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FTP section

Overview of the record fields (in English)

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CAQ.CountRec Parameter correction

fTestTime As Single to dTestTime As Double

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ſ	27	test program index	At moment integer 32767, for future dll release:	
			long integer (32 bit)	
			version of the test program and the INI file	[if test status "N_" or "W_"]
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		defects)	number of possible errors ("137")	[if test status "P_"]

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• Entry correction Tester_Mode to Test_Mode (Page 10 + 14).

TEST_MODE=PRE	(Pretest)
TEST_MODE=END	(Endtest)
TEST MODE=RIH	(Runin hot)



Build update from 1.0.07 to 1.00.0011 **Current Version of CAQ**

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Chapter 1 - About CAQ 2002

Current Version of CAQ

Version No: 1.00.0011 Date: 11.02.2004

Description

The module CAQSERV.DLL contents routines for sending production data from PC-controlled test machines to a network server. The ActiveX-DLL can be integrated into a Visual Basic project since version 5 by selecting the pull-down menu "Project \rightarrow Reference" ("Projekt \rightarrow Verweise"). CAQ 2002 can be used under Windows 95, 98, 2000 and NT 4.

Modules and files

CAQSERV.DLL (Class file)

CAQSERV.INI (Configuration file)
CAQSHIFT.INI (Configuration file)
CAQSECU.INI (Temporary File)

Properties

FailNo As String (Failure number)
FailText As String (Failure description)
FailValue As String (current value)

FailValInfo As String (additional information; e.g. limits, units)

FailItemNo As String (Test item number)

Functions

Init (for further information see Chapter 2 – Functions)

SetPar CountRec WriteRec



1.2 - Example for using CAQ

```
Public CAQ As New CAQ2002
Sub MAIN()
    Call CAQ.Init(sArtNo, sCAQIniFile)
        fStart = Timer
                                                         'Calculate necessary test time
        Call TestProgram
                                                         'considering the day change
        fTestTime = Timer - fStart
        If fTestTime < 0 Then fTestTime = fTestTime + 86400)
                                                         'Version of ini file form article.ini
        nIniFileVersion = ...
        sProgIndex = Trim$ (Str$ (App.Major * 100000000 + App.Minor * 1000000 +
          App.Revision * 100 + nIniFileVersion))
                                                         'compose program index
        CALL CAQ.SetPar("PROGRAM INDEX", sProgIndex)
        CALL CAQ.SetPar("SER NUM", "00004711")
                                                         'Optional
        If part = False Then
                                                         'Part is faulty
             nOKFlag = False
             CAQ.FailNo = "failure number"
             CAQ.FailText = "failure description"
             CAQ.FailValue = "actual value"
             CAQ.FailValInfo = "add. inform."
                                                         'Optional (e.g. limits, units)
             CAQ.FailItemNo = "test item number"
                                                                'Part is OK
        Else
            nOKFlag = True
        End If
        Call CAQ.CountRec(nOKFlag, dTestTime)
    Loop Until bExitProgram = True
    Call CAQ.WriteRec
End Sub
```



Chapter 2 – Functions

Following chapter describes the functions of the CAQ-2002-DLL.

2.1 - CAQ.Init

Description

Reads parameters from configuration files and initialisesthe CAQ module

Syntax

Call CAQ.Init(sArtNo, sCAQIniFile)

Source code

CAQSERV.BAS

Parameters passed to the routine

sArtNo As String Article number

 ${\tt SCAQIniFile\ As\ String} \qquad \qquad {\tt Name\ of\ the\ configuration\ file\ including\ the\ path}$

Parameters returned from the routine

None



2.2 - CAQ.SetPar

Description

Sets special parameters in the CAQ module

Syntax

Call CAQ.SetPar(sTarget, sValue)

Source code

CAQSERV.BAS

Parameters passed to the routine

sTarget As String Name of the parameter to be set, possible values are:

