

Machine Automation Controller NJ-series

# EtherCAT(R) Connection Guide HMS Industrial Networks

Anybus X-gateway

Network
Connection
Guide



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# 1. Related Manuals

The table below lists the manuals related to this document.

To ensure system safety, make sure to always read and heed the information provided in all Safety Precautions, Precautions for Safe Use, and Precaution for Correct Use of manuals for each device which is used in the system.

Cat. No.	Model	Manual name
W500	NJ501-[][][][]	NJ-series CPU Unit Hardware User's Manual
	NJ301-[][][][]	
W501	NJ501-[][][][]	NJ-series CPU Unit Software User's Manual
	NJ301-[][][][]	
W505	NJ501-[][][][]	NJ-series CPU Unit Built-in EtherCAT Port User's
	NJ301-[][][][]	Manual
W504	SYSMAC-SE2[][][]	Sysmac Studio Version 1 Operation Manual
HMSI-168-101	ABX-[][][][]-ECTS	User Manual Anybus X-gateway
SP0736	ABX-[][][][]-ECTS	Gateway Installation Sheet Anybus X-gateway
HMSI-168-94	ABX-[][][][]-ECTS	X-gateway Interface Addendum EtherCAT Slave
SP0993	ABX-[][][][]-ECTS	Network Installation Sheet EtherCAT Slave Interface

# 2. Terms and Definitions

Term	Explanation and Definition
PDO communications	This method is used for cyclic data exchange between the master unit
(Communications using	and the slave units.
Process Data Objects)	PDO data (i.e., I/O data that is mapped to PDOs) that is allocated in
	advance is refreshed periodically each EtherCAT process data
	communications cycle (i.e., the period of primary periodic task).
	The NJ-series Machine Automation Controller uses the PDO
	communications for commands to refresh I/O data in a fixed control
	period, including I/O data for EtherCAT Slave Units, and the position
	control data for the Servomotors.
	It is accessed from the NJ-series Machine Automation Controller in
	the following ways.
	•With device variables for EtherCAT slave I/O
	•With Axis Variables for Servo Drive and encoder input slave to which
CDO Communications	assigned as an axis
SDO Communications	This method is used to read and write the specified slave unit data
(Communications using	from the master unit when required.
Service Data Objects)	The NJ-series Machine Automation Controller uses SDO
	communications for commands to read and write data, such as for
	parameter transfers, at specified times.
	The NJ-series Machine Automation Controller can read/write the
	specified slave data (parameters and error information, etc.) with the
	EC_CoESDORead (Read CoE SDO) instruction or the
Olava vinit	EC_CoESDOWrite (Write CoE SDO) instruction.
Slave unit	There are various types of slaves such as Servo Drives that handle
	position data and I/O terminals that handle the bit signals.
	The slave unit receives output data sent from the master, and
No. 1 I I	transmits input data to the master.
Node address	A node address is an address to identify a unit connected to
FOLCI	EtherCAT.
ESI file	The ESI files contain information unique to the EtherCAT slaves in
(EtherCAT Slave	XML format.
Information file)	Install an ESI file into the Sysmac Studio, to allocate slave process
,	data and make other settings.

## 3. Precautions

- (1) Understand the specifications of devices which are used in the system. Allow some margin for ratings and performance. Provide safety measures, such as installing safety circuit in order to ensure safety and minimize risks of abnormal occurrence.
- (2) To ensure system safety, always read and heed the information provided in all Safety Precautions, Precautions for Safe Use, and Precaution for Correct Use of manuals for each device used in the system.
- (3) The user is encouraged to confirm the standards and regulations that the system must conform to.
- (4) It is prohibited to copy, to reproduce, and to distribute a part or the whole of this document without the permission of OMRON Corporation.
- (5) The information contained in this document is current as of March 2014. It is subject to change without notice for improvement.

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### **Precautions for Safe Use**

Precautions on what to do and what not to do to ensure safe usage of the product.



## **Precautions for Correct Use**

Precautions on what to do and what not to do to ensure proper operation and performance.



#### **Additional Information**

Additional information to read as required.

This information is provided to increase understanding or make operation easier.

#### **Symbol**



The filled circle symbol indicates operations that you must do. The specific operation is shown in the circle and explained in text. This example shows a general precaution for something that must do.

## 4. Overview

This document describes the procedure for connecting the Anybus X-gateway (hereinafter referred to as X-gateway) of HMS Industrial Networks (hereinafter referred to as HMS) to NJ-series Machine Automation Controller (hereinafter referred to as Controller) of OMRON Corporation via EtherCAT and provides the procedure for checking their connection.

Refer to Section 6 EtherCAT Settings and Section 7. EtherCAT Connection Procedure to understand the setting method and key points to operate PDO communications of EtherCAT.

# 5. Applicable Devices and Device Configuration

## 5.1. Applicable Devices

The applicable devices are as follows:

Manufacturer	Name	Model
OMRON	NJ-series CPU Unit	NJ501-[][][][] NJ301-[][][][]
HMS	Anybus X-gateway	ABX-[][][][]-ECTS



#### **Precautions for Correct Use**

As applicable devices above, the devices with the models and versions listed in *Section 5.2*. are actually used in this document to describe the procedure for connecting devices and checking the connection.

You cannot use devices with versions lower than the versions listed in Section 5.2.

To use the above devices with versions not listed in *Section 5.2* or versions higher than those listed in *Section 5.2*, check the differences in the specifications by referring to the manuals before operating the devices.



