CVOCD Configuration MIDI Messages

CVOCD can be configured using both MIDI System Exclusive (SYSEX) and Non-registered Parameter (NRPN) messages. A common convention is used for the parameters for either configuration method.

SYSEX Format

The layout of a SYSEX file containing CVOCD configuration is as follows:

FO OO 7F 15

These four bytes are "start of sysex" marker followed by three bytes that identify this as a CVOCD configuration file.

This is followed by blocks of exactly four bytes

- Parameter MSB
- Parameter LSB
- Value MSB
- Value LSB

The file is terminated by "end of sysex" marker

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Following a SYSEX block, the configuration is automatically written to EEPROM, overwriting the previous config.

NRPN Format

NRPN messages follow the MIDI standard of

- Parameter MSB delivered using MIDI Continuous Controller Message with controller number
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- Parameter LSB delivered using MIDI Continuous Controller Message with controller number
 98
- Data MSB delivered using MIDI Continuous Controller Message with controller number 6
- Data LSB delivered using MIDI Continuous Controller Message with controller number 38

The data value is written to the selected parameter when Data LSB is written to. The "context" of most recent Parameter and Data NSB is retained for the next write.

Changes made by NRPN are not automatically committed to EEPROM and will be lost at power off unless a write is made to the "Save" global parameter, which triggers a save to EEPROM

Ordering Of Parameters

Writing certain parameters (such as changing "Source" of a CV or Gate output) will result in default information being set for the remaining config of that output, so more specific config must be sent afterwards. In general send parameters in order they appear in the CVOCD config page and observe when a parameter is not relevant to a source setting (i.e. field in config page is disabled). Sending a not-relevant parameter might set an internal setting to an invalid value resulting in unwanted behaviour (validation is minimal due to lack of program memory)

Note Input

NRPN MSB	NRPN LSB	VALUE MSB	VALUE LSB
11(0B) = Note Input #1	1 = Enable	0 = OFF	X
12(0C)= Note Input #2		1 = ON	
13(0D)= Note Input #3	3 = Minimum Note	0	Note (0-127)
14(0E) = Note Input #4	4 = Maximum Note	0	0 = as min note
			Note (1-127)
	5 = Minimum Velocity	0	Velocity (0-127)
	7 = Pitch Bend Range	0	Range (0-127)
	8 = Note priority	0	0 = Most recent Note
			1 = Lowest Note
			3 = Highest Note
			6 = 2 Note Cycle
			7 = 3 Note Cycle
			8 = 4 Note Cycle
			9 = 2 Note Chord
			10(0A) = 3 Note Chord
			11(0B) = 4 Note Chord

CV Output

NRPN MSB	NRPN LSB	VALUE MSB	VALUE LSB
21(15) – CV Port A 22(16) – CV Port B	1 - Source	0 – None	Х
23(17) – CV Port C 24(18) – CV Port D		2 - MIDI CC	CC Number (0-127)
		4 - Pitch Bend	Х
		5 - Channel Pressure	X
		11(0B) - Note Input #1	1 – Note 1 pitch
		12(0C) - Note Input #2	2 – Note 2 pitch
		13(0D) - Note Input #3	3 – Note 3 pitch
		14(0E) - Note Input #4	4 – Note 4 pitch
			20(14) -Last note velocity
		20(14) – Scaled BPM	X
		127(7F) - Test Voltage	X
	2 = Chan	0 = Specific Channel	Channel (1-16)
		1 = Any/Omni	X
		2 = Global Channel	X
	14(0E) = Transpose	0	Transpose (0-127) mapped to -63 to +63 semitones
	15(0F) = Volts	0	Volts (0-8)
	16(10) = Pitch scheme	0	0 – 1V/Oct
	15(15) 1 1011 501101110	ľ	1 – Hz/V
			2 – 1.2V/Oct
	98(62) = Scale Correction	0	Correction (0-127) mapped to -63 to +63 DAC units (2mV) over full 8 octave range
	99(63) = Offset Correction	0	Correction (0-127) mapped to -63 to +63 DAC units (2mV)

Gate Output

NRPN MSB	NRPN LSB	VALUE MSB	VALUE LSB
31(1F) = Gate 1	1 - Source	0 = Disable	Х
32(20) = Gate 2		1 = MIDI Note	Note (0-127)
33(21) = Gate 3		2 = MIDI CC > threshold	CC (0-127)
34(22) = Gate 4		3 = MIDI CC < threshold	
35(23) = Gate 5		11(0B) = Note input #1	0 = All notes off
36(24) = Gate 6		12(0C) = Note input #2	1 = first note on
37(25) = Gate 7		13(0D) = Note input #3	2 = second note on
38(26) = Gate 8		14(0E) = Note input #4	3 = third note on
39(27) = Gate 9			4 = fourth note on
40(28) = Gate 10			5 = any note on
41(29) = Gate 11			
42(2A) = Gate 12		20(14) = Clock Tick	Divider (1-127)
		22(15) = Clock Run	
		23(16) = Clock Start	
		25(17) = Clock Stop	
		26(18) = Clock Start/Stop	
	2 = Chan	0 = Specific Channel	Channel (1-16)
		1 = Any/Omni	Х
		2 = Global Channel	Х
	3 = Minimum Note	0	Note (0-127)
	4 = Maximum Note	0	0 = as min note
			Note (1-127)
	5 = Minimum Velocity	0	Velocity (0-127)
	11(0B) = Tick offset	0	Lag (0-127 Ticks)
	12(0C) = Gate Duration	0 = Gate	X
		1 = Trigger	Duration (1-127)
		2 = Trigger w/ Global	X
		Duration	
		3 = Retrigger	Х
	13(0D) = CC Threshold	0	Threshold (0-127)

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NRPN MSB	NRPN LSB	VALUE MSB	VALUE LSB
1	2 = Chan	0 = Specific Channel	Channel (1-16)
	12(0C) = Gate Duration	0	Duration (1-127)
	100(64) = Save	0	0