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1 GeoCOM

1.1 INTRODUCTION

Viva TPS series Theodolites are modern geodetic measurement instruments. Most of the main tasks can be fulfilled with these instruments implicitly by their integrated applications. To fulfil a broader spectrum of tasks and applications an interface to the Viva TPS series sensor functions has been defined and is published with this document.

With this interface it is possible to write client applications based on MS-Windows and/or for any other platform, which supports ASCII, based communications.

Note: Both instruments TS11 and TS15 share the same Viva TPS GeoCOM interface.

1.2 VIVA TPS SYSTEM SOFTWARE

The Viva TPS system software organises and controls the interplay of several sensor elements. Furthermore, it builds up a frame for applications, which can be executed on the Viva TPS Theodolite.

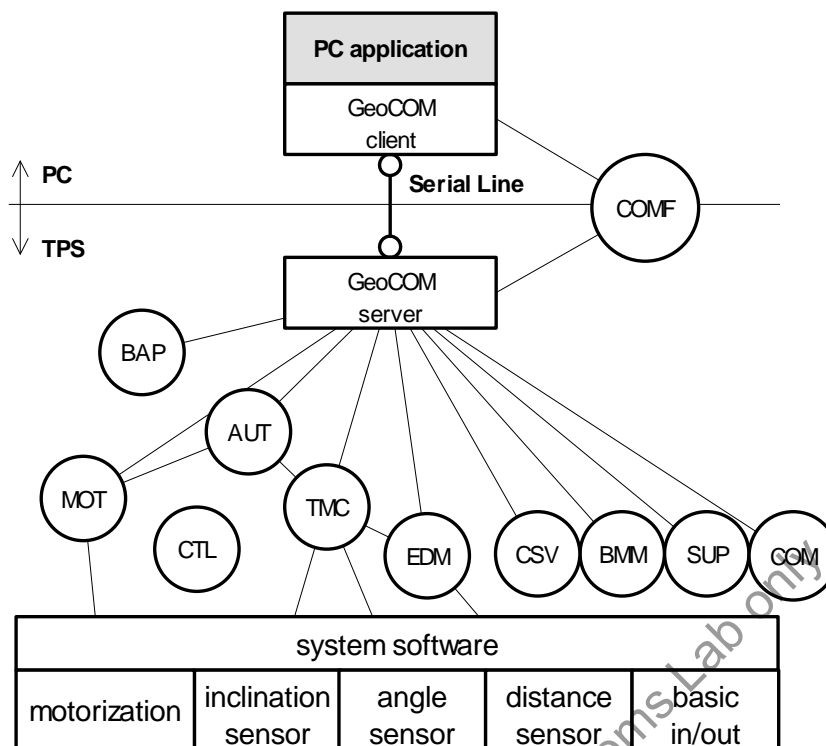
This document concentrates on the main interface to the sensor elements of the Viva TPS Theodolite. This main interface can be used to implement solutions for special customer demands if the already existing solution does not provide the needed functionality or just to enhance it.

1.2.1 Organisation of Subsystems

The Viva TPS system software is built around the sensor elements, which are parts and/or optional add-ons of the Viva TPS Theodolite instrument. It provides a set of functions to access sensors and measured values. These functions are organised as subsystems. We will keep this segmentation in this document.

These functions can be grouped in the following sections:

- AUS** The subsystem 'Alt User' mainly contains functions behind the "SHIFT" + "USER" button.
- AUT** Automatisations; a module which provides functions like the control of the Automatic Target Recognition, Change Face function or Positioning functions.
- BAP** Basic Applications; some functions, which can easily be used to get measuring data.
- BMM** Basic Man Machine; functions which control some basic input/output functionality, e.g. set beep alarm, etc.
- CAM** Camera; functions to access the built in overview camera (OVC) also called wide-angle camera.
- COMF** Communication; a module, which handles the basic communication parameters. Most of these functions relate to both client and server side.
- COM** Communication; functions to access some aspects of Viva TPS control, which are close to communication. These functions relate either to the client side or to the server side.
- CSV** Central Services; this module provides functions to get or set central/basic information about the Viva TPS instrument.
- CTL** Control task; this module contains functions of the system control task.
- EDM** Electronic Distance Meter; the module, which measures distances.
- FTR** File Transfer, functions to list, download image files from instrument
- IMG** Image Processing; configure and capture Telescopic Camera Images
- MOT** Motorization; the part, which can be used to control the movement and the speed of movements of the instrument.
- SUP** Supervisor; functions to control some of the general values of the Viva TPS instrument.
- TMC** Theodolite Measurement and Calculation; the core module for getting measurement data.



Picture 1-1: Overview Client/Server Application

1.3 PRINCIPLES OF GEOCOM OPERATION

Communication takes place between two participants - a client and a server. The medium of communication is a serial communication line. Refer to Appendix B for further information about settings and needed hardware.

The idea of GeoCOM is based on SUN Microsystems' Remote Procedure Call (RPC) protocol.

On the low level of implementation, each procedure, which is executable on the remote instrument, is assigned a remote procedure call identification number. This number is used internally to associate a specific request, including the implicit parameters, to a procedure on the remote device. On this level, GeoCOM provides an ASCII interface, which can be used to implement applications on platforms, which do not support MS-Windows.

On the high level, GeoCOM provides normal function call interfaces for C/C++ and MS-VBA to these remote functions. These interfaces enable a programmer to implement an application as if it would be executed directly on the Viva TPS instrument.

Note: Further on we will refer to a remotely executable system function as a *RPC*.

The Viva TPS instrument system software uses a multitasking operating system. Nevertheless, only one request can be executed at once. This means in respect of calling RPC's GeoCOM works synchronously only.

On the low level interface the server buffers subsequent requests if current request(s) has not been finished so far. If the queue is full then subsequent requests will be lost.

On the contrary, on the high level interface a function call will not return until it has been completely finished.

2 GENERAL CONCEPTS OF USING GEOCOM

2.1 INTRODUCTION

In this section we describe several aspects of using GeoCOM. One of them is how to execute a function at a Viva TPS instrument.

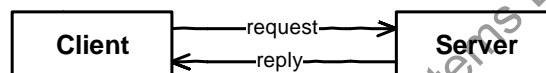
The current implementation of GeoCOM supports two kinds of usage. We can distinguish between a rather rudimentary ASCII protocol and a high-level function call interface.

The former - ASCII protocol - is made up of requests and replies. Using GeoCOM in this way means that an application assembles a request, sends it over the serial line to the listening Viva TPS instrument, wait for the answer and decode the received reply.

The latter uses normal function calls either in C/C++ or in VBA. For explanation purposes we will split it into two categories because the two supported programming environments differ in relation to their type systems. Using GeoCOM in this way means calling a function. GeoCOM will handle any necessary communication implicitly.

2.2 GENERAL CONCEPT OF OPERATION

Fundamentally, GeoCOM is implemented as a point-to-point communication system. The two communication participants are known as the client (external device) and the server (Viva TPS instrument). One communication unit consists of a request and a corresponding reply. Hence, one communication takes place when the client sends a request to the server and the server sends a reply back to the client.



Picture 2-1: Basic communication

GeoCOM is implemented as synchronous communication. A request/reply pair cannot be interrupted by another request/reply. Instead, a communication unit must be completed successfully before a new communication unit may be initiated. An indicator for completion is the receiving of the return code.

Although the ASCII protocol allows sending the next request before the corresponding reply has been received, it is not recommended to do so. Of course, subsequent request will be buffered when the previous request has not been finished so far. But if the buffer content reaches its limit in size then data may be lost.

2.3 ASCII PROTOCOL

In sequence we will define the syntax first and then give some information about how to use the ASCII protocol to call a function on the Viva TPS instrument.

The ASCII protocol is a line protocol; hence it uses a line terminator to distinguish between different requests (replies). One request must be terminated by one terminator.

2.3.1 ASCII Protocol Syntax

Syntax of an ASCII request:

```
[<LF>]%R1Q,<RPC>[,<TrId>]:[<P0>][,<P1>,...]<Term>
```

Optional items are in brackets []. The angled-brackets <> surround names or descriptions. These names have variable values depending on their types and meanings. The angled-brackets themselves are not part of the transferred text. Characters not surrounded by brackets are literal text and are part of the GeoCOM protocol.

| | |
|---------------|--|
| <LF> | An initial line feed clears the receiver buffer. |
| %R1Q | GeoCOM request type 1. |
| <RPC> | Remote Procedure Call identification number in between 0 to 65535. |
| <TrId> | Optional transaction ID: normally incremented from 1 to 7. Same value in reply. |
| : | Separator between protocol header and following parameters. |
| <P0>,<P1>,... | Parameter 0, Parameter 1, ... |
| <Term> | Terminator string (default CR/LF, use COM_SetTerminator to change the terminator). As a common shortcut '^m' will be used in examples. |

Example:

The following example uses the RPC CSV GetDateTime to query the current date and time of the instrument:
 %R1Q,5008:1^m (1^m denotes the terminator)

Note: Additional characters at the beginning of a request, between parameters or at the end are not allowed. They might lead to errors during interpretation.

Syntax of an ASCII reply:

%R1P,<RC_COM>[,<TrId>]:<RC>[,<P0>,<P1>,...]<Term>

Optional items are in brackets []. The angled-brackets <> surround names or descriptions. These names have variable values as described in the types they have. The angled-brackets themselves are not a part of the communication text. Characters not surrounded by angled-brackets are literal text and are part of the GeoCOM protocol.

| | |
|---------------|---|
| %R1P | GeoCOM reply type 1. |
| <RC_COM> | GeoCOM return code. This value denotes the success of the communication. GRC_OK = 0 means the communication was successful. Refer to '3.7 Common Communication Errors' for further information. |
| <TrId> | Transaction ID - identical to that of the request. If the request had no Transaction ID then it will be 0. |
| : | Separator between protocol header and following parameters. |
| <RC> | Return code from the called RPC and denotes the successful completion if it is set to 0 (see table 'RPC return codes' in the appendix for further information). |
| <P0>,<P1>,... | Parameter 0, Parameter 1, ... These parameters will be valid only if <GRC> is equal to 0 (GRC_OK). |
| <Term> | Terminator string (default CR/LF, use COM_SetTerminator to change the terminator). |

Example:

The following example shows the reply to the RPC 5008 - CSV_GetDateTime.

%R1P,0,0:0,1996,'07','19','10','13','2f'^m

```

| | | -----
| | | | The values for month, day, hour,
| | | | +--- minute and second are replied in the byte-
| | | | format (see table communication parameter
| | | | for further information)
| | | +----- Return code from the RPC: 0 means no error
| | | (see RPC return codes for further information)
| | +----- The Transaction ID of the request. If there was no ID
| | the value returned is 0.
| +----- Return code from GeoCOM: 0 means no error (see
| GeoCOM return codes for further information)

```

2.4 FUNCTION CALL PROTOCOL - C/C++

The implementation of GeoCOM for C/C++ conforms to normal function calls. GeoCOM itself handles all necessary communication. No intervention of the programmer in respect to the communication is necessary with one exception. If the GeoCOM reports a communication error the programmer has to make sure that either the problem will be solved - by calling GeoCOM support functions - or no further RPC's will be called - by terminating the running task.

Nevertheless, the programmer has to initialise GeoCOM and set up the port's settings to make sure that communication can take place. Moreover the user has to make sure that the Viva TPS instrument is well connected.

Example:

An example code fragment for using TMC_GetSimpleMea could be the following. We do not take care of the necessary initialisation and set up of GeoCOM here. Please refer to chapter 3.2.3 Basic GeoCOM Application Frame for C/C++ for this information.

```

GRC_TYPE      RetCode;
TMC_HZ_V_ANG  Angles;

```



```
double          dSlopeDist;
RetCode = TMC_GetSimpleMea( 1000, Angles,
                           dSlopeDist,
                           TMC_AUTO_INC );

if (RetCode == GRC_OK)
{
    // do something - use values
}
else
{
    // handle error
}
```

2.5 FUNCTION CALL PROTOCOL - VBA

Here almost all is valid for VBA as for C/C++. Please refer to Chapter 2.4. The only difference between VBA and C/C++ is that VBA has a different type system. Hence, the defined data types differ slightly in their definition. Furthermore, because of implementation reasons the RPC names must have an additional prefix, which is “VB_” for the current implementation of GeoCOM.

Example:

We take the same example as in Chapter 2.4.

```
Dim RetCode      As Integer
Dim Angles       As TMC_HZ_V_ANG
Dim dSlopeDist   As Double
RetCode = VB_TMC_GetSimpleMea( 1000, Angles,
                              dSlopeDist,
                              TMC_AUTO_INC )

If RetCode = GRC_OK Then
    ' do something - use values
Else
    ' handle error
End If
```

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3 FUNDAMENTALS OF PROGRAMMING GEOCOM

3.1 INTRODUCTION

We will describe how programs can be written using the different protocols. Certainly, the type system, where the main differences lie between the protocols, will be described in more detail.

3.2 ASCII PROTOCOL PROGRAMMING

Implementing an application, which uses the ASCII protocol, is based on simple data transfers using a serial line. The programmer is responsible to set up the serial line parameters of the client such that they correspond to the settings of the Viva TPS instrument. Then remote calls are done by just sending the valid encoded requests and receiving and decoding the replies of them.

For debugging purposes, it might be helpful to use a so-called Y-cable, which enables you to observe the communication on the serial line using either a terminal or a terminal emulator. For further details see Appendix B-2 Debugging Utility.

Note: If the settings of the active COM port will be set by any software part and if the server is online, then it is strongly recommended to use a leading <LF> to clear the receiver buffer at the server side. This will reduce unnecessary error messages of the next RPC.

3.2.1 Data Types in ASCII Protocol

Each parameter of a RPC has its own associated data type with it. There are varieties of different data types, which have been defined for the set of published functions. The ASCII protocol supports simple data types only. All data types, which are different from the base, types in name and aggregated data types are converted and reduced to their base types. Conversion means to serialise the aggregated data into a comma-separated list of its elements. Therefore, the programmer has the responsibility to interpret the values depending on the associated data type.

The supported base types and their value range are defined below:

| Format Type | Valid range | Len | Valid input representations | Typical output representations |
|----------------|--|-------|--|--------------------------------|
| boolean | 0 = false 1 = true | 1 | 0,1 | 0,1 |
| byte | 0...255 | 2 (4) | '00','FF','ff','7a', 'A7' | '00','FF','ff', '7a','A7' |
| string | | <512 | "abc\x0d\x0a" | "abc\x0d\x0a" |
| double | $\pm 2.225\text{E}-308$... $\pm 1.797\text{E}+308$ | 17+3 | 1, 1.0, 1.0e4, -0.1e-07, -2 | -0.1234567+e67 |
| long | $(-2^{31})\dots(2^{31}-1)$ | 11 | 0x7FFFFFFF, -54321 | 15, -154836, 900000 |
| short | -32768...32767 | 6 | 0, -1, -32700, 45, 56, 0x45e, 0X3AA | 0, -1, -32700, 45, 56 |
| unsigned long | $0\dots(2^{32}-1)$ | 10 | 0xFFFFFFFF | 0, 1, 3400065, 95735 |
| unsigned short | 0...65535 | 5 | 0, 1, 34000, 65, 65535, 0x3a, 0x00, 0xFFFF | 0, 1, 34000, 65, 65535 |

Table 3-1: Communication Parameter Types

Note: Bytes are always represented in two-character hexadecimal notation. Hexadecimal notation can use upper- or lower-case representation: 0.9 + [a .. f | A .. F].

Characters sent within a string which do not fall within the ASCII character range 0x20 to 0x7E (32 to 126 decimal) are sent using an adapted byte notation - e.g. "\x9A", where \x (or \X) introduces a byte value in hexadecimal notation. To include the back slash, double quote, per cent or tilde character (\ " % ~) as part of the string, it must be preceded by a backslash character, e.g. "This is a \"quote\"".

Types of integer (short, unsigned short, long, unsigned long) can also be represented in hexadecimal notation, introduced by 0x or 0X.

The following rules are for generating/interpreting values with a type different from the base types and aggregated data types:

Numerical and string data type

The numerical data types correspond to the C-parameters in value, range and precision as close as possible. If no identical data type is available then the next best one will be taken. Character and string will be replaced by the string data type.

Enumerations

If the corresponding C-parameter is an enumeration data type, then the enumeration value of the ASCII parameter is equal to the implicit value of the declaration of the C-data type. For clarification, we will give always the name and the associated value in the description of an enumeration data type.

Structures

Structure data types will be converted into a comma-separated list of elements. One element's representation conforms to the data type representation of its base type. If an element itself is a structure then depth first conversion will take place. If this rule does not apply then the types and their ASCII parameters are described explicitly.

Arrays

An array will be converted into a comma-separated list of elements. One element's representation conforms to the data type representation of its base type.

Example for Enumeration Data Types and Structures

The following example gives a typical data type declaration and the corresponding procedure declaration used in this manual for TMC_GetSimpleMea from the subsystem Theodolite Measurement and Calculation:

Constants and Types

```
typedef long SYSTIME;

struct TMC_HZ_V_ANG
{
    double dHz;
    double dV;
}

enum TMC_INCLINE_PRG
{
    TMC_MEA_INC,           // encoded as 0
    TMC_AUTO_INC,          //           1
    TMC_PLANE_INC          //           2
}
```

C-Declaration

```
TMC_GetSimpleMea(SYSTIME      WaitTime,
                 TMC_HZ_V_ANG &OnlyAngle,
                 double        &dSlopeDistance,
                 TMC_INCLINE_PRG Mode)
```

ASCII-Request

```
%R1Q, 2108: WaitTime[long], Mode[long]
```

ASCII-Response

```
%R1P, 0, 0: RC, Hz[double], V[double], dSlopeDistance[double]
```

Please, notice that the RPC has two input and two output parameters. Anytime a request must encode and send input and in/out parameters only and a reply must encode and send in/out and output parameters only!

Note: Unnecessary parameters must not be sent.

Although the enclosed header file `com_pub.hpp` denotes default values for certain function parameters they will not be supported. Hence, they have to be sent.

The ASCII Request to call this RPC with the value for `WaitTime = 1000` and the inclination measure mode `TMC_AUTO_INC` has the following form (note that the value 1 is used for the `Mode` parameter because the counting of enumeration data types start at 0):

```
%R1Q,2108:1000,1^m
```

A possible reply can be as follows:

```
%R1P,0,0:0,0.9973260431694,1.613443448007,1.3581^m
```

Where the second and third value after the colon corresponds to the `dHz` and `dV` parts of the structure `TMC_HZ_V_ANG` and the fourth value corresponds to the variable `dSlopeDistance`. (Note that the first value after the ':' is not a parameter but the return code value of the RPC).

3.2.2 ASCII Protocol Program Example

For getting a feeling of how requests and replies are build up and work see also the provided `geocom.trm` file in the samples directory. Please refer to Appendix C-1 Settings for Terminal Emulator for further information.

3.2.3 Modes of Operation Concerning Communication

Section 3.6 - Viva TPS Instrument Modes of Operation - explains the different modes of operation of GeoCOM concerning communication. Similar to that the following is valid for the ASCII protocol.

Since the client has to remind which mode is active, no support can be given from the Viva TPS instrument. The only way to distinguish between modes is to remind the actions an application has initiated and their resulting replies. So far no other possibility exists to determine the current mode.

To switch on the instrument a single character is sufficient. It is recommended to ignore the subsequent reply (one or two lines).

3.3 C/C++ - PROGRAMMING

Programming in C/C++ is based on the well-known DLL concept, defined by Microsoft Corp. To compile a project successfully first you have to include the file `com_pub.hpp`, which defines all necessary constants, data types and function prototypes. Second `geocom2k.lib` has to be included in the project, which enables the linker to resolve the DLL exported functions. To operate successfully the `geocom2k.dll` file must be accessible for the operating system, hence it must be located in a directory, which the operating system looks up for the requested DLL file.

| Project Options | GEOCOMS2K.lib |
|-------------------------------------|---------------|
| Structure byte-alignment | 4 bytes |
| Memory model | N/A |
| Special #defines (if not using MFC) | STRICT |

3.3.1 Data Types in C/C++

Since the main programming language of implementation of Viva TPS instruments Firmware is C/C++ all data types are initially defined in C/C++. Therefore, no conversion of values or data types is necessary.

3.3.2 Basic GeoCOM Application Frame for C/C++

A C/C++ GeoCOM application consists at least of the following parts:

- Initialise GeoCOM
- Open a connection to the server
- One or more GeoCOM RPC's
- Close the active connection to the server
- Finalise GeoCOM

A sample implementation of above points could be:

```
// include standard system headers
#include "com_pub.hpp"
// include application headers
#define NUM_OF_RETRIES 1
```

```

GRC_TYPE  RetCode;
BOOLE     bOpenAndRunning = FALSE;

// initialize GeoCOM
RetCode = COM_Init();
if (RetCode == GRC_OK)
{
    // open a connection to the Viva TPS instrument
    RetCode = COM_OpenConnection (COM_1, COM_BAUD_115200,
                                  NUM_OF_RETRIES);

    if (RetCode == GRC_OK)
    {
        bOpenAndRunning = TRUE;
    }
}

// optionally set up other comm. parameters here

if (RetCode == GRC_OK)
{
    // -- functionality of the application --
    // here we just test if communication is up
    RetCode = COM_NullProc();
    if (RetCode != GRC_OK)
    {
        // handle error
    }
}

// close channel
if (bOpenAndRunning)
{
    RetCode = COM_CloseConnection ();
    if (RetCode != GRC_OK)
    {
        // handle error
    }
}

// anytime finalize and reset GeoCOM
RetCode = COM_End();
if (RetCode != GRC_OK)
{
    // handle error
}

```

3.3.3 C/C++ Development System Support

GeoCOM system files have been developed using Microsoft Visual C/C++ 6.0. Although this development environment were the basis for the current GeoCOM implementation, it has been emphasised that it is independent of it, hence other development environments can be used too. But please notice that it has not been tested thoroughly so far.

3.3.4 Programming Hints

Order of Include Statements

Since GeoCOM redefines TRUE, FALSE and NULL we recommend the following include order:

1. Include system headers like `stdio.h` or `stdafx.hpp`
2. Include `com_pub.hpp`
3. Include the current project headers

BOOLE Definition

GeoCOM defines its own Boolean type as an enumeration type of FALSE and TRUE. It is called BOOLE. With one exception, this does not produce any problems. Only if a BOOL type value will be assigned to a BOOLE type variable or parameter the compiler (MS-VisualC/C++) generates an error. To solve this problem the expression, which will be assigned to, has to be converted by a CAST statement to BOOLE.

3.4 VBA - PROGRAMMING

Similar to C/C++ programming the programming of VBA is based on the DLL concept. To enable access to GeoCOM the special module `COM_StubsPub.bas` has to be included in the project. `COM_StubsPub.bas` includes all constants, data types and function prototypes, which are available in GeoCOM.

3.4.1 Data Types in VBA - General rules for derivation

This subsection gives a summary of general derivation rules VBA-parameters from C-data types. Basically the C/C++ - data types are given in a C/C++ notation before they are used in a RPC-description.

If the appearance of a VBA data type does not follow the general rules then they are described explicitly.

In general, the following rules can be applied:

Numerical data type

The numerical data types correspond to the C/C++-parameters in value and range as close as possible. If it cannot be replaced directly then the best possible replacement will be taken.

String data type

Character and string types are replaced by `string` data types. Since string data types of C/C++ and VBA are not directly interchangeable, the programmer has to take certain care of the necessary pre- and post-processing of variables of this data type. Please refer to the example below.

Enumeration data type

Conceptually VBA does not have enumeration data types. Therefore, `Long` data types will be used instead. The enumeration values will be defined by constants. Using the numerical value is also valid. Notice that some of the enumeration values are reserved words in VBA. That is why we had to define different identifiers. Enumerated return values are numerical values and correspond to the position of the enumeration value in the C/C++-definition. For clarification, also the numerical values are given in the description of an enumeration data type.

Structures and Arrays

They are defined as in C/C++.

Example for Enumeration Data Types and Structures

The following example gives the data type declaration and the procedure declaration usually used in this manual for an example procedure (`TMC_GetSimpleMea` from the subsystem Theodolite Measurement and Calculation):

VBA-Declaration

```
VB_TMC_GetSimpleMea(
    WaitTime      As Long,
    OnlyAngle     As TMC_HZ_V_ANG,
    SlopeDistance As Double,
    Mode          As Long)
```

In the file `COM_StubsPub.bas` the corresponding items are defined:

```
Global Const TMC_MEA_INC = 0
Global Const TMC_AUTO_INC = 1
Global Const TMC_PLANE_INC = 2
Global Const TMC_APRIORI_INC = 3
Global Const TMC_ADJ_INC = 4
Global Const TMC_REQUIRE_INC = 5

Type TMC_HZ_V_ANG
    dHz As Double
    dV As Double
End Type
```

Obviously all enumeration values are encoded as global constants. The VBA structure definition equals to the C structure definition. A valid procedure call would be:

```
Dim WaitTime      As Long
Dim OnlyAngle     As TMC_HZ_V_ANG
Dim SlopeDistance As Double

WaitTime = 1000

VB_TMC_GetSimpleMea( WaitTime,
```

```
OnlyAngle,
SlopeDistance,
TMC_AUTO_INC)
```

3.4.2 Basic GeoCOM Application Frame for VBA

Like in section 3.3.2 - Basic GeoCOM Application Frame for C/C++ - a VBA GeoCOM application consists at least of the following parts:

- Initialise GeoCOM
- Open a connection to the server
- One or more GeoCOM RPC's
- Close the active connection to the server
- Finalise GeoCOM

A sample implementation of above points could be:

```
CONST NUM_OF_RETRIES = 1
DIM RetCode As Integer
DIM bOpenAndRunning as Integer
DIM bAvailable as BOOLE

' initialize GeoCOM
bOpenAndRunning = False
RetCode = VB_COM_Init()
If (RetCode = GRC_OK) Then
    ' open a connection to the Viva TPS instrument
    RetCode = VB_COM_OpenConnection(COM_1, COM_BAUD_115200,
                                    NUM_OF_RETRIES)

    If (RetCode = GRC_OK) Then
        bOpenAndRunning = True
    End If
End If
' optionally set up other comm. parameters here

If (RetCode = GRC_OK) Then
    ' functionality of the application
    ' we just test if communication is up
    RetCode = VB_COM_NullProc()
    If (RetCode <> GRC_OK) Then
        ' handle error
    End If
End If

If (bOpenAndRunning) Then
    ' close channel
    RetCode = VB_COM_CloseConnection ()
    If (RetCode <> GRC_OK) Then
        ' handle error
    End If
End If

' finalize and reset GeoCOM
RetCode = VB_COM_End()
If (RetCode <> GRC_OK) Then
    ' handle error
End If
```

3.4.3 VBA Development System Support

This interface has been written for Microsoft Visual Basic for Applications 6.0 and higher only. Hence, no other development environment will be supported.

3.4.4 Programming Hints

Output Parameters of String Data Type

The internal representation of strings is not directly compatible between C/C++ and VBA. Therefore the one has to pre- and post-process such an output parameter. In the following example, we know that the output parameter will be less than 255 characters in length from the description of the RPC.

```

Dim s As String

' initialise string
s = Space(255)
Call VB_COM_GetErrorText(GRC_IVPARAM, s)
' trim string, justify string length
s = Trim$(s)

```

Note: Incorrectly handled string output parameters may lead to severe runtime problems.

3.5 UNITS OF VALUES

All parameters are based on the SI unit definition, if not explicitly indicated differently. The SI units, and their derivatives, used are:

| Abbreviation | Unit | Description |
|--------------|------------------|--------------------------------|
| M | (Meters) | for lengths, co-ordinates, ... |
| Rad | (Radians) | for angles |
| Sec | (Seconds) | for time |
| Hpa | (Hekto Pascal) | for pressure |
| C | (Celsius) | for temperature |

Table 3-2: SI Units

3.6 VIVA TPS INSTRUMENT MODES OF OPERATION

In respect to communication, the Viva TPS instrument knows several states in which it reacts differently. The main state for GeoCOM is online state or mode. There it is possible to use all RPC's, which are described in this manual. Especially we will describe the possibilities of changing the state by the built-in RPC's. For the ASCII protocol refer to section 3.2.3 - Modes of Operation Concerning Communication.

The possible states can be described as follows:

- Off** The instrument is switched off and can be switched on using `COM_OpenConnection`. To switch on the instrument a single character is sufficient.
- GeoCOM** The instrument accepts RPC's. To switch into GeoCOM mode start the "Instrument" menu on the instrument, open the submenu "Connection Settings", edit GeoCom connection and tick "Allow GeoCom communication with this instrument".
- RCS** The instrument accepts Remote Control sequences.

3.7 COMMON COMMUNICATION ERRORS

GeoCOM is based on calling functions remotely. Because of the additional communication layer the set of return codes increases with return codes based on communication errors. Since all of these codes may be returned by any RPC we will explain them here and omit them in the descriptions of the RPC's.

| Return-Code | Value | Description |
|---------------------|-------|---|
| GRC_OK | 0 | Successful termination, implies also no communication error. |
| GRC_COM_CANT_ENCODE | 3073 | Can't encode arguments in client. Returned by the client to the calling application directly, i.e. without anything being sent to the transport layer and beyond. |
| GRC_COM_CANT_DECODE | 3074 | Can't decode results in client. Once an RPC has been sent to the server and a reply has been sent back, this return code states that the encoded reply could not be decoded in the client. This is usually the result of using different versions of GeoCOM on client and server. |
| GRC_COM_CANT_SEND | 3075 | Failure in sending calls. If the resources at the transmitting port have been allocated previously, i.e. GeoCOM does not have exclusive rights to the port, or if the exception or similar routine has experienced a failure, this error code is returned. |

| Return-Code | Value | Description |
|-------------------------|-------|--|
| GRC_COM_CANT_RECV | 3076 | Failure in receiving result. A failure has occurred during reception of a packet at the data link layer. This could be due to incorrect parameter settings or noise on the line, etc.. |
| GRC_COM_TIMEOUT | 3077 | Call timed out. The client has sent an RPC to the server but it has not replied within the current time-out period as set for the current transaction. This could be because: the server has not received the request; the server has taken too long to execute the request; the client has not received the reply; the communication line (physical layer is no longer there; or, the time-out is too short (especially true when communicating over noisy or radio links at low baud rates). |
| GRC_COM_WRONG_FORMAT | 3078 | The request and receive formats are different. Something got mixed up along the way or the application tried to send using a format, which has not been implemented on both client and server. |
| GRC_COM_VER_MISMATCH | 3079 | RPC protocol mismatch error. An RPC protocol has been requested which does not exist. This error will indicate incompatible client and server protocols. |
| GRC_COM_CANT_DECODE_REQ | 3080 | Can't decode request in server. If the client sends the server an RPC but one, which cannot be decoded in the server, the server replies with this error. It could be that the GeoCOM versions running on the client and server are different or the packet was not correctly sent over a noisy or unreliable line. |
| GRC_COM_PROC_UNAVAIL | 3081 | The requested procedure is unavailable in the server. An attempt has been made to call an RPC, which does not exist. This is usually caused when calling RPC's, which have been inserted, appended, deleted, or altered between the differing versions of GeoCOM on client and server. To be on the safe side, always use the same GeoCOM version whenever possible on both sides. |
| GRC_COM_CANT_ENCODE_REP | 3082 | Can't encode reply in server. The server has attempted to encode the reply but has failed. This can be caused by the calling procedure trying to pass too much data back to the client and in so doing has exceeded the maximum packet length. |
| GRC_COM_SYSTEM_ERR | 3083 | Communication hardware error |
| GRC_COM_FAILED | 3085 | Mess into communication itself. Should be OK once the node has been recycled, i.e. powered-down and -up again. |
| GRC_COM_NO_BINARY | 3086 | Unknown protocol. An unknown (or not yet supported) Transport or Network protocol has been used. Could appear when using differing GeoCOM versions on client and server. |
| GRC_COM_INTR | 3087 | Call interrupted. Something has happened outside of the scope of GeoCOM, which has forced the current RPC to abort itself. |
| GRC_COM_REQUIRES_8DBITS | 3090 | This error indicates desired protocol requires 8 data bits |
| GRC_COM_TR_ID_MISMATCH | 3093 | Request and reply transaction ids do not match. Somewhere along the line a packet (usually a reply) has been lost or delayed. GeoCOM tries to bring everything back to order but if this error continues during the session it may be wise to inspect the line and, at least, to restart the session. The immediately following RPC may be lost. |
| GRC_COM_NOT_GEOCOM | 3094 | Parse failed; data package not recognised as GeoCOM communication package |
| GRC_COM_UNKNOWN_PORT | 3095 | Tried to access an unknown hardware port. The application has not taken the physical resources of the machine on which it is running into account. |

| Return-Code | Value | Description |
|--------------------------------|-------|---|
| GRC_COM_OVERRUN | 3100 | Overruns during receive. A packet has been received which has exceeded the maximum packet length. It will be discarded! This can be caused by a noisy line during GeoCOM Binary format transmissions. |
| GRC_COM_SRVR_RX_CHECKSUM_ERROR | 3101 | Checksum received at server is wrong. The checksum belonging to the current packet is wrong - no attempt is made at decoding the packet. |
| GRC_COM_CLNT_RX_CHECKSUM_ERROR | 3102 | Checksum received at client is wrong. The checksum belonging to the current packet is wrong - no attempt is made at decoding the packet. |
| GRC_COM_PORT_NOT_AVAILABLE | 3103 | COM port not available. This can be caused by attempting to open a port for unique use by GeoCOM, which has already been allocated to another application. |
| GRC_COM_PORT_NOT_OPEN | 3104 | COM port not opened / initialised. The application has attempted to use a COM port to which it has no unique rights. |
| GRC_COM_NO_PARTNER | 3105 | No communications partner on other end. The connection to the partner could not be made or has been lost. Check that the line is there and try again. |
| GRC_COM_ERO_NOT_STARTED | 3106 | The client, after calling an ERO has decided not to confirm the start of the ERO and has instead called another RPC. |
| GRC_COM_CONS_REQ | 3107 | Attempt to send consecutive requests. The application has attempted to send another request before it has received a reply to its original request. Although GeoCOM does not return control to the app until a reply is received, this error is still possible with event-driven applications, i.e., the user pushing a button yields control back to the application code, which can then call GeoCOM again. |
| GRC_COM_SRVR_IS_SLEEPING | 3108 | TPS has gone to sleep. Wait and try again. |
| GRC_COM_SRVR_IS_OFF | 3109 | TPS has shut down. Wait and try again |

4 REMARKS ON THE DESCRIPTION

This chapter contains some remarks on the description of RPC's and on the structure of the descriptions.

4.1 STRUCTURE OF DESCRIPTIONS

The whole reference part is subdivided into sections. Each section contains descriptions of a set of functions, which build up a subsystem. A subsystem gathers all functions, which are related to a specific functionality of a Viva TPS instrument, e.g. MOT describes all functions, which relate to motorization. Each subsystem is subdivided into the descriptions of RPC's.

4.1.1 Structure of a Subsystem

A subsystem consists of the following parts:

1. **Usage**
This part gives some hints about the usage of the subsystem and general information of its functionality.
2. **Constants and Types**
All subsystem specific constants and data types are listed here. Also their meanings are described if they are not obvious.
3. **Functions**
All RPC's of these subsystems are listed here and described in detail.

Note: To reduce redundancy the VB declarations of data types and constants have been omitted. Please refer to chapter 3.3 to get more information about this subject.

4.1.2 Structure of a RPC Description

One RPC description contains the following parts:

Title

Contains the name of the RPC and a short description of the function.

C-Declaration

Contains the C declaration of the function (excluding the return type).

VB-Declaration

Declares the function in VB (excluding the return type).

ASCII-Request

Describes the request including the input parameters and their data types listed in [].

ASCII-Reply

Describes the reply including the output parameters and their data types listed in [].

Remarks

Gives additional information on the usage and possible side effects of the function.

Parameters In/Out

Explains the parameters, their data types and their meaning. Parameters and their ASCII equivalent are explained at the beginning of each chapter.

Return-Codes

Lists the most common RC to this request, in RC name and RC value.

See Also

Cross-references shows other RPC's which relate to this one.

Example

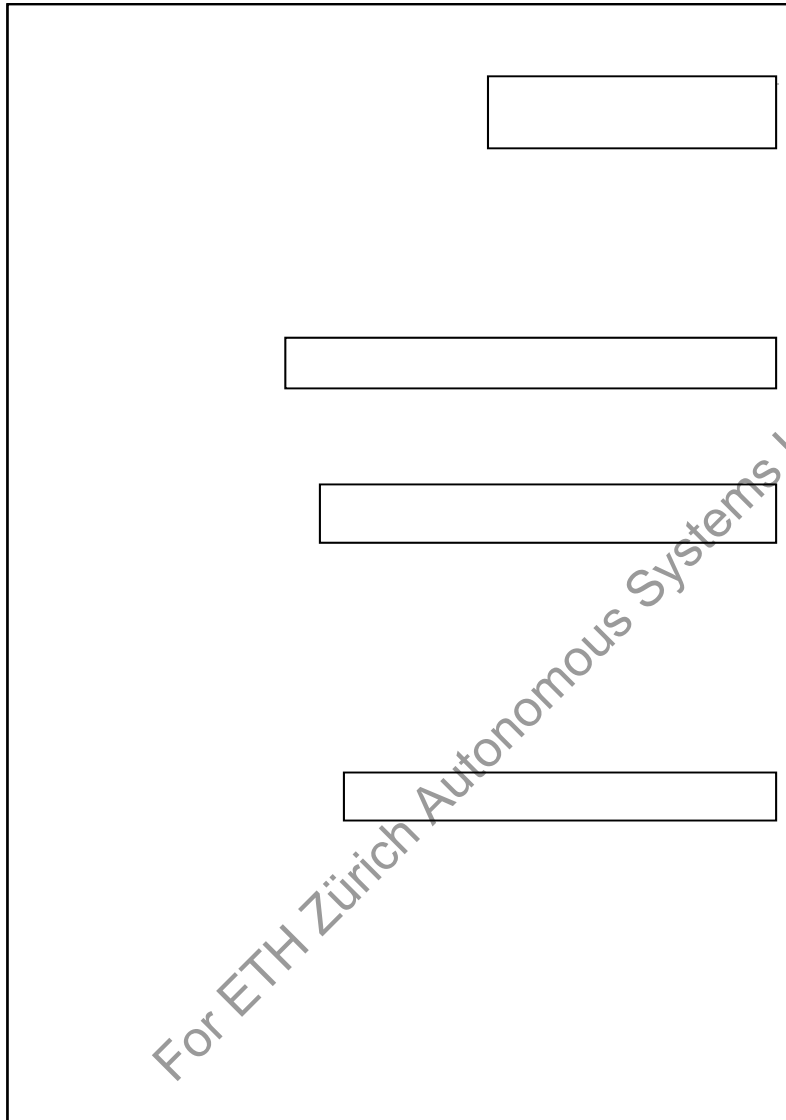
Gives an example of how this RPC could be used.

Note: To reduce redundancy the return type has been omitted from the C- and VB-declarations of the RPC's.

ASCII-Request and Reply do not explain the whole data structures. Instead the corresponding base types will be given. Please refer to chapter 2.2 to get more information on this topic.

Also because of redundancy the necessary CR/LF at the end has been omitted from ASCII-Request and Reply.

4.1.3 Sample of a RPC Description



5 COMMUNICATION SETTINGS

5.1 USAGE

This subsystem provides functions which influences GeoCOM as a whole and functions, which relate to the client side only. If a function influences the client side only then there is no ASCII request defined.

5.2 CONSTANTS AND TYPES

Serial Port Selector

This enumeration type denotes the hardware serial port.

```
enum COM_PORT
{
    COM_1    = 0,          // port 1
    COM_2    = 1,          // port 2
    COM_3    = 2,          // port 3
    COM_4    = 3,          // port 4
    COM_TCP  = 25          // TCP remote
};
```

Transmission Data Format

This value tells if the transmission takes place in a readable ASCII data format or in a data size optimised binary data format.

```
enum COM_FORMAT
{
    COM_ASCII  = 0,        // Force ASCII comm.
    COM_BINARY = 1        // Enable binary comm.
};
```

Baud Rate

```
enum COM_BAUD_RATE
{
    COM_BAUD_38400 = 0,
    COM_BAUD_19200 = 1,
    COM_BAUD_9600  = 2,
    COM_BAUD_4800  = 3,
    COM_BAUD_2400  = 4,
    COM_BAUD_115200 = 5, // default baud rate
    COM_BAUD_57600 = 6
};
```

MS-Windows Data Types

One of the described functions uses the predefined type `HWND` of MS-Windows. Please refer to the documentation of MS-Windows development environment for this data type.

Note: `HWND` depends on whether the pre-processor symbol `STRICT` is defined. When MFC libraries are used, `STRICT` is automatically defined. Otherwise the user must `#define STRICT` or he will get unresolved externals.

5.3 GENERAL GEOCOM FUNCTIONS

5.3.1 COM_GetDoublePrecision - getting the double precision setting

C-Declaration

```
COM_GetDoublePrecision( short &nDigits )
```

VB-Declaration

```
VB_COM_GetDoublePrecision( nDigits As Integer )
```

ASCII-Request

```
%R1Q,108:
```

ASCII-Response

```
%R1P,0,0:RC, nDigits[short]
```

Remarks

This function returns the precision - number of digits to the right of the decimal point - when double floating-point values are transmitted. The usage of this function is only meaningful if the communication is set to ASCII transmission mode. Precision is equal in both transmission directions. In the case of an ASCII request, the precision of the server side will be returned.

Parameters

| | | |
|---------|-----|---|
| nDigits | Out | Number of digits to the right of the decimal point. |
|---------|-----|---|

Return-Code Names and Return-Code Values

| | | |
|--------|---|-----------------------|
| GRC_OK | 0 | Execution successful. |
|--------|---|-----------------------|

See Also

```
COM_SetDoublePrecision
```

Example

```
GRC_TYPE      rc;
short         nDigits, nOldDigits;
TMC_HEIGT     height;

(void) COM_GetDoublePrecision(nOldDigits);
rc = COM_SetDoublePrecision(nDigits);

// nDigits > 15, nDigits < 0 -> GRC_IVPARAM
if (rc == GRC_IVPARAM)
{
    rc = COM_SetDoublePrecision(7);
}

// measure height of reflector ...

// the result is precisely calculated and
// returned with nDigits to the right of the
// decimal point

(void) TMC_GetHeight(height); // ignore return code
print(„height: %d\n“, height.dHr);

// reset server accuracy to the old value
rc = COM_SetDoublePrecision(nOldDigits);

// no error handling, because nOldDigits must be valid
```

5.3.2 COM_SetDoublePrecision – setting the double precision setting

C-Declaration

```
COM_SetDoublePrecision( short nDigits )
```

VB-Declaration

```
VB_COM_SetDoublePrecision( ByVal nDigits As Integer )
```

ASCII-Request

```
%R1Q,107:nDigits[short]
```

ASCII-Response

```
%R1P,0,0:RC
```

Remarks

This function sets the precision - number of digits to the right of the decimal - when double floating-point values are transmitted. The TPS' system software always calculates with highest possible precision. The default precision is fifteen digits. However, if this precision is not needed then transmission of double data (ASCII transmission) can be speeded up by choosing a lower precision. Especially when many double values are transmitted this may enhance the operational speed. The usage of this function is only meaningful if the communication is set to ASCII transmission mode. In the case of an ASCII request, the precision of the server side will be set. Notice that trailing Zeros will not be sent by the server and values may be rounded. E.g. if precision is set to 3 and the exact value is 1.99975 the resulting value will be 2.0

Note: With this function it is possible to decrease the accuracy of the delivered values.

Parameters

| | | |
|---------|----|--------------------------------------|
| nDigits | In | Number of digits right to the comma. |
|---------|----|--------------------------------------|

Return-Code Names and Return-Code Values

| | | |
|-------------|---|-----------------------|
| GRC_OK | 0 | Execution successful. |
| GRC_IVPARAM | 2 | 0 > nDigits > 15 |

See Also

COM_GetDoublePrecision

Example

see COM_GetDoublePrecision

5.4 CLIENT SPECIFIC GEOCOM FUNCTIONS

The following functions are not applicable to the ASCII protocol, because these functions influence the behaviour of the client application only.

5.4.1 COM_Init - initialising GeoCOM

C-Declaration

COM_Init (void)

VB-Declaration

VB_COM_Init ()

ASCII-Request

-

ASCII-Response

-

Remarks

COM_Init has to be called to initialise internal buffers and variables. It does not change the TPS' state.

Note: No other GeoCOM function can be called successfully without having initialised GeoCOM before.

Parameters

| | | |
|--|--|--|
| | | |
|--|--|--|

Return-Code Names and Return-Code Values

| | | |
|--------|---|-----------------------|
| GRC_OK | 0 | Execution successful. |
|--------|---|-----------------------|

See Also

COM_End

Example

See appendix C-2 for an example program frame.

5.4.2 COM_End - quitting GeoCOM

C-Declaration

```
COM_End( void )
```

VB-Declaration

```
VB_COM_End()
```

ASCII-Request

-

ASCII-Response

-

Remarks

COM_End has to be called to finish up all open GeoCOM transactions. It closes an open port and does whatever is necessary to shutdown GeoCOM. The TPS' state will not be changed.

Parameters

| | | |
|--|--|--|
| | | |
|--|--|--|

Return-Code Names and Return-Code Values

| | | |
|--------|---|-----------------------|
| GRC_OK | 0 | Execution successful. |
|--------|---|-----------------------|

See Also

COM_Init

Example

see COM_Init

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5.4.3 COM_OpenConnection - opening a port for communication

C-Declaration

```
COM_OpenConnection( COM_PORT      ePort,
                   COM_BAUD_RATE &eRate,
                   Short          nRetries )
```

VB-Declaration

```
VB_COM_OpenConnection( ByVal Port      As Integer,
                      ByVal Baud      As Integer,
                      ByVal Retries   As Integer )
```

ASCII-Request

-

ASCII-Response

-

Remarks

This function opens a PC serial port and attempts to detect a theodolite based on the given baud rate. If a TPS is well connected to the PC then GeoCOM tries to establish a connection to it.

To be successful the GeoCOM interface on the TPS must be enabled.

RPC COM_NullProc is used to check if the communication is up and running. nRetries denotes the number of retries if the first request has not been fulfilled successfully.

If the TPS is switched off it will be switched on automatically. In such a case it may take several retries to establish a connection. Since default timeout is three seconds we recommend nRetries to be 1-4.

GeoCOM chooses during start-up the default transmission data-format, which is ASCII. If TPS supports binary data format it is switched automatically to BINARY using RPC COM_SetComFormat.

This function will fail if the serial-port is locked or in use. It will also fail if no TPS is connected to the serial port.

If the call cannot be finished successfully then the port will be freed and closed.

Note: In the current implementation, GeoCOM does not support two open connections at the same time. A second attempt to open a second port at once will be denied by GeoCOM.

Parameters

| | | |
|----------|-------|--------------------|
| ePort | In | Serial port. |
| eBaud | InOut | Baud rate. |
| nRetries | In | Number of retries. |

Return-Code Names and Return-Code Values

| | | |
|----------------------------|------|----------------------------------|
| GRC_OK | 0 | Execution successful. |
| GRC_COM_PORT_NOT_AVAILABLE | 3103 | Port is in use or does not exist |
| GRC_COM_NO_PARTNER | 3105 | GeoCOM failed to detect a TPS. |
| GRC_IVPARAM | 2 | Illegal parameter. |

See Also

COM_CloseConnection
COM_NullProc
COM_SetComFormat

Example

see COM_Init

5.4.4 COM_CloseConnection - closing the open port

C-Declaration

```
COM_CloseConnection( void )
```

VB-Declaration

```
VB_COM_CloseConnection( )
```

ASCII-Request

-

ASCII-Response

-

Remarks

This function closes the (current) open port and releases an established connection. It will not change the TPS' state.

Parameters

| | | |
|--|--|--|
| | | |
|--|--|--|

Return-Code Names and Return-Code Values

| | | |
|--------|---|-----------------------|
| GRC_OK | 0 | Execution successful. |
|--------|---|-----------------------|

See Also

COM_OpenConnection

Example

See appendix C-2 for an example program frame.

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5.4.5 COM_GetBaudRate - getting the current baud rate

C-Declaration

```
COM_GetBaudRate ( COM_BAUD_RATE &eRate )
```

VB-Declaration

```
VB_COM_GetBautRate( eRate As Long )
```

ASCII-Request

-

ASCII-Response

-

Remarks

Get the current baud rate of the serial line. It should be the setting of both client and server.

Parameters

| | | |
|-------|-----|---------------------------|
| eRate | Out | Baud rate of serial line. |
|-------|-----|---------------------------|

Return-Code Names and Return-Code Values

| | | |
|--------|---|-----------------------|
| GRC_OK | 0 | Execution successful. |
|--------|---|-----------------------|

See Also

COM_OpenConnection

Example

```
void main()
{
    GRC_TYPE          rc;
    COM_BAUD_RATE     eRate;

    // init GeoCOM
    ...

    // get baud rate of active connection
    rc = COM_GetBaudRate(eRate);
    if (rc != GRC_OK)
    {
        COM_ViewError(rc, "Setup baud rate");
    }
    else
    {
        printf("Baudrate is %d Baud = " );
        switch (eRate )
        {
            case COM_BAUD_115200:
                printf("115200\n");
                break ;
            case COM_BAUD_57600:
                printf("57600\n");
                break ;
            case COM_BAUD_38400:
                printf("38400\n");
                break ;
            case COM_BAUD_19200:
                printf("19200\n");
                break ;
            case COM_BAUD_9600:
                printf("9600\n ");
                break ;
            case COM_BAUD_4800:
                printf("4800\n ");
                break ;
            case COM_BAUD_2400:
                printf("2400\n ");
                break ;
            default:
                printf("illegal\n ");
                break ;
        }
    }
}
```

```
...  
// shutdown GeoCOM  
}  
// end of main
```

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5.4.6 COM_GetTimeout – getting the current timeout value

C-Declaration

```
COM_GetTimeout( short &nTimeout )
```

VB-Declaration

```
VB_COM_GetTimeout( nTimeout As Integer )
```

ASCII-Request

-

ASCII-Response

-

Remarks

This function retrieves the current timeout value for a request in seconds. The timeout value is the delay GeoCOM will wait for completion before it signals an error to the calling application.

Parameters

| | | |
|----------|-----|---|
| nTimeout | Out | Timeout value in seconds, default value is 3 sec. |
|----------|-----|---|

Return-Code Names and Return-Code Values

| | | |
|--------|---|-----------------------|
| GRC_OK | 0 | Execution successful. |
|--------|---|-----------------------|

See Also

COM_SetTimeout

Example

```
GRC_TYPE rc;
short nTimeout;

COM_GetTimeout(nTimeout);

if (nTimeout <= 3)
{
    COM_SetTimeout(7);
}
```

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5.4.7 COM_SetTimeout - setting the current timeout value

C-Declaration

```
COM_SetTimeout( short nTimeout )
```

VB-Declaration

```
VB_COM_SetTimeout( nTimeout As Integer )
```

ASCII-Request

-

ASCII-Response

-

Remarks

This function sets the current timeout value in seconds. The timeout value is the delay GeoCOM will wait for completion of the last RPC before it signals an error to the calling application.

A zero timeout value indicates no wait. But be aware of that this will yield into a GRC_COM_TIMEDOUT return code.

Note: A negative timeout value indicates an infinite waiting period and may block the client application.

Parameters

| | | |
|----------|----|--------------------------|
| nTimeout | In | timeout value in seconds |
|----------|----|--------------------------|

Return-Code Names and Return-Code Values

| | | |
|--------|---|----------------------|
| GRC_OK | 0 | Execution successful |
|--------|---|----------------------|

See Also

COM_GetTimeout

Example

see COM_GetTimeout

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5.4.8 COM_GetComFormat – getting the transmission data format

C-Declaration

```
COM_GetComFormat( COM_FORMAT &eComFormat )
```

VB-Declaration

```
VB_COM_GetComFormat( eComFormat As Long )
```

ASCII-Request

-

ASCII-Response

-

Remarks

This function gets the actual transmission data format.

Parameters

| | | |
|------------|-----|-------------------------|
| eComFormat | Out | COM_ASCII or COM_BINARY |
|------------|-----|-------------------------|

Return-Code Names and Return-Code Values

| | | |
|--------|---|-----------------------|
| GRC_OK | 0 | Execution successful. |
|--------|---|-----------------------|

See Also

COM_SetComFormat

Example

```
GRC_TYPE      rc;
COM_FORMAT    eComFormat;

COM_GetComFormat(eComFormat);
if (eComFormat == COM_ASCII)
{
    printf("ASCII mode in use.\n");
}
else
{
    printf("BINARY mode in use.\n");
}
```

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5.4.9 COM_SetComFormat - setting the transmission data format

C-Declaration

```
COM_SetComFormat( COM_FORMAT eComFormat )
```

VB-Declaration

```
VB_COM_SetComFormat( ByVal eComFormat As Long )
```

ASCII-Request

-

ASCII-Response

-

Remarks

This function sets the transmission data format. Binary data format can only be set if it is supported by the server. To check if the server supports binary data format RPC COM_GetBinaryAvailable is used.

One can force ASCII data format for special purposes, e.g. debugging.

The server always replies in the data-format that it has received the request.

Parameters

| | | |
|------------|-----|-------------------------|
| EComFormat | Out | COM_ASCII or COM_BINARY |
|------------|-----|-------------------------|

Return-Code Names and Return-Code Values

| | | |
|-----------------------|------|--|
| GRC_OK | 0 | Execution successful. |
| GRC_COM_PORT_NOT_OPEN | 3104 | Port not open for transmission. |
| GRC_COM_NO_BINARY | 3086 | TPS Firmware does not support binary data transmission format. |

See Also

COM_GetComFormat

COM_OpenConnection

Example

```
GRC_TYPE          rc;
COM_FORMAT  eFormat;

// change coding method
// eFormat is COM_ASCII or COM_BINARY
eFormat = COM_BINARY;
rc = COM_SetComFormat(eFormat);
if (rc == GRC_COM_PORT_NOT_OPEN)
{
    rc = COM_SetComFormat(eFormat);
}

switch (rc)
{
    case GRC_COM_PORT_NOT_OPEN:
        printf("Port not open\n");
        return (GRC_FATAL);
        break;

    case GRC_COM_NO_BINARY:
        printf("Binary format not available "
              "for this version.");
        // continue in ASCII-format
        break;

} // end of switch (rc)

// continue in program
```

5.4.10 COM_UseWindow - declaring the parent window handle

C-Declaration

```
COM_UseWindow( HWND handle )
```

VB-Declaration

```
VB_COM_UseWindow( handle As HWND )
```

ASCII-Request

-

ASCII-Response

-

Remarks

The function sets the parent window-handle that GeoCOM uses when it creates a dialog or message box. If this function is not called, GeoCOM will use the `NULL` window as default.

Note: `HWND` depends on whether the pre-processor symbol `STRICT` is defined. When MFC libraries are used, `STRICT` is automatically defined. Otherwise the user must `#define STRICT` or he will get unresolved externals.

Parameters

| | | |
|--------|----|-----------------------|
| handle | In | Parent window handle. |
|--------|----|-----------------------|

Return-Code Names and Return-Code Values

| | | |
|--------|---|-----------------------|
| GRC_OK | 0 | Execution successful. |
|--------|---|-----------------------|

See Also

`COM_ViewError`

Example

```
RC_TYE rc;
HWND hWnd;

rc = COM_UseWindow(hWnd);
```

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5.4.11 COM_ViewError – setting a pop up error message box

C-Declaration

```
COM_ViewError( GRC_TYPE Result,
               char      *szMsgTitle )
```

VB-Declaration

```
VB_COM_ViewError( ByVal Result      As Integer,
                  ByVal szMsgTitle As String)
```

ASCII-Request

-

ASCII-Response

-

Remarks

This function checks the value of Result and if it is not equal to GRC_OK then it pops up a message box containing the specific error text.

Note: This function yields a valid error text only if GeoCOM has been initialised successfully.

Parameters

| | | |
|------------|----|------------------------------------|
| Result | In | Error result code. |
| szMsgTitle | In | Title of the displayed dialog box. |

Return-Code Names and Return-Code Values

| | | |
|--------|---|-----------------------|
| GRC_OK | 0 | Execution successful. |
|--------|---|-----------------------|

See Also

COM_GetErrorText

Example

```
GRC_TYPE    rc;

// initialize GeoCOM
rc = COM_SetBaudRate(COM_BAUD_115200);

if (rc != GRC_OK)
{
    COM_ViewError(rc, "Set up connection");
    // handle error
}
```

5.4.12 COM_GetErrorText – getting the error text

C-Declaration

```
COM_GetErrorText( GRC_TYPEResult,
                  char      *szErrText)
```

VB-Declaration

```
VB_COM_GetErrorText(ByVal Result      As Integer,
                    szErrText As String)
```

ASCII-Request

-

ASCII-Response

-

Remarks

This function checks the value of Result and returns an error text if the value is not equal to GRC_OK. The function yields an empty string if the value is GRC_OK. The maximum length of such an error text is 255 characters.

Parameters

| | | |
|-----------|-----|---|
| Result | In | Error code of a function called before this code will be checked. |
| szErrText | Out | Error text if not equal to GRC_OK. |

Return-Code Names and Return-Code Values

| | | |
|--------|---|-----------------------|
| GRC_OK | 0 | Execution successful. |
|--------|---|-----------------------|

See Also

COM_ViewError

5.4.13 COM_GetWinSWVersion - retrieving client side version information

C-Declaration

```
COM_GetWinSWVersion( short &nRel,
                    short &nVer,
                    short &nSubVer )
```

VB-Declaration

```
VB_COM_GetWinSWVersion( nRel    As Integer,
                        nVer     As Integer,
                        nSubVer As Integer )
```

ASCII-Request

-

ASCII-Response

-

Remarks

This function retrieves the actual software Release (Release, version and subversion) of GeoCOM on the client side.

Parameters

| | | |
|---------|-----|----------------------|
| nRel | Out | Software Release. |
| nVer | Out | Software version. |
| nSubVer | Out | Software subversion. |

Return-Code Names and Return-Code Values

| | | |
|--------|---|-----------------------|
| GRC_OK | 0 | Execution successful. |
|--------|---|-----------------------|

See Also

COM_GetSWVersion

Example

```
GRC_TYPE rc;
short    nRel, nSubVer, nVer;

(void) COM_GetWinSWVersion(nRel, nVer, nSubVer);

printf("Windows GeoCOM:\n");

printf("Release %2d.%02d.%02d\n", nRel, nVer, nSubVer);
```

6 ALT USER - AUS

6.1 USAGE

This subsystem contains functions to switch between the automation modes (ATR / LOCK) and to query the current status.

6.2 CONSTANTS AND TYPES

On/Off switch

```
enum ON_OFF_TYPE
{
    OFF,           // 0
    ON             // 1
};
```

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6.3 FUNCTIONS

6.3.1 AUS_GetUserAtrState - getting the status of the ATR mode

C-Declaration

```
AUS_GetUserAtrState(ON_OFF_TYPE &OnOff)
```

VB-Declaration

```
VB_AUS_GetUserAtrState (On/Off As Long)
```

ASCII-Request

```
%R1Q,18006:
```

ASCII-Response

```
%R1P,0,0:RC,OnOff[long]
```

Remarks

Get the current status of the ATR mode on automated instrument models. This command does not indicate whether the ATR has currently acquired a prism. Note the difference between GetUserATR and GetUserLOCK state.

Parameters

| | | |
|-------|-----|-----------------------|
| OnOff | out | State of the ATR mode |
|-------|-----|-----------------------|

Return-Code Names and Return-Code Values

| | | |
|--------------|---|---|
| GRC_OK | 0 | Execution successful. |
| GRC_NOT_IMPL | 5 | ATR not available; no automated instrument. |

See Also

```
AUS_SetUserAtrState
```

Example

```
GRC_TYPE      rc;
ON_OFF_TYPE   OnOff;

// look for ATR state and set On if it is Off

rc = AUS_GetUserAtrState(OnOff);
if (OnOff == OFF)
{
    rc = AUS_SetUserAtrState(ON);
    if (rc == GRC_OK)
    {
        // set of ATR status successful
    }
    else
    {
        // no automated instrument
    }
}
```

6.3.2 AUS_SetUserAtrState - setting the status of the ATR mode

C-Declaration

```
AUS_SetUserAtrState(ON_OFF_TYPE OnOff)
```

VB-Declaration

```
VB_AUS_SetUserAtrState(OnOff As Long)
```

ASCII-Request

```
%R1Q,18005:On/Off[long]
```

ASCII-Response

```
%R1P,0,0:RC
```

Remarks

Activates respectively deactivates the ATR mode.

Activate ATR mode:

The ATR mode gets activated. If LOCK mode is on and the command is sent, then LOCK mode changes to ATR mode.

Deactivate ATR mode:

The ATR mode gets deactivated. If LOCK mode is on and the command is sent, then LOCK mode stays on

This command is valid for automated instrument models only.

Parameters

| | | |
|-------|----|-----------------------|
| OnOff | in | State of the ATR mode |
|-------|----|-----------------------|

Return-Code Names and Return-Code Values

| | | |
|--------------|---|---|
| GRC_OK | 0 | Execution successful. |
| GRC_NOT_IMPL | 5 | ATR not available; no automated instrument. |

See Also

```
AUS_GetUserAtrState
AUS_GetUserLockState
AUS_SetUserLockState
```

Example

```
see AUS_GetUserAtrState
```


6.3.3 AUS_GetUserLockState - getting the status of the LOCK mode

C-Declaration

```
AUS_GetUserLockState(ON_OFF_TYPE &OnOff)
```

VB-Declaration

```
VB_AUS_GetUserLockState(OnOff As Long)
```

ASCII-Request

```
%R1Q,18008:
```

ASCII-Response

```
%R1P,0,0:RC, OnOff[long]
```

Remarks

This command gets the current status of the LOCK mode. This command is valid for automated instruments only. TheGetUserLockState command does not indicate if the instrument is currently locked to a prism. For this function the MotReadLockStatus has to be used.

Parameters

| | | |
|-------|-----|------------------------|
| OnOff | Out | State of the LOCK mode |
|-------|-----|------------------------|

Return-Code Names and Return-Code Values

| | | |
|--------------|---|---|
| GRC_OK | 0 | Execution successful. |
| GRC_NOT_IMPL | 5 | ATR not available; no automated instrument. |

See Also

```
AUS_SetUserLockState
MOT_ReadLockStatus
```

Example

```
GRC_TYPE      rc;
ON_OFF_TYPE    OnOff, OldAtrStatus;

rc = AUS_GetUserAtrState(OldAtrStatus); // save old mode
rc = AUS_GetUserLockState(OnOff);

if (OnOff == OFF)
{
    // ----- enable target tracking -----
    rc = AUS_SetUserLockState(ON); //set the ATR mode
                                     //automatically also!

    if (rc == GRC_OK)
    {
        // set of Lock state successful
        rc = AUT_LockIn(); // activate the real target
                           // tracking
        if(rc != GRC_OK)
        {
            // error handling
        }
    }
    else
    {
        // no automated instrument
    }
}
else
{
    // ----- disable target tracking -----
    rc = AUS_SetUserLockState(OFF); // reset the ATR
                                     // mode not
                                     // automatically

    if(rc == GRC_OK)
    {
        // reset of Lock state successful
        if(OldAtrStatus==OFF)
        {
            // set old ATR mode
            rc = AUS_SetUserAtrState(OFF);
        }
    }
}
```

6.3.4 AUS_SetUserLockState - setting the status of the LOCK mode

C-Declaration

```
AUS_SetUserLockState(ON_OFF_TYPE OnOff)
```

VB-Declaration

```
VB_AUS_SetUserLockState(OnOff As Long)
```

ASCII-Request

```
%R1Q,18007:OnOff[long]
```

ASCII-Response

```
%R1P,0,0:RC
```

Remarks

Activates or deactivates the LOCK mode.

Status ON:

The LOCK mode is activated. This does not mean that the instrument is locked onto a prism. In order to lock and follow a moving target, see the function AUT_LockIn.

Status OFF:

The LOCK mode is deactivated. A moving target, which is being tracked, will be aborted and the manual drive wheel is activated.

This command is valid for automated instruments only.

Parameters

| | | |
|-------|----|------------------------------|
| OnOff | in | State of the ATR lock switch |
|-------|----|------------------------------|

Return-Code Names and Return-Code Values

| | | |
|--------------|---|---|
| GRC_OK | 0 | Execution successful. |
| GRC_NOT_IMPL | 5 | ATR not available; no automated instrument. |

See Also

```
AUS_GetUserLockState
AUS_SetUserAtrState
AUT_LockIn
```

Example

```
see AUS_GetUserLockState
```

7 AUTOMATION - AUT

7.1 USAGE

The subsystem 'Automation' mainly performs the dynamic application 'absolute positioning'. This operation positions the axes of the instrument within a given tolerance to the system's angle measurement unit.

In combination with the Automatic Target Recognition System (ATR) other functionality such as automatic target position or target search are supported.

Some of the functions of this subsystem can take an undefined time for execution (for example the position operation takes the more time the more precision is required).

7.2 CANCELLING / ABORTING CURRENT FUNCTIONS

All functions with long operation time (e.g. AUT_MakePositioning, AUT_SearchNext etc.) may be aborted by sending 'c' <Term>.

Note: Automation RPC's require valid GeoCOM robotic license key for successful execution.

7.3 CONSTANTS AND TYPES

Number of axis

```
const short MOT_AXES = 2;
```

Positioning Tolerance

```
struct AUT_POSTOL
{
    double  adPosTol[MOT_AXES];
    // positioning tolerance for Hz and γ[rad]
};
```

Maximum Position Time [s]

```
struct AUT_TIMEOUT
{
    double adPosTimeout[MOT_AXES]; // max. positioning time [sec]
};
```

Position Precision

```
enum AUT_POSMODE
{
    AUT_NORMAL = 0,           // fast positioning mode
    AUT_PRECISE = 1,          // exact positioning mode
                                // note: can distinctly claim more time
                                //      for the positioning

    AUT_Fast = 2,             // for TS30 / TM30 instruments,
                                // positions with the last valid inclination
                                // and an increased positioning tolerance.
};
```

Fine-adjust Position Mode

```
enum AUT_ADJMODE
{
    AUT_NORM_MODE = 0,        // Possible settings of the positioning
                                // tolerance relating the angle- or the
                                // point- accuracy at the fine adjust.

    AUT_POINT_MODE = 1,       // Angle tolerance
                                // Point tolerance

    AUT_DEFINE_MODE = 2,      // System independent positioning
                                // tolerance. Set with AUT_SetTol
};
```

Automatic Target Recognition Mode

```
enum AUT_ATRMODE                // Possible modes of the target
                                // recognition
{
AUT_POSITION = 0,                // Positioning to the hz- and v-angle
AUT_TARGET = 1                  // Positioning to a target in the
                                // environment of the hz- and v-angle.
}
```

Automatic Detent Mode

```
struct AUT_DETENT                // Detent data
{
    double dPositiveDetent;       // Detent in positive direction
    double dNegativeDetent;       // Detent in negative direction
    BOOL bActive;                 // Is detent active
}
```

Search Spiral

| | |
|--------------------------|--|
| struct AUT_SEARCH_SPIRAL | |
| { | |
| double dRangeHz; | // width of search area [rad] |
| double dRangeV; | // maximal height of search area [rad] |
| } | |

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Search Area

| | |
|------------------------|---|
| struct AUT_SEARCH_AREA | |
| { | |
| double dCenterHz; | // Hz angle of search area – center [rad] |
| double dCenterV; | // V angle of search area – center [rad] |
| double dRangeHz; | // width of search area [rad] |
| double dRangeV; | // maximal height of search area [rad] |
| BOOLE bEnabled; | // TRUE: user defined search area is active |
| } | |

Panorama image parameters

| | |
|--------------------------------------|---|
| struct AUT_PANOWIN_TYPE | |
| { | |
| double dWinLeft; | // Left boundary of the window in rad |
| double dWinRight; | // Right boundary of the window in rad |
| double dWinTop; | // Upper boundary of the window in rad |
| double dWinBottom; | // Lower boundary of the window in rad |
| double dOverlapH; | // Horizontal overlapping (0: no overlapping, 0.99: only 1% is new) |
| double dOverlapV; | // Vertical overlapping |
| Char *szImageName | // Name of the panorama image (single images are named szImageName0xx) |
| CAM_RESOLUTION_TYPE eImageRes; | // Image resolution |
| CAM_COMPRESSION_TYPE eImageCompr; | // Image compression |
| } | |

Directions

```

AUT_CLOCKWISE = 1,           // direction clockwise.
AUT_ANTICLOCKWISE = -1      // direction counter
                             // clockwise.

```

7.4 FUNCTIONS

7.4.1 AUT_ReadTol - reading the current setting for the positioning tolerances

C-Declaration

```
AUT_ReadTol(AUT_POSTOL &TolPar)
```

VB-Declaration

```
VB_AUT_ReadTol(TolPar As AUT_POSTOL)
```

ASCII-Request

```
%R1Q,9008:
```

ASCII-Response

```
%R1P,0,0:RC,Tolerance Hz[double],Tolerance V[double]
```

Remarks

This command reads the current setting for the positioning tolerances of the Hz- and V- instrument axis.

This command is valid for motorized instruments only.

Parameters

| | | |
|--------|-----|--|
| TolPar | out | The values for the positioning tolerances in Hz and V direction [rad]. |
|--------|-----|--|

Return-Code Names and Return-Code Values

| | | |
|--------|----|---|
| GRC_OK | 0 | Execution successful. |
| GRC_NA | 27 | GeoCOM Robotic license key not available. |

See Also

```
AUT_SetTol
```

Example

```
const double MIN_TOL=3.141592654e-05;

GRC_TYPE      rc;
AUT_POSTOL    TolPar;

// read tolerance and set to a minimum of
// 3.141592654e-05

rc = AUT_ReadTol(TolPar);

if ((TolPar.adPosTol[MOT_HZ_AXLE] > MIN_TOL) ||
    (TolPar.adPosTol[MOT_V_AXLE] > MIN_TOL))
{
    TolPar.adPosTol[MOT_HZ_AXLE] = MIN_TOL;
    TolPar.adPosTol[MOT_V_AXLE] = MIN_TOL;
    rc = AUT_SetTol(TolPar);
    switch (rc)
    {
        case (GRC_OK):
            // set of Lock tolerance successful
            break;
        case (GRC_IVPARAM):
            // invalid parameter
            break;
        case (GRC_MOT_UNREADY):
            // subsystem not ready
            break;
    }
}
```

7.4.2 AUT_SetTol - setting the positioning tolerances

C-Declaration

```
AUT_SetTol(AUT_POSTOL TolPar)
```

VB-Declaration

```
VB_AUT_SetTol(TolPar As AUT_POSTOL)
```

ASCII-Request

```
%R1Q,9007:ToleranceHz[double],ToleranceV[double]
```

ASCII-Response

```
%R1P,0,0:RC
```

Remarks

This command sets new values for the positioning tolerances of the Hz- and V- instrument axes. This command is valid for motorized instruments only.

The tolerances must be in the range of 1[cc] (=1.57079 E-06[rad]) to 100[cc] (=1.57079 E-04[rad]).

Note: The maximum resolution of the angle measurement system depends on the instrument accuracy class. If smaller positioning tolerances are required, the positioning time can increase drastically.

Parameters

| | | |
|--------|----|--|
| TolPar | in | The values for the positioning tolerances in Hz and V direction [rad]. |
|--------|----|--|

Return-Code Names and Return-Code Values

| | | |
|-----------------|------|--|
| GRC_OK | 0 | Execution successful. |
| GRC_NA | 27 | GeoCOM Robotic license key not available. |
| GRC_IVPARAM | 2 | One or both tolerance values not within the boundaries (1.57079E-06[rad] =1[cc] to 1.57079E-04[rad] =100[cc]). |
| GRC_MOT_UNREADY | 1792 | Instrument has no motorization |

See Also

AUT_ReadTol

Example

see AUT_ReadTol

7.4.3 AUT_ReadTimeout - reading the current timeout setting for positioning

C-Declaration

```
AUT_ReadTimeout(AUT_TIMEOUT &TimeoutPar)
```

VB-Declaration

```
VB_AUT_ReadTimeout(TimeoutPar As AUT_TIMEOUT)
```

ASCII-Request

```
%R1Q,9012:
```

ASCII-Response

```
%R1P,0,0:RC,TimeoutHz[double],TimeoutV[double]
```

Remarks

This command reads the current setting for the positioning time out (maximum time to perform positioning).

Parameters

| | | |
|------------|-----|--|
| TimeoutPar | Out | The values for the positioning time out in Hz and V direction [sec]. |
|------------|-----|--|

Return-Code Names and Return-Code Values

| | | |
|--------|----|---|
| GRC_OK | 0 | Execution successful. |
| GRC_NA | 27 | GeoCOM Robotic license key not available. |

See Also

```
AUT_SetTimeout
```

Example

```
GRC_TYPE      rc;
AUT_TIMEOUT    TimeoutPar;

// read timeout and set to a minimum of 10 [s]

rc = AUT_ReadTimeout(TimeoutPar);

if ((TimeoutPar.adPosTimeout[0] < 10) ||
    (TimeoutPar.adPosTimeout[1] < 10))
{
    TimeoutPar.adPosTimeout[0] = 10;
    TimeoutPar.adPosTimeout[1] = 10;
    rc = AUT_SetTimeout(TimeoutPar);
    switch (rc)
    {
        case (GRC_OK):
            // set of timeout successful
            break;
        case (GRC_IVPARAM):
            // invalid parameter
            break;
    }
}
```


7.4.4 AUT_SetTimeout - setting the timeout for positioning

C-Declaration

```
AUT_SetTimeout(AUT_TIMEOUT TimeoutPar)
```

VB-Declaration

```
VB_AUT_SetTimeout(TimeoutPar As AUT_TIMEOUT)
```

ASCII-Request

```
%R1Q,9011:TimeoutHz[double],TimeoutV[double]
```

ASCII-Response

```
%R1P,0,0:RC
```

Remarks

This command set the positioning timeout (set maximum time to perform a positioning). The timeout is reset on 7[sec] after each power on

Parameters

| | | |
|------------|----|--|
| TimeoutPar | in | The values for the positioning timeout in Hz and V direction [s]. Valid values are between 7 [sec] and 60 [sec]. |
|------------|----|--|

Return-Code Names and Return-Code Values

| | | |
|-------------|----|--|
| GRC_OK | 0 | Execution successful. |
| GRC_NA | 27 | GeoCOM Robotic license key not available. |
| GRC_IVPARAM | 2 | One or both time out values not within the boundaries (7[sec] to 60[sec]). |

See Also

AUT_ReadTimeout

Example

see AUT_ReadTimeout

7.4.5 AUT_MakePositioning - turning the telescope to a specified position

C-Declaration

```
AUT_MakePositioning(double Hz,
                    double V,
                    AUT_POSMODE POSMode,
                    AUT_ATRMODE ATRMode,
                    BOOLE bDummy)
```

VB-Declaration

```
VB_AUT_MakePositioning4(Hz As Double,
                        V As Double,
                        POSMode As Long,
                        ATRMode As Long,
                        bDummy As Boolean)
```

ASCII-Request

```
%R1Q,9027:Hz,V,PosMode,ATRMode,0
```

ASCII-Response

```
%R1P,0,0:RC
```

Remarks

This procedure turns the telescope absolute to the in *Hz* and *V* specified position, taking tolerance settings for positioning (see *AUT_POSTOL*) into account. Any active control function is terminated by this function call.

If the position mode is set to normal (*PosMode* = *AUT_NORMAL*) it is assumed that the current value of the compensator measurement is valid. Positioning precise (*PosMode* = *AUT_PRECISE*) forces a new compensator measurement at the specified position and includes this information for positioning.

If ATR mode is activated and the ATR mode is set to *AUT_TARGET*, the instrument tries to position onto a target in the destination area.

If LOCK mode is activated and the ATR mode is set to *AUT_TARGET*, the instrument tries to lock onto a target in the destination area.

Parameters

| | | |
|---------|----|---|
| Hz | In | Horizontal (instrument) position [rad]. |
| V | In | Vertical (telescope) position [rad]. |
| POSMode | In | Position mode: AUT_NORMAL: (default) uses the current value of the compensator (no compensator measurement while positioning). For positioning distances >25GON AUT_NORMAL might tend to inaccuracy. AUT_PRECISE: tries to measure exact inclination of target. Tend to longer position time (check AUT_TIMEOUT and/or COM-time out if necessary). AUT_Fast: for TS30 / TM30 instruments, positions with the last valid inclination and an increased positioning tolerance. Suitable in combination with ATRMode AUT_Target. |
| ATRMode | In | Mode of ATR: AUT_POSITION: (default) conventional position using values Hz and V. AUT_TARGET: tries to position onto a target in the destination area. This mode is only possible if ATR exists and is activated. |
| bDummy | In | It's reserved for future use, set bDummy always to FALSE |

Return-Code Names and Return-Code Values

| | | |
|-----------------------|------|---|
| GRC_OK | 0 | Execution successful. |
| GRC_NA | 27 | GeoCOM Robotic license key not available |
| GRC_AUT_SIDECOVER_ERR | 8723 | Sidecover open |
| GRC_IVPARAM | 2 | Invalid parameter (e.g. no valid position). |

| | | |
|------------------------|------|---|
| GRC_AUT_TIMEOUT | 8704 | Time out while positioning of one or both axes. (perhaps increase AUT time out, see AUT_SetTimeout) |
| GRC_AUT_MOTOR_ERROR | 8707 | Instrument has no 'motorization'. |
| TMC_NO_FULL_CORRECTION | 1283 | Error with angle measurement occurs if the instrument is not levelled properly during positioning. |
| GRC_ABORT | 8 | Function aborted. |
| GRC_COM_TIMEOUT | 3077 | Communication timeout. (perhaps increase COM timeout, see COM_SetTimeout) |

Additionally with position mode AUT_TARGET.

| | | |
|--------------------------|------|--|
| GRC_AUT_NO_TARGET | 8710 | No target found |
| GRC_AUT_MULTIPLE_TARGETS | 8711 | Multiple targets found. |
| GRC_AUT_BAD_ENVIRONMENT | 8712 | Inadequate environment conditions. |
| GRC_AUT_ACCURACY | 8716 | Inexact fine position, repeat positioning |
| GRC_AUT_DEV_ERROR | 8709 | During the determination of the angle deviation error detected, repeat positioning |
| GRC_AUT_NOT_ENABLED | 8714 | ATR mode not enabled, enable ATR mode |

See Also

AUS_GetUserAtrState
AUS_SetUserAtrState
AUS_GetUserLockState
AUS_SetUserLockState
AUT_ReadTol
AUT_SetTol
AUT_ReadTimeout
AUT_SetTimeout
COM_GetTimeout
COM_SetTimeout

Example

The example program tries to position to the given position. If a time out occurred, the time out values are increased and the position procedure starts again. If a measurement error occurred, the automatic inclination correction is switched off and the position procedure starts again.

```

GRC_TYPE      rc, hrc;
short         i;
BOOL          TryAgain = TRUE;
AUT_TIMEOUT   TimeoutPar;
AUT_POSMODE   POSMode = AUT_PRECISE;
short         nComTimeOut, nOldComTimeOut;

rc=GRC_IVRESULT;
hrc = COM_GetTimeout(nOldComTimeOut);
hrc = AUS_SetUserAtrState(ON); // for the ATR mode
                                // AUT_TARGET necessary,
                                // otherwise not necessary

while(rc!=GRC_OK || TryAgain)
{
    rc = AUT_MakePositioning(1.3, 1.6, POSMode,
                            AUT_TARGET, FALSE );

    switch (rc)
    {
        case GRC_OK:
            //Positioning successful and precise
            break;
        case GRC_AUT_TIMEOUT:
            // measure timeout fault: increase timeout
            hrc = AUT_ReadTimeout(TimeoutPar);
            TimeoutPar.adPosTimeout[0]
                = __min(TimeoutPar.adPosTimeout[0]+5,60);
            TimeoutPar.adPosTimeout[1]
                = __min(TimeoutPar.adPosTimeout[1]+5,60);
            hrc = AUT_SetTimeout(TimeoutPar);
    }
}

```

```
        break;
    case GRC_COM_TIMEOUT:
        //increase timeout
        hrc = COM_GetTimeOut(nComTimeOut);
        nComTimeOut=__min(nComTimeOut+=5, 60);
        hrc = COM_SetTimeOut(nComTimeOut);
        break;
    case GRC_AUT_ANGLE_ERROR:
        // error within angle measurement:
        // switch inclination correction off
        hrc = TMC_SetInclineSwitch(OFF);
        break;
    default:
        // precise position not possible
        TryAgain = FALSE;
        if (rc == GRC_AUT_INCACC)
        {
            //Position successful but not precise
        }
        else
        {
            // Positioning not successful
            // here further error analyse possible
        }
        break;
    }
}
rc = AUS_SetUserAtrState(OFF); // Note: LOCK mode will
                                // be automatically
                                // reseted !
hrc = COM_SetTimeOut(nOldComTimeOut); // Set old time-
                                        // out
```

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7.4.6 AUT_ChangeFace – turning the telescope to the other face

C-Declaration

```
AUT_ChangeFace(AUT_POSMODE PosMode ,
               AUT_ATRMODE ATRMode ,
               BOOLE bDummy)
```

VB-Declaration

```
VB_AUT_ChangeFace4(PosMode As Long ,
                  ATRMode As Long ,
                  bDummy As Boolean)
```

ASCII-Request

```
%R1Q,9028:PosMode,ATRMode,0
```

ASCII-Response

```
%R1P,0,0:RC
```

Remarks

This procedure turns the telescope to the other face. If another function is active, for example locking onto a target, then this function is terminated and the procedure is executed.

If the position mode is set to normal (`PosMode = AUT_NORMAL`) it is allowed that the current value of the compensator measurement is inexact. Positioning precise (`PosMode = AUT_PRECISE`) forces a new compensator measurement. If this measurement is not possible, the position does not take place.

If ATR mode is activated and the ATR mode is set to `AUT_TARGET`, the instrument tries to position onto a target in the destination area.

If LOCK mode is activated and the ATR mode is set to `AUT_TARGET`, the instrument tries to lock onto a target in the destination area.

Parameters

| | | |
|---------|----|--|
| POSMode | In | Position mode: AUT_NORMAL: uses the current value of the compensator. For positioning distances >25GON AUT_NORMAL might tend to inaccuracy. AUT_PRECISE: tries to measure exact inclination of target. Tends to long position time (check AUT_TIMEOUT and/or COM-time out if necessary). |
| ATRMode | In | Mode of ATR: AUT_POSITION: conventional position to other face. AUT_TARGET: tries to position onto a target in the destination area. This set is only possible if ATR exists and is activated. |
| bDummy | In | It's reserved for future use, set bDummy always to FALSE |

Return-Code Names and Return-Code Values

| | | |
|------------------------|------|--|
| GRC_OK | 0 | Execution successful. |
| GRC_NA | 27 | GeoCOM Robotic license key not available |
| GRC_AUT_SIDECOVER_ERR | 8723 | Sidecover open |
| GRC_IVPARAM | 2 | Invalid parameter. |
| GRC_AUT_TIMEOUT | 8704 | Timeout while positioning of one or both axes. (perhaps increase AUT timeout, see AUT_SetTimeout) |
| GRC_AUT_MOTOR_ERROR | 8707 | Instrument has no 'motorization'. |
| TMC_NO_FULL_CORRECTION | 1283 | Error with angle measurement occurs if the instrument is not levelled properly during positioning. |
| GRC_FATAL | 4 | Fatal error. |
| GRC_ABORT | 8 | Function aborted. |
| GRC_COM_TIMEDOUT | 3077 | Communication timeout. (perhaps increase COM timeout, see COM_SetTimeout) |

Additionally with position mode `AUT_TARGET`.

| | | |
|-------------------|------|-----------------|
| GRC_AUT_NO_TARGET | 8710 | No target found |
|-------------------|------|-----------------|

| | | |
|--------------------------|------|--|
| GRC_AUT_MULTIPLE_TARGETS | 8711 | Multiple targets found. |
| GRC_AUT_BAD_ENVIRONMENT | 8712 | Inadequate environment conditions. |
| GRC_AUT_ACCURACY | 8716 | Inexact fine position, repeat positioning |
| GRC_AUT_DEV_ERROR | 8709 | During the determination of the angle deviation error detected, repeat change face |
| GRC_AUT_NOT_ENABLED | 8714 | ATR mode not enabled, enable ATR mode |

See Also

AUS_GetUserAtrState
 AUS_SetUserAtrState
 AUS_GetUserLockState
 AUS_SetUserLockState
 AUT_ReadTol
 AUT_SetTol
 AUT_ReadTimeout
 AUT_SetTimeout
 COM_GetTimeOut
 COM_SetTimeOut
 TMC_GetFace

Example

The example program performs a change face. If a measurement error occurs, the automatic inclination correction is switched off and the change face starts again.

```

GRC_TYPE      rc, rch;
BOOL          TryAgain = TRUE;
AUT_POSMODE   POSMode = AUT_PRECISE;

rc=GRC_IVRESULT;

while(rc!=GRC_OK && TryAgain)
{
    rc = AUT_ChangeFace(POSMode,
                        AUT_POSITION,
                        FALSE);

    switch (rc)
    {
    case (GRC_OK): // position successful
        //change face successful and precise
        break;
    case (GRC_AUT_ANGLE_ERROR):
        //error within angle measurement:
        //switch inclination correction off
        rch = TMC_SetInclineSwitch(OFF);
        break;
    case (GRC_COM_TIMEOUT):
        //communication timed out while change face
        TryAgain = FALSE;
        break;
    default:
        //precise position not possible
        TryAgain = FALSE;
        if (rc == GRC_AUT_INCACC)
        {
            //change face successful but not precise
        }
        else
        {
            // change face not successful
            // here further error analyse possible
        }
        break;
    }
}
  
```

7.4.7 AUT_FineAdjust - automatic target positioning

C-Declaration

```
AUT_FineAdjust( Double dSrchHz,
                double dSrchV ,
                BOOL  bDummy)
```

VB-Declaration

```
VB_AUT_FineAdjust3( DSrchHz As Double,
                    dSrchV As Double,
                    bDummy As Boolean)
```

ASCII-Request

```
%R1Q,9037:dSrchHz[double], dSrchV[double],0
```

ASCII-Response

```
%R1P,0,0:RC
```

Remarks

This procedure precisely positions the telescope crosshairs onto the target prism and measures the ATR Hz and V deviations. If the target is not within the visible area of the ATR sensor (Field of View) a target search will be executed. The target search range is limited by the parameter dSrchV in V- direction and by parameter dSrchHz in Hz - direction. If no target found the instrument turns back to the initial start position.

A current Fine Adjust LockIn towards a target is terminated by this procedure call. After positioning, the lock mode is active. The timeout of this operation is set to 5s, regardless of the general position timeout settings. The positioning tolerance is depends on the previously set up the fine adjust mode (see AUT_SetFineAdjustMoed and AUT_GetFineAdjustMode).

Tolerance settings (with AUT_SetTol and AUT_ReadTol) have no influence to this operation. The tolerance settings as well as the ATR measure precision depends on the instrument's class and the used EDM measure mode (The EDM measure modes are handled by the subsystem TMC).

Parameters

| | | |
|---------|----|--|
| DSrchHz | In | Search range Hz-axis [rad] |
| DSrchV | In | Search range V-axis [rad] |
| bDummy | In | It's reserved for future use, set bDummy always to FALSE |

Return-Code Names and Return-Code Values

| | | |
|--------------------------|------|--|
| GRC_OK | 0 | Execution successful. |
| GRC_NA | 27 | GeoCOM Robotic license key not available |
| GRC_AUT_SIDECOVER_ERR | 8723 | Sidecover open |
| GRC_AUT_TIMEOUT | 8704 | Timeout while positioning of one or both axes. The position fault lies above 100[cc]. (perhaps increase AUT timeout, see AUT_SetTimeout) |
| GRC_AUT_MOTOR_ERROR | 8707 | Instrument has no 'motorization'. |
| GRC_FATAL | 4 | Fatal error. |
| GRC_ABORT | 8 | Function aborted. |
| GRC_AUT_NO_TARGET | 8710 | No target found. |
| GRC_AUT_MULTIPLE_TARGETS | 8711 | Multiple targets found. |
| GRC_AUT_BAD_ENVIRONMENT | 8712 | Inadequate environment conditions. |
| GRC_AUT_DEV_ERROR | 8716 | During the determination of the angle deviation error detected, repeat fine positioning |
| GRC_AUT_DETECTOR_ERROR | 8713 | Error in target acquisition. |
| GRC_COM_TIMEOUT | 3077 | Communication time out. (perhaps increase COM timeout, see COM_SetTimeout) |

See Also

```
AUS_SetUserAtrState
AUS_GetUserAtrState
AUT_SetFineAdjustMode
AUT_GetFineAdjustMode
```

Example

```
GRC_TYPE      Result;
ON_OFF_TYPE   ATRState;
double        dHzSearchRange, dVSearchRange

dHzSearchRange=0.08;// search range in [rad]
dVSearchRange=0.08; // search range in [rad]

Result = AUS_GetUserAtrState(ATRState); // The ATR-Status must be set for
                                         // fine adjust functionality
if(ATRState==ON)
{
    // performs a fine position with a max. target
    // search range of 0.08rad (5gon) in Hz and V
    // direction
    Result = AUT_FineAdjust(dHzSearchRange,
                           dVSearchRange,
                           FALSE);
    switch (Result) // function return code
    {
        case (GRC_OK):
            //fine adjust successful and precise
            break;
        case (GRC_AUT_NO_TARGET):
            //no target found.
            break;
        case (GRC_AUT_MULTIPLE_TARGETS):
            //multiple targets found.
            break;
        case (GRC_AUT_BAD_ENVIRONMENT):
            //inadequate environment conditions.
            break;
        default:
            //fine adjust not successful
            //here further error analyse possible
            break;
    }
}
```

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7.4.8 AUT_Search - performing an automatic target search

C-Declaration

```
AUT_Search(double Hz_Area,
           double V_Area,
           BOOLE bDummy)
```

VB-Declaration

```
VB_AUT_Search2(Hz_Area As Double,
               V_Area As Double,
               bDummy As Boolean)
```

ASCII-Request

```
%R1Q,9029:Hz_Area,V_Area,0
```

ASCII-Response

```
%R1P,0,0:RC
```

Remarks

This procedure performs an automatically target search within a given area. The search is terminated once the prism appears in the field of view of the ATR sensor. If no prism is found within the specified area, the instrument turns back to the initial start position. For an exact positioning onto the prism centre, use fine adjust (see AUT_FineAdjust) afterwards.

Note: If you expand the search range of the function AUT_FineAdjust, then you have a target search and a fine positioning in one function.

Parameters

| | | |
|---------|----|--|
| Hz_Area | In | Horizontal search region [rad]. |
| V_Area | In | Vertical search region [rad]. |
| bDummy | In | It's reserved for future use, set bDummy always to FALSE |

Return-Code Names and Return-Code Values

| | | |
|-------------------------|------|---|
| GRC_OK | 0 | Execution successful. |
| GRC_NA | 27 | GeoCOM Robotic license key not available |
| GRC_AUT_SIDECOVER_ERR | 8723 | Sidecover open |
| GRC_IVPARAM | 2 | Invalid parameter. |
| GRC_AUT_MOTOR_ERROR | 8707 | Instrument has no 'motorization'. |
| GRC_FATAL | 4 | Fatal error. |
| GRC_ABORT | 8 | Function aborted. |
| GRC_AUT_NO_TARGET | 8710 | No target found. |
| GRC_AUT_BAD_ENVIRONMENT | 8712 | Inadequate environment conditions. |
| GRC_AUT_DETECTOR_ERROR | 8713 | AZE error, at repeated occur call service |
| GRC_COM_TIMEOUT | 3077 | Communication timeout. (perhaps increase COM timeout, see COM_SetTimeout) |

See Also

```
AUS_SetUserAttrState
AUS_GetUserAttrState
AUT_FineAdjust
```

Example

The example program performs a search in the given area. If no target is found, the area is increased until 1[rad]. If a communication timeout occurs, the value for the communication timeout is increased until 30[s] (Note that a search over a big area takes a long time often results in an error).

```
GRC_TYPE rc, hrc;
BOOL TryAgain = TRUE;
double Hz_Area, V_Area;
short nComTimeOut, nOldComTimeOut;

Hz_Area = 0.1;
V_Area = 0.1;
rc = GRC_IVRESULT;
```

```
hrc = COM_GetTimeOut(nOldComTimeOut);
hrc = AUS_SetUserAtrState(ON);      // activate ATR mode

while(rc!=GRC_OK && TryAgain && hrc==GRC_OK)
{
    rc = AUT_Search(Hz_Area,V_Area,FALSE);
    switch (rc)
    {
        case (GRC_OK):
            // execution successful
            // Target found
            break;
        case (GRC_AUT_NO_TARGET):
            //no target found.
            //increase search area
            Hz_Area += 0.1;
            V_Area += 0.1;
            if (Hz_Area > 1)
            {
                TryAgain = FALSE;
            }
            break;
        case (GRC_COM_TIMEDOUT):
            //communication timeout
            //increase timeout until 30s
            hrc = COM_GetTimeOut(nComTimeOut);
            nComTimeOut=(short)__min(nComTimeOut+=5, 60);
            hrc = COM_SetTimeOut(nComTimeOut);
            //abort if timeout >= 30s
            if (nComTimeOut >= 30)
            {
                TryAgain = FALSE;
            }
            break;
        default:
            //error: search not possible
            //here further error analyse possible
            break;
    }
}

hrc = COM_GetTimeOut(nOldComTimeOut); // Set old time
// out back
hrc = AUS_SetUserAtrState(OFF); // Note: LOCK mode will
// be automatically also                // reseted!
```

7.4.9 AUT_GetFineAdjustMode – getting the fine adjust positioning mode

C-Declaration

```
AUT_GetFineAdjustMode(AUT_ADJMODE& rAdjMode)
```

VB-Declaration

```
VB_AUT_GetFineAdjustMode(AdjMode As Long)
```

ASCII-Request

```
%R1Q,9030:
```

ASCII-Response

```
%R1P,0,0:RC,AdjMode[integer]
```

Remarks

This function returns the current activated fine adjust positioning mode. This command is valid for all instruments, but has only effects for instruments equipped with ATR.

Parameters

| | | |
|----------|-----|--------------------------------------|
| RAdjMode | Out | Current fine adjust positioning mode |
|----------|-----|--------------------------------------|

Return-Code Names and Return-Code Values

| | | |
|--------|----|--|
| GRC_OK | 0 | Execution successful. |
| GRC_NA | 27 | GeoCOM Robotic license key not available |

See Also

AUT_SetFineAdjustMode

Example

see AUT_SetFineAdjustMode

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7.4.10 AUT_SetFineAdjustMode - setting the fine adjust positioning mode

C-Declaration

```
AUT_SetFineAdjustMode(AUT_ADJMODE AdjMode)
```

VB-Declaration

```
VB_AUT_SetFineAdjustMode(AdjMode As Long)
```

ASCII-Request

```
%R1Q,9031:AdjMode[long]
```

ASCII-Response

```
%R1P,0,0:RC
```

Remarks

This function sets the positioning tolerances (default values for both modes) relating the angle accuracy or the point accuracy for the fine adjust. This command is valid for all instruments, but has only effects for instruments equipped with ATR. If a target is very near or held by hand, it's recommended to set the adjust-mode to AUT_POINT_MODE.

Parameters

| AdjMode | In | AUT_NORM_MODE: Fine positioning with angle tolerance AUT_POINT_MODE: Fine positioning with point tolerance |
|---------|----|---|
|---------|----|---|

Return-Code Names and Return-Code Values

| | | |
|-------------|----|--|
| GRC_OK | 0 | Execution successful. |
| GRC_NA | 27 | GeoCOM Robotic license key not available |
| GRC_IVPARAM | 2 | Invalid mode |

See Also

```
AUS_GetUserAtrState
```

Example

```
GRC_TYPE      Result;
AUT_ADJMODE    AdjMode;

Result=AUT_GetFineAdjustMode(AdjMode);
if(AdjMode!=AUT_MODE_POINT && Result==GRC_OK)
{ // change the finepositioning mode to AUT_MODE_POINT
    Result=AUT_SetFineAdjustMode(AUT_MODE_POINT);
    if(Result!=GRC_OK)
    { // Error handling
    }
}
```

7.4.11 AUT_LockIn - starting the target tracking

C-Declaration

```
AUT_LockIn()
```

VB-Declaration

```
VB_AUT_LockIn()
```

ASCII-Request

```
%R1Q,9013:
```

ASCII-Response

```
%R1P,0,0:RC
```

Remarks

If LOCK mode is activated (AUS_SetUserLockState) then the function starts the target tracking. The AUT_LockIn command is only possible if a AUT_FineAdjust command has been previously sent and successfully executed.

Parameters

| | | |
|--|--|--|
| | | |
|--|--|--|

Return-Code Names and Return-Code Values

| | | |
|-------------------------|------|---|
| GRC_OK | 0 | Execution successful. |
| GRC_NA | 27 | GeoCOM Robotic license key not available |
| GRC_AUT_SIDECOVER_ERR | 8723 | Sidecover open |
| GRC_AUT_MOTOR_ERROR | 8707 | Instrument has no 'motorization'. |
| GRC_AUT_DETECTOR_ERROR | 8713 | Error in target acquisition, at repeated occur call service |
| GRC_AUT_NO_TARGET | 517 | No target detected, no previous Fine Adjust |
| GRC_AUT_BAD_ENVIRONMENT | 8712 | Bad environment conditions |
| GRC_ATA_STRANGE_LIGHT | 524 | No target detected, no previous Fine Adjust |

See Also

```
AUS_SetUserLockState
AUS_GetUserLockState
MOT_ReadLockStatus
```

Example

```
GRC_TYPE  result;

result = AUS_SetUserLockState(ON); // enable lock mode
if(result==GRC_OK)
{
    result = AUT_LockIn(); // activate target tracking
    if(result != GRC_OK)
    {
        // Error handling
    }
}
```

7.4.12 AUT_SetLockFlyMode - starting the target tracking on the fly

C-Declaration

AUT_SetLockFlyMode(ON_OFF_TYPE eOnOff)

VB-Declaration

VB_AUT_SetLockFlyMode(eOnOff As Long)

ASCII-Request

%R1Q,9103:eOnOff

ASCII-Response

%R1P,0,0:RC

Remarks

This command turns the on the fly mode for the lock mode to on or off.

Parameters

| | | |
|--------|----|-------------|
| eOnOff | In | ON_OFF_TYPE |
|--------|----|-------------|

Return-Code Names and Return-Code Values

| | | |
|--------|---|-----------------------|
| GRC_OK | 0 | Execution successful. |
|--------|---|-----------------------|

See Also

AUT_GetLockFlyMode

Example

7.4.13 AUT_GetLockFlyMode – Get status for tracking on the fly

C-Declaration

```
AUT_GetLockFlyMode(ON_OFF_TYPE &reOnOff)
```

VB-Declaration

```
VB_AUT_GetLockFlyMode(reOnOff As Long)
```

ASCII-Request

```
%R1Q,9102:
```

ASCII-Response

```
%R1P,0,0:RC,reOnOff
```

Remarks

Get the status for the on the fly lock mode.

Parameters

| | | |
|---------|-----|-------------|
| reOnOff | Out | ON_OFF_TYPE |
|---------|-----|-------------|

Return-Code Names and Return-Code Values

| | | |
|--------|---|-----------------------|
| GRC_OK | 0 | Execution successful. |
|--------|---|-----------------------|

See Also

```
AUT_SetLockFlyMode
```

Example

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7.4.14 AUT_GetSearchArea – getting the dimensions of the PowerSearch window

C-Declaration

```
AUT_GetSearchArea( AUT_SEARCH_AREA &Area )
```

VB-Declaration

```
VB_AUT_GetSearchArea(Area As AUT_SEARCH_AREA)
```

ASCII-Request

```
%R1Q,9042:
```

ASCII-Response

```
%R1P,0,0:RC,dCenterHz [double], dCenterV [double], dRangeHz [double], dRangeV [double], bEnabled [Boolean]
```

Remarks

This function returns the current position and size of the PowerSearch Window. This command is valid for all instruments, but has only effects for instruments equipped with PowerSearch.

Parameters

| | | |
|------|-----|-----------------------------|
| Area | Out | user defined searching area |
|------|-----|-----------------------------|

Return-Code Names and Return-Code Values

| | | |
|--------|----|--|
| GRC_OK | 0 | Execution successful. |
| GRC_NA | 27 | GeoCOM Robotic license key not available |

See Also

```
AUT_SetSearchArea  
BAP_SearchTarget
```

Example

```
see AUT_SetSearchArea
```

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7.4.15 AUT_SetSearchArea – setting the PowerSearch window

C-Declaration

```
AUT_SetSearchArea( AUT_SEARCH_AREA Area )
```

VB-Declaration

```
VB_AUT_SetSearchArea(byval Area As AUT_SEARCH_AREA)
```

ASCII-Request

```
%R1Q,9043:dCenterHz,dCenterV,dRangeHz,dRangeV,bEnabled
```

ASCII-Response

```
%R1P,0,0:RC
```

Remarks

This function defines the position and dimensions and activates the PowerSearch window. This command is valid for all instruments, but has only effects for instruments equipped with PowerSearch.

Parameters

| | | |
|------|----|-----------------------------|
| Area | In | user defined searching area |
|------|----|-----------------------------|

Return-Code Names and Return-Code Values

| | | |
|--------|----|--|
| GRC_OK | 0 | Execution successful. |
| GRC_NA | 27 | GeoCOM Robotic license key not available |

See Also

```
AUT_GetSearchArea  
BAP_SearchTarget
```

Example

```
AUT_SEARCH_AREA SearchArea;  
SearchArea.dCenterHz = 0.5;  
SearchArea.dCenterV = 1.5708; // 100 gon  
SearchArea.dRangeHz = 0.4;  
SearchArea.dRangeV = 0.2;  
SearchArea.bEnabled = TRUE; // activate it  
RetCode = AUT_SetSearchArea(SearchArea);
```

7.4.16 AUT_GetUserSpiral – getting the ATR search window

C-Declaration

```
AUT_GetUserSpiral( AUT_SEARCH_SPIRAL &SpiralDim )
```

VB-Declaration

```
VB_AUT_GetUserSpiral(SpiralDim As AUT_SEARCH_SPIRAL)
```

ASCII-Request

```
%R1Q,9040:
```

ASCII-Response

```
%R1P,0,0:RC,dRangeHz[double],dRangeV[double]
```

Remarks

This function returns the current dimension of ATR search window. This command is valid for all instruments, but has only affects automated instruments.

Parameters

| | | |
|-----------|-----|-----------------------------|
| SpiralDim | Out | ATR search window dimension |
|-----------|-----|-----------------------------|

Return-Code Names and Return-Code Values

| | | |
|--------|----|--|
| GRC_OK | 0 | Execution successful. |
| GRC_NA | 27 | GeoCOM Robotic license key not available |

See Also

```
AUT_SetUserSpiral  
BAP_SearchTarget
```

Example

```
see AUT_SetUserSpiral
```

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7.4.17 AUT_SetUserSpiral - setting the ATR search window

C-Declaration

```
AUT_SetUserSpiral( AUT_SEARCH_SPIRAL SpiralDim)
```

VB-Declaration

```
VB_AUT_SetUserSpiral(byval SpiralDim As AUT_SEARCH_SPIRAL)
```

ASCII-Request

```
%R1Q,9041:dRangeHz,dRangeV[double]
```

ASCII-Response

```
%R1P,0,0:RC
```

Remarks

This function sets the dimension of the ATR search window. This command is valid for all instruments, but has only effects for instruments equipped with ATR.

Parameters

| | | |
|-----------|----|-------------------------|
| SpiralDim | In | ATR search window [rad] |
|-----------|----|-------------------------|

Return-Code Names and Return-Code Values

| | | |
|--------|----|--|
| GRC_OK | 0 | Execution successful. |
| GRC_NA | 27 | GeoCOM Robotic license key not available |

See Also

```
AUT_GetUserSpiral  
BAP_SearchTarget
```

Example

```
AUT_SEARCH_SPIRAL    SearchSpiral;  
GRC_TYPE              result;  
  
SearchSpiral.dRangeHz = 0.4;  
SearchSpiral.dRangeV  = 0.2;  
result = AUT_SetUserSpiral(SearchSpiral);
```

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7.4.18 AUT_PS_EnableRange – enabling the PowerSearch window and PowerSearch range

C-Declaration

```
AUT_PS_EnableRange(BOOLE bEnable)
```

VB-Declaration

```
VB_AUT_PS_EnableRange (bEnable As Boolean)
```

ASCII-Request

```
%R1Q,9048:Enable[BOOLE]
```

ASCII-Response

```
%R1P,0,0:RC
```

Remarks

This command enables / disables the predefined PowerSearch window including the predefined PowerSearch range limits, set by AUT_PS_SetRange

Parameters

| | | |
|--------|----|--|
| Enable | In | TRUE: Enables the user distance limits for PowerSearch FALSE: Default range 0..400m |
|--------|----|--|

Return-Code Names and Return-Code Values

| | | |
|--------|----|--|
| GRC_OK | 0 | Execution successful. |
| GRC_NA | 27 | GeoCOM Robotic license key not available |

See Also

```
AUT_PS_SetRange  
AUT_SetSearchArea
```

Example

```
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```

7.4.19 AUT_PS_SetRange – setting the PowerSearch range

C-Declaration

```
AUT_PS_SetRange(long lMinDist, long lMaxDist)
```

VB-Declaration

```
VB_AUT_PS_SetRange (lMinDist As Long, lMaxDist As Long )
```

ASCII-Request

```
%R1Q,9047:lMinDist[long], lMaxDist[long]
```

ASCII-Response

```
%R1P,0,0:RC
```

Remarks

This command defines the PowerSearch distance range limits.

These additional limits (additional to the PowerSearch window) will be used once the range checking is enabled (AUT_PS_EnableRange).

Parameters

| | | |
|----------|----|---|
| lMinDist | In | Minimal distance to prism ($\geq 0\text{m}$) |
| lMaxDist | In | Maximal distance to prism, where $\text{lMaxDist} \leq 400\text{m}$ $\text{lMaxdist} \geq \text{lMinDist} + 10$ |

Return-Code Names and Return-Code Values

| | | |
|-------------|----|--|
| GRC_OK | 0 | Execution successful |
| GRC_NA | 27 | GeoCOM Robotic license key not available |
| GRC_IVPARAM | 2 | Invalid parameters |

See Also

AUT_PS_EnableRange
 AUT_PS_SearchWindow
 AUT_SetSearchArea

Example

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7.4.20 AUT_PS_SearchWindow – starting PowerSearch

C-Declaration

```
AUT_PS_SearchWindow()
```

VB-Declaration

```
VB_AUT_PS_SearchWindow()
```

ASCII-Request

```
%R1Q,9052:
```

ASCII-Response

```
%R1P,0,0:RC
```

Remarks

This command starts PowerSearch inside the given PowerSearch window, defined by AUT_SetSearchArea and optional by AUT_PS_SetRange

Parameters

| | | |
|--|--|--|
| | | |
|--|--|--|

Return-Code Names and Return-Code Values

| | | |
|-------------------------|------|--|
| GRC_OK | 0 | Execution successful. |
| GRC_NA | 27 | GeoCOM Robotic license key not available |
| GRC_AUT_SIDECOVER_ERR | 8723 | Sidecover open |
| GRC_AUT_NO_WORKING_AREA | 8720 | Working area not defined |
| GRC_AUT_NO_TARGET | 8710 | No Target found |

See Also

```
AUT_PS_EnableRange
AUT_PS_SetRange
AUT_PS_SearchNext
AUT_SetSearchArea
```

Example

```
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```

7.4.21 AUT_PS_SearchNext – searching for the next target

C-Declaration

```
AUT_PS_SearchNext(long lDirection, BOOLE bSwing)
```

VB-Declaration

```
VB_AUT_PS_SearchNext(lDirection As Long,  
                     bSwing As Boolean )
```

ASCII-Request

```
%R1Q,9051:lDirection[long], bSwing[BOOLE]
```

ASCII-Response

```
%R1P,0,0:RC
```

Remarks

This command executes the 360° default PowerSearch and searches for the next target. A previously defined PowerSearch window (AUT_SetSearchArea) is not taken into account. Use AUT_PS_SearchWindow to do so.

Parameters

| | | |
|------------|----|---|
| lDirection | In | Defines the searching direction (CLKW=1 or ACLKW=-1) |
| bSwing | In | TRUE: Searching starts -10 gon to the given direction lDirection. This setting finds targets left of the telescope direction faster |

Return-Code Names and Return-Code Values

| | | |
|-----------------------|------|--|
| GRC_OK | 0 | Execution successful |
| GRC_NA | 27 | GeoCOM Robotic license key not available |
| GRC_AUT_SIDECOVER_ERR | 8723 | Sidecover open |
| GRC_AUT_NO_TARGET | 8710 | No Target found |
| GRC_IVPARAM | 2 | Invalid parameters |

See Also

```
AUT_PS_EnableRange  
AUT_PS_SearchWindow
```

Example

```
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```

7.4.22 AUT_CAM_PositToPixelCoord – position to a given pixel coordinate of the given camera

C-Declaration

```
AUT_CAM_PositToPixelCoord (CAM_ID_TYPE CamID, double dXCoord, double dYCoord);
```

VB-Declaration

```
VB_AUT_CAM_PositToPixelCoord ( in1 As Long, in2 As Double, in3 As Double )
```

ASCII-Request

```
%R1Q,9081:CamID,dXCoord,dYCoord
```

ASCII-Response

```
%R1P,0,0:RC
```

Remarks

This command positions the theodolite to the given coordinates of the defined camera such that the cross hairs will lie on the given image coordinates.

Parameters

| | | |
|---------|----|-------------------------------|
| CamID | in | see definition of CAM_ID_TYPE |
| dXCoord | in | X coordinate to position to |
| dYCoord | in | Y coordinate to position to |

Return-Code Names and Return-Code Values

| | | |
|-----------------------|------|--|
| GRC_OK | 0 | Execution successful. |
| GRC_NA | 27 | GeoCOM Robotic or Imaging license key not available. |
| GRC_AUT_SIDECOVER_ERR | 8723 | Sidecover open |

See Also

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Example

8 BASIC APPLICATIONS – BAP

8.1 USAGE

The subsystem basic applications (BAP) contain high-level functions visible on the user interface, the instrument display and commands combining several subcommands for easy workflow.

8.2 CONSTANTS AND TYPES

Measurement Modes

```
enum BAP_MEASURE_PRG
{
    BAP_NO_MEAS = 0           // no measurements, take last one
    BAP_NO_DIST = 1           // no dist. measurement,
                                // angles only
    BAP_DEF_DIST = 2          // default distance measurements,
                                // pre-defined using
                                // BAP_SetMeasPrg
    BAP_CLEAR_DIST = 5        // clear distances
    BAP_STOP_TRK = 6          // stop tracking
                                //
};
```

Distance measurement programs

```
enum BAP_USER_MEASPRG {
    BAP_SINGLE_REF_STANDARD = 0, // IR Standard
    BAP_SINGLE_REF_FAST = 1,     // IR Fast
    BAP_SINGLE_REF_VISIBLE = 2,  // LO Standard
    BAP_SINGLE_RLESS_VISIBLE = 3, // RL Standard
    BAP_CONT_REF_STANDARD = 4,   // IR Tracking
    BAP_CONT_REF_FAST = 5,       // not supported by Viva TPS
    BAP_CONT_RLESS_VISIBLE = 6,  // RL Fast Tracking
    BAP_AVG_REF_STANDARD = 7,    // IR Average
    BAP_AVG_REF_VISIBLE = 8,     // LO Average
    BAP_AVG_RLESS_VISIBLE = 9,   // RL Average
    BAP_CONT_REF_SYNCHRO = 10,   // IR Synchro Tracking
    BAP_SINGLE_REF_PRECISE = 11,  // IR Precise (TS30,TM30)
};
```

Prism type definition

```
enum BAP_PRISMTYPE
{
    BAP_PRISM_ROUND = 0, // Leica Circular Prism
    BAP_PRISM_MINI = 1,  // Leica Mini Prism
    BAP_PRISM_TAPE = 2,  // Leica Reflector Tape
    BAP_PRISM_360 = 3,   // Leica 360° Prism
    BAP_PRISM_USER1 = 4, // not supported by Viva TPS
    BAP_PRISM_USER2 = 5, // not supported by Viva TPS
    BAP_PRISM_USER3 = 6, // not supported by Viva TPS
    BAP_PRISM_360_MINI = 7, // Leica Mini 360° Prism
    BAP_PRISM_MINI_ZERO = 8, // Leica Mini Zero Prism
    BAP_PRISM_USER = 9, // User Defined Prism
    BAP_PRISM_NDS_TAPE = 10, // Leica HDS Target
    BAP_PRISM_GRZ121_ROUND = 11, // GRZ121 360° Prism for Machine Guidance
    BAP_PRISM_MA_MPR122 = 12, // MPR122 360° Prism for Machine Guidance
};
```

Reflector type definition

```
enum BAP_REFLTYPE
{
    BAP_REFL_UNDEF = 0, // reflector not defined
    BAP_REFL_PRISM = 1, // reflector prism
    BAP_REFL_TAPE = 2, // reflector tape
};
```

Prism name length

```
BAP_PRISMNAME_LEN = 16; // prism name string
```

Prism definition

```
struct BAP_PRISMDEF
```

```
{
char          szName[BAP_PRISMNAME_LEN+1];
double        dAddConst; // prism correction
BAP_REFLTYPE  eReflType; // reflector type
}
```

Target type definition

```
enum BAP_TARGET_TYPE
{
    BAP_REFL_USE = 0 // with reflector
    BAP_REFL_LESS = 1 // without reflector
};
```

ATR low vis mode definition

```
typedef enum
{
    BAP_ATRSET_NORMAL,           // ATR is using no special flags or modes
    BAP_ATRSET_LOWVIS_ON,       // ATR low vis mode on
    BAP_ATRSET_LOWVIS_AON,      // ATR low vis mode always on
    BAP_ATRSET_SRANGE_ON,       // ATR high reflectivity mode on
    BAP_ATRSET_SRANGE_AON,      // ATR high reflectivity mode always on
} BAP_ATRSETTING;
```

On/off switch

```
enum ON_OFF_TYPE // on/off switch type
{
    OFF = 0,
    ON  = 1
};
```

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8.3 FUNCTIONS

8.3.1 BAP_GetTargetType - getting the EDM type

C-Declaration

```
BAP_GetTargetType( BAP_TARGET_TYPE &eTargetType )
```

VB-Declaration

```
VB_BAP_GetTargetType(eTargetType As Long)
```

ASCII-Request

```
%R1Q,17022:
```

ASCII-Response

```
%R1Q,0,0:RC,eTargetType[long]
```

Remarks

Gets the current EDM type for distance measurements (Reflector (IR) or Reflectorless (RL)).

Parameters

| | | |
|-------------|-----|--------------------|
| eTargetType | Out | Actual target type |
|-------------|-----|--------------------|

Return-Code Names and Return-Code Values

| | | |
|--------|---|-----------------------|
| GRC_OK | 0 | Execution successful. |
|--------|---|-----------------------|

See Also

```
BAP_SetTargetType( )  
BAP_SetMeasPrg( )
```

Example

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8.3.2 BAP_SetTargetType – setting the EDM type

C-Declaration

```
BAP_SetTargetType( BAP_TARGET_TYPE eTargetType )
```

VB-Declaration

```
VB_BAP_SetTargetType(byVal eTargetType As Long)
```

ASCII-Request

```
%R1Q,17021: eTargetType [long]
```

ASCII-Response

```
%R1P,0,0:RC
```

Remarks

Sets the current EDM type for distance measurements (Reflector (IR) or Reflectorless (RL)).

For each EDM type the last used EDM mode is remembered and activated if the EDM type is changed.

If EDM type IR is selected the last used Automation mode is automatically activated.

BAP_SetMeasPrg can also change the target type.

EDM type RL is not available on all instrument types.

Parameters

| | | |
|-------------|----|-------------|
| eTargetType | In | Target type |
|-------------|----|-------------|

Return-Code Names and Return-Code Values

| | | |
|-------------|---|------------------------------|
| GRC_OK | 0 | Execution successful. |
| GRC_IVPARAM | 2 | Target type is not available |

See Also

```
BAP_GetTargetType( )  
BAP_SetMeasPrg( )
```

Example

```
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```

8.3.3 BAP_GetPrismType - getting the default prism type

C-Declaration

```
BAP_GetPrismType( BAP_PRISM_TYPE &ePrismType )
```

VB-Declaration

```
VB_BAP_GetPrismType (ePrismType As Long)
```

ASCII-Request

```
%R1Q,17009:
```

ASCII-Response

```
%R1Q,0,0:RC,ePrismType[long]
```

Remarks

Gets the current prism type.

Parameters

| ePrismType | Out | Actual prism type |
|------------|-----|-------------------|
|------------|-----|-------------------|

Return-Code Names and Return-Code Values

| | | |
|--------------|---|------------------------------------|
| GRC_OK | 0 | Execution successful. |
| GRC_IVRESULT | 3 | RL EDM type is set – no reflector. |

See Also

```
BAP_SetPrismType()
```

Example

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8.3.4 BAP_SetPrismType – setting the default prism type

C-Declaration

BAP_SetPrismType(BAP_PRISM_TYPE ePrismType)

VB-Declaration

VB_BAP_SetPrismType(ByVal ePrismType As Long)

ASCII-Request

%R1Q,17008: ePrismType [long]

ASCII-Response

%R1P,0,0:RC

Remarks

Sets the prism type for measurements with a reflector.

Parameters

| | | |
|------------|----|-------------|
| ePrismType | In | Prism type. |
|------------|----|-------------|

Return-Code Names and Return-Code Values

| | | |
|-------------|---|------------------------------|
| GRC_OK | 0 | Execution successful. |
| GRC_IVPARAM | 2 | Prism type is not available. |

See Also

BAP_GetPrismType2()

Example

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8.3.5 BAP_GetPrismType2 – getting the default or user prism type

C-Declaration

```
BAP_GetPrismType( BAP_PRISMTYPE &rePrismType, char *szPrismName )
```

VB-Declaration

```
VB_BAP_GetPrismType2 ( rePrismType As Long, ByVal szPrismName As String)
```

ASCII-Request

```
%R1Q,17031:
```

ASCII-Response

```
%R1Q,0,0:RC,ePrismType[long],szPrismName[string]
```

Remarks

Gets the current prism type and name.

Parameters

| | | |
|-------------|-----|-------------------|
| rePrismType | Out | Actual prism type |
| szPrismName | Out | Actual prism name |

Return-Code Names and Return-Code Values

| | | |
|--------|---|-----------------------|
| GRC_OK | 0 | Execution successful. |
|--------|---|-----------------------|

See Also

```
BAP_SetPrismType()  
BAP_SetPrismType2()
```

Example

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8.3.6 BAP_SetPrismType2 – setting the default or user prism type

C-Declaration

```
BAP_SetPrismType( BAP_PRISMTYPE ePrismType, char* szPrismName )
```

VB-Declaration

```
VB_BAP_SetPrismType2(ByVal ePrismType As Long, ByVal szPrismName As String)
```

ASCII-Request

```
%R1Q,17030: ePrismType [long], szPrismName[string]
```

ASCII-Response

```
%R1P,0,0:RC
```

Remarks

Sets the default or user prism type for measurements with a reflector. For setting a user defined prism the prism has to be defined previously (BAP_SetUserPrismDef)

Parameters

| | | |
|-------------|----|---|
| ePrismType | In | Prism type. |
| szPrismName | In | Prism name. Required if prism type is BAP_PRISM_USER. |

Return-Code Names and Return-Code Values

| | | |
|-------------|---|---|
| GRC_OK | 0 | Execution successful. |
| GRC_IVPARAM | 2 | Prism type is not available, i.e. a user prism is not defined |

See Also

```
BAP_GetPrismType2()
```

Example

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8.3.7 BAP_GetPrismDef – getting the default prism definition

C-Declaration

```
BAP_GetPrismDef( BAP_PRISM_TYPE ePrismType,
                 BAP_PRISMDEF &PrismDef)
```

VB-Declaration

```
VB_BAP_GetPrismDef(byval ePrism As Long,
                   PrismDef As BAP_PRISMDEF )
```

ASCII-Request

```
%R1Q,17023: ePrismType[long]
```

ASCII-Response

```
%R1Q,0,0:RC, Name[String], dAddConst[double], eRefType[long]
```

Remarks

Get the definition of a default prism.

Parameters

| | | |
|------------|-----|--|
| ePrismType | In | Prism type |
| PrismDef | Out | Definition of the selected default prism |

Return-Code Names and Return-Code Values

| | | |
|-------------|---|-----------------------|
| GRC_OK | 0 | Execution successful. |
| GRC_IVPARAM | 2 | Invalid prism type |

See Also

```
BAP_SetUserPrismDef()
```

Example

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8.3.8 BAP_GetUserPrismDef – getting the user prism definition

C-Declaration

```
BAP_GetUserPrismDef(char *szPrismName,
                    double &rdAddConst,
                    BAP_REFLTYPE &reReflType,
                    char *szCreator)
```

VB-Declaration

```
VB_BAP_GetUserPrismDef(ByVal szPrismName As String,
                       rdAddConst As Double,
                       reReflType As Long,
                       ByVal szCreator As String)
```

ASCII-Request

```
%R1Q,17033:szPrismName[String]
```

ASCII-Response

```
%R1P,0,0:RC, rdAddConst[double], reReflType[long], szCreator[String]
```

Remarks

Gets definition of a defined user prism.

Parameters

| | | |
|-------------|-----|----------------------|
| szPrismName | In | Prism name |
| dAddConst | Out | Prism correction [m] |
| eReflType | Out | Reflector type |
| szCreator | Out | Name of creator |

Return-Code Names and Return-Code Values

| | | |
|-------------|---|--------------------------|
| GRC_OK | 0 | Execution successful. |
| GRC_IVPARAM | 2 | Invalid prism definition |

See Also

```
BAP_SetPrismType()
BAP_SetPrismType2()
BAP_GetPrismDef()
BAP_GetUserPrismDef()
```

Example

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8.3.9 BAP_SetUserPrismDef – setting a user prism definition

C-Declaration

```
BAP_SetUserPrismDef(char *szPrismName,
                    double dAddConst,
                    BAP_REFLTYPE eReflType,
                    char *szCreator)
```

VB-Declaration

```
VB_BAP_SetUserPrismDef(ByVal szPrismName As String,
                      dAddConst As Double,
                      eReflType As Long,
                      ByVal szCreator As String)
```

ASCII-Request

```
%R1Q,17032:szPrismName[String],dAddConst[double],eReflType[long],szCreator[String]
```

ASCII-Response

```
%R1P,0,0:RC
```

Remarks

Defines a new user prism.

Parameters

| | | |
|-------------|----|----------------------|
| szPrismName | In | Prism name |
| dAddConst | In | Prism correction [m] |
| eReflType | In | Reflector type |
| szCreator | In | Name of creator |

Return-Code Names and Return-Code Values

| | | |
|--------------|---|-----------------------------|
| GRC_OK | 0 | Execution successful. |
| GRC_IVPARAM | 2 | Invalid prism definition |
| GRC_IVRESULT | 3 | Prism definition is not set |

See Also

```
BAP_SetPrismType()
BAP_GetPrismDef()
BAP_GetUserPrismDef()
```

Example

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8.3.10 BAP_GetMeasPrg – getting the actual distance measurement program

C-Declaration

BAP_GetMeasPrg(BAP_USER_MEASPRG &eMeasPrg)

VB-Declaration

VB_BAP_GetMeasPrg(eMeasPrg As Long)

ASCII-Request

%R1Q,17018:

ASCII-Response

%R1Q,0,0:RC,eMeasPrg[long]

Remarks

Gets the current distance measurement program.

Parameters

| | | |
|----------|-----|----------------------------|
| eMeasPrg | Out | Actual measurement program |
|----------|-----|----------------------------|

Return-Code Names and Return-Code Values

| | | |
|--------|---|-----------------------|
| GRC_OK | 0 | Execution successful. |
|--------|---|-----------------------|

See Also

BAP_SetMeasPrg()

Example

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8.3.11 BAP_SetMeasPrg - setting the distance measurement program

C-Declaration

```
BAP_SetMeasPrg( BAP_USER_MEASPRG eMeasPrg )
```

VB-Declaration

```
VB_BAP_SetMeasPrg(byVal eMeasPrg As Long)
```

ASCII-Request

```
%R1Q,17019:eMeasPrg [long]
```

ASCII-Response

```
%R1P,0,0:RC
```

Remarks

Defines the distance measurement program i.e. for BAP_MeasDistanceAngle

RL EDM type programs are not available on all instrument types.

Changing the measurement programs may change the EDM type as well (Reflector (IR) and Reflectorless (RL))

Parameters

| | | |
|----------|----|---------------------|
| eMeasPrg | In | Measurement program |
|----------|----|---------------------|

Return-Code Names and Return-Code Values

| | | |
|-------------|---|--------------------------------------|
| GRC_OK | 0 | Execution successful. |
| GRC_IVPARAM | 2 | Measurement program is not available |

See Also

```
BAP_GetMeasPrg( )  
BAP_SetTargetType( )
```

Example

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8.3.12 BAP_MeasDistanceAngle – measuring Hz,V angles and a single distance

C-Declaration

```
BAP_MeasDistanceAngle(BAP_MEASURE_PRG &DistMode,
                      double &dHz, double &dV,
                      double &dDist)
```

VB-Declaration

```
VB_BAP_MeasDistAng(DistMode As Long,
                   dHz As Double, dV As Double
                   dDist As Double)
```

ASCII-Request

```
%R1Q,17017:DistMode[long]
```

ASCII-Response

```
%R1P,0,0:RC,dHz[double],dV[double],dDist[double],DistMode[long]
```

Remarks

This function measures angles and a single distance depending on the mode `DistMode`. Note that this function is not suited for continuous measurements (LOCK mode and TRK mode). This command uses the current automation settings.

Parameters

| | | |
|----------|-----|--|
| DistMode | In | BAP_DEF_DIST uses the predefined distance measurement program as defined in BAP_SetMeasPrg |
| DistMode | Out | Actual distance measurement mode |
| dHz | Out | Horizontal angle [rad]x, depends on DistMode |
| dV | Out | Vertical angle [rad]x, depends on DistMode |
| dDist | Out | Slopedistance [m]x, depends on DistMode |

Return-Code Names and Return-Code Values

BAP_MeasDistanceAngle may additionally return AUT- and TMC-return codes.

| | | |
|------------------------------|------|---|
| GRC_OK | 0 | Execution successful. |
| GRC_AUT_ANGLE_ERROR | 8706 | Angle measurement error |
| GRC_AUT_BAD_ENVIRONMENT | 8712 | Bad Environment conditions |
| GRC_AUT_CALACC | 8715 | ATR-calibration failed |
| GRC_AUT_DETECTOR_ERROR | 8713 | Error in target acquisition |
| GRC_AUT_DEV_ERROR | 8709 | Deviation measurement error |
| GRC_AUT_INCACC | 8708 | Position not exactly reached |
| GRC_AUT_MOTOR_ERROR | 8707 | Motorization error |
| GRC_AUT_MULTIPLE_TARGETS | 8711 | Multiple targets detected |
| GRC_AUT_NO_TARGET | 8710 | No target detected |
| GRC_AUT_TIMEOUT | 8704 | Position not reached |
| TMC_ACCURACY_GUARANTEE | 1284 | Info, accuracy cannot be guaranteed |
| TMC_ANGLE_ACCURACY_GUARANTEE | 1289 | Info, only angle measurement valid, accuracy cannot be guaranteed |
| TMC_ANGLE_ERROR | 1290 | Error, no valid angle measurement |
| TMC_ANGLE_NO_FULL_CORRECTION | 1288 | Warning, only angle measurement valid, accuracy cannot be guaranteed |
| TMC_ANGLE_OK | 1285 | Warning, only angle measurement valid |
| TMC_BUSY | 1293 | Error, TMC submodule already in use by another subsystem, command not processed |
| TMC_DIST_ERROR | 1292 | An error occurred during distance measurement. |
| TMC_DIST_PPM | 1291 | Error, wrong setting of PPM |
| TMC_NO_FULL_CORRECTION | 1283 | Warning, measurement without full correction |
| TMC_SIGNAL_ERROR | 1294 | Error, no signal on EDM (only in signal mode) |

| | | |
|-----------------|------|---|
| GRC_ABORT | 8 | Error, measurement aborted |
| GRC_COM_TIMEOUT | 3077 | Error, communication timeout. (possibly increase COM timeout, see COM_SetTimeout) |
| GRC_IVPARAM | 2 | Error, invalid DistMode |
| GRC_SHUT_DOWN | 12 | Error, system stopped |

See Also

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Example

```

void MyMeasurement(BAP_MEASURE_PRG DistMode)
{
    GRC_TYPE          Result;
    BAP_MEASURE_PRG   DistMode;
    double             dHz, dV, dDist;

    DistMode = BAP_DEF_DIST
    Result = BAP_MeasDistanceAngle(DistMode,
                                   dHz, dV, dDist);

    if (rc != GRC_OK)
    { // error-handling
        switch (rc)
        {
            case GRC_IVPARAM:
                printf("Wrong value for DistMode!");
                break;

            case GRC_ABORT:
                printf("Measurement aborted!");
                break;

            case GRC_SHUT_DOWN:
                printf("System has been stopped!");
                break;

            case GRC_TMC_DIST_PPM:
                printf("PPM or MM should be switched off");
                printf(" when EDM is on -> no results!");
                break;

            case GRC_TMC_DIST_ERROR:
                printf("Error occurred during");
                printf(" distance measurement!");
                break;

            case GRC_TMC_ANGLE_ERROR:
                printf("Error occurred while slope");
                printf(" was measured!");
                break;

            case GRC_TMC_BUSY:
                printf("TMC is busy!");
                break;

            case GRC_TMC_ANGLE_OK:
                printf("Angle without coordinates!");
                break;
        } // end of switch (rc)
    } // end of error handling
    else
    { // use results
        printf("horizontal angel [rad]: %d\n", dHz);
        printf("vertical angel [rad] : %d\n", dV);
        printf("slopedistance [rad] : %d\n", dDist);
    }
} //end of MyMeasurement

```

8.3.13 BAP_SearchTarget - searching the target

C-Declaration

```
BAP_SearchTarget(BOOLE bDummy)
```

VB-Declaration

```
VB_BAP_SearchTarget(bDummy As Boolean)
```

ASCII-Request

```
%R1Q,17020:0
```

ASCII-Respo

```
%R1P,0,0:RC
```

Remarks

This function searches for a target in the configured or defined ATR SearchWindow. The functionality is only available for automated instruments.

Parameters

| | | |
|--------|----|--|
| bDummy | In | It's reserved for future use, set bDummy always to FALSE |
|--------|----|--|

Return-Code Names and Return-Code Values

| | | |
|--------------------------|------|------------------------------|
| GRC_OK | 0 | Execution successful. |
| GRC_AUT_BAD_ENVIRONMENT | 8712 | Bad Environment conditions |
| GRC_AUT_DEV_ERROR | 8709 | Deviation measurement error |
| GRC_AUT_ACCURACY | 8716 | Position not exactly reached |
| GRC_AUT_MOTOR_ERROR | 8707 | Motorization error |
| GRC_AUT_MULTIPLE_TARGETS | 8711 | Multiple targets detected |
| GRC_AUT_NO_TARGET | 8710 | No target detected |
| GRC_AUT_TIMEOUT | 8704 | Time out, no target found |
| GRC_ABORT | 8 | Error, searching aborted |
| GRC_FATAL | 4 | Fatal Error |

See Also

```
AUT_GetUserSpiral
AUT_SetUserSpiral
BAP_ATRSetting (lowvis)
BAP_GetATRSetting
BAP_SetATRSetting
BAP_GetRedATRFov
BAP_SetRedATRFov
```


8.3.14 BAP_GetATRSetting – getting the current ATR low vis mode

C-Declaration

BAP_GetATRSetting(BAP_ATRSETTING &reATRSetting)

VB-Declaration

VB_BAP_GetATRSetting(reATRSetting As Long)

ASCII-Request

%R1Q,17034:

ASCII-Response

%R1Q,0,0:RC, reATRSetting[long]

Remarks

Gets the current low vis mode.

Parameters

| | | |
|--------------|-----|---|
| reATRSetting | Out | BAP_LOWVIS_NORMAL: ATR is using no special flags/modes BAP_LOWVIS_ON: ATR low vis mode on BAP_LOWVIS_ALWAYSON: ATR low vis mode always on BAP_LOWVIS_BOBBYON: ATR high reflectivity mode on BAP_LOWVIS_BOBBYALWAYSON: ATR high reflectivity mode always on |
|--------------|-----|---|

Return-Code Names and Return-Code Values

| | | |
|--------|---|-----------------------|
| GRC_OK | 0 | Execution successful. |
|--------|---|-----------------------|

See Also

BAP_SetATRSetting()

Example

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8.3.15 BAP_SetATRSetting – setting the current ATR low vis mode

C-Declaration

BAP_SetATRSetting(BAP_ATRSETTING eATRSetting)

VB-Declaration

VB_ BAP_SetATRSetting(ByVal eATRSetting As Long)

ASCII-Request

%R1Q,17035: eATRSetting[long]

ASCII-Response

%R1Q,0,0:RC

Remarks

Sets the current low vis mode.

Parameters

| | | |
|-------------|----|------------------|
| eATRSetting | In | ATR low vis mode |
|-------------|----|------------------|

Return-Code Names and Return-Code Values

| | | |
|--------|---|-----------------------|
| GRC_OK | 0 | Execution successful. |
|--------|---|-----------------------|

See Also

BAP_GetATRSetting()

Example

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8.3.16 BAP_GetRedATRFov – getting the reduced ATR field of view

C-Declaration

```
BAP_GetRedATRFov(ON_OFF_TYPE &reRedFov)
```

VB-Declaration

```
VB_BAP_GetRedATRFov(reRedFov As Long)
```

ASCII-Request

```
%R1Q,17036:
```

ASCII-Response

```
%R1Q,0,0:RC, reRedFov[long]
```

Remarks

Get reduced ATR field of view mode.

Parameters

| | | |
|----------|-----|--|
| reRedFov | Out | ON: ATR uses reduced field of view (about 1/9) OFF: ATR uses full field of view |
|----------|-----|--|

Return-Code Names and Return-Code Values

| | | |
|--------|---|-----------------------|
| GRC_OK | 0 | Execution successful. |
|--------|---|-----------------------|

See Also

```
BAP_SetRedATRFov( )
```

Example

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8.3.17 BAP_SetRedATRFov – setting the reduced ATR field of view

C-Declaration

```
BAP_SetRedATRFov(ON_OFF_TYPE eRedFov)
```

VB-Declaration

```
VB_BAP_SetRedATRFov(ByVal eRedFov As Long)
```

ASCII-Request

```
%R1Q,17037:eRedFov[long]
```

ASCII-Response

```
%R1Q,0,0:RC
```

Remarks

Set reduced ATR field of view mode.

Parameters

| | | |
|---------|-----|--|
| eRedFov | Out | ON: ATR uses reduced field of view (about 1/9) OFF: ATR uses full field of view |
|---------|-----|--|

Return-Code Names and Return-Code Values

| | | |
|--------|---|-----------------------|
| GRC_OK | 0 | Execution successful. |
|--------|---|-----------------------|

See Also

```
BAP_GetRedATRFov()
```

Example

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8.3.18 BAP_GetATRPrecise –Get status if precise ATR is On / Off

C-Declaration

BAP_GetATRPrecise (ON_OFF_TYPE &eAtrPrecise)

VB-Declaration

VB_BAP_GetATRPrecise(eAtrPrecise As Long)

ASCII-Request

%R1Q,17039:

ASCII-Response

%R1Q,0,0:RC,reRedFov

Remarks

Get the information if precise ATR mode is On / Off. Precise ATR is just available for Instrument with a precision of 0.5".

Parameters

| | | |
|-------------|-----|---|
| eAtrPrecise | Out | 1: ATR precise mode is on. 0: ATR precise mode is off. |
|-------------|-----|---|

Return-Code Names and Return-Code Values

| | | |
|--------|---|-----------------------|
| GRC_OK | 0 | Execution successful. |
|--------|---|-----------------------|

See Also

BAP_SetATRPrecise

Example

8.3.19 BAP_SetATRPrecise –Set precise ATR is On / Off

C-Declaration

```
BAP_SetATRPrecise (ON_OFF_TYPE eAtrPrecise)
```

VB-Declaration

```
VB_BAP_GetATRPrecise(eAtrPrecise As Long)
```

ASCII-Request

```
%R1Q,17040:eAtrPrecise
```

ASCII-Response

```
%R1Q,0,0:RC
```

Remarks

Set precise ATR mode to On / Off. Precise ATR is just available for Instrument with a precision of 0.5".

Parameters

| | | |
|-------------|-----|---|
| eAtrPrecise | Out | 1: ATR precise mode is on. 0: ATR precise mode is off. |
|-------------|-----|---|

Return-Code Names and Return-Code Values

| | | |
|--------|---|-----------------------|
| GRC_OK | 0 | Execution successful. |
|--------|---|-----------------------|

See Also

```
BAP_GetATRPrecise
```

Example

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9 BASIC MAN MACHINE INTERFACE – BMM

9.1 USAGE

The subsystem BMM (Basic Man Machine Interface) implements the low-level functions for the MMI. These are also functions, which are relevant for controlling the display, keyboard, character sets and the beeper (signalling device). In GeoCOM only the beep control functions are supported. The description of the IOS beep control functions is also in this chapter, because there is a very close relationship to the BMM functions.

9.2 CONSTANTS AND TYPES

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9.3 FUNCTIONS

9.3.1 BMM_BeepAlarm - outputing an alarm signal (triple beep)

C-Declaration

BMM_BeepAlarm(void)

VB-Declaration

VB_BMM_BeepAlarm()

ASCII-Request

%R1Q,11004:

ASCII-Response

%R1P,0,0:RC

Remarks

This function produces a triple beep with the configured intensity and frequency, which cannot be changed. If there is a continuous signal active, it will be stopped before.

Parameters

| | | |
|--|--|--|
| | | |
|--|--|--|

Return-Code Names and Return-Code Values

| | | |
|--------|---|-----------------------|
| GRC_OK | 0 | Execution successful. |
|--------|---|-----------------------|

See Also

BMM_BeepNormal
IOS_BeepOn
IOS_BeepOff

9.3.2 BMM_BeepNormal - outputing an alarm signal (single beep)

C-Declaration

BMM_BeepNormal(void)

VB-Declaration

VB_BMM_BeepNormal()

ASCII-Request

%R1Q,11003:

ASCII-Response

%R1P,0,0:RC

Remarks

This function produces a single beep with the configured intensity and frequency, which cannot be changed. If a continuous signal is active, it will be stopped first.

Parameters

| | | |
|--|--|--|
| | | |
|--|--|--|

Return-Code Names and Return-Code Values

| | | |
|--------|---|-----------------------|
| GRC_OK | 0 | Execution successful. |
|--------|---|-----------------------|

See Also

BMM_BeepAlarm
IOS_BeepOn
IOS_BeepOff

9.3.3 IOS_BeepOn - starting a continuous beep signal

C-Declaration

```
IOS_BeepOn(short nIntens)
```

VB-Declaration

```
VB_IOS_BeepOn(ByVal nIntens As Integer)
```

ASCII-Request

```
%R1Q,20001:nIntens[short]
```

ASCII-Response

```
%R1P,0,0:RC
```

Remarks

This function switches on the beep-signal with the intensity `nIntens`. If a continuous signal is active, it will be stopped first. Turn off the beeping device with `IOS_BeepOff`.

Parameters

| | | |
|---------|----|--|
| nIntens | In | Intensity of the beep-signal (volume) expressed as a percentage (0-100 %). |
|---------|----|--|

Return-Code Names and Return-Code Values

| | | |
|--------|---|-----------------------|
| GRC_OK | 0 | Execution successful. |
|--------|---|-----------------------|

See Also

```
IOS_BeepOff
BMM_BeepAlarm
BMM_BeepNormal
```

Example

```
IOS_BeepOn(100)
// wait for a second

IOS_BeepOff();
```

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9.3.4 **IOS_BeepOff – stopping an active beep signal**

C-Declaration

IOS_BeepOff(void)

VB-Declaration

VB_IOS_BeepOff()

ASCII-Request

%R1Q,20000:

ASCII-Response

%R1P,0,0:RC

Remarks

This function switches off the beep-signal.

Parameters

| | | |
|--|--|--|
| | | |
|--|--|--|

Return-Code Names and Return-Code Values

| | | |
|--------|---|-----------------------|
| GRC_OK | 0 | Execution successful. |
|--------|---|-----------------------|

See Also

IOS_BeepOn
BMM_BeepAlarm
BMM_BeepNormal

Example

see IOS_BeepOn

10 KEYBOARD DISPLAY UNIT – KDM

10.1 USAGE

The subsystem KDM controls the Keyboard display functions.

10.2 CONSTANTS AND TYPES

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10.3 FUNCTIONS

10.3.1 KDM_SetLcdPower – Set the display power

C-Declaration

```
KDM_SetLcdPower (BOOLE bOn)
```

VB-Declaration

```
VB_KDM_SetLcdPower(bOn As Long)
```

ASCII-Request

```
%R1Q,23107:bOn
```

ASCII-Response

```
%R1P,0,0:RC
```

Remarks

Set the display power on or off. The display will be switched off after one minute like a screensaver. See also WinCE/Control Panel/Power Properties: “Switch state to user idle”

Parameters

| | | |
|-----|----|---|
| bOn | In | 0: Turn off display after 1 minute 1: Never turn off display |
|-----|----|---|

Return-Code Names and Return-Code Values

| | | |
|--------|---|-----------------------|
| GRC_OK | 0 | Execution successful. |
|--------|---|-----------------------|

See Also

```
KDM_GetLcdPower
```

10.3.2 KDM_GetLcdPower – Get display power state

C-Declaration

KDM_GetLcdPower (BOOLE &rbIsOn)

VB-Declaration

VB_KDM_GetLcdPower(rbIsOn As Long)

ASCII-Request

%R1Q,23108:

ASCII-Response

%R1P,0,0:RC,rbIsOn

Remarks

Get the status for the display power.

Parameters

| | | |
|-----|-----|--|
| bOn | Out | 0: Display in screensaver mode 1: Display is on |
|-----|-----|--|

Return-Code Names and Return-Code Values

| | | |
|--------|---|-----------------------|
| GRC_OK | 0 | Execution successful. |
|--------|---|-----------------------|

See Also

KDM_SetLcdPower

11CAMERA – CAM

11.1 USAGE

The subsystem 'Camera' mainly performs tasks regarding the built in overview camera (OVC). The OVC is located in the upper part of the telescope (in face 1), above the main lens. The OVC is shifted horizontally and vertically from the optical axis of the telescope.

Camera functionality is applicable for instruments with OVC.

With the Nova instruments a built in telescope camera (OAC) is included. The Autofocus (AF) functions are just applicable for instruments with OAC.

Note: All Camera RPC's require a valid GeoCOM Imaging license key for successful execution.

11.2 CONSTANTS AND TYPES

Camera type

```
enum CAM_ID_TYPE
{
    CAM_ID_OVC = 0           // Overview camera
    CAM_ID_OAC = 1           // Telescope camera
};
```

Camera zoom factor

```
enum CAM_ZOOM_FACTOR_TYPE
{
    CAM_ZOOM_1X = 1,         // Zooming disabled
    CAM_ZOOM_2X = 2,         // 200% zoom factor (field of view is reduced to one
                             // fourth)
    CAM_ZOOM_4X = 4,         // 400% zoom factor (field of view is reduced to one
                             // sixteenth)
    CAM_ZOOM_8X = 8          // 800% zoom factor (field of view is reduced to one
                             // fortysixth)
};

enum CAM_ZOOM_FACTOR_TYPE
{
    CAM_ZOOM_1X = 1,         // Zooming disabled
    CAM_ZOOM_2X = 2,         // 200% zoom factor (field of view is reduced to one
                             // fourth)
    CAM_ZOOM_4X = 4,         // 400% zoom factor (field of view is reduced to one
                             // sixteenth)
    CAM_ZOOM_8X = 8          // 800% zoom factor (field of view is reduced to one
                             // fortysixth)
};
```

Camera resolution

```
enum CAM_RESOLUTION_TYPE
{
    CAM_RES_2560x1920 = 0,
    CAM_RES_2048x1536 = 1,
    CAM_RES_1600x1200 = 2,
    CAM_RES_1280x960  = 3,
    CAM_RES_640x480   = 4,
    CAM_RES_320x240   = 5
};
```

Image compression

```
enum CAM_COMPRESSION_TYPE
{
    CAM_COMP_JPEG,           // Jpeg image compression
    CAM_COMP_RAW             // No image compression, raw data, BMP format
};
```

Camera properties to check

```
enum CAM_WHITE_BALANCE_TYPE
{
    CAM_WB_AUTO      = 0,
    CAM_WB_INDOOR    = 1,
    CAM_WB_OUTDOOR    = 2
};
```

Jpeg image compression quality

```
enum CAM_JPEG_COMPR_QUALITY_TYPE
```

```
{  
    CAM_JPGQ_STANDARD = 0,  
    CAM_JPGQ_BEST      = 1,  
    CAM_JPGQ_IGNORE    = 2  
};
```

if raw image is selected, the compression quality doesn't have any effect

Camera coordinate

```
struct CAM_3D_COORD_TYPE
```

```
{  
    double dX;  
    double dY;  
    double dZ;  
};
```

```
struct CAM_2D_COORD_TYPE
```

```
{  
    double dX;  
    double dY;  
};
```

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11.3 FUNCTIONS

11.3.1 CAM_SetZoomFactor – Set Zoom factor for the camera

C-Declaration

```
CAM_SetZoomFactor (CAM_ID_TYPE CamID, CAM_ZOOM_FACTOR_TYPE ZoomFactor);
```

VB-Declaration

```
VB_CAM_SetZoomFactor (CAM_ID_TYPE As Long, CAM_ZOOM_FACTOR_TYPE As Long)
```

ASCII-Request

```
%R1Q,23608:CamID,ZoomFactor
```

ASCII-Response

```
%R1P,0,0:RC
```

Remarks

This command sets the Zoom factor for the camera.

Parameters

| | | |
|------------|----|----------------------|
| CamID | in | CAM_ID_TYPE |
| ZoomFactor | in | CAM_ZOOM_FACTOR_TYPE |

Return-Code Names and Return-Code Values

| | | |
|--------|----|---|
| GRC_OK | 0 | Execution successful. |
| GRC_NA | 27 | GeoCOM Imaging license key not available. |

See Also

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Example

11.3.2 CAM_GetZoomFactor – Get current Zoom factor of the camera

C-Declaration

```
CAM_GetZoomFactor (CAM_ID_TYPE CamID, CAM_ZOOM_FACTOR_TYPE &rZoomFactor);
```

VB-Declaration

```
VB_CAM_SetZoomFactor (CAM_ID_TYPE As Long, CAM_ZOOM_FACTOR_TYPE As Long)
```

ASCII-Request

```
%R1Q,23609:CamID,
```

ASCII-Response

```
%R1P,0,0:RC,rZoomFactor
```

Remarks

This command gets the current Zoom factor of the camera.

Parameters

| | | |
|------------|-----|----------------------|
| CamID | in | CAM_ID_TYPE |
| ZoomFactor | out | CAM_ZOOM_FACTOR_TYPE |

Return-Code Names and Return-Code Values

| | | |
|--------|----|---|
| GRC_OK | 0 | Execution successful. |
| GRC_NA | 27 | GeoCOM Imaging license key not available. |

See Also

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Example

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11.3.3 CAM_GetCamPos – calculate the camera position with respect to station coordinates

C-Declaration

```
CAM_GetCamPos (CAM_ID_TYPE CamID, CAM_3D_COORD_TYPE &rCameraPosition);
```

VB-Declaration

```
VB_CAM_GetCamPos ( in1 As Long, out2 As CAM_3D_COORD_TYPE )
```

ASCII-Request

```
%R1Q,23611:CamID
```

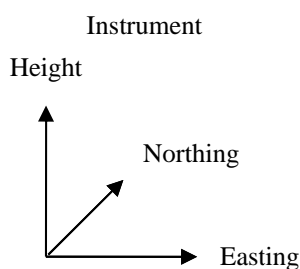
ASCII-Response

```
%R1P,0,0:RC,dX,dY,dZ
```

Remarks

This command reads the position of the OVC with respect to station coordinates (in Cartesian coordinate system). The station coordinates can be read with function TMC_GetStation.

If the instrument is turned to Hz angle 0° and V angle 90° the function CAM_GetCamPos would return the typical camera shift values x = Easting = 0.016 m, y = Northing = 0.061 m and z = Height = 0.056 m.



Parameters

| | | |
|-----------------|-----|---|
| CamID | in | Camera ID |
| rCameraPosition | out | Camera coordinates: Easting, Northing, Height |

Return-Code Names and Return-Code Values

| | | |
|--------|----|---|
| GRC_OK | 0 | Execution successful. |
| GRC_NA | 27 | GeoCOM Imaging license key not available. |

See Also

TMC_GetStation
CAM_GetCamViewingDir

Example

11.3.4 CAM_GetCamViewingDir – calculate the viewing direction of the camera with respect to the camera coordinates

C-Declaration

```
CAM_GetCamViewingDir (CAM_ID_TYPE CamID, double dSlopeDistance,  
CAM_3D_COORD_TYPE &rCameraDirection);
```

VB-Declaration

```
VB_CAM_GetCamViewingDir ( in1 As Long, in2 As Double, out3 As CAM_3D_COORD_TYPE )
```

ASCII-Request

```
%R1Q,23613:CamID,dSlopeDistance
```

ASCII-Response

```
%R1P,0,0:RC,dCamDirE,dCamDirN,dCamDirH
```

Remarks

This command calculates the viewing direction of the OVC with respect to its coordinates. The provided direction is a 3-D vector pointing in the direction of the optical axis of the OVC at the given slope distance. The camera shift (see CAM_GetCamPos) is automatically considered. The slope distance can be read with function TMC_GetSimpleMea.

Parameters

| | | |
|------------------|-----|--|
| CamID | in | Camera ID |
| dSlopeDistance | in | Slope distance in m |
| rCameraDirection | out | Easting, northing and height components of the viewing vector in m |

Return-Code Names and Return-Code Values

| | | |
|--------|----|---|
| GRC_OK | 0 | Execution successful. |
| GRC_NA | 27 | GeoCOM Imaging license key not available. |

See Also

CAM_GetCamPos

Example

11.3.5 CAM_GetCameraFoV – calculate the field of view of the camera

C-Declaration

```
CAM_GetCameraFoV (CAM_ID_TYPE CamID, CAM_ZOOM_FACTOR_TYPE eZoomFactor, double
&rFoVHz, double &rFoVV);
```

VB-Declaration

```
VB_CAM_GetCameraFoV ( in1 As Long, in2 As Long, out3 As Double, out4 As Double )
```

ASCII-Request

```
%R1Q,23619:CamID,eZoomFactor
```

ASCII-Response

```
%R1P,0,0:RC,rFoVHz,rFoVV
```

Remarks

This command calculates the field of view of the OVC for different zoom factors.

Parameters

| | | |
|-------------|-----|-------------------------------------|
| CamID | in | Camera ID |
| eZoomFactor | in | Current zoom factor |
| rFoVHz | out | Horizontal field of view in radiant |
| rFoVV | out | Vertical field of view in radiant |

Return-Code Names and Return-Code Values

| | | |
|-------------|----|---|
| GRC_OK | 0 | Execution successful. |
| GRC_IVPARAM | 2 | Invalid parameter detected. Result unspecified. |
| GRC_NA | 27 | GeoCOM Imaging license key not available. |

See Also

Example

11.3.6 CAM_SetActualImageName – set image name and number for the next image that is captured

C-Declaration

```
CAM_SetActualImageName (CAM_ID_TYPE CamID, char szName[], long lNumber);
```

VB-Declaration

```
VB_CAM_SetActualImageName ( in1 As Long, ByVal in2 As String, g As Long )
```

ASCII-Request

```
%R1Q,23622:CamID,"szName",lNumber
```

ASCII-Response

```
%R1P,0,0:RC
```

Remarks

This command sets the image name and number for the next image that is saved in the following format:
szName|Number

Parameters

| | | |
|---------|----|-------------------------------|
| CamID | in | see definition of CAM_ID_TYPE |
| szName | in | image name |
| lNumber | in | image number |

Return-Code Names and Return-Code Values

| | | |
|--------|----|---|
| GRC_OK | 0 | Execution successful. |
| GRC_NA | 27 | GeoCOM Imaging license key not available. |

See Also

CAM_IsCameraReady
CAM_SetCameraProperties
CAM_TakeImage

Example

see CAM_TakeImage

11.3.7 CAM_TakeImage – capture and save image

C-Declaration

```
CAM_TakeImage (CAM_ID_TYPE CamID);
```

VB-Declaration

```
VB_CAM_TakeImage ( in1 As Long )
```

ASCII-Request

```
%R1Q,23623:CamID
```

ASCII-Response

```
%R1P,0,0:RC
```

Remarks

This command captures an image and saves it with the name defined by CAM_SetActualImageName.

Parameters

| | | |
|-------|----|-------------------------------|
| CamID | in | see definition of CAM_ID_TYPE |
|-------|----|-------------------------------|

Return-Code Names and Return-Code Values

| | | |
|----------------------------|-------|---|
| GRC_OK | 0 | Execution successful. |
| GRC_CAM_IMAGE_SAVING_ERROR | 13828 | Error while saving image, SD Card not available |
| GRC_NA | 27 | GeoCOM Imaging license key not available. |

See Also

```
CAM_IsCameraReady
CAM_SetCameraProperties
CAM_SetActualImageName
```

Example

This example takes a picture using wide angle camera. The file name of the uncompressed image is 'Test5MPx.bmp'. The image is stored in the subdirectory 'Data/Geocom/Images/Wide-angle' on the SD Card.

```
GRC_TYPE RCode = CAM_IsCameraReady(CAM_ID_OVC);
if (RCode != GRC_OK)
{
    return RCode;
}
// configure image
RCode = CAM_SetCameraProperties(CAM_ID_OVC, CAM_RES_2560x1920,
                                CAM_COMP_RAW, CAM_JPGQ_STANDARD);
if (RCode != GRC_OK)
{
    return RCode;
}
// set image name
RCode = CAM_SetActualImageName(CAM_ID_OVC, "Test5MPx", 1);
if (RCode != GRC_OK)
{
    return RCode;
}
// take image
COM_SetTimeout(16);
RCode = CAM_TakeImage(CAM_ID_OVC);
COM_SetTimeout(3);
return RCode;
```

11.3.8 CAM_OVC_GetActCameraCentre – calculate the camera centre at the current distance

C-Declaration

CAM_OVC_GetActCameraCentre (double &rdXCentre, double &rdYCentre);

VB-Declaration

VB_CAM_OVC_GetActCameraCentre (out1 As Double, out2 As Double)

ASCII-Request

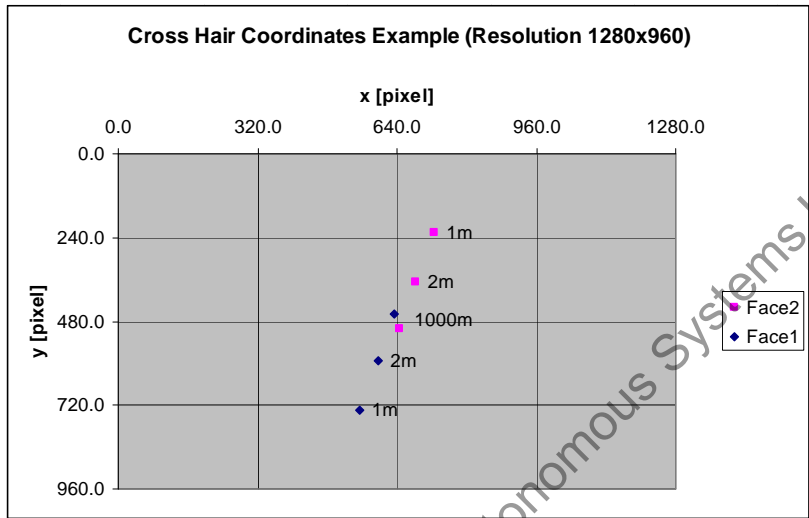
%R1Q,23624:

ASCII-Response

%R1P,0,0:RC,rdXCentre,rdYCentre

Remarks

This command calculates the position of the crosshairs of the optical sighting axis in OVC image at the distance defined by CAM_OVC_SetActDistance and the pixel resolution defined by CAM_SetCameraProperties.



Parameters

| | | |
|-----------|-----|--|
| rdXCentre | out | X coordinate of the cross hairs in pixel |
| rdYCentre | out | Y coordinate of the cross hairs in pixel |

Return-Code Names and Return-Code Values

| | | |
|--------|----|---|
| GRC_OK | 0 | Execution successful. |
| GRC_NA | 27 | GeoCOM Imaging license key not available. |

See Also

CAM_OVC_SetActDistance
CAM_SetCameraProperties

Example

11.3.9 CAM_OVC_SetActDistance – set actual distance

C-Declaration

```
CAM_OVC_SetActDistance (double dDist, BOOL bFace1);
```

VB-Declaration

```
VB_CAM_OVC_SetActDistance ( in1 As Double, in2 As Long )
```

ASCII-Request

```
%R1Q,23625:dDist,bFace1
```

ASCII-Response

```
%R1P,0,0:RC
```

Remarks

This command sets the distance to the current target. This has effect on the current camera centre (see CAM_OVC_GetActCameraCentre).

Parameters

| | | |
|--------|----|---|
| dDist | in | slope distance to the current target in m |
| bFace1 | in | theodolite face |

Return-Code Names and Return-Code Values

| | | |
|--------|----|---|
| GRC_OK | 0 | Execution successful. |
| GRC_NA | 27 | GeoCOM Imaging license key not available. |

See Also

```
CAM_OVC_GetActCameraCentre
```

Example

11.3.10 CAM_SetWhiteBalanceMode – set white balance mode

C-Declaration

```
CAM_SetWhiteBalanceMode (CAM_ID_TYPE CamID, CAM_WHITE_BALANCE_TYPE
eWhiteBalanceMode);
```

VB-Declaration

```
VB_CAM_SetWhiteBalanceMode ( in1 As Long, in2 As Long )
```

ASCII-Request

```
%R1Q,23626:CamID,eWhiteBalanceMode
```

ASCII-Response

```
%R1P,0,0:RC
```

Remarks

This command sets the white balance mode of the camera.

Parameters

| | | |
|-------------------|----|--|
| CamID | in | Camera ID |
| eWhiteBalanceMode | in | White balance mode (Auto = 0, indoor = 1, outdoor = 2) |

Return-Code Names and Return-Code Values

| | | |
|--------|----|---|
| GRC_OK | 0 | Execution successful. |
| GRC_NA | 27 | GeoCOM Imaging license key not available. |

See Also

CAM_TakeImage

Example

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11.3.11 CAM_IsCameraReady – enquire if the camera is ready for use

C-Declaration

```
CAM_IsCameraReady (CAM_ID_TYPE CamID);
```

VB-Declaration

```
VB_CAM_IsCameraReady ( in1 As Long )
```

ASCII-Request

```
%R1Q,23627:CamID
```

ASCII-Response

```
%R1P,0,0:RC
```

Remarks

This command returns if the camera is ready for use.

Parameters

| | | |
|-------|----|-----------|
| CamID | in | Camera ID |
|-------|----|-----------|

Return-Code Names and Return-Code Values

| | | |
|-------------------|-------|---|
| GRC_OK | 0 | The camera is ready for use. |
| GRC_NA | 27 | GeoCOM Imaging license key not available. |
| GRC_CAM_NOT_READY | 13824 | The camera is not ready (turned off or starting up) |

See Also

```
CAM_GetCameraPowerSwitch
CAM_SetCameraPowerSwitch
CAM_WaitForCameraReady
```

Example

The example program checks if camera is ready. If not the camera is permanently switched on and it is waited until the camera is ready.

```
GRC_TYPE RCode = CAM_IsCameraReady(CAM_ID_OVC);
if (RCode == GRC_OK)
{
    return RCode;
}
else
{
    // Camera is not ready, check if it's turned on
    ON_OFF_TYPE eSwitch;
    RCode = CAM_GetCameraPowerSwitch(CAM_ID_OVC, eSwitch);
    if (eSwitch == OFF)
    {
        // The camera is turned off -> turn it on
        RCode = CAM_SetCameraPowerSwitch(CAM_ID_OVC, ON);
    }
    // The camera is turned on, wait up to 40 s for it to get ready
    COM_SetTimeout(45);
    RCode = CAM_WaitForCameraReady(CAM_ID_OVC, 40000);
    COM_SetTimeout(3);
    if (RCode == GRC_OK)
    {
        // The camera is now ready to use
        return RCode;
    }
    return CAM_IsCameraReady(CAM_ID_OVC);
}
```

11.3.12 CAM_SetCameraProperties – set camera properties (resolution and compression)AUT_

C-Declaration

```
CAM_SetCameraProperties (CAM_ID_TYPE CamID, CAM_RESOLUTION_TYPE CamResolution,
    CAM_COMPRESSION_TYPE CamCompression, CAM_JPEG_COMPR_QUALITY_TYPE JpegComprQuality);
```

VB-Declaration

```
VB_CAM_SetCameraProperties ( in1 As Long, in2 As Long, in3 As Long, in4 As Long )
```

ASCII-Request

```
%R1Q,23633:CamID,CameraResolution,CamCompression,JpegComprQuality
```

ASCII-Response

```
%R1P,0,0:RC
```

Remarks

This command sets the image resolution and compression for the next image that is captured.

Parameters

| | | |
|------------------|----|---|
| CamID | in | see definition of CAM_ID_TYPE |
| CamResolution | in | see definition of CAM_RESOLUTION_TYPE |
| CamCompression | in | see definition of CAM_COMPRESSION_TYPE |
| JpegComprQuality | in | see definition of CAM_JPEG_COMPR_QUALITY_TYPE |

Return-Code Names and Return-Code Values

| | | |
|--------|----|---|
| GRC_OK | 0 | Execution successful. |
| GRC_NA | 27 | GeoCOM Imaging license key not available. |

See Also

```
CAM_IsCameraReady
CAM_SetActualImageName
CAM_TakeImage
```

Example

```
see CAM_TakeImage
```

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11.3.13 CAM_GetCameraPowerSwitch – Request the power switch state of the camera

C-Declaration

```
CAM_GetCameraPowerSwitch (CAM_ID_TYPE CamID, ON_OFF_TYPE &reSwitch);
```

VB-Declaration

```
VB_CAM_GetCameraPowerSwitch ( in1 As Long, out2 As Long )
```

ASCII-Request

```
%R1Q,23636:CamID
```

ASCII-Response

```
%R1P,0,0:RC,reSwitch
```

Remarks

This command requests the camera power switch state (on/off).

Parameters

| | | |
|----------|-----|-------------------------------|
| CamID | in | see definition of CAM_ID_TYPE |
| reSwitch | out | Power state |

Return-Code Names and Return-Code Values

| | | |
|--------|----|---|
| GRC_OK | 0 | Execution successful. |
| GRC_NA | 27 | GeoCOM Imaging license key not available. |

See Also

```
CAM_IsCameraReady  
CAM_SetCameraPowerSwitch  
CAM_WaitForCameraReady
```

Example

```
see CAM_IsCameraReady
```

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11.3.14 CAM_SetCameraPowerSwitch – Set the power switch state of the camera

C-Declaration

```
CAM_SetCameraPowerSwitch (CAM_ID_TYPE CamID, ON_OFF_TYPE eSwitch);
```

VB-Declaration

```
VB_CAM_SetCameraPowerSwitch ( in1 As Long, in2 As Long )
```

ASCII-Request

```
%R1Q,23637:CamID,eSwitch
```

ASCII-Response

```
%R1P,0,0:RC
```

Remarks

This command sets the camera power switch state (on/off).

Parameters

| | | |
|---------|----|-------------------------------|
| CamID | in | see definition of CAM_ID_TYPE |
| eSwitch | in | Power state |

Return-Code Names and Return-Code Values

| | | |
|--------|----|---|
| GRC_OK | 0 | Execution successful. |
| GRC_NA | 27 | GeoCOM Imaging license key not available. |

See Also

```
CAM_IsCameraReady
CAM_GetCameraPowerSwitch
CAM_WaitForCameraReady
```

Example

```
see CAM_IsCameraReady
```

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11.3.15 CAM_WaitForCameraReady – Wait for a certain time for the camera to become ready

C-Declaration

```
CAM_WaitForCameraReady (CAM_ID_TYPE CamID, unsigned long ulTimeout);
```

VB-Declaration

```
VB_CAM_WaitForCameraReady ( in1 As Long, g As Long )
```

ASCII-Request

```
%R1Q,23638:CamID,ulTimeout
```

ASCII-Response

```
%R1P,0,0:RC
```

Remarks

This command waits for the specified time for the camera to become ready. After for example standby the camera requires around half a minute to become usable again. This command waits for the camera and returns GRC_OK if it is ready. If the specified time expires before the camera is usable, timeout is returned

Parameters

| | | |
|-----------|----|-------------------------------|
| CamID | in | see definition of CAM_ID_TYPE |
| ulTimeout | in | Timeout in ms |

Return-Code Names and Return-Code Values

| | | |
|-------------|----|---|
| GRC_OK | 0 | Execution successful. |
| GRC_NA | 27 | GeoCOM Imaging license key not available. |
| GRC_TIMEOUT | 6 | The camera didn't become usable within the specified time |

See Also

CAM_IsCameraReady
CAM_GetCameraPowerSwitch
CAM_SetCameraPowerSwitch

Example

see CAM_IsCameraReady

11.3.16 CAM_AF_SetMotorPosition – Set motor position for the Autofocus

C-Declaration

CAM_AF_SetMotorPosition (long lMotorPosition);

VB-Declaration

VB_CAM_WaitForCameraReady (lMotorPosition As Long)

ASCII-Request

%R1Q,23645:lMotorPosition

ASCII-Response

%R1P,0,0:RC

Remarks

This command set the Autofocus motor to the entered position.

Parameters

| | | |
|----------------|----|----------------------------|
| lMotorPosition | in | Motor position for the AF. |
|----------------|----|----------------------------|

Return-Code Names and Return-Code Values

| | | |
|--------|---|-----------------------|
| GRC_OK | 0 | Execution successful. |
|--------|---|-----------------------|

See Also

CAM_AF_GetMotorPosition

Example

see CAM_AF_GetMotorPosition

11.3.17 CAM_AF_GetMotorPosition – Get current motor position for the Autofocus

C-Declaration

```
CAM_AF_GetMotorPosition (long &lMotorPosition);
```

VB-Declaration

```
VB_CAM_WaitForCameraReady (lMotorPosition As Long)
```

ASCII-Request

```
%R1Q,23644:
```

ASCII-Response

```
%R1P,0,0:RC,lMotorPosition
```

Remarks

This command get the actual motor position for the Autofocus.

Parameters

| | | |
|----------------|-----|---------------------------|
| lMotorPosition | Out | Motor position of the AF. |
|----------------|-----|---------------------------|

Return-Code Names and Return-Code Values

| | | |
|--------|---|-----------------------|
| GRC_OK | 0 | Execution successful. |
|--------|---|-----------------------|

See Also

```
CAM_AF_SetMotorPosition
```

Example

```
%R1Q,23644:  
%R1P,0,0:0,466
```

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11.3.18 CAM_AF_ContinuousAutofocus – Start and stop autofocus

C-Declaration

```
CAM_AF_ContinuousAutofocus (BOOLE bStart);
```

VB-Declaration

```
VB_CAM_AF_ContinuousAutofocus (bStart As Long)
```

ASCII-Request

```
%R1Q,23669:bStart
```

ASCII-Response

```
%R1P,0,0:RC
```

Remarks

This command start and stop the continuous autofocus.

Note: The distance measurement mode depends on the currently selected EDM mode. The distance is measured either by IR or by RL tracking.

Parameters

| | | |
|--------|----|-------|
| bStart | In | BOOLE |
|--------|----|-------|

Return-Code Names and Return-Code Values

| | | |
|--------|---|-----------------------|
| GRC_OK | 0 | Execution successful. |
|--------|---|-----------------------|

See Also

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Example

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11.3.19 CAM_AF_PositFocusMotorToDist – Focus to entered distance

C-Declaration

CAM_AF_PositFocusMotorToDist (double dDistance);

VB-Declaration

VB_CAM_AF_PositFocusMotorToDist (dDistance As Double)

ASCII-Request

%R1Q,23652:dDistance

ASCII-Response

%R1P,0,0:RC

Remarks

This command sets the Focus motor to entered distance.

Parameters

| | | |
|-----------|----|--------------------|
| dDistance | in | Position to focus. |
|-----------|----|--------------------|

Return-Code Names and Return-Code Values

| | | |
|--------|---|-----------------------|
| GRC_OK | 0 | Execution successful. |
|--------|---|-----------------------|

See Also

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Example

11.3.20 CAM_AF_PositFocusMotorToInfinity – Focus to infinity

C-Declaration

CAM_AF_PositFocusMotorToInfinity ();

VB-Declaration

VB_CAM_AF_PositFocusMotorToInfinity()

ASCII-Request

%R1Q,23677:

ASCII-Response

%R1P,0,0:RC

Remarks

This command sets the Focus motor to infinity

Return-Code Names and Return-Code Values

| | | |
|--------|---|-----------------------|
| GRC_OK | 0 | Execution successful. |
|--------|---|-----------------------|

See Also

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Example

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11.3.21 CAM_AF_SingleShotAutofocus – Autofocus to current target

C-Declaration

CAM_AF_SingleShotAutofocus();

VB-Declaration

VB_CAM_WaitForCameraReady()

ASCII-Request

%R1Q,23662:

ASCII-Response

%R1P,0,0:RC

Remarks

This command Autofocus to current target.

Return-Code Names and Return-Code Values

| | | |
|--------|---|-----------------------|
| GRC_OK | 0 | Execution successful. |
|--------|---|-----------------------|

See Also

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Example

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11.3.22 CAM_AF_FocusContrastArroundCurrent – Focus by contrast

C-Declaration

```
CAM_AF_FocusContrastArroundCurrent (short nSteps);
```

VB-Declaration

```
VB_CAM_WaitForCameraReady (nSteps As Integer)
```

ASCII-Request

```
%R1Q,23663:nSteps
```

ASCII-Response

```
%R1P,0,0:RC
```

Remarks

With this commands the focus is done by contrast around current Target.

Parameters

| | | |
|--------|----|------------------|
| nSteps | in | Steps for focus. |
|--------|----|------------------|

Return-Code Names and Return-Code Values

| | | |
|--------|---|-----------------------|
| GRC_OK | 0 | Execution successful. |
|--------|---|-----------------------|

See Also

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Example

11.3.23 CAM_GetChipWindowSize – Get the Chip window size

C-Declaration

```
CAM_AF_GetChipWindowSize (CAM_ID_TYPE CamID, CAM_2D_COORD_TYPE &rChipWindowSize);
```

VB-Declaration

```
VB_CAM_GetChipWindowSize (CamID As Long, rChipWindowSize As CAM_2S_COORD_TYPE)
```

ASCII-Request

%R1Q,23668:CamID

ASCII-Response

%R1P,0,0:RC,rChipWindowSize

Remarks

This command returns the Chip window size.

Parameters

| | | |
|-----------------|-----|-------------------|
| CamID | in | CAM_ID_TYPE |
| rChipWindowSize | Out | CAM_2D_COORD_TYPE |

Return-Code Names and Return-Code Values

| | | |
|--------|---|-----------------------|
| GRC_OK | 0 | Execution successful. |
|--------|---|-----------------------|

See Also

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Example

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11.3.24 CAM_OAC_GetCrossHairPos – Get the cross hair position

C-Declaration

CAM_OAC_GetCrossHairPos (CAM_2D_COORD_TYPE &roCrossHairPos);

VB-Declaration

VB_CAM_OAC_GetCrossHairPos (roCrossHairPos As CAM_2S_COORD_TYPE)

ASCII-Request

%R1Q,23671:

ASCII-Response

%R1P,0,0:RC,roCrossHairPos

Remarks

This command returns the cross Hair position for the actual camera resolution.

Parameters

| | | |
|----------------|-----|-------------------|
| roCrossHairPos | Out | CAM_2D_COORD_TYPE |
|----------------|-----|-------------------|

Return-Code Names and Return-Code Values

| | | |
|--------|---|-----------------------|
| GRC_OK | 0 | Execution successful. |
|--------|---|-----------------------|

See Also

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Example

11.3.25 CAM_StartRemoteVideo – Start a remote video

C-Declaration

```
CAM_StartRemoteVideo (CAM_ID_TYPE eCamID, short nFrameRate, short nQuality);
```

VB-Declaration

```
VB_CAM_StartRemoteVideo(eCamId As Long, nFrameRate As Integer, nQuality As Integer)
```

ASCII-Request

```
%R1Q,23675:eCamID,nFrameRate,nQuality
```

ASCII-Response

```
%R1P,0,0:RC
```

Remarks

This command starts a remote video which can be watched with VLC player. The VLC player can be downloaded at <http://www.videolan.org/vlc/>. To watch the video following address needs to be opened under Media -> Networkstream: rtsp://192.168.254.3/TSCam

Parameters

| | | |
|------------|----|---|
| eCamID | In | CAM_ID_TYPE |
| nFrameRate | In | Valid frame rates: 3,5, 10 |
| nQuality | In | Valid qualities: 2(highest) to 31(lowest) |

Return-Code Names and Return-Code Values

| | | |
|--------|---|-----------------------|
| GRC_OK | 0 | Execution successful. |
|--------|---|-----------------------|

See Also

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Example

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11.3.26 CAM_StopRemoteVideo – Stop a started remote video

C-Declaration

CAM_StopRemoteVideo ();

VB-Declaration

VB_CAM_StopRemoteVideo()

ASCII-Request

%R1Q,23676:

ASCII-Response

%R1P,0,0:RC

Remarks

This command stops a started remote video.

Return-Code Names and Return-Code Values

| | | |
|--------|---|-----------------------|
| GRC_OK | 0 | Execution successful. |
|--------|---|-----------------------|

See Also

CAM_StartRemoteVideo

Example

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12 COMMUNICATIONS – COM

12.1 USAGE

This subsystem contains those functions, which are subsystem COM related, but will be executed as RPC's on the Viva TPS instrument. It provides a function to check communication between the computer and the Viva TPS and also some functions to get and set communication relevant parameters on the server side. Furthermore, it implements functions to switch on or off (sleep mode, shut down) the Viva TPS instrument.

12.2 CONSTANTS AND TYPES

Stop Mode

```
enum COM_TPS_STOP_MODE
{
    COM_TPS_STOP_SHUT_DOWN = 0, // power down instrument
    COM_TPS_STOP_SLEEP      = 1, // sleep mode
    COM_TPS_STOP_GUI_ONLY   = 4  // close onboard gui (Viva)
};
```

Start Mode

```
enum COM_TPS_STARTUP_MODE
{
    COM_TPS_STARTUP_LOCAL   = 0, // not supported
    COM_TPS_STARTUP_REMOTE  = 1, // RPC's enabled, online mode
    COM_TPS_STARTUP_GUI     = 2  // start onboard gui (Viva)
};
```

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12.3 FUNCTIONS

12.3.1 COM_GetSWVersion - retrieving server instrument version

C-Declaration

```
COM_GetSWVersion(    short &nRel,
                    short &nVer,
                    short &nSubVer )
```

VB-Declaration

```
VB_COM_GetSWVersion( nRel    As Integer,
                    nVer    As Integer,
                    nSubVer As Integer)
```

ASCII-Request

```
%R1Q,110:
```

ASCII-Response

```
%R1P,0,0:RC,nRel[short],nVer[short],nSubVer[short]
```

Remarks

This function displays the current GeoCOM release (release, version and subversion) of the instrument.

Parameters

| | | |
|---------|-----|---------------------------------|
| nRel | Out | Software release. |
| nVer | Out | Software version. |
| nSubVer | Out | Software subversion (reserved). |

Return-Code Names and Return-Code Values

| | | |
|--------|---|-----------------------|
| GRC_OK | 0 | Execution successful. |
|--------|---|-----------------------|

See Also

CSV_GetSWVersion

Example

```
GRC_TYPE    rc;
short       nRel, nSubVer, nVer;

COM_GetSWVersion(nRel, nVer, nSubVer);

printf(„Viva TPS GeoCOM Release:\n");
printf(„Release      %02d\n", nRel);
printf(„Version      %02d\n", nVer);
printf(„Subversion   %02d\n", nSubVer);
```

12.3.2 COM_SwitchOnTPS - turning on the instrument

C-Declaration

```
COM_SwitchOnTPS(COM_TPS_STARTUP_MODE eOnMode)
```

VB-Declaration

```
VB_COM_SwitchOnTPS(ByVal eOnMode As Long)
```

ASCII-Request

```
%R1Q,111:eOnMode[short]
```

ASCII-Response

If instrument is already switched on then

```
%R1P,0,0:5
```

else

Nothing

Remarks

This function switches on the Viva TPS instrument.

Note: The Viva TPS instrument can be switched on by any RPC command or even by sending a single character.

Parameters

| | | |
|---------|----|-----------|
| eOnMode | In | Run mode. |
|---------|----|-----------|

Return-Code Names and Return-Code Values

| | | |
|-------------|---|----------------------|
| GRC_OK | 0 | Execution successful |
| GRC_NotImpl | 5 | Not implemented yet. |

See Also

COM_SwitchOffTPS

COM_OpenConnection

Example

```
GRC_TYPE rc;

// switch on Viva TPS
rc = COM_SwitchOnTPS(COM_TPS_REMOTE);
if(rc == GRC_COM_TIMEDOUT)
{
    for(short i = 0; i < 4 && rc != GRC_OK; i++)
    {
        rc = COM_SwitchOnTPS(COM_TPS_REMOTE);
    }
}
if(rc != RC_OK)
{
    // error: switch on failed
}
```

12.3.3 COM_SwitchOffTPS - turning off the instrument

C-Declaration

COM_SwitchOffTPS(COM_TPS_STOP_MODE eOffMode)

VB-Declaration

VB_COM_SwitchOffTPS(ByVal eOffMode As Long)

ASCII-Request

%R1Q,112:eOffMode[short]

ASCII-Response

%R1P,0,0:RC

Remarks

This function switches off the Viva TPS instrument.

Parameters

| | | |
|----------|----|------------|
| eOffMode | In | Stop mode. |
|----------|----|------------|

Return-Code Names and Return-Code Values

| | | |
|--------|---|-----------------------|
| GRC_OK | 0 | Execution successful. |
|--------|---|-----------------------|

See Also

COM_SwitchOnTPS

Example

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12.3.4 COM_NullProc - checking the communication

C-Declaration

COM_NullProc(void)

VB-Declaration

VB_COM_NullProc()

ASCII-Request

%R1Q,0:

ASCII-Response

%R1P,0,0:RC

Remarks

This function does not provide any functionality except of checking if the communication is up and running.

Parameters

| | | |
|--|--|--|
| | | |
|--|--|--|

Return-Code Names and Return-Code Values

| | | |
|--------|---|-----------------------|
| GRC_OK | 0 | Execution successful. |
|--------|---|-----------------------|

See Also

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Example

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12.3.5 COM_GetBinaryAvailable - getting the binary attribute of the server

C-Declaration

```
COM_GetBinaryAvailable(BOOLE &bAvailable)
```

VB-Declaration

```
VB_COM_GetBinaryAvailable(bAvailable As Long)
```

ASCII-Request

```
%R1Q,113:
```

ASCII-Response

```
%R1P,0,0:RC, bAvailable[Boolean]
```

Remarks

This function gets the ability information about the server to handle binary communication. The client may make requests in binary format which speeds up the communication by about 40-50%.

Parameters

| | | |
|------------|-----|--|
| bAvailable | Out | TRUE: binary operation enabled. FALSE: ASCII operation enabled. |
|------------|-----|--|

Return-Code Names and Return-Code Values

| | | |
|--------|---|-----------------------|
| GRC_OK | 0 | Execution successful. |
|--------|---|-----------------------|

See Also

```
COM_SetBinaryAvailable  
COM_SetFormat  
COM_GetFormat
```

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12.3.6 COM_SetBinaryAvailable - setting the binary attribute of the server

C-Declaration

```
COM_SetBinaryAvailable(BOOLE bAvailable)
```

VB-Declaration

```
VB_COM_SetBinaryAvailable(ByVal bAvailable As Long)
```

ASCII-Request

```
%R1Q,114:bAvailable[Boolean]
```

ASCII-Response

```
%R1P,0,0:RC
```

Remarks

This function sets the ability of the server to handle binary communication. With this function, one can force to communicate in ASCII only. During initialisation, the client checks if binary communication is enabled / possible or not which depends on this flag.

Parameters

| | | |
|------------|----|---|
| bAvailable | In | TRUE: enable binary operation. FALSE: enable ASCII operation only. |
|------------|----|---|

Return-Code Names and Return-Code Values

| | | |
|--------|---|-----------------------|
| GRC_OK | 0 | Execution successful. |
|--------|---|-----------------------|

See Also

```
COM_GetBinaryAvailable  
COM_SetFormat
```

Example

```
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```

13 CENTRAL SERVICES – CSV

13.1 INTRODUCTION

The subsystem Central Services implements some centralised functions to maintain global data of the TPS system software. Examples are date and time or the instrument's name.

13.2 USAGE

These functions do not depend on other subsystems. Since this part is responsible for global data, any function can be called at any time.

13.3 CONSTANTS AND TYPES

TPS Device Configuration Type

```
struct TPS_DEVICE
{
    TPS_DEVICE_CLASS Class; // device precision class
    TPS_DEVICE_TYPE Type;  // device configuration type
};
```

TPS Device Precision Class

```
enum TPS_DEVICE_CLASS
{
    TPS_CLASS_1100 = 0,      // TPS1000 family member,
                             // 1 mgon, 3"
    TPS_CLASS_1700 = 1,      // TPS1000 family member,
                             // 0.5 mgon, 1.5"
    TPS_CLASS_1800 = 2,      // TPS1000 family member,
                             // 0.3 mgon, 1"
    TPS_CLASS_5000 = 3,      // TPS2000 family member
    TPS_CLASS_6000 = 4,      // TPS2000 family member
    TPS_CLASS_1500 = 5,      // TPS1000 family member
    TPS_CLASS_2003 = 6,      // TPS2000 family member
    TPS_CLASS_5005 = 7,      // TPS5000 family member
    TPS_CLASS_5100 = 8,      // TPS5000 family member

    TPS_CLASS_1102 = 100,    // TPS1100 family member, 2"
    TPS_CLASS_1103 = 101,    // TPS1100 family member, 3"
    TPS_CLASS_1105 = 102,    // TPS1100 family member, 5"
    TPS_CLASS_1101 = 103,    // TPS1100 family member, 1"

    TPS_CLASS_1202 = 200,    // TPS1200 family member, 2"
    TPS_CLASS_1203 = 201,    // TPS1200 family member, 3"
    TPS_CLASS_1205 = 202,    // TPS1200 family member, 5"
    TPS_CLASS_1201 = 203,    // TPS1200 family member, 1"

    TPS_CLASS_Tx30 = 300,    // TS30, TM30 family member, 0.5"
    TPS_CLASS_Tx31 = 301,    // TS30, TM30 family member, 1"

    TPS_CLASS_TDRA = 350,    // TDRA family member, 0.5"

    TPS_CLASS_TS01 = 500,    // Mid Range family member, 1"
    TPS_CLASS_TS02 = 501,    // Mid Range family member, 2"
    TPS_CLASS_TS03 = 502,    // Mid Range family member, 3"
    TPS_CLASS_TS05 = 503,    // Mid Range family member, 5"
    TPS_CLASS_TS06 = 504,    // Mid Range family member, 6"
    TPS_CLASS_TS07 = 505,    // Mid Range family member, 7"
    TPS_CLASS_TS10 = 506,    // Mid Range family member, 10"

    TPS_CLASS_TS1X_1 = 600,   // Viva TPS Family member, 1"
    TPS_CLASS_TS1X_2 = 601,   // Viva TPS Family member, 2"
    TPS_CLASS_TS1X_3 = 602,   // Viva TPS Family member, 3"
    TPS_CLASS_TS1X_4 = 603,   // Viva TPS Family member, 4"
    TPS_CLASS_TS1X_5 = 604,   // Viva TPS Family member, 5"
};
```

TPS Device Configuration Type

```

enum TPS_DEVICE_TYPE
{
    // TPS1x00 common
    TPS_DEVICE_T = 0x00000,    // Theodolite without built-in EDM
    TPS_DEVICE_MOT = 0x00004,  // Motorized device
    TPS_DEVICE_ATR = 0x00008,  // Automatic Target Recognition
    TPS_DEVICE_EGL = 0x00010,  // Electronic Guide Light
    TPS_DEVICE_DB = 0x00020,   // reserved (Database, not GSI)
    TPS_DEVICE_DL = 0x00040,   // Diode laser
    TPS_DEVICE_LP = 0x00080,   // Laser plumbed

    // TPS1000 specific
    TPS_DEVICE_TC1 = 0x00001,  // tachymeter (TCW1)
    TPS_DEVICE_TC2 = 0x00002,  // tachymeter (TCW2)

    // TPS1100/TPS1200/VivaTPS specific
    TPS_DEVICE_TC = 0x00001,   // tachymeter (TCW3)
    TPS_DEVICE_TCR = 0x00002,  // tachymeter (TCW3 with red laser)
    TPS_DEVICE_ATC = 0x00100,  // Autocollimation lamp (used only PMU)
    TPS_DEVICE_LPNT = 0x00200, // Laserpointer
    TPS_DEVICE_RL_EXT = 0x00400, // Reflectorless EDM with extended range
                                // (Pinpoint R100,R300)
    TPS_DEVICE_PS = 0x00800,   // Power Search

    // TPSSim specific
    TPS_DEVICE_SIM = 0x04000    // runs on Simulation, no Hardware
};

```

Reflectorless Class

```

enum TPS_REFLESS_CLASS
{
    TPS_REFLESS_NONE = 0,
    TPS_REFLESS_R100 = 1,    // Pinpoint R100
    TPS_REFLESS_R300 = 2,    // Pinpoint R300
    TPS_REFLESS_R400 = 3,    // Pinpoint R400
    TPS_REFLESS_R1000 = 4,   // Pinpoint R1000
    TPS_REFLESS_R30 = 5      // Pinpoint R30
}

```

General Date and Time

```

struct DATIME
{
    DATE_TYPE  Date;
    TIME_TYPE  Time;
};

```

General Date

```

struct DATE_TYPE
{
    short  Year;           // year
    BYTE   Month;          // month in year 1..12
    BYTE   Day;            // day in month 1..31
};

```

General Time

```

struct TIME_TYPE
{
    BYTE   Hour;           // 24 hour per day 0..23
    BYTE   Minute;         // minute 0..59
    BYTE   Second;         // seconds 0..59
};

```

Power sources

```

struct CSV_POWER_PATH
{
    CSV_EXTERNAL_POWER = 1, // power source is external battery
    CSV_INTERNAL_POWER = 2  // power source is internal battery
};

```

Property Status

```

enum CSV_PROPERTY
{
    CSV_PROPERTY_PURCHASE_MODE_NORMAL          = 0,
    CSV_PROPERTY_PURCHASE_MODE_PREPAY          = 1,
    CSV_PROPERTY_RTK_RANGE_5000                 = 2,
    CSV_PROPERTY_RTK_RANGE_UNLIMITED            = 3,
    CSV_PROPERTY_RTK_NETWORK                    = 4,
    CSV_PROPERTY_RTK_REFERENCE_STN              = 5,
    CSV_PROPERTY_RTK_LEICA_LITE                  = 6,
    CSV_PROPERTY_RTK_NETWORK_LOCKDOWN           = 7,
    CSV_PROPERTY_POSITION_RATE_5HZ              = 8,
    CSV_PROPERTY_POSITION_RATE_20HZ            = 9,
    CSV_PROPERTY_GPS_L2                         = 10,
    CSV_PROPERTY_GPS_L5                         = 11,
    CSV_PROPERTY_GLOMASS                        = 12,
    CSV_PROPERTY_GALILEO                        = 13,
    CSV_PROPERTY_RAWDATA_LOGGING                = 14,
    CSV_PROPERTY_RINEX_LOGGING                 = 15,
    CSV_PROPERTY_NMEA_OUT                       = 16,
    CSV_PROPERTY_DGPS_RTCM                     = 17,
    CSV_PROPERTY_OWI                           = 18,
    CSV_PROPERTY_NETWORK_PROVIDER_ACCESS_RESET = 19,
    CSV_PROPERTY_NO_AREA_LIMITATION             = 20,
    CSV_PROPERTY_SMARTWORX_FULL                 = 21,
    CSV_PROPERTY_SMARTWORX_LITE                 = 22,
    CSV_PROPERTY_DEMO_LICENSE                   = 23,
    CSV_PROPERTY_INTERNAL_WIT2450               = 24,
    CSV_PROPERTY_GEOCOM_ROBOTICS                = 25,
    CSV_PROPERTY_GEOCOM_IMAGING                 = 26,
    CSV_PROPERTY_GEOCOM_GPS                     = 27,
    CSV_PROPERTY_GEOCOM_LIMITED_AUT             = 28,
    CSV_PROPERTY_IMAGING_WITH_OVC               = 29,
    CSV_PROPERTY_SERIAL_NUMBER                  = 30,
    CSV_PROPERTY_PRODUCTION_FLAG                = 31,
    CSV_PROPERTY_SYSTEMTIME_VALID               = 32, };

```

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13.4 FUNCTIONS

13.4.1 CSV_GetInstrumentNo – getting the factory defined instrument number

C-Declaration

```
CSV_GetInstrumentNo(long &SerialNo)
```

VB-Declaration

```
VB_CSV_GetInstrumentNo(SerialNo As Long)
```

ASCII-Request

```
%R1Q,5003:
```

ASCII-Response

```
%R1P,0,0:RC,SerialNo[long]
```

Remarks

Gets the factory defined serial number of the instrument.

Parameters

| | | |
|----------|-----|--------------------|
| SerialNo | Out | The serial number. |
|----------|-----|--------------------|

Return-Code Names and Return-Code Values

| | | |
|--------|---|-----------------------|
| GRC_OK | 0 | Execution successful. |
|--------|---|-----------------------|

Example

```
GRC_TYPE    rc;
long        SerialNo;

rc = CSV_GetInstrumentNo(SerialNo);
if (rc == GRC_OK)
{
    // use SerialNo
}
else
{
    // instrument number not yet set
}
```

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13.4.2 CSV_GetInstrumentName – getting the Leica specific instrument name

C-Declaration

```
CSV_GetInstrumentName(char *Name)
```

VB-Declaration

```
VB_CSV_GetInstrumentName(Name As String)
```

ASCII-Request

```
%R1Q,5004:
```

ASCII-Response

```
%R1P,0,0:RC,Name[string]
```

Remarks

Gets the instrument name, for example: TS30 0,5”

Parameters

| | | |
|------|-----|---------------------|
| Name | Out | The instrument name |
|------|-----|---------------------|

Return-Code Names and Return-Code Values

| | | |
|--------|---|-----------------------|
| GRC_OK | 0 | Execution successful. |
|--------|---|-----------------------|

Example

```
GRC_TYPE    rc;

rc = CSV_GetInstrumentName(szName);
if (rc == GRC_OK)
{
    // use instrument name
}
else
{
    // instrument name not set yet
    // (incomplete calibration data)
}
```

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13.4.3 CSV_SetStartupMessageMode – Enable startup message

C-Declaration

```
CSV_SetStartupMessageMode(ON_OFF_TYPE bOn)
```

VB-Declaration

```
VB_CSV_SetStartupMessageMode(bOn As Long)
```

ASCII-Request

```
%R1Q,5155:bOn
```

ASCII-Response

```
%R1P,0,0:RC
```

Remarks

This command allows you to enable the “startup message”. This is primarily useful for scripted connections to the device over serial. When the system is up and running, a predefined string is sent to signalize that everything is ready.

Parameters

| | | |
|-----|----|-------------|
| bOn | In | ON_OFF_TYPE |
|-----|----|-------------|

Return-Code Names and Return-Code Values

| | | |
|--------|---|-----------------------|
| GRC_OK | 0 | Execution successful. |
|--------|---|-----------------------|

Example

```
%R1Q,5155:1
%R1P,0,0:0
# -> reboot or startup
%N1,0,255,,0%T0,0,0,:%R1P,0,0:0
```

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13.4.4 CSV_GetStartupMessageMode – Get status of startup message mode

C-Declaration

```
CSV_GetStartupMessageMode(ON_OFF_TYPE &rbOn)
```

VB-Declaration

```
VB_CSV_GetStartupMessageMode(rbOn As Long)
```

ASCII-Request

```
%R1Q,5156:
```

ASCII-Response

```
%R1P,0,0:RC,rbOn
```

Remarks

This command checks if the startup message mode is enabled or not.

Parameters

| | | |
|------|-----|-------------|
| rbOn | Out | ON_OFF_TYPE |
|------|-----|-------------|

Return-Code Names and Return-Code Values

| | | |
|--------|---|-----------------------|
| GRC_OK | 0 | Execution successful. |
|--------|---|-----------------------|

Example

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13.4.5 CSV_GetDeviceConfig – getting the instrument configuration

C-Declaration

```
CSV_GetDeviceConfig(TPS_DEVICE &Device);
```

VB-Declaration

```
VB_CSV_GetDeviceConfig(Device As TPS_DEVICE)
```

ASCII-Request

```
%R1Q,5035:
```

ASCII-Response

```
%R1P,0,0:RC,      DevicePrecisionClass[long],
                  DeviceConfigurationType[long]
```

Remarks

This function returns information about the class and the configuration type of the instrument.

Parameters

| | | |
|--------|-----|---|
| Device | Out | System information (see data type description for further information). |
|--------|-----|---|

Return-Code Names and Return-Code Values

| | | |
|--------|---|-----------------------|
| GRC_OK | 0 | Execution successful. |
|--------|---|-----------------------|

Example

```
GRC_TYPE      rc;
TPS_DEVICE    Device;

rc = CSV_GetDeviceConfig(Device);
if (rc == GRC_OK)
{
    // Use system information
}
else
{
    // Instrument precision class undefined
    // (incomplete calibration data)
}
```

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13.4.6 CSV_GetReflectorlessClass – getting the RL type

C-Declaration

```
CSV_GetReflectorlessClass(TPS_REFLESS_CLASS &reRefLessClass);
```

VB-Declaration

```
VB_CSV_GetReflectorlessClass(reRefLessClass As TPS_REFLESS_CLASS)
```

ASCII-Request

```
%R1Q,5100:
```

ASCII-Response

```
%R1P,0,0:RC,reRefLessClass[long]
```

Remarks

This function returns information about the reflectorless and long range distance measurement (RL) of the instrument.

Parameters

| | | |
|----------------|-----|----------|
| reRefLessClass | Out | RL type. |
|----------------|-----|----------|

Return-Code Names and Return-Code Values

| | | |
|--------|---|-----------------------|
| GRC_OK | 0 | Execution successful. |
|--------|---|-----------------------|

Example

```
GRC_TYPE rc;
TPS_REFLESS_CLASS Device;

rc = CSV_GetReflectorlessClass(reRefLessClass);
if (rc == GRC_OK)
{
    // Use RL type
}
else
{
    // Unknown RL type
}
```

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13.4.7 CSV_GetDateTime – getting the date and time.

C-Declaration

```
CSV_GetDateTime(DATIME &DateAndTime)
```

VB-Declaration

```
VB_CSV_GetDateTime (DateAndTime As DATIME)
```

ASCII-Request

```
%R1Q,5008:
```

ASCII-Response

```
%R1P,0,0:RC,Year[short],Month,Day,Hour,Minute,Second[all byte]
```

Remarks

Gets the current date and time of the instrument. The ASCII response is formatted corresponding to the data type DATIME. A possible response can look like this: %R1P,0,0:0,1996,'07','19','10','13','2f' (see chapter ASCII data type declaration for further information)

Parameters

| | | |
|-------------|-----|------------------------|
| DateAndTime | Out | Encoded date and time. |
|-------------|-----|------------------------|

Return-Code Names and Return-Code Values

| | | |
|--------|---|-----------------------|
| GRC_OK | 0 | Execution successful. |
|--------|---|-----------------------|

See Also

```
CSV_SetDateTime
CSV_GetDateTimeCentiSec
```

Example

```
GRC_TYPE    rc;
DATIME      DateAndTime;

rc = CSV_GetDateTime(DateAndTime);
if (rc == GRC_OK)
{
    // use Date and time
}
else
{
    // time and/or date is not set (yet)
    // use CSV_SetDateTime to set date and time
    // (March 25 1997, 10:20)
    DateAndTime.Date.Year   = 1997;
    DateAndTime.Date.Month = 3;
    DateAndTime.Date.Day   = 25;
    DateAndTime.Time.Hour  = 10;
    DateAndTime.Time.Minute = 20;
    DateAndTime.Time.Second = 0;
    rc = CSV_SetDateTime(DateAndTime);
}
```

13.4.8 CSV_SetDateTime – setting the date and time

C-Declaration

```
CSV_SetDateTime(DATIME DateAndTime)
```

VB-Declaration

```
VB_CSV_SetDateTime(ByVal DateAndTime As DATIME)
```

ASCII-Request

```
%R1Q,5007:Year[short],Month,Day,Hour,Minute,Second[all byte]
```

ASCII-Response

