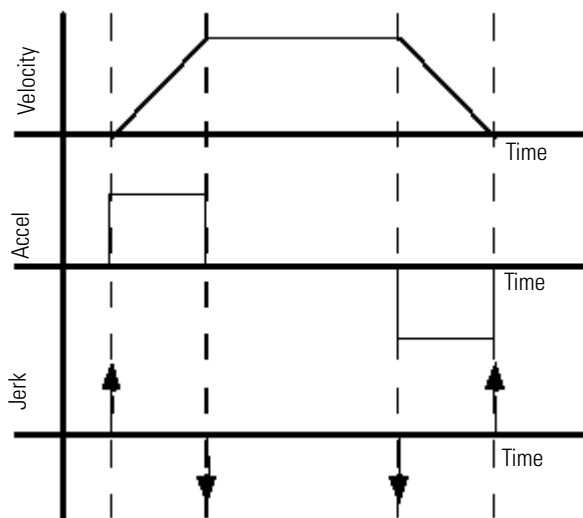
The ControlLogix motion controller provides trapezoidal (linear acceleration and deceleration), and S-Curve (controlled jerk) velocity profiles. A guide to the effects of these motion profiles on various application requirements is given below:

## Velocity Profile Effects

Profile Type	ACC/DEC Time	Motor Stress	Priority of Control Highest to Lowest			
			Trapezoidal	Fastest	Worst	Acc/Dec
S-Curve	2X Slower	Best	Jerk	Acc/Dec	Velocity	Position

### Trapezoidal

The trapezoidal velocity profile is the most commonly used profile since it provides the most flexibility in programming subsequent motion and the fastest acceleration and deceleration times. The maximum change in velocity is specified by acceleration and deceleration. Since jerk is not a factor for trapezoidal profiles, it is considered infinite and is shown as a vertical line in the following graph.



**Figure 3.5 Trapezoidal Accel/Decel Time**

### S-Curve

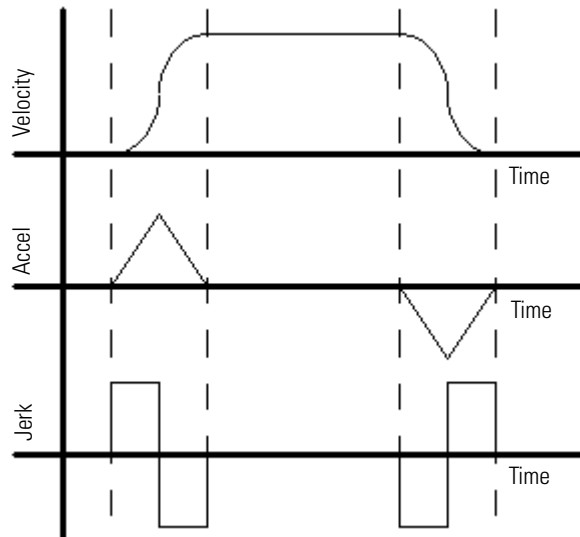
S-Curve velocity profiles are most often used when the stress on the mechanical system and load needs to be minimized. The S-Curve profile, however, sacrifices acceleration and deceleration time compared to the trapezoidal. The maximum rate at which velocity can accelerate or decelerate is further limited by jerk.

The Jerk rate is calculated as follows:

$$\text{Accel Jerk} = (\text{Max Accel})^2 / \text{Max Velocity}$$

$$\text{Decel Jerk} = (\text{Max Decel})^2 / \text{Max Velocity}$$

Axis acceleration and deceleration rate calculations are performed when an Axis Move, Jog, Change Dynamics, or Stop of type Move or Jog is initiated. The calculated Jerk Rate produces triangular acceleration and deceleration profiles, as shown in the following diagram.



**Figure 3.6 S-Curve Accel/Decel Time**

### Merged Jogs

Jogs can also be used to terminate the motion produced by other motion instructions in progress such that the axis continues moving at the specified speed. The effect of this operation is to turn all motion in progress on the specified axis into a pure jog. To initiate a Merged Jog set Merge to Enabled and define the type of merge (note that the direction is automatically determined). Enter values or tag variables for the desired Speed, Accel, and Decel. Select other options as desired.

### Current Speed

If At Current Speed is selected or entered as the Merge Type, the speed of the jog is automatically set to the current actual speed of the axis. In this case, any specified speed value or tag variable associated with the MAJ instruction is ignored.

## Programmed Speed

If At Programmed Speed is selected or chosen as the Merge Type, the speed of the jog is set to the entered speed value or tag variable. If this speed is different from the current speed of the axis, the axis is accelerated or decelerated as specified to the new speed.

To successfully execute a Motion Axis Jog instruction, the targeted axis must be configured as a Servo Axis and the axis must be in the Servo On state. If any of these conditions are not met than the instruction errs.

### IMPORTANT

The MAJ instruction execution completes in a single scan, thus the Done (.DN) bit and the In Process (.IP) bit are set immediately. The In Process (.IP) bit remains set until the initiated Jog process is either superseded by another MAJ instruction, or terminated by a Motion Axis Stop command, Merge operation, or Servo Fault Action.

This is a transitional instruction:

- In relay ladder, toggle the rung-condition-in from cleared to set each time the instruction should execute.
- In structured text, condition the instruction so that it only executes on a transition. See Appendix C.

**Arithmetic Status Flags:** not affected

**Fault Conditions:** none

### Error Codes: MAJ Error Codes (.ERR)

Error Message	Code	Description
Servo Off State Error	5	Attempted execution on an axis that does not have the servo loop closed.
Shutdown State Error	7	Attempted execution with the axis in the Shutdown state.
Illegal Axis Type	8	Attempted execution with enumerated Axis Type not configured for "Servo" or "Virtual"
Overtravel Error	9	Attempted execution in a direction that aggravates current overtravel condition.

Error Message	Code	Description
Axis Not Configured	11	Passed axis value references an unconfigured axis meaning the axis has not been assigned to a physical motion module channel.
Parameter Out of Range	13	Attempted to execution with a parameter that was outside of its legal range limit. See Extended Error section for more information on the cause of the error.
Home in Process	16	Attempted to execution with homing in process
Axis Group Not Synchronized	19	Attempted execution on an axis whose associated axis group is not currently synchronized.
Axis in Faulted State	20	Attempted execution on an axis, which is in the Faulted state.
Illegal Dynamic Change	23	Attempted an illegal change of dynamics such as merge on an S-curve, change profile from trap to S-curve on the fly, change S-curve to non-zero speed or changing accel of an S-curve.
Illegal Controller Mode Operation	24	Attempted execution when the processor is in test mode
Illegal Axis Data Type	38	You attempted to execute an instruction on an Axis Data Type that is not supported by the instruction.
Maximum Deceleration Value is Zero	54	The Decel Rate of the Axis is set to zero. This is an illegal value for Decel Rate, which inhibits start motion. See the Extended Error section for more information about this error.

**Extended Error Codes:** Extended Error Codes provide additional instruction specific information for the Error Codes that are generic to many instructions. Extended Error codes for the Parameter Out of Range (13) error code lists a number that refers to the number of the operand as they are listed in the faceplate from top to bottom with the first operand being counted as zero. Therefore for the MAJ instruction, an extended error code of 3 would refer to the Speed operand's value. You would then have to check your value with the accepted range of values for the instruction.

For the Error Code 54 – Maximum Deceleration Value is Zero, if the Extended Error returns a positive number (0-*n*) it is referring to the offending axis in the coordinate system. Go to the Coordinate System Properties General Tab and look under the Brackets ( [ ] ) column of the Axis Grid to determine which axis has a Maximum Deceleration value of 0. Click on the ellipsis button next to the offending axis to access the Axis Properties screen. Go to the Dynamics tab and make the appropriate change to the Maximum Deceleration Value. If the Extended Error number is -1, this means the Coordinate System has a Maximum Deceleration Value of 0. Go to the Coordinate System Properties Dynamics Tab to correct the Maximum Deceleration value.



## MAJ Changes to Status Bits: Motion Status Bits

With Merge set to Disabled, execution of the MAJ instruction sets the Jog Status bit to True.

Bit Name	State	Meaning
JogStatus	TRUE	Axis is Jogging

If the Merge is Enabled, execution of the MAJ instruction sets the Jog Status bit to True and clears the Move and Gear Status bits.

Bit Name:	State:	Meaning:
JogStatus	TRUE	The axis is Jogging.
MoveStatus	FALSE	The axis is no longer Moving.
GearingStatus	FALSE	The axis is no longer Gearing.

**Example:** When the input conditions are true, the controller initiates a jog motion for *Axis1*.

### Relay Ladder

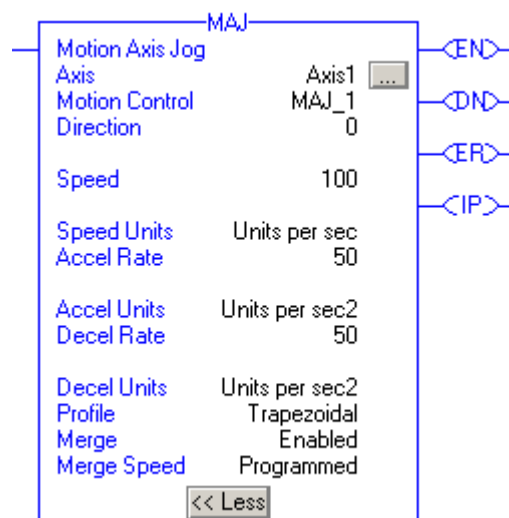


Figure 3.7 MAJ Ladder Instruction

### Structured Text

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MAJ(Axis1,MAJ_1,0,100,Unitspersec,50,Unitspersec2,50,
Unitspersec2,Trapezoidal,Enabled,Programmed);
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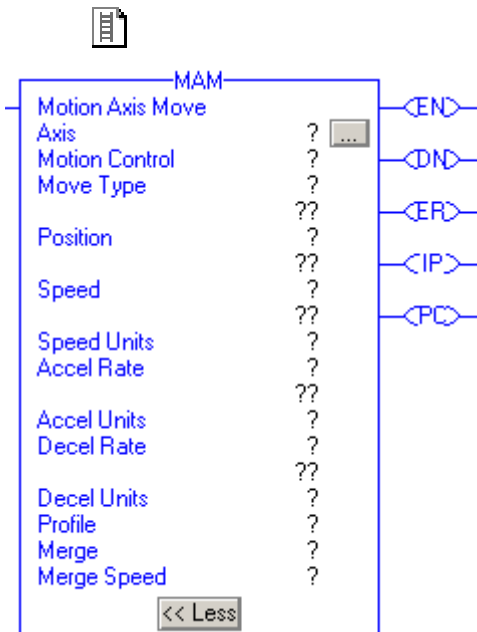
## Motion Axis Move (MAM)

The Motion Axis Move (MAM) instruction is used to initiate a move profile for the specified axis. This move profile moves the axis to a

specified Position or by a specified Distance depending on the Move Type selected. The steady-state speed of the move profile is given by Speed. The motion control’s move profile generator handles acceleration or deceleration of the axis to the steady-state move speed using the specified Accel and Decel values and the profile type given by the Profile input parameter. The value for Speed, Acceleration, and Deceleration may be specified in user defined units (Speed Units, Accel Units) or in % of maximum values (Max Speed, Max Accel, Max Decel) determined during configuration. The Motion Axis Jog (MAJ) instruction may also be used to convert any current axis motion into a pure move profile by specifying the Merge option. If merging is enabled, the Merge Speed option may be used to specify the speed of the Move to be either the programmed Speed value or the Current speed of the axis.

To initiate a Master Offset Move, the Move Type is set to either “Absolute Master Offset” or “Incremental Master Offset”. The Master Offset Move provide a position offset to the master value of a position cam without actually changing the master axis position. This provides a shifting of the position cam profile along the master axis. An axis move can be stopped by using the Motion Axis Stop (MAS) instruction.

**Operands: Relay Ladder**



Operand:	Type:	Format:	Description:
Axis	AXIS_VIRTUAL AXIS_GENERIC AXIS_SERVO AXIS_SERVO_DRIVE	tag	Name of the axis to perform operation on.
Motion control	MOTION_INSTRUCTION	tag	Structure used to access instruction status parameters.
Move type	UDINT	immediate or tag	The type of move operation you require. Select one of the following: 0 = Absolute Move 1 = Incremental Move 2 = Rotary Shortest Path Move 3 = Rotary Positive Move 4 = Rotary Negative Move 5 = Absolute Master Offset 6 = Incremental Master Offset
Position /Distance	REAL	immediate or tag	The value of the absolute command position to move to, or for incremental movement, the value of the distance to move from the current command position.
Speed	REAL	immediate or tag	The speed to move the axis in either % or Speed units.

<b>Operand:</b>	<b>Type:</b>	<b>Format:</b>	<b>Description:</b>
Speed units	BOOLEAN	immediate	The units used to display the Speed value. Select either: 0 =units per sec 1 = % of maximum speed
Accel rate	REAL	immediate or tag	The acceleration rate of the axis in % or Acceleration units.
Accel units	BOOLEAN	immediate	The units used to display the Accel value. Select either: 0 = units per sec <sup>2</sup> 1 = % of maximum acceleration
Decel rate	REAL	immediate or tag	The Deceleration rate of the axis in % or Deceleration units.
Decel units	BOOLEAN	immediate	The units used to display the Deceleration value. Select either: 0 = units per sec <sup>2</sup> 1 = % of maximum acceleration
Profile	UDINT	immediate	The Velocity Profile to run for the move. Select either: 0 = Trapezoidal 1 = S-curve
Merge	BOOLEAN	immediate	If Merge is enabled, it instructs the motion control to turn all current axis motion, regardless of the motion instructions currently in process, into a pure move governed by this instruction. Select either: 0 = disabled 1 = enabled
Merge speed	DINT	immediate	When Merge is enabled, this selection determines whether the speed of the move profile is going to be the specified Speed value of this instruction or the Current axis speed. Select either: 0 = programmed value in the speed field 1 = current axis speed



MAM(Axis,MotionControl, MoveType,Position,Speed, SpeedUnits,AccelRate, AccelUnits,DecelRate, DecelUnits,Profile,Merge, MergeSpeed);

### Structured Text

The operands are the same as those for the relay ladder MAM instruction.

For the operands that require you to select from available options, enter your selection as:

This operand:	Has these options which you...	
	enter as text:	or enter as a number:
SpeedUnits	unitspersec %ofmaximum	0 1
AccelUnits	unitspersec2 %ofmaximum	0 1
DecelUnits	unitspersec2 %ofmaximum	0 1
Profile	trapezoidal scurve	0 1
Merge	disabled enabled	0 1
MergeSpeed	programmed current	0 1

### MOTION\_INSTRUCTION Structure

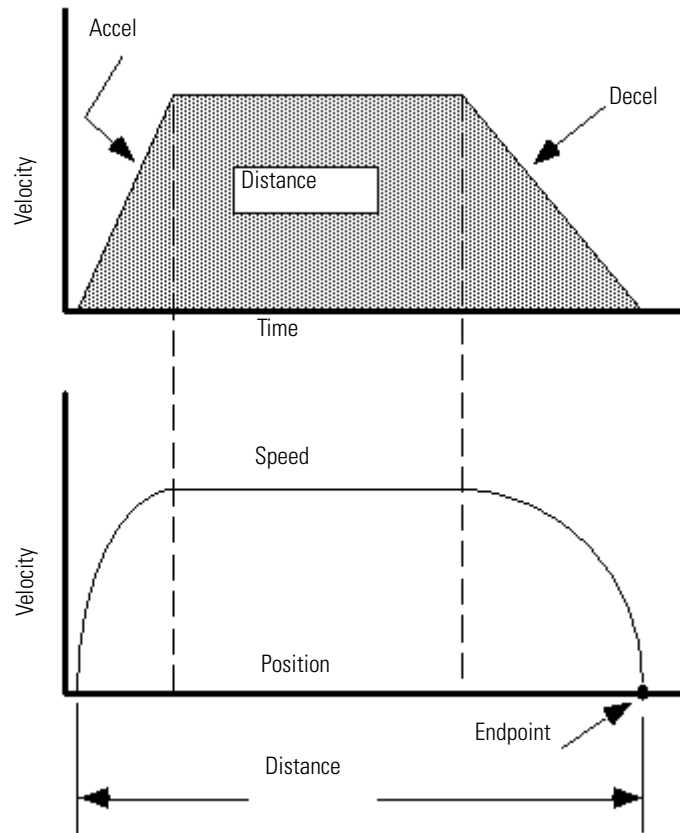
Mnemonic:	Description:
.EN (Enable) Bit 31	It is set when the rung makes a false-to-true transition and remains set until the servo message transaction is completed and the rung goes false.
.DN (Done) Bit 29	It is set when axis move has been successfully initiated.
.ER (Error) Bit 28	It is set to indicate that the instruction detected an error, such as if you specified an unconfigured axis.
.IP (In Process) Bit 26	It is set on positive rung transition and cleared after the Motion Axis Move is complete, or has been superseded by another Motion Axis Move command, or terminated by a Motion Stop command, merge, shutdown, or servo fault.
.PC (Process Complete) Bit 27	It sets after the move has completed, i.e., reached destination.

**Description:** The Motion Axis Move (MAM) instruction moves a physical axis to a specified absolute position or by a specified incremental distance at a specified speed using a specified acceleration and deceleration. In addition to these absolute and incremental moves, the MAM instruction can also generate many other special types of moves.

To move an axis enter or select the desired physical axis and type of move. Enter values or tag variables for the desired Position or Distance, Speed, Accel, and Decel. Speed, acceleration, and deceleration values can be entered as percentages of the current configured maximum values or directly in the configured speed and acceleration units of the axis.

If the targeted axis does not appear in the list of available axes, the axis has not been configured for servo operation. Use the Tag Editor to create and configure a new axis.

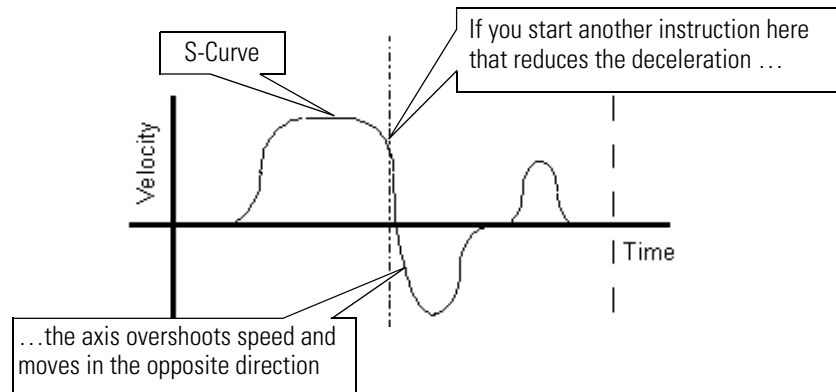
The following Figure shows the general form of a trapezoidal move starting with the axis at standstill.



**Figure 3.8 Trapezoidal Move**

**ATTENTION****If you use an S-Curve profile**

Be careful if you change the acceleration, deceleration, or speed while an axis is accelerating or decelerating along an S-Curve profile. You can cause an axis to overshoot its speed or move in the opposite direction.



This happens because jerk limits the acceleration and deceleration time of an S-Curve profile. You reduce jerk when you reduce acceleration, reduce deceleration, or increase speed. The smaller jerk can cause:

- an accelerating axis to overshoot its speed
- a decelerating axis to move in the opposite direction

For more information, see Logix5000 Motion Modules User Manual, publication 1756-UM006.

**Absolute Moves**

When Absolute is selected or entered the Move Type, the axis moves to the specified Position at the specified Speed, using the specified Accel and Decel.

**Changing the Endpoint of Absolute Moves**

The endpoint of an absolute move may be changed while the move is in progress using another MAM instruction with the new desired absolute position. The endpoint can be changed when using any of the two velocity profiles, although not while the axis is decelerating with S-Curve profiles. The endpoint of an absolute move may also be changed using an incremental MAM instruction while the absolute move is in progress. In this case, the Final destination of the axis is the original absolute position

plus the new incremental distance (see Incremental Moves later in this section). In all cases, the axis moves smoothly to the new endpoint without stopping at the old endpoint—including any required change of direction.

The move speed of a trapezoidal absolute move in progress may also be changed along with the endpoint by specifying a new speed in addition to the new position. If new acceleration and deceleration values are specified, they take effect when (and only if) the axis reverses direction.

### **Absolute Moves on Rotary Axes**

When an axis is configured for rotary operation, absolute moves are handled in the same way as with linear axes except that when the axis position exceeds the Unwind parameter, it is unwound. In this way, axis position is never greater than the Unwind value nor ever less than zero. Refer to the Motion Axis Object Specification for more information on Unwind and Rotary Axis configuration.

The specified position is interpreted trigonometrically and may be positive or negative and may also be greater than the unwind value. Negative position values are equivalent to their corresponding positive values (i.e.  $-90^\circ$  is the same as  $+270^\circ$  etc.) and are useful when rotating the axis through zero. When the position is greater than the unwind value, the axis moves through more than one revolution before stopping at an absolute position.

### **Incremental Moves**

When Incremental is selected or entered as the Move Type, the axis moves the specified Distance at the specified Speed, using the specified Accel and Decel.

### **Changing the Move Distance**

The Final destination of an incremental move may be changed while the move is in progress (although not while the axis is decelerating with S-Curve profiles) using another MAM instruction with an additional incremental distance. The total distance moved by the MAM instructions is the *sum* of the two distances.

**NOTE:** The Final destination of an S-Curve velocity profile move may not be changed when the axis is decelerating.

The Final destination of an incremental move may also be changed while a move is in progress using another MAM instruction with a new absolute position. In this case, the axis

goes *directly* to the specified absolute position without completing the incremental move. This action is different from the case where an incremental MAM instruction follows an absolute MAM instruction.

### **Incremental Moves with Gearing**

A Motion Axis Gear (MAG) instruction may be used while an incremental move is in progress on the slave axis and the gearing motion is superimposed on the move profile. Conversely, an incremental move instruction may be used while gearing is enabled to cause a similar effect. This allows many complex profiles and sophisticated synchronization to be accomplished. Superimposing an incremental move on top of electronic gearing is particularly useful to implement phase advance/retard control.

### **Incremental Moves on Rotary Axes**

When an axis is configured for rotary operation, incremental moves are handled in the same way as with linear axes except that when the axis position exceeds the Unwind parameter, it is unwound. In this way, axis command position is never greater than the Unwind value nor ever less than zero. Refer to the Motion Axis Object Specification for more information on Unwind and Rotary Axis configuration.

The specified distance is interpreted trigonometrically and may be positive or negative and may also be greater than the Unwind value. When the distance is greater than the Unwind value, the axis moves through more than one revolution before stopping.

### **Rotary Shortest Path Moves**

The rotary shortest path move moves a rotary axis to the desired absolute position via the shortest path. It is a special type of absolute move available only for rotary axes.

When Rotary Shortest Path is selected or entered the Move Type, the axis moves to the specified Position at the specified Speed using the specified Accel and Decel in the direction which results in the shortest move, regardless of the current position of the axis. The position must be a positive value less than the Unwind value entered in the motion controller's machine setup menu, and therefore moves of more than one revolution cannot be performed with a single rotary shortest path MAM instruction.

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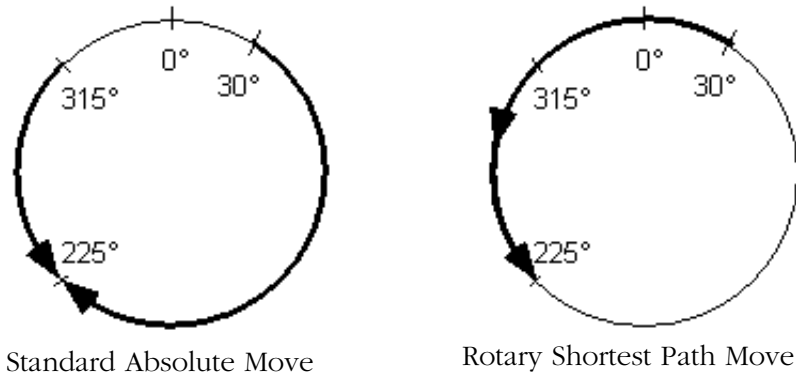
**IMPORTANT**

Use rotary shortest path moves only on axes configured as Rotary.

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For example, assume a rotary axis with position units of degrees is to be moved to a position of  $225^\circ$ . As shown in the Figure below, with the standard absolute MAM instruction, the direction of travel depends on the current position of the axis, and is not necessarily the shortest path to the endpoint. Starting positions less than the endpoint result in motion in the positive direction, while starting positions greater than the endpoint result in motion in the negative direction.



**Figure 3.9 Rotary Shortest Path Moves**

With the rotary shortest path move however, the axis moves to the specified endpoint, through  $0^\circ$  if necessary, in the direction which results in the shortest move *regardless* of the current axis position. The rotary shortest path move may be used while the axis is moving or standing still.

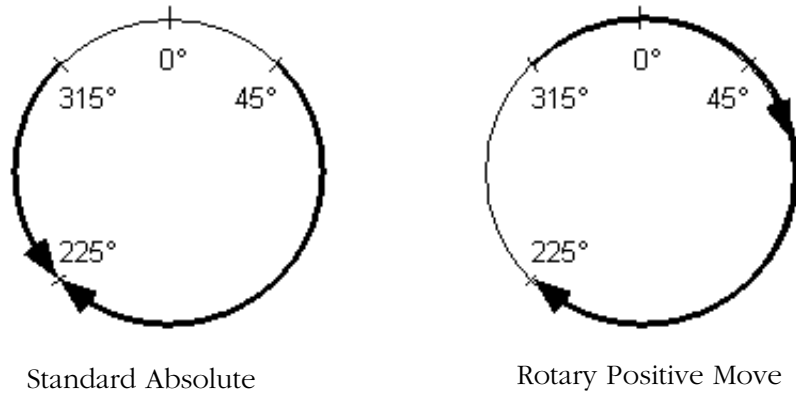
### Rotary Positive Moves

The rotary positive move moves a rotary axis to the desired absolute position in the positive direction. It is a special type of absolute move available only for rotary axes. Refer to the Motion Axis Object Specification for more information on Unwind and Rotary Axis configuration.

When Rotary Positive is selected or entered as the Move Type, the axis moves to the specified Position at the specified Speed using the specified Accel and Decel in the positive direction, regardless of the current position of the axis. The position must be a positive value less than the Unwind value entered in the motion controller's machine setup menu, and therefore moves of more than one revolution cannot be performed with a single rotary positive MAM instruction. See the Setup section of the Installation and Setup manual for your motion controller for more information on the unwind parameter.

For example, assume a rotary axis with position units of degrees is to be moved to a position of  $225^\circ$ . As shown in the Figure below, with the standard absolute MAM instruction, the direction of travel depends on the current position of the axis, and is not necessarily the shortest

path to the endpoint. Starting positions less than the endpoint result in motion in the positive direction, while starting positions greater than the endpoint result in motion in the negative direction.



**Figure 3.10 Rotary Positive Moves**

With the rotary positive move however, the axis moves to the specified endpoint position, through  $0^\circ$  if necessary, in the positive direction *regardless* of the current axis position.

**IMPORTANT**

The rotary positive move should *only* be used while the axis is not moving to ensure motion in the proper direction.

**Rotary Negative Moves**

The rotary negative move moves a rotary axis to the desired absolute position in the negative direction. It is a special type of absolute move available only for rotary axes. Refer to the Motion Axis Object Specification for more information on Unwind and Rotary Axis configuration.

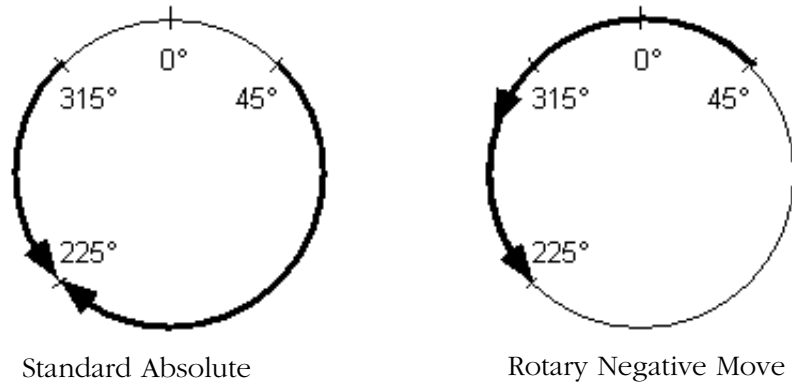
When Rotary Negative is selected or entered as the Move Type, the axis moves to the specified Position at the specified Speed using the specified Accel and Decel in the negative direction, regardless of the current position of the axis. The position must be a positive value less than the unwind value entered in the motion controller's machine setup menu, and therefore moves of more than one revolution cannot be performed with a single rotary negative MAM instruction.

**IMPORTANT**

Use rotary negative moves only on rotary axes.

For example, assume a rotary axis with position units of degrees is to be moved to a position of  $225^\circ$ . As shown in the Figure below, with

the standard absolute MAM instruction, the direction of travel depends on the current position of the axis, and is not necessarily the shortest path to the endpoint. Starting positions less than the endpoint result in motion in the positive direction, while starting positions greater than the endpoint result in motion in the negative direction.



**Figure 3.11 Rotary Negative Moves**

With the rotary negative move however, the axis moves to the specified endpoint position, through  $0^\circ$  if necessary, in the negative direction *regardless* of the current axis position.

**IMPORTANT**

The rotary positive move should *only* be used while the axis is not moving to ensure motion in the proper direction.

### Absolute and Incremental Master Offset Move

For Master Offset Moves, the specified axis defines the slave axis. Position, speed accel rate, and decel rate values represent master axis units. Speed units, accel units and decel units represent master axis user units. Maximum refers to the master axis maximum.

In the case of an absolute Master Offset Move, the specified position value is used as position offset target. For incremental Master Offset Move, the specified position value is added to the current position offset target. Thereafter, the current position offset is moved to the position offset target according to the specified speed, Accel rate and Decel rate.

### Move Profile Type

The Profile selection of the MAM instruction sets the type of motion profile used for the move.

The ControlLogix motion controller provides trapezoidal (linear acceleration and deceleration), and S-Curve (controlled jerk) velocity profiles. See the Profile section of the MAJ instruction earlier in this chapter for more information about Trapezoidal and S-Curve profiles.

### **Merged Moves**

The MAM instruction can also be used to terminate the motion produced by other motion instructions in progress such that the axis continues moving at the specified speed. The effect of this operation is to turn all motion in progress on the specified axis into a pure move profile. To initiate a Merged Move check the Merge checkbox and define the type of merge (note that the direction is automatically determined). Enter values or tag variables for the desired Speed, Accel, and Decel. Select other options as desired.

For a Master Offset Move, the new move is merged to an active Master Offset Move. Therefore, merging a Master Offset Move does not affect the other motion planner objects.

### **Current Speed**

If At Current Speed is selected or entered as the Merge Type, the speed of the move is automatically set to the current actual speed of the axis. In this case, any specified speed value or tag variable associated with the MAM instruction is ignored.

### **Programmed Speed**

If At Programmed Speed is selected or entered as the Merge Type, the speed of the move is set to the entered speed value or tag variable. If this speed is different from the current speed of the axis, the axis is accelerated or decelerated as specified to the new speed.

To successfully execute a Motion Axis Move instruction, the targeted axis must be configured as a Servo Axis Type and the axis must be in

the Servo On state. If any of these conditions are not met then the instruction errs.

**IMPORTANT**

The MAM instruction execution completes in a single scan, thus the Done (.DN) bit and the In Process (.IP) bit are set and the Process Complete (.PC) bit is cleared immediately. The In Process (.IP) bit remains set until the initiated Move process is completed, or superseded by another MAM instruction, or terminated by a Motion Axis Stop command, Merge operation, or Servo Fault Action. The Process Complete (.PC) bit is only set if the initiated move profile is completed prior to any other of the above events terminating the move process and clearing the In Process (.IP) bit.

This is a transitional instruction:

- In relay ladder, toggle the rung-condition-in from cleared to set each time the instruction should execute.
- In structured text, condition the instruction so that it only executes on a transition. See Appendix C.

**Arithmetic Status Flags:** not affected

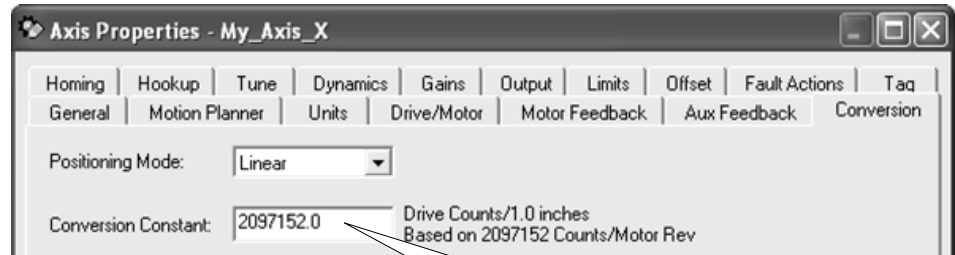
**Fault Conditions:** none

**Error Codes: MAM Error Codes (.ERR)**

Code	Error Message	Description
5	Servo Off State Error	Attempted execution on an axis that does not have the servo loop closed.
7	Shutdown State Error	Attempted execution with the axis in the Shutdown state.
8	Illegal Axis Type	Attempted execution with the axis not configured as servo.
9	Overtravel Error	Attempted execution in a direction that aggravates current overtravel condition.
11	Axis Not Configured	Passed axis value references an unconfigured axis meaning the axis has not been assigned to a physical motion module channel.
13	Parameter Out of Range	Attempted to execution with a parameter that was outside of its legal range limit. See Extended Error section for more information on the cause of the error.
16	Home in Process	Attempted to execute with homing in process
17	Axis Mode Not Rotary	Attempted to execute a rotary move type with axis not configured for rotary operation.
19	Axis Group Not Synchronized	Attempted execution on an axis whose associated axis group is not currently synchronized.

<b>Code</b>	<b>Error Message</b>	<b>Description</b>
20	Axis in Faulted State	Attempted execution on an axis, which is in the Faulted state.
23	Illegal Dynamic Change	Attempted an illegal change of dynamics such as merge on an S-curve, change profile from trap to S-curve on the fly, change S-curve to non-zero speed or changing accel of an S-curve.
24	Illegal Controller Mode Operation	Attempted execution when the processor is in test mode
33	Position Cam Not Enabled	An MAH execution was attempted without the position cam in process.

Code	Error Message	Description
38	Illegal Axis Data Type	You attempted to execute an instruction on an Axis Data Type that is not supported by the instruction.
54	Maximum Deceleration Value is Zero	The Decel Rate of the Axis is set to zero. This is an illegal value for Decel Rate, which inhibits start motion. See the Extended Error section for more information about this error.
65	The selected axis exceeded the maximum system travel limits (position overflowed)	The axis moved too far and the controller can't store the position. The range for position depends on the conversion constant of the axis.



- Maximum positive position = 2,147,483,647 / conversion constant of the axis
- Maximum negative position = -2,147,483,648 / conversion constant of the axis

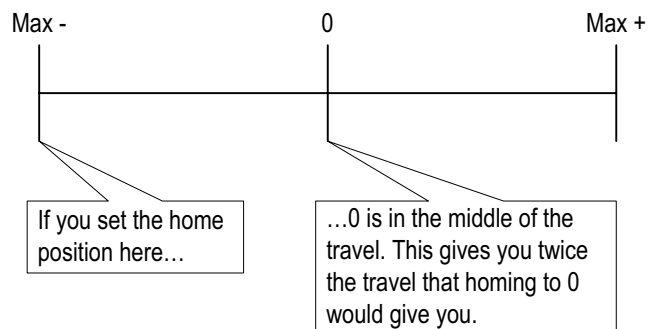
Suppose you have a conversion constant of 2,097,152 counts/inch. In that case:

- Maximum positive position = 2,147,483,647 / 2,097,152 counts/inch = 1023 inches
- Maximum negative position = -2,147,483,648 / 2,097,152 counts/inch = -1023 inches

To prevent this error:

- Set up soft travel limits that keep the axis within the position range.
- One way to get more travel is to use the max negative or max positive position as your home position.

Example



**Extended Error Codes:** Extended Error Codes provide additional instruction specific information for the Error Codes that are generic to many instructions. Extended Error codes for the Parameter Out of Range (13) error code lists a number that refers to the number of the operand as they are listed in the faceplate from top to bottom with the first operand being counted as zero. Therefore for the MAM instruction, an extended error code of 4 would refer to the Speed operand's value. You would then have to check your value with the accepted range of values for the instruction.

For the Error Code 54 – Maximum Deceleration Value is Zero, if the Extended Error returns a positive number (0-*n*) it is referring to the offending axis in the coordinate system. Go to the Coordinate System Properties General Tab and look under the Brackets ( [ ] ) column of the Axis Grid to determine which axis has a Maximum Deceleration value of 0. Click on the ellipsis button next to the offending axis to access the Axis Properties screen. Go to the Dynamics tab and make the appropriate change to the Maximum Deceleration Value. If the Extended Error number is -1, this means the Coordinate System has a Maximum Deceleration Value of 0. Go to the Coordinate System Properties Dynamics Tab to correct the Maximum Deceleration value.

### MAM Changes to Status Bits: **Motion Status Bits**

The move instruction affects either the MoveStatus bit or the MasterOffsetMoveStatus bit based on the selected Move Type. If Move Type is Incremental Master Offset or Absolute Master Offset, the MasterOffsetMoveStatus bit is affected, otherwise the MoveStatus bit is affected.

With the Merge check box NOT checked, execution of the MAM instruction sets the Move Status bit to True.

Bit Name	State	Meaning
MoveStatus or MasterOffsetMove	TRUE	Axis is Moving Axis is Offset

If the Merge check box is checked and Move Type is not Incremental Master Offset or Absolute Master Offset, execution of the MAM instruction sets the Move Status bit to True and clears the Jog and Gear Status bits.

Bit Name	State	Meaning
MoveStatus	TRUE	Axis is Moving
JogStatus	FALSE	Axis is no longer Jogging
GearingStatus	FALSE	Axis is no longer Gearing

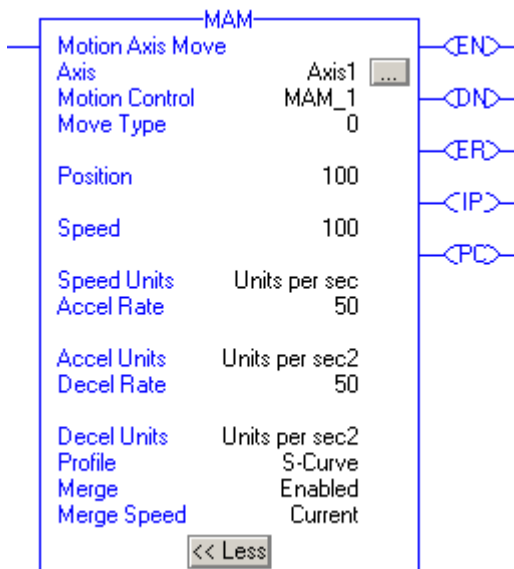


If the Merge check box is checked and Move Type is Incremental Master Offset or Absolute Master Offset, execution of the MAM instruction sets the Master Offset Move Status bit to True.

Bit Name	State	Meaning
MasterOffsetMoveStatus	TRUE	Axis is Offset

**Example:** When the input conditions are true, the controller initiates a move for *axis1*.

**Relay Ladder**



**Figure 3.12 MAM Ladder Example**

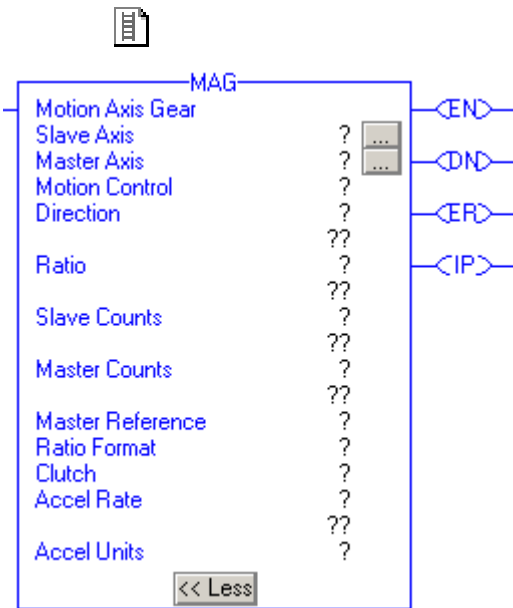
**Structured Text**

```
MAM(Axis1,MAM_1,0,100,100,Unitspersec,50,Unitspersec2,50,Unitspersec2,Scurve,Enabled,Current);
```

## Motion Axis Gear (MAG)

The Motion Axis Gear (MAG) instruction provides electronic gearing between any two axes in a specified direction and at a specified ratio. When called, the specified Slave Axis is geared to the Master Axis at the specified Ratio (e.g., 1.345) or Slave Counts to Master Counts (e.g., 1:3). The MAG instruction supports specification of the gear ratio in one of two different formats, Real or Fractional, as determined by the Ratio Format input selection. The direction of Slave Axis motion relative to the Master Axis is defined by a very flexible Direction input parameter. The gearing direction may be explicitly set as the Same or Opposite or set relative to the current gearing direction as Reverse or Unchanged. Note, also, that the value for Ratio is sign sensitive. The Master Reference selection allows gearing input to be derived from either the Actual or Command position of the Master Axis. When the instruction's Clutch capability is activated the gearing instruction commands the slave axis to accelerate or decelerate at a controlled rate before Locking on to the master axis using the instructions Acceleration value much like the clutch of a car.

### Operands: Relay Ladder



Operand:	Type:	Format:	Description:
Slave axis	AXIS_VIRTUAL AXIS_GENERIC AXIS_SERVO AXIS_SERVO_DRIVE	tag	Name of the axis to perform operation on.
Master axis	AXIS_FEEDBACK AXIS_CONSUMED AXIS_VIRTUAL AXIS_GENERIC AXIS_SERVO AXIS_SERVO_DRIVE	tag	The axis that the slave axis follows.
Motion control	MOTION_INSTRUCTION	tag	Structure used to access instruction status parameters.
Direction	UINT32	immediate or tag	The relative direction that the Slave axis tracks the Master Axis. Select one of following: 0 = slave axis moves in the same direction as the master axis 1 = slave axis moves in the opposite direction of its current direction 2 = slave axis reverses from current or previous 3 = slave axis to continue its current or previous direction
Ratio	REAL	immediate or tag	Signed Real value establishing the gear ratio in Slave User Units per Master User Unit.
Slave counts	UINT32	immediate or tag	Integer value representing slave counts used in specifying a Fractional gear ratio.

<b>Operand:</b>	<b>Type:</b>	<b>Format:</b>	<b>Description:</b>
Master counts	UINT32	immediate or tag	Integer value representing master counts used in specifying a Fractional gear ratio.
Master reference	BOOLEAN	immediate	Sets the master position reference to either Command position or Actual position. 0 = Actual – slave axis motion is generated from the current position of the master axis as measured by its encoder or other feedback device. 1 = Command – slave axis motion is generated from the desired or commanded position of the master axis.
Ratio format	BOOLEAN	immediate	The desired ratio specification format. Select either: 0 = real gear ratio 1 = integer fraction of slave encoder counts to master encoder counts
Clutch	BOOLEAN	immediate	When Clutch is enabled, motion control ramps the slave axis up to gearing speed at the instruction's defined Acceleration value. If not enabled, the Slave axis immediately locks onto the Master axis. If the Master Axis is currently moving this condition results in an abrupt "uncontrolled" acceleration event of the Slave Axis which can cause the axis to fault. Select either: 0 = enabled 1 = disabled
Accel rate	BOOLEAN	immediate or tag	Acceleration rate of the Slave Axis in % or Acceleration Units. It is applied when the Clutch feature is enabled.
Accel units	DINT	immediate	The units used to display the Acceleration value. Select either: 0 = units per sec <sup>2</sup> 1 = % of maximum acceleration



MAG(SlaveAxis,MasterAxis,  
MotionControl,Direction,  
Ratio,SlaveCounts,  
MasterCounts,  
MasterReference,RatioFormat,Cl  
utch,AccelRate,

### Structured Text

The operands are the same as those for the relay ladder  
MAG instruction.

For the operands that require you to select from available options, enter your selection as:

This operand:	Has these options which you...	
	enter as text:	or enter as a number:
MasterReference	actual command	0 1
RatioFormat	real fraction_slave_master_counts	0 1
Clutch	enabled disabled	0 1
AccelUnits	unitspersec2 %ofmaximum	0 1

### MOTION\_INSTRUCTION Structure

Mnemonic:	Description:
.EN (Enable) Bit 31	It is set when the rung makes a false-to-true transition and remains set until the servo message transaction is completed and the rung goes false.
.DN (Done) Bit 29	It is set when axis gear has been successfully initiated.
.ER (Error) Bit 28	It is set to indicate that the instruction detected an error, such as if you specified an unconfigured axis.
.IP (In Process) Bit 26	It is set on positive rung transition and cleared if either superseded by another Motion Gear Axes command, or terminated by a stop command, merge, shutdown, or servo fault.

**Description:** The Motion Axis Gear (MAG) instruction enables electronic gearing between two axes at a specified ratio. Electronic gearing allows any physical axis to be synchronized to the actual or command position of another physical axis at a precise ratio. It provides a direct edge-to-edge lock between the two axes—no maximum velocity, acceleration, or deceleration limits are used. The speed, acceleration, and deceleration of the slave axis is completely determined by the motion of the master axis and the specified gear ratio.

#### ATTENTION



The maximum velocity, acceleration, or deceleration limits established during axis configuration do not apply to electronic gearing.

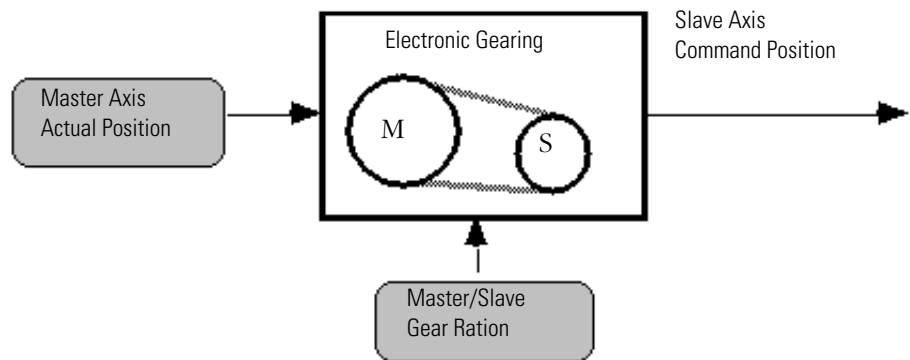
Select or enter the desired Master Axis, Slave Axis, and Direction and enter a value or tag variable for the desired ratio. If an axis is dimmed (gray) or not shown in the Slave Axis pop-up menu, the physical axis is not defined for Servo operation.

If the targeted axis does not appear in the list of available axes, the axis has not been configured for servo operation. Use the Tag Editor to create and configure a new axis.

Electronic gearing remains active through any subsequent execution of jog, or move processes for the slave axis. This allows electronic gearing motions to be superimposed with jog, or move profiles to create complex motion and synchronization.

### Slaving to the Actual Position

When Actual Position is entered or selected as the Master Reference source, the slave axis motion is generated from the actual position of the master axis as shown below.

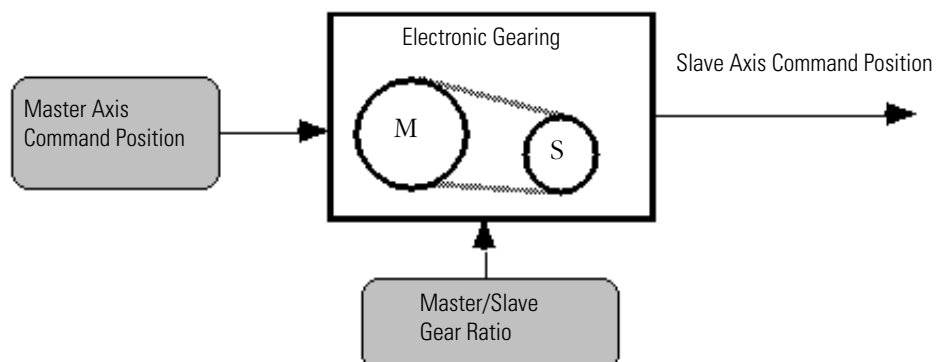


**Figure 3.13 Slaving to Actual Position**

Actual position is the current position of a physical axis as measured by the axis encoder. This is the *only* valid selection when the master axis' Axis Type is configured as Feedback Only.

### Slaving to the Command Position

When Command Position is entered or selected as the Master Reference source, the slave axis motion is generated from the command position of the master axis as shown below.



**Figure 3.14 Slaving to Command Position**

Command position (only valid when the master axis' Axis Type is configured as Servo) is the current desired or commanded position for the master axis.

Since the command position does not incorporate any associated following error, external position disturbances, or quantization noise, it is a more accurate and stable reference for gearing. When gearing to the command position of the master, the master axis must be *commanded* to move to cause any motion on the slave axis. Refer to the Motion Axis Object Specification for more information on Command Position and Actual Position axis parameters.

**Gearing in the Same Direction**

When Same is selected or entered as the Direction, the slave axis moves in its *positive* direction at the specified gear ratio when the master axis moves in its *positive* direction and vice-versa.

**Gearing in the Opposite Direction**

When Opposite is selected or entered as the Direction, the slave axis moves in its *negative* direction at the specified gear ratio when the master axis moves in its *positive* direction and vice-versa.

**Changing the Gear Ratio**

When Unchanged is selected or entered as the Direction, the gear ratio may be changed while preserving the current gearing direction (same or opposite). This is useful when the current direction is not known or not important.

**Reversing the Gearing Direction**

When Reverse is selected or entered as the Direction, the current direction of the electronic gearing is changed from same to opposite or from opposite to same. This is very useful for winding applications where the gear ratio must be reversed at each end of the wind.

**Real Number Gear Ratios**

When Ratio Format is selected or entered as Real, the gear ratio is specified as a real number or tag variable with a value between 0.00001 and 9.99999 (inclusive) representing the desired ratio of slave axis position units to master axis position units. A gear ratio expressed this way is easy to interpret since it is defined in the axes' configured position units.

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## Fraction Gear Ratios

When Ratio Format is selected or entered as Fraction, the gear ratio is specified as a pair of integer numbers or tag variables representing the ratio between the number of slave axis feedback counts and the number of master axis feedback counts. Up to five digits (99999) can be used for the slave counts and up to nine digits (999999999) for the master counts. See The Tag variable Builder earlier in this manual for information on tag variables.

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**IMPORTANT**

The Conversion Constant entered as part of the axis configuration procedure is NOT used when the Ratio Format for the MAG instruction is specified as a Fraction.

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If your gear ratio cannot be exactly expressed as a real number with a maximum of five digits to the right of the decimal point, use Fraction as the Ratio Format.

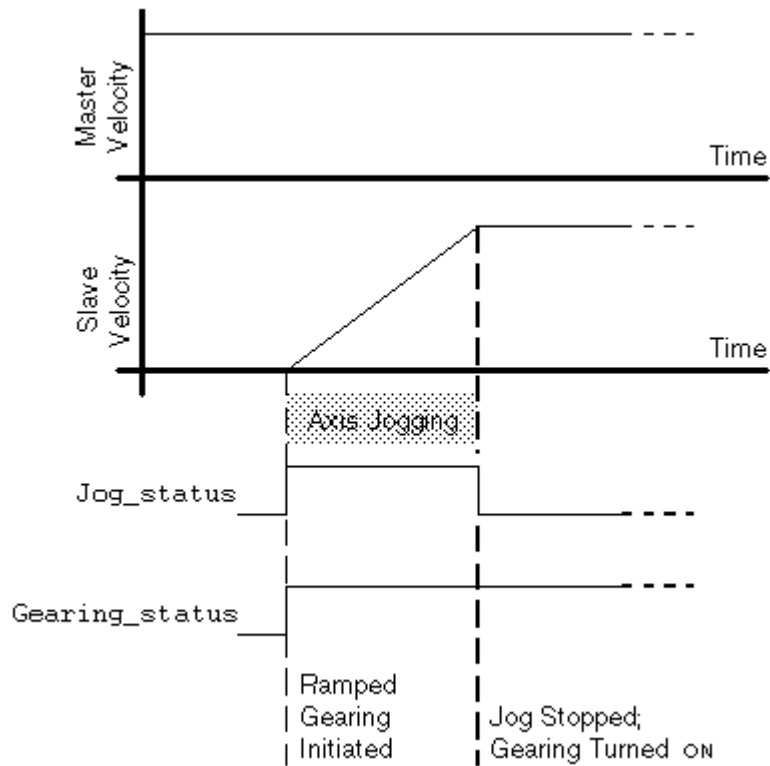
Specifying the gear ratio as a fraction allows the direct implementation of irrational gear ratios (such as  $\frac{1}{3}$ ) with no accumulated positioning errors or round off. Since the master and slave count values do not use the axis conversion constants and because they are integers, the actual gear ratio relationship between the slave and master axes exactly match the specified ratio.

For example, the irrational gear ratio of  $\frac{1}{3}$  can be equivalently specified as 1 slave count to 3 master counts, 10 slave counts to 30 master counts, 3 slave counts to 9 master counts, etc.

## Clutch

When the Clutch check box is checked, the slave axis accelerates or decelerates to the speed that it would be moving if it were currently geared to the selected master axis at the specified gear ratio and direction using a trapezoidal velocity profile (linear acceleration or deceleration). Once the slave axis has reached the gearing speed, electronic gearing is automatically activated according to the other selections. Enter the desired Accel Rate as a percentage of the current configured maximum acceleration value or directly in the configured user units for acceleration.

This clutch function works much like the clutch in a car, allowing the slave axis to be smoothly engaged to the master axis as shown below.



**Figure 3.15 Clutch Function**

Using the clutch feature avoids the uncontrolled acceleration or deceleration that results when electronic gearing is enabled while the master axis is moving. The clutch feature can also be used to merge gear ratio changes on-the-fly, even changes in direction. The motion controller automatically ramps the slave axis to the speed implied by the master axis at the new ratio and/or direction.

The operation of the clutch ramp generator has no affect on jog or move processes that might be in progress on the slave axis.

### Changing Master Axes

The master axis for electronic gearing can be changed at any time, even while gearing is currently enabled. However, since it is possible to have electronic gearing enabled on more than one axis at a time, if a Servo master axis and slave axis are reversed, the axes become cross-coupled and unexpected motion may result.

For example, if you are gearing Axis 0 to Axis 1 (defined as a Servo axis) and then want to change to gearing Axis 1 to Axis 0, you must first disable gearing on Axis 0 (see Disable Gearing later in this section). This is because specifying Axis 1 as the slave axis with Axis 0



as the master axis does *not* automatically disable Axis 0 from being a slave axis with Axis 1 as the master axis.

### Moving While Gearing

An incremental MAM instruction may be used for the slave axis (or master axis if the Axis Type is configured as Servo) while the electronic gearing is enabled. This is particularly useful to accomplish phase advance/retard control. The incremental move distance can be used to eliminate any phase error between the master and the slave, or to create an exact non-zero phase relationship. Incremental MAM instruction may also be used in conjunction with electronic gearing to compensate for material slip.

Normally a gear ratio of 1 is used with phase adjustment. A 1:1 ratio ensures that the computed phase error does not change before performing the move to correct it. Electronic gearing is not normally used with absolute moves, since the ultimate endpoint is not predictable.

To successfully execute a Motion Axis Gear instruction, the targeted axis must be configured as a Servo Axis Type and the axis must be in the Servo On state. If any of these conditions are not met than the instruction errs.

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**IMPORTANT**

The MAG instruction execution completes in a single scan, thus the Done (.DN) bit and the In Process (.IP) bit are set and the Process Complete (.PC) bit is cleared immediately. The In Process (.IP) bit remains set until the initiated Gear process is superseded by another MAG instruction, or terminated by a Motion Axis Stop command, Merge operation, or Servo Fault Action.

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This is a transitional instruction:

- In relay ladder, toggle the rung-condition-in from cleared to set each time the instruction should execute.
- In structured text, condition the instruction so that it only executes on a transition. See Appendix C.

**Arithmetic Status Flags:** not affected

**Fault Conditions:** none

**Error Codes: MAG Error Codes (.ERR)**

<b>Error Message</b>	<b>Code</b>	<b>Description</b>
Servo Off State Error	5	Attempted execution on an axis that does not have the servo loop closed.
Shutdown State Error	7	Attempted execution with the axis in the Shutdown state.
Illegal Axis Type	8	Attempted execution with the axis not configured as servo.
Overtravel Error	9	Attempted execution in a direction that aggravates current overtravel condition.
Master Axis Conflict	10	Passed a master axis reference that was the same as the slave axis reference.
Axis Not Configured	11	Passed axis value references an unconfigured axis meaning the axis has not been assigned to a physical motion module channel. See the Extended Error section for more information about this error.
Parameter Out of Range	13	Attempted execution with an input parameter that was out of range. See Extended Error section for more information on the cause of the error.
Home in Process	16	Attempted to execute with homing in process
Axis Group Not Synchronized	19	Attempted execution on an axis whose associated axis group is not currently synchronized.
Axis in Faulted State	20	Attempted execution on an axis, which is in the Faulted state.
Illegal Controller Mode Operation	24	Attempted execution when the processor is in test mode
Illegal Axis Data Type	38	You attempted to execute an instruction on an Axis Data Type that is not supported by the instruction.
Maximum Deceleration Value is Zero	54	The Decel Rate of the Axis is set to zero. This is an illegal value for Decel Rate, which inhibits start motion. See the Extended Error section for more information about this error.

**Extended Error Codes:** Extended Error Codes provide additional instruction specific information for the Error Codes that are generic to many instructions.

Extended Error Codes for Axis Not Configured (11) error code are as follows:

- Extended Error Code 1 signifies that the Slave Axis is not configured.
- Extended Error Code 2 signifies that the Master Axis is not configured.

Extended Error codes for the Parameter Out of Range (13) error code lists a number that refers to the number of the operand as they are listed in the faceplate from top to bottom with the first operand being counted as zero. Therefore for the MAG instruction, an extended error code of 4 would refer to the Ratio operand's value. You would then have to check your value with the accepted range of values for the instruction.

For the Error Code 54 – Maximum Deceleration Value is Zero, if the Extended Error returns a positive number (0-*n*) it is referring to the offending axis in the coordinate system. Go to the Coordinate System Properties General Tab and look under the Brackets ( [ ] ) column of the Axis Grid to determine which axis has a Maximum Deceleration value of 0. Click on the ellipsis button next to the offending axis to access the Axis Properties screen. Go to the Dynamics tab and make the appropriate change to the Maximum Deceleration Value. If the Extended Error number is -1, this means the Coordinate System has a Maximum Deceleration Value of 0. Go to the Coordinate System Properties Dynamics Tab to correct the Maximum Deceleration value.

#### Status Bits:            **MAG Changes to Status Bits**

If the Clutch check box is NOT checked, execution of the MAG instruction simply sets the Gear Status bit to True.

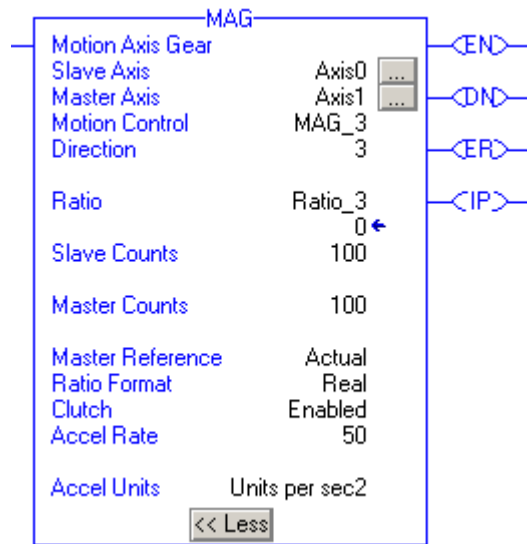
Bit Name	State	Meaning
GearingStatus	TRUE	Axis is Gearing

If the Clutch check box is checked, execution of the MAG instruction sets the Gearing Lock Status bit to True when the clutching process completes.

Bit Name	State	Meaning
Gearing Lock Status	TRUE	Axis has finished Clutch and locked in.
GearingStatus	TRUE	Axis is Gearing

**Example:** When the input conditions are true, the controller provides electronic gearing between *axis2* and *axis1*.

### Relay Ladder



**Figure 3.16 MAG Ladder Example**

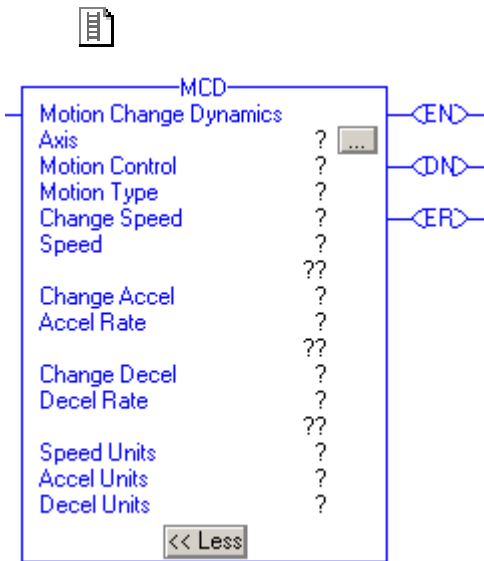
### Structured Text

```
MAG(Axis0,Axis1,MAG_3,3,Ratio_3,0,100,100,Actual,Real,
Enabled,50,Unitspersec2);
```

## Motion Change Dynamics (MCD)

Use the MCD instruction to selectively change the speed, acceleration rate, or deceleration rate of a move profile or a jog profile in process.

### Operands: Relay Ladder



Operand:	Type:	Format:	Description:
Axis	AXIS_VIRTUAL AXIS_GENERIC AXIS_SERVO AXIS_SERVO_DRIVE	tag	Name of the axis to perform operation on.
Motion control	MOTION_INSTRUCTION	tag	Structure used to access instruction status parameters.
Motion type	UDINT	immediate	Motion profile (jog or move) to change. Select either: 0 = jog 1 = move
Change speed	BOOLEAN	immediate	Set to enable a change of speed. Select either: 0 = no 1 = yes
Speed	REAL	immediate or tag	The new Speed to move the axis in % or Speed Units.
Change accel	BOOLEAN	immediate	Set to enable an acceleration change. Select either: 0 = no 1 = yes
Accel rate	REAL	immediate or tag	The acceleration rate of the axis in % or Acceleration units.
Change decel	BOOLEAN	immediate	Set to enable a deceleration change. Select either: 0 = no 1 = yes
Decel rate	REAL	immediate or tag	The deceleration rate of the axis in % or Deceleration units.  The axis could overshoot its target position if you reduce the deceleration while a move is in process.

Operand:	Type:	Format:	Description:
Speed units	BOOLEAN	immediate	Units used to display the Speed value. Select either: 0 = units per sec 1 = % of maximum speed
Accel units	BOOLEAN	immediate	Units used to display the Acceleration value. Select either: 0 = units per sec <sup>2</sup> 1 = % of maximum acceleration
Decel units	BOOLEAN	immediate	Units used to display the Deceleration value. Select either: 0 = units per sec <sup>2</sup> 1 = % of maximum deceleration

### Structured Text

The operands are the same as those for the relay ladder MCD instruction.

For the operands that require you to select from available options, enter your selection as:



MCD(Axis,MotionControl,  
MotionType,ChangeSpeed,  
Speed,ChangeAccel,AccelRate,C  
hangeDecel,DecelRate,  
SpeedUnits,AccelUnits,  
DecelUnits);

This operand:	Has these options which you...	
	enter as text:	or enter as a number:
MotionType	jog move	0 1
ChangeSpeed	no yes	0 1
ChangeAccel	no yes	0 1
ChangeDecel	no yes	0 1
SpeedUnits	unitspersec %ofmaximum	0 1
AccelUnits	unitspersec2 %ofmaximum	0 1
DecelUnits	unitspersec2 %ofmaximum	0 1

**MOTION\_INSTRUCTION Structure**

<b>Mnemonic:</b>	<b>Description:</b>
.EN (Enable) Bit 31	It is set when the rung makes a false-to-true transition and remains set until the servo message transaction is completed and the rung goes false.
.DN (Done) Bit 29	It is set when axis change dynamics has been successfully initiated.
.ER (Error) Bit 28	It is set to indicate that the instruction detected an error, such as if you specified an unconfigured axis.

**Description:** The MCD instruction changes the speed of trapezoidal profile moves on-the-fly and the speed, acceleration, and deceleration of trapezoidal profile jogs on-the-fly. Choose the desired physical axis and type of motion and enter values or tag variables for the Speed, Accel, and Decel. Speed, acceleration, and deceleration values can be entered as percentages of the current maximum configured value or directly in the configured speed or acceleration units of the axis.

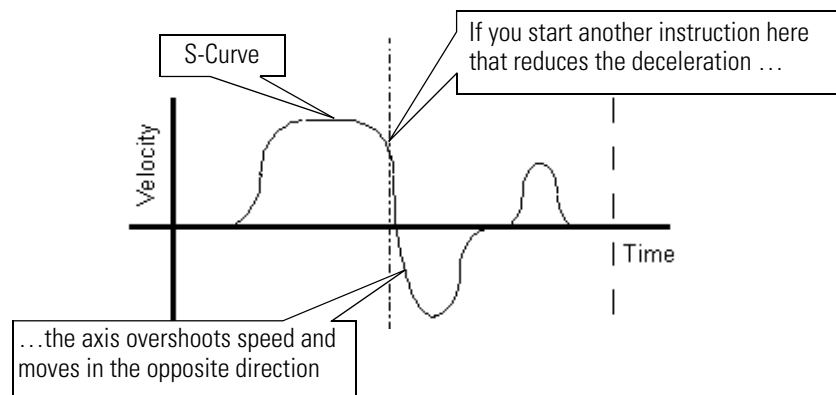
If the targeted axis does not appear in the list of available axes, the axis has not been configured for servo operation. Use the Tag Editor to create and configure a new axis.

### ATTENTION



### If you use an S-Curve profile

Be careful if you change the acceleration, deceleration, or speed while an axis is accelerating or decelerating along an S-Curve profile. You can cause an axis to overshoot its speed or move in the opposite direction.



This happens because jerk limits the acceleration and deceleration time of an S-Curve profile. You reduce jerk when you reduce acceleration, reduce deceleration, or increase speed. The smaller jerk can cause:

- an accelerating axis to overshoot its speed
- a decelerating axis to move in the opposite direction

For more information, see Logix5000 Motion Modules User Manual, publication 1756-UM006.



## **Changing Move Dynamics**

When a Motion type of Move is entered or chosen, the speed, acceleration, and/or deceleration of a Move in progress may be changed to the specified value. The speed change occurs at the specified acceleration rate if the new speed is higher than the current speed or at the specified deceleration rate if the new speed is lower than the current speed.

## **Pausing Moves**

The MCD instruction may be used to temporarily pause a move in progress by changing its speed to zero. Use another MCD instruction with a non-zero speed value to complete the move as originally specified.

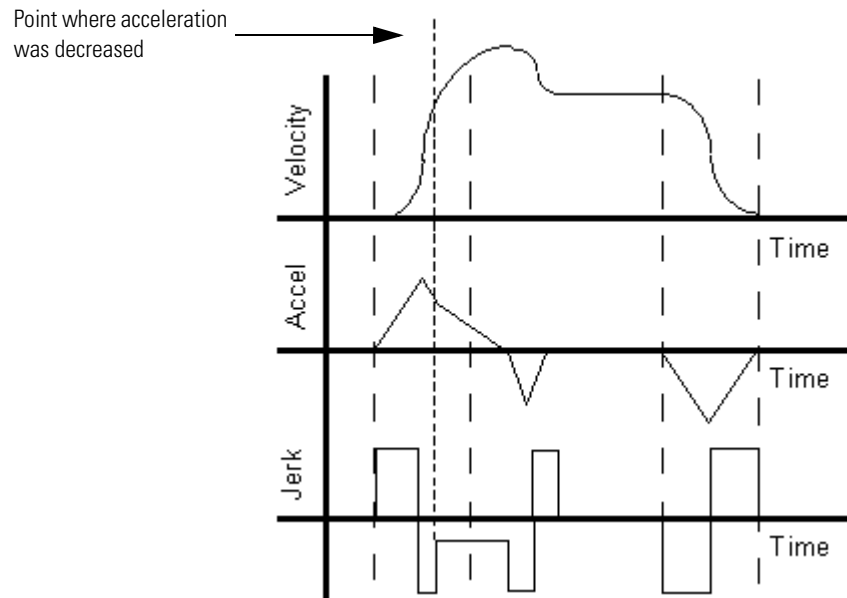
## **Changing Jog Dynamics**

When a Motion type of Jog is entered or chosen, the speed, acceleration, and/or deceleration of a Jog in progress may be changed to the specified value. The speed change occurs at the specified acceleration rate if the new speed is higher than the current speed or at the specified deceleration rate if the new speed is lower than the current speed.

## **Impact of Changes to Acceleration and Deceleration Values on Motion Profile**

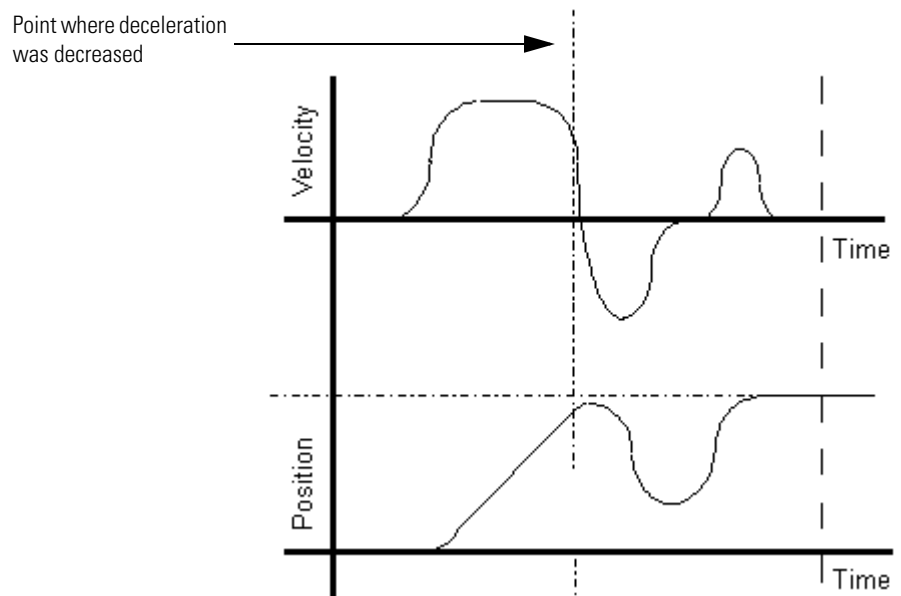
The following graph illustrates what could happen when a MCD instruction is used to reduce the acceleration as velocity approaches maximum. The new acceleration Jerk Rate becomes smaller, further limiting the maximum change in acceleration. Velocity overshoot occurs due to the additional time required for acceleration to reach

zero. Another profile is generated to bring velocity back to the programmed maximum.



**Figure 3.17 Effect of Change to Acceleration**

The following graph illustrates what could happen when an MCD instruction is used to reduce the deceleration as velocity and position approach their target endpoints. The new deceleration Jerk Rate becomes smaller. The time required to decelerate to zero causes velocity to undershoot, passing through zero and becoming negative. Axis motion also reverses direction until velocity returns to zero. An additional profile is generated to bring position back to the programmed target.



**Figure 3.18 Affect of Change to Deceleration**

To successfully execute a Motion Change Dynamics instruction, the targeted axis must be configured as a Servo Axis Type and the axis must be in the Servo On state. If any of these conditions are not met than the instruction errs. If the axis does not have a move or a jog in process at the time of MCD execution the instruction has no affect.

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**IMPORTANT**

The MCD instruction execution completes in a single scan, thus the Done (.DN) bit is set immediately.

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This is a transitional instruction:

- In relay ladder, toggle the rung-condition-in from cleared to set each time the instruction should execute.
- In structured text, condition the instruction so that it only executes on a transition. See Appendix C.

**Arithmetic Status Flags:** not affected

**Fault Conditions:** none

**Error Codes: MCD Error Codes (.ERR)**

<b>Error Message</b>	<b>Code</b>	<b>Description</b>
Servo Off State Error	5	Attempted execution on an axis that does not have the servo loop closed.
Shutdown State Error	7	Attempted execution with the axis in the Shutdown state.
Illegal Axis Type	8	Attempted execution with the axis not configured as servo.
Axis Not Configured	11	Passed axis value references an unconfigured axis meaning the axis has not been assigned to a physical motion module channel.
Parameter Out Of Range	13	Attempted execution with an input parameter that was out of range. See Extended Error section for more information on the cause of the error.
Home in Process	16	Attempted to execute with homing in process
Axis Group Not Synchronized	19	Attempted execution on an axis whose associated axis group is not currently synchronized.
Illegal Dynamic Change	23	Attempted an illegal change of dynamics such as merge on an S-curve, change profile from trap to S-curve on the fly, change S-curve to non-zero speed or changing accel of an S-curve.
Illegal Axis Data Type	38	You attempted to execute an instruction on an Axis Data Type that is not supported by the instruction.
Maximum Deceleration Value is Zero	54	The Decel Rate of the Axis is set to zero. This is an illegal value for Decel Rate, which inhibits start motion. See the Extended Error section for more information about this error.

**Extended Error Codes:** Extended Error Codes provide additional instruction specific information for the Error Codes that are generic to many instructions.

Extended Error codes for the Parameter Out of Range (13) error code lists a number that refers to the number of the operand as they are listed in the faceplate from top to bottom with the first operand being counted as zero. Therefore for the MCD instruction, an extended error code of 4 would refer to the Speed operand's value. You would then have to check your value with the accepted range of values for the instruction.

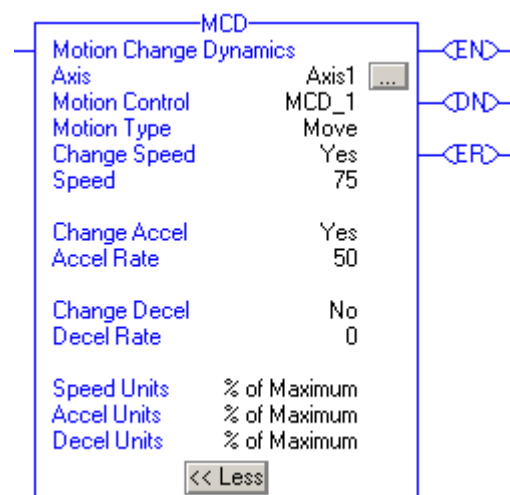
For the Error Code 54 – Maximum Deceleration Value is Zero, if the Extended Error returns a positive number (0-*n*) it is referring to the offending axis in the coordinate system. Go to the Coordinate System Properties General Tab and look under the Brackets ( [ ] ) column of the Axis Grid to determine which axis has a Maximum Deceleration value of 0. Click on the ellipsis button next to the offending axis to access the Axis Properties screen. Go to the Dynamics tab and make the appropriate change to the Maximum Deceleration Value. If the

Extended Error number is -1, this means the Coordinate System has a Maximum Deceleration Value of 0. Go to the Coordinate System Properties Dynamics Tab to correct the Maximum Deceleration value.

**MCD Changes to Status Bits:** None

**Example:** When the input conditions are true, the controller changes the speed, acceleration, or deceleration rate of a move profile or jog profile in progress for *axis1*.

### Relay Ladder



**Figure 3.19 MCD Ladder Example**

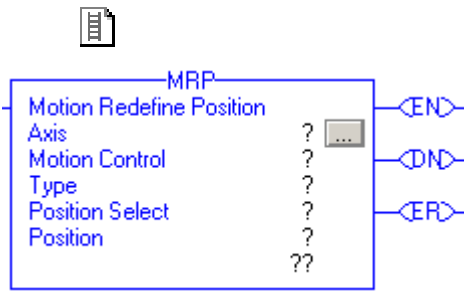
### Structured Text

```
MCD(Axis1,MCD_1,Move,Yes,75,Yes,50,No,0,%ofmaximum,%ofmaximum,%ofmaximum);
```

## Motion Redefine Position (MRP)

Use the MRP instruction to change the command or actual position of an axis. The value specified by Position is used to update the Actual or Command position of Axis. The position redefinition can be calculated on an Absolute or Relative basis. If Absolute is selected the Position value is assigned to the current Actual or Command position. If Relative is selected the Position value is added as a displacement to the current Actual or Command position. The process of redefining the current axis position has no affect on motion in progress as the instruction preserves the current servo following error during the redefinition process. As a result, axis position can be redefined on-the-fly without disturbing axis motion.

### Operands: Relay Ladder



Operand:	Type:	Format:	Description:
Axis	AXIS_FEEDBACK AXIS_VIRTUAL AXIS_GENERIC AXIS_SERVO AXIS_SERVO_DRIVE	tag	Name of the axis to perform operation on.
Motion control	MOTION_INSTRUCTION	tag	Structure used to access instruction parameters.
Type	BOOLEAN	immediate	The way you want the redefinition operation to work. Select either: 0 = absolute 1 = relative
Position select	BOOLEAN	immediate	Choose what position to perform the redefinition operation on. Select either: 0 = actual position 1 = command position
Position	REAL	immediate or tag	The value to use to change the axis position to or offset to current position.



MRP(Axis,MotionControl,Type,PositionSelect,Position);

### Structured Text

The operands are the same as those for the relay ladder MRP instruction.

For the operands that require you to select from available options, enter your selection as:

This operand:	Has these options which you...	
	enter as text:	or enter as a number:
Type	absolute relative	0 1
PositionSelect	actual command	0 1

## MOTION\_INSTRUCTION Structure

Mnemonic:	Description:
.EN (Enable) Bit 31	It is set when the rung makes a false-to-true transition and remains set until the servo message transaction is completed and the rung goes false.
.DN (Done) Bit 29	It is set when the axis' position action been successfully redefined.
.ER (Error) Bit 28	It is set to indicate that the instruction detected an error, such as if you specified an unconfigured axis.

**Description:** The Motion Redefine Position (MRP) instruction directly sets the actual or command position of the specified axis to the specified absolute or relative position. No motion is caused by this instruction—the current axis position is simply redefined. Select or enter the desired Axis, Type, Position Selection, and enter a value or tag variable for the desired New Position.

If the targeted axis does not appear in the list of available axes, the axis has not been configured for operation. Use the Tag Editor to create and configure a new axis.

The MRP instruction may be used while the axis is moving as well as when it is at rest. MRP is used to redefine position “on-the-fly” for certain registration, slip compensation, and re-calibration applications.

### Absolute Mode

When Absolute is selected or entered as the MRP Type, the New Position specifies the new *absolute* position of the axis. No motion occurs—the current axis position (actual or command) is simply redefined to be the specified new position.

If software overtravel limits are used (refer to Motion Axis Object specification for more information on software overtravel configuration), the new position must be between the Max Positive and Max Negative Travel configuration values. Otherwise a software overtravel fault is generated when the instruction is executed.

#### ATTENTION



If software overtravel limit checking is in effect, execution of an MRP in Absolute Mode may invalidate the current Max Positive and Max Negative Travel limits in the absolute sense. Exercise caution when redefining the absolute position of an axis that has travel limits.

Absolute and relative mode MRP instructions have the same effect when the axis is not moving. When the axis is moving, however,

absolute mode introduces a position error equal to the motion of the axis during the time it takes to execute the MRP instruction and assign the new position. Relative mode does not introduce this error and guarantees an exact correction independent of axis speed or position.

### **Relative Mode**

When Relative is selected or entered as the MRP Type, the New Position value is used to *offset* the current position of the axis. No motion occurs—the current axis position (actual or command) is simply redefined to be the current position *plus* the specified new position.

In relative mode, axis position is redefined in such a way that no position errors are introduced if the axis is moving. It is particularly useful for unwinding axis position under program control rather than using the built-in rotary axis feature.

Absolute and relative mode MRP instructions have the same effect when the axis is not moving. When the axis is moving, however, absolute mode introduces a position error equal to the motion of the axis during the time it takes to execute the MRP instruction and assign the new position. Relative mode does not introduce this error and guarantees an exact correction independent of axis speed or position.

### **Actual Position**

When Actual is selected or entered as the MRP Position Selection, the New Position is directly applied to the actual position of the physical axis. The command position of the axis is also adjusted along with the new actual position to preserve any position error which exists. This ensures that there is no unexpected motion of the axis when the positions are redefined. See the Motion Axis Object Specification for more discussion of command position, actual position, and position error.

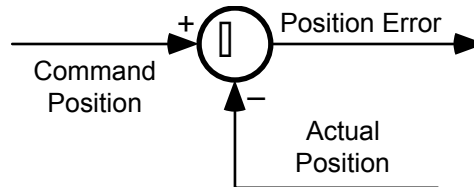
### **Command Position**

When Command is selected or entered as the MRP Position Selection, the New Position is directly applied to the command position of the servo or imaginary axis. Since Feedback Only axes do not have a command position, always choose Actual from the Position menu for Master Only axes. The actual position of servo axes is also adjusted along with the new command position to preserve any position error which exists. This ensures that there is no unexpected motion of the axis when the positions are redefined.

Command position is the desired or commanded position of a servo as generated by any previous motion instructions. Actual position is the current position of a physical or virtual axis as measured by the encoder or other feedback device. Position error is the difference



between these two and is used to drive the motor to make the actual position equal to the command position. The Figure below shows the relationship of these three positions.



**Figure 3.20 Position Relationship**

See the Motion Axis Object specification for a more detailed overview of the Nested Digital Servo Loop used by the ControlLogix motion controllers.

To successfully execute a MRP instruction, the targeted axis must be configured as either a Servo or Feedback Only axis. Otherwise, the instruction errs.

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**IMPORTANT**

The MRP instruction execution may take multiple scans to execute due to the fact that it requires transmission of multiple messages to the motion module. Thus, the Done (.DN) bit is not set immediately, but only after these messages have been successfully transmitted.

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This is a transitional instruction:

- In relay ladder, toggle the rung-condition-in from cleared to set each time the instruction should execute.
- In structured text, condition the instruction so that it only executes on a transition. See Appendix C.

**Arithmetic Status Flags:** not affected

**Fault Conditions:** none

**Error Codes: MRP Error Codes (.ERR)**

<b>Error Message</b>	<b>Code</b>	<b>Description</b>
Execution Collision	3	Attempted execution on an axis that already has another instance of this instruction executing. This situation is possible when instructions that require messaging are executed without Done (.DN) Bit 29 run qualification.
Axis Not Configured	11	Passed axis value references an unconfigured axis meaning the axis has not been assigned to a physical motion module channel.
Servo Message Failure	12	Messaging to targeted motion module failed. See Extended Error section for more information on the cause of the error.
Parameter Out Of Range	13	Error is applied to checks on the position input parameter. If axis is in rotary mode then the position is validated against the following: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• If absolute then limit to positive value less than unwind.</li> <li>• If relative then limit absolute value of position to less than unwind (-unwind &gt; MRP position &lt; unwind).</li> </ul> See Extended Error section for more information on the cause of the error.
Home In Process Error	16	The instruction tried to execute with homing in process.
Axis Type Unused	18	Attempted execution on an axis that is not configured for use according the current Axis Type configuration attribute.
Group Not Synchronized	19	The motion group is not in the synchronized state. This could be caused by a missing servo module or a misconfiguration.
Illegal Axis Data Type	38	The axis data type is illegal. The axis data type is incorrect for the operation.

**Extended Error Codes:** Extended Error Codes provide additional instruction specific information for the Error Codes that are generic to many instructions. The following Extended Error codes help to pinpoint the problem when the MRP instruction receives a Servo Message Failure (12) error message.

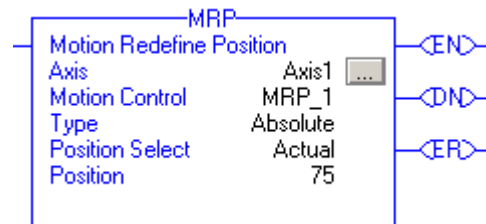
<b>Associated Error Code (decimal)</b>	<b>Extended Error Code (decimal)</b>	<b>Meaning</b>
SERVO_MESSAGE_FAILURE (12)	Device in wrong state (16)	Redefine Position, Home, and Registration 2 are mutually exclusive. (SERCOS).

Extended Error codes for the Parameter Out of Range (13) error code work a little differently. Rather than having a standard enumeration, the number that appears for the Extended Error code refers to the number of the operand as they are listed in the faceplate from top to bottom with the first operand being counted as zero. Therefore for the MRP instruction, an extended error code of 4 would refer to the Position operand's value. You would then have to check your value with the accepted range of values for the instruction.

**MRP Changes to Status Bits:** None

**Example:** When the input conditions are true, the controller changes the position of *axis1*.

### Relay Ladder



**Figure 3.21 MRP Ladder Example**

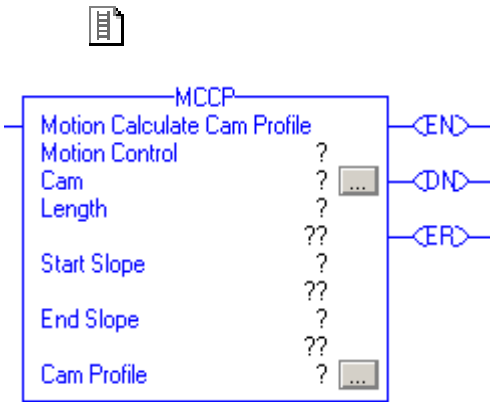
### Structured Text

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MRP(Axis1,MRP_1,Absolute,Actual,75);
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## Motion Calculate Cam Profile (MCCP)

The Motion Calculate Cam Profile (MCCP) instruction calculates a cam profile based on an array of cam points. An array of cam points may be established programmatically or by use of the RSLogix 5000 Cam Profile Editor. Each cam point in the cam array consists of a slave position value, a master position (position cam) or time (time cam) value, and an interpolation type (linear or cubic). The resulting cam profile may be used by an Motion Axis Position Cam (MAPC) or Motion Axis Time Cam (MATC) instruction to govern the motion of a slave axis according to master position or time.

**Operands: Relay Ladder**



Operand:	Type:	Format:	Description:
Motion control	MOTION_INSTRUCTION	tag	Structure used to access block status parameters.
Cam	CAM	array	Tag name of the cam array used to compute the cam profile. The numerical array index indicates the starting cam element in the array used in the cam profile calculation. Ellipsis launches Cam Profile Editor.
Length	UINT	immediate or tag	Determines the number of cam elements in the array used in the cam profile calculation.
Start Slope	REAL	immediate or tag	This is the boundary condition for the initial slope of the profile. It is valid only for a cubic first segment and is used to specify a slope through the first point.
End Slope	REAL	immediate or tag	This is the boundary condition for the ending slope of the profile. It is valid only for a cubic last segment and is used to specify a slope through the last point.
Cam Profile	CAM_PROFILE	array	Tag name of the calculated cam profile array used as input to MAPC and MATC instructions. Only the zero array element ([0]) is allowed for the Cam Profile array. Ellipsis launches Cam Profile Editor.



MCCP(MotionControl,Cam, Length,StartSlope,EndSlope, CamProfile);

**Structured Text**

The operands are the same as those for the relay ladder MCCP instruction. For the array operands, you do not have to include the array index. If you do not include the index, the instruction starts with the first element in the array ([0]).

**MOTION\_INSTRUCTION Structure**

Mnemonic:	Description:
.EN (Enable) Bit 31	The enable bit is set when the rung transitions from false-to-true and stays set until the done bit is set and the rung goes false.
.DN (Done) Bit 29	The done bit is set when the calculate cam instruction has been successfully executed and the Cam Profile array calculated.
.ER (Error) Bit 28	The error bit indicates when the instruction detects an error, such as if the cam array is of an illegal length.

**Description:** The Motion Calculate Cam Profile (MCCP) instruction computes a cam profile based on a given set of points in a specified cam array. The

resultant cam profiles generated by this instruction may be used by subsequent MAPC or MATC camming instructions to provide complex motion of a slave axis with respect to either a master axis position or with respect to time.

Since cam profiles can be directly calculated by the RSLogix 5000 Cam Profile Editor, the main purpose of the MCCP instruction is to provide a method for calculating cam profiles in real-time based on programmatic changes to the corresponding cam arrays.

### **Specifying a Cam Array**

In order to execute an MCCP instruction, a Cam array tag must be created using the RSLogix Tag Editor or the Cam Profile Editor. The figure below illustrates how the Cam array tags are established and used as input to the MCCP instruction:

The Cam array elements consist of slave (yp) and master (xp) point pairs as well as an interpolation type. Since there is no association with a specific axis position or time, the x and y point values are unitless. The interpolation type may be specified for each point as either “linear” or “cubic”.

### **Specifying the Cam Profile Tag**

To execute a MAPC instruction, a Cam Profile array tag must also be created. Cam Profile array tags may be created by the RSLogix 5000 tag editor or the MAPC/MATC instructions using the built-in Cam Profile Editor.

The data within the Cam Profile array can be modified at compile time using the Cam Profile Editor, or at run-time with the Motion Calculate Cam Profile (MCCP) instruction. In the case of run-time changes, a Cam array must be created in order to use the MCCP instruction.

The status parameter is used to indicate that the Cam Profile array element has been calculated. If execution of a camming instruction is attempted using any uncalculated elements in a cam profile, the MAPC or MATC instructions error. The type parameter determines the type of interpolation applied between this cam array element and the next cam element.

### **Cam Profile Array Status Member**

The Status member of the first element in the cam profile array is special and used for data integrity checks. For this reason, the MCCP must always specify the cam profile with the starting index set to 0.

This first cam profile element Status member can have the following values:

Status Variables	Description
0	Cam profile element has not been calculated
1	Cam profile element is being calculated
2	Cam profile element has been calculated
n	Cam profile element has been calculated and is currently being used by (n-2) MAPC or MATC instructions

### Linear and Cubic Spline Interpolation

The resultant calculated cam profiles are fully interpolated. This means that if the current master position or time does not correspond exactly with a point in the cam array used to generate the cam profile, the slave axis position is determined by linear or cubic interpolation between adjacent points. In this way, the smoothest possible slave motion is provided. The MCCP instruction accomplishes this by calculating coefficients to a polynomial equation that determines slave position as a function of master position or time.

### Calculating the Cam Profile

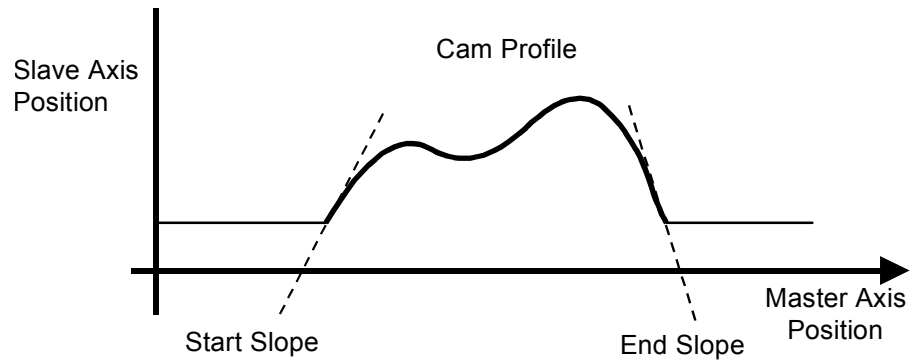
Before calculating a cam profile on a specified axis, the MCCP instructions first checks if the cam profile array has been calculated by checking the value of the first cam profile element's Status member. If the Status value is either 0 or 2, the MCCP proceeds with the calculation of the cam profile. When the cam profile array has been completely calculated, the MCCP instruction sets the first cam profile element's Status value to "being calculated", or 1, and then sets the Status value of all other cam profile elements to "being calculated". As the calculation proceeds, individual cam profile members' Status values are set to "calculated", or 2. When all elements in the cam profile array have been calculated, the first cam profile element's Status value is also set to "calculated".

However, if an MCCP instruction is executed with an initial cam profile Status value of 1, then the cam profile is currently being calculated by another MCCP instruction, and the MCCP instruction errors. If the Status value is >2, then the cam profile is being actively used by an MAPC or MATC instruction process, and the MCCP instruction errs.

### Start Slope and End Slope

To facilitate a smooth entry into and exit from a cubic cam profile, slope control is provided. The Start Slope and End Slope parameters determine the initial rate of change of the slave relative to the master.

These values are used in the cubic spline calculations performed on the cam array. The diagram below the master slave slope relationship.



**Figure 3.22 Start and End Slope**

The default values for Start Slope and End Slope are 0 to facilitate a smooth start and end to the cam profile from rest. However, if the axis is already camming, an appropriate non-zero Start Slope can be specified to match the End Slope of the currently executing cam, to seamlessly blend the two cam profiles together.

The Start Slope and End Slope values are not applicable when starting or ending the cam profile with linear interpolation.

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**IMPORTANT**

The MCCP instruction execution completes in a single scan. This instructions should therefore be placed in a separate task to avoid impacting user program scan time.

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This is a transitional instruction:

- In relay ladder, toggle the rung-condition-in from cleared to set each time the instruction should execute.
- In structured text, condition the instruction so that it only executes on a transition. See Appendix C.

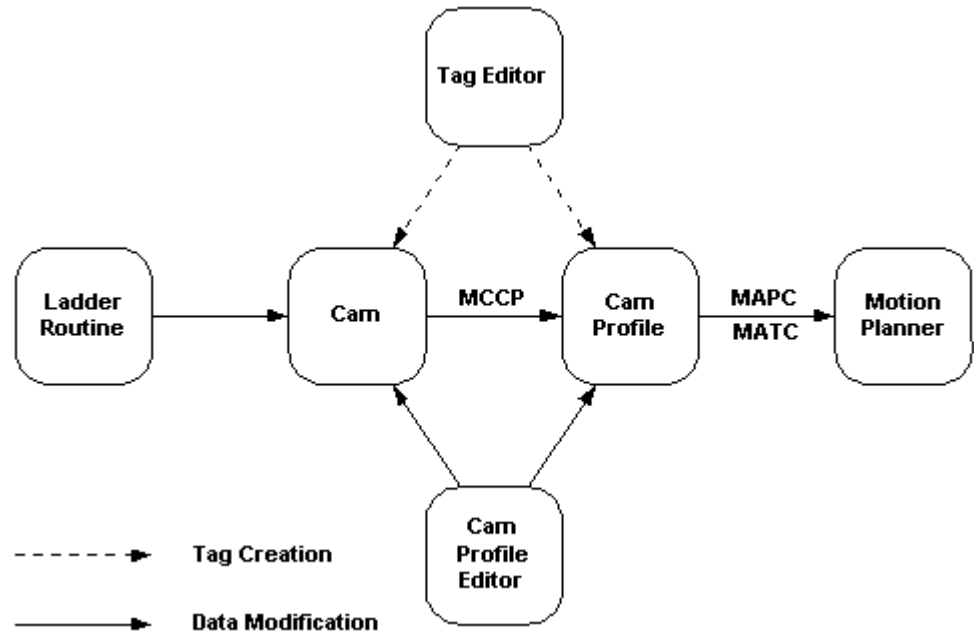


Figure 3.23 Cam Operation Diagram

**Error Codes: MCCP Error Codes (.ERR)**

Error Message	Code	Description
Illegal Cam Length	26	Attempted execution with an illegal length of cam array. See Extended Error section for more information on the cause of the error.
Illegal Cam Profile Length	27	Attempted execution with an illegal length of cam profile array. See Extended Error section for more information on the cause of the error.
Illegal Cam Type	28	Attempted execution with an illegal segment type in cam element.
Illegal Cam Order	29	Attempted execution with an illegal order of cam elements.
Cam Profile Being Calculated	30	Attempted execution with an cam profile array that is currently being calculated.
Cam Profile Being Used	31	Attempted execution with an cam profile array is currently being used.

