

## Dynamixel library for Arduino . Version 1.2.0

## begin ()

### **Description**

Initialize the serial communication arduino.

### **Syntax**

```
begin ( baudRate );
begin ( baudRate , DATACONTROL )
```

### SoftSerial version

```
begin ( baudRate , rxPin , TxPin )
begin ( baudRate , rxPin , TxPin , DATACONTROL )
```

### **Parameters**

baudRate - serial transmission rate in bps

DATACONTROL - pin control for data transmission and recepcionde

RxPin - pin for receiving data

TxPin - pin for data transmission

## **Example**

```
Dynamixel.begin (1000000); Dynamixel.begin (1000000 2); SoftSerial Version: Dynamixel.begin (1000000, 2, 3); Dynamixel.begin (1000000, 2, 3, 4);
```

## ping()

## **Description**

Send a question to the servo motor status.

## **Syntax**

ping (ID);

### **Parameters**

ID - identification number of the servomotor

#### returns

- -1 If there was no response from the servomotor
- # Error found servomotor called

### **Example**

Dynamixel.ping (1);

## reset ()

### **Description**

Return to the factory settings of the servomotor.

### **Syntax**

reset (ID);

### **Parameters**

ID - identification number of the servomotor

#### returns

- -1 If there was no response from the servomotor
- # Error found servomotor called

## **Example**

Dynamixel.reset (1);

## setId ()

## **Description**

Change the ID of the servomotor.

## **Syntax**

setId (ID , newID );

#### **Parameters**

ID - identification number of the servomotor newID - new servomotor ID

- -1 If there was no response from the servomotor
- # Error found servomotor called

### **Example**

Dynamixel.setID (1, 2);

## setBD()

### **Description**

Change the Baud Rate of the servomotor.

### **Syntax**

setBD (ID , baudRate );

### **Parameters**

*ID - identification number of the servomotor buadRate - serial transmission speed in bps* 

#### returns

- -1 If there was no response from the servomotor
- # Error found servomotor called

## Example

Dynamixel.setBD (1, 115200);

## move ()

## **Description**

Move the actuator to the position indicated.

## **Syntax**

move (ID, Position);

### **Parameters**

ID - identification number of the servomotor Position - servo position 0 to 1023 (0 to 300 degrees)

- -1 If there was no response from the servomotor
- # Error found servomotor called

### **Example**

*Dynamixel.move* (1, 512);

## movespeed ()

### **Description**

Move the actuator to the position indicated airspeed.

### **Syntax**

movespeed (ID, Position, Speed);

### **Parameters**

ID - identification number of the servomotor Position - servo position 0 to 1023 (0 to 300 degrees) Speed - speed that will move the servo 0 to 1023

#### returns

- -1 If there was no response from the servomotor
- # Error found servomotor called

## **Example**

Dynamixel.moveSpeed (1, 512, 1023);

# moveRW()

## **Description**

Save the instruction that moves the actuator to the position indicated.

## **Syntax**

moveRW (ID, Position);

### **Parameters**

ID - identification number of the servomotor Position - servo position 0 to 1023 (0 to 300 degrees)

- -1 If there was no response from the servomotor
- # Error found servomotor called

### **Example**

Dynamixel.moveRW (1, 512);

## moveSpeedRW()

### **Description**

Save the instruction that moves the actuator to the position indicated airspeed .

### **Syntax**

moveSpeedRW (ID , Position, Speed);

### **Parameters**

ID - identification number of the servomotor Position - servo position 0 to 1023 (0 to 300 degrees) Speed - speed that will move the servo 0 to 1023

#### returns

- -1 If there was no response from the servomotor
- # Error found servomotor called

## **Example**

Dynamixel.moveSpeedRW (1, 512, 1023);

## action ()

## **Description**

Executes the instruction stored in the servomotor.

## **Syntax**

action();

### **Parameters**

none

- -1 If there was no response from the servomotor
- # Error found servomotor called

### **Example**

Dynamixel.action();

# setEndless ()

### **Description**

Enables or disables continuous mode servomotor rotation.

### **Syntax**

setEndless (ID , Status );

#### **Parameters**

ID - identification number of the servomotor Status - on or off the Endless ( ON or OFF) mode

### returns

- -1 If there was no response from the servomotor
- # Error found servomotor called

## **Example**

Dynamixel.setEndless (1, ON);

## turn ()

## Description

Servomotor rotates to the right or left and the speed indicated only if in continuous rotation mode.

## **Syntax**

turn (ID, Side, Speed);

### **Parameters**

ID - identification number of the servomotor Side - direction in which to rotate (RIGTH or LEFT) Speed - speed that will move the servo 0-1020

- -1 If there was no response from the servomotor
- # Error found servomotor called

### **Example**

Dynamixel.turn (1, LEFT, 1000);

# torqueStatus ()

### **Description**

Enables or disables the torque on the servomotor.

### **Syntax**

torqueStatus (ID, Status);

### **Parameters**

ID - identification number of the servomotor Status - on or off the touch (ON or OFF)

#### returns

- -1 If there was no response from the servomotor
- # Error found servomotor called

## Example

Dynamixel.torqueStatus (1, ON);

## **LEDStatus** ()

## **Description**

Turns the LED on the back of the servomotor.

## **Syntax**

LEDStatus (ID , Status );

### **Parameters**

ID - identification number of the servomotor Status - on or off (ON or OFF) LED

- -1 If there was no response from the servomotor
- # Error found servomotor called

### **Example**

Dynamixel.ledStatus (1, ON);

## setTempLimit()

### **Description**

Configures a maximum operating temperature of the servomotor.

### **Syntax**

setTempLimit (ID , Temperature);

### **Parameters**

ID - identification number of the servomotor Temperature - the maximum temperature to which the servomotor work

#### returns

- -1 If there was no response from the servomotor
- # Error found servomotor called

## **Example**

Dynamixel.setTempLimit (1, 80);

## setAngleLimit()

## **Description**

Sets a maximum angle CW and CCW operating servomotor.

## **Syntax**

setAngleLimit (ID , CW , CCW );

### **Parameters**

ID - identification number of the servomotor CW - maximum angle to clockwise

CCW - maximum angle against clockwise

- -1 If there was no response from the servomotor
- # Error found servomotor called

### **Example**

Dynamixel.setAngleLimit (1, 45, 45);

## setVoltageLimit()

### **Description**

Set a minimum and maximum operating voltage on the actuator.

### **Syntax**

setVoltageLimit (ID , minVoltage , maxVoltage );

#### **Parameters**

ID - identification number of the servomotor minVoltage - minimum operating voltage of the servomotor maxVoltage maximum operating voltage of the servomotor

#### returns

- -1 If there was no response from the servomotor
- # Error found servomotor called

## **Example**

Dynamixel.setVoltageLimit (1, 70, 160);

# setMaxTorque()

## **Description**

Sets a maximum torque on the actuator.

## **Syntax**

setMaxTorque (ID , Maxtorque);

#### **Parameters**

ID - identification number

Maxtorque - servomotor maximum torque (0-1023)

- -1 If there was no response from the servomotor
- # Error found servomotor called

## **Example**

Dynamixel.setMaxTorque (1, 1023);

## setSRL()

### **Description**

Sets the Status Return Level of servomotor.

## **Syntax**

setSRL (ID , SRL );

#### **Parameters**

ID - identification number of the servomotor SRL - (O Return none), (read Return 1), (2 Return all)

#### returns

- -1 If there was no response from the servomotor
- # Error found servomotor called

## Example

Dynamixel.setSRL (1, 2);

## setRDT()

## **Description**

Return Delay Time Sets the servomotor.

## **Syntax**

setRDT (ID , RDT );

### **Parameters**

ID - identification number of the servomotor RDT - time information return (0-255) \* 2us

- -1 If there was no response from the servomotor
- # Error found servomotor called

### **Example**

Dynamixel.setRDT (1, 255);

## setLEDAlarm ()

### **Description**

Set the alarm LED servomotor.

### **Syntax**

setLEDAlarm (ID , LEDAlarm );

#### **Parameters**

ID - identification number of the servomotor LEDAlarm - alarm LED (0-255)

#### returns

- -1 If there was no response from the servomotor
- # Error found servomotor called

## **Example**

Dynamixel.setLEDAlarm (1, 255);

# setShutdownAlarm()

## **Description**

Set the alarm off the booster.

## **Syntax**

setShutdownAlarm (ID , shutdownAlarm );

#### **Parameters**

ID - identification number of the servomotor shutdownAlarm - shutdown

```
alarm (0-255)
```

- -1 If there was no response from the servomotor
- # Error found servomotor called

### **Example**

Dynamixel.setShutdownAlarm (1, 255);

## setCMargin()

### **Description**

Compliance Margin Sets the servomotor.

### **Syntax**

setCMargin (ID , CWCM , CCWCM );

#### **Parameters**

ID - identification number of the servomotor CWCM - CW Compliance Margin (0-255) CCWCM - CCW Compliance Margin (0-255)

### returns

- -1 If there was no response from the servomotor
- # Error found servomotor called

## **Example**

Dynamixel.setCMargin (1, 1, 1);

# setCSlope()

## **Description**

Set the servomotor Compliance Slope.

## **Syntax**

setCSlope (ID , CWCS , CCWCS );

#### **Parameters**

ID - identification number of the servomotor CWCS - CW Compliance Slope (0-255) CCWCS - CCW Compliance Slope (0-255)

- -1 If there was no response from the servomotor
- # Error found servomotor called

### **Example**

Dynamixel.setCSlope (1, 64, 64);

# setPunch()

### **Description**

Punch Sets the maximum current or servomotor.

### **Syntax**

setPunch (ID , Punch );

### **Parameters**

ID - identification number of the servomotor Punch - current in the servomotor (0-1023)

#### returns

- -1 If there was no response from the servomotor
- # Error found servomotor called

## **Example**

Dynamixel.setPunch (1, 1023);

# moving ()

## Description

Check or read if the servomotor is moving.

## **Syntax**

moving (ID);

### **Parameters**

- -1 If there was no response from the servomotor
- # Error found servomotor called
- -0 If the actuator is not in motion
- -1 If the servo is still moving

### **Example**

```
var = Dynamixel.moving int ( 1);
```

## RWStatus ()

### **Description**

Lee REG\_WRITE state servomotor.

### **Syntax**

RWStatus (ID);

#### **Parameters**

ID - identification number of the servomotor

#### returns

- -1 If there was no response from the servomotor
- # Error found servomotor called
- 0 if the servo does not have a saved instruction
- 1 if the actuator has a saved statement

## Example

```
var = Dynamixel.RWStatus int ( 1) ;
```

# lockRegister ()

## **Description**

Blocks 24 to 35 records of the servomotor.

## **Syntax**

```
lockRegister (ID );
```

#### **Parameters**

- -1 If there was no response from the servomotor
- # Error found servomotor called

### **Example**

Dynamixel.lockRegister (1);

# readTemperature()

### **Description**

Reads the internal temperature of the servomotor.

### **Syntax**

readTemperature (ID );

#### **Parameters**

ID - identification number of the servomotor

### returns

- -1 If there was no response from the servomotor
- # Error found servomotor called

# Internal temperature of the servomotor

## **Example**

var = Dynamixel.readTemperature int ( 1 );

# readVoltage()

## **Description**

Read the supply voltage of the servomotor.

## **Syntax**

readVoltage (ID);

### **Parameters**

- -1 If there was no response from the servomotor
- # Error found servomotor called

# Supply voltage servomotor

### **Example**

var = Dynamixel.readVoltage int (1);

# readPosition()

### **Description**

Reads the position in which the actuator is located.

### **Syntax**

readPosition (ID);

#### **Parameters**

ID - identification number of the servomotor

#### returns

- -1 If there was no response from the servomotor
- # Error found servomotor called
- # Position of the servomotor

## **Example**

var = Dynamixel.readPosition int ( 1);

# readSpeed()

## **Description**

Read the rpm of the servomotor.

## **Syntax**

readSpeed (ID );

### **Parameters**

- -1 If there was no response from the servomotor
- # Error found servomotor called
- # Speed in rpm of the servomotor

### **Example**

```
var = Dynamixel.readSpeed int ( 1) ;
```

# readLoad()

### **Description**

Read the current used by the servomotor.

### **Syntax**

```
readLoad (ID);
```

### **Parameters**

*ID - identification number of the servomotor* 

#### returns

- -1 If there was no response from the servomotor
- # Error found servomotor called
- # Used by current servomotor

## **Example**

```
var = Dynamixel.readLoad int ( 1) ;
```