

Manual

TC3 AES70 (OCA) Communication

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1 Foreword

1.1 Notes on the documentation

This description is only intended for the use of trained specialists in control and automation engineering who are familiar with the applicable national standards.

It is essential that the documentation and the following notes and explanations are followed when installing and commissioning the components.

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Please note the following safety instructions and explanations! Product-specific safety instructions can be found on following pages or in the areas mounting, wiring, commissioning etc.

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This description is only intended for trained specialists in control, automation and drive engineering who are familiar with the applicable national standards.

Description of symbols

In this documentation the following symbols are used with an accompanying safety instruction or note. The safety instructions must be read carefully and followed without fail!

▲ DANGER

Serious risk of injury!

Failure to follow the safety instructions associated with this symbol directly endangers the life and health of persons.

WARNING

Risk of injury!

Failure to follow the safety instructions associated with this symbol endangers the life and health of persons.

Personal injuries!

Failure to follow the safety instructions associated with this symbol can lead to injuries to persons.

NOTE

Damage to the environment or devices

Failure to follow the instructions associated with this symbol can lead to damage to the environment or equipment.



Tip or pointer

This symbol indicates information that contributes to better understanding.

2 Overview

The AES70 standard was published by the <u>Audio Engineering Society</u>, which is based in New York. It defines a scalable control protocol for professional audio devices and

describes monitoring and control of such devices, but not the transfer of media data.

The function blocks of the TwinCAT 3 AES70 (OCA) Communication PLC library can be used to establish data exchange between a TwinCAT PLC and a device that supports the AES70 (OCA) standard. The user can query or set properties of different objects in a device (Oca device). Various function blocks such as FB_OcaGain, FB_OcaMute or FB_OcaSwitch are available for this purpose.

The user can thus integrate OCA-compatible audio systems into Beckhoff's PC-based control technology platform and select from a wide range of control panels and various I/Os.

Further information can be found on the Beckhoff website under <u>Application & Solutions > Stage and Show</u> <u>Technology</u>



For the OCA-capable amplifiers from d&b audiotechnik, an example of a higher-level function block with some basic functions such as gain, mute or presets is available for download from the d&b audiotechnik website under www.dbaudio.com > Systems > Networks and Integration > Integration



3 System requirements

Technical data	Requirement	
Operating system	Windows 7/10, Windows Embedded Standard 7, Windows CE 7	
Target platform	PC architecture (x86, x64 or ARM)	
TwinCAT version	TwinCAT 3.1 build 4022.2 or higher	
Required TwinCAT setup level	TwinCAT 3 XAE, XAR	
Required TwinCAT license	TF8810 AES70 (OCA) Communication	

4 Installation

The following section describes how to install the TwinCAT 3 Function for Windows-based operating systems.

- ✓ The TwinCAT 3 Function setup file was downloaded from the Beckhoff website.
- 1. Run the setup file as administrator. To do this, select the command **Run as administrator** in the context menu of the file.

 \Rightarrow The installation dialog opens.

2. Accept the end user licensing agreement and click Next.

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Organization: Mustermann Inc.	
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4. If you want to install the full version of the TwinCAT 3 Function, select **Complete** as installation type. If you want to install the TwinCAT 3 Function components separately, select **Custom**.

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Setup Type Choose the set	up type that best suits your needs.
Please select a	setup type.
Complete	All program features will be installed to all installed TwinCAT 3 versions on your system. (Requires the most disk space.)
Custom	Choose which program features you want installed and to which TwinCAT 3 version they will be installed. Recommended for advanced users.
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5. Select Next, then Install to start the installation.

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If you want to review or change any of your installation settings, dick Back. Click Cancel exit the wizard.	to
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 \Rightarrow A dialog box informs you that the TwinCAT system must be stopped to proceed with the installation.

6. Confirm the dialog with **Yes**.

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Yes No

7. Select **Finish** to exit the setup.

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⇒ The TwinCAT 3 Function has been successfully installed and can be licensed (see Licensing [▶ 13]).

5 Licensing

The TwinCAT 3 Function can be activated as a full version or as a 7-day test version. Both license types can be activated via the TwinCAT 3 development environment (XAE).

The licensing of a TwinCAT 3 Function is described below. The description is divided into the following sections:

- Licensing a 7-day test version [▶ 13]
- Licensing a full version [14]

Further information on TwinCAT 3 licensing can be found in the "Licensing" documentation in the Beckhoff Information System (TwinCAT 3 > Licensing).

Licensing a 7-day test version

- 1. Start the TwinCAT 3 development environment (XAE).
- 2. Open an existing TwinCAT 3 project or create a new project.
- 3. If you want to activate the license for a remote device, set the desired target system. To do this, select the target system from the **Choose Target System** drop-down list in the toolbar.
 - ⇒ The licensing settings always refer to the selected target system. When the project is activated on the target system, the corresponding TwinCAT 3 licenses are automatically copied to this system.
- 4. In the **Solution Explorer**, double-click **License** in the **SYSTEM** subtree.



- ⇒ The TwinCAT 3 license manager opens.
- 5. Open the **Manage Licenses** tab. In the **Add License** column, check the check box for the license you want to add to your project (e.g. "TF6420: TC3 Database Server").

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	TF6350	TC3 SMS-SMTP	cpu license				
	TF6360	TC3 Virtual-Serial-COM	cpu license				
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6. Open the Order Information (Runtime) tab.

⇒ In the tabular overview of licenses, the previously selected license is displayed with the status "missing".

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TF6420	TC3 Database-Server	cpu license		missing	92583661-35AE-45CE-BD4F-C35BFE16F07E				
TF6710	TC3 IoT Functions	cpu license		expires on Jul 7, 2018 (trial license)	2149932B-0B77-4004-B43F-E85CEEFF347D				

7. Click 7-Day Trial License... to activate the 7-day trial license.

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- ⇒ A dialog box opens, prompting you to enter the security code displayed in the dialog.
- 8. Enter the code exactly as it appears, confirm it and acknowledge the subsequent dialog indicating successful activation.
 - ⇒ In the tabular overview of licenses, the license status now indicates the expiration date of the license.
- 9. Restart the TwinCAT system.
- \Rightarrow The 7-day trial version is enabled.

Licensing a full version

- 1. Start the TwinCAT 3 development environment (XAE).
- 2. Open an existing TwinCAT 3 project or create a new project.
- 3. If you want to activate the license for a remote device, set the desired target system. To do this, select the target system from the **Choose Target System** drop-down list in the toolbar.
 - ⇒ The licensing settings always refer to the selected target system. When the project is activated on the target system, the corresponding TwinCAT 3 licenses are automatically copied to this system.

4. In the Solution Explorer, double-click License in the SYSTEM subtree.



- \Rightarrow The TwinCAT 3 license manager opens.
- 5. Open the **Manage Licenses** tab. In the **Add License** column, check the check box for the license you want to add to your project (e.g. "TE1300: TC3 Scope View Professional").

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	TE1120	TC3 XCAD Interface	cpu license	
	TE1130	TC3 CAD Simulation Interface	cpu license	
	TE1200	TC3 PLC Static Analysis	cpu license	
	TE1210	TC3 PLC Profiler	cpu license	
	TE1300	TC3 Scope View Professional	🗹 cpu license	

6. Open the Order Information tab.

⇒ In the tabular overview of licenses, the previously selected license is displayed with the status "missing".

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A TwinCAT 3 license is generally linked to two indices describing the platform to be licensed: System ID: Uniquely identifies the device

Platform level: Defines the performance of the device

The corresponding System Id and Platform fields cannot be changed.

 Enter the order number (License Id) for the license to be activated and optionally a separate order number (Customer Id), plus an optional comment for your own purposes (Comment). If you do not know your Beckhoff order number, please contact your Beckhoff sales contact.

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TF6710	TC3 IoT Functions	cpu license		expires on Jul 11, 2018 (trial license)	2149932B-0B77-4004-B43F-E85CEEFF347D		

- 8. Click the **Generate File**... button to create a License Request File for the listed missing license.
 - A window opens, in which you can specify where the License Request File is to be stored. (We recommend accepting the default settings.)
- 9. Select a location and click Save.
 - A prompt appears asking whether you want to send the License Request File to the Beckhoff license server for verification:

TwinCAT XAE	3
Send license request to Beckhoff	
Yes No	

- Click **Yes** to send the License Request File. A prerequisite is that an email program is installed on your computer and that your computer is connected to the internet. When you click **Yes**, the system automatically generates a draft email containing the License Request File with all the necessary information.
- Click No if your computer does not have an email program installed on it or is not connected to the internet. Copy the License Request File onto a data storage device (e.g. a USB stick) and send the file from a computer with internet access and an email program to the Beckhoff license server (tclicense@beckhoff.com) by email.
- 10. Send the License Request File.
 - ⇒ The License Request File is sent to the Beckhoff license server. After receiving the email, the server compares your license request with the specified order number and returns a License Response File by email. The Beckhoff license server returns the License Response File to the same email address from which the License Request File was sent. The License Response File differs from the License Request File only by a signature that documents the validity of the license file content. You can view the contents of the License Response File with an editor suitable for XML files (e.g. "XML Notepad"). The contents of the License Response File must not be changed, otherwise the license file becomes invalid.
- 11. Save the License Response File.

- 12. To import the license file and activate the license, click License Response File... in the Order Information tab.
- 13. Select the License Response File in your file directory and confirm the dialog.

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⇒ The License Response File is imported and the license it contains is activated. Existing demo licenses will be removed.

