4 Software

4.1 List of commands

The robot language to use can choose "MELFA-BASIC Ⅳ " (default setting) or "MOVEMASTER language (MOVEMASTER commands)" by changing the parameter.
Use of "MELFA-BASIC IV" is recommended to effectively use this controller's functions.
The available new functions in MELFA-BASIC IV are given in Table 4-1.

Table 4-1 : The available new functions in MELFA-BASIC IV

Class	Command example	Function
Robot Status Variable	P_TOOL	keep current tool length
	M_SPD	keep current speed (linear/circular interpolation)
Built-in functions	ABS	Produces the absolute value
	VAL	Converts a character string into a numeric value
	ATN	Calculates the arc tangent
	STR$	Converts the numeric expression value into a decimal character string
	ZONE	Check current position area
Operation function	P1=P1*P2	Relative calculation of position data
	M1=M1*M2	Multiplication of numerical variable
	P1.X=10	Operation of the position element data
Conditional branching	SELECT CASE	More than one condition branch
	ON GOSUB	Condition branch by the value
	WHILE WEND	Repeat with condition
Optimum acceleration/ deceleration control	LOADSET	Load condition setting
	OADL	valid/invalid setting for the optimum acceleration/deceleration
Float control (compliance in the XYZ coordinate system)	CMP POS	Compliance control
	CMPG	Force control
Parallel execution (Multitask)	XRUN, XSTP, XRST, XLOAD, XCLR	Parallel executions of another task, the stops, the resets the clear, and, the loads
Conveyor trucking [Special specification]	TRKON, TRKOFF	Valid/invalid of the trucking
	TRBASE	Setting the base coordinate for the trucking
Impact detection	COLCHK	Set to enable/disable the impact detection.
	COLLVL	Set the detection level of the impact detection.
Singular point passage	MVS P1 TYPE 0,2	Pass a singular point using linear interpolation.

(1) The procedure of robot language selection

Table 4-2 : Robot language parameter

Parameter	Parameter name	No. of arrays No. of characters	Details explanation	Factory setting
Robot language	RLNG	Integer 1	Select the robot language to use 1 : MELFA-BASIC Ⅳ 0 : MOVEMASTER COMMAND	1

Note 1) "MELFA-BASIC Ⅳ " is default setting.
Note 2) Refer to the separate manual "Explanation of MOVEMASTER COMMANDS"(BFP-A8056) for details of "MOVEMASTER COMMAND".

(2) MELFA-BASIC Ⅳ commands

Table 4-3 : List of MELFA-BASIC IV commands

Type	Class	Function	Input format (example)
Position and operation control	Joint interpolation	Moves to the designated position with joint interpolation.	MOV P1
	Linear interpolation	Moves to the designated position with linear interpolation.	MVS P1
	Circular interpolation	Moves along a designated arc (start point → passing point → start point (end point)) with 3-dimensional circular interpolation (360 degrees).	MVC P1,P2,P1
		Moves along a designated arc (start point → passing point → end point) with 3-dimensional circular interpolation.	MVR P1,P2,P3
		Moves along the arc on the opposite side of a designated arc (start point → reference point → end point) with 3-dimensional circular interpolation.	MVR2 P1,P9,P3
		Moves along a set arc (start point → end point) with 3-dimensional circular interpolation.	MVR3 P1,P9,P3
	Speed designation	Designates the speed for various interpolation operations with a percentage (0.1% unit).	OVRD 100
		Designate the speed for joint interpolation operation with a percentage (0.1% unit).	JOVRD 100
		Designates the speed for linear and circular interpolation with a numerical value (mm/s unit).	SPD 123.5
		Designates the acceleration/deceleration time as a percentage in respect to the predetermined maximum acceleration/deceleration. (1% unit)	ACCEL 50,80
		Automatically adjusts the acceleration/deceleration according to the parameter setting value.	OADL ON
		ets the hand and work conditions for automatic adjustment of the acceleration/deceleration.	LOADSET 1,1
	Operation	Adds a process unconditionally to the operation.	WTH
		Adds a process conditionally to the operation.	WTHIF
		Designates smooth operation.	CNT 1,100,200
		Designates the positioning completion conditions with a No. of pulses.	FINE 200
		Turns the servo power ON/OFF for all axes.	SERVO OFF
		Limits the operation of each axis so that the designated torque is not exceeded.	TORQ 4,10
	Position control	Designates the base conversion data.	BASE P1
		Designates the tool conversion data.	TOOL P1
	Float control	The robot arm rigidity is lowered and softened. (XYZ coordinate system)	CMP POS ,&B00000011
		The robot arm rigidity is lowered and softened. (TOOL coordinate system)	CMP TOOL ,&B00000011
		The robot arm rigidity is returned to the normal state.	CMP OFF
		The robot arm rigidity is designated.	CMPG 1.0,1.0,1.0,1.0,1.0,1.0,1.0
	Pallet	Defines the pallet.	DEF PLT 1,P1,P2,P3,P4,5,3,1
		Operates the pallet grid point position.	PLT 1,M1
	Singular point passage	Move to a specified position using linear interpolation passing through a singular point.	MVS P1 TYPE 0,2
Program control	Branching	Branches unconditionally to the designated place.	GOTO 120
		Branches according to the designated conditions.	IF M1=1 THEN GOTO 100 ELSE GOTO 20 END IF
		Repeats until the designated end conditions are satisfied.	FOR M1=1 TO 10 NEXT M1
		Repeats while the designated conditions are satisfied.	WHILE M1<10 WEND
		Branches corresponding to the designated expression value.	ON M1 GOTO 100,200,300
		Executes program block corresponding to the designated expression value..	SELECT CASE 1 BREAK CASE 2 BREAK END SELECT
		Moves the program process to the next line.	SKIP
	Impact detection	Set to enable/disable the impact detection.	COLCHK ON/OFF
		Set the detection level of the impact detection.	COLLVL 100,80,,,,,,

Type	Class	Function	Input format (example)
Program control	Subroutine	Executes the designated subroutine. (Within program)	GOSUB 200
		Returns from the subroutine.	RETURN
		Executes the designated program.	CALLP "P10",M1,P1
		Defines the program argument executed with the CALLP command.	FPRM M10,P10
		Executes the subroutine corresponding to the designated expression value.	ON M1 GOSUB 100,200,300
	Interrupt	Defines the interrupt conditions and process.	DEF ACT 1, M1=1 GOTO 100
		Enables/disables the interrupt.	ACT 1=1
		Defines the start line of the program to be executed when an interrupt is generated from the communication line.	ON COM(1) GOSUB 100
		Enables the interrupt from the communication line.	COM(1) ON
		Disables the interrupt from the communication line.	COM(1) OFF
		Stops the interrupt from the communication line.	COM(1) STOP
	Wait	Designates the wait time, and the output signal pulse output time. (0.01s unit)	DLY 0.5
		Waits until the variable becomes the designated value.	WAIT M_IN(1)=1
	Stop	Stops the program execution.	HLT
		Generates an error. During program execution, continue, stop or servo OFF can be designated.	ERROR 9000
	End	Ends the program execution.	END
Hand	Hand open	Opens the designated hand.	HOPEN 1
	Hand close	Closes the designated hand.	HCLOSE 1
Input/output	Assignment	Defines the input/output variables.	DEF IO PORT1=BIT,0
	Input	Retrieves the general-purpose input signal.	M1=M_IN (1)
	Output	Calls out the general-purpose output signal.	M_OUT(1) =0
Parallel execution	Mechanism designation	Acquires the mechanism with the designated mechanism No.	GETM 1
		Releases the mechanism with the designated mechanism No.	RELM 1
	Selection	Selects the designated program for the designated slot.	XLOAD 2,"P102"
	Start/stop	Carries out parallel execution of the designated program.	XRUN 3,"100",0
		Stops parallel execution of the designated program.	XSTP 3
		Returns the designated program's execution line to the head and enters the program selection enabled state.	XRST 3
Others	Definition	Defines the integer type or real number type variable.	DEF INTE KAISUU
		Defines the character string variable.	DEF CHAR MESSAGE
		efines the layout variable. (Up to 3-dimensional possible)	DIM PDATA(2,3)
		Defines the joint variable.	DEF JNT TAIHI
		Defines the position variable.	DEF POS TORU
		Defines the function.	DEF FNTASU(A,B)=A+B
	Clear	Clears the general-purpose output signal, variables in program, variables between programs, etc.	CLR 1
	File	Opens a file.	OPEN "COM1:" AS #1
		Closes a file.	CLOSE #1
		Inputs data from a file.	INPUT# 1,M1
		Outputs data to a file.	PRINT# 1,M1
	Comment	Describes a comment.	REM "ABC"
	Label	Indicates the branching destination.	*SUB1

4.2 List of parameters

(1) List of parameters

show the main parameter in the Table 4-4.

Table 4-4 : List of parameters

Parameter		Details
Standard tool coordinates.	MEXTL	Set the default value for the tool data. Unit: mm or deg.
Standard base coordinates	MEXBS	Set the relation of the world coordinate system and robot coordinate system. Unit: mm or deg.
XYZ operation range	MEPAR	Designate the overrun limit value for the world coordinate system.
JOINT operation range	MEJAR	Set the overrun limit value for each joint axis.
Free plane limit		This is the overrun limit set with the free plane. Create a plane with the three coordinates x1, y1, z1 to x3, y3, z3, and set the outer side of the plane as the outside operation range (error). The following three types of parameters are used.
	SFC1P : SFC8P	Eight types of free plane limits can be set in SFC1P to SFC8P. There are nine elements, set in the order of x1, y1, z1, x2, y2, z2, x3, y3, z3.
	SFC1ME : SFC8ME	Designate which mechanism to use eight types of set free plane limits. The mechanism No. to use is set with 1 to 8.
	SFC1AT : SFC8AT	Set the validity of the eight types of set free plane limits. (Valid 1/Valid 2/invalid = 1/-1/0)
User-defined area		An area (cube) defined with two XYZ coordinate points can be designated and that area set as the outside operation range. Furthermore, a signal can be output when the axis enters that area. Up to eight types of area can be designated.
	AREA1P1 : AREA8P1	Designated the 1st point of the area. There are eight elements, set in the order of x, y, z, a, b, c, L1, L2. (L1 and L2 are the additional axes.)
	AREA1P2 : AREA8P2	Designated the 2nd point of the area. There are eight elements, set in the order of x, y, z, a, b, c, L1, L2. (L1 and L2 are the additional axes.)
	AREA1ME : AREA8ME	Designate which mechanism to use the eight types of set area. The mechanism No. to use is set with 1 to 8
	AREA1AT : AREA8AT	Designate the area check type. (Invalid/zone/interference = 0/1/2) Zone: The dedicated output signal USRAREA turns ON. Interference: An error occurs..
Automatic return setting	RETPATH	Set to restart the program after returning to the interrupt position when resuming operation after an interruption.
Buzzer ON/OFF	BZR	Designate whether to the turn buzzer ON or OFF.
Jog setting	JOGJSP	Designate the joint jog and step operation speed. (Set dimension H/L amount, max. override.)
	JOGPSP	Designate the linear jog and step operation speed. (Set dimension H/L amount, max. override.)
Jog speed limit value	JOGSPMX	Limit the operation speed during the teaching mode. Max. 250[mm/s]

Parameter		Details
Hand type	HANDTYPE	Set the hand type of the single/double solenoid, and the signal No. (Single/double = S/D) Set the signal No. after the hand type. Example) D900
Stop input B contact desig-nation	INB	Change the dedicated input (stop) between the A contact and B contact.
User-designated origin	USERORG	Designate the user-designated origin position.
Program selection memory	SLOTON	Select the program selected previously when initializing the slot. The non-selected state will be entered when not set.
Communication setting	CBAU232	Set the baud rate.
	CLEN232	Set the character length.
	CPRTY232	Set the parity.
	CSTOP232	Set the stop bit.
	CTERM232	Set the end code.
Slot table	SLT1 : SLT32	Make settings (program name, operation type, order of priority, etc.) for each slot during slot initialization.
No. of multi-tasks	TASKMAX	Designate the No. of programs to be executed simultaneously. (Max. 32)
Select the function of singular point adjacent alarm	MESNGLSW	Designate the valid/invalid of the singular point adjacent alarm. (Invalid/Valid = 0/1) When this parameter is set up "VALID", this warning sound is buzzing even if parameter: BZR (buzzer ON/OFF) is set up "OFF".
Specification of singular point passage jog mode	FSPJOGMD	Specify an operation mode for singular point passage jog.
Display language.Note1) 表示言語 Note1)	LNG	Change the language to display on the LCD display of teaching pendant. ティーチングボックスの表示 LCD などに表示する言語を切り替えます。

Note1)The procedure of Language as shown in "(2) Change the display language / 表示言語の切り替え ".
注 1) 表示言語切り替え方法の詳細を "(2) Change the display language / 表示言語の切り替え " に示します。