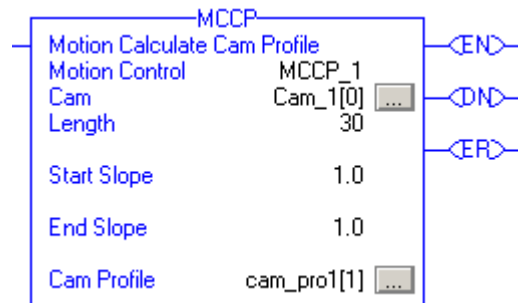
**Extended Error Codes:** Extended Error Codes provide additional instruction specific information for the Error Codes that are not specific enough to help pinpoint the problem. When the MCCP instruction receives an Illegal Cam Length (26) error message to let it know that the length input parameter does not correspond to what the instruction expects, the corresponding Extended Error code provides the number of cams in the Cam Tag provided to the instruction. When the MCCP instruction



receives an Illegal Cam Profile Length (27) error message to let it know that the length input parameter does not correspond to what the instruction expects, the corresponding Extended Error code provides the number of cam points the instruction is attempting to generate.

**MCCP Changes to Status Bits:** None

### Example: Relay Ladder



**Figure 3.24 MCCP Ladder Example**

### Structured Text

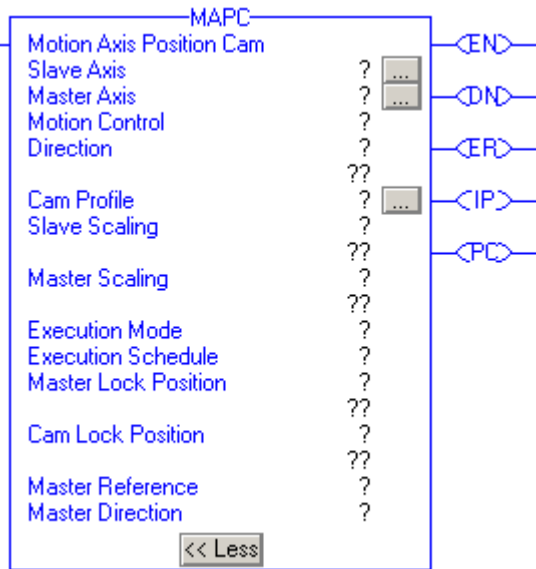
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MCCP(MCCP_1,Cam_1[0],30,1.0,1.0,cam_pro1[1]);
```

## Motion Axis Position Cam (MAPC)

The Motion Axis Position Cam (MAPC) instruction provides electronic camming between any two axes according to the specified Cam Profile. When executed, the specified Slave Axis is synchronized to the designated Master Axis using a position Cam Profile established by the RSLogix 5000 Cam Profile Editor, or by a previously executed Motion Calculate Cam Profile (MCCP) instruction. The direction of Slave Axis motion relative to the Master Axis is defined by a flexible Direction input parameter. The camming Direction, as applied to the slave, may be explicitly set as the Same or Opposite or set relative to the current camming direction as Reverse or Unchanged. To accurately synchronize the slave axis position to master axis position, an Execution Schedule setting and an associated Master Lock Position can be specified for the master axis. When the master axis travels past the Master Lock Position in the direction specified by the Execution Schedule parameter, the slave axis is locked to the master axis position according to the specified Cam Profile beginning at the Cam Lock Position. The cam profile can also be configured via the Execution Schedule parameter to execute Immediately or Pending completion of a currently executing position cam profile. The cam profile can also be executed Once or Continuously by specifying the desired Execution Mode. The Master Reference selection allows camming input from the master to be derived from either the Actual or

Command position of the Master Axis. To support applications which require unidirectional motion, a “slip clutch” feature is available which prevents the slave from “backing-up” when the master axis reverses direction. This feature is controlled by the Master Direction parameter. Master and Slave Scaling functionality can be used to scale slave motion based on a standard cam profile without having to create a new cam table and calculate a new cam profile.

**Operands: Relay Ladder**



Operand:	Type:	Format:	Description:
Slave Axis	AXIS_VIRTUAL AXIS_GENERIC AXIS_SERVO AXIS_SERVO_DRIVE	tag	The name of the axis that the cam profile is applied to. Ellipsis launches Axis Properties dialog.
Master Axis	AXIS_FEEDBACK AXIS_CONSUMED AXIS_VIRTUAL AXIS_GENERIC AXIS_SERVO AXIS_SERVO_DRIVE	tag	The axis that the slave axis follows according to the cam profile. Ellipsis launches Axis Properties dialog. If Pending is selected as the Execution Schedule, then Master Axis is ignored.
Motion Control	MOTION_INSTRUCTION	tag	Structure used to access block status parameters.
Direction	UINT32	immediate or tag	Relative direction of the slave axis to the master axis: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Same – the slave axis position values are in the same sense as the master's.</li> <li>• Opposite – the slave axis position values are in the opposite sense of the master's.</li> </ul> Or relative to the current or previous camming direction: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Reverse – the current or previous direction of the position cam is reversed on execution. When executed for the first time with Reverse selected, the control defaults the direction to Opposite.</li> <li>• Unchanged – this allows other cam parameters to be changed without altering the current or previous camming direction. When executed for the first time with Unchanged selected, the control defaults the direction to Same.</li> </ul>

<b>Operand:</b>	<b>Type:</b>	<b>Format:</b>	<b>Description:</b>
Cam Profile	CAM_PROFILE	array	Tag name of the calculated cam profile array used to establish the master/slave position relationship. Only the zero array element ([0]) is allowed for the Cam Profile array. Ellipsis launches Cam Profile Editor.
Slave Scaling	REAL	immediate or tag	Scales the total distance covered by the slave axis through the cam profile.
Master Scaling	REAL	immediate or tag	Scales the total distance covered by the master axis through the cam profile.
Execution Mode	UINT32	immediate	Determines if the cam profile is executed only one time or repeatedly: 0 = Once – cam motion of slave axis starts only when the master axis moves into the range defined by the start and end points of the cam profile. When the master axis moves beyond the defined range cam motion on the slave axis stops and the Process Complete bit is set. Slave motion does not resume if the master axis moves back into the cam profile range. 1 = Continuous – Once started the cam profile is executed indefinitely. This feature is useful in rotary applications where it is necessary that the cam position run continuously in a rotary or reciprocating fashion. 2 = Persistent – When the Master Axis moves beyond the defined range, cam motion on the Slave Axis stops and the PositionCamLockStatus bit is cleared. Slave motion does resume if the Master Axis moves back into the cam profile range and the PositionCamLockStatus bit is set.

<b>Operand:</b>	<b>Type:</b>	<b>Format:</b>	<b>Description:</b>
Execution Schedule	UINT32	immediate	<p>Selects the method used to execute the cam profile. Options are:</p> <p>0 = Immediate – The slave axis is immediately locked to the master axis and the position camming process begins.</p> <p>1 = Pending – lets you blend a new position cam execution after an in process position cam is finished. When Pending is selected the following parameters are ignored: Master Axis, Master Lock Position, and Master Reference.</p> <p>2 = Forward only – the cam profile starts when the master position crosses the Master Lock Position in the forward direction.</p> <p>3 = Reverse only – the cam profile starts when the master position crosses the Master Lock Position in the reverse direction.</p> <p>4 = Bi-directional – the cam profile starts when the master position crosses the Master Lock Position in either direction.</p>
Master Lock Position	REAL	immediate or tag	The Master axis absolute position where the slave axis locks to the master axis. If Pending is selected as the Execution Schedule value, then Master Lock Position is ignored.

<b>Operand:</b>	<b>Type:</b>	<b>Format:</b>	<b>Description:</b>
Cam Lock Position	REAL	immediate or tag	This determines the starting location in the cam profile.
Master Reference	UINT32	immediate	Sets the master position reference to either Command position or Actual position. If Pending is selected for the Execution Schedule value, then Master Reference is ignored. 0 = Actual – slave axis motion is generated from the current position of the master axis as measured by its encoder or other feedback device. 1 = Command – slave axis motion is generated from the desired or commanded position of the master axis.
Master Direction	UINT32	immediate	This determines the direction of the master axis that generates slave motion according to the cam profile. Options are: 0 = Bi-directional – slave axis can track the master axis in either direction. 1 = Forward only – slave axis tracks the master axis in the forward direction of the master axis. 2 = Reverse only – slave axis tracks the master axis in the opposite direction of the master axis.



MAPC(SlaveAxis,MasterAxis,  
MotionControl,Direction,  
CamProfile,SlaveScaling,  
MasterScaling,ExecutionMode,  
ExecutionSchedule,  
MasterLockPosition,  
CamLockPosition,  
MasterReference,

### Structured Text

The operands are the same as those for the relay ladder MAPC instruction. For the array operands, you do not have to include the array index. If you do not include the index, the instruction starts with the first element in the array ([0]).

For the operands that require you to select from available options, enter your selection as:

<b>This operand:</b>	<b>Has these options which you...</b>	
	<b>enter as text:</b>	<b>or enter as a number:</b>
ExecutionMode	once continuous persistent	0 1 2

This operand:	Has these options which you...	
	enter as text:	or enter as a number:
ExecutionSchedule	immediate pending forwardonly reverseonly bidirectional	0 1 2 3 4
MasterReference	actual command	0 1
MasterDirection	bidirectional forwardonly reverseonly	0 1 2

### MOTION\_INSTRUCTION Structure

Mnemonic:	Description:
.EN (Enable) Bit 31	It is set when the rung makes a false-to-true transition and remains set until the rung goes false.
.DN (Done) Bit 29	It is set when axis position cam has been successfully initiated.
.ER (Error) Bit 28	It is set to indicate that the instruction detected an error, such as if you specified an unconfigured axis.
.IP (In Process) Bit 26	It is set on positive rung transition and cleared if either superseded by another Motion Axis Position Cam command, or terminated by a stop command, merge, shutdown, or servo fault.
.PC (Process Complete) Bit 27	It is cleared on positive rung transition and set, in 'once' Execution Mode, when the position of the master axis leaves the master position range defined by the currently active cam profile.

**Description:** The Motion Axis Position Cam (MAPC) instruction executes a position cam profile set up by a previous Motion Calculate Cam Profile (MCCP) instruction or, alternatively, by the RSLogix 5000 Cam Profile Editor. Position cams, in effect, provide the capability of implementing non-linear “electronic gearing” relationships between two axes. No maximum velocity, acceleration, or deceleration limits are used. The speed, acceleration, and deceleration of the slave axis are completely determined by the motion of the master axis and the designated cam profile derived from the associated cam table.

#### ATTENTION



The maximum velocity, acceleration, or deceleration limits established during axis configuration do not apply to electronic camming.

## Camming Direction

Cams can be configured to add or subtract their incremental contribution to the slave axis command position. Control over this behavior is via the Direction parameter.

### Camming in the Same Direction

When Same is selected or entered as the Direction for the MAPC instruction, the slave axis position values computed from the cam profile are *added* to the command position of the slave axis. This is the most common operation, as the profile position values are used just as entered in the original cam table. That is, consecutive increasing profile values result in axis motion in the *positive* direction and vice-versa.

### Camming in the Opposite Direction

When Opposite is selected or entered as the Direction, the slave axis position values computed from the cam profile are *subtracted* from the command position of the slave axis. Thus, axis motion is in the *opposite* direction from that implied by the original cam table. That is, consecutive increasing profile values result in axis motion in the *negative* direction and vice-versa.

### Preserving the Current Camming Direction

When Unchanged is selected or entered as the Direction, other position cam parameters may be changed while preserving the current or previous camming direction (same or opposite). This is useful when the current direction is not known or not important. For first time execution of a cam with Unchanged selected, the control defaults the direction to Same.

### Reversing the Current Camming Direction

When Reverse is selected the current or previous direction of the position cam is changed from Same to Opposite or from Opposite to Same. For first time execution of a cam with Reverse selected, the control defaults the direction to Opposite.

## Specifying the Cam Profile

To execute a MAPC instruction, a calculated Cam Profile data array tag must be specified. Cam Profile array tags may be created by the RSLogix 5000 tag editor or the MAPC instruction using the built-in Cam Profile Editor, or by executing an Motion Calculate Cam Profile (MCCP) instruction on an existing Cam array.

The data within the Cam Profile array can be modified at compile time using the Cam Profile Editor, or at run-time with the Motion Calculate Cam Profile (MCCP) instruction. In the case of run-time changes, a Cam array must be created in order to use the MCCP instruction. Refer to the MCCP instruction specification for more detail on converting Cam arrays.

All but the status element of this Cam Profile array structure element are “hidden” from the RSLogix 5000 tag editor. These elements are of no value to the user. The Status member is used to indicate that the corresponding Cam Profile array element has been calculated. If execution of a camming instruction is attempted with any uncalculated elements in a cam profile, the instruction errors. The type parameter determines the type of interpolation applied between this cam array element and the next cam element, i.e. linear or cubic.

### Cam Profile Array Checks

The Status member of the first element in the cam profile array is special and used for data integrity checks. For this reason, the MAPC must always specify the cam profile with the starting index set to 0.

This first cam profile element Status member can have the following values:

Status Value	Description
0	Cam profile element has not been calculated
1	Cam profile element is being calculated
2	Cam profile element has been calculated
n	Cam profile element has been calculated and is currently being used by (n-2) MAPC or MATC instructions

Before starting a cam on a specified axis, the MAPC instructions checks if the cam profile array has been calculated by checking the value of the first cam profile element’s Status member. If Status is 0 or 1 then the cam profile has not been calculated yet and the MAPC instruction errors. If the cam profile array has been completely calculated (Status > 1), the instruction then increments the Status member indicating that it is in use by this axis.

When the cam completes, or terminates, the Status member of the first cam profile array element is decremented to maintain track of the number of cams actively using the associated cam profile.

### Linear and Cubic Interpolation

Position cams are fully interpolated. This means that if the current Master Axis position does not correspond exactly with a point in the cam table associated with the cam profile, the slave axis position is



determined by linear or cubic interpolation between the adjacent points. In this way, the smoothest possible slave motion is provided.

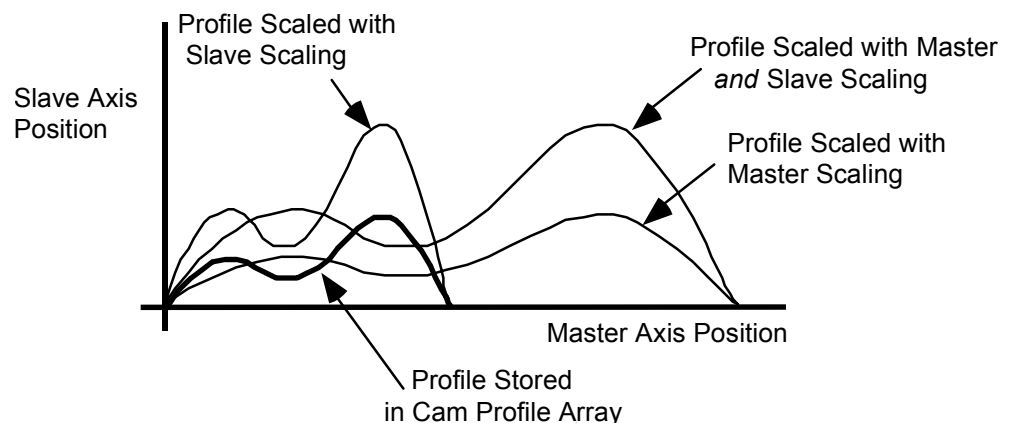
Each point in the Cam array that was used to generate the Cam Profile can be configured for linear or cubic interpolation.

Electronic camming remains active through any subsequent execution of jog, or move processes for the slave axis. This allows electronic camming motions to be superimposed with jog, or move profiles to create complex motion and synchronization.

### Scaling Position Cams

A position cam profile can be scaled in both the master dimension and slave dimension when it is executed. This scaling feature is useful to allow the stored cam profile to be used to determine the general *form* of the motion profile. The scaling parameters are then used to define the total master or slave travel over which the profile is executed, as shown in the illustration below. In this way, one standard cam profile can be used to generate a whole family of specific cam profiles.

When a cam profile array is specified by an MAPC instruction, the master and slave values defined by the cam profile array take on the position units of the master and slave axes respectively. By contrast, the Master and Slave Scaling parameters are unitless values that are simply used as multipliers to the cam profile.



**Figure 3.25 Cam Profile Array**

By default, both the Master Scaling and Slave Scaling parameters are set to 1. To scale a position cam profile, enter a Master Scaling or Slave Scaling value other than 1.

Note that increasing the master scaling value of a cam profile *decreases* the velocities and accelerations of the profile, while increasing the slave scaling value *increases* the velocities and accelerations of the profile. To maintain the velocities and

accelerations of the scaled profile approximately equal to those of the unscaled profile, the master scaling and slave scaling values should be equal. For example, if the slave scaling value of a profile is 2, the master scaling value should also be 2 to maintain approximately equal velocities and accelerations during execution of the scaled position cam.

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**ATTENTION**

Decreasing the Master Scaling value or increasing the Slave Scaling value of a position cam increases the required velocities and accelerations of the profile. This can cause a motion fault if the capabilities of the drive system are exceeded.

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### Cam Profile Execution Modes

Execution Modes of Once or Continuous can be selected to determine how the cam motion behaves when the master position moves beyond the start and end points of the profile defined by the original cam table.

If Once is selected (default), the cam motion of the slave axis starts only when the master axis moves into the range defined by the start and end points of the cam profile. When the master axis moves outside the range of the profile, cam motion on the slave axis stops and the Process Complete bit of the MAPC instruction is set. Note that, contrary to the current S Class practice, slave motion **does not resume** when and if the master moves back into the profile range specified by the start and end points.

When Continuous mode is selected, the specified cam profile, once started, is executed indefinitely. With continuous operation, the profile's master and slave positions are "unwound" when the position of the master axis moves outside the profile range, causing the cam profile to repeat. This feature is particularly useful in rotary applications where it is necessary that the position cam run continuously in a rotary or reciprocating fashion. To generate smooth continuous motion using this technique, however, care must be taken in designing the cam points of the cam table to ensure that there are no position, velocity, or acceleration discontinuities between the start and end points of the calculated cam profile.

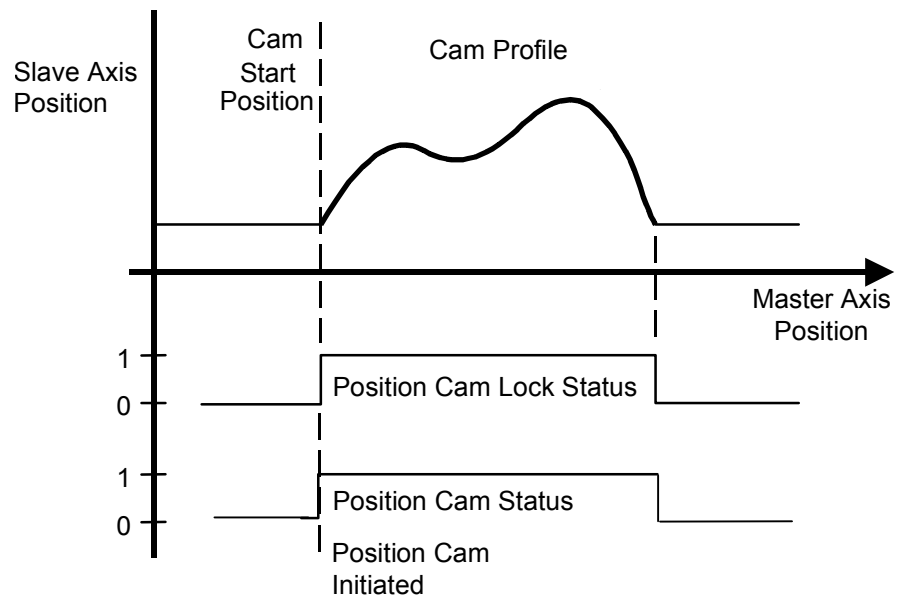
### Execution Schedule

Control over the MAPC instruction's execution is via the Execution Schedule parameter.

## Immediate Execution

By default, the MAPC instruction is scheduled to execute Immediately. In this case, there is no delay to the enabling of the position camming process and the Master Lock Position parameter is irrelevant. The slave axis is immediately locked to the master axis beginning at the Cam Lock Position of the specific cam profile.

As illustrated in the diagram below, when the MAPC instruction is executed, the camming process is initiated on the specified slave axis and the Position Cam Status bit in the slave axis' Motion Status word is set. If the Execution Schedule parameter is set to Immediate, the slave axis is immediately locked to the master according to the specified Cam Profile. This is indicated by the fact that the Position Cam Lock Status bit for the specified slave axis is also set.



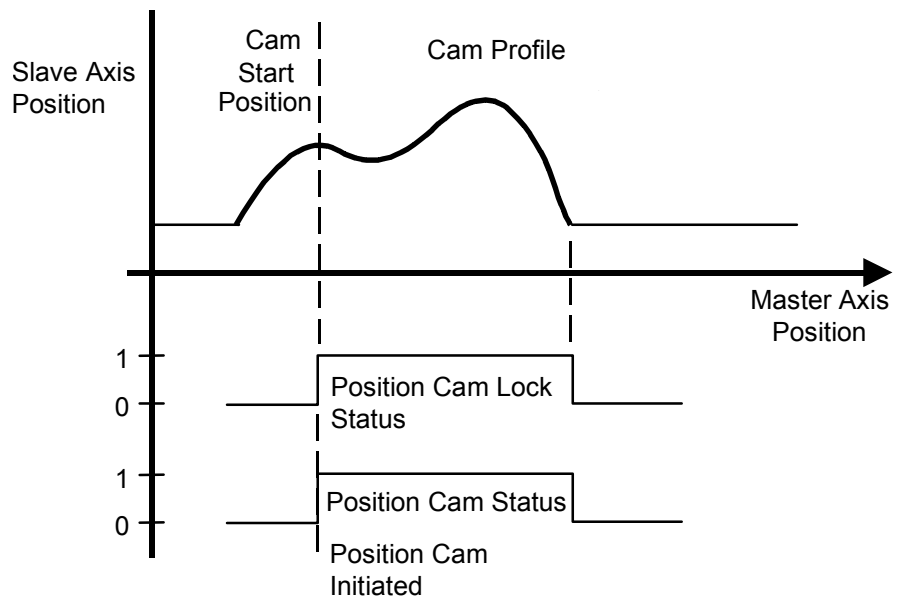
**Figure 3.26 Immediate Execution**

## Changing the Cam Lock Position

The Cam Lock Position parameter of the MAPC instruction determines the starting location within the cam profile when the slave locks to the master. Typically, the Cam Lock Position is set to the beginning of the cam profile as shown in the above illustration. Since the starting point of most cam tables is 0, the Cam Lock Position is typically set to 0. Alternatively, the Cam Lock Position can be set to any position within the master range of the cam profile. If a Cam Lock Position is specified that is out of this range, the MAPC instruction errors.

The diagram below shows the effect of specifying a Cam Lock Position value other than the starting point of the cam table, in this

case, a position within the cam profile itself. Care must be taken not to define a Cam Start Point that results in a velocity or acceleration discontinuity to the slave axis if the master axis is currently moving.



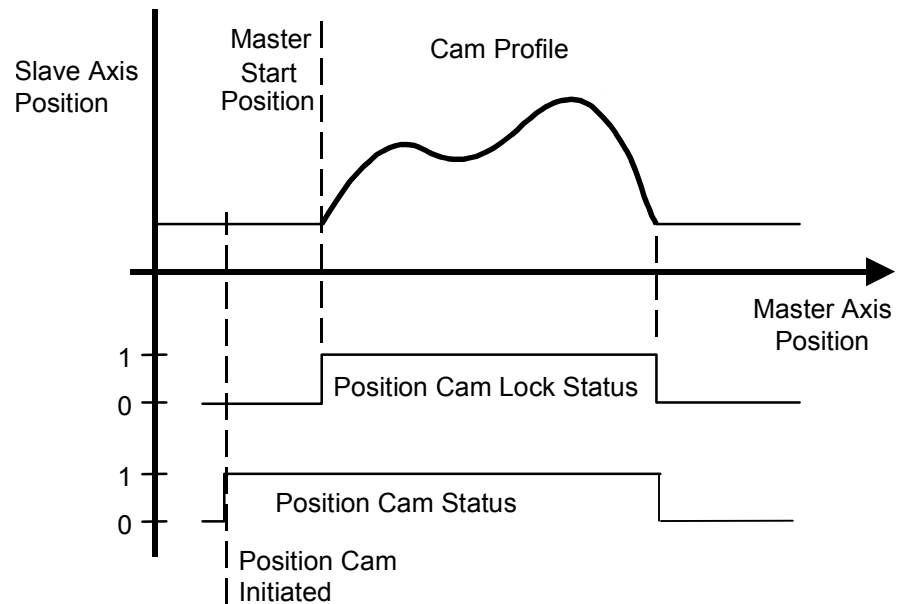
**Figure 3.27 Changing the Cam Lock Position**

### Forward Only, Reverse Only, or Bi-directional Execution

In the case where the Execution Schedule parameter of the instruction is set to Forward Only, Reverse Only, or Bi-directional, the slave axis is not locked to the master until the master axis satisfies the specified condition. In this case, the master axis is monitored by the camming process to determine when the master axis passes the specified Master Lock Position in the specified direction. In a rotary axis configuration, this lock criterion is still valid, independent of the turns count.

#### **IMPORTANT**

If the position reference of the master axis is redefined (e.g. an MRP instruction) after the MAPC instruction executes but before the lock condition is satisfied, the cam profile generator monitors the master axis based on the absolute position reference system in effect prior to the redefine position operation.



**Figure 3.28 Forward Only, Reverse Only, or Bi-directional Execution**

When the absolute position of the master axis passes the specified Master Lock Position in the specified direction ('Forward Only' direction in the illustration below), the Position Cam Status bit of the Motion Status word for specified slave axis is set. Slave axis motion is then initiated according to the specified cam profile starting at the specified Cam Lock Position of the cam profile. From this point on, only the *incremental change* in the master axis position is used to determine the corresponding slave axis position from the defined cam profile. This is important for applications where the master axis is a rotary axis since the position cam is then unaffected by the position unwind process.

When the master axis moves out of the range defined by the cam profile (assuming Execution Mode configured for Once), both the Position Cam Lock Status and the Position Cam Status bits of the Motion Status word are cleared. This Motion Status bit condition indicates that the cam process has completed. This fact is also reflected in the bit leg behavior of the associated MAPC instruction, PC bit set and IP bit clear.

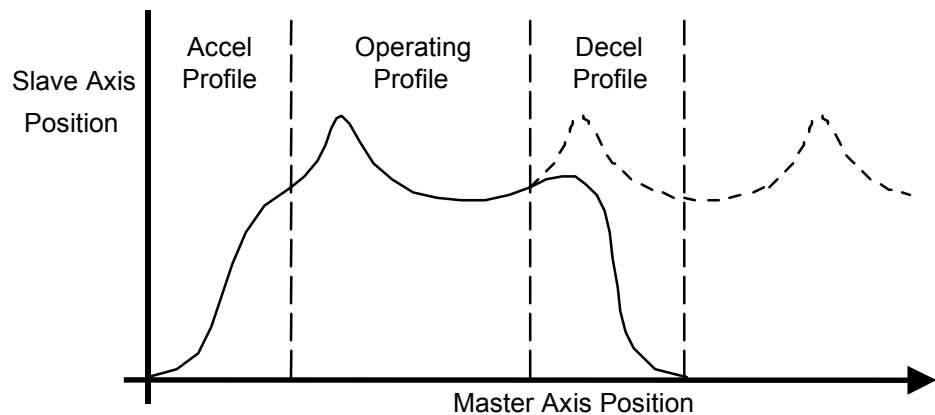
After position cam motion is started when the master axis passes the specified Master Lock Position in either the Forward Only or Reverse Only direction, the master axis can change direction and the slave axis reverses accordingly.

Note that if an MAPC instruction is executed on a slave axis that is already actively position camming, an Illegal Dynamic Change error is generated (error code 23). The only exception for this is if the Execution Schedule is specified as 'pending'.

## Pending Cam Execution

Alternatively, the MAPC instruction's execution can be deferred pending completion of a currently executing position cam. An Execution Schedule selection of Pending can thus be used to seamlessly blend two position cam profiles together without stopping motion.

The Pending execution feature is particularly useful in applications like high-speed packaging when a slave axis must be locked onto a moving master axis and accelerate using a specific profile to the proper speed. When this acceleration profile is done, it must be smoothly blended into the operating profile, which is typically executed continuously. To stop the slave axis, the operating profile is smoothly blended into a deceleration profile such that the axis stops at a known location as shown below.



**Figure 3.29 Pending Cam Execution**

By executing the position cam profile as a Pending cam profile while the current profile is still executing, the appropriate cam profile parameters are set up ahead of time. This makes the transition from the current profile to the pending profile seamless; synchronization between the master and slave axes is maintained. To ensure smooth motion across the transition, however, the profiles must be designed such that no position, velocity, or acceleration discontinuities exist between the end of the current profile and the start of the new one. This is done using the RSLogix 5000 Cam Profile Editor.

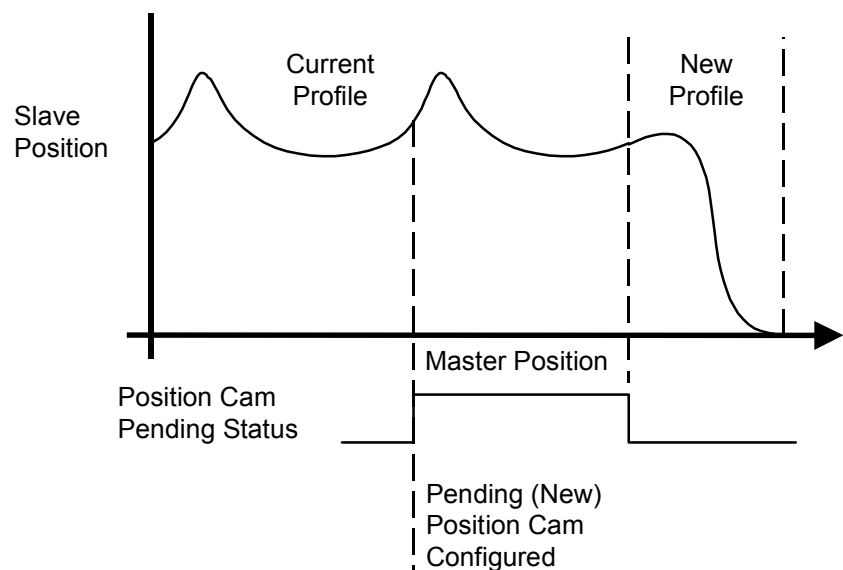
Once a pending position cam instruction has been executed, the new cam profile takes effect automatically (and becomes the current profile) when the master axis passes through either the start or end point of the current profile. If the current cam is configured to execute once, the new profile is initiated at the completion of the pass through the current cam profile and the PC bit of the currently active MAPC instruction is set. If the current cam is configured to execute continuously, the new profile is initiated at the completion of the current pass through the current cam profile and the IP bit of the

currently active MAPC instruction is cleared. The motion controller keeps track of the master axis and slave axis positions relative to the first profile at the time of the change and uses this information to maintain synchronization between the profiles.

If the Execution Schedule of an MAPC instruction is set to Immediate and a position cam profile is currently in process, the MAPC instruction errs. This is true even when the axis is waiting to lock onto the master axis.

If an Execution Schedule of Pending is selected without a corresponding position cam profile in progress, the MAPC instruction executes but no camming motion occurs until another MAPC instruction with a non-pending Execution Schedule is initiated. This allows pending cam profiles to be preloaded prior to executing the initial cam. This method addresses cases where immediate cams would finish before the pending cam could be reliably loaded.

After a Pending position cam has been configured, the Position Cam Pending Status bit of the Motion Status word for the specified slave axis is set to 1 (true). When the pending (new) profile is initiated and becomes the current profile, Position Cam Pending Status bit is immediately cleared as shown below.



**Figure 3.30 Pending Position Cam**

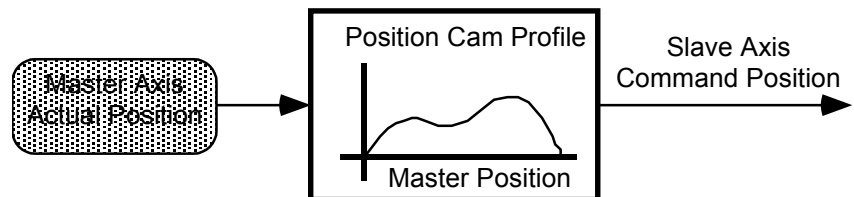
### Master Reference

The Master Reference parameter determines the master position source to link to the cam generator. This source can be actual position or command position of the master axis. Smoother motion is derived from command position but in some cases, e.g. when a physical axis

is not controlled by a ControlLogix motion module, actual position is the only practical option.

### Slaving to the Actual Position

When Actual Position is entered or selected as the Master Reference source, the slave axis motion is generated from the actual position of the master axis as shown below.

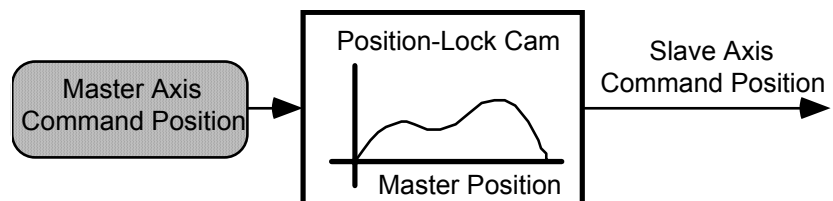


**Figure 3.31 Slaving to the Actual Position**

Actual position is the current position of the master axis as measured by its encoder or other feedback device. This is the default selection and the *only* selection when the master Axis Type is configured as Feedback Only since it is often necessary to synchronize the actual positions of two axes.

### Slaving to the Command Position

When Command Position is entered or selected as the Master Reference source, the slave axis motion is generated from the command position of the master axis as shown below.



**Figure 3.32 Slaving to the Command Position**

Command position (only available when the master axis' Axis Type is a Servo or Virtual axis) is the desired or commanded position of the master axis.

Since the command position does not incorporate any associated following error or external position disturbances, it is a more accurate and stable reference for camming. When camming to the command position of the master, the master axis must be *commanded* to move to cause any motion on the slave axis. Refer to the Motion Axis Object Specification for more information on Command Position and Actual Position axis parameters.



## Master Direction

Normally, the Master Direction parameter is set to Bi-directional (default). However, when Forward Only is selected for Master Direction, the slave axis tracks the master axis in the forward direction of the master axis. When Reverse Only is selected, the slave axis tracks the master axis in the reverse direction of the master axis. If the master axis changes direction, the slave axis does *not* reverse direction, but stays where it was when the master reversed. This Uni-directional feature of position cams is used to provide an electronic slip clutch, which prevents the cam motion generator from moving backward through the cam profile if the master reverses direction.

When the master axis again reverses, resuming motion in the desired direction, the slave axis “picks up” again when the master reaches the position where it initially reversed. In this way, the slave axis maintains synchronization with the master while motion in the wrong direction is inhibited. This is especially useful where motion in a certain direction can cause physical damage to the machine or to the product.

## Moving While Camming

Motion Axis Moves may be performed while camming to provide sophisticated phase and offset control while the slave axis is running.

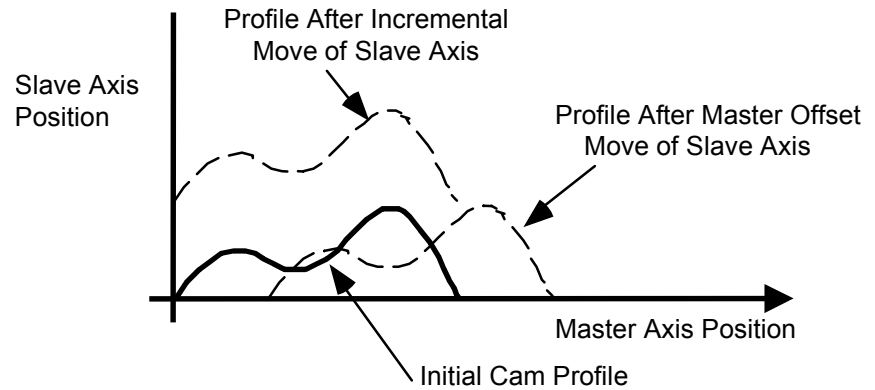
## Incremental Moves

An Incremental Motion Axis Move (MAM) instruction may be used on the slave axis (or master axis if configured for Servo operation) while the position cam is operating. This is particularly useful to accomplish phase advance/retard control. The incremental move distance can be used to eliminate any phase error between the master and the slave, or to create an exact phase relationship.

## Master Offset Moves

A MAM instruction can also be used while the position cam is operating to shift the master reference position of the cam on the fly. Unlike an incremental move on the slave axis, a master offset move

on the slave axis shifts the cam profile relative to the master axis, as shown below.



**Figure 3.33 Master Offset Move**

When the MAPC instruction (except pending) is initiated, the corresponding active Master Offset Move is disabled and the corresponding Master Offset, Strobe Offset, and Start Master Offset are reset to zero. In order to achieve the master reference position shift, the MAM instruction must be initiated after the MAPC is initiated.

See the Motion Axis Move (MAM) instruction for more information on Master Offset moves.

### Stopping a Cam

Like other motion generators (jog, move, gear, etc.) active cams must be stopped by the various stop instructions, MAS, or MGS. Cam motion must also stop when the ControlLogix processor changes OS modes. The MAS instruction, in particular, must be able to specifically stop the camming process. This behavior should be identical to the MAS functionality that specifically stops a gearing process.

### Merging from a Cam

Like other motion generators (jog, move, gear, etc.) active cams must also be compliant with motion merge functionality. Moves and Jogs, in particular, must be able to merge from active camming. This behavior should be identical to the merge functionality applied to a gearing process.

### Fault Recovery

Sometimes it is necessary to respond to an axis fault condition without losing synchronization between a master and slave axis that are locked in a cam relationship. With an active cam there are a couple ways to handle axis faults.

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Create a virtual axis and cam everything to it and, if necessary, gear this virtual master axis to actual master axis of the machine. Set the various fault actions for all axes to Status Only. When an axis fault occurs (e.g. a drive fault) an application program monitoring the axes fault status detects the fault and does a controlled stop of all active axes by stopping the virtual master axis. At the profiler level, everything is still fully synchronized. Use the following error on faulted axis to determine how far it is out of position. Reset the fault on the faulted axis, bring into position at a controlled speed using the MAM instruction and the computed following error. Finally, start moving virtual master axis.

Same configuration as above but, in this case, when the slave axis faults the axis fault action disables the drive. This, of course, would terminate the active cam process on the slave axis. At this point, the application program should stop all other axes via the virtual master axis. Next, reposition the faulted axis by determining where the master is, and then calculating where the slave axis should be had the fault not occurred. Finally, do an immediate lock MAPC to resynchronize with the Cam Lock Position set to the calculated value.

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**IMPORTANT**

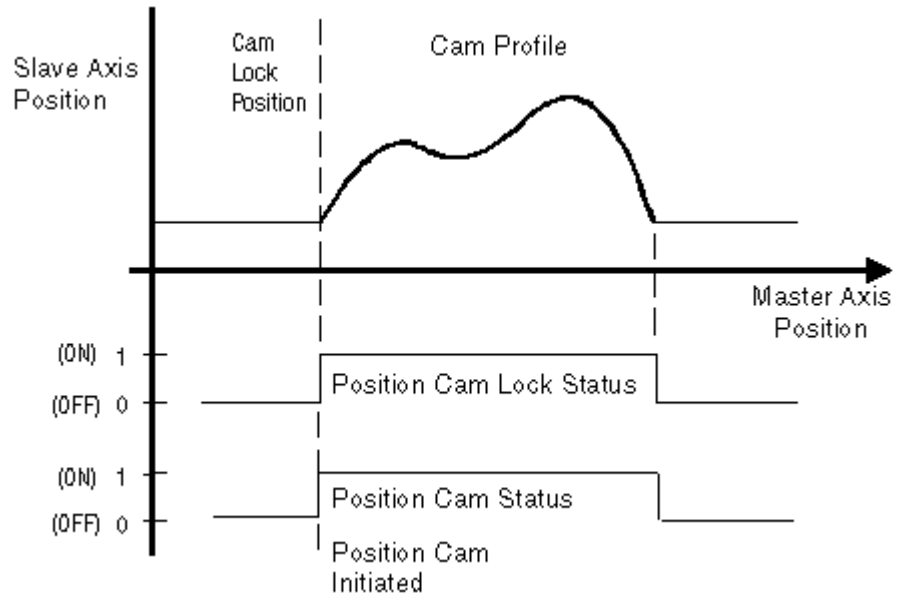
The MAPC instruction execution completes in a single scan, thus the Done (.DN) bit and the In Process (.IP) bit are set immediately. The In Process (.IP) bit remains set until the initiated PCAM process completes, is superseded by another MAPC instruction, terminated by a Motion Axis Stop command, Merge operation, or Servo Fault Action. The Process Complete bit is cleared immediately when the MAPC executes and sets when the cam process completes when configured for 'Once' Execution Mode.

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This is a transitional instruction:

- In relay ladder, toggle the rung-condition-in from cleared to set each time the instruction should execute.

- In structured text, condition the instruction so that it only executes on a transition. See Appendix C.



**Figure 3.34 Position Cam Timing Diagram**

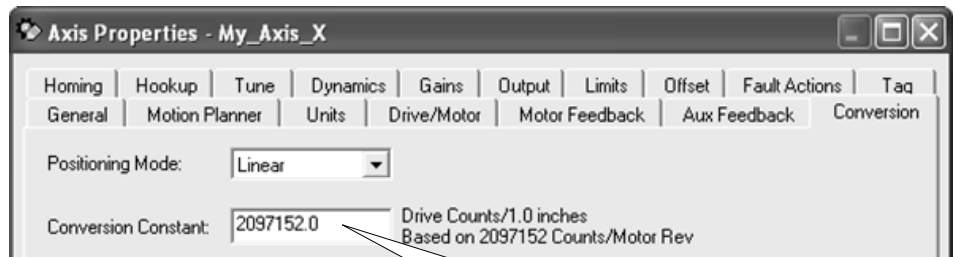
**Arithmetic Status Flags:** not affected

**Fault Conditions:** none

**Error Codes: MAPC Error Codes (.ERR)**

Code	Error Message	Description
5	Servo Off State Error	Attempted execution on an axis that does not have the servo loop closed.
7	Shutdown State Error	Attempted execution with the axis in the Shutdown state.
8	Illegal Axis Type	Attempted execution with the axis not configured as servo.
9	Overtravel Error	Attempted execution in a direction that aggravates current overtravel condition.
10	Master Axis Conflict	Passed a master axis reference that was the same as the slave axis reference.
11	Axis Not Configured	Passed axis value references an unconfigured axis meaning the axis has not been assigned to a physical motion module channel. See the Extended Error section for more information about this error.
13	Value Out of Range	Attempted execution with an input parameter that was out of range. See Extended Error section for more information on the cause of the error.
16	Homing in Process Error	Attempted execution with a homing process in progress.
19	Axis Group Not Synchronized	Attempted execution on an axis whose associated axis group is not currently synchronized.
20	Axis in Faulted State	Attempted execution on an axis, which is in the Faulted state.
23	Illegal Dynamic Change	Attempted execution with another cam profile in process

Code	Error Message	Description
24	Illegal Controller Mode Operation	Attempted execution in an operating mode of the ControlLogix processor that does not support this motion instruction.
32	Cam Profile Not Calculated	Attempted execution of cam profile segment that has not been calculated.
38	Illegal Axis Data Type	You attempted to execute an instruction on an Axis Data Type that is not supported by the instruction.
54	Maximum Deceleration Value is Zero	The Decel Rate of the Axis is set to zero. This is an illegal value for Decel Rate, which inhibits start motion. See the Extended Error section for more information about this error.
65	The selected axis exceeded the maximum system travel limits (position overflowed)	The axis moved too far and the controller can't store the position. The range for position depends on the conversion constant of the axis.



- Maximum positive position = 2,147,483,647 / conversion constant of the axis
- Maximum negative position = -2,147,483,648 / conversion constant of the axis

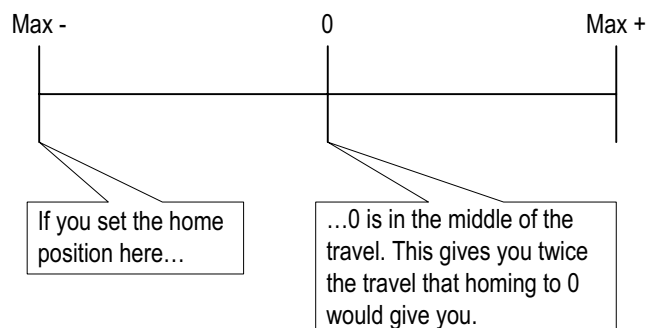
Suppose you have a conversion constant of 2,097,152 counts/inch. In that case:

- Maximum positive position = 2,147,483,647 / 2,097,152 counts/inch = 1023 inches
- Maximum negative position = -2,147,483,648 / 2,097,152 counts/inch = -1023 inches

To prevent this error:

- Set up soft travel limits that keep the axis within the position range.
- One way to get more travel is to use the max negative or max positive position as your home position.

Example



**Extended Error Codes:** Extended Error Codes provide additional instruction specific information for the Error Codes that are generic to many instructions.

Extended Error Codes for Axis Not Configured (11) error code are as follows:

- Extended Error Code 1 signifies that the Slave Axis is not configured.
- Extended Error Code 2 signifies that the Master Axis is not configured.

Extended Error codes for the Parameter Out of Range (13) error code lists a number that refers to the number of the operand as they are listed in the faceplate from top to bottom with the first operand being counted as zero. Therefore for the MAPC instruction, an extended error code of 5 would refer to the Slave Scaling operand's value. You would then have to check your value with the accepted range of values for the instruction.

For the Error Code 54 – Maximum Deceleration Value is Zero, if the Extended Error returns a positive number (0-*n*) it is referring to the offending axis in the coordinate system. Go to the Coordinate System Properties General Tab and look under the Brackets ( [ ] ) column of the Axis Grid to determine which axis has a Maximum Deceleration value of 0. Click on the ellipsis button next to the offending axis to access the Axis Properties screen. Go to the Dynamics tab and make the appropriate change to the Maximum Deceleration Value. If the Extended Error number is -1, this means the Coordinate System has a Maximum Deceleration Value of 0. Go to the Coordinate System Properties Dynamics Tab to correct the Maximum Deceleration value.

### Status Bits: MAPC Changes to Status Bits

If the Execution Schedule is set to Immediate, execution of the MAPC instruction simply sets both the Position Cam Status and the Position Cam Lock Status bits to True.

Bit Name	State	Meaning
Position Cam Status	TRUE	Position Camming is Enabled
Position Cam Lock Status	TRUE	Slave Axis is Locked to the Master Axis according to the Cam Profile.
Position Cam Pending Status	FALSE	No pending Position Cam

If the Execution Schedule is set to Forward or Reverse, execution of the MAPC instruction initially sets the Position Cam Status bit to True and the Position Cam Lock Status bits to False. Position Cam Lock

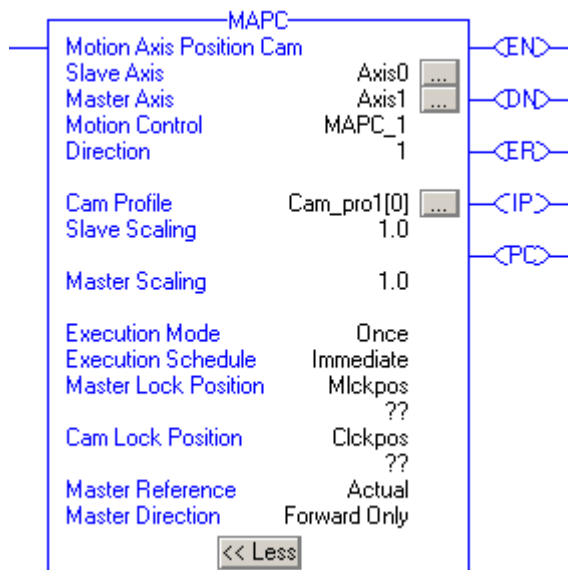
Status transitions to True when the Execution Schedule condition is satisfied.

Bit Name	State	Meaning
Position Cam Status	TRUE	Position Camming is Enabled
Position Cam Lock Status	FALSE	Slave Axis is waiting for Master Axis to reach Lock Position.
Position Cam Pending Status	FALSE	No pending Position Cam

If the Execution Schedule is set to Pending, execution of the MAPC instruction does not affect the current state of either the Position Cam Status or Position Lock Status bits. Position Cam Pending Status bit is set to True immediately and transitions to False when the pending cam becomes the active cam.

Bit Name	State	Meaning
Position Cam Status	N/A	Position Camming is Enabled
Position Cam Lock Status	N/A	Slave Axis is waiting for Master Axis to reach Lock Position.
Position Cam Pending Status	True	Pending Position Cam

**Example: Relay Ladder**



**Figure 3.35 MAPC Ladder Example**

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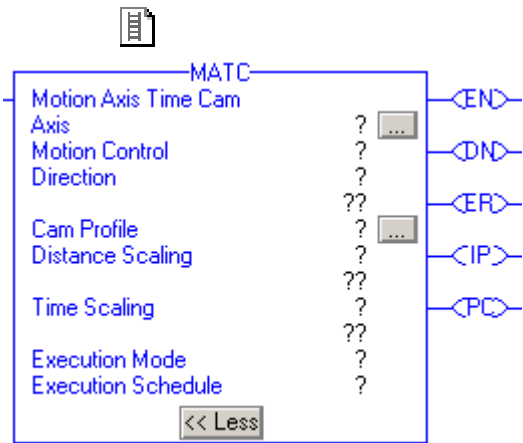
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MAPC(Axis0,Axis1,MAPC_1,1,Cam_pro1[0],1.0,1.0,Once,  
immediate,Mlckpos,Clckpos,Actual,Forwardonly);
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## Motion Axis Time Cam (MATC)

The Motion Axis Time Cam (MATC) instruction provides electronic camming of an axis as a function of time, according to the specified Cam Profile. Time cams allow the execution of complex motion profiles other than the built-in trapezoidal, or S-curve move profiles. When executed, the specified Axis is synchronized in time using a time Cam Profile established by the RSLogix 5000 Cam Profile Editor, or by a previously executed Motion Calculate Cam Profile (MCCP) instruction. The direction of axis motion relative to the cam profile is defined by a very flexible Direction input parameter. The camming Direction may be explicitly set as the Same or Opposite or set relative to the current camming direction as Reverse or Unchanged. The cam profile can be configured via the Execution Schedule parameter to execute Immediately or Pending completion of a currently executing time cam profile. The cam profile can also be executed Once or Continuously by specifying the desired Execution Mode. Distance and Time Scaling functionality can be used to scale axis motion based on a standard cam profile without having to create a new cam table and calculate a new cam profile.



### Operands: Relay Ladder



Operand:	Type:	Format:	Description:
Axis	AXIS_FEEDBACK AXIS_VIRTUAL AXIS_GENERIC AXIS_SERVO AXIS_SERVO_DRIVE	tag	The name of the axis to which the cam profile is applied. Ellipsis launches Axis Properties dialog.
Motion Control	MOTION_INSTRUCTION	tag	Structure used to access block status parameters.
Direction	UINT32	immediate or tag	Relative direction of the slave axis to the master axis: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Same – the axis position values in the cam profile are added to the command position of the axis.</li> <li>• Opposite – the axis position values in the cam profile are subtracted from the command position of the axis creating axis motion in the other direction from that implied in the original cam table.</li> </ul> Or relative to the current or previous camming direction: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Reverse – the current or previous direction of the position cam is changed either from Same to Opposite or vice versa. When executed for the first time with Reverse selected, the control defaults the direction to Opposite.</li> <li>• Unchanged – this allows other cam parameters to be changed without altering the current or previous camming direction. When executed for the first time with Unchanged selected, the control defaults the direction to Same.</li> </ul>
Cam Profile	CAM_PROFILE	array	Tag name of the calculated cam profile array. Only the zero array element ([0]) is allowed for the Cam Profile array. Ellipsis launches Cam Profile Editor.
Distance Scaling	REAL	immediate or tag	Scales the total distance covered by the axis through the cam profile.

Operand:	Type:	Format:	Description:
Time Scaling	REAL	immediate or tag	Scales the time interval covered by the cam profile.
Execution Mode	UINT32	immediate	Determines how the cam motion behaves when the time moves beyond the end point of the cam profile. The options are: 0 = Once – When the time cam execution time exceeds the time range in the cam profile, the MATC instruction completes, the axis motion stops, and the Time Cam Status bit is cleared. 1 = Continuous – The cam profile motion is executed indefinitely.
Execution Schedule	UINT32	immediate	Selects the method used to execute the cam profile. Options are: 0 = Immediate – instruction is scheduled to execute immediately with no delay enabling the time camming process. 1 = Pending – Defers execution of the time cam until the completion of the currently or next immediate executing time cam. This is useful in blending a new time cam profile with an on going process to achieve a seamless transition.



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### Structured Text

The operands are the same as those for the relay ladder MATC instruction. For the array operands, you do not have to include the array index. If you do not include the index, the instruction starts with the first element in the array ([0]).

For the operands that require you to select from available options, enter your selection as:

This operand:	Has these options which you...	
	enter as text:	or enter as a number:
ExecutionMode	once continuous	0 1
ExecutionSchedule	immediate pending	0 1

## MOTION\_INSTRUCTION Structure

Mnemonic:	Description:
.EN (Enable) Bit 31	The enable bit is set when the rung transitions from false-to-true and stays set until the rung goes false.
.DN (Done) Bit 29	The done bit is set when the axis time cam instruction is successfully initiated.
.ER (Error) Bit 28	The error bit indicates when the instruction detects an error, such as if the axis is not configured.
.IP (In Process) Bit 26	The in process bit is set on positive rung transition and cleared when terminated by a stop command, merge, shutdown, or servo fault.
.PC (Process Complete) Bit 27	The Process Complete bit is cleared on positive rung transition and set in Once Execution Mode, when the time leaves the time range defined by the currently active cam profile.

**Description:** The Motion Axis Time Cam (MATC) instruction executes a time cam profile set up by a previous Motion Calculate Cam Profile (MCCP) instruction or, alternatively, by the RSLogix 5000 Cam Profile Editor. Time cams provide the capability of implementing complex motion profiles other than the built-in trapezoidal and S-Curve motion profiles provided. No maximum velocity, acceleration, or deceleration limits are used in this instruction. The speed, acceleration, and deceleration of the slave axis are completely determined by the designated cam profile derived from the associated cam table.

### ATTENTION



The maximum velocity, acceleration, or deceleration limits established during axis configuration do not apply to electronic camming.

## Camming Direction

Cams can be configured to add or subtract their incremental contribution to the axis command position. Control over this behavior is via the Direction parameter.

### Camming in the Same Direction

When Same is selected or entered as the Direction for the MATC instruction, the axis position values computed from the cam profile are *added* to the command position of the axis. This is the most common operation, as the profile position values are used just as entered in the original cam table. That is, consecutive increasing profile values result in axis motion in the *positive* direction and vice-versa.

## Camming in the Opposite Direction

When Opposite is selected or entered as the Direction, the axis position values computed from the cam profile are *subtracted* from the command position of the axis. Thus, axis motion is in the *opposite* direction from that implied by the original cam table. That is, consecutive increasing profile values result in axis motion in the *negative* direction and vice-versa.

## Changing the Cam Profile

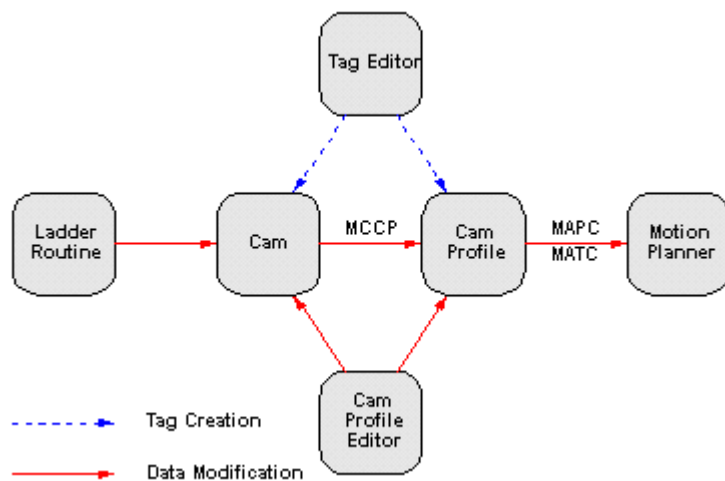
When Unchanged is selected or entered as the Direction, other time cam parameters may be changed while preserving the current or previous camming direction (same or opposite). This is useful when the current direction is not known or not important. For first time execution of a cam with Unchanged selected, the control defaults the direction to Same.

## Changing the Camming Direction

When Reverse is selected the current or previous direction of the time cam is changed from Same to Opposite or from Opposite to Same. For first time execution of a cam with Reverse selected, the control defaults the direction to Opposite.

## Specifying the Cam Profile

To execute a MATC instruction, a calculated Cam Profile data array tag must be specified. Cam Profile array tags may be created by the RSLogix 5000 tag editor or the MATC instruction using the built-in Cam Profile Editor, or by executing an Motion Calculate Cam Profile (MCCP) instruction on an existing Cam array. See the following figure:



**Figure 3.36 MATC Process**

The data within the Cam Profile array can be modified at compile time using the Cam Profile Editor, or at run-time with the Motion Calculate Cam Profile (MCCP) instruction. In the case of run-time changes, a Cam array must be created in order to use the MCCP instruction. Refer to the MCCP instruction specification for more detail on converting Cam arrays.

All but the status and type elements of the Cam Profile array element structure are “hidden” from the RSLogix 5000 tag editor. These hidden elements are of no value. The status parameter is used to indicate that the Cam Profile array element has been calculated. If execution of a camming instruction is attempted with any uncalculated elements in a cam profile, the instruction errors. The type parameter determines the type of interpolation applied between this cam array element and the next cam element.

### Cam Profile Array Checks

The Status member of the first element in the cam profile array is special and used for data integrity checks. For this reason, the MATC must always specify the cam profile with the starting index set to 0. This first cam profile element Status member can have the following values:

Status Value	Description
0	Cam profile element has not been calculated
1	Cam profile element is being calculated
2	Cam profile element has been calculated
n	Cam profile element has been calculated and is currently being used by (n-2) MAPC or MATC instructions

Before starting a cam on a specified axis, the MATC instructions checks if the cam profile array has been calculated by checking the value of the first cam profile element’s Status member. If Status is 0 or 1 then the cam profile has not been calculated yet and the MATC instruction errors. If the cam profile array has been completely calculated (Status > 1), the instruction then increments the Status member indicating that it is in use by this axis.

When the cam completes, or terminates, the Status member of the first cam profile array element is decremented to maintain track of the number of cams actively using the associated cam profile.

### Linear and Cubic Interpolation

Time cams are fully interpolated. This means that if the current master time value does not correspond exactly with a point in the cam table associated with the cam profile, the slave axis position is determined

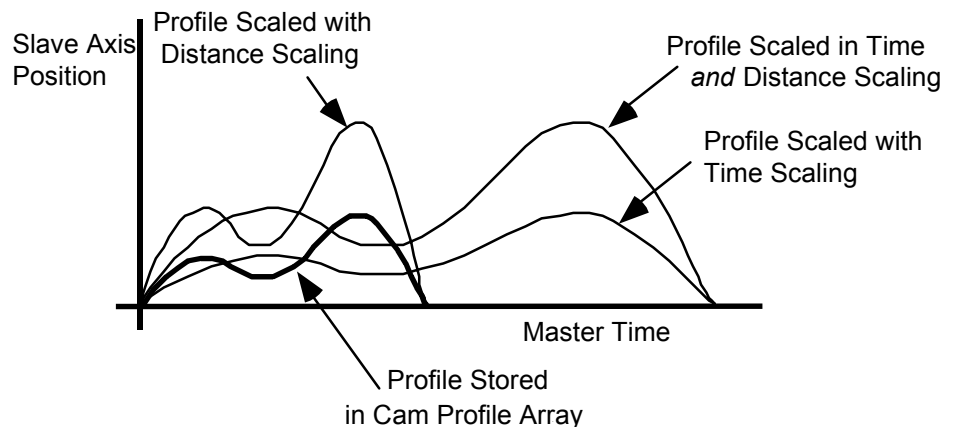
by linear or cubic interpolation between the adjacent points. In this way, the smoothest possible slave motion is provided.

Each point in the Cam array that was used to generate the Cam Profile can be configured for linear or cubic interpolation.

Electronic camming remains active through any subsequent execution of jog, or move processes for the slave axis. This allows electronic camming motions to be superimposed with jog, or move profiles to create complex motion and synchronization.

### Scaling Time Cams

A time cam profile can be scaled in both time and distance when it is executed. This scaling is useful to allow the stored profile to be used only for the *form* of the motion with the scaling used to define the time or distance over which the profile is executed, as shown below.



**Figure 3.37 Scaling Time Cams**

When a cam profile array is specified by an MATC instruction, the master coordinate values defined by the cam profile array take on the time units (seconds) and the slave values take on the units of the slave axis. By contrast, the Time and Distance Scaling parameters are “unitless” values that are simply used as multipliers to the cam profile.

By default, both the Time and Distance Scaling parameters are set to 1. To scale a time cam profile, enter a Time Scaling or Distance Scaling value other than 1.

Increasing the Time Scaling value of a cam profile *decreases* the velocities and accelerations of the profile, while increasing the Distance Scaling value *increases* the velocities and accelerations of the profile. To maintain the velocities and accelerations of the scaled profile approximately equal to those of the unscaled profile, the Time Scaling and Distance Scaling values should be equal. For example, if

the Distance Scaling value of a profile is 2, the Time Scaling value should also be 2 to maintain approximately equal velocities and accelerations during execution of the scaled time cam.

**ATTENTION**

Decreasing the Time Scaling value or increasing the Distance Scaling of a time cam increases the required velocities and accelerations of the profile. This can cause a motion fault if the capabilities of the drive system are exceeded.

## Cam Profile Execution Modes

Execution Modes of Once or Continuous can be selected to determine how the cam motion behaves when the time moves beyond the end point of the profile defined by the original cam table.

If Once is selected (default), the cam profile motion of the axis starts immediately. When the time cam execution time exceeds the time range defined by the cam profile, the MATC instruction completes, axis motion stops, and the Time Cam Status bit in the slave axis' Motion Status word is cleared.

When Continuous mode is selected, the specified cam profile, starts immediately and is executed indefinitely. With continuous operation, time is "unwound" to the beginning of the cam profile when it moves beyond the end of the cam profile, causing the cam profile to repeat indefinitely. This feature is particularly useful in rotary applications where it is necessary that the time cam run continuously in a rotary or reciprocating fashion. To generate smooth continuous motion using this technique, however, care must be taken in designing the cam points of the cam table to ensure that there are no position, velocity, or acceleration discontinuities between the start and end points of the calculated cam profile.

## Execution Schedule

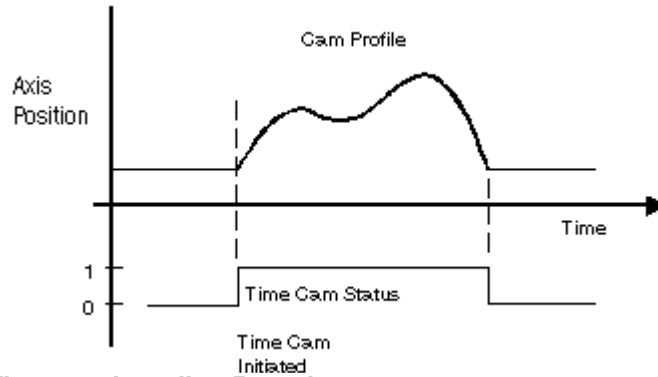
Control over the MATC instruction's execution schedule is via the Execution Schedule parameter.

### Immediate Execution

By default, the MATC instruction is scheduled to execute immediately by virtue of the fact that the default setting of the Execution Schedule parameter is Immediate. In this case, there is no delay to the enabling of the time camming process.

As illustrated in the diagram below, when the MATC instruction is executed, the camming process is initiated on the specified axis and the Time Cam Status bit in the axis' Motion Status word is set. If the

Execution Schedule parameter is set to Immediate, the axis is immediately locked to the time master coordinate according to the specified Cam Profile.



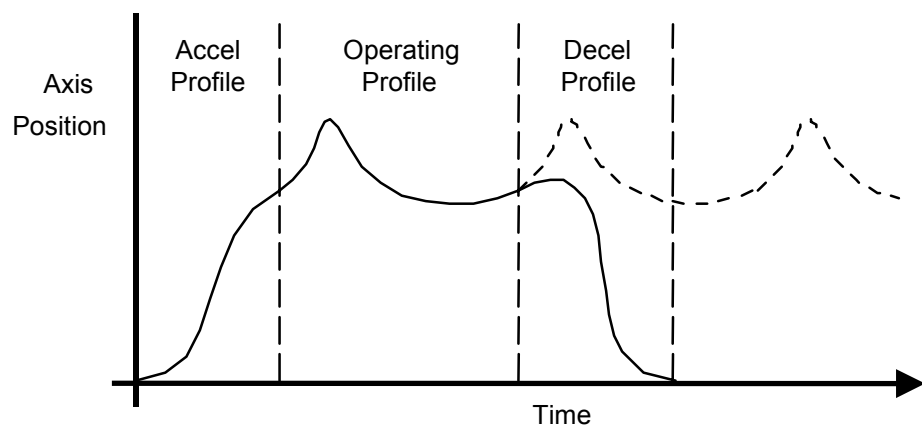
**Figure 3.38 Immediate Execution**

If an MATC instruction is executed on an axis that is already actively time camming, an Illegal Dynamic Change error is generated (error code 23). The only exception for this is if the Execution Schedule is specified as 'pending'.

### Pending Cam Execution

Alternatively, the MATC instruction's execution can, in effect, be deferred pending completion of a currently executing time cam. An Execution Schedule selection of Pending can thus be used to seamlessly blend two time cam profiles together without stopping motion.

The Pending execution feature is particularly useful in applications when the axis must be accelerated up to speed using a specific velocity profile. When this acceleration profile is done, it must be smoothly blended into a cam profile which is typically executed continuously. To stop the axis, the operating profile can be smoothly blended into a deceleration profile such that the axis stops at a known location as shown below.





### Figure 3.39 Pending Cam Execution

By executing the time cam profile as a Pending cam profile while the current profile is still executing, the appropriate cam profile parameters are set up ahead of time. This makes the transition from the current profile to the pending profile seamless – synchronization between the master time and slave axes position is maintained. To ensure smooth motion across the transition, however, the profiles must be designed such that no position, velocity, or acceleration discontinuities exist between the end of the current profile and the start of the new one. This is done using the RSLogix 5000 Cam Profile Editor.

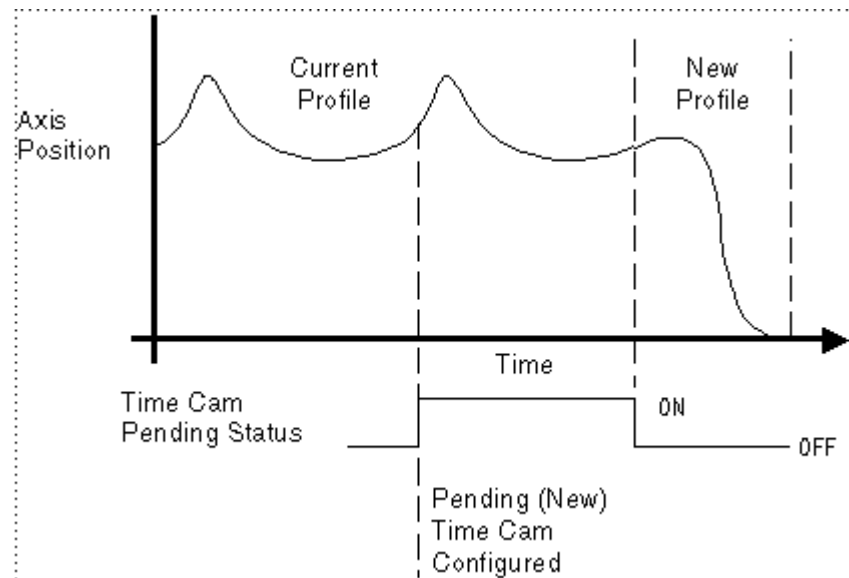
Once a pending time cam instruction has been executed, the new cam profile takes effect automatically (and becomes the current profile) when cam time passes through the end of the current profile. If the current cam is configured to execute once, the new profile is initiated at the completion of the pass through the current cam profile and the PC bit of the currently active MATC instruction is set. If the current cam is configured to execute continuously, the new profile is initiated at the completion of the current pass through the current cam profile and the IP bit of the currently active MATC instruction is cleared. The motion controller keeps track of time and the axis positions relative to the first profile at the time of the change and uses this information to maintain synchronization between the profiles.

If the Execution Schedule of an MATC instruction is set to Immediate and a time cam profile is currently in process, the MATC instruction generates an Illegal Dynamic Change error.

If an Execution Schedule of Pending is selected without a corresponding time cam profile in progress, the MATC instruction executes but no camming motion occurs until another MATC instruction with a non-pending Execution Schedule is initiated. This allows pending cam profiles to be preloaded prior to executing the initial cam. This method addresses cases where immediate cams would finish before the pending cam could be reliably loaded.

After a Pending time cam has been configured, the Time Cam Pending Status bit of the Motion Status word for the specified axis is set to 1 (true). When the pending (new) profile is initiated and becomes the

current profile, Time Cam Pending Status bit is immediately cleared as shown below.



**Figure 3.40 Time Cam Pending**

### Stopping a Cam

Like other motion generators (jog, move, gear, etc.) active cams must be stopped by the various stop instructions, MAS, or MGS. Cam motion must also stop when the ControlLogix processor changes OS modes. The MAS instruction, in particular, must be able to specifically stop the camming process. This behavior should be identical to the MAS functionality that specifically stops a gearing process.

### Merging from a Cam

Like other motion generators (jog, move, gear, etc.) active cams must also be compliant with motion merge functionality. Moves and Jogs, in particular, must be able to merge from active camming. This behavior should be identical to the merge functionality applied to a gearing process.

#### **IMPORTANT**

The MATC instruction execution completes in a single scan, thus the Done (.DN) bit and the In Process (.IP) bit are set immediately. The In Process (.IP) bit remains set until the initiated Time Camming process is superseded by another MATC instruction, or terminated by a Motion Axis Stop command, Merge operation, or Servo Fault Action.

This is a transitional instruction:

- In relay ladder, toggle the rung-condition-in from cleared to set each time the instruction should execute.
- In structured text, condition the instruction so that it only executes on a transition. See Appendix C.

**Arithmetic Status Flags:** not affected

**Fault Conditions:** none

**Error Codes: MATC Error Codes (.ERR)**

Error Message	Code	Description
Servo Off State Error	5	Attempted execution on an axis that does not have the servo loop closed.
Shutdown State Error	7	Attempted execution with the axis in the Shutdown state.
Illegal Axis Type	8	Attempted execution with the axis not configured as servo.
Overtravel Error	9	Attempted execution in a direction that aggravates current overtravel condition.
Axis Not Configured	11	Passed axis value references an unconfigured axis meaning the axis has not been assigned to a physical motion module channel.
Parameter Out of Range	13	Attempted execution with an input parameter that was out of range. See Extended Error section for more information on the cause of the error.
Homing in Process Error	16	Attempted execution with a homing process in progress.
Axis Group Not Synchronized	19	Attempted execution on an axis whose associated axis group is not currently synchronized.
Axis in Faulted State	20	Attempted execution on an axis, which is in the Faulted state.
Illegal Dynamic Change	23	Attempted execution with another cam profile in process
Illegal Controller Mode Operation	24	Attempted execution in an operating mode of the ControlLogix processor that does not support this motion instruction.
Cam Profile Not Calculated	32	Attempted execution of cam profile segment that has not been calculated.
Illegal Axis Data Type	38	You attempted to execute an instruction on an Axis Data Type that is not supported by the instruction.
Maximum Deceleration Value is Zero	54	The Decel Rate of the Axis is set to zero. This is an illegal value for Decel Rate, which inhibits start motion. See the Extended Error section for more information about this error.

**Extended Error Codes:** Extended Error Codes provide additional instruction specific information for the Error Codes that are generic to many instructions. Extended Error codes for the Parameter Out of Range (13) error code lists a number that refers to the number of the operand as they are listed in the faceplate from top to bottom with the first operand being counted as zero. Therefore for the MATC instruction, an extended error code of 5 would refer to the Time Scaling operand's value. You would then have to check your value with the accepted range of values for the instruction.

For the Error Code 54 – Maximum Deceleration Value is Zero, if the Extended Error returns a positive number (0-*n*) it is referring to the offending axis in the coordinate system. Go to the Coordinate System Properties General Tab and look under the Brackets ( [ ] ) column of the Axis Grid to determine which axis has a Maximum Deceleration value of 0. Click on the ellipsis button next to the offending axis to access the Axis Properties screen. Go to the Dynamics tab and make the appropriate change to the Maximum Deceleration Value. If the Extended Error number is -1, this means the Coordinate System has a Maximum Deceleration Value of 0. Go to the Coordinate System Properties Dynamics Tab to correct the Maximum Deceleration value.

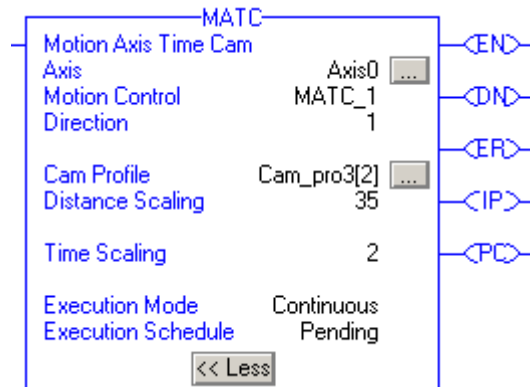
### **MATC Changes to Status Bits: Status Bits**

If the Execution Schedule is set to Immediate, execution of the MATC instruction simply sets the Time Cam Status bit to True.

<b>Bit Name</b>	<b>State</b>	<b>Meaning</b>
TimeCamStatus	TRUE	Time Camming is Enabled
TimeCamPendingStatus	FALSE	No pending Time Cam

If the Execution Schedule is set to Pending, execution of the MATC instruction does not affect the current state of the Time Cam Status bits. Time Cam Pending Status bit is set to True immediately and transitions to False when the pending cam becomes the active cam.

<b>Bit Name</b>	<b>State</b>	<b>Meaning</b>
TimeCamStatus	N/A	Time Camming is Enabled
TimeCamPendingStatus	TRUE	Pending Time Cam

**Example: Relay Ladder****Figure 3.41 MATC Ladder Example****Structured Text**

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MATC(Axis0,MATC_1,1,Cam_pro3[2],35,2,Continuous,
Pending);
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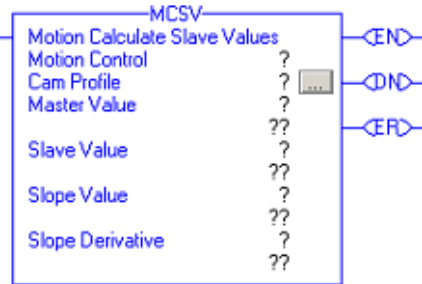
**Motion Calculate Slave Values (MCSV)**

Use the Motion Calculate Slave Values (MCSV) instruction to calculate the slave value, the slope value, and the derivative of the slope for a given cam profile and master value.

**Operands:** The MCSV's operands are the place to enter the values that govern how this instruction performs its function. To display a reminder of the type of value a specific operand requires, place the cursor on the operand in question and a "tool tip" is displayed for that operand in the status bar.

Enter operand of type CAM\_PROFILE

**Figure 3.42 Status Bar for the Motion Control Operand of the MCSV Instruction**



### Relay Ladder

Operand:	Type:	Format:	Description:
Motion Control	MOTION_INSTRUCTION	tag	Structure used to access instruction status parameters.
Cam Profile	CAM_PROFILE	array tag	An array of elements with the array index set to 0. It defines the cam profile used in calculating the slave values.
Master Value	SINT, INT, DINT, or REAL	immediate or tag	The exact value along the master axis of the cam profile that is used in calculating the slave values.
Slave Value	REAL	tag	The value along the slave axis of the cam profile with the master at the specified master value.
Slope Value	REAL	tag	The first derivative of the value along the slave axis of the cam profile with the master at the specified master value.
Slope Derivative	REAL	tag	The second derivative of the value along the slave axis of the cam profile with the master at the specified master value.



MCSV(MotionControl, CamProfile, MasterValue, SlaveValue, SlopeValue, SlopeDerivative)

### Structured Text

The operands are the same as those for the relay ladder MCSV instruction.

**Description:** The Motion Calculate Slave Values (MCSV) instruction determines the slave value, the slope value, and the derivative of the slope for a given cam profile and master value. As an extension to the position and time camming functionality it supplies the values essential for the recovery from faults during camming operations.

## Motion Control

The following control bits are affected by the MCSV instruction.

Mnemonic:	Description:
.EN (Enable) Bit 31	The Enable Bit sets when the rung transitions from false to true. It resets when the rung goes from true to false.
.DN (Done) Bit 29	The Done Bit sets when the slave values have been calculated successfully. It resets when the rung transitions from false to true.
.ER (Error) Bit 28	The Error Bit sets when the slave values have not been calculated successfully. It resets when the rung transitions from false to true.

This is a transitional instruction:

- In relay ladder, toggle the rung-condition-in from cleared to set each time the instruction should execute.
- In structured text, condition the instruction so that it only executes on a transition. See Appendix C.

**Arithmetic Status Flags:** not affected

**Fault Conditions:** none

### Error Codes: MCSV Error Codes (.ERR)

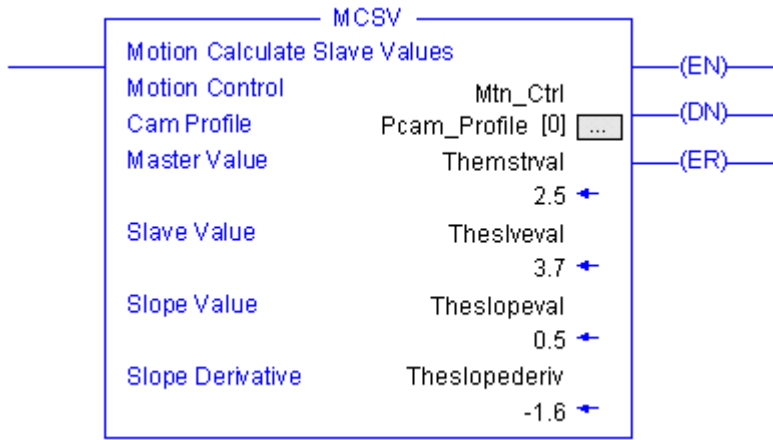
Error Message:	Code:	Description:
Parameter Out of Range	13	Attempted execution with an input parameter that was out of range. See Extended Error section for more information on the cause of the error.
Cam Profile Being Calculated	30	Attempted execution with an cam profile array that is currently being calculated.
Cam Profile Not Calculated	32	Attempted execution of cam profile segment that has not been calculated.

**Extended Error Codes:** Extended Error Codes provide additional instruction specific information for the Error Codes that are generic to many instructions. Extended Error codes for the Parameter Out of Range (13) error code lists a number that refers to the number of the operand as they are listed in the faceplate from top to bottom with the first operand being counted as zero. Therefore for the MCSV instruction, an extended error code of 2 would refer to the Master Value operand's value. You

would then have to check your value with the accepted range of values for the instruction.

**MCSV Changes to Status Bits:** None

**Example: Relay Ladder**



**Figure 3.43 MCSV Ladder Instruction**

**Structured Text**

MCSV(Mtn\_Ctrl,Pcam\_Profile[0],Thestrval,Theslveval,Theslopeval,Theslopederiv)



## Motion Group Instructions

(MGS, MGSD, MGSR, MGSP)

### ATTENTION



Tags used for the motion control attribute of instructions should only be used once. Re-use of the motion control tag in other instructions can cause unintended operation. This may result in damage to equipment or personal injury.

## Introduction

Group Control Instructions include all motion instructions that operate on all the axes in the specified group. Instructions that can be applied to groups include position strobe, shutdown control, and stopping instructions. Note that at present only one group is supported per Logix controller.

The motion group instructions are:

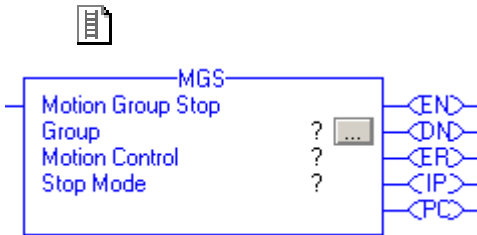
If you want to:	Use this instruction:	Available in these languages:
Initiate a stop of motion on a group of axes.	MGS	relay ladder structured text
Force all axes in a group into the shutdown operating state.	MGSD	relay ladder structured text
Transition a group of axes from the shutdown operating state to the axis ready operating state.	MGSR	relay ladder structured text
Latch the current command and actual position of all axes in a group.	MGSP	relay ladder structured text

## Motion Group Stop (MGS)

The MGS instruction initiates a stop of all motion in progress on all axes in the specified group by a method configured individually for each axis or as a group via the Stop Mode of the MGS instruction. If the MGS Stop Mode is specified as Programmed, each axis in the group is stopped according to the configured Programmed Stop Mode axis attribute. This is the same stopping mechanism that is employed by the Logix Operating System when there is a Logix controller state change. This Programmed Stop Mode attribute currently provides five different methods of stopping an axis: Fast Stop, Fast Disable, Hard Disable, Fast Shutdown, and Hard Shutdown. Alternatively, an explicit Stop Mode may be selected by using the MGS instruction. If a Stop Mode of Fast Disable is selected, all axes in the group stop with Fast Disable behavior. When the motion of all the axes in the group has

been brought to a stop, the Process Complete (PC) bit is set in the control structure.

**Operands: Relay Ladder**



Operand:	Type:	Format:	Description:
Group	MOTION_GROUP	tag	Name of the group of axes to perform operation on.
Motion control	MOTION_INSTRUCTION	tag	Structure used to access instruction status parameters.
Stop Mode	UDINT	immediate	Controls how the axes in the group are stopped. Select one of the following methods: 0 = Programmed - each axis is stopped according to how the individual axis has been configured. 1 = Fast Stop - each axis in the group is decelerated at the Maximum Deceleration rate and the stopped axis is left in the Servo Active state. 2 = Fast Disable - each axis in the group is decelerated at the Maximum Deceleration rate and the stopped axis is placed in the Axis Ready state.



MGS (Group, MotionControl, StopMode) ;

**Structured Text**

The operands are the same as those for the relay ladder MGS instruction.

For the operands that require you to select from available options, enter your selection as:

This operand:	Has these options which you...	
	enter as text:	or enter as a number:
StopMode	programmed faststop fastdisable	0 1 2

**MOTION\_INSTRUCTION Structure**

Mnemonic:	Description:
.EN (Enable) Bit 31	It is set when the rung makes a false-to-true transition and remains set until the servo message transaction is completed and the rung goes false.
.DN (Done) Bit 29	It is set when the group Programmed Stop has been successfully initiated for all axes in the group.

<b>Mnemonic:</b>	<b>Description:</b>
.ER (Error) Bit 28	It is set to indicate that the instruction detected an error, such as if you specified an unconfigured group.
.IP (In Process) Bit 26	It is set on positive rung transition and cleared after the Motion Group Programmed Stop is complete.
.PC (Process Complete) Bit 27	It is set after all the axes in group have been successfully brought to a stop according to each axis' Programmed Stop Mode configuration.

**Description:** With the Stop Mode parameter set for Programmed, the Motion Group Stop (MGS) instruction brings motion for all of the axes in the specified group to a stop according to the configured Programmed Stop Mode for each axis. This instruction initiates the same programmed stopping action that is automatically applied when the processor's operating system changes operating mode (i.e. Run Mode to Program Mode, etc.). This is particularly useful in designing custom motion fault handlers.

If the MGS Stop Mode parameter is set to Fast Stop, each axis in the group is forced to perform a Fast Stop process, regardless of the configured Programmed Stop Mode. Each axis in the group is decelerated at the Maximum Deceleration rate and, once stopped, the axis is left in the Servo Active state.

If the MGS Stop Mode parameter is set to Fast Disable, each axis in the group is forced to perform a Fast Disable process, regardless of the configured Programmed Stop Mode. Each axis in the group is decelerated at the Maximum Deceleration rate and, once stopped, placed into the Axis Ready (servo inactive and drive disabled) state.

There are five Programmed Stop Modes that are currently supported by the MGPS instruction: Fast Stop, Fast Disable, Hard Disable, Fast Shutdown, and Hard Shutdown. Each axis may be configured to use any of these five stop modes. The following is a description of the effect of each these five stopping modes as they apply to an individual axis in the specified group.

### **Fast Stop**

For an axis configured for a Fast Stop the MGPS instruction initiates a controlled stop much like that initiated by an MAS instruction. In this case the Motion Group Programmed Stop (MGS) instruction brings the axis motion to a controlled stop without disabling the axis servo loop. It is useful when a fast decelerated stop the axis is desired with servo control retained.

The MGPS instruction uses the configured Maximum Deceleration for the axis in this stop mode as the basis for the deceleration ramp applied to the axis.

### **Fast Disable**

For an axis configured for a Fast Disable the MGS instruction initiates a controlled stop much like that initiated by an MAS instruction with the exception that the drive is disabled when the axis comes to a stop. Use MGS when a fast decelerated stop the axis is desired before the drive is disabled.

The MGS instruction uses the configured Maximum Deceleration for the axis in this stop mode as the basis for the deceleration ramp applied to the axis.

### **Hard Disable**

For an axis configured for a Hard Disable the MGS instruction initiates the equivalent of an MSF instruction to the axis. This action immediately turns the appropriate axis drive output off, and disables the servo loop. Depending on the drive configuration, this may result in the axis coasting to a stop but offers the quickest disconnect of drive output power.

### **Fast Shutdown**

For an axis configured for a Fast Shutdown, the MGS instruction initiates a Fast Stop and then applies the equivalent of a Motion Axis Shutdown (MASD) instruction to the axis. This action turns the appropriate axis driver output OFF, disables the servo loop, opens any associated motion module's OK contacts, and places the axis into the Shutdown state.

### **Hard Shutdown**

For an axis configured for a Hard Shutdown the MGS instruction initiates the equivalent of an Motion Axis Shutdown (MASD) instruction to the axis. This action turns the appropriate axis drive output OFF, disables the servo loop, opens any associated motion module OK contacts, and places the axis into the Shutdown state. Depending on the drive configuration, this may result in the axis coasting to a stop but offers the quickest disconnect of Drive power via the OK contacts.

To successfully execute a MGS instruction, the targeted group must be configured.

**IMPORTANT**

The MGS instruction execution may take multiple scans to complete because the messages may require one or more axis motion modules in the group. Thus the Done .DN bit may not be set immediately. However, the In Process .IP bit is set and the Process Complete .PC bit is cleared immediately. The In Process .IP bit remains set until the initiated Programmed Stop process is completed for all axes in the specified group, or the stop instructions superseded by another MGS instruction, or terminated by a Servo Fault Action. The Process Complete .PC bit is only set if the initiated deceleration profile for each of the group's axes has completed prior to any other of the above events terminating the stop process and clearing the In Process .IP bit.

This is a transitional instruction:

- In relay ladder, toggle the rung-condition-in from cleared to set each time the instruction should execute.
- In structured text, condition the instruction so that it only executes on a transition. See Appendix C.

**Arithmetic Status Flags:** not affected

**Fault Conditions:** none

**Error Codes: MGS Error Codes (.ERR)**

Error Message	Code	Definition
Execution Collision	3	Attempted execution on a group of axes that already has another instance of this instruction executing. This situation is possible when instructions that require messaging are executed without Done .DN (bit 29) run qualification.
Axis Group Not Synchronized	19	Attempted execution on an axis group that is not currently synchronized.
Shutdown Status Time Out	42	The MGS instruction failed to detect the assertion of the Shutdown Status Bit within the established fixed delay time period.

## Status Bits MGS Changes to Status Bits

Bit Name	State	Definition
StoppingStatus	TRUE	Axis is Stopping (Depending on the Programmed Stop Mode for the axis).
JogStatus	FALSE	Axis is no longer Jogging.
MoveStatus	FALSE	Axis is no longer Moving.
GearingStatus	FALSE	Axis is no longer Gearing.
HomingStatus	FALSE	Axis is no longer Homing.

**Example:** When the input conditions are true, the controller stops motion on all axes in *group1*. After the controller stops all motion, the axes are inhibited.

### Relay Ladder

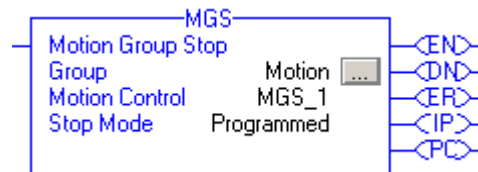


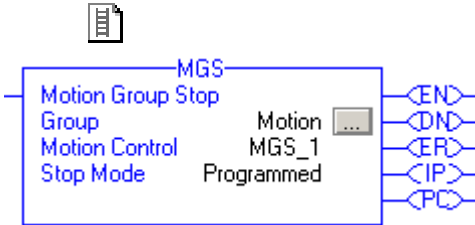
Figure 4.1 MGS Ladder Example

### Structured Text

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MGS (Motion,MSG_1, Programmed) ;
```

## Motion Group Shutdown (MGSD)

Use the MGSD instruction to force all axes in the designated group into a Shutdown state. The Shutdown state of an axis is Servo Off, drive output is deactivated, and the motion module's OK solid-state relay contacts, if applicable, are opened. The group of axes remains in the Shutdown state until either Group Shutdown Reset is executed or each axis is individually reset via the Motion Axis Shutdown (MASD) instruction.

**Operands: Relay Ladder**

```
MGSD(Group, MotionControl);
```

Operand:	Type:	Format:	Description:
Group	MOTION_GROUP	tag	Name of the group of axes to perform operation on.
Motion control	MOTION_INSTRUCTION	tag	Structure used to access instruction status parameters.

**Structured Text**

The operands are the same as those for the relay ladder MGSD instruction.

**MOTION\_INSTRUCTION Structure**

Mnemonic:	Description:
.EN (Enable) Bit 31	The enable bit indicates when the instruction is enabled. It remains set until servo messaging completes and the rung-condition-in goes false.
.DN (Done) Bit 29	The done bit indicates when the instruction sets the group of axes to the shutdown operating state.
.ER (Error) Bit 28	The error bit indicates when the instruction detects an error, such as if messaging to the servo module failed.

**Description:** The Motion Group Shutdown (MGSD) instruction turns drive output off, disables the servo loops of all axes in the specified group, and opens any associated OK contacts for all applicable motion modules in the group. This action places all group axes into the Shutdown state. The MGSD instruction takes only one parameter; simply select or enter the desired group to shutdown.

Another action initiated by the MGSD instruction is the clearing of all motion processes in progress and a clearing of all the motion status bits. Associated with this action, the command also clears all motion instruction .IP bits that may currently be set for each axis in the group.

The MGSD instruction forces the targeted group of axes into the Shutdown state. One of the unique characteristics of the Shutdown state is that the OK solid state relay contact for all of the group's motion modules Open. This feature can be used to open up the E-Stop string(s) that control main power to the various drive systems.

Another characteristic of the Shutdown state is that any instruction that initiates axis motion for an axis within the group is blocked from execution. Attempts to do so results in an execution error. Only by executing one of the Shutdown Reset instructions can motion then be successfully initiated.

To successfully execute a MGSD instruction, the targeted group must be created and configured.

**IMPORTANT**

The MGSD instruction execution may take multiple scans to execute due to the fact that it requires transmission of a message to one or more motion modules. Thus, the Done .DN bit is not set immediately, but only after this message has been successfully transmitted.

This is a transitional instruction:

- In relay ladder, toggle the rung-condition-in from cleared to set each time the instruction should execute.
- In structured text, condition the instruction so that it only executes on a transition. See Appendix C.

**Arithmetic Status Flags:** not affected

**Fault Conditions:** none

**Error Codes: MGSD Error Codes (.ERR)**

Error Message	Code	Definition
Execution Collision	3	Attempted execution on a group of axes that already has another instance of this instruction executing. This situation is possible when instructions that require messaging are executed without Done .DN (bit 29) run qualification.
Axis Group Not Synchronized	19	Attempted execution on an axis group that is not currently synchronized.
Shutdown Status Time Out	42	The MGSD instruction failed to detect the assertion of the Shutdown Status Bit within the established fixed delay time period.



**Status Bits: MGSD Changes to Status Bits**

Bit Name	State	Definition
ServoActionStatus	FALSE	Axis is in Axis Ready state with the servo loop inactive.
DriveEnableStatus	FALSE	Axis Drive Enable output is inactive.
ShutdownStatus	TRUE	Axis is in Shutdown state.
AccelStatus	FALSE	Axis is not Accelerating
DecelStatus	FALSE	Axis is not Decelerating
GearingLockStatus	FALSE	Axis is not locked.
JogStatus	FALSE	Axis is not Jogging
MoveStatus	FALSE	Axis is not Moving
GearingStatus	FALSE	Axis is not Gearing
HomingStatus	FALSE	Axis is not Homing

**Example:** When the input conditions are true, the controller forces all axes in *group1* into a shutdown operating state.

**Relay Ladder**

**Figure 4.2 MGSD Ladder Example**

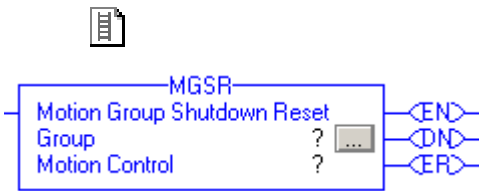
**Structured Text**

```
MGSD (Motion, MGSD_2);
```

**Motion Group Shutdown Reset (MGSR)**

Use the MGSR instruction to transition a group of axes from the shutdown operating state to the axis ready operating state. As a result of this command, all faults associated with the axes in the group are cleared and any OK relay contacts of motion modules associated with the specified group are closed.

**Operands: Relay Ladder**



Operand:	Type:	Format:	Description:
Group	MOTION_GROUP	tag	Name of the group of axes to perform operation on.
Motion control	MOTION_INSTRUCTION	tag	Structure used to access instruction status parameters.

**Structured Text**



MGSR (Group, MotionControl);

The operands are the same as those for the relay ladder MGSR instruction.

**MOTION\_INSTRUCTION Structure**

Mnemonic:	Description:
.EN (Enable) Bit 31	The enable bit indicates when the instruction is enabled. It remains set until servo messaging completes and the rung-condition-in goes false.
.DN (Done) Bit 29	The done bit indicates when the instruction resets the group of axes from the shutdown operating state.
.ER (Error) Bit 28	The error bit indicates when the instruction detects an error, such as if messaging to the servo module failed.

**Description:** The Motion Group Shutdown Reset (MGSR) instruction takes all the axes in the specified group out of the Shutdown state by clearing all axis faults and closing any associated OK solid-state relay contacts for the motion modules within the group. This action places all axes within the motion group in the Axis Ready state.

Just as MGSD instruction forces all the axes in the targeted group into the Shutdown state. The MGSR instruction takes all the axis in the specified group out of the Shutdown state and into the Axis Ready state. One of the unique characteristics of the Shutdown state is that, if supported, the OK solid state relay contact for each of the group's motion modules is Open. Hence, the result of an MGSR instruction applied to a group of motion modules is that all motion module OK relay contacts close. This feature can be used to close the E-Stop strings that control main power to the various drive systems and permits the customer to reapply power to the drives.

To successfully execute a MGSR instruction, the targeted group must be configured.

**IMPORTANT**

The MGSR instruction execution may take multiple scans to execute because it requires transmission of a message to one or more motion modules. The Done .DN bit is not set immediately, but only after this message has been successfully transmitted.