- 14. Restart the TwinCAT system.
- ⇒ The license becomes active when TwinCAT is restarted. The product can be used as a full version. During the TwinCAT restart the license file is automatically copied to the directory ...\TwinCAT\3.1\Target \License on the respective target system.

6 Technical introduction

The AES70 specification describes objects representing functions and device states. These objects are handled with TwinCAT using function block methods. Each object has a unique object number that is defined by the device manufacturer.



For each AES70-compatible device, an instance of the function block <u>FB_OcaDevice</u> [$\ 19$] has to be called cyclically. The function block establishes the connection via TCP/IP. The parameterization of the function block (IP address, port etc.) is explained in the <u>Example for using the function block FB_OcaDevice</u> [$\ 60$]. After calling the function block instance, you must call the methods of those function blocks that represent objects in the AES70-compatible device, for example so-called <u>worker objects</u> [$\ 25$] such as OcaMute, OcaSwitch, and so on.

7 PLC API

7.1 Function blocks

7.1.1 FB_OcaDevice

	FB_OcaDevice
- bEnable BOOL	Tc3_Eventlogger.I_TcResultEvent ipResultEvent
	POINTER TO ST_Link pLink
	BOOL bBusy
	BOOL bActive
	BOOL bError
	ST_OcaDeviceInfo stDeviceInfo

The function block FB_OcaDevice establishes the connection via TcpIp to devices that support the AES70 standard.



Cyclically single call

The instance of the function block FB_OcaDevice must be called cyclically once at the start of the PLC program.

Syntax

VAR_INPUT		
bEnable	:	BOOL;
END_VAR		
VAR_OUTPUT		
ipTcResultEvent	:	Tc3_EventLogger.I_TcResultEvent;
pLink	:	POINTER TO ST_Link;
bBusy	:	BOOL;
bActive	:	BOOL;
bError	:	BOOL;
stDeviceInfo	:	ST_OcaDeviceInfo;
END VAR		

🐔 Inputs

Name	Туре	Description
bEnable	BOOL	Enables/disables execution of the function block and starts the "keep alive" mechanism.
		A rising edge at this input clears any pending errors (indicated by bError = TRUE). The property sDeviceName should be set before the activation. Parameters such as IP address, port, etc. should also be predefined in the global variable list "GVL_AES70".

Outputs

Name	Туре	Description
ipTcResultEvent	Tc3_EventLogger.I_TcRes ultEvent	Result interface with detailed information on the return value
pLink	POINTER TO ST_Link	Pointer for establishing a connection between OCA objects and the OCA device
bBusy	BOOL	TRUE as long as the function block is called with bEnable = TRUE.
bActive	BOOL	Indicates that the device is ready to operate.
		This output is generally used to activate OCA objects.
bError	BOOL	TRUE, if an error occurs.
stDeviceInfo	ST_OcaDeviceInfo [▶ 59]	This structure provides information such as the time of the last sent or received message and the number of messages.

Properties

Name	Туре	Access	Definition lo- cation	Description
AmsNetId	T_AmsNetID	Set	Local	AMS network ID of the device
				For the local computer (default) an empty string may be specified.
bLocalOca Device	BOOL		Local	Currently unused (intended for future extension)
sDeviceNa	STRING	Set		Name of the OCA device to be used
me				Parameters such as IP address and port are defined in the array aOcaDevices, which can be found in the global variable list GVL_AES70.
tAdsTimeo ut	TIME	Set		Maximum time allowed for the execution of the function block
				This input is internally preset to <u>DEFAULT_ADS_TIMEOUT</u> and does not have to be explicitly assigned.

Requirements

Development environment	Target platform	PLC libraries to include
TwinCAT v3.1.4022.2 or higher	PC or CX (x64, x86, ARM)	Tc3_AES70

See also: Example for using the function block FB_OcaDevice [60]

7.1.2 FB_OcaRoot

FB_OcaRoot

The function block FB_OcaRoot provides basic OCA functionality. It is the function block from which all other function blocks inherit.



No explicit call

Since there is no code in the body of the function block, it should not be called explicitly. Instead, use the corresponding methods of the function block.

Name	Definition loca- tion	Description
GetClassIdentification [▶ 22]	Local	This method can be used to query the ClassId and ClassVersion of the OCA object.
		If the query was successful, the result is output in the properties stClassID and stClassVersion.
GetLockable [22]	Local	This method is used to query whether the OCA object can be locked.
		If the query was successful, the result is output in the property stLockable.
LockUnlock [23]	Local	Method for unlocking or locking an OCA object
		If the method was executed successfully, the result is output in the property stObjectLocked.
<u>GetRole [▶ 23]</u>	Local	OCA objects can have a text label to make their meaning easier to recognize.
		If the method call was successful, the result is output in the property stRole.
Subscription [24]	Local	You can use this method to request OCA objects, generate notifications for value changes, or set up sending.
		If the method was executed successfully, the result is output in the property stSubscribed.

Properties

Name	Туре	Access	Definition lo- cation	Description
sClassId	STRING	Get	Local	Unique class name
stClassId	<u>ST_ClassIdPro</u> perty [▶ <u>56]</u>	Get	Local	Unique class name
stClassVersion	<u>ST_UINT16Pro</u> perty [▶ <u>56]</u>	Get	Local	OCA ClassVersion
stLockable	<u>ST_BooleanPro</u> perty [▶ <u>56]</u>	Get	Local	Indicates whether the object can be locked
stSubscribed	<u>ST_BooleanPro</u> perty [▶ <u>56]</u>	Get	Local	Shows whether the object was requested to generate notifications when value changes occur
stRole	<u>ST_StringProp</u> erty [▶ <u>56]</u>	Get	Local	Task of the object in the device (e.g. Config_InputEnable)
nONo	UDINT	Get	Local	Unique number with which the instantiated object is uniquely defined
sOcaObjectDes cription	STRING(32)	Set	Local	Arbitrary object name. This is used to assign further object properties to the function block that were defined in the array aOcaDevices (located in the global variable list GVL_AES70).
stObjectLocked	<u>ST_BooleanPro</u> perty [▶ <u>56]</u>	Get	Local	Indicates whether the object is locked.

• AES70 standard

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The names of variables and function blocks have been adapted to the AES70 standard where possible. Information about this communication protocol can be found at <u>www.aes.org</u> and <u>www.ocaalliance.com</u>.

Requirements

Development environment	Target platform	PLC libraries to include
TwinCAT v3.1.4022.2 or higher	PC or CX (x64, x86, ARM)	Tc3_AES70

See also: Example for using the function block FB_OcaRoot [60]

7.1.2.1 GetClassIdentification

Г	GetClassIdentification
F	pLink POINTER TO ST_Link
	bExecute BOOL
. L	

The method GetClassIdentification can be used to query the ClassId and ClassVersion of the OCA object. If the query was successful, the result is output in the properties stClassID and stClassVersion.



Cyclic method call

Since several PLC cycles may pass between sending and the response from the device, this method should be executed cyclically.

Syntax

```
VAR_INPUT
    pLink : POINTER TO ST_Link;
    bExecute : BOOL;
END VAR
```

🐔 Inputs

Name	Туре	Description
pLink	POINTER TO ST_Link	Pointer for establishing a connection between OCA objects and the OCA device
bExecute	BOOL	The method is executed with a positive edge at the bExecute input.

7.1.2.2 GetLockable

GetLockable
Link POINTER TO ST_Link
Execute BOOL
E

The method GetLockable is used to query whether the OCA object can be locked. If the query was successful, the result is output in the property stLockable.



Cyclic method call

Since several PLC cycles may pass between sending and the response from the device, this method should be executed cyclically.

Syntax

```
VAR_INPUT
    pLink : POINTER TO ST_Link;
    bExecute : BOOL;
END VAR
```

🐔 Inputs

Name	Туре	Description
pLink	POINTER TO ST_Link	Pointer for establishing a connection between OCA objects and the OCA device
bExecute	BOOL	The method is executed with a positive edge at the bExecute input.

7.1.2.3 LockUnlock

	LockUnlock		
_	pLink POINTER TO ST_Link		
_	bExecute BOOL		
_	bLock BOOL		
_	eCmdMode E_OcaMessageTypeCmd		

The LockUnlock method can be used to unlock or lock an OCA object. If the method was executed successfully, the result is output in the property stObjectLocked.



Cyclic method call

Since several PLC cycles may pass between sending and the response from the device, this method should be executed cyclically.

Syntax

```
VAR_INPUT
    pLink : POINTER TO ST_Link;
    bExecute : BOOL;
    bLock : BOOL; //If the Method is executed this Boolean Input decides whether the object
    should be locked (TRUE) or unlocked (FALSE)
    eCmdMode : E_OcaMessageTypeCmdbLock;
END_VAR
```

🐔 Inputs

Name	Туре	Description
pLink	POINTER TO ST_Link	Pointer for establishing a connection between OCA objects and the OCA device
bExecute	BOOL	The method is executed with a positive edge at the bExecute input.
bLock	BOOL	Variable that determines whether to lock (TRUE) or unlock (FALSE)
eCmdMode	E_OcaMessageTypeCmd	Depending on whether confirmation is required or not, this input variable is set to E_OcaMessageTypeCmd.OcaCmdRrq or E_OcaMessageTypeCmd.OcaCmd.

7.1.2.4 GetRole

	GetRole
	pLink POINTER TO ST_Link
_	bExecute BOOL

OCA objects can have a text label to make their meaning easier to recognize. If the method call was successful, the result is output in the property stRole.



Cyclic method call

Since several PLC cycles may pass between sending and the response from the device, this method should be executed cyclically.

Syntax

```
VAR_INPUT
    pLink : POINTER TO ST_Link;
    bExecute : BOOL;
END_VAR
```

🐔 Inputs

Name	Туре	Description
pLink	POINTER TO ST_Link	Pointer for establishing a connection between OCA objects and the OCA device
bExecute	BOOL	The method is executed with a positive edge at the bExecute input.

7.1.2.5 Subscription

	Subscription
_	pLink POINTER TO ST_Link
_	bExecute BOOL
_	eMode E_SubscriptionMode
_	nSubscribtionNo UDINT
_	eCmdMode E_OcaMessageTypeCmd

You can use the Subscription method to request OCA objects, generate notifications for value changes, or set up sending of notifications. If the method was executed successfully, the result is output in the property stSubscribed.



Cyclic method call

Since several PLC cycles may pass between sending and the response from the device, this method should be executed cyclically.

Syntax

VAR INPUT		
pLink	:	POINTER TO ST Link;
bExecute	:	BOOL;
eMode	:	E_SubscriptionMode;
nSubscribtionNo	:	UDINT;
eCmdMode	:	<pre>E_OcaMessageTypeCmd;</pre>
END VAR		

🐔 Inputs

Name	Туре	Description
pLink	POINTER TO ST_Link	Pointer for establishing a connection between OCA objects and the OCA device
bExecute	BOOL	The method is executed with a positive edge at the bExecute input.
eMode	E_SubscriptionMode	Depending on whether a notification request is to be created or deleted, the input of the method can be set to E_SubscriptionMode.ADD_Subscription or E_SubscriptionMode.DELETE_Subscription.
nSubscribtionNo	UDINT	Unique number for localizing the respective subscription
eCmdMode	E_OcaMessageTypeCmd	Depending on whether confirmation is required or not, this input variable is set to E_OcaMessageTypeCmd.OcaCmdRrq or E_OcaMessageTypeCmd.OcaCmd.

7.1.3 Worker function blocks

Worker function blocks are used to control OCA worker objects.

AES70 standard

The names of variables and function blocks have been adapted to the AES70 standard where possible. Information about this communication protocol can be found at <u>www.aes.org</u> and <u>www.ocaalliance.com</u>.

7.1.3.1 FB_OcaWorker

FB_OcaWorker

The function block FB_OcaWorker extends the function block FB_OcaRoot with properties and methods for handling the OCA objects.



No explicit call

Since there is no code in the body of the function block, it should not be called explicitly. Instead, use the corresponding methods of the function block.

Inheritance hierarchy

FB_OcaRoot

FB_OcaWorker



🔹 Methods

Name	Definition loca- tion	Description
GetEnabled / SetEnabled [▶ 27]	Local	Method for querying or setting the Enabled property of the OCA object.
		If the query was successful, the result is output in the property stEnabled.
GetLabel /SetLabel / RNtfLabel [▶ 28]	Local	This method is used to query whether the OCA object can be locked.
		If the query was successful, the result is output in the property stLockable.
LockUnlock [23]	Local	Method for unlocking or locking an OCA object.
		If the method was executed successfully, the result is output in the property stObjectLocked.
<u>GetRole [▶ 23]</u>	Local	OCA objects can have a text label to make their meaning easier to recognize.
		If the method call was successful, the result is output in the property stRole.
Subscription [24]	Local	You can use this method to request OCA objects, generate notifications for value changes, or set up sending.
		If the method was executed successfully, the result is output in the property stSubscribed.

Properties

Name	Туре	Access	Definition lo- cation	Description
stEnabled	ST_BooleanProp erty [▶_56]	Get	Local	Indicates whether the OCA object in the corresponding OCA device is enabled.
stLabel	ST_StringPropert y_[▶_56]	Get	Local	OCA objects can have a description text that is stored in this property to facilitate recognition.
stLatency	ST_FLOAT32Pro perty [▶_56]	Get	Local	Processing latency of the OCA object
stOwner	ST_UINT32Prope rty [▶_56]	Get	Local	OCA object number of the higher-level object

AES70 standard

The names of variables and function blocks have been adapted to the AES70 standard where possible. Information about this communication protocol can be found at <u>www.aes.org</u> and <u>www.ocaalliance.com</u>.

Requirements

Development environment	Target platform	PLC libraries to include
TwinCAT v3.1.4022.2 or higher	PC or CX (x64, x86, ARM)	Tc3_AES70

See also: Example for using the function block FB_OcaWorker [61]

7.1.3.1.1 GetEnabled / SetEnabled

GetEnabled

	GetEnabled
_	pLink POINTER TO ST_Link
_	bExecute BOOL

The GetEnabled method is used to query the Enabled property of the OCA object. If the query was successful, the result is output in the property stEnabled.



Cyclic method call

Since several PLC cycles may pass between sending and the response from the device, this method should be executed cyclically.

Syntax

```
VAR_INPUT
    pLink : POINTER TO ST_Link;
    bExecute : BOOL;
END VAR
```

🐔 Inputs

Name	Туре	Description
pLink	POINTER TO ST_Link	Pointer for establishing a connection between OCA objects and the OCA device
bExecute	BOOL	The method is executed with a positive edge at the bExecute input.

SetEnabled

SetEnabled	
Link POINTER TO ST_Link	
Execute BOOL	
ValEnabled BOOL	
CmdMode E_OcaMessageTypeCmd	

The SetEnabled method can be used to enable or disable an OCA object. If the method was executed successfully, the result is output in the property stEnabled.



Cyclic method call

Since several PLC cycles may pass between sending and the response from the device, this method should be executed cyclically.

Syntax

```
VAR_INPUT
   pLink : POINTER TO ST_Link;
   bExecute : BOOL;
   bValEnabled : BOOL;
   eCmdMode : E_OcaMessageTypeCmd;
END VAR
```

🐔 Inputs

Name	Туре	Description
pLink	POINTER TO ST_Link	Pointer for establishing a connection between OCA objects and the OCA device.
bExecute	BOOL	The method is executed with a positive edge at the bExecute input.
bValEnabled	BOOL	Depending on whether the OCA object is to be enabled or disabled, this input must be assigned TRUE or FALSE.
eCmdMode	E_OcaMessageTypeCmd	Depending on whether confirmation is required or not, this input variable is set to E_OcaMessageTypeCmd.OcaCmdRrq or E_OcaMessageTypeCmd.OcaCmd.

7.1.3.1.2 GetLabel / SetLabel / RNtfLabel

GetLabel

```
GetLabel

— pLink POINTER TO ST_Link

— bExecute BOOL
```

OCA objects can be labeled to facilitate recognition. The GetLabel method is used to query this property of the OCA object. If the query was successful, the result is output in the property stLabel.



Cyclic method call

Since several PLC cycles may pass between sending and the response from the device, this method should be executed cyclically.

Syntax

```
VAR_INPUT
    pLink : POINTER TO ST_Link;
    bExecute : BOOL;
END VAR
```

🐔 Inputs

Name	Туре	Description
pLink	POINTER TO ST_Link	Pointer for establishing a connection between OCA objects and the OCA device
bExecute	BOOL	The method is executed with a positive edge at the bExecute input.

SetLabel

SetLabel
 pLink POINTER TO ST_Link
 bExecute BOOL
 sLabel STRING(255)
 eCmdMode E_OcaMessageTypeCmd

The SetLabel method can be used to set the labeling of an OCA object. If the method was executed successfully, the result is output in the property stLabel.



Since several PLC cycles may pass between sending and the response from the device, this method should be executed cyclically.

Syntax

```
VAR_INPUT
    pLink : POINTER TO ST_Link;
    bExecute : BOOL;
    sLabel : STRING;
    eCmdMode : E_OcaMessageTypeCmd;
END_VAR
```

🐔 Inputs

Name	Туре	Description
pLink	POINTER TO ST_Link	Pointer for establishing a connection between OCA objects and the OCA device
bExecute	BOOL	The method is executed with a positive edge at the bExecute input.
sLabel	STRING	Label for the OCA object
eCmdMode	E_ OcaMessageTypeCmd	Depending on whether confirmation is required or not, this input variable is set to E_OcaMessageTypeCmd.OcaCmdRrq or E_OcaMessageTypeCmd.OcaCmd.

RNtfLabel

```
RNtfLabel

— pLink POINTER TO ST_Link

— bEnable BOOL

— nSubscribtionNo UDINT
```

If the OCA object is prompted to notify changes (using the <u>Subscription [> 24]</u> method), incoming notifications are read using the RNtfLabel method.



Cyclic method call

Since several PLC cycles may pass between sending and the response from the device, this method should be executed cyclically.

Syntax

```
VAR_INPUT

pLink : POINTER TO ST_Link;

bEnable : BOOL;

nSubscribtionNo : UDINT;

END VAR
```

🐔 Inputs

Name	Туре	Description
pLink	POINTER TO ST_Link	Pointer for establishing a connection between OCA objects and the OCA device.
bExecute	BOOL	The method is executed with a positive edge at the bExecute input.
nSubscribtionNo	UDINT	Unique number for localizing the respective subscription.

7.1.3.1.3 GetLatency / SetLatency / RNtfLatency

GetLatency

```
GetLatency

— pLink POINTER TO ST_Link

— bExecute BOOL
```

The GetLatenca method is used to query the processing latency of the OCA object. If the query was successful, the result is output in the property stLatency.