#### **Additional Information**

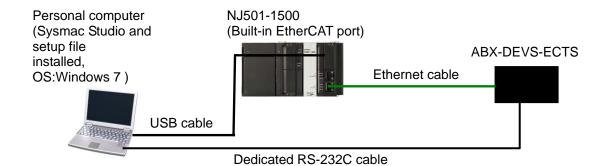
This document describes the procedure to establish the network connection. Except for the connection procedure, it does not provide information on operation, installation or wiring method. It also does not describe the functionality or operation of the devices. Refer to the manuals or contact the device manufacturer.

(HMS Industrial Networks http://www.hms.se/)

This URL is the latest address at the time of this document creation. Contact each device manufacturer for the latest information.

## 5.2. Device Configuration

The hardware components to reproduce the connection procedure of this document are as follows:



Manufacturer	Name	Model	Version
OMRON	CPU Unit	NJ501-1500	Ver.1.06
	(Built-in EtherCAT port)		
OMRON	Power Supply Unit	NJ-PA3001	
OMRON	Sysmac Studio	SYSMAC-SE2[][][]	Ver.1.07
-	Personal computer (OS: Windows 7)	-	
-	USB cable (USB 2.0 type B connector)	-	
OMRON	Ethernet cable (with industrial Ethernet connector)	XS5W-T421-[]M[]-K	
HMS	Anybus X-gateway	ABX-DEVS-ECTS	Ver.3.20
HMS	Dedicated RS-232C cable	(Included with Anybus X-gateway.)	
HMS	ESI file	ABXS_ECT_V_3_20_ Fixed_PDO_256bytes_ for_OMRON_1.xml	Ver.1.2
HMS	Setup file  •X-gateway and HyperTerminal	-	•-
	*The following files are included: •hypertrm.dll •hypertrm.exe		•Ver.5.1.2600.2180 •Ver.5.1.2600.0



## **Precautions for Correct Use**

Prepare the applicable ESI file described in this section beforehand. The ESI file can be downloaded from the HMS Industrial Networks website.

http://www.hms.se/

Contact HMS Industrial Networks if the file is not available.



#### **Precautions for Correct Use**

The connection line of EtherCAT communication cannot be shared with other Ethernet networks.

Do not use devices for Ethernet such as a switching hub.

Use the cable (double shielding with aluminum tape and braiding) of Category 5 or higher, and use the shielded connector of Category 5 or higher.

Connect the cable shield to the connector hood at both ends of the cable.



#### **Precautions for Correct Use**

Update the Sysmac Studio to the version specified in this section or higher version using the auto update function.

If a version not specified in this section is used, the procedures described in *Section 7* and subsequent sections may not be applicable. In that case, use the equivalent procedures described in the *Sysmac Studio Version 1 Operation Manual* (Cat. No. W504).



## **Additional Information**

For specifications of the Ethernet cable and network wiring, refer to 4 EtherCAT Network Wiring of the NJ-series CPU Unit Built-in EtherCAT(R) Port User's Manual (Cat. No. W505).



#### **Additional Information**

The system configuration in this document uses USB for the connection between the personal computer and NJ-series CPU. For how to install a USB driver, refer to A-1 Driver Installation for Direct USB Cable Connection of the Sysmac Studio Version 1 Operation Manual (Cat.No. W504).

# 6. EtherCAT Settings

This section describes the specifications such as communication parameters and variables that are defined in this document.

Hereinafter, X-gateway is referred to as the "Destination Device" or the "Slave Unit" in some descriptions.



#### **Precautions for Correct Use**

This document checks if communications between the Controller and X-gateway are performed normally. Note that the communications data that are exchanged on EtherCAT are not checked. The data that are converted between EtherCAT and DeviceNet in the X-gateway are not checked, either.

## 6.1. EtherCAT Communications Parameter Settings

The communications parameters required to connect the Controller and the Destination Device via EtherCAT are given below.

	X-gateway
Node address	1
Output PDO Size	256 bytes
Input PDO Size	256 bytes



## **Additional Information**

For details on EtherCAT-related parameters for the X-gateway, refer to *CANopen Object Dictionary Implementation* of *X-gateway Interface Addendum EtherCAT Slave* (HMSI-168-94).

## 6.2. Allocation for PDO communications

The EtherCAT PDO communications data of the Destination Device are allocated to the Controller's device variables. The Destination Device data, device variable names and the data types are shown below.

## ■Output area (from Controller to Destination Device)

	,	
Destination Device data	Global variable	Data type
Receive PDO1 Mapping_	E001_Recieve_PDO_1_Mapping_	LICINIT
Output Byte 1_2100_01	Output_Byte_1_2100_01	USINT
•	•	•
•	•	•
•	•	•
Receive PDO1 Mapping_	E001_Recieve_PDO_1_Mapping_	USINT
Output Byte 128_2100_80	Output_Byte_128_2100_80	USINI
Receive PDO 2 Mapping_	E001_Recieve_PDO_2_Mapping_	USINT
Output Byte 1_2101_01	Output_Byte_1_2101_01	USINI
•	•	•
•	•	•
•	•	•
Receive PDO 2 Mapping_	E001_Recieve_PDO_2_Mapping_	USINT
Output Byte 128_2101_80	Output_Byte_128_2101_80	OSINI

### ■Input area (from Destination Device to Controller)

Destination Device data	Global variable	Data type
Transmit PDO 1 Mapping_	E001_Transmit_PDO_1_Mapping_	LICINIT
Input Byte 1_2000_01	Input_Byte_1_2000_01	USINT
•	•	•
•	•	•
•	•	•
Transmit PDO 1 Mapping_	E001_Transmit_PDO_1_Mapping_	USINT
Input Byte 128_2000_80	Input_Byte_128_2000_80	USINI
Transmit PDO 2 Mapping_	E001_Transmit_PDO_2_Mapping_	USINT
Input Byte 1_2001_01	Input_Byte_1_2001_01	USINI
•	•	•
•	•	•
•	•	•
Transmit PDO 2 Mapping_	E001_Transmit_PDO_2_Mapping_	USINT
Input Byte 128_2001_80	Input_Byte_128_2001_80	USINI



## **Additional Information**

For details on the I/O format, refer to *Data Exchange* of *X-gateway Interface Addendum EtherCAT Slave* (HMSI-168-94).

