ES-Elecsys-Converter Version 1.23 - Operator Manual

1 Functionality:

The **ES-Elecsys-Converter** (*ID# 1 807 285 001*) of Boehringer Mannheim allows to connect Elecsys[©] 2010 Analyzers as well as Elecsys[©] 1010 Analyzers to an existing online connection of an Enzymun System[©] Analyzer. In that case the converter behaves as an ES analyzer connected to a host. Test selections are transmitted via batch download from the host to the converter. Between the Elecsys[©] analyzer and the converter an automatic exchange of test selections and results takes place. Via batch upload existing results can be sent to the host any time.

Actions at the converter are initiated by pressing a button or are scheduled by a timer. Two LED's indicate requests (red) or results (yellow) being available at the converter.



1.1 Start:

The converter starts when switched on. No diskette must be in the drive. A four times beep indicates the converter is ready.

The converter should be always on.

1.2 Download:

Master Mode:

The transmission of test selections from the host is released by the download button, confirmed by an acoustic signal (beep). When the host is ready, this process can be initiated any time.

The download alternative to the upload can also be controlled by a timer. In that case the download button is disabled.

Slave Mode:

The transmission of test selections is initiated by the host.

Red LED:

When the red LED under the download button is light test selections are available in the converter which are not yet sent to the instrument.

1.3 Upload:

Master Mode:

The transmission of results to the host is released by the upload button, confirmed by an acoustic signal (beep). When the host is ready, this process can be initiated any time.

When the button was pressed and there is no beep to confirm, no results are ready to be transmitted. In that case no communication takes place.

The upload alternating to the download can also be controlled by a timer. In that case the upload button is disabled.

Also all results without test selections from the host will be passed through to the host.

Slave Mode:

The transmission of results is initiated by the host.

Yellow LED:

When the yellow LED under the upload button is light results are available in the converter which are not yet sent to the host.

1.4 Repeated Upload:

Master Mode:

All results in the data base can be sent to the host again while pressing the upload button until the beep goes off. The following process is accompanied by activity of the hard disk control LED (H.D.D). When the hard disk control LED goes off all stored results are ready to be sent. The yellow LED is on.

Slave Mode:

In slave mode it is not possible to repeat an upload.

1.5 Reorganization of the Data Base:

The data base of the converter is reorganized once a day at the time defined in the setup.

When reorganization time is "-1:-1" then a manual reorganization must be done by the operator by pressing "R" on a keyboard connected to the converter

since a keyboard and a monitor are not available it is also sufficient to boot with a diskette inserted in the floppy drive. This diskette must contain the file "GETDATA.BAT" with the following content.

del c:\eselkv\xchange.dat

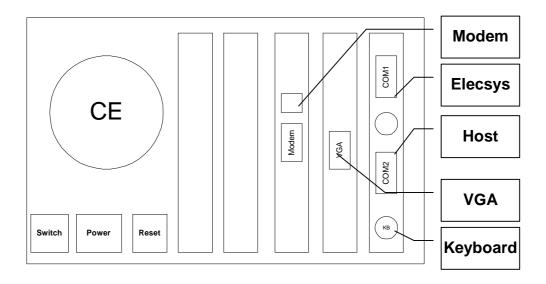
2 Trouble Shooting:

To support trouble shooting the converter has a built in modem and a remote access software installed (PCAnyWhere 5.0). When accessible via phone the service engineer of Boehringer Mannheim is able to contact the converter for additional information which helps solving problems or allows to install a new software release.

If there is no phone line the available data necessary can be stored onto a diskette. To produce this information make a copy of the *diskette 3: get TRACE*. Then this diskette must be inserted into the drive and then the converter must be rebooted. The four times beep indicates when ready. Then via diskette the stored information is available for the service engineer of Boehringer Mannheim.

3 Connections (Cables):

The Elecsys connection and the host connection as well as the modem connection are at the back side of the converter:



Due to different manufacturing it might by possible that the PC-cards are not in exactly the same slot position as the picture shows.

4 Installation and Configuration:

The installation and configuration of the converter is managed by diskettes.

4.1 Installation:

The converter is pre installed when delivered.

To install a new software release of the converter software insert *diskette 1:* **Elecsys Protocol Converter** into the floppy drive and reboot the converter

(reset button at the back side of the converter). A four times beep indicates when ready.

Repeat this procedure with *diskette 2: Remote Control Software*. (This is only necessary when a new version of PCAnyWhere must be installed.)

Before starting work the converter should be rebooted again.

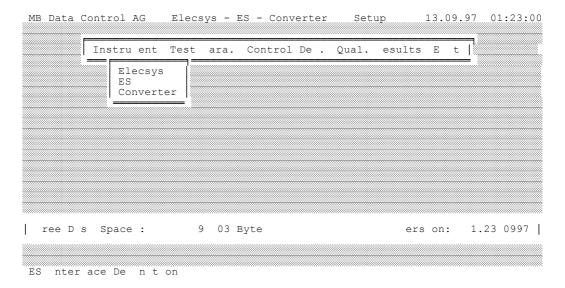
4.2 Configuration:

As preparation insert a DOS formatted, empty diskette into the floppy drive and reboot the converter. Then the configuration data and program are stored on this diskette.

The actual change of the configuration takes place with this diskette at another DOS compatible computer. The configuration program is invoked by typing **KS** from drive A:.

After the configuration is copied to the diskette insert this diskette into the converter and reboot. The new configuration is active after the four times beep. Now remove the configuration diskette from the converter and put it in a safe place.

4.2.1 Main Menu:



4.2.2 Configuration for Elecsys Analyzer:

Communication parameters for Elecsys are entered in the input mask "Elecsys Interface Setup".

4.2.3 Configuration for ES Analyzer:

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MB Data Control AG Elecsys - ES - Converter Setup 13.09.97 01:23:00
ES nter ace De n t on
 Bau rate : 9 00 300..19200
Stop t : 1 1 2
                                       Data ts:
ar ty:
  nstru ent ent cat on : onverter rans er Mo e: M M Master S Slave
 Do nloa ro ost e uest : :03
                       :1 :03
                 :03
  ploa to ost
ea er : D:03
esult : MD:07
                       :10 :10 DA:0
:02 :1 C:0
                D:03
                                          A:0 S:02 :10 :0
                                    C:0
 Bloc en t : 12 32..2
Delay to S : 0 AC : 0 E : 0
o epet ton: 3
eout Master : 1 sec
er . C ars : 13 10 ec al value
                       AC : 0 E : 0 DE: 0 E : 0 1 10 sec
                                                   esult app n : S
                                 Enter Save an E t
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Communication parameters for ES are adapted to the TWIN setup in the mask "ES Interface Definition". In the special case when there was a setup with the additional program "host" at the ES analyzer for result mapping to a different format this is adjusted in this screen as well

4.2.4 Configuration of Special Functions:

In the input mask "Converter Special Setup" the following special parameters are entered:

Setup for Flow Control:

Looptime Upload, Download: when 0, upload and download are released

via button.

When not 0, upload and download are

scheduled by a timer in a cycle of n seconds

(max. 999 sec). Example =900:

Every 15 minutes upload and download are

initiated alternating.

Time for reorganisation: At a special time the data base is

reorganized (data is erased).

Example =7:00:

At 7:00 AM the reorganization is executed. (Manual deletion of the file XCHANGE.DAT

reorganizes data as well.)

Example = -1:-1:

No automatic reorganization will be done. If keyboard connected operator must do it by pressing "R" or using diskette as described

in chapter 1.5.

Input to Manipulate Sample Identification:

It may occur that the sample identification (bar code) does not match to the identification, coming from the host. Since Elecsys has positive identification in opposite to the ES analyzer, this leads to a problem when assigning samples. The built in functions for "Sample-ID Manipulation: ES-Host ->> Elecsys" allow the following manipulation:

cut # of chars from front: n (2 byte) leading characters are removed

from the sample identification coming from

the host. *Example n=2*:

sample ID from host = 00123456, but

sample ID at Elecsys = 12345.

Example n=11:

sample ID from host = 23.11.1996/123, but

sample ID at Elecsys = 123.

cut # of chars from tail: m (2 byte) trailing characters are removed

from the sample identification coming from

the host.

Example m=1:

sample ID from host = 1234560, but

sample ID at Elecsys = 12345.

Prefix (string before sample ID):aaaaaa (max. 6 characters)

The string aaaaaa is added at the beginning

of the sample identification coming from

host.

Example aaaaaa=AB:

sample ID from host = 123456, but sample ID at Elecsys = **AB**12345.

Suffix (string after sample ID): bbbbbb (max. 6 characters)

The string bbbbbb is appended to the sample identification coming from host.

Exampel bbbbbb=CD:

sample ID from host = 123456, but sample ID at Elecsys = 12345**CD**.

4.2.5 Configuration of Test Parameter:

MB Data Con	trol AG	Elecsys - ES	- Converter	Setup	13.09.97	01:23:00
Elecsys		ES-Analyse	er est	ara eter	Setup	1
10 11	S S	ES- estCo e ES S	s- est o ual t	tat ve nve	rse Meas. 0.00 -	
12 20 21 22	S		0		3.0 -	320.0
30 31 32			0		0.3 -	100
0 1 2	-	В			0.2 -	1.9
0 1 2	3 3 3	3	2		0.3 -	10.0
0 1	3 3	3	1		0.0-	0.0
	2 E	t ara et				

In this input mask the parameters for test selection as well as the measuring range are entered:

Assay-Ref: Elecsys Assay Reference number (fix)

Testcode: Elecsys Test Code (fix)

ES-TestCode: ES Test Code (adapt to host)

ES-TestNo: ES Test Number (adapt to host)

Quant.(Y) Qualitat.(N)

CutoffIndex(C): Cutoff Test (Yes/No), Cutoff Index (C) will be

sent instead of neg/pos

Invers: negative result means POSITIVE (for cutoff

tests)

Meas. range: For Elecsys software versions < 1.35 the

measuring range is entered here. Therefore the converter is able to flag the results corresponding to the TWIN conventions (<,>). The measuring ranges can be found in

the test package inserts for the Elecsys

tests.

When a test is selected via F2 button, the parameters are entered in the following mask:

Assay Reference Table (Default = unit1)

	Elecsys		ES						
Test No.	Application Code	unit 1 unit 2	Test Code	Test No.	Quali- tative	Inverse	lower limit	upper limit	
01 0 01 1 01 2	TSH	μIU/ml	TSH	1	N	N	0.005	100	
02 0 02 1 02 2	T4	nmol/l µg/dl	T4	2	N	N	3 0.23	320 24.86	
03 0 03 1 03 2	FT4	pmol/l ng/dl	FT4	3	N	N	0.3 0.023	100 7.77	
04 0 04 1 04 2	T-UP	TBI	TBK	4	N	N	0.2	1.9	
05 0 05 1 05 2	Т3	nmol/l ng/ml	Т3	5	N	N	0.3 0.195	10 6.51	
06 0 06 1 06 2	FT3	pmol/l pg/ml	FT3	6	N	N	0.40 0.26	50.0 32.55	
10 0 10 1	E2	pg/ml pmol/ml	E2	10	N	N	10 36.7	4600 16882	
11 0 11 1	TESTO	ng/ml nmol/l	TESTO	11	N	N	0.02 0.069	15 52	
12 0 12 1	PROG	nmol/l ng/ml	PROG	12	N	N	0.15 0.48	100 318	
13 0 13 1	PRL	μU/ml ng/ml	PRL	13	N	N	10 0.472	10000 472	
14 0 14 1	LH	mIU/mI	LH	14	N	N	0.1	200	
15 0 15 1	FSH	mIU/mI	FSH	15	N	N	0.1	200	
16 0 16 1	CORT	nmol/l	CORT	16	N	N			
180 181 182	HCG	mIU/mI	HCG	18	N	N	0.5	10000	
220 221 222	TN-T	ng/ml	TN-T	22	N	N	0.01	25	
230 231 232	CK-MB	ng/ml	CK-MB	23	N	N	0.15	500	

Elecsys			ES						
Test No.	Application Code	unit 1 unit 2	Test Code	Test No.	Quali- tative	Inverse	lower limit	upper limit	
30 0 30 1	CEA	ng/ml	CEA	30	N	N	0.2	1000	
31 0 31 1	AFP	U/ml ng/ml	AFP	31	N	N	0.5 0.604	1000 1210	
32 0 32 1	PSA	ng/ml	PSA	32	N	N	0.01	100	
33 0 33 1	CA 15-3	U/ml	CA 15-3	33	N	N			
34 0 34 1	CA 125	U/ml	CA 125	34	N	N	0.600	5000	
35 0 35 1	CA 19-9	U/ml	CA 19-9	35	N	N			
36 0 36 1	CA 72-4	U/ml	CA 72-4	36	N	N			
37 0 37 1	CYFRA	ng/ml	CYFRA	37	N	N			
38 0 38 1	FERR	ng/ml	FERR	38	N	N			
40 0 40 1	HBSAG		HBSAG	40	Υ	N			
41 0 41 1	AHBS	IU/I	AHBS	41	Υ	N			
42 0 42 1	HCV		HCV	42	Υ	N			
43 0 43 1	AHBE		AHBE	43	Υ	Υ			
44 0 44 1	HBEAG		HBEAG	44	Y	N			
45 0 45 1	AHBC		AHBC	45	Υ	Υ			
46 0 46 1	HBCIGM		HBCIGM	46	Y	N			
47 0 47 1	AHAV		AHAV	47	Y	N			
48 0 48 1	HAVIGM		HAVIGM	48	Y	N			
49 0 49 1	HIV		HIV	49	Y	N			
50 0 50 1	P24AG		P24AG	50	N	N			

	Elecsys		ES						
Test No.	Application Code	unit 1 unit 2	Test Code	Test No.	Quali- tative	Inverse	lower limit	upper limit	
51 0 51 1	APS4		APS4	51	N	N			
52 0 52 1	TOXIGG	IU/ml	TOXIGG	52	N	N			
53 0 53 1	TOXIGM		TOXIGM	53	N	N			
54 0 54 1	RUBIGG	IU/ml	RUBIGG	54	N	N			
55 0 55 1	RUBIGM		RUBIGM	55	N	N			
60 0 60 1	B12	pg/ml	B12	60	N	N			
61 0 61 1	FOL	ng/ml	FOL	61	N	N			
62 0 62 1	DIG	ng/ml	DIG	62	N	N			
17 0 17 1 17 2	HCGSTAT	mIU/mI	HCGSTAT	17	N	N	0.5	10000	
200 201 202	TNTSTAT	ng/ml	TNTSTAT	20	N	N	0.01	25	
21 0 21 1 21 2	CKMBSTAT	ng/ml	CKMBSTAT	21	N	N	0.15	500	
39 0 39 1	FPSA	ng/ml	FPSA	39	N	N	0.010	50.00	
Ψ	Version > 1.22								
24 0 24 1	MYO	ng/ml	MYO						
25 0 25 1	MYO-STAT	ng/ml	MYO-STAT						
56 0 56 1	A-HIVCOM		A-HIVCOM						
57 0 57 1	A-HBENV		A-HBENV						
58 0 58 1	HELICOB		HELICOB						
63 0 63 1	IGE	IU/ml	IGE						

	Elecsys		ES						
Test No.	Application Code	unit 1 unit 2	Test Code	Test No.	Quali- tative	Inverse	lower limit	upper limit	
64 0 64 1	HBA1C	%	HBA1C						
65 0 65 1	INSULIN	μU/ml	INSULIN						
66 0 66 1	OSTEOC	pg/ml	OSTEOC						
67 0 67 1	CROSSL	pg/ml	CROSSL						
68 0 68 1	PTH	pg/ml	PTH						
69 0 69 1	CYCLO-A	ng/ml	CYCLO-A						
70 0 70 1	TG	ng/ml	TG						
71 0 71 1	A-TG	IU/ml	A-TG						
72 0 72 1	A-TPO	IU/ml	A-TPO						
73 0 73 1	A-TSHR	U/ml	A-TSHR						
74 0 74 1	DHEA-S	µg/dl	DHEA-S						
75 0 75 1	SHBG	μg/ml	SHBG						
76 0 76 1	B-HCG	IU/I	B-HCG						
77 0 77 1	NSE	μg/l	NSE						

4.2.6 Configuration for Quality Controls:

In this input mask descriptions for quality control samples of the Elecsys are mapped to the descriptions for the host. Only results for controls which are defined here are passed through to the host.

4.2.7 Configuration for Qualitative Results:

Here text descriptions for qualitative tests (Cutoff) are defined.

5 Options:

With a manual **Switch Box** (*ID# 1 808 842 001*) an Elecsys Analyzer and an ES Analyzer can use one only ES host connection in parallel.