Cyclic method call

Since several PLC cycles may pass between sending and the response from the device, this method should be executed cyclically.

Syntax

```
VAR_INPUT
   pLink : POINTER TO ST_Link;
   bExecute : BOOL;
END VAR
```

🐔 Inputs

Name	Туре	Description
pLink	POINTER TO ST_Link	Pointer for establishing a connection between OCA objects and the OCA device
bExecute	BOOL	The method is executed with a positive edge at the bExecute input.

SetLatency

```
SetLatency

— pLink POINTER TO ST_Link

— bExecute BOOL

— fLatency REAL

— eCmdMode E_OcaMessageTypeCmd
```

The SetLatency method can be used to set the processing latency of an OCA object. If the method was executed successfully, the result is output in the property stLatency.



Cyclic method call

Since several PLC cycles may pass between sending and the response from the device, this method should be executed cyclically.

Syntax

```
VAR_INPUT
    pLink : POINTER TO ST_Link;
    bExecute : BOOL;
    fLatency : REAL;
    eCmdMode : E_OcaMessageTypeCmd;
END VAR
```

🐔 Inputs

Name	Туре	Description
pLink	POINTER TO ST_Link	Pointer for establishing a connection between OCA objects and the OCA device
bExecute	BOOL	The method is executed with a positive edge at the bExecute input.
fLatency	REAL	Value to be assigned to this property of the OCA object
eCmdMode	E_OcaMessageTypeCmd	Depending on whether confirmation is required or not, this input variable is set to E_OcaMessageTypeCmd.OcaCmdRrq or E_OcaMessageTypeCmd.OcaCmd.



RNtfLatency

	RNtfLatency
_	pLink POINTER TO ST_Link
_	bEnable BOOL
_	nSubscribtionNo UDINT

If the OCA object was prompted to notify changes (using the <u>Subscription [> 24]</u> method), incoming notifications are read using the RNtfLatency method.



Cyclic method call

Since several PLC cycles may pass between sending and the response from the device, this method should be executed cyclically.

Syntax

```
VAR_INPUT

pLink : POINTER TO ST_Link;

bEnable : BOOL;

nSubscribtionNo : UDINT;

END_VAR
```

🐔 Inputs

Name	Туре	Description
pLink	POINTER TO ST_Link	Pointer for establishing a connection between OCA objects and the OCA device.
bExecute	BOOL	The method is executed with a positive edge at the bExecute input.
nSubscribtionNo	UDINT	Unique number for localizing the respective subscription.

7.1.3.1.4 GetOwner

	GetOwner
_	pLink POINTER TO ST_Link
_	bExecute BOOL

The GetOwner method is used to query the higher-level element. If the query was successful, the result is output in the property stOwner.



Cyclic method call

Since several PLC cycles may pass between sending and the response from the device, this method should be executed cyclically.

Syntax

```
VAR_INPUT
    pLink : POINTER TO ST_Link;
    bExecute : BOOL;
END VAR
```

🐔 Inputs

Name	Туре	Description
pLink	POINTER TO ST_Link	Pointer for establishing a connection between OCA objects and the OCA device
bExecute	BOOL	The method is executed with a positive edge at the bExecute input.

7.1.3.2 Actuator function blocks

Actuator objects are worker objects whose purpose is the control of electronic functions.



The names of variables and function blocks have been adapted to the AES70 standard where possible. Information about this communication protocol can be found at <u>www.aes.org</u> and <u>www.ocaalliance.com</u>.

7.1.3.2.1 FB_OcaActuator

FB_OcaActuator

The function block FB_OcaActuator extends the function block FB_OcaWorker. It is the function block from which all function blocks that are assigned to the Actuator category inherit. FB_OcaActuator has neither properties nor methods.



No explicit call

Since there is no code in the body of the function block, it should not be called explicitly. Instead, use the corresponding methods of the function block.

Inheritance hierarchy

FB_OcaRoot

FB_OcaWorker

FB_OcaActuator

Requirements

Development environment	Target platform	PLC libraries to include
TwinCAT v3.1.4022.2 or higher	PC or CX (x64, x86, ARM)	Tc3_AES70

7.1.3.2.2 FB_OcaGain



The function block FB_OcaGain provides properties and methods for handling OCA objects for gain adjustment.



No explicit call

Since there is no code in the body of the function block, it should not be called explicitly. Instead, use the corresponding methods of the function block.

Inheritance hierarchy

FB_OcaRoot

FB_OcaWorker

FB_OcaActuator

FB_OcaGain

획 Methods

Name	Definition loca- tion	Description
<u>GetGain [▶ 33]</u>	Local	Used to query the properties Gain, GainMAX and GainMIN of the OCA object.
		If the query was successful, the result is output in the properties stGain, stGainMAX and stGainMIN.
<u>SetGain [} 33]</u>	Local	Use this method to set the gain of an OCA object in dB.
		If the method was executed successfully, the result is output in the property stGain.
RNtfGain [33]	Local	If the OCA object was prompted to notify changes (using the
		Subscription [▶_24] method), this method is used to read incoming notifications.

Properties

Name	Туре	Access	Definition lo- cation	Description
stGain	ST_FLOAT32Pr	Get	Local	Gain in dB
	<u>operty [• 56]</u>			
stGainMAX	ST_FLOAT32Pr	Get	Local	Maximum gain value in dB
	<u>operty [} 56]</u>			
stGainMIN	ST_FLOAT32Pr	Get	Local	Minimum gain value in dB
	<u>operty [} 56]</u>			



AES70 standard

The names of variables and function blocks have been adapted to the AES70 standard where possible. Information about this communication protocol can be found at <u>www.aes.org</u> and <u>www.ocaal-</u> <u>liance.com</u>.

Requirements

Development environment	Target platform	PLC libraries to include
TwinCAT v3.1.4022.2 or higher	PC or CX (x64, x86, ARM)	Tc3_AES70

See also: Example for using the function block FB_OcaGain [62]

GetGain / SetGain / RNtfGain

GetGain

	GetGain
_	pLink POINTER TO ST_Link
_	bExecute BOOL

The GetGain method is used to query the properties Gain, GainMAX and GainMIN of the OCA object. If the query was successful, the result is output in the properties stGain, stGainMAX and stGainMIN.

Cyclic method call

Since several PLC cycles may pass between sending and the response from the device, this method should be executed cyclically.

Syntax

```
VAR_INPUT

pLink : POINTER TO ST_Link;

bExecute : BOOL;

END VAR
```

🐔 Inputs

Name	Туре	Description
pLink	POINTER TO ST_Link	Pointer for establishing a connection between OCA objects and the OCA device
bExecute	BOOL	The method is executed with a positive edge at the bExecute input.

SetGain

	SetGain
_	pLink POINTER TO ST_Link
_	bExecute BOOL
_	fGain REAL
_	eCmdMode E_OcaMessageTypeCmd

Use the SetGain method to set the gain of an OCA object in dB. If the method was executed successfully, the result is output in the property stGain.



Cyclic method call

Since several PLC cycles may pass between sending and the response from the device, this method should be executed cyclically.

Syntax

VAR INPUT		
pLink	:	POINTER TO ST_Link;
bExecute	:	BOOL;
fGain	:	REAL;
eCmdMode	:	<pre>E_OcaMessageTypeCmd;</pre>
END VAR		

🐔 Inputs

Name	Туре	Description
pLink	POINTER TO ST_Link	Pointer for establishing a connection between OCA objects and the OCA device.
bExecute	BOOL	The method is executed with a positive edge at the bExecute input.
fGain	REAL	Gain value in dB to which the OCA object is to be set.
eCmdMode	E_OcaMessageTypeCmd	Depending on whether confirmation is required or not, this input variable is set to E_OcaMessageTypeCmd.OcaCmdRrq or E_OcaMessageTypeCmd.OcaCmd.

RNtfGain

	RNtfGain
_	pLink POINTER TO ST_Link
	bEnable BOOL
_	nSubscribtionNo UDINT

If the OCA object was prompted to notify changes (using the <u>Subscription [> 24]</u> method), incoming notifications are read using the RNtfGain method.



Cyclic method call

Since several PLC cycles may pass between sending and the response from the device, this method should be executed cyclically.

Syntax

```
VAR_INPUT

pLink : POINTER TO ST_Link;

bEnable : BOOL;

nSubscribtionNo : UDINT;

END VAR
```

🐔 Inputs

Name	Туре	Description
pLink	POINTER TO ST_Link	Pointer for establishing a connection between OCA objects and the OCA device.
bExecute	BOOL	The method is executed with a positive edge at the bExecute input.
nSubscribtionNo	UDINT	Unique number for localizing the respective subscription.

7.1.3.2.3 FB_OcaSwitch



The function block FB_OcaSwitch extends the function block FB_OcaActuator with properties and methods and for handling OCA switch objects. These objects can have multiple switch positions. Individual positions can be enabled or disabled and given names.



No explicit call

Since there is no code in the body of the function block, it should not be called explicitly. Instead, use the corresponding methods of the function block.

Inheritance hierarchy

FB_OcaRoot

FB_OcaWorker

FB_OcaActuator

FB_OcaSwitch

🔹 Methods

Name	Definition loca- tion	Description				
GetPosition [▶ 37]	Local	This method is used to query the Position, PositionMAX, and PositionMIN properties of the OCA object.				
SetPosition [37]	Local	Use this method to set the switch position of an OCA object.				
RNtfPosition [▶_37] Local		This method reads incoming notifications				
GetPositionEnabled [▶_38]	Local	Method for querying a switch position				
SetPositionEnabled [▶_38]	Local	Method for enabling or disabling a switch position				
GetPositionName	Local	Method for querying the name of a switch position				
SetPositionName	Local	Use this method to assign a name to a switch position.				

Properties

Name	Туре	Access	Definition loca- tion	Description
stPosition	<u>ST_UINT16Pr</u> <u>operty</u> [▶ <u>_56]</u>	Get	Local	Indicates the switch position of the OCA object.
stPosition MAX	ST_UINT16Pr operty [▶_56]	Get	Local	Indicates the lowest switch position of the OCA object.
stPosition MIN	<u>ST_UINT16Pr</u> operty [▶ <u>_56]</u>	Get	Local	Indicates the highest switch position of the OCA object.
stPosition Enabled	ST_PositionEn abledPropert y_[▶_56]	Get	Local	Indicates whether a particular switch position is enabled or disabled.
stPosition Name	ST_PositionN ameProperty [▶_56]	Get	Local	Indicates the position name of a particular switch position.



AES70 standard

The names of variables and function blocks have been adapted to the AES70 standard where possible. Information about this communication protocol can be found at <u>www.aes.org</u> and <u>www.ocaalliance.com</u>.

Requirements

Development environment	Target platform	PLC libraries to include		
TwinCAT v3.1.4022.2 or higher	PC or CX (x64, x86, ARM)	Tc3_AES70		

GetPosition / SetPosition / RNtfPosition

GetPosition



The GetPosition method is used to query the Position, PositionMAX, and PositionMIN properties of the OCA object. If the query was successful, the result is output in the properties stPosition, stPositionMAX and stPositionMIN.



Cyclic method call

Since several PLC cycles may pass between sending and the response from the device, this method should be executed cyclically.

Syntax

```
VAR_INPUT
    pLink : POINTER TO ST_Link; //Pointer to address of the structure which links the OCA objects
to the OCA device
    bExecute : BOOL; //The Method is triggered by a rising edge at this input.
END_VAR
```

🐔 Inputs

Name	Туре	Description
pLink	POINTER TO ST_Link	Pointer for establishing a connection between OCA objects and the OCA device
bExecute	BOOL	The method is executed with a positive edge at the bExecute input.

SetPosition

	SetPosition
_	pLink POINTER TO ST_Link
_	bExecute BOOL
_	nPosition UINT
_	eCmdMode E_OcaMessageTypeCmd

The SetPosition method can be used to set the switch position of an OCA object. If the method was executed successfully, the result is output in the property stPosition.

Cyclic method call

Since several PLC cycles may pass between sending and the response from the device, this method should be executed cyclically.

Syntax

```
VAR_INPUT
    pLink : POINTER TO ST_Link; //Pointer to address of the structure which links the OCA objects
to the OCA device
    bExecute : BOOL; //The Method is triggered by a rising edge at this input.
    nPosition : UINT;
    eCmdMode : E_OcaMessageTypeCmdbLock;
END VAR
```



🐔 Inputs

Name	Туре	Description		
pLink	POINTER TO ST_Link	Pointer for establishing a connection between OCA objects and the OCA device.		
bExecute	BOOL	The method is executed with a positive edge at the bExecute input		
nPosition	UINT	Switch position for the OCA object.		
eCmdMode E_OcaMessageType Deper CmdbLock E_Oca		Depending on whether confirmation is required or not, this input variable is set to E_OcaMessageTypeCmd.OcaCmdRrq or E_OcaMessageTypeCmd.OcaCmd.		

RNtfPosition

	RNtfPosition
_	pLink POINTER TO ST_Link
_	bEnable BOOL
_	nSubscribtionNo UDINT

If the OCA object was prompted to notify changes (using the <u>Subscription [> 24]</u> method), incoming notifications are read using the RNtfPosition method.



Cyclic method call

Since several PLC cycles may pass between sending and the response from the device, this method should be executed cyclically.

Syntax

VAR INPUT					
pLink	:	POINTER	TO	ST	_Link;
bEnable	:	BOOL;			
nSubscribtionNo	:	UDINT;			
END VAR					

🐔 Inputs

Name	Туре	Description
pLink	POINTER TO ST_Link	Pointer for establishing a connection between OCA objects and the OCA device.
bExecute	BOOL	The method is executed with a positive edge at the bExecute input.
nSubscribtionNo	UDINT	Unique number for localizing the respective subscription.

GetPositionEnabled / SetPositionEnabled

GetPositionEnabled



The GetPositionEnabled method is used to query whether the respective switch position determined by nIndex is enabled or disabled. If the query was successful, the result is output in the property stPositionEnabled.



Cyclic method call

Since several PLC cycles may pass between sending and the response from the device, this method should be executed cyclically.

Syntax

```
VAR_INPUT
    pLink : POINTER TO ST_Link; //Pointer to address of the structure which links the OCA objects
to the OCA device
    bExecute : BOOL; //The Method is triggered by a rising edge at this input.
    nIndex : UINT; //The Index of the queried Position
END VAR
```

🐔 Inputs

Name	Туре	Description
pLink	POINTER TO ST_Link	Pointer for establishing a connection between OCA objects and the OCA device
bExecute	BOOL	The method is executed with a positive edge at the bExecute input.
nIndex	UINT	Index of the switch position to be queried

SetPositionEnabled

	SetPostionEnabled
_	pLink POINTER TO ST_Link
—	bExecute BOOL
_	bValEnabled BOOL
_	nIndex UINT
_	eCmdMode E_OcaMessageTypeCmd

The SetPositionEnabled method can be used to enable or disable a specific switch position specified by nIndex. If the query was successful, the result is output in the property stPositionEnabled.

Cyclic method call

Since several PLC cycles may pass between sending and the response from the device, this method should be executed cyclically.

Syntax

```
VAR_INPUT
    pLink : POINTER TO ST_Link; //Pointer to address of the structure which links the OCA
objects to the OCA device
    bExecute : BOOL; //The Method is triggered by a rising edge at this input.
    bValEnabled : BOOL; //Set this Input to TRUE to enable the Position specified by nIndex or FALSE
to disable this Position
    nIndex : UINT; //The Index of the Position which shold be modified
    eCmdMode : E_OcaMessageTypeCmdbLock;
END VAR
```

🐔 Inputs

Name	Туре	Description
pLink	POINTER TO ST_Link	Pointer for establishing a connection between OCA objects and the OCA device
bExecute	BOOL	The method is executed with a positive edge at the bExecute input.
bValEnabled	BOOL	If this input is set to TRUE, the switch position selected by nIndex is enabled when this method is executed. If the input is set to FALSE, the switch position is disabled.
nPosition	UINT	Switch position for the OCA object.
eCmdMode	E_OcaMessageTypeCmdbLock	Depending on whether confirmation is required or not, this input variable is set to E_OcaMessageTypeCmd.OcaCmdRrq or E_OcaMessageTypeCmd.OcaCmd.

7.1.3.2.4 FB_OcaMute

FB_OcaMute

The function block FB_OcaMute provides properties and methods for handling OCA objects for muting.



No explicit call

Since there is no code in the body of the function block, it should not be called explicitly. Instead, use the corresponding methods of the function block.

Inheritance hierarchy

FB_OcaRoot

FB_OcaWorker

FB_OcaActuator

FB_OcaMute

Methods

Name	Definition loca- tion	Description
<u>GetMuteState [▶ 41]</u>	Local	This method is used to query the Position, PositionMAX, and PositionMIN properties of the OCA object.
SetMuteState [41]	Local	Use this method to set the switch position of an OCA object.
RNtfMuteState [41]	Local	This method reads incoming notifications.

Properties

Name	Туре	Access	Definition loca- tion	Description
stMuteState	ST_MutePr operty [▶_56]	Get	Local	Indicates whether the OCA object is muted or not.



AES70 standard

The names of variables and function blocks have been adapted to the AES70 standard where possible. Information about this communication protocol can be found at <u>www.aes.org</u> and <u>www.ocaalliance.com</u>.

Requirements

Development environment	Target platform	PLC libraries to include
TwinCAT v3.1.4022.2 or higher	PC or CX (x64, x86, ARM)	Tc3_AES70

GetMuteState / SetMuteState / RNtfMuteState

GetMuteState

GetMuteState — pLink POINTER TO ST_Link — bExecute BOOL

The GetPosition method is used to query the MuteState property of the OCA object. If the query was successful, the result is output in the property stMuteState.



Cyclic method call

Since several PLC cycles may pass between sending and the response from the device, this method should be executed cyclically.

Syntax

```
VAR_INPUT
    pLink : POINTER TO ST_Link;
    bExecute : BOOL;
END VAR
```

🐔 Inputs

Name	Туре	Description
pLink	POINTER TO ST_Link	Pointer for establishing a connection between OCA objects and the OCA device
bExecute	BOOL	The method is executed with a positive edge at the bExecute input.

SetMuteState



The SetMuteState method can be used to set the muting feature of an OCA object. If the method was executed successfully, the result is output in the property stMuteState.



Cyclic method call

Since several PLC cycles may pass between sending and the response from the device, this method should be executed cyclically.

Syntax

```
VAR_INPUT
    pLink : POINTER TO ST_Link;
    bExecute : BOOL;
    eMuteState : E_OcaMuteState;
    eCmdMode : E_OcaMessageTypeCmd;
END_VAR
```

🐔 Inputs

Name	Туре	Description
pLink	POINTER TO ST_Link	Pointer for establishing a connection between OCA objects and the OCA device
bExecute	BOOL	The method is executed with a positive edge at the bExecute input.
eMuteState	E_OcaMuteState [> 59]	Muting setting (muted/unmuted) to be assigned to the OCA object.
eCmdMode	OcaMessageTypeCmd	Depending on whether confirmation is required or not, this input variable is set to E_OcaMessageTypeCmd.OcaCmdRrq or E_OcaMessageTypeCmd.OcaCmd.

RNtfMuteState

	RNtfMuteState
— P	DLink POINTER TO ST_Link
—b	DEnable BOOL
— n	1SubscribtionNo UDINT

If the OCA object was prompted to notify changes (using the <u>Subscription [> 24]</u> method), incoming notifications are read using the RNtfMuteState method.



Cyclic method call

Since several PLC cycles may pass between sending and the response from the device, this method should be executed cyclically.

Syntax

```
VAR_INPUT

pLink : POINTER TO ST_Link;

bEnable : BOOL;

nSubscribtionNo : UDINT;

END_VAR
```

🐔 Inputs

Name	Туре	Description
pLink	POINTER TO ST_Link	Pointer for establishing a connection between OCA objects and the OCA device.
bExecute	BOOL	The method is executed with a positive edge at the bExecute input.
nSubscribtionNo	UDINT	Unique number for localizing the respective subscription.

7.1.3.2.5 FB_OcaBasicActuator

FB_OcaBasicActuator

The function block FB_OcaBasicActuator extends the function block FB_OcaActuator. It is the function block from which all function blocks that are assigned to the BasicActuator category inherit. FB_OcaBasicActuator has neither properties nor methods.

Inheritance hierarchy

FB_OcaRoot

FB_OcaWorker

FB_OcaActuator

FB_OcaBasicActuator

Requirements

Development environment	Target platform	PLC libraries to include
TwinCAT v3.1.4022.2 or higher	PC or CX (x64, x86, ARM)	Tc3_AES70

7.1.3.2.6 FB_OcaBooleanActuator



The function block FB_OcaBooleanActuator extends the function block FB_OcaBasicActuator with properties and methods for handling OcaBooleanActuator objects.



No explicit call

Since there is no code in the body of the function block, it should not be called explicitly. Instead, use the corresponding methods of the function block.

Inheritance hierarchy

FB_OcaRoot

FB_OcaWorker

FB_OcaActuator

FB_OcaBasicActuator

FB_OcaBooleanActuator

획 Methods

Name	Definition loca- tion	Description
GetSetting [44]	Local	This method is used to query a Boolean property.
<u>SetSetting [▶ 44]</u>	Local	This method can be used to set the value of a Boolean property.
RNtfSetting [44]	Local	This method reads incoming notifications

Properties

Name	Туре	Access	Definition loca- tion	Description
stSetting	ST_BooleanPr operty [▶_56]	Get	Local	Indicates the switch position of the OCA object.



AES70 standard

The names of variables and function blocks have been adapted to the AES70 standard where possible. Information about this communication protocol can be found at <u>www.aes.org</u> and <u>www.ocaalliance.com</u>.

Requirements

Development environment	Target platform	PLC libraries to include
TwinCAT v3.1.4022.2 or higher	PC or CX (x64, x86, ARM)	Tc3_AES70

GetSetting / SetSetting / RNtfSetting

GetSetting

	GetSetting
	pLink POINTER TO ST_Link
_	bExecute BOOL

The GetSetting method is used to query the Boolean property of the OCA object. If the query was successful, the result is output in the property stSetting.



Cyclic method call

Since several PLC cycles may pass between sending and the response from the device, this method should be executed cyclically.

Syntax

```
VAR_INPUT
    pLink : POINTER TO ST_Link;
    bExecute : BOOL;
END VAR
```

🐔 Inputs

Name	Туре	Description
pLink	POINTER TO ST_Link	Pointer for establishing a connection between OCA objects and the OCA device
bExecute	BOOL	The method is executed with a positive edge at the bExecute input.

SetSetting

SetSetting
 pLink POINTER TO ST_Link
 bExecute BOOL
 bSetting BOOL
 eCmdMode E_OcaMessageTypeCmd

The SetSetting method can be used to set the muting feature of an OCA object. If the method was executed successfully, the result is output in the property stMuteState.



Cyclic method call

Since several PLC cycles may pass between sending and the response from the device, this method should be executed cyclically.

Syntax

```
VAR_INPUT
    pLink : POINTER TO ST_Link;
    bExecute : BOOL;
    bSetting : BOOL;
    eCmdMode : E_OcaMessageTypeCmd;
END VAR
```

🐔 Inputs

Name	Туре	Description
pLink	POINTER TO ST_Link	Pointer for establishing a connection between OCA objects and the OCA device.
bExecute	BOOL	The method is executed with a positive edge at the bExecute input.
bSetting	BOOL	Value to be assigned to the property of the OCA object.
eCmdMode	OcaMessageTypeCmd	Depending on whether confirmation is required or not, this input variable is set to E_OcaMessageTypeCmd.OcaCmdRrq or E_OcaMessageTypeCmd.OcaCmd.

RNtfMuteState

	RNtfSetting
_	pLink POINTER TO ST_Link
_	bEnable BOOL
_	nSubscribtionNo UDINT

If the OCA object was prompted to notify changes (using the <u>Subscription [> 24]</u> method), incoming notifications are read using the RNtfSetting method.



Cyclic method call

Since several PLC cycles may pass between sending and the response from the device, this method should be executed cyclically.

Syntax

```
VAR_INPUT

pLink : POINTER TO ST_Link;

bEnable : BOOL;

nSubscribtionNo : UDINT;

END_VAR
```

🐔 Inputs

Name	Туре	Description
pLink	POINTER TO ST_Link	Pointer for establishing a connection between OCA objects and the OCA device.
bExecute	BOOL	The method is executed with a positive edge at the bExecute input.
nSubscribtionNo	UDINT	Unique number for localizing the respective subscription.

7.1.3.2.7 FB_OcaStringActuator



The function block FB_OcaStringActuator extends the function block FB_OcaBasicActuator with properties and methods for handling OcaStringActuator objects.



No explicit call

Since there is no code in the body of the function block, it should not be called explicitly. Instead, use the corresponding methods of the function block.

Inheritance hierarchy

FB_OcaRoot

FB_OcaWorker

FB_OcaActuator

FB_OcaBasicActuator

FB_OcaStringActuator

🔹 Methods

Name	Definition loca- tion	Description
<u>GetValue [▶ 47]</u>	Local	This method is used to query a signed property (integer, signed data type, 32 bits).
SetValue [▶ 47]	Local	This method can be used to set the value of the property.
RNtfValue [▶ 47]	Local	This method reads incoming notifications
<u>GetMaxLen [▶ 48]</u>	Local	Use this method to query the maximum length of the string that the OCA object accepts.

Properties

Name	Туре	Access	Definition loca- tion	Description
stSetting	ST_STRINGPro perty [▶_56]	Get	Local	Contains the string
stMaxLen	ST_UINT16Pro perty [▶_56]	Get	Local	Contains the maximum length of the string

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AES70 standard

The names of variables and function blocks have been adapted to the AES70 standard where possible. Information about this communication protocol can be found at <u>www.aes.org</u> and <u>www.ocaalliance.com</u>.

Requirements

Development environment	Target platform	PLC libraries to include
TwinCAT v3.1.4022.2 or higher	PC or CX (x64, x86, ARM)	Tc3_AES70

GetValue / SetValue / RNtfValue

GetValue

```
GetValue

— pLink POINTER TO ST_Link

— bExecute BOOL
```

The GetValue method is used to query the property of the OCA object. If the query was successful, the result is output in the property stSetting.



Cyclic method call

Since several PLC cycles may pass between sending and the response from the device, this method should be executed cyclically.

Syntax

```
VAR_INPUT
    pLink : POINTER TO ST_Link;
    bExecute : BOOL;
END VAR
```

🐔 Inputs

Name	Туре	Description
pLink	POINTER TO ST_Link	Pointer for establishing a connection between OCA objects and the OCA device
bExecute	BOOL	The method is executed with a positive edge at the bExecute input.

SetValue

	SetValue
_	pLink POINTER TO ST_Link
	bExecute BOOL
	sValue STRING(255)
_	eCmdMode E_OcaMessageTypeCmd

The SetValue method can be used to set the property of an OCA object. If the method was executed successfully, the result is output in the property stSetting.



Cyclic method call

Since several PLC cycles may pass between sending and the response from the device, this method should be executed cyclically.

Syntax

```
VAR_INPUT
    pLink : POINTER TO ST_Link;
    bExecute : BOOL;
    sValue : STRING;
    eCmdMode : E_OcaMessageTypeCmd;
END VAR
```

🐔 Inputs

Name	Туре	Description
pLink	POINTER TO ST_Link	Pointer for establishing a connection between OCA objects and the OCA device.
bExecute	BOOL	The method is executed with a positive edge at the bExecute input.
nSetting	UDINT	Value to be assigned to the property of the OCA object.
eCmdMode	OcaMessageTypeCmd	Depending on whether confirmation is required or not, this input variable is set to E_OcaMessageTypeCmd.OcaCmdRrq or E_OcaMessageTypeCmd.OcaCmd.