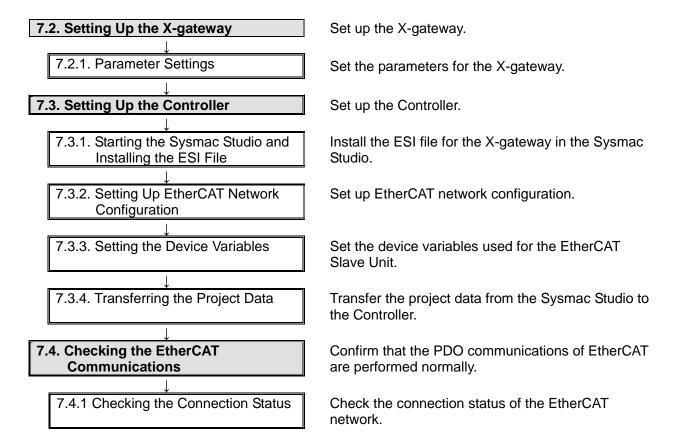
## 7. EtherCAT Connection Procedure

This section describes the procedure for connecting the Controller to the X-gateway via EtherCAT.

This document explains the procedures for setting up the Controller and the X-gateway from the factory default setting. For the initialization, refer to *Section 8 Initialization Method*.

## 7.1. Work Flow

Take the following steps to perform PDO communications of EtherCAT.



## 7.2. Setting Up the X-gateway

Set up the X-gateway.

## 7.2.1. Parameter Settings

Set the parameters for the X-gateway.

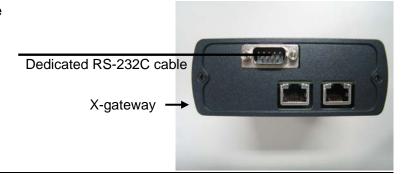
You set the parameters with "hypertrm.exe" HyperTerminal. Store and unzip the "X-gateway and HyperTerminal.zip" setup file beforehand that contains files necessary for parameter settings.



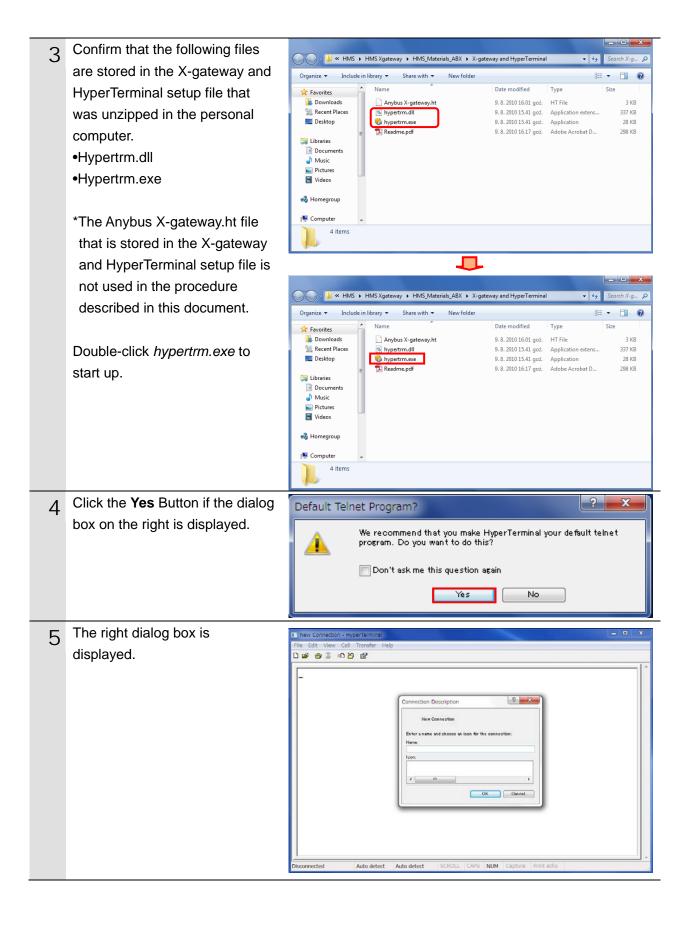
### **Additional Information**

For details on how to operate "hypertrm.exe" HyperTerminal, refer to *Installation and Configuration* of *X-gateway Interface Addendum EtherCAT Slave* and refer to Readme.pdf in the "X-gateway and HyperTerminal.zip" setup file.

- 1 Make sure that the power supply to the X-gateway is OFF.
  - \* If the power supply is turned ON, settings may not be applicable as described in the following procedures.
- 2 Connect the X-gateway and the personal computer with the dedicated RS-232C cable.



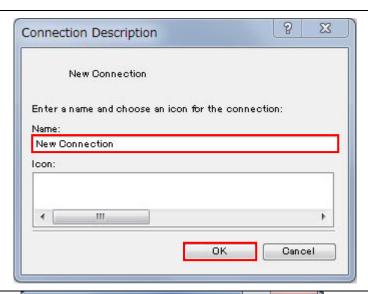
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6 Enter New Connection in the Name Field on the Connection Description Dialog Box and click the **OK** Button.