ARTICLE_NAME

CUSTOMER_ART_NO

LOCATION
COST_CENTRE
PROD_LNE
TESTER_NO
TESTER_TYPE
TEST_MODE
TEST_STATUS

IDENT SER_NUM

PROGRAM_INDEX
READINGS_EXIST
DOC_LEVEL
TEST_ITEM_NO
RESERVE_1
RESERVE_2
(in future:)
GOODPARTS
BADPARTS

DATE SHIFT

sValue As String

Value to be set

CAQCOUNT

Parameters returned from the routine

None

Example

```
Call CAQ.SetPar("COST_CENTRE", "2821")
Call CAQ.SetPar("TEST_MODE", "ICT")
Call CAQ.SetPar("TEST_STATUS", "NR")
Call CAQ.SetPar("SER_NUM", "08154711")
Call CAQ.SetPar("PROGRAM_INDEX", "208013432")
```



2.3 - CAQ.CountRec

Description

Buffers CAQ information and sends data to the network server if one of the sending conditions is fulfilled. It is usually used after each performed test.

Syntax

Call CAQ.CountRec(nTestOK, dTestTime)

Source code

CAQSERV.BAS

Parameters passed to the routine

False: test failed

dTestTime As Double Necessary test time (pure test time without handling time)

Parameters returned from the routine

None



2.4 - CAQ.WriteRec

Description

Send actually buffered data to server and resets all counters in the CAQ module. Usually used when program is terminated

Syntax

Call CAQ.WriteRec()

Source code

CAQSERV.BAS

Parameters passed to the routine

None

Parameters returned from the routine

None



Chapter 3 – Configuration file CAQSERV.INI

Description

Contains the configurations for CAQSERV.BAS. If it is only in the root directory it will be valid for all programs on the test machine. If it is found in the program directory (default) this file will have a higher priority. Those setting will be used. Most of the parameters can be overwritten by using the function CAQ.SetPar.

The file consists of a common section, a FTP section and optional article specific sections. Setting made in the article specific sections will overwrite those from the common section.

The structure of the CAQSERV.INI is like that:

```
[COMMON]
...
[FTP]
...
[03750010]
...
[NEXT ART_NO]
```

3.1 - Common section

This section is introduced by the <code>[COMMON]</code> tag. It contains following settings.

CAQ_CFG_FIL

Pointer to another configuration file. It makes it possible to hold all configuration files in one central directory. Example:

```
CAQ CFG FILE=F:\PC-TEST\CAQDATA\CAQSERV.INI
```

SHIFT_X_START

Set the start time of the shifts. SHIFT_1_START defines the start time of the first shift, SHIFT_2_START that one of the second shift and SHIFT 3 START the start time of third. Example:

```
SHIFT_1_START=6:00
SHIFT_1_START=14:00
SHIFT_1_START=22:00
```

SHIFT_CFG_FIL

Pointer to another configuration file containing shift information. If file does not exist the setting from this file will be used (see above). Example:

```
SHIFT CFG FILE=F:\PC-TEST\CAQDATA\CAQSHIFT.INI
```

LOCATION

Sets the location of the production area. Limited on 5 characters. Example:

```
LOCATION=BELL
```

All possible abbreviations are BELL, HALV, MZHGN, BBLGN, KOI, KOB, KITA, KOSPA, KOCR, KOBRA, KOMEX, KOCHI, KOA.

COST CENTRE

Defines the cost centre of the production line. Limited on 4 characters. Example:



COST CENTRE=1234

PROD LINE

Number or ID of the production line. Limited on 4 characters. Example:

```
PROD LINE=1
```

TESTER NO

Number of the test machine. 3 (default) to 7 characters. Example:

```
TESTER NO=001
```

TESTER TYPE

That identify the type of the test system. Possible values are for example:

```
TESTER_TYPE=PCPG3
TESTER_TYPE=PCPG4
TESTER_TYPE=EMPPC
```

Limited on 5 characters. All possible abbreviations are PGPG3, PGPG4, PCPGM, EMPPC, ICT, INTBX, MCDNT, WFCPC, SPSPC, OPTIC.

TEST MODE

Sets the test mode. Limited on 3 characters. Examples:

```
TEST_MODE=PRE (Pretest)
TEST_MODE=END (Endtest)
TEST_MODE=RIH (Runin hot)
```

(also see 4.1 – Overview of the record fields)

IDENT

Identification, e.g. charge number. Limited on 5 characters. Example:

```
IDENT=ABCDE
```

CAQ COUNT

Number of good resulting tests between writing the data. Example:

```
CAQ COUNT=1
```

CAQ_TIMEOUT

Time in seconds for writing data on the network server or on local hard disk. Example:

```
CAQ TIMEOUT=2
```

CAQ_PATH

Path on the network server or on local hard disk. Example:

```
LOCATION=F:\PC-TEST\CAQDATA
```

CAQ_EXTENSION

Extension used for the data files. Example (default):

```
CAQ EXTENSION=PDT
```



CAQ_DAILY_SERNUM

Enabling of daily serial numbering. The two possible values are:

CAQ_DAILY_SERNUM=ALL (A serial number will be generated automatically for each part) (A serial number will be generated only for each bad part)

Any other value disables the daily serial numbering.



TEMP_FILE

Name and path of the temporary file used to store data if no connection to the network server is available. Example:

```
TEMP FILE=C:\CAQTEMP.INI
```

Set NO for no temporary storing.

SECU_ENABLED

Flag for enabling buffering of module data on local hard disk after each test.

```
SECU_ENABLED=1 (Enable, default)
SECU_ENABLED=0 (Disable)
```

SECU_FILE

File in for buffering module data. Example (default):

```
SECU FILE=C:\CAQSECU.INI
```



3.2 - FTP section

This section is introduced by the [FTP] tag. It contains following settings.

FTP PATH

Path on the FTP server. Example (default):

```
FTP PATH=./
```

TRANSMITCOUNTER

Number of writing proceedings between sending the local file to the server. Example

TRANSMITCOUNTER=5

NUMDESTINATIONS

Number of possible FTP destinations on the network server. If primary destination is not available, other destinations can be used. Example:

NUMDESTINATIONS=2

DESTINATIONX

Write the number of destination instead of X. The first destination has the keyword <code>DESTINATION1</code>, the second one <code>DESTINATION2</code>, and so on. Example:

```
DESTINATION1=ftp://linectrl
DESTINATION2=ftp://linectrl2
```

USERX

X must be substituted by the number of the user. Example:

USER1=CAQ (standard user for ftp connections)

PASSWORDX

Substitute X by the number of the password. Example:

PASSWORD1=CAQ (standard password for ftp connections)

FASTLOGINX

Sets for the destination number X that the login should be fast.

FASTLOGIN1=xzy FASTLOGIN2=xzy



3.3 - Article specific sections

In these section you can make settings for a specific article. The section name is the article number.

ARTICLE NAME

Name of the article. Limited on 50 characters. Example:

```
ARTICLE NAME=door module
```

CUSTOMER_ART

Set the customer article number here. Limited on 20 characters. Example

```
CUSTOMER ART=218 821 10 51
```

TEST_MODE

Sets the test mode. Limited on 3 characters. Examples:

```
TEST_MODE=RIC (Runin cold)
TEST_MODE=PAN (Panel test)
```

(also see 4.1 – Overview of the record fields)

IDENT

Identification (e.g. charge number) for distinguishing of records (for future use). Limited on 5 characters. Example:

```
IDENT=VWXYZ
```

CAQ COUNT

Number of good resulting tests between writing the data. Example:

```
CAQ_COUNT=2
```

CAQ_DAILY_SERNUM

ATTENTION:

Will not be supported in future! Use "SerPar"-Function for setting serial numbers.

Enables or disables the daily serial numbering. The two possible values are:

```
CAQ_DAILY_SERNUM=ALL (A serial number will be generated automatically for each part)
CAQ_DAILY_SERNUM=BAD (A serial number will be generated only for each bad part)
```

For disabling the creation of daily serial numbers set any other value.