RNtfValue

	RNtfValue
	pLink POINTER TO ST_Link
	bEnable BOOL
_	nSubscribtionNo UDINT

If the OCA object was prompted to notify changes (using the <u>Subscription [> 24]</u> method), incoming notifications are read using the RNtfValue method.



Cyclic method call

Since several PLC cycles may pass between sending and the response from the device, this method should be executed cyclically.

Syntax

VAR_INPUT					
pLink	:	POINTER	ТО	ST	Link;
bEnable	:	BOOL;		-	_
nSubscribtionNo	:	UDINT;			
END VAR					

🐔 Inputs

Name	Туре	Description
pLink	POINTER TO ST_Link	Pointer for establishing a connection between OCA objects and the OCA device.
bExecute	BOOL	The method is executed with a positive edge at the bExecute input.
nSubscribtionNo	UDINT	Unique number for localizing the respective subscription.

GetMaxLen



The GetMaxLen method is used to query the maximum accepted length of the string of the OCA object (OcaStringActuator). If the query was successful, the result is output in the property stMaxLen.



Cyclic method call

Since several PLC cycles may pass between sending and the response from the device, this method should be executed cyclically.

Syntax

```
VAR_INPUT

plink : POINTER TO ST_link;

bExecute : BOOL;

END VAR
```

🐔 Inputs

Name	Туре	Description
pLink	POINTER TO ST_Link	Pointer for establishing a connection between OCA objects and the OCA device
bExecute	BOOL	The method is executed with a positive edge at the bExecute input.

7.1.3.2.8 FB_OcaInt32Actuator

FB_	OcaInt32Actuator

The function block FB_OcaInt32Actuator extends the function block FB_OcaBasicActuator with properties and methods for handling OcaInt32Actuator objects.

No explicit call

Since there is no code in the body of the function block, it should not be called explicitly. Instead, use the corresponding methods of the function block.

Inheritance hierarchy

FB_OcaRoot

FB_OcaWorker

FB_OcaActuator

FB_OcaBasicActuator

FB_OcaInt32Actuator

🔹 Methods

Name	Definition loca- tion	Description
<u>GetValue [▶ 50]</u>	Local	This method is used to query a signed property (integer, signed data type, 32 bits).
<u>SeValue [) 50]</u>	Local	This method can be used to set the value of the property.
RNtfValue [50]	Local	This method reads incoming notifications

Properties

Name	Туре	Access	Definition lo- cation	Description
stSetting	<u>ST_INT32Property</u> [▶ <u>56]</u>	Get	Local	Contains the value (integer, signed data type, 32 bit).
stSettingM AX	<u>ST_INT32Property</u> [▶ <u>56]</u>	Get	Local	Contains the maximum value (integer, signed data type, 32 bit).
stSettingMI N	ST_INT32Property [▶_56]	Get	Local	Contains the minimum value (integer, signed data type, 32 bit).

AES70 standard

The names of variables and function blocks have been adapted to the AES70 standard where possible. Information about this communication protocol can be found at <u>www.aes.org</u> and <u>www.ocaalliance.com</u>.

Requirements

Development environment	Target platform	PLC libraries to include
TwinCAT v3.1.4022.2 or higher	PC or CX (x64, x86, ARM)	Tc3_AES70

GetValue / SetValue / RNtfValue

GetValue

	GetValue
-	pLink POINTER TO ST_Link
_	bExecute BOOL

The GetValue method is used to query the property of the OCA object. If the query was successful, the result is output in the properties tSetting, stSettingMAX and stSettingMIN.



Cyclic method call

Since several PLC cycles may pass between sending and the response from the device, this method should be executed cyclically.

Syntax

```
VAR_INPUT

plink : POINTER TO ST_link;

bExecute : BOOL;

END VAR
```

🐔 Inputs

Name	Туре	Description
pLink	POINTER TO ST_Link	Pointer for establishing a connection between OCA objects and the OCA device
bExecute	BOOL	The method is executed with a positive edge at the bExecute input.

SetValue

SetValue

- pLink POINTER TO ST_Link
- bExecute BOOL
- nSetting DINT

```
eCmdMode E_OcaMessageTypeCmd
```

The SetValue method can be used to set the property of an OCA object. If the method was executed successfully, the result is output in the property stSetting.



Cyclic method call

Since several PLC cycles may pass between sending and the response from the device, this method should be executed cyclically.

Syntax

```
VAR_INPUT
    pLink : POINTER TO ST_Link;
    bExecute : BOOL;
    nSetting : UDINT;
    eCmdMode : E_OcaMessageTypeCmd;
END_VAR
```

🐔 Inputs

Name	Туре	Description
pLink	POINTER TO ST_Link	Pointer for establishing a connection between OCA objects and the OCA device.
bExecute	BOOL	The method is executed with a positive edge at the bExecute input.
nSetting	UDINT	Value to be assigned to the property of the OCA object.
eCmdMode	OcaMessageTypeCmd	Depending on whether confirmation is required or not, this input variable is set to E_OcaMessageTypeCmd.OcaCmdRrq or E_OcaMessageTypeCmd.OcaCmd.

RNtfValue

```
RNtfValue

— pLink POINTER TO ST_Link

— bEnable BOOL

— nSubscribtionNo UDINT
```

If the OCA object is prompted to notify changes (using the <u>Subscription [> 24]</u> method), incoming notifications are read using the RntfValue method.



Cyclic method call

Since several PLC cycles may pass between sending and the response from the device, this method should be executed cyclically.

Syntax

```
VAR_INPUT

pLink : POINTER TO ST_Link;

bEnable : BOOL;

nSubscribtionNo : UDINT;

END_VAR
```



🐔 Inputs

Name	Туре	Description
pLink	POINTER TO ST_Link	Pointer for establishing a connection between OCA objects and the OCA device.
bExecute	BOOL	The method is executed with a positive edge at the bExecute input.
nSubscribtionNo	UDINT	Unique number for localizing the respective subscription.

7.1.3.3 Sensor function blocks

Sensors enable querying of different parameters.



AES70 standard

The names of variables and function blocks have been adapted to the AES70 standard where possible. Information about this communication protocol can be found at <u>www.aes.org</u> and <u>www.ocaalliance.com</u>.

7.1.3.3.1 FB_OcaSensor



The function block FB_OcaSensor extends the function block FB_OcaWorker. It is the function block from which all function blocks that are assigned to the Sensor category inherit.



No explicit call

Since there is no code in the body of the function block, it should not be called explicitly. Instead, use the corresponding methods of the function block.

Inheritance hierarchy

FB_OcaRoot

FB_OcaWorker

FB_OcaSensor

획 Methods

Name	Definition loca- tion	Description
GetReadingState [▶ 53]	Local	You can use this method to query whether the value that was read is valid or not.
		If the query was successful, the result is output in the property stReadingState.

Properties

Name	Туре	Access	Definition lo- cation	Description
stReadingSt ate	ST_SensorReadi ngStatey [> 56]	Get	Local	Indicates whether the queried value is valid or not.

Requirements

Development environment	Target platform	PLC libraries to include
TwinCAT v3.1.4022.2 or higher	PC or CX (x64, x86, ARM)	Tc3_AES70

GetReadingState

	GetReadingState			
	pLink POINTER TO ST_Link	HRESULT GetReadingState		
_	bExecute BOOL			

The GetReadingState method is used to query the ReadingState property of the OCA object. If the query was successful, the result is output in the property stReadingState.



Cyclic method call

Since several PLC cycles may pass between sending and the response from the device, this method should be executed cyclically.

🐔 Inputs

Name	Туре	Description
pLink	POINTER TO ST_Link	Pointer for establishing a connection between OCA objects and the OCA device
bExecute	BOOL	The method is executed with a positive edge at the bExecute input.

7.1.3.3.2 FB_OcaTemperatureSensor

FB_OcaTemperatureSensor

The function block FB_OcaTemperatureSensor provides properties and methods for querying OCA objects that map a temperature value.



No explicit call

Since there is no code in the body of the function block, it should not be called explicitly. Instead, use the corresponding methods of the function block.

Inheritance hierarchy

FB_OcaRoot

FB_OcaWorker

FB_OcaSensor

FB_OcaTemperatureSensor

🔹 Methods

Name	Definition loca- tion	Description
GetReading	Local	Used to query the properties Reading, minReading and maxReading of the OCA object.
		If the query was successful, the result is output in the properties stReading, stReadingMAX and stReadingMIN.
RNtfGain	Local	If the OCA object was prompted to notify changes (using the <u>Subscription [\blacktriangleright 24] method</u>), this method is used to read incoming notifications.

AES70 standard

The names of variables and function blocks have been adapted to the AES70 standard where possible. Information about this communication protocol can be found at <u>www.aes.org</u> and <u>www.ocaalliance.com</u>.

Requirements

Development environment	Target platform	PLC libraries to include
TwinCAT v3.1.4022.2 or higher	PC or CX (x64, x86, ARM)	Tc3_AES70

GetReading / RntfReading

GetReading

GetReading
pLink POINTER TO ST_Link
bExecute BOOL

The GetReading method is used to query the property of the OCA object. If the query was successful, the result is output in the properties stReading, stReadingMAX and stReadingMIN



Cyclic method call

Since several PLC cycles may pass between sending and the response from the device, this method should be executed cyclically.

🐔 Inputs

Name	Туре	Description
pLink	POINTER TO ST_Link	Pointer for establishing a connection between OCA objects and the OCA device
bExecute	BOOL	The method is executed with a positive edge at the bExecute input.

