

Object Library

Schedule Object

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INTRODUCTION

The Schedule object works behind the scenes of the Scheduling feature. The Schedule object updates attribute values of objects according to the time of day. These times can be specified for days of the week and exception days.

Exception days (Exception Schedule) are days when you do not want the weekly schedule to operate, such as holidays. They can be defined as specific dates, ranges of dates, week and day, or by reference to a Calendar object. You can define a different set of activities to occur on the exception days.

By setting the *Time Zone* attribute to a P2000 Time Zone, you can have the *Weekly Schedule* and *Exception Schedule* attributes filled in automatically by the P2000 server.

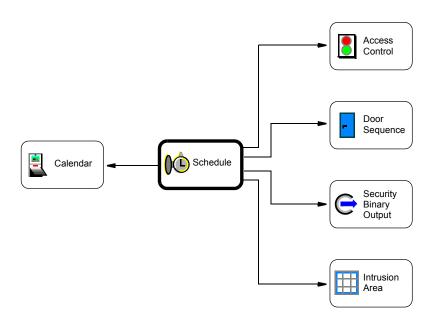


Figure 1: Schedule Object

For more information on the Scheduling feature or the steps it takes to create one, refer to the CK722 Commissioning Guide.

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ATTRIBUTES

This section describes visible attributes specific to the Schedule object. This object also contains:

- Attributes common to all objects in the P2000 Security Management System. For details, see the *General Object Information* document.
- Internal attributes, which are invisible to the user and cannot be modified directly, but may be referred to throughout this document.

For detailed information on BACnet properties, see *ANSI/ASHRAE Standard 1352001 - A Data Communication Protocol for Building Automation and Control Networks*.

Table 1: Schedule Object Attributes

Attribute Name	Attribute Number	Data Type	Notes	Initial Value	Values/Options/ Range
Calendar Device	1018	Object reference	WCNA	NULL	-
Effective Period	32	Array of dates	WCAQ	0xFF (all)	n = 2 (array size)
Exception Schedule	38	List	WCAO		list element contents choices: choice 0 - date/date - timevalue/list of structures struct element names/ data type/properties - time/time - value/numeric - event priority/byte/min=1, max=16 choice 1 - date range/array of dates (n=2) - start date/date - end date/date - timevalue/list of structures struct element names/ data type/properties - time/time - value/numeric - event priority/ byte/min=1, max=16 (Continued)

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List Of Prop Refs	54	List	WCAQ	-	list element contents choices: choice 0 structure element names/ data type/properties - object/BACnet Object Id - attribute/enum choice 1 structure element names/ data type/properties - object/BACnet Object Id - attribute/enum - element index/unsigned int
Objects In Device	843	Object reference	WCNA	NULL	-
Present Value	85	Numeric	QD	NULL	
Time Zone	32583	Enumeration	WCA	-	Select from P2000 Time Zones
Weekly Schedule	123	Array of list of structures	WCAO	-	n = 7 (array size) structure element names/data type/properties - time/time - value/numeric

A - Archive, C - Configurable, D - Default attribute for display, N - Value not required, O - BACnet optional attribute, Q - BACnet Required attribute, W - Writable

Calendar Device – An object reference to the device that contains the Calendar objects referenced in *Exception Schedule* attribute. If the value is "Null," the Calendar object(s) are assumed to be on the same device as the Schedule object. All Calendar objects referenced by one Schedule object are required to exist in the same device.

Effective Period – Defines the range of dates within which the Schedule object is active. By default, these dates are unspecified, causing the Schedule object to be active for all days. Wild cards may be used in the date fields.

Exception Schedule – See the Scheduling feature description in the *CK722 Commissioning Guide*.

List Of Prop Refs – Lists objects and their attributes that are going to have their values updated.

Objects In Device – An object reference to the device which contains the scheduled objects (those objects referenced in the *List Of Prop Refs* attribute). If the value is "Null," the scheduled objects are assumed to be on the same device as the Schedule object. All scheduled objects are required to exist in the same device.

Present Value – Indicates the current value of the Schedule (the value most recently written to a referenced object attribute of one member of the List of Object Property References). You can schedule analog, binary, and enumerated values.