```
%R1P,0,0:RC
```

Remarks

Sets the current date and time of the instrument.

Parameters

| | | |
|-------------|----|------------------------|
| DateAndTime | In | Encoded date and time. |
|-------------|----|------------------------|

Return-Code Names and Return-Code Values

| | | |
|--------|---|-----------------------|
| GRC_OK | 0 | Execution successful. |
|--------|---|-----------------------|

See Also

CSV_GetDateTime

Example

See CSV_GetDateTime.

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13.4.9 CSV_GetSWVersion – getting the software version

C-Declaration

```
CSV_GetSWVersion2(short &nRelease, short &nVersion,
                  short &nSubVersion)
```

VB-Declaration

```
VB_CSV_GetSWVersion2(nRelease As Integer,
                     nVersion As Integer,
                     nSubVersion As Integer)
```

ASCII-Request

```
%R1Q,5034:
```

ASCII-Response

```
%R1P,0,0:RC,nRelease,nVersion,nSubVersion[all short]
```

Remarks

Returns the system software version.

Parameters

| | | |
|-------------|-----|-------------|
| nRelease | Out | Release |
| nVersion | Out | Version |
| nSubVersion | Out | Sub Version |

Return-Code Names and Return-Code Values

| | | |
|--------|---|-----------------------|
| GRC_OK | 0 | Execution successful. |
|--------|---|-----------------------|

Example

```
GRC_TYPE rc;
short    nRel, nVers, nSubVers;
char     szBuffer[17]

rc = CSV_GetSWVersion(nRel, nVers, nSubVers);
sprintf(szBuffer, "Version %02d.%02d.%02d",
        nRel, nVers, nSubVers);
Returns: nRel = 2, nVers = 20, nSubVers = 0
        szBuffer = "Version 02.20.00"
```

13.4.10 CSV_CheckPower – checking the available power

C-Declaration

```
CSV_CheckPower ( unsigned short    &unCapacity,
                  CSV_POWER_PATH    &eActivePower,
                  CSV_POWER_PATH    &ePowerSuggest)
```

VB-Declaration

```
VB_CSV_CheckPower( unCapacity    As integer,
                   eActivePower  As long,
                   ePowerSuggest As long)
```

ASCII-Request

```
%R1Q,5039:
```

ASCII-Response

```
%R1P,0,0:RC, unCapacity [long], eActivePower [long], ePowerSuggest [long]
```

Remarks

This command returns the capacity of the current power source and its source (internal or external).

Parameters

| | | |
|----------------------|-----|---------------------|
| <i>unCapacity</i> | Out | Actual capacity [%] |
| <i>eActivePower</i> | Out | Actual power source |
| <i>ePowerSuggest</i> | Out | Not supported. |

Return-Code Names and Return-Code Values

| | | |
|----------------|----|--|
| GRC_OK | 0 | Execution successful. |
| GRC_LOW_POWER | 16 | Power is low. Time remaining is about 30'. |
| GRC_BATT_EMPTY | 18 | Battery is nearly empty. Time remaining is about 1'. |

Example

```
GRC_TYPE rc;
CSV_POWER_PATH eActivePower;
CSV_POWER_PATH eDummy;
unsigned short unCapacity;

rc = CSV_CheckPower(unCapacity, eActivePower,
                   eDummy)
```

13.4.11 CSV_SwitchLaserlot – Switch Laserlot on or off

C-Declaration

```
CSV_SwitchLaserlot(ON_OFF_TYPE eOnOff)
```

VB-Declaration

```
VB_CSV_SwitchLaserlot(eOnOff As Long)
```

ASCII-Request

```
%R1Q,5043:eOnOff
```

ASCII-Response

```
%R1P,0,0:RC
```

Remarks

This command turns the Laserlot on or off.

Parameters

| | | |
|---------------|----|-------------|
| <i>eOnOff</i> | In | ON_OFF_TYPE |
|---------------|----|-------------|

Return-Code Names and Return-Code Values

| | | |
|--------|---|-----------------------|
| GRC_OK | 0 | Execution successful. |
|--------|---|-----------------------|

Example

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13.4.12 CSV_GetLaserlotStatus – Get status of Laserlot

C-Declaration

```
CSV_GetLaserlotStatus(ON_OFF_TYPE &eOnOff)
```

VB-Declaration

```
VB_CSV_GetLaserlotStatus(eOnOff As Long)
```

ASCII-Request

```
%R1Q,5042:
```

ASCII-Response

```
%R1P,0,0:RC,eOnOff
```

Remarks

Get the status if the Laserlot is turned on or off.

Parameters

| | | |
|---------------|-----|-------------|
| <i>eOnOff</i> | Out | ON_OFF_TYPE |
|---------------|-----|-------------|

Return-Code Names and Return-Code Values

| | | |
|--------|---|-----------------------|
| GRC_OK | 0 | Execution successful. |
|--------|---|-----------------------|

Example

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13.4.13 CSV_SetLaserlotIntens – Set the intens of the Laserlot

C-Declaration

```
CSV_SetLaserlotIntens(short nIntens)
```

VB-Declaration

```
VB_CSV_SetLaserlotIntens(nIntens As Integer)
```

ASCII-Request

```
%R1Q,5040:nIntens
```

ASCII-Response

```
%R1P,0,0:RC,
```

Remarks

This command sets the intensity of the Laserlot.

Parameters

| | | |
|----------------|-----|--------------------------|
| <i>nIntens</i> | Int | Intensity from 0 to 100. |
|----------------|-----|--------------------------|

Return-Code Names and Return-Code Values

| | | |
|--------|---|-----------------------|
| GRC_OK | 0 | Execution successful. |
|--------|---|-----------------------|

Example

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13.4.14 CSV_GetLaserlotIntens – Get the intens of the Laserlot

C-Declaration

```
CSV_GetLaserlotIntens(short &nIntens)
```

VB-Declaration

```
VB_CSV_GetLaserlotIntens(nIntens As Integer)
```

ASCII-Request

```
%R1Q,5041:
```

ASCII-Response

```
%R1P,0,0:RC,nIntens
```

Remarks

Get the intensity of the Laserlot.

Parameters

| | | |
|----------------|-----|--------------------------|
| <i>nIntens</i> | Out | Intensity from 0 to 100. |
|----------------|-----|--------------------------|

Return-Code Names and Return-Code Values

| | | |
|--------|---|-----------------------|
| GRC_OK | 0 | Execution successful. |
|--------|---|-----------------------|

Example

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13.4.15 CSV_CheckProperty – check wich licences are installed

C-Declaration

```
CSV_CheckProperty(CSV_PROPERTY eProperty, BOOLE &bAvailable)
```

VB-Declaration

```
VB_CSV_CheckProperty( eProperty As Long, bAvailable As Long)
```

ASCII-Request

```
%R1Q,5139:
```

ASCII-Response

```
%R1P,0,0:RC,bAvailable
```

Remarks

With this command it is possible to check which license keys are installed.

Parameters

| | | |
|------------|-----|----------------------------------|
| eProperty | In | Licence key. |
| bAvailable | Out | 1: installed 0: not installed |

Return-Code Names and Return-Code Values

| | | |
|--------|---|-----------------------|
| GRC_OK | 0 | Execution successful. |
|--------|---|-----------------------|

Example

```
// Check if GeoCom Imaging is installed
%R1Q,5139:26
%R1P,0,0:0,1
```

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13.4.16 CSV_GetIntTemp – getting the temperature

C-Declaration

```
CSV_GetIntTemp(double &Temp)
```

VB-Declaration

```
VB_CSV_GetIntTemp(Temp As double)
```

ASCII-Request

```
%R1Q,5011:
```

ASCII-Response

```
%R1P,0,0:RC,Temp[long]
```

Remarks

Get the internal temperature of the instrument, measured on the Mainboard side. Values are reported in degrees Celsius.

Parameters

| | | |
|------|-----|------------------------------|
| Temp | Out | Instrument temperature [°C]. |
|------|-----|------------------------------|

Return-Code Names and Return-Code Values

| | | |
|--------|---|-----------------------|
| GRC_OK | 0 | Execution successful. |
|--------|---|-----------------------|

Example

```
GRC_TYPE    rc;
double      Temp;

rc = CSV_GetIntTemp(Temp);
// use temperature information
```

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13.4.17 CSV_GetVoltage – getting the actual voltage

C-Declaration

```
CSV_GetVoltage(unsigned short &milliVolt)
```

VB-Declaration

```
VB_CSV_GetVoltage(milliVolt As integer)
```

ASCII-Request

```
%R1Q,5165:
```

ASCII-Response

```
%R1P,0,0:RC,milliVolt
```

Remarks

Get the actual voltage of the instrument in millivolt.

Parameters

| | | |
|-----------|-----|-------------------------|
| milliVolt | Out | Instrument voltage [mV] |
|-----------|-----|-------------------------|

Return-Code Names and Return-Code Values

| | | |
|--------|---|-----------------------|
| GRC_OK | 0 | Execution successful. |
|--------|---|-----------------------|

Example

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13.4.18 CSV_SetCharging – Set charger to On / Off

C-Declaration

```
CSV_SetCharging(ON_OFF_TYPE bOn)
```

VB-Declaration

```
VB_CSV_SetCharging(bOn As Long)
```

ASCII-Request

```
%R1Q,5161:bOn
```

ASCII-Response

```
%R1P,0,0:RC
```

Remarks

This command turns the charger On or Off.

Parameters

| | | |
|-----|----|-------------|
| bOn | In | ON_OFF_TYPE |
|-----|----|-------------|

Return-Code Names and Return-Code Values

| | | |
|--------|---|-----------------------|
| GRC_OK | 0 | Execution successful. |
|--------|---|-----------------------|

Example

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13.4.19 CSV_GetCharging – Get status of charger

C-Declaration

```
CSV_GetCharging(ON_OFF_TYPE &rbOn)
```

VB-Declaration

```
VB_CSV_GetCharging(rbOn As Long)
```

ASCII-Request

```
%R1Q,5162:
```

ASCII-Response

```
%R1P,0,0:RC,rbOn
```

Remarks

This command gets the status of the charger.

Parameters

| | | |
|------|-----|-------------|
| rbOn | Out | ON_OFF_TYPE |
|------|-----|-------------|

Return-Code Names and Return-Code Values

| | | |
|--------|---|-----------------------|
| GRC_OK | 0 | Execution successful. |
|--------|---|-----------------------|

Example

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13.4.20 CSV_SetPreferredPowerSource – Set the preferred power source

C-Declaration

```
CSV_SetPreferredPowerSource(CSV_BATTERY eBattery)
```

VB-Declaration

```
VB_CSV_SetPreferredPowerSource(eBattery As Long)
```

ASCII-Request

```
%R1Q,5163:eBattery
```

ASCII-Response

```
%R1P,0,0:RC
```

Remarks

This command sets the preferred power source.

Parameters

| | | |
|----------|----|----------------------------|
| eBattery | In | 0: External 2: Internal |
|----------|----|----------------------------|

Return-Code Names and Return-Code Values

| | | |
|--------|---|-----------------------|
| GRC_OK | 0 | Execution successful. |
|--------|---|-----------------------|

Example

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13.4.21 CSV_GetPreferredPowerSource – Get the preferred power source

C-Declaration

CSV_GetPreferredPowerSource(CSV_BATTERY &reBattery)

VB-Declaration

VB_CSV_GetPreferredPowerSource(reBattery As Long)

ASCII-Request

%R1Q,5163:

ASCII-Response

%R1P,0,0:RC,reBattery

Remarks

This command gets the preferred power source.

Parameters

| | | |
|-----------|-----|----------------------------|
| reBattery | Out | 0: External 2: Internal |
|-----------|-----|----------------------------|

Return-Code Names and Return-Code Values

| | | |
|--------|---|-----------------------|
| GRC_OK | 0 | Execution successful. |
|--------|---|-----------------------|

Example

13.4.22 CSV_GetDateTimeCentiSec – getting the date and time.

C-Declaration

```
CSV_GetDateTimeCentiSec (short &nYear, short &nMonth, short &nDay,
                        short &nHour, short &nMinute, short &nSecond,
                        short &nCentiSec);
```

VB-Declaration

```
VB_CSV_GetDateTimeCentiSec(nYear As Integer, nMonth As Integer,
                          nDay As Integer, nHour As Integer,
                          nMinute As Integer, nSecond As Integer,
                          nCentiSec As Integer )
```

ASCII-Request

```
%R1Q,5117:
```

ASCII-Response

```
%R1P,0,0:RC,Year,Month,Day,Hour,Minute,Second,CentiSecond[all short]
```

Remarks

Gets the current date and time of the instrument.

Parameters

| | | |
|-----------|-----|--------------|
| nYear | Out | year |
| nMonth | Out | month |
| nDay | Out | day |
| nHour | Out | hour |
| nMinute | Out | minute |
| nSecond | Out | second |
| nCentiSec | Out | senti second |

Return-Code Names and Return-Code Values

| | | |
|--------|---|-----------------------|
| GRC_OK | 0 | Execution successful. |
|--------|---|-----------------------|

See Also

```
CSV_SetDateTime
CSV_GetDateTime
```

Example

See CSV_GetDateTime.

14 ELECTRONIC DISTANCE MEASUREMENT – EDM

14.1 INTRODUCTION

The subsystem electronic distance measurement (EDM) is the connection to the integrated distance measurement devices in the total station.

With the functionality of EDM one can switch on or off the Laserpointer and the Electronic Guide Light respectively. Additionally, it is possible to change the brightness using `EDM_SetEGLIntensity`.

14.2 USAGE

In order to use the functions concerning the Laserpointer and the Electronic Guide Light, make sure these devices are available. If not, these functions return error messages.

14.3 CONSTANTS AND TYPES

On/off switch

```
enum ON_OFF_TYPE // on/off switch type
{
    OFF = 0,
    ON  = 1
};
```

Intensity of Electronic Guidelight

```
typedef enum EDM_EGLINTENSITY_TYPE
{
    EDM_EGLINTEN_OFF      = 0,
    EDM_EGLINTEN_LOW     = 1,
    EDM_EGLINTEN_MID     = 2,
    EDM_EGLINTEN_HIGH    = 3
};
```

EDM measurement type

```
enum EDM_MEASUREMENT_TYPE
{
    EDM_SIGNAL_MEASUREMENT = 1,
    EDM_FREQ_MEASUREMENT  = 2,
    EDM_DIST_MEASUREMENT   = 4,
    EDM_ANY_MEASUREMENT    = 8
};
```

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14.4 FUNCTIONS

14.4.1 EDM_Laserpointer - turning on/off the laserpointer

C-Declaration

```
EDM_Laserpointer(ON_OFF_TYPE eOnOff)
```

VB-Declaration

```
VB_EDM_Laserpointer(ByVal eLaser As Long)
```

ASCII-Request

```
%R1Q,1004:eLaser[long]
```

ASCII-Response

```
%R1P,0,0:RC
```

Remarks

Laserpointer is only available on models which support distance measurement without reflector.

Parameters

| | | |
|--------|----|--|
| eOnOff | In | ON - switch Laserpointer on OFF - switch Laserpointer off |
|--------|----|--|

Return-Code Names and Return-Code Values

| | | |
|---------------------------|-----|---------------------------------|
| GRC_OK | 0 | Execution successful. |
| GRC_EDM_DEV_NOT_INSTALLED | 778 | Laserpointer is not implemented |

See Also

-

Example

```
GRC_TYPE    rc;

// switch on laserpointer
rc = EDM_Laserpointer(ON);

if (rc != GRC_OK)
{ // error-handling
  switch (rc)
  {
    case GRC_EDM_DEV_NOT_INSTALLED:
      printf("Laserpointer is not implemented.
             Laserpointer is only available in
             theodolites which supports distance
             measurement without reflector.");
      break;
  } // end of switch (rc)
} // end of error handling
else if (rc == GRC_OK)
{
  // use laserpointer
}
```

14.4.2 EDM_GetEglIntensity – getting the value of the intensity of the electronic guide light

C-Declaration

```
EDM_GetEglIntensity(EDM_EGLINTENSITY_TYPE
                   &eIntensity)
```

VB-Declaration

```
VB_EDM_GetEglIntensity (eIntensity As Long)
```

ASCII-Request

```
%R1Q,1058:
```

ASCII-Response

```
%R1Q,0,0:RC,eIntensity[long]
```

Remarks

Displays the intensity of the Electronic Guide Light.

Parameters

| | | |
|-----------|-----|---|
| intensity | Out | EDM_EGLINTEN_OFF EDM_EGLINTEN_LOW EDM_EGLINTEN_MID EDM_EGLINTEN_HIGH |
|-----------|-----|---|

Return-Code Names and Return-Code Values

| | | |
|---------------------------|-----|--|
| GRC_OK | 0 | Execution successful. |
| GRC_EDM_DEV_NOT_INSTALLED | 778 | Electronic Guide Light not implemented |

See Also

```
EDM_SetEglIntensity ()
```

Example

See EDM_SetEglIntensity.

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14.4.3 EDM_SetEglIntensity – changing the intensity of the electronic guide light

C-Declaration

```
EDM_SetEglIntensity (EDM_EGLINTENSITY_TYPE
                    eIntensity)
```

VB-Declaration

```
VB_EDM_SetEglIntensity (ByVal eIntensity As
                        Long)
```

ASCII-Request

```
%R1Q,1059:eIntensity [long]
```

ASCII-Response

```
%R1P,0,0:RC
```

Remarks

Changes the intensity of the Electronic Guide Light.

Parameters

| | | |
|-----------|----|---|
| intensity | In | EDM_EGLINTEN_OFF EDM_EGLINTEN_LOW EDM_EGLINTEN_MID EDM_EGLINTEN_HIGH |
|-----------|----|---|

Return-Code Names and Return-Code Values

| | | |
|---------------------------|-----|--|
| GRC_OK | 0 | Execution successful. |
| GRC_SYSBUSY | 13 | EDM already busy |
| GRC_EDM_DEV_NOT_INSTALLED | 778 | Electronic Guide Light not implemented |
| GRC_EDM_INVALID_COMMAND | 770 | When an invalid intensity is entered |

See Also

```
EDM_GetEglIntensity ()
```

Example

```
RC-TYPE rc;
EDM_EGLINTENSITY_TYPE eIntensity, eNewIntensity;

// Get actual EGL intensity
rc = EDM_GetEglIntensity(eIntensity);

if (rc == GRC_OK)
{
    // switch EGL intensity one level up
    switch (eIntensity)
    {
        case EDM_EGLINTENSITY_OFF:
            eIntensityNew = EDM_EGLINTENSITY_LOW; break;

        case EDM_EGLINTENSITY_LOW:
            eIntensityNew = EDM_EGLINTENSITY_MID; break;

        case EDM_EGLINTENSITY_MID:
            eIntensityNew = EDM_EGLINTENSITY_HIGH; break;

        case EDM_EGLINTENSITY_HIGH:
            break; // Already highest intensity

        default:
            eIntensityNew = EDM_EGLINTENSITY_LOW;
    }
    // Set new EGL intensity
    rc = SetEglIntensity(eIntensityNew);

    // Handle errors
}
```

14.4.4 EDM_IsContMeasActive – Check if continuous measurement is active

C-Declaration

```
EDM_IsContMeasActive (EDM_MEASUREMENT_TYPE eMeasType, BOOLE &rbActive)
```

VB-Declaration

```
VB_EDM_IsContMeasActive (eMeasType As Long, rbActive As Long)
```

ASCII-Request

```
%R1Q,1070:eMeasType
```

ASCII-Response

```
%R1P,0,0:RC,rbActive
```

Remarks

This command checks if the continuous measurement is active.

Parameters

| | | |
|-----------|-----|----------------------|
| eMeasType | In | EDM_MEASUREMENT_TYPE |
| rbActive | Out | BOOLE |

Return-Code Names and Return-Code Values

| | | |
|--------|---|-----------------------|
| GRC_OK | 0 | Execution successful. |
|--------|---|-----------------------|

See Also

–

Example

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14.4.5 EDM_SetBoomerangFilter – Enable bommerang filter

C-Declaration

EDM_SetBoomerangFilter (ON_OFF_TYPE eOnOff)

VB-Declaration

VB_EDM_SetBoomerangFilter (eOnOff As Long)

ASCII-Request

%R1Q,1061:eOnOff

ASCII-Response

%R1P,0,0:RC

Remarks

This command enables or disables the boomerang filter.

Parameters

| | | |
|--------|----|-------------|
| eOnOff | In | ON_OFF_TYPE |
|--------|----|-------------|

Return-Code Names and Return-Code Values

| | | |
|--------|---|-----------------------|
| GRC_OK | 0 | Execution successful. |
|--------|---|-----------------------|

See Also

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Example

15 FILE TRANSFER - FTR

15.1 USAGE

The subsystem 'File Transfer' contains functions such as list image files, download image files from instrument and delete image files. Telescopic Camera Images stored on Internal Memory or CF-Card may be transferred onto a PC using these functions.

Note: It is recommended to use binary communication mode with checksum (default) to secure transmission of files.
See also COM_SetComFormat.

| Path | Device type |
|-------------------|---------------------|
| /Leica Geosystems | FTR_DEVICE_INTERNAL |
| /SD Card | FTR_DEVICE_SDCARD |

| Path | File type(s) | Extension wildcard(s) |
|--------------------------------|-------------------------|-----------------------|
| Data/Geocom/Images/ATR | FTR_FILE_IMAGES | "*.jpg" |
| Data/Geocom/Images/Wide-angle/ | FTR_FILE_IMAGES_OVC_JPG | "*.jpg" |
| Data/Geocom/Images/Wide-angle/ | FTR_FILE_IMAGES_OVC_BMP | "*.bmp" |

15.2 CONSTANTS AND TYPES

Blocksize

```
const unsigned short FTR_MAX_BLOCKSIZE = 450;
```

Devicetype

```
typedef enum
{
    FTR_DEVICE_INTERNAL      = 0,
    FTR_DEVICE_PCPARD        = 1,
    FTR_DEVICE_SDCARD        = 4,
    FTR_DEVICE_USB_MEMORY    = 5,
    FTR_DEVICE_VOLATILERAM   = 6
} FTR_DEVICETYPE;
```

Filetype

```
typedef enum
{
    FTR_FILE_POINTRELATEDDB   = 103,
    FTR_FILE_IMAGES           = 170,
    FTR_FILE_IMAGES_OVC_JPG   = 171,
    FTR_FILE_IMAGES_OVC_BMP   = 172,
} FR_FILETYPE;
```

Blocktype

```
struct FTR_BLOCK
{
    BYTE FTR_BLOCK_val[FTR_MAX_BLOCKSIZE];
    unsigned short FTR_BLOCK_len;
};
```

Modification time

```
struct FTR_MODTIME
{
    BYTE ucHour;           // hour
    BYTE ucMinute;         // minute
    BYTE ucSecond;         // second
    BYTE ucCentisecond;     // centisecond (0.01 sec)
};
```

Modification date

```
struct FTR_MODDATE
{
    BYTE ucDay;            // UTC date, day
    BYTE ucMonth;          // UTC date, month
    BYTE ucYear;           // UTC date, year
};
```

Directory info

```
struct FTR_DIRINFO
{
    char szFileName[81];
    unsigned long ulFileSize;
    FTR_MODTIME ModTime;
    FTR_MODDATE ModDate;
};
```

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15.3 FUNCTIONS

15.3.1 FTR_SetupList – Setup list

C-Declaration

```
FTR_SetupList(FTR_DEVICE_TYPE eDeviceType, FTR_FILE_TYPE eFileType,
              char *szSearchPath)
```

VB-Declaration

```
VB_FTR_SetupList(DeviceType As Long, FileType As Long,
                 ByVal SearchPath As String)
```

Request

```
%R1Q,23306:eDeviceType,eFileType,szSearchPath
```

ASCII-Response

```
%R1P,0,0:RC
```

Remarks

This command sets up the device, file type and search path. It has to be called before command FTR_List can be used.

Parameters

| | | |
|--------------|----|---|
| eDeviceType | in | Device type. |
| eFileType | in | File type. |
| szSearchPath | in | Search path. Optional. Must be specified if file type is FTR_FILE_UNKNOWN. Can be used with *.* to list also job folders for file type FTR_FILE_POINTRELATEDDB. |

Return-Codes

| | | |
|--------------------|-------|---|
| GRC_OK | 0 | Execution successful. |
| GRC_IVPARAM | 2 | Device not available or can not get path. |
| GRC_NOTOK | 26 | Setup already done or FTR_AbortList() not called. |
| GRC_FTR_FILEACCESS | 13056 | File access error. |

See Also

FTR_List
FTR_AbortList

Example

See FTR_List

15.3.2 FTR_List – List file

C-Declaration

```
FTR_List(BOOLE bNext, BOOLE &rbLast, FTR_DIRINFO &rDirInfo)
```

VB-Declaration

```
VB_FTR_List(Next As Long, Last As Long, DirInfo As FTR_DIRINFO)
```

Request

```
%R1Q,23307:bNext
```

ASCII-Response

```
%R1P,0,0:RC,rbLast,szFileName,ulFileSize,ucHour,ucMinute,ucSecond,ucCentisecond
ucDay,ucMonth,ucYear
```

Remarks

This command gets one single file entry. The command FTR_List has to be called first.

Parameters

| | | |
|----------|-----|--|
| bNext | in | True if first entry otherwise next entry. |
| rbLast | out | True if last entry. |
| rDirInfo | out | Info about file name, size and modification time and date. The entry is not valid if the file name is empty (""). |

Return-Codes

| | | |
|----------------------|-------|---|
| GRC_OK | 0 | Execution successful. |
| GRC_FTR_MISSINGSETUP | 13060 | Missing setup. |
| GRC_FTR_INVALIDINPUT | 13059 | First block is missing or last time was already last block. |

See Also

```
FTR_SetupList
FTR_AbortList
```

Example

```
GRC_TYPE          rc;
FTR_DEVICE_TYPE   eDeviceType;
FTR_FILE_TYPE     eFileType;
char              szSearchPath[128];
BOOLE             bNext;
BOOLE             bLast;
FTR_DIRINFO       DirInfo;
char              szEntry[128];

eDeviceType = FTR_DEVICE_PCPARD;
eFileType = FTR_FILE_IMAGES;
strcpy(szSearchPath, "");
rc = FTR_SetupList(eDeviceType, eFileType, szSearchPath);
if(rc == GRC_OK)
{
    bNext = FALSE;
    do
    {
        rc = FTR_List(bNext, bLast, DirInfo);
        if(rc != GRC_OK)
        {
            // error
            break;
        }
        if(strlen(DirInfo.szFileName) < 1)
        {
            // entry is not valid or list is empty
            break;
        }
        sprintf(szEntry, "%s %ld %02/%02d/%04d %02d:%02d",
            DirInfo.szFileName, DirInfo.ulFileSize,
            DirInfo.ModDate.ucMonth, DirInfo.ModDate.ucDay,
            DirInfo.ModDate.ucYear + 2000,
            DirInfo.ModTime.ucHour, DirInfo.ModTime.ucMinute);
        bNext = TRUE;
    }
}
```

```
        while(bLast != TRUE);  
  
        FTR_AbortList();  
    }
```

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15.3.3 FTR_AbortList – Abort list

C-Declaration

```
FTR_AbortList(void)
```

VB-Declaration

```
VB_FTR_AbortList()
```

Request

```
%R1Q,23308:
```

ASCII-Response

```
%R1P,0,0:RC
```

Remarks

This command aborts or ends file list command.

Parameters

| | | |
|------|--|--|
| None | | |
|------|--|--|

Return-Codes

| | | |
|--------|---|-----------------------|
| GRC_OK | 0 | Execution successful. |
|--------|---|-----------------------|

See Also

```
FTR_SetupList
```

```
FTR_List
```

Example

```
See FTR_Setup
```

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15.3.4 FTR_SetupDownload – Setup download

C-Declaration

```
FTR_SetupDownload(FTR_DEVICE_TYPE eDeviceType, FTR_FILE_TYPE eFileType,
                  char *szFileNameSrc, unsigned short unBlockSize,
                  unsigned short &runNumOfBlocks)
```

VB-Declaration

```
VB_FTR_SetupDownload(DeviceType As Long, FileType As Long,
                     ByVal FileNameSrc As String, BlockSize As Integer,
                     NumOfBlocks As Integer)
```

Request

```
%R1Q,23303:eDeviceType,eFileType,szFileNameSrc,unBlockSize
```

ASCII-Response

```
%R1P,0,0:RC,unNumOfBlocks
```

Remarks

This command sets up the download of a file from the instrument. It has to be called before command FTR_Download can be used.

Parameters

| | | |
|----------------|-----|--|
| eDeviceType | in | Device type. |
| eFileType | in | File type. |
| szFileNameSrc | in | File name with extension. If file type is FTR_FILE_UNKNOWN additional file path is required. |
| unBlockSize | in | Block size. Max value is FTR_MAX_BLOCKSIZE. |
| runNumOfBlocks | out | Number of blocks required to upload the file. |

Return-Codes

| | | |
|----------------------|-------|---|
| GRC_OK | 0 | Execution successful. |
| GRC_IVPARAM | 2 | Device not available or can not get path. |
| GRC_NOTOK | 26 | Setup already done or FTR_AbortDownload() not called. |
| GRC_FTR_INVALIDINPUT | 13059 | Block size too big. |
| GRC_FTR_FILEACCESS | 13056 | File access error. |

See Also

FTR_Download
FTR_AbortDownload

Example

See FTR_Download

15.3.5 FTR_Download – Download file

C-Declaration

```
FTR_Download(unsigned short unBlockNumber, FTR_BLOCK &rBlock)
```

VB-Declaration

```
VB_FTR_Download(BlockNumber As Integer, Block As FTR_BLOCK)
```

Request

```
%R1Q,23304:unBlockNumber
```

ASCII-Response

```
%R1P,0,0:RC,FTR_BLOCK_val,FTR_BLOCK_len
```

Remarks

This command gets one single block of data. The command FTR_SetupDownload has to be called first.

Note: The maximum block number in C/VB is 65535/32767 therefore the file size is limited to 28MB/14MB. Visual Basic does not know data type unsigned integer.

Parameters

| | | |
|---------------|-----|--|
| unBlockNumber | in | Blocknumber. The block number starts with 1. If block number is 0 then the download process is aborted |
| rBlock | out | Block of data. |

Return-Codes

| | | |
|----------------------|-------|-------------------------|
| GRC_OK | 0 | Execution successful. |
| GRC_FTR_MISSINGSETUP | 13060 | Missing setup. |
| GRC_FTR_INVALIDINPUT | 13059 | First block is missing. |
| GRC_FTR_FILEACCESS | 13056 | File access error. |

See Also

FTR_SetupDownload
FTR_AbortDownload

Example

```
GRC_TYPE      rc;
FTR_DEVICE_TYPE eDeviceType;
FTR_FILE_TYPE  eFileType;
FTR_BLOCK      Block;
char           szFileNameSrc[128];
unsigned short unBlockNumber;
unsigned short unBlockSize;
unsigned short unNumOfBlocks;
FILE           *pFile;
unsigned short unWritten;

eDeviceType = FTR_DEVICE_PCPARD;
eFileType = FTR_FILE_IMAGES;
strcpy(szFileNameSrc, "image000.jpg");
unBlockSize = FTR_MAX_BLOCKSIZE;
rc = FTR_SetupDownload(eDeviceType, eFileType, szFileNameSrc,
                      unBlockSize, unNumOfBlocks);

if(rc == GRC_OK)
{
    // open the file
    pFile = fopen(szFileNameSrc, "wb");
    if(pFile == NULL)
    {
        // error
        return;
    }

    for(unBlockNumber = 1; unBlockNumber <= unNumOfBlocks; unBlockNumber++)
    {
        rc = FTR_Download(unBlockNumber, Block);
        if(rc != GRC_OK)
        {

```



```
        // error
        break;
    }

    // write block to file
    unWritten = fwrite(Block.FTR_BLOCK_val, 1,
        Block.FTR_BLOCK_len, pFile);
    if(unWritten != Block.FTR_BLOCK_len)
    {
        // error
        break;
    }
}

FTR_AbortDownload();
fclose(pFile);
}
```

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15.3.6 FTR_AbortDownload – Abort download

C-Declaration

```
FTR_AbortDownload(void)
```

VB-Declaration

```
VB_FTR_AbortDownload()
```

Request

```
%R1Q,23305:
```

ASCII-Response

```
%R1P,0,0:RC
```

Remarks

This command aborts or ends file download command.

Parameters

| | | |
|------|--|--|
| None | | |
|------|--|--|

Return-Codes

| | | |
|--------|---|-----------------------|
| GRC_OK | 0 | Execution successful. |
|--------|---|-----------------------|

See Also

```
FTR_SetupDownload
```

```
FTR_Download
```

Example

```
See FTR_Download
```

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15.3.7 FTR_Delete – Delete file

C-Declaration

```
FTR_Delete(FTR_DEVICE_TYPE eDeviceType, FTR_FILETYPE eFileType,
           FTR_MODDATE DelDate, char *szFileName,
           unsigned short &runNumFilesDeleted);
```

VB-Declaration

```
VB_FTR_Delete(DeviceType As Long, FileType As Long, DelDate As FTR_MODDATE,
              ByVal FileName As String, NumFilesDeleted As Integer)
```

Request

```
%R1Q,23309:eDeviceType,eFileType,ucDay,ucMonth,ucYear,szFileName
```

ASCII-Response

```
%R1P,0,0:RC,unNumFilesDeleted
```

Remarks

This command deletes one or more files. Wildcards may be used to delete multiple files. If deletion date is valid only files older than deletion date are deleted.

Parameters

| | | |
|--------------------|-----|---|
| eDeviceType | in | Device type. |
| eFileType | in | File type. |
| DelDate | in | Deletion date. Valid if ucMonth is not 0. |
| runNumFilesDeleted | out | Number of deleted files |

Return-Codes

| | | |
|-------------|---|---|
| GRC_OK | 0 | Execution successful. |
| GRC_IVPARAM | 2 | Device not available or can not get path. |

See Also

FTR_List

Example

```
GRC_TYPE      rc;
FTR_DEVICE_TYPE eDeviceType;
FTR_FILETYPE   eFileType;
FTR_MODDATE    DelDate;
char           szFileName[128];
unsigned short  unNumFilesDeleted;

eDeviceType = FTR_DEVICE_PCPARD;
eFileType = FTR_FILE_IMAGES;
DelDate.ucMonth = 0;
strcpy(szFileName, "image000.jpg");
unNumFilesDeleted = 0;

// delete file
rc = FTR_Delete(eDeviceType, eFileType, DelDate, szFileName,
                unNumFilesDeleted);
if(rc == GRC_OK)
{
    if(unNumFilesDeleted == 1)
    {
        // file deleted
    }
}
```

15.3.8 FTR_DeleteDir – Delete directory

C-Declaration

```
FTR_DeleteDir(FTR_DEVICE_TYPE eDeviceType, FTR_FILE_TYPE eFileType,
              FTR_MODDATE DelDate, char *szDirName,
              unsigned short &runNumDirDeleted);
```

VB-Declaration

```
VB_FTR_DeleteDir(DeviceType As Long, FileType As Long, DelDate As FTR_MODDATE,
                 ByVal DirName As String, NumDirDeleted As Integer)
```

Request

```
%R1Q,23315:eDeviceType,eFileType,ucDay,ucMonth,ucYear,szDirName
```

ASCII-Response

```
%R1P,0,0:RC,unNumDirDeleted
```

Remarks

This command deletes one or more directories. Wildcards may be used to delete multiple directories. If deletion date is valid only directories older than deletion date are deleted.

It is only possible to use this command for file type FTR_FILE_POINTRELATEDDB.

Parameters

| | | |
|------------------|-----|---|
| eDeviceType | in | Device type. |
| eFileType | in | File type. |
| DelDate | in | Deletion date. Valid if ucMonth is not 0. |
| runNumDirDeleted | out | Number of deleted directories |

Return-Codes

| | | |
|-------------|---|---|
| GRC_OK | 0 | Execution successful. |
| GRC_IVPARAM | 2 | Device not available or can not get path. |

See Also

FTR_List

Example

```
GRC_TYPE      rc;
FTR_DEVICE_TYPE eDeviceType;
FTR_FILE_TYPE  eFileType;
FTR_MODDATE    DelDate;
char           szDirName[128];
unsigned short  unNumDirDeleted;

eDeviceType = FTR_DEVICE_SDCARD;
eFileType = FTR_FILE_POINTRELATEDDB;
DelDate.ucMonth = 0;
strcpy(szDirName, "Job*");
unNumDirDeleted = 0;

// delete jobs
rc = FTR_DeleteDir(eDeviceType, eFileType, DelDate, szDirName,
                  unNumDirDeleted);
if(rc == GRC_OK)
{
    if(unNumDirDeleted == 3)
    {
        // 3 directories deleted
    }
}
```

15.3.9 FTR_SetupDownloadLarge – Setup large download

C-Declaration

```
FTR_SetupDownloadKLarge(FTR_DEVICE_TYPE eDeviceType, FTR_FILE_TYPE eFileType,
                        char *szFileNameSrc, unsigned short unBlockSize,
                        unsigned long &rulNumOfBlocks)
```

VB-Declaration

```
VB_FTR_SetupDownload(DeviceType As Long, FileType As Long,
                    ByVal FileNameSrc As String, BlockSize As Integer,
                    NumOfBlocks As Long)
```

Request

```
%R1Q,23313:eDeviceType,eFileType,szFileNameSrc,unBlockSize
```

ASCII-Response

```
%R1P,0,0:RC,rulNumOfBlocks
```

Remarks

This command sets up the download for large files from the instrument. It has to be called before command FTR_DownloadXL can be used.

Parameters

| | | |
|----------------|-----|--|
| eDeviceType | in | Device type. |
| eFileType | in | File type. |
| szFileNameSrc | in | File name with extension. If file type is FTR_FILE_UNKNOWN additional file path is required. |
| unBlockSize | in | Block size. Max value is FTR_MAX_BLOCKSIZE_LARGE. |
| rulNumOfBlocks | out | Number of blocks required to upload the file. |

Return-Codes

| | | |
|----------------------|-------|---|
| GRC_OK | 0 | Execution successful. |
| GRC_IVPARAM | 2 | Device not available or can not get path. |
| GRC_NOTOK | 26 | Setup already done or FTR_AbortDownload() not called. |
| GRC_FTR_INVALIDINPUT | 13059 | Block size too big. |
| GRC_FTR_FILEACCESS | 13056 | File access error. |

See Also

FTR_DownloadXL
FTR_AbortDownload

Example

See FTR_Download

15.3.10 FTR_DownloadXL – Download file

C-Declaration

```
FTR_DownloadXL(unsigned long ulBlockNumber, FTR_BLOCK_LARGE &rBlock)
```

VB-Declaration

```
VB_FTR_Download(BlockNumber As Integer, Block As FTR_BLOCK)
```

Request

```
%R1Q,23314:ulBlockNumber
```

ASCII-Response

```
%R1P,0,0:RC,FTR_BLOCK_LARGE_val,FTR_BLOCK_LARGE_len
```

Remarks

This command gets one single block of data. The command FTR_SetupDownloadLarge has to be called first.

Note: The maximum block number in C/VB is 65535/32767 therefore the file size is limited to 112MB/56MB.

Parameters

| | | |
|---------------|-----|--|
| ulBlockNumber | in | Blocknumber. The block number starts with 1. If block number is 0 then the download process is aborted |
| rBlock | out | Block of data. |

Return-Codes

| | | |
|----------------------|-------|-------------------------|
| GRC_OK | 0 | Execution successful. |
| GRC_FTR_MISSINGSETUP | 13060 | Missing setup. |
| GRC_FTR_INVALIDINPUT | 13059 | First block is missing. |
| GRC_FTR_FILEACCESS | 13056 | File access error. |

See Also

```
FTR_SetupDownloadLarge  
FTR_AbortDownload
```

Example

16 IMAGE PROCESSING – IMG

16.1 INTRODUCTION

This subsystem enables the capture of Telescopic Camera Images and the configuration of image parameters. There are two functions available to configure the image parameters and to read the currently defined parameters, `IMG_SetTccConfig` and `IMG_GetTccConfig` respectively. One can capture an image by invoking the `IMG_TakeTccImage` command.

Captured images are saved in jpeg compressed format to the Internal Memory or CF card into the \Images directory. Each file name contains a prefix and a number in the following format: `prefix###.jpg` (e.g. `image024.jpg`).

16.2 USAGE

Imaging TCC functionality is applicable for instruments with ATR.

In order to use the imaging functionality, make sure that a valid GeoCOM Imaging license key is loaded onto the instrument. If not available, these functions return error messages.

Note: Imaging RPC's require valid GeoCOM Imaging license key for successful execution.

16.3 CONSTANTS AND TYPES

Memory device type

```
enum IMG_MEM_TYPE // MemDeviceType
{
    IMG_INTERNAL_MEMORY = 0x0,    // internal memory module (optional)
    IMG_PC_CARD         = 0x1,    // external pc card
    IMG_SD_CARD         = 0x2,    // SD card
};
```

Image Parameters

```
struct IMG_TCC_CONFIG
{
    unsigned long ulImageNumber;
    unsigned long ulQuality;
    unsigned long ulSubFunctNumber;
    char szFileNamePrefix[IMG_MAX_FILE_PREFIX_LEN];
};
```

Length of file name prefix

```
const short IMG_MAX_FILE_PREFIX_LEN 20;
```

16.4 FUNCTIONS

16.4.1 IMG_GetTccConfig – reading the actual image configuration

C-Declaration

```
IMG_GetTccConfig(IMG_MEM_TYPE eMemType, IMG_TCC_CONFIG &Parameters)
```

VB-Declaration

```
VB_IMG_GetTccConfig ( MemType As Long, Parameters As IMG_TCC_CONFIG ) As Integer
```

ASCII-Request

```
%R1Q,23400: eMemType[long]
```

ASCII-Response

```
%R1P,0,0:RC,ulImageNumber[long],ulQuality[long],ulSubFunctNumber[long],szFileNamePrefix[string]
```

Remarks

Parameters

| | | |
|------------------|-----|---|
| eMemType | In | Memory device type |
| ulImageNumber | Out | Actual image number |
| ulQuality | Out | Jpeg compression quality factor (0 – 100) |
| ulSubFunctNumber | Out | Binary combination of the following settings: 1: Test image 2: Automatic exposure time selection 4: two-times sub-sampling 8: four-times sub-sampling |
| szFileNamePrefix | Out | File name prefix |

Return-Code Names and Return-Code Values

| | | |
|---------------|----|---|
| GRC_OK | 0 | Execution successful. |
| GRC_FATAL | 4 | CF card is not available or configuration file does not exist |
| GRC_IVVERSION | 17 | Configuration file version differs from that of system firmware |
| GRC_NA | 27 | Imaging license key not available |

See Also

IMG_SetTccConfig

Example

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16.4.2 IMG_SetTccConfig – setting the actual image configuration

C-Declaration

```
IMG_SetTccConfig(IMG_MEM_TYPE eMemType, IMG_TCC_CONFIG Parameters)
```

VB-Declaration

```
VB_IMG_SetTccConfig ( MemType As Long, Parameters As IMG_TCC_CONFIG ) As Integer
```

ASCII-Request

```
%R1Q,23401: eMemType[long], ulImageNumber[long], ulQuality[long], ulSubFunctNumber[long],  
szFileNamePrefix[string]
```

ASCII-Response

```
%R1P,0,0:RC
```

Remarks

Parameters

| | | |
|------------------|----|---|
| eMemType | In | Memory device type |
| ulImageNumber | In | Actual image number |
| ulQuality | In | Jpeg compression quality factor (0~100) |
| ulSubFunctNumber | In | Binary combination of the following settings: 1: Test image 2: Automatic exposure time selection 4: two-times sub-sampling 8: four-times sub-sampling |
| szFileNamePrefix | In | File name prefix |

Return-Code Names and Return-Code Values

| | | |
|-----------|----|--|
| GRC_OK | 0 | Execution successful. |
| GRC_FATAL | 4 | CF card is not available full Any parameter is out of range |
| GRC_NA | 27 | Imaging license key not available |

See Also

IMG_GetTccConfig

IMG_TakeTccImage

Example

See IMG_TakeTccImage

16.4.3 IMG_TakeTccImage – capture a telescopic image

C-Declaration

```
IMG_TakeTccImage(IMG_MEM_TYPE eMemType, unsigned short& runImageNumber)
```

VB-Declaration

```
VB_IMG_TakeTccImage ( MemType As Long, ImageNumber As Integer ) As Integer
```

ASCII-Request

```
%R1Q,23402: eMemType
```

ASCII-Response

```
%R1P,0,0:RC,runImageNumber
```

Remarks

Parameters

| | | |
|----------------|-----|--|
| eMemType | In | Memory device type |
| runImageNumber | Out | Number of the currently captured image |

Return-Code Names and Return-Code Values

| | | |
|--------------|----|-------------------------------------|
| GRC_OK | 0 | Execution successful. |
| GRC_IVRESULT | 3 | Not supported by Telescope Firmware |
| GRC_FATAL | 4 | CF card is not available full |
| GRC_NA | 27 | Imaging license key not available |

See Also

IMG_GetTccConfig

IMG_SetTccConfig

Example

```
GRC_TYPE rc;
IMG_MEM_TYPE eMemType;
IMG_TCC_CONFIG Parameters;
short nTimeout;

// Set parameters
eMemType = IMG_PC_CARD;
Parameters.ulImageNumber = 999;
Parameters.ulQuality = 50;
// Automatic exposure time and two-times sub-sampling
Parameters.ulSubFunctionNumber = 6;
strcpy(Parameters.szFileNamePrefix, "def");
rc = IMG_SetTccConfig(eMemType, Parameters);
if (rc != GRC_OK)
{
    return rc;
}

// Increase geocom timeout, because image capture and readout takes long time
COM_GetTimeout(nTimeout);
COM_SetTimeout(200);
// Take image
rc = IMG_TakeTccImage(eMemType, unBuf);
if (rc != GRC_OK)
{
    // Restore geocom timeout
    COM_SetTimeout(nTimeout);
    return rc;
}
// Image "def999.jpg" is now stored on CF-Card

// Restore geocom timeout
COM_SetTimeout(nTimeout);
```

16.4.4 IMG-SetTCCExposureTime – Set the exposure time for images

C-Declaration

IMG_SetTccExposureTime(unsigned short unExposureTime)

VB-Declaration

VB_IMG_SetTccExposureTime (unExposureTime As Integer)

ASCII-Request

%R1Q,23403: unExposureTime

ASCII-Response

%R1P,0,0:RC

Remarks

Parameters

| | | |
|----------------|----|----------------|
| unExposureTime | In | Exposure Time. |
|----------------|----|----------------|

Return-Code Names and Return-Code Values

| | | |
|--------|---|-----------------------|
| GRC_OK | 0 | Execution successful. |
|--------|---|-----------------------|

See Also

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Example

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17 MOTORISATION – MOT

17.1 INTRODUCTION

The subsystem 'Motorisation' controls the motorised drive of the axis.

17.2 USAGE

Within the subsystem, there exist three different types of functions:

"Open-End" functions: These functions start a motorisation control task and continue execution until cancellation. Special control functions are used to cancel such functions. An example for this type of function is the speed control function `MOT_SetVelocity`.

"Terminating" functions: These functions start control tasks, which terminate automatically. Examples for this type are positioning functions for example `MOT_StartController` and `MOT_StopController`.

Functions for the parameter handling: These functions manage system parameters. Examples are control parameter, motion parameter, tolerance and system configuration parameters (Example: `MOT_ReadLockStatus`).

17.3 CONSTANTS AND TYPES

Lock Conditions

```
enum MOT_LOCK_STATUS
{
    MOT_LOCKED_OUT = 0,    // locked out
    MOT_LOCKED_IN  = 1,    // locked in
    MOT_PREDICTION = 2     // prediction mode
};
```

Controller Stop Mode

```
enum MOT_STOPMODE
{
    MOT_NORMAL    = 0,      // slow down with current acceleration
    MOT_SHUTDOWN  = 1      // slow down by switch off power supply
};
```

Values for Horizontal (instrument) and Vertical (telescope) Speed

```
struct MOT_COM_PAIR
{
    double adValue[MOT_AXES];
};
```

Controller Configuration

```
enum MOT_MODE
{
    MOT_POSIT    = 0,      // configured for relative positioning
    MOT_OCONST   = 1,      // configured for constant speed
    MOT_MANUPOS  = 2,      // configured for manual positioning
                        // default setting
    MOT_LOCK     = 3,      // configured as "Lock-In"-controller
    MOT_BREAK    = 4,      // configured as "Brake"-controller
                        // do not use 5 and 6
    MOT_TERM     = 7       // terminates the controller task
};
```

Number of axis

```
const short MOT_AXES = 2;
```

17.4 FUNCTIONS

17.4.1 MOT_ReadLockStatus – returning the condition of the LockIn control

C-Declaration

```
MOT_ReadLockStatus(MOT_LOCK_STATUS &Status)
```

VB-Declaration

```
VB_MOT_ReadLockStatus(Status As Long)
```

ASCII-Request

```
%R1Q,6021:
```

ASCII-Response

```
%R1P,0,0:RC,Status[long]
```

Remarks

This function returns the current condition of the LockIn control (see subsystem AUT for further information).
This command is valid for automated instruments only.

Parameters

| Status | Out | Lock information |
|--------|-----|------------------|
|--------|-----|------------------|

Return-Code Names and Return-Code Values

| | | |
|--------------|---|--|
| GRC_OK | 0 | Execution successful. |
| GRC_NOT_IMPL | 5 | No motorisation available (no automated instrument). |

Example

```
GRC_TYPE      rc;
MOT_LOCK_STATUS Status;

rc = MOT_ReadLockStatus(Status)
if (rc == GRC_OK)
{
    // use lock status information
}
else
{
    // this is no automated instrument
}
```

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17.4.2 MOT_StartController – starting the motor controller

C-Declaration

```
MOT_StartController(MOT_MODE ControlMode)
```

VB-Declaration

```
VB_MOT_StartController(ControlMode As Long)
```

ASCII-Request

```
%R1Q,6001:ControlMode[long]
```

ASCII-Response

```
%R1P,0,0:RC
```

Remarks

This command is used to enable remote or user interaction to the motor controller.

Parameters

| | | |
|-------------|----|---|
| ControlMode | In | Controller mode. If used together with MOT_SetVelocity the control mode has to be MOT_OCONST. |
|-------------|----|---|

Return-Code Names and Return-Code Values

| | | |
|-----------------|------|--|
| GRC_OK | 0 | Execution successful. |
| GRC_IVPARAM | 2 | The value of ControlMode is not MOT_OCONST. |
| GRC_NOT_IMPL | 5 | No motorization available (no automated instrument). |
| GRC_MOT_BUSY | 1793 | Subsystem is busy (e.g. controller already started). |
| GRC_MOT_UNREADY | 1792 | Subsystem is not initialised. |

See Also

MOT_SetVelocity
MOT_StopController

Example

see MOT_SetVelocity

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17.4.3 MOT_StopController – stopping the motor controller

C-Declaration

```
MOT_StopController(MOT_STOPMODE Mode)
```

VB-Declaration

```
VB_MOT_StopController(Mode As Long)
```

ASCII-Request

```
%R1Q,6002:Mode[long]
```

ASCII-Response

```
%R1P,0,0:RC
```

Remarks

This command is used to stop movement and to stop the motor controller operation.

Parameters

| | | |
|------|----|-----------|
| Mode | In | Stop mode |
|------|----|-----------|

Return-Code Names and Return-Code Values

| | | |
|------------------|------|--|
| GRC_OK | 0 | Execution successful. |
| GRC_MOT_NOT_BUSY | 1792 | No movement in progress (e.g. stop without start). |

See Also

```
MOT_SetVelocity
MOT_StartController
AUS_SetUserLockState
```

Example

```
see MOT_SetVelocity
```

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17.4.4 MOT_SetVelocity – driving the instrument with a constant speed

C-Declaration

```
MOT_SetVelocity(MOT_COM_PAIR RefOmega)
```

VB-Declaration

```
VB_MOT_SetVelocity(RefOmega As MOT_COM_PAIR)
```

ASCII-Request

```
%R1Q,6004:HZ-Speed[double],V-Speed[double]
```

ASCII-Response

```
%R1P,0,0:RC
```

Remarks

This command is used to set up the velocity of motorization. This function is valid only if `MOT_StartController(MOT_OCONST)` has been called previously. `RefOmega[0]` denotes the horizontal and `RefOmega[1]` denotes the vertical velocity setting.

Parameters

| | | |
|----------|----|--|
| RefOmega | In | The speed in horizontal and vertical direction in rad/s. The maximum speed 0.79 rad/s (50gon/s) each for Viva TPS instruments. |
|----------|----|--|

Return-Code Names and Return-Code Values

| | | |
|--------------------|------|---|
| GRC_OK | 0 | Execution successful. |
| GRC_IVPARAM | 2 | <code>RefOmega.adValue[HZ]</code> and/or <code>RefOmega.adValue[V]</code> values are not within the boundaries. |
| GRC_MOT_NOT_CONFIG | 1795 | System is not in state <code>MOT_CONFIG</code> or <code>MOT_BUSY_OPEN_END</code> (e.g. missing 'start controller'). |
| GRC_MOT_NOT_OCONST | 1794 | Drive is not in mode <code>MOT_OCONST</code> (set by <code>MOT_StartController</code>). |
| GRC_NOT_IMPL | 5 | No motorization available (no automated instrument). |

See Also

```
MOT_StartController
MOT_StopController
AUS_SetUserLockState
```

Example

```
GRC_TYPE      rc;
MOT_COM_PAIR  RefOmega;

// set parameter
RefOmega.adValue[0] = 0.05;
RefOmega.adValue[1] = 0.05;

// stop controller and any possible movements
(void) MOT_StopController(MOT_NORMAL);
// wait at least 5 sec.
wait(5);

// start controller; the only valid mode
// for SetVelocity is MOD_OCONST
rc = MOT_StartController(MOT_OCONST);
if (rc == GRC_OK)
{
    rc = MOT_SetVelocity(RefOmega);
    // insert here a time delay or a wait for user
    // action; the movement stops by calling
    // MOT_StopController
}
// stop controller and movements abruptly
rc = MOT_StopController(MOT_SHUTDOWN);

// restart controller with default setting
rc = MOT_StartController(MOT_MANUPOS);
if (rc != GRC_OK)
```



```
{  
  // handle error  
}
```

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18 SUPERVISOR – SUP

18.1 USAGE

The subsystem ‘Supervisor’ performs the continuous control of the system (e.g. battery voltage, temperature) and allows to display automatically status information (e.g. system time, battery-, position-, Memory-Card-, and inclination measurement icons as well as local-remote display). It also controls the automatic shutdown mechanism.

18.2 CONSTANTS AND TYPES

On/Off Switch

```
enum ON_OFF_TYPE
{
    OFF = 0,
    ON  = 1
};
```

Automatic Shutdown Mechanism for the System

```
enum SUP_AUTO_POWER
{
    AUTO_POWER_DISABLED = 0, // instrument remains on
    AUTO_POWER_OFF       = 2  // turns off mechanism
};
```

System Time

```
typedef long SYSTIME;          // [ms]
```

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18.3 FUNCTIONS

18.3.1 SUP_GetConfig – getting the power management configuration status

C-Declaration

```
SUP_GetConfig(ON_OFF_TYPE & Reserved,
              SUP_AUTO_POWER &AutoPower,
              SYSTIME &Timeout)
```

VB-Declaration

```
VB_SUP_GetConfig(Reserved As Long,
                 AutoPower As Long,
                 Timeout As Long)
```

ASCII-Request

```
%R1Q,14001:
```

ASCII-Response

```
%R1P,0,0:RC, Reserved [long], AutoPower [long], Timeout [long]
```

Remarks

The returned settings are power off configuration and timing.

Parameters

| | | |
|-----------|-----|---|
| Reserved | Out | Reserved |
| AutoPower | Out | Current activated shut down mechanism |
| Timeout | Out | The timeout in ms. After this time the device switches in the mode defined by the value of AutoPower when no user activity (press a key, turn the device or communication via GeoCOM) occurs. |

Return-Code Names and Return-Code Values

| | | |
|--------|---|-----------------------|
| GRC_OK | 0 | Execution successful. |
|--------|---|-----------------------|

See Also

SUP_SetConfig

Example

see SUP_SetConfig

18.3.2 SUP_SetConfig – setting the power management configuration

C-Declaration

```
SUP_SetConfig(ON_OFF_TYPE Reserved,
              SUP_AUTO_POWER AutoPower,
              SYSTIME Timeout)
```

VB-Declaration

```
VB_SUP_SetConfig(Reserved As Long,
                 AutoPower As Long,
                 Timeout As Long)
```

ASCII-Request

```
%R1Q,14002:Reserved[long],AutoPower[long],Timeout[long]
```

ASCII-Response

```
%R1P,0,0:RC
```

Remarks

Set the auto power off mode to `AUTO_POWER_DISABLED` or `AUTO_POWER_OFF` and the corresponding timeout.

Parameters

| | | |
|-----------|----|---|
| Reserved | In | Reserved |
| AutoPower | In | Defines the behaviour of the power off mode. |
| Timeout | In | The timeout in ms. After this time the device switches in the mode defined by the value of AutoPower when no user activity (press a key, turn the device or communication via GeoCOM) occurs. The parameter for timeout must be between 60'000 m/s (1 min) and 6'000'000 m/s (100 min). |

Return-Code Names and Return-Code Values

| | | |
|-------------|---|----------------------------|
| GRC_OK | 0 | Execution successful. |
| GRC_IVPARAM | 2 | Timeout parameter invalid. |

See Also

`SUP_GetConfig`

Example

```
GRC_TYPE          rcv
ON_OFF_TYPE       Reserved;
SUP_AUTO_POWER    AutoPower;
SYSTIME           Timeout;

// get parameter values
rc = SUP_GetConfig (Reserved,
                   AutoPower,
                   Timeout);

// set new values for parameter
AutoPower         = AUTO_POWER_DISABLED;
Timeout           = 600000; // =10min

rc = SUP_SetConfig (Reserved,
                   AutoPower,
                   Timeout);
```

18.3.3 SUP_SetPowerFailAutoRestart - setting auto restart after power fail

C-Declaration

```
SUP_SetPowerFailAutoRestart(BOOLE &bAutoRestart)
```

VB-Declaration

```
VB_SUP_SetPowerFailAutoRestart(bAutoRestart As Long)
```

ASCII-Request

```
%R1Q,14006:bAutoRestart
```

ASCII-Response

```
%R1P,0,0:RC
```

Remarks

Configure the instrument to automatically restart when power is available and the instrument has not been shut down regularly before.

Parameters

| | | |
|--------------|----|---|
| bAutoRestart | In | 1: Enable auto restart after power fail 0: Disable auto restart after power fail |
|--------------|----|---|

Return-Code Names and Return-Code Values

| | | |
|--------|----|--------------------------------------|
| GRC_OK | 0 | Execution successful. |
| GRC_NA | 27 | Command not available on the sensor. |

See Also

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Example

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19 THEODOLITE MEASUREMENT AND CALCULATION – TMC

19.1 INTRODUCTION

This module is the central measurement, calculation and geodetic control module of the TPS1200 instrument family. All sensors (angle, distance and compensator) deliver their respective data to this module. All sensor information is used to continuously calculate corrected or uncorrected values for angles, distance and position co-ordinates.

The functions handled by the TMC module are:

Measurement Functions

These functions deliver measurement results. Angle and inclination measurements are started by system functions directly, other measurement operations needs activating the corresponding sensor (e.g. distance measurement). This means a distance measurement needs to be previously activated in order to measure coordinates. ATR corrected angle values are automatically delivered once the ATR status is on. For simple measurements with a single procedure call, use the BAP MeasDist command.

Measurement Control Functions

These functions control measurement behaviour (activate/deactivate sensors) and basic data for the calculation of measurement results.

Data Set-up Functions

These functions allow sending destination data, location data and section data to the Theodolite.

Information Functions

These functions return additional information about measurement results, sensors, Theodolite status, etc.

Configuration Functions

These functions control the Theodolite behaviour in general.

The measurement functions of this subsystem generally can generate three types of return codes:

System Return Codes are of general use (GRC_OK means result is okay,...)

Informative Return code indicates that the function was terminated successfully. But some restrictions apply (e.g. it can be reported that the angle values are okay, the distance is invalid).

Error Return Codes signal a non-successful termination of the function call.

19.2 USAGE

19.2.1 Inclination measurement/correction

The TMC module handles the inclination sensor data and correction. To get exact results (co-ordinates, angles, distances) the inclination of the instrument must be taken into account. In general, there are two ways how this can be done:

Measuring the inclination

Calculating the inclination

For a limited time of several seconds and a limited horizontal angle between 10 and 40 degrees (depending on instrument type) an inclination model is generated to speed up measurement. The model for the inclination is based on the last exact inclination measurement and is maintained within the TMC as a calculated inclination plane.

To control the kind of generating the results, all measurement functions have a parameter (of type TMC_INCLINE_PRG), where the inclination mode can be selected. The different measurement modes are:

TMC_MEA_INC:

Measures the inclination (in any case). Use this mode by unstable conditions like e.g. the instrument has been moved or walking around the instrument may influence the inclination on an unstable underground (e.g. field grass). The disadvantage of this mode is the longer measurement time compared to TMC_PLANE_INC.

TMC_PLANE_INC:

Calculates the inclination (assumes that the instrument has not been moved). This mode gives an almost immediate result (some milliseconds).

TMC_AUTO_INC:

The system decides which method should be used (either TMC_MEA_INC or TMC_PLANE_INC). You get the best performance regarding measure rate and accuracy with this mode; the instrument checks the conditions around the station. We recommend taking this mode any time.

Note that the results depend on the system's configuration, too. That means that the compensator must be switched on in order to get a result with inclination correction (see `TMC_SetInclineSwitch`). The return code of the measurement functions holds information about the quality of the result. E.g. it is reported, if the compensation of inclination could not be done.

Note:

19.2.2 Sensor measurement programs

The instrument supports different measurement programs, which activates or deactivates the sensors in different manner. The programs can be selected by the control function `TMC_DoMeasure` (via the parameter of the type `TMC_MEASURE_PRG`).

Additionally the setting of the EDM measurement mode is set with the function `TMC_SetEdmMode` and influences the measurement. Here a choice between single measurement and continues measurement is possible (each is different in speed and precision).

General measurement programs:

`TMC_DEF_DIST`:

Starts the distance measurement with the set distance measurement program.

`TMC_TRK_DIST`:

Starts the distance measurement in tracking mode.

`TMC_STOP`:

Stops measurement.

`TMC_CLEAR`:

Stops the measurement and clears the data.

`TMC_SIGNAL`:

Help mode for signal intensity measurement (use together with function `TMC_GetSignal`). While Signal or frequency measurement no angle measurement data are available.

`TMC_RED_TRK_DIST`:

Starts the distance tracking measurement with red laser. This mode can be used for reflectorless short distance measurement or long distance measurement with reflector.

19.3 CONSTANTS AND TYPES

On / Off switches

```
enum ON_OFF_TYPE          // on/off switch type
{
    OFF          = 0,      // Switch is off
    ON           = 1,      // Switch is on
};
```

Inclination Sensor Measurement Program

(see Chapter 19.2.1 for further information)

```
enum TMC_INCLINE_PRG {
    TMC_MEA_INC    = 0,    // Use sensor (apriori sigma)
    TMC_AUTO_INC   = 1,    // Automatic mode (sensor/plane)
    TMC_PLANE_INC  = 2,    // Use plane (apriori sigma)
};
```

TMC Measurement Mode

(see Chapter 19.2.2 for further information)

```
enum TMC_MEASURE_PRG {
    TMC_STOP          = 0,    // Stop measurement program
    TMC_DEF_DIST       = 1,    // Default DIST-measurement
                                // program
    TMC_CLEAR          = 3,    // TMC_STOP and clear data
    TMC_SIGNAL         = 4,    // Signal measurement (test
                                // function)
    TMC_DO_MEASURE     = 6,    // (Re)start measurement task
    TMC_RTRK_DIST      = 8,    // Distance-TRK measurement
                                // program
    TMC_RED_TRK_DIST   = 10,   // Reflectorless tracking
    TMC_FREQUENCY      = 11,   // Frequency measurement (test)
};
```

EDM Measurement Mode

```
enum EDM_MODE {
    EDM_MODE_NOT_USED      = 0, // Init value
    EDM_SINGLE_TAPE        = 1, // IR Standard Reflector Tape
    EDM_SINGLE_STANDARD    = 2, // IR Standard
    EDM_SINGLE_FAST        = 3, // IR Fast
    EDM_SINGLE_LRANGE      = 4, // LO Standard
    EDM_SINGLE_SRANGE      = 5, // RL Standard
    EDM_CONT_STANDARD      = 6, // Standard repeated measurement
    EDM_CONT_DYNAMIC       = 7, // IR Tacking
    EDM_CONT_REFLESS       = 8, // RL Tracking
    EDM_CONT_FAST          = 9, // Fast repeated measurement
    EDM_AVERAGE_IR        = 10, // IR Average
    EDM_AVERAGE_SR        = 11, // RL Average
    EDM_AVERAGE_LR        = 12, // LO Average
    EDM_PRECISE_IR         = 13, // IR Precise (TS30, TM30, TS50, TM50, MS50)
    EDM_PRECISE_TAPE       = 14, // IR Precise Reflector Tape (TS30, TM30, TS50, TM50, MS50)
};
```

EDM Frequency

```
typedef struct TMC_EDM_FREQUENCY {
    double dFrequency; // EDM's frequency in Hz
    SYSTIME Time;      // Time of last measurement
};
```

Calculated Co-ordinates based on a Distance Measurement

```
struct TMC_COORDINATE {
    double dE;           // E-Coordinate [m]
    double dN;           // N-Coordinate [m]
    double dH;           // H-Coordinate [m]
    SYSTIME CoordTime;   // Timestamp of dist. Measurement [ms]
    double dE_Cont;      // E-Coordinate (continuously) [m]
    double dN_Cont;      // N-Coordinate (continuously) [m]
    double dH_Cont;      // H-Coordinate (continuously) [m]
    SYSTIME CoordContTime; // Timestamp of measurement [ms]
};
```

Corrected Angle Data

```
struct TMC_HZ_V_ANG {
    double dHz;          // Horizontal angle [rad]
    double dV;           // Vertical angle [rad]
};
```

Corrected Angle Data with Inclination Data

```
struct TMC_ANGLE {
    double dHz;          // Horizontal angle [rad]
    double dV;           // Vertical angle [rad]
    double dAngleAccuracy; // Accuracy of angles [rad]
    SYSTIME AngleTime;   // Moment of measurement [ms]
    TMC_INCLINE Incline; // Corresponding inclination
    TMC_FACE eFace;      // Face position of telescope
};
```

Offset Values for Correction

```
struct TMC_OFFSETDIST {
    double dLengthVal; // Aim offset length
    double dCrossVal;  // Aim offset cross
    double dHeightVal; // Aim offset height
};
```

Inclination Data

```
struct TMC_INCLINE {
    double dCrossIncline; // Transverse axis incl. [rad]
    double dLengthIncline; // Longitud. axis inclination [rad]
    double dAccuracyIncline; // Inclination accuracy [rad]
    SYSTIME InclineTime; // Moment of measurement [ms]
};
```

System Time

```
typedef long SYSTIME; // time since poweron [ms]
```


Face Position

```
enum TMC_FACE_DEF {
    TMC_FACE_NORMAL,      // Face in normal position
    TMC_FACE_TURN         // Face turned
};
```

Actual Face

```
enum TMC_FACE {
    TMC_FACE_1,=0        // Pos 1 of telescope
    TMC_FACE_2,=1        // Pos 2 of telescope
};
```

Reflector Height

```
struct TMC_HEIGHT {
    double dHr;           // Reflector height
};
```

Atmospheric Correction Data

```
struct TMC_ATMOS_TEMPERATURE {
    double dLambda;       // Wave length of the EDM transmitter [m]
    double dPressure;      // Atmospheric pressure [mbar]
    double dDryTemperature; // Dry temperature [°C]
    double dWetTemperature; // Wet temperature [°C]
};
```

Refraction Control Data

```
struct TMC_REFRACTION {
    ON_OFF_TYPE eRefOn     // Refraction correction On/Off
    double dEarthRadius;   // Radius of the earth [m]
    double dRefractiveScale; // Refraction coefficient
};
```

Instrument Station Co-ordinates

```
struct TMC_STATION {
    double dE0;            // Station easting coordinate [m]
    double dN0;            // Station northing coordinate [m]
    double dH0;            // Station height coordinate [m]
    double dHi;            // Instrument height [m]
};
```

EDM Signal Information

```
struct TMC_EDM_SIGNAL {
    double dSignalIntensity; // Signal intensity of EDM in %
    SYTIME Time;             // Timestamp [ms]
};
```

Correction Switches

```
struct TMC_ANG_SWITCH {
    ON_OFF_TYPE eInclineCorr; // Inclination correction
    ON_OFF_TYPE eStandAxisCorr; // Standing axis corr.
    ON_OFF_TYPE eCollimationCorr; // Collimation error corr.
    ON_OFF_TYPE eTiltAxisCorr; // Tilting axis corr.
};
```

19.4 MEASUREMENT FUNCTIONS

19.4.1 TMC_GetCoordinate - getting the coordinates of a measured point

C-Declaration

```
TMC_GetCoordinate(SYSTIME WaitTime,
                  TMC_COORDINATE &Coordinate,
                  TMC_INCLINE_PRG Mode)
```

VB-Declaration

```
VB_TMC_GetCoordinate1(ByVal WaitTime As Long,
                      Coordinate As TMC_COORDINATE,
                      ByVal Mode As Long)
```

ASCII-Request

```
%R1Q, 2082:WaitTime[long],Mode[long]
```

ASCII-Response

```
%R1P, 0, 0:RC,E[double],N[double],H[double],CoordTime[long],
E-Cont[double],N-Cont[double],H-Cont[double],CoordContTime[long]
```

Remarks

This function queries an angle measurement and, in dependence of the selected `Mode`, an inclination measurement and calculates the co-ordinates of the measured point with an already measured distance. A distance measurement has to be started in advance. The `WaitTime` is a delay to wait for the distance measurement to finish. Single and tracking measurements are supported. Information about a missing distance measurement and other information about the quality of the result is returned in the return- code.

Parameters

| | | |
|------------|-----|--|
| WaitTime | In | The delay to wait for the distance measurement to finish [ms]. |
| Coordinate | Out | Calculated Cartesian co-ordinates. |
| Mode | In | Inclination sensor measurement mode |

Return-Code Names and Return-Code Values

| | | |
|----------------------------------|------|---|
| GRC_OK | 0 | Execution successful. |
| GRC_TMC_ACCURACY_GUARANTEE | 1284 | Accuracy is not guaranteed, because the result is containing measurement data which accuracy could not be verified by the system. Co-ordinates are available. |
| GRC_TMC_NO_FULL_CORRECTION | 1283 | The results are not corrected by all active sensors. Co-ordinates are available. In order to secure which correction is missing use the both functions <code>TMC_IfDataAzeCorrError</code> and <code>TMC_IfDataIncCorrError</code> |
| GRC_TMC_ANGLE_OK | 1285 | Angle values okay, but no valid distance. Co-ordinates are not available. |
| GRC_TMC_ANGLE_NO_ACC_GUARANTY | 1289 | Only the angle measurement is valid but its accuracy cannot be guaranteed (the tilt measurement is not available). |
| GRC_TMC_ANGLE_NO_FULL_CORRECTION | 1288 | No distance data available but angle data are valid. The return code is equivalent to the <code>GRC_TMC_NO_FULL_CORRECTION</code> and relates to the angle data. Co-ordinates are not available. Perform a distance measurement first before you call this function. |
| GRC_TMC_DIST_ERROR | 1292 | No measuring, because of missing target point, co-ordinates are not available. Aim target point and try it again |
| GRC_TMC_DIST_PPM | 1291 | No distance measurement respectively no distance data because of wrong EDM settings. Co-ordinates are not available. |
| GRC_TMC_ANGLE_ERROR | 1290 | Angle or inclination measurement error. Check inclination modes in commands. |

| | | |
|---------------|------|--|
| GRC_TMC_BUSY | 1293 | TMC resource is locked respectively TMC task is busy. Repeat measurement. |
| GRC_ABORT | 8 | Measurement through customer aborted. |
| GRC_SHUT_DOWN | 12 | System power off through customer. |

See Also

TMC_DoMeasure
TMC_IfDataAzeCorrError
TMC_IfDataIncCorrError

Example

```
GRC_TYPE           Result;
TMC_COORDINATE     Coordinate;

// make a single distance measurement first
Result=TMC_DoMeasure(TMC_DEF_DIST, TMC_AUTO_INC);

if(Result==GRC_OK)
{
    // before you get the coordinates
    Result=TMC_GetCoordinate(1000,Coordinate,
TMC_AUTO_INC);
}

switch(Result)
{
    // result interpretation
    case GRC_OK:
        break;
        .
        .
    // error handling
    case ...:
        .
        .
    default:
        break;
}
```

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19.4.2 TMC_GetSimpleMea – returning an angle and distance measurement

C-Declaration

```
TMC_GetSimpleMea(SYSTIME WaitTime,
                 TMC_HZ_V_ANG &OnlyAngle,
                 double &SlopeDistance,
                 TMC_INCLINE_PRG Mode)
```

VB-Declaration

```
VB_TMC_GetSimpleMea(ByVal WaitTime As Long,
                   OnlyAngle As TMC_HZ_V_ANG,
                   SlopeDistance As Double,
                   ByVal Mode As Long)
```

ASCII-Request

```
%R1Q,2108:WaitTime[long],Mode[long]
```

ASCII-Response

```
%R1P,0,0:RC,HZ[double],V[double],SlopeDistance[double]
```

Remarks

This function returns the angles and distance measurement data. This command does not issue a new distance measurement. A distance measurement has to be started in advance. If a distance measurement is valid the function ignores `WaitTime` and returns the results. If no valid distance measurement is available and the distance measurement unit is not activated (by `TMC_DoMeasure` before the `TMC_GetSimpleMea` call) the angle measurement result is returned after the waittime. Information about distance measurement is returned in the return code.

Parameters

| | | |
|---------------|-----|--|
| WaitTime | In | The delay to wait for the distance measurement to finish [ms]. |
| Mode | In | Inclination sensor measurement mode. |
| OnlyAngle | Out | Result of the angle measurement [rad]. |
| SlopeDistance | Out | Result of the distance measurement [m]. |

Return-Code Names and Return-Code Values

| | | |
|----------------------------------|------|--|
| GRC_OK | 0 | Execution successful. |
| GRC_TMC_NO_FULL_CORRECTION | 1283 | The results are not corrected by all active sensors. Angle and distance data are available. In order to secure which correction is missing use the both functions <code>TMC_IfDataAzeCorrError</code> and <code>TMC_IfDataIncCorrError</code> This message is to be considered as a warning. |
| GRC_TMC_ACCURACY_GUARANTEE | 1284 | Accuracy is not guaranteed because the result consists of data which accuracy could not be verified by the system. Angle and distance data are available. |
| GRC_TMC_ANGLE_OK | 1285 | Angle values okay, but no valid distance. Perform a distance measurement previously. |
| GRC_TMC_ANGLE_NO_FULL_CORRECTION | 1288 | No distance data available but angle data are valid. The return code is equivalent to the <code>GRC_TMC_NO_FULL_CORRECTION</code> and relates to the angle data. Perform a distance measurement first before you call this function. |
| GRC_TMC_ANGLE_NO_ACC_GUARANTY | 1289 | Only the angle measurement is valid but its accuracy cannot be guaranteed (the tilt measurement is not available). |
| GRC_TMC_DIST_ERROR | 1292 | No measurement because of missing target point, angle data are available but distance data are not available. Aim at target point and try it again. |
| GRC_TMC_DIST_PPM | 1291 | No distance measurement respectively no distance data because of wrong EDM settings. Angle data are available but distance data are not available. |

| | | |
|---------------------|------|---|
| GRC_TMC_ANGLE_ERROR | 1290 | Angle or inclination measurement error. Check inclination modes in commands. |
| GRC_TMC_BUSY | 1293 | TMC resource is locked respectively TMC task is busy. Distance and angle data are not available. Repeat measurement. |
| GRC_ABORT | 8 | Measurement through customer aborted. |
| GRC_SHUT_DOWN | 12 | System power off through customer. |

See Also

TMC_DoMeasure
TMC_GetAngle5

Example

```

GRC_TYPE      rc;
TMC_HZ_V_ANG  OnlyAngle;
double        SlopeDistance;

// activate distance measurement
rc = TMC_DoMeasure(TMC_DEF_DIST, TMC_AUTO_INC);
if (rc == GRC_OK)
{
    // distance measurement successful
    rc = TMC_GetSimpleMea(3000, OnlyAngle,
                          SlopeDistance, TMC_MEA_INC);

    if (rc == GRC_OK)
    {
        // use distance and angle values
    }
    else
    {
        // something with TMC_GetSimpleMea went wrong
    }
}
else
{
    // something with dist. measurement went wrong
}

```

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19.4.3 TMC_GetAngle1 – returning a complete angle measurement

C-Declaration

```
TMC_GetAngle(TMC_ANGLE &Angle,
             TMC_INCLINE_PRG Mode)
```

VB-Declaration

```
VB_TMC_GetAngle1(Angle As TMC_ANGLE,
                 ByVal Mode As Long)
```

ASCII-Request

```
%R1Q, 2003:Mode[long]
```

ASCII-Response

```
%R1P, 0, 0:RC,HZ[double],V[double],AngleAccuracy[double],
AngleTime[long],CrossIncline[double],LengthIncline[double], AccuracyIncline[double],InclineTime[long],FaceDef[long]
```

Remarks

This function carries out an angle measurement and, in dependence of configuration, inclination measurement and returns the results. As shown the result is very comprehensive. For simple angle measurements use TMC_GetAngle5 or TMC_GetSimpleMea instead.

Information about measurement is returned in the return code.

Parameters

| | | |
|-------|-----|--------------------------------------|
| Mode | In | Inclination sensor measurement mode. |
| Angle | Out | Result of the angle measurement. |

Return-Code Names and Return-Code Values

| | | |
|----------------------------------|------|---|
| GRC_OK | 0 | Execution successful. |
| GRC_TMC_ACCURACY_GUARANTEE | 1284 | Accuracy is not guaranteed, because the result are consist of measuring data which accuracy could not be verified by the system. Co-ordinates are available. |
| GRC_TMC_NO_FULL_CORRECTION | 1283 | The results are not corrected by all active sensors. Co-ordinates are available. In order to secure which correction is missing use the both functions TMC_IfDataAzeCorrError and TMC_IfDataIncCorrError |
| GRC_TMC_ANGLE_OK | 1285 | Angle values okay, but no valid distance. Co-ordinates are not available. |
| GRC_TMC_ANGLE_NO_ACC_GUARANTY | 1289 | Only the angle measurement is valid but its accuracy cannot be guaranteed (the tilt measurement is not available). |
| GRC_TMC_ANGLE_NO_FULL_CORRECTION | 1288 | No distance data available but angle data are valid. The return code is equivalent to the GRC_TMC_NO_FULL_CORRECTION and relates to the angle data. Co-ordinates are not available. Perform a distance measurement first before you call this function. |
| GRC_TMC_DIST_ERROR | 1292 | No measuring, because of missing target point, co-ordinates are not available. Aim target point and try it again |
| GRC_TMC_DIST_PPM | 1291 | No distance measurement respectively no distance data because of wrong EDM settings. Co-ordinates are not available. |
| GRC_TMC_ANGLE_ERROR | 1290 | Angle or inclination measurement error. Check inclination modes in commands. |
| GRC_TMC_BUSY | 1293 | TMC resource is locked respectively TMC task is busy. Repeat measurement. |
| GRC_ABORT | 8 | Measurement through customer aborted. |
| GRC_SHUT_DOWN | 12 | System power off through customer. |

See Also

TMC_DoMeasure

TMC_GetAngle5
TMC_GetSimpleMea

Example

see TMC_GetAngle5

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19.4.4 TMC_GetAngle5 – returning a simple angle measurement

C-Declaration

```
TMC_GetAngle(TMC_HZ_V_ANG &OnlyAngle,
             TMC_INCLINE_PRG Mode)
```

VB-Declaration

```
VB_TMC_GetAngle5(OnlyAngle As TMC_HZ_V_ANG,
                 ByVal Mode As Long)
```

ASCII-Request

```
%R1Q,2107:Mode[long]
```

ASCII-Response

```
%R1P,0,0:RC,HZ[double],V[double]
```

Remarks

This function carries out an angle measurement and returns the results. In contrast to the function TMC_GetAngle1 this function returns only the values of the angle. For simple angle measurements use TMC_GetSimpleMea instead.

Information about measurement is returned in the return code.

Parameters

| | | |
|-------|-----|--------------------------------------|
| Mode | In | Inclination sensor measurement mode. |
| Angle | Out | Result of the angle measurement. |

Return-Code Names and Return-Code Values

| | | |
|----------------------------------|------|--|
| GRC_OK | 0 | Execution successful. |
| GRC_TMC_ACCURACY_GUARANTEE | 1284 | Accuracy is not guaranteed, because the result are consist of measuring data which accuracy could not be verified by the system. Co-ordinates are available. |
| GRC_TMC_NO_FULL_CORRECTION | 1283 | The results are not corrected by all active sensors. Co-ordinates are available. In order to secure which correction is missing use the both functions TMC_IfDataAzeCorrError and TMC_IfDataIncCorrError |
| GRC_TMC_ANGLE_OK | 1285 | Angle values okay, but no valid distance. Co-ordinates are not available. |
| GRC_TMC_ANGLE_NO_ACC_GUARANTY | 1289 | Only the angle measurement is valid but its accuracy cannot be guaranteed (the tilt measurement is not available). |
| GRC_TMC_ANGLE_NO_FULL_CORRECTION | 1288 | No distance data available but angle data are valid. The return code is equivalent to the GRC_TMC_NO_FULL_CORRECTION and relates to the angle data. Co-ordinates are not available. Perform a distance measurement first before you call this function. |
| GRC_TMC_DIST_ERROR | 1292 | No measuring, because of missing target point, co-ordinates are not available. Aim target point and try it again |
| GRC_TMC_DIST_PPM | 1291 | No distance measurement respectively no distance data because of wrong EDM settings. Co-ordinates are not available. |
| GRC_TMC_ANGLE_ERROR | 1290 | Angle or inclination measurement error. Check inclination modes in commands. |
| GRC_TMC_BUSY | 1293 | TMC resource is locked respectively TMC task is busy. Repeat measurement. |
| GRC_ABORT | 8 | Measurement through customer aborted. |
| GRC_SHUT_DOWN | 12 | System power off through customer. |

See Also

```
TMC_DoMeasure
TMC_GetAngle5
```


TMC_GetSimpleMea

Example

```

GRC_TYPE      Result;
TMC_ANGLE     Angle;
BOOLE         bExit,
              bAzeCorrError,
              bIncCorrError;

short         nCnt;

nCnt=0;
do
{
bExit=TRUE;

// Gets the whole angle data
Result=TMC_GetAngle(Angle, TMC_AUTO_INC);

switch(Result)
{
case GRC_OK:
    // Execution successful
    break;
case GRC_TMC_NO_FULL_CORRECTION:
    TMC_IfDataAzeCorrError(bAzeCorrError);
    TMC_IfDataIncCorrError(bIncCorrError);
    if(bAzeCorrError)
    {
        // coordinates are not corrected with the Aze-
        // deviation correction
    }
    if(bIncCorrError)
    {
        // coordinates are not corrected with the
        // incline correction
    }
    break;
case GRC_TMC_ACCURACY_GUARANTEE:
    // perform a forced incline measurement,
    // see example TMC_QuickDist
    break;

case GRC_TMC_BUSY:
    // repeat measurement
    bExit=FALSE;
case GRC_ABORT:
case GRC_SHUT_DOWN:
default:
    break;
} // end switch

nCnt++;
}while(!bExit && nCnt<3);

```

19.4.5 TMC_QuickDist - returning a slope distance and hz-angle, v-angle

C-Declaration

```
TMC_QuickDist(  TMC_HZ_V_ANG &OnlyAngle,
                double          &dSlopeDistance)
```

VB-Declaration

```
VB_TMC_QuickDist(    OnlyAngle      As
                     TMC_HZ_V_ANG,
                     dSlopeDistance As Double)
```

ASCII- Request

```
%R1Q,2117:
```

ASCII-Response

```
%R1P,0,0:RC,dHz[double],dV[double],dSlopeDistance[double]
```

Remarks

The function starts an EDM Tracking measurement and waits until a distance is measured. Then it returns the angle and the slope-distance, but no co-ordinates. If no distance can be measured, it returns the angle values (hz, v) and the corresponding return-code.

In order to abort the current measuring program use the function TMC_DoMeasure.

Parameters

| | | |
|----------------|-----|---------------------------|
| OnlyAngle | Out | measured Hz- and V- angle |
| dSlopeDistance | Out | measured slope-distance |

Return-Code Names and Return-Code Values

| | | |
|----------------------------------|------|---|
| GRC_OK | 0 | Execution successful. |
| GRC_TMC_ACCURACY_GUARANTEE | 1284 | Accuracy is not guaranteed, because the result are consist of measuring data which accuracy could not be verified by the system. Co-ordinates are available. |
| GRC_TMC_NO_FULL_CORRECTION | 1283 | The results are not corrected by all active sensors. Co-ordinates are available. In order to secure which correction is missing use the both functions TMC_IfDataAzeCorrError and TMC_IfDataIncCorrError |
| GRC_TMC_ANGLE_OK | 1285 | Angle values okay, but no valid distance. Co-ordinates are not available. |
| GRC_TMC_ANGLE_NO_ACC_GUARANTY | 1289 | Only the angle measurement is valid but its accuracy cannot be guaranteed (the tilt measurement is not available). |
| GRC_TMC_ANGLE_NO_FULL_CORRECTION | 1288 | No distance data available but angle data are valid. The return code is equivalent to the GRC_TMC_NO_FULL_CORRECTION and relates to the angle data. Co-ordinates are not available. Perform a distance measurement first before you call this function. |
| GRC_TMC_DIST_ERROR | 1292 | No measuring, because of missing target point, co-ordinates are not available. Aim target point and try it again |
| GRC_TMC_DIST_PPM | 1291 | No distance measurement respectively no distance data because of wrong EDM settings. Co-ordinates are not available. |
| GRC_TMC_ANGLE_ERROR | 1290 | Angle or inclination measurement error. Check inclination modes in commands. |
| GRC_TMC_BUSY | 1293 | TMC resource is locked respectively TMC task is busy. Repeat measurement. |
| GRC_ABORT | 8 | Measurement through customer aborted. |
| GRC_SHUT_DOWN | 12 | System power off through customer. |

See Also

TMC_GetAngle
 TMC_DoMeasure
 TMC_IfDataAzeCorrError
 TMC_IfDataIncCorrError

Example

```

const short      MAX=100;// number of measurements
const double     STATIC_TIME=4.0;// in seconds
const double     MAX_DIFFERENCE=0.0002// in rad
GRC_TYPE         Result;
TMC_ANG_SWITCH   SwCorr;
TMC_HZ_V_ANG     HzVAng;
TMC_ANGLE        AngleDummy;
BOOLE            bExit;
DATIME           Datime;
double           dSlopeDist,
                 dLastHzAng,
                 dhz_angle_diff,
                 dact_time, dstart_time;

short            nNoMeasurements;

TMC_GetAngSwitch(SwCorr);

SwCorr.eInclineCorr=ON;    // measure rate will be
SwCorr.eStandAxisCorr=ON; // reduced if angle and
SwCorr.eCollimationCorr=ON; // incline correction are
SwCorr.eTiltAxisCorr=ON;  // activated

TMC_DoMeasure(TMC_CLEAR); // clear distance first
TMC_SetAngSwitch(SwCorr); // before you can set the
                          // ANG switches, the
                          // distance must be
                          // cleared

CSV_GetDateTime(Datime);
dstart_time=Datime.Time.Minute*60+
            Datime.Time.Second;

// starts the rapid tracking dist. measurement program
TMC_QuickDist(HzVAng, dSlopeDist);

bExit=FALSE;
nNoMeasurements=0;
do
{
    dLastHzAng=HzVAng.dHz;
    Result=TMC_QuickDist(HzVAng, dSlopeDist);
    switch(Result)
    {
        // distance- and angles- data available
        case GRC_TMC_ACCURACY_GUARANTEE:
            // perform a forced incline measurement

            // caution: the calculation at zero rad is
            // not consider
            dhz_angle_diff=fabs(dLastHzAng-
                               HzVAng.dHz);

            if(dhz_angle_diff<MAX_DIFFERENCE)
            { // instrument is in static period
                CSV_GetDateTime(Datime);
                dact_time=Datime.Time.Minute*60+
                        Datime.Time.Second;

                if(dact_time-dstart_time > STATIC_TIME)
                { // static mode exceeding 3-4 sec
                    TMC_GetAngle(TMC_MEA_INC,
                                AngleDummy);
                    TMC_GetAngle(TMC_MEA_INC,

```

```

        AngleDummy);
    }
}
else
{
    // instrument is not in static period
    CSV_GetDateTime(Datetime);
    dstart_time=Datetime.Time.Minute*60+
        Datetime.Time.Second;
}

case GRC_OK:
case GRC_TMC_NO_FULL_CORRECTION:
    break;

// no distance data available
case GRC_TMC_ANGLE_OK:
case GRC_TMC_ANGLE_NOT_FULL_CORR:
case GRC_TMC_ANGLE_NO_ACC_GUARANTY:
case GRC_TMC_DIST_ERROR:
case GRC_TMC_DIST_PPM:
    break;

// neither angle- nor distance- data available
case GRC_TMC_ANGLE_ERROR:
case GRC_BUSY:
case GRC_ABORT:
case GRC_SHUT_DOWN:

default:
    bExit=TRUE;
    break;
}
}
while(!bExit && nNoMeasurements<MAX);

TMC_DoMeasure(TMC_STOP); // stop measurement program

```

19.4.6 TMC_GetFullMeas – returning an angle, inclination and distance measurement

C-Declaration

```
TMC_GetFullMeas(SYSTIME WaitTime,
                double &rdHzAngle,
                double &rdVAngle,
                double &rdAccuracyAngle,
                double &rdCrossIncl,
                double &rdLengthIncl,
                double &rdAccuracyIncl,
                double &rdSlopeDist,
                double &rdDistTime,
                TMC_INCLINE_PRG Mode)
```

VB-Declaration

```
VB_TMC_GetFullMeas(ByVal WaitTime As Long,
                   HzAngle As Double,
                   VAngle As Double,
                   AccuracyAngle As Double,
                   CrossIncl As Double,
                   LengthIncl As Double,
                   AccuracyIncl As Double,
                   SlopeDist As Double,
                   DistTime As Double,
                   ByVal Mode As Long)
```

ASCII-Request

```
%R1Q, 2167:WaitTime[long],Mode[long]
```

ASCII-Response

```
%R1P, 0, 0:RC,HZ[double],V[double],AccAngle[double],C[double],L[double],AccIncl[double],SlopeDist[double],
DistTime[double]
```

Remarks

This function returns angle, inclination and distance measurement data including accuracy and distance measurement time. This command does not issue a new distance measurement. A distance measurement has to be started in advance. If a distance measurement is valid the function ignores `WaitTime` and returns the results. If no valid distance measurement is available and the distance measurement unit is not activated (by `TMC_DoMeasure` before the `TMC_GetFullMeas` call) the angle measurement result is returned after the waiting time. Information about distance measurement is returned in the return code.

Parameters

| | | |
|---------------|-----|--|
| WaitTime | In | The delay to wait for the distance measurement to finish [ms]. |
| Mode | In | Inclination sensor measurement mode. |
| HzAngle | Out | Result of the horizontal angle measurement [rad]. |
| VAngle | Out | Result of the vertical angle measurement [rad]. |
| AccuracyAngle | Out | Accuracy of the angle measurements [rad]. |
| CrossIncl | Out | Result of the cross inclination measurement [rad]. |
| LenIncl | Out | Result of the length inclination measurement [rad]. |
| AccuracyIncl | Out | Accuracy of the inclination measurements [rad]. |
| SlopeDistance | Out | Result of the distance measurement [m]. |
| DistTime | Out | Time of the distance measurement [ms]. |

Return-Code Names and Return-Code Values

| | | |
|----------------------------|------|--|
| GRC_OK | 0 | Execution successful. |
| GRC_TMC_NO_FULL_CORRECTION | 1283 | The results are not corrected by all active sensors. Angle and distance data are available. In order to secure which correction is missing use the both functions <code>TMC_IfDataAzeCorrError</code> and <code>TMC_IfDataIncCorrError</code> This message is to be considered as a warning. |
| GRC_TMC_ACCURACY_GUARANTEE | 1284 | Accuracy is not guaranteed because the result consists of data |

| | | |
|----------------------------------|------|--|
| | | which accuracy could not be verified by the system. Angle and distance data are available. |
| GRC_TMC_ANGLE_OK | 1285 | Angle values okay, but no valid distance. Perform a distance measurement previously. |
| GRC_TMC_ANGLE_NO_FULL_CORRECTION | 1288 | No distance data available but angle data are valid. The return code is equivalent to the GRC_TMC_NO_FULL_CORRECTION and relates to the angle data. Perform a distance measurement first before you call this function. |
| GRC_TMC_ANGLE_NO_ACC_GUARANTY | 1289 | Only the angle measurement is valid but its accuracy cannot be guaranteed (the tilt measurement is not available). |
| GRC_TMC_DIST_ERROR | 1292 | No measurement because of missing target point, angle data are available but distance data are not available. Aim at target point and try it again. |
| GRC_TMC_DIST_PPM | 1291 | No distance measurement respectively no distance data because of wrong EDM settings. Angle data are available but distance data are not available. |
| GRC_TMC_ANGLE_ERROR | 1290 | Angle or inclination measurement error. Check inclination modes in commands. |
| GRC_TMC_BUSY | 1293 | TMC resource is locked respectively TMC task is busy. Distance and angle data are not available. Repeat measurement. |
| GRC_ABORT | 8 | Measurement through customer aborted. |
| GRC_SHUT_DOWN | 12 | System power off through customer. |

See Also

TMC_DoMeasure
TMC_GetAngle5

Example

```

GRC_TYPE      rc;
double        HzAngle, VAngle, AccuracyAngle;
double        CrossIncl, LenIncl, AccuracyIncl;
double        SlopeDistance, DistTime;

// activate distance measurement
rc = TMC_DoMeasure(TMC_DEF_DIST, TMC_AUTO_INC);
if (rc == GRC_OK)
{
    // distance measurement successful
    rc = TMC_GetFullMeas(3000, HzAngle, VAngle, AccuracyAngle,
                        CrossIncl, LenIncl, AccuracyIncl,
                        SlopeDistance, DistTime, TMC_MEA_INC);

    if (rc == GRC_OK)
    {
        // use distance and angle values
    }
    else
    {
        // something with TMC_GetFullMeas went wrong
    }
}
else
{
    // something with dist. measurement went wrong
}

```

19.5 MEASUREMENT CONTROL FUNCTIONS

19.5.1 TMC_DoMeasure - carrying out a distance measurement

C-Declaration

```
TMC_DoMeasure(TMC_MEASURE_PRG Command,
              TMC_INCLINE_PRG Mode)
```

VB-Declaration

```
VB_TMC_DoMeasure(ByVal Command As Long,
                 ByVal Mode As Long)
```

ASCII-Request

```
%R1Q,2008:Command[long],Mode[long]
```

ASCII-Response

```
%R1P,0,0:RC
```

Remarks

This function carries out a distance measurement according to the TMC measurement mode like single distance, tracking,... . Please note that this command does not output any values (distances). In order to get the values you have to use other measurement functions such as TMC_GetCoordinate, TMC_GetSimpleMea, TMC_GetFullMeas or else TMC_GetAngle.

The result of the distance measurement is kept in the instrument and is valid to the next TMC_DoMeasure command where a new distance is requested or the distance is clear by the measurement program TMC_CLEAR.

Note: If you perform a distance measurement with the measure program TMC_DEF_DIST, the distance sensor will work with the set EDM mode, see TMC_SetEdmMode.

Parameters

| | | |
|---------|----|--------------------------------------|
| Command | in | TMC measurement mode. |
| Mode | in | Inclination sensor measurement mode. |

Return-Code Names and Return-Code Values

| | | |
|--------|---|-----------------------|
| GRC_OK | 0 | Execution successful. |
|--------|---|-----------------------|

See Also

```
TMC_SetEdmMode
TMC_GetCoordinate
TMC_GetSimpleMea
TMC_GetAngle1
TMC_GetAngle5
```

Example

```
GRC_TYPE Result;
short  nCnt;

// set average mode
Result=TMC_SetEdmMode(EDM_CONT_EXACT);
// perform a single distance measurement
Result=TMC_DoMeasure(TMC_DEF_DIST);

nCnt=0;
while(nCnt<100)
{
    // wait on the distance data max. 100x100ms
    Result=TMC_GetCoordinate(100,Coordinate,
                           TMC_AUTO_INC);
    nCnt++;
}

// to complete the measurement, and clear data
TMC_DoMeasure(TMC_CLEAR);
// set standard mode
TMC_SetEdmMode(EDM_SINGLE_STANDARD);
```

19.5.2 TMC_SetHandDist - inputing a slope distance and height offset

C-Declaration

```
TMC_SetHandDist(double SlopeDistance,
                double HgtOffset,
                TMC_INCLINE_PRG Mode)
```

VB-Declaration

```
VB_TMC_SetHandDist(ByVal SlopeDistance As Double,
                   ByVal HgtOffset As Double,
                   ByVal Mode As Long)
```

ASCII-Request

```
%R1Q, 2019:SlopeDistance[double],HgtOffset[double],Mode[long]
```

ASCII-Response

```
%R1P, 0, 0:RC
```

Remarks

This function is used to input manually measured slope distance and height offset for a following measurement. Additionally an inclination measurement and an angle measurement are carried out to determine the co-ordinates of target. The V-angle is corrected to $\pi/2$ or $3 \cdot \pi/2$ in dependence of the instrument's face because of the manual input.

After this command the previous measured distance is cleared.

Parameters

| | | |
|---------------|----|---|
| SlopeDistance | In | Slope distance [m] |
| HgtOffset | In | Height offset [m] |
| Mode | In | Inclination sensor measurement mode [m] |

Return-Code Names and Return-Code Values

| | | |
|----------------------------------|------|---|
| GRC_OK | 0 | Execution successful. |
| GRC_TMC_ACCURACY_GUARANTEE | 1284 | Accuracy is not guaranteed, because the result are consist of measuring data which accuracy could not be verified by the system. Co-ordinates are available. |
| GRC_TMC_NO_FULL_CORRECTION | 1283 | The results are not corrected by all active sensors. Co-ordinates are available. In order to secure which correction is missing use the both functions TMC_IfDataAzeCorrError and TMC_IfDataIncCorrError |
| GRC_TMC_ANGLE_OK | 1285 | Angle values okay, but no valid distance. Co-ordinates are not available. |
| GRC_TMC_ANGLE_NO_ACC_GUARANTY | 1289 | Only the angle measurement is valid but its accuracy cannot be guaranteed (the tilt measurement is not available). |
| GRC_TMC_ANGLE_NO_FULL_CORRECTION | 1288 | No distance data available but angle data are valid. The return code is equivalent to the GRC_TMC_NO_FULL_CORRECTION and relates to the angle data. Co-ordinates are not available. Perform a distance measurement first before you call this function. |
| GRC_TMC_DIST_ERROR | 1292 | No measuring, because of missing target point, co-ordinates are not available. Aim target point and try it again |
| GRC_TMC_DIST_PPM | 1291 | No distance measurement respectively no distance data because of wrong EDM settings. Co-ordinates are not available. |
| GRC_TMC_ANGLE_ERROR | 1290 | Angle or inclination measurement error. Check inclination modes in commands. |
| GRC_TMC_BUSY | 1293 | TMC resource is locked respectively TMC task is busy. Repeat measurement. |
| GRC_ABORT | 8 | Measurement through customer aborted. |

| | | |
|---------------|----|------------------------------------|
| GRC_SHUT_DOWN | 12 | System power off through customer. |
|---------------|----|------------------------------------|

See Also

TMC_IfDataAzeCorrError
TMC_IfDataIncCorrError

Example

```
GRC_TYPE          rc;  
TMC_COORDINATE    Coordinate  
  
rc = VB_TMC_SetHandDist(10, 1, TMC_AUTO_INC)  
if (rc == GRC_OK)  
{  
    // calculate coordinates  
    rc=TMC_GetCoordinate(1000,Coordinate,TMC_AUTO_INC)  
    if (rc == GRC_OK)  
    {  
        // use coordinates  
    }  
    else  
    {  
        // something went wrong  
    }  
}
```

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19.6 DATA SETUP FUNCTIONS

19.6.1 TMC_GetHeight - returning the current reflector height

C-Declaration

```
TMC_GetHeight(TMC_HEIGHT &Height)
```

VB-Declaration

```
VB_TMC_GetHeight(Height As TMC_HEIGHT)
```

ASCII-Request

```
%R1Q,2011:
```

ASCII-Response

```
%R1P,0,0:RC,Height[double]
```

Remarks

This function returns the current reflector height.

Parameters

| | | |
|--------|-----|------------------------------|
| Height | Out | Current reflector height [m] |
|--------|-----|------------------------------|

Return-Code Names and Return-Code Values

| | | |
|--------|---|-----------------------|
| GRC_OK | 0 | Execution successful. |
|--------|---|-----------------------|

See Also

```
TMC_SetHeight
```

Example

```
GRC_TYPE      rc;
TMC_HEIGHT    Height, NewHeight;

// reset reflector height to 0
// if it is not already

rc = TMC_GetHeight(Height);
if (Height.dHr != 0)
{
    NewHeight.dHr = 0;
    rc = TMC_SetHeight(NewHeight);
    if (rc == GRC_OK)
    {
        // set of height successful
    }
    else
    {
        // TMC is busy, no set possible
    }
}
```

19.6.2 TMC_SetHeight – setting a new reflector height

C-Declaration

```
TMC_SetHeight(TMC_HEIGHT Height)
```

VB-Declaration

```
VB_TMC_SetHeight(ByVal Height As TMC_HEIGHT)
```

ASCII-Request

```
%R1Q,2012:Height[double]
```

ASCII-Response

```
%R1P,0,0:RC
```

Remarks

This function sets a new reflector height.

Parameters

| | | |
|--------|----|--------------------------|
| Height | In | new reflector height [m] |
|--------|----|--------------------------|

Return-Code Names and Return-Code Values

| | | |
|--------------|------|---|
| GRC_OK | 0 | Execution successful. |
| GRC_TMC_BUSY | 1293 | TMC resource is locked respectively TMC task is busy. The reflector height is not set. Repeat measurement. |
| GRC_IVPAR | 2 | A reflector height less than 10m or greater than 100m is entered. Invalid parameter. |

See Also

TMC_GetHeight

Example

see TMC_GetHeight

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19.6.3 TMC_GetAtmCorr – getting the atmospheric correction parameters

C-Declaration

```
TMC_GetAtmCorr
(TMC_ATMOS_TEMPERATURE &AtmTemperature)
```

VB-Declaration

```
VB_TMC_GetAtmCorr
(AtmTemperature As TMC_ATMOS_TEMPERATURE)
```

ASCII-Request

```
%R1Q,2029:
```

ASCII-Response

```
%R1P,0,0:RC,Lambda[double],Pressure[double],DryTemperature[double],WetTemperature[double]
```

Remarks

This function is used to get the parameters for the atmospheric correction.

Parameters

| | | |
|----------------|-----|-----------------------------|
| AtmTemperature | Out | Atmospheric Correction Data |
|----------------|-----|-----------------------------|

Return-Code Names and Return-Code Values

| | | |
|--------|---|-----------------------|
| GRC_OK | 0 | Execution successful. |
|--------|---|-----------------------|

See Also

```
TMC_SetAtmCorr
```

Example

```
see TMC_SetAtmCorr
```

19.6.4 TMC_SetAtmCorr – setting the atmospheric correction parameters

C-Declaration

```
TMC_SetAtmCorr
    (TMC_ATMOS_TEMPERATURE AtmTemperature)
```

VB-Declaration

```
VB_TMC_SetAtmCorr
    (ByVal AtmTemperature As TMC_ATMOS_TEMPERATURE)
```

ASCII-Request

```
%R1Q,2028:Lambda[double],Pressure[double],DryTemperature[double],WetTemperature[double]
```

ASCII-Response

```
%R1P,0,0:RC,
```

Remarks

This function is used to set the parameters for the atmospheric correction.

Parameters

| | | |
|----------------|----|-----------------------------|
| AtmTemperature | In | Atmospheric Correction Data |
|----------------|----|-----------------------------|

Return-Code Names and Return-Code Values

| | | |
|--------|---|-----------------------|
| GRC_OK | 0 | Execution successful. |
|--------|---|-----------------------|

See Also

```
TMC_GetAtmCorr
```

Example

```
TMC_ATMOS_TEMPERATURE AtmCorr;

TMC_GetAtmCorr(AtmCorr);

// set new wet and dry temperature
AtmCorr.dDryTemperature=60;
AtmCorr.dWetTemperature=80;

TMC_SetAtmCorr(AtmCorr);
```

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19.6.5 TMC_SetOrientation - orientating the instrument in hz-direction

C-Declaration

```
TMC_SetOrientation(double HzOrientation)
```

VB-Declaration

```
VB_TMC_SetOrientation(ByVal HzOrientation As Double)
```

ASCII-Request

```
%R1Q,2113:HzOrientation[double]
```

ASCII-Response

```
%R1P,0,0:RC
```

Remarks

This function is used to orientate the instrument in Hz direction. It is a combination of an angle measurement to get the Hz offset and afterwards setting the angle Hz offset in order to orientates onto a target. Before the new orientation can be set an existing distance must be cleared (use TMC_DoMeasure with the command = TMC_CLEAR).

Parameters

| | | |
|---------------|----|----------------------|
| HzOrientation | In | Hz Orientation [rad] |
|---------------|----|----------------------|

Return-Code Names and Return-Code Values

| | | |
|----------------------------------|------|--|
| GRC_OK | 0 | Execution successful. |
| GRC_TMC_ACCURACY_GUARANTEE | 1284 | Accuracy is not guaranteed, because the result are consist of measuring data which accuracy could not be verified by the system. Co-ordinates are available. |
| GRC_TMC_NO_FULL_CORRECTION | 1283 | The results are not corrected by all active sensors. Co-ordinates are available. In order to secure which correction is missing use the both functions TMC_IfDataAzeCorrError and TMC_IfDataIncCorrError |
| GRC_TMC_ANGLE_OK | 1285 | Angle values okay, but no valid distance. Co-ordinates are not available. |
| GRC_TMC_ANGLE_NO_ACC_GUARANTY | 1289 | Only the angle measurement is valid but its accuracy cannot be guaranteed (the tilt measurement is not available). |
| GRC_TMC_ANGLE_NO_FULL_CORRECTION | 1288 | No distance data available but angle data are valid. The return code is equivalent to the GRC_TMC_NO_FULL_CORRECTION and relates to the angle data. Co-ordinates are not available. Perform a distance measurement first before you call this function. |
| GRC_TMC_DIST_ERROR | 1292 | No measuring, because of missing target point, co-ordinates are not available. Aim target point and try it again |
| GRC_TMC_DIST_PPM | 1291 | No distance measurement respectively no distance data because of wrong EDM settings. Co-ordinates are not available. |
| GRC_TMC_ANGLE_ERROR | 1290 | Angle or inclination measurement error. Check inclination modes in commands. |
| GRC_TMC_BUSY | 1293 | TMC resource is locked respectively TMC task is busy. Repeat measurement. |
| GRC_ABORT | 8 | Measurement through customer aborted. |
| GRC_SHUT_DOWN | 12 | System power off through customer. |

See Also

```
TMC_IfDataAzeCorrError  
TMC_IfDataIncCorrError  
TMC_DoMeasure
```

Example

```
GRC_TYPE Result;  
  
// clear existing distance first  
TMC_DoMeasure(TMC_CLEAR);  
// set orientation to 0  
Result=TMC_SetOrientation(0.0);  
if(Result!=GRC_OK)  
{  
// error or warning handling  
}
```

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19.6.6 TMC_GetPrismCorr - getting the prism constant

C-Declaration

```
TMC_GetPrismCorr(double &PrismCorr)
```

VB-Declaration

```
VB_TMC_GetPrismCorr(PrismCorr As Double)
```

ASCII-Request

```
%R1Q,2023:
```

ASCII-Response

```
%R1P,0,0:RC,PrismCorr[double]
```

Remarks

This function is used to get the prism constant.

Parameters

| | | |
|-----------|-----|--------------------|
| PrismCorr | Out | Prism constant [m] |
|-----------|-----|--------------------|

Return-Code Names and Return-Code Values

| | | |
|--------|---|-----------------------|
| GRC_OK | 0 | Execution successful. |
|--------|---|-----------------------|

See Also

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Example

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19.6.7 TMC_SetPrismCorr - setting the prism constant

C-Declaration

TMC_SetPrismCorr(double dPrismCorr)

VB-Declaration

VB_TMC_SetPrismCorr(dPrismCorr As Double)

ASCII-Request

%R1Q,2024:dPrismCorr

ASCII-Response

%R1P,0,0:RC

Remarks

This function is used to set the prism constant.

Parameters

| | | |
|-----------|----|--------------------|
| PrismCorr | In | Prism constant [m] |
|-----------|----|--------------------|

Return-Code Names and Return-Code Values

| | | |
|--------|---|-----------------------|
| GRC_OK | 0 | Execution successful. |
|--------|---|-----------------------|

See Also

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Example

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19.6.8 TMC_GetRefractiveCorr – getting the refraction coefficient

C-Declaration

```
TMC_GetRefractiveCorr(TMC_REFRACTION &Refractive)
```

VB-Declaration

```
VB_TMC_GetRefractiveCorr  
    (Refractive As TMC_REFRACTION)
```

ASCII-Request

```
%R1Q,2031:
```

ASCII-Response

```
%R1P,0,0:RC,RefOn[boolean],EarthRadius[double],RefractiveScale[double]
```

Remarks

This function is used to get the refraction coefficient for correction of measured height difference.

Parameters

| | | |
|------------|-----|-------------------------|
| Refractive | Out | Refraction control data |
|------------|-----|-------------------------|

Return-Code Names and Return-Code Values

| | | |
|--------|---|-----------------------|
| GRC_OK | 0 | Execution successful. |
|--------|---|-----------------------|

See Also

```
TMC_SetRefractiveCorr
```

Example

```
const double          EarthRadius = 6378000;
GRC_TYPE              rc;
TMC_REFRACTION Refractive;

// check the earth radius setting
// and reset if necessary
rc = TMC_GetRefractiveCorr(Refractive);
if (Refractive.dEarthRadius != EarthRadius)
{
    Refractive.dEarthRadius = EarthRadius;
    rc = TMC_SetRefractiveCorr(Refractive);
    if (rc == GRC_OK)
    {
        // set of earth radius successful
    }
    else
    {
        // set not successful (subsystem busy)
    }
}
```

19.6.9 TMC_SetRefractiveCorr - setting the refraction coefficient

C-Declaration

```
TMC_SetRefractiveCorr(TMC_REFRACTION Refractive)
```

VB-Declaration

```
VB_TMC_SetRefractiveCorr  
(ByVal Refractive As TMC_REFRACTION)
```

ASCII-Request

```
%R1Q,2030:RefOn[boolean],EarthRadius[double],RefractiveScale[double]
```

ASCII-Response

```
%R1P,0,0:RC
```

Remarks

This function is used to set the refraction distortion coefficient for correction of measured height difference.

Parameters

| | | |
|------------|----|-------------------------|
| Refractive | In | Refraction control data |
|------------|----|-------------------------|

Return-Code Names and Return-Code Values

| | | |
|-------------------|------|---|
| GRC_OK | 0 | Execution successful. |
| GRC_TMC_BUSY | 1293 | TMC resource is locked respectively TMC task is busy. The refraction distortion factor is not set. Repeat measurement. |
| GRC_IVRESULT | 3 | Wrong values entered. |
| GRC_SETINCOMPLETE | 7 | Invalid number of parameters. |

See Also

```
TMC_GetRefractiveCorr
```

Example

```
see TMC_GetRefractiveCorr
```

19.6.10 TMC_GetRefractiveMethod – getting the refraction model

C-Declaration

```
TMC_GetRefractiveMethod(unsigned short &Method)
```

VB-Declaration

```
VB_TMC_GetRefractiveMethod(Method As Integer)
```

ASCII-Request

```
%R1Q,2091:
```

ASCII-Response

```
%R1P,0,0:RC,Method[unsigned short]
```

Remarks

This function is used to get the current refraction model. Note that changing the refraction method is not indicated on the instrument's interface.

Parameters

| Method | Out | Refraction data: |
|--------|-----|---|
| | | Method = 1 means method 1 (for the rest of the world) |
| | | Method = 2 means method 2 (for Australia) |

Return-Code Names and Return-Code Values

| | | |
|--------|---|-----------------------|
| GRC_OK | 0 | Execution successful. |
|--------|---|-----------------------|

See Also

```
TMC_SetRefractiveMethod
```

Example

```
const unsigned short      RefractiveMethod = 1;
GRC_TYPE                  rc;
unsigned short             Method;

// set the refractive method to 1
// if it is not already

rc = TMC_GetRefractiveMethod(Method);
if (Method != RefractiveMethod)
{
    rc = TMC_SetRefractiveMethod(RefractiveMethod);
    if (rc == GRC_OK)
    {
        // set of refractive method successful
    }
    else
    {
        // set not successful (subsystem busy)
    }
}
```

19.6.11 TMC_SetRefractiveMethod - setting the refraction model

C-Declaration

```
TMC_SetRefractiveMethod(unsigned short Method)
```

VB-Declaration

```
VB_TMC_SetRefractiveMethod(ByVal Method As Integer)
```

ASCII-Request

```
%R1Q,2090:Method[unsigned short]
```

ASCII-Response

```
%R1P,0,0:RC
```

Remarks

This function is used to set the refraction model.

Parameters

| | | |
|--------|----|--|
| Method | In | Refraction data: Method = 1 means method 1 (for the rest of the world) Method = 2 means method 2 (for Australia) |
|--------|----|--|

Return-Code Names and Return-Code Values

| | | |
|--------------|------|---|
| GRC_OK | 0 | Execution successful. |
| GRC_TMC_BUSY | 1293 | TMC resource is locked respectively TMC task is busy. The refraction model is not set. Repeat measurement. |

See Also

TMC_GetRefractiveMethod

Example

see TMC_GetRefractiveMethod

19.6.12 TMC_GetStation - getting the station coordinates of the instrument

C-Declaration

```
TMC_GetStation(TMC_STATION &Station)
```

VB-Declaration

```
VB_TMC_GetStation(Station As TMC_STATION)
```

ASCII-Request

```
%R1Q,2009:
```

ASCII-Response

```
%R1P,0,0:RC,E0[double],N0[double],H0[double],Hi[double]
```

Remarks

This function is used to get the station coordinates of the instrument.

Parameters

| | | |
|---------|-----|--------------------------------------|
| Station | Out | Instrument station co-ordinates [m]. |
|---------|-----|--------------------------------------|

Return-Code Names and Return-Code Values

| | | |
|--------|---|-----------------------|
| GRC_OK | 0 | Execution successful. |
|--------|---|-----------------------|

See Also

```
TMC_SetStation
```

Example

```
GRC_TYPE      rc;
TMC_STATION Station, NullStation;
NullStation.dE0 = 0;
NullStation.dN0 = 0;
NullStation.dH0 = 0;
NullStation.dHi = 0;

// reset station coordinates to 0

rc = TMC_GetStation(Station);
if ((Station.dE0 != 0) ||
    (Station.dN0 != 0) ||
    (Station.dH0 != 0) ||
    (Station.dHi != 0))
{
    rc = TMC_SetStation(NullStation);
    if (rc == GRC_OK)
    {
        // reset of station successful
    }
    else
    {
        // reset not successful (subsystem busy)
    }
}
```

19.6.13 TMC_SetStation - setting the station coordinates of the instrument

C-Declaration

```
TMC_SetStation(TMC_STATION Station)
```

VB-Declaration

```
VB_TMC_SetStation(ByVal Station As TMC_STATION)
```

ASCII-Request

```
%R1Q,2010:E0[double],N0[double],H0[double],Hi[double]
```

ASCII-Response

```
%R1P,0,0:RC
```

Remarks

This function is used to set the station coordinates of the instrument.

Parameters

| | | |
|---------|----|--------------------------------------|
| Station | In | Instrument station co-ordinates [m]. |
|---------|----|--------------------------------------|

Return-Code Names and Return-Code Values

| | | |
|--------------|------|---|
| GRC_OK | 0 | Execution successful. |
| GRC_TMC_BUSY | 1293 | TMC resource is locked respectively TMC task is busy or a distance is existing. The instrument co-ordinates are not set. Clear distance and repeat measurement. |

See Also

TMC_GetStation

TMC_DoMeasure

Example

see TMC_GetStation

19.6.14 TMC_GetAtmPpm – getting the atmospheric ppm correction factor

C-Declaration

TMC_GetAtmPpm (double &dPpmA)

VB-Declaration

VB_TMC_GetAtmPpm (dPpmA As Double)

ASCII-Request

%R1Q,2151:

ASCII-Response

%R1P,0,0:RC,dPpmA[double]

Remarks

This function retrieves the atmospheric ppm value.

Parameters

| | | |
|-------|-----|------------------------------------|
| dPpmA | Out | Atmospheric ppm correction factor. |
|-------|-----|------------------------------------|

Return-Code Names and Return-Code Values

| | | |
|--------|---|-----------------------|
| GRC_OK | 0 | Execution successful. |
|--------|---|-----------------------|

See Also

TMC_SetAtmPpm
TMC_GetGeoPpm
TMC_SetGeoPpm
TMC_GetPrismCorr

Example

-

19.6.15 TMC_SetAtmPpm – setting the atmospheric ppm correction factor

C-Declaration

TMC_SetAtmPpm (double dPpmA)

VB-Declaration

VB_TMC_SetAtmPpm (ByVal dPpmA As Double)

ASCII-Request

%R1Q,2148:dPpmA[double]

ASCII-Response

%R1P,0,0:RC

Remarks

This function is used to set the atmospheric ppm value.

Parameters

| | | |
|-------|----|------------------------------------|
| dPpmA | In | Atmospheric ppm correction factor. |
|-------|----|------------------------------------|

Return-Code Names and Return-Code Values

| | | |
|--------|---|-----------------------|
| GRC_OK | 0 | Execution successful. |
|--------|---|-----------------------|

See Also

TMC_GetAtmPpm
TMC_GetGeoPpm
TMC_SetGeoPpm
TMC_GetPrismCorr

Example

-

19.6.16 TMC_GetGeoPpm – getting the geometric ppm correction factor

C-Declaration

```
TMC_GetGeoPpm(unsigned short &unGeomUseAutomatic,
              double &dScaleFactorCentralMeridian,
              double &dOffsetCentralMeridian,
              double &dHeightReductionPPM,
              double &dIndividualPPM)
```

VB-Declaration

```
VB_TMC_GetGeoPpm(unGeomUseAutomatic as Integer,
                  dScaleFactorCentralMeridian as Double,
                  dOffsetCentralMeridian as Double,
                  dHeightReductionPPM as Double,
                  dIndividualPPM as Double)
```

ASCII-Request

```
%R1Q,2154:
```

ASCII-Response

```
%R1P,0,0:RC,unGeomUseAutomatic[unsigned short],dScaleFactorCentralMeridian[double],
dOffsetCentralMeridian[double],dHeightReductionPPM[double],dIndividualPPM[double]
```

Remarks

This function retrieves the geometric ppm values.

Parameters

| | | |
|-----------------------------|-----|---|
| unGeomUseAutomatic | Out | Current state of the Geometric ppm calculation switch (automatic or manual) |
| dScaleFactorCentralMeridian | Out | Scale factor on central meridian |
| dOffsetCentralMeridian | Out | Offset from central meridian [m] |
| dHeightReductionPPM | Out | ppm value due to height above reference |
| dIndividualPPM | Out | Individual ppm value |

Return-Code Names and Return-Code Values

| | | |
|--------|---|-----------------------|
| GRC_OK | 0 | Execution successful. |
|--------|---|-----------------------|

See Also

```
TMC_GetAtmPpm
TMC_SetAtmPpm
TMC_SetGeoPpm
TMC_GetPrismCorr
```

Example

```
-
```

19.6.17 TMC_SetGeoPpm – setting the geometric ppm correction factor

C-Declaration

```
TMC_SetGeoPpm(unsigned short unGeomUseAutomatic,
               double dScaleFactorCentralMeridian,
               double dOffsetCentralMeridian,
               double dHeightReductionPPM,
               double dIndividualPPM)
```

VB-Declaration

```
VB_TMC_SetGeoPpm(ByVal unGeomUseAutomatic as Integer,
                  ByVal dScaleFactorCentralMeridian as Double,
                  ByVal dOffsetCentralMeridian as Double,
                  ByVal dHeightReductionPPM as Double,
                  ByVal dIndividualPPM as Double)
```

ASCII-Request

```
%R1Q,2153:unGeomUseAutomatic[unsigned short],dScaleFactorCentralMeridian[double],
dOffsetCentralMeridian[double],dHeightReductionPPM[double],dIndividualPPM[double]
```

ASCII-Response

```
%R1P,0,0:RC
```

Remarks

This function is used to set the geometric ppm values.

Parameters

| | | |
|-----------------------------|----|---|
| unGeomUseAutomatic | In | Current state of the Geometric ppm calculation switch (automatic or manual) |
| dScaleFactorCentralMeridian | In | Scale factor on central meridian |
| dOffsetCentralMeridian | In | Offset from central meridian [m] |
| dHeightReductionPPM | In | ppm value due to height above reference |
| dIndividualPPM | In | Individual ppm value |

Return-Code Names and Return-Code Values

| | | |
|--------|---|-----------------------|
| GRC_OK | 0 | Execution successful. |
|--------|---|-----------------------|

See Also

```
TMC_GetAtmPpm
TMC_SetAtmPpm
TMC_GetGeoPpm
TMC_GetPrismCorr
```

Example

-

19.7 INFORMATION FUNCTIONS

19.7.1 TMC_GetFace - getting the face information of the current telescope position

C-Declaration

```
TMC_GetFace(TMC_FACE &Face)
```

VB-Declaration

```
VB_TMC_GetFace(Face As Long)
```

ASCII-Request

```
%R1Q,2026:
```

ASCII-Response

```
%R1P,0,0:RC,Face[long]
```

Remarks

This function returns the face information of the current telescope position. The face information is only valid, if the instrument is in an active measurement state (that means a measurement function was called before the TMC_GetFace call, see example). Note that the instrument automatically turns into an inactive measurement state after a predefined timeout.

Parameters

| | | |
|------|-----|----------------|
| Face | Out | Face position. |
|------|-----|----------------|

Return-Code Names and Return-Code Values

| | | |
|--------|---|----------------------|
| GRC_OK | 0 | Execution successful |
|--------|---|----------------------|

See Also

```
AUT_ChangeFace
```

Example

```
GRC_TYPE      rc;
TMC_FACE      Face;

// turn the face if not in normal position

// set active measurement state
rc = TMC_DoMeasure(TMC_DEF_DIST, TMC_AUTO_INC);
rc = TMC_GetFace(Face);
if (Face == TMC_FACE_TURN)
{
    rc = AUT_ChangeFace(AUT_NORMAL,
                        AUT_POSITION,
                        FALSE);

    if (rc == GRC_OK)
    {
        // face successfully turned
    }
    else
    {
        // change face problem: see AUT_ChangeFace
    }
}
// clear distance
rc = TMC_DoMeasure(TMC_CLEAR, TMC_AUTO_INC);
```

19.7.2 TMC_GetSignal - getting information about the EDM signal intensity

C-Declaration

```
TMC_GetSignal(TMC_EDM_SIGNAL &Signal)
```

VB-Declaration

```
VB_TMC_GetSignal(Signal As TMC_EDM_SIGNAL)
```

ASCII-Request

```
%R1Q,2022:
```

ASCII-Response

```
%R1P,0,0:RC,SignalIntensity[double],Time[long]
```

Remarks

This function returns information about the intensity of the EDM signal. The function can only perform a measurement if the signal measurement program is activated. Start the signal measurement program with TMC_DoMeasure where Command = TMC_SIGNAL. After the measurement the EDM must be switched off (use TMC_DoMeasure where Command = TMC_CLEAR). While measuring there is no angle measurement data available.

Parameters

| | | |
|--------|-----|-------------------------------|
| Signal | Out | Signal intensity information. |
|--------|-----|-------------------------------|

Return-Code Names and Return-Code Values

| | | |
|----------------------|------|---|
| GRC_OK | 0 | Execution successful. |
| GRC_TMC_SIGNAL_ERROR | 1294 | Error within signal measurement. At repeated occur call service. |
| GRC_ABORT | 8 | Measurement through customer aborted. |
| GRC_SHUT_DOWN | 12 | System power off through customer. |

See Also

TMC_DoMeasure

Example

```
GRC_TYPE Result;
TMC_SIGNAL Signal;

TMC_DoMeasure(TMC_SIGNAL);
do
{
    Result=TMC_GetSignal(Signal);
    if(Result==GRC_OK)
    {
        .
        .
        .
    }
}while(Result==GRC_OK);
```

19.8 CONFIGURATION FUNCTIONS

19.8.1 TMC_GetAngSwitch - getting the angular correction status

C-Declaration

```
TMC_GetAngSwitch(TMC_ANG_SWITCH &SwCorr)
```

VB-Declaration

```
VB_TMC_GetAngSwitch(SwCorr As TMC_ANG_SWITCH)
```

ASCII-Request

```
%R1Q,2014:
```

ASCII-Response

```
%R1P,0,0:RC,InclineCorr[long],StandAxisCorr[long],  
CollimationCorr[long],TiltAxisCorr[long]
```

Remarks

This function returns the angular corrections status.

Parameters

| | | |
|--------|-----|-----------------------------|
| SwCorr | Out | Angular corrections status. |
|--------|-----|-----------------------------|

Return-Code Names and Return-Code Values

| | | |
|--------|---|-----------------------|
| GRC_OK | 0 | Execution successful. |
|--------|---|-----------------------|

See Also

```
TMC_SetAngSwitch
```

Example

```
GRC_TYPE      rc;
TMC_ANG_SWITCH SwCorr;

// get the switch state for the angular
// correction

rc = TMC_GetAngSwitch(SwCorr);
if (SwCorr.eTiltAxisCorr == ON)
{
    // Tilting axis correction turned On
}
else
{
    // Tilting axis correction turned Off
}
```

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19.8.2 TMC_GetInclineSwitch - getting the dual axis compensator status

C-Declaration

```
TMC_GetInclineSwitch(ON_OFF_TYPE &SwCorr)
```

VB-Declaration

```
VB_TMC_GetInclineSwitch(SwCorr As Long)
```

ASCII-Request

```
%R1Q,2007:
```

ASCII-Response

```
%R1P,0,0:RC,SwCorr[long]
```

Remarks

This function returns the current dual axis compensator status.

Parameters

| | | |
|--------|-----|-------------------------------|
| SwCorr | Out | Dual axis compensator status. |
|--------|-----|-------------------------------|

Return-Code Names and Return-Code Values

| | | |
|--------|---|-----------------------|
| GRC_OK | 0 | Execution successful. |
|--------|---|-----------------------|

See Also

```
TMC_SetInclineSwitch
```

Example

```
GRC_TYPE      rc;
ON_OFF_TYPE    SwCorr;

// clear distance first before you change the state
TMC_DoMeasure(TMC_CLEAR, TMC_AUTO, INC);

// deactivate the compensator
// if it is not already

rc = TMC_GetInclineSwitch(SwCorr);
if (SwCorr == ON)
{
    rc = TMC_SetInclineSwitch(OFF);
    if (rc == GRC_OK)
    {
        // successfully deactivated
    }
    else
    {
        // set not successful (subsystem busy)
    }
}
```

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19.8.3 TMC_SetInclineSwitch – switching the dual axis compensator on/off

C-Declaration

```
TMC_SetInclineSwitch(ON_OFF_TYPE SwCorr)
```

VB-Declaration

```
VB_TMC_SetInclineSwitch(ByVal SwCorr As Long)
```

ASCII-Request

```
%R1Q,2006:SwCorr[long]
```

ASCII-Response

```
%R1P,0,0:RC
```

Remarks

This function switches the dual axis compensator on or off.

Parameters

| | | |
|--------|----|-------------------------------|
| SwCorr | In | Dual axis compensator status. |
|--------|----|-------------------------------|

Return-Code Names and Return-Code Values

| | | |
|--------------|------|---|
| GRC_OK | 0 | Execution successful. |
| GRC_TMC_BUSY | 1293 | TMC resource is locked respectively TMC task is busy or a distance is existing. The incline state is not changed. Clear distance and repeat measurement. |

See Also

```
TMC_GetInclineSwitch
```

Example

```
see TMC_GetInclineSwitch
```

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19.8.4 TMC_GetEdmMode - getting the EDM measurement mode

C-Declaration

```
TMC_GetEdmMode(EDM_MODE &Mode)
```

VB-Declaration

```
VB_TMC_GetEdmMode(Mode As Long)
```

ASCII-Request

```
%R1Q,2021:
```

ASCII-Response

```
%R1P,0,0:RC,Mode[long]
```

Remarks

This function returns the EDM measurement mode.

Parameters

| | | |
|------|-----|-----------------------|
| Mode | Out | EDM measurement mode. |
|------|-----|-----------------------|

Return-Code Names and Return-Code Values

| | | |
|--------|---|-----------------------|
| GRC_OK | 0 | Execution successful. |
|--------|---|-----------------------|

See Also

```
TMC_SetEdmMode
```

Example

```
GRC_TYPE    rc;
EDM_MODE    Mode;

// set EDM mode to single standard
// if it is in any repeated mode

rc = TMC_GetEdmMode(Mode);
switch (Mode)
{
    case (EDM_CONT_STANDARD):
    case (EDM_CONT_DYNAMIC):
    case (EDM_CONT_FAST):
        rc = TMC_SetEdmMode(EDM_SINGLE_STANDARD);
        if (rc == GRC_OK)
        {
            // set to single mode successful
        }
        else
        {
            // set not successful (subsystem busy)
        }
    }
}
```

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19.8.5 TMC_SetEdmMode - setting EDM measurement modes

C-Declaration

```
TMC_SetEdmMode(EDM_MODE Mode)
```

VB-Declaration

```
VB_TMC_SetEdmMode(ByVal Mode As Long)
```

ASCII-Request

```
%R1Q,2020:Mode[long]
```

ASCII-Response

```
%R1P,0,0:RC
```

Remarks

This function sets the current measurement mode. The measure function `TMC_DoMeasure(TMC_DEF_DIST)` uses this configuration.

Parameters

| | | |
|------|----|-----------------------|
| Mode | In | EDM measurement mode. |
|------|----|-----------------------|

Return-Code Names and Return-Code Values

| | | |
|--------------|------|---|
| GRC_OK | 0 | Execution successful. |
| GRC_TMC_BUSY | 1293 | TMC resource is locked respectively TMC task is busy. The EDM mode is not set. Repeat measurement. |

See Also

TMC_GetEdmMode
TMC_DoMeasure

Example

see TMC_GetEdmMode

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19.8.6 TMC_GetSimpleCoord - getting cartesian coordinates

C-Declaration

```
TMC_GetSimpleCoord( SYSTIME WaitTime,
                   double &dCoordE,
                   double& dCoordN,
                   double& dCoordH,
                   TMC_INCLINE_PRG eProg)
```

VB-Declaration

```
VB_TMC_GetSimpleCoord( ByVal WaitTime As Long,
                      dCoordE As Double,
                      dCoordN As Double,
                      dCoordH As Double,
                      ByVal eProg As Long)
```

ASCII-Request

```
%R1Q, 2116:WaitTime[long],eProg[long]
```

ASCII-Response

```
%R1P, 0, 0:RC,dCoordE[double], dCoordN[double], dCoordH[double]
```

Remarks

This function gets the cartesian co-ordinates if a valid distance exists. The parameter `WaitTime` defined the max wait time in order to get a valid distance. If after the wait time a valid distance does not exist, the function initialises the parameter for the co-ordinates (E, N, H) with 0 and returns an error. For the co-ordinate calculate will require incline results. With the parameter `eProg` you have the possibility to either measure an inclination, use the pre-determined plane to calculate an inclination, or use the automatic mode wherein the system decides which method is appropriate (see 15.1.1).

Parameters

| | | |
|----------|-----|--|
| WaitTime | In | Max. wait time to get a valid distance [ms]. |
| eProg | In | Inclination sensor measurement mode. |
| dCoordE | Out | Easting. |
| dCoordN | Out | Northing. |
| dCoordH | Out | Orthometric height. |

Return-Code Names and Return-Code Values

| | | |
|----------------------------------|------|---|
| GRC_OK | 0 | Execution successful. |
| GRC_TMC_ACCURACY_GUARANTEE | 1284 | Accuracy is not guaranteed, because the result are consist of measuring data which accuracy could not be verified by the system. Co-ordinates are available. |
| GRC_TMC_NO_FULL_CORRECTION | 1283 | The results are not corrected by all active sensors. Co-ordinates are available. In order to secure which correction is missing use the both functions <code>TMC_IfDataAzeCorrError</code> and <code>TMC_IfDataIncCorrError</code> |
| GRC_TMC_ANGLE_OK | 1285 | Angle values okay, but no valid distance. Co-ordinates are not available. |
| GRC_TMC_ANGLE_NO_ACC_GUARANTY | 1289 | Only the angle measurement is valid but its accuracy cannot be guaranteed (the tilt measurement is not available). |
| GRC_TMC_ANGLE_NO_FULL_CORRECTION | 1288 | No distance data available but angle data are valid. The return code is equivalent to the <code>GRC_TMC_NO_FULL_CORRECTION</code> and relates to the angle data. Co-ordinates are not available. Perform a distance measurement first before you call this function. |
| GRC_TMC_DIST_ERROR | 1292 | No measuring, because of missing target point, co-ordinates are not available. Aim target point and try it again |
| GRC_TMC_DIST_PPM | 1291 | No distance measurement respectively no distance data because of wrong EDM settings. Co-ordinates are not available. |

| | | |
|---------------------|------|--|
| GRC_TMC_ANGLE_ERROR | 1290 | Angle or inclination measurement error. Check inclination modes in commands. |
| GRC_TMC_BUSY | 1293 | TMC resource is locked respectively TMC task is busy. Repeat measurement. |
| GRC_ABORT | 8 | Measurement through customer aborted. |
| GRC_SHUT_DOWN | 12 | System power off through customer. |

See Also

TMC_GetCoordinate
TMC_IfDataAzeCorrError
TMC_IfDataIncCorrError

Example

```

GRC_TYPE          Result;
TMC_ANG_SWITCH    SwCorr;
SYTIME            WaitTime;
TMC_INCLINE_PRG   ePrgm;
BOOLE             bExit;
Double            dCoordE,dCoordN,dCoordH;

TMC_GetAngSwitch(SwCorr); // measure rate will
SwCorr.eInclineCorr=ON;   // be reduced with
SwCorr.eStandAxisCorr=ON; // angle and incline
SwCorr.eCollimationCorr=ON; // corrections.
SwCorr.eTiltAxisCorr=ON;
TMC_DoMeasure(TMC_CLEAR); // clear distance first TMC_SetAngSwitch(SwCorr); //
before you can set the    // ANG switches, the
                           // distance must be
                           // cleared

TMC_DoMeasure(TMC_RTRK_DIST); // execute rapid
                               // tracking
                               // measurement

WaitTime=500; // set max. wait time 500 [ms]
eProg=TMC_AUTO_INC; // set automatically incline prgm
bExit=FALSE;
do
{
Result=TMC_GetSimpleCoord(WaitTime, dCoordE,
                           dCoordN, dCoordH,eProg);

switch(Result)
{
case GRC_OK:
case GRC_TMC_NO_FULL_CORRECTION:
case GRC_TMC_ACCURACY_GUARANTEE:
// in this cases are the coordinates
// available
Break;
Default:
bExit=TRUE;
// in all other cases are the coordinates not
// valid and set to 0
// further errorhandling
Break;
} // end switch
} // end do while
while(!bExit);

TMC_DoMeasure(TMC_CLEAR); // complete measurement
                           // and clear data

```

19.8.7 TMC_IfDataAzeCorrError – returning the status if an ATR error occurs

C-Declaration

```
TMC_IfDataAzeCorrError(BOOLE& bAtrCorrectionError)
```

VB-Declaration

```
VB_TMC_IfDataAzeCorrError  
(bAtrCorrectionError As Long)
```

ASCII-Request

```
%R1Q,2114:
```

ASCII-Response

```
%R1P,0,0:RC,bAtrCorrectionError[long]
```

Remarks

This function returns the status of the ATR correction of the last measurement. If you get a return code GRC_TMC_ANGLE_NOT_FULL_CORR or GRC_TMC_NO_FULL_CORRECTION from a measurement function, this function indicates whether the returned data is missing a deviation correction of the ATR or not.

Parameters

| | | |
|----------------------|-----|--|
| BAttrCorrectionError | Out | Flag, if ATR correction error occurred or not FALSE: no error occurred TRUE: last data record not corrected with the ATR-deviation |
|----------------------|-----|--|

Return-Code Names and Return-Code Values

| | | |
|--------|---|-----------------------|
| GRC_OK | 0 | Execution successful. |
|--------|---|-----------------------|

See Also

```
TMC_IfDataIncCorrError
```

Example

```
GRC_TYPE      Result;
SYSTIME       WaitTime;
TMC_INCLINE_PRG ePrgm;
double        dCoordE,dCoordN,dCoordH;

TMC_DoMeasure(TMC_DEF_DIST);// execute single
                        // dist measurement

WaitTime=500;// set max. wait time 500 [ms]
eProg=TMC_AUTO_INC;// set automatically incline prgm

Result=TMC_GetSimpleCoord(WaitTime, dCoordE,
                        dCoordN, dCoordH,eProg);

switch(Result)
{
case GRC_TMC_NO_FULL_CORRECTION:
    TMC_IfDataAzeCorrError(bAzeCorrError);
    TMC_IfDataIncCorrError(bIncCorrError);
    if(bAzeCorrError)
    {
        // coordinates are not corrected with the Aze-
        // deviation correction
    }
    if(bIncCorrError)
    {
        // coordinates are not corrected with the
        // incline correction
    }
case GRC_OK:
case GRC_TMC_ACCURACY_GUARANTEE:
    // in this cases are the coordinates
    // available
break;
default:
    // in all other cases are the coordinates not
    // valid and set to 0
    // further errorhandling
```

```
break;  
} // end switch  
  
TMC_DoMeasure(TMC_CLEAR); // complete measurement  
                          // and clear data
```

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19.8.8 TMC_IfDataIncCorrError – returning the status if an incline error occurs

C-Declaration

TMC_IfDataIncCorrError(BOOLE& bIncCorrectionError)

VB-Declaration

VB_TMC_IfDataIncCorrError
(bIncCorrectionError As Long)

ASCII-Request

%R1Q,2115:

ASCII-Response

%R1P,0,0:RC,bIncCorrectionError[long]

Remarks

This function returns the status of the inclination correction of the last measurement. If you get a return code GRC_TMC_ANGLE_NOT_FULL_CORR or GRC_TMC_NO_FULL_CORRECTION from a measurement function, this function indicates whether the returned data is missing an inclination correction or not. Error information can only occur if the incline sensor is active.

Parameters

| | | |
|---------------------|-----|---|
| BIncCorrectionError | Out | Flag, if incline correction error occurred or not FALSE: no error occurred TRUE: last data record not corrected with the incline-correction |
|---------------------|-----|---|

Return-Code Names and Return-Code Values

| | | |
|--------|---|-----------------------|
| GRC_OK | 0 | Execution successful. |
|--------|---|-----------------------|

See Also

TMC_IfDataAzeCorrError

Example

see example TMC_IfDataAzeCorrError

19.8.9 TMC_SetAngSwitch - enabling/disabling the angle corrections

C-Declaration

```
TMC_SetAngSwitch(TMC_ANG_SWITCH Switch)
```

VB-Declaration

```
VB_TMC_SetAngSwitch(ByVal Switch As TMC_ANG_SWITCH)
```

ASCII-Request

```
%R1Q,2016:InclineCorr[long],StandAxisCorr[long],  
CollimationCorr[long],TiltAxisCorr[long]
```

ASCII-Response

```
%R1P,0,0:RC
```

Remarks

With this function you can enable/disable the following angle measurement corrections.

incline: The inclination will be considered for the angle measurement if enabled.

stand axis: The standard axis correction will be considered for the angle measurement if enabled.

collimation: The collimation will be considered for the angle measurement if enabled

tilt axis: The tilt axis will be considered in the angle measurement if enabled.

Parameters

| | | |
|--------|--|-------------------------------|
| Switch | | Angle measurement corrections |
|--------|--|-------------------------------|

Return-Code Names and Return-Code Values

| | | |
|--------------|------|--|
| GRC_OK | 0 | Execution successful. |
| GRC_TMC_BUSY | 1293 | TMC resource is locked respectively TMC task is busy or a distance exists. Clear distance and try it again. |

See-Also

TMC_DoMeasure
TMC_GetAngSwitch

Example

See example TMC_QuickDist

19.8.10 TMC_GetSlopeDistCorr – getting the total ppm and prism correction factors

C-Declaration

```
TMC_GetSlopeDistCorr (double dPpmCorr,  
                     double dPrismCorr)
```

VB-Declaration

```
VB_TMC_GetSlopeDistCorr(dPpmCorr As Double,  
                       dPrismCorr As Double)
```

ASCII-Request

```
%R1Q,2126:
```

ASCII-Response

```
%R1P,0,0: RC,dPpmCorr[double],dPrismCorr[double]
```

Remarks

This function retrieves the total ppm value (atmospheric+geometric ppm) plus the current prism constant.

Parameters

| | | |
|------------|-----|-------------------------------------|
| dPpmCorr | Out | Total ppm correction factor. |
| dPrismCorr | Out | The correction factor of the prism. |

Return-Code Names and Return-Code Values

| | | |
|--------|---|-----------------------|
| GRC_OK | 0 | Execution successful. |
|--------|---|-----------------------|

See Also

TMC_GetPrismCorr,

Example

-

20 SCANNING – SCN

20.1 INTRODUCTION

With the new Nova MS50 the functionality of scanning is integrated into GeoCom. With this function it is possible to create, setup and start a scan over GeoCom.

Scans are saved in SDB format to the Internal Memory or SD card into \GeoCom\Scans directory.

Each file name contains the prefix GComScan and a number in the following format:

GComScan_####_#####.sdb (e.g. GComScan_20130530_211529.sdb).

20.2 USAGE

Scanning functionality is just applicable for the MS50 instrument.

In order to use the scanning functionality, make sure a valid GeoCom scanning license key is loaded onto the instrument. If not available, these functions return error messages.

20.3 CONSTANTS AND TYPES

On / Off switches

```
enum ON_OFF_TYPE
{
    OFF = 0,
    ON  = 1
};
```

Scan type definition

```
enum SCN_SCAN_DEF_TYPE
{
    SCN_RECTANGULAR = 0,
    SCN_DOME        = 1,
    SCN_POLYGON     = 2,
    SCN_POINTLIST   = 3
};
```

Scan memory type

```
enum SCN_MEMORY_TYPE
{
    SCN_INTERNAL_MEMORY = 0,
    SCN_SD_CARD         = 2
};
```

Scan rate type

```
enum SCN_SCAN_RATE_TYPE
{
    SCN_RATE_FULL      = 0,
    SCN_RATE_MIDDLE    = 1,
    SCN_RATE_LOW       = 2,
    SCN_RATE_ADAPTIVE  = 3
};
```

Scan mode type

```
enum SCN_SCAN_MODE_TYPE
{
    SCN_CONT          = 0,
    SCN_STOP_N_GO     = 1
};
```

20.4 CONFIGURE SCAN FUNCTIONS

20.4.1 SCN_CreateScan – creates a new scan

C-Declaration

```
SCN_CreateScan(SCN_SCAN_DEF_TYPE eScanType, SCN_MEMORY_TYPE eDeviceType)
```

VB-Declaration

```
VB_SCN_CreateScan(eScanType As Long, eDeviceType As Long)
```

ASCII-Request

```
%R1Q,23808:eScanType,eDeviceType
```

ASCII-Response

```
%R1P,0,0:RC
```

Remarks

This command returns the progress (0-100%) of the currently running scan.

Parameters

| | | |
|-------------|----|--------------|
| eScanType | In | Scan type. |
| eDeviceType | In | Device type. |

Return-Code Names and Return-Code Values

| | | |
|-------------|---|------------------------------|
| GRC_OK | 0 | Execution successful. |
| GRC_IVPARAM | 2 | Memory device not available. |

See Also

```
SCN_StartScan
SCN_GetScanProgress
SCN_GetScanResult
```

Example

```
//Rectangular example

//Create Scan
%R1Q,23808:0,2
%R1P,0,0:0

//Add points
%R1Q,23810:1.596245,1.435478
%R1P,0,0:0
%R1Q,23810:1.854123,1.054236
%R1P,0,0:0

//Set resolution
%R1Q,23811:0.0015,0.0015
%R1P,0,0:0

//Set scan rate
%R1Q,23819:0
%R1P,0,0:0

//Set scan mode
%R1Q,23820:0
%R1P,0,0:0

//Start scan
%R1Q,23809:
%R1P,0,0:0

//Wait for scan completion
%R1Q,23815:180000
...
...
%R1P,0,0:0

%R1Q,23816:
%R1P,0,0:0,100
```

%R1Q,23827:
%R1Q,0,0:0

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20.4.2 SCN_AddScanPoint – add a point to the scan definition

C-Declaration

```
SCN_AddScanPoint( (double dPtAngleH, double dPtAngleV, double dPtDistance)
```

VB-Declaration

```
VB_SCN_AddScanPoint(dPtAngleH As Double,  
                    dPtAngleV As Double,  
                    dPtDistance As Double)
```

ASCII-Request

```
%R1Q,23810:dPtAngleH,dPtAngleV,dPtDistance
```

ASCII-Response

```
%R1P,0,0:RC
```

Remarks

This command adds a new scan point to the scan definition. Point distance is optional.

Parameters

| | | |
|-------------|----|---|
| dPtAngleH | In | Horizontal angle of the scan definition point. |
| dPtAngleV | In | Vertical angle of the scan definition point. A value between 2.46615 (157 gon) and 3.817035 (243 gon) is not allowed. |
| dPtDistance | In | Optional distance of the scan definition point in meters. (0.0 for not specified) |

Return-Code Names and Return-Code Values

| | | |
|--------|---|-----------------------|
| GRC_OK | 0 | Execution successful. |
|--------|---|-----------------------|

See Also

SCN_CreateScan
SCN_StartScan

Example

See SCN_CreateScan

20.4.3 SCN_SetAngleResolution – set angle resolution of the defined scan

C-Declaration

```
SCN_SetAngleResolution( (double dAngResH, double dAngResV)
```

VB-Declaration

```
VB_SCN_SetAngleResolution(dAngResH As Double, dAngResV As Double)
```

ASCII-Request

```
%R1Q,23811:dAngResH,dAngResV
```

ASCII-Response

```
%R1P,0,0:RC
```

Remarks

This command sets the angle resolution for the scan definition.

Parameters

| | | |
|----------|----|--|
| dAngResH | In | Horizontal angular resolution of the scan. |
| dAngResV | In | Vertical angular resolution of the scan. |

Return-Code Names and Return-Code Values

| | | |
|--------|---|-----------------------|
| GRC_OK | 0 | Execution successful. |
|--------|---|-----------------------|

See Also

```
SCN_SetScanRate
SCN_ScanMode
SCN_SetMinMaxDist
SCN_SetStoreSNR
SCN_SetArtefactFilter
```

Example

```
%R1Q,23811:0.01,0.01
%R1P,0,0:0
```

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20.4.4 SCN_SetScanRate – set scanning frequency

C-Declaration

```
SCN_SetScanRate( (SCN_SCAN_RATE_TYPE eScanRate)
```

VB-Declaration

```
VB_SCN_SetAngleResolution(eScanRate As Long)
```

ASCII-Request

```
%R1Q,23819:eScanRate
```

ASCII-Response

```
%R1P,0,0:RC
```

Remarks

This command sets the scanning rate for the scan definition.

Parameters

| | | |
|-----------|----|------------|
| eScanRate | In | Scan rate. |
|-----------|----|------------|

Return-Code Names and Return-Code Values

| | | |
|--------|---|-----------------------|
| GRC_OK | 0 | Execution successful. |
|--------|---|-----------------------|

See Also

```
SCN_SetAngleResolution  
SCN_ScanMode  
SCN_SetMinMaxDist  
SCN_SetStoreSNR  
SCN_SetArtefactFilter
```

Example

```
%R1Q,23819:0  
%R1P,0,0:0
```

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20.4.5 SCN_SetScanMode – set scanning mode

C-Declaration

```
SCN_SetScanMode( (SCN_SCAN_MODE_TYPE eScanMode)
```

VB-Declaration

```
VB_SCN_SetScanMode(eScanMode As Long)
```

ASCII-Request

```
%R1Q,23820:eScanMode
```

ASCII-Response

```
%R1P,0,0:RC
```

Remarks

This command sets the scanning mode for the scan definition. Scanning mode can be either continuous, or stop and go.

Parameters

| | | |
|-----------|----|------------|
| eScanMode | In | Scan mode. |
|-----------|----|------------|

Return-Code Names and Return-Code Values

| | | |
|--------|---|-----------------------|
| GRC_OK | 0 | Execution successful. |
|--------|---|-----------------------|

See Also

```
SCN_SetAngleResolution
SCN_ScanRate
SCN_SetMinMaxDist
SCN_SetStoreSNR
SCN_SetArtefactFilter
```

Example

```
%R1Q,23820:0
%R1P,0,0:0
```

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20.4.6 SCN_SetMinMaxDist – set minimum and maximum distance

C-Declaration

```
SCN_SetMinMaxDist( (double dMin, double dMax)
```

VB-Declaration

```
VB_SCN_SetMinMaxDist(dMin As Double, dMax As Double)
```

ASCII-Request

```
%R1Q,23822:dMin,dMax
```

ASCII-Response

```
%R1P,0,0:RC
```

Remarks

Set a minimum and maximum distance to filter points. Distance is given in meters.

Parameters

| | | |
|------|----|-------------------|
| dMin | In | Minimum distance. |
| dMax | In | Maximum distance. |

Return-Code Names and Return-Code Values

| | | |
|--------|---|-----------------------|
| GRC_OK | 0 | Execution successful. |
|--------|---|-----------------------|

See Also

```
SCN_SetAngleResolution
SCN_SetScanRate
SCN_SetScanMode
SCN_SetStoreSNR
SCN_SetArtefactFilter
```

Example

```
%R1Q,23822:30.5,120.8
%R1P,0,0:0
```

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20.5 SYSTEM CONFIGURATION FUNCTIONS

20.5.1 SCN_SetStoreSNR - turning on/off the storage of SNR values

C-Declaration

```
SCN_SetStoreSNR( (ON_OFF_TYPE eOnOff)
```

VB-Declaration

```
VB_SCN_SetStoreSNR(eOnOff As Long)
```

ASCII-Request

```
%R1Q,23825:eOnOff
```

ASCII-Response

```
%R1P,0,0:RC
```

Remarks

Set the storage of the signal to noise ratio to On or Off.

Parameters

| | | |
|--------|----|--|
| eOnOff | In | ON - switch SNR storage on OFF - switch SNR storage off |
|--------|----|--|

Return-Code Names and Return-Code Values

| | | |
|--------|---|-----------------------|
| GRC_OK | 0 | Execution successful. |
|--------|---|-----------------------|

See Also

```
SCN_SetAngleResolution
SCN_ScanRate
SCN_ScanMode
SCN_SetMinMaxDist
SCN_SetArtefactFilter
```

Example

```
%R1Q,23825:1
%R1P,0,0:
```

20.5.2 SCN_GetStoreSNR – check the storage of SNR values

C-Declaration

```
SCN_GetStoreSNR( (ON_OFF_TYPE &eOnOff)
```

VB-Declaration

```
VB_SCN_SetStoreSNR(eOnOff As Long)
```

ASCII-Request

```
%R1Q,23826:
```

ASCII-Response

```
%R1P,0,0:RC,eOnOff
```

Remarks

Check if the storage of SNR values is On or Off.

Parameters

| | | |
|--------|-----|--|
| eOnOff | Out | ON - SNR storage is on OFF - SNR storage is off |
|--------|-----|--|

Return-Code Names and Return-Code Values

| | | |
|--------|---|-----------------------|
| GRC_OK | 0 | Execution successful. |
|--------|---|-----------------------|

See Also

```
SCN_SetAngleResolution
SCN_ScanRate
SCN_ScanMode
SCN_SetMinMaxDist
SCN_SetStoreSNR
SCN_SetArtefactFilter
```

Example

```
%R1Q,23826:
%R1P,0,0:0,1
```

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20.5.3 SCN_SetArtefactFilter – turning on/off the artefact filter

C-Declaration

```
SCN_SetArtefactFilter( (ON_OFF_TYPE eOnOff)
```

VB-Declaration

```
VB_SCN_SetArtefactFilter(eOnOff As Long)
```

ASCII-Request

```
%R1Q,23829:eOnOff
```

ASCII-Response

```
%R1P,0,0:RC
```

Remarks

Set the artefact filter to On or Off.

Parameters

| | | |
|--------|----|--|
| eOnOff | In | ON - switch SNR storage on OFF - switch SNR storage off |
|--------|----|--|

Return-Code Names and Return-Code Values

| | | |
|--------|---|-----------------------|
| GRC_OK | 0 | Execution successful. |
|--------|---|-----------------------|

See Also

```
SCN_SetAngleResolution
SCN_ScanRate
SCN_ScanMode
SCN_SetMinMaxDist
SCN_SetStoreSNR
SCN_GetArtefactFilter
```

Example

```
%R1Q,23829:1
%R1P,0,0:0
```

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20.5.4 SCN_GetArtefactFilter – check status of artefact filter

C-Declaration

```
SCN_GetArtefactFilter( (ON_OFF_TYPE &eOnOff)
```

VB-Declaration

```
VB_SCN_GetArtefactFilter(eOnOff As Long)
```

ASCII-Request

```
%R1Q,23830:
```

ASCII-Response

```
%R1P,0,0:RC,eOnOff
```

Remarks

Get the status if artefact filter is On or Off.

Parameters

| eOnOff | Out | |
|--------|-----|--|
| | | ON – artefact filter is on OFF – artefact filter is off |

Return-Code Names and Return-Code Values

| | | |
|--------|---|-----------------------|
| GRC_OK | 0 | Execution successful. |
|--------|---|-----------------------|

See Also

```
SCN_SetAngleResolution  
SCN_ScanRate  
SCN_ScanMode  
SCN_SetMinMaxDist  
SCN_SetStoreSNR  
SCN_SetArtefactFilter
```

Example

```
%R1Q,23830:  
%R1P,0,0:0,1
```

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20.5.5 SCN_SetOutlierFilter – turning on/off the outlier filter

C-Declaration

```
SCN_SetOutlierFilter( (ON_OFF_TYPE &eOnOff)
```

VB-Declaration

```
VB_SCN_SetOutlierFilter(eOnOff As Long)
```

ASCII-Request

```
%R1Q,23831:
```

ASCII-Response

```
%R1P,0,0:RC,eOnOff
```

Remarks

Get the status if outlier filter is On or Off.

Parameters

| | | |
|--------|-----|--|
| eOnOff | Out | ON – artefact filter is on OFF – artefact filter is off |
|--------|-----|--|

Return-Code Names and Return-Code Values

| | | |
|--------|---|-----------------------|
| GRC_OK | 0 | Execution successful. |
|--------|---|-----------------------|

See Also

```
SCN_SetAngleResolution
SCN_ScanRate
SCN_ScanMode
SCN_SetMinMaxDist
SCN_SetStoreSNR
SCN_SetArtefactFilter
SCN_GetOutlierFilter
```

Example

```
%R1Q,23831:1
%R1P,0,0:0
```

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20.5.6 SCN_GetOutlierFilter – check status of outlier filter

C-Declaration

```
SCN_GetOutlierFilter( (ON_OFF_TYPE &eOnOff)
```

VB-Declaration

```
VB_SCN_GetOutlierFilter(eOnOff As Long)
```

ASCII-Request

```
%R1Q,23832:
```

ASCII-Response

```
%R1P,0,0:RC,eOnOff
```

Remarks

Get the status if outlier filter is On or Off.

Parameters

| | | |
|--------|-----|--|
| eOnOff | Out | ON – artefact filter is on OFF – artefact filter is off |
|--------|-----|--|

Return-Code Names and Return-Code Values

| | | |
|--------|---|-----------------------|
| GRC_OK | 0 | Execution successful. |
|--------|---|-----------------------|

See Also

```
SCN_SetAngleResolution
SCN_ScanRate
SCN_ScanMode
SCN_SetMinMaxDist
SCN_SetStoreSNR
SCN_SetArtefactFilter
SCN_SetOutlierFilter
```

Example

```
%R1Q,23831:
%R1P,0,0:0,1
```

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20.6 START / STOP SCAN FUNCTIONS

20.6.1 SCN_StartScan – start preconfigured scan

C-Declaration

```
SCN_StartScan( )
```

VB-Declaration

```
VB_SCN_StartScan( )
```

ASCII-Request

```
%R1Q,23809:
```

ASCII-Response

```
%R1P,0,0:RC
```

Remarks

This command starts asynchronously the predefined scan.

Return-Code Names and Return-Code Values

| | | |
|-------------|---|---------------------------------------|
| GRC_OK | 0 | Execution successful. |
| GRC_IVPARAM | 2 | Doesn't start. Points in wrong order. |

See Also

```
SCN_CreateScan  
SCN_PauseScan
```

Example

```
See SCN_CreateScan.
```

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20.6.2 SCN_AbortScan – abort running scan

C-Declaration

```
SCN_AbortScan( )
```

VB-Declaration

```
VB_SCN_AbortScan( )
```

ASCII-Request

```
%R1Q,23812:
```

ASCII-Response

```
%R1P,0,0:RC
```

Remarks

This command aborts the currently running scan.

Return-Code Names and Return-Code Values

| | | |
|--------|---|-----------------------|
| GRC_OK | 0 | Execution successful. |
|--------|---|-----------------------|

See Also

```
SCN_StartScan  
SCN_PauseScan
```

Example

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20.6.3 SCN_PauseScan – pause running scan.

C-Declaration

SCN_PauseScan()

VB-Declaration

VB_SCN_PauseScan()

ASCII-Request

%R1Q,23813:

ASCII-Response

%R1P,0,0:RC

Remarks

This command pause the currently running scan.

Return-Code Names and Return-Code Values

| | | |
|--------|---|-----------------------|
| GRC_OK | 0 | Execution successful. |
|--------|---|-----------------------|

See Also

SCN_StartScan

SCN_ResumeScan

Example

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20.6.4 SCN_ResumeScan – resume previously paused scan

C-Declaration

SCN_ResumeScan()

VB-Declaration

VB_SCN_ResumeScan()

ASCII-Request

%R1Q,23814:

ASCII-Response

%R1P,0,0:RC

Remarks

This command resumes the previously paused scan.

Return-Code Names and Return-Code Values

| | | |
|--------|---|-----------------------|
| GRC_OK | 0 | Execution successful. |
|--------|---|-----------------------|

See Also

SCN_StartScan

SCN_PauseScan

Example

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20.6.5 SCN_WaitForScan – waiting for scan

C-Declaration

```
SCN_WaitForScan( (long lTimeout)
```

VB-Declaration

```
VB_SCN_WaitForScan(lTimeout As Long)
```

ASCII-Request

```
%R1Q,23815:lTimeout
```

ASCII-Response

```
%R1P,0,0:RC
```

Remarks

This command waits for lTimeout for the currently running scan to finish. If the scanning doesn't finish within the given time, GRC_TIME_OUT is returned.

Parameters

| | | |
|----------|----|---|
| lTimeout | in | Timeout to wait for scan to finish [ms] |
|----------|----|---|

Return-Code Names and Return-Code Values

| | | |
|--------------|---|--|
| GRC_OK | 0 | Execution successful. |
| GRC_TIME_OUT | 6 | Scanning didn't finish within given timeout. |

See Also

```
SCN_CreateScan  
SCN_StartScan  
SCN_GetScanProgress
```

Example

```
See SCN_CreateScan
```

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20.6.6 SCN_GetScanProgress – returns the scan progress

C-Declaration

SCN_GetScanProgress((double &dProgress)

VB-Declaration

VB_SCN_GetScanProgress(dProgress As Double)

ASCII-Request

%R1Q,23816:

ASCII-Response

%R1P,0,0:RC,dProgress

Remarks

This command returns the progress (0-100%) of the currently running scan.

Parameters

| | | |
|-----------|-----|-------------------|
| dProgress | Out | Scan progress [%] |
|-----------|-----|-------------------|

Return-Code Names and Return-Code Values

| | | |
|--------|---|-----------------------|
| GRC_OK | 0 | Execution successful. |
|--------|---|-----------------------|

See Also

SCN_CreateScan
SCN_StartScan

Example

%R1Q,23816:
%R1P,0,0:0,40.954309165526681

20.7 SCAN INFORMATION FUNCTIONS

20.7.1 SCN_GetScanResult – check scan Result

C-Declaration

```
SCN_GetScanResult( )
```

VB-Declaration

```
VB_SCN_GetScanResult()
```

ASCII-Request

```
%R1Q,23827:
```

ASCII-Response

```
%R1P,0,0:RC
```

Remarks

Check scan result while asking for Return-Code-value.

Return-Code Names and Return-Code Values

| | | |
|-----------------------|------|----------------------------------|
| GRC_OK | 0 | Execution successful. |
| GRC_INSTRUMENT_TILT | 22 | Instrument tilting out of range. |
| GRC_AUT_SIDECOVER_ERR | 8723 | Sidecover open. |

See Also

```
SCN_CreateScan  
SCN_StartScan
```

Example

```
%R1Q,23827:  
%R1P,0,0:22
```

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20.7.2 SCN_GetScanDataFileName – return the scan data file name

C-Declaration

```
SCN_GetScanDataFileName( (char *szFileName)
```

VB-Declaration

```
VB_SCN_AddScanPoint(ByVal szFileName As String)
```

ASCII-Request

```
%R1Q,23817:
```

ASCII-Response

```
%R1P,0,0:RC,szFileName
```

Remarks

This command returns the name of the currently finished scan. The file can be downloaded using the transfer (FTR) GeoCom commands..

Parameters

| | | |
|------------|-----|----------------------|
| szFileName | Out | Scan data file name. |
|------------|-----|----------------------|

Return-Code Names and Return-Code Values

| | | |
|--------|---|-----------------------|
| GRC_OK | 0 | Execution successful. |
|--------|---|-----------------------|

See Also

```
SCN_CreateScan  
SCN_StartScan
```

Example

```
%R1Q,23817:
```

```
%R1P,0,0:0,"\\SD Card\\Data\\Geocom\\Scans\\GComScan_20120905_043539.pts"
```

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21 GeoCOM RELEASES

This chapter shows the changes between the different Releases of GeoCOM

21.1 RELEASE 1.00

This GeoCOM Release 1.00 was introduced with Nova Firmware Release 5.0.

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22 APPENDIX

A RETURN-CODE NAMES AND RETURN-CODE VALUES

The return codes described here are codes, which may be returned from RPC's and GeoCOM general functions (COMF). A successful completion will be denoted by GRC_OK. Almost all of the return codes are error codes. Nevertheless, some of them have a more informational character. Therefore, refer also to the description of a specific function. In a special context the meaning of a return code might vary a little bit.

The list described here is organised in subsystem related categories. The `RetCodeName` describes the constant as it is defined for the Viva TPS series instruments. Additionally to find an error code by number they are given too.

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| TPS | 0 | 0x0 | |
|-------------------------|--------------|---------------|---|
| RetCodeName | Value | HexVal | Description |
| GRC_OK | 0 | 0x0 | Function successfully completed. |
| GRC_UNDEFINED | 1 | 0x1 | Unknown error, result unspecified. |
| GRC_IVPARAM | 2 | 0x2 | Invalid parameter detected. Result unspecified. |
| GRC_IVRESULT | 3 | 0x3 | Invalid result. |
| GRC_FATAL | 4 | 0x4 | Fatal error. |
| GRC_NOT_IMPL | 5 | 0x5 | Not implemented yet. |
| GRC_TIME_OUT | 6 | 0x6 | Function execution timed out. Result unspecified. |
| GRC_SET_INCOMPL | 7 | 0x7 | Parameter setup for subsystem is incomplete. |
| GRC_ABORT | 8 | 0x8 | Function execution has been aborted. |
| GRC_NOMEMORY | 9 | 0x9 | Fatal error - not enough memory. |
| GRC_NOTINIT | 10 | 0xA | Fatal error - subsystem not initialized. |
| GRC_SHUT_DOWN | 12 | 0xC | Subsystem is down. |
| GRC_SYSBUSY | 13 | 0xD | System busy/already in use of another process. Cannot execute function. |
| GRC_HWFFAILURE | 14 | 0xE | Fatal error - hardware failure. |
| GRC_ABORT_APPL | 15 | 0xF | Execution of application has been aborted (SHIFT-ESC). |
| GRC_LOW_POWER | 16 | 0x10 | Operation aborted - insufficient power supply level. |
| GRC_IVVERSION | 17 | 0x11 | Invalid version of file, ... |
| GRC_BATT_EMPTY | 18 | 0x12 | Battery empty |
| GRC_NO_EVENT | 20 | 0x14 | no event pending. |
| GRC_OUT_OF_TEMP | 21 | 0x15 | out of temperature range |
| GRC_INSTRUMENT_TILT | 22 | 0x16 | instrument tilting out of range |
| GRC_COM_SETTING | 23 | 0x17 | communication error |
| GRC_NO_ACTION | 24 | 0x18 | GRC_TYPE Input 'do no action' |
| GRC_SLEEP_MODE | 25 | 0x19 | Instr. run into the sleep mode |
| GRC_NOTOK | 26 | 0x1A | Function not successfully completed. |
| GRC_NA | 27 | 0x1B | Not available |
| GRC_OVERFLOW | 28 | 0x1C | Overflow error |
| GRC_STOPPED | 29 | 0x1D | System or subsystem has been stopped |
| ANG | 256 | 0x100 | |
| RetCodeName | Value | HexVal | Description |
| GRC_ANG_ERROR | 257 | 0x101 | Angles and Inclinations not valid |
| GRC_ANG_INCL_ERROR | 258 | 0x102 | inclinations not valid |
| GRC_ANG_BAD_ACC | 259 | 0x103 | value accuracies not reached |
| GRC_ANG_BAD_ANGLE_ACC | 260 | 0x104 | angle-accuracies not reached |
| GRC_ANG_BAD_INCLIN_ACC | 261 | 0x105 | inclination accuracies not reached |
| GRC_ANG_WRITE_PROTECTED | 266 | 0x10A | no write access allowed |
| GRC_ANG_OUT_OF_RANGE | 267 | 0x10B | value out of range |
| GRC_ANG_IR_OCCURED | 268 | 0x10C | function aborted due to interrupt |
| GRC_ANG_HZ_MOVED | 269 | 0x10D | hz moved during incline measurement |
| GRC_ANG_OS_ERROR | 270 | 0x10E | troubles with operation system |
| GRC_ANG_DATA_ERROR | 271 | 0x10F | overflow at parameter values |
| GRC_ANG_PEAK_CNT_UFL | 272 | 0x110 | too less peaks |
| GRC_ANG_TIME_OUT | 273 | 0x111 | reading timeout |
| GRC_ANG_TOO_MANY_EXPOS | 274 | 0x112 | too many exposures wanted |
| GRC_ANG_PIX_CTRL_ERR | 275 | 0x113 | picture height out of range |
| GRC_ANG_MAX_POS_SKIP | 276 | 0x114 | positive exposure dynamic overflow |

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| GRC_ANG_MAX_NEG_SKIP | 277 | 0x115 | negative exposure dynamic overflow |
| GRC_ANG_EXP_LIMIT | 278 | 0x116 | exposure time overflow |
| GRC_ANG_UNDER_EXPOSURE | 279 | 0x117 | picture underexposed |
| GRC_ANG_OVER_EXPOSURE | 280 | 0x118 | picture overexposed |
| GRC_ANG_TMANY_PEAKS | 300 | 0x12C | too many peaks detected |
| GRC_ANG_TLESS_PEAKS | 301 | 0x12D | too less peaks detected |
| GRC_ANG_PEAK_TOO_SLIM | 302 | 0x12E | peak too slim |
| GRC_ANG_PEAK_TOO_WIDE | 303 | 0x12F | peak too wide |
| GRC_ANG_BAD_PEAKDIFF | 304 | 0x130 | bad peak difference |
| GRC_ANG_UNDER_EXP_PICT | 305 | 0x131 | too less peak amplitude |
| GRC_ANG_PEAKS_INHOMOGEN | 306 | 0x132 | inhomogeneous peak amplitudes |
| GRC_ANG_NO_DECOD_POSS | 307 | 0x133 | no peak decoding possible |
| GRC_ANG_UNSTABLE_DECOD | 308 | 0x134 | peak decoding not stable |
| GRC_ANG_TLESS_FPEAKS | 309 | 0x135 | too less valid finepeaks |
| GRC_ANG_INCL_OLD_PLANE | 316 | 0x13C | inclination plane out of time range |
| GRC_ANG_INCL_NO_PLANE | 317 | 0x13D | inclination no plane available |
| GRC_ANG_FAST_ANG_ERR | 326 | 0x146 | errors in 5kHz and or 2.5kHz angle |
| GRC_ANG_FAST_ANG_ERR_5 | 327 | 0x147 | errors in 5kHz angle |
| GRC_ANG_FAST_ANG_ERR_25 | 328 | 0x148 | errors in 2.5kHz angle |
| GRC_ANG_TRANS_ERR | 329 | 0x149 | LVDS transfer error detected |
| GRC_ANG_TRANS_ERR_5 | 330 | 0x14A | LVDS transfer error detected in 5kHz mode |
| GRC_ANG_TRANS_ERR_25 | 331 | 0x14B | LVDS transfer error detected in 2.5kHz mode |

| ATA | 512 | 0x200 | |
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| RetCodeName | Value | HexVal | Description |
| GRC_ATA_NOT_READY | 512 | 0x200 | ATR-System is not ready. |
| GRC_ATA_NO_RESULT | 513 | 0x201 | Result isn't available yet. |
| GRC_ATA_SEVERAL_TARGETS | 514 | 0x202 | Several Targets detected. |
| GRC_ATA_BIG_SPOT | 515 | 0x203 | Spot is too big for analyse. |
| GRC_ATA_BACKGROUND | 516 | 0x204 | Background is too bright. |
| GRC_ATA_NO_TARGETS | 517 | 0x205 | No targets detected. |
| GRC_ATA_NOT_ACCURAT | 518 | 0x206 | Accuracy worse than asked for. |
| GRC_ATA_SPOT_ON_EDGE | 519 | 0x207 | Spot is on the edge of the sensing area. |
| GRC_ATA_BLOOMING | 522 | 0x20A | Blooming or spot on edge detected. |
| GRC_ATA_NOT_BUSY | 523 | 0x20B | ATR isn't in a continuous mode. |
| GRC_ATA_STRANGE_LIGHT | 524 | 0x20C | Not the spot of the own target illuminator. |
| GRC_ATA_V24_FAIL | 525 | 0x20D | Communication error to sensor (ATR). |
| GRC_ATA_DECODE_ERROR | 526 | 0x20E | Received Arguments cannot be decoded |
| GRC_ATA_HZ_FAIL | 527 | 0x20F | No Spot detected in Hz-direction. |
| GRC_ATA_V_FAIL | 528 | 0x210 | No Spot detected in V-direction. |
| GRC_ATA_HZ_STRANGE_L | 529 | 0x211 | Strange light in Hz-direction. |
| GRC_ATA_V_STRANGE_L | 530 | 0x212 | Strange light in V-direction. |
| GRC_ATA_SLDR_TRANSFER_PENDING | 531 | 0x213 | On multiple ATA_SLDR_OpenTransfer. |
| GRC_ATA_SLDR_TRANSFER_ILLEGAL | 532 | 0x214 | No ATA_SLDR_OpenTransfer happened. |
| GRC_ATA_SLDR_DATA_ERROR | 533 | 0x215 | Unexpected data format received. |
| GRC_ATA_SLDR_CHK_SUM_ERROR | 534 | 0x216 | Checksum error in transmitted data. |
| GRC_ATA_SLDR_ADDRESS_ERROR | 535 | 0x217 | Address out of valid range. |
| GRC_ATA_SLDR_INV_LOADFILE | 536 | 0x218 | Firmware file has invalid format. |
| GRC_ATA_SLDR_UNSUPPORTED | 537 | 0x219 | Current (loaded) firmware doesn't support upload. |
| GRC_ATA_PS_NOT_READY | 538 | 0x21A | PS-System is not ready. |
| GRC_ATA_ATR_SYSTEM_ERR | 539 | 0x21B | ATR system error |

| EDM | 768 | 0x300 | |
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| RetCodeName | Value | HexVal | Description |
| GRC_EDM_SYSTEM_ERR | 769 | 0x301 | Fatal EDM sensor error. See for the exact reason the original EDM sensor error number. In the most cases a service problem. |
| GRC_EDM_INVALID_COMMAND | 770 | 0x302 | Invalid command or unknown command, see command syntax. |
| GRC_EDM_BOOM_ERR | 771 | 0x303 | Boomerang error. |
| GRC_EDM_SIGN_LOW_ERR | 772 | 0x304 | Received signal to low, prism to far away, or natural barrier, bad environment, etc. |
| GRC_EDM_DIL_ERR | 773 | 0x305 | obsolete |
| GRC_EDM_SIGN_HIGH_ERR | 774 | 0x306 | Received signal to strong, prism to near, stranger light effect. |
| GRC_EDM_TIMEOUT | 775 | 0x307 | Timeout, measuring time exceeded (signal too weak, beam interrupted,...) |
| GRC_EDM_FLUKT_ERR | 776 | 0x308 | to much turbulences or distractions |
| GRC_EDM_FMOT_ERR | 777 | 0x309 | filter motor defective |
| GRC_EDM_DEV_NOT_INSTALLED | 778 | 0x30A | Device like EGL, DL is not installed. |
| GRC_EDM_NOT_FOUND | 779 | 0x30B | Search result invalid. For the exact explanation, see in the description of the called function. |
| GRC_EDM_ERROR_RECEIVED | 780 | 0x30C | Communication ok, but an error reported from the EDM sensor. |
| GRC_EDM_MISSING_SRPWD | 781 | 0x30D | No service password is set. |
| GRC_EDM_INVALID_ANSWER | 782 | 0x30E | Communication ok, but an unexpected answer received. |
| GRC_EDM_SEND_ERR | 783 | 0x30F | Data send error, sending buffer is full. |
| GRC_EDM_RECEIVE_ERR | 784 | 0x310 | Data receive error, like parity buffer overflow. |
| GRC_EDM_INTERNAL_ERR | 785 | 0x311 | Internal EDM subsystem error. |
| GRC_EDM_BUSY | 786 | 0x312 | Sensor is working already, abort current measuring first. |
| GRC_EDM_NO_MEASACTIVITY | 787 | 0x313 | No measurement activity started. |
| GRC_EDM_CHKSUM_ERR | 788 | 0x314 | Calculated checksum, resp. received data wrong (only in binary communication mode possible). |
| GRC_EDM_INIT_OR_STOP_ERR | 789 | 0x315 | During start up or shut down phase an error occurred. It is saved in the DEL buffer. |
| GRC_EDM_SRL_NOT_AVAILABLE | 790 | 0x316 | Red laser not available on this sensor HW. |
| GRC_EDM_MEAS_ABORTED | 791 | 0x317 | Measurement will be aborted (will be used for the laser security) |
| GRC_EDM_SLDR_TRANSFER_PENDING | 798 | 0x31E | Multiple OpenTransfer calls. |
| GRC_EDM_SLDR_TRANSFER_ILLEGAL | 799 | 0x31F | No open transfer happened. |
| GRC_EDM_SLDR_DATA_ERROR | 800 | 0x320 | Unexpected data format received. |
| GRC_EDM_SLDR_CHK_SUM_ERROR | 801 | 0x321 | Checksum error in transmitted data. |
| GRC_EDM_SLDR_ADDR_ERROR | 802 | 0x322 | Address out of valid range. |
| GRC_EDM_SLDR_INV_LOADFILE | 803 | 0x323 | Firmware file has invalid format. |
| GRC_EDM_SLDR_UNSUPPORTED | 804 | 0x324 | Current (loaded) firmware doesn't support upload. |
| GRC_EDM_UNKNOW_ERR | 808 | 0x328 | Undocumented error from the EDM sensor, should not occur. |
| GRC_EDM_DISTRANGE_ERR | 818 | 0x332 | Out of distance range (dist too small or large) |
| GRC_EDM_SIGNTONoise_ERR | 819 | 0x333 | Signal to noise ratio too small |
| GRC_EDM_NOISEHIGH_ERR | 820 | 0x334 | Noise to high |
| GRC_EDM_PWD_NOTSET | 821 | 0x335 | Password is not set |
| GRC_EDM_ACTION_NO_MORE_VALID | 822 | 0x336 | Elapsed time between prepare und start fast measurement for ATR to long |
| GRC_EDM_MULTRG_ERR | 823 | 0x337 | Possibly more than one target (also a sensor error) |
| GRC_EDM_MISSING_EE_CONSTS | 824 | 0x338 | eeeprom consts are missing |
| GRC_EDM_NOPRECISE | 825 | 0x339 | No precise measurement possible |
| GRC_EDM_MEAS_DIST_NOT_ALLOWED | 826 | 0x33A | Measured distance is to big (not allowed) |

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| GRC_EDM_NOT_EXECUTED | 827 | 0x33B | Part or whole measurement was not executed |
| GRC_EDM_SIG_FORM_ERR | 828 | 0x33C | Sinus signal form error |
| GRC_EDM_DIST_TOO_SHORT | 829 | 0x33D | Measured distance too short |
| GRC_EDM_SYNTH_ERR | 830 | 0x33E | PLL-spg out of tolerance |
| GRC_EDM_AMPL_RELATION_ERR | 831 | 0x33F | Amplitude relation fine / rough error |
| GRC_EDM_DIVISION_BY_ZERO | 832 | 0x340 | Division by zero |

| TMC | 1280 | 0x500 | |
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| RetCodeName | Value | HexVal | Description |
| GRC_TMC_NO_FULL_CORRECTION | 1283 | 0x503 | Warning: measurement without full correction |
| GRC_TMC_ACCURACY_GUARANTEE | 1284 | 0x504 | Info: accuracy can not be guarantee |
| GRC_TMC_ANGLE_OK | 1285 | 0x505 | Warning: only angle measurement valid |
| GRC_TMC_ANGLE_NOT_FULL_CORR | 1288 | 0x508 | Warning: only angle measurement valid but without full correction |
| GRC_TMC_ANGLE_NO_ACC_GUARANTY | 1289 | 0x509 | Info: only angle measurement valid but accuracy can not be guarantee |
| GRC_TMC_ANGLE_ERROR | 1290 | 0x50A | Error: no angle measurement |
| GRC_TMC_DIST_PPM | 1291 | 0x50B | Error: wrong setting of PPM or MM on EDM |
| GRC_TMC_DIST_ERROR | 1292 | 0x50C | Error: distance measurement not done (no aim, etc.) |
| GRC_TMC_BUSY | 1293 | 0x50D | Error: system is busy (no measurement done) |
| GRC_TMC_SIGNAL_ERROR | 1294 | 0x50E | Error: no signal on EDM (only in signal mode) |
| GRC_OLD_PLANE | 1380 | 0x564 | Warning: inclination out of time range |
| GRC_NO_PLANE | 1381 | 0x565 | Warning: measurement without plane-inclination correction |
| GRC_INC_ERROR | 1392 | 0x566 | Warning: measurement without sensor-inclination correction |
| GRC_INCLINE_ACC | 1383 | 0x567 | Info : inclination accuracy can not be guaranteed |

| MOT | 1792 | 0x700 | |
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| RetCodeName | Value | HexVal | Description |
| GRC_MOT_UNREADY | 1792 | 0x700 | motorization is not ready |
| GRC_MOT_BUSY | 1793 | 0x701 | motorization is handling another task |
| GRC_MOT_NOT_OCONST | 1794 | 0x702 | motorization is not in velocity mode |
| GRC_MOT_NOT_CONFIG | 1795 | 0x703 | motorization is in the wrong mode or busy |
| GRC_MOT_NOT_POSIT | 1796 | 0x704 | motorization is not in posit mode |
| GRC_MOT_NOT_SERVICE | 1797 | 0x705 | motorization is not in service mode |
| GRC_MOT_NOT_BUSY | 1798 | 0x706 | motorization is handling no task |
| GRC_MOT_NOT_LOCK | 1799 | 0x707 | motorization is not in tracking mode |
| GRC_MOT_NOT_SPIRAL | 1800 | 0x708 | motorization is not in spiral mode |
| GRC_MOT_V_ENCODER | 1801 | 0x709 | vertical encoder/motor error |
| GRC_MOT_HZ_ENCODER | 1802 | 0x70A | horizontal encoder/motor error |
| GRC_MOT_HZ_V_ENCODER | 1803 | 0x70B | horizontal and vertical encoder/motor error |
| GRC_MOT_HZ_MOTOR_ERROR | 1804 | 0x70C | azimuth motor error |
| GRC_MOT_V_MOTOR_ERROR | 1805 | 0x70D | elevation motor error |
| GRC_MOT_TIMEOUT | 1806 | 0x70E | general timeout |
| GRC_MOT_HZ_TIMEOUT | 1807 | 0x70F | timeout of azimuth positioning system |
| GRC_MOT_V_TIMEOUT | 1808 | 0x710 | timeout of elevation positioning system |
| GRC_MOT_SCAN_STOPPED | 1809 | 0x711 | scan stopped with error |
| GRC_MOT_SUPPLY_CHANGED | 1810 | 0x712 | scan paused because power supply has changed |

| COM | 3072 | 0xC00 | |
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| RetCodeName | Value | HexVal | Description |
| GRC_COM_ERO | 3072 | 0xC00 | Initiate Extended Runtime Operation (ERO). |
| GRC_COM_CANT_ENCODE | 3073 | 0xC01 | Cannot encode arguments in client. |
| GRC_COM_CANT_DECODE | 3074 | 0xC02 | Cannot decode results in client. |
| GRC_COM_CANT_SEND | 3075 | 0xC03 | Hardware error while sending. |
| GRC_COM_CANT_RECV | 3076 | 0xC04 | Hardware error while receiving. |
| GRC_COM_TIMEDOUT | 3077 | 0xC05 | Request timed out. |
| GRC_COM_WRONG_FORMAT | 3078 | 0xC06 | Packet format error. |
| GRC_COM_VER_MISMATCH | 3079 | 0xC07 | Version mismatch between client and server. |
| GRC_COM_CANT_DECODE_REQ | 3080 | 0xC08 | Cannot decode arguments in server. |
| GRC_COM_PROC_UNAVAIL | 3081 | 0xC09 | Unknown RPC, procedure ID invalid. |
| GRC_COM_CANT_ENCODE_REP | 3082 | 0xC0A | Cannot encode results in server. |
| GRC_COM_SYSTEM_ERR | 3083 | 0xC0B | Unspecified generic system error. |
| GRC_COM_FAILED | 3085 | 0xC0D | Unspecified error. |
| GRC_COM_NO_BINARY | 3086 | 0xC0E | Binary protocol not available. |
| GRC_COM_INTR | 3087 | 0xC0F | Call interrupted. |
| GRC_COM_REQUIRES_8DBITS | 3090 | 0xC12 | Protocol needs 8bit encoded characters. |
| GRC_COM_TR_ID_MISMATCH | 3093 | 0xC15 | TRANSACTIONS ID mismatch error. |
| GRC_COM_NOT_GEOCOM | 3094 | 0xC16 | Protocol not recognizable. |
| GRC_COM_UNKNOWN_PORT | 3095 | 0xC17 | (WIN) Invalid port address. |
| GRC_COM_ERO_END | 3099 | 0xC1B | ERO is terminating. |
| GRC_COM_OVERRUN | 3100 | 0xC1C | Internal error: data buffer overflow. |
| GRC_COM_SRVR_RX_CHECKSUM_ERRR | 3101 | 0xC1D | Invalid checksum on server side received. |
| GRC_COM_CLNT_RX_CHECKSUM_ERRR | 3102 | 0xC1E | Invalid checksum on client side received. |
| GRC_COM_PORT_NOT_AVAILABLE | 3103 | 0xC1F | (WIN) Port not available. |
| GRC_COM_PORT_NOT_OPEN | 3104 | 0xC20 | (WIN) Port not opened. |
| GRC_COM_NO_PARTNER | 3105 | 0xC21 | (WIN) Unable to find TPS. |
| GRC_COM_ERO_NOT_STARTED | 3106 | 0xC22 | Extended Runtime Operation could not be started. |
| GRC_COM_CONS_REQ | 3107 | 0xC23 | Att to send cons reqs |
| GRC_COM_SRVR_IS_SLEEPING | 3108 | 0xC24 | TPS has gone to sleep. Wait and try again. |
| GRC_COM_SRVR_IS_OFF | 3109 | 0xC25 | TPS has shut down. Wait and try again. |
| GRC_COM_NO_CHECKSUM | 3110 | 0xC26 | No checksum in ASCII protocol available. |
| AUT | 8704 | 0x2200 | |
| RetCodeName | Value | HexVal | Description |
| GRC_AUT_TIMEOUT | 8704 | 0x2200 | Position not reached |
| GRC_AUT_DETENT_ERROR | 8705 | 0x2201 | Positioning not possible due to mounted EDM |
| GRC_AUT_ANGLE_ERROR | 8706 | 0x2202 | Angle measurement error |
| GRC_AUT_MOTOR_ERROR | 8707 | 0x2203 | Motorisation error |
| GRC_AUT_INCACC | 8708 | 0x2204 | Position not exactly reached |
| GRC_AUT_DEV_ERROR | 8709 | 0x2205 | Deviation measurement error |
| GRC_AUT_NO_TARGET | 8710 | 0x2206 | No target detected |
| GRC_AUT_MULTIPLE_TARGETS | 8711 | 0x2207 | Multiple target detected |
| GRC_AUT_BAD_ENVIRONMENT | 8712 | 0x2208 | Bad environment conditions |
| GRC_AUT_DETECTOR_ERROR | 8713 | 0x2209 | Error in target acquisition |
| GRC_AUT_NOT_ENABLED | 8714 | 0x220A | Target acquisition not enabled |
| GRC_AUT_CALACC | 8715 | 0x220B | ATR-Calibration failed |
| GRC_AUT_ACCURACY | 8716 | 0x220C | Target position not exactly reached |
| GRC_AUT_DIST_STARTED | 8717 | 0x220D | Info: dist. measurement has been started |
| GRC_AUT_SUPPLY_TOO_HIGH | 8718 | 0x220E | external Supply voltage is too high |

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| GRC_AUT_SUPPLY_TOO_LOW | 8719 | 0x220F | int. or ext. Supply voltage is too low |
| GRC_AUT_NO_WORKING_AREA | 8720 | 0x2210 | working area not set |
| GRC_AUT_ARRAY_FULL | 8721 | 0x2211 | power search data array is filled |
| GRC_AUT_NO_DATA | 8722 | 0x2212 | no data available |
| GRC_AUT_SIDECOVER_ERR | 8723 | 0x2213 | motion cannot be executed because of sidecover |
| GRC_AUT_OUT_OF_SYNC | 8724 | 0x2214 | angle requested for time not in collection (probably telescope out of sync) |
| GRC_AUT_NO_LOCK | 8725 | 0x2215 | lock mode not allowed |

| KDM | 12544 | 0x3100 | |
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| RetCodeName | Value | HexVal | Description |
| GRC_KDM_NOT_AVAILABLE | 12544 | 0x3100 | KDM device is not available. |

| FTR | 13056 | 0x3300 | |
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| RetCodeName | Value | HexVal | Description |
| GRC_FTR_FILEACCESS | 13056 | 0x3300 | File access error |
| GRC_FTR_WRONGFILEBLOCKNUMBER | 13057 | 0x3301 | block number was not the expected one |
| GRC_FTR_NOTENOUGHSPACE | 13058 | 0x3302 | not enough space on device to proceed uploading |
| GRC_FTR_INVALIDINPUT | 13059 | 0x3303 | Rename of file failed. |
| GRC_FTR_MISSINGSETUP | 13060 | 0x3304 | invalid parameter as input |

| CAM | 13824 | 0x3600 | |
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| RetCodeName | Value | HexVal | Description |
| GRC_CAM_NOT_READY | 13824 | 0x3600 | CAM-System is not ready |
| GRC_CAM_NOT_INIT | 13825 | 0x3601 | Camera is not initialised |
| GRC_CAM_IMG_NOT_AVAILABLE | 13826 | 0x3602 | Image from the camera is not available |
| GRC_CAM_IMAGE_SAVING_ERROR | 13828 | 0x3604 | Error while saving image |
| GRC_CAM_BIT_DEPTH_ERROR | 13834 | 0x360A | Bit depth of the image is wrong |
| GRC_CAM_OUT_OF_MEMORY | 13835 | 0x360B | There is no memory available |
| GRC_CAM_SPOT_NOT_AVAIL | 13836 | 0x360C | Required spot is not available |
| GRC_CAM_NO_SPOTS_INLIST | 13837 | 0x360D | Spot list is empty |
| GRC_CAM_NO_TARGET | 13838 | 0x360E | There are no spots in image |
| GRC_CAM_TARGET_NOT_FOUND | 13839 | 0x360F | Required target is not found |
| GRC_CAM_NO_CALIB_INPUT_DATA | 13844 | 0x3614 | Calibration input data is missing |
| GRC_CAM_MEAS_NOT_ACCURATE | 13845 | 0x3615 | Measurement is not accurate |
| GRC_CAM_DIRTY | 13854 | 0x361E | Camera cleanness check failed, camera is dirty |
| GRC_AF_FAILED | 13864 | 0x3628 | AF failed |

B HARDWARE INTERFACE

B-1 SERIAL INTERFACE

A RS-232 interface is used as a hardware link between the Viva TPS and an external computer.

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| Signal paths | RxD | |
| | TxD | |
| | Signal Ground | |
| Voltage levels | Logical 0 | +3V to +25V |
| | Logical 1 | -3V to -25V |
| | | |
| Baud rate | 2400 | |
| | 4800 | |
| | 9600 | |
| | 19200 | |
| | 38400 | |
| | 57600 | |
| | 115200 | Default |
| | | |
| Parity | None | Fixed |
| Data bits | 8 | Fixed |
| Stop bits | 1 | Fixed |
| Terminator | CR/LF | Default |

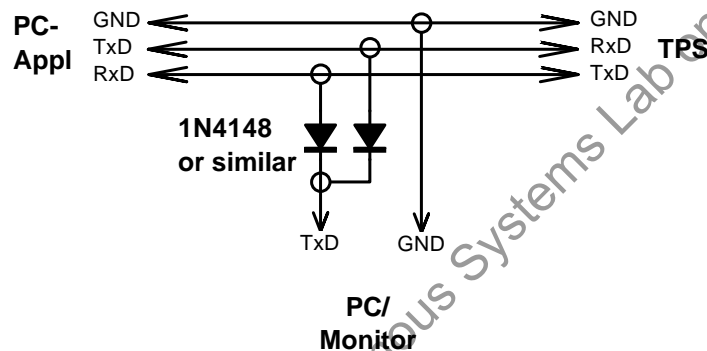
The default settings for the interface are 115200 Baud, 8 data bits, 1 stop bit, no parity. The communication terminator is set to CR/LF. The parameters marked as 'Fixed' may not be changed. The other parameters are variable may be changed by the user.

B-2 DEBUGGING UTILITY

When debugging communicating systems it may be hard to locate the source of an error. Especially in combination with radios to communicate wireless, the number of error sources increases. The following should be checked carefully therefore:

- Are all communication parameters set up properly? Do both participants share the same parameters?
- Have the serial buffer been flushed after opening the serial port? If not and you are using the ASCII protocol then use a leading <LF> to clear the receiver buffer. In the function call protocol you do not need to take care of that.
- When using the ASCII protocol: Is your implementation of the protocol flow indeed synchronous? Or are you sending requests before having received the last reply?
- Are handshake lines for the radios set correctly?
- In case of character errors check shielding of the radio wiring and potential buffer overflow. In case of Windows on 386 and 486 computers, check the UART type. If you do not have a UART with built in buffers (16550 type), you may lose characters too.

It may be helpful for debugging purposes to build up a special cable to monitor the data transfers.



C PROVIDED SAMPLES

C-1 PROGRAM FRAMES

C-1.1 VBA Sample Program

The sample program shows how simple it is to build an effective application with Visual Basic. The sample program represents a simple measurement task that measures and displays the Hz angle and the V angle continuously. In addition you have the possibility to perform a distance measurement with the following distance measurement programs: single distance standard, single distance fast and tracking.

In order to execute this example program, install MSVB6.0 (or later) on your hard disk and copy the following files in a directory of your choice:

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| \SAMPLES\VB\VBSAMPLE.VBP | Visual Basic Project of the sample. |
| \SAMPLES\VB\VBSAMPLE.FRM | Main form of the sample. |
| \SAMPLES\VB\VBSAMPLE_SETUP.FRM | Communication parameter setup form. |
| \SAMPLES\VB\COM_STUBSPUB.BAS | Contains the declarations of the Viva TPS system functions. |
| \SAMPLES\VB\GEOCOMS2K.DLL | Contains the implementation of GeoCOM. |
| \SAMPLES\VB\VBSAMP32.EXE | Executable of the sample. |

Finally connect the Viva TPS Theodolite with the preferred serial port on your personal computer and invoke the executable file. Press the **Setup** button to select the communication parameters (Serial Port, Baudrate, Protocol) and start the application with the button **Go online**. The button **Quit** terminates the application.

C-1.2 C/C++ Sample Programs

The provided sample programs show simple Visual C++ MFC (Microsoft foundation classes) applications. The functionality is exactly the same as in the Visual Basic program above.

The following files have to be copied into a Visual C++ Version 6.0 (or later) working directory in order to build a 32bit application:

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| \SAMPLES\VC\GEOCOM_SAMPLE.DSW | Work space file of the project |
| \SAMPLES\VC*.CPP | C++ source files |
| \SAMPLES\VC*.H | C++ header files |
| \SAMPLES\VC\GEOCOM_SAMPLE.RC | Resource file 1 |
| \SAMPLES\VC\RES\GEOCOM_SAMPLE.RC | Resource file 2 |
| \SAMPLES\VC\RES\GEOCOM_SAMPLE.ICO | Icon file |
| \SAMPLES\VC\COM_PUB.HPP | Header file for GeoCOM |
| \SAMPLES\VC\Release\GEOCOMS2K.LIB | GeoCOM Library |
| \SAMPLES\VC\Release\GEOCOMS2K.DLL | Contains the implementation of GeoCOM |
| \SAMPLES\VC\Release\GeoCOM_SAMPLE.EXE | Executable of the sample |

Note: To operate successfully the `geocom2k.dll` file must be accessible for the operating system, hence it must be located in a directory, which the operating system looks up for the requested DLL file

C-1.3 Image Grabber Sample Program

The sample program shows how to use the imaging and file transfer commands with C++ .NET. The sample program allows to take an image with the on-axis ATR camera or OVC camera and show it on the PC. Please note that a valid GeoCOM imaging license key is required for this feature.

In order to execute this example program, install Microsoft Visual Studio 2005 (or later) on your hard disk and copy the following files in a directory of your choice:

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| \SAMPLES\ImageGrabber\ | Visual Studio .NET solution. |
| ImageGrabberSample.sln | |
| \SAMPLES\ImageGrabber\ | Visual Studio .NET project. |
| ImageGrabberSample\ImageGrabberSample.vcproj | |
| \SAMPLES\ImageGrabber\ | C++ source files |
| ImageGrabberSample*.cpp | |
| \SAMPLES\ImageGrabber\ | C++ header files |
| ImageGrabberSample*.h | |
| \SAMPLES\ImageGrabber\ | Resource files |
| ImageGrabberSample*.resx | |
| \SAMPLES\ImageGrabber\ | Header file for GeoCOM |
| ImageGrabberSample\com_pub.hpp | |
| \SAMPLES\ImageGrabber\ | GeoCOM Library |
| ImageGrabberSample\release\GeoComS2K.lib | |
| \SAMPLES\ImageGrabber\release\GeoComS2K.dll | Contains the implementation of GeoCOM |
| \SAMPLES\ImageGrabber\release\ImageGrabberSample.exe | Executable of the sample |

Connect the theodolite with the preferred serial port on your personal computer and invoke the executable file. Press the Com Port Settings button to select the communication parameters (Port, Baudrate, Mode) and start the application with the button Grab Image. The image is stored on the external SD-Card and is subsequently transferred to the PC. Exit terminates the application.

It may be necessary to install the Microsoft Visual C++ 2005 Redistributable Package (x86) on your computer if it does not have Visual C++ 2005 installed. The Microsoft Visual C++ 2005 SP1 Redistributable Package (x86) installs runtime components of Visual C++ Libraries and can be downloaded from the Microsoft Home Page.

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