3.4 – Example of the configuration file CAQSERV.INI

For further information about the settings please read chapter 3.1 to 3.3.

```
configuration file for module CAQSERV.BAS
[COMMON]
                                   'pointer to other configuration file
CAQ CFG FILE=
                                   'e.g. on file server
SHIFT 1 START=6:00
                                   'shift 1 start time
SHIFT_2_START=14:00
                                   'shift 2 start time
SHIFT_3_START=22:00
                                   'shift 3 start time
SHIFT CFG FILE=C:\PC-TEST\CAQDATA\CAQSHIFT.INI
                                   'pointer to other configuration file with
                                   'shift information if file does not exist,
                                   'information in this file will be used
LOCATION=HALV
                                                  (max. 5 char.)
                                   'location
                                   'cost centre
COST CENTRE=2821
                                                  (max. 4 char.)
                                   'production line (max. 4 char.)
PROD LINE=0
TESTER_NO=300
                                   'tester no.
                                                  (max. 3 char.)
TESTER_TYPE=PCPG3
                                   'tester type
                                                  (max. 5 char.)
                                   'test mode (max. 3 char.)
'identification (max. 5 char.)
TEST MODE=END
IDENT=
CAQ COUNT=2
                                   'tests between writing CAQ data
CAQ TIMEOUT=2
                                   'timeout for error free writing of data on
                                   'the network server or on local hard disk
CAQ SERVER=BENFV-S
                                   'CAQ server name for automatic login
CAQ PATH=C:\PC-TEST\CAQDATA
                                       'path on network server or on local hard
disk
                                   'extension of data files
CAQ EXTENSION=PDT
CAQ DAILY SERNUM=ALL
                                   'ALL: daily serial number is activated for all
                                   'parts
                                   'BAD: activated only for the bad parts
                                   'other: no daily serial number
                                   'temporary file, if no connection to server
TEMP FILE=C:\CAQTEMP.INI
                                   ' =NO -> no temporary storing
SECU ENABLED=0
                                   'enable flag
SECU FILE=C:\CAQSECU.INI
                                   'security file, where actual records are
                                   'buffered
FTP Path=./
                                   'path on the FTP server
                                   'interval for sending data
TransmitCounter=5
NumDestinations=1
                                   'number of destinations
Destination1=ftp://linectrl
                                   'parameters for the destinations
User1=caq
Password1=caq
FastLogin1=1
```



[03750010]

ARTICLE_NAME=door module

CUSTOMER_ART_NO=123 456 78 90

TEST_MODE=END

CAQ_COUNT=2

CAQ DAILY SERNUM=ALL

'Article name

'customer article number

'test mode (max. 3 char.)

'tests between writing CAQ data

'ALL: daily serial number is activated for all

'parts

'BAD: activated only for the bad parts

'other: no daily serial number

[03750011]

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Chapter 4 – Record format for production monitor

For successful importing of the CAQ data to the production monitor it is important to keep strict on this rules:

- 1. Data must be enclosed in quotation marks ("..." / ASCII 34).
- 2. If quotation marks are used in the data (e.g. error description), it must be doubled.
- 3. The fields are separated by semicolon (; / ASCII 59)
- 4. If a field is empty, write two semicolons (...;...;... / field 3 is empty)
- 5. Each record is to be terminated by carriage return and line feed (CR/LF, ASCII 13, 10)
- 6. It is not allowed to exchange fields.