Time Zone – When referencing a P2000 Time Zone, the *Weekly Schedule* and the *Exception Schedule* attributes are filled in by the P2000 server, according to the specified Time Zone and Holiday definition. In this case the *Weekly Schedule* and *Exception Schedule* attributes will not show any values in the SCT.

Any values entered manually in the *Weekly Schedule* and the *Exception Schedule* attributes will be overwritten. Therefore, when the *Time Zone* attribute is referencing a P2000 Time Zone, leave the *Weekly Schedule* and the *Exception Schedule* attributes empty.

Weekly Schedule – Contains one entry for each day of the week - Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, etc. Each entry contains a list of the times and corresponding values for the Schedule object to write to the scheduled objects. The *Exception Schedule* overrides the times in the *Weekly Schedule*.

COMMANDS

This section describes commands that can be issued to this object from SCT.

Table 2: Schedule Object Commands

Command Name	Description				
Enable	Resumes operation of the Schedule object.				
Disable	Disables the operation of the Schedule object. Freezes the Present Value attribute.				
Change Attribute	See the description below.				

The Change Attribute is a generic command available for writing the attributes of an object. It is mainly used to change an attribute value from those features which work only with commands. For the sole purpose of giving a generic example, there is no command defined to change the *Notify Priority* attribute of an object. Change Attribute could, therefore, be used to change the *Notify Priority* attribute through an interlock or multiple command, both features which require commands to be entered. The Change Attribute command requires two parameters:

- Attribute This parameter specifies which attribute of the object is to be written. Only writable attributes may be changed by this command.
- New value This parameter specifies new value to be written and must be the same data type as the attribute. The only data types allowed in this command are those allowed as command parameters. A command priority can be specified if the attribute to be changed is a prioritized attribute.

VIEWS

This section illustrates how the System Configuration Tool displays properties of the Schedule object. These screens also allow you to set the values of configurable attributes. For more information refer to the *System Configuration Tool (SCT)* manual.

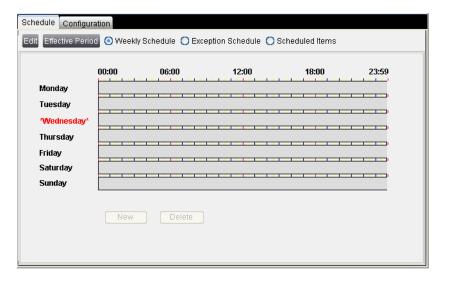


Figure 2: Schedule View (Weekly Schedule)

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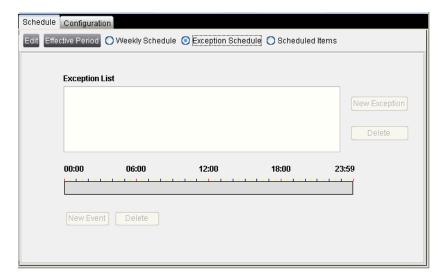


Figure 3: Schedule View (Exception Schedule)

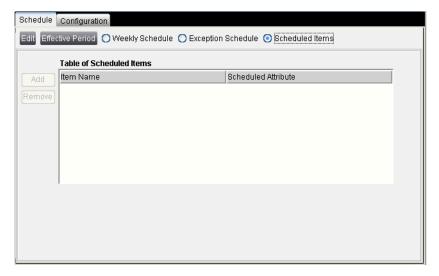


Figure 4: Schedule View (Scheduled Items)



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Figure 5: Effective Period for Schedules

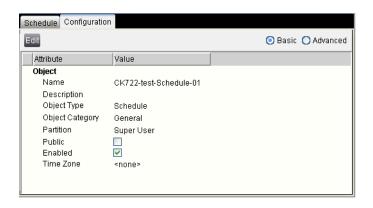


Figure 6: Configuration View (Basic)

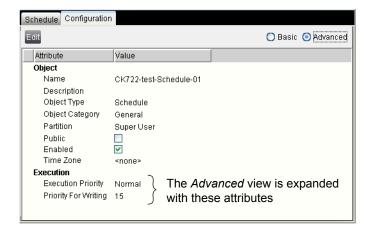


Figure 7: Configuration View (Advanced)

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