RntfReading

RNtfReading
 pLink POINTER TO ST_Link
 bEnable BOOL
 nSubscribtionNo UDINT

If the OCA object was prompted to notify changes (using the <u>Subscription [> 24]</u> method), incoming notifications are read using the RNtfReading method.



Cyclic method call

Since several PLC cycles may pass between sending and the response from the device, this method should be executed cyclically.

🐔 Inputs

Name	Туре	Description
pLink	POINTER TO ST_Link	Pointer for establishing a connection between OCA objects and the OCA device.
bExecute	BOOL	The method is executed with a positive edge at the bExecute input.
nSubscribtionNo	UDINT	Unique number for localizing the respective subscription.

7.1.3.3.3 FB_OcaBasicSensor



The function block FB_OcaBasicSensor extends the function block <u>FB_OcaSensor</u> [▶ <u>52</u>]. It is the function block from which all function blocks that are assigned to the BasicSensor category inherit. FB_OcaBasicSensor has neither properties nor methods.

Inheritance hierarchy

FB_OcaRoot

FB_OcaWorker

FB_OcaSensor

FB_OcaBasicSensor

Requirements

Development environment	Target platform	PLC libraries to include		
TwinCAT v3.1.4022.2 or higher	PC or CX (x64, x86, ARM)	Tc3_AES70		

7.1.3.3.4 FB_OcaBooleanSensor

FB_OcaBooleanSensor

In terms of functionality, the function block FB_OcaBooleanSensor is similar to the function block <u>FB_OcaBooleanActuator [\blacktriangleright 43]</u>. However, since sensors can only be read, there is no corresponding set method.

Inheritance hierarchy

FB_OcaRoot

FB_OcaWorker

FB_OcaSensor

FB_OcaBasicSensor

FB_OcaBooleanSensor

7.1.3.3.5 FB_OcaStringSensor

FB_OcaStringSensor

In terms of functionality, the function block FB_OcaBooleanSensor is similar to the function block <u>FB_OcaStringActuator</u> [\blacktriangleright 46]. However, since sensors can only be read, there is no corresponding set method.

Inheritance hierarchy

FB_OcaRoot

FB_OcaWorker

FB_OcaSensor

FB_OcaBasicSensor

FB_OcaStringSensor

7.1.3.3.6 FB_OcaInt32Sensor

FB_OcaStringSensor

In terms of functionality, the function block FB_OcaBooleanSensor is similar to the function block <u>FB_OcaInt32Actuator [\blacktriangleright 49]</u>. However, since sensors can only be read, there is no corresponding set method.

Inheritance hierarchy

FB_OcaRoot

FB_OcaWorker

FB_OcaSensor

FB_OcaBasicSensor

FB_OcaInt32Sensor

7.2 Data types

7.2.1 Structures used to represent the properties of OCA objects

ST_OcaProperty

All structures listed below inherit from this structure.

```
TYPE ST_OcaProperty :
STRUCT
    eState: E_OcaStatus := E_OcaStatus.Undefined;
    sPropString: STRING(5) := '00p00';
END_STRUCT
END_TYPE
```

See also: <u>E_OcaStatus [58]</u>

ST_BooleanProperty

TYPE ST_BooleanProperty EXTENDS ST_OcaProperty : STRUCT bVal: BOOL := FALSE; END_STRUCT END_TYPE

ST_ClassIdProperty

TYPE ST_ClassIdProperty EXTENDS ST_OcaProperty : STRUCT nVal: ST_OcaClassId; END_STRUCT END_TYPE

ST_FLOAT32Property

TYPE ST_FLOAT32Property EXTENDS ST_OcaProperty: STRUCT fVal: REAL; END_STRUCT END_TYPE

ST_INT16Property

TYPE ST_INT16Property EXTENDS ST_OcaProperty : STRUCT nVal: INT; END_STRUCT END_TYPE

ST_INT32Property

TYPE ST_INT32Property EXTENDS ST_OcaProperty : STRUCT nVal: DINT; END_STRUCT END_TYPE

ST_INT8Property

TYPE ST_INT8Property EXTENDS ST_OcaProperty : STRUCT nVal: BYTE; END_STRUCT END_TYPE

ST_MuteStateProperty

TYPE ST_MuteStateProperty EXTENDS ST_OcaProperty : STRUCT eVal: E_OcaMuteState := E_OcaMuteState.Unmuted ; END_STRUCT END_TYPE

See also: <u>E_OcaMuteState [59]</u>

ST_PolarityStateProperty

```
TYPE ST_PolarityStateProperty EXTENDS ST_OcaProperty :
STRUCT
eVal: E_OcaPolarityState := E_OcaPolarityState.NonInverted;
END_STRUCT
END_TYPE
```

${\tt ST_PositionEnabledProperty}$

```
TYPE ST_PositionEnabledProperty EXTENDS ST_BooleanProperty:
STRUCT
nIndex: UINT;
END_STRUCT
END_TYPE
```

ST_PositionNameProperty

```
TYPE ST_PositionNameProperty EXTENDS ST_StringProperty :
STRUCT
nIndex: UINT;
END_STRUCT
END_TYPE
```

ST_SensorReadingState

```
TYPE ST_SensorReadingState EXTENDS ST_OcaProperty :

STRUCT

eVal: E_OcaSensorReadingState := E_OcaSensorReadingState.eUnknown;

END_STRUCT

END_TYPE
```

ST_StringProperty

```
TYPE ST_StringProperty EXTENDS ST_OcaProperty :
STRUCT
stVal: ST_OcaString;
END_STRUCT
END_TYPE
```

ST_SubscriptionManagerState

```
TYPE ST_SubscriptionManagerState EXTENDS ST_OcaProperty :
STRUCT
eVal: E_OcaSubscriptionManagerState;
END_STRUCT
END_TYPE
```

ST_TemperatureProperty

```
TYPE ST_TemperatureProperty EXTENDS ST_OcaProperty:STRUCT
stVal: ST_OcaTemperature;
END_STRUCT
END_TYPE
```

See also: <u>ST_OcaTemperature</u> [> <u>59</u>]

ST_UINT16Property

```
TYPE ST_UINT16Property EXTENDS ST_OcaProperty :
STRUCT
nVal: UINT;
END_STRUCT
END_TYPE
```

ST_UDINT32Property

TYPE ST_UDINT32Property EXTENDS ST_OcaProperty : STRUCT nVal: UDINT; END_STRUCT END TYPE

ST_UINT8Property

```
TYPE ST_UINT8Property EXTENDS ST_OcaProperty :
STRUCT
nVal: SINT;
END_STRUCT
END TYPE
```

7.2.2 E_OcaStatus

The status code that identifies the result of the method invocation the response belongs to. E_OcaStatus has a size of 1 byte.

```
(*Status codes returned from method calls*)
{attribute 'qualified_only'}
TYPE E_OcaStatus :
(
    Ok := 0,
```



```
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```

```
ProtocolVersionError := 1,
  DeviceError := 2,
  Locked := 3,
  BadFormat := 4,
  BadONo := 5,
   ParameterError := 6,
  ParameterOutOfRange := 7,
  NotImplemented := 8,
  InvalidRequest := 9,
  ProcessingFailed := 10,
  BadMethod := 11,
  PartiallySucceeded := 12,
  Timeout := 13,
  BufferOverflow := 14,
  DecodingError := 20,
  Undefined := 21
) BYTE:
END TYPE
```

7.2.3 E_OcaMuteState

```
{attribute 'qualified_only'}
{attribute 'strict'}
TYPE E_OcaMuteState:
(
    Muted:= 1,
    Unmuted:=2
);
END_TYPE
```

7.2.4 ST_OcaTemperature

```
TYPE ST_OcaTemperature :
STRUCT
fDegreesCelsius: REAL; //Value in Degrees Celsius
END_STRUCT
END_TYPE
```

7.2.5 ST_OcaDeviceInfo

Structure used to show informations about OCA devices.

```
TYPE ST_OcaDeviceInfo:

STRUCT

tDeviceEnabledSince: DATE_AND_TIME;

tClientConnectedSince: DATE_AND_TIME; //yet not used - for further extensions

tLastSentMsg: DATE_AND_TIME;

tLastReceivedMsg: DATE_AND_TIME;

aSentMessages: ARRAY[E_OcaMessageType.OcaCmd..E_OcaMessageType.OcaKeepAlive] OF UDINT;

aRRAY[E_OcaMessageType.OcaCmd..E_OcaMessageType.OcaKeepAlive] OF UDINT;

END_STRUCT

END_TYPE
```

7.2.6 E_OcaMessageType

```
Indicates the type of the message
```

8 Examples

8.1 Example for using the function block FB_OcaDevice

The example shows how to handle and parameterize the function block FB_OcaDevice. The function block FB_OcaDevice forms the basis for the use of further function blocks that can be used to read and modify OCA objects of an OCA device.



This example assumes that a device that supports the AES70 standard is connected.

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8.2 Example for using the function block FB_OcaRoot

The example shows how the function block FB_OcaRoot can be used. The function block FB_OcaRoot provides basic functionalities and passes these on to all function blocks of the library that are used to read and modify OCA objects such as FB_OcaMute, FB_OcaSwitch etc.



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8.3 Example for using the function block FB_OcaWorker

The example shows how the function block FB_OcaWorker can be used.



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8.4 Example for using the function block FB_OcaGain

The example shows how to handle and parameterize the function block FB_OcaGain. Methods and properties that are inherited from FB_OcaWorker and therefore also from FB_OcaRoot are also used.

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