4.1 - Overview of the record fields

No.	Name / Using	Format	
		Contents (Example)	
1	date	exact 10 characters	
		date of record in the Format DD.MM.YYYY ("30.01.2003")	
2	article number	at most 15 characters	
		("08154711")	
3	article name	at most 50 characters	
		("Seat memory")	
4	customer article number	at most 20 characters	
		("218 821 10 51")	[if test status "N_" or "P_"]
	or user ID	user who enters test results ("Miller01")	[if test status "W"]
5	location	at most 5 characters	
		("BELL") = Bellmerei	
6	cost centre	at most 4 digits	
		("1234")	
7	production line	at most 4 digits	
		("1")	
8	tester number	at most 5 digits	
		("301")	
9	tester type	at most 10 characters	
		("PCPG3") = PC-controlled testing machine 3	
10	test mode	at most 3 characters	
		("PRE") = pretest	[test status is "N"]
		("END") = endtest	[test status is "N"]
		("RIH") = runin hot	[test status is "N"]
		("RIC") = runin cold	[test status is "N"]
		("ICT") = in-circuit-test	[test status is "N"]
		("VIS") = visual inspection	[test status is "N"]
		("AUD") = audit inspection	[test status is "N"]
		("AX1") = axial inspection	[test status is "P"]
		("RA1") = radial inspection	[test status is "P"]
		("CB1") = combined inspection	[test status is "P"]
		("GL1") = glue inspection	[test status is "P"]
		("PA1") = paste inspection	[test status is "P"]
		("RE1") = reflow inspection	[test status is "P"]
		("SE1") = sealing inspection	[test status is "P"]
		("WA1") = wave inspection	[test status is "P"]
11	test status	at most 2 characters	
		first character:	
		("N_") = normal test	
		("P_") = process supervision	
		("W_") = weekly report	
		("A_") = Analysis	
		second character:	
		("_R") = retest	
		("_T") = test error	
		("NR") = retest of a normal test	
12	faulty test step number	at most 10 characters	



No.	Name / Using	Format	
	.	Contents (Example)	
		according test specification ("80.1")	
13	faulty test step	at most 80 characters	
	description	according test specification ("Establishing CAN bus co	ommunication")
14	identification	at most 5 characters	
		("46512")	
15	measured value	at most 50 characters	
		measured values without units ("13.2")	[if test status "N_"]
	or component position	("C12")	[if test status "P_"]
	or comment (part 1/3)	any kind of comment ("")	[if test status "W"]
16	additional information	at most 50 characters	
	for measured value or	units, limits, etc. ("≥ 15.0 & ≤18.2 [V]")	[if test status "N_" or "P_"]
	comment (part 2/3)	any kind of comment ("")	[if test status "W"]
17	flag marking existence	at most 1 digit	
	of measured values	("0") = yes or ("1") = no	
18	level of documentation	at most 1 digit	
	required	("0") to ("5")	
19	number of good parts	long integer (32 bit)	
	(shift 1)	("29834")	
20	number of good parts	long integer (32 bit)	
	(shift 2)	("98743")	
21	number of good parts	long integer (32 bit)	
	(shift 2)	("61248")	
22	number of faulty parts	long integer (32 bit)	
	(shift 1)	("341")	
23	number of faulty parts	long integer (32 bit)	
	(shift 2)	("490")	
24	number of faulty parts	long integer (32 bit)	
0.5	(shift 3)	("398")	
	sum of test time for	double	
	good parts	("31.541")	
	sum of test time for	double ("42.103")	
	faulty parts	("43.193")	
27	test program index	long integer (32 bit) version of the test program and the INI file	[if test status "N " or "W "]
			[II test status N_ OF W_]
		in the format MMmmRRRIII ("316372051") = program version: 3.16.372, INI version: 51	
		numbers up to 2147483647 are supported!!!	
	or OFD (opportunity for	number of possible errors ("137")	[if test status "P "]
	defects)	Thuriber of possible errors (101)	[ii test status i _]
28	serial number	at most 20 characters	
	55ai iiaiiiboi	("12345678912345")	
29	number of inspection	at most 10 characters	
	feature	("39")	
	reserved 1	at most 30 characters	
	ve ee t	additional information to the record	
		("\$F") = Record contains follow-up error, in the	[if test status "P_"]
		production monitor only the error but not another	
		faulty part is counted	
		("\$Q") = fields 15, 16 and 31 used as comment	[if test status "W_"]
31	reserved 2	at most 30 characters	_ .
		no use defined yet	
	or comment (part 3/3)	any kind of comment ("")	[if test status "W_"]