This is a transitional instruction:

- In relay ladder, toggle the rung-condition-in from cleared to set each time the instruction should execute.
- In structured text, condition the instruction so that it only executes on a transition. See Appendix C.

**Arithmetic Status Flags:** not affected

**Fault Conditions:** none

**Error Codes: MGSR Error Codes (.ERR)**

Error Message	Code	Definition
Execution Collision	3	The instruction tried to execute while another instance of this instruction was executing. This can occur when the controller executes a messaging instruction without checking the .DN bit of the preceding instruction.
Axis Group Not Synchronized	19	The motion group is not in the synchronized state. This could be caused by a missing servo module or a misconfiguration.

**Status Bits: MGSR Changes to Status Bits**

Bit Name	State	Definition
ServoActionStatus	FALSE	Axis is in Axis Ready state with the servo loop inactive.
DriveEnableStatus	FALSE	Axis Drive Enable output is inactive.
ShutdownStatus	FALSE	Axis is NOT in Shutdown state.

**Example:** When the input conditions are true, the controller transitions all axes in *group1* from the shutdown operating state to the axis ready operating state.

### Relay Ladder



Figure 4.3 MGSR Ladder Example

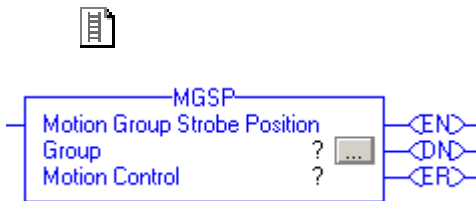
### Structured Text

```
MGSR(Motion, MGSR_3);
```

## Motion Group Strobe Position (MGSP)

Use the MGSP instruction to latch the current Command and Actual Position of all axes in the specified group at a single point in time. The latched positions are available in the StrobeActualPosition and StrobeCommandPosition parameters in the Motion Axis Object for each axis configured in the group.

### Operands: Relay Ladder



Operand:	Type:	Format:	Description:
Group	MOTION_GROUP	tag	Name of the group of axes to perform operation on.
Motion control	MOTION_INSTRUCTION	tag	Structure used to access instruction status parameters.

### Structured Text

```
MGSP(Group, MotionControl);
```

The operands are the same as those for the relay ladder MGSP instruction.

### MOTION\_INSTRUCTION Structure

Mnemonic:	Description:
.EN (Enable) Bit 31	It is set when the rung makes a false-to-true transition and remains set until the servo message transaction is completed and the rung goes false.
.DN (Done) Bit 29	It is set when the group of axes have been successfully set to Shutdown state.
.ER (Error) Bit 28	It is set to indicate that the instruction detected an error, such as if you specified an unconfigured group.

**Description:** The Motion Group Strobe Position (MGSP) instruction synchronously latches all command and actual position values of all axes in the

specified group at the time of execution. The MGSP instruction takes only one parameter; simply select or enter the desired axis to strobe.

If the targeted group does not appear in the list of available groups, the group has not been configured for operation. Use the Tag Editor to create and configure a new groups.

The MGSP instruction may be used at any time to capture a complete set of command and actual position information for all axes in the specified group. This operation is often required as a precursor to computations involving position values of different axes within the group.

To successfully execute a MGSP instruction, the targeted group must be configured.

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**IMPORTANT**

The MGSP instruction execution completes in a single scan, setting the Done .DN bit immediately.

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This is a transitional instruction:

- In relay ladder, toggle the rung-condition-in from cleared to set each time the instruction should execute.
- In structured text, condition the instruction so that it only executes on a transition. See Appendix C.

**Arithmetic Status Flags:** not affected

**Fault Conditions:** none

**Error Codes: MGSP Error Codes (.ERR)**

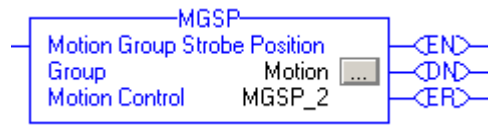
Error Message	Code	Definition
Axis Group Not Synchronized	19	Attempted execution on an axis group that is not currently synchronized.

**Status Bits: MGSP Changes to Status Bits**

None

**Example:** When the input conditions are true, the controller latches the current command and the actual position of all axes in *group1*.

### Relay Ladder



**Figure 4.4 MGSP Ladder Example**

### Structured Text

```
MGSP(Motion, MGSP_2);
```

## Motion Event Instructions

(MAW, MDW, MAR, MDR, MAOC, MDOC)

### ATTENTION



Tags used for the motion control attribute of instructions should only be used once. Re-use of the motion control tag in other instructions can cause unintended operation. This may result in damage to equipment or personal injury.

## Introduction

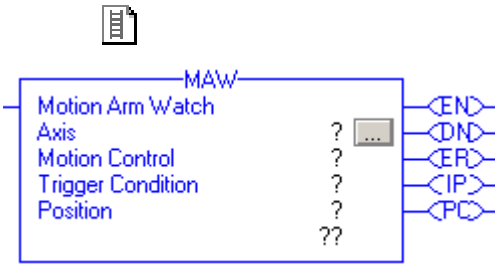
Motion event instructions control the arming and disarming of special event checking functions, such as registration and watch position. The motion event instructions are:

If you want to:	Use this instruction:	Available in these languages:
Arm watch-position event-checking for an axis.	MAW	relay ladder structured text
Disarm watch-position event-checking for an axis.	MDW	relay ladder structured text
Arm servo-module registration-event checking for an axis.	MAR	relay ladder structured text
Disarm servo-module registration-event checking for an axis.	MDR	relay ladder structured text
Arm an Output Cam	MAOC	relay ladder structured text
Disarm an Output Cam	MDOC	relay ladder structured text

## Motion Arm Watch (MAW)

Use the MAW instruction to arm motion module watch position event checking for the specified axis. When this instruction is called, a watch position event is enabled using the watch Position for the Axis and specified Forward or Reverse event condition. After the arming is complete the Actual Position for the Axis is monitored against the Watch Position and when the specified watch event condition is met, the Event (PC) bit is set, and the Watch Event Status bit in the Axis data structure is set.

### Operands: Relay Ladder



Operand:	Type:	Format:	Description:
Axis	AXIS_FEEDBACK AXIS_GENERIC AXIS_SERVO AXIS_SERVO_DRIVE	tag	Name of the axis to perform operation on.
Motion control	MOTION_INSTRUCTION	tag	Structure used to access instruction status parameters.
Trigger condition	BOOLEAN	immediate	Select the watch-event trigger condition: 0 = forward – the servo module looks for the actual position to change from less than the watch position to greater than the watch position. 1 = reverse – the servo module looks for the actual position to change from greater than the watch position to less than the watch position.
Position	REAL	immediate or tag	The new value for the watch position.



MAW (Axis, MotionControl, TriggerCondition, Position);

### Structured Text

The operands are the same as those for the relay ladder MAW instruction.

For the operands that require you to select from available options, enter your selection as:

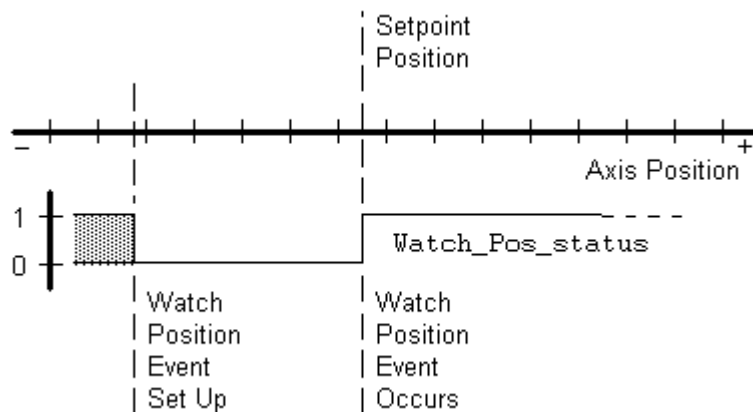
This operand:	Has these options which you...	
	enter as text:	or enter as a number:
TriggerCondition	forward reverse	0 1



## MOTION\_INSTRUCTION Structure

Mnemonic:	Description:
.EN (Enable) Bit 31	It is set when the rung makes a false-to-true transition and remains set until the servo message transaction is completed and the rung goes false.
.DN (Done) Bit 29	It is set when the axis watch event checking has been successfully armed.
.ER (Error) Bit 28	It is set to indicate that the instruction detected an error, such as if you specified an unconfigured axis.
.IP (In Process) Bit 26	It is set on positive rung transition and cleared after the watch event has occurred, or has been superseded by another Motion Arm Watch, or terminated by a Motion Disarm Watch command.
.PC (Process Complete) Bit 27	It is set when a watch event occurs.

**Description:** The Motion Arm Watch (MAW) instruction sets up a Watch Position event to occur when the specified physical axis reaches the specified Set-point position, as shown below.



**Figure 5.1 Set Point Position**

Watch Position events are useful for synchronizing an operation to a specified axis position while the axis is moving, such as activating a solenoid to push a carton off a conveyor at a certain axis position. Select or enter the desired physical axis, the desired Trigger Condition, and enter a value or tag variable for the desired Watch Position.

If the targeted axis does not appear in the list of available axes, the axis has not been configured for operation. Use the Tag Editor to create and configure a new axis.

When an Arm Watch Position instruction is executed, the WatchEventStatus bit is set to 0 (FALSE) and the actual position of a physical axis is monitored (at the servo loop update rate) until it

reaches the specified Watch Position. After the watch position event occurs, the WatchEventStatus bit for the axis is set to 1 (TRUE).

Multiple watch position events may be active at a given time, however only one may be active at a time for any given physical axis. Each event is monitored independently and may be checked using the appropriate WatchEventStatus bit.

---

**IMPORTANT**

In large I/O connections, force values can slow down the rate at which the controller processes repetitive watch positions.

---

To successfully execute a MAW instruction, the targeted axis must be configured as either a Servo or Feedback Only axis. Otherwise, the instruction errs.

---

**IMPORTANT**

The MAW instruction execution may take multiple scans to execute because it requires transmission of a message to the motion module. The Done (.DN) bit is not set immediately, but only after this message has been successfully transmitted.

---

This is a transitional instruction:

- In relay ladder, toggle the rung-condition-in from cleared to set each time the instruction should execute.
- In structured text, condition the instruction so that it only executes on a transition. See Appendix C.

**Arithmetic Status Flags:** not affected

**Fault Conditions:** none

**Error Codes: MAW Error Codes (.ERR)**

Error Message	Code	Description
Execution Collision	3	Attempted execution on an axis that already has another instance of this instruction executing. This situation is possible when instructions that require messaging are executed without Done (.DN) Bit 29 run qualification.
Axis Not Configured	11	Passed axis value references an unconfigured axis meaning the axis has not been assigned to a physical motion module channel.
Servo Message Failure	12	Messaging to targeted motion module failed. See Extended Error section for more information on the cause of the error.
Axis Type Unused	18	Attempted execution on an axis that is not configured for use according the current Axis Type configuration attribute.
Axis Group Not Synchronized	19	Attempted execution on an axis whose associated axis group is not currently synchronized.
Illegal Axis Data Type	38	You attempted to execute an instruction on an Axis Data Type that is not supported by the instruction.

**Extended Error Codes:** Extended Error Codes provide additional instruction specific information for the Error Codes that are generic to many instructions. The following Extended Error codes help to pinpoint the problem when the MAW instruction receives a Servo Message Failure (12) error message.

Associated Error Code (decimal)	Extended Error Code (decimal)	Meaning
SERVO_MESSAGE_FAILURE (12)	No Resource (2)	Not enough memory resources to complete request. (SERCOS)

**Status Bits: MAW Changes to Status Bits**

Bit Name:	State:	Meaning:
WatchEventArmedStatus	TRUE	The axis is looking for a watch position event.
WatchEventStatus	FALSE	The previous watch event is cleared.

**Example:** When the input conditions are true, the controller arms watch-position event-checking for *axis1*.

### Relay Ladder

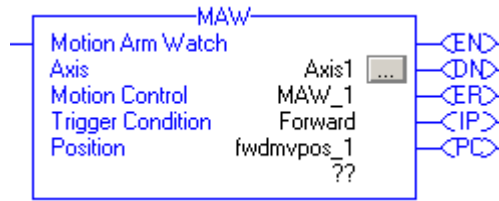


Figure 5.2 MAW Ladder Example

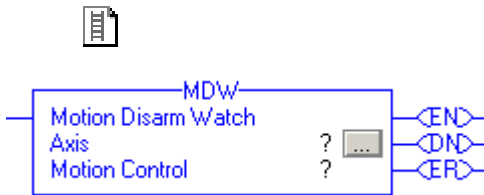
### Structured Text

```
MAW(Axis1,MAW_1,Forward,fwdmvpos_1);
```

## Motion Disarm Watch (MDW)

Use the MDW instruction to disarm watch-position event-checking for an axis. This instruction has the affect of clearing both the Watch Event Status and Watch Armed Status bits in the axis data structure. Executing this instruction also clears the In Process bit associated with the controlling Motion Arm Watch (MAW) instruction.

### Operands: Relay Ladder



Operand:	Type:	Format:	Description:
Axis	AXIS_FEEDBACK AXIS_GENERIC AXIS_SERVO AXIS_SERVO_DRIVE	tag	Name of the axis to perform operation on.
Motion control	MOTION_INSTRUCTION	tag	Structure used to access instruction status parameters.

### Structured Text

```
MDW(Axis,MotionControl);
```

The operands are the same as those for the relay ladder MDW instruction.

## MOTION\_INSTRUCTION Structure

Mnemonic:	Description:
.EN (Enable) Bit 31	It is set when the rung makes a false-to-true transition and remains set until the servo message transaction is completed and the rung goes false.
.DN (Done) Bit 29	It is set when axis watch event checking has been successfully disarmed.
.ER (Error) Bit 28	It is set to indicate that the instruction detected an error, such as if you specified an unconfigured axis.

**Description:** The Motion Disarm Watch (MDW) instruction cancels watch position event checking set up by a previous MAW instruction. The Disarm Watch Position instruction requires no parameters; simply enter or select the desired physical axis.

If the targeted axis does not appear in the list of available axes, the axis has not been configured for operation. Use the Tag Editor to create and configure a new axis.

To successfully execute a MDW instruction, the targeted axis must be configured as either a Servo or Feedback Only axis. Otherwise, the instruction errs.

### IMPORTANT

The MDW instruction execution may take multiple scans to execute because it requires transmission of a message to the motion module. The Done (.DN) bit is not set immediately, but only after this message has been successfully transmitted.

This is a transitional instruction:

- In relay ladder, toggle the rung-condition-in from cleared to set each time the instruction should execute.
- In structured text, condition the instruction so that it only executes on a transition. See Appendix C.

**Arithmetic Status Flags:** not affected

**Fault Conditions:** none

**Error Codes: MDW Error Codes (.ERR)**

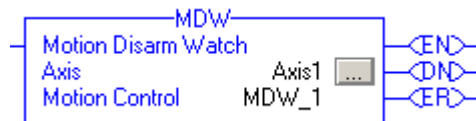
Error Code	Code	Description
Execution Collision	3	Attempted execution on an axis that already has another instance of this instruction executing. This situation is possible when instructions that require messaging are executed without Done (.DN) Bit 29 run qualification.
Axis Not Configured	11	Passed axis value references an unconfigured axis meaning the axis has not been assigned to a physical motion module channel.
Servo Message Failure	12	Messaging to targeted motion module failed.
Axis Type Unused	18	Attempted execution on an axis that is not configured for use according the current Axis Type configuration attribute.
Axis Group Not Synchronized	19	Attempted execution on an axis whose associated axis group is not currently synchronized.
Illegal Axis Data Type	38	You attempted to execute an instruction on an Axis Data Type that is not supported by the instruction.

**Status Bits: MDW Changes to Status Bits**

Bit Name:	State:	Meaning:
WatchEventArmedStatus	FALSE	The axis is not looking for a watch position event.
WatchEventStatus	FALSE	The previous watch event is cleared.

**Example:** When the input conditions are true, the controller disarms watch-position event-checking for *axis1*.

**Relay Ladder**



**Figure 5.3 MDW Ladder Example**

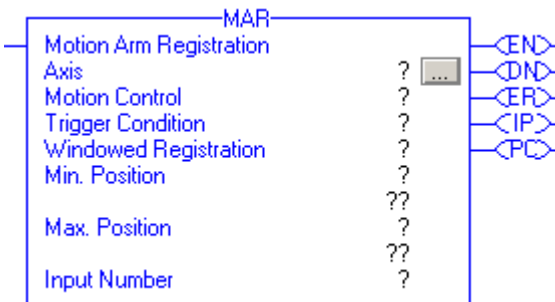
**Structured Text**

```
MDW(Aaxis1,MDW_1);
```

## Motion Arm Registration (MAR)

Use the MAR instruction to arm servo module registration event checking for the specified axis. When the instruction is called, a registration event is armed based on the selected Registration Input and the specified Trigger Condition. When the specified Registration Input transition satisfies the Trigger Condition, the motion module computes the axis position at the moment the event occurred based on hardware latched encoder count data and stores it in the associated Registration Position variable in the axis data structure. Also, the instruction's Event (PC) bit is simultaneously set, as well as the Registration Event Status bit in the axis data structure. If Windowed Registration is selected, only registration events whose computed registration position falls within the Max and Min Position window are accepted. If the Registration Position falls outside this window the registration event checking is automatically rearmed.

### Operands: Relay Ladder



Operand:	Type:	Format:	Description:
Axis	AXIS_FEEDBACK AXIS_VIRTUAL AXIS_GENERIC AXIS_SERVO AXIS_SERVO_DRIVE	tag	Name of the axis to perform operation on.
Motion control	MOTION_INSTRUCTION	tag	Structure used to access instruction status parameters.
Trigger condition	BOOLEAN	immediate	Defines the Registration Input transition that defines the registration event. Select either: 0 = trigger on positive edge 1 = trigger on negative edge
Windowed registration	BOOLEAN	immediate	Set (1) if registration is to be Windowed meaning that the computed Registration Position must fall within the specified Min and Max Position limits to be accepted as a valid registration event. Select either: 0 = disabled 1 = enabled

Operand:	Type:	Format:	Description:
Minimum position	REAL	immediate or tag	Used when Windowed Registration is enabled. Registration Position must be greater than Min. Position limit before registration event is accepted.
Maximum position	REAL	immediate or tag	Used when Windowed Registration is enabled. Registration Position must be less than Max. Position limit before registration event is accepted.
Input Number	UINT32	1 or 2	Specifies the Registration Input to select. 1 = Registration 1 Position 2 = Registration 2 Position



```
MAR (Axis, MotionControl,
TriggerCondition,
WindowedRegistration,
MinimumPosition,
MaximumPosition,
InputNumber) ;
```

### Structured Text

The operands are the same as those for the relay ladder MAR instruction.

For the operands that require you to select from available options, enter your selection as:

This operand:	Has these options which you...	
	enter as text:	or enter as a number:
TriggerCondition	positive_edge negative_edge	0 1
WindowedRegistration	disabled enabled	0 1

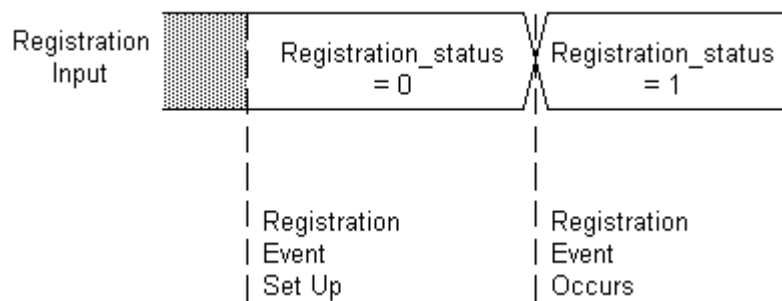
### MOTION\_INSTRUCTION Structure

Mnemonic:	Description:
.EN (Enable) Bit 31	It is set when the rung makes a false-to-true transition and remains set until the servo message transaction is completed and the rung goes false.
.DN (Done) Bit 29	It is set when the axis registration event checking has been successfully armed.
.ER (Error) Bit 28	It is set to indicate that the instruction detected an error, such as if you specified an unconfigured axis.
.IP (In Process) Bit 26	It is set on positive rung transition and cleared after the registration event has occurred, or has been superseded by another Motion Arm Reg command, or terminated by a Motion Disarm Reg command.
.PC (Process Complete) Bit 27	It is set when a registration event occurs.



**Description:** The Motion Arm Registration (MAR) instruction sets up a registration event to store the actual positions of the specified physical axis on the specified edge of the selected dedicated high speed Registration input for that axis.

When an MAR instruction is executed, the RegEventStatus bit is set to 0 (FALSE) and the selected Registration input for the specified axis is monitored by the motion module until a Registration input transition of the selected type (the *registration event*) occurs. When the registration event occurs, the RegEventStatus bit for the axis is set to 1 (TRUE) and the Actual Position of the axis is stored in the Registration Position variable corresponding to the registration input (e.g. Registration 1 Position 1 or Registration 2 Position).

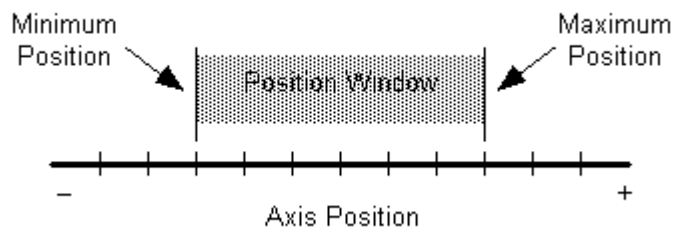


**Figure 5.4 Registration**

Multiple registration events may be active at any time for a given axis, but only one may be active per registration input. Each event is monitored independently and may be checked using the appropriate RegEventStatus bit.

### Windowed Registration

When the Windowed Reg checkbox is checked, the selected trip state only results in a registration event if it occurs when the axis is within the window defined by the minimum and maximum positions as shown below.

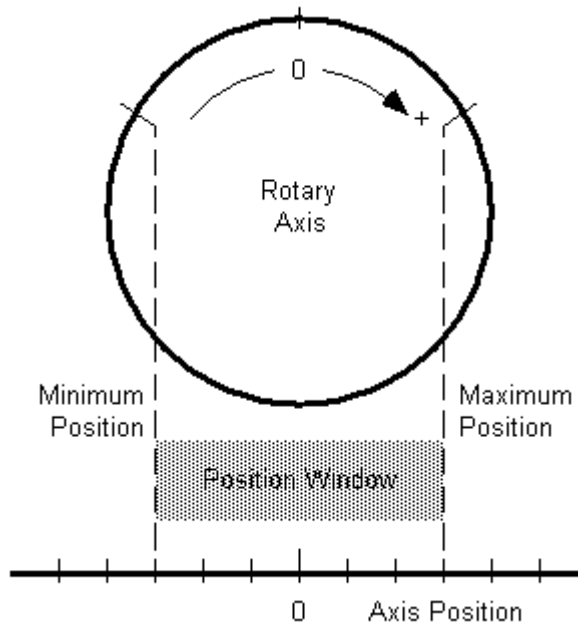


**Figure 5.5 Windowed Registration**

Enter values or tag variables for the desired absolute positions that define the position window within which the selected trip state of the Registration input is valid. Windowed registration is useful in

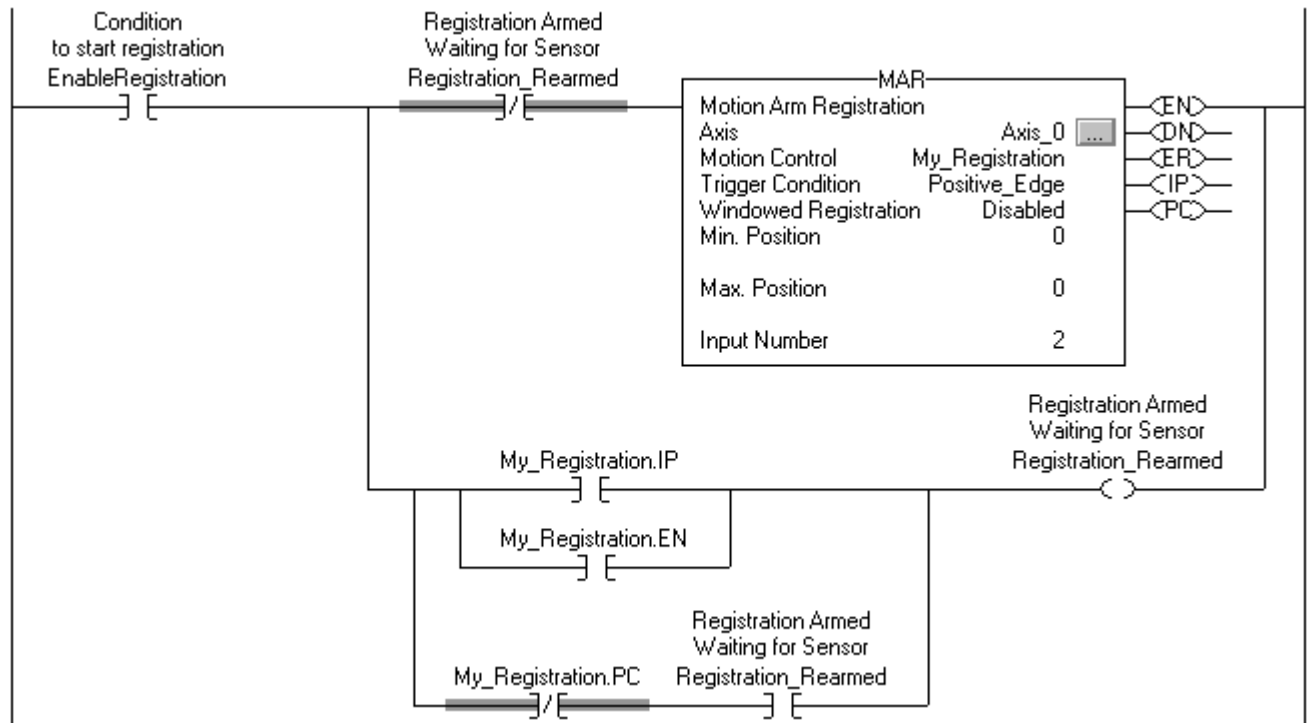
providing a mechanism to ignore spurious or random transitions of the registration sensor, thus improving the noise immunity of high-speed registration inputs.

For linear axes, the values can be positive, negative, or a combination. However, the Minimum Position value must be less than the Maximum Position value for the registration event to occur. For rotary axes, both values must be less than the unwind value set in the motion controller's machine setup menu. The Minimum Position value can be greater than the Maximum Position value for registration windows that cross the unwind point of the axis, as shown below.



**Figure 5.6 Position Window for Rotary Axis**

**Rearming an MAR Instruction** If your application requires rapid and continuous detection of a registration sensor, we recommend that you use the following logic:



**Figure 5.7 Ladder Logic for Continuous Registration Detection**

To rearml the MAR instruction, the rung must change from false to true. The rate at which this logic functions depends on the following:

- program scan time
- motion task course update rate

**IMPORTANT**

In large I/O connections, force values can slow down the rate at which the controller processes repetitive motion registration.

To successfully execute a MAR instruction, the targeted axis must be configured as either a Servo or Feedback Only axis. Otherwise, the instruction errs.

**IMPORTANT**

The MAR instruction execution may take multiple scans to execute because it requires transmission of a message to the motion module. The Done (.DN) bit is not set immediately, but only after this message has been successfully transmitted.

This is a transitional instruction:

- In relay ladder, toggle the rung-condition-in from cleared to set each time the instruction should execute.
- In structured text, condition the instruction so that it only executes on a transition. See Appendix C.

**Arithmetic Status Flags:** not affected

**Fault Conditions:** none

**Error Codes: MAR Error Codes (.ERR)**

<b>Error Message</b>	<b>Code</b>	<b>Description</b>
Execution Collision	3	Attempted execution on an axis that already has another instance of this instruction executing. This situation is possible when instructions that require messaging are executed without Done (.DN) Bit 29 run qualification.
Axis Not Configured	11	Passed axis value references an unconfigured axis meaning the axis has not been assigned to a physical motion module channel.
Servo Message Failure	12	Messaging to targeted motion module failed. See Extended Error section for more information on the cause of the error.
Parameter Out of Range	13	At least one parameter's value is outside the accepted range. See Extended Error section for more information on the cause of the error.
Home in Process	16	Attempted to execute with homing in process
Axis Type Unused	18	Attempted execution on an axis that is not configured for use according the current Axis Type configuration attribute.
Axis Group Not Synchronized	19	Attempted execution on an axis whose associated axis group is not currently synchronized.
Illegal Axis Data Type	38	You attempted to execute an instruction on an Axis Data Type that is not supported by the instruction.

**Extended Error Codes:** Extended Error Codes provide additional instruction specific information for the Error Codes that are generic to many instructions. The following Extended Error codes help to pinpoint the problem

when the MAR instruction receives a Servo Message Failure (12) error message.

Associated Error Code (decimal)	Extended Error Code (decimal)	Meaning
SERVO_MESSAGE_FAILURE (12)	No Resource (2)	Not enough memory resources to complete request. (SERCOS)
SERVO_MESSAGE_FAILURE (12)	Invalid value (3)	Registration input provided is out of range.
SERVO_MESSAGE_FAILURE (12)	Device in wrong state (16).	Redefine Position, Home, and Registration 2 are mutually exclusive. (SERCOS)

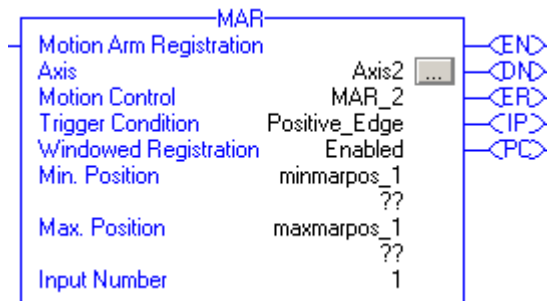
Extended Error codes for the Parameter Out of Range (13) error code work a little differently. Rather than having a standard enumeration, the number that appears for the Extended Error code refers to the number of the operand as they are listed in the faceplate from top to bottom with the first operand being counted as zero. Therefore for the MAR instruction, an extended error code of 4 would refer to the Min Position value. You would then have to check your value with the accepted range of values for the instruction.

**Status Bits: MAR Changes to Status Bits**

Bit Name:	State:	Meaning:
RegEventArmedStatus	True	The axis is looking for a registration event.
RegEventStatus	False	The previous registration event is cleared.

**Example:** When the input conditions are true, the controller arms servo-module registration-event checking for *axis\_0*.

**Relay Ladder**



**Figure 5.8 MAR Ladder Example**

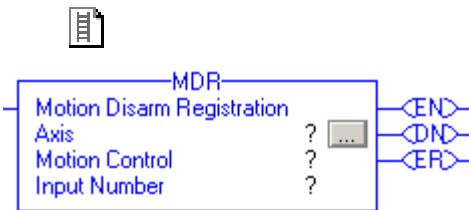
### Structured Text

```
MAR(Axis2, MAR_2, positive_edge, enabled, minmarpos_1,
    maxmarpos_1, 1;
```

## Motion Disarm Registration (MDR)

Use the MDR instruction to disarm the specified motion module registration input event checking for the specified axis. This instruction has the affect of clearing both the RegEventStatus and the RegArmedEventStatus bits. The In Process bit of the controlling Motion Arm Registration instruction, if any, is cleared as a result of executing the MDR instruction.

### Operands: Relay Ladder



Operand:	Type:	Format:	Description:
Axis	AXIS_FEEDBACK AXIS_GENERIC AXIS_SERVO AXIS_SERVO_DRIVE	tag	Name of the axis to perform operation on.
Motion control	MOTION_INSTRUCTION	tag	Structure used to access instruction status parameters.
Input Number	UINT32	1 or 2	Specifies the Registration Input to select. 1 = Registration 1 Position 2 = Registration 2 Position



```
MDR(Axis, MotionControl,
    InputNumber);
```

### Structured Text

The operands are the same as those for the relay ladder MDR instruction.

### MOTION\_INSTRUCTION Structure

Mnemonic:	Description:
.EN (Enable) Bit 31	It is set when the rung makes a false-to-true transition and remains set until the servo message transaction is completed and the rung goes false.
.DN (Done) Bit 29	It is set when axis watch event checking has been successfully disarmed.
.ER (Error) Bit 28	It is set to indicate that the instruction detected an error, such as if you specified an unconfigured axis.

**Description:** The Motion Disarm Registration (MDR) instruction cancels registration event checking established by a previous Motion Arm Registration

instruction. Only the registration checking associated with the specified registration input is disabled.

If the targeted axis does not appear in the list of available axes, the axis has not been configured for operation. Use the Tag Editor to create and configure a new axis.

To successfully execute a MDR instruction, the targeted axis must be configured as either a Servo or Feedback Only axis. Otherwise, the instruction errs.

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**IMPORTANT**

The MDR instruction execution may take multiple scans to execute because it requires transmission of a message to the motion module. The Done (.DN) bit is not set immediately, but only after this message has been successfully transmitted.

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This is a transitional instruction:

- In relay ladder, toggle the rung-condition-in from cleared to set each time the instruction should execute.
- In structured text, condition the instruction so that it only executes on a transition. See Appendix C.

**Arithmetic Status Flags:** not affected

**Fault Conditions:** none

**Error Codes: MDR Error Codes (.ERR)**

Error Message	Code	Description
Execution Collision	3	Attempted execution on an axis that already has another instance of this instruction executing. This situation is possible when instructions that require messaging are executed without Done (.DN) Bit 29 run qualification.
Axis Not Configured	11	Passed axis value references an unconfigured axis meaning the axis has not been assigned to a physical motion module channel.
Servo Message Failure	12	Messaging to targeted motion module failed. See Extended Error section for more information on the cause of the error.
Parameter Out of Range	13	At least one parameter's value is outside the accepted range. See Extended Error section for more information on the cause of the error.

Error Message	Code	Description
Axis Type Unused	18	Attempted execution on an axis that is not configured for use according to the current Axis Type configuration attribute.
Axis Group Not Synchronized	19	Attempted execution on an axis whose associated axis group is not currently synchronized.
Illegal Axis Data Type	38	You attempted to execute an instruction on an Axis Data Type that is not supported by the instruction.

**Extended Error Codes:** Extended Error Codes provide additional instruction specific information for the Error Codes that are generic to many instructions. The following Extended Error codes help to pinpoint the problem when the MDR instruction receives a Servo Message Failure (12) error message.

Associated Error Code (decimal)	Extended Error Code (decimal)	Meaning
SERVO_MESSAGE_FAILURE (12)	Invalid value (3)	Registration input provided is out of range.

Extended Error codes for the Parameter Out of Range (13) error code work a little differently. Rather than having a standard enumeration, the number that appears for the Extended Error code refers to the number of the operand as they are listed in the faceplate from top to bottom with the first operand being counted as zero. Therefore for the MDR instruction, an extended error code of 2 would refer to the Input Number operand's value. You would then have to check your value with the accepted range of values for the instruction.

#### Status Bits: MDR Changes to Status Bits

Bit Name:	State:	Meaning:
RegEventArmedStatus	FALSE	The axis is not looking for a registration event.
RegEventStatus	FALSE	The previous registration event is cleared.

**Example:** When the input conditions are true, the controller disarms registration-event checking for *axis\_0*.



## Relay Ladder



Figure 5.9 MDR Ladder Example

## Structured Text

```
MRD (Axis2,MDR_1,2);
```

## Motion Arm Output Cam (MAOC)

The Motion Planner Output Cam functionality provides setting and resetting of output bits based on an axis position.

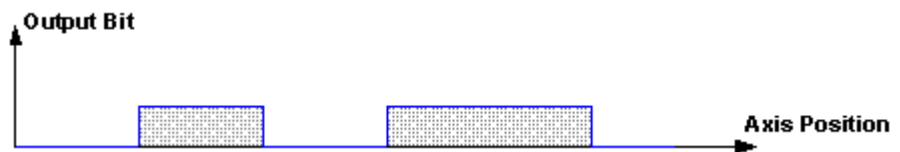


Figure 5.10 Motion Planner Functionality

Internally, Output Cam objects handle the Motion Planner Output Cam functionality. Each Output Cam object is responsible for one output, which consists of 32 output bits. Each single output bit can be programmed separately with an Output Cam profile, and compensated for position offset and time delay.

The Motion Arm Output Cam (MAOC) instruction initiates the arming of a specific Output Cam between the designated axis and output. When executed, the specified output cam bits are synchronized to the designated axis using an Output Cam Profile established by the RSLogix 5000 Output Cam Editor. This relationship can be viewed as a master/slave relationship with the axis representing the master and the output bit representing the slave. Hence, the Output Cam functionality is related to the position cam functionality, which provides a relationship between a master axis and a slave axis. To accurately synchronize the output cams to the designated axis, an execution schedule and associated axis and cam arm positions are specified. When the axis travels past the axis arm position in the direction specified by the Execution Schedule parameter, the cam position becomes locked to the axis position starting at the specified Cam Arm Position parameter. At this time the output cam is armed and the Output Cam Armed status is set. The output cam can also be configured via the Execution Schedule parameter to execute Immediately or Pending completion of a currently executing output cam. The output cam can also be executed Once, Continuously or Persistently by specifying the desired Execution Mode. Persistent

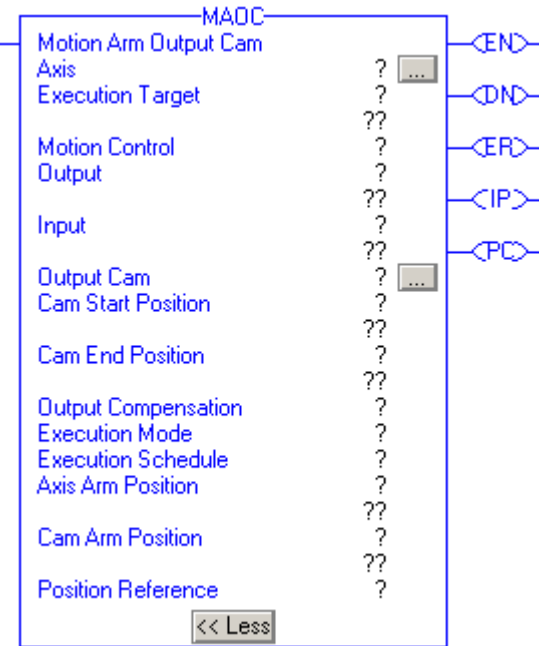
behavior allows the output cam to become disarmed when the cam position exceeds the output cam range, and rearmed when cam position returns to within range. Output Cam range is defined by input parameters CamStartPosition and CamEndPosition. The Master Reference selection allows axis input to be derived from either the Actual or Commanded position of the designated axis.

**ATTENTION**



Output cams increase the potential for exceeding coarse update rate. This can cause misbehavior if the motion task execution time exceeds the configured group coarse update period. The only way to check on this condition is to monitor the max execution time from the Motion Group Properties page.

**Operands: Relay Ladder**



Operand:	Type:	Format	Description:
Axis	AXIS_FEEDBACK AXIS_CONSUMED AXIS_VIRTUAL AXIS_GENERIC AXIS_SERVO AXIS_SERVO_DRIVE	tag	Name of the axis that provides the position input to the Output Cam. Ellipsis launches Axis Properties dialog.
Execution Target	UINT32	immediate or tag	The execution target defines the specific Output Cam from the set connected to the named axis. Behavior is determined by the following: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 0...8 – Output Cams executed in the Logix controller.</li> <li>• 9...31 – Reserved for future use.</li> </ul>
Motion Control	MOTION_INSTRUCTION	tag	Structure used to access instruction status parameters.
Output	DINT	tag	A set of 32 output bits that are set or reset based on the specified Output Cam. It can be either a memory location or a physical output. If Pending is selected as the Execution Schedule, then Output is ignored.
Input	DINT	tag	A set of 32 input bits that can be used as enable bits depending on the specified Output Cam. It can be either a memory location or a physical input. If Pending is selected as the Execution Schedule, then Input is ignored.

<b>Operand:</b>	<b>Type:</b>	<b>Format</b>	<b>Description:</b>
Output Cam	OUTPUT_CAM	array tag	An array of OUTPUT_CAM elements. The elements do not need to be ordered and the array size is determined by the number of cam elements specified. The array size is limited by the available memory of the Logix controller.
Cam Start Position	SINT, INT, DINT, or REAL	immediate or tag	Cam Start Position with the Cam End Position define the left and right boundaries of the Output Cam range.
Cam End Position	SINT, INT, DINT or REAL	immediate or tag	Cam End Position with the Cam Start Position define the left and right boundaries of the Output Cam range.
Output Compensation	OUTPUT_COMPENSATION	array tag	Is an array of 1 to 32 OUTPUT_COMPENSATION elements. The array indices correspond to the output bit numbers. The minimum size of an array is determined by the highest compensated output bit.
Execution Mode	UINT32	immediate	There are three (3) possible execution modes. The behavior is determined by the mode selected. The options are: 0 = Once – Output Cam is disarmed and the Process Complete Bit of the Motion Instruction is set when the cam position moves beyond the cam start or the cam end position. 1 = Continuous – Output Cam continues on the opposite side of the Output Cam range when the cam position moves beyond the cam start or the cam end position. 2 = Persistent – Output Cam disarms when the cam position moves beyond the cam start or the cam end position. The Output Cam is rearmed when the cam position moves back into the Output Cam range.

<b>Operand:</b>	<b>Type:</b>	<b>Format</b>	<b>Description:</b>
Execution Schedule	UINT32	immediate	Selects when to arm the Output Cam. Options are: 0 = Immediate – Output Cam is armed at once. 1 = Pending – Output cam is armed when the cam position of a currently executing Output Cam moves beyond its cam start or cam end position. When Pending is selected the following parameters are ignored Output, Input, Axis Arm Position, and Reference. 2 = Forward only – Output Cam is armed when the axis approaches or passes through the specified axis arm position in the forward direction. 3 = Reverse only – Output Cam is armed when the axis approaches or passes through the specified axis arm position in the reverse direction. 4 = Bi-directional – Output Cam is armed when the axis approaches or passes through the specified axis arm position in either direction.
Axis Arm Position	SINT, INT, DINT, or REAL	immediate or tag	This defines the axis position where the Output Cam is armed when the Execution Schedule is set to Forward Only, Reverse Only, or Bi-Directional and the axis moves in the specified direction. If Pending is selected as the Execution Schedule, then Axis Arm Position is ignored.
Cam Arm Position	SINT, INT, DINT, or REAL	immediate or tag	This defines the cam position associated with the axis arm position when the Output Cam is armed.
Reference	UINT32	immediate	Sets whether the Output Cam is connected to either Command position or Actual position of the axis. If Pending is selected as the Execution Schedule, then Reference is ignored. 0 = Actual – the current position of the axis as measured by its encoder or other feedback device. 1 = Command – the desired or commanded position of the master axis.



```
MAOC(Axis, ExecutionTarget,
MotionControl, Output, Input,
OutputCam, CamStartPosition,
CamEndPosition,
OutputCompensation,
ExecutionMode,
ExecutionSchedule,
AxisArmPosition,
CamArmPosition, Reference);
```

## Structured Text

The operands are the same as those for the relay ladder MAOC instruction. For the array operands, you do not have to include the array index. If you do not include the index, the instruction starts with the first element in the array ([0]).

For the operands that require you to select from available options, enter your selection as:

This operand:	Has these options which you...	
	enter as text:	or enter as a number:
ExecutionMode	once continuous persistent	0 1 2
ExecutionSchedule	immediate pending forwardonly reverseonly bidirectional	0 1 2 3 4
Reference	actual command	0 1

## MAOC Instruction

A valid Cam Arm position is any position, between and including, the Cam Start and Cam End positions. If the Cam Arm position is set to a value equal to (or very close to) the Cam Start or Cam End position, compensation may put a cam position out of range of the Cam Start and Cam End position. Compensation is affected by Output Compensation values specified for Position Offset, Latch Delay, and Unlatch Delay, as well as internal compensation values applied based on the Reference and Output parameters of the MAOC instruction.

No side affects occur if the MAOC instruction is configured with an Execution mode of "Continuous" or "Persistent", and a pending MAOC instruction does not exist when the Output Cam is armed and the axis moves.

The following side affects may occur of the MAOC instruction is configured with an Execution Mode of "Once Only", and a pending MAOC exists when the Output Cam is armed and the axis moves.

- One or more outputs may never change state.
- The MAOC instruction may complete immediately.

One possible side affect of a pending MAOC instruction existing when the Output Cam is armed and the axis moves is that one or more

outputs could begin executing based on the configuration of the pending MAOC instruction.

### MOTION\_INSTRUCTION Structure

Mnemonic:	Description:
.EN (Enable) Bit 31	It is set when the rung makes a false-to-true transition and remains set until the rung goes false.
.DN (Done) Bit 29	It is set when Output Cam has been successfully initiated.
.ER (Error) Bit 28	It is set to indicate that the instruction detected an error, such as if you specified an unconfigured axis.
.IP (In Process) Bit 26	It is set when the Output Cam has been initiated successfully and cleared if either superseded by another Motion Arm Output Cam command, terminated by a Motion Disarm Output Cam command, or cam position moves beyond defined Output Cam range while execution mode is set to 'once'.
.PC (Process Complete) Bit 27	It is cleared on positive rung transition and set in 'once' Execution Mode when cam position moves beyond defined Output Cam range.
.SEGMENT	It is set to the array index associated with error 36 (Illegal Output Cam) or error 37 (Illegal Output Compensation). Only the first of multiple errors is stored.

**Description:** The Motion Arm Output Cam (MAOC) instruction executes an output cam profile set up manually, programmatically, or by the RSLogix 5000 Output Cam Editor. Internally, Output Cam objects handle Motion Planner Cam functionality. Each Output Cam object is responsible for one output, which consists of 32 output bits. Each single output bit can be programmed separately. Currently Output Cam functionality is executed in the Logix controller every course update period (currently configurable between 1 and 32 ms).

#### Axis

The axis provides the position input to the Output Cam. The axis can be a virtual, physical or consumed one.

#### Execution Target

The execution target defines a specific Output Cam from the set that is connected to the specified axis. Currently, only eight Output Cams can be specified.

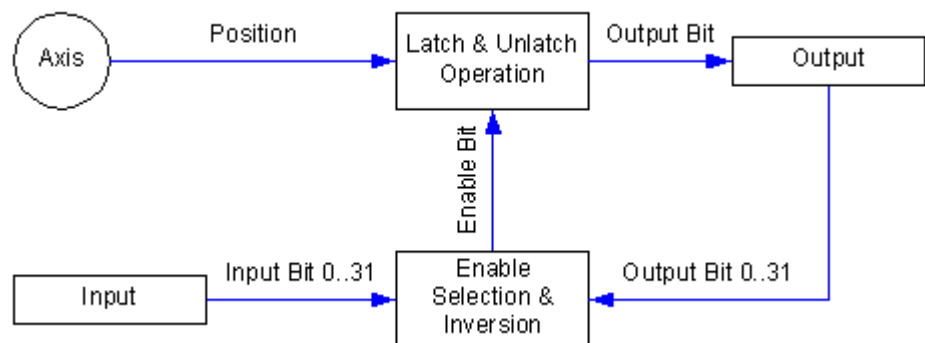
### Specifying the Output Cam Profile

To execute a MAOC instruction, a calculated Output Cam data array tag must be specified. Output Cam array tags may be created by the RSLogix 5000 tag editor or the MAOC instruction using the built-in Output Cam Editor. The data defines the specifics for each Output

Cam element. The number of Output Cam elements is limited by the amount of available memory. Zero or more cams can be defined for each output bit. There is no constraint on how these elements are arranged within the Output Cam array.

Refer to the description of the OUTPUT\_CAM structure for more information about data types and programming units.

The following diagram shows the relationships between the axis, input, and output that are defined by the Output Cam element.



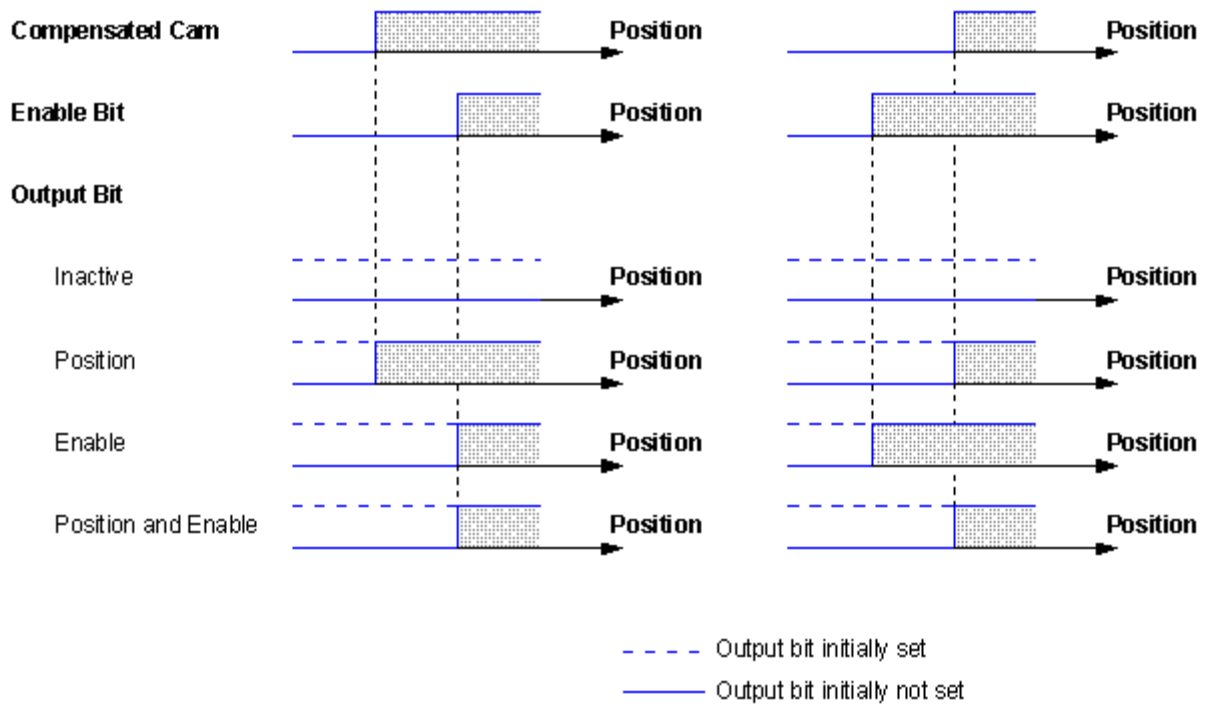
**Figure 5.11 Output Cam Element Relationships**

### Latch Type

Depending on the selected LatchType, the corresponding output bit is set according to the following table.

Latch Type	Behavior
Inactive	The output bit is not changed.
Position	The output bit is set, when the axis enters the compensated cam range.
Enable	The output bit is set, when the enable bit becomes active.
Position and Enable	The output bit is set, when the axis enters the compensated cam range and the enable bit becomes active.

The following diagram shows the effect of the selected latch type on the output bit for different compensated cam and enable bit combinations as function of position.



**Figure 5.12 Latched Position**

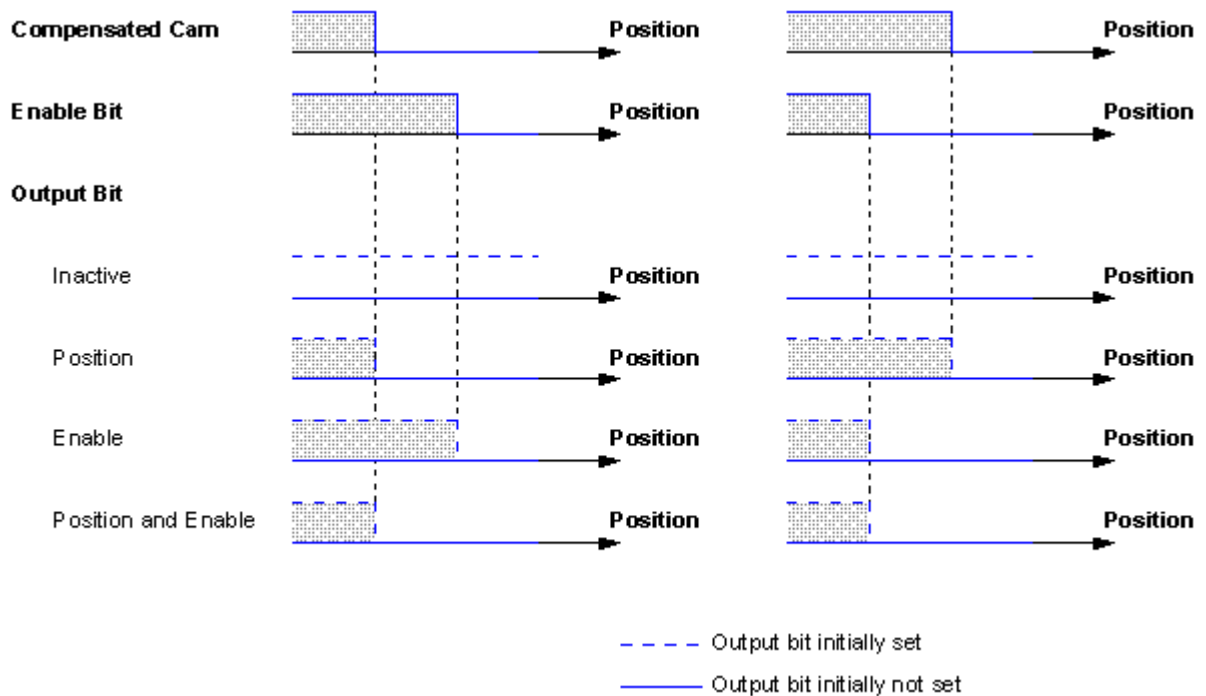
### Unlatch Type

Depending on the selected UnlatchType, the corresponding output bit is reset according to the following table.

Unlatch Type	Behavior
Inactive	The output bit is not changed.
Position	The output bit is reset, when the axis leaves the compensated cam range.
Duration	The output bit is reset, when the duration expires.
Enable	The output bit is reset, when the enable bit becomes inactive.
Position and Enable	The output bit is reset, when the axis leaves the compensated cam range or the enable bit becomes inactive.
Duration and Enable	The output bit is reset, when the duration expires or the enable bit becomes inactive.

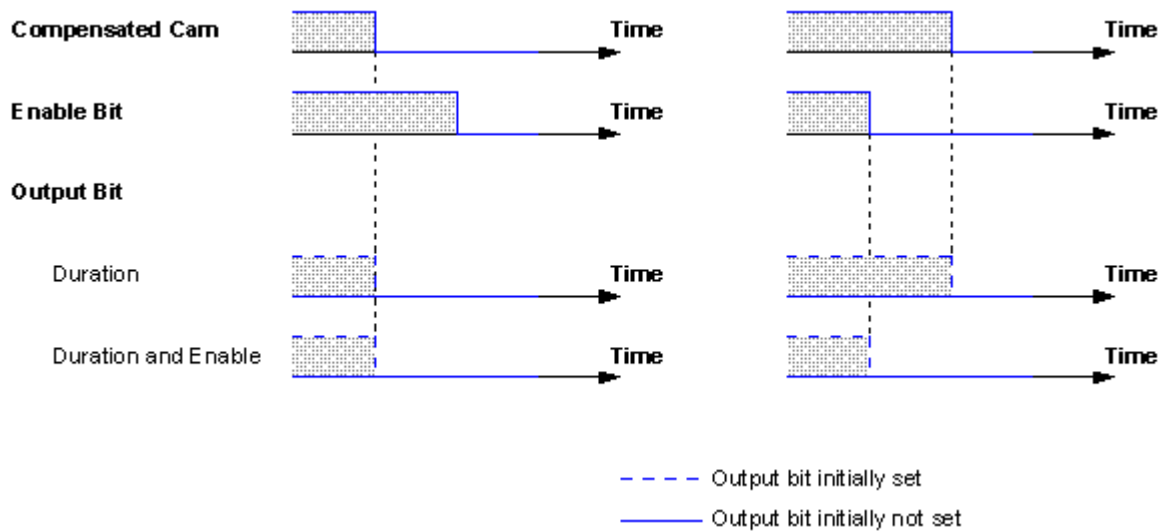


The following diagram shows the effect of the selected unlatch type on the output bit for different compensated cam and enable bit combinations as function of position.



**Figure 5.13 Unlatch as Function of Position**

and as function of time.



**Figure 5.14 Unlatch as a Function of Time**

**Left and Right Cam Positions**

The Left and Right cam positions define the range of an Output Cam element. If the latch or unlatch type is set to “Position” or “Position

and Enable” with the enable bit active, the left and right cam positions specify the latch or unlatch position of the output bit.

### **Duration**

If the unlatch type is set to “Duration” or “Duration and Enable” with the enable bit active, the cam duration specifies the time between the latching and the unlatching of the output bit.

### **Enable Type**

Depending on the selected enable type, the enable bit is an element of either the input, inverted input, output, or inverted output.

### **Output Cam Array Checks**

If you select an output bit less than 0 or greater than 31, the Output Cam element is not considered and the user is warned with an instruction error “Illegal Output Cam”.

If you select a latch type less than 0 or greater than 3, a value of “Inactive” is used and the user is warned with an instruction error “Illegal Output Cam”.

If you select an unlatch type less than 0 or greater than 5, a value of “Inactive” is used and the user is warned with an instruction error “Illegal Output Cam”.

If you select a left cam position greater than or equal to the right cam position and the latch or unlatch type is set to “Position” or “Position and Enable”, the Output Cam element is not considered and the user is warned with an instruction error “Illegal Output Cam”.

If you select a left cam position less than the cam start position and the latch type is set to “Position” or “Position and Enable”, the cam start position is used and the user is warned with an instruction error “Illegal Output Cam”.

If you select a right cam position greater than the cam end position and the unlatch type is set to “Position” or “Position and Enable”, the cam end position is used and the user is warned with an instruction error “Illegal Output Cam”.

If you select a duration less than or equal to 0 and the unlatch type is set to “Duration” or “Duration and Enable”, the Output Cam element is not considered and the user is warned with an instruction error “Illegal Output Cam”.

If you select an enable type less than 0 or greater than 3 and the latch or unlatch type is set to “Enable”, “Position and Enable”, or “Duration

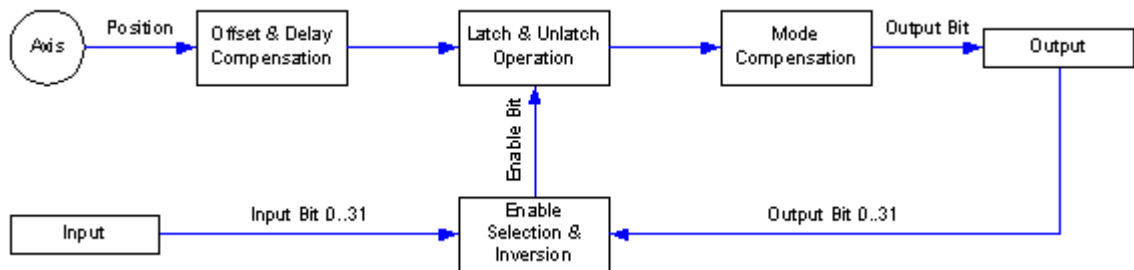
and Enable”, the Output Cam element is not considered and the user is warned with an instruction error “Illegal Output Cam”.

If you select an enable bit less than 0 or greater than 31 and the latch or unlatch type is set to “Enable”, “Position and Enable”, or “Duration and Enable”, the Output Cam element is not considered and the user is warned with an instruction error “Illegal Output Cam”.

### Specifying Output Compensation

An Output Compensation data array tag may be specified via the RSLogix 5000 tag editor. The data type defines the specifics for each output bit by specifying the characteristics of each actuator. The array indices correspond to the output bit numbers. The number of the highest compensated output bit defines the minimum size of this array. Changes to the output compensation take effect immediately.

The following diagram shows the effect of the output compensation on the relationships between the axis, input, and output.

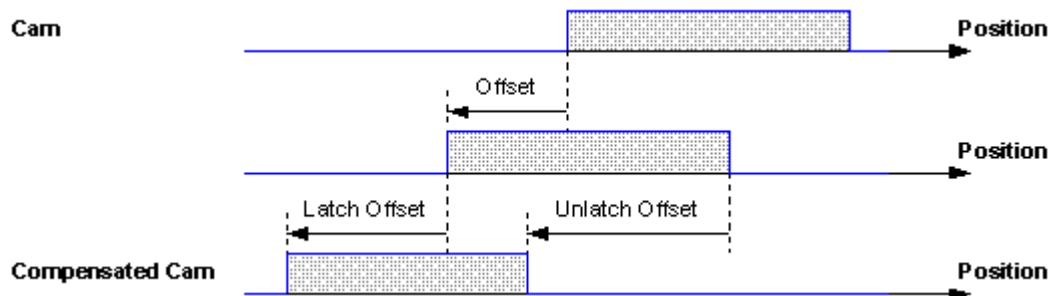


**Figure 5.15 Output Compensation**

Refer to the description of the OUTPUT\_COMPENSATION structure for more information on data types and programming units.

### Offset and Delay Compensation

The offset provides position compensation, while the latch and unlatch delay provides time delay compensation for the latch and unlatch operation. The following diagram shows the effect of the compensation values on an Output Cam element.



### Figure 5.16 Offset and Delay Compensation

The cam range is defined by the left and right cam positions of the Output Cam element. The compensated cam range is defined by the cam range, offset, and latch and unlatch offsets. The latch and unlatch offsets are defined by the current speed  $v$ :

$$\text{Latch Offset} = v * \text{Latch Delay}$$

$$\text{Unlatch Offset} = v * \text{Unlatch Delay}$$

The resulting compensation offset can actually be larger than the difference between cam start and cam end position.

The following equation illustrates the effect of the compensation values on the duration of an Output Cam element.

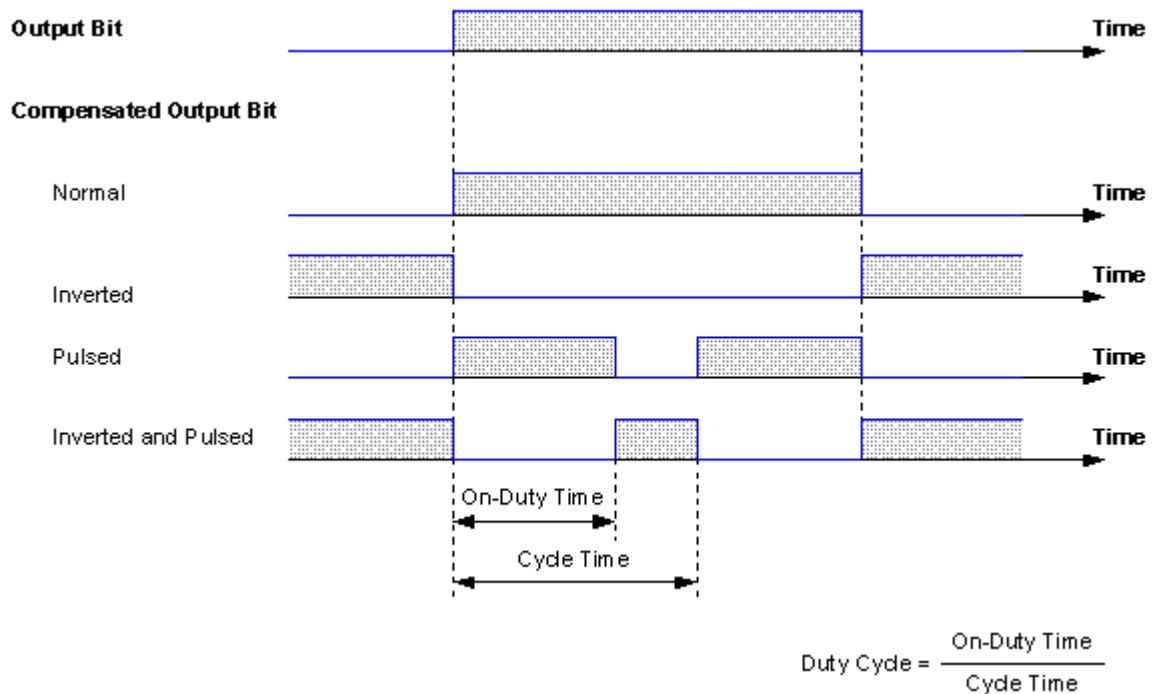
$$\text{Compensated Duration} = \text{Duration} + \text{Latch Delay} - \text{Unlatch Delay}$$

### Mode Compensation

Depending on the selected mode, the compensated output bit is set according to the following table.

Mode	Behavior
Normal	The output bit is set, when the output of the latch and unlatch operation becomes active. The output bit is reset, when the output of the latch and unlatch operation becomes inactive.
Inverted	The output bit is set, when the output of the latch and unlatch operation becomes inactive. The output bit is reset, when the output of the latch and unlatch operation becomes active.
Pulsed	The output bit is pulsed, when the output of the latch and unlatch operation is active. The on-duty state of the pulse corresponds to the active state of the output bit. The output bit is reset, when the output of the latch and unlatch operation becomes inactive.
Inverted and Pulsed	The output bit is pulsed, when the output of the latch and unlatch operation is active. The on-duty state of the pulse corresponds to the inactive state of the output bit. The output bit is set, when the output of the latch and unlatch operation becomes inactive.

The following diagram shows the effect of the mode, cycle time, and duty cycle on an output bit.



**Figure 5.17 Mode Compensation**

### Output Compensation Array Checks

If you select a latch and unlatch delay combination that results in a compensated cam of less than minimum width, the width of the compensated cam is set to the minimum.

If you select a mode less than 0 or greater than 3, a “Normal” mode is considered and the user is warned with an instruction error “Illegal Output Compensation”.

If you select a duty cycle less than 0 or greater than 100 and the mode is set to “Pulsed” or “Inverted and Pulsed”, a 0 or 100 duty cycle is considered and the user is warned with an instruction error “Illegal Output Compensation”.

If you select a cycle time less than or equal to 0 and the mode is set to “Pulsed” or “Inverted and Pulsed”, the output bit is not pulsed and the user is warned with an instruction error “Illegal Output Compensation”.

### Output

The output is the set of 32 output bits that can be set and reset depending on the specified Output Cam. The output can be either a memory location or a physical output (e.g. “Local.0.O.Data”).

### Input

The input is the set of 32 input bits that are can be used as enable bits depending on the specified Output Cam. The input can be either a memory location or a physical input (e.g. “Local.O.I.Data”).

### Cam Start and Cam End Positions

The cam start and cam end positions define the left and right boundary of the Output Cam range. When the cam position moves beyond the cam start or cam end position, the behavior of the Output Cam is defined by the execution mode and execution schedule. Changes to the cam start or cam end position don’t take effect until the execution of a current MAOC instruction completes.

### Execution Mode

Depending on the selected execution mode, the Output Cam behavior may differ, when the cam position moves beyond the cam start or cam end position.

Execution mode:	Behavior:
Once	When the cam position moves beyond the cam start or cam end position, the Output Cam is disarmed and the Process Complete bit of the Motion Instruction is set.
Persistent	When the cam position moves beyond the cam start or cam end position, the Output Cam is disarmed. However, when the cam position moves back into the Output Cam range the Output Cam is rearmed.
Continuous	When the cam position moves beyond the cam start or cam end position, the Output Cam continues on the opposite side of the Output Cam range.

### Execution Schedule

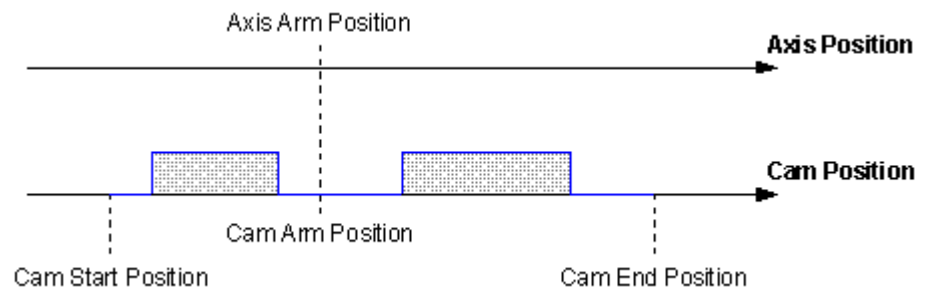
Depending on the selected execution schedule, the Output Cam is armed according to the following table.

Execution Schedule	Behavior:
Immediate	The Output Cam is armed immediately.
Pending	The Output Cam is armed, when the cam position of an armed Output Cam moves beyond its cam start or cam end position.

<b>Execution Schedule</b>	<b>Behavior:</b>
Forward Only	The Output Cam is armed, when the axis approaches or passes through the specified axis arm position in the forward direction.
Reverse Only	The Output Cam is armed, when the axis approaches or passes through the specified axis arm position in the reverse direction.
Bi-Directional	The Output Cam is armed, when the axis approaches or passes through the specified axis arm position in the forward or reverse direction.

### Axis Arm and Cam Arm Positions

The axis arm position defines the axis position where the Output Cam is armed, if the execution schedule is set to either forward only, reverse only, or bi-directional and the axis moves in the specified direction. The cam arm position defines the cam position that is associated with the axis arm position, when the Output Cam is armed. Changes to the axis arm or cam arm position only take effect after the execution of an MAOC instruction.



**Figure 5.18 Axis Arm and Cam Arm Positions**

### Reference

Depending on the selected reference, the Output Cam is connected to either the actual or command position of the axis.

#### **IMPORTANT**

The MAOC instruction execution completes in a single scan, thus the Done (.DN) bit and the In Process .IP bit are set immediately. The In Process .IP bit remains set until the cam position moves beyond the cam start or cam end position in “Once” execution mode, is superseded by another MAOC instruction or is disarmed by the MDOC instruction. The Process Complete bit is cleared immediately when the MAOC executes and set when the cam position moves beyond the cam start or cam end position in “Once” execution mode.

This is a transitional instruction:

- In relay ladder, toggle the rung-condition-in from cleared to set each time the instruction should execute.
- In structured text, condition the instruction so that it only executes on a transition. See Appendix C.

**Arithmetic Status Flags:** not affected

**Fault Conditions:** none



**Error Codes: MAOC Error Codes (.ERR)**

<b>Error Message</b>	<b>Code</b>	<b>Description</b>
Execution Collision	3	Attempted execution with another Output Cam currently in process.
Shutdown State Error	7	Attempted execution with the axis in the Shutdown state.
Axis Not Configured	11	Passed axis value references an unconfigured axis meaning the axis has not been assigned to a physical motion module channel.
Value Out of Range	13	Attempted execution with an input parameter that was out of range. 1. Cam start position $\geq$ cam end position. 2. Cam arm position outside of Output Cam range. See Extended Error section for more information on the cause of the error.
Homing in Process Error	16	Attempted execution with a homing process in progress.
Axis Group Not Synchronized	19	Attempted execution on an axis whose associated axis group is not currently synchronized.
Axis in Faulted State	20	Attempted execution on an axis, which is in the Faulted state.
Group in Faulted State	21	Attempted execution on an axis, which is in a group, which is in the Faulted state.
Illegal Dynamic Change	23	Attempted an illegal change of dynamics such as merge on an S-curve, change profile from trap to S-curve on the fly, change S-curve to non-zero speed or changing accel of an S-curve.
Illegal Controller Mode Operation	24	Attempted execution when the processor is in test mode

Error Message	Code	Description
Illegal Execution Target	35	Attempted execution with a specified Output Cam not supported by the Logix controller.
Illegal Output Cam	36	Attempted execution with an Output Cam array containing at least one member out of range: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. OutputBit less than 0 or greater than 31.</li> <li>2. Invalid LatchType value.</li> <li>3. Invalid UnlatchType value.</li> <li>4. Left <math>\geq</math> Right while LatchType is set to 'position' or 'position and enable'.</li> <li>5. Left &lt; Cam Start Position while LatchType is set to 'position' or 'position and enable'.</li> <li>6. Right &gt; Cam End Position while UnlatchType is set to 'position' or 'position and enable'.</li> <li>7. Duration <math>\leq</math> 0 while UnlatchType is set to 'duration' or 'duration and enable'.</li> <li>8. Invalid EnableType value while LatchType or UnlatchType is set to 'enable' or 'duration and enable'.</li> <li>9. Invalid EnableBit value while LatchType or UnlatchType is set to 'enable' or 'position and enable' or 'duration and enable'.</li> </ol>
Illegal Output Compensation	37	Attempted execution with an Output Cam array containing at least one member out of range: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Invalid Mode value.</li> <li>2. CycleTime <math>\leq</math> 0 while Mode is set to 'pulsed' or 'inverted and pulsed'.</li> <li>3. DutyCycle less than 0 or greater than 100 while Mode is set to 'pulsed' or 'inverted and pulsed'.</li> </ol>

**Extended Error Codes:** Extended Error Codes provide additional instruction specific information for the Error Codes that are generic to many instructions. Extended Error codes for the Parameter Out of Range (13) error code lists a number that refers to the number of the operand as they are listed in the faceplate from top to bottom with the first operand being counted as zero. Therefore for the MAOC instruction, an extended error code of 4 would refer to the Output operand's value. You would then have to check your value with the accepted range of values for the instruction.

#### Status Bits: MAOC Effects on Status Bits

Status bits may be used to determine if an MAOC instruction can be initiated. The MAOC instruction affects the following status words in the Motion Axis Structure:

- OutputCamStatus
- OutputCamPendingStatus
- OutputCamLockStatus

- OutputCamTransitionStatus

If the Execution Schedule is set to Forward Only, Reverse Only or Bi-Directional, an MAOC instruction can be initiated when either of the following two conditions exist:

- OutputCamStatus bit = FALSE

or

- OutputCamStatus bit = TRUE  
OutputCamLockStatus bit = FALSE  
OutputCamTransitionStatus bit = FALSE

If the Execution Schedule is Pending, the MAOC instruction is initiated if either of the following two conditions exist:

- OutputCamStatus bit = FALSE

or

- OutputCamStatus bit = TRUE  
OutputCamTransitionStatus bit = FALSE

### **Axis and Module Fault Conditions Disarm Output Cams**

When the controller detects one of the following faults, it disarms output cams:

- For Axis\_Servo and Axis\_Servo\_Drive, axis feedback loss fault
- For Axis\_Servo and Axis\_Servo\_Drive, module fault
- For Axis\_Consumed, physical axis fault

Those faults produce unreliable feedback data.

Also, if an axis fault exists when an MAOC instruction is initiated, the instruction errs.

## **Scheduled Output Module**

The 1756-OB16IS Scheduled Output module is designed to work in conjunction with the Motion Axis Output Cam (MAOC) motion instruction to provide position based output control (also known as PLS). The MAOC instruction by itself allows position based output control using the position of any motion axis in ControlLogix as the position reference and any output or boolean as the output. The MAOC updates the outputs based on motion axis position at the motion group coarse update rate (typically 2ms-10ms). While this is adequate for some applications, it is too slow for many high speed applications typically found in converting and packaging segments.

The 1756-OB16IS module improves performance by supporting the ability to schedule the output turn-on/turn-off time of 8 of its 16 outputs (outputs 0-7) in 100µs increments. Outputs are scheduled by entering data into one or more of the 16 schedules provided by the output connection data store.

**Operation** Scheduled Outputs as defined here should not be confused with the earlier implementation of scheduled outputs. The previous implementation schedules outputs on a per module basis and all output points are controlled by a single timestamp. This implementation schedules outputs on a per point basis and each individual output point is controlled by its own timestamp.

Individual schedules are created in the controller, stored in the output image table for the module, and sent over the backplane to the Scheduled Output module. The schedule specifies a sequence count, the output point to be associated with the schedule, the time at which an output value should be applied to the physical output point, and the value to be applied at the scheduled time. The I/O module receives and stores the schedule. The CST timestamp of each schedule is monitored by the module. When a schedule has expired, that is the current time, matches the scheduled timestamp, the output value is then applied to the corresponding output bit. Timer hardware in the ASIC is used to optimize the scheduling algorithm. This hardware also reduces the latency and jitter performance. Status of each schedule is reported in the output echo connection and reflected in the input image for the module.

The scheduled output functionality relies on CST (Coordinated System Time) timestamp. At least one controller in the chassis must be a CST time master.

Unused outputs may be used as normal outputs and are applied immediately rather than waiting for the CST timestamp to expire. A mask is sent to the module to indicate which outputs are to function as normal outputs.

The scheduled output module supports up to 8 outputs that can be individually scheduled. The scheduled outputs must be between output points 0 and 7. The 1756-OB16IS supports up to 16 schedules with two schedules per output. Outputs that are not “scheduled” are used as normal output points. A mask is used to indicate which points are scheduled and which points are unscheduled. Jitter and latency performance is less than 100 microseconds. All of the scheduling configuration is done through the MAOC instruction.

If a new schedule as indicated by a change in the sequence count is received by the I/O module before the current schedule has expired, the current schedule is overwritten. This mechanism can be used to cancel currently active schedule. Status bits returned in the output

echo connection may be used to determine the current state of each schedule and to trigger corresponding event tasks.

If a new schedule is sent by the controller and the CST timestamp has already past, the output is asserted until the CST time has completely wrapped around. The module does not check for an expired CST timestamp.

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**WARNING**

If the time between two schedules is less than the minimum schedule interval (e.g. 100  $\mu$ s), then jitter occurs. This means that even though two outputs are scheduled at different times (e.g. time 90 and time 110), they both activate at the same time (e.g. time 90). (The minimum schedule interval should not be set to faster than 100  $\mu$ s.)

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**Remote Operation** Scheduled outputs using the 1756-OB16IS module do not work with a remote chassis.

**Usage with MAOC Instruction** When used with motion and the MAOC instruction values in the output image are controlled by the Motion Planner firmware in the controller. The Motion Planner triggers the data to be sent to the module. Although, the normal program/task scan also triggers data to be sent to the module. Data integrity is maintained by the firmware always setting the sequence count for a given schedule last.

The Output Cam instruction processes cam events for scheduled outputs one coarse update period sooner than unscheduled outputs. When a programmed on or off event is detected, a schedule is sent to the output module to turn the output on/off at the appropriate time within the next coarse update period. The Output Cam instruction divides the coarse update period into sixteen time slots. Each cam on/off event is assigned to a time slot. The accuracy of the scheduled time for the output therefore is 1/16 the coarse update period. A coarse update period of 1 millisecond yields a schedule accuracy of 62.5 microseconds.

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**IMPORTANT**

The 1756-OB16IS Scheduled Output Module can be associated with one (1) MAOC axis/execution target only.

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The MAOC detects latch and unlatch events one coarse update ahead and schedules the event to occur within the next coarse update. This is accomplished by applying a one coarse update internal delay to each scheduled output latch and unlatch position. When the latch or unlatch event is detected, the delta time from the start of the coarse

update to the event is calculated, and the output is scheduled to occur at the Coordinated System Time (CST) corresponding to the next coarse update period. To facilitate this, Output Cam functionality has access to the CST captured when the current coarse update period occurred.

The MAOC is able to process both scheduled and unscheduled output bits for the 1756-OB16IS.

The MAOC allocates all eight scheduled outputs for exclusive use by the motion planner Output Cam. The MAOC sets the Mask field to 0xff every coarse period in case the user attempts to change it. What this implies is that the user cannot directly affect output bits 0-7, but does have the ability to modify output bits 8-15.

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**IMPORTANT**

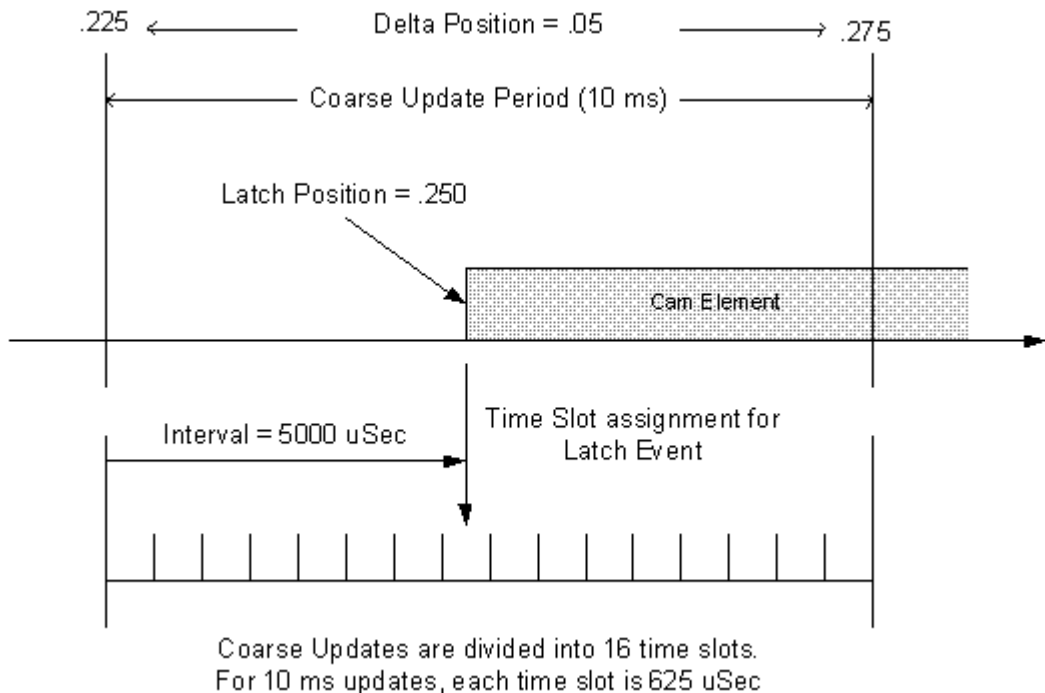
The outputs 0 -7 can be forced by forcing the Data Bit to 0 or 1 and its corresponding bit in the ScheduleMask to 0. For outputs 8 - 15, only the Data Bit needs to be forced.

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Due to the limit of sixteen schedules supported by the 1756-OB16IS, some constraints are applied to the number of events that can be processed every coarse update period.

Only eight schedules are available each coarse update. This allows for two consecutive coarse updates in which each update contains eight output events. As a group of eight schedules are currently being processed by the 1756-OB16IS, a second group of eight schedules can concurrently be set up for the next coarse update.

The following diagram illustrates the relationship between the coarse update period, a cam latch event and the time slots.



**Figure 5.19 Inter-relationship of Coarse Update Period, Cam Latch, and Time Slots**

Each Time Slot stores the following information:

**Latch Event Mask** – When a latch event is detected, the time slot in which it belongs is calculated and the bit in the Latch Event Mask corresponding to the output bit of the latch is set.

**Unlatch Event Mask** – When an unlatch event is detected, the time slot in which it belongs is calculated and the bit in the Unlatch Event Mask corresponding to the output bit of the unlatch is set.

**Interval** – The time in micro-seconds from the start of the coarse update in which the Latch or Unlatch event occurs.

**Pulse On Mask** – For pulsed outputs, the time slot in which a pulse on event is calculated and the bit in the Pulse On Mask corresponding to the output bit of the pulse event is set.

**Pulse Off Mask** – For pulsed outputs, the time slot in which a pulse off event is calculated and the bit in the Pulse Off Mask corresponding to the output bit of the pulse event is set.

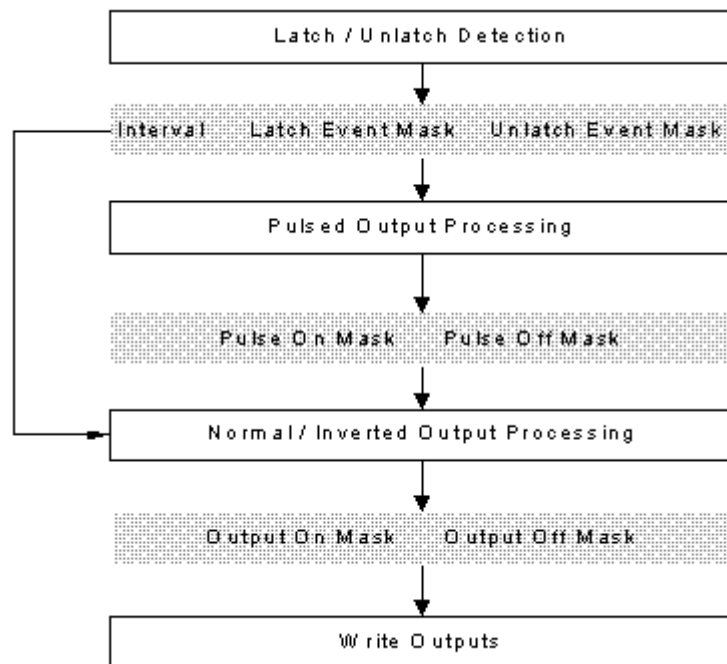
**Output On Mask** – For normal outputs, the bit corresponding to the output bit of the Latch or Pulse On event is set indicating that the output is to be turned on for these events.

For inverted outputs, the bit corresponding to the output bit of the Unlatch or Pulse Off event is set indicating that the output is to be turned on for these events.

**Output Off Mask** – For normal outputs, the bit corresponding to the output bit of the Unlatch or Pulse Off event is set indicating that the output is to be turned off for these events.

For inverted outputs, the bit corresponding to the output bit of the Latch or Pulse On event is set indicating that the output is to be turned off for these events.

The following is a simplified overview of how Time Slot data is utilized.



**Figure 5.20 Overview of How Time Slot Data Utilization**

Time slots are also used to process overlapping cam elements. A semaphore is maintained to indicate the currently active state of each output bit. In addition, if a programmed cam element Latch and Unlatch event occurs in the same time slot, they cancel each other out.

The minimum width of a cam element corresponds to the width of a time slot, or 1/16 the coarse update period.

**I/O Subsystem** The user can specify the Output parameter of an MAOC instruction as either a memory tag or an Output Module’s data tag. A pointer to the tag is passed into the MAOC instruction. Also passed into the MAOC is an internal parameter of type IO\_MAP. If the Output parameter



references controller memory, the IO\_MAP parameter is NULL. If the Output parameter references an output module, the IO\_MAP parameter points to the map structure for the module. The MAOC instruction can then determine if the Output parameter is associated with a 1756-OB16IS module by checking the module type stored in the driver table.

### Output Data Structure

Field	Size	Description
Value	4 bytes	Data values for un-scheduled output bits. 0 = Off 1 = On
Mask	4 bytes	Selects which output bits are to be scheduled. Only the first eight bits (0-7) can be scheduled. 0 = Not scheduled 1 = Scheduled

### Array of 16 Schedule Structures

Field	Size	Description
Schedule ID	1 byte	Valid ID's are 1-16. Any other value indicates that the schedule is not to be considered.
Sequence Number	1 byte	The OB16IS will maintain a copy of the schedule. A change in sequence number will tell the OB16IS to process the data in this schedule.
Point ID	1 byte	Indicates the output bit associated with this schedule. Entered as a value 00- 07.
Point Value	1 byte	Next state of output bit specified in Point ID. 0 = Off 1 = On
Time Stamp	4 bytes	The lower 32 bits of CST. Indicates when to change the state of the specified output bit.

**Schedule Processing** The Value and Mask fields are processed and all unscheduled data bits are moved to the module output data store. This data is written to the output terminals after all schedules have been processed.

Each schedule is processed. The schedule is not considered if:

- The Schedule ID is not in the range of 1 – 16
- The Point ID is not in the range of 0 – 7
- The Sequence Number has not changed

If the schedule is to be considered, it is marked “active”.

All “active” schedules are examined every 200 micro-seconds. The schedule Time Stamp is compared to the current CST. If the current CST is greater than or equal to the scheduled Time Stamp, the Point Value in the schedule is moved to the module output data store for the specified output bit.

### M Example: Relay Ladder

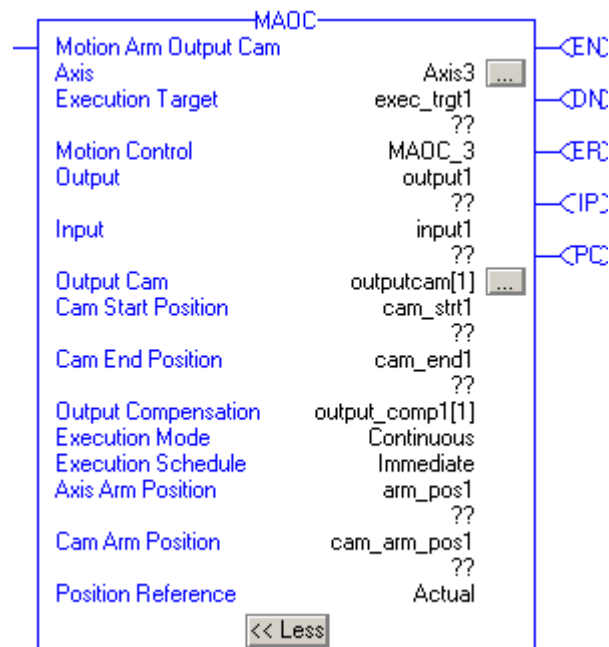


Figure 5.21 MAOC Ladder Example

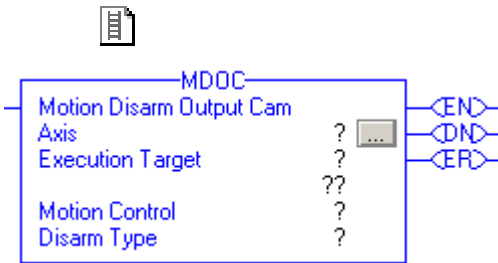
### Structured Text

```
MAOC (Axis3,exec_trgt1,MAOC_3,output1,
input1,outputcam1[1],cam_strt1,cam_end1,
output_comp1[1],continuous,immediate,arm_pos1,
cam_arm_pos1,actual);
```

## Motion Disarm Output Cam (MDOC)

The Motion Disarm Output Cam (MDOC) instruction initiates the disarming of one or more Output Cams connected to the specified axis. Based on the disarm type, the MDOC disarms either all Output Cams or only a specific Output Cam. The corresponding outputs maintain the last state after the disarming.

### Operands: Relay Ladder



Operand:	Type:	Format:	Description:
Axis	AXIS_FEEDBACK AXIS_CONSUMED AXIS_VIRTUAL AXIS_GENERIC AXIS_SERVO AXIS_SERVO_DRIV E	tag	Name of the axis, which provides the position input to the Output Cam. Ellipsis launches Axis Properties dialog.
Execution Target	SINT, INT, or DINT	immediate or tag	The execution target defines the specific Output Cam from the set connected to the named axis. Behavior is determined by the following: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 0..8 – Output Cams executed in the Logix controller.</li> <li>• 9..31 – Reserved for future use.</li> </ul>
Motion Control	MOTION_INSTRUCTION	tag	Structure used to access instruction status parameters.
Disarm Type	UINT32	immediate	Selects one or all Output Cams to be disarmed for a specified axis. Select either: 0 = All – Disarms all Output Cams connected to the specified axis. 1 = Specific – Disarms the Output Cam that is connected to the specified axis and defined by the Execution Target.



MDOC (Axis, ExecutionTarget, MotionControl, DisarmType);

### Structured Text

The operands are the same as those for the relay ladder MDOC instruction.

For the operands that require you to select from available options, enter your selection as:

This operand:	Has these options which you...	
	enter as text:	or enter as a number:
Disarm Type	all specific	0 1

### MOTION\_INSTRUCTION Structure

Mnemonic:	Description:
.EN (Enable) Bit 31	It is set when the rung makes a false-to-true transition and remains set until the rung goes false.
.DN (Done) Bit 29	It is set when the Output Cam(s) have been successfully disarmed.
.ER (Error) Bit 28	It is set to indicate that the instruction detected an error.

**Description:** The Motion Disarm Output Cam (MDOC) instruction disarms a specific or all output cams for a specified axis depending on the selected disarm type. The axis provides the position input to the Output Cam. The execution target defines a specific Output Cam from the set that is connected to the specified axis.

This is a transitional instruction:

- In relay ladder, toggle the rung-condition-in from cleared to set each time the instruction should execute.
- In structured text, condition the instruction so that it only executes on a transition. See Appendix C.

**Arithmetic Status Flags:** not affected

**Fault Conditions:** none

**Error Codes:** **MDOC Error Codes (.ERR)**

Error Message:	Error Code:	Description:
Axis Not Configured	11	Passed axis value references an unconfigured axis meaning the axis has not been assigned to a physical motion module channel.
Parameter Out of Range	13	At least one parameter's value is outside the accepted range. See Extended Error section for more information on the cause of the error.
Group Not Synchronized	19	Attempted execution on an axis whose associated axis group is not currently synchronized.
Illegal Execution Target	35	Attempted execution with a specified Output Cam not supported by the Logix controller.

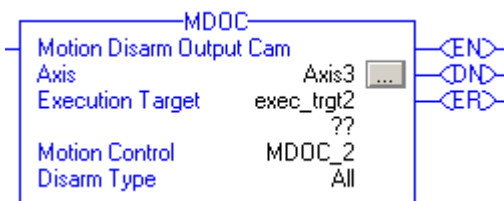
**Extended Error Codes:** Extended Error Codes provide additional instruction specific information for the Error Codes that are generic to many instructions.

Extended Error codes for the Parameter Out of Range (13) error code lists a number that refers to the number of the operand as they are listed in the faceplate from top to bottom with the first operand being counted as zero. Therefore for the MDOC instruction, an extended error code of 4 would refer to the Disarm Type operand's value. You would then have to check your value with the accepted range of values for the instruction.

### Status Bits: **MDOC Changes to Status Bits**

**None**

### Example: **Relay Ladder**



**Figure 5.22 MDOC Ladder Example**

### Structured Text

```
MDOC (Axis3,exec_trgt2,MDOC_2,all);
```

**Notes:**

## Motion Configuration Instructions

(MAAT, MRAT, MAHD, MRHD)

### ATTENTION



Tags used for the motion control attribute of instructions should only be used once. Re-use of the motion control tag in other instructions can cause unintended operation. This may result in damage to equipment or personal injury.

## Introduction

Configuration instructions include all motion instructions that are used establish and apply servo configuration parameters to an axis. This group of instructions includes hookup test diagnostic instructions and tuning instructions.

Use the motion configuration instructions to tune an axis and to run diagnostic tests for the servo system. These tests include:

- A motor encoder hookup test.
- An encoder hookup test.
- A marker test

The motion configuration instructions are:

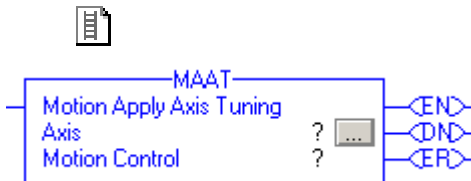
If you want to:	Use this instruction:	Available in these languages:
Compute a complete set of servo gains and dynamic limits based on a previously executed MRAT instruction. The MAAT instruction also updates the servo module with the new gain parameters.	MAAT	Relay Ladder Structured Text
Command the servo module to run a tuning motion profile for an axis.	MRAT	Relay Ladder Structured Text
Apply the results of a previously executed MRHD instruction. The MAHD instruction generates a new set of encoder and servo polarities based on the observed direction of motion during the MRHD instruction.	MAHD	Relay Ladder Structured Text
Command the servo module to run one of three diagnostic tests on an axis.	MRHD	Relay Ladder Structured Text

## Motion Apply Axis Tuning (MAAT)

The Motion Apply Axis Tuning (MAAT) instruction is used compute a complete set of servo gains and dynamic limits based on the results of a previously run Motion Run Axis Tuning (MRAT) instruction and

update the motion module with these new gain parameters. While this instruction takes no explicit parameters, input is derived from the Axis Tuning Configuration parameters as described in the Motion Axis Object specification. After execution of the MAAT instruction, the corresponding axis should be ready for servo activation.

### Operands: Relay Ladder



Operand:	Type:	Format:	Description:
Axis	AXIS_SERVO AXIS_SERVO_DRIVE	tag	Name of the axis to perform operation on.
Motion control	MOTION_INSTRUCTION	tag	Structure used to access instruction status parameters.



```
MAAT (Axis, MotionControl) ;
```

### Structured Text

The operands are the same as those for the relay ladder MAAT instruction.

### MOTION\_INSTRUCTION Structure

Mnemonic:	Description:
.EN (Enable) Bit 31	The enable bit indicates when the instruction is enabled. It remains set until servo messaging completes and the rung-condition-in goes false.
.DN (Done) Bit 29	The done bit indicates when the instruction completes an apply axis-tuning process.
.ER (Error) Bit 28	The error bit indicates when the instruction detects an error, such as if the axis is not configured.

**Description:** The Motion Apply Axis Tuning (MAAT) instruction is used to execute a series of computations resulting in values for gain and dynamic configuration parameters on the specified axis. As part of the work performed by MAAT, these resultant configuration parameters are applied so that the axis is ready for full servo operation. This instruction is designed to follow execution of the MRAT instruction which generates axis input configuration values for the MAAT instruction. See the MRAT instruction description for more information. MAAT requires no explicit input parameters; simply enter or select the desired physical axis.

If the targeted axis does not appear in the list of available axes, the axis has not been configured for operation. Use the Tag Editor to create and configure a new axis.

The MAAT instruction uses axis configuration parameters as input and output. The input configuration parameters that MRAT uses are shown



in the table below. Refer to the Motion Axis Object specification for a detailed description of these parameters.

The axis configuration parameters that MAAT uses as input depends on the External Drive configuration. If the External Vel Servo Drive configuration bit parameter is TRUE, indicating interface to an external velocity servo drive, the following input parameters are required.

Axis Parameter	Data Type	Units	Meaning
Tuning Velocity	Real	pos units/sec	Top Speed of Tuning Profile.
Tune Accel	Real	pos units/sec <sup>2</sup>	Calculated Acceleration Time of Tuning Profile.
Tune Decel	Real	pos units/sec <sup>2</sup>	Calculated Deceleration Time of Tuning Profile.
Tune Velocity Scaling	Real	mV/KCPS	Measured Velocity Scaling factor of axis Drive/Motor/Encoder system.
Tune Velocity Bandwidth	Real	Hertz	Bandwidth of External Velocity Servo Drive

If the External Vel Servo Drive configuration bit parameter is FALSE, indicating interface to an external torque servo drive, the following input parameters are required.

Axis Parameter	Data Type	Units	Meaning
Damping Factor	Real	-	Damping Factor used to calculate the the gains.
Tuning Velocity	Real	pos units/sec	Top Speed of Tuning Profile.
Tune Accel	Real	pos units/sec <sup>2</sup>	Calculated Acceleration Time of Tuning Profile.
Tune Decel	Real	pos units/sec <sup>2</sup>	Calculated Deceleration Time of Tuning Profile.
Effective Inertia	Real	mV/ KCPS <sup>2</sup>	Computed Effective Inertia of Drive/Motor system.
Position Servo Bandwidth	Real	Hertz	Maximum Position Servo Loop Bandwidth.

The axis configuration parameters that MAAT generates as output depend on the External Drive configuration. If the External Vel Servo Drive configuration bit parameter is TRUE, indicating interface to an

external velocity servo drive, the following output parameters are generated.

Axis Parameter	Data Type	Units	Meaning
Pos Proportional Gain	Real	1/msec	Position Servo Loop Proportional Gain
Pos Integral Gain	Real	1/msec <sup>2</sup>	Position Servo Loop Integral Gain -- Set to Zero
Velocity Feedforward	Real	-	Position Servo Loop Proportional Gain
Acceleration Feedforward	Real	-	Velocity Command Feedforward -- Set to Zero
Max Speed	Real	pos units/sec	Maximum Speed for Motion Profiles -- Set to Tuning Velocity
Max Acceleration	Real	pos units/sec <sup>2</sup>	Maximum Acceleration for Motion Profiles
Max Deceleration	Real	pos units/sec <sup>2</sup>	Maximum Acceleration for Motion Profiles
Output Filter Bandwidth	Real	Hertz	Bandwidth of Low Pass Servo Output Filter
Output Scaling	Real	mV/ KCPS	Scale Factor applied to output of the Position Servo Loop to the DAC.
Position Error Tolerance	Real	pos units	Maximum Servo Loop Position Error allowed without Fault.

If the External Vel Servo Drive configuration bit parameter is FALSE, indicating interface to an external torque servo drive, the following output parameters are generated.

Axis Parameter	Data Type	Units	Meaning
Pos Proportional Gain	Real	1/msec	Position Servo Loop Proportional Gain
Pos Integral Gain	Real	1/msec <sup>2</sup>	Position Servo Loop Integral Gain
Vel Proportional Gain	Real	1/msec	Velocity Servo Loop Proportional Gain
Vel Integral Gain	Real	1/msec <sup>2</sup>	Velocity Servo Loop Integral Gain
Velocity Feedforward	Real	-	Position Servo Loop Proportional Gain
Acceleration Feedforward	Real	-	Velocity Command Feedforward
Max Speed	Real	pos units/sec	Maximum Speed for Motion Profiles -- Set to Tuning Velocity
Max Acceleration	Real	pos units/sec <sup>2</sup>	Maximum Acceleration for Motion Profiles
Max Deceleration	Real	pos units/sec <sup>2</sup>	Maximum Acceleration for Motion Profiles

Axis Parameter	Data Type	Units	Meaning
Output Filter Bandwidth	Real	Hertz	Bandwidth of Low Pass Servo Output Filter
Output Scaling	Real	mV/ KCPS <sup>2</sup>	Scale Factor applied to output of the Velocity Servo Loop to the DAC.
Position Error Tolerance	Real	pos units	Maximum Servo Loop Position Error allowed without Fault.

The above output parameters generated by the MAAT instruction are immediately applied to the specified axis so that subsequent motion can be performed.

For more information about tuning configuration parameters refer to the Motion Axis Object Specification.

To successfully execute a MAAT instruction, the targeted axis must be configured as a Servo axis and be in the Axis Ready state, with servo action off. If these conditions are not met, the instruction errs.

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**IMPORTANT**

The MAAT instruction execution may take multiple scans to execute because it requires transmission of a message to the motion module. The Done (.DN) bit not set immediately, but only after this message has been successfully transmitted.

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This is a transitional instruction:

- In relay ladder, toggle the rung-condition-in from cleared to set each time the instruction should execute.
- In structured text, condition the instruction so that it only executes on a transition. See Appendix C.

**Arithmetic Status Flags:** not affected

**Fault Conditions:** none

**Error Codes: MAAT Error Codes (.ERR)**

<b>Error Message</b>	<b>Code</b>	<b>Description</b>
Execution Collision	3	Attempted execution on an axis that already has another instance of this instruction executing. This situation is possible when instructions that require messaging are executed without Done (.DN) Bit 29 run qualification.
Servo On State Error	4	Attempted execution on an axis that has its servo loop closed.
Shutdown State Error	7	Attempted execution with the axis in the Shutdown state.
Illegal Axis Type	8	Attempted execution with the axis not configured as servo.
Axis Not Configured	11	Passed axis value references an unconfigured axis meaning the axis has not been assigned to a physical motion module channel.
Servo Message Failure	12	Messaging to targeted motion module failed.
Tune Process Error	14	Error in previous "run tune" prevents applying.
Axis Group Not Synchronized	19	Attempted execution on an axis whose associated axis group is not currently synchronized.
Illegal Axis Data Type	38	You attempted to execute an instruction on an Axis Data Type that is not supported by the instruction.

**Extended Error Codes:** Extended Error Codes provide additional instruction specific information for the Error Codes that are generic to many instructions. The following Extended Error codes help to pinpoint the problem when the MAAT instruction receives a Servo Message Failure (12) error message.

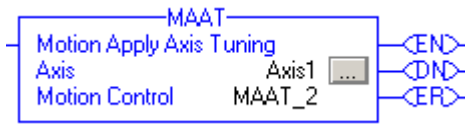
<b>Associated Error Code (decimal)</b>	<b>Extended Error Code (decimal)</b>	<b>Meaning</b>
SERVO_MESSAGE_FAILURE (12)	No Resource (2)	Not enough memory resources to complete request. (SERCOS)
SERVO_MESSAGE_FAILURE (12)	Object Mode conflict (12)	Axis is in shutdown.
SERVO_MESSAGE_FAILURE (12)	Permission denied (15)	Enable input switch error. (SERCOS)
SERVO_MESSAGE_FAILURE (12)	Device in wrong state (16)	Redefine Position, Home, and Registration 2 are mutually exclusive (SERCOS), device state not correct for action. (SERCOS)

**Status Bits: MAAT Changes to Status Bits**

None

**Example:** When the input conditions are true, the controller computes a complete set of servo gains and dynamic limits for *axis1* based on the results of the previously executed Motion Run Axis Tuning (MRAT) instruction.

### Relay Ladder



**Figure 6.1 MAAT Ladder Example**

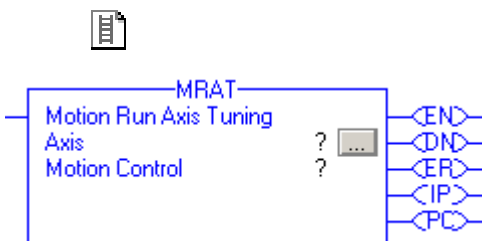
### Structured Text

```
MAAT (Axis1, MAAT_2);
```

## Motion Run Axis Tuning (MRAT)

Use the MRAT to command the motion module to run a tuning motion profile for the specified axis. The tuning motion profile consists of one or more acceleration and deceleration ramps induced by applying fixed voltages to the servo's drive output. Note that this instruction does not at any time close the servo loop. While this instruction takes no explicit input parameters, it does derive input from the Axis Tuning Configuration parameters. The result of executing the MRAT instruction is a set of measurement data that is stored in the Axis Object for subsequent use with the Motion Apply Axis Tuning (MAAT) instruction.

### Operands: Relay Ladder



Operand:	Type:	Format:	Description:
Axis	AXIS_SERVO AXIS_SERVO_DRIVE	tag	Name of the axis to perform operation on.
Motion control	MOTION_ INSTRUCTION	tag	Structure used to access instruction status parameters.

### Structured Text

```
MRAT (Axis, MotionControl);
```

The operands are the same as those for the relay ladder MRAT instruction.

## MOTION\_INSTRUCTION Structure

Mnemonic:	Description:
.EN (Enable) Bit 31	It is set when the rung makes a false-to-true transition and remains set until the servo message transaction is completed and the rung goes false.
.DN (Done) Bit 29	It is set after the tuning process has been successfully completed.
.ER (Error) Bit 28	It is set to indicate that the instruction detected an error, such as if you specified an unconfigured axis.
.IP (In Process) Bit 26	It is set on positive rung transition and cleared after the tuning process is complete, or terminated by a stop command, shutdown, or a servo fault.
.PC (Process Complete) Bit 27	It is set after the tuning process has been successfully completed.

**Description:** The Motion Run Axis Tuning (MRAT) instruction is used to execute a tuning motion profile on the specified axis. During this brief tuning motion profile, the motion module makes timing and velocity measurements that serve as input data for a subsequent MAAT (Motion Apply Axis Tuning) instruction. MRAT requires no explicit input parameters; simply enter or select the desired physical axis.

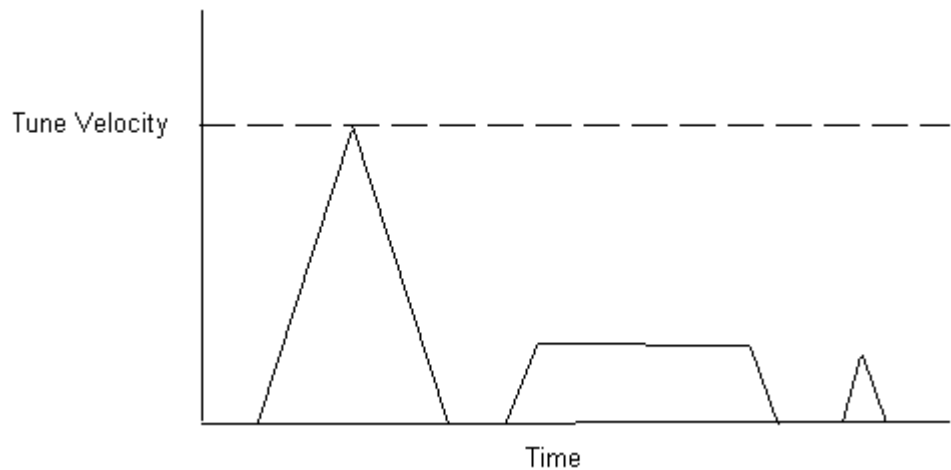
If the targeted axis does not appear in the list of available axes, the axis has not been configured for operation. Use the Tag Editor to create and configure a new axis.

The MRAT instruction uses axis configuration parameters as input and output. The input configuration parameters that MRAT uses are shown in the table below.

Axis Parameter	Data Type	Units	Meaning
Tuning Direction	Boolean	-	Direction of Tuning Motion (0-Fwd, 1-Rev)
Tuning Travel Limit	Real	pos units	Maximum allowed excursion of Axis
Tuning Velocity	Real	pos units/sec	Top Speed of Tuning Profile.
Damping Factor	Real	-	Damping Factor used to calculate the maximum Position Servo Bandwidth.

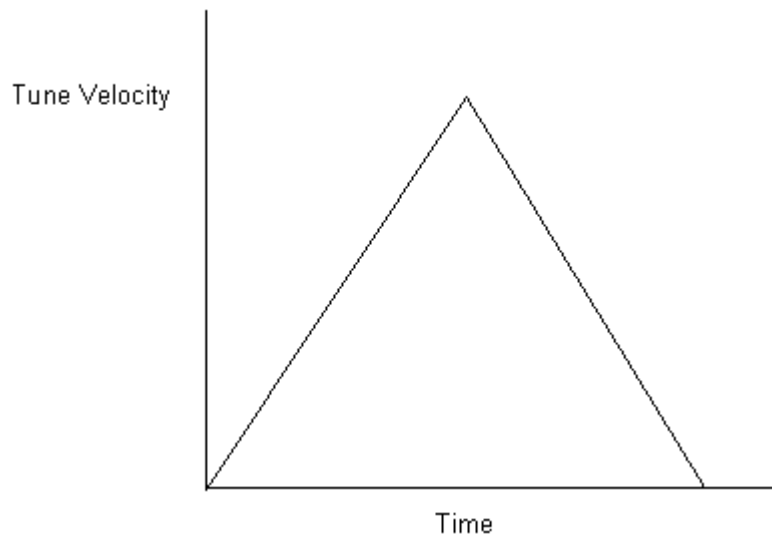
Based on the above configuration parameters, MRAT execution generates a motion event on the specified axis that consists of a single triangular velocity profile or a series of three such profiles. Tune Velocity must be within the maximum speed capability of the drive and motor. The configured value for Tune Velocity should be set to the desired maximum operating speed of the axis so that the resulting tuning parameters are based on the dynamics of the system at that speed.

If the External Vel Servo Drive configuration bit parameter is TRUE, indicating interface to an external velocity servo drive, three pulses are applied to the axis. The tuning velocity profile for this case is shown in the diagram below.



**Figure 6.2 Tuning Velocity Profile when True**

If the External Vel Servo Drive configuration bit parameter is FALSE, indicating interface to an external torque servo drive, only one pulse is applied to the axis. The tuning velocity profile is shown below.



**Figure 6.3 Tuning Velocity Profile when False**

The axis configuration parameters that MRAT generates as output depend on the External Drive configuration. If the External Vel Servo Drive configuration bit parameter is TRUE, indicating interface to an

external velocity servo drive, the following output parameters are generated.

Axis Parameter	Data Type	Units	Meaning
Tune Status	Real	-	Status Report of the Tuning Process
Tune Accel Time	Real	seconds	Measured Acceleration Time of Tuning Profile.
Tune Decel Time	Real	seconds	Measured Deceleration Time of Tuning Profile.
Tune Accel	Real	pos units/sec <sup>2</sup>	Calculated Acceleration Time of Tuning Profile.
Tune Decel	Real	pos units/sec <sup>2</sup>	Calculated Deceleration Time of Tuning Profile.
Tune Velocity Scaling	Real	mV/KCPS	Measured Velocity Scaling factor of axis Drive/Motor/Encoder system.
Tune Rise Time	Real	mV/KCPS	Measured Rise Time of Tuning Step Response Profile.
Tune Velocity Bandwidth	Real	Hertz	Computed Bandwidth of External Velocity Servo Drive

If the External Vel Servo Drive configuration bit parameter is FALSE, indicating interface to an external torque servo drive, the following output parameters are generated.

Axis Parameter	Data Type	Units	Meaning
Tune Status	Real	-	Status Report of the Tuning Process
Tune Accel Time	Real	seconds	Measured Acceleration Time of Tuning Profile.
Tune Decel Time	Real	seconds	Measured Deceleration Time of Tuning Profile.
Tune Accel	Real	pos units/sec <sup>2</sup>	Calculated Acceleration Time of Tuning Profile.
Tune Decel	Real	pos units/sec <sup>2</sup>	Calculated Deceleration Time of Tuning Profile.
Effective Inertia	Real	mV/ KCPS <sup>2</sup>	Computed Effective Inertia of Drive/Motor system.
Position Servo Bandwidth	Real	Hertz	Calculated Maximum Position Servo Loop Bandwidth.

The above output parameters generated by the MRAT instruction serve as inputs to a subsequent MAAT instruction which performs further tuning calculations and applies the results to various axis' servo and dynamic configuration parameters.



## Tune Status Parameter

Conditions may occur that make it impossible for the controller to properly perform the tuning operation. When this is the case, the tuning process is automatically aborted and a tuning fault reported that is stored in the Tune Status output parameter (GSVable). It is also possible to manually abort a tuning process using a MAS instruction which results in a tuning fault reported by the Tune Status parameter. Possible values for Tuning Status are shown in the table below.

Status Code	Code	Meaning
Tune Success	0	Tune process has been successful.
Tune In Process	1	Tuning is in progress.
Tune Aborted	2	Tuning Process was aborted by user.
Tune Time-out	3	Tuning Process has timed out
Tune Servo Fault	4	Tuning Process Failed due to Servo Fault
Tune Travel Fault	5	Axis reached Tuning Travel Limit
Tune Polarity Fault	6	Axis motion heading in wrong direction due to incorrect motor/encoder polarity configuration.
Tune Speed Fault	7	Axis tuning speed too low to achieve minimum measurement accuracy.

### IMPORTANT

The Tune Status Parameter is not to be mistaken for the .STATUS sub-tag of the MRAT instruction.

To successfully execute a MRAT instruction on an axis, the targeted axis must be configured as a Servo Axis Type and the axis must be in the Axis Ready state. If any of these conditions are not met than the instruction errs.

### IMPORTANT

When the MRAT instruction is initially executed the In Process (.IP) bit is set and the Process Complete (.PC) bit is cleared. The MRAT instruction execution can take multiple scans to execute because it requires transmission of multiple messages to the motion module. The Done (.DN) bit, is not set immediately, but only after these messages are successfully transmitted. The In Process (.IP) bit is cleared and the Process Complete (.PC) bit is set at the same time that the Done (.DN) bit is set.

This is a transitional instruction:

- In relay ladder, toggle the rung-condition-in from cleared to set each time the instruction should execute.
- In structured text, condition the instruction so that it only executes on a transition. See Appendix C.

**Arithmetic Status Flags:** not affected

**Fault Conditions:** none

**Error Codes: MRAT Error Codes (.ERR)**

Error Message	Code	Description
Execution Collision	3	Attempted execution on an axis that already has another instance of this instruction executing. This situation is possible when instructions that require messaging are executed without Done (.DN) Bit 29 run qualification.
Servo On State Error	4	Attempted execution on an axis that has its servo loop closed.
Drive On State Error	6	Attempted execution on an axis that currently has the drive enabled.
Shutdown State Error	7	Attempted execution with the axis in the Shutdown state.
Illegal Axis Type	8	Attempted execution with the axis not configured as servo.
Axis Not Configured	11	Passed axis value references an unconfigured axis meaning the axis has not been assigned to a physical motion module channel.
Servo Message Failure	12	Messaging to targeted motion module failed. See the Extended Error section for more information about this error.
Axis Group Not Synchronized	19	Attempted execution on an axis whose associated axis group is not currently synchronized.
Axis in Faulted State	20	Attempted execution on an axis, which is in the Faulted state.
Group in Faulted State	21	Attempted execution on an axis, which is in a group, which is in the Faulted state.
Illegal Controller Mode Operation	24	Attempted execution when the processor is in test mode
Illegal Axis Data Type	38	You attempted to execute an instruction on an Axis Data Type that is not supported by the instruction.
Process Conflict	39	You have a conflict in your process. Test and Tune cannot be run at the same time.
Drive Locally Disabled	40	You are trying to run an MRAT instruction when the drive is locally disabled.

**Extended Error Codes:** Extended Error Codes provide additional instruction specific information for the Error Codes that are generic to many instructions. The following Extended Error codes help to pinpoint the problem when the MRAT instruction receives a Servo Message Failure (12) error message.

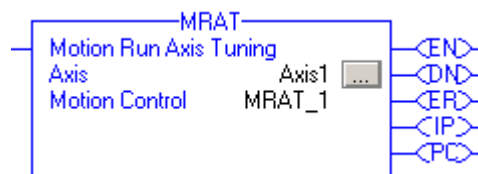
Associated Error Code (decimal)	Extended Error Code (decimal)	Meaning
SERVO_MESSAGE_FAILURE (12)	Process terminated on request (1)	Tune execution followed by an instruction to shutdown/disable drive, or a motion stop instruction or a Processor change requests a cancel of Tune.
SERVO_MESSAGE_FAILURE (12)	Object Mode conflict (12)	Axis is in shutdown.
SERVO_MESSAGE_FAILURE (12)	Device in wrong state (16)	Incorrect Tune Process order. (SERCOS)

### Status Bits: MRAT Changes to Status Bits

Bit Name:	State:	Meaning:
DriveEnableStatus	TRUE	Axis is in Drive Control state with the Drive Enable output active while the Tuning Profile is running.
TuneStatus	TRUE	The axis is running a tuning process.

**Example:** When the input conditions are true, the controller commands the servo module to run a tuning motion profile for *axis1*.

### Relay Ladder



**Figure 6.4 MRAT Ladder Example**

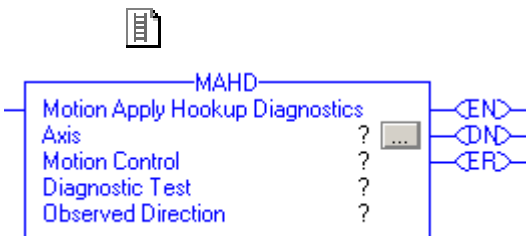
### Structured Text

```
MAR(Axis1,MRAT_1);
```

## Motion Apply Hookup Diagnostics (MAHD)

The Motion Apply Hookup Diagnostics (MAHD) instruction is used to apply the results of a previously run Motion Run Hookup Diagnostic (MRHD) instruction to generate a new set of encoder and servo polarities based on the Observed Direction of motion during the test. As part of the application process the instruction updates the motion module with these new polarity settings. After execution of the MAHD instruction, and assuming that a stable set of gains has been established, the corresponding axis should be ready for servo activation.

### Operands: Relay Ladder



Operand:	Type:	Format:	Description:
Axis	AXIS_SERVO AXIS_SERVO_DRIVE	tag	Name of the axis to perform operation on.
Motion control	MOTION_INSTRUCTION	tag	Structure used to access instruction status parameters.
Diagnostic test	UDINT	immediate	Selects the specific test for the motion module to run: 0 = motor/encoder hookup test 1 = encoder hookup test 2 = encoder marker test
Observed direction	BOOLEAN	immediate	Sets the direction of the test motion. Select either: 0 = forward 1 = reverse



```
MAHD (Axis, MotionControl,
DiagnosticTest,
ObservedDirection);
```

### Structured Text

The operands are the same as those for the relay ladder MAHD instruction.

For the operands that require you to select from available options, enter your selection as:

This operand:	Has these options which you...	
	enter as text:	or enter as a number:
DiagnosticTest	motor_encoder encoder marker	0 1 2
ObservedDirection	forward reverse	0 1

## MOTION\_INSTRUCTION Structure

Mnemonic:	Description:
.EN (Enable) Bit 31	is set when the rung makes a false-to-true transition and remains set until the servo message transaction is completed and the rung goes false.
.DN (Done) Bit 29	is set after the hookup test apply process has been successfully executed.
.ER (Error) Bit 28	is set to indicate that the instruction detected an error, such as if you specified an unconfigured axis.

**Description:** The Motion Apply Hookup Diagnostics (MAHD) instruction is used to execute a series of computations resulting in values for the Encoder Polarity and Servo Polarity configuration bit parameters of the specified axis. As part of work performed by MAHD, these resultant configuration bit parameters are applied to the motion module so that the axis is ready for full servo operation. This instruction is designed to follow execution of the MRHD instruction which generates axis input configuration values for the MAHD instruction. See the MRHD instruction description for more information. MAHD requires specification of the Diagnostic Test to apply and the Observed Direction of motion during the previous MRHD test process. Enter or select the Diagnostic Test and the Observed Direction and the desired physical axis.

If the targeted axis does not appear in the list of available axes, the axis has not been configured for operation. Use the Tag Editor to create and configure a new axis.

The MAHD instruction uses axis configuration parameters as input and output. The input configuration parameters that MAHD uses are shown in the table below. The Test Direction Forward bit is automatically established as output from the MRHD instruction. Refer to the Motion Axis Object specification for a detailed description of these and other parameters.

Axis Parameter	Data Type	Units	Definition
Test Direction Forward	Boolean	-	Direction of axis travel during hookup test as seen by the motion module.

### Motor Encoder Hookup Test

If the Motor Encoder Test is selected, the controller computes the proper setting for both the Encoder Polarity and the Drive Polarity based on the Observed Direction instruction parameter and the state of Test Direction Forward bit which was established by the output of the MRHD instruction. Once the Encoder Polarity and Drive Polarity settings are computed the MAHD applies these values to the

corresponding axis configuration parameter bits as shown in the following table:

Axis Parameter	Data Type	Units	Definition
Encoder Polarity Negative	Boolean	-	Inverts the sense of the encoder feedback input to the motion module.
Drive Polarity Negative	Boolean	-	Inverts the sense of the DAC analog output from the motion module.

### Encoder Hookup Test

If the Encoder Test is selected, the controller computes the proper setting for just the Encoder Polarity based on the Observed Direction instruction parameter and the state of Test Direction Forward bit which was established by the output of the MRHD instruction. Once the Encoder Polarity and Drive Polarity settings are computed, the MAHD applies these values to the corresponding axis configuration parameter bits as shown in the following table:

Axis Parameter	Data Type	Units	Definition
Encoder Polarity Negative	Boolean	-	Inverts the sense of the encoder feedback input to the motion module.

To successfully execute a MAHD instruction running the Motor Encoder Test, the targeted axis must be configured as either a Servo or Feedback Only axis type. If any of these conditions are not met than the instruction errs.

#### IMPORTANT

The MAHD instruction execution can take multiple scans to execute because it requires transmission of a message to the motion module. The Done (.DN) bit is not set immediately, but only after this message is successfully transmitted.

This is a transitional instruction:

- In relay ladder, toggle the rung-condition-in from cleared to set each time the instruction should execute.
- In structured text, condition the instruction so that it only executes on a transition. See Appendix C.

**Arithmetic Status Flags:** not affected

**Fault Conditions:** none

**Error Codes: MAHD Error Codes (.ERR)**

<b>Error Message</b>	<b>Code</b>	<b>Definition</b>
Execution Collision	3	Attempted execution on an axis that already has another instance of this instruction executing. This situation is possible when instructions that require messaging are executed without Done (.DN) Bit 29 run qualification.
Servo On State Error	4	Attempted execution on an axis that has its servo loop closed.
Shutdown State Error	7	Attempted execution with the axis in the Shutdown state.
Illegal Axis Type	8	Attempted execution with the axis not configured as servo.
Axis Not Configured	11	Passed axis value references an unconfigured axis meaning the axis has not been assigned to a physical motion module channel.
Servo Message Failure	12	Messaging to targeted motion module failed.
Test Process Error	15	Error in previous "run test" prevents applying.
Axis Type Unused	18	Attempted execution on an axis that is not configured for use according the current Axis Type configuration attribute.
Axis Group Not Synchronized	19	Attempted execution on an axis whose associated axis group is not currently synchronized.
Illegal Axis Data Type	38	You attempted to execute an instruction on an Axis Data Type that is not supported by the instruction.
Drive Locally Disabled	40	You are trying to run an MRHD instruction when the drive is locally disabled.

**Extended Error Codes:** Extended Error Codes provide additional instruction specific information for the Error Codes that are generic to many instructions. The following Extended Error codes help to pinpoint the problem when the MAHD instruction receives a Servo Message Failure (12) error message.

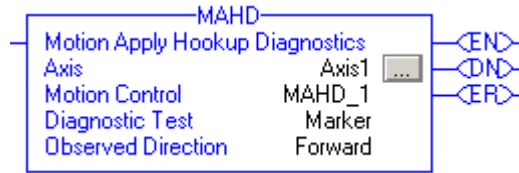
<b>Associated Error Code (decimal)</b>	<b>Extended Error Code (decimal)</b>	<b>Meaning</b>
SERVO_MESSAGE_FAILURE (12)	No Resource (2)	Not enough memory resources to complete request. (SERCOS)
SERVO_MESSAGE_FAILURE (12)	Object Mode conflict (12)	Axis is in shutdown.
SERVO_MESSAGE_FAILURE (12)	Permission denied (15)	Enable input switch error. (SERCOS)
SERVO_MESSAGE_FAILURE (12)	Device in wrong state (16)	Redefine Position, Home, and Registration 2 are mutually exclusive (SERCOS), device state not correct for action. (SERCOS)

**Status Bits: MAHD Changes to Status Bits**

None

**Example:** When the input conditions are true, the controller applies the results of a previously executed Motion Run Hookup Diagnostics (MRHD) instruction to *axis1*.

**Relay Ladder**



**Figure 6.5 MAHD Ladder Example**

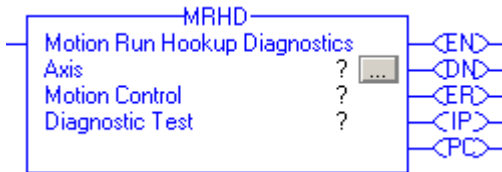
**Structured Text**

```
MAHD(axis1,axis1_MAHD,marker,forward);
```

**Motion Run Hookup Diagnostics (MRHD)**

Use the MRHD instruction to command the motion module to run any one of three different diagnostics on the specified axis as selected by the Test ID. Currently diagnostics are available to test the motor/encoder hookup for a servo axis, the encoder hookup only, and the encoder marker hookup. Only the motor/encoder diagnostic initiates motion on the axis. This action consists of a short move of a user Motor Encoder Test Increment. The move is initiated by roughly 1 Volt per second ramping level of the servo’s drive output. The result of executing the MRHD instruction is that the parameters, Test Status and Test Direction Forward are updated.



**Operands: Relay Ladder**

Operand:	Type:	Format:	Description:
Axis	AXIS_SERVO AXIS_SERVO_DRIVE	tag	Name of the axis to perform operation on.
Motion control	MOTION_INSTRUCTION	tag	Structure used to access instruction status parameters.
Diagnostic test	DINT	immediate	Selects the specific test for the motion module to run: 0 = motor/encoder hookup test 1 = encoder hookup test 2 = encoder marker hookup test 3 = Watchdog OK test



```
MRHD(Axis, MotionControl,  
DiagnosticTest);
```

**Structured Text**

The operands are the same as those for the relay ladder MRHD instruction.

For the operands that require you to select from available options, enter your selection as:

This operand:	Has these options which you...	
	enter as text:	or enter as a number:
DiagnosticTest	motor_encoder encoder marker	0 1 2

**MOTION\_INSTRUCTION Structure**

Mnemonic:	Description:
.EN (Enable) Bit 31	It is set when the rung makes a false-to-true transition and remains set until the servo message transaction is completed and the rung goes false.
.DN (Done) Bit 29	It is set after the hookup test process has been successfully executed.
.ER (Error) Bit 28	It is set to indicate that the instruction detected an error, such as if you specified an unconfigured axis.
.IP (In Process) Bit 26	It is set on positive rung transition and cleared after the diagnostic test process is complete, or terminated by a stop command, shutdown, or a servo fault.
.PC (Process Complete) Bit 27	It is set after the diagnostic test process has been successfully completed.

**Description:** The Motion Run Hookup Diagnostics (MRHD) instruction is used to execute various test diagnostics on the specified axis to test the integrity and, in some cases, the polarity of servo field connections. There are currently test diagnostics supporting drive hookup, encoder

hookup, marker hookup and motion module OK contact hookup. During some of these test processes the motion module generates output to the external drive to produce a small amount of motion. Measurements made during some of these hookup diagnostic tests are saved as output configuration parameters that also serve as input data for a subsequent MAHD (Motion Apply Hookup Diagnostic) instruction. MRHD requires only one explicit input parameter, Diagnostic Test. Enter or select the Diagnostic Test to run and the axis to test.

If the targeted axis does not appear in the list of available axes, the axis has not been configured for operation. Use the Tag Editor to create and configure a new axis.

The MRHD instruction uses axis configuration parameters as input and output. The input configuration parameters that MRHD uses are shown in the table below.

Axis Parameter	Data Type	Units	Definition
Motor Encoder Test Increment	Real	-	Distance that the Axis must travel to satisfy the Hookup Diagnostic Test

The axis configuration parameters that MRHD generates as output depend on the specified Hookup Diagnostic.

### Motor Encoder Hookup Test

If the Motor Encoder Test is selected, the motion module enables the external drive and generates a 1 Volt per second output ramp to the drive while monitoring the encoder feedback. When the axis has moved a distance greater than or equal to the configured Motor Encoder Test Increment, the test voltage is set back to zero and the drive disabled. The motion module then reports the direction of travel which is stored as one of the following output parameters:

Axis Parameter	Data Type	Units	Definition
Test Status	Integer	-	Status Report of the Hookup Diagnostic Test Process
Test Direction Forward	Boolean	-	Direction of axis travel during hookup test as seen by the motion module.

If due to improper hookup, or some other problem with the system, the axis feedback fails to detect that axis reaching the configured Motor Encoder Test Increment within 2 seconds, the servo sets the test voltage back to zero and disables the drive. The control reflects this condition through the Test Status axis output parameter. This usually indicates that either the cabling to the drive or the cabling to the encoder is incorrect. Running MRHD with the Encoder Hookup Test selected is an effective method of isolating the problem to the encoder or drive.

## Encoder Hookup Test

If the Encoder Test is selected, the motion module does not generate any axis motion, but simply monitors axis encoder feedback. The axis can then be moved by hand or by some other independent drive actuator to generate motion. When the motion module detects that the axis has moved a distance greater than or equal to the configured Motor Encoder Test Increment, the test is complete. The motion module then reports the direction of travel as one of the following MRHD output parameters.

Axis Parameter	Data Type	Units	Definition
Test Status	Integer	-	Status Report of the Hookup Diagnostic Test Process
Test Direction Forward	Boolean	-	Direction of axis travel during hookup test as seen by the motion module.

If due to improper hookup, or some other problem with the system, the axis feedback fails to detect the axis reaching the configured Motor Encoder Test Increment after moving the axis at least that distance, then abort the test using the MAS instruction and check the encoder wiring.

## Marker Hookup Test

If the Marker Test is selected, the motion module does not generate any axis motion, but simply monitors axis encoder feedback. The axis can then be moved by hand or by some other independent drive actuator to generate motion. When the motion module detects a marker (Channel Z) pulse, the test is then complete. The motion module then reports success via the Test Status

Axis Parameter	Data Type	Units	Definition
Test Status	Integer	-	Status Report of the Hookup Diagnostic Test Process
Test Direction Forward	Boolean	-	Direction of axis travel during hookup test as seen by the motion module.

If due to improper hookup, or some other problem with the system, the axis feedback fails to detect that axis reaching the configured Motor Encoder Test Increment after moving the axis at least that distance, then abort the test using the MAS instruction and check the encoder wiring.

## Watchdog OK Test

If the Watchdog OK Test is selected, the motion module does not generate any axis motion, but simply simulates a CPU Watchdog failure which opens the OK contacts. The OK contacts should remain

closed for 2 seconds. This test is used to check the OK contact wiring into the E-Stop string of the Drive system. In the event of a motion module DSP failure this mechanism is used to shut off the power supply to the drive(s). When the two second Watchdog OK Test is complete, the motion module then reports success via the Test Status as shown below:

Axis Parameter	Data Type	Units	Definition
Test Status	Integer	-	Status Report of the Hookup Diagnostic Test Process

### Test Status

Conditions may occur that make it impossible for the control to properly perform the test operation. When this is the case, the test process is automatically aborted and a test fault is reported and stored in the Test Status output parameter. It is also possible to manually abort a test process using a MAS instruction which results in a test fault reported by the Test Status parameter. Possible values for Test Status are shown in the table below:

Error Message	Code	Definition
Test Success	0	Test process has been successful.
Test In Process	1	Test is in progress.
Test Aborted	2	Test Process was aborted by user.
Test Time-out	3	Test Process has exceeded timed out (2 Seconds)
Test Servo Fault	4	Test Process Failed due to Servo Fault
Test Increment Fault	5	Test Process Failed due to insufficient test increment distance to make a reliable measurement.

To successfully execute a MRHD instruction running the Motor Encoder Test, the targeted axis must be configured as a Servo Axis Type and the axis must be in the Axis Ready state. For other tests this instruction executes properly on either a Servo or Feedback Only axis type. If any of these conditions are not met than the instruction errs.

#### IMPORTANT

When the MRHD instruction is initially executed the In process (.IP) bit is set and the Process Complete (.PC) bit is cleared. The MRHD instruction execution can take multiple scans to execute because it requires transmission of multiple messages to the motion module. The Done (.DN) bit, is not set immediately, but after these messages are successfully transmitted. The In process (.IP) bit is cleared and the Process Complete (.PC) bit is set at the same time that the Done (.DN) bit is set.

This is a transitional instruction:

- In relay ladder, toggle the rung-condition-in from cleared to set each time the instruction should execute.
- In structured text, condition the instruction so that it only executes on a transition. See Appendix C.

**Arithmetic Status Flags:** not affected

**Fault Conditions:** none

**Error Codes: MRHD Error Codes (.ERR)**

<b>Error Message</b>	<b>Code</b>	<b>Definition</b>
Execution Collision	3	Attempted execution on an axis that already has another instance of this instruction executing. This situation is possible when instructions that require messaging are executed without Done (.DN) Bit 29 run qualification.
Servo On State Error	4	Attempted execution on an axis that has its servo loop closed.
Drive On State Error	6	Attempted execution on an axis that currently has the drive enabled.
Shutdown State Error	7	Attempted execution with the axis in the Shutdown state.
Illegal Axis Type	8	Attempted execution with the axis not configured as servo.
Axis Not Configured	11	Passed axis value references an unconfigured axis meaning the axis has not been assigned to a physical motion module channel.
Servo Message Failure	12	Messaging to targeted motion module failed. See the Extended Error section for more information about this error.
Axis Type Unused	18	Attempted execution on an axis that is not configured for use according the current Axis Type configuration attribute.
Axis Group Not Synchronized	19	Attempted execution on an axis whose associated axis group is not currently synchronized.
Axis in Faulted State	20	Attempted execution on an axis, which is in the Faulted state.
Group in Faulted State	21	Attempted execution on an axis, which is in a group, which is in the Faulted state.

Error Message	Code	Definition
Illegal Controller Mode Operation	24	Attempted execution when the processor is in test mode
Illegal Axis Data Type	38	You attempted to execute an instruction on an Axis Data Type that is not supported by the instruction.
Process Conflict	39	You have a conflict in your process. Test and Tune cannot be run at the same time.

**Extended Error Codes:** Extended Error Codes provide additional instruction specific information for the Error Codes that are generic to many instructions. The following Extended Error codes help to pinpoint the problem when the MRHD instruction receives a Servo Message Failure (12) error message.

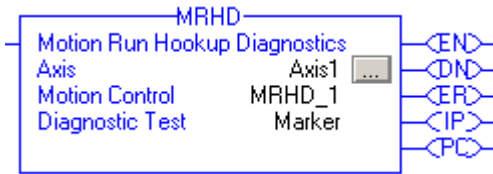
Associated Error Code (decimal)	Extended Error Code (decimal)	Meaning
SERVO_MESSAGE_FAILURE (12)	Process terminated on request (1)	Test execution followed by an instruction to shutdown/disable drive, or a motion stop instruction or a Processor change requests a cancel of the Test.
SERVO_MESSAGE_FAILURE (12)	Object Mode conflict (12)	Axis is in shutdown.
SERVO_MESSAGE_FAILURE (12)	Device in wrong state (16)	Incorrect Tune Process order. (SERCOS)

#### Status Bits: MRHD Changes to Status Bits

Bit Name:	State:	Meaning:
DriveEnableStatus	TRUE	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The axis is in the drive control state.</li> <li>The drive enable output is active while the tuning profile is running.</li> </ul>
TestStatus	TRUE	The axis is running a testing process.

**Example:** When the input conditions are true, the controller runs the *encoder* diagnostic test on *axis1*.

## Relay Ladder



**Figure 6.6 MRHD Ladder Example**

## Structured Text

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MRHD (Axis1, MRHD_1, Marker);
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**Notes:**



## Multi-Axis Coordinated Motion Instructions

(MCLM, MCCM, MCCD, MCS, MCSD, MCSR)

**ATTENTION**

Tags used for the motion control attribute of instructions should only be used once. Re-use of the motion control tag in other instructions can cause unintended operation. This may result in damage to equipment or personal injury.

### Introduction

The multi-axis coordinated move motion instructions are the vehicle for performing linear and circular moves in single and multi-dimensional Cartesian space. These instructions use information from the Coordinate System tag. The Coordinate System tag contains the number of axes in the Cartesian Coordinate System.

A Cartesian Coordinate System is used to define exact locations in one, two, or three dimensional space. A Cartesian Coordinate can be a single coordinate that locates a single point on an axis from the origin of an axis. A Cartesian Coordinate can be a pair of two coordinates that locate a point on a plane and measure its distance from either of two intersecting straight line axes. A Cartesian Coordinate can also be a group of three coordinates that locate a point in space and measure its distance from any of three intersecting coordinate planes. This software uses the right-hand rule.

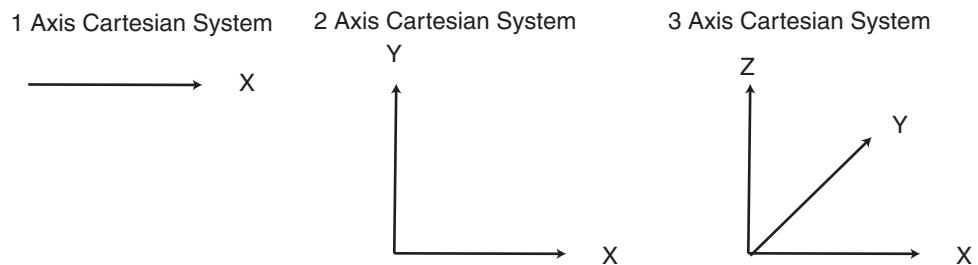


Figure 7.1 Cartesian System Representations

<b>If you want to:</b>	<b>Use this instruction:</b>	<b>Available in these languages:</b>
Initiate a single or multi-dimensional linear coordinated move for the specified axes within a Cartesian coordinate system.	MCLM	Relay ladder Structured text
Initiate a two- or three-dimensional circular coordinated move for the specified axes within a Cartesian coordinate system.	MCCM	Relay ladder Structured text
Initiate a change in path dynamics for coordinate motion active on the specified coordinate system.	MCCD	Relay ladder Structured text
Initiate a controlled stop of the specified coordinate motion profile taking place on the designated coordinate system.	MCS	Relay ladder Structured text
Initiate a controlled shutdown of all of the axes of the specified coordinate system.	MCS D	Relay ladder Structured text
Initiate a reset of all of the axes of the specified coordinate system from the shutdown state to the axis ready state and clear the axis faults.	MCS R	Relay ladder Structured text

## Using Different Termination Types When Blending Instructions

To blend 2 MCLM or MCCM instructions, start the first one and queue the second one. The tag for the coordinate system gives you 2 bits for queueing instructions. Both bits always have the same value because you can queue only one instruction at a time.

When an instruction	Then
enters the queue	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• MovePendingStatus bit = 1</li> <li>• MovePendingQueueFullStatus bit = 1</li> <li>• You can't queue another instruction.</li> </ul>
leaves the queue and starts	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• MovePendingStatus bit = 0</li> <li>• MovePendingQueueFullStatus bit = 0</li> <li>• You can queue another instruction.</li> </ul>

For example, the following ladder diagram uses Coordinate System cs1 to blend Move1 into Move2.

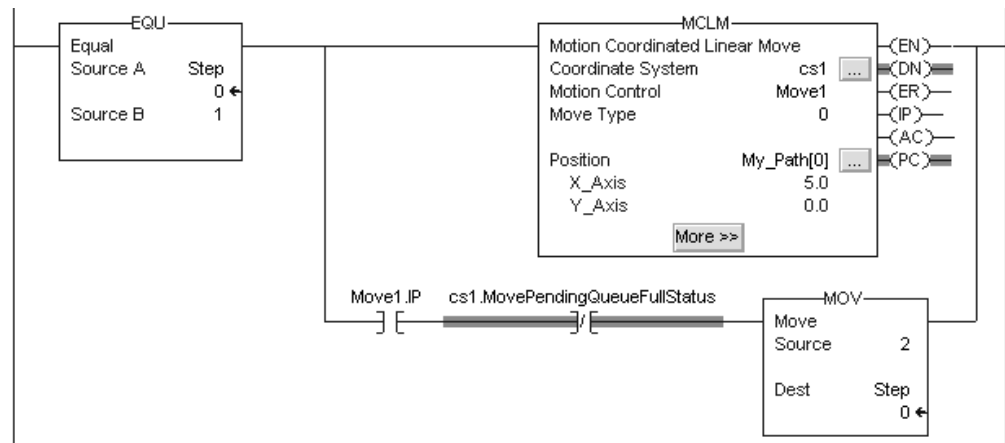
If Step = 1 then

Move1 starts and moves the axes to a position of 5, 0

And once Move1 is in process

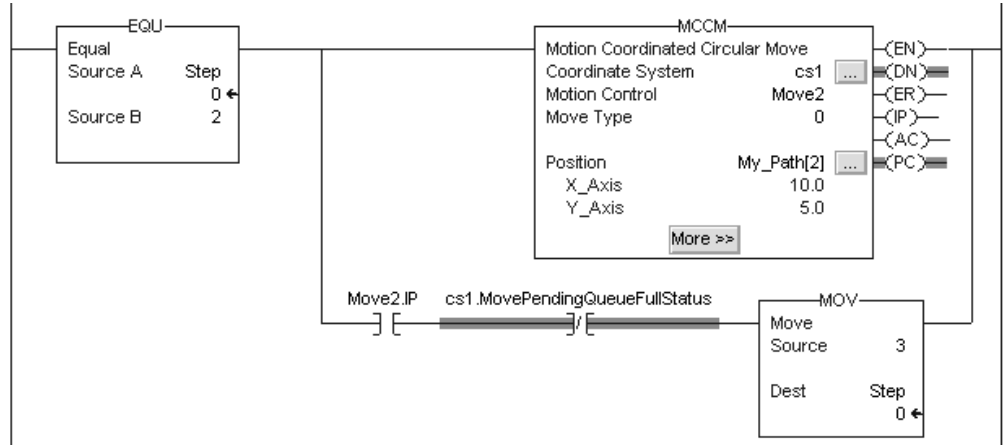
And there is room to queue another move

Step = 2



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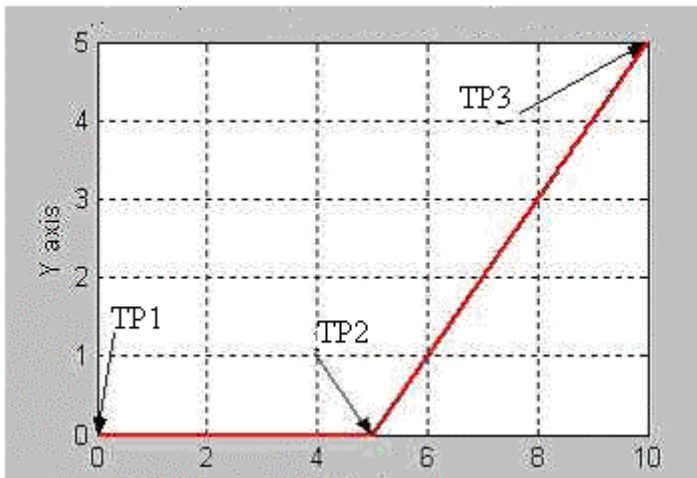
If Step = 2 then  
     Move1 is already happening.  
     Move2 goes into the queue and waits for Move1 to complete.  
     When Move1 is complete, Move2 moves the axes to a position of 10, 5.  
 And once Move2 is in process  
 And Move2 comes off the queue and starts  
     Step = 3



The Termination Type operand for the MCLM or MCCM instruction specifies how the currently executing move gets terminated. The following illustrations show the states of instruction bits and coordinate system bits that get affected at various transition points.

### Bit States at Transition Points of Blended Move Using Actual Tolerance or No Settle

linear → linear move

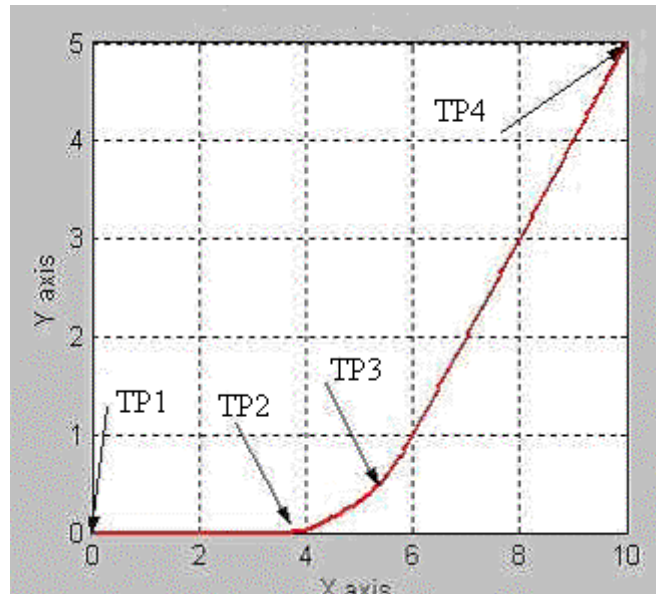


The following table shows the Bit Status at the various transition points shown in the preceding graph with Termination Type of either Actual Tolerance or No Settle.

Bit	TP1	TP2	TP3
Move1.DN	T	T	T
Move1.IP	T	F	F
Move1.AC	T	F	F
Move1.PC	F	T	T
Move2.DN	T	T	T
Move2.IP	T	T	F
Move2.AC	F	T	F
Move2.PC	F	F	T
cs1.MoveTransitionStatus	F	F	F
cs1.MovePendingStatus	T	F	F
cs1.MovePendingQueueFullStatus	T	F	F

### Bit States at Transition Points of Blended Move Using No Decel

linear → linear move

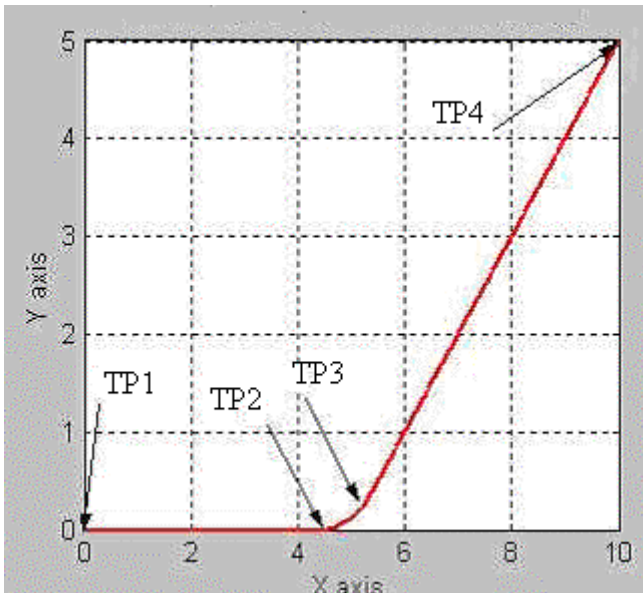


The following table shows the Bit Status at the various transition points shown in the preceding graph with Termination Type of No Decel. For No Decel Termination Type distance-to-go for transition point TP2 is equal to deceleration distance for the Move1 instruction.

Bit	TP1	TP2	TP3	TP4
Move1.DN	T	T	T	T
Move1.IP	T	F	F	F
Move1.AC	T	F	F	F
Move1.PC	F	T	T	T
Move2.DN	T	T	T	T
Move2.IP	T	T	T	F
Move2.AC	F	T	T	F
Move2.PC	F	F	F	T
cs1.MoveTransitionStatus	F	T	F	F
cs1.MovePendingStatus	T	F	F	F
cs1.MovePendingQueueFullStatus	T	F	F	F

## Bit States at Transition Points of Blended Move Using Command Tolerance

linear → linear move

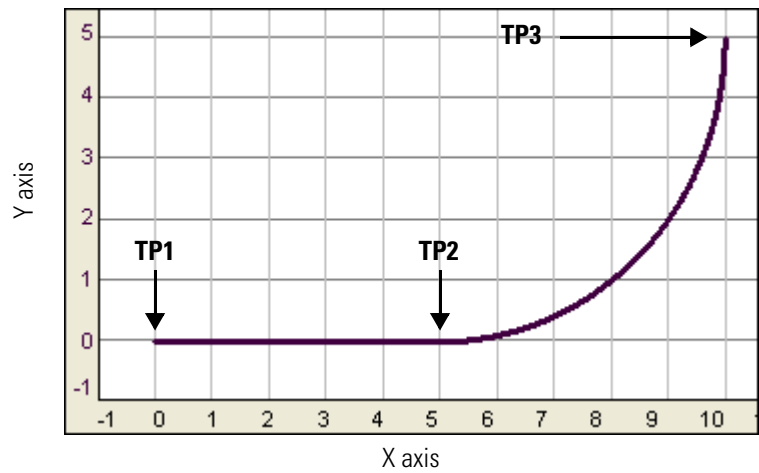


The following table shows the Bit Status at the various transition points shown in the preceding graph with Termination Type of Command Tolerance. For Command Tolerance Termination Type distance-to-go for transition point TP2 is equal to command tolerance for the coordinate system cs1.

Bit	TP1	TP2	TP3	TP4
Move1.DN	T	T	T	T
Move1.IP	T	F	F	F
Move1.AC	T	F	F	F
Move1.PC	F	T	T	T
Move2.DN	T	T	T	T
Move2.IP	T	T	T	F
Move2.AC	F	T	T	F
Move2.PC	F	F	F	T
cs1.MoveTransitionStatus	F	T	F	F
cs1.MovePendingStatus	T	F	F	F
cs1.MovePendingQueueFullStatus	T	F	F	F

### Bit States at Transition Points of Blended Move Using Follow Contour Velocity Constrained or Unconstrained

linear → circular move



The following table shows the bits at the transition points.

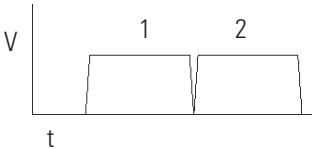
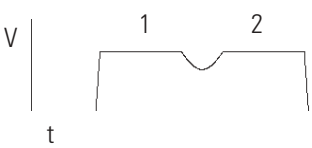
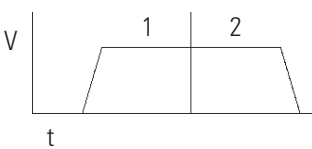
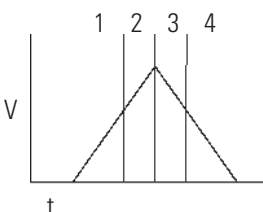
Bit	TP1	TP2	TP3
Move1.DN	T	T	T
Move1.IP	T	F	F
Move1.AC	T	F	F
Move1.PC	F	T	T
Move2.DN	T	T	T
Move2.IP	T	T	F
Move2.AC	F	T	F
Move2.PC	F	F	T
cs1.MoveTransitionStatus	F	F	F
cs1.MovePendingStatus	T	F	F
cs1.MovePendingQueueFullStatus	T	F	F







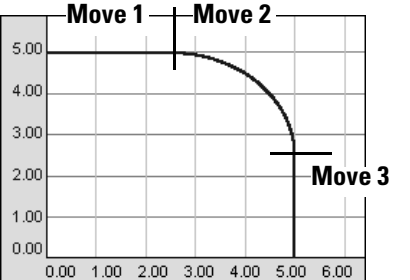
## Choose a termination type

The termination type determines when the instruction is complete. It also determines how the instruction blends its path into the queued MCLM or MCCM instruction, if there is one.

### 1. Choose a termination type.

If you want the axes to (vector speeds)	And you want the instruction to complete when the	Then use this termination type
stop between moves 	both of these happen: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Command position equals target position.</li> <li>• The vector distance between the target and actual positions is less than or equal to the Actual Position Tolerance of the coordinate system.</li> </ul>	0 - Actual Tolerance
keep the speed constant <i>except</i> between moves 	command position gets within the Command Position Tolerance of the coordinate system  axes get to the point at which they must decelerate at the deceleration rate	1 - No Settle  2 - Command Tolerance  3 - No Decel
transition into or out of a circle without stopping 	⇒ ⇒ ⇒	4 - Follow Contour Velocity Constrained
accelerate or decelerate across multiple moves 	⇒ ⇒ ⇒	5 - Follow Contour Velocity Unconstrained

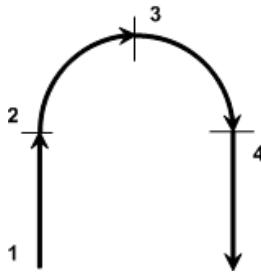
2. Make sure this is the right choice for you.

Termination type	Example path	Description
0 - Actual Tolerance		<p>The instruction stays active until both of these happen:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Command position equals target position.</li> <li>• The vector distance between the target and actual positions is less than or equal to the Actual Position Tolerance of the coordinate system.</li> </ul> <p>At that point, the instruction is complete and a queued MCLM or MCCM instruction can start.</p> <p><b>Important:</b> Make sure that you set the actual tolerance to a value that your axes can reach. Otherwise the instruction stays in process.</p>
1 - No Settle		<p>The instruction stays active until the command position equals the target position. At that point, the instruction is complete and a queued MCLM or MCCM instruction can start.</p>
2 - Command Tolerance		<p>The instruction stays active until the command position gets within the command position tolerance of the coordinate system. At that point, the instruction is complete and a queued MCLM or MCCM instruction can start.</p> <p>If you don't have a queued MCLM or MCCM instruction, the axes stop at the target position.</p>
3 - No Decel		<p>The instruction stays active until the axes get to the deceleration point. At that point, the instruction is complete and a queued MCLM or MCCM instruction can start.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The deceleration point depends on whether you use a trapezoidal or S-curve profile.</li> <li>• If you don't have a queued MCLM or MCCM instruction, the axes stop.</li> </ul>
4 - Follow Contour Velocity Constrained		<p>The instruction stays active until the axes get to the target position. At that point, the instruction is complete and a queued MCLM or MCCM instruction can start.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• This termination type works best with tangential transitions. For example, use it to go from a line to a circle, a circle to a line, or a circle to a circle.</li> <li>• The axes follow the path.</li> <li>• If the moves are long enough, the axes won't decelerate between moves. If the moves are too short, the axes decelerate between moves.</li> </ul>

Termination type	Example path	Description
5 - Follow Contour Velocity Unconstrained		<p>This termination type is similar to the contour velocity constrained. It has these differences:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Use this termination type to get a triangular velocity profile across several moves. This reduces jerk.</li> <li>• You must calculate the acceleration for the triangular velocity profile.</li> <li>• You must also calculate the starting speed for each move in the deceleration half of the profile.</li> </ul>

### How do I get a triangular velocity profile?

Suppose you want to program a pick and place action in 4 moves. And to keep jerk low you want to use a triangular velocity profile.

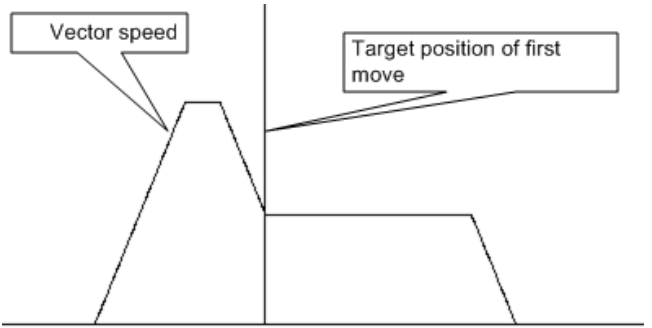
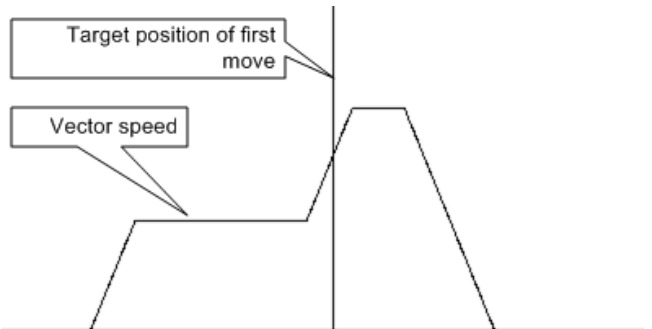
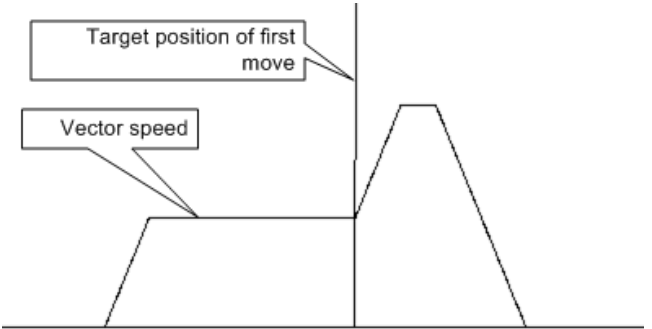


For this situation, use termination type 5. The other termination types may not let you get to the speed you want.

Termination types 2, 3, or 4	Termination type 5
<p>You want to get to this speed...</p> <p>...but the axes have to decelerate before they get there.</p>	<p>You calculate the acceleration...</p> <p>...and you must also calculate the starting speed for each move during deceleration.</p>
<p>The axes won't go any faster than a speed that lets them decelerate to 0 without overshooting the target position. The shorter the move, the lower the maximum speed.</p>	<p>The axes accelerate to the speed that you want. You must calculate the starting speed for each move in the deceleration half of the profile.</p>

## Blending Moves at Different Speeds

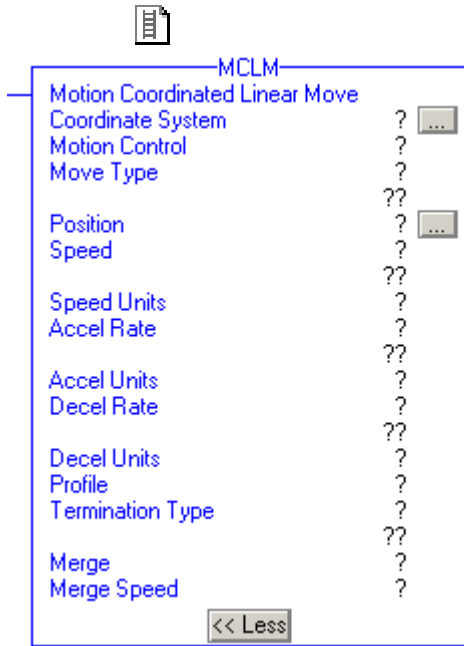
You can blend MCLM and MCCM instructions where the vector speed of the second instruction is different from the vector speed of the first instruction.

If the next move is	And the termination type of the first move is	Then
slower	2 - Command Tolerance 3 - No Decel 4 - Contour Velocity Constrained 5 - Contour Velocity Unconstrained	 <p>The diagram shows a velocity profile for a slower second move. A vertical line marks the 'Target position of first move'. The first move's velocity profile (a trapezoid) ends at this target position. The second move's velocity profile starts at a lower speed than the first move's peak speed and decelerates to zero. A callout 'Vector speed' points to the peak of the first move's profile.</p>
faster	2 - Command Tolerance 3 - No Decel	 <p>The diagram shows a velocity profile for a faster second move. A vertical line marks the 'Target position of first move'. The first move's velocity profile (a trapezoid) ends at this target position. The second move's velocity profile starts at a higher speed than the first move's peak speed and decelerates to zero. Callouts 'Target position of first move' and 'Vector speed' are present.</p>
	4 - Contour Velocity Constrained 5 - Contour Velocity Unconstrained	 <p>The diagram shows a velocity profile for a faster second move. A vertical line marks the 'Target position of first move'. The first move's velocity profile (a trapezoid) ends at this target position. The second move's velocity profile starts at a higher speed than the first move's peak speed and decelerates to zero. Callouts 'Target position of first move' and 'Vector speed' are present.</p>

# Motion Coordinated Linear Move (MCLM)

Use the MCLM instruction to start a single or multi-dimensional linear coordinated move for the specified axes within a Cartesian coordinate system. You can define the new position as either absolute or incremental.

## Operands: Relay Ladder



Operand:	Type:	Format:	Description:
Coordinate System	COORDINATE_SYSTEM	tag	Coordinated group of axes.
Motion Control	MOTION_INSTRUCTION	tag	Structure used to access instruction status parameters.
Move Type	SINT, INT, or DINT	immediate or tag	Select the Move Type: 0 = Absolute 1 = Incremental
Position	REAL	array tag [ ]	[coordination units]
Speed	SINT, INT, DINT, or REAL	immediate or tag	[coordination units]
Speed Units	SINT, INT, or DINT	immediate	0 = Units per Sec 1 = % of Maximum
Accel Rate	SINT, INT, DINT, or REAL	immediate or tag	[coordination units]
Accel Units	SINT, INT, or DINT	immediate	0 = Units per Sec <sup>2</sup> 1 = % of Maximum
Decel Rate	SINT, INT, DINT, or REAL	immediate or tag	[coordination units]
Decel Units	SINT, INT, or DINT	immediate	0 = Units per Sec <sup>2</sup> 1 = % of Maximum
Profile	SINT, INT, or DINT	immediate	0 = Trapezoidal 1 = S-Curve
Termination Type	SINT, INT, or DINT	immediate or tag	0 = Actual Tolerance 1 = No Settle 2 = Command Tolerance 3 = No Decel 4 = Follow Contour Velocity Constrained 5 = Follow Contour Velocity Unconstrained See Choose a termination type on page 7-9.
Merge	SINT, INT, or DINT	immediate	0 = Disabled 1 = Coordinated Motion 2 = All Motion
Merge Speed	SINT, INT, or DINT	immediate	0 = Programmed 1 = Current



MCLM(CoordinateSystem, Motion Control, MoveType, Position, Speed, SpeedUnits, AccelRate, AccelUnits, DecelRate, DecelUnits, VelocityProfile, TerminationType, Merge, MergeSpeed);

### Structured Text

The operands are the same as those for the relay ladder MCLM instruction.

**Note:** When entering enumerations for the operand value in Structured Text, multiple word enumerations must be entered without spaces. For example: when entering Decel Units the value should be entered as unitspersec<sup>2</sup> rather than Units per Sec<sup>2</sup> as displayed in the ladder logic.

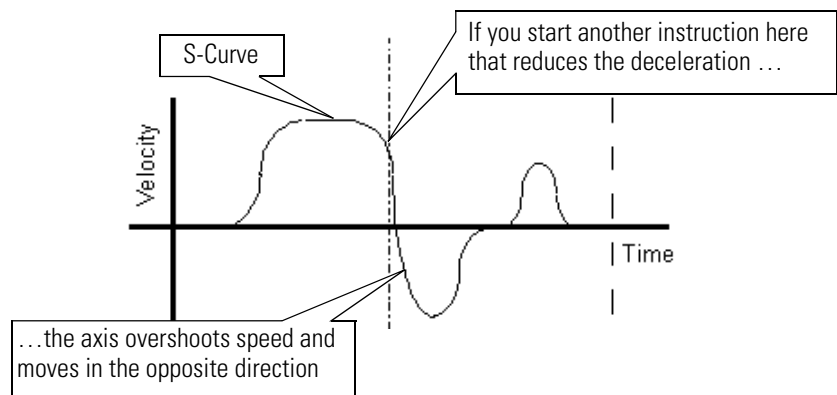
For the operands that have enumerated values, enter your selection as:

This operand:	Has these options which you...	
	enter as text:	or enter as a number:
Move Type	no enumeration	0 (Absolute) 1 (Incremental)
Speed Units	unitspersec %ofmaximum	0 1
Accel Units	unitspersec <sup>2</sup> %ofmaximum	0 1
Decel Units	unitspersec <sup>2</sup> %ofmaximum	0 1
Profile	trapezoidal scurve	0 1
Termination Type	no enumeration	0 (Actual Tolerance) 1 (No Settle) 2 (Command Tolerance) 3 (No Decel) 4 (Follow Contour Velocity Constrained) 5 (Follow Contour Velocity Unconstrained) See Choose a termination type on page 7-9.
Merge	Disabled Coordinatedmotion Allmotion	0 1 2
Merge Speed	Programmed Current	0 1

**Description** The Motion Coordinated Linear Move (MCLM) instruction performs a linear move using up to three (3) axes statically coupled to the coordinate system as primary axes in a Cartesian coordinate system. You specify whether to use absolute or incremental target position and the desired speed. The actual speed is a function of both the mode of the move (commanded speed or percent of maximum speed) and the combination of primary axes that are commanded to move. The vector speed of the move is based on the time it takes to complete a vector move using the programmed axes. Each axis is commanded to move at a speed that allows all axes to reach the endpoint (target position) at the same time.

**ATTENTION****If you use an S-Curve profile**

Be careful if you change the acceleration, deceleration, or speed while an axis is accelerating or decelerating along an S-Curve profile. You can cause an axis to overshoot its speed or move in the opposite direction.



This happens because jerk limits the acceleration and deceleration time of an S-Curve profile. You reduce jerk when you reduce acceleration, reduce deceleration, or increase speed. The smaller jerk can cause:

- an accelerating axis to overshoot its speed
- a decelerating axis to move in the opposite direction

For more information, see Logix5000 Motion Modules User Manual, publication 1756-UM006.

## Coordinate System

The Coordinate System operand specifies the set of motion axes that define the dimensions of a Cartesian coordinate system. For this release the coordinate system supports up to three (3) primary axes. Only those axes configured as primary axes are included in the coordinate velocity calculations.

## Motion Control

The following control bits are affected by the MCLM instruction.

<b>Mnemonic:</b>	<b>Description:</b>
.EN (Enable) Bit 31	The Enable Bit is set when the rung transitions from false to true and resets when the rung goes from true to false.
.DN (Done) Bit 29	The Done Bit sets when the coordinated instruction has been verified and queued successfully. Because it is set at the time it is queued it may appear as set when a runtime error is encountered during the verify operation after it comes out of the queue. It resets when the rung transitions from false to true.
.ER (Error) Bit 28	The Error Bit is reset when the rung transitions from false to true. It is set when the coordinated move has not successfully initiated. It is also set with the Done Bit when a queued instruction encounters a runtime error.
.IP (In Process) Bit 26	The In Process Bit is set when the coordinated move is successfully initiated. It is reset when there is no succeeding move and the coordinated move reaches the new position, or when there is a succeeding move and the coordinated move reaches the specifications of the termination type, or when the coordinated move is superseded by another MCLM or MCCM instruction with a merge type of Coordinated Move, or when terminated by an MCS instruction.
.AC (Active) Bit 23	When you have a coordinated move instruction queued, the Active Bit lets you know which instruction is controlling the motion. It sets when the coordinated move becomes active. It is reset when the Process Complete bit is set or when the instruction is stopped.
.PC (Process Complete) Bit 27	The Process Complete Bit is reset when the rung transitions from false to true. It is set when there is no succeeding move and the coordinated move reaches the new position, or when there is a succeeding move and the coordinated move reaches the specified Termination Type.
.ACCEL (Acceleration Bit) Bit 01	The Acceleration Bit sets while the coordinated move is in the acceleration phase. It resets while the coordinated move is in the constant velocity or deceleration phase, or when coordinated motion concludes.
.DECEL (Deceleration Bit) Bit 02	The Deceleration bit sets while the coordinated move is in the deceleration phase. It resets while the coordinated move is in the constant velocity or acceleration phase, or when coordinated motion concludes.



## Move Type

The Move Type operand specifies the method used to indicate the coordinated move path. The Move Type can be either Absolute or Incremental.

### Absolute

When the Move Type is Absolute, the axes move via a linear path to the position defined by the position array at the Speed, Accel Rate and Decel Rate as specified by the operands.

When the axis is configured for rotary operation, an Absolute Move type behaves in the same manner as for a linear axis. When the axis position exceeds the Unwind Parameter, it is unwound. In this way, axis position is never greater than the Unwind value nor less than zero.

The sign of the specified position is interpreted by the interpolator and can be either positive or negative. Negative position values instruct the interpolator to move the rotary axis in a negative direction to obtain the desired absolute position, while positive values indicate that positive motion is desired to reach the target position. When the position value is greater than the unwind value, an error is generated. The axis never moves through more than one unwind cycle before stopping at an absolute position.

### Incremental

When the Move Type is Incremental, the coordinate system moves the distance as defined by the position array at the specified Speed, using the Accel and Decel rates determined by the respective operands, via a linear path.

The specified distance is interpreted by the interpolator and can be positive or negative. Negative position values instruct the interpolator to move the axis in a negative direction, while positive values indicate positive motion is desired to reach the target position. Motion greater than one unwind cycle is allowed in Incremental mode.

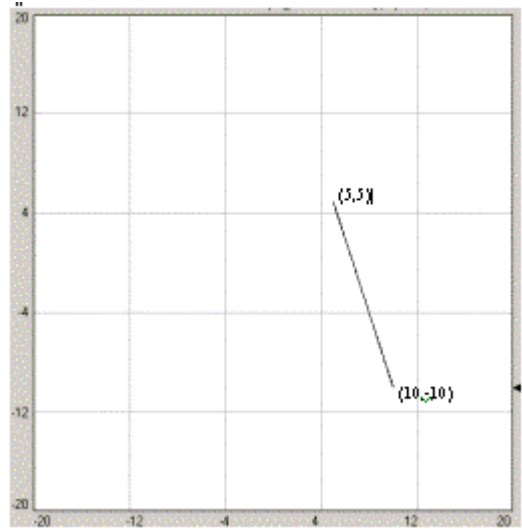
**MCLM Move Type Examples** The following examples show the use of the MCLM with Move Type of Absolute (first example) and Incremental (second example) to arrive at the same result. The basic assumptions are:

- The 2 axes, Axis0 and Axis1, are both members of the coordinate system, Coordinated\_sys.
- Axis0 and Axis1 are orthogonal to each other.

- Coordinated\_sys is initially at (5,5) units.

Move the Coordinated\_sys linearly to (10,-10) units at the vector speed of 10.0 units per second with the acceleration and deceleration values of 5.0 units per second<sup>2</sup>.

The following graph is the path generated by the above assumptions.



**Figure 7.2 Resulting Plot of Path**

The total distance travelled along the path of the vector is:

$$D_{Axis0} = 10 - 5 = 5$$

$$D_{Axis1} = -10 - 5 = -15$$

$$TotalDist = \sqrt{(D_{Axis0})^2 \oplus (D_{Axis1})^2} = 15.811388$$

The vector speed of the selected axes is equal to the specified speed in the position units per second. The speed of each axis is proportional to the distance traveled by the axis divided by the square root of the sum of the squares of the distance moved by all axes. The actual speed of Axis0 is the following percent of the vector speed of the move.

$$\%Axis0 \text{ Speed} = |D_{Axis0} / TotalDist| = |5 / 15.811388| = .3162 = 31.62\%$$

$$\%Axis1 \text{ Speed} = |D_{Axis1} / TotalDist| = |-15 / 15.811388| = .9487 = 94.87\%$$

For the example,

$$Axis0 \text{ Speed} = .3162 * 10.0 = 3.162 \text{ units/sec.}$$

Axis1 Speed = .9487 \* 10.0 = 9.487 units/sec.

The acceleration and deceleration for each axis is the same percentage as speed.

The following ladder instructions show the ladder logic necessary to achieve this path using Move Type = Absolute and Move Type = Incremental, respectively.

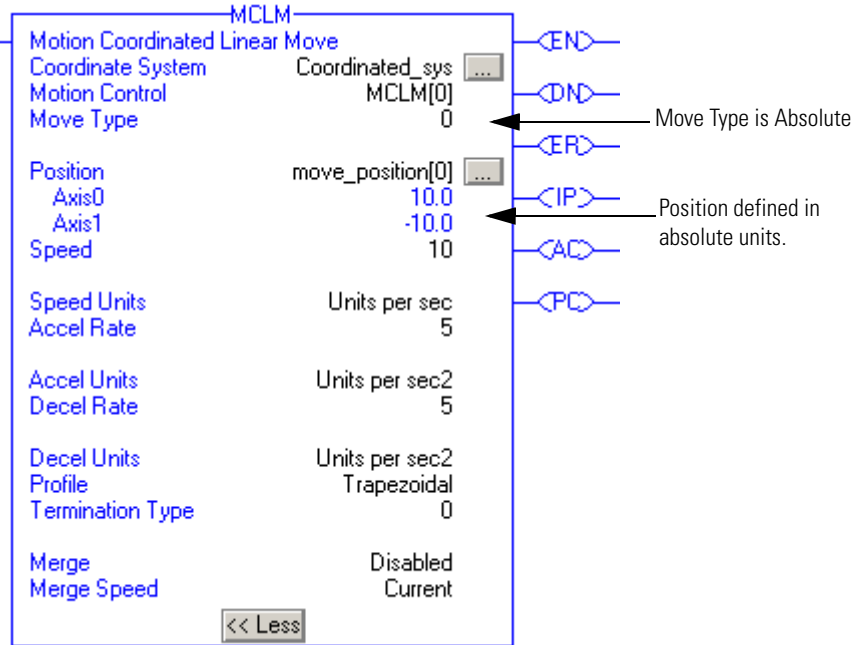


Figure 7.3 MCLM Ladder Instruction with Move Type of Absolute

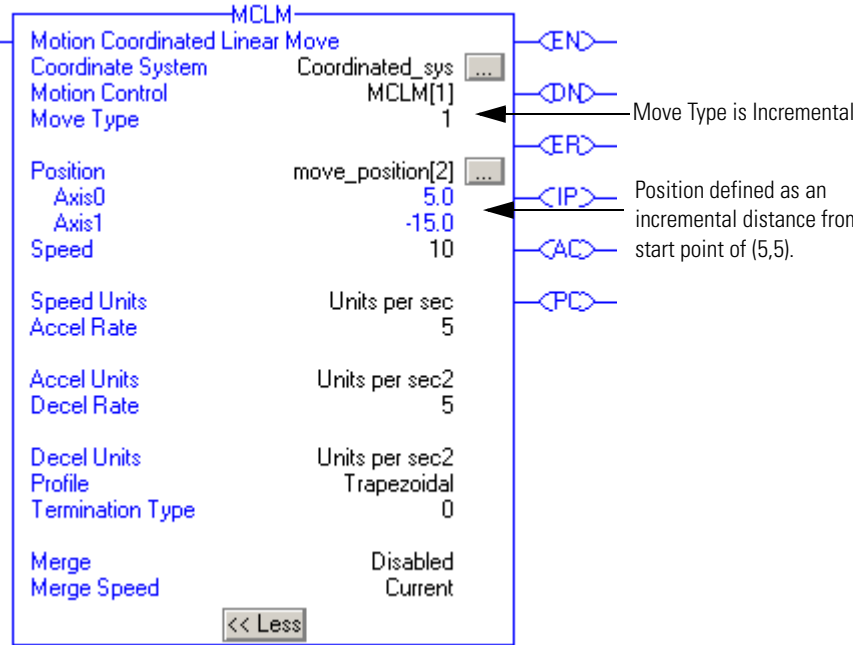


Figure 7.4 MCLM Ladder Instruction with Move Type of Incremental

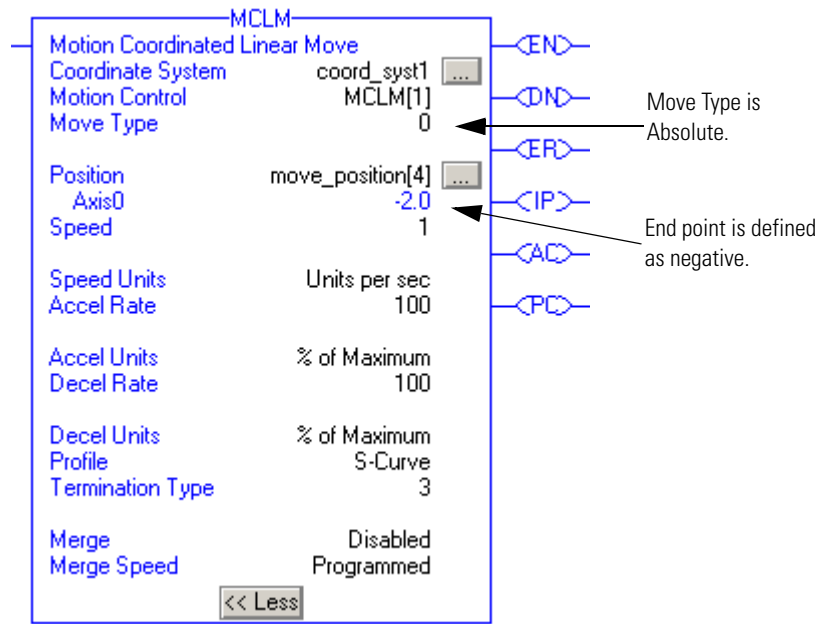
**MCLM Instruction With Rotary Axes Examples**

The following examples show the plot of the paths for MCLM instructions that have axes defined as Rotary.

**MCLM with One Rotary Axis and Move Type of Absolute**

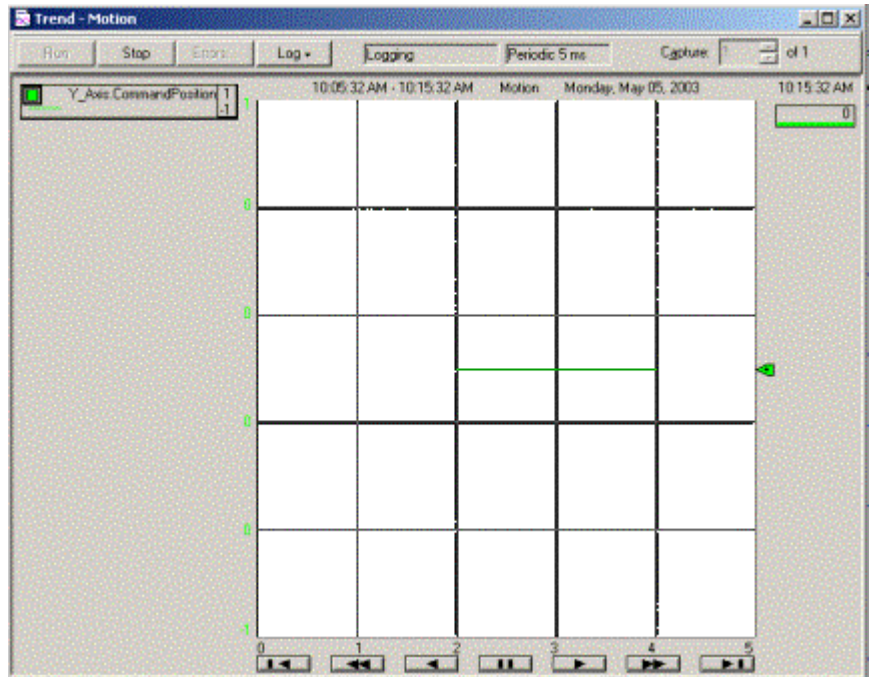
The first example uses a coordinate system of one axis and a Move type of Absolute. The plot of the path is based on the following assumptions:

- 1 axis Coordinate System named coord\_syst1
- Axis0 is Rotary with an unwind of 5 revs.
- Start position is 4.
- End position is -2.



**Figure 7.5 MCLM Ladder Instruction with Move Type of Absolute**

The resultant plot of the move's path is shown in the following illustration.



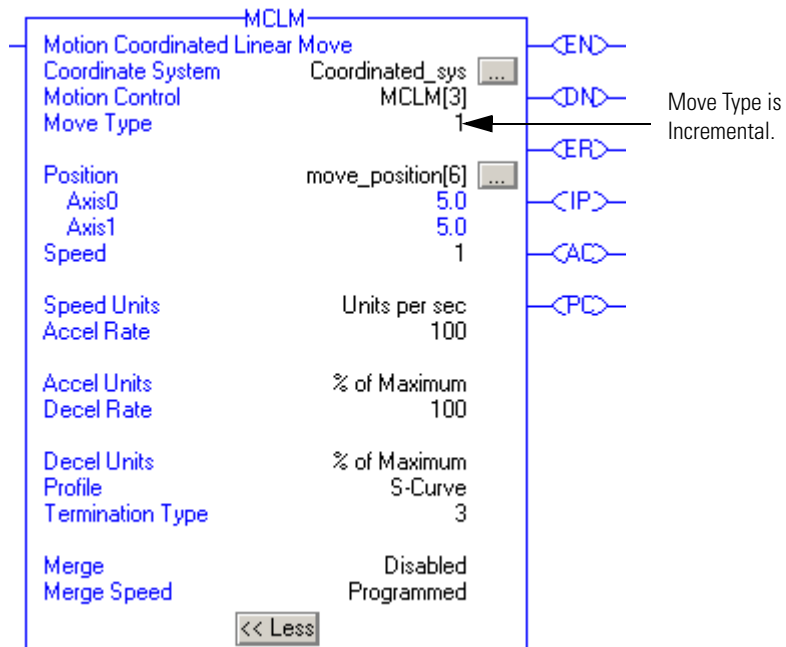
**Figure 7.6 Plot of MCLM with One Rotary Axis and Move Type of Absolute**

The endpoint was a negative value therefore the axis travelled in a negative direction moving from 4 to 2. It did not travel through the unwind. For this move the endpoint is required to fit within the absolute position defined by the rotary unwind of the axis. Therefore an unwind value of 6 or -6 would not be valid.

### **MCLM with Two Rotary Axes and Move Type of Incremental**

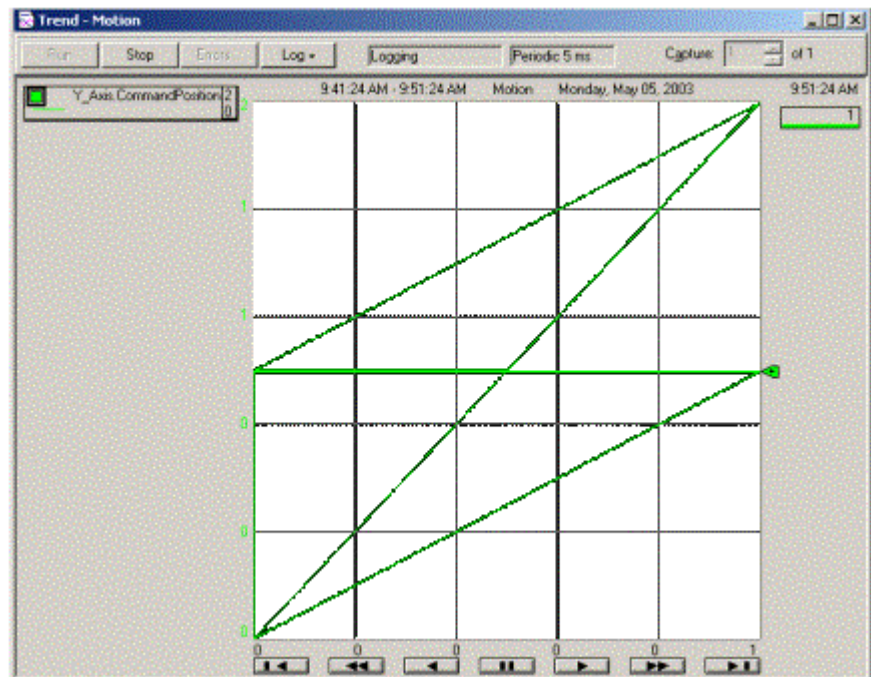
The second MCLM example with rotary axes has two rotary axes and a Move Type of Incremental. The plot of the path has the following assumptions:

- 2 axis Coordinate System named Coordinated\_sys
- Axis0 is Rotary with an unwind of 1 revs.
- Axis1 is Rotary with an unwind of 2 revs.
- Start position is 0,0.
- Increment to end position is 5,5.



**Figure 7.7 MCLM Ladder Instruction with Move Type of Incremental**

The previous MCLM ladder program produces the following plot of the moves' path.



**Figure 7.8 Plot of MCLM with Two Rotary Axes and Move Type of Incremental**

In the plot above the axes travel a reverse “z” pattern two and one half times, stopping at an actual position of 0,1. This equates to 5 revolutions/unwinds for Axis0 and 2.5 revolutions/unwinds for Axis1. The position increments for this move are positive therefore, the axes

move in a positive direction with Axis0 moving from 0 to 1 and Axis1 moving from 0 to 2. In this example the endpoint is not required to fit within the absolute position defined by the rotary unwind of the axes. The path of the coordinated motion is determined in linear space but position of the axes is limited by the rotary configuration.

### **Position**

A one dimensional array, whose dimension is defined to be at least the equivalent of the number of axes specified in the coordinate system. The Position array defines either the new absolute or incremental position.

### **Speed**

The Speed operand defines the maximum vector speed along the path of the coordinated move.

### **Speed Units**

The Speed Units operand defines the units applied to the Speed operand either directly in coordination units of the specified coordinate system or as a percentage of the maximum values defined in the coordinate system.

### **Accel Rate**

The Accel Rate operand defines the maximum acceleration along the path of the coordinated move.

### **Accel Units**

The Accel Units operand defines the units applied to the Accel Rate operand either directly in coordination units of the specified coordinate system or as a percentage of the maximum values defined in the coordinate system.

### **Decel Rate**

The Decel Rate operand defines the maximum deceleration along the path of the coordinated move.

### **Decel Units**

The Decel Units operand defines the units applied to the Decel Rate operand either directly in coordination units of the specified coordinate system or as a percentage of the maximum values defined in the coordinate system.

### Profile

The Profile operand determines whether the coordinated move uses a trapezoidal or S-Curve velocity profile.

The ControlLogix motion controller provides trapezoidal (linear acceleration and deceleration), and S-Curve (controlled jerk) velocity profiles. A guide to the effects of these motion profiles on various application requirements is given below.

### Velocity Profile Effects

Profile Type	ACC/DEC Time	Motor Stress	Priority of Control Highest to Lowest			
			Trapezoidal	Fastest	Worst	Acc/Dec
S-Curve	2X Slower	Best	Jerk	Acc/Dec	Velocity	Position

#### Trapezoidal

The trapezoidal velocity profile is the most commonly used profile since it provides the most flexibility in programming subsequent motion and the fastest acceleration and deceleration times. The maximum change in velocity is specified by acceleration and deceleration. Since jerk is not a factor for trapezoidal profiles, it is considered infinite and is shown as series of vertical lines in the following graph.

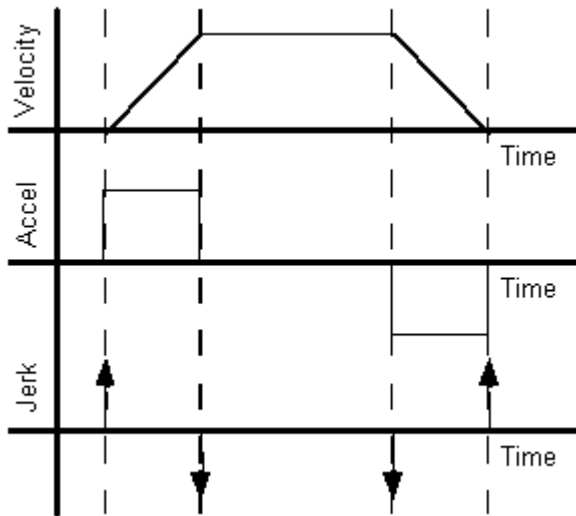


Figure 7.9 Trapezoidal Accel/Decel Time



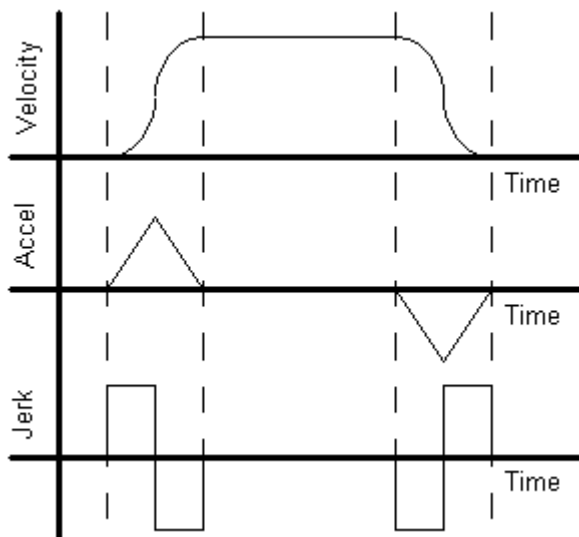
## S-Curve

S-Curve velocity profiles are most often used when the stress on the mechanical system and load needs to be minimized. The S-Curve profile, however, sacrifices acceleration and deceleration time compared to the trapezoidal. The maximum rate at which velocity can accelerate or decelerate is further limited by jerk. The Jerk rate is calculated as follows:

$$\text{Accel Jerk} = (\text{Max Accel})^2 / \text{Max Velocity}$$

$$\text{Decel Jerk} = (\text{Max Decel})^2 / \text{Max Velocity}$$

Coordinate motion acceleration and deceleration jerk rate calculations are performed when an MCLM, MCCM, MCCD, or MCS instruction is started. The calculated Jerk Rate produces triangular acceleration and deceleration profiles, as shown in the following diagram.



**Figure 7.10 S-Curve Accel/Decel Time**

See the MCCD instruction for more details about the impact changes made by an MCCD instruction.

## Merge

The Merge operand determines whether or not to turn the motion of all specified axes into a pure coordinated move. The Merge options include: Merge Disabled, Coordinated Motion, or All Motion.

### Merge Disabled

Any currently executing single axis motion instructions involving any axes defined in the specified coordinate system are not affected by the activation of this instruction, and results in

superimposed motion on the affected axes. Also, any coordinated motion instructions involving the same specified coordinate system runs to completion based on its termination type.

### **Coordinated Motion**

Any currently executing coordinated motion instructions involving the same specified coordinate system are terminated. The active motion is blended into the current move at the speed defined in the merge speed parameter. Any pending coordinated motion instructions are cancelled. Any currently executing system single axis motion instructions involving any axes defined in the specified coordinate system will not be affected by the activation of this instruction, and will result in superimposed motion on the affected axes.

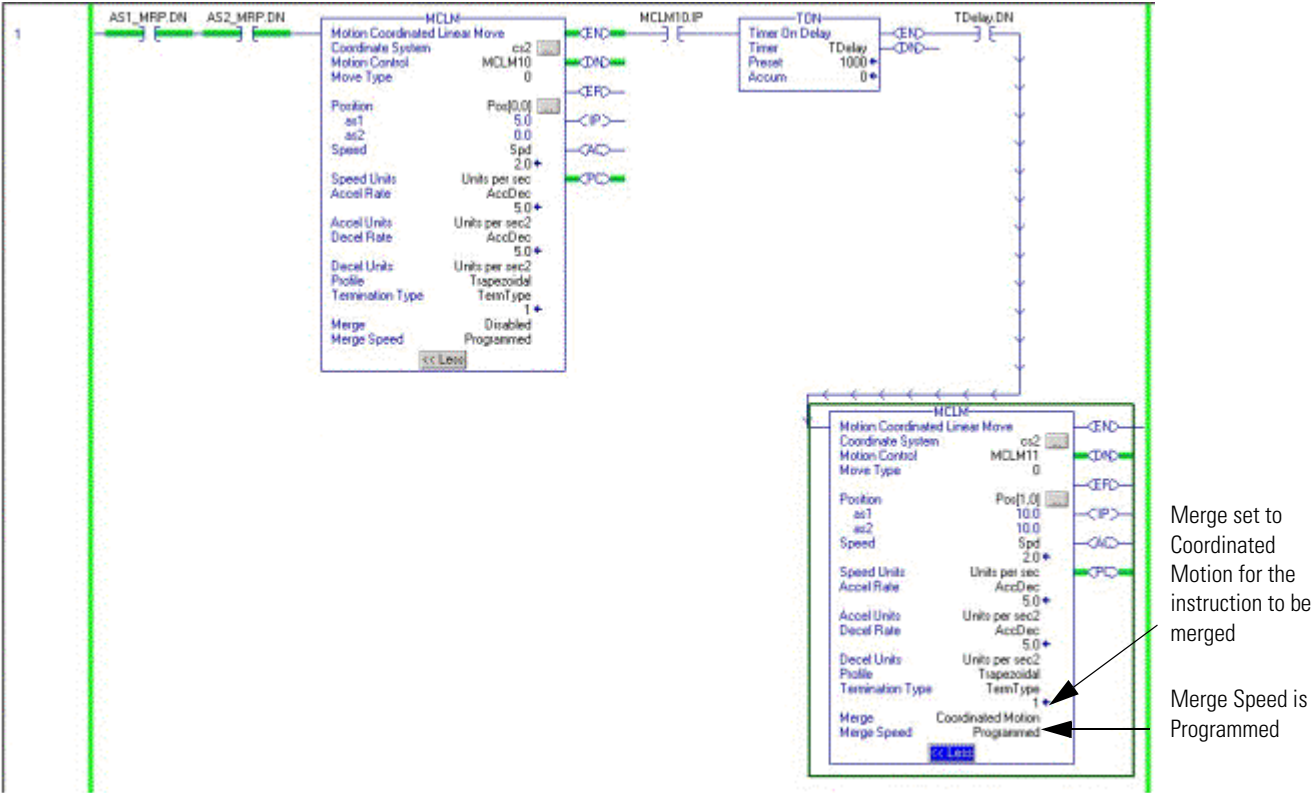
### **All Motion**

Any currently executing single axis motion instructions involving any axes defined in the specified coordinate system and any currently executing coordinated motion instructions are terminated. The prior motion is merged into the current move at the speed defined in Merge Speed parameter. Any pending coordinated move instructions are cancelled.

### **Merge Speed**

The Merge Speed operand is always set to Programmed in current version. Programmed speed is used as the maximum speed along the path of the coordinated move.

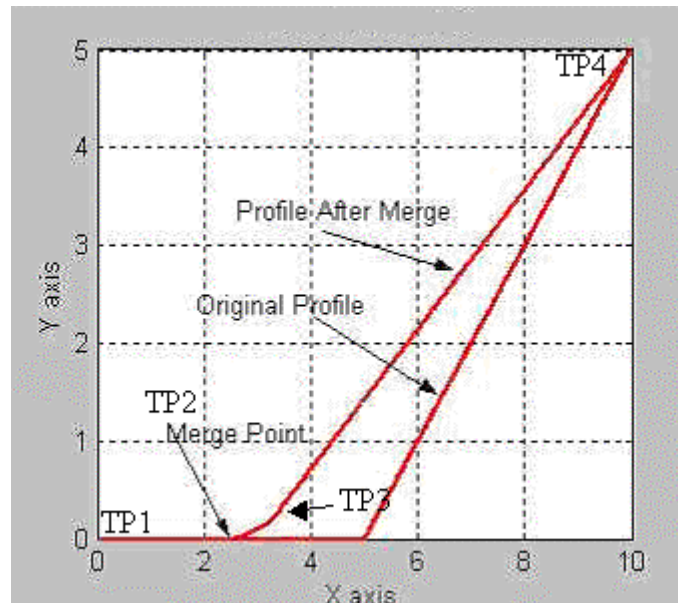
**Merge Example** The MCLM ladder diagram uses Coordinate System cs2 to merge an mclm10 instruction with a target absolute position of (5,0) into an mclm11 instruction with the target position of (10,5).



**Figure 7.11 Ladder Diagram Showing Merge**

If the axes are orthogonal to each other, and the coordinate system cs2 is initially at (0,0) units, then the motion caused by this diagram depends on the time at which the second instruction is executed. The blending begins as soon as the second move is initiated and the first

move is terminated immediately. In the ladder diagram for this example, transition begins when the timer Tdelay expires.



**Figure 7.12 Graph Showing Result of Merge**

The bit states at various transition points for the merge move.

Bit	TP1	TP2	TP3	TP4
Move1.DN	T	T	T	T
Move1.IP	T	F	F	F
Move1.AC	T	F	F	F
mcclm10.PC	F	T	T	T
Move2.DN	T	T	T	T
Move2.IP	T	T	T	F
Move2.AC	F	T	T	F
Move2.PC	F	F	F	T
cs2.MoveTransitionStatus	F	T	F	F
cs2.MovePendingStatus	T	F	F	F
cs2.MovePendingQueueFullStatus	T	F	F	F

**Note:** Currently Coordinated Motion only supports the queuing of one coordinated motion instruction. Therefore the MovePendingStatus bit and the MovePendingQueueFullStatus bit are always the same.

**Additional Note On Merging Instructions**

A move from point A to point B is initiated as shown in the figure below. When the axis is at point C, a merge to point D is initiated. As a result the current instruction is terminated at point C. The control computes the deceleration distance needed at point C along the vector

AB from the current velocity to zero velocity. This distance is shown as vector CF. The imaginary point F is then computed by adding the vector CF to point C. The resultant merged motion from C to D is as shown below. It follows the curved line starting from C then joins the straight line from F to D. This path is identical as if the original programmed move was made from point A to F then from F to D with a Termination Type of No Decel.

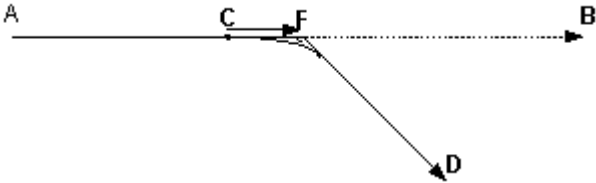


Figure 7.13 Merge Example

**MCLM Target Position Entry Dialog Box**

The Target Position Entry Dialog box for the MCLM instruction provides an easy format for editing Position. To gain access to the Target Position Entry dialog box you must have inserted the name of the coordinated system into the instruction, you must have a valid tag name entered in the position field with sufficient elements to handle the number of axes, and you must have selected a valid Move Type.

To access the MCLM Instruction Target Position Entry Dialog box, press the ellipsis after the Position line on the instruction faceplate.

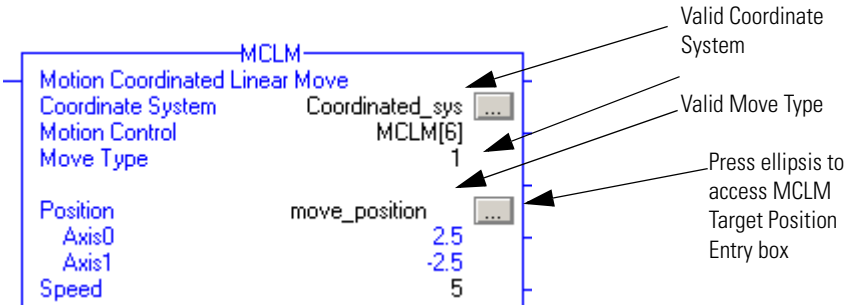
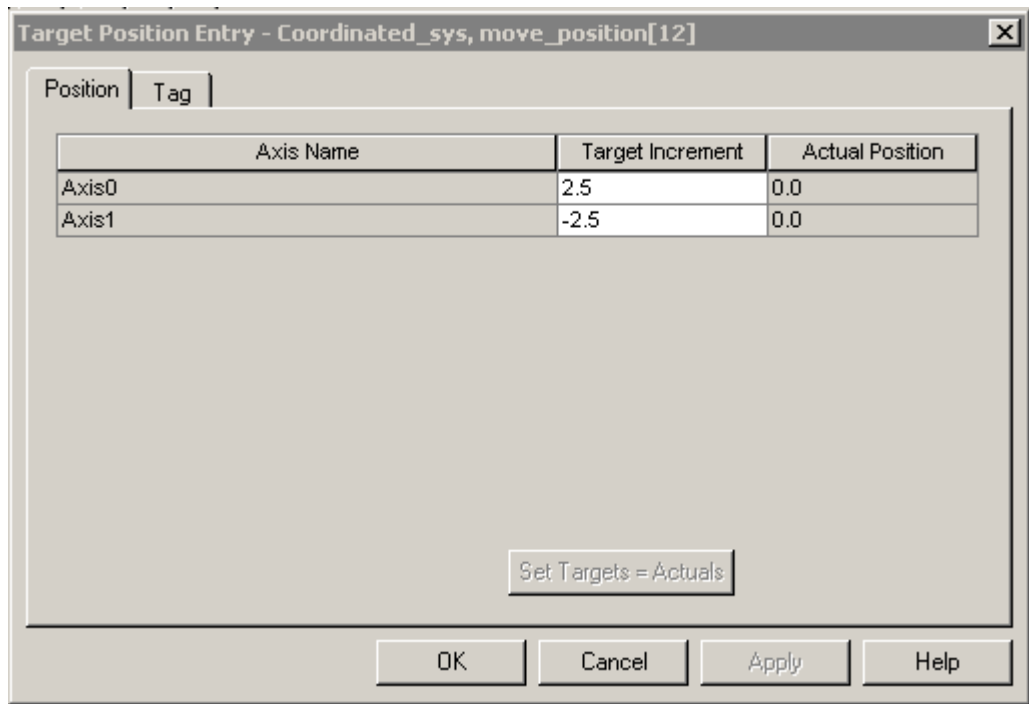


Figure 7.14 MCLM Ladder Valid Values for Accessing Target Position Entry Box

Pressing the ellipsis button at the Position line of the ladder instruction faceplate calls the following Target Position Entry box for editing the position values.



**Figure 7.15 MCLM Instruction Target Position Entry Dialog Box - Position Tab**

The dialog title indicates the Coordinate System and Tag Names for the instruction.

Feature	Description
Axis Name	These fields list the names of each axis contained in the Coordinate System. You cannot alter the axis names in this dialog.
Target Position/Target Increment	This field contains the endpoint or increment of the coordinated move as specified in the instruction faceplate. It is numeric.
Actual Position	These are the current actual positions of the axes in the coordinate system. These positions are updated dynamically when on-line and Coordinate System Auto Tag Update is enabled.
Set Targets = Actuals Button	This button automatically copies the actual position values to the Target Position Column.

The selected Move type governs the appearance and the availability of the Set Targets = Actuals button.

When the Move Type is Absolute, the target column is entitled Target Position and when the Move Type is Incremental, the target column is entitled Target Increment and the Set Targets = Actuals button is disabled (Grayed out).

MCLM is a transitional instruction:

- In relay ladder, toggle the rung-condition-in from cleared to set each time the instruction should execute.
- In structured text, condition the instruction so that it only executes on a transition. See Appendix C.

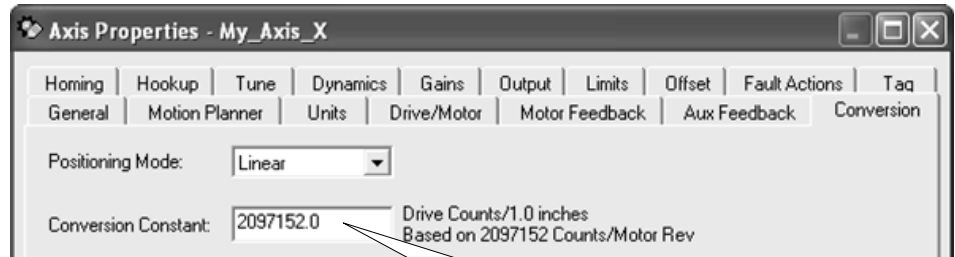
**Arithmetic Status Flags:** not affected

**Fault Conditions:** none

**Error Codes: MCLM Error Codes (.ERR)**

<b>Code</b>	<b>Error Message</b>	<b>Description</b>
3	Execution Collision	Attempted execution on an axis that already has another instance of this instruction executing. This situation is possible when instructions that require messaging are executed without Done (.DN) Bit 29 run qualification.
5	Servo Off State	The servo loop of at least one axis is not closed. See the Extended Error section for more information about this error.
7	Shutdown State	At least one axis is in the shutdown state. See the Extended Error section for more information about this error.
8	Axis Type Not Servo	At least one axis is not configured as a servo axis type. See the Extended Error section for more information about this error.
9	Overtravel Condition	At least one axis is trying to move in a direction that violates the current overtravel condition.
11	Axis Not Configured	At least one axis is not configured to a physical motion module or has not been assigned to a Motion Group. See the Extended Error section for more information about this error.
13	Parameter Out of Range	The value of at least one parameter is out of range. See the Extended Error section for information on which parameter is in an error state.
16	Homing in Process Error	At least one axis is executing a homing sequence. See the Extended Error section for more information about this error.
19	Motion Group Not Synchronized	The associated Motion Group is not synchronized.
20	Axis in Faulted State	Attempted execution on an axis, which is in the Faulted state.
23	Illegal Dynamic Change	At least one axis is currently undergoing a coordinated move via another coordinate system.
24	Illegal Controller Mode	The current operating mode of the controller does not support the instruction.
38	Illegal Axis Data Type	At least one axis is not configured as an axis data type that can accept a command. See the Extended Error section for more information about this error.
43	Coordinate System Queue Full	There are more motion instructions activated than the instruction queue can hold.
50	Coordinate System Not in Group	The coordinate system tag is not associated with a motion group.
51	Actual Position Tolerance is Zero	The Termination Type is set to Actual Position with a value of 0. This value is not supported.

Code	Error Message	Description
52	Coordinated Motion In Process Error	At least one axis is involved in a coordinated move through another coordinate system.
54	Maximum Deceleration Value is Zero	The Decel Rate of either the Coordinate System or the Axis is set to zero. This is an illegal value for Decel Rate. It inhibits start motion. See the Extended Error section for more information about this error.
65	The selected axis exceeded the maximum system travel limits (position overflowed)	The axis moved too far and the controller can't store the position. The range for position depends on the conversion constant of the axis.



- Maximum positive position = 2,147,483,647 / conversion constant of the axis
- Maximum negative position = -2,147,483,648 / conversion constant of the axis

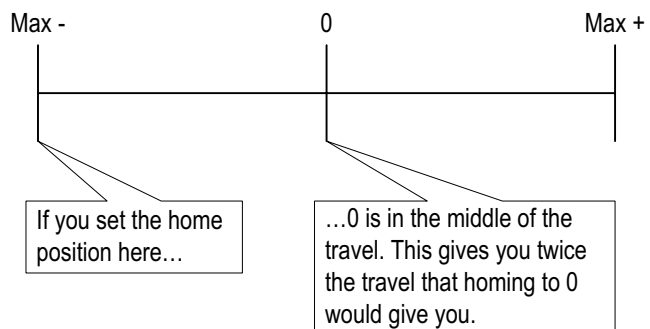
Suppose you have a conversion constant of 2,097,152 counts/inch. In that case:

- Maximum positive position = 2,147,483,647 / 2,097,152 counts/inch = 1023 inches
- Maximum negative position = -2,147,483,648 / 2,097,152 counts/inch = -1023 inches

To prevent this error:

- Set up soft travel limits that keep the axis within the position range.
- One way to get more travel is to use the max negative or max positive position as your home position.

Example



**Extended Error Codes:** Extended Error codes help to further define the error message given for this particular instruction. Their behavior is dependent upon the Error Code with which they are associated.



The Extended Error Codes for Servo Off State (5), Shutdown State (7), Axis Type Not Servo (8), Axis Not Configured (11), Homing In Process Error (16), and Illegal Axis Data type (38) errors all function in the same fashion. A number between 0 and  $n$  is displayed for the Extended Error Code. This number is the index to the Coordinate System indicating the axis that is in the error condition.

For Error Code Axis Not Configured (11) there is an additional value of -1 which indicates that Coordinate System was unable to setup the axis for coordinate motion.

For the MCLM instruction, Error Code 13 - Parameter Out of Range, Extended Errors return a number that indicates the offending parameter as listed on the faceplate in numerical order from top to bottom beginning with zero. For example, 2 indicates the parameter value for Move Type is in error.

Referenced Error Code and Number	Extended Error Numeric Indicator	Instruction Parameter	Description
Parameter Out Of Range (13)	2	Move Type	Move Type is either less than 0 or greater than 1.
Parameter Out Of Range (13)	3	Position	The position array is not large enough to provide positions for all the axes in the coordinate system.
Parameter Out Of Range (13)	4	Speed	Speed is less than 0.
Parameter Out Of Range (13)	6	Accel Rate	Accel Rate is less than or equal to 0.
Parameter Out Of Range (13)	8	Decel Rate	Decel Rate is less than or equal to 0.
Parameter Out Of Range (13)	11	Termination Type	Termination Type is less than 0 or greater than 3.

For the Error Code 54 – Maximum Deceleration Value is Zero, if the Extended Error returns a positive number (0- $n$ ) it is referring to the offending axis in the coordinate system. Go to the Coordinate System Properties General Tab and look under the Brackets ([ ]) column of the Axis Grid to determine which axis has a Maximum Deceleration value of 0. Click on the ellipsis button next to the offending axis to access the Axis Properties screen. Go to the Dynamics tab and make the appropriate change to the Maximum Deceleration Value. If the Extended Error number is -1, this means the Coordinate System has a Maximum Deceleration Value of 0. Go to the Coordinate System Properties Dynamics Tab to correct the Maximum Deceleration value.

**MCLM Changes to Status Bits:** Status Bits provide a means for monitoring the progress of the motion instruction. There are three types of Status Bits that provide pertinent information. They are: Axis Status Bits, Coordinate System Status Bits, and Coordinate Motion Status Bits. When the MCLM instruction initiates, the status bits undergo the following changes.

### Axis Status Bits

Bit Name:	Meaning:
CoordinatedMotionStatus	Sets when the instruction starts. Clears when the instruction ends.

### Coordinate System Status Bits

Bit Name:	Meaning:
MotionStatus	Sets when the MCLM instruction is active and the Coordinate System is connected to its associated axes.

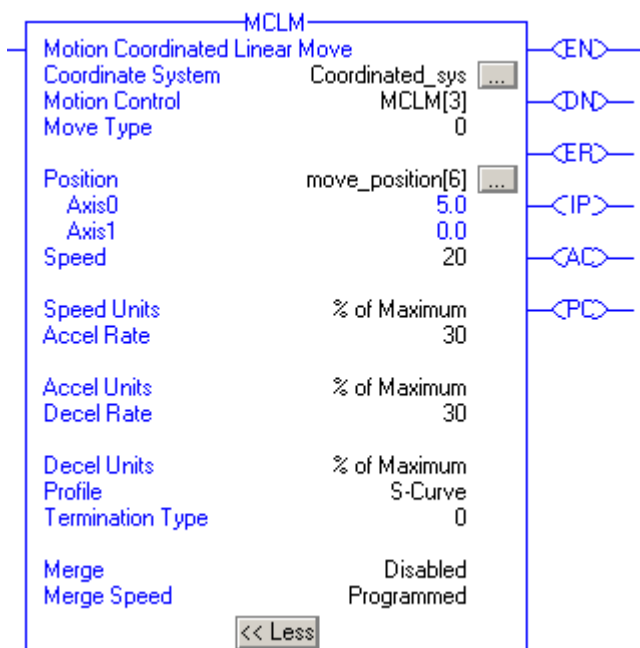
### Coordinate Motion Status Bits

Bit Name:	Meaning:
AccelStatus	Sets when vector is accelerating. Clears when a blend is in process or when vector move is decelerating.
DecelStatus	Sets when vector is decelerating. Clears when a blend is in process or when vector move is accelerating.
ActualPosToleranceStatus	Sets for Actual Tolerance Termination Type only. It sets after the following two conditions are met. 1) Interpolation is complete. 2) The actual distance to the programmed endpoint is less than the configured coordinate system Actual Tolerance value. The bit remains set after an instruction completes. The bit is reset when a new instruction is started.
CommandPosToleranceStatus	Sets for all Termination Types whenever the distance to the programmed endpoint is less than the configured coordinate system Command Tolerance value. The bit remains set after an instruction completes. It resets when a new instruction is started.
StoppingStatus	The Stopping Status bit is cleared when the MCLM instruction initiates.
MoveStatus	Sets when MCLM begins axis motion. Clears on .PC bit of the last motion instruction or when a motion instruction executes which causes a stop.
MoveTransitionStatus	Sets when No Decel or Command Tolerance Termination Type is satisfied. When blending collinear moves the bit is not set because the machine is always on path. It clears when a blend completes, the motion of a pending instruction starts, or a motion instruction executes which causes a stop. Indicates not on path.
MovePendingStatus	Sets when one pending coordinated motion instruction is in the instruction queue. Clears when the instruction queue is empty.

Bit Name:	Meaning:
MovePendingQueueFullStatus	Sets when the instruction queue is full. It clears when the queue has room for a new coordinated motion instruction.

**Note:** Currently Coordinated Motion only supports the queuing of one coordinated motion instruction. Therefore the MovePendingStatus bit and the MovePendingQueueFullStatus bit are always the same.

### Example: Relay Ladder



**Figure 7.16 MCLM Ladder Instruction**

### Structured Text

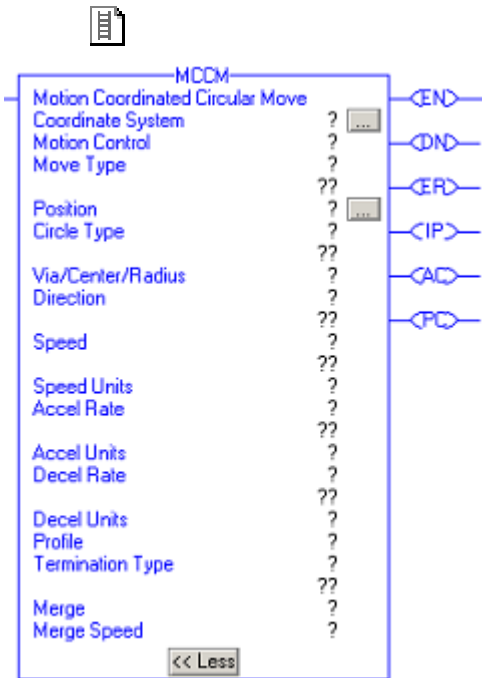
```
MCLM(Coordinated_sys,MCLM[3],0,move_position[6],5.0,0.0,20
%ofmaximum,30,%ofmaximum,30,%ofmaximum,scurve,0,
disabled,programmed);
```

## Motion Coordinated Circular Move (MCCM)

Use the MCCM instruction to initiate a two or three dimensional circular coordinated move for the specified axes within the Cartesian coordinate system. New position is defined as either an absolute or incremental position.

**Note:** The dimension of the circle is defined by the number of axes contained within the coordinate system. For example, if you have a coordinate system that contained three axes with an MCCM instruction that has motion in only two dimensions, the resultant move is still considered a three dimensional arc or circle.

### Operands: Relay Ladder



Operand:	Type:	Format:	Description:
Coordinate System	COORDINATE_SYSTEM	tag	Coordinate group of axes.
Motion Control	MOTION_INSTRUCTION	tag	Structure used to access instruction status parameters.
Move Type	SINT, INT, or DINT	immediate or tag	0 = Absolute 1 = Incremental
Position	REAL	array tag[]	[coordination units]
Circle Type	SINT, INT, or DINT	immediate or tag	0 = Via 1 = Center 2 = Radius 3 = Center Incremental
Via/Center/Radius	REAL	array tag[] (via/center) Immediate or tag (radius)	[coordination units]
Direction	SINT, INT, or DINT	immediate or tag	<b>2D</b> 0 = CW 1 = CCW 2 = CW Full 3 = CCW Full <b>3D</b> Shortest Longest Shortest Full Longest Full
Speed	SINT, INT, DINT, or REAL	immediate or tag	[coordination units]
Speed Units	SINT, INT, or DINT	immediate	0 = Units per Sec 1 = % of Maximum
Accel Rate	SINT, INT, DINT, or REAL	immediate or tag	[coordination units]
Accel Units	SINT, INT, or DINT	immediate	0 = Units per Sec <sup>2</sup> 1 = % of Maximum
Decel Rate	SINT, INT, DINT, or REAL	immediate or tag	[coordination units]
Decel Units	SINT, INT, or DINT	immediate	0 = Units per Sec <sup>2</sup> 1 = % of Maximum

<b>Operand:</b>	<b>Type:</b>	<b>Format:</b>	<b>Description:</b>
Profile	SINT, INT, or DINT	immediate	0 = Trapezoidal 1 = S-Curve
Termination Type	SINT, INT, or DINT	immediate or tag	0 = Actual Tolerance 1 = No Settle 2 = Command Tolerance 3 = No Decel 4 = Follow Contour Velocity Constrained 5 = Follow Contour Velocity Unconstrained See Choose a termination type on page 7-9.
Merge	SINT, INT, or DINT	immediate	0 = Disabled 1 = Coordinated Motion 2 = All Motion
Merge Speed	SINT, INT, or DINT	immediate	0 = Programmed 1 = Current



```
MCCM(CoordinateSystem,
MotionControl, MoveType,
Position, Speed, Speedunits,
AccelRate, AccelUnits,
DecelRate, DecelUnits,
VelocityProfile,
TerminationType, Merge,
MergeSpeed);
```

### Structured Text

The operands are the same as those for the relay ladder MCCM instruction.

**Note:** When entering enumerations for the operand value in Structured Text, multiple word enumerations must be entered without spaces. For example: when entering Decel Units the value should be entered as  $\text{unitspersec}^2$  rather than Units per  $\text{Sec}^2$  as displayed in the ladder logic.

For the operands that have enumerated options, enter your selection as:

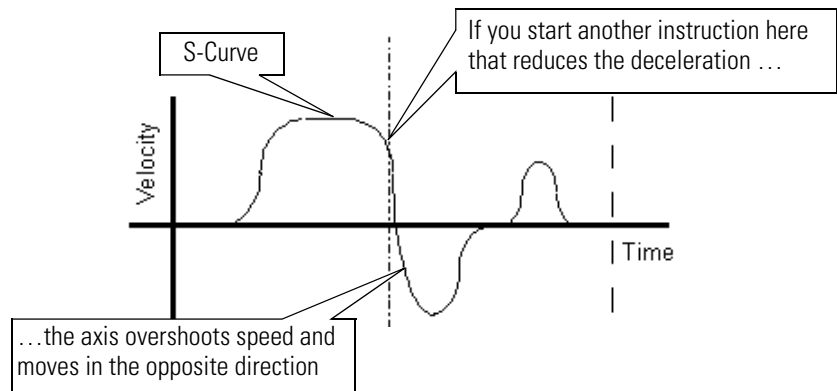
<b>This operand:</b>	<b>Has these options which you...</b>	
	<b>enter as text:</b>	<b>or enter as a number:</b>
MoveType	no enumeration	0 (Absolute) 1 (Incremental)
Circle Type	no enumeration	0 (Via) 1 (Center) 2 (Radius) 3 (Center Incremental)
Direction	<b>2D</b> clockwise counterclockwise clockwisefull counterclockwisefull	<b>3D</b> shortest longest shortestfull longestfull
Speed Units	unitspersec %ofmaximum	0 1

This operand:	Has these options which you...	
	enter as text:	or enter as a number:
Accel Units	unitspersec <sup>2</sup> %ofmaximum	0 1
Decel Units	unitspersec <sup>2</sup> %ofmaximum	0 1
Profile	trapezoidal s-curve	0 1
Termination Type	no enumeration	0 (Actual Tolerance) 1 (No Settle) 2 (Command Tolerance) 3 (No Decel) 4 (Follow Contour Velocity Constrained) 5 (Follow Contour Velocity Unconstrained) See Choose a termination type on page 7-9.
Merge	Disabled Coordinatedmotion Allmotion	0 1 2
Merge Speed	Programmed Current	0 1

**Description:** The Motion Coordinated Circular Move (MCCM) performs a circular move using up to three (3) axes statically coupled to the coordinate system as primary axes in a Cartesian coordinate system. The circular move is specified as either absolute or incremental and done at a desired speed. The actual speed of the MCCM is a function of the mode of the move (commanded speed or percent of maximum speed). The speed of the move is based on the time it takes to complete the circular move using the programmed axes. Each axis is commanded to move at a speed that allows for all axes to reach the endpoint (target position) at the same time.

**ATTENTION****If you use an S-Curve profile**

Be careful if you change the acceleration, deceleration, or speed while an axis is accelerating or decelerating along an S-Curve profile. You can cause an axis to overshoot its speed or move in the opposite direction.



This happens because jerk limits the acceleration and deceleration time of an S-Curve profile. You reduce jerk when you reduce acceleration, reduce deceleration, or increase speed. The smaller jerk can cause:

- an accelerating axis to overshoot its speed
- a decelerating axis to move in the opposite direction

For more information, see Logix5000 Motion Modules User Manual, publication 1756-UM006.

**Coordinate System**

The Coordinate System operand specifies the system of motion axes that define the dimensions of a Cartesian coordinate system. For this release the coordinate system supports up to three (3) primary axes. Only the axes configured as primary axes (up to 3) are included in

speed calculations. Only primary axes participate in the actual circular move.

## Motion Control

The following control bits are affected by the MCCM instruction.

<b>Mnemonic:</b>	<b>Description:</b>
.EN (Enable) Bit 31	The Enable Bit is set when the rung transitions from false to true. It resets the rung transitions from true to false.
.DN (Done) Bit 29	The Done Bit sets when the coordinated instruction has been verified and queued successfully. Because it is set at the time it is queued it may appear as set when a runtime error is encountered during the verify operation after it comes out of the queue. It resets when the rung transitions from false to true.
.ER (Error) Bit 28	The Error Bit resets when the rung transitions from false to true. It sets when the coordinated move fails to initiate successfully. It can also be set with the Done bit when a queued instruction encounters a runtime error.
.IP (In Process) Bit 26	The In Process Bit sets when the coordinated move is successfully initiated. It resets when there is a succeeding move and the coordinated move reaches the new position, or when there is no succeeding move and the coordinated move reaches the termination type specifications, or when the coordinated move is superseded by another MCCM or MCLM instruction with a Merge Type of Coordinated Move or when terminated by an MCS or an MCSD instruction.
.AC (Active) Bit 23	When you have a coordinated move instruction queued, the Active Bit lets you know which instruction is controlling the motion. It sets when the coordinated move becomes active. It is reset when the Process Complete bit is set or when the instruction is stopped.
.PC (Process Complete) Bit 27	The Process Complete Bit resets when the rung transitions from false to true. It sets when there is no succeeding move and the coordinated move reaches the new position, or when there is a succeeding move and the coordinated move reaches the Termination Type specification.
.ACCEL (Acceleration) Bit 01	The Acceleration Bit sets while the coordinated move is in acceleration phase. It resets while the coordinated move is in the constant velocity or deceleration phase, or when coordinated motion concludes.
.DECCEL (Deceleration) Bit 02	The Deceleration Bit sets while the coordinated move is in deceleration phase. It resets while the coordinated move is in the constant velocity or acceleration phase, or when coordinated motion concludes.

## Move Type

The Move Type operand determines the method used by the position array to indicate the path of the coordinated move and the method the



via/center/radius parameter uses to indicate the via and center circle positions. The options are: Absolute or Incremental.

### **Absolute**

When the Move Type is Absolute, the coordinate system moves to the specified Position at the defined Speed, using the Accel and Decel Rates as designated by their respective operands, along a circular path.

When an axis is configured for rotary operation, absolute moves are handled in the same manner as with linear axes. When the axis position exceeds the Unwind parameter, an error is generated.

The sign of the specified position array is interpreted by the controller as the direction for the move. Negative position values instruct the interpolator to move the rotary axis in a negative direction to obtain the desired absolute position. A positive value indicates that positive motion is desired to reach the target position. To move to the unwind position in the negative direction a negative unwind position value must be used as 0 and -0 are treated as 0. When the position is greater than the unwind value, an error is generated. The axis can move through the unwind position but never incrementally more than one unwind value.

### **Incremental**

When the Move Type is Incremental, the coordinate system moves the distance as defined by the position array at the specified Speed, using the Accel and Decel rates determined by the respective operands, along a circular path.

The specified distance is interpreted by the interpolator and can be positive or negative. Negative position values instruct the interpolator to move the rotary axis in a negative direction, while positive values indicate positive motion is desired to reach the target position.

### **Position**

The Position operand is a one dimensional array whose dimension is at least equivalent to the number of axes specified in the coordinate system. It is the position array that defines the new absolute or incremental position.

## Circle Type

The Circle Type operand specifies how the array labeled via/center/radius is interpreted. The options are: Via, Circle, Radius, Center Incremental.

### Via

Via indicates that the via/center/radius array members specify a via point between the start and end points.

### Center

Center indicates that the via/center/radius array members contain the circle center.

### Radius

Radius indicates that the first via/center/radius array member contains the radius. Other members are ignored.

### Center Incremental

Center Incremental indicates that the via/center/radius array members define a position that always incrementally defines the center of the circle regardless of Move Type operand. Sign of the incremental value is measured from the start point to the center.

**Two Dimensional Arc Examples** The following examples show the use of Absolute and Incremental Move Types with the various Circle Types.

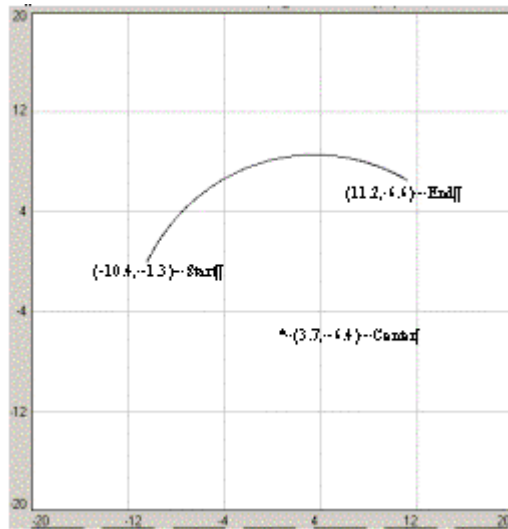
## MCCM Using Center Circle Type

The following examples show the use of the MCCM with a Circle Type of Center and a Move Type of Absolute (first example) and Incremental (second example) to arrive at the same result. The basic assumptions are:

- The 2 axes, Axis0 and Axis1, are both members of the coordinate system, Coordinated\_sys.
- Axis0 and Axis1 are orthogonal to each other.
- Coordinated\_sys is initially at (-10.4,-1.3) units.

Move Coordinated\_sys along an arc to (11.2,6.6) units with a center of (3.7,-6.4) units at the vector speed of 10.0 units per second with the acceleration and deceleration values of 5.0 units per second<sup>2</sup>. The

following graph shows the path generated by the preceding information.



**Figure 7.17 Plot of MCCM Instruction with Circle Type of Center**

The vector speed of the selected axes is equal to the specified speed in the units per second or percent of the maximum speed of the coordinate system. Likewise the vector acceleration and deceleration is equal to the specified acceleration/deceleration in the units per second<sup>2</sup> or percent of maximum acceleration of the coordinate system.

This path can be achieved by using an MCCM instruction in the Clockwise direction with a Move Type = Absolute or with a Move Type = Incremental. When a Circle Type of Center is chosen, the Via/Center/Radius position defines the center of the arc.

MCCM Instruction Move Type Absolute

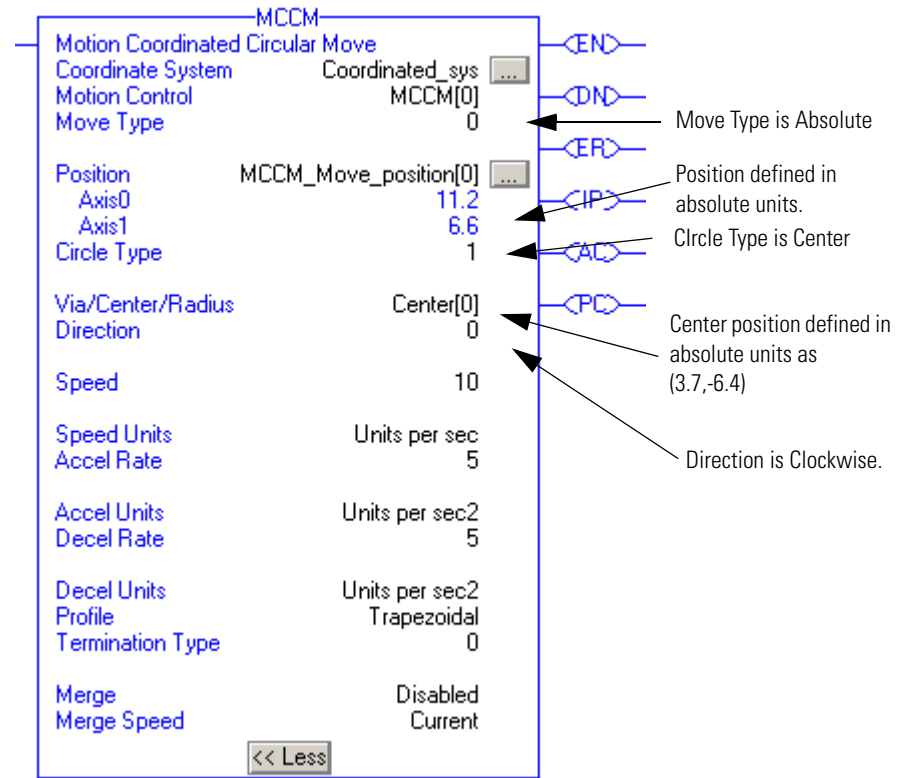
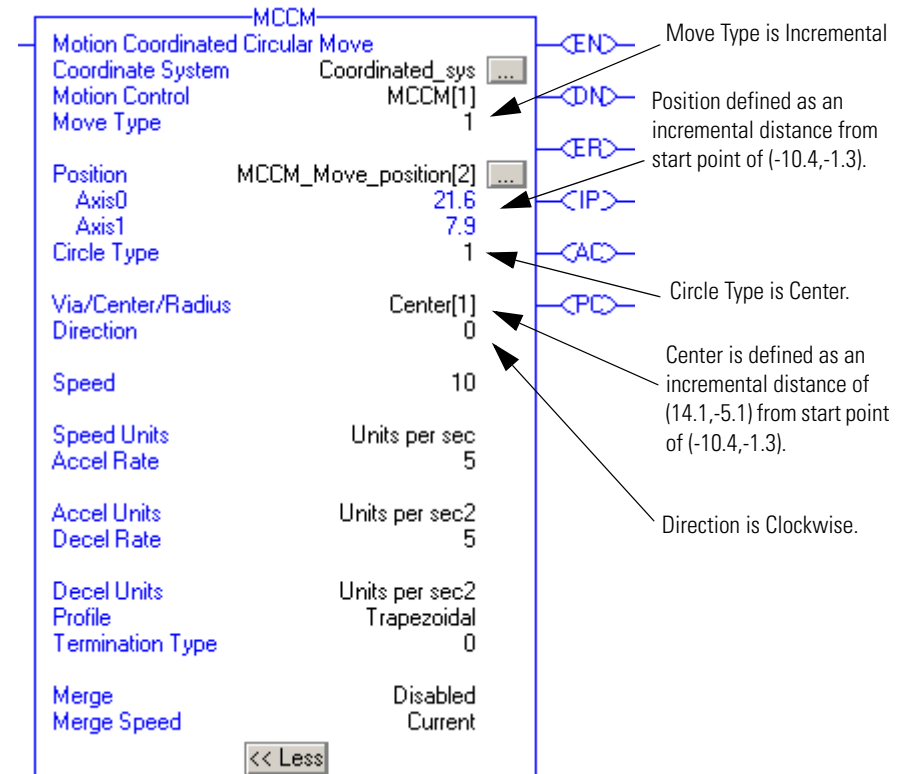


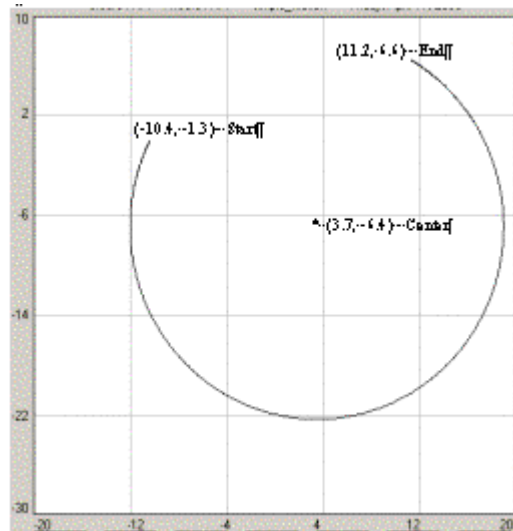
Figure 7.18 MCCM Ladder Instruction with Move Type of Absolute

MCCM Instruction Move Type Incremental



**Figure 7.19 MCCM Ladder Instruction with Move Type of Incremental**

Had a Direction of Counterclockwise been selected (Direction = 1), the axes move along the curve shown in the following graph.

**Figure 7.20 Plot of Path with Direction as Counterclockwise**

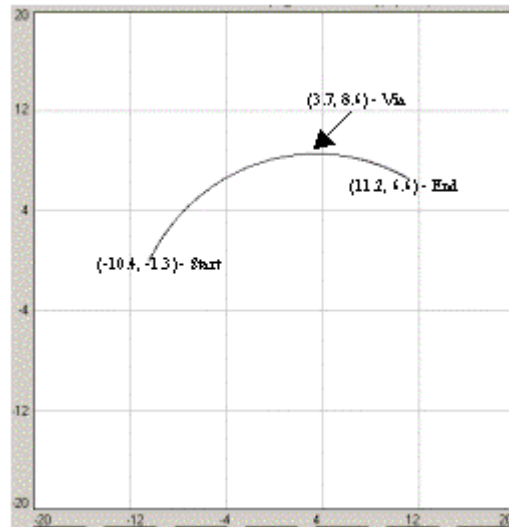
### MCCM Using Via Circle Type

The following examples show the use of the MCCM with a Circle Type of Via and a Move Type of Absolute (first example) and Incremental (second example) to arrive at the same result. The basic assumptions are:

- The 2 axes, Axis0 and Axis1, are both members of the coordinate system, Coordinated\_sys.
- Axis0 and Axis1 are orthogonal to each other.
- Coordinated\_sys is initially at (-10.4,-1.3) units.

Move Coordinated\_sys along an arc to (11.2,6.6) units passing through the point (3.7,8.6) units at the vector speed of 10.0 units per second with the acceleration and deceleration values of 5.0 units per second<sup>2</sup>.

The following graph shows the path generated by the preceding information.

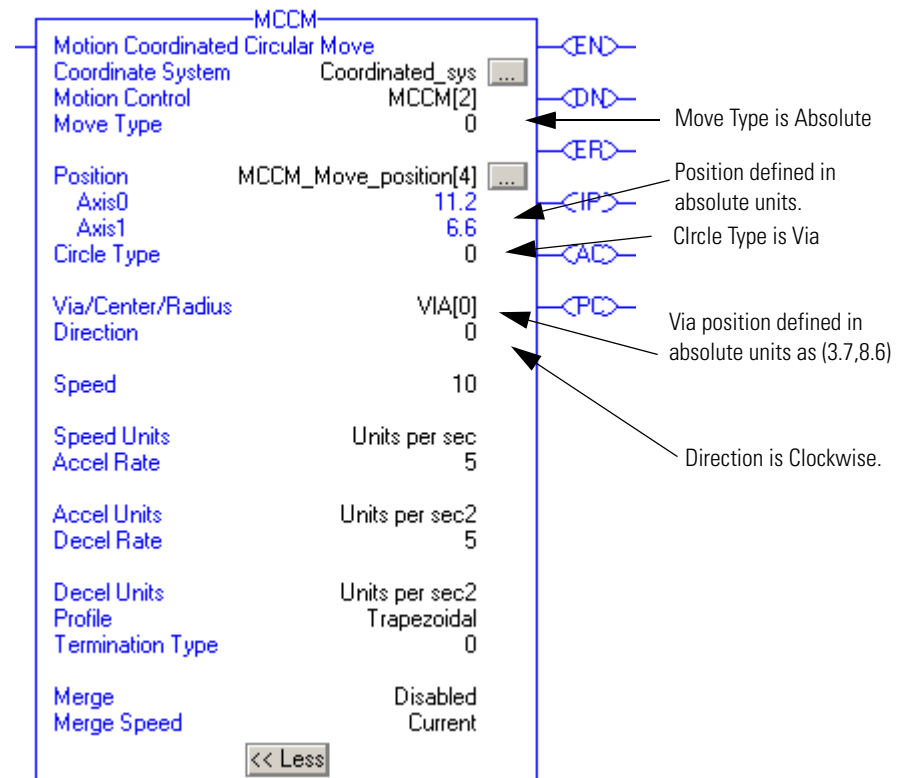


**Figure 7.21 Plot of Path of MCCM with Operands of Via and Absolute**

The vector speed of the selected axes is equal to the specified speed in the units per second or percent of the maximum speed of the coordinate system. Likewise the vector acceleration and deceleration is equal to the specified acceleration/deceleration in the units per second<sup>2</sup> or percent of maximum acceleration of the coordinate system.

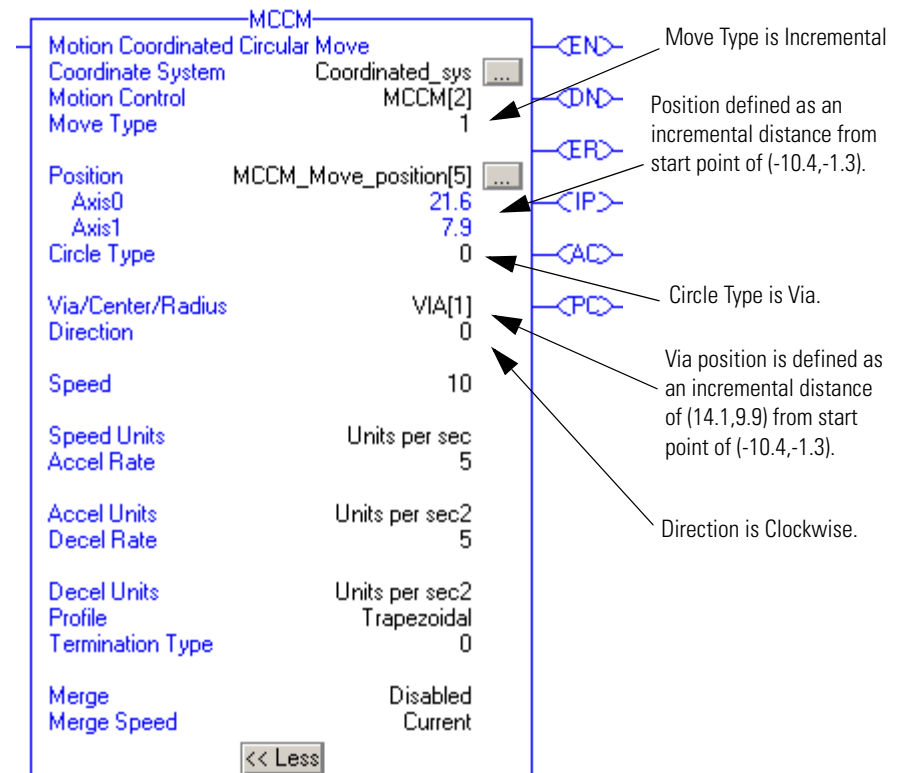
This path can be achieved by using an MCCM instruction in the Clockwise direction with a Move Type = Absolute or with a Move Type = Incremental. When a Circle Type of Via is chosen, the Via/Center/Radius position defines a point through which the arc must pass.

MCCM Instruction Move Type Absolute; Circle Type Via



**Figure 7.22 MCCM Ladder Instruction with Operand Values of Via and Absolute**

MCCM Instruction Move Type Incremental



**Figure 7.23 MCCM Ladder Instruction with Operand Values of Via and Incremental**

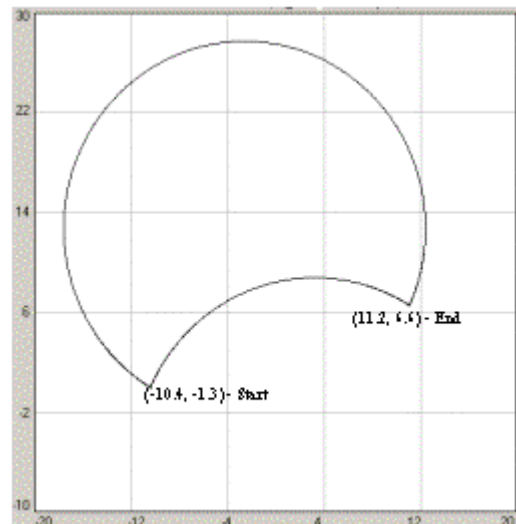
**Note:** Since there are three points (the current position of the axes, the specified end point, and the specified via point) it is difficult to program a bad arc. While it is still certainly possible to program an arc which is not the intended one, a Circular Programming Error runtime fault occurs with an arc if the three points are co-linear (all three on the same line) or not unique (two or more points are the same). In addition, the via point implies that the direction of the arc and thus it is not necessary (and is ignored) to specify the direction.

### MCCM Using Radius Circle Type

The following examples show the use of the MCCM with a Circle Type of Radius and a Move Type of Absolute (first example) and Incremental (second example) to arrive at the same result. The basic assumptions are:

- The 2 axes, Axis0 and Axis1, are both members of the coordinate system, Coordinated\_sys.
- Axis0 and Axis1 are orthogonal to each other.
- Coordinated\_sys is initially at (-10.4,-1.3) units.

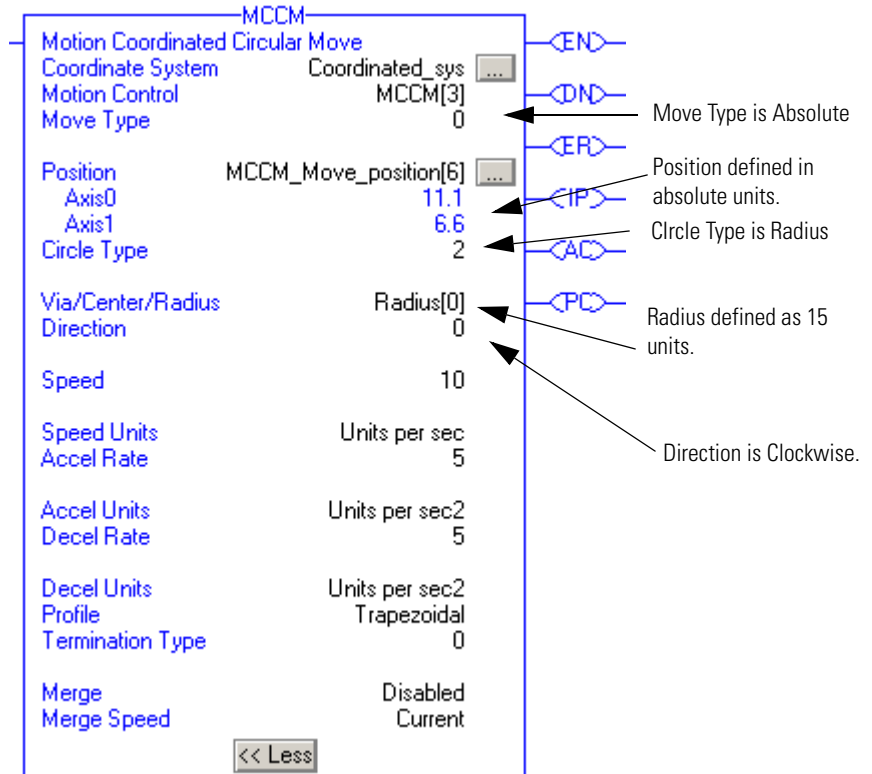
Move Coordinated\_sys along an arc to (11.2,6.6) units with a radius of 15 units at the vector speed of 10.0 units per second with the acceleration and deceleration values of 5.0 units per second<sup>2</sup>. The following graph shows the paths generated by the preceding information using a Radius value of 15 units and -15 units.

**Figure 7.24 Plot of Path with Circle Type of Radius**

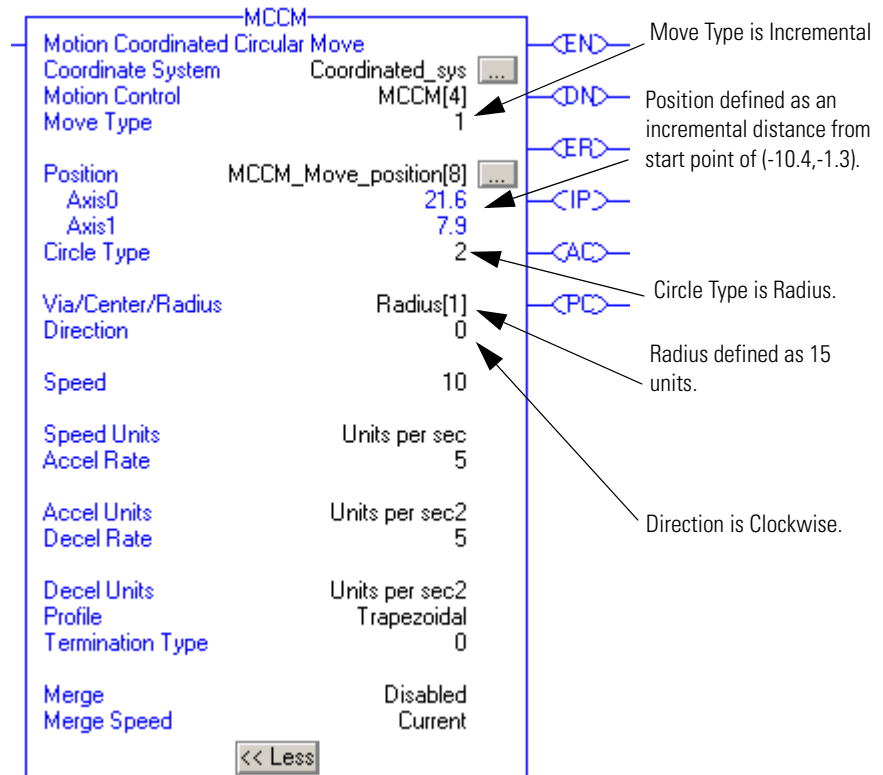
This path can be achieved by using an MCCM instruction in the Clockwise direction with a Move Type = Absolute or with a Move



Type = Incremental. When a Circle Type of Radius is chosen, the Via/Center/Radius position defines the radius of the arc.



**Figure 7.25 MCCM Instruction Move Type Absolute; Circle Type Radius**



**Figure 7.26 MCCM Instruction Move Type Incremental; Circle Type Radius**

**Note:** The Move Type has no effect on the Radius value specification. A Positive radius always creates a shorter (<180°) arc and a negative radius creates a longer (>180°) arc (see path graph). If it is 180°, the sign of the radius is irrelevant. A Circle Type of Radius is valid in two-dimensional coordinate systems only.

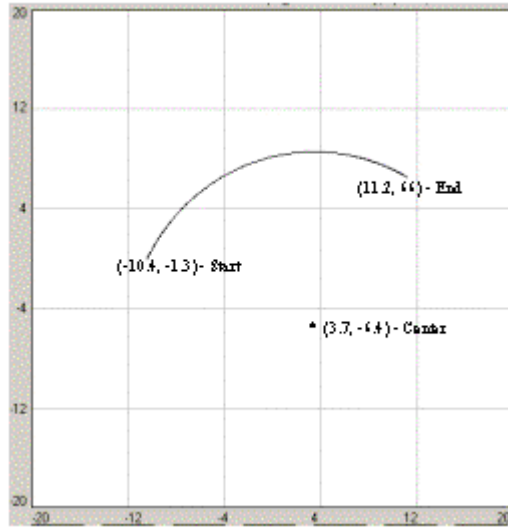
### MCCM Using Center Incremental Circle Type

The following examples show the use of the MCCM with a Circle Type of Center Incremental and a Move Type of Absolute (first example) and Incremental (second example) to arrive at the same result. The basic assumptions are:

- The 2 axes, Axis0 and Axis1, are both members of the coordinate system, Coordinated\_sys.
- Axis0 and Axis1 are orthogonal to each other.
- Coordinated\_sys is initially at (-10.4,-1.3) units.

Move Coordinated\_sys along an arc to (11.2,6.6) units with a center at an increment of (14.1,-5.1) units from the start point at the vector speed of 10.0 units per second with the acceleration and deceleration

values of 5.0 units per second<sup>2</sup>. The following graph shows the path generated by the preceding information.



**Figure 7.27 Plot of Path with Circle Type of Center Incremental**

This path can be achieved by using an MCCM instruction in the Clockwise direction with a Move Type = Absolute or with a Move Type = Incremental. When a Circle Type of Center Incremental is chosen, the Via/Center/Radius position defines the center of the arc.

MCCM		
Motion Coordinated Circular Move		
Coordinate System	Coordinated_sys	...
Motion Control	MCCM[5]	
Move Type	0	← Move Type is Absolute
Position	MCCM_Move_position[10]	...
Axis0	11.2	← Position defined in absolute units.
Axis1	6.6	← Circle Type is Center Incremental.
Circle Type	3	
Via/Center/Radius	VIA[2]	← Center defined as an incremental distance of (14.1, -5.1) from start point of (-10.4, -1.3).
Direction	0	← Direction is Clockwise.
Speed	10	
Speed Units	Units per sec	
Accel Rate	5	
Accel Units	Units per sec <sup>2</sup>	
Decel Rate	5	
Decel Units	Units per sec <sup>2</sup>	
Profile	Trapezoidal	
Termination Type	0	
Merge	Disabled	
Merge Speed	Current	

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**Figure 7.28 MCCM Instruction Move Type Absolute; Circle Type Center Incremental**

The MCCM Instruction with Move Type of Incremental and Center Type of Center Incremental is the same as an MCCM instruction with Move Type Incremental and Circle Type of Center.

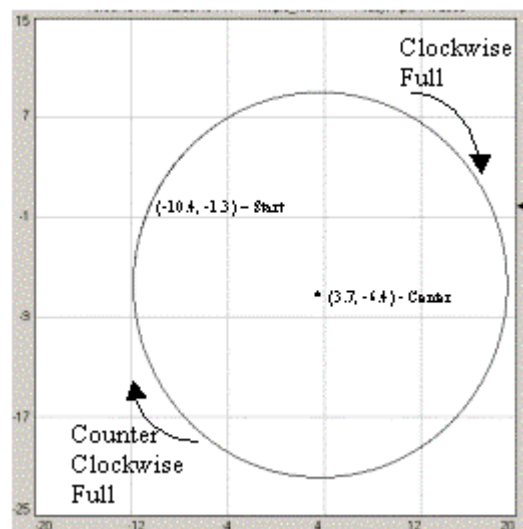
**Two Dimensional Full Circle Example** Creating a full circle is a special case of a circular arc. The following is an example of a two dimensional full circle.

### MCCM Full Circle

The following examples show the use of the MCCM with a Circle Type of Center and a Move Type of Absolute (first example) and Incremental (second example) to create a full circle. The basic assumptions are:

- The 2 axes, Axis0 and Axis1, are both members of the coordinate system, Coordinated\_sys.
- Axis0 and Axis1 are orthogonal to each other.
- Coordinated\_sys is initially at (-10.4,-1.3) units.

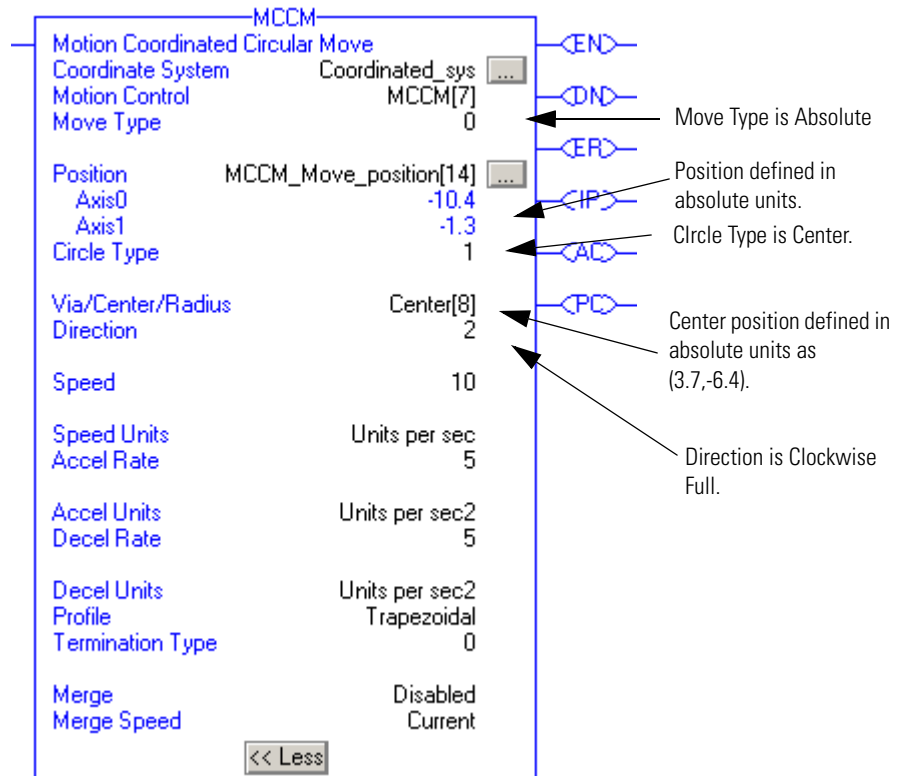
Move Coordinated\_sys along an arc to (-10.4,-1.3) units with a center at (3.7,-6.4) units from the start point at the vector speed of 10.0 units per second with the acceleration and deceleration values of 5.0 units per second<sup>2</sup>. The following graph shows the circle generated by the preceding information.



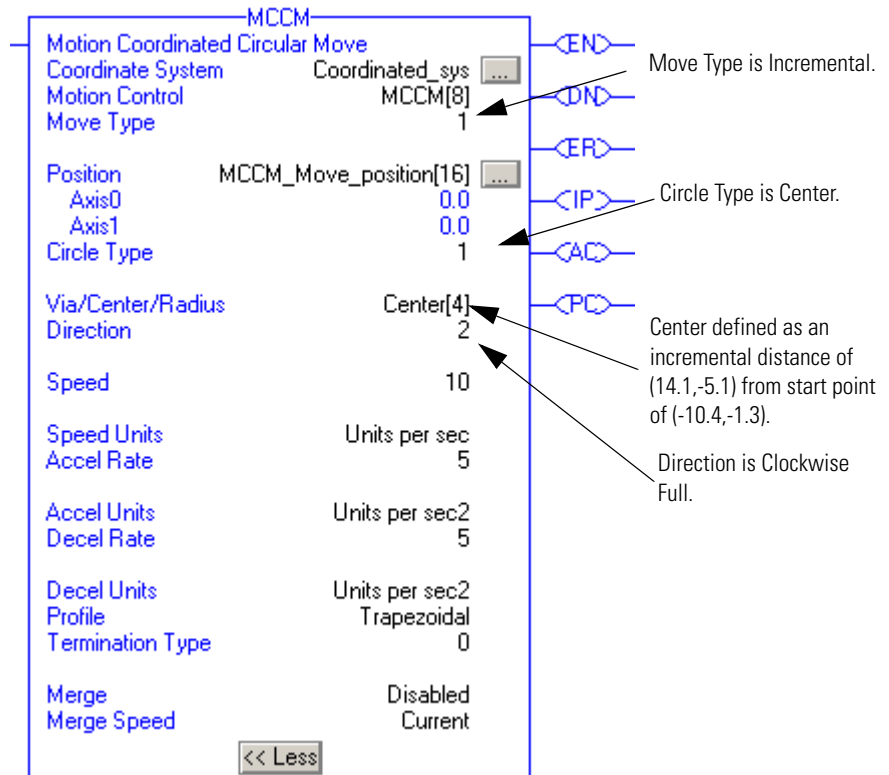
**Figure 7.29 Plot of Path of MCCM Full Circle**

This path can be achieved by using an MCCM instruction in the Clockwise direction with a Move Type = Absolute or with a Move

Type = Incremental. When a Circle Type of Center is chosen, the Via/Center/Radius position defines the center of the arc.



**Figure 7.30 MCCM Instruction Move Type Absolute; Circle Type Center.**



**Figure 7.31 MCCM with Move Type as Incremental and Center Type as Center.**

Note: To draw a full circle using Radius as the Circle Type:

- Start point must not equal the end point.
- Direction must be either Clockwise Full or Counter Clockwise Full.
- Sign of Radius is irrelevant.

### MCCM with Rotary Axes Examples

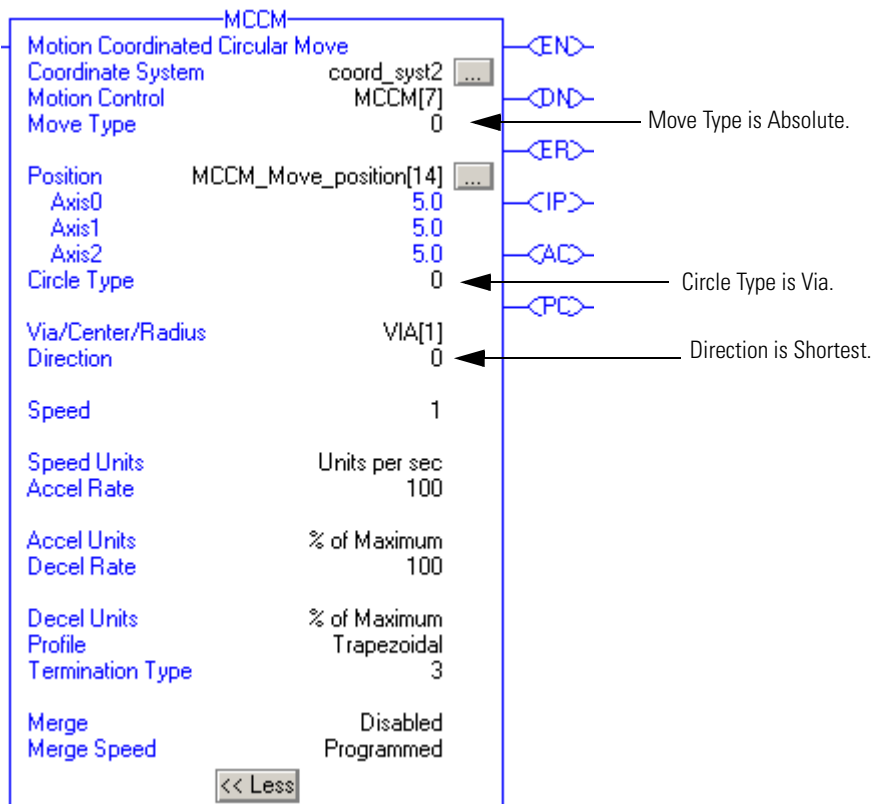
The following examples show the use of the MCCM instruction with Rotary axes and Move Types of Absolute and Incremental.

### MCCM with Three Axes, One Rotary Axis, and Move Type of Absolute

The first example uses a coordinate system of three axes with one Rotary axis and a Move type of Absolute. The plot of the path is based on the following assumptions:

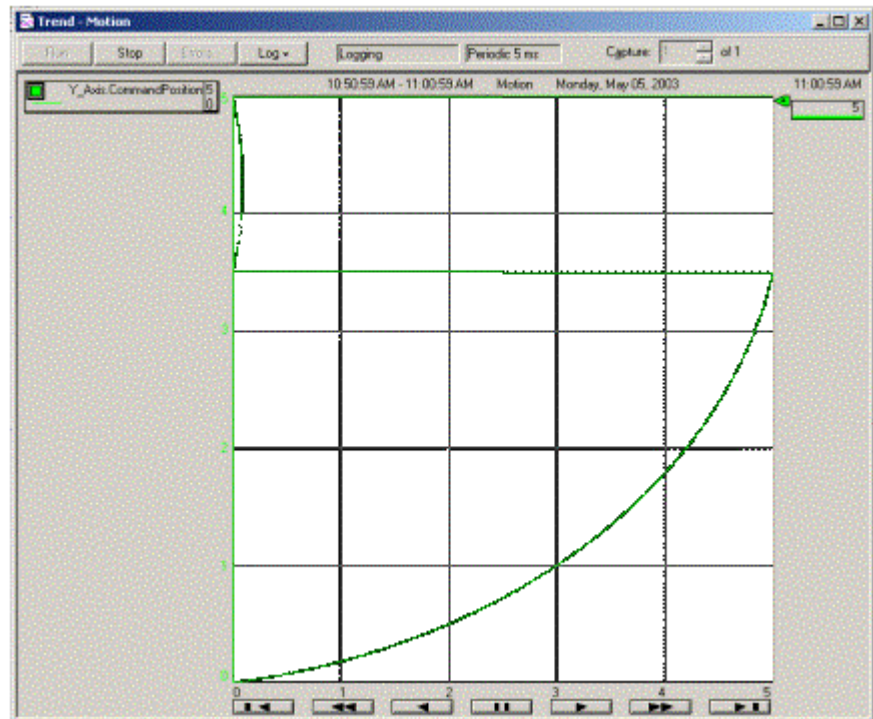
- 3 axis Coordinate System named coord\_syst2 (Axis2, the Z axis, is ignored in plots to reduce the confusion and to better illustrate the actions of the rotary axis (Axis0)).
- Axis0 is Rotary with an unwind of 5 revs.
- Start position is 0,0,0.

- End position is 5,5,5.
- Via position is 5,3.5,3.5



**Figure 7.32 MCCM Ladder Instruction with Move Type of Absolute**

The preceding MCCM instruction produces the following plot.



**Figure 7.33 Plot of MCCM with Three Axes, One Rotary Axis & Move Type of Absolute**

The axis actually travels counter clockwise in an arc from (0,0,0) to (5,5,5) via the (5,3.5,3.5) position. The Direction was specified as clockwise but with Via specified for the Circle Type the Direction operand is ignored. The move stops after generating a 90 degree arc. There was one travel through the unwind for Axis0 even though it was in Move Type of Absolute. It should be noted that the path of the coordinated motion is determined in linear space but the position of the axes is limited by the rotary configuration. The End and Via points are required to fit within the absolute position defined by the rotary unwind of Axis0. However, the resulting motion from these choices can travel through the unwind of the rotary axis.

### **MCCM with Two Rotary Axis and Move Type of Incremental**

The second example uses a coordinate system of two Rotary axes and a Move type of Incremental. The plot of the path is based on the following assumptions:

- 2 axis Coordinate System named Coordinated\_sys.
- Axis0 is Rotary with an unwind of 1 rev.
- Axis1 is Rotary with an unwind of 2 revs.
- Start position is 0,0.
- Increment to end position is 0.5,-0.5.
- Increment to Center position is 0.5,0.



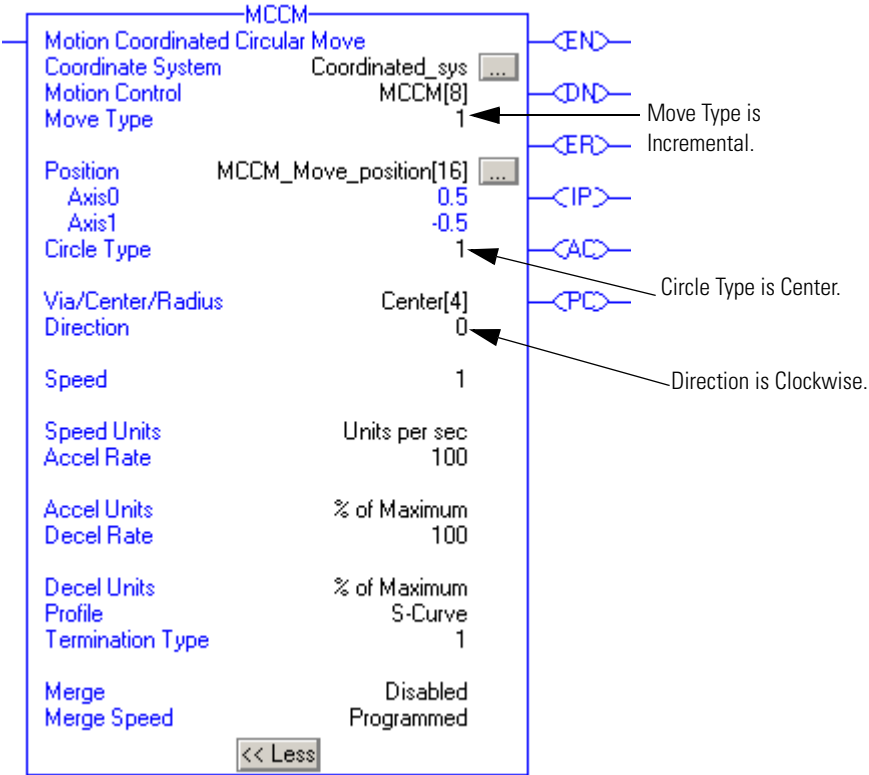
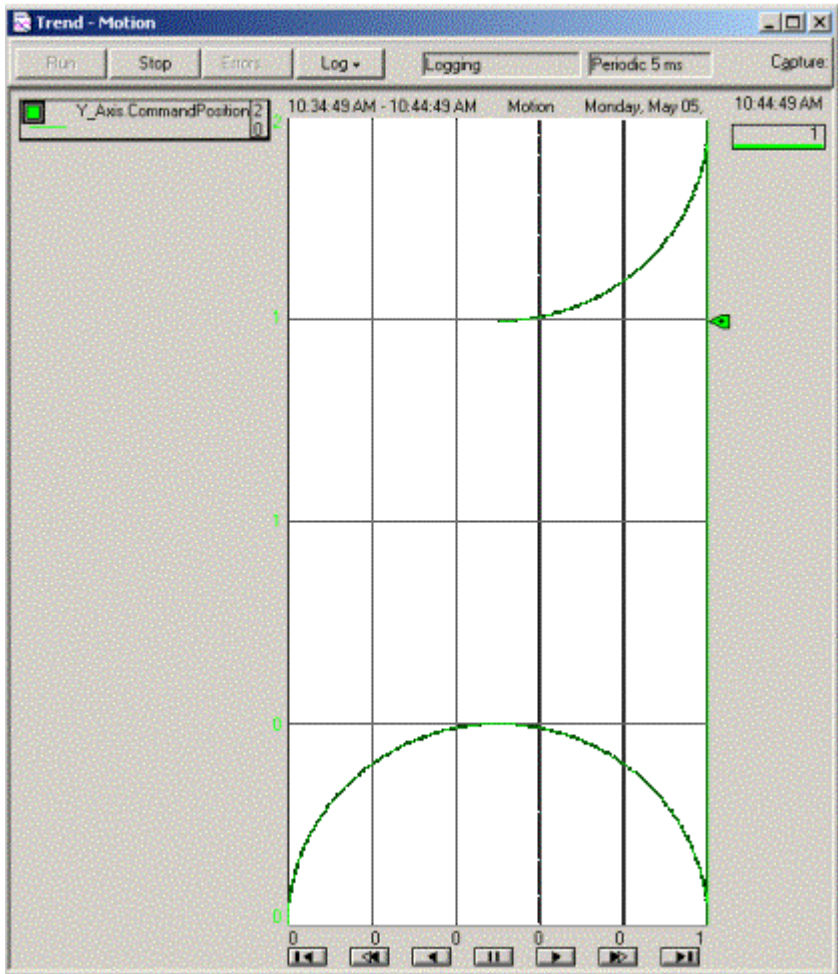


Figure 7.34 MCCM Ladder Instruction with Move Type of Absolute

The preceding MCCM instruction produces the following plot.



**Figure 7.35 Plot of MCCM with Two Rotary Axes and Move Type of Incremental**

The axis travels clockwise in a circle from (0,0) to (0.5,1.5). The move stops after generating a 270 degree arc. There was one travel through the unwind for Axis1. It should be noted that the path of the coordinated motion is determined in linear space but the position of the axes is limited by the rotary configuration. The endpoint was (0.5,-0.5) for the circle calculations but the actual endpoint for the move was (0.5,1.5). The instruction specified and we obtained a clockwise move even though one axis had a negative incremental target position. The endpoint is not required to fit within the absolute position defined by the rotary unwind of the axes.

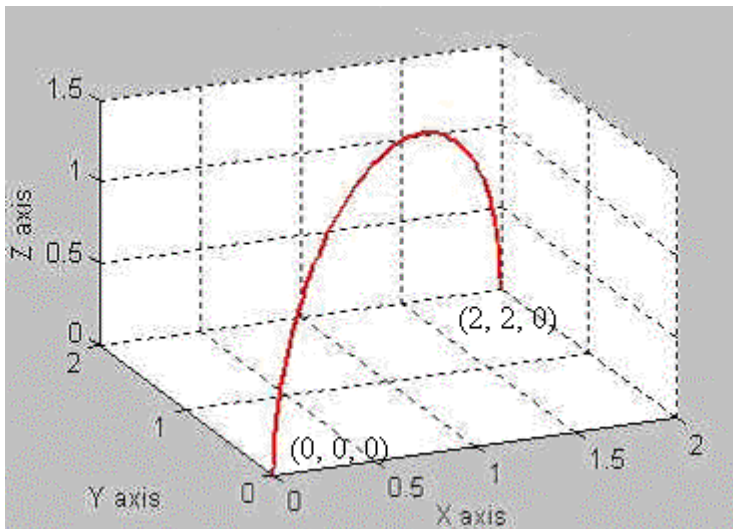
**Three Dimensional Arcs** For Coordinate Systems that have three primary axes associated to them, it is possible to create three dimensional arcs.

### 3D Arc Using MCCM with Circle Type Via

The following example shows the use of the MCCM with a Circle Type of Via and a Move Type of Absolute to create a three dimensional arc. The basic assumptions are:

- The 3 axes, Axis0 and Axis1, Axis2 are all members of the coordinate system, Coordinated\_sys1.
- Coordinated\_sys1 is a three dimensional coordinate system.
- Axis0, Axis1, and Axis2 are orthogonal to each other.
- Coordinated\_sys1 is initially at (0.0, 0.0, 0.0) units.

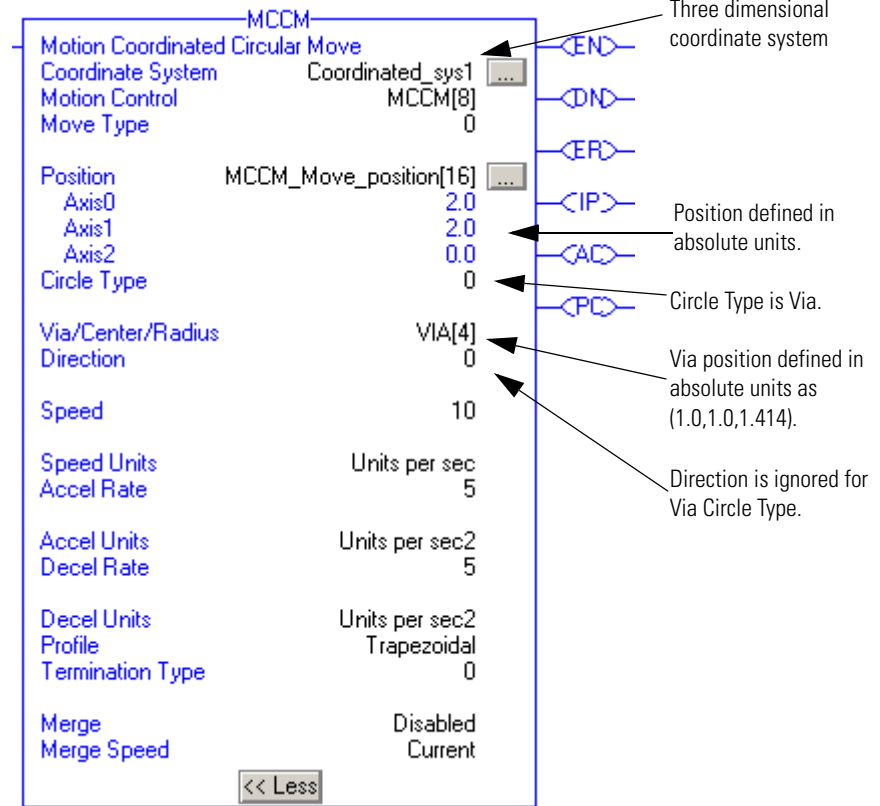
Move Coordinated\_sys1 along an arc to (2.0, 2.0, 0.0) units passing through (1.0, 1.0, 1.414) units at the vector speed of 10.0 units per second with the acceleration and deceleration values of 5.0 units per second<sup>2</sup>. The following graph shows the 3D arc generated by the preceding information.



**Figure 7.36 3D Arc Using Circle Type of Via**

This path is achieved by using an MCCM instruction with a Move Type of Absolute and a Circle Type of Via. When Via is selected, the

Via/Center/Radius position defines a point through which the arc must pass.



**Figure 7.37 MCCM Ladder Instruction for 3D Arc Using Circle Type of Via**

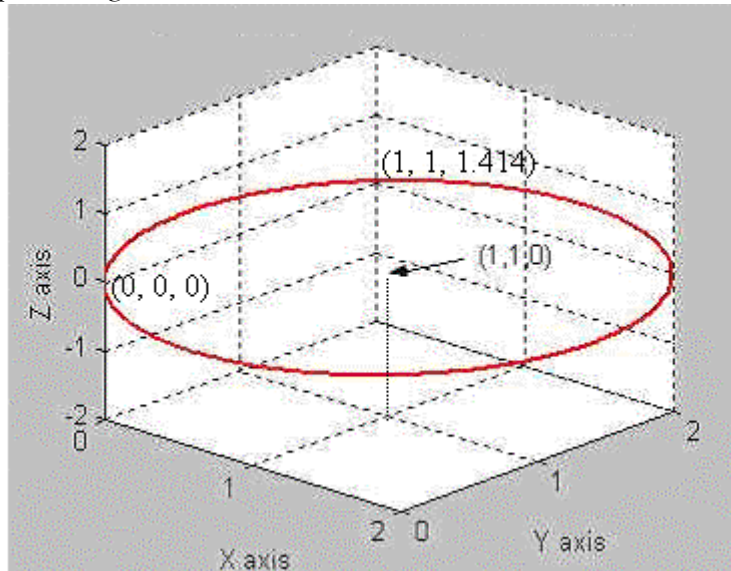
### 3D Arc Using MCCM with Circle Type Center

The following example shows the use of the MCCM with a Circle Type of Center and a Move Type of Absolute to create a three dimensional arc. The basic assumptions are:

- The 3 axes, Axis0 and Axis1, Axis2 are all members of the coordinate system, Coordinated\_sys1.
- Coordinated\_sys1 is a three dimensional coordinate system.
- Axis0, Axis1, and Axis2 are orthogonal to each other.
- Coordinated\_sys1 is initially set at (0.0, 0.0, 0.0) units.

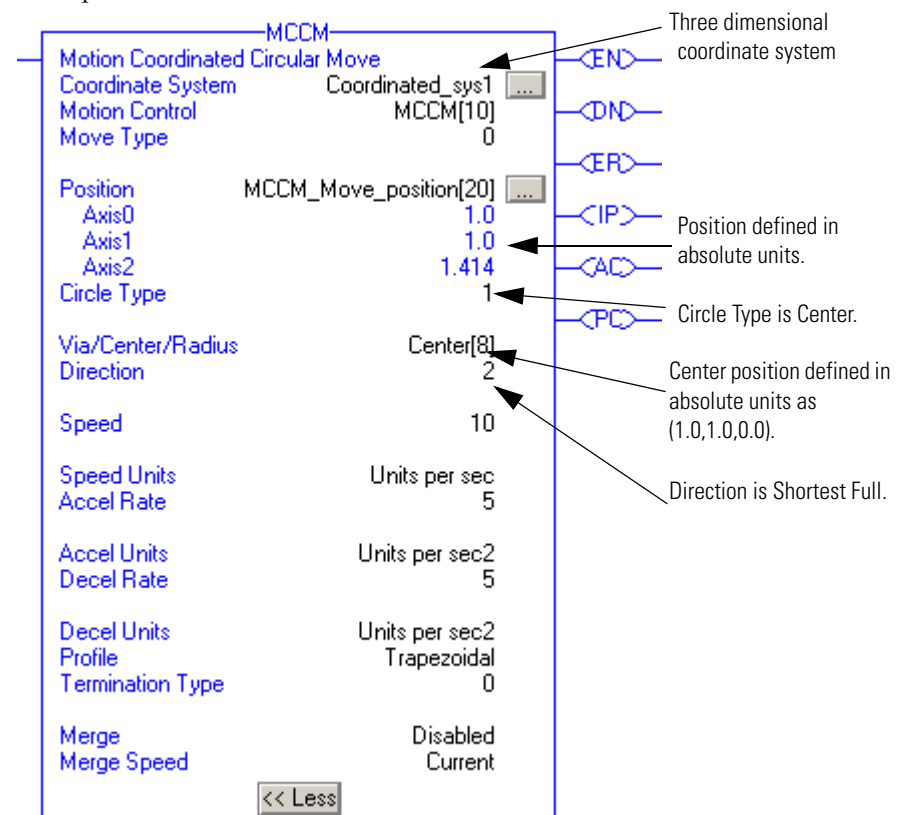
Move Coordinated\_sys1 along an arc to (1.0, 1.0, 1.414 units with center at (1.0, 1.0, 1.0) units at the vector speed of 10.0 units per second with the acceleration and deceleration values of 5.0 units per

second<sup>2</sup>. The following graph shows the 3D arc generated by the preceding information.



**Figure 7.38 3D Path Using Shortest Full for Direction Operand**

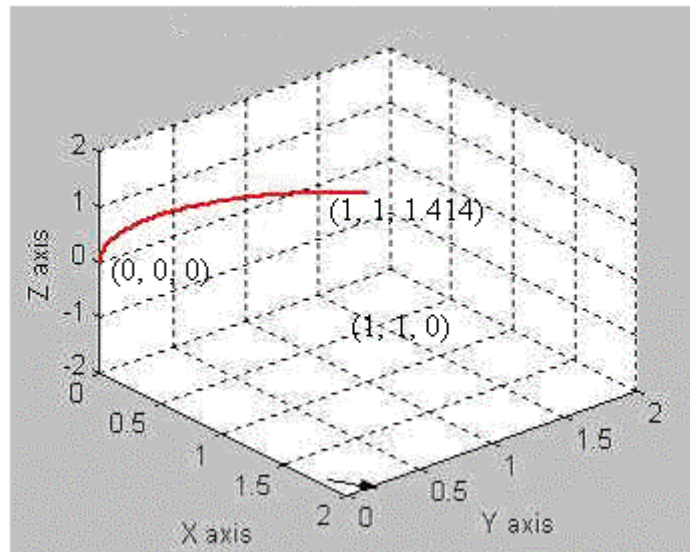
This path is achieved by using an MCCM instruction with a Move Type of Absolute and a Circle Type of Center. When Via is selected, the Via/Center/Radius position defines a point through which the arc must pass.



**Figure 7.39 MCCM Ladder Instruction for 3D Arc Using Circle Type of Center**

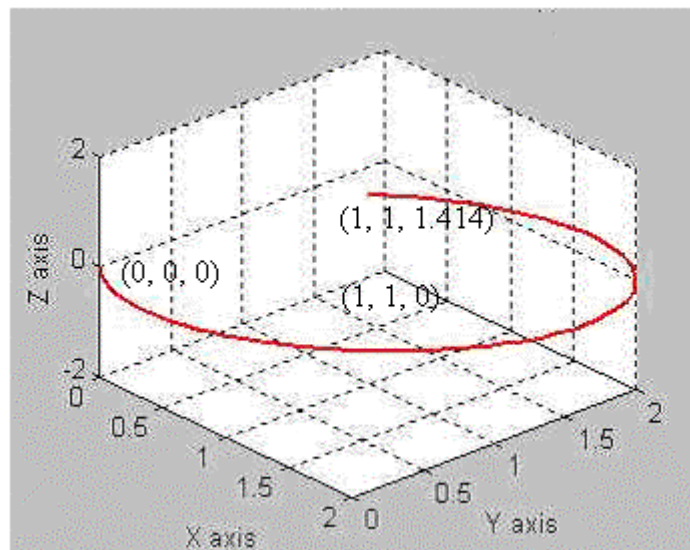
**Note:** For full circles set Position operand to any point except the start point and use one of the “Full” Direction types. The endpoint is assumed to be the start point. This is because in the three dimensional space you need three points to specify a plane for the circle.

By changing the Direction operand to Shortest in the preceding MCCM instruction, the following path is generated. The Shortest option of the Direction operand takes the shortest route from the start point to the point defined by the Position operand of the MCCM instruction.



**Figure 7.40 3D Path Using Shortest for Direction Operand**

Change the Direction operand to Longest in the preceding MCCM instruction and the path followed is the longest from the start point to the point defined by the Position operand in the MCCM instruction. See the following diagram for an example of the longest path.



**Figure 7.41 3D Path Using Longest for Direction Operand****Via/Center/Radius**

Depending on the selected Move Type and Circle Type, the via/center/radius position parameter defines the absolute or incremental value of a position along the circle, the center of the circle, or the radius of the circle as defined in the following table. If the Circle Type is via or center, the via/center/radius position parameter is a one-dimensional array, whose dimension is defined to be at least the equivalent of the number of axes specified in the coordinate system. If the Circle Type is radius, the via/center/radius position parameter is a single value.

<b>Move Type</b>	<b>Circle Type</b>	<b>Behavior</b>
Absolute	Via	The via/center/radius position array defines a position along the circle. For a non-full circle case, the Position parameter array defines the endpoint of the arc. For a full circle case, the Position parameter array defines any second point along the circle except the endpoint.
Incremental	Via	The sum of the via/center/radius position array and the old position defines the position along the circle. For a non-full circle case, the sum of the Position parameter array and the old position defines the endpoint of the arc. For a full circle case, the sum of the Position parameter array and the old position defines any second point along the circle except the endpoint.
Absolute	Center	The via/center/radius position array defines the center of the circle. For a non-full circle case, the Position parameter array defines the endpoint of the arc. For a full circle case, the Position parameter array defines any second point along the circle except the endpoint.
Incremental	Center	The sum of the via/center/radius position array and the old position defines the center of the circle. For a non-full circle case, the sum of the Position parameter array and the old position defines the endpoint of the arc. For a full circle case, the sum of the Position parameter array and the old position defines any second point along the circle except the endpoint.

Move Type	Circle Type	Behavior
Absolute or Incremental	Radius	The via/center/radius position single value defines the arc radius. The sign of the value is used to determine the center point to distinguish between the two possible arcs. A positive value indicates a center point that generates an arc less than 180 degrees. A negative value indicates a center point that generates an arc greater than 180 degrees. This Circle Type is only valid for two-dimensional circles. The position parameter array follows the Move Type to define the endpoint of the arc.
Absolute	Center Incremental	The sum of the via/center/radius position array and the old position defines the center position of the circle. For a non-full circle case, the Position parameter array defines the endpoint of the arc. For a full circle case, the Position parameter array defines any second point along the circle except the endpoint.
Incremental	Center Incremental	The sum of the via/center/radius position array and the old position defines the center position of the circle. For a non-full circle case, the sum of the Position parameter array and the old position defines the endpoint of the arc. For a full circle case, the sum of the Position parameter array and the old position defines any second point along the circle except the endpoint.

### Direction

The Direction operand defines the rotational direction of a 2D circular move as either clockwise or counterclockwise according to the right-hand screw rule. For a 3D circular move the direction is either Shortest or Longest. In both 2D and 3D it can also indicate if the circular move is to be a full circle.

### Speed

The Speed operand defines the maximum vector speed along the path of the coordinated move.

### Speed Units

The Speed Units operand defines the units applied to the Speed operand either directly in coordination units or as a percentage of the maximum values defined in the coordinate system.

### Accel Rate

The Accel Rate operand defines the maximum acceleration along the path of the coordinated move.



## **Accel Units**

The Accel Units operand defines the units applied to the Accel Rate operand either directly in coordination units of the specified coordinate system or as a percentage of the maximum values defined in the coordinate system.

## **Decel Rate**

The Decel Rate operand defines the maximum deceleration along the path of the coordinated move.

## **Decel Units**

The Decel Units operand defines the units applied to the Decel Rate operand either directly in coordination units of the specified coordinate system or as a percentage of the maximum values defined in the coordinate system.

## **Profile**

The Profile operand determines whether the coordinated move uses a trapezoidal or an S-Curve velocity profile. See the Profile section of the MCLM instruction earlier in this chapter for more information about Trapezoidal and S-Curve profiles.

## **Merge**

The merge defines whether or not to turn the motion of all specified axes into a pure coordinated move. The options are: Merge Disabled, Coordinated Motion, or All Motion.

### **Merge Disabled**

Any currently executing single axis motion instructions involving any axes defined in the specified coordinate system are not affected by the activation of this instruction, and result in superimposed motion on the affected axes. An error is flagged if a second instruction is initiated in the same coordinate system or in another coordinate system containing any axes in common with the coordinate system that is active.

### **Coordinated Motion**

Any currently executing coordinated motion instructions involving the same specified coordinate system are terminated, and the active motion is blended into the current move at the speed defined in the merge speed parameter. Any pending coordinated motion instructions in the specified coordinate system are cancelled. Any currently executing system single axis

motion instructions involving any axes defined in the specified coordinate system are not affected by the activation of this instruction, and result in superimposed motion on the affected axes.

### All Motion

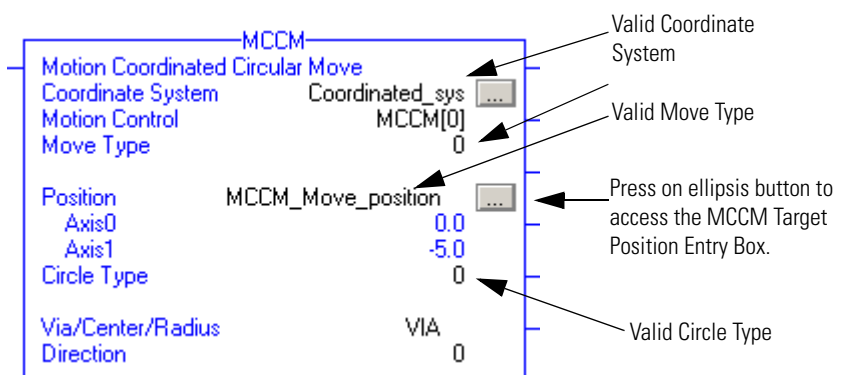
Any currently executing single axis motion instructions involving any axes defined in the specified coordinate system and any currently executing coordinated motion instructions are terminated. The prior motion is merged into the current move at the speed defined in Merge Speed parameter. Any pending coordinated move instructions are cancelled.

### Merge Speed

The Merge Speed operand defines whether the current speed or the programmed speed is used as the maximum speed along the path of the coordinated move when Merge is enabled. Current speed is the vector sum of all motion (jogs, MAM's, geared motion, etc.) for all axes defined in the current coordinate system.

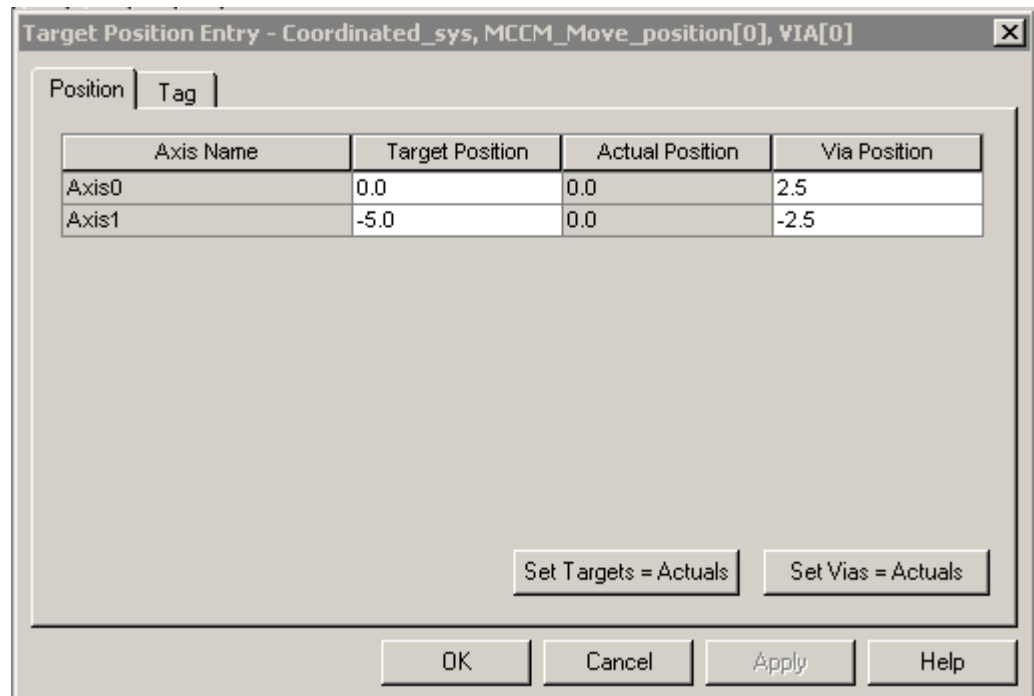
### MCCM Target Position Entry Dialog Box

The MCCM Target Position Entry Dialog box is accessed by pressing the ellipsis button to the right of the position operand of the ladder instruction faceplate. The Target Position Entry box can only be accessed if the coordinate system for the instruction has been named, has a valid tag name for the Position operand that contains enough elements to accommodate the number of axes, selected a valid Move Type and a valid Circle Type. If these criteria have not been satisfied, an error message is displayed on the status bar.



**Figure 7.42 MCCM Ladder Valid Values for Accessing Target Position Entry Box**

Press the ellipsis and the following dialog box displays.



**Figure 7.43 MCCM Instruction Target Position Entry Dialog Box - Position Tab**

Feature	Description
Axis Name	This column has the names of each axis in the coordinate system named in the ladder faceplate. These names are not editable.
Target Position/Target Increment	The values in this column are numeric. They show the endpoint or incremental departure of the move depending on the active Move Type. The column heading indicates which is displayed.
Actual Position	This column contains the current actual position of the axes in the coordinate system. These values update dynamically when on-line and the Coordinate System Auto Tag Update is enabled.
Via Position/Via Increment Center Position/Center Increment Radius	Depending on the Circle Type selected, this column contains the Via point position or increment, the Center Position or increment.
Set Targets = Actuals	This button is enabled when the Move Type is Absolute and is used to copy the value from the Actual Position fields to the Target Position fields.
Set Vias = Actuals	This button is only active if the Move Type is Absolute. It is used to copy the values from the Actual Position fields to the Vias Fields.

The Move Type and Circle Type selected govern the appearance of this dialog box. The following table illustrates how the screen is affected by the combinations of Move Type and Circle Type selected.

Move Type	Circle Type	Behavior
Absolute	Via	Target column is entitled Target Position. Via column is entitled Via Position. Set Targets = Actuals button is active. Set Vias = Actuals button is active.
Incremental	Via	Target column is entitled Target Increment. Via Column is entitled Via Increment. Set Targets = Actuals button is inactive (Grayed Out). Set Vias = Actuals button is inactive (Grayed Out).
Absolute	Center	Target column is entitled Target Position. Center column is entitled Center Position. Set Targets = Actuals button is active. Set Vias = Actuals button is active.
Incremental	Center	Target column is entitled Target Increment. Center Column is entitled Center Increment. Set Targets = Actuals button is inactive (Grayed Out). Set Vias = Actuals button is inactive (Grayed Out).
Absolute	Radius	Target column is entitled Target Position. Radius column is entitled Radius. Set Targets = Actuals button is active. Set Vias = Actuals button is inactive (Grayed Out).
Incremental	Radius	Target column is entitled Target Increment. Radius Column is entitled Radius. Set Targets = Actuals button is inactive (Grayed Out). Set Vias = Actuals button is inactive (Grayed Out).
Absolute	Center Incremental	Target column is entitled Target Position. Center Incremental column is entitled Center Incremental. Set Targets = Actuals button is active. Set Vias = Actuals button is inactive (Grayed Out).
Incremental	Center Incremental	Target column is entitled Target Increment. Center Incremental column is entitled Center Incremental. Set Targets = Actuals button is inactive (Grayed Out). Set Vias = Actuals button is inactive (Grayed Out).

MCCM is a transitional instruction:

- In relay ladder, toggle the rung-condition-in from cleared to set each time the instruction should execute.
- In structured text, condition the instruction so that it only executes on a transition. See Appendix C.

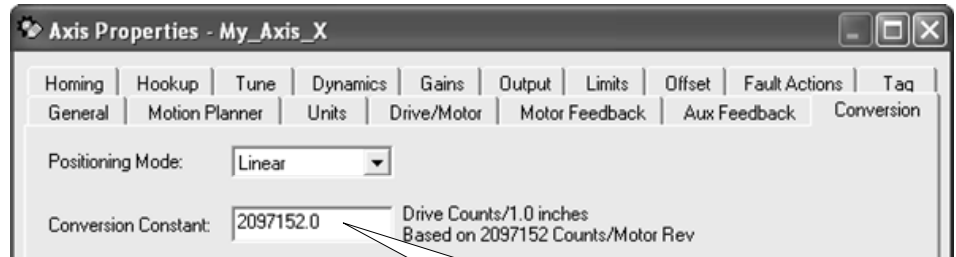
**Arithmetic Status Flags:** not affected

**Fault Conditions:** none

**Error Codes: MCCM Error Codes (.ERR)**

<b>Code</b>	<b>Error Message</b>	<b>Description</b>
3	Execution Collision	Attempted execution on an axis that already has another instance of this instruction executing. This situation is possible when instructions that require messaging are executed without Done (.DN) Bit 29 run qualification.
5	Servo Off State	The servo loop of at least one axis is not closed. See the Extended Error section for more information about this error.
7	Shutdown State	At least one axis is in the shutdown state. See the Extended Error section for more information about this error.
8	Axis Type Not Servo	At least one axis is not configured as a servo axis type. See the Extended Error section for more information about this error.
9	Overtravel Condition	At least one axis is trying to move in a direction that violates the current overtravel condition.
11	Axis Not Configured	At least one axis is not configured to a physical motion module or has not been assigned to a Motion Group. See the Extended Error section for more information about this error.
13	Parameter Out of Range	The value of at least one parameter is out of range. See the Extended Error section for information on which parameter is in an error state.
16	Homing in Process Error	At least one axis is executing a homing sequence. See the Extended Error section for more information about this error.
19	Motion Group Not Synchronized	The associated Motion Group is not synchronized.
20	Axis In Faulted State	At least one axis is in a faulted state.
24	Illegal Controller Mode	The current operating mode of the controller does not support the instruction.
25	Illegal Instruction	The Circle Type is Radius and the number of primary axes is not two.
38	Illegal Axis Data Type	At least one axis is not configured as an axis data type that can accept a command. See the Extended Error section for more information about this error.
43	Coordinate System Queue Full	More motion instructions have been activated than the instruction queue can hold.
44	Circular Collinearity Error	The programmed data points define a line instead of an arc. Center point and/or plane cannot be determined.
45	Circular Start End Error	Endpoint and start point are equal. Center point and/or plane cannot be determined.
46	Circular R1 R2 Mismatch Error	The programmed centerpoint is not equidistant from start and end point.
47	Circular Infinite Solution Error	Contact Rockwell Automation Technical Support
48	Circular No Solutions error	Contact Rockwell Automation Technical Support
49	Circular Small R Error	R is too small ( $ R  < 0.001$ ) or R is too short to span programmed points.
50	Coordinate System Not in Group	The coordinate system tag is not associated with a motion group.
51	Invalid Actual Tolerance	The Termination Type has been set to Actual Position with a value of 0. This value is not supported.

Code	Error Message	Description
52	Coordinated Motion In Process Error	At least one axis is currently undergoing coordinated motion in another coordinated system.
54	Maximum Deceleration Value is Zero	The Decel Rate of either the Coordinate System or the Axis is set to zero. This is an illegal value for Decel Rate, which inhibits start motion. See the Extended Error section for more information about this error.
65	The selected axis exceeded the maximum system travel limits (position overflowed)	The axis moved too far and the controller can't store the position. The range for position depends on the conversion constant of the axis.



- Maximum positive position = 2,147,483,647 / conversion constant of the axis
- Maximum negative position = -2,147,483,648 / conversion constant of the axis

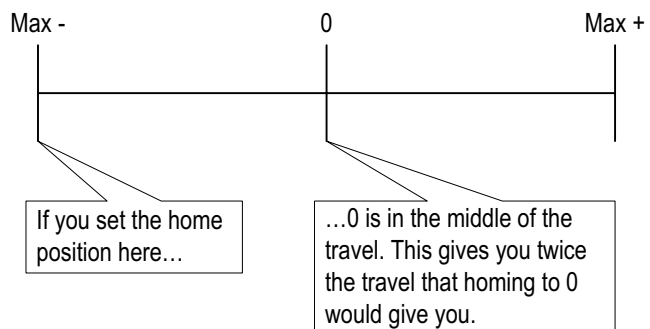
Suppose you have a conversion constant of 2,097,152 counts/inch. In that case:

- Maximum positive position = 2,147,483,647 / 2,097,152 counts/inch = 1023 inches
- Maximum negative position = -2,147,483,648 / 2,097,152 counts/inch = -1023 inches

To prevent this error:

- Set up soft travel limits that keep the axis within the position range.
- One way to get more travel is to use the max negative or max positive position as your home position.

Example



**Extended Error Codes:** Extended Error codes help to further define the error message given for this particular instruction. Their behavior is dependent upon the Error Code with which they are associated.

The Extended Error Codes for Servo Off State (5), Shutdown State (7), Axis Type Not Servo (8), Axis Not Configured (11), Homing In Process Error (16), and Illegal Axis Data type (38) errors all function in the same fashion. A number between 0 and  $n$  is displayed for the Extended Error Code. This number is the index to the Coordinate System indicating the axis that is in the error condition.

For Error Code Axis Not Configured (11) there is an additional value of -1 which indicates that Coordinate System was unable to setup the axis for coordinate motion.

For the MCCM instruction, Error Code 13 - Parameter Out of Range, Extended Errors return a number that indicates the offending parameter as listed on the faceplate in numerical order from top to bottom beginning with zero. For example, 2 indicates the parameter value for Move Type is in error.

<b>Error Code and (Number)</b>	<b>Extended Error Numeric Indicator</b>	<b>Instruction Parameter</b>	<b>Description</b>
Parameter Out Of Range (13)	0	Coordinate System	Number of primary axes is not 2 or 3.
Parameter Out Of Range (13)	2	Move Type	Move Type is either less than 0 or greater than 1.
Parameter Out Of Range (13)	3	Position	The position array is not large enough to provide positions for all the axes in the coordinate system.
Parameter Out Of Range (13)	4	Circle Type	Circle Type is either less than 0 or greater than 4.
Parameter Out Of Range (13)	5	Via/Center/Radius	The size of the Via/Center array is not large enough to provide positions for all of the axes in the defining via/center point.
Parameter Out Of Range (13)	6	Direction	Direction is either less than 0 or greater than 3.
Parameter Out Of Range (13)	7	Speed	Speed is less than 0.
Parameter Out Of Range (13)	9	Accel Rate	Accel Rate is less than or equal to 0.
Parameter Out Of Range (13)	11	Decel Rate	Decel Rate is less than or equal to 0.
Parameter Out Of Range (13)	14	Termination Type	Termination Type is less than 0 or greater than 3.

For the Error Code 54 – Maximum Deceleration Value is Zero, if the Extended Error returns a positive number (0- $n$ ) it is referring to the offending axis in the coordinate system. Go to the Coordinate System Properties General Tab and look under the Brackets ( [ ] ) column of the Axis Grid to determine which axis has a Maximum Deceleration value of 0. Click on the ellipsis button next to the offending axis to access the Axis Properties screen. Go to the Dynamics tab and make the appropriate change to the Maximum Deceleration Value. If the Extended Error number is -1, this means the Coordinate System has a

Maximum Deceleration Value of 0. Go to the Coordinate System Properties Dynamics Tab to correct the Maximum Deceleration value.

**Circular Error Examples** Due to the complexity of the MCCM instruction and the error codes it can generate, the following simple examples are given to aide in the understanding of the MCCM instruction.

**CIRCULAR\_COLLINEARITY\_ERROR (44) Example**

The following example for error #44 shows a situation where the startpoint, via-point, and endpoint all lie on a straight line. The program is trying to generate a two dimensional arc going from 0,0 (current position) to 20,0 through the location 10,0. Because these points all lie on a straight line no circular centerpoint can be computed for the circle. This error would also be generated if the program was for a three dimensional center type circle using a startpoint, centerpoint, and endpoint all lying on a straight line. Here, an infinite number of circles could be fit through the programmed points in an infinite number of planes.

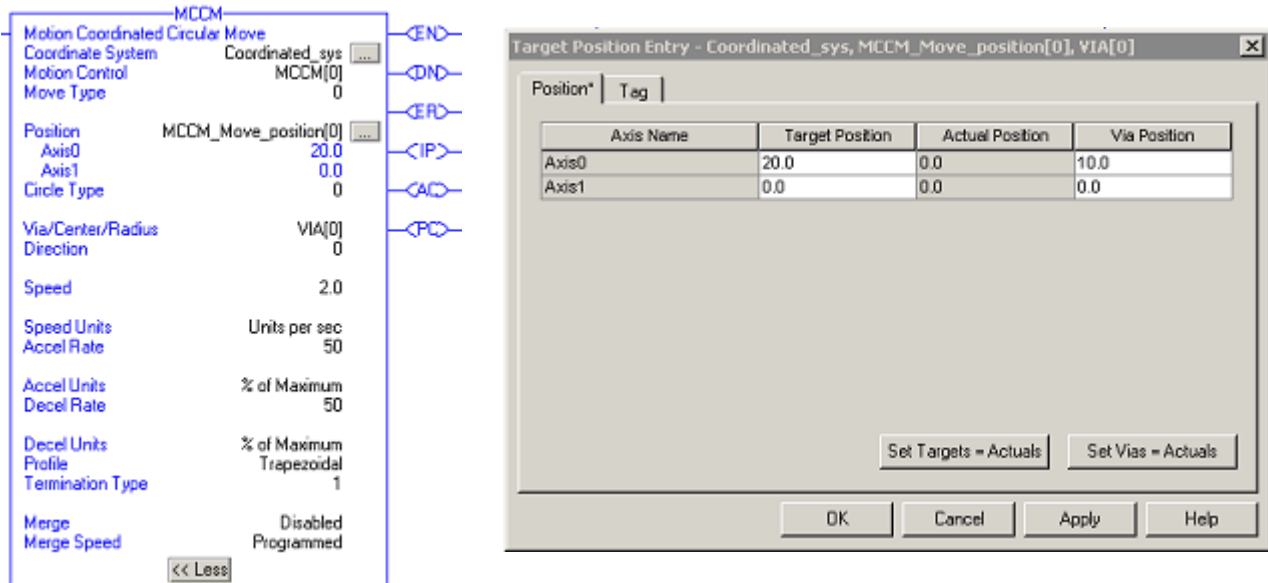


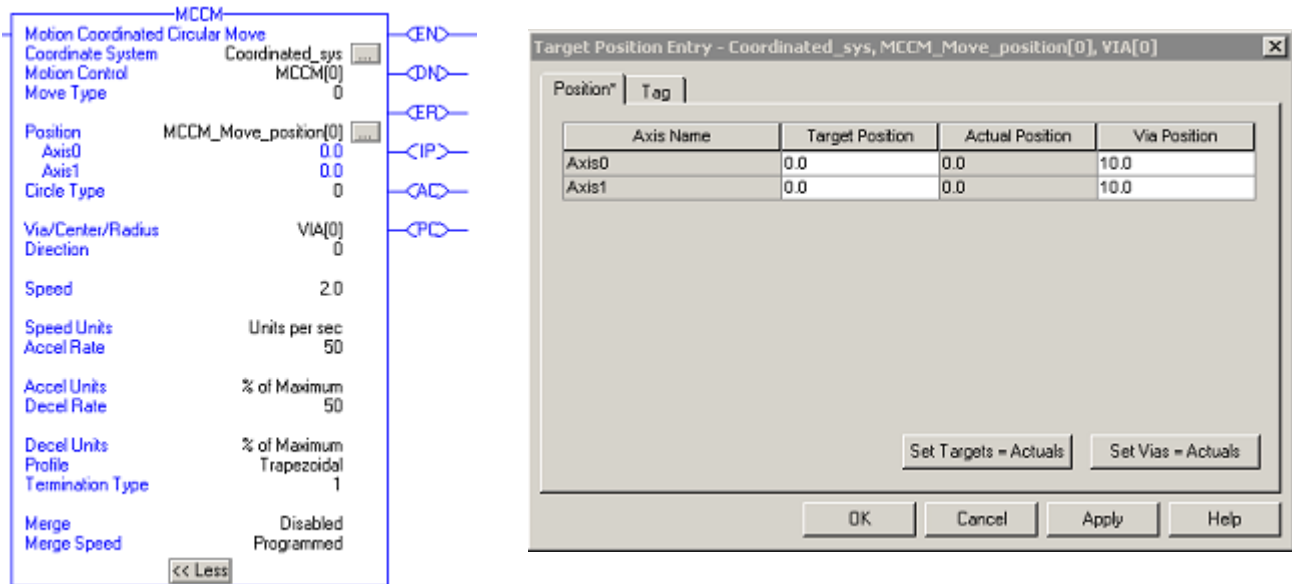
Figure 7.44 Ladder Program and Target Entry Screen that Generate Error #44

**CIRCULAR\_START\_END\_ERROR (45) Example**

The following example for error #45 depicts a situation where the startpoint and via-point are the same. The program is trying to generate a two dimensional full circle from 0,0 (current position) back to 0,0 through the location 10,10. Because the startpoint and the



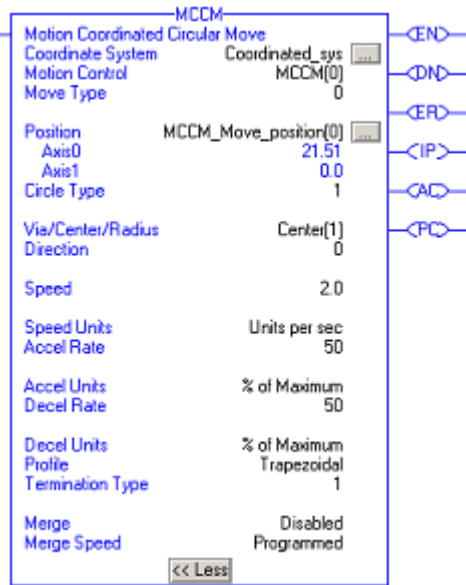
via-point are the same, no circular centerpoint can be found for this circle.



**Figure 7.45 Ladder Program and Target Entry Screen that Generate Error #45**

### **CIRCULAR\_R1\_R2\_MISMATCH\_ERROR (46) Example**

The following example for error #46 shows a situation where the difference in radial start/end lengths exceeds 15% of the radial start length. The program is trying to generate a two dimensional arc from 0,0 (current position) to 21.51,0 using a centerpoint at 10,10. Because the difference of the radial start/end lengths is  $21.51 - 10 = 1.51$  it exceeds 15% of the radial start length  $.15 * 10 = 1.5$ . Had the endpoint been 21.5 this example would have worked, and the centerpoint would have been recomputed to lie exactly halfway between start and end points.



Target Position Entry - Coordinated\_sys, MCCM\_Move\_position[0], Center[1]

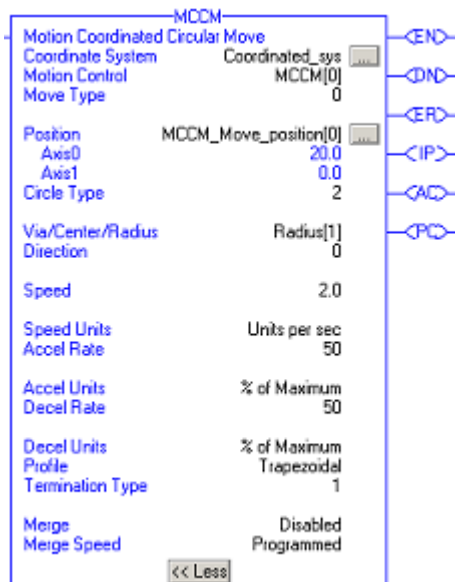
Axis Name	Target Position	Actual Position	Center Position
Axis0	21.51	0.0	10.0
Axis1	0.0	0.0	2.5

Buttons: Set Targets = Actuals, Set Vias = Actuals, OK, Cancel, Apply, Help

Figure 7.46 Ladder Program and Target Entry Screen that Generate Error #46

### CIRCULAR\_SMALL\_R\_ERROR (49) Example

This first example of error #49 depicts a situation where the radius type circle uses a radius that is too short to span the distance between the start point and the end point. The program is trying to generate a two dimensional arc going from 0,0 (current position) to 20,0. However, the user tried to program a radius type circle with a radius that is too short to span the distance between the startpoint and endpoint.



Target Position Entry - Coordinated\_sys, MCCM\_Move\_position[0], Radius[1]

Axis Name	Target Position	Actual Position	Radius
Axis0	20.0	0.0	9.9
Axis1	0.0	0.0	

Buttons: Set Targets = Actuals, Set Vias = Actuals, OK, Cancel, Apply, Help

Figure 7.47 Ladder Program and Target Entry Screen that Generate Error #49

## CIRCULAR\_SMALL\_R\_ERROR (49) Example

This second example of error #49 shows a situation where the radius type circle uses a radius of magnitude of less than 0.001. The program is trying to generate a two dimensional arc going from 0,0 (current position) to 0.00099,0.00099. This error occurs because the user tried to program a radius type circle with a radius of a magnitude less than 0.001 units.

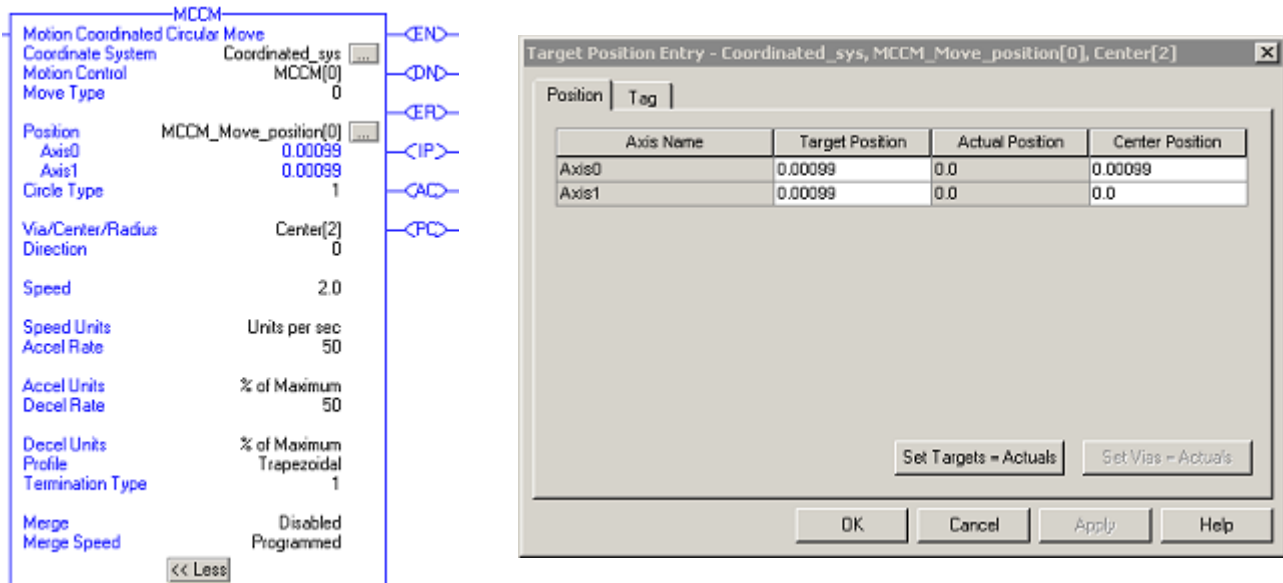


Figure 7.48 Ladder Program and Target Entry Screen that Generate Error #49

**MCCM Changes to Status Bits:** Status Bits provide a means for monitoring the progress of the motion instruction. There are three types of Status Bits that provide pertinent information. They are: Axis Status Bits, Coordinate System Status Bits, and Coordinate Motion Status Bits. When the MCCM instruction initiates, the status bits undergo the following changes.

### Axis Status Bits

Bit Name:	Meaning:
CoordinatedMotionStatus	Sets when the MCCM instruction executes and is cleared when the instruction completes.

## Coordinate System Status Bits

Bit Name:	Meaning:
MotionStatus	Sets when the MCCM instruction is active and the Coordinate System is connected to its associated axes.

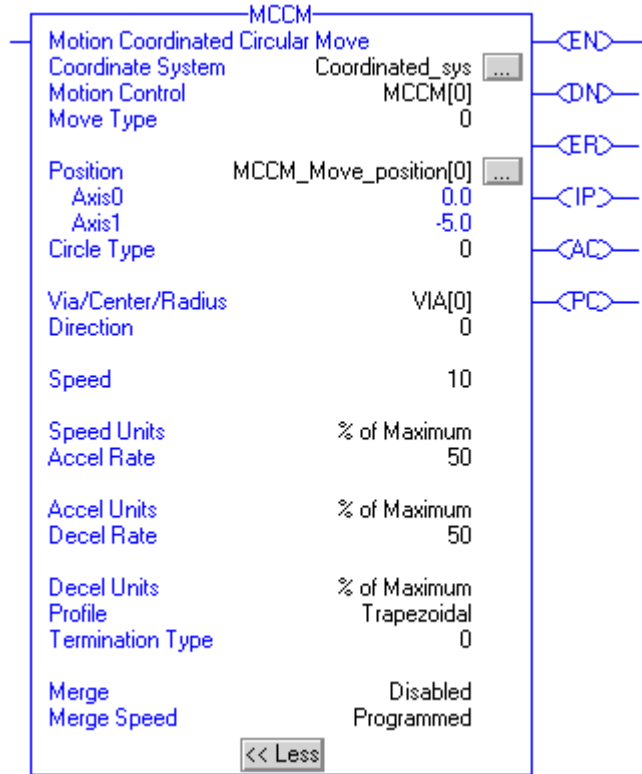
## Coordinate Motion Status Bits

Bit Name:	Meaning:
AccelStatus	Sets when vector is accelerating. Clears when a blend is in process or when vector move is at speed or decelerating.
DecelStatus	Sets when vector is decelerating. Clears when a blend is in process or when vector move is accelerating or when move completes.
ActualPosToleranceStatus	Sets for Actual Tolerance Termination Type only. The bit is set after the following two conditions have been met. 1) Interpolation is complete. 2) The actual distance to the programmed endpoint is less than the configured coordinate system's Actual Tolerance value. It remains set after the instruction completes. It is reset when a new instruction is started.
CommandPosToleranceStatus	Sets for all Termination Types whenever the distance to the programmed endpoint is less than the configured coordinate system's Command Tolerance value and remains set after the instruction completes. It is reset when a new instruction is started.
StoppingStatus	The Stopping Status bit is cleared when the MCCM instruction executes.
MoveStatus	Sets when MCCM begins axis motion. Clears on the .PC bit of the last motion instruction or a motion instruction executes which causes a stop.
MoveTransitionStatus	Sets when No Decel or Command Tolerance Termination Type is satisfied. When blending collinear moves the bit is not set because the machine is always on path. It clears when a blend completes, the motion of a pending instruction starts, or a motion instruction executes which causes a stop. Indicates not on path.
MovePendingStatus	Sets when one pending coordinated motion instruction is in the instruction queue. Clears when the instruction queue is empty.
MovePendingQueueFullStatus	Sets when the instruction queue is full. It clears when the queue has room to hold another new coordinated move instruction.

**Note:** Currently Coordinated Motion only supports the queueing of one coordinated motion instruction. Therefore the

MovePendingStatus bit and the MovePendingQueueFullStatus bit are always the same.

### Example: Relay Ladder



**Figure 7.49 MCCM Ladder Instruction**

### Structured Text

```
MCCM (Coordinated_sys, MCCM[0], 0, MCCM_Move_position, 0.0, -5.0,
via, 0, 0, 10, %ofmaximum, 50, %ofmaximum, 50, %ofmaximum,
Trapezoidal, 0, Disabled, programmed) ;
```

Circle Type	Used in 2D/3D/Both	Validation Errors	Direction – 2D	Direction – 3D	Comments
Radius	2D	Error 25; Illegal Instruction Error 45 Endpoint = Startpoint Error 49; R too small ( $ R  < .001$ ) or R too short to span programmed points.	CW/CCW as viewed from the '+' perpendicular to the circular plane.	N/A	A '+' radius forces arc length to be $\leq 180^\circ$ (Shortest arc). A '-' radius forces arc length to be $\Rightarrow 180^\circ$ (Longest arc). Full Circles can be programmed. For full circles: set "Position" to be any point on circle except Startpoint and use one of the "Full" direction types.
Center Point	Both	Error 44; Collinearity (3D only) Error 45; Endpoint = Startpoint (3D only) Error 46; Start/End radius mismatch ( $ R1 - R2  > .15 * R1$ ).	CW/CCW as viewed from the '+' perpendicular to the circular plane.	Shortest/Longest arc. In Full circles, placement of endpoint defines shortest/longest paths referred to by direction parameter.	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>3. Full Circles can be programmed.</li> <li>4. In 2D only, Endpoint = Startpoint is legal. Therefore, full circles may be generated: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>a. By setting Endpoint = Startpoint, in which case, all direction types produce full circles.</li> <li>b. By setting Endpoint not = Startpoint and using "Full" direction type.</li> </ol> </li> <li>5. For 3D Full Circles: set Position to be any point on the circle except Startpoint, and use one of the "Full" direction types. Position defines both arc and "Shortest" direction types.</li> </ol>
Via Point	Both	Error 44; Collinearity Error 45; Endpoint = Startpoint	Via point always determines direction.	Via point always determines direction. Direction operand is only used to determine if circle is partial or full.	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Full Circles can be programmed.</li> <li>2. For full circles: set "Position" to be any point on circle except Startpoint and use one of the "Full" direction types.</li> </ol>

## Motion Coordinated Change Dynamics (MCCD)

Use the MCCD instruction to initiate a change in the path dynamics for the motion active on the specified coordinate system.

**Operands:** The MCCD's operands are the place to enter the values that govern how this instruction performs its function. To display a reminder of the type of value a specific operand requires, place the cursor on the operand in question and a "tool tip" is displayed for that operand in the status bar.

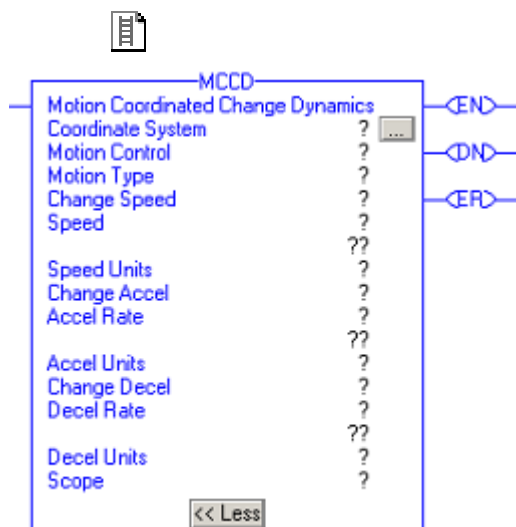


Figure 7.50 Status Bar for the Change Decel Operand of the MCCD Instruction

### Relay Ladder

Operand:	Type:	Format:	Description:
Coordinate System	COORDINATE_SYSTEM	tag	Coordinated group of axes.
Motion Control	MOTION_INSTRUCTION	tag	Structure used to access instruction status parameters.
Motion Type	SINT, INT, or DINT	immediate	1 = Coordinated Move
Change Speed	SINT, INT, or DINT	immediate	0 = No 1 = Yes
Speed	SINT, INT, DINT, or REAL	immediate or tag	[Coordination Units]
Speed Units	SINT, INT, or DINT	immediate	0 = Units per Sec 1 = % of Maximum
Change Accel	SINT, INT, or DINT	immediate	0 = No 1 = Yes
Accel Rate	SINT, INT, DINT, or REAL	immediate or tag	[Coordination Units]
Accel Units	SINT, INT, or DINT	immediate	0 = Units per Sec <sup>2</sup> 1 = % of Maximum
Change Decel	SINT, INT, or DINT	immediate	0 = No 1 = Yes
Decel Rate	SINT, INT, DINT, or REAL	immediate or tag	[Coordination Units]
Decel Units	SINT, INT, or DINT	immediate	0 = Units per Sec <sup>2</sup> 1 = % of Maximum
Scope	SINT, INT, or DINT	immediate	0 = Active Motion

### Structured Text



```
MCCD (CoordinateSystem,
MotionControl, MotionType
ChangeSpeed, Speed, SpeedUnits,
ChangeAccel, AccelRate,
AccelUnits, ChangeDecel,
DecelRate, DecelUnits, Scope);
```

The operands are the same as those for the relay ladder MCCD instruction.

**Note:** When entering enumerations for the operand value in Structured Text, multiple word enumerations must be entered without spaces. For example: when entering Decel Units the value should be entered as `unitspersec2` rather than `Units per Sec2` as displayed in the ladder logic.

For the operands that have enumerated values, enter your selection as:

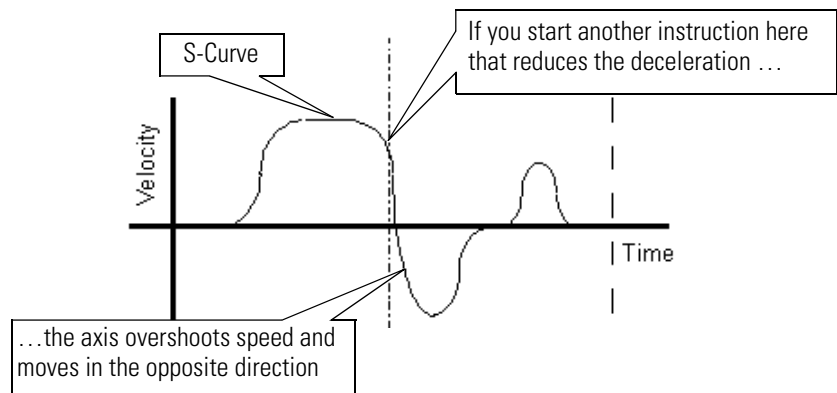
This operand:	Has these options which you...	
	enter as text:	or enter as a number:
Motiontype	Coordinatedmove	1
ChangeSpeed	No Yes	0 1
SpeedUnits	Unitspersec %ofmaximum	0 1
ChangeAccel	No Yes	0 1
AccelUnits	Unitspersec <sup>2</sup> %ofmaximum	0 1
ChangeDecel	No Yes	0 1
DecelUnits	Unitspersec <sup>2</sup> %ofmaximum	0 1
Scope	activemotion	0



**Description:** The Motion Coordinated Change Dynamics (MCCD) instruction starts a change in the path dynamics of the specified coordinate system. Based upon the Motion Type, the MCCD changes the coordinated motion profile that is currently active on the system.

**ATTENTION****If you use an S-Curve profile**

Be careful if you change the acceleration, deceleration, or speed while an axis is accelerating or decelerating along an S-Curve profile. You can cause an axis to overshoot its speed or move in the opposite direction.



This happens because jerk limits the acceleration and deceleration time of an S-Curve profile. You reduce jerk when you reduce acceleration, reduce deceleration, or increase speed. The smaller jerk can cause:

- an accelerating axis to overshoot its speed
- a decelerating axis to move in the opposite direction

For more information, see Logix5000 Motion Modules User Manual, publication 1756-UM006.

**Coordinate System**

The Coordinate System operand specifies the set of motion axes that define the dimensions of a coordinate system. For this release the coordinate system supports up to three (3) primary axes.

## Motion Control

The following control bits are affected by the MCCD instruction.

Mnemonic:	Description:
.EN (Enable) Bit 31	The Enable Bit is set when the rung transitions from false to true. It resets when the rung transitions from true to false.
.DN (Done) Bit 29	The Done Bit resets when the rung transitions from false to true. It sets when target position is calculated successfully.
.ER (Error) Bit 28	The Error Bit resets when the rung transitions from false to true. It sets when target position fails to calculate successfully.

## Motion Type

The motion type operand determines which motion profile to change. Currently Coordinated Move is the only available option.

### Coordinated Move

When selected, the Coordinated Move option changes the motion of the currently active move in the coordinate system.

## Change Speed

The Change Speed operand determines whether or not to change the speed of the coordinated motion profile.

### No

No change is made to the Speed of the coordinated motion.

### Yes

The speed of the coordinated motion is changed by the value defined in the Speed and Speed Units operands.

## Speed

The Speed operand defines the maximum speed along the path of the coordinated move.

## Speed Units

The Speed Units operand defines the units applied to the Speed operand either directly in coordination units of the specified coordinate system or as a percentage of the maximum values defined in the coordinate system.

## **Change Accel**

The Change Accel operand determines whether or not to change the acceleration of the coordinated motion profile.

### **No**

No change is made to the acceleration of the coordinated motion.

### **Yes**

The acceleration of the coordinated motion is changed by the value defined in the Accel Rate and Accel Units operands.

## **Accel Rate**

The Accel Rate operand defines the maximum acceleration along the path of the coordinated move.

## **Accel Units**

The Accel Units operand defines the units applied to the Accel Rate operand either directly in coordination units of the specified coordinate system or as a percentage of the maximum values defined in the coordinate system.

## **Change Decel**

The Change Decel operand determines whether or not to change the deceleration of the coordinated motion profile.

### **No**

No change is made to the deceleration of the coordinated motion.

### **Yes**

The deceleration of the coordinated motion is changed by the value defined in the Decel Rate and Decel Units operands.

## **Decel Rate**

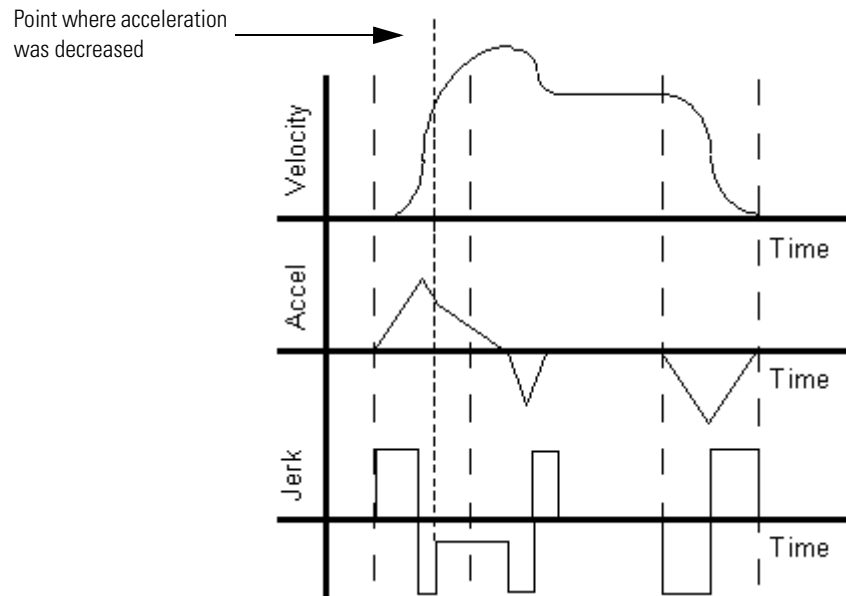
The Decel Rate operand defines the maximum deceleration along the path of the coordinated move.

## Decel Units

The Decel Units operand defines the units applied to the Decel Rate operand either directly in coordination units of the specified coordinate system or as a percentage of the maximum values defined in the coordinate system.

## Impact of Changes to Acceleration and Deceleration Values on Motion Profile

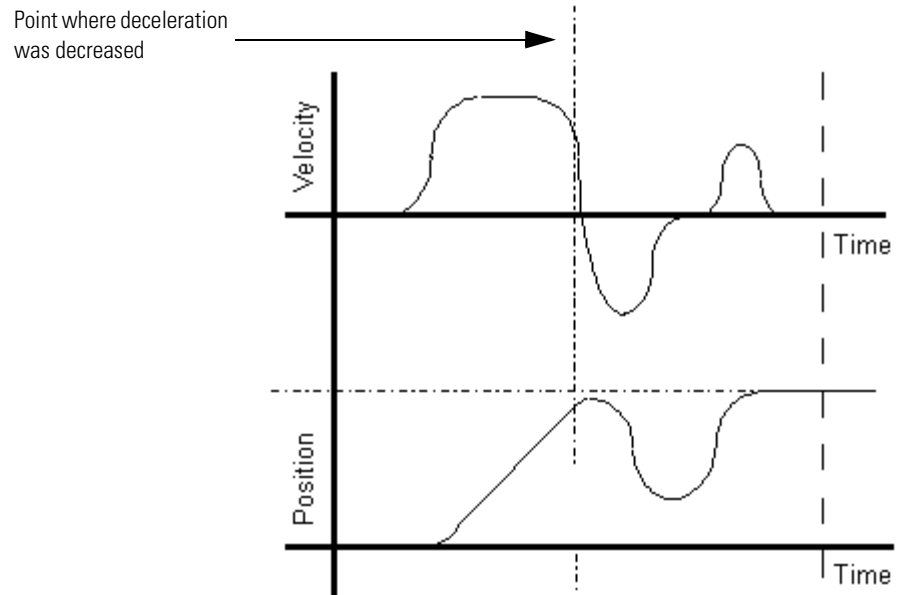
The following graph illustrates what could happen when a MCCD instruction is used to reduce the acceleration as velocity approaches maximum. The new acceleration Jerk Rate becomes smaller, further limiting the maximum change in acceleration. Velocity overshoot occurs due to the additional time required for acceleration to reach zero. Another profile is generated to bring velocity back to the programmed maximum.



**Figure 7.51 Effect of Change to Acceleration**

The following graph illustrates what could happen when an MCCD instruction is used to reduce the deceleration as velocity and position approach their target endpoints. The new deceleration Jerk Rate becomes smaller. The time required to decelerate to zero causes velocity to undershoot, passing through zero and becoming negative. Axis motion also reverses direction until velocity returns to zero. An

additional profile is generated to bring position back to the programmed target.



**Figure 7.52** Affect of Change to Deceleration

### Scope

The Scope operand lets you determine whether the changes are to affect the current active instruction.

MCCD is a transitional instruction:

- In relay ladder, toggle the rung-condition-in from cleared to set each time the instruction should execute.
- In structured text, condition the instruction so that it only executes on a transition. See Appendix C.

**Arithmetic Status Flags:** not affected

**Fault Conditions:** none

**Error Codes: MCCD Error Codes (.ERR)**

<b>Error Message</b>	<b>Code</b>	<b>Description</b>
Servo Off State	5	Servo loop of at least one axis is not closed. See the Extended Error section for more information about this error.
Shutdown State	7	At least one axis is in a shutdown state. See the Extended Error section for more information about this error.
Illegal Axis Type	8	At least one axis is not configured as a servo or virtual axis. See the Extended Error section for more information about this error.
Axis Not Configured	11	At least one axis is not configured to a physical motion module or has not been assigned to a Motion Group. See the Extended Error section for more information about this error.
Parameter Out of Range	13	The value of at least one parameter is outside the legal range limit. See the Extended Error section for information on which parameter is in an error state.
Homing In Process Error	16	At least one axis is executing a homing sequence. See the Extended Error section for more information about this error.
Motion Group Not Synchronized	19	The Motion Group associated with the axes is not synchronized.
Illegal Dynamic Change	23	There is no active coordinated motion or at least one axis is currently undergoing a coordinated move through another coordinate system.
Illegal Controller Mode	24	The current operating mode of the controller does not support the instruction.
Illegal Axis Data type	38	At least one axis is not configured as an axis data type that can accept a command. See the Extended Error section for more information about this error.
Coordinate System Not In Group	50	The coordinate system is not associated with the Motion Group.
Maximum Deceleration Value is Zero	54	The Decel Rate of either the Coordinate System or the Axis is set to zero. This is an illegal value for Decel Rate, which inhibits start motion. See the Extended Error section for more information about this error.

**Extended Error Codes:** Extended Error codes help to further define the error message given for this particular instruction. Their behavior is dependent upon the Error Code with which they are associated.

The Extended Error Codes for Servo Off State (5), Shutdown State (7), Axis Type Not Servo (8), Axis Not Configured (11), Homing In Process Error (16), and Illegal Axis Data type (38) errors all function in the same fashion. A number between 0 and *n* is displayed for the

Extended Error Code. This number is the index to the Coordinate System indicating the axis that is in the error condition.

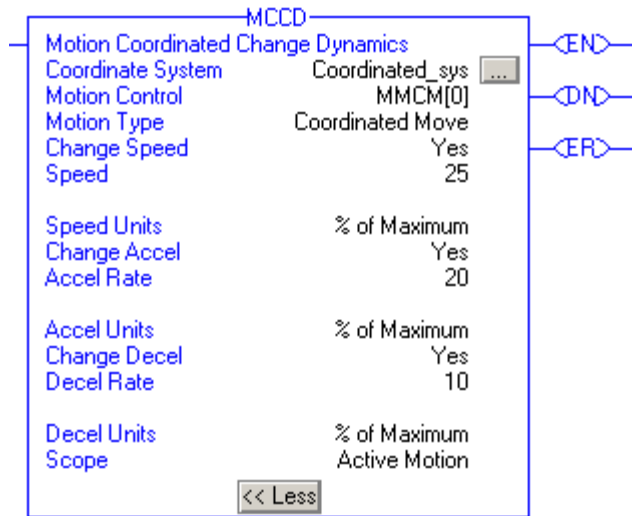
For the MCCD instruction, Error Code 13 - Parameter Out of Range, Extended Errors return a number that indicates the offending parameter as listed on the faceplate in numerical order from top to bottom beginning with zero. For example, 2 indicates the parameter value for Move Type is in error.

Referenced Error Code and Number	Extended Error Numeric Indicator	Instruction Parameter	Description
Parameter Out Of Range (13)	2	Move Type	Move Type is either less than 0 or greater than 1.
Parameter Out Of Range (13)	4	Speed	Speed is less than 0.
Parameter Out Of Range (13)	7	Accel Rate	Accel Rate is less than or equal to 0.
Parameter Out Of Range (13)	10	Decel Rate	Decel Rate is less than or equal to 0.

For the Error Code 54 – Maximum Deceleration Value is Zero, if the Extended Error returns a positive number (0-*n*) it is referring to the offending axis in the coordinate system. Go to the Coordinate System Properties General Tab and look under the Brackets ( [ ] )column of the Axis Grid to determine which axis has a Maximum Deceleration value of 0. Click on the ellipsis button next to the offending axis to access the Axis Properties screen. Go to the Dynamics tab and make the appropriate change to the Maximum Deceleration Value. If the Extended Error number is -1, this means the Coordinate System has a Maximum Deceleration Value of 0. Go to the Coordinate System Properties Dynamics Tab to correct the Maximum Deceleration value.

**MCCD Changes to Status Bits:** No effect.

**Example: Relay Ladder**



**Figure 7.53 MCCD Ladder Instruction**

**Structured Text**

```
MCCD(Coordinated_sys,MMCM[0],CoordinatedMove,Yes,25,
%ofmaximum,Yes,20,%ofmaximum,Yes,10,%ofmaximum,0)
```



## Motion Coordinated Stop (MCS)

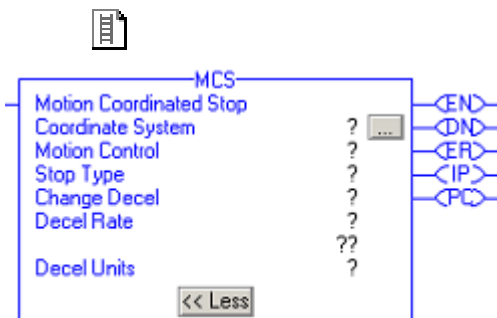
Use the MCS instruction to initiate a controlled stop of the coordinated motion profile. The Stop Type operand specifies stopping coordinated move profiles.

**Operands:** The MCS's operands are the place to enter the values that govern how this instruction performs its function. To display a reminder of the type of value a specific operand requires, place the cursor on the operand in question and a “tool tip” is displayed for that operand in the status bar.



Figure 7.54 Status Bar for the Decel Units Operand of the MCS Instruction

### Relay Ladder



Operand:	Type:	Format:	Description:
Coordinate System	COORDINATE_SYSTEM	tag	Coordinated group of axes.
Motion control	MOTION_INSTRUCTION	tag	Structure used to access instruction status parameters.
Stop Type	SINT, INT, or DINT	immediate	Specifies the motion profile to stop: 2 = Coordinated Move*
Change Decel	SINT, INT, or DINT	immediate	0 = No 1 = Yes
Decel Rate	SINT, INT, DINT, or REAL	immediate or tag	[Coordination Units] The axis could overshoot its target position if you reduce the deceleration while a move is in process.
Decel Units	SINT, INT, or DINT	immediate	0 = Units per Sec <sup>2</sup> 1 = % of Maximum

\*Option is numbered 2 in keeping with current convention and to allow for future enhancements to feature.

### Structured Text

The operands are the same as those for the relay ladder MCS instruction.

**Note:** When entering enumerations for the operand value in Structured Text, multiple word enumerations must be entered without spaces. For example: when entering for Stop Type the value should be entered as coordinatedmove rather than Coordinated Move as displayed in the ladder logic.



```
MCS (CoordinateSystem,
MotionControl, StopType,
ChangeDecel,
DecelRate, DecelUnits);
```

For the operands that enumerated values, enter your selection as:

This operand:	Has these options which you...	
	enter as text:	or enter as a number:
Stoptype	Coordinatedmove	2*
ChangeDecel	No Yes	0 1
DecelUnits	Unitspersec <sup>2</sup> %ofmaximum	0 1

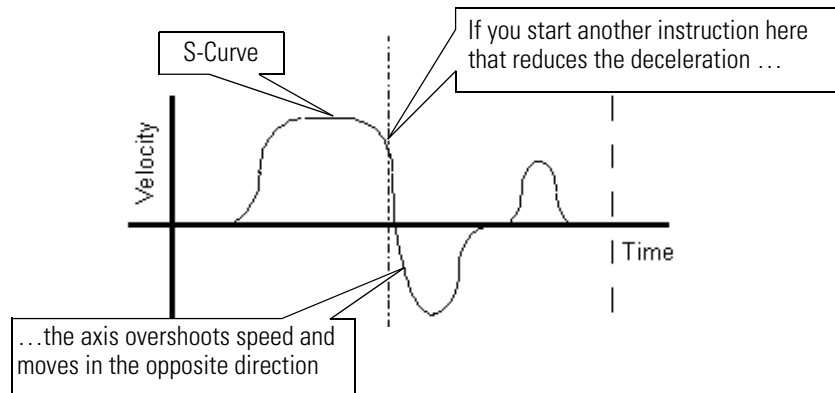
\*Option is numbered 2 in keeping with current convention and to allow for future enhancements to feature.

**Description:** The Motion Coordinated Stop (MCS) instruction initiates a controlled stop of coordinated motion. Use the Stop Type operand to stop a coordinated move profile. Any pending motion profiles are cancelled.

**ATTENTION** **If you use an S-Curve profile**



Be careful if you change the acceleration, deceleration, or speed while an axis is accelerating or decelerating along an S-Curve profile. You can cause an axis to overshoot its speed or move in the opposite direction.



This happens because jerk limits the acceleration and deceleration time of an S-Curve profile. You reduce jerk when you reduce acceleration, reduce deceleration, or increase speed. The smaller jerk can cause:

- an accelerating axis to overshoot its speed
- a decelerating axis to move in the opposite direction

For more information, see Logix5000 Motion Modules User Manual, publication 1756-UM006.

## Coordinate System

The Coordinate System operand specifies the set of motion axes that define the dimensions of a Cartesian coordinate system. For this release the coordinate system supports up to three (3) primary axes.

## Motion Control

The following control bits are affected by the MCS instruction.

<b>Mnemonic:</b>	<b>Description:</b>
.EN (Enable) Bit 31	The Enable Bit sets when the rung transitions from false to true. It resets when rung transitions from true to false.
.DN (Done) Bit 29	The Done Bit is reset when the rung transitions from false to true. It is set when the coordinated move has been successfully initiated.
.ER (Error) Bit 28	The Error Bit resets when the rung condition transitions from false to true. It sets when the coordinated stop does not initiate successfully.
.IP	The In Process Bit sets when coordinated stop has initiated successfully. It is reset when the stop has completed.
.PC	The Process Complete Bit resets when the rung condition transitions from false to true. It sets when the coordinated stop has successfully terminated the motion profile.

## Stop Type

The Stop Type operand specifies which motion profiles are to be stopped. Currently the only option is Coordinated Move.

### Coordinated Move

All coordinated move profiles of the specified coordinate system are stopped.

## Change Decel

The Change Decel operand determines whether or not to change the deceleration of the coordinated motion profile.

### No

No change is made to the deceleration of the coordinated motion.

### Yes

The deceleration of the coordinated motion is changed by the value defined in the Decel Rate and Decel Units operands.

## Decel Rate

The Decel Rate operand defines the maximum deceleration along the path of the coordinated move.

## Decel Units

The Decel Units operand defines the units applied to the Decel Rate operand either directly in coordination units of the specified coordinate system or as a percentage of the maximum values defined in the coordinate system.

**Arithmetic Status Flags:** not affected

**Fault Conditions:** none

## Error Codes: MCS Error Codes (.ERR)

Error Message	Code	Description
Servo Off State	5	The servo loop of at least one axis is not closed. See the Extended Error section for more information about this error.
Shutdown State	7	At least one axis is in a shutdown state. See the Extended Error section for more information about this error.
Illegal Axis Type	8	At least one axis is not configured as either servo or virtual. See the Extended Error section for more information about this error.
Axis Not Configured	11	At least one axis is not configured to a physical motion module or has not been assigned to a Motion Group. See the Extended Error section for more information about this error.
Parameter Out of Range	13	At least one of the parameters is outside the legal range. See the Extended Error section for information on which parameter is in an error state.
Motion Group Not Synchronized	19	The Motion Group associated with the axes is not synchronized.
Illegal Controller Mode	24	The current operating mode of the controller does not support the instruction.
Illegal Axis Data Type	38	At least one axis is not configured as an axis data type that can accept a command. See the Extended Error section for more information about this error.
Coordinate System Not In Group	50	The coordinate system is not associated with the Motion Group.

**Extended Error Codes:** Extended Error codes help to further define the error message given for this particular instruction. Their behavior is dependent upon the Error Code with which they are associated.

The Extended Error Codes for Servo Off State (5), Shutdown State (7), Axis Type Not Servo (8), Axis Not Configured (11), and Illegal Axis Data type (38) errors all function in the same fashion. A number between 0 and  $n$  is displayed for the Extended Error Code. This number is the index to the Coordinate System indicating the axis that is in the error condition.

For the MCLM instruction, Error Code 13 - Parameter Out of Range, Extended Errors return a number that indicates the offending parameter as listed on the faceplate in numerical order from top to bottom beginning with zero. For example, 2 indicates the parameter value for Move Type is in error.

Referenced Error Code and Number	Extended Error Numeric Indicator	Instruction Parameter	Description
Parameter Out Of Range (13)	4	Decel Rate	Decel Rate is less than or equal to 0.

**MCS Changes to Status Bits:** Status Bits provide a means for monitoring the progress of the motion instruction. There are three types of Status Bits that provide pertinent information. They are: Axis Status Bits, Coordinate System Status Bits, and Coordinate Motion Status Bits. When the MCS instruction initiates, the status bits undergo the following changes.

### Axis Status Bits

Bit Name:	Meaning:
CoordinatedMoveStatus	It is cleared once the coordinated move stops.

### Coordinate System Status Bits

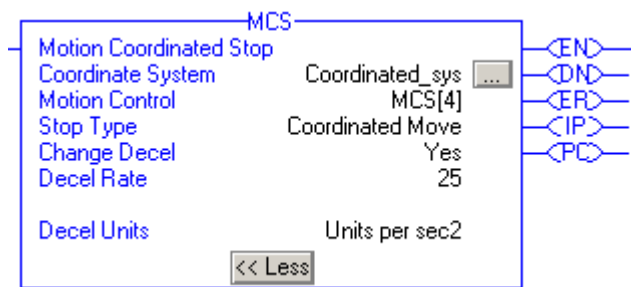
Bit Name:	Meaning:
MotionStatus	It is cleared once the coordinated move stops.

### Coordinate Motion Status Bits

Bit Name:	Meaning:
AccelStatus	The bit is cleared when the MCS instruction executes.
DecelStatus	The bit is set during the stop and then cleared when the stop completes.

Bit Name:	Meaning:
StoppingStatus	The bit is set during the stop and then cleared when the .PC bit is set.
MoveStatus	The bit is cleared when the MCS instruction executes.
MoveTransitionStatus	The bit is cleared when the MCS instruction executes.
MovePendingStatus	The bit is cleared when the MCS instruction executes.

**Example: Relay Ladder**



**Figure 7.55 MCS Ladder Instruction**

**Structured Text**

```
MCS (Coordinated_sys, MCS [4], CoordinatedMove, Yes, 25, Unitspersec2);
```

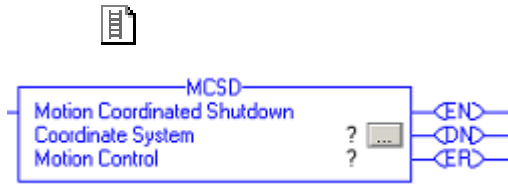
**Motion Coordinated Shutdown (MCSD)**

Use the Motion Coordinated Shutdown (MCSD) instruction to perform a controlled shutdown of all the axes in the named coordinate system.

**Operands:** The MCSD’s operands are the place to enter the values that govern how this instruction performs its function. To display a reminder of the type of value a specific operand requires, place the cursor on the operand in question and a “tool tip” is displayed for that operand in the status bar.



**Figure 7.56 Status Bar for the Coordinate System Operand of the MCSD Instruction**



```
MCSD(CoordinateSystem,
MotionControl);
```

## Relay Ladder

Operand:	Type:	Format	Description:
Coordinate System	COORDINATE_SYSTEM	tag	Coordinated group of axes.
Motion Control	MOTION_INSTRUCTION	tag	Structure used to access instruction status parameters.

## Structured Text

The operands are the same as those for the relay ladder MCSD instruction.

**Description:** The Motion Coordinated Shutdown (MCSD) instruction shuts down all of the axes in the associated coordinate system.

## Coordinate System

The Coordinate System operand specifies the set of motion axes that define the dimensions of a Cartesian coordinate system. For this release the coordinate system supports up to three (3) primary axes. Only the axes configured as primary axes (up to 3) are included in the coordinate velocity calculations.

## Motion Control

The following control bits are affected by the MCSD instruction.

Mnemonic:	Description:
.EN (Enable) Bit 31	The Enable Bit sets when the rung transitions from false to true. It resets when the rung goes from true to false.
.DN (Done) Bit 29	The Done Bit sets when the coordinated shutdown is successfully initiated. It resets when the rung transitions from false to true.
.ER (Error) Bit 28	The Error Bit sets when the coordinated shutdown fails to initiate successfully. It resets when the rung transitions from false to true.

MCSD is a transitional instruction:

- In relay ladder, toggle the rung-condition-in from cleared to set each time the instruction should execute.
- In structured text, condition the instruction so that it only executes on a transition. See Appendix C.

**Arithmetic Status Flags:** not affected

**Fault Conditions:** none

**Error Codes: MCSD Error Codes (.ERR)**

<b>Error Message</b>	<b>Code</b>	<b>Description</b>
Execution Collision	3	Attempted execution while another instance of instruction is currently in process.
Axis Not Configured	11	At least one axis is not configured to a physical motion module or has not been assigned to a Motion Group.
Servo Module Failure	12	The messaging to the servo module failed.
Axis Type Unused	18	Attempted execution on an axis that is not configured for use according the current Axis Type configuration attribute.
Motion Group Not Synchronized	19	The motion group associated with the axes of the coordinate system is not synchronized.
Shutdown Status Time Out	42	The MCSD instruction failed to detect the assertion of the Shutdown Status Bit within the established fixed delay time period.
Coordinate System Not In Group	50	The coordinate system is not associated with the Motion Group.

**MCSD Changes to Status Bits:** Status Bits provide a means for monitoring the progress of the motion instruction. There are three types of Status Bits that provide pertinent information. They are: Axis Status Bits, Coordinate System Status Bits, and Coordinate Motion Status Bits. When the MCS instruction initiates, the status bits undergo the following changes.

**Axis Status Bits**

<b>Bit Name:</b>	<b>Effect:</b>
CoordinatedMoveStatus	Cleared

**Coordinate System Status Bits**

<b>Bit Name:</b>	<b>Effect:</b>
ShutdownStatus	Sets when MCSD is executed and all associated axes are shutdown.
ReadyStatus	Cleared after MCSD executes.



## Coordinate Motion Status Bits

Bit Name:	Effect:
AccelStatus	Cleared after MCSD executes.
DecelStatus	Cleared after MCSD executes.
ActualPosToleranceStatus	Cleared after MCSD executes.
CommandPosToleranceStatus	Cleared after MCSD executes.
StoppingStatus	Cleared after MCSD executes.
MoveStatus	Cleared after MCSD executes.
MoveTransitionStatus	Cleared after MCSD executes.
MovePendingStatus	Cleared after MCSD executes.
MovePendingQueueFullStatus	Cleared after MCSD executes.

### Example: Relay Ladder



Figure 7.57 MCSD Ladder Instruction

### Structured Text

```
MCSD (Coordinated_sys, MCSD[2]);
```

## Motion Coordinated Shutdown Reset (MCSR)

Use the Motion Coordinated Shutdown Reset (MCSR) instruction to reset all axes in a coordinate system. The MCSR instruction resets the axes from a shutdown state to an axis ready state.

**Operands:** The MCSR's operands are the place to enter the values that govern how this instruction performs its function. To display a reminder of the type of value a specific operand requires, place the cursor on the operand in question and a “tool tip” is displayed for that operand in the status bar.



Figure 7.58 Status Bar for the Motion Control Operand of the MCSR Instruction

### Relay Ladder

Operand:	Type:	Format:	Description:
Coordinate System	COORDINATE_SYSTEM	tag	Name of the axis, which provides the position input to the Output Cam. Ellipsis launches Axis Properties dialog.
Motion Control	MOTION_INSTRUCTION	tag	Structure used to access instruction status parameters.



MCSR (CoordinateSystem,  
MotionControl);

### Structured Text

The operands are the same as those for the relay ladder MCSR instruction.

**Description:** The Motion Coordinated Shutdown Reset (MCSR) instruction initiates a reset of all axes within a specified coordinate system from a shutdown state to an axis ready state. MCSR also clears any axis faults.

### Coordinate System

The Coordinate System operand specifies the set of motion axes that define the dimensions of a Cartesian coordinate system. For this release the coordinate system supports up to three (3) primary axes. Only the axes configured as primary axes (up to 3) are included in the coordinate velocity calculations.

### Motion Control

The following control bits are affected by the MCSR instruction.

Mnemonic:	Description:
.EN (Enable) Bit 31	The Enable Bit sets when the rung transitions from false to true. It resets when the rung goes from true to false.
.DN (Done) Bit 29	The Done Bit sets when the coordinated shutdown reset is successfully initiated. It resets when the rung transitions from true to false.
.ER (Error) Bit 28	The Error Bit sets when the reset of the coordinated shutdown fails to initiate. It resets when the rung transitions from false to true.

This is a transitional instruction:

- In relay ladder, toggle the rung-condition-in from cleared to set each time the instruction should execute.
- In structured text, condition the instruction so that it only executes on a transition. See Appendix C.

**Arithmetic Status Flags:** not affected

**Fault Conditions:** none

**Error Codes: MCSR Error Codes (.ERR)**

<b>Error Message:</b>	<b>Code:</b>	<b>Description:</b>
Execution Collision	3	The Instruction tried to execute while another instance of the instruction was executing.
Axis Not Configured	11	At least one axis is not configured to a physical motion module or has not been assigned to a Motion Group.
Servo Module Failure	12	The messaging to the servo module failed.
Axis Type Unused	18	Attempted execution on an axis that is not configured for use according the current Axis Type configuration attribute.
Motion Group Not Synchronized	19	The motion group associated with the axes of the coordinate system is not synchronized.
Coordinate System Not In Group	50	The coordinate system is not associated with the Motion Group.

**MCSR Changes to Status Bits:** Status Bits provide a means for monitoring the progress of the motion instruction. There are three types of Status Bits that provide pertinent information. They are: Axis Status Bits, Coordinate System Status Bits, and Coordinate Motion Status Bits. When the MCS instruction initiates, the status bits undergo the following changes.

**Axis Status Bits**

<b>Bit Name:</b>	<b>Effect:</b>
CoordinatedMoveStatus	No effect.

**Coordinate System Status Bits**

<b>Bit Name:</b>	<b>Effect:</b>
ShutdownStatus	Clears the Shutdown status bit.

**Coordinate Motion Status Bits**

<b>Bit Name:</b>	<b>Effect:</b>
MovePendingStatus	Flushes instruction queue and clears status bit.

Bit Name:	Effect:
MovePendingQueueFullStatus	Flushes instruction queue and clears status bit.

**Example: Relay Ladder**



**Figure 7.59 MCSR Ladder Instruction**

**Structured Text**

```
MCSR(Coordinated_sys,MCSR[3]);
```

## Motion Direct Commands

### Introduction

Motion Direct Commands give you the ability to execute specific instructions while on-line without having to write or execute an application program. The ability to issue Motion Direct Commands is particularly useful when you are commissioning or debugging your motion applications. During commissioning, you can configure an axis and monitor behavior with Trend from the Controller Organizer. By issuing Motion Direct Commands, you can “fine-tune” with or without load to achieve optimum performance. During the testing/debugging cycle, you can issue Motion Direct Commands to establish/reestablish conditions, such as Home. Motion Direct Commands give you the ability to test the system in small manageable areas during initial development or enhancement to mature applications. These tasks include:

- Home to establish initial conditions
- Incrementally Move to a physical position
- Monitor system dynamics under specific conditions.

### Supported Commands

The list of instructions supported by the Motion Direct Commands feature are listed in the following tables.

#### Motion State

Command	Description
MSO	Enable the servo drive and activate the axis servo loop.
MSF	Disable the servo drive and deactivate the axis servo loop.
MASD	Force an axis into the shutdown operating state. Once the axis is in the shutdown operating state, the controller blocks any instructions that initiate axis motion.
MASR	Change an axis from an existing shutdown operating state to an axis ready operating state. If all of the axes of a servo module are removed from the shutdown state as a result of this instruction, the OK relay contacts for the module close.

Command	Description
MDO	Enable the servo drive and set the servo output voltage of an axis.
MDF	Disable the servo drive and set the servo output voltage to the output offset voltage.
MAFR	Clear all motion faults for an axis.

### Motion Move

Command	Description
MAS	Initiate a controlled stop of any motion process on an axis.
MAH	Home an axis.
MAJ	Initiate a jog motion profile for an axis.
MAM	Initiate a move profile for an axis.
MAG	Provide electronic gearing between any two axes
MCD	Change the speed, acceleration rate, or deceleration rate of a move profile or a jog profile in progress.
MRP	Change the command or actual position of an axis.

### Motion Group

Command	Description
MGS	Initiate a stop of motion on a group of axes.
MGSD	Force all axes in a group into the shutdown operating state.
MGSR	Transition a group of axes from the shutdown operating state to the axis ready operating state.
MGSP	Latch the current command and actual position of all axes in a group.

### Motion Event

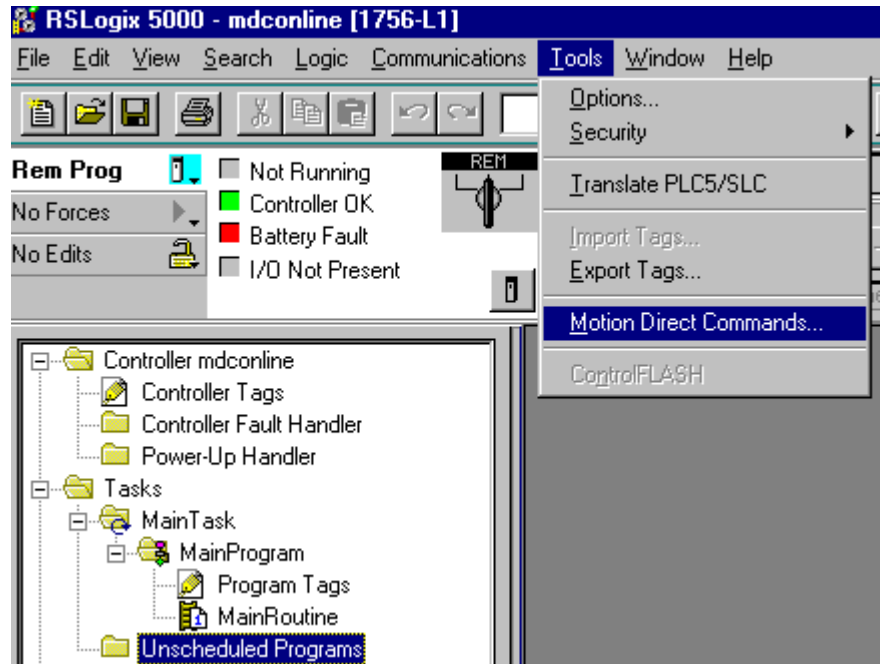
Command	Description
MAW	Arm watch-position event checking for an axis.
MDW	Disarm watch-position event checking for an axis.
MAR	Arm servo-module registration-event checking for an axis.
MDR	Disarm servo-module registration-event checking for an axis.

## Accessing Motion Direct Commands

The Motion Direct Command dialog can be accessed from the Tools pull-down of the Main Menu, by right clicking on the Group in the Controller Organizer, and by right clicking on an Axis in the Controller

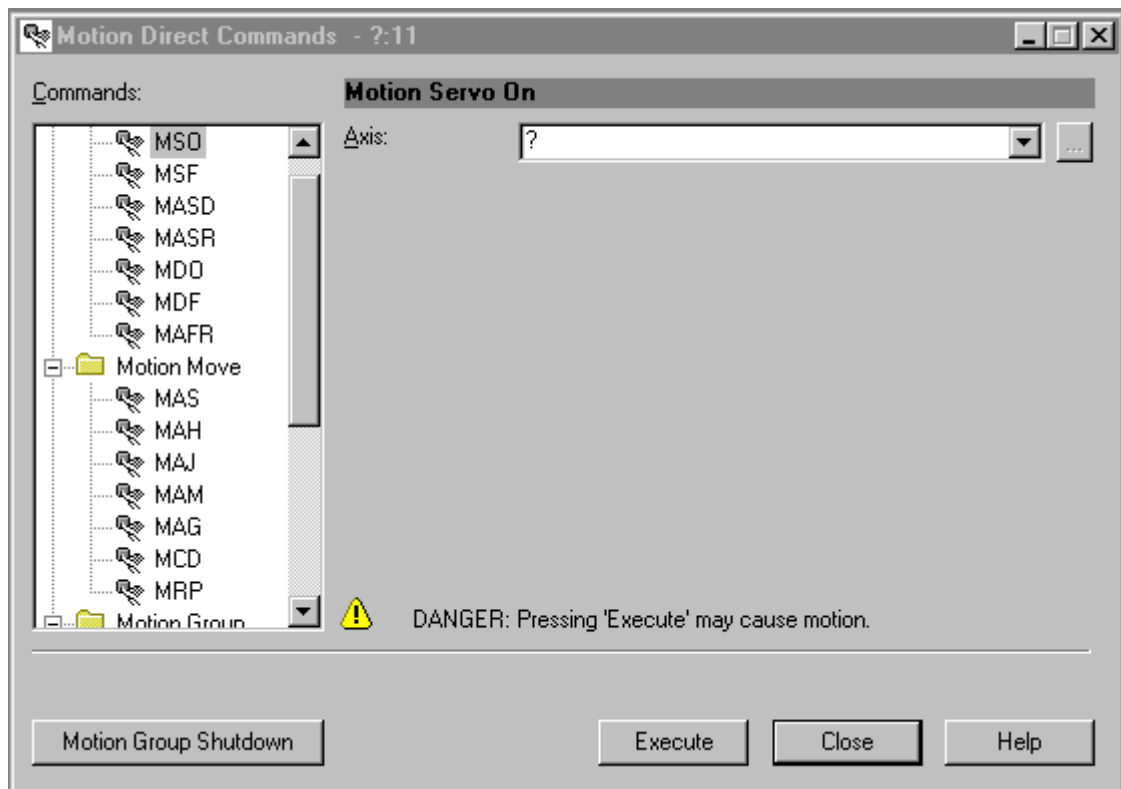
Organizer. The point of entry determines the look of the opening dialog and the default values that are set.

**From the Main Menu** You can access the Motion Direct Commands dialog directly from the Tool pull-down of the Main Menu.



**Figure 8.1 Main Menu | Tools Pull-down | Motion Direct Commands**

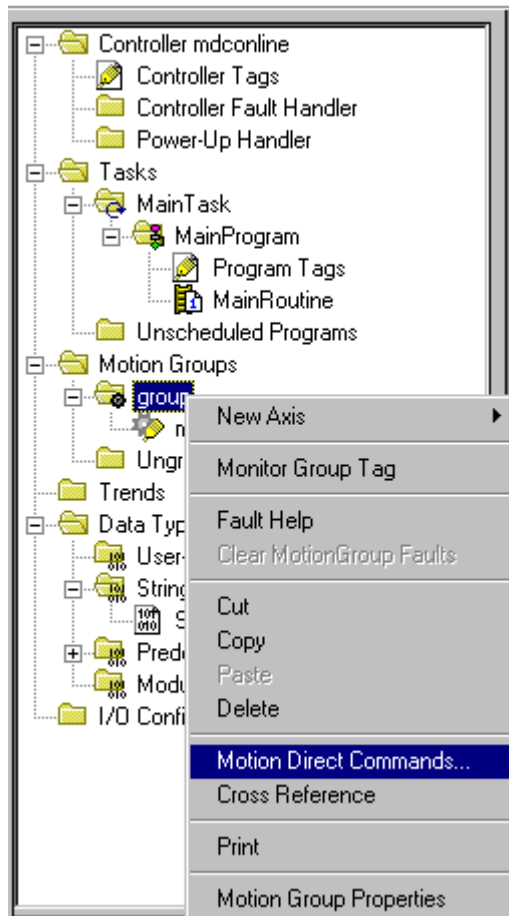
When you access the Motion Direct Commands dialog from the Tools pull-down, it defaults to the MSO command and the Axis field is defaulted to a question mark (?).



**Figure 8.2 Motion Direct Command Dialog from Tool Menu**

**From Group in the Controller Organizer** You can access the Motion Direct Commands by right clicking on the Group in the Controller Organizer. This is the recommended way when you want to invoke a Motion Group Instruction.





**Figure 8.3 Controller Organizer | Group | Motion Direct Commands**

When the Motion Direct Commands dialog is accessed from the Motion Group in the Controller Organizer, the Motion Group field defaults to the group you right clicked on and the MGS command is the default selection.

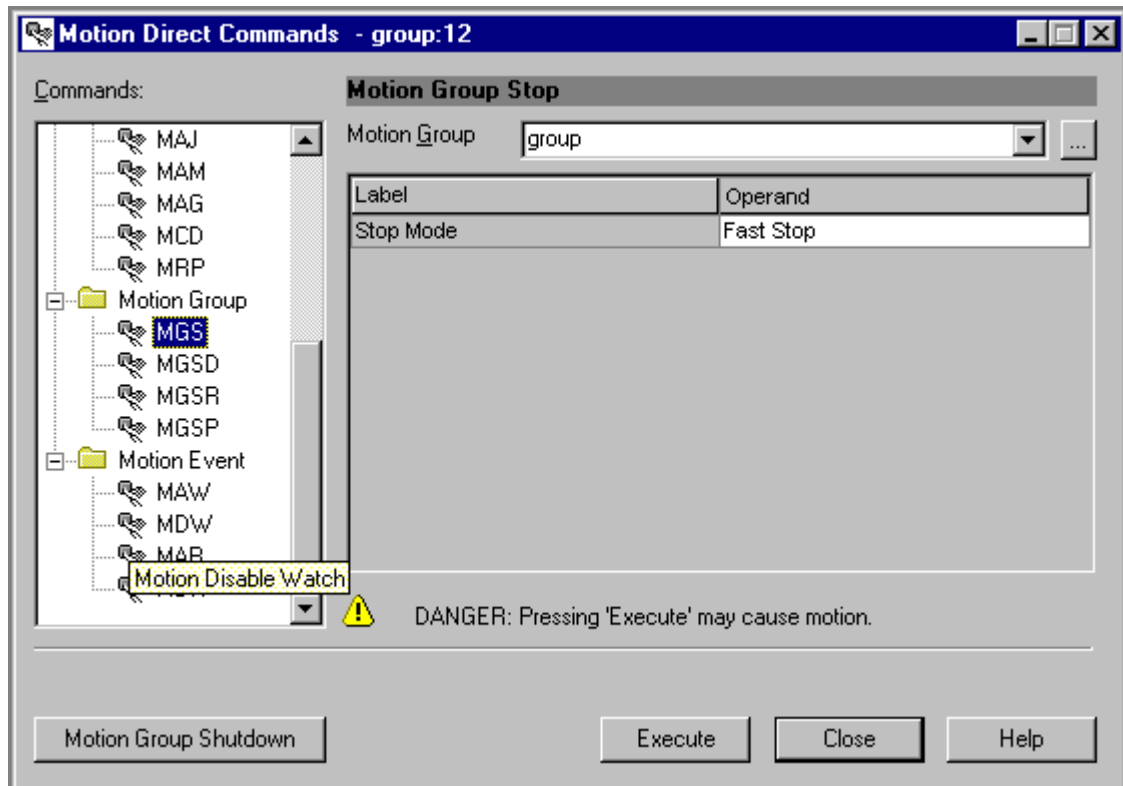
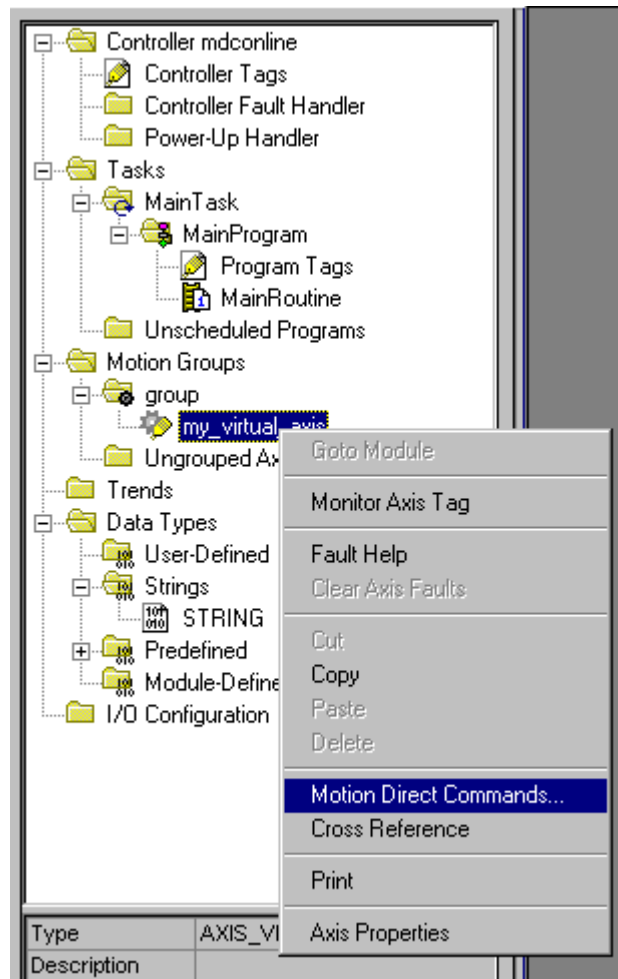


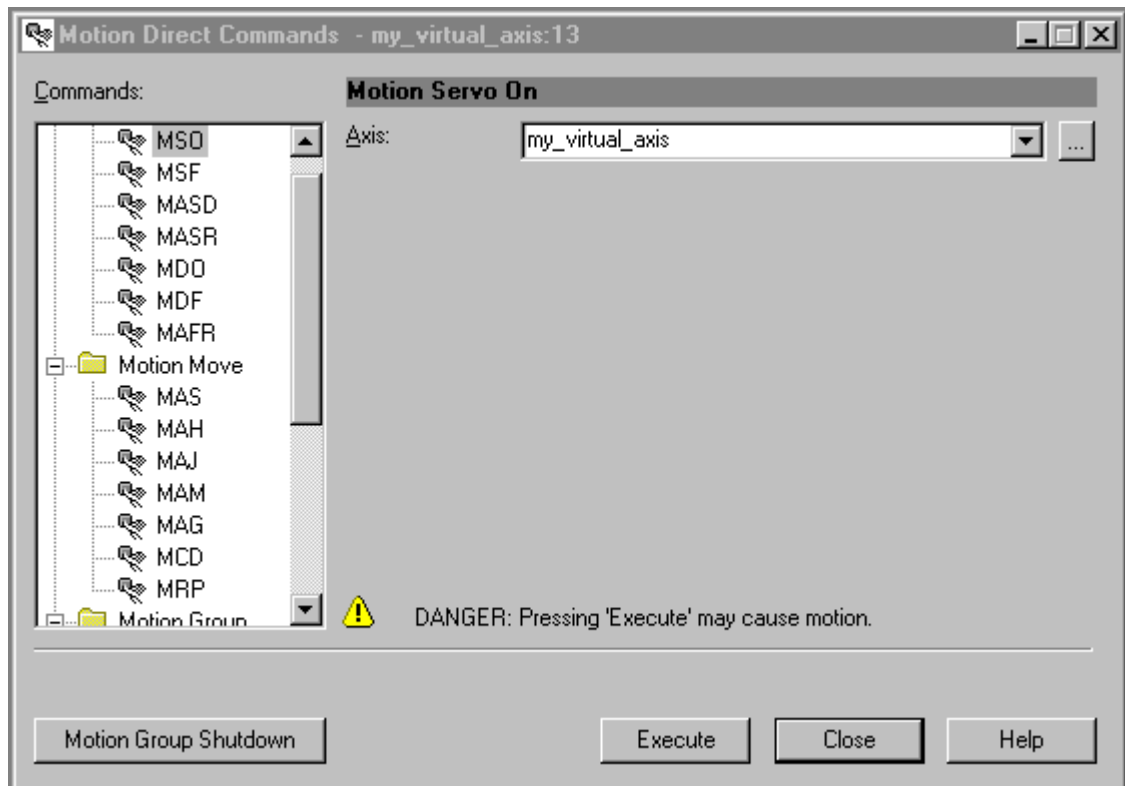
Figure 8.4 Motion Direct Command Dialog from Motion Group

**From Axis in the Controller Organizer** You can access the Motion Direct Commands by right clicking on an Axis in the Controller Organizer. This is the recommended way when you want to invoke a Motion Instruction for an axis.



**Figure 8.5 Controller Organizer | Axis | Motion Direct Commands**

When the Motion Direct Commands dialog is accessed from an Axis in the Controller Organizer, the Axis field defaults to the axis you right clicked on and the MSO command is the default selection.



**Figure 8.6 Motion Direct Command Dialog from Axis**

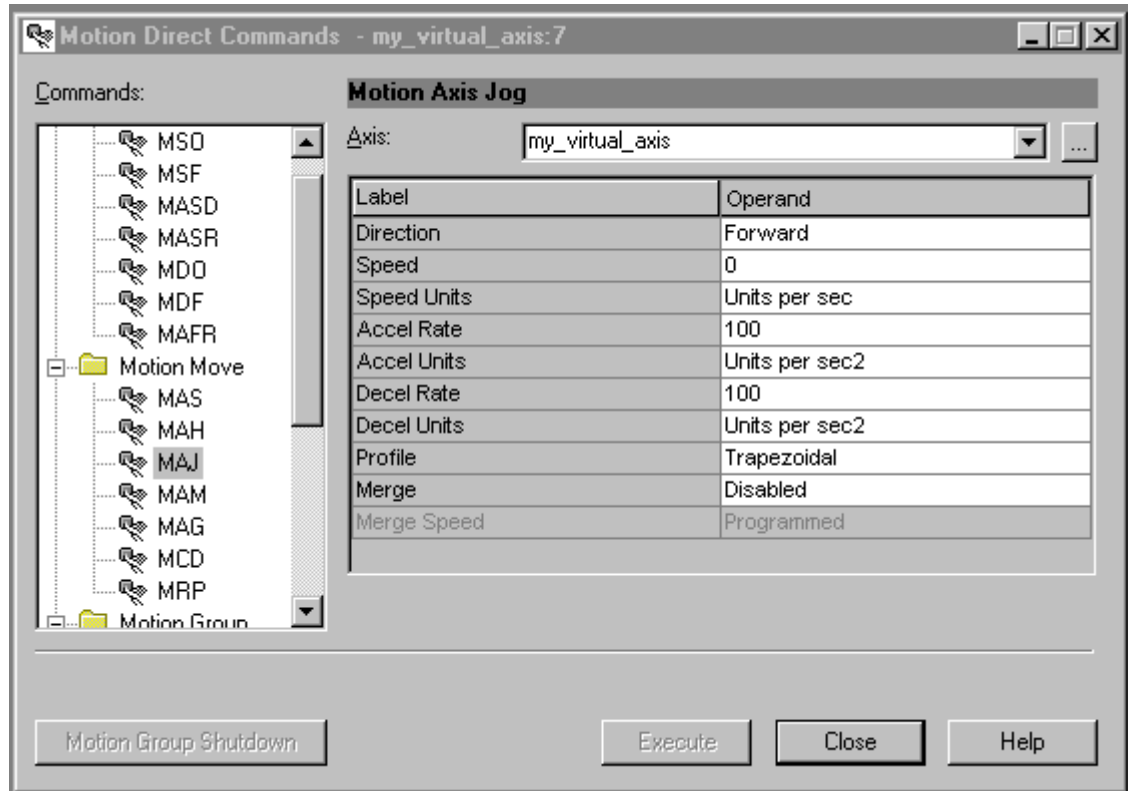
## User Interface

### The Motion Direct Command Dialog

The Motion Direct Commands dialog is similar in position and behavior to other dialogs in RSLogix5000. The dialog can be accessed when the system is either off-line or on-line.

## Motion Direct Command Dialog Off-line

When accessed while off-line the commands cannot be run and the Motion Group Shutdown and Execute buttons are greyed out.

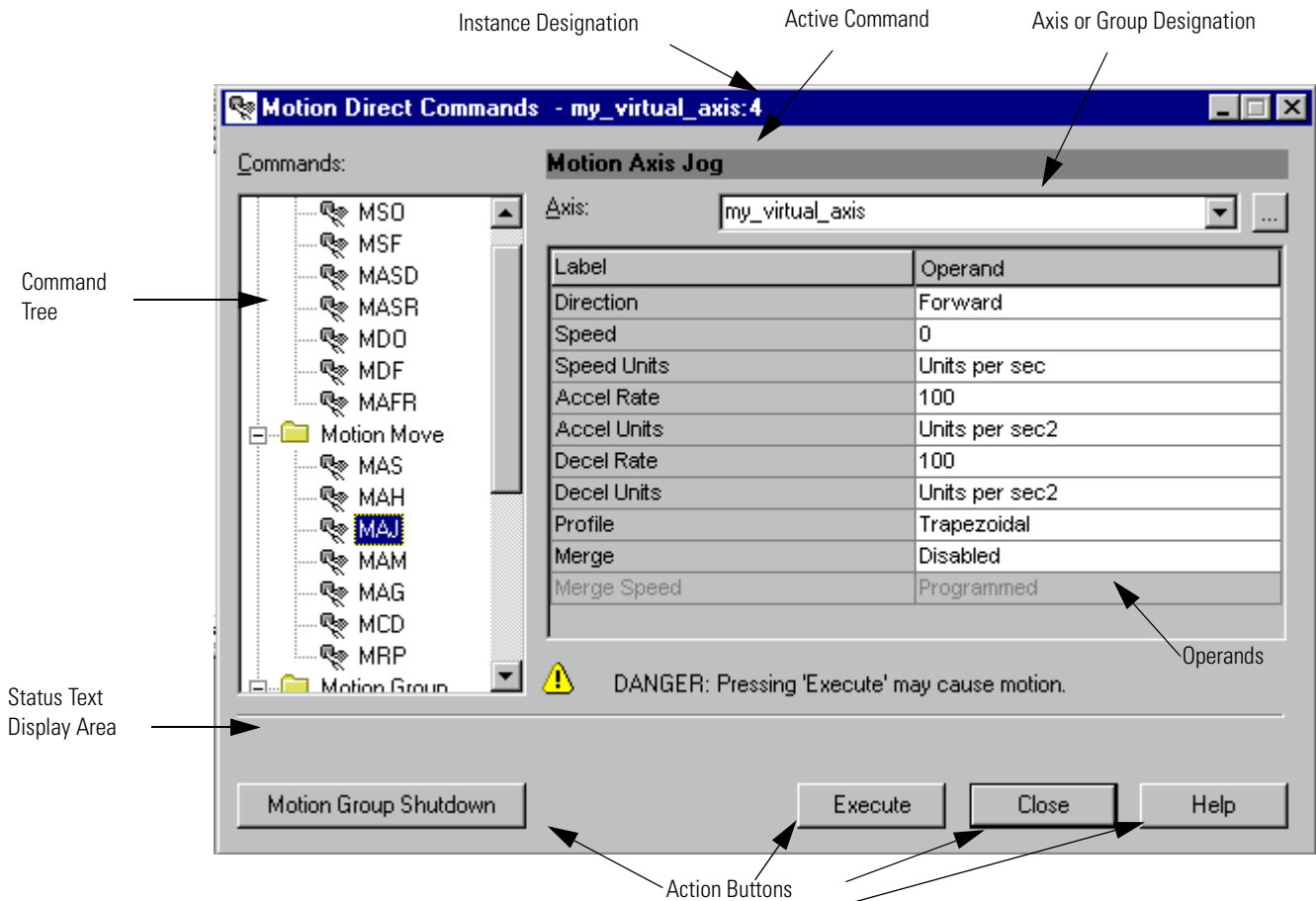


**Figure 8.7 Motion Direct Command Dialog – Off-line**

The reason it is available when off-line is so that you can familiarize yourself with the operation and operand values required to run the command. You also have Help available.

## Motion Direct Command Dialog On-line

In order to execute a Motion Direct Command, you must be on-line. The on-line dialog has the Motion Group Shutdown and Execute buttons active. If you click on either of these, action is taken immediately.



**Figure 8.8 Motion Direct Command Dialog (on-line)**

When the Motion Direct Command dialog is opened, focus is given to the Command Tree. In the Command list, you can either type the mnemonic and the list advances to the closest match or you can scroll down the list to select a command. Click on the desired command and its dialog displays.

At the top of the dialog, in the title bar, there is a number at the end of the axis or group that the command is being applied upon. This is the Instance reference number. This number increases by one every time a command is accessed for that axis or group. The number is cleared when you execute RSLogix.

Located at the bottom of the dialog are the following buttons: Motion Group Shutdown, Execute, Close, and Help.

### **Motion Group Shutdown Button**

The Motion Group Shutdown button is located to the left of the screen to avoid accidental invoking of this command when you really want

to execute the command accessed from the Command tree. Clicking on this button causes the Motion Group Shutdown instruction to execute. If you click on the Motion Group Shutdown button and it is successfully executed, a Result message is displayed in the results window below the dialog. Since the use of this button is an abrupt means of stopping motion, an additional message is displayed in the error text field. The message "MOTION GROUP SHUTDOWN executed!" is displayed with the intention of giving greater awareness of the execution of this command. If the command fails then an error is indicated as per normal operation. (See Error Conditions later in this chapter.)

There is space above the Motion Group Shutdown button and below the line where status text is displayed when a command is executed.

### **Execute Button**

Clicking the Execute button verifies the operands and initiates the current Motion Direct Command. Verification and error messages display as the

### **Close Button**

To end a Motion Direct Command session, click on the Close button. The data is not saved and the command is not executed. It acts the same as a Cancel button.

### **Help Button**

Click on the Help button to access the on-line Help.

## **Motion Direct Commands**

The following pages show the Motion instructions that can be accessed via Motion Direct Commands. Their dialogs are shown and as a brief explanation of their operands. For more information or detail about the operands, see the appropriate instruction chapter of this manual.

## Motion State Commands

**Motion Servo On** If online, from the Motion Direct Command dialog, the user is able to execute a Motion Servo On (MSO) command.

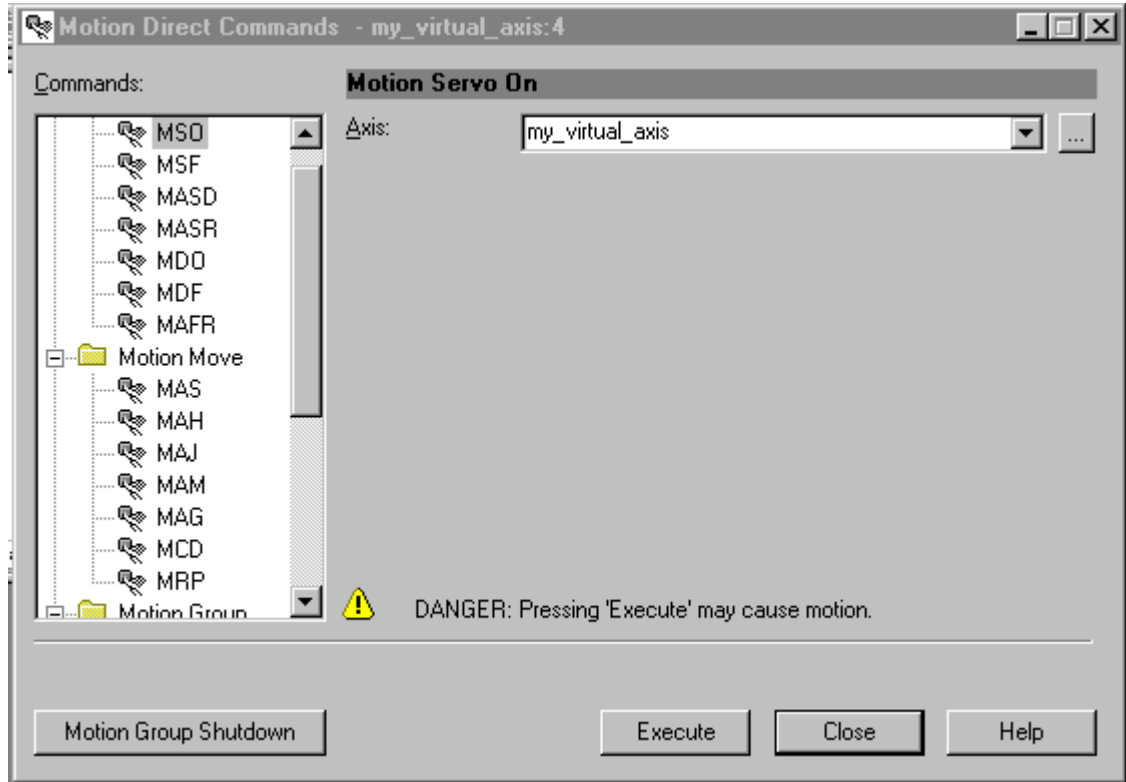


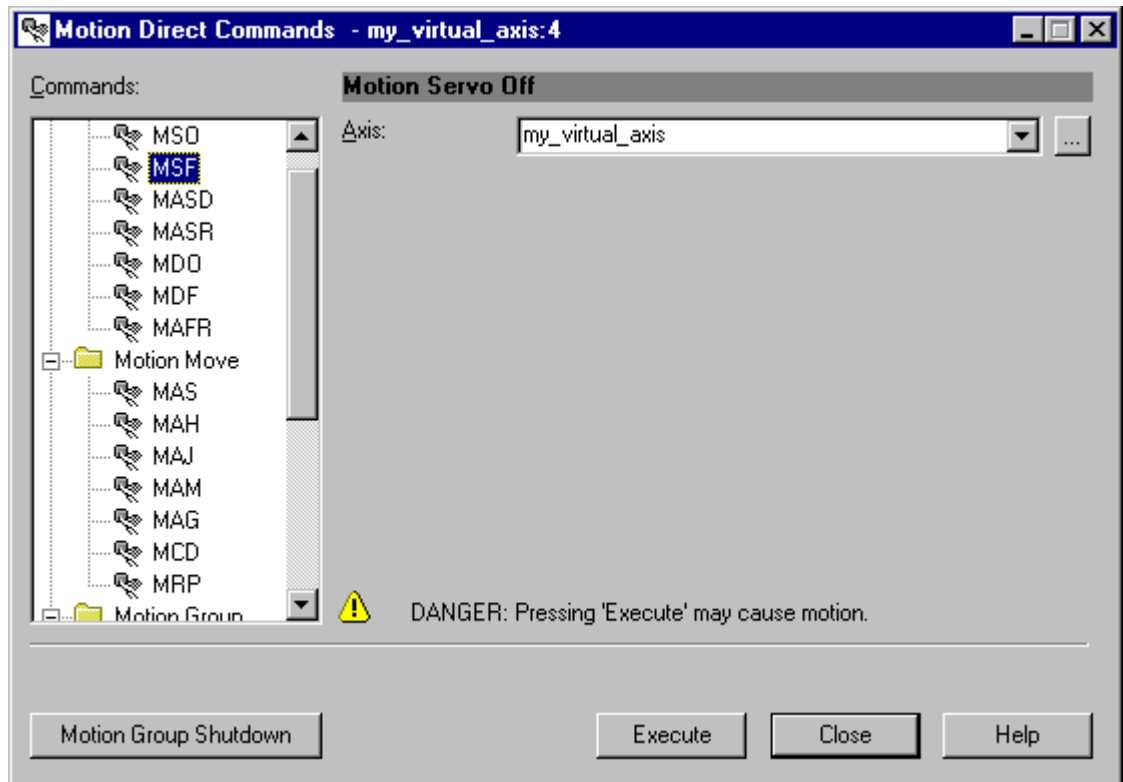
Figure 8.9 Motion Servo On

**Operands:**

Feature	Description
Axis	Select an axis from the tag browser. This list contains existing axes and their aliases or '?'. Notification messages are processed, i.e. Axis Name changed is reflected.
ellipsis	If an axis (alias) is NOT selected then the <i>ellipsis</i> button is disabled. If enabled, then select the <i>ellipsis</i> button to display the Axis Properties dialog.



**Motion Servo Off** If online, from the Motion Direct Command dialog, the user is able to execute a Motion Servo Off (MSF) command.

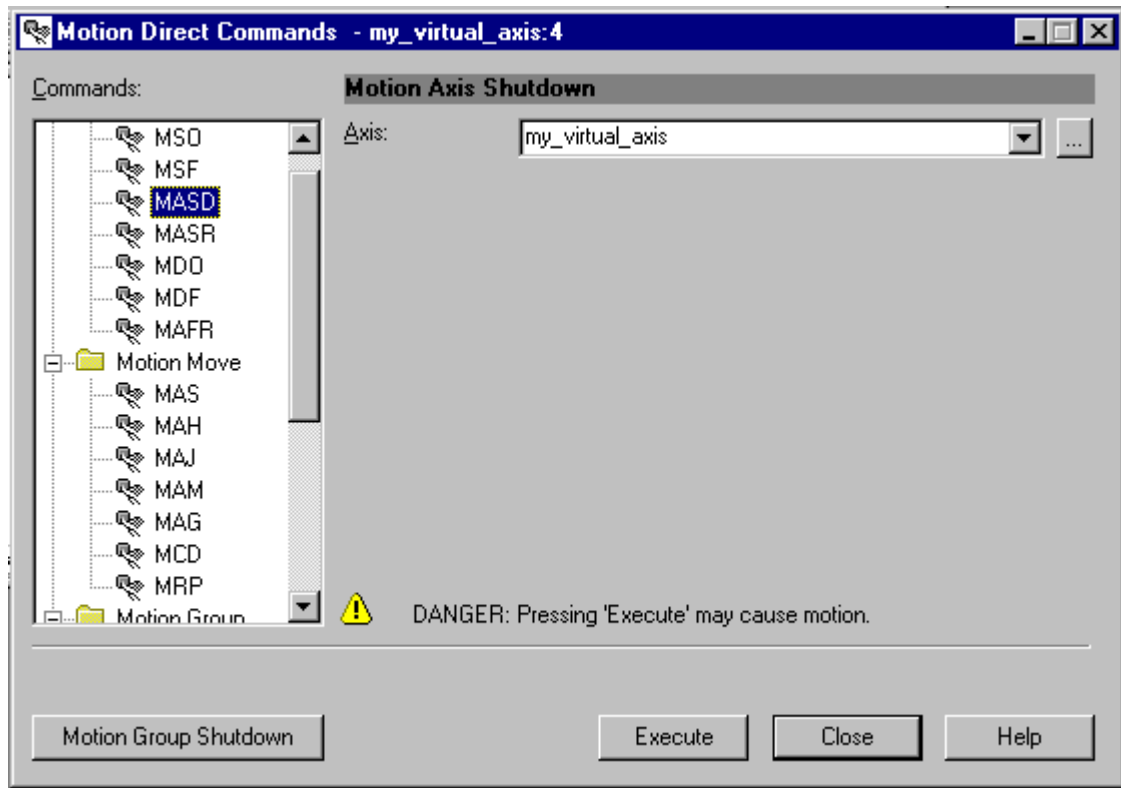


**Figure 8.10 Motion Servo Off**

**Operands:**

Feature	Description
Axis	Select an axis from the tag browser. This list contains existing axes and their aliases or '?'. Notification messages are processed, i.e. Axis Name changed is reflected.
ellipsis	If an axis (alias) is NOT selected then the <i>ellipsis</i> button is disabled. If enabled, then select the <i>ellipsis</i> button to display the Axis Properties dialog.

**Motion Axis Shutdown** If online, from the Motion Direct Command dialog, the user is able to execute a Motion Axis Shutdown (MASD)

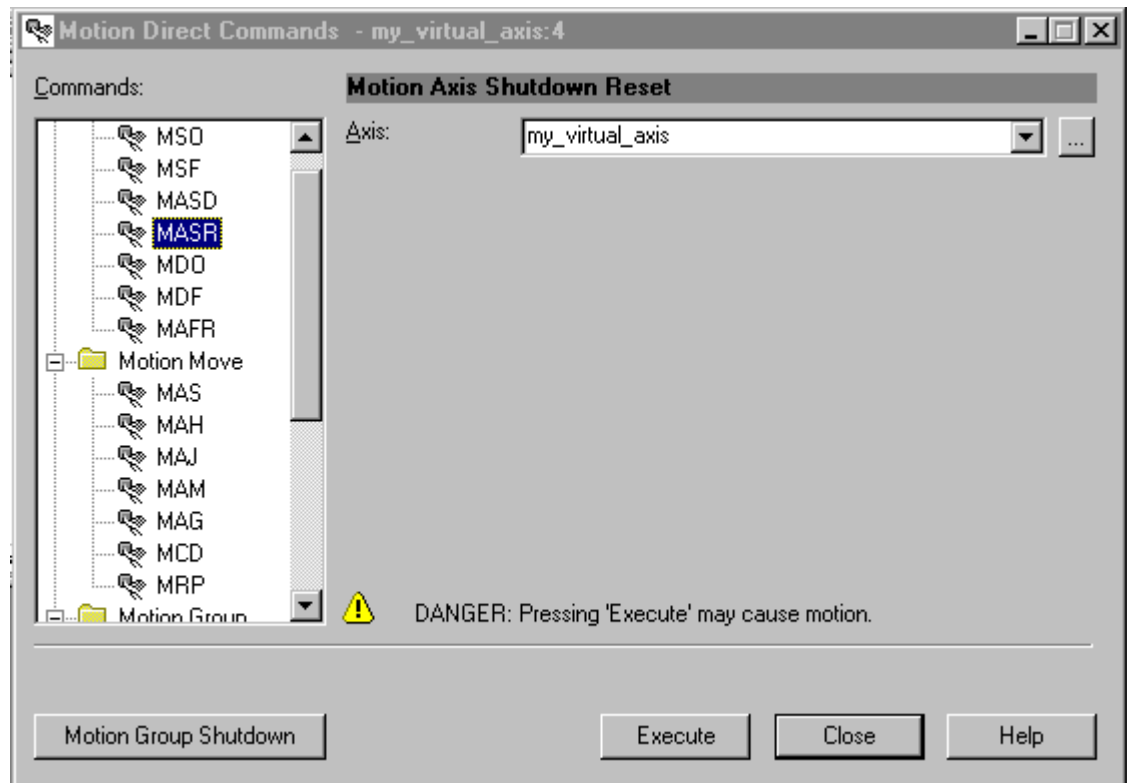


**Figure 8.11 Motion Axis Shutdown**

**Operands:**

Feature	Description
Axis	Select an axis from the tag browser. This list contains existing axes and their aliases or '?'. Notification messages are processed, i.e. Axis Name changed is reflected.
ellipsis	If an axis (alias) is NOT selected then the <i>ellipsis</i> button is disabled. If enabled, then select the <i>ellipsis</i> button to display the Axis Properties dialog.

**Motion Axis Shutdown Reset** If online, from the Motion Direct Command dialog, the user is able to execute a Motion Axis Shutdown Reset (MASR) command.

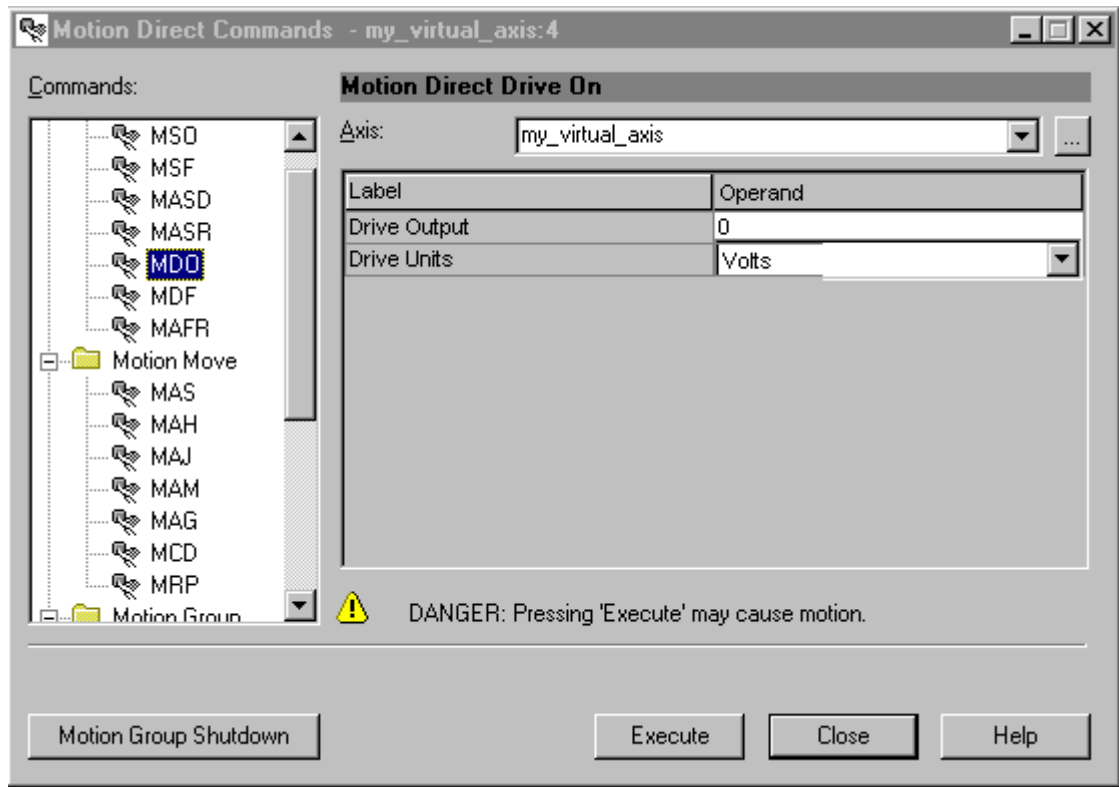


**Figure 8.12 Motion Axis Shutdown Reset**

**Operands:**

Feature	Description
Axis	Select an axis from the tag browser. This list contains existing axes and their aliases or '?'. Notification messages are processed, i.e. Axis Name changed is reflected.
ellipsis	If an axis (alias) is NOT selected then the <i>ellipsis</i> button is disabled. If enabled, then select the <i>ellipsis</i> button to display the Axis Properties dialog.

**Motion Direct Drive On** If online, from the Motion Direct Command dialog, the user is able to execute a Motion Direct Drive On (MDO) command.

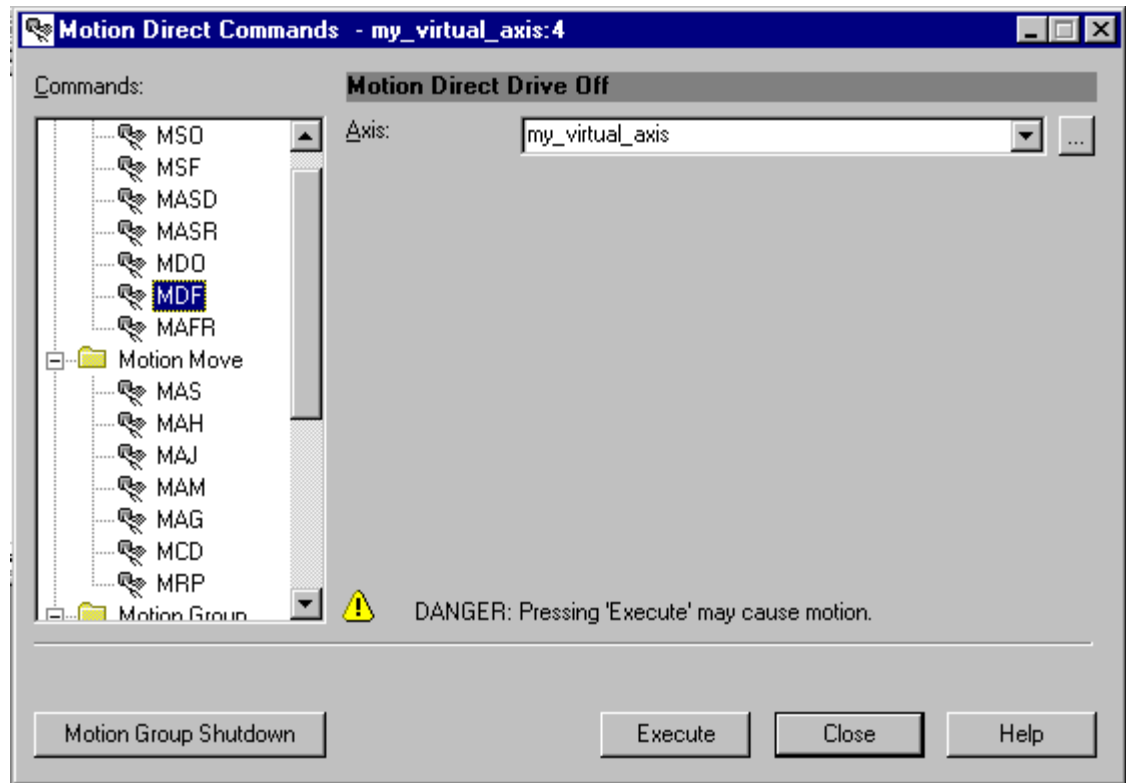


**Figure 8.13 Motion Direct Drive On**

### Operands:

Feature	Description
Axis	Select an axis from the tag browser. This list contains existing axes and their aliases or '?'. Notification messages are processed, i.e. Axis Name changed is reflected.
ellipsis	If an axis (alias) is NOT selected then the <i>ellipsis</i> button is disabled. If enabled, then select the <i>ellipsis</i> button to display the Axis Properties dialog.
Drive Output	Enter the desired drive output in the edit box. The default is 0.
Drive Units	Select the desired drive output units from the combo box. This list contains Volts (default) and Percent.

**Motion Direct Drive Off** If online, from the Motion Direct Command dialog, the user is able to execute a Motion Direct Drive Off (MDF) command.

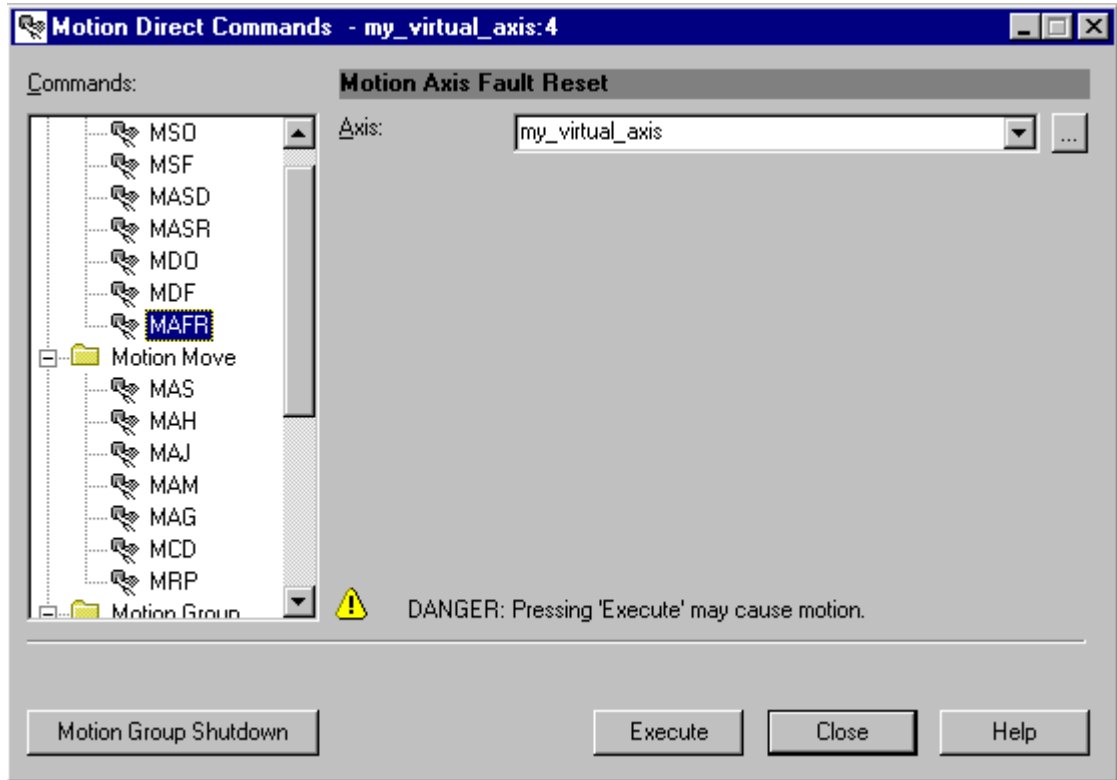


**Figure 8.14 Motion Direct Drive Off**

**Operands:**

Feature	Description
Axis	Select an axis from the tag browser. This list contains existing axes and their aliases or '?'. Notification messages are processed, i.e. Axis Name changed is reflected.
ellipsis	If an axis (alias) is NOT selected then the <i>ellipsis</i> button is disabled. If enabled, then select the <i>ellipsis</i> button to display the Axis Properties dialog.

**Motion Axis Fault Reset** If online, from the Motion Direct Command dialog, the user is able to execute a Motion Axis Fault Reset (MAFR) command.



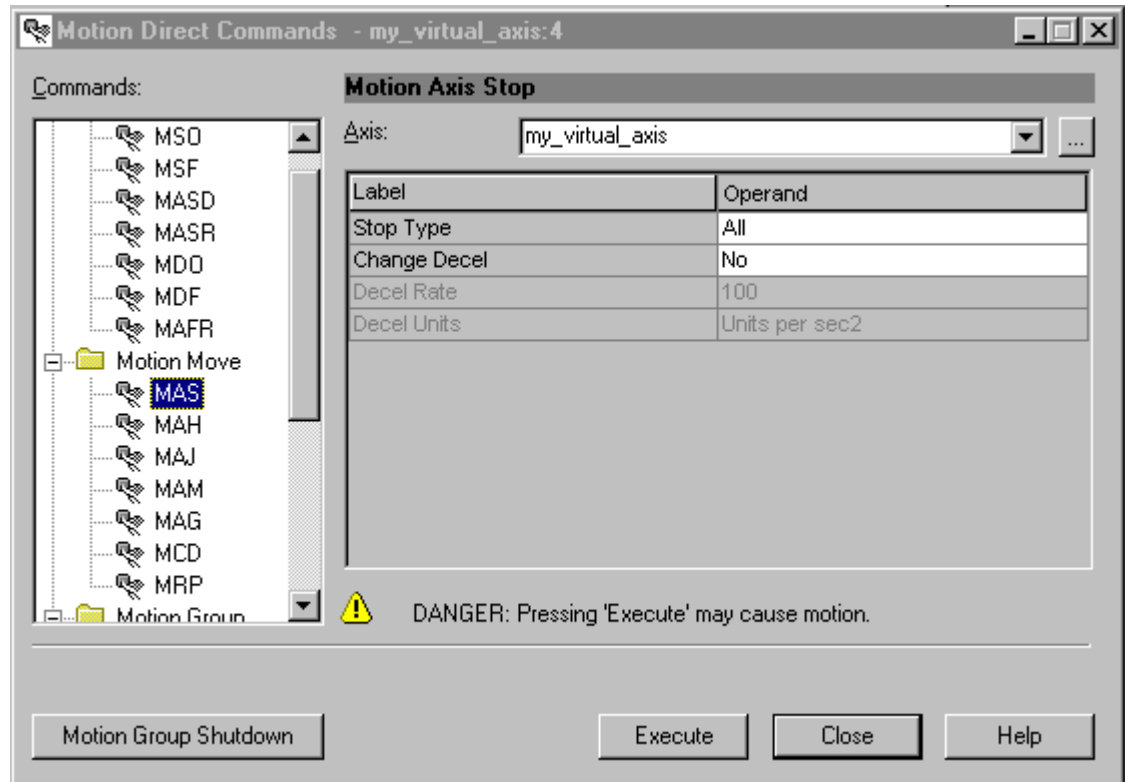
**Figure 8.15 Motion Axis Fault Reset**

**Operands:**

Feature	Description
Axis	Select an axis from the tag browser. This list contains existing axes and their aliases or '?'. Notification messages are processed, i.e. Axis Name changed is reflected.
ellipsis	If an axis (alias) is NOT selected then the <i>ellipsis</i> button is disabled. If enabled, then select the <i>ellipsis</i> button to display the Axis Properties dialog.

## Motion Move Commands

**Motion Axis Stop** If online, from the Motion Direct Command dialog, the user is able to execute a Motion Axis Stop (MAS) command.



**Figure 8.16 Motion Axis Stop**

### Operands:

Feature	Description
Axis	Select an axis from the tag browser. This list contains existing axes and their aliases or '?'. Notification messages are processed, i.e. Axis Name changed is reflected.
ellipsis	If an axis (alias) is NOT selected then the <i>ellipsis</i> button is disabled. If enabled, then select the <i>ellipsis</i> button to display the Axis Properties dialog.
Stop Type	Select the desired stop type from the combo box. This list contains All (default), Jog, Move, Gear, Home, Tune, Test, Time Cam, Position Cam, and Master Offset Move.

Feature	Description
Change Decel	Select the desired change decel from the combo box. This list contains No (default) and Yes. If No is selected then the Decel Rate and Decel Units are disabled.
Decel Rate	Enter the desired deceleration rate in the edit box. The default is 100.
Decel Units	Select the desired deceleration units from the combo box. This list contains Units per sec <sup>2</sup> (default) and % of Maximum.

**Motion Axis Home** If online, from the Motion Direct Command dialog, the user is able to execute a Motion Axis Home (MAH) command.

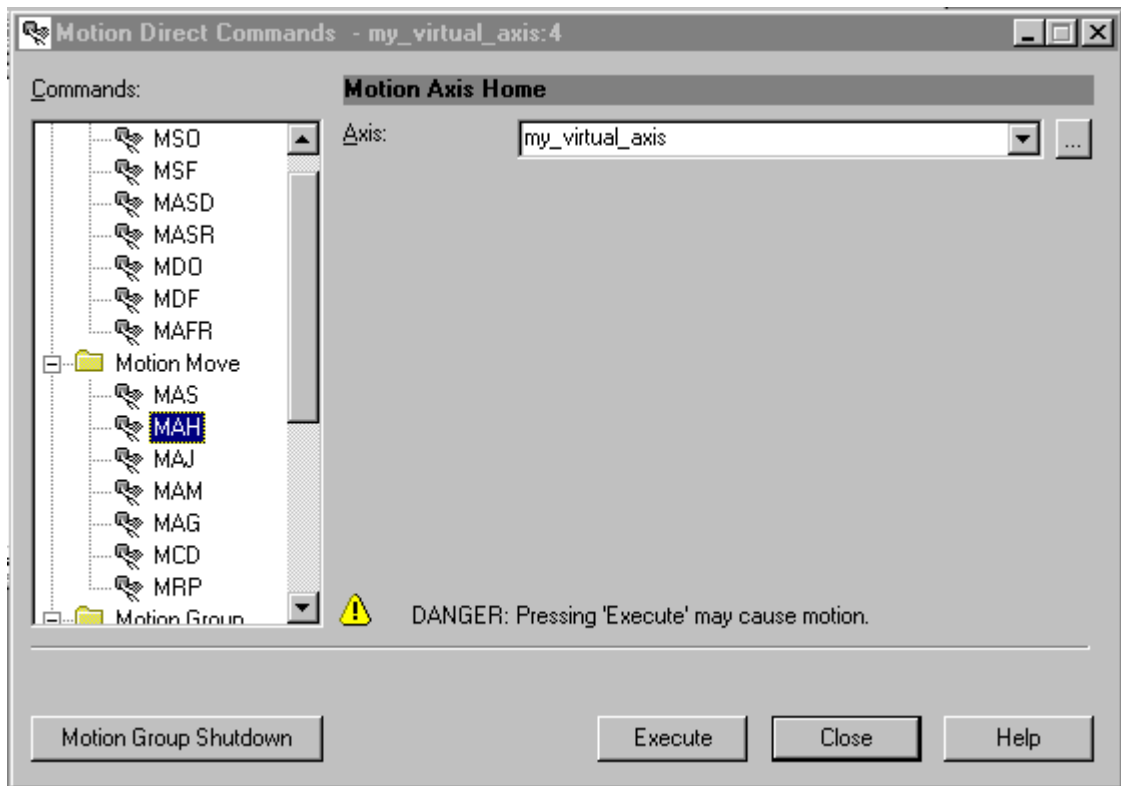


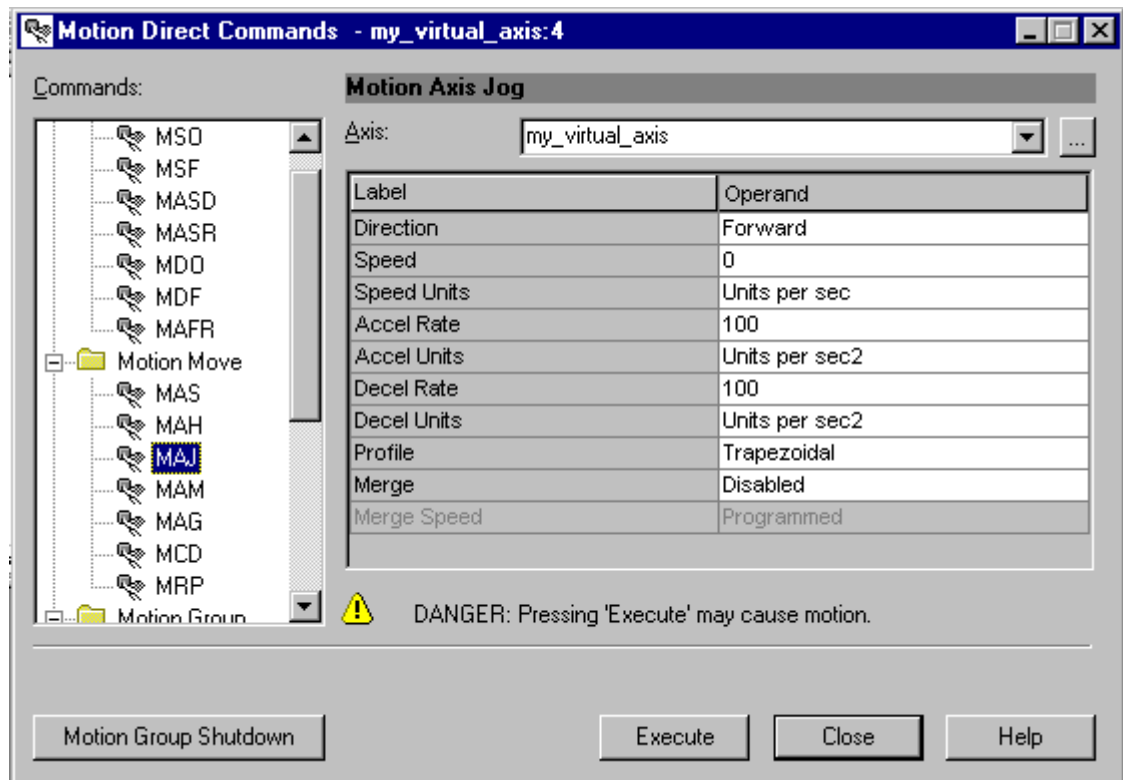
Figure 8.17 Motion Axis Home

**Operands:**

Feature	Description
Axis	Select an axis from the tag browser. This list contains existing axes and their aliases or '?'. Notification messages are processed, i.e. Axis Name changed is reflected.
ellipsis	If an axis (alias) is NOT selected then the <i>ellipsis</i> button is disabled. If enabled, then select the <i>ellipsis</i> button to display the Axis Properties dialog.



**Motion Axis Jog** If online, from the Motion Direct Command dialog, the user is able to execute a Motion Axis Jog (MAJ) command.



**Figure 8.18 Motion Axis Jog**

### Operands:

Feature	Description
Axis	Select an axis from the tag browser. This list contains existing axes and their aliases or '?'. Notification messages are processed, i.e. Axis Name changed is reflected.
ellipsis	If an axis (alias) is NOT selected then the <i>ellipsis</i> button is disabled. If enabled, then select the <i>ellipsis</i> button to display the Axis Properties dialog.
Direction	Select the desired direction from the combo box. This list contains Forward (default) and Reverse.
Speed	Enter the desired speed in the edit box. The default is 0.
Speed Units	Select the desired speed units from the combo box. This list contains Units per sec. (default) and % of Maximum.
Accel Rate	Enter the desired acceleration rate in the edit box. The default is 100.
Accel Units	Select the desired acceleration units from the combo box. This list contains Units per sec2 (default) and % of Maximum.
Decel Rate	Enter the desired deceleration rate in the edit box. The default is 100.

Feature	Description
Decel Units	Select the desired deceleration units from the combo box. This list contains Units per sec2 (default) and % of Maximum.
Profile	Select the desired profile from the combo box. This list contains Trapezoidal (default) and S-Curve.
Merge	Enable merge from Cam or gear by selecting Enabled from the combo box. This list contains Disabled (default) and Enabled. If Disabled is selected then the Merge Speed field is disabled.
Merge Speed	Select the desired merge speed from the combo box. This list contains Programmed (default) and Current. If Merge Speed is set to At Current Speed, then Speed and Speed Units fields are disabled.

**Motion Axis Move** If online, from the Motion Direct Command dialog, the user is able to execute a Motion Axis Move (MAM) command.

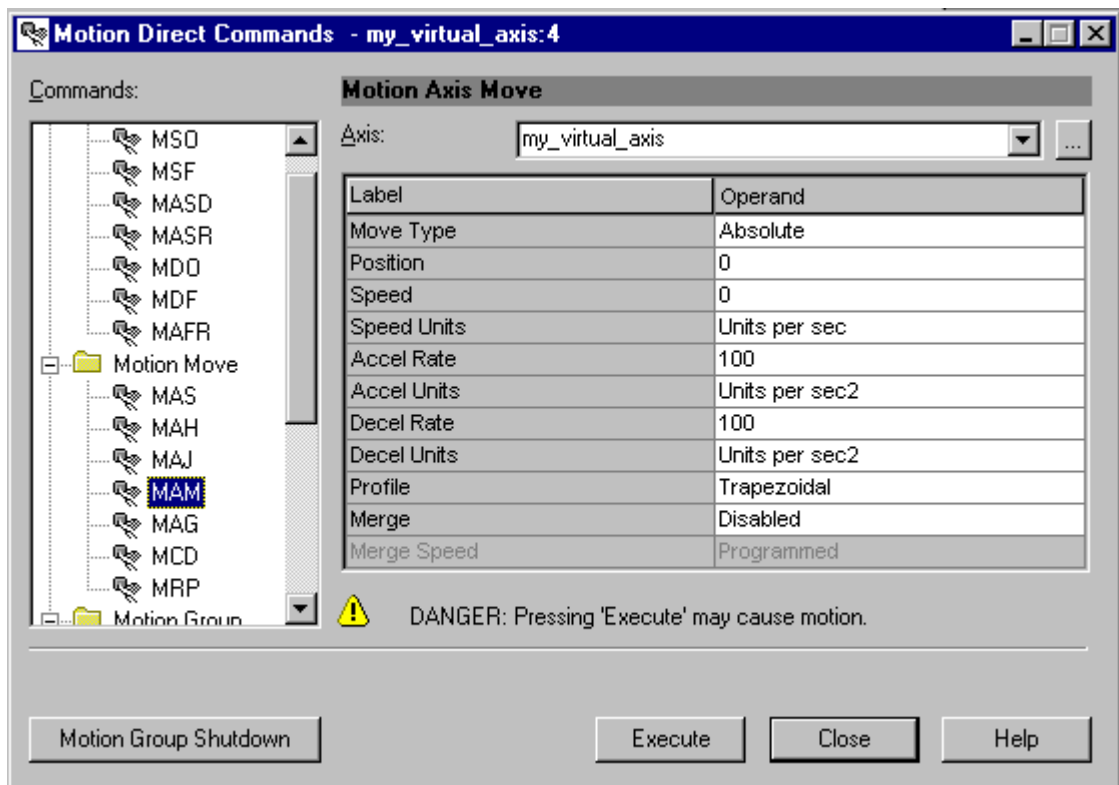
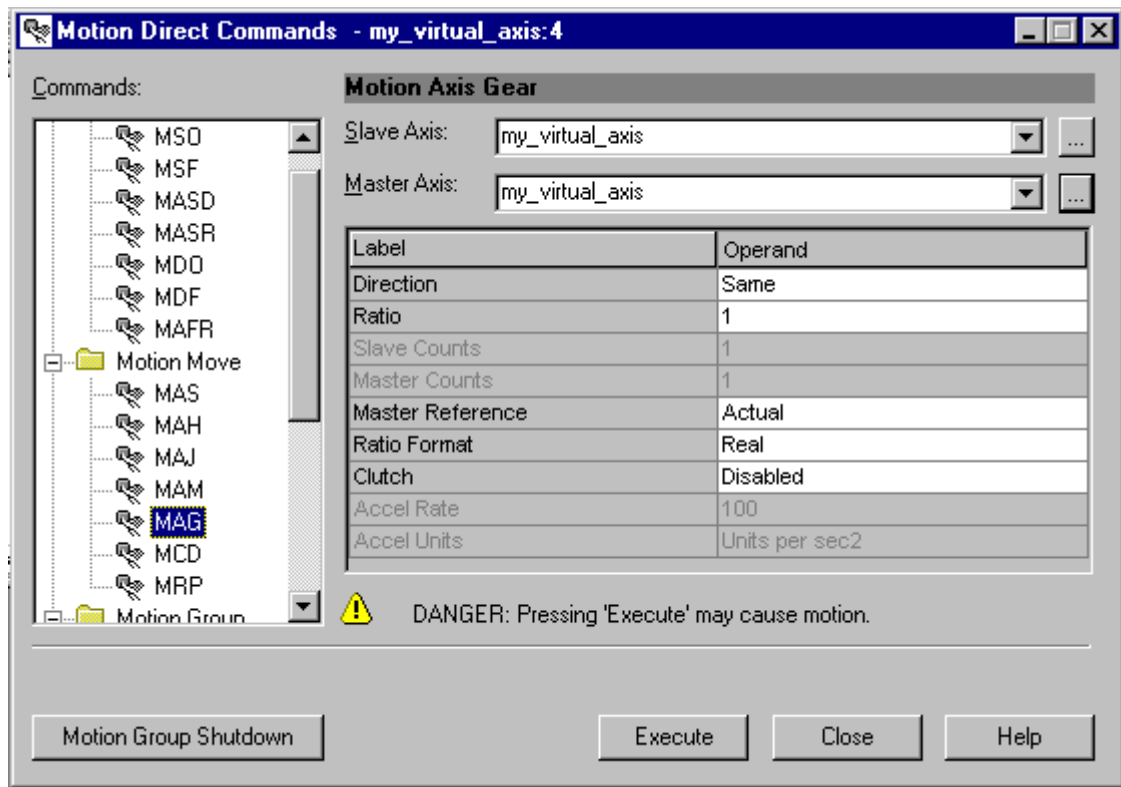


Figure 8.19 Motion Axis Move

**Operands:**

<b>Feature</b>	<b>Description</b>
Axis	Select an axis from the tag browser. This list contains existing axes and their aliases or '?'. Notification messages are processed, i.e. Axis Name changed is reflected.
ellipsis	If an axis (alias) is NOT selected then the <i>ellipsis</i> button is disabled. If enabled, then select the <i>ellipsis</i> button to display the Axis Properties dialog.
Move Type	Select the type of move operation. This list contains Absolute Move (default), Incremental Move, Rotary Shortest Path Move, Rotary Positive Move Rotary Negative Move, Absolute Master Offset, and Incremental Master Offset.
Position	Enter the desired absolute command position to move to, or for incremental movement, the value of the distance to move from the current command position. The default is 0.
Speed	Enter the desired speed in the edit box. The default is 0.
Speed Units	Select the desired speed units from the combo box. This list contains Units per sec. (default) and % of Maximum.
Accel Rate	Enter the desired acceleration rate in the edit box. The default is 100.
Accel Units	Select the desired acceleration units from the combo box. This list contains Units per sec <sup>2</sup> (default) and % of Maximum.
Decel Rate	Enter the desired deceleration rate in the edit box. The default is 100.
Decel Units	Select the desired deceleration units from the combo box. This list contains Units per sec <sup>2</sup> (default) and % of Maximum.
Profile	Select the desired profile from the combo box. This list contains Trapezoidal (default) and S-Curve.
Merge	Enable merge from Cam or gear by selecting Enabled from the combo box. This list contains Disabled (default) and Enabled. If Disabled is selected, then Merge Speed field is disabled.
Merge Speed	Select the desired merge speed from the combo box. This list contains Programmed (default) and Current. If Merge Speed is set to At Current Speed, then Speed and Speed Units fields are disabled.

**Motion Axis Gear** If online, from the Motion Direct Command dialog, the user is able to execute a Motion Axis Gear (MAG) command.



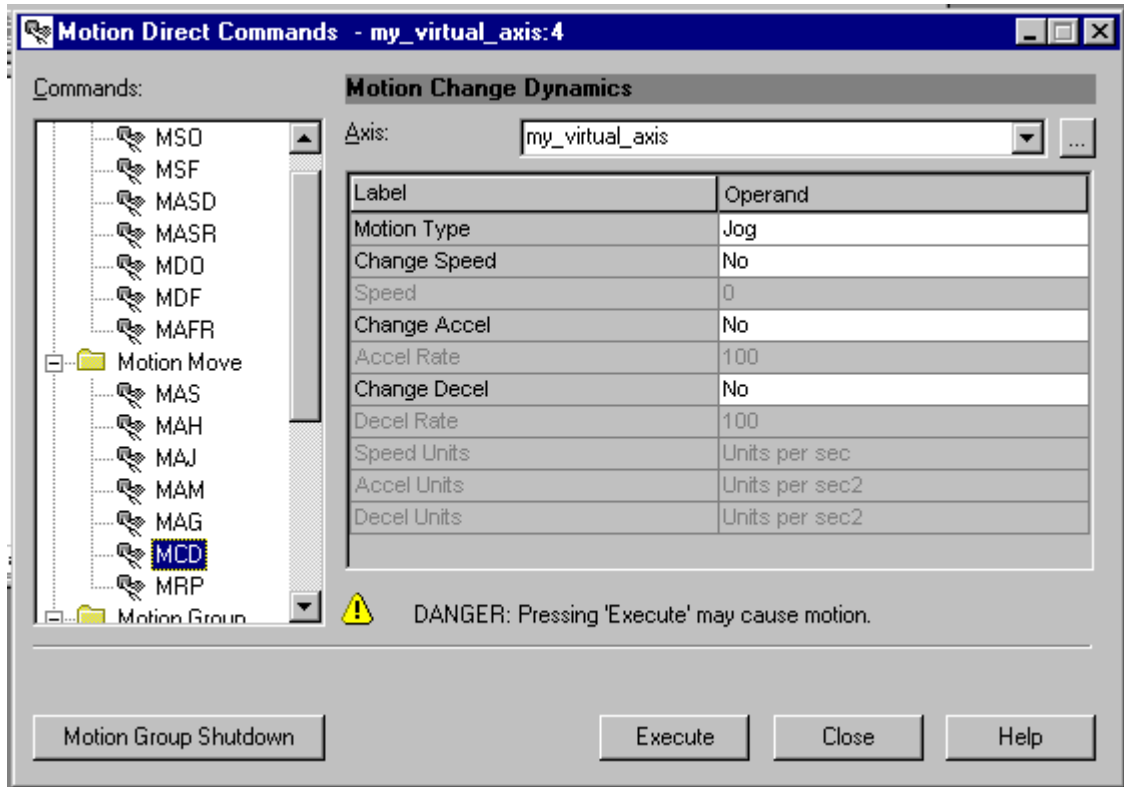
**Figure 8.20 Motion Axis Gear**

### Operands:

Feature	Description
Slave Axis	Select a slave axis from the tag browser. This list contains existing axes and their aliases or '?'. Notification messages are processed, i.e. Axis Name changed is reflected.
Slave Axis ellipsis	If a slave axis (alias) is NOT selected then the <i>ellipsis</i> button is disabled. If enabled, then select the <i>ellipsis</i> button to display the Axis Properties dialog.
Master Axis	Select a master axis from the look-ahead edit/combo box. This list contains existing axes and their aliases or '?'. Notification messages are processed, i.e. Axis Name changed is reflected.
Master Axis ellipsis	If a master axis (alias) is NOT selected then the <i>ellipsis</i> button is disabled. If enabled, then select the <i>ellipsis</i> button to display the Axis Properties dialog.
Direction	Select the desired direction of the slave axis relative to the master axis from the combo box. This list contains Units per Same (default), Opposite, Reverse, and Unchanged.
Ratio	Enter the desired ratio - signed, real value of the gear ratio of slave units per master units. The default is 1.0.

<b>Feature</b>	<b>Description</b>
Slave Counts	Enter the desired the slave encoder counts for an integer fraction in the edit box. The default is 1.0.
Master Counts	Enter the desired the master encoder counts for an integer fraction in the edit box. The default is 1.0.
Master Reference	Select the desired master reference (master position source) from the combo box. This list contains Actual and Command (default).
Ratio Format	Select the desired ratio format of the ratio between the slave and the master axis from the combo box. This list contains Real (default) and Fraction_slave_master_counts. If Real is selected then the Slave and Master count edit fields are disabled. If Fraction_slave_master_counts is selected then the Ratio edit field is disabled.
Clutch	Select the desired clutch (whether or not to ramp the slave axis to gearing speed using the acceleration value) from the combo box. This list contains Disabled (default) and Enabled. If Disabled is selected, then the accel rate and the accel units fields are disabled.
Accel Rate	Enter the desired acceleration rate in the edit box. The default is 100.
Accel Units	Select the desired acceleration units from the combo box. This list contains Units per sec <sup>2</sup> (default) and % of Maximum.

**Motion Change Dynamics** If online, from the Motion Direct Command dialog, the user is able to execute a Motion Change Dynamics (MCD) command.



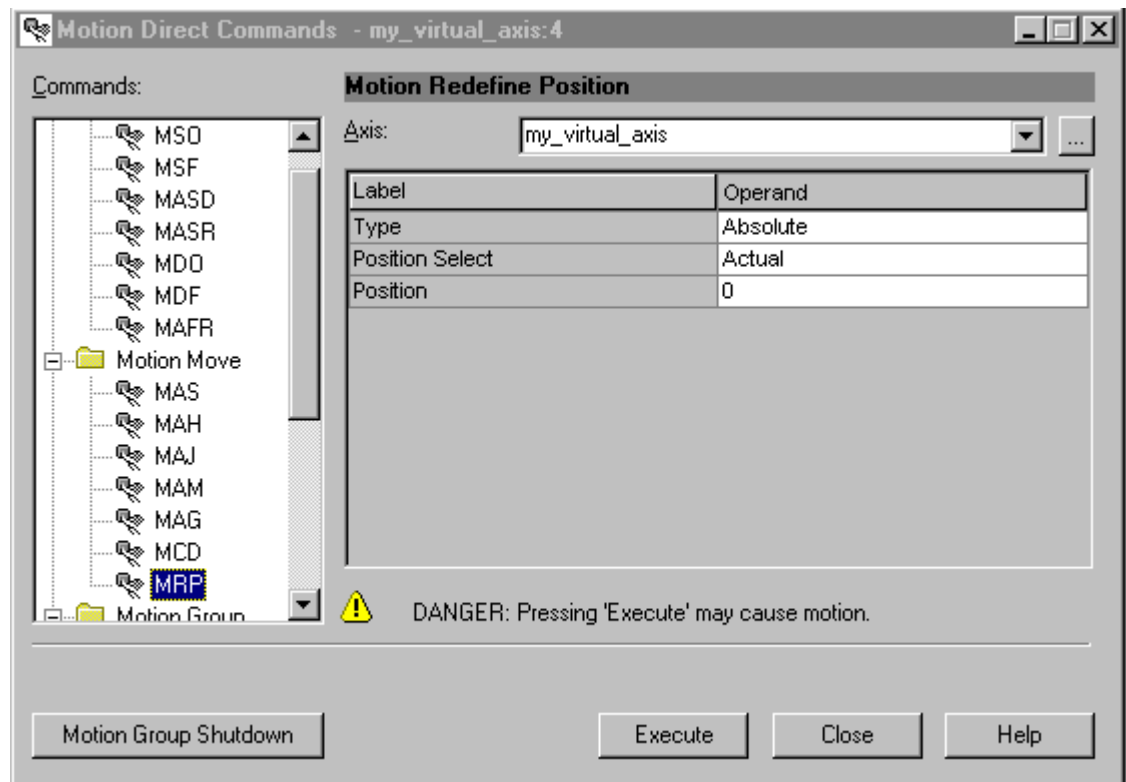
**Figure 8.21 Motion Change Dynamics**

**Operands:**

Feature	Description
Axis	Select an axis from the tag browser. This list contains existing axes and their aliases or '?'. Notification messages are processed, i.e. Axis Name changed is reflected.
ellipsis	If an axis (alias) is NOT selected then the <i>ellipsis</i> button is disabled. If enabled, then select the <i>ellipsis</i> button to display the Axis Properties dialog.
Motion Type	Select the motion profile to change from the combo box. This list contains Jog (default) and Move.
Change Speed	Select whether or not to change the speed from the combo box. This list contains No (default) and Yes. If No is selected then the Speed and Speed Units fields are disabled.
Speed	Enter the desired speed in the edit box. The default is 0.
Change Accel	Select whether or not to change the accel from the combo box. This list contains No (default) and Yes. If No is selected then the Accel Rate and Accel Units fields are disabled.
Accel Rate	Enter the desired acceleration rate in the edit box. The default is 100.0.

Feature	Description
Change Decel	Select whether or not to change the decel from the combo box. This list contains No (default) and Yes. If No is selected then the Decel Rate and Decel Units fields are disabled.
Decel Rate	Enter the desired deceleration rate in the edit box. The default is 100.0.
Speed Units	Select the desired speed units from the combo box. This list contains Units per sec. (default) and % of Maximum.
Accel Units	Select the desired acceleration units from the combo box. This list contains Units per sec <sup>2</sup> (default) and % of Maximum.
Decel Units	Select the desired deceleration units from the combo box. This list contains Units per sec <sup>2</sup> (default) and % of Maximum.

**Motion Redefine Position** If online, from the Motion Direct Command dialog, the user is able to execute a Motion Redefine Position (MRP) command.



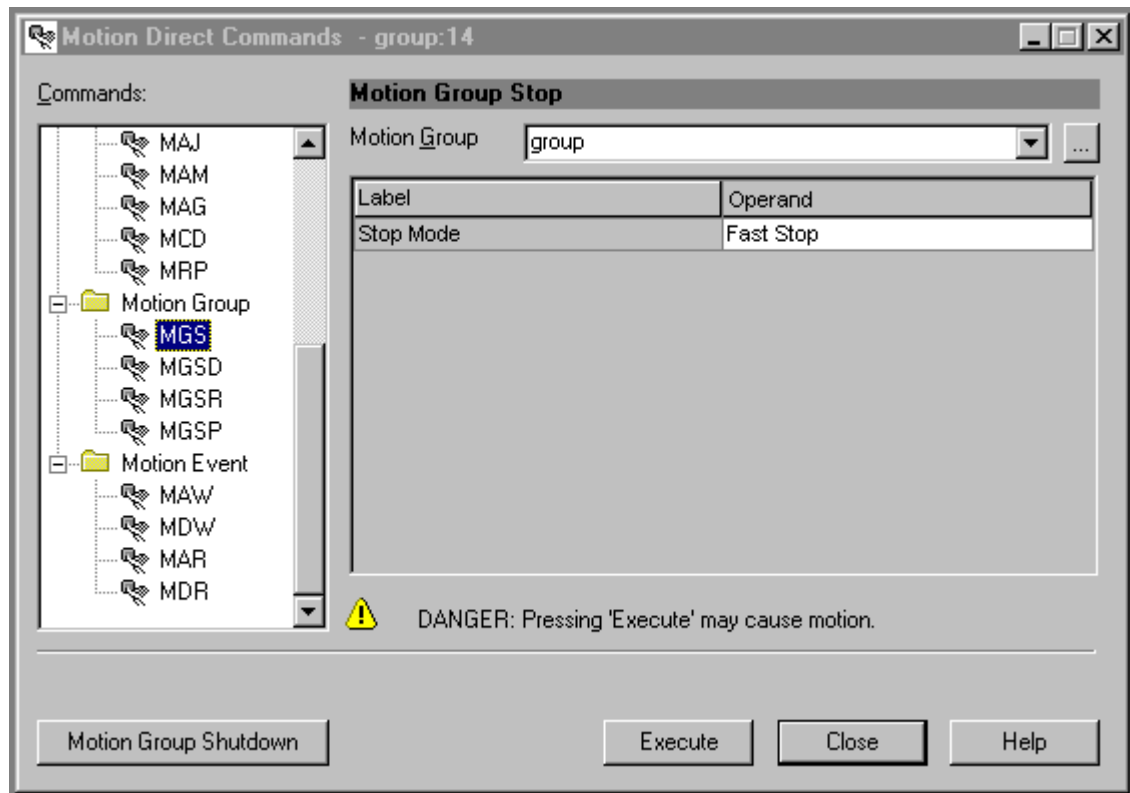
**Figure 8.22 Motion Redefine Position**

**Operands:**

Feature	Description
Axis	Select an axis from the tag browser. This list contains existing axes and their aliases or '?'. Notification messages are processed, i.e. Axis Name changed is reflected.
ellipsis	If an axis (alias) is NOT selected then the <i>ellipsis</i> button is disabled. If enabled, then select the <i>ellipsis</i> button to display the Axis Properties dialog.
Type	Select the motion redefine position type to change from the combo box. This list contains Absolute (default) and Relative.
Position Select	Select whether the actual or command position is to be changed from the combo box. This list contains Actual (default) and Command.
Position	Enter the desired position in the edit box. The default is 0.

## Motion Group Commands

**Motion Group Stop** If online, from the Motion Direct Command dialog, the user is able to execute a Motion Group Stop (MGS) command.



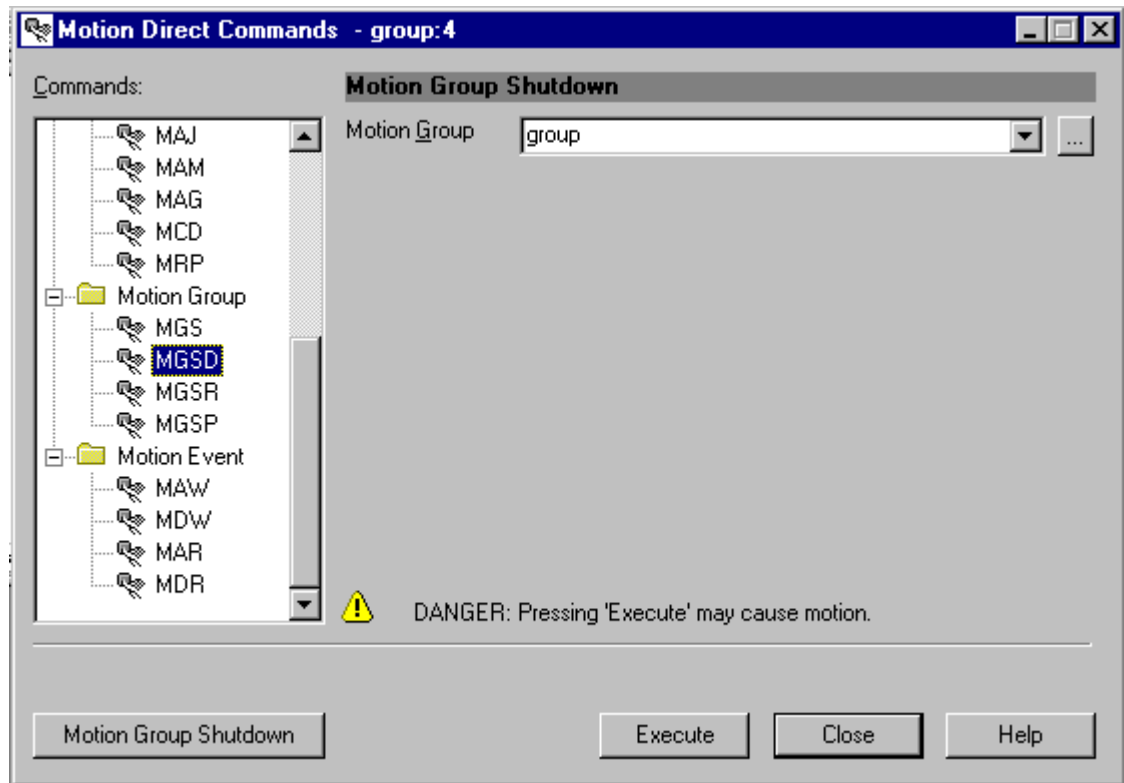
**Figure 8.23 Motion Group Stop**



**Operands:**

Feature	Description
Group	Select a Motion Group from the tag browser. This list contains existing or motion groups and their aliases or '?'. Notification messages are processed, i.e. Motion Group Name changed is reflected.
ellipsis	If an Motion Group (alias) is NOT selected then the <i>ellipsis</i> button is disabled. If enabled, then select the <i>ellipsis</i> button to display the Motion Group Properties dialog.
Stop Mode	Select the desired Stop Mode from the combo box. This list contains Programmed, Fast Stop (default), and Fast Disable.

**Motion Group Shutdown** If online, from the Motion Direct Command dialog, the user is able to execute a Motion Group Shutdown (MGSD) command.

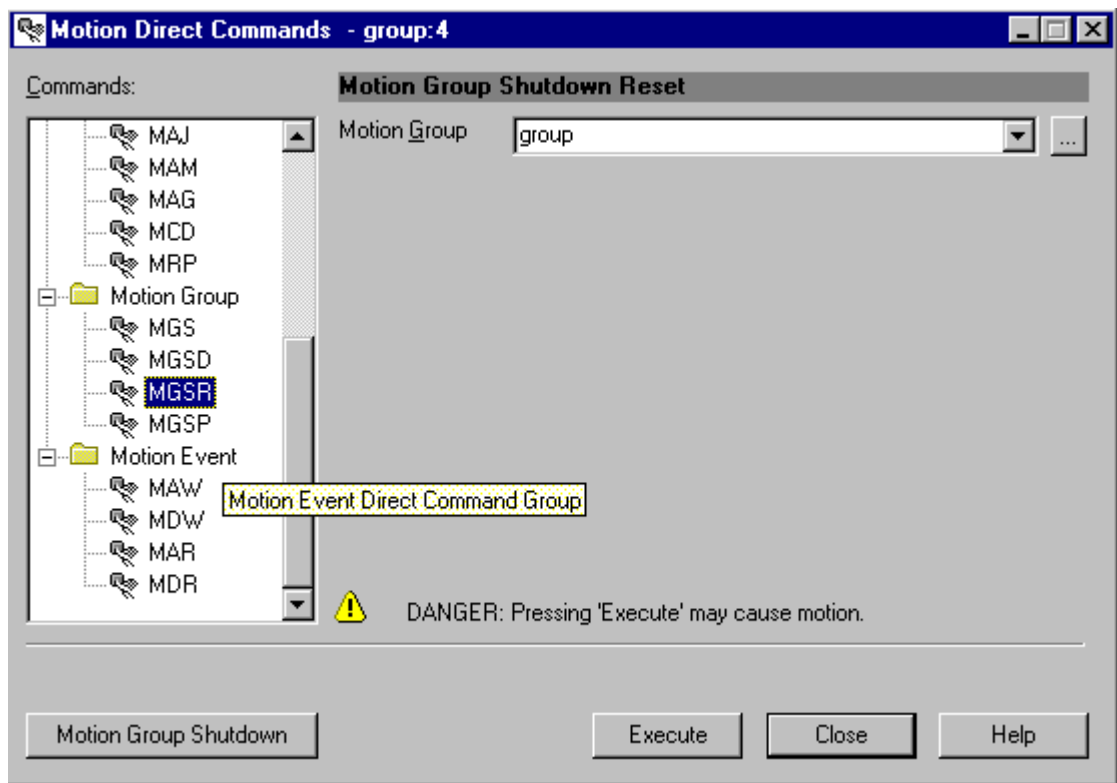


**Figure 8.24 Motion Group Shutdown**

**Operands:**

Feature	Description
Group	Select a Motion Group from the tag browser. This list contains ? (default) existing motion groups and their aliases. Notification messages are processed, i.e. Motion Group Name changed is reflected.
ellipsis	If an Motion Group (alias) is NOT selected then the <i>ellipsis</i> button is disabled. If enabled, then select the <i>ellipsis</i> button to display the Motion Group Properties dialog.

**Motion Group Shutdown Reset** If online, from the Motion Direct Command dialog, the user is able to execute a Motion Group Shutdown Reset (MGSR) command.

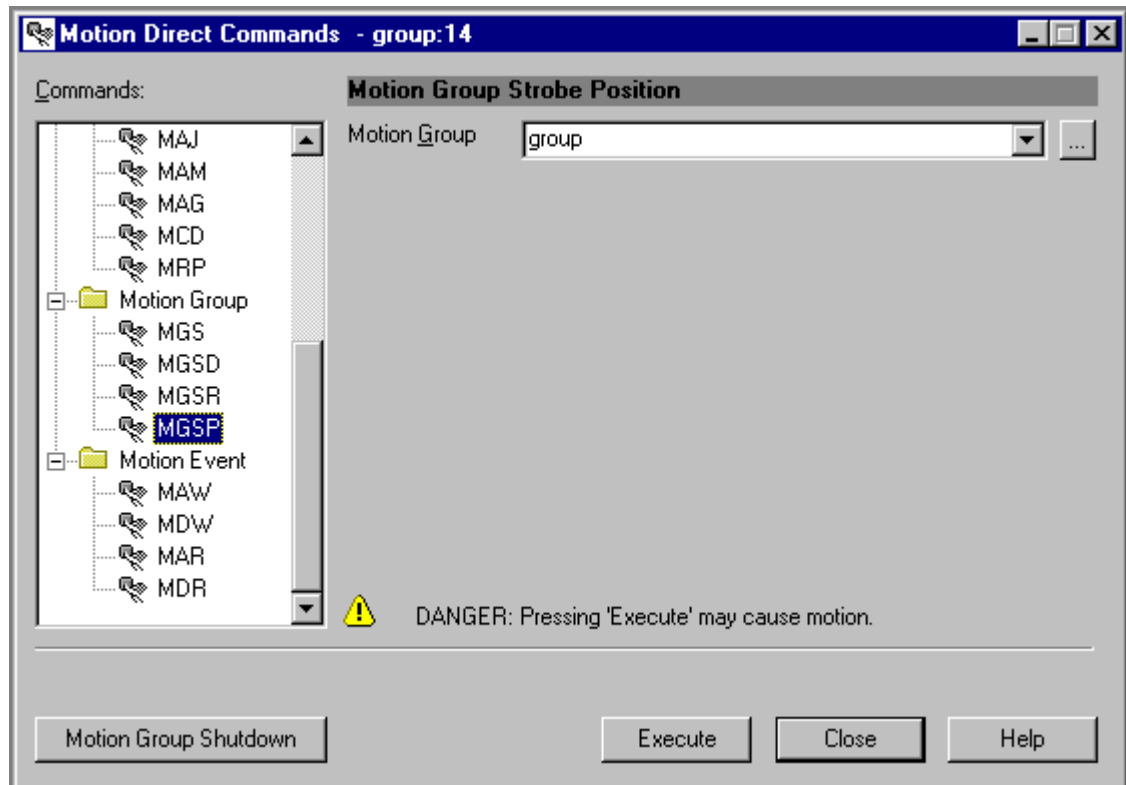


**Figure 8.25 Motion Group Shutdown Reset**

**Operands:**

Feature	Description
Group	Select a Motion Group from the tag browser. This list contains ? (default) existing motion groups and their aliases. Notification messages are processed, i.e. Motion Group Name changed is reflected.
ellipsis	If an Motion Group (alias) is NOT selected then the <i>ellipsis</i> button is disabled. If enabled, then select the <i>ellipsis</i> button to display the Motion Group Properties dialog.

**Motion Group Strobe Position** If online, from the Motion Direct Command dialog, the user is able to execute a Motion Group Strobe Position (MGSP) command.



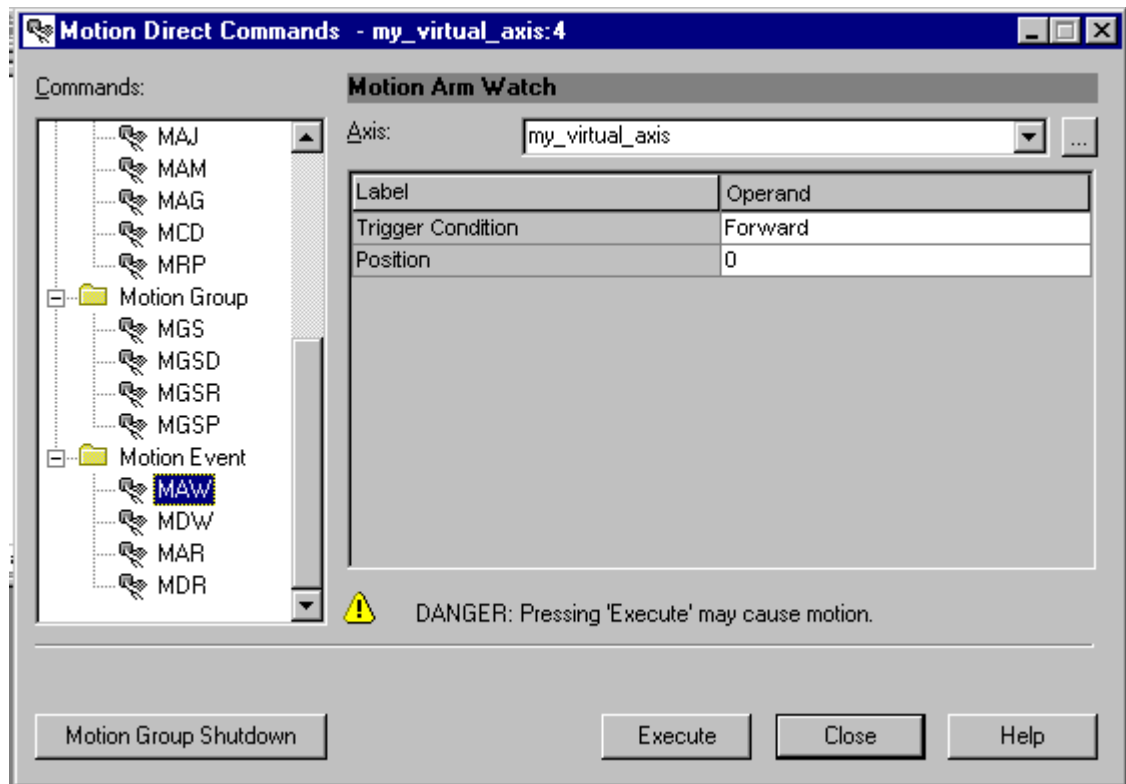
**Figure 8.26 Motion Group Strobe Position**

**Operands:**

Feature	Description
Group	Select a Motion Group from the tag browser. This list contains ? (default) existing motion groups and their aliases. Notification messages are processed, i.e. Motion Group Name changed is reflected.
ellipsis	If an Motion Group (alias) is NOT selected then the <i>ellipsis</i> button is disabled. If enabled, then select the <i>ellipsis</i> button to display the Motion Group Properties dialog.

## Motion Event Commands

**Motion Arm Watch** If online, from the Motion Direct Command dialog, the user is able to execute a Motion Arm Watch (MAW) command.

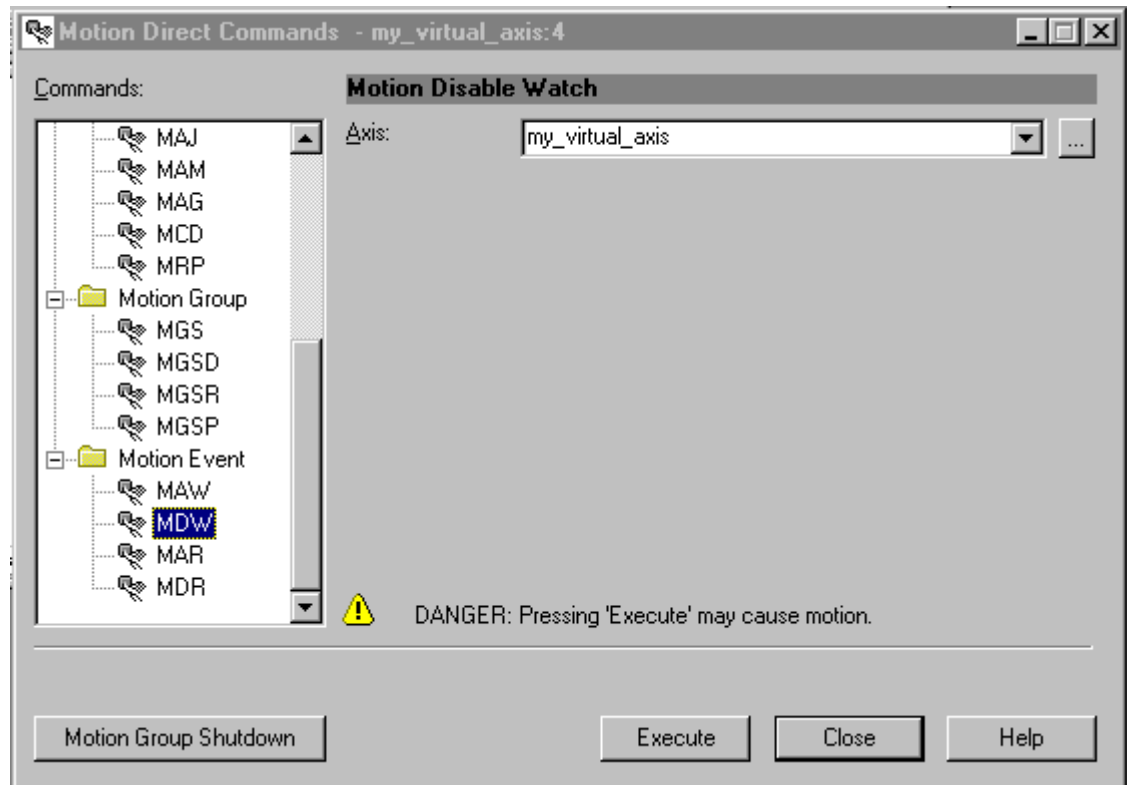


**Figure 8.27 Motion Arm Watch**

### Operands:

Feature	Description
Axis	Select an axis from the tag browser. This list contains existing axes and their aliases or '?'. Notification messages are processed, i.e. Axis Name changed is reflected.
ellipsis	If an axis (alias) is NOT selected then the <i>ellipsis</i> button is disabled. If enabled, then select the <i>ellipsis</i> button to display the Axis Properties dialog.
Trigger Condition	Select the desired trigger condition from the combo box. This list contains Forward (default) and Reverse.
Position	Enter the desired position the axis must go through to Arm the Watch. The default is 0.

**Motion Disarm Watch** If online, from the Motion Direct Command dialog, the user is able to execute a Motion Disarm Watch (MDW) command.

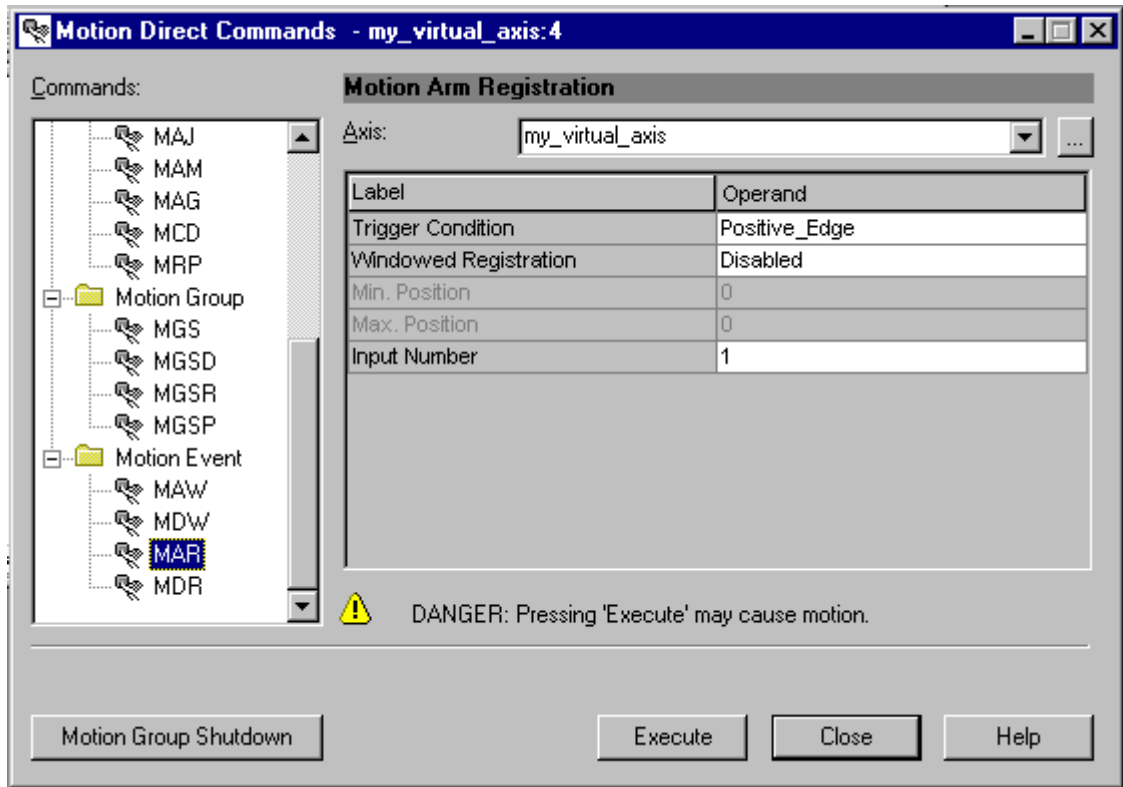


**Figure 8.28 Motion Disarm Watch**

**Operands:**

Feature	Description
Axis	Select an axis from the tag browser. This list contains existing axes and their aliases or '?'. Notification messages are processed, i.e. Axis Name changed is reflected.
ellipsis	If an axis (alias) is NOT selected then the <i>ellipsis</i> button is disabled. If enabled, then select the <i>ellipsis</i> button to display the Axis Properties dialog.

**Motion Arm Registration** If online, from the Motion Direct Command dialog, the user is able to execute a Motion Arm Registration (MAR) command.



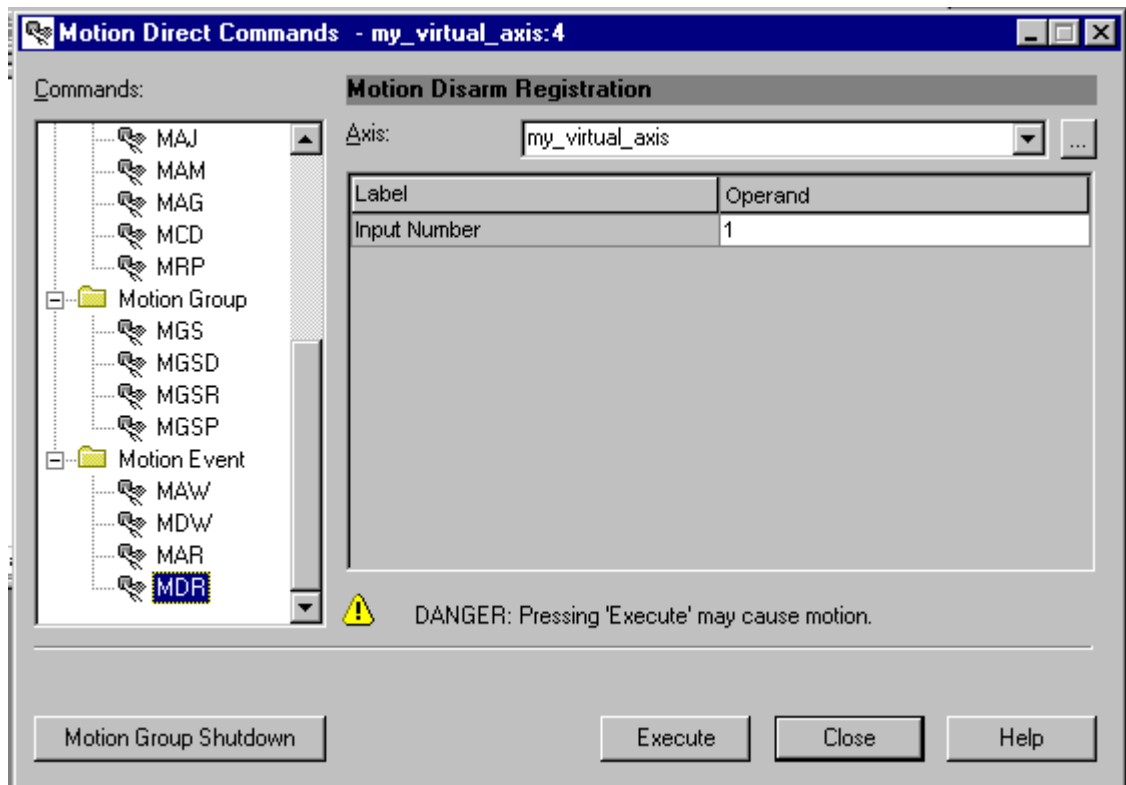
**Figure 8.29 Motion Arm Registration**

**Operands:**

Feature	Description
Axis	Select an axis from the tag browser. This list contains existing axes and their aliases or '?'. Notification messages are processed, i.e. Axis Name changed is reflected.
ellipsis	If an axis (alias) is NOT selected then the <i>ellipsis</i> button is disabled. If enabled, then select the <i>ellipsis</i> button to display the Axis Properties dialog.
Trigger Condition	Select the trigger condition from the combo box. This list contains Positive_Edge (default) and Negative_Edge.
Window Registration	Select whether window registration is to be used from the combo box. This list contains Disabled (default) and Enable. If Disabled is selected then the Min. Position and Max. Position edit fields are disabled.

Feature	Description
Min. Position	Enter the desired minimum position in the edit box. The default is 0.0.
Max. Position	Enter the desired maximum position in the edit box. The default is 0.0.
Input Number	Select which registration input is used from the combo box. This list contains 1 (default) and 2.

**Motion Disarm Registration** If online, from the Motion Direct Command dialog, the user is able to execute a Motion Disarm Registration (MDR) command.



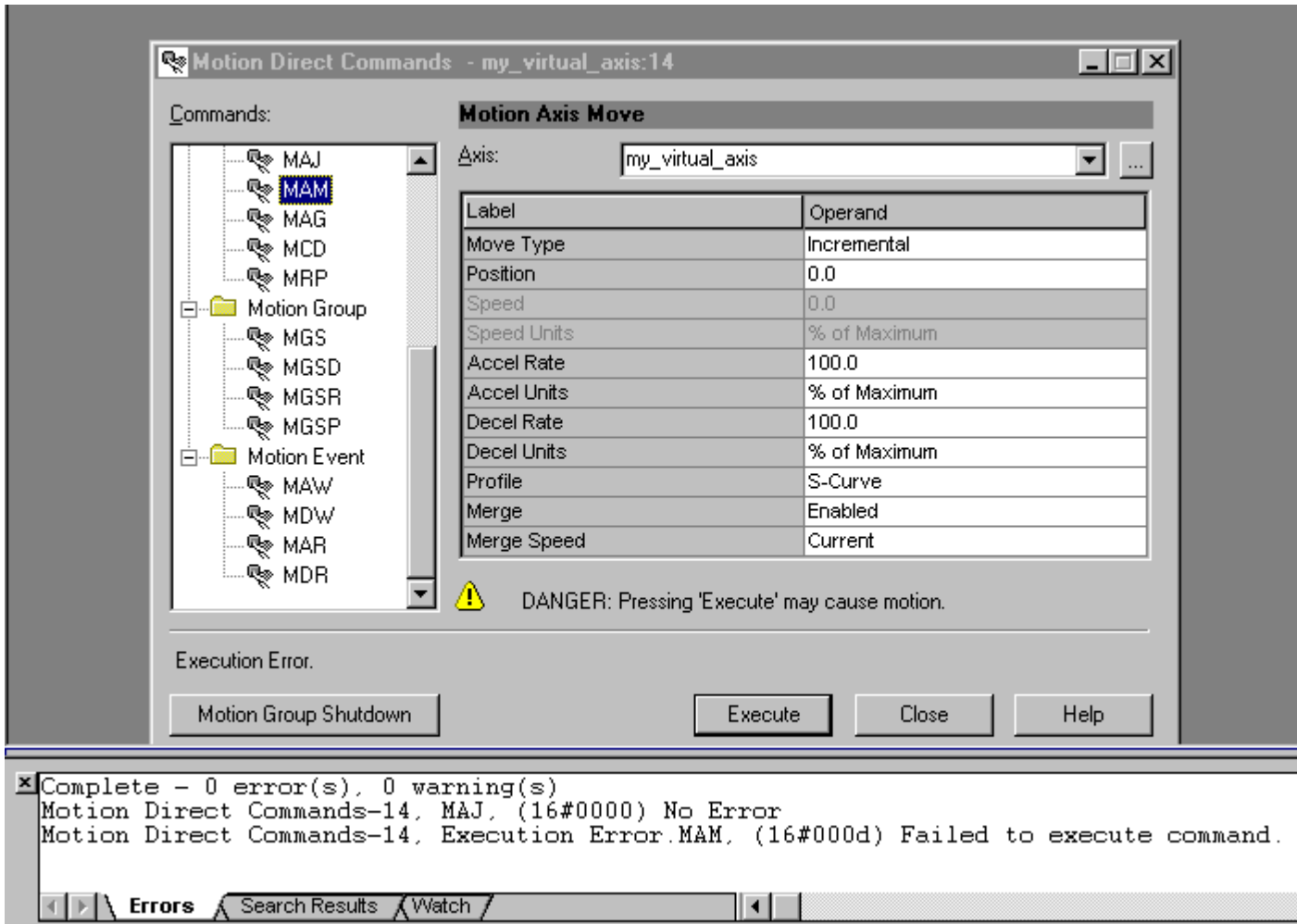
**Figure 8.30 Motion Disarm Registration**

**Operands:**

Feature	Description
Axis	Select an axis from the tag browser. This list contains existing axes and their aliases or '?'. Notification messages are processed, i.e. Axis Name changed is reflected.
ellipsis	If an axis (alias) is NOT selected then the <i>ellipsis</i> button is disabled. If enabled, then select the <i>ellipsis</i> button to display the Axis Properties dialog.
Input Number	Select which registration input is used from the combo box. This list contains 1 (default) and 2.

## Motion Direct Command Error Process

Whenever a Motion Direct Command is executed, there are two levels of error detection that are presented. The first level is verification of the command's operands. If a verification error is detected, a message "Failed to Verify" is posted on the dialog and an appropriate message is posted to the error result window. The second level is the initial motion direct command's error response return code. If an error code is detected, a message "Execution Error" is posted on the dialog.



**Figure 8.31 MAM Error Message**

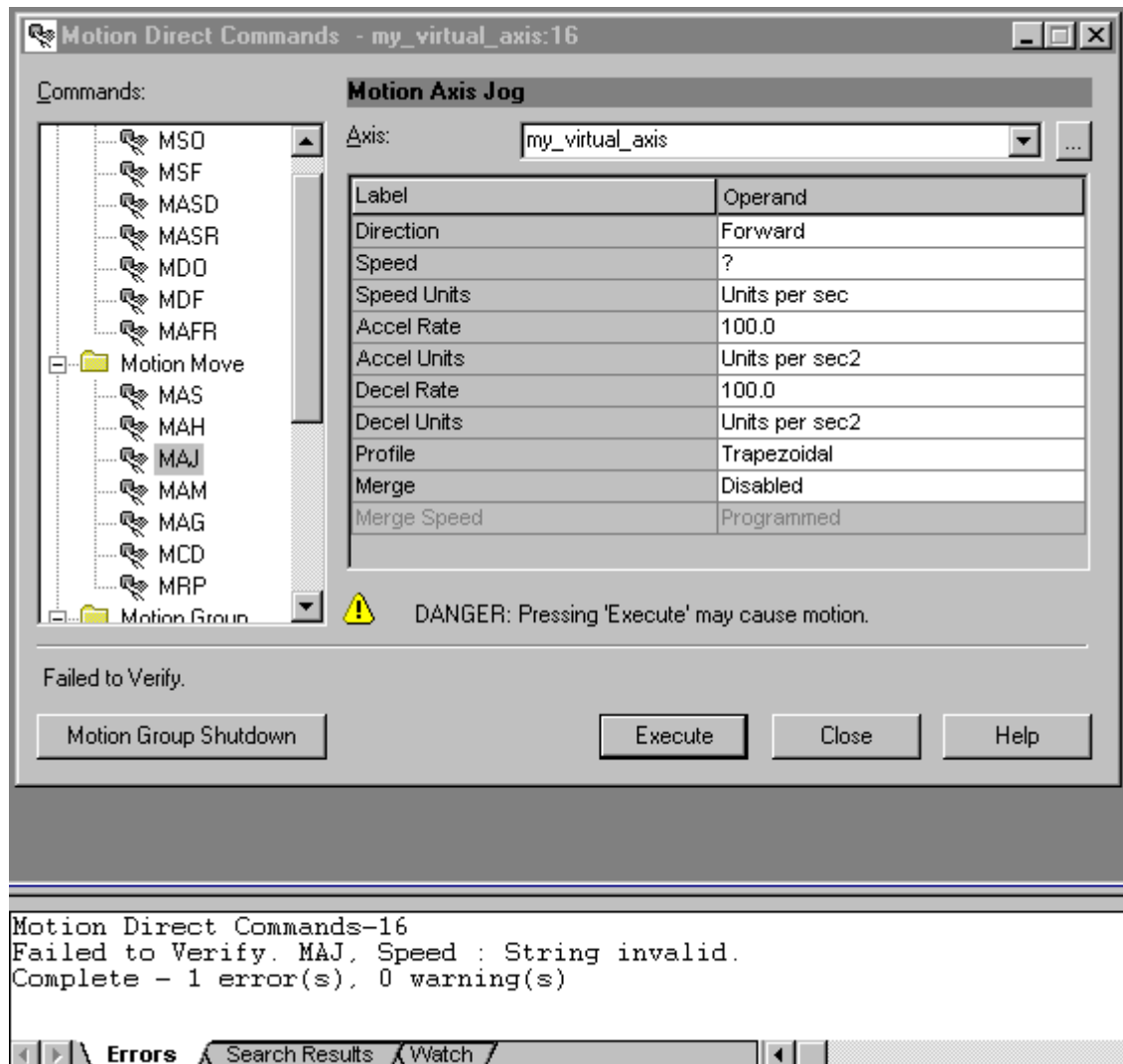
Whether or not an error is detected, a detail message is displayed to the Error result window describing the results of the executed command.

### Motion Direct Command Verification

When the user selects Execute from a Motion Direct Command dialog, the operands are verified. If any operand fails verification, an error message "Failed to Verify" is displayed on the dialog and a detailed error message is displayed in the error result window describing the fault indicating the instance of Motion Direct Command that the results apply to. This allows multiple verification errors to be



displayed and provides navigation to the error source, i.e. double clicking the error in the results window will navigate to the appropriate Motion Direct Command dialog.



**Figure 8.32 Typical Parameter verification**

If no errors are detected during verification, then nothing is displayed

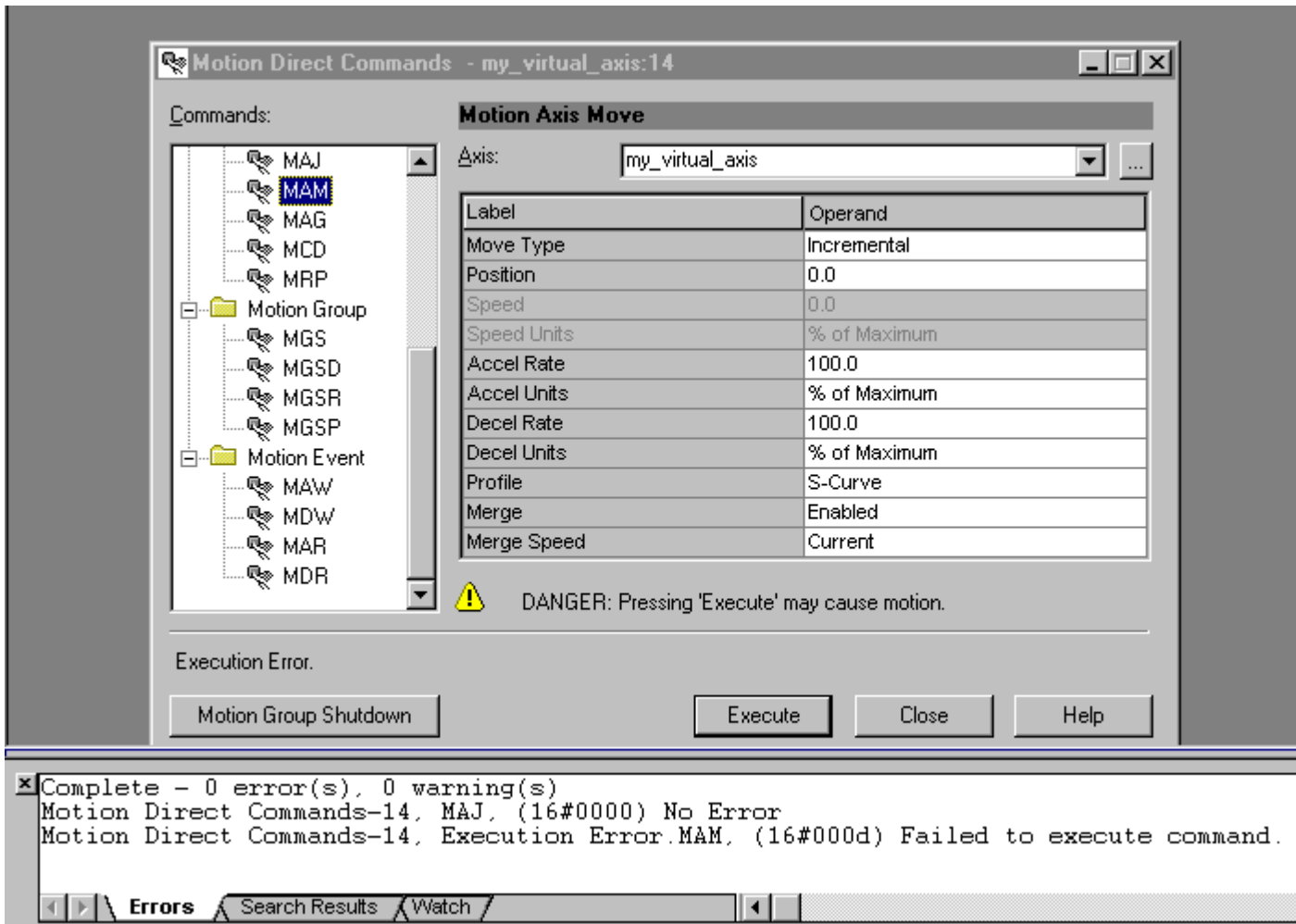
The message “Failed to Verify” is cleared on subsequent command execution or if a new command is selected from the command list.

When verification fails and is pumped to the error result window, the error result window is first cleared.

### Motion Direct Command Execution Error

When the user selects Execute from a Motion Direct Command dialog and the operands are verified as valid, then the command is executed. If the command fails immediately, then an error message “Execution Error” is displayed on the dialog. Whether or not an error is detected,

a detailed message is displayed to the Error result window describing the immediate results of the executed command.



**Figure 8.33 Command Error**

The message “Execution Error” is cleared on subsequent command execution or if a new command is selected from the command list.

The information pumped to the Error result window after an execution is not cleared. This allows for a history of what has been executed from a given instance of the Motion Direct Command dialog.

**Transition States** If RSLogix5000 transitions to offline, Hard Program mode (PROG), or Hard Run mode (RUN), then any executing Direct Command instruction continues execution and the Execute button is disabled.

Whenever the Execute button is enabled and commands can be executed from a workstation, the group is locked. This means that another workstation cannot execute commands while this lock is in place. The lock stays in place until the workstation executing commands relinquishes the lock.

## Structures

### Introduction

This appendix lists the predefined motion structures and the mnemonics for the members you can address within instructions.

Some of the more complex structures have attributes in addition to those described in this appendix. The additional attributes are accessible only from the configuration tabs for that structure.

### AXIS Structures

There are six axis related data types that each have their own structure. The six types are:

- Axis\_Consumed
- Axis\_Feedback
- Axis\_Generic
- Axis\_Servo
- Axis\_Servo\_Drive
- Axis\_Virtual

The following sections describe the structures for each of these axis data types.

**AXIS\_CONSUMED Structure** A Consumed Axis is a link for axis motion data produced by a motion axis on another Logix processor.

The Axis\_Consumed structure has the following status attributes:

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ActualAcceleration	REAL	Actual Acceleration in Position Units / Sec <sup>2</sup>
WatchPosition	REAL	Watch Position in Position Units
Registration1Position	REAL	Registration 1 Position in Position Units
Registration2Position	REAL	Registration 2 Position in Position Units
Registration1Time	DINT	Lower 32 bits of CST time
Registration2Time	DINT	Lower 32 bits of CST time
InterpolationTime	DINT	CST time to interpolate to
InterpolatedActualPosition	REAL	Interpolated Actual Position in Position Units
MasterOffset	REAL	Master Offset in Master Position Units
StrobeMasterOffset	REAL	Strobe Master Offset in Master Position Units
StartMasterOffset	REAL	Start Master Offset in Master Position Units
CommandPosition	REAL	Command Position in Position Units
StrobeCommandPosition	REAL	Strobe Command Position in Position Units
StartCommandPosition	REAL	Start Command Position in Position Units
CommandVelocity	REAL	Command Velocity in Position Units / Sec
CommandAcceleration	REAL	Command Acceleration in Position Units / Sec <sup>2</sup>
InterpolatedCommandPosition	REAL	Interpolated Command Position in Position Units
AccelStatus	DINT	Set if the axis is currently being commanded to accelerate.
DecelStatus	DINT	Set if the axis is currently being commanded to decelerate.
MoveStatus	DINT	Set if a Move motion profile is currently in progress. Cleared when the Move is complete or is superseded by some other motion operation.
JogStatus	DINT	Set if a Jog motion profile is currently in progress. Cleared when the Jog is complete or is superseded by some other motion operation.
GearingStatus	DINT	Set if the axis is a slave that is currently Gearing to another axis. Cleared when the gearing operation is stopped or is superseded by some other motion operation.
HomingStatus	DINT	Set if a Home motion profile is currently in progress. Cleared when the homing operation is stopped or is superseded by some other motion operation.
StoppingStatus	DINT	Set if there is a stopping process currently in progress. Cleared when the stopping process is complete. Note: The stopping process is used to stop an axis (initiated by an MAS, MGS, Stop Motion fault action, or mode change).
HomedStatus	DINT	Cleared at power-up or reconnection. Set by the MAH instruction upon successful completion of the configured homing sequence, and later cleared when the axis enters the shutdown state.
PositionCamStatus	DINT	Set if a Position Cam motion profile is currently in progress. Cleared when the Position Cam is complete or is superseded by some other motion operation.
TimeCamStatus	DINT	Set if a Time Cam motion profile is currently in progress. Cleared when the Time Cam is complete or is superseded by some other motion operation.

<b>Mnemonic:</b>	<b>Data Type:</b>	<b>Description:</b>
PositionCamPendingStatus	DINT	Set if a Position Cam motion profile is currently pending the completion of a currently executing cam profile. This would be initiated by executing an MAPC instruction with Pending execution selected. This bit is cleared when the current position cam profile completes, initiating the start of the pending cam profile. This bit is also cleared if the position cam profile completes, or is superseded by some other motion operation.
TimeCamPendingStatus	DINT	Set if a Time Cam motion profile is currently pending the completion of a currently executing cam profile. This would be initiated by executing an MATC instruction with Pending execution selected. This bit is cleared when the current time cam profile completes, initiating the start of the pending cam profile. This bit is also cleared if the time cam profile completes, or is superseded by some other motion operation.
GearingLockStatus	DINT	Set whenever the slave axis is locked to the master axis in a gearing relationship according to the specified gear ratio. The clutch function of the gearing planner is used to ramp an axis up, or down, to speed in a gearing process (MAG with Clutch selected). This bit is cleared during the intervals where the axis is clutching.
PositionCamLockStatus	DINT	Set whenever the master axis satisfies the starting condition of a currently active Position Cam motion profile. The starting condition is established by the Start Control and Start Position parameters of the MAPC instruction. This bit is cleared when the current position cam profile completes, or is superseded by some other motion operation. In uni-directional master direction mode, the Position Cam Lock Status bit is cleared when moving in the "wrong" direction and sets when moving in the "correct" direction.
MasterOffsetMoveStatus	DINT	Set if a Master Offset Move motion profile is currently in progress. This bit is cleared when the Master Offset Move is complete or is superseded by some other motion operation.
CoordinatedMotionStatus	DINT	Set if any coordinated motion profile is currently active upon the axis. It is cleared as soon as Coordinated Motion is complete or stopped.
ServoActionStatus	DINT	Set when the associated axis is under servo control. Cleared when servo action is disabled.
DriveEnableStatus	DINT	Set when the Drive Enable output of the associated physical axis is currently enabled. Cleared when physical servo axis Drive Enable output is currently disabled.
ShutdownStatus	DINT	Set when the associated axis is currently in the Shutdown state. Cleared when the axis is transitioned from the Shutdown state to another state.
ConfigUpdateInProgress	DINT	The Configuration Update Status Bits attribute provides a method for monitoring the progress of one or more specific module configuration attribute updates initiated by either a Set Attribute List service (which is internal to the firmware) or an SSV in the user program. When such an update is initiated, the ControlLogix processor sets this bit. This bit will remain set until the Set Attribute List reply comes back from the servo module indicating that the data update process was successful. Thus the Configuration Update Status Bits attribute provides a method of waiting until the servo configuration data update to the connected motion module is complete before starting a dependent operation.
PhysicalAxisFault	DINT	Set when one or more fault conditions have been reported by the physical axis. The specific fault conditions can then be determined through access to the fault attributes of the associated physical axis. A PhysicalAxisFault can be set as either a Major Fault or a Non Major Fault in the Attribute tab of the associated Motion Group properties dialog box.
ModuleFault	DINT	Set when a serious fault has occurred with the motion module associated with the selected axis. Usually a module fault affects all axes associated with the motion module. A module fault generally results in the shutdown of all associated axes. Reconfiguration of the motion module is required to recover from a module fault condition. A ModuleFault can be set as either a Major Fault or a Non Major Fault in the Attribute tab of the associated Motion Group properties dialog box.

<b>Mnemonic:</b>	<b>Data Type:</b>	<b>Description:</b>
ConfigFault	DINT	Set when an update operation targeting an axis configuration attribute of an associated motion module has failed. Specific information concerning the Configuration Fault may be found in the Attribute Error Code and Attribute Error ID attributes associated with the motion module. A ConfigFault can be set as either a Major Fault or a Non Major Fault in the Attribute tab of the associated Motion Group properties dialog box.
ControlSyncFault	DINT	Set when the Logix controller detects that several position update messages in a row from the motion module have been missed due to a failure of the synchronous communications connection. This condition results in the automatic shutdown of the associated servo module. The Logix controller is designed to "ride-through" a maximum of four missed position updates without issuing a fault or adversely affecting motion in progress. Missing more than four position updates in a row constitutes a problematic condition that warrants shutdown of the servo module. This fault bit is cleared when the connection is reestablished.
WatchEventArmedStatus	DINT	Set when a watch event has been armed through execution of the MAW (Motion Arm Watch) instruction. Cleared when either a watch event occurs or a MDW (Motion Disarm Watch) instruction is executed.
WatchEventStatus	DINT	Set when a watch event has occurred. Cleared when either another MAW (Motion Arm Watch) instruction or a MDW (Motion Disarm Watch) instruction is executed.
RegEvent1ArmedStatus	DINT	Set when a registration checking has been armed for registration input 1 through execution of the MAR (Motion Arm Registration) instruction. Cleared when either a registration event occurs or a MDR (Motion Disarm Registration) instruction is executed for registration input 1.
RegEvent1Status	DINT	Set when a registration event has occurred on registration input 1. Cleared when either another MAR (Motion Arm Registration) instruction or a MDR (Motion Disarm Registration) instruction is executed for registration input 1.
RegEvent2ArmedStatus	DINT	Set when a registration checking has been armed for registration input 2 through execution of the MAR (Motion Arm Registration) instruction. Cleared when either a registration event occurs or a MDR (Motion Disarm Registration) instruction is executed for registration input 2.
RegEvent2Status	DINT	Set when a registration event has occurred on registration input 2. Cleared when either another MAR (Motion Arm Registration) instruction or a MDR (Motion Disarm Registration) instruction is executed for registration input 2.
HomeEventArmedStatus	DINT	Set when a home event has been armed through execution of the MAH (Motion Axis Home) instruction. Cleared when a home event occurs.
HomeEventStatus	DINT	Set when a home event has occurred. Cleared when another MAH (Motion Axis Home) instruction is executed.
OutputCamStatus	DINT	A set of bits* that are set when the Output Cam has been initiated.
OutputCamPendingStatus	DINT	A set of bits* that are set when an Output Cam is waiting for an armed Output Cam to move beyond its cam start/cam end position.
OutputCamLockStatus	DINT	A set of bits* that are set when an Output Cam is locked to the Master Axis.
OutputCamTransitionStatus	DINT	A set of bits* that are set when the transition from the current armed Output Cam to the pending Output Cam is in process.

\* The bit number corresponds with the execution target number. One bit per execution target.

**AXIS\_SERVO Structure** A servo object represents an axis with full motion planner functionality and integrated configuration support. It is associated with modules that close a servo loop and send an analog command to an external drive, such as a 1756-M02AE module.

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GearingStatus	DINT	Set if the axis is a slave that is currently Gearing to another axis. Cleared when the gearing operation is stopped or is superseded by some other motion operation.
HomingStatus	DINT	Set if a Home motion profile is currently in progress. Cleared when the homing operation is stopped or is superseded by some other motion operation.
StoppingStatus	DINT	Set if there is a stopping process currently in progress. Cleared when the stopping process is complete. Note: The stopping process is used to stop an axis (initiated by an MAS, MGS, Stop Motion fault action, or mode change).
HomedStatus	DINT	Cleared at power-up or reconnection. Set by the MAH instruction upon successful completion of the configured homing sequence, and later cleared when the axis enters the shutdown state.
PositionCamStatus	DINT	Set if a Position Cam motion profile is currently in progress. Cleared when the Position Cam is complete or is superseded by some other motion operation.
TimeCamStatus	DINT	Set if a Time Cam motion profile is currently in progress. Cleared when the Time Cam is complete or is superseded by some other motion operation.
PositionCamPendingStatus	DINT	Set if a Position Cam motion profile is currently pending the completion of a currently executing cam profile. This would be initiated by executing an MAPC instruction with Pending execution selected. This bit is cleared when the current position cam profile completes, initiating the start of the pending cam profile. This bit is also cleared if the position cam profile completes, or is superseded by some other motion operation.
TimeCamPendingStatus	DINT	Set if a Time Cam motion profile is currently pending the completion of a currently executing cam profile. This would be initiated by executing an MATC instruction with Pending execution selected. This bit is cleared when the current time cam profile completes, initiating the start of the pending cam profile. This bit is also cleared if the time cam profile completes, or is superseded by some other motion operation.
GearingLockStatus	DINT	Set whenever the slave axis is locked to the master axis in a gearing relationship according to the specified gear ratio. The clutch function of the gearing planner is used to ramp an axis up, or down, to speed in a gearing process (MAG with Clutch selected). This bit is cleared during the intervals where the axis is clutching.
PositionCamLockStatus	DINT	Set whenever the master axis satisfies the starting condition of a currently active Position Cam motion profile. The starting condition is established by the Start Control and Start Position parameters of the MAPC instruction. This bit is cleared when the current position cam profile completes, or is superseded by some other motion operation. In uni-directional master direction mode, the Position Cam Lock Status bit is cleared when moving in the "wrong" direction and sets when moving in the "correct" direction.
MasterOffsetMoveStatus	DINT	Set if a Master Offset Move motion profile is currently in progress. This bit is cleared when the Master Offset Move is complete or is superseded by some other motion operation.
CoordinatedMotionStatus	DINT	Set if any coordinated motion profile is currently active upon the axis. It is cleared as soon as Coordinated Motion is complete or stopped.
ServoActionStatus	DINT	Set when the associated axis is under servo control. Cleared when servo action is disabled.
DriveEnableStatus	DINT	Set when the Drive Enable output of the associated physical axis is currently enabled. Cleared when physical servo axis Drive Enable output is currently disabled.
ShutdownStatus	DINT	Set when the associated axis is currently in the Shutdown state. Cleared when the axis is transitioned from the Shutdown state to another state.

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ConfigUpdateInProgress	DINT	The Configuration Update Status Bits attribute provides a method for monitoring the progress of one or more specific module configuration attribute updates initiated by either a Set Attribute List service (which is internal to the firmware) or an SSV in the user program. When such an update is initiated, the ControlLogix processor sets this bit. This bit will remain set until the Set Attribute List reply comes back from the servo module indicating that the data update process was successful. Thus the Configuration Update Status Bits attribute provides a method of waiting until the servo configuration data update to the connected motion module is complete before starting a dependent operation.
InhibitStatus	BOOL	Use the InhibitStatus bit of an axis to see if the axis is inhibited or uninhibited. If the bit is: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• ON — The axis is inhibited.</li> <li>• OFF — The axis is uninhibited.</li> </ul> The controller changes the InhibitStatus bit only after all of these have happened: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The axis has changed to inhibited or uninhibited.</li> <li>• All uninhibited axes are ready.</li> <li>• The connections to the motion module are running again.</li> </ul>
PhysicalAxisFault	DINT	Set when one or more fault conditions have been reported by the physical axis. The specific fault conditions can then be determined through access to the fault attributes of the associated physical axis. A PhysicalAxisFault can be set as either a Major Fault or a Non Major Fault in the Attribute tab of the associated Motion Group properties dialog box.
ModuleFault	DINT	Set when a serious fault has occurred with the motion module associated with the selected axis. Usually a module fault affects all axes associated with the motion module. A module fault generally results in the shutdown of all associated axes. Reconfiguration of the motion module is required to recover from a module fault condition. A ModuleFault can be set as either a Major Fault or a Non Major Fault in the Attribute tab of the associated Motion Group properties dialog box.
ConfigFault	DINT	Set when an update operation targeting an axis configuration attribute of an associated motion module has failed. Specific information concerning the Configuration Fault may be found in the Attribute Error Code and Attribute Error ID attributes associated with the motion module. A ConfigFault can be set as either a Major Fault or a Non Major Fault in the Attribute tab of the associated Motion Group properties dialog box.
WatchEventArmedStatus	DINT	Set when a watch event has been armed through execution of the MAW (Motion Arm Watch) instruction. Cleared when either a watch event occurs or a MDW (Motion Disarm Watch) instruction is executed.
WatchEventStatus	DINT	Set when a watch event has occurred. Cleared when either another MAW (Motion Arm Watch) instruction or a MDW (Motion Disarm Watch) instruction is executed.
RegEvent1ArmedStatus	DINT	Set when a registration checking has been armed for registration input 1 through execution of the MAR (Motion Arm Registration) instruction. Cleared when either a registration event occurs or a MDR (Motion Disarm Registration) instruction is executed for registration input 1.
RegEvent1Status	DINT	Set when a registration event has occurred on registration input 1. Cleared when either another MAR (Motion Arm Registration) instruction or a MDR (Motion Disarm Registration) instruction is executed for registration input 1.
RegEvent2ArmedStatus	DINT	Set when a registration checking has been armed for registration input 2 through execution of the MAR (Motion Arm Registration) instruction. Cleared when either a registration event occurs or a MDR (Motion Disarm Registration) instruction is executed for registration input 2.
RegEvent2Status	DINT	Set when a registration event has occurred on registration input 2. Cleared when either another MAR (Motion Arm Registration) instruction or a MDR (Motion Disarm Registration) instruction is executed for registration input 2.
HomeEventArmedStatus	DINT	Set when a home event has been armed through execution of the MAH (Motion Axis Home) instruction. Cleared when a home event occurs.

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HomeEventStatus	DINT	Set when a home event has occurred. Cleared when another MAH (Motion Axis Home) instruction is executed.
ProcessStatus	DINT	Set when there is an axis tuning operation or an axis hookup diagnostic test operation in progress on the associated physical axis.
OutputLimitStatus	DINT	Set when the magnitude of the output of the associated physical servo axis has reached or exceeded the configured Output Limit value.
PosLockStatus	DINT	Set when the magnitude of the axis position error has become less than or equal to the configured Position Lock Tolerance value for the associated physical axis.
HomeInputStatus	DINT	Set when the current state of the dedicated Home input is active. Cleared when the Home input is inactive.
DriveFaultInputStatus	DINT	Set when the current state of the Drive Fault input is active. Cleared when the Drive Fault input is inactive.
Reg1InputStatus	DINT	Set when the current state of the dedicated Registration 1 input is active. Clear when the Registration 1 input is inactive.
Reg2InputStatus	DINT	Set when the current state of the dedicated Registration 1 input is active. Clear when the Registration 1 input is inactive.
PosOvertravelInputStatus	DINT	Set when the current state of the dedicated Positive Overtravel input is active. Clear when the Positive Overtravel input is inactive.
NegOvertravelInputStatus	DINT	Set when the current state of the dedicated Negative Overtravel input is active. Clear when the Negative Overtravel input is inactive.
POtravlFault	DINT	Set when the axis has traveled, or attempted to travel, beyond the current configured value for Maximum Positive Travel. Cleared when the axis is moved back within this travel limit.
NOtravlFault	DINT	Set when the axis has traveled, or attempted to travel, beyond the current configured value for Maximum Negative Travel. Cleared when the axis is moved back within this travel limit.
PosHardOvertravelFault	DINT	Set when the axis has traveled beyond the current positive direction position limits as established by hardware limit switches mounted on the machine. To recover, the axis must be moved back with normal operation limits of the machine and the limit switch reset. This fault condition is latched and requires execution of an explicit MAFR (Motion Axis Fault Reset) or MASR (Motion Axis Shutdown Reset) instruction to clear.
NegHardOvertravelFault	DINT	Set when the axis has traveled beyond the current negative direction position limits as established by hardware limit switches mounted on the machine. To recover, the axis must be moved back with normal operation limits of the machine and the limit switch reset. This fault condition is latched and requires execution of an explicit MAFR (Motion Axis Fault Reset) or MASR (Motion Axis Shutdown Reset) instruction to clear.
FeedbackFault	DINT	Set for a specific feedback source when one of the following conditions occurs: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The differential electrical signals for one or more of the feedback channels (e.g., A+ and A-, B+ and B-, or Z+ and Z-) are at the same level (both high or both low). Under normal operation, the differential signals are always at opposite levels. The most common cause of this situation is a broken wire between the feedback transducer and the servo module or drive;</li> <li>• Loss of feedback "power" or feedback "common" electrical connection between the servo module or drive and the feedback device. This fault condition is latched and requires execution of an explicit MAFR (Motion Axis Fault Reset) or MASR (Motion Axis Shutdown Reset) instruction to clear.</li> </ul>

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FeedbackNoiseFault	DINT	Set for a specific feedback source when the servo module has detected simultaneous transitions of the feedback A and B channels (called "feedback noise"). Feedback noise is most often caused by loss of quadrature in the feedback device itself or radiated common-mode noise signals being picked up by the feedback device wiring, both of which may be able to be seen on an oscilloscope. This fault condition is latched and requires execution of an explicit MAFR (Motion Axis Fault Reset) or MASR (Motion Axis Shutdown Reset) instruction to clear.
AuxFeedbackFault	DINT	Set for an auxiliary feedback source when one of the following conditions occurs: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The differential electrical signals for one or more of the feedback channels (e.g., A+ and A-, B+ and B-, or Z+ and Z-) are at the same level (both high or both low). Under normal operation, the differential signals are always at opposite levels. The most common cause of this situation is a broken wire between the feedback transducer and the servo module or drive;</li> <li>• Loss of feedback "power" or feedback "common" electrical connection between the servo module or drive and the feedback device. This fault condition is latched and requires execution of an explicit MAFR (Motion Axis Fault Reset) or MASR (Motion Axis Shutdown Reset) instruction to clear.</li> </ul>
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PosErrorFault	DINT	Set when the servo has detected that the axis position error has exceeded the current configured value for Position Error Tolerance. This fault condition is latched and requires execution of an explicit MAFR (Motion Axis Fault Reset) or MASR (Motion Axis Shutdown Reset) instruction to clear.
DriveFault	DINT	Set when the external servo drive has detected a fault and has communicated the existence of this fault to the servo module via the Drive Fault input. This fault condition is latched and requires execution of an explicit MAFR (Motion Axis Fault Reset) or MASR (Motion Axis Shutdown Reset) instruction to clear.
ControlSyncFault	DINT	Set when the Logix controller detects that several position update messages in a row from the motion module have been missed due to a failure of the synchronous communications connection. This condition results in the automatic shutdown of the associated servo module. The Logix controller is designed to "ride-through" a maximum of four missed position updates without issuing a fault or adversely affecting motion in progress. Missing more than four position updates in a row constitutes a problematic condition that warrants shutdown of the servo module. This fault bit is cleared when the connection is reestablished.
ModuleSyncFault	DINT	Set when the motion module detects that several position update messages in a row from the ControlLogix processor module have been missed due to a failure of the synchronous communications connection. This condition results in the automatic shutdown of the servo module. The servo module is designed to "ride-through" a maximum of four missed position updates without issuing a fault or adversely affecting motion in progress. Missing more than four position updates in a row constitutes a problematic condition that warrants shutdown of the servo module. This fault bit is cleared when the connection is reestablished.
TimerEventFault	DINT	Set when the associated servo module has detected a problem with the module's timer event functionality used to synchronize the motion module's servo loop to the master timebase of the Logix rack (i.e. Coordinated System Time). This fault bit can be cleared only by reconfiguration of the motion module.
ModuleHardwareFault	DINT	Set when the associated servo module has detected a hardware problem that, in general, is going to require replacement of the module to correct.
OutputCamStatus	DINT	A set of bits* that are set when the Output Cam has been initiated.

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OutputCamPendingStatus	DINT	A set of bits* that are set when an Output Cam is waiting for an armed Output Cam to move beyond its cam start/cam end position.
OutputCamLockStatus	DINT	A set of bits* that are set when an Output Cam is locked to the Master Axis.
OutputCamTransitionStatus	DINT	A set of bits* that are set when the transition from the current armed Output Cam to the pending Output Cam is in process.

\* The bit number corresponds with the execution target number. One bit per execution target.

**AXIS\_SERVO\_DRIVE Structure** Use this data type for an axis that is on the SERCOS ring of one of these motion modules:

- 1756-M03SE
- 1756-M08SE
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AverageVelocity	REAL	Average Velocity in Position Units / Sec																				
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ActualAcceleration	REAL	Actual Acceleration in Position Units / Sec <sup>2</sup>																				
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Registration2Position	REAL	Registration 2 Position in Position Units																				
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Registration2Time	DINT	Lower 32 bits of CST time																				
InterpolationTime	DINT	CST time to interpolate to																				
InterpolatedActualPosition	REAL	Interpolated Actual Position in Position Units																				
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PositionCommand	REAL	Position Command in Position Units																				
PositionFeedback	REAL	Position Feedback in Position Units																				
AuxPositionFeedback	REAL	Auxiliary Position Feedback in Position Units																				
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PositionIntegratorError	REAL	Position Integrator Error in Position Units - mSec																				
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AccelerationCommand	REAL	Acceleration Command in Position Units / Sec <sup>2</sup>
AccelerationFeedback	REAL	Acceleration Feedback in Position Units / Sec <sup>2</sup>
ServoOutputLevel	REAL	Servo Output Level in Volts
MarkerDistance	REAL	Marker Distance in Position Units
VelocityOffset	REAL	Velocity Offset in Position Units / Sec
TorqueOffset	REAL	Torque Offset from –100% to +100%
TorqueCommand	REAL	The command when operating in Torque Mode in terms of % rated.
TorqueFeedback	REAL	The torque feedback when operating in Torque Mode in terms of % rated.
PosDynamicTorqueLimit	REAL	The currently operative maximum positive torque/current limit magnitude. It should be the lowest value of all torque/current limits in the drive at a given time, including: amplifier peak limit, motor peak limit, user current limit, amplifier thermal limit, and motor thermal limit.
NegDynamicTorqueLimit	REAL	The currently operative negative positive torque/current limit magnitude. It should be the lowest value of all torque/current limits in the drive at a given time, including: amplifier peak limit, motor peak limit, user current limit, amplifier thermal limit, and motor thermal limit.
MotorCapacity	REAL	The present utilization of motor capacity as a percent of rated capacity.
DriveCapacity	REAL	The present utilization of drive capacity as a percent of rated capacity.
PowerCapacity	REAL	The present utilization of the axis power supply as a percent of rated capacity.
BusRegulatorCapacity	REAL	The present utilization of the axis bus regulator as a percent of rated capacity.
MotorElectricalAngle	REAL	The present electrical angle of the motor shaft.
TorqueLimitSource	DINT	The present source (if any) of any torque limiting for the axis.

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AccelStatus	DINT	Set if the axis is currently being commanded to accelerate.
DecelStatus	DINT	Set if the axis is currently being commanded to decelerate.
MoveStatus	DINT	Set if a Move motion profile is currently in progress. Cleared when the Move is complete or is superseded by some other motion operation.
JogStatus	DINT	Set if a Jog motion profile is currently in progress. Cleared when the Jog is complete or is superseded by some other motion operation.
GearingStatus	DINT	Set if the axis is a slave that is currently Gearing to another axis. Cleared when the gearing operation is stopped or is superseded by some other motion operation.
HomingStatus	DINT	Set if a Home motion profile is currently in progress. Cleared when the homing operation is stopped or is superseded by some other motion operation.
StoppingStatus	DINT	Set if there is a stopping process currently in progress. Cleared when the stopping process is complete. Note: The stopping process is used to stop an axis (initiated by an MAS, MGS, Stop Motion fault action, or mode change).
HomedStatus	DINT	Cleared at power-up or reconnection. Set by the MAH instruction upon successful completion of the configured homing sequence, and later cleared when the axis enters the shutdown state.
PositionCamStatus	DINT	Set if a Position Cam motion profile is currently in progress. Cleared when the Position Cam is complete or is superseded by some other motion operation.
TimeCamStatus	DINT	Set if a Time Cam motion profile is currently in progress. Cleared when the Time Cam is complete or is superseded by some other motion operation.
PositionCamPendingStatus	DINT	Set if a Position Cam motion profile is currently pending the completion of a currently executing cam profile. This would be initiated by executing an MAPC instruction with Pending execution selected. This bit is cleared when the current position cam profile completes, initiating the start of the pending cam profile. This bit is also cleared if the position cam profile completes, or is superseded by some other motion operation.
TimeCamPendingStatus	DINT	Set if a Time Cam motion profile is currently pending the completion of a currently executing cam profile. This would be initiated by executing an MATC instruction with Pending execution selected. This bit is cleared when the current time cam profile completes, initiating the start of the pending cam profile. This bit is also cleared if the time cam profile completes, or is superseded by some other motion operation.
GearingLockStatus	DINT	Set whenever the slave axis is locked to the master axis in a gearing relationship according to the specified gear ratio. The clutch function of the gearing planner is used to ramp an axis up, or down, to speed in a gearing process (MAG with Clutch selected). This bit is cleared during the intervals where the axis is clutching.
PositionCamLockStatus	DINT	Set whenever the master axis satisfies the starting condition of a currently active Position Cam motion profile. The starting condition is established by the Start Control and Start Position parameters of the MAPC instruction. This bit is cleared when the current position cam profile completes, or is superseded by some other motion operation. In uni-directional master direction mode, the Position Cam Lock Status bit is cleared when moving in the "wrong" direction and sets when moving in the "correct" direction.
MasterOffsetMoveStatus	DINT	Set if a Master Offset Move motion profile is currently in progress. This bit is cleared when the Master Offset Move is complete or is superseded by some other motion operation.
CoordinatedMotionStatus	DINT	Set if any coordinated motion profile is currently active upon the axis. It is cleared as soon as Coordinated Motion is complete or stopped.
ServoActionStatus	DINT	Set when the associated axis is under servo control. Cleared when servo action is disabled.
DriveEnableStatus	DINT	Set when the Drive Enable output of the associated physical axis is currently enabled. Cleared when physical servo axis Drive Enable output is currently disabled.

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ShutdownStatus	DINT	Set when the associated axis is currently in the Shutdown state. Cleared when the axis is transitioned from the Shutdown state to another state.
ConfigUpdateInProgress	DINT	The Configuration Update Status Bits attribute provides a method for monitoring the progress of one or more specific module configuration attribute updates initiated by either a Set Attribute List service (which is internal to the firmware) or an SSV in the user program. When such an update is initiated, the ControlLogix processor sets this bit. This bit will remain set until the Set Attribute List reply comes back from the servo module indicating that the data update process was successful. Thus the Configuration Update Status Bits attribute provides a method of waiting until the servo configuration data update to the connected motion module is complete before starting a dependent operation.
InhibitStatus	BOOL	Use the InhibitStatus bit of an axis to see if the axis is inhibited or uninhibited. If the bit is: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• ON — The axis is inhibited.</li> <li>• OFF — The axis is uninhibited.</li> </ul> The controller changes the InhibitStatus bit only after all of these have happened: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The axis has changed to inhibited or uninhibited.</li> <li>• All uninhibited axes are ready.</li> <li>• The connections to the motion module are running again.</li> <li>• The SERCOS ring has phased up again.</li> </ul>
PhysicalAxisFault	DINT	Set when one or more fault conditions have been reported by the physical axis. The specific fault conditions can then be determined through access to the fault attributes of the associated physical axis. A PhysicalAxisFault can be set as either a Major Fault or a Non Major Fault in the Attribute tab of the associated Motion Group properties dialog box.
ModuleFault	DINT	Set when a serious fault has occurred with the motion module associated with the selected axis. Usually a module fault affects all axes associated with the motion module. A module fault generally results in the shutdown of all associated axes. Reconfiguration of the motion module is required to recover from a module fault condition. A ModuleFault can be set as either a Major Fault or a Non Major Fault in the Attribute tab of the associated Motion Group properties dialog box.
ConfigFault	DINT	Set when an update operation targeting an axis configuration attribute of an associated motion module has failed. Specific information concerning the Configuration Fault may be found in the Attribute Error Code and Attribute Error ID attributes associated with the motion module. A ConfigFault can be set as either a Major Fault or a Non Major Fault in the Attribute tab of the associated Motion Group properties dialog box.
WatchEventArmedStatus	DINT	Set when a watch event has been armed through execution of the MAW (Motion Arm Watch) instruction. Cleared when either a watch event occurs or a MDW (Motion Disarm Watch) instruction is executed.
WatchEventStatus	DINT	Set when a watch event has occurred. Cleared when either another MAW (Motion Arm Watch) instruction or a MDW (Motion Disarm Watch) instruction is executed.
RegEvent1ArmedStatus	DINT	Set when a registration checking has been armed for registration input 1 through execution of the MAR (Motion Arm Registration) instruction. Cleared when either a registration event occurs or a MDR (Motion Disarm Registration) instruction is executed for registration input 1.
RegEvent1Status	DINT	Set when a registration event has occurred on registration input 1. Cleared when either another MAR (Motion Arm Registration) instruction or a MDR (Motion Disarm Registration) instruction is executed for registration input 1.
RegEvent2ArmedStatus	DINT	Set when a registration checking has been armed for registration input 2 through execution of the MAR (Motion Arm Registration) instruction. Cleared when either a registration event occurs or a MDR (Motion Disarm Registration) instruction is executed for registration input 2.

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RegEvent2Status	DINT	Set when a registration event has occurred on registration input 2. Cleared when either another MAR (Motion Arm Registration) instruction or a MDR (Motion Disarm Registration) instruction is executed for registration input 2.
HomeEventArmedStatus	DINT	Set when a home event has been armed through execution of the MAH (Motion Axis Home) instruction. Cleared when a home event occurs.
HomeEventStatus	DINT	Set when a home event has occurred. Cleared when another MAH (Motion Axis Home) instruction is executed.
ControlSyncFault	DINT	Set when the Logix controller detects that several position update messages in a row from the motion module have been missed due to a failure of the synchronous communications connection. This condition results in the automatic shutdown of the associated servo module. The Logix controller is designed to "ride-through" a maximum of four missed position updates without issuing a fault or adversely affecting motion in progress. Missing more than four position updates in a row constitutes a problematic condition that warrants shutdown of the servo module. This fault bit is cleared when the connection is reestablished.
ModuleSyncFault	DINT	Set when the motion module detects that several position update messages in a row from the ControlLogix processor module have been missed due to a failure of the synchronous communications connection. This condition results in the automatic shutdown of the servo module. The servo module is designed to "ride-through" a maximum of four missed position updates without issuing a fault or adversely affecting motion in progress. Missing more than four position updates in a row constitutes a problematic condition that warrants shutdown of the servo module. This fault bit is cleared when the connection is reestablished.
TimerEventFault	DINT	Set when the associated servo module has detected a problem with the module's timer event functionality used to synchronize the motion module's servo loop to the master timebase of the Logix rack (i.e. Coordinated System Time). This fault bit can be cleared only by reconfiguration of the motion module.
ModuleHardwareFault	DINT	Set when the associated servo module has detected a hardware problem that, in general, is going to require replacement of the module to correct.
ProcessStatus	DINT	Set when there is an axis tuning operation or an axis hookup diagnostic test operation in progress on the associated physical axis.
HomeInputStatus	DINT	Set when the current state of the dedicated Home input is active. Cleared when the Home input is inactive.
Reg1InputStatus	DINT	Set when the current state of the dedicated Registration 1 input is active. Clear when the Registration 1 input is inactive.
Reg2InputStatus	DINT	Set when the current state of the dedicated Registration 2 input is active. Clear when the Registration 2 input is inactive.
PosOvertravelInputStatus	DINT	Set when the current state of the dedicated Positive Overtravel input is active. Clear when the Positive Overtravel input is inactive.
NegOvertravelInputStatus	DINT	Set when the current state of the dedicated Negative Overtravel input is active. Clear when the Negative Overtravel input is inactive.
EnableInputStatus	DINT	Set when the current state of the dedicated Enable Input is active. Clear when the Enable Input is inactive.
AccelLimitStatus	DINT	Set when the magnitude of the commanded acceleration to the velocity servo loop input is greater than the configured Velocity Limit.
VelocityLockStatus	DINT	Set when the magnitude of the physical axis Velocity Feedback is within the configured Velocity Window of the current velocity command.
VelocityStandstillStatus	DINT	Set when the magnitude of the physical axis Velocity Feedback is within the configured Velocity Standstill Window of zero speed.

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VelocityThresholdStatus	DINT	Set when the magnitude of the physical axis Velocity Feedback is less than the configured Velocity Threshold.
TorqueThresholdStatus	DINT	Set when the magnitude of the physical axis Torque Feedback is less than the configured Torque Threshold.
TorqueLimitStatus	DINT	Set when the magnitude of the axis torque command is greater than the configured Torque Limit.
VelocityLimitStatus	DINT	Set when the magnitude of the commanded velocity to the velocity servo loop input is greater than the configured Velocity Limit.
PosLockStatus	DINT	Set when the magnitude of the axis position error has become less than or equal to the configured Position Lock Tolerance value for the associated physical axis.
PosSoftOvertravelFault	DINT	Set when the axis has traveled, or attempted to travel, beyond the current configured value for Maximum Positive Travel. Cleared when the axis is moved back within this travel limit.
NegSoftOvertravelFault	DINT	Set when the axis has traveled, or attempted to travel, beyond the current configured value for Maximum Negative Travel. Cleared when the axis is moved back within this travel limit.
PosHardOvertravelFault	DINT	Set when the axis has traveled beyond the current positive direction position limits as established by hardware limit switches mounted on the machine. To recover, the axis must be moved back with normal operation limits of the machine and the limit switch reset. This fault condition is latched and requires execution of an explicit MAFR (Motion Axis Fault Reset) or MASR (Motion Axis Shutdown Reset) instruction to clear.
NegHardOvertravelFault	DINT	Set when the axis has traveled beyond the current negative direction position limits as established by hardware limit switches mounted on the machine. To recover, the axis must be moved back with normal operation limits of the machine and the limit switch reset. This fault condition is latched and requires execution of an explicit MAFR (Motion Axis Fault Reset) or MASR (Motion Axis Shutdown Reset) instruction to clear.
MotFeedbackFault	DINT	Set for a specific feedback source when one of the following conditions occurs: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The differential electrical signals for one or more of the feedback channels (e.g., A+ and A-, B+ and B-, or Z+ and Z-) are at the same level (both high or both low). Under normal operation, the differential signals are always at opposite levels. The most common cause of this situation is a broken wire between the feedback transducer and the servo module or drive.</li> <li>• Loss of feedback “power” or feedback “common” electrical connection between the servo module or drive and the feedback device. This fault condition is latched and requires execution of an explicit MAFR (Motion Axis Fault Reset) or MASR (Motion Axis Shutdown Reset) instruction to clear.</li> </ul>
MotFeedbackNoiseFault	DINT	Set for a specific feedback source when the servo module has detected simultaneous transitions of the feedback A and B channels (called “feedback noise”). Feedback noise is most often caused by loss of quadrature in the feedback device itself or radiated common-mode noise signals being picked up by the feedback device wiring, both of which may be able to be seen on an oscilloscope. This fault condition is latched and requires execution of an explicit MAFR (Motion Axis Fault Reset) or MASR (Motion Axis Shutdown Reset) instruction to clear.
AuxFeedbackFault	DINT	Set for an auxiliary feedback source when one of the following conditions occurs: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The differential electrical signals for one or more of the feedback channels (e.g., A+ and A-, B+ and B-, or Z+ and Z-) are at the same level (both high or both low). Under normal operation, the differential signals are always at opposite levels. The most common cause of this situation is a broken wire between the feedback transducer and the servo module or drive;</li> <li>• Loss of feedback “power” or feedback “common” electrical connection between the servo module or drive and the feedback device. This fault condition is latched and requires execution of an explicit MAFR (Motion Axis Fault Reset) or MASR (Motion Axis Shutdown Reset) instruction to clear.</li> </ul>

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GroundShortFault		Set for an auxiliary feedback source when one of the following conditions occurs: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The differential electrical signals for one or more of the feedback channels (e.g., A+ and A-, B+ and B-, or Z+ and Z-) are at the same level (both high or both low). Under normal operation, the differential signals are always at opposite levels. The most common cause of this situation is a broken wire between the feedback transducer and the servo module or drive.</li> <li>• Loss of feedback "power" or feedback "common" electrical connection between the servo module or drive and the feedback device. This fault condition is latched and requires execution of an explicit MAFR (Motion Axis Fault Reset) or MASR (Motion Axis Shutdown Reset) instruction to clear.</li> </ul>
DriveHardFault	DINT	Set when the drive detects a serious hardware fault.
OverspeedFault	DINT	Set when the speed of the axis as determined from the feedback has exceeded the overspeed limit which is typically set to 150% of configured velocity limit for the motor.
OverloadFault	DINT	Set when the load limit of the motor/drive has been exceeded and persists. (This attribute is often tied into the IT limit of the drive.)
DriveOvertempFault	DINT	Set when the drive's temperature exceeds the drive shutdown temperature.
MotorOvertempFault	DINT	Set when the motor's temperature exceeds the motor shutdown temperature.
DriveCoolingFault	DINT	Set when the ambient temperature surrounding the drive's control circuitry temperature exceeds the drive ambient shut-down temperature.
DriveControlVoltageFault	DINT	Set when the power supply voltages associated with the drive circuitry fall outside of acceptable limits.
FeedbackFault	DINT	Set when one of the feedback sources associated with the drive axis has a problem that prevents the drive from receiving accurate or reliable position information from the feedback device.
CommutationFault	DINT	Set when the commutation feedback source associated with the drive axis has a problem that prevents the drive from receiving accurate or reliable motor shaft information to perform commutation.
DriveOvercurrentFault	DINT	Set when drive output current exceeds the predefined operating limits for the drive.
DriveOvervoltageFault	DINT	Set when drive DC bus voltage exceeds the predefined operating limits for the bus.
DriveUndervoltageFault	DINT	Set when drive DC bus voltage is below the predefined operating limits for the bus.
PowerPhaseLossFault	DINT	Set when the drive detects that one or more of the three power line phases is lost from the 3 phase power inputs.
PosErrorFault	DINT	Set when the servo has detected that the axis position error has exceeded the current configured value for Position Error Tolerance. This fault condition is latched and requires execution of an explicit MAFR (Motion Axis Fault Reset) or MASR (Motion Axis Shutdown Reset) instruction to clear.
OutputCamStatus	DINT	A set of bits* that are set when the Output Cam has been initiated.
OutputCamPendingStatus	DINT	A set of bits* that are set when an Output Cam is waiting for an armed Output Cam to move beyond its cam start/cam end position.
OutputCamLockStatus	DINT	A set of bits* that are set when an Output Cam is locked to the Master Axis.



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OutputCamTransitionStatus	DINT	A set of bits* that are set when the transition from the current armed Output Cam to the pending Output Cam is in process.

\* The bit number corresponds with the execution target number. One bit per execution target.

**AXIS\_VIRTUAL Structure** A virtual axis object is an axis with full motion planner operation, but is not associated with any physical device.

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HomingStatus	DINT	Set if a Home motion profile is currently in progress. Cleared when the homing operation is stopped or is superseded by some other motion operation.
StoppingStatus	DINT	Set if there is a stopping process currently in progress. Cleared when the stopping process is complete. Note: The stopping process is used to stop an axis (initiated by an MAS, MGS, Stop Motion fault action, or mode change).
HomedStatus	DINT	Cleared at power-up or reconnection. Set by the MAH instruction upon successful completion of the configured homing sequence, and later cleared when the axis enters the shutdown state.
PositionCamStatus	DINT	Set if a Position Cam motion profile is currently in progress. Cleared when the Position Cam is complete or is superseded by some other motion operation.
TimeCamStatus	DINT	Set if a Time Cam motion profile is currently in progress. Cleared when the Time Cam is complete or is superseded by some other motion operation.
PositionCamPendingStatus	DINT	Set if a Position Cam motion profile is currently pending the completion of a currently executing cam profile. This would be initiated by executing an MAPC instruction with Pending execution selected. This bit is cleared when the current position cam profile completes, initiating the start of the pending cam profile. This bit is also cleared if the position cam profile completes, or is superseded by some other motion operation.
TimeCamPendingStatus	DINT	Set if a Time Cam motion profile is currently pending the completion of a currently executing cam profile. This would be initiated by executing an MATC instruction with Pending execution selected. This bit is cleared when the current time cam profile completes, initiating the start of the pending cam profile. This bit is also cleared if the time cam profile completes, or is superseded by some other motion operation.
GearingLockStatus	DINT	Set whenever the slave axis is locked to the master axis in a gearing relationship according to the specified gear ratio. The clutch function of the gearing planner is used to ramp an axis up, or down, to speed in a gearing process (MAG with Clutch selected). This bit is cleared during the intervals where the axis is clutching.
PositionCamLockStatus	DINT	Set whenever the master axis satisfies the starting condition of a currently active Position Cam motion profile. The starting condition is established by the Start Control and Start Position parameters of the MAPC instruction. This bit is cleared when the current position cam profile completes, or is superseded by some other motion operation. In uni-directional master direction mode, the Position Cam Lock Status bit is cleared when moving in the "wrong" direction and sets when moving in the "correct" direction.
MasterOffsetMoveStatus	DINT	Set if a Master Offset Move motion profile is currently in progress. This bit is cleared when the Master Offset Move is complete or is superseded by some other motion operation.
CoordinatedMotionStatus	DINT	Set if any coordinated motion profile is currently active upon the axis. It is cleared as soon as Coordinated Motion is complete or stopped.
ServoActStatus	DINT	Set when the associated axis is under servo control. Cleared when servo action is disabled.
DriveEnableStatus	DINT	Set when the Drive Enable output of the associated physical axis is currently enabled. Cleared when physical servo axis Drive Enable output is currently disabled.
ShutdownStatus	DINT	Set when the associated axis is currently in the Shutdown state. Cleared when the axis is transitioned from the Shutdown state to another state.

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ConfigUpdateInProgress	DINT	The Configuration Update Status Bits attribute provides a method for monitoring the progress of one or more specific module configuration attribute updates initiated by either a Set Attribute List service (which is internal to the firmware) or an SSV in the user program. When such an update is initiated, the ControlLogix processor sets this bit. This bit will remain set until the Set Attribute List reply comes back from the servo module indicating that the data update process was successful. Thus the Configuration Update Status Bits attribute provides a method of waiting until the servo configuration data update to the connected motion module is complete before starting a dependent operation.
PhysicalAxisFault	DINT	Set when one or more fault conditions have been reported by the physical axis. The specific fault conditions can then be determined through access to the fault attributes of the associated physical axis. A PhysicalAxisFault can be set as either a Major Fault or a Non Major Fault in the Attribute tab of the associated Motion Group properties dialog box.
ModuleFault	DINT	Set when a serious fault has occurred with the motion module associated with the selected axis. Usually a module fault affects all axes associated with the motion module. A module fault generally results in the shutdown of all associated axes. Reconfiguration of the motion module is required to recover from a module fault condition. A ModuleFault can be set as either a Major Fault or a Non Major Fault in the Attribute tab of the associated Motion Group properties dialog box.
ConfigFault	DINT	Set when an update operation targeting an axis configuration attribute of an associated motion module has failed. Specific information concerning the Configuration Fault may be found in the Attribute Error Code and Attribute Error ID attributes associated with the motion module. A ConfigFault can be set as either a Major Fault or a Non Major Fault in the Attribute tab of the associated Motion Group properties dialog box.
WatchEventArmedStatus	DINT	Set when a watch event has been armed through execution of the MAW (Motion Arm Watch) instruction. Cleared when either a watch event occurs or a MDW (Motion Disarm Watch) instruction is executed.
WatchEventStatus	DINT	Set when a watch event has occurred. Cleared when either another MAW (Motion Arm Watch) instruction or a MDW (Motion Disarm Watch) instruction is executed.
RegEvent1ArmedStatus	DINT	Set when a registration checking has been armed for registration input 1 through execution of the MAR (Motion Arm Registration) instruction. Cleared when either a registration event occurs or a MDR (Motion Disarm Registration) instruction is executed for registration input 1.
RegEvent1Status	DINT	Set when a registration event has occurred on registration input 1. Cleared when either another MAR (Motion Arm Registration) instruction or a MDR (Motion Disarm Registration) instruction is executed for registration input 1.
RegEvent2ArmedStatus	DINT	Set when a registration checking has been armed for registration input 2 through execution of the MAR (Motion Arm Registration) instruction. Cleared when either a registration event occurs or a MDR (Motion Disarm Registration) instruction is executed for registration input 2.
RegEvent2Status	DINT	Set when a registration event has occurred on registration input 2. Cleared when either another MAR (Motion Arm Registration) instruction or a MDR (Motion Disarm Registration) instruction is executed for registration input 2.
HomeEventArmedStatus	DINT	Set when a home event has been armed through execution of the MAH (Motion Axis Home) instruction. Cleared when a home event occurs.
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OutputCamStatus	DINT	A set of bits* that are set when the Output Cam has been initiated.
OutputCamPendingStatus	DINT	A set of bits* that are set when an Output Cam is waiting for an armed Output Cam to move beyond its cam start/cam end position.
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OutputCamTransitionStatus	DINT	A set of bits* that are set when the transition from the current armed Output Cam to the pending Output Cam is in process.

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.STATE	SINT	The execution state is always set to 0 when the controller sets the .EN bit for a motion instruction. Other execution states depend on the motion instruction.
.STATUS	SINT	The message status value indicates the status condition of any message associated with the motion function. Value: Description 0000 The message was successful. 0001 The module is processing another message. 0002 The module is waiting for a response to a previous message. 0003 The response to a message failed. 0004 The module is not ready for messaging.
.SEGMENT	DINT	A segment is the distance from one point up to but, not including the next point. A .SEGMENT gives the relative position by segment number as the Cam is executing.

## Coordinate System Control Structure

Each coordinate system defined in RSLogix5000 has a control structure associated with it that can be used to monitor the status of the coordinate system along with any axis motion being executed by the coordinate system. The Coordinate System has the following status bits.

Mnemonic:	Data Type:	Description:
ShutdownStatus	DINT	The Coordinate System bit will be set after an MCSD or MGSD is executed and all associated axes have stopped. A MCSR or a MGRS will reset the coordinate system and clear the bit. Coordinated moves cannot be initiated while this bit is set.



<b>Mnemonic:</b>	<b>Data Type:</b>	<b>Description:</b>
ReadyStatus	DINT	The Ready bit is set when all associated axes are enabled. It is cleared after an MCSD, MGSD or a fault on any of the associated axes.
AccelStatus	DINT	The acceleration bit is set when a coordinated move is in the accelerating phase due to the current coordinated move. It is cleared when the coordinated move has been stopped or the coordinated move is in the decelerating phase.
DecelStatus	DINT	The deceleration bit is set when a coordinated move is in the decelerating phase due to the current coordinated move. It is cleared when the coordinated move has been stopped or the coordinated move is complete.
ActualPosToleranceStatus	DINT	The Actual Position Tolerance Status bit is set for AT term type only. The bit is set when interpolation is complete and the actual distance to programmed endpoint is less than the configured AT value. The bit remains set after an instruction completes. The bit is reset if either a new instruction is started or the axis moves such that the actual distance to programmed endpoint is greater than the configured AT value
CommandPosToleranceStatus	DINT	The Command Position Tolerance Status bit is set for all term types whenever the distance to programmed endpoint is less than the configured CT value. The bit will remains set after an instruction completes. The bit is reset when a new instruction is started.
StoppingStatus	DINT	The stopping bit is set when a MCS instruction is executed. The bit will remain set until all coordinated motion is stopped. The bit is cleared when all coordinated motion has stopped.
MoveStatus	DINT	The move bit is set when coordinated motion is generating motion for any associated axes. Once coordinated motion is no longer being commanded, the move bit is cleared.
MoveTransitionStatus	DINT	The move transition bit is set once the blend point between two successive coordinated moves has been reach. The bit remains set while the blend of the two moves into one is in process. Once the blend is complete, the move transition bit is cleared.
MovePendingStatus	DINT	The move pending bit is set once a coordinated motion instruction is queued. Once the instruction has begun executing, the bit will be cleared, provided no subsequent coordinated motion instructions have been queued in the mean time. In the case of a single coordinated motion instruction, the status bit may not be detected by the user in RSLogix5000 since the transition from queued to executing is faster than the coarse update. The real value of the bit comes in the case of multiple instructions. As long as an instruction is in the instruction queue, the pending bit will be set. This provides the RSLogix5000 programmer a means of stream-lining the execution of multiple coordinated motion instructions. Ladder logic containing coordinated motion instructions can be made to execute faster when the programmer allows instructions to be queued while a preceding instruction is executing. When the MovePendingStatus bit is clear, the next coordinated motion instruction can be executed (i.e. setup in the queue).
MovePendingQueueFullStatus	DINT	The move pending queue full bit is set there is no room in the instruction queue for the next coordinated move instruction. Once there is room in the queue, the bit is cleared.
TransformSourceStatus	DINT	The transform source status bit is set when the coordinate system is used in an MCT instruction as the source system. When the coordinate system is no longer used as a source system, the bit will be cleared.
TransformTargetStatus	DINT	The transform target status bit is set when the coordinate system is used in an MCT instruction as the target system. When the coordinate system is no longer used as a target system, the bit will be cleared.
AxisFault	DINT	Bit coded word indicating which axes associated to this motion coordinate system have an axis fault. Where bit 0 is a fault with the first configured axis, bit 1 is a fault with the second configured axis, etc.
PhysicalAxisFaulted	DINT	Bit coded word indicating which axes associated to this motion coordinate system have a servo axis fault. Where bit 0 is a fault with the first configured servo axis, bit 1 is a fault with the second configured servo axis, etc.

<b>Mnemonic:</b>	<b>Data Type:</b>	<b>Description:</b>
ModulesFaulted	DINT	Bit coded word indicating which axes associated to this motion coordinate system have a module fault.
AxisConfigurationFaulted	DINT	Bit coded word indicating which axes associated to this motion coordinate system have an axis configuration fault.
AxesShutdownStatus	DINT	Bit coded word indicating which axes associated to this motion coordinate system are in the shutdown state.
AxesServoOnStatus	DINT	Bit coded word indicating which axes associated to this motion coordinate system are on (via MSO).
ActualPosition	DINT	Array of actual position of each axis associated to this motion coordinate system in Coordinate Units.

## CAM Structure

The Cam data type consists of slave and master point pairs as well as an interpolation type. Since there is no association with a specific axis position or time, the point values are unit-less. The interpolation type can be specified for each segment as either linear or cubic. The format of the cam array element is shown in the following table.

<b>Mnemonic:</b>	<b>Data Type:</b>	<b>Description:</b>
MASTER	REAL	The x value of the point.
SLAVE	REAL	The y value of the point.
Segment Type	DINT	The type of interpolation. Value: 0                      Description 1                      linear. cubic.

## CAM\_PROFILE Structure

The CAM\_PROFILE data type is an array of coefficients representing a calculated cam profile that can be used as input to a time cam or position cam instruction. The only element available to the user is Status which is defined in the following table.

<b>Mnemonic:</b>	<b>Data Type:</b>	<b>Description:</b>
Status	DINT	The status parameter is used to indicate that the Cam Profile array element has been calculated. If execution of a camming instruction is attempted using an uncalculated element in a Cam Profile, the instruction produces an error. Value: 0                      Description 1                      Cam profile element has not been calculated. 2                      Cam profile element is being calculated. n                      Cam profile element has been calculated. Cam profile element has been calculated and is currently being used by (n-2) MAPC and MATC instructions.

**OUTPUT\_CAM Structure**

The OUTPUT\_CAM data type is an array that defines the specifics for each Output Cam element. The OUTPUT\_CAM contains the following members.

<b>Mnemonic</b>	<b>Data Type:</b>	<b>Description:</b>
OutputBit	DINT	You must select an output bit within the range of 0 to 31. A selection of less than 0 or greater than 31 results in an Illegal Output Cam error and the cam element is not considered.
LatchType	DINT	The Latch Type determines how the corresponding output bit is set. A value of less than 0 or greater than 3 results in an Illegal Output Cam error and a latch type of Inactive is used. Value: Description 0 = Inactive The output bit is not changed. 1 = Position The output bit is set when the axis enters the compensated cam range. 2 = Enable The output bit is set when the enable bit becomes active. 3 = Position and Enable The output bit is set when the axis enters the compensated cam range and the enable bit becomes active.
UnlatchType	DINT	The Unlatch Type determines how the output bit is reset. Selecting a value less than 0 or greater than 5 results in an Illegal Output Cam error and an unlatch type of Inactive is used. Value: Description 0 = Inactive The output bit is not changed. 1 = Position The output bit is reset when the axis leaves the compensated cam range. 2 = Duration The output bit is reset when the duration expires. 3 = Enable The output bit is reset when the enable bit becomes inactive. 4 = Position and Enable The output bit is reset when the axis leaves the compensated cam range or the enable bit becomes inactive. 5 = Duration and Enable The output bit is reset when the duration expires or the enable bit becomes inactive.
Left	REAL	The left cam position along with the right cam position define the cam range of the Output Cam element. The left and right cam positions specify the latch or unlatch positions of the output bit when the latch or unlatch type is set to <b>Position</b> or <b>Position and Enable</b> with the enable bit active. If the left position is less than the Cam Start position or greater than the Cam End position, an Illegal Output Cam error is returned and the cam element is not considered.
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Duration	REAL	Duration specifies the time in seconds between latching and unlatching when the Unlatch Type is <b>Duration</b> or <b>Duration and Enable</b> with the enable bit active. A value less than or equal to 0 results in an Illegal Output Cam error and the cam element is not considered.
EnableType	DINT	This defines the source and polarity of the specified EnableBit when LatchType or UnlatchType is <b>Enable</b> , <b>Position and Enable</b> or <b>Duration and Enable</b> . A value of less than 0 or greater than 31 results in an Illegal Output Cam error and the cam element is not considered. Value: Description 0 = Input The enable bit is in the Input parameter. 1 = Inverted Input The enable bit is in the input parameter and is active low. 2 = Output The enable bit is in the Output parameter. 3 = Inverted Output The enable bit is in the Output parameter and is active low.
EnableBit	DINT	The value of the Enable Bit selected must be between 0 and 31 when LatchType or UnlatchType is <b>Enable</b> , <b>Position and Enable</b> or <b>Duration and Enable</b> . A value of less than 0 or greater than 31 results in an Illegal Output Cam error and the cam element is not considered.

## OUTPUT\_COMPENSATION Structure

The OUTPUT\_COMPENSATION data type defines the details for each output bit by setting the characteristics of each actuator. OUTPUT\_COMPENSATION contains the following members:

Mnemonic	Data Type:	Description:										
Offset	REAL	Offset provides position compensation for both the latch and unlatch operations.										
LatchDelay	REAL	Latch delay, programmed in seconds, provides time compensation for the latch operation.										
UnlatchDelay	REAL	Unlatch delay, programmed in seconds, provides time compensation for the unlatch operation.										
Mode	DINT	<p>The Mode determines the behavior of the output bit. The following four mode options are available. A value of less than 0 or greater than 3 results in an Illegal Output Compensation error.</p> <table border="0"> <tr> <td>Value:</td> <td>Description</td> </tr> <tr> <td>0 = Normal</td> <td>The output bit is set for the latch operation and is reset for the unlatch operation.</td> </tr> <tr> <td>1 = Inverted</td> <td>The output bit is reset for the latch operation and is set for the unlatch the operation.</td> </tr> <tr> <td>2 = Pulsed</td> <td>The output bit is set for the latch operation and for the on-duty state of pulse and is reset for the unlatch operation and for the off-duty state of the pulse.</td> </tr> <tr> <td>3 = Inverted and Pulsed</td> <td>The output bit is reset for the latch operation and for the on-duty state of the pulse and is set for the unlatch operation and for the off-duty state of the pulse.</td> </tr> </table>	Value:	Description	0 = Normal	The output bit is set for the latch operation and is reset for the unlatch operation.	1 = Inverted	The output bit is reset for the latch operation and is set for the unlatch the operation.	2 = Pulsed	The output bit is set for the latch operation and for the on-duty state of pulse and is reset for the unlatch operation and for the off-duty state of the pulse.	3 = Inverted and Pulsed	The output bit is reset for the latch operation and for the on-duty state of the pulse and is set for the unlatch operation and for the off-duty state of the pulse.
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CycleTime	REAL	Pulse time in seconds. If mode is <b>Pulsed</b> or <b>Inverted and Pulsed</b> , and CycleTime is less than or equal to 0, an Illegal Output Compensation error results.										
DutyCycle	REAL	The percent of CycleTime in which the pulse is to be turned on (on-duty). A value of 50 represents 50% on-duty. A value of less than 0 or greater than 100 returns an Illegal Output Compensation error.										

## Structured Text Programming

### Introduction

This appendix describes issues that are unique with structured text programming. Review the information in this appendix to make sure you understand how your structured text programming will execute.

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### Structured Text Syntax

Structured text is a textual programming language that uses statements to define what to execute. Structured text is not case sensitive. Structured text can contain these components:

Term:	Definition:	Examples:
assignment (see page B-2)	Use an assignment statement to assign values to tags. The := operator is the assignment operator. Terminate the assignment with a semi colon ";".	<i>tag := expression;</i>
expression (see page B-4)	An expression is part of a complete assignment or construct statement. An expression evaluates to a number (numerical expression) or to a true or false state (BOOL expression).  An expression contains:	
tags	A named area of the memory where data is stored (BOOL, SINT, INT, DINT, REAL, string).	<i>value1</i>
immediates	A constant value.	<i>4</i>
operators	A symbol or mnemonic that specifies an operation within an expression.	<i>tag1 + tag2</i> <i>tag1 &gt;= value1</i>
functions	When executed, a function yields one value. Use parentheses to contain the operand of a function. Even though their syntax is similar, functions differ from instructions in that functions can only be used in expressions. Instructions cannot be used in expressions.	<i>function(tag1)</i>

<b>Term:</b>	<b>Definition:</b>	<b>Examples:</b>
instruction (see page B-11)	<p>An instruction is a standalone statement.</p> <p>An instruction uses parenthesis to contain its operands. Depending on the instruction, there can be zero, one, or multiple operands.</p> <p>When executed, an instruction yields one or more values that are part of a data structure.</p> <p>Terminate the instruction with a semi colon “;”.</p> <p>Even though their syntax is similar, instructions differ from functions in that instructions cannot be used in expressions. Functions can only be used in expressions.</p>	<pre>instruction();</pre> <pre>instruction(operand);</pre> <pre>instruction(operand1, operand2, operand3);</pre>
construct (see page B-12)	<p>A conditional statement used to trigger structured text code (i.e, other statements).</p> <p>Terminate the construct with a semi colon “;”.</p>	<pre>IF...THEN CASE FOR...DO WHILE...DO REPEAT...UNTIL EXIT</pre>
comment (see page B-28)	<p>Text that explains or clarifies what a section of structured text does.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Use comments to make it easier to interpret the structured text.</li> <li>• Comments do not affect the execution of the structured text.</li> <li>• Comments can appear anywhere in structured text.</li> </ul>	<pre>//comment</pre> <pre>(*start of comment . . . end of comment*)</pre> <pre>/*start of comment . . . end of comment*/</pre>

## Assignments

Use an assignment to change the value stored within a tag. An assignment has this syntax:

*tag* := *expression* ;

where:

<b>Component:</b>	<b>Description:</b>						
<i>tag</i>	represents the tag that is getting the new value the tag must be a BOOL, SINT, INT, DINT, or REAL						
:=	is the assignment symbol						
<i>expression</i>	represents the new value to assign to the tag						
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BOOL	BOOL expression						
SINT INT DINT REAL	numeric expression						
;	ends the assignment						

The *tag* retains the assigned value until another assignment changes the value.

The expression can be simple, such as an immediate value or another tag name, or the expression can be complex and include several operators and/or functions. See the next section “Expressions“ on page B-4 for details.

## Specify a non-retentive assignment

The non-retentive assignment is different from the regular assignment described above in that the tag in a non-retentive assignment is reset to zero each time the controller:

- enters the RUN mode
- leaves the step of an SFC if you configure the SFC for *Automatic reset* (This applies only if you embed the assignment in the action of the step or use the action to call a structured text routine via a JSR instruction.)

A non-retentive assignment has this syntax:

```
tag [:=] expression ;
```

where:

<b>Component:</b>	<b>Description:</b>	
<i>tag</i>	represents the tag that is getting the new value the tag must be a BOOL, SINT, INT, DINT, or REAL	
[:=]	is the non-retentive assignment symbol	
<i>expression</i>	represents the new value to assign to the tag	
	<b>If <i>tag</i> is this data type:</b>	<b>Use this type of expression:</b>
	BOOL	BOOL expression
	SINT INT DINT REAL	numeric expression
;	ends the assignment	

## Assign an ASCII character to a string

Use the assignment operator to assign an ASCII character to an element of the DATA member of a string tag. To assign a character, specify the value of the character or specify the tag name, DATA member, and element of the character. For example:

This is OK:	This is <i>not</i> OK.
<code>string1.DATA[0] := 65;</code>	<code>string1.DATA[0] := A;</code>
<code>string1.DATA[0] := string2.DATA[0];</code>	<code>string1 := string2;</code>

To add or insert a string of characters to a string tag, use either of these ASCII string instructions:

To:	Use this instruction:
add characters to the end of a string	CONCAT
insert characters into a string	INSERT

## Expressions

An expression is a tag name, equation, or comparison. To write an expression, use any of the following:

- tag name that stores the value (variable)
- number that you enter directly into the expression (immediate value)
- functions, such as: ABS, TRUNC
- operators, such as: +, -, <, >, And, Or

As you write expressions, follow these general rules:

- Use any combination of upper-case and lower-case letter. For example, these three variations of "AND" are acceptable: AND, And, and.
- For more complex requirements, use parentheses to group expressions within expressions. This makes the whole expression easier to read and ensures that the expression executes in the desired sequence. See “Determine the order of execution“on page B-10.

In structured text, you use two types of expressions:

**BOOL expression:** An expression that produces either the BOOL value of 1 (true) or 0 (false).

- A bool expression uses bool tags, relational operators, and logical operators to compare values or check if conditions are true or false. For example, `tag1 > 65`.



- A simple bool expression can be a single BOOL tag.
- Typically, you use bool expressions to condition the execution of other logic.

**Numeric expression:** An expression that calculates an integer or floating-point value.

- A numeric expression uses arithmetic operators, arithmetic functions, and bitwise operators. For example, `tag1+5`.
- Often, you nest a numeric expression within a bool expression. For example, `(tag1+5)>65`.

Use the following table to choose operators for your expressions:

<b>If you want to:</b>	<b>Then:</b>
Calculate an arithmetic value	"Use arithmetic operators and functions" on page B-6.
Compare two values or strings	"Use relational operators" on page B-7.
Check if conditions are true or false	"Use logical operators" on page B-9.
Compare the bits within values	"Use bitwise operators" on page B-10.

## Use arithmetic operators and functions

You can combine multiple operators and functions in arithmetic expressions.

Arithmetic operators calculate new values.

<b>To:</b>	<b>Use this operator:</b>	<b>Optimal data type:</b>
add	+	DINT, REAL
subtract/negate	-	DINT, REAL
multiply	*	DINT, REAL
exponent (x to the power of y)	**	DINT, REAL
divide	/	DINT, REAL
modulo-divide	MOD	DINT, REAL

Arithmetic functions perform math operations. Specify a constant, a non-boolean tag, or an expression for the function.

<b>For:</b>	<b>Use this function:</b>	<b>Optimal data type:</b>
absolute value	ABS ( <i>numeric_expression</i> )	DINT, REAL
arc cosine	ACOS ( <i>numeric_expression</i> )	REAL
arc sine	ASIN ( <i>numeric_expression</i> )	REAL
arc tangent	ATAN ( <i>numeric_expression</i> )	REAL
cosine	COS ( <i>numeric_expression</i> )	REAL
radians to degrees	DEG ( <i>numeric_expression</i> )	DINT, REAL
natural log	LN ( <i>numeric_expression</i> )	REAL
log base 10	LOG ( <i>numeric_expression</i> )	REAL
degrees to radians	RAD ( <i>numeric_expression</i> )	DINT, REAL
sine	SIN ( <i>numeric_expression</i> )	REAL
square root	SQRT ( <i>numeric_expression</i> )	DINT, REAL
tangent	TAN ( <i>numeric_expression</i> )	REAL
truncate	TRUNC ( <i>numeric_expression</i> )	DINT, REAL

For example:

Use this format:	Example:	
	For this situation:	You'd write:
<i>value1 operator value2</i>	If <i>gain_4</i> and <i>gain_4_adj</i> are DINT tags and your specification says: "Add 15 to <i>gain_4</i> and store the result in <i>gain_4_adj</i> ."	<code>gain_4_adj := gain_4+15;</code>
<i>operator value1</i>	If <i>alarm</i> and <i>high_alarm</i> are DINT tags and your specification says: "Negate <i>high_alarm</i> and store the result in <i>alarm</i> ."	<code>alarm:= -high_alarm;</code>
<i>function(numeric_expression)</i>	If <i>overtravel</i> and <i>overtravel_POS</i> are DINT tags and your specification says: "Calculate the absolute value of <i>overtravel</i> and store the result in <i>overtravel_POS</i> ."	<code>overtravel_POS := ABS(overtravel);</code>
<i>value1 operator (function((value2+value3)/2))</i>	If <i>adjustment</i> and <i>position</i> are DINT tags and <i>sensor1</i> and <i>sensor2</i> are REAL tags and your specification says: "Find the absolute value of the average of <i>sensor1</i> and <i>sensor2</i> , add the <i>adjustment</i> , and store the result in <i>position</i> ."	<code>position := adjustment + ABS((sensor1 + sensor2)/2);</code>

## Use relational operators

Relational operators compare two values or strings to provide a true or false result. The result of a relational operation is a BOOL value:

If the comparison is:	The result is:
true	1
false	0

Use the following relational operators:

For this comparison:	Use this operator:	Optimal Data Type:
equal	=	DINT, REAL, string
less than	<	DINT, REAL, string
less than or equal	<=	DINT, REAL, string
greater than	>	DINT, REAL, string
greater than or equal	>=	DINT, REAL, string
not equal	<>	DINT, REAL, string

For example:

Use this format:	Example:	
	For this situation:	You'd write:
<i>value1 operator value2</i>	If <i>temp</i> is a DINT tag and your specification says: "If <i>temp</i> is less than 100° then..."	IF temp<100 THEN...
<i>stringtag1 operator stringtag2</i>	If <i>bar_code</i> and <i>dest</i> are string tags and your specification says: "If <i>bar_code</i> equals <i>dest</i> then..."	IF bar_code=dest THEN...
<i>char1 operator char2</i>  To enter an ASCII character directly into the expression, enter the decimal value of the character.	If <i>bar_code</i> is a string tag and your specification says: "If <i>bar_code.DATA[0]</i> equals 'A' then..."	IF bar_code.DATA[0]=65 THEN...
<i>bool_tag := bool_expressions</i>	If <i>count</i> and <i>length</i> are DINT tags, <i>done</i> is a BOOL tag, and your specification says "If <i>count</i> is greater than or equal to <i>length</i> , you are done counting."	done := (count >= length);

### How Strings Are Evaluated

The hexadecimal values of the ASCII characters determine if one string is less than or greater than another string.

- When the two strings are sorted as in a telephone directory, the order of the strings determines which one is greater.

ASCII Characters	Hex Codes
1ab	\$31\$61\$62
1b	\$31\$62
A	\$41
AB	\$41\$42
B	\$42
a	\$61
ab	\$61\$62

l  
e  
s  
s  
e  
r

↑

g  
r  
e  
a  
t  
e  
r

↓

AB < B

a > B

- Strings are equal if their characters match.
- Characters are case sensitive. Upper case "A" (\$41) is *not* equal to lower case "a" (\$61).

For the decimal value and hex code of a character, see the back cover of this manual.

## Use logical operators

Logical operators let you check if multiple conditions are true or false. The result of a logical operation is a BOOL value:

If the comparison is:	The result is:
true	1
false	0

Use the following logical operators:

For:	Use this operator:	Data Type:
logical AND	&, AND	BOOL
logical OR	OR	BOOL
logical exclusive OR	XOR	BOOL
logical complement	NOT	BOOL

For example:

Use this format:	Example:	
	For this situation:	You'd write:
<i>BOOLtag</i>	If <i>photoeye</i> is a BOOL tag and your specification says: "If <i>photoeye</i> is on then..."	IF <i>photoeye</i> THEN...
NOT <i>BOOLtag</i>	If <i>photoeye</i> is a BOOL tag and your specification says: "If <i>photoeye</i> is off then..."	IF NOT <i>photoeye</i> THEN...
<i>expression1</i> & <i>expression2</i>	If <i>photoeye</i> is a BOOL tag, <i>temp</i> is a DINT tag, and your specification says: "If <i>photoeye</i> is on and <i>temp</i> is less than 100° then..."	IF <i>photoeye</i> & ( <i>temp</i> <100) THEN...
<i>expression1</i> OR <i>expression2</i>	If <i>photoeye</i> is a BOOL tag, <i>temp</i> is a DINT tag, and your specification says: "If <i>photoeye</i> is on or <i>temp</i> is less than 100° then..."	IF <i>photoeye</i> OR ( <i>temp</i> <100) THEN...
<i>expression1</i> XOR <i>expression2</i>	If <i>photoeye1</i> and <i>photoeye2</i> are BOOL tags and your specification says: "If: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <i>photoeye1</i> is on while <i>photoeye2</i> is off or</li> <li>• <i>photoeye1</i> is off while <i>photoeye2</i> is on then..."</li> </ul>	IF <i>photoeye1</i> XOR <i>photoeye2</i> THEN...
<i>BOOLtag</i> := <i>expression1</i> & <i>expression2</i>	If <i>photoeye1</i> and <i>photoeye2</i> are BOOL tags, <i>open</i> is a BOOL tag, and your specification says: "If <i>photoeye1</i> and <i>photoeye2</i> are both on, set <i>open</i> to true".	open := <i>photoeye1</i> & <i>photoeye2</i> ;

## Use bitwise operators

Bitwise operators manipulate the bits within a value based on two values.

For:	Use this operator:	Optimal Data Type:
bitwise AND	&, AND	DINT
bitwise OR	OR	DINT
bitwise exclusive OR	XOR	DINT
bitwise complement	NOT	DINT

For example:

Use this format:	Example:	
	For this situation:	You'd write:
<i>value1 operator value2</i>	If <i>input1</i> , <i>input2</i> , and <i>result1</i> are DINT tags and your specification says: "Calculate the bitwise result of <i>input1</i> and <i>input2</i> . Store the result in <i>result1</i> ."	<code>result1 := input1 AND input2;</code>

## Determine the order of execution

The operations you write into an expression are performed in a prescribed order, not necessarily from left to right.

- Operations of equal order are performed from left to right.
- If an expression contains multiple operators or functions, group the conditions in parenthesis "( )" . This ensures the correct order of execution and makes it easier to read the expression.

Order:	Operation:
1.	( )
2.	function (...)
3.	**
4.	-(negate)
5.	NOT
6.	*, /, MOD
7.	+, - (subtract)
8.	<, <=, >, >=
9.	=, <>
10.	&, AND
11.	XOR
12.	OR

## Instructions

Structured text statements can also be instructions. See the Locator Table at the beginning of this manual for a list of the instructions available in structured text. A structured text instruction executes each time it is scanned. A structured text instruction within a construct executes every time the conditions of the construct are true. If the conditions of the construct are false, the statements within the construct are not scanned. There is no rung-condition or state transition that triggers execution.

This differs from function block instructions that use EnableIn to trigger execution. Structured text instructions execute as if EnableIn is always set.

This also differs from relay ladder instructions that use rung-condition-in to trigger execution. Some relay ladder instructions only execute when rung-condition-in toggles from false to true. These are transitional relay ladder instructions. In structured text, instructions will execute each time they are scanned unless you pre-condition the execution of the structured text instruction.

For example, the ABL instruction is a transitional instruction in relay ladder. In this example, the ABL instruction only executes on a scan when *tag\_xic* transitions from cleared to set. The ABL instruction does not execute when *tag\_xic* stays set or when *tag\_xic* is cleared.



In structured text, if you write this example as:

```
IF tag_xic THEN ABL(0,serial_control);
END_IF;
```

the ABL instruction will execute every scan that *tag\_xic* is set, not just when *tag\_xic* transitions from cleared to set.

If you want the ABL instruction to execute only when *tag\_xic* transitions from cleared to set, you have to condition the structured text instruction. Use a one shot to trigger execution.

```
osri_1.InputBit := tag_xic;
OSRI(osri_1);

IF (osri_1.OutputBit) THEN
    ABL(0,serial_control);
END_IF;
```

## Constructs

Constructs can be programmed singly or nested within other constructs.

If you want to:	Use this construct:	Available in these languages:	See page:
do something if or when specific conditions occur	IF...THEN	structured text	B-13
select what to do based on a numerical value	CASE...OF	structured text	B-16
do something a specific number of times before doing anything else	FOR...DO	structured text	B-19
keep doing something as long as certain conditions are true	WHILE...DO	structured text	B-22
keep doing something until a condition is true	REPEAT...UNTIL	structured text	B-25

## Some key words are reserved for future use

These constructs are not available:

- GOTO
- REPEAT

RSLogix 5000 software will not let you use them as tag names or constructs.



## IF...THEN

Use IF...THEN to do something if or when specific conditions occur.

### Operands:



```
IF bool_expression THEN
    <statement>;
END_IF;
```

### Structured Text

Operand:	Type:	Format:	Enter:
bool_expression	BOOL	tag expression	BOOL tag or expression that evaluates to a BOOL value (BOOL expression)

**Description:** The syntax is:

```
IF bool_expression1 THEN
    <statement >;
    .
    .
    .
optional { ELSIF bool_expression2 THEN
    <statement>;
    .
    .
    .
optional { ELSE
    <statement>;
    .
    .
    .
END_IF;
```

← statements to execute when *bool\_expression1* is true

← statements to execute when *bool\_expression2* is true

← statements to execute when both expressions are false

To use ELSIF or ELSE, follow these guidelines:

1. To select from several possible groups of statements, add one or more ELSIF statements.
  - Each ELSIF represents an alternative path.
  - Specify as many ELSIF paths as you need.
  - The controller executes the first true IF or ELSIF and skips the rest of the ELSIFs and the ELSE.
2. To do something when all of the IF or ELSIF conditions are false, add an ELSE statement.

The following table summarizes different combinations of IF, THEN, ELSIF, and ELSE.

<b>If you want to:</b>	<b>And:</b>	<b>Then use this construct</b>
do something if or when conditions are true	do nothing if conditions are false	IF...THEN
	do something else if conditions are false	IF...THEN...ELSE
choose from alternative statements (or groups of statements) based on input conditions	do nothing if conditions are false	IF...THEN...ELSIF
	assign default statements if all conditions are false	IF...THEN...ELSIF...ELSE

**Example 1: IF...THEN**

<b>If you want this:</b>	<b>Enter this structured text:</b>
IF rejects > 3 then conveyor = off (0) alarm = on (1)	<pre>IF rejects &gt; 3 THEN     conveyor := 0;     alarm := 1; END_IF;</pre>

**Example 2: IF...THEN...ELSE**

<b>If you want this:</b>	<b>Enter this structured text:</b>
If conveyor direction contact = forward (1) then light = off Otherwise light = on	<pre>IF conveyor_direction THEN     light := 0; ELSE     light [:=] 1; END_IF;</pre>

The [:=] tells the controller to clear *light* whenever the controller:

- enters the RUN mode
- leaves the step of an SFC if you configure the SFC for *Automatic reset* (This applies only if you embed the assignment in the action of the step or use the action to call a structured text routine via a JSR instruction.)

**Example 3: IF...THEN...ELSIF**

<b>If you want this:</b>	<b>Enter this structured text:</b>
If sugar low limit switch = low (on) and sugar high limit switch = not high (on) then inlet valve = open (on) Until sugar high limit switch = high (off)	IF Sugar.Low & Sugar.High THEN  Sugar.Inlet [:=] 1;  ELSIF NOT(Sugar.High) THEN Sugar.Inlet := 0;  END_IF;

The [:=] tells the controller to clear *Sugar.Inlet* whenever the controller:

- enters the RUN mode
- leaves the step of an SFC if you configure the SFC for *Automatic reset* (This applies only if you embed the assignment in the action of the step or use the action to call a structured text routine via a JSR instruction.)

**Example 4: IF...THEN...ELSIF...ELSE**

<b>If you want this:</b>	<b>Enter this structured text:</b>
If tank temperature > 100 then pump = slow If tank temperature > 200 then pump = fast otherwise pump = off	IF tank.temp > 200 THEN pump.fast :=1; pump.slow :=0; pump.off :=0;  ELSIF tank.temp > 100 THEN pump.fast :=0; pump.slow :=1; pump.off :=0;  ELSE pump.fast :=0; pump.slow :=0; pump.off :=1;  END_IF;

# CASE...OF

Use CASE to select what to do based on a numerical value.

## Operands:



```
CASE numeric_expression OF
  selector1: statement;
  selectorN: statement;
ELSE
  statement;
END_CASE;
```

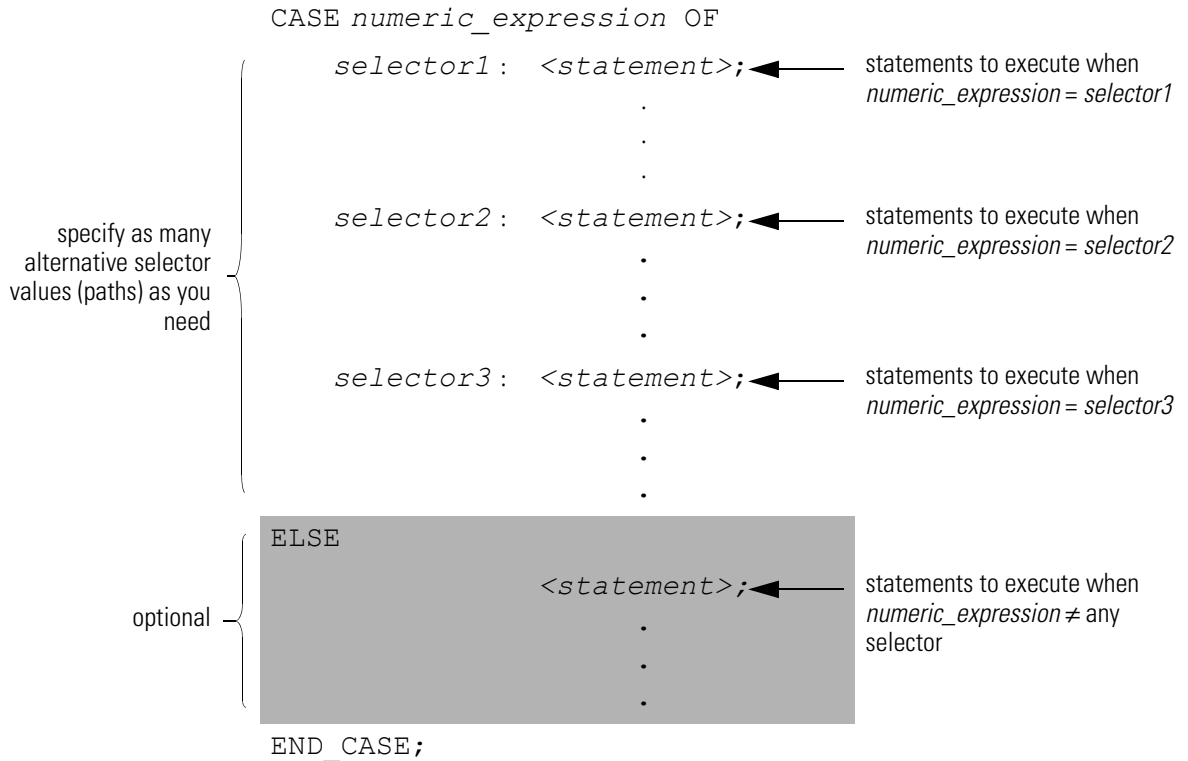
## Structured Text

Operand:	Type:	Format:	Enter:
<i>numeric_expression</i>	SINT INT DINT REAL	tag expression	tag or expression that evaluates to a number (numeric expression)
<i>selector</i>	SINT INT DINT REAL	immediate	same type as <i>numeric_expression</i>

### IMPORTANT

If you use REAL values, use a range of values for a selector because a REAL value is more likely to be within a range of values than an exact match of one, specific value.

**Description:** The syntax is:



See the table on the next page for valid selector values.

The syntax for entering the selector values is:

<b>When selector is:</b>	<b>Enter:</b>
one value	<i>value</i> : <i>statement</i>
multiple, distinct values	<i>value1</i> , <i>value2</i> , <i>valueN</i> : <i>&lt;statement&gt;</i>
	Use a comma (,) to separate each value.
a range of values	<i>value1</i> .. <i>valueN</i> : <i>&lt;statement&gt;</i>
	Use two periods (..) to identify the range.
distinct values plus a range of values	<i>valuea</i> , <i>valueb</i> , <i>value1</i> .. <i>valueN</i> : <i>&lt;statement&gt;</i>

The CASE construct is similar to a switch statement in the C or C++ programming languages. However, with the CASE construct the controller executes *only* the statements that are associated with the *first matching* selector value. Execution *always breaks after the statements of that selector* and goes to the END\_CASE statement.

### Example

<b>If you want this:</b>	<b>Enter this structured text:</b>
If recipe number = 1 then Ingredient A outlet 1 = open (1) Ingredient B outlet 4 = open (1)	CASE recipe_number OF 1:        Ingredient_A.Outlet_1 :=1; Ingredient_B.Outlet_4 :=1;
If recipe number = 2 or 3 then Ingredient A outlet 4 = open (1) Ingredient B outlet 2 = open (1)	2,3:       Ingredient_A.Outlet_4 :=1; Ingredient_B.Outlet_2 :=1;
If recipe number = 4, 5, 6, or 7 then Ingredient A outlet 4 = open (1) Ingredient B outlet 2 = open (1)	4..7:       Ingredient_A.Outlet_4 :=1; Ingredient_B.Outlet_2 :=1;
If recipe number = 8, 11, 12, or 13 then Ingredient A outlet 1 = open (1) Ingredient B outlet 4 = open (1)	8,11..13   Ingredient_A.Outlet_1 :=1; Ingredient_B.Outlet_4 :=1;
Otherwise all outlets = closed (0)	ELSE Ingredient_A.Outlet_1 [:=]0; Ingredient_A.Outlet_4 [:=]0; Ingredient_B.Outlet_2 [:=]0; Ingredient_B.Outlet_4 [:=]0;
	END_CASE;

The [=] tells the controller to also clear the outlet tags whenever the controller:

- enters the RUN mode
- leaves the step of an SFC if you configure the SFC for *Automatic reset* (This applies only if you embed the assignment in the action of the step or use the action to call a structured text routine via a JSR instruction.)

## FOR...DO

Use the FOR...DO loop to do something a specific number of times before doing anything else.

### Operands:



```
FOR count:= initial_value TO
final_value BY increment DO
    <statement>;
END_FOR;
```

### Structured Text

Operand:	Type:	Format:	Description:
<i>count</i>	SINT INT DINT	tag	tag to store count position as the FOR...DO executes
<i>initial_value</i>	SINT INT DINT	tag expression immediate	must evaluate to a number specifies initial value for count
<i>final_value</i>	SINT INT DINT	tag expression immediate	specifies final value for count, which determines when to exit the loop
<i>increment</i>	SINT INT DINT	tag expression immediate	<i>(optional)</i> amount to increment count each time through the loop  If you don't specify an increment, the count increments by 1.

### IMPORTANT

Make sure that you *do not* iterate within the loop too many times in a single scan.

- The controller *does not* execute any other statements in the routine until it completes the loop.
- If the time that it takes to complete the loop is greater than the watchdog timer for the task, a major fault occurs.
- Consider using a different construct, such as IF...THEN.

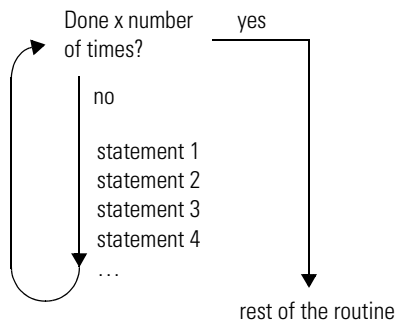
**Description:** The syntax is:

```
FOR count := initial_value
    TO final_value
optional { BY increment
DO
    <statement>;
optional { IF bool_expression THEN
            EXIT;
            END_IF;
END_FOR;
```

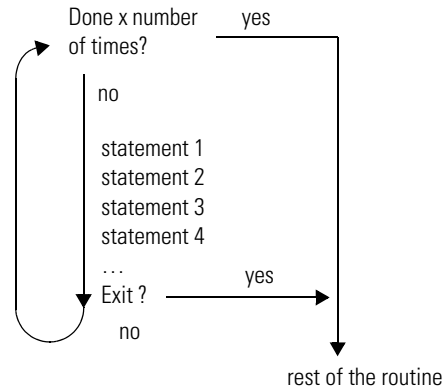
If you don't specify an increment, the loop increments by 1.

If there are conditions when you want to exit the loop early, use other statements, such as an IF...THEN construct, to condition an EXIT statement.

The following diagrams show how a FOR...DO loop executes and how an EXIT statement leaves the loop early.



**The FOR...DO loop executes a specific number of times.**



**To stop the loop before the count reaches the last value, use an EXIT statement.**

**Example 1:**

If you want this:	Enter this structured text:
Clear bits 0 - 31 in an array of BOOLs: 1. Initialize the <i>subscript</i> tag to 0. 2. Clear <i>array[ subscript ]</i> . For example, when <i>subscript</i> = 5, clear <i>array[5]</i> . 3. Add 1 to <i>subscript</i> . 4. If <i>subscript</i> is $\leq$ 31, repeat 2 and 3. Otherwise, stop.	<pre>                     For subscript:=0 to 31 by 1 do                         array[subscript] := 0;                     End_for;                 </pre>



**Example 2:****If you want this:**

A user-defined data type (structure) stores the following information about an item in your inventory:

- Barcode ID of the item (string data type)
- Quantity in stock of the item (DINT data type)

An array of the above structure contains an element for each different item in your inventory. You want to search the array for a specific product (use its bar code) and determine the quantity that is in stock.

1. Get the size (number of items) of the *Inventory* array and store the result in *Inventory\_Items* (DINT tag).
2. Initialize the *position* tag to 0.
3. If *Barcode* matches the ID of an item in the array, then:
  - a. Set the *Quantity* tag = *Inventory[position].Qty*. This produces the quantity in stock of the item.
  - b. Stop.

*Barcode* is a string tag that stores the bar code of the item for which you are searching. For example, when *position* = 5, compare *Barcode* to *Inventory[5].ID*.
4. Add 1 to *position*.
5. If *position* is  $\leq$  (*Inventory\_Items* - 1), repeat 3 and 4. Since element numbers start at 0, the last element is 1 less than the number of elements in the array. Otherwise, stop.

**Enter this structured text:**

```
SIZE (Inventory, 0, Inventory_Items) ;  
For position:=0 to Inventory_Items - 1 do  
    If Barcode = Inventory[position].ID then  
        Quantity := Inventory[position].Qty;  
        Exit;  
    End_if;  
End_for;
```

# WHILE...DO

Use the WHILE...DO loop to keep doing something as long as certain conditions are true.

## Operands:



```
WHILE bool_expression DO
    <statement>;
END_WHILE;
```

## Structured Text

Operand:	Type:	Format:	Enter:
bool_expression	BOOL	tag expression	BOOL tag or expression that evaluates to a BOOL value

### IMPORTANT

Make sure that you *do not* iterate within the loop too many times in a single scan.

- The controller *does not* execute any other statements in the routine until it completes the loop.
- If the time that it takes to complete the loop is greater than the watchdog timer for the task, a major fault occurs.
- Consider using a different construct, such as IF...THEN.

**Description:** The syntax is:

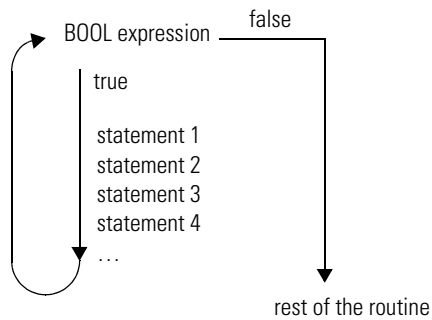
```
WHILE bool_expression1 DO
    <statement>;
    IF bool_expression2 THEN
        EXIT;
    END_IF;
END_WHILE;
```

optional {

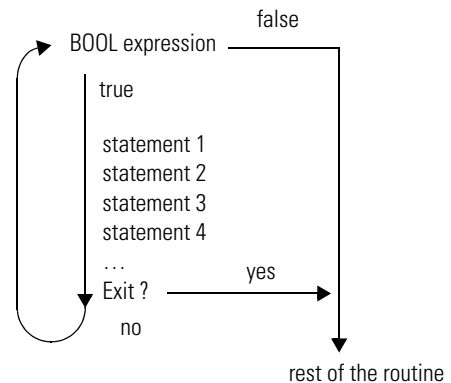
← statements to execute while *bool\_expression1* is true

← If there are conditions when you want to exit the loop early, use other statements, such as an IF...THEN construct, to condition an EXIT statement.

The following diagrams show how a WHILE...DO loop executes and how an EXIT statement leaves the loop early.



**While the *bool\_expression* is true, the controller executes only the statements within the WHILE...DO loop.**



**To stop the loop before the conditions are true, use an EXIT statement.**

### Example 1:

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#### If you want this:

The WHILE...DO loop evaluates its conditions first. If the conditions are true, the controller then executes the statements within the loop.

This differs from the REPEAT...UNTIL loop because the REPEAT...UNTIL loop executes the statements in the construct and then determines if the conditions are true before executing the statements again. The statements in a REPEAT...UNTIL loop are always executed at least once. The statements in a WHILE...DO loop might never be executed.

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#### Enter this structured text:

```

pos := 0;
While ((pos <= 100) & structarray[pos].value
<> targetvalue)) do
    pos := pos + 2;
    String_tag.DATA[pos] := SINT_array[pos];
end_while;
  
```

---

**Example 2:**

---

**If you want this:**

Move ASCII characters from a SINT array into a string tag. (In a SINT array, each element holds one character.) Stop when you reach the carriage return.

1. Initialize *Element\_number* to 0.
  2. Count the number of elements in *SINT\_array* (array that contains the ASCII characters) and store the result in *SINT\_array\_size* (DINT tag).
  3. If the character at *SINT\_array[element\_number] = 13* (decimal value of the carriage return), then stop.
  4. Set *String\_tag[element\_number]* = the character at *SINT\_array[element\_number]*.
  5. Add 1 to *element\_number*. This lets the controller check the next character in *SINT\_array*.
  6. Set the Length member of *String\_tag* = *element\_number*. (This records the number of characters in *String\_tag* so far.)
  7. If *element\_number = SINT\_array\_size*, then stop. (You are at the end of the array and it does not contain a carriage return.)
  8. Go to 3.
- 

**Enter this structured text:**

```
element_number := 0;
SIZE(SINT_array, 0, SINT_array_size);
While SINT_array[element_number] <> 13 do
    String_tag.DATA[element_number] :=
    SINT_array[element_number];
    element_number := element_number + 1;
    String_tag.LEN := element_number;
    If element_number = SINT_array_size then
        exit;
    end_if;
end_while;
```

## REPEAT...UNTIL

Use the REPEAT...UNTIL loop to keep doing something until conditions are true.

### Operands:



REPEAT

    <statement>;

UNTIL *bool\_expression*

END\_REPEAT;

### Structured Text

Operand:	Type:	Format:	Enter:
bool_ expression	BOOL	tag expression	BOOL tag or expression that evaluates to a BOOL value (BOOL expression)

### IMPORTANT

Make sure that you *do not* iterate within the loop too many times in a single scan.

- The controller *does not* execute any other statements in the routine until it completes the loop.
- If the time that it takes to complete the loop is greater than the watchdog timer for the task, a major fault occurs.
- Consider using a different construct, such as IF...THEN.

**Description:** The syntax is:

```

REPEAT
    <statement>;
    IF bool_expression2 THEN
        EXIT;
    END_IF;
UNTIL bool_expression1
END_REPEAT;

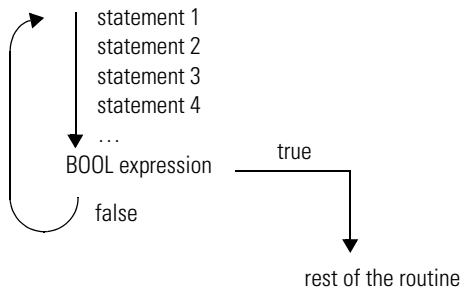
```

optional {

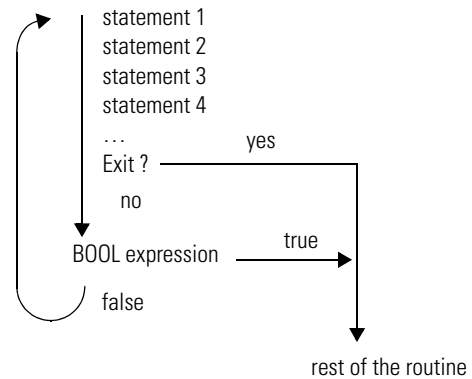
← statements to execute while *bool\_expression1* is false

← If there are conditions when you want to exit the loop early, use other statements, such as an IF...THEN construct, to condition an EXIT statement.

The following diagrams show how a REPEAT...UNTIL loop executes and how an EXIT statement leaves the loop early.



**While the *bool\_expression* is false, the controller executes only the statements within the REPEAT...UNTIL loop.**



**To stop the loop before the conditions are false, use an EXIT statement.**

### Example 1:

If you want this:	Enter this structured text:
<p>The REPEAT...UNTIL loop executes the statements in the construct and then determines if the conditions are true before executing the statements again.</p>	<pre>pos := -1; REPEAT</pre>
<p>This differs from the WHILE...DO loop because the WHILE...DO The WHILE...DO loop evaluates its conditions first. If the conditions are true, the controller then executes the statements within the loop. The statements in a REPEAT...UNTIL loop are always executed at least once. The statements in a WHILE...DO loop might never be executed.</p>	<pre>    pos := pos + 2; UNTIL ((pos = 101) OR (structarray[pos].value = targetvalue)) end_repeat;</pre>

**Example 2:****If you want this:**

Move ASCII characters from a SINT array into a string tag. (In a SINT array, each element holds one character.) Stop when you reach the carriage return.

1. Initialize *Element\_number* to 0.
2. Count the number of elements in *SINT\_array* (array that contains the ASCII characters) and store the result in *SINT\_array\_size* (DINT tag).
3. Set *String\_tag[element\_number]* = the character at *SINT\_array[element\_number]*.
4. Add 1 to *element\_number*. This lets the controller check the next character in *SINT\_array*.
5. Set the Length member of *String\_tag* = *element\_number*. (This records the number of characters in *String\_tag* so far.)
6. If *element\_number* = *SINT\_array\_size*, then stop. (You are at the end of the array and it does not contain a carriage return.)
7. If the character at *SINT\_array[element\_number]* = 13 (decimal value of the carriage return), then stop. Otherwise, go to 3.

**Enter this structured text:**

```

element_number := 0;
SIZE(SINT_array, 0, SINT_array_size);

Repeat
    String_tag.DATA[element_number] :=
        SINT_array[element_number];
    element_number := element_number + 1;
    String_tag.LEN := element_number;
    If element_number = SINT_array_size then
        exit;
    end_if;
Until SINT_array[element_number] = 13
end_repeat;

```

## Comments

To make your structured text easier to interpret, add comments to it.

- Comments let you use plain language to describe how your structured text works.
- Comments do not affect the execution of the structured text.

To add comments to your structured text:

To add a comment:	Use one of these formats:
on a single line	<code>//comment</code>
at the end of a line of structured text	<code>(*comment*)</code> <code>/*comment*/</code>
within a line of structured text	<code>(*comment*)</code> <code>/*comment*/</code>
that spans more than one line	<code>(*start of comment . . . end of comment*)</code>  <code>/*start of comment . . . end of comment*/</code>

For example:

Format:	Example:
<code>//comment</code>	<p><b>At the beginning of a line</b>  <code>//Check conveyor belt direction</code>  <code>IF conveyor_direction THEN...</code></p> <p><b>At the end of a line</b>  <code>ELSE //If conveyor isn't moving, set alarm light</code>  <code>light := 1;</code>  <code>END_IF;</code></p>
<code>(*comment*)</code>	<p><code>Sugar.Inlet[:=]1;(*open the inlet*)</code></p> <p><code>IF Sugar.Low (*low level LS*)&amp; Sugar.High (*high level LS*) THEN...</code></p> <p><code>(*Controls the speed of the recirculation pump. The speed depends on the temperature in the tank.*)</code>  <code>IF tank.temp &gt; 200 THEN...</code></p>
<code>/*comment*/</code>	<p><code>Sugar.Inlet:=0;/*close the inlet*/</code></p> <p><code>IF bar_code=65 /*A*/ THEN...</code></p> <p><code>/*Gets the number of elements in the Inventory array and stores the value in the Inventory_Items tag*/</code>  <code>SIZE(Inventory,0,Inventory_Items);</code></p>



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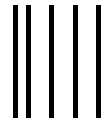
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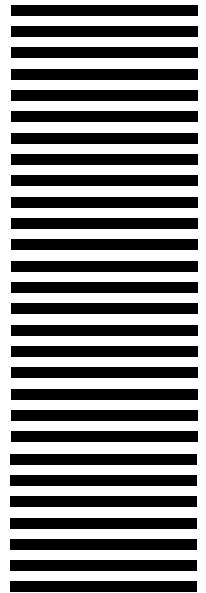
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