Handling short instructions for

PLC coupling



Commissioning of S5-LAN++ and S7-LAN

Before you can start with the configuration of the coupling you should first set up your S5-LAN++ (to access your S5 controller via the PG interface) and / or S7-LAN (to access your S7 controller via PPI/MPI/Profibus) modules. For this please read the short instructions for the S5-LAN++ or S7-LAN.

Configure coupling

The S5-LAN++ and S7-LAN are supporting multiple couplings. In general a distinction is made between a active controller, which establishes and manages the connection, and a passive controller, which waits for the connection and queries.

For the coupling type "PUT/GET" a change is only needed on the active controller, because here flags and data blocks from the passive controller are directly accessed by the active controller.

For the coupling type "SEND/RECV" a change on both controllers is needed.

The following table shows a overview about possible couplings between controllers and shows up, where you can find more information about the configuration of the coupling. All descriptions and example applications can be downloaded on the product page of the S5-LAN++ and S7-LAN.

| controller 1 (active) | controller 2 (passive) | coupling type | description / example |
|-----------------------|------------------------|---------------|--------------------------------------|
| S7-200 via PPI | any | PUT/GET | project "S7-LAN_PUT-GET" |
| | S7-200 via PPI | SEND/RECV | project "S7-LAN_SEND-RECV" |
| S7-300/400 via MPI/DP | any | PUT/GET | project "S7-LAN Aktives PUT- GET" |
| | S7-300/400 via MPI/DP | SEND/RECV | project "S7-LAN an S7-LAN" |
| | S5 via PG port | SEND/RECV | project "S5-LAN++ an S7-LAN" |

| controller 1 (active) | controller 2 (passive) | coupling type | description / example |
|----------------------------|----------------------------------|---------------|---|
| S7-300/400 via Ethernet-CP | S7-200/300/400 via PPI/MPI/DP | PUT/GET | S7-LAN manual section "Access via PUT/GET" |
| | S7-300/400 via MPI/DP | SEND/RECV | project "S7-LAN an S7-CP" |
| | S5 via PG port | PUT/GET | S5-LAN short instruction "S5-S7-coupling" |
| | S5 via PG port | SEND/RECV | Project "S5-LAN++ an S7-CP" |
| S7-1200/1500 via Ethernet | S7-200/300/400 via PPI/MPI/DP | PUT/GET | S7-LAN manual section "Access via PUT/GET" |
| | S5 via PG port | PUT/GET | S5-LAN short instruction "S5-S7-coupling" |
| S5 via PG port | S5 via PG port | SEND/RECV | project "S5-LAN++ an S5- LAN++" |

For every example project shown in the table above there is also a description of the project. For S5 couplings this can be found within the ZIP archive with the example projects and for S7 couplings within the manual of the S7-LAN module.

Under the web-address https://www.process-informatik.de are product specific documentations or software-driver/-tools available to download. If you have questions or suggestions about the product, please don't hesitate to contact us.

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Please make sure to update your drivers before using our products.



On site at your system, in the middle of the field and no 24V supply for your e.g. S7-LAN-module?

Plug the USB power cable into a free USB-socket on the PC, connect the cable to e.g. the S7-LAN-module and you have supplied the module with 24V and are immediately online on the connected bus system.

The adapter generates the required 24V DC from the 5V of the USB-interface. When using one USB-port, a maximum of 2.5W is available.



Your pumping stations report the water levels of the central control via telephone network. The central office itself can of course transmit commands/messages to the substations as well. Therefore no dedicated line is required, it's sufficient when the stations connect via network (DSL-router).