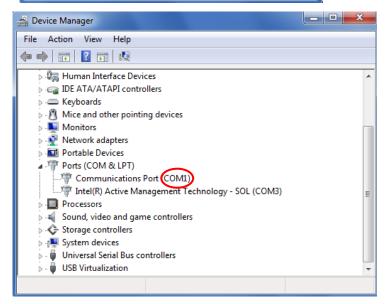
\*You can enter any name in the Name Field besides New Connection. The name that you entered here is not used in the following procedure.



7 For Connect Using: on the Connect To Dialog Box, select the COM port of the personal computer to which the RS-232C cable is connected.



- \*If the personal computer has multiple serial ports, display the Windows Device Manager and select the COM port number (COM1 in the example on the right) under Ports (COM & LPT).
- \*To display the Device Manager, right-click **My Computer**, click **Properties**, click the **Hardware** tab, and then click **Device Manager**.

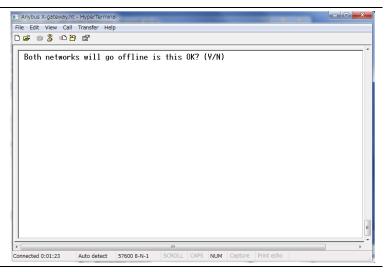


Make the Port Settings as follows: **COM1** Properties Bit per second: 57600 Port Settings Data bits: 8 Parity: None Stop bits: 1 Flow control: None Bits per second: 57600 After you make all of the settings, click the **OK** Button. Data bits: 8 Parity: None Stop bits: • Flow control: None Restore Defaults OK Cancel Apply Turn ON the power supply to the X-gateway. A message is displayed as Anybus X-gateway.ht - Hype 10 shown in the figure on the right. D 🚅 😑 🏅 🕪 🖆 🖆 Gateway initialising.....Please wait Press the **ESC** Key. Verifying file system and generating configuration.... Both Anybus modules are OK. Exchanging data. Press ESC to enter configuration interface Connected 0:00:22 Auto detect 57600 8-N-1 The menu shown on the right is 11 New Connection - HyperTerminal displayed. File Edit View Call Trans Enter 6. Anybus X-gateway main menu 1 - Show gateway system information
2 - Show fieldbus system information
3 - Show gateway system configuration
4 - Show fieldbus system configuration
5 - Operating status information
6 - Change configuration
7 - Configuration upload/download
8 - Restart Gateway
A - Administration mode

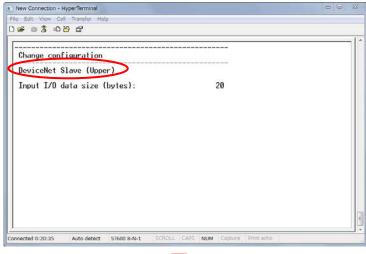
Auto detect 57600 8-N-1 SCROLL CAPS NUM Capture

Connected 0:01:43

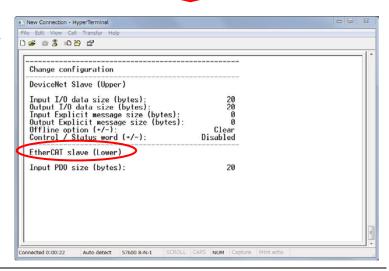
12 Enter *y* to the question shown on the right.



A message stating "DeviceNet Slave (Upper)" is displayed as shown in the figure on the right.

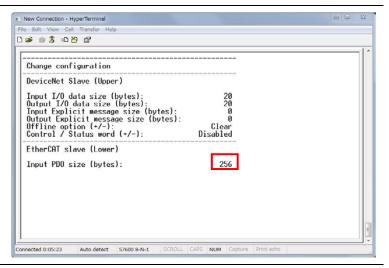


Press the **Enter** Key until a message stating "EtherCAT slave (Lower)" is displayed as shown in the figure on the right.

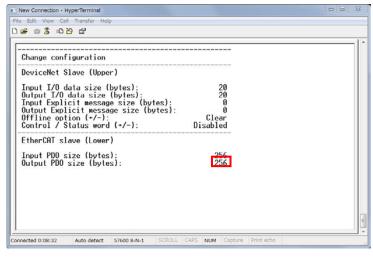


14 Change the default value of Input PDO size (bytes): to 256 bytes as shown in the figure on the right.

Press the **Enter** Key after the value is changed.

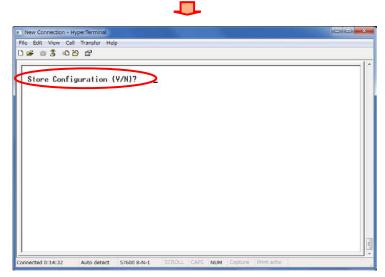


Change the default value of Output PDO size (bytes): to 256 bytes as shown in the figure on the right.



After the value is changed, press the **Enter** Key until a question is displayed as shown in the figure on the right.

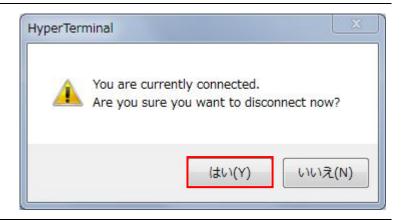
Enter y to the question.



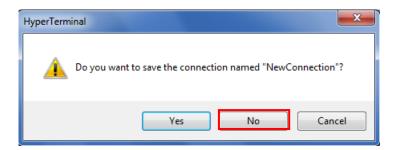
A question is displayed as 16 New Connection - HyperTerminal shown in the figure on the right. Enter y to the question. Store Configuration (Y/N)? Please wait while configuration is being stored... Configuration stored! Restart gateway to execute all changes (Y/N)? Auto detect 57600 8-N-1 After you complete the settings 17 Anybus X-gateway.ht - HyperTer for the X-gateway, the window D 😅 😑 🏅 🗈 🖰 😭 on the right is displayed. Gateway initialising.....Please wait Verifying file system and generating configuration.... Both Anybus modules are OK. Exchanging data. Press ESC to enter configuration interface Connected 0:13:43 Auto detect 57600 8-N-1 Select *Exit* from the File Menu. 18 New Connection - HyperTerminal File Edit View Call Transfer He **New Connection** Open... Save Save As... Page Setup... Print... Properties Alt+F4 Exit

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The message on the right is displayed. Check the contents and click the **Yes** Button.



20 If the message on the right is displayed, check the contents and click the **No** Button.



## 7.3. Setting Up the Controller

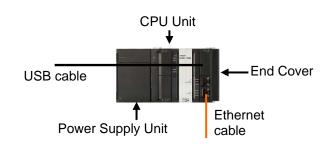
Set up the Controller.

## 7.3.1. Starting the Sysmac Studio and Installing the ESI File

Install the ESI file for the X-gateway in the Sysmac Studio.

Install the Sysmac Studio and USB driver in the personal computer beforehand.

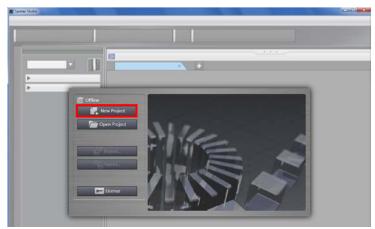
1 Connect the Ethernet cable to the built-in EtherCAT port (PORT2) of the Controller and connect the USB cable to the peripheral (USB) port. As shown in 5.2. Device Configuration, connect the personal computer, X-gateway and Controller.



- 2 Turn ON the power supply to the Controller.
- 3 Start the Sysmac Studio.



- 4 Click the **New Project** Button.
  - \*If a confirmation dialog for an access right is displayed at start, select to start.



5 The Project Properties Dialog Box is displayed.

\*In this document, New Project is set as the project name.

Confirm that *Category* and *Device* that you use are set in the Select Device Field.

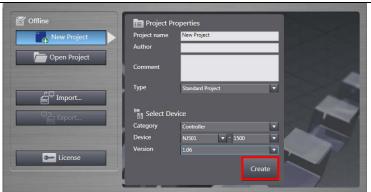
Select version **1.06** from the pull-down list of Version.

\*Although 1.06 is selected in this document, select the version you actually use.



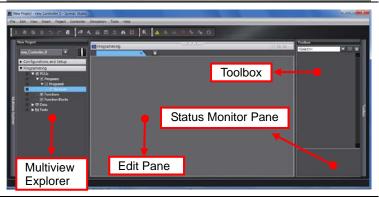


6 Click the Create Button.

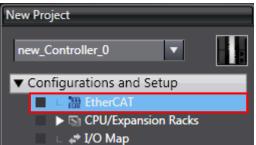


7 The New Project is displayed.

The left pane is called Multiview Explorer, the top right pane is called Toolbox, the bottom right pane is called Status Monitor Pane and the middle pane is called Edit Pane.



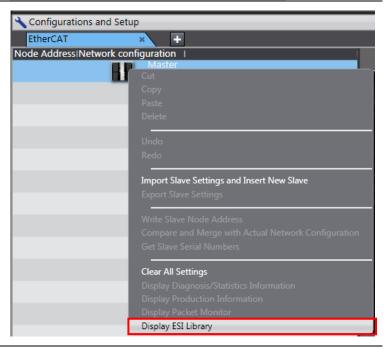
Double-click **EtherCAT** under **Configurations and Setup** in the Multiview Explorer.



7 The EtherCAT Tab Page is displayed in the Edit Pane.

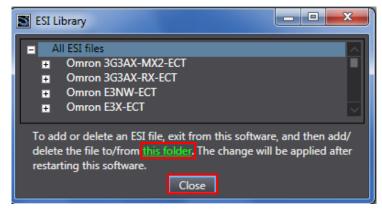


1 Right-click **Master** and select **Display ESI Library**.

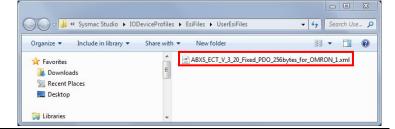


The ESI Library Dialog Box is displayed. Click the **this folder** link.

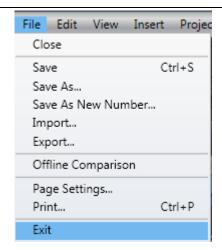
When the Explorer starts, close the dialog box by clicking the **Close** Button.



The Explorer starts and a folder is opened allowing you to install the ESI file. Copy the prepared ESI file for HMS (ABXS\_ECT\_V\_3\_20\_Fixed\_P DO\_256bytes\_for\_OMRON\_1.x ml) to this folder.

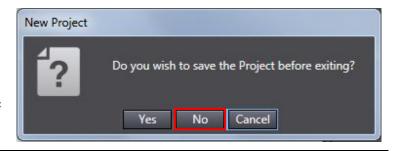


13 Select *Exit* from the File Menu to exit the Sysmac Studio.



A dialog box is displayed confirming whether to save the project. If you do not need to save, click the **No** Button.

\*You need to restart the Sysmac Studio after installing an ESI file.

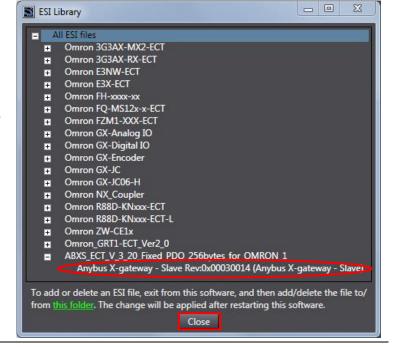


Restart the Sysmac Studio by following steps 3 to 10 and display the ESI Library Dialog Box.

Click the + Button of ABXS\_ECT\_V\_3\_20\_Fixed\_PD O\_256bytes\_for\_OMRON\_1.xm I to confirm that the Rev:0x00030014 device is displayed.

Confirm that an exclamation mark (warning) is not displayed.

Click the Close Button





#### **Precautions for Correct Use**

If an exclamation mark (warning) is displayed for the ESI file, check the name of the ESI file and obtain the ESI file with a correct name. If an exclamation mark (warning) is displayed even when the name of the ESI file is correct, the file may be corrupted. Contact the device manufacturer.

## 7.3.2. Setting Up EtherCAT Network Configuration

Set up EtherCAT network configuration.



Always confirm safety before you reset the Controller or any components.



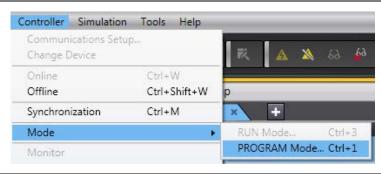
Select Communications Setup Controller Simulation Tools Help from the Controller Menu. Communications Setup... Change Device Online Ctrl+W Offline Ctrl+Shift+W The Communications Setup Communications Setup Dialog Box is displayed. Select the Direct connection via **USB** Option for Connection Type. Click the **OK** Button. Select Online from the Simulation Tools Controller | Controller Menu. Communications Setup... Change Device Online Ctrl+W Offline Ctrl+Shift+W A confirmation dialog box is Sysmac Studio displayed. Check the contents The CPU Unit has no name and click the Yes Button. Do you want to write the project name [new\_Controller\_0] to the CPU Unit name? (Y/N) Yes No \*The displayed dialog depends on the status of the Controller used. Click the Yes Button to proceed with the processing. When an online connection is Configurations and Setup established, a yellow bar is displayed on the top of the Edit EtherCAT + Pane.



#### **Additional Information**

For details on online connections to a Controller, refer to Section 5 Online Connections to a Controller of the Sysmac Studio Version 1 Operation Manual (Cat. No. W504).

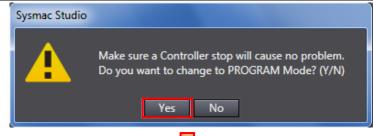
5 Select *Mode - PROGRAM Mode* from the Controller Menu.



A confirmation dialog is displayed.

Check if there is no problem.

Check if there is no problem and click the **Yes** Button.



Confirm that the Controller Status in the Status Monitor Pane changed to PROGRAM mode.



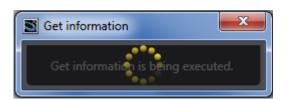
EtherCAT

Right-click **Master** on the EtherCAT Tab Page of the Edit Pane, and select **Write Slave Node Address**.

\*If the EtherCAT Tab is not displayed on the Edit Pane, display it by following step 8 of 7.3.1. Starting the Sysmac Studio and Installing the ESI File.

Master
Cut
Copy
Paste
Delete
Undo
Redo
Import Slave Settings and Insert New Slave
Export Slave Settings
Write Slave Node Address
Compare and Merge with Actual Network Configuration

A screen is displayed stating "Get information is being executed".



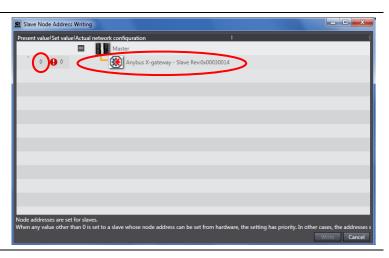
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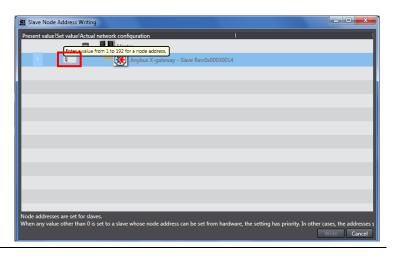
8 The Slave Node Address Writing Dialog Box is displayed.

The present value (setting node address) and Anybus X-gateway-Slave Rev:0x00030014 are displayed in the Actual network configuration.

\*If the present value of the node address is 0, •• and an error is displayed.

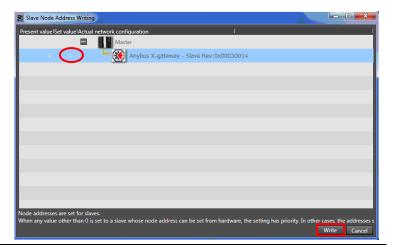
9 Click the Set value field and enter 1 as the node address.

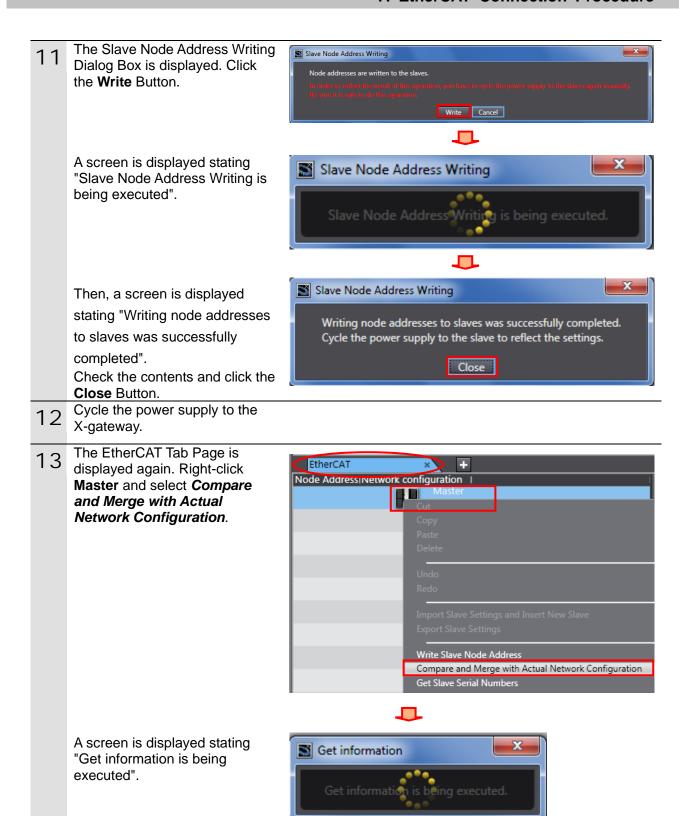




10 Confirm that there is no error in the setting value and 1 is set.

Click the Write Button.





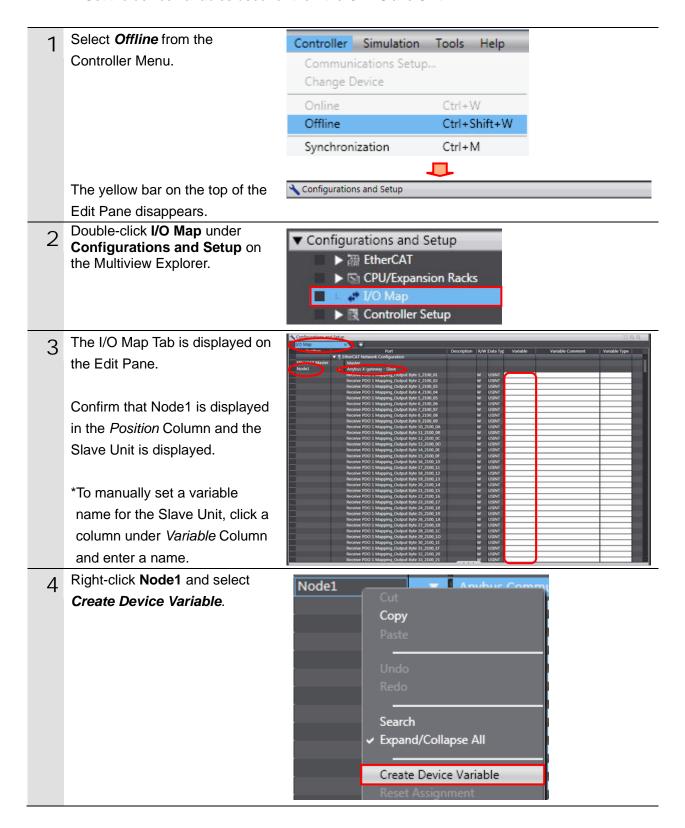
The Compare and Merge with 14 **Actual Network Configuration** Pane is displayed. Node address 1 and Anybus X-gateway-Slave Rev:0x00030014 are added to the Actual network configuration after the comparison. Click the Apply actual network configuration Button. A confirmation dialog box is Apply actual network configuration 15 displayed. Check the contents Do you apply the actual network configuration to the network configuration on Sysmac Studio? and click the Apply Button. Apply Cancel A confirmation dialog box is Mactual Network Configuration Apply Result displayed. Check the contents The network configuration on Sysmac Studio is the same as the actual network and click the Close Button. Close Confirm that node address 1, Compare and Merge with Actual Network Configuration E001 and Anybus Node Address Network configuration on Sysmac Studio X-gateway-Slave Rev:0x00030014 were added to the Network configuration on Sysmac Studio. Click the Close Button. Close Node address 1, E001 and Anybus X-gateway-Slave Configurations and Setup Rev:0x00030014 are added to EtherCAT the EtherCAT Tab Page in the Node Address/Network configuration

E001

Edit Pane.

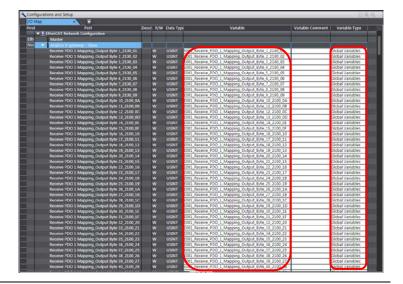
## 7.3.3. Setting the Device Variables

Set the device variables used for the EtherCAT Slave Unit.



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The variable names and variable types are automatically set





## **Additional Information**

The device variables are named automatically from a combination of the device names and the port names.

For slave units, the default device names start with an "E" followed by a sequential number starting from "001".



## **Additional Information**

In this document, device variables are automatically named for a unit (a slave). Device variables can also be manually named for ports.

## 7.3.4. Transferring the Project Data

Transfer the project data from the Sysmac Studio to the Controller.

# **№ WARNING**

Always confirm safety at the Destination Device before you transfer a user program, configuration data, setup data, device variables, or values in memory used for CJ-series Units from the Sysmac Studio.



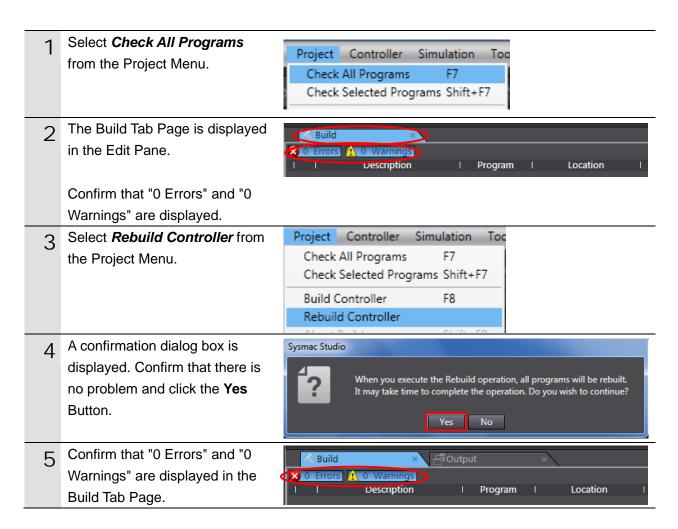
The devices or machines may perform unexpected operation regardless of the operating mode of the CPU Unit.



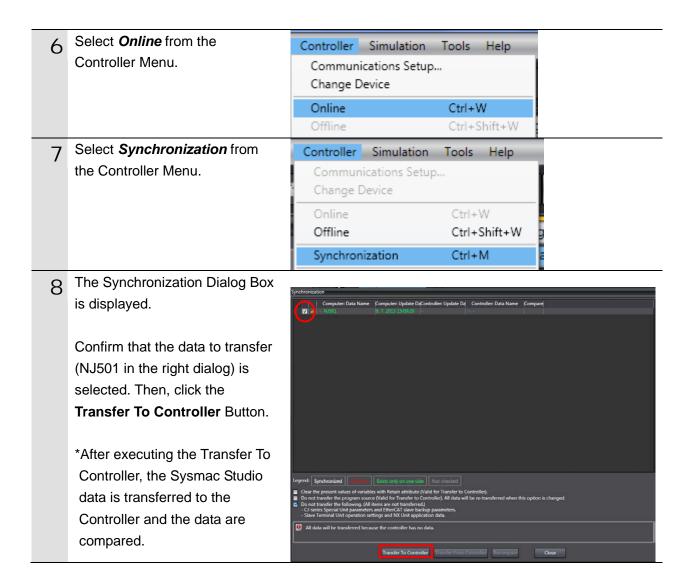
### **Precautions for Safe Use**

After you transfer the user program, the CPU Unit restarts and communications with the EtherCAT slaves are cut off. During that period, the slave outputs behave according to the slave settings. The time that communications are cut off depends on the EtherCAT network configuration.

Before you transfer the user program, confirm that the system will not be adversely affected.



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A confirmation dialog box is displayed. Confirm that there is no problem and click the **Yes** Button.

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A screen stating "Synchronizing" is displayed.

EtherCAT slaves will be reset and forced refreshing will be cancelled, when transferred to the controller. Do you want to continue?(Y/N)

Yes No

Synchronization

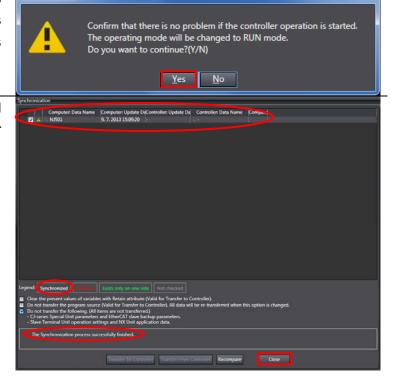
Synchronizati

A confirmation dialog box is displayed. Confirm that there is no problem and click the **Yes** Button.

Confirm that the synchronized data is displayed with the color specified by "Synchronized" and that a message is displayed stating "The synchronization process successfully finished".

If there is no problem, click the **Close** Button.

- \*A message stating "The synchronization process successfully finished" is displayed if the Sysmac Studio project data and the data in the Controller match.
- \*If the synchronization fails, check the wiring and repeat from step 1.



## 7.4. Checking the EtherCAT Communications

Confirm that the PDO communications of EtherCAT are performed normally.

## 7.4.1. Checking the Connection Status

Check the connection status of the EtherCAT network.

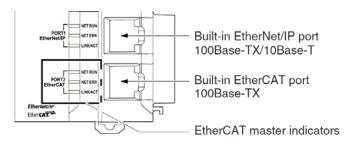
1 Check the LED indicators on the Controller and confirm that the EtherCAT communications are performed normally.

LED indicators in normal status:

[NET RUN]:Lit green

[NET ERR]:Not lit

[LINK/ACT]:Flashing yellow



Label	Name	Color	Status	Meaning
		Green	Lit	EtherCAT communications are in progress.
				<ul> <li>I/O data is being input and output.</li> </ul>
	RUN		Flashing	EtherCAT communications are established. Communications is in one of the following states.
EtherCAT NET RUN				<ul> <li>Only message communications is functioning.</li> </ul>
NET HUN				<ul> <li>Only message communications and I/O data input operations are functioning.</li> </ul>
			Not lit	EtherCAT communications are stopped.
				<ul> <li>Power is OFF or the Unit is being reset.</li> </ul>
				<ul> <li>There is a MAC address error, communica- tions controller error, or other error.</li> </ul>
EtherCAT	ERROR	Red	Lit	There is an unrecoverable error, such as a hardware error or an exception.
NET ERR			Flashing	There is a recoverable error.
			Not lit	There is no error.
	Link/Activity		Lit	The link is established.
EtherCAT LINK/ACT			Flashing	A link is established and data is being sent and received.
		Link/Activity Yellow		The indicator flashes whenever data is sent or received.
			Not lit	The link is not established.

2 Check the LED indicators on the X-gateway.

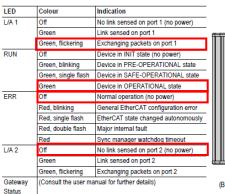
LED indