Readme

PLC - Beer Production System

Description

The factory produces two types of beer: Lager and Pilsner. The beer type is determined by the Analog Input1 value. If $0 \le \text{input} \le 5$, a Lager beer is produced; if $6 \le \text{input} \le 10$, a Pilsner beer is produced. The production process comprises three main stages: cooking, fermentation, and packaging.

Dependencies

- Gx Works2

Program Interaction

- 1. Open the attached file.
- 2. Navigate to the online tab and select 'PLC memory operation.'
- 3. Click 'clear PLC memory.'
- 4. Access the Compile tab and choose 'Rebuild All.'
- 5. Go to the Online tab and select 'Write to PLC.'
- 6. Press 'Start Monitoring.'
- 7. Access the Online tab and choose 'Remote Operation(s).'
- 8. Click 'RUN.'
- 9. Fill the desired inventory in the 'Watch 1' window (located in the bottom-right corner).
- 10. To initiate the plan, press the button X7.

Sixpack Production Instructions

- 1. Choose the beer type by entering the correct value into Analog Input1.
- 2. Pull switch X1 to transfer the beer type and initiate the cooking stage.
- 3. Wait until the Y1 light ball turns off.
- 4. Pull switch X5 to start the fermentation stage.
- 5. Wait until light balls Y3 and Y4 turn off.
- 6. Pull switch X2 to begin the packing stage.
- 7. Toggle switch X0 up and down six times to pack six bottles.

- The light ball Y7 will remain on throughout the workday.
- The day will end if the inventory levels fall below the required amount for the chosen beer type.
- In case of an emergency, press button X11 to immediately terminate the workday.
- Remember to pull all switches down at the beginning of a new six-pack production.
- At the end of each workday, the total number of six-packs produced will be displayed on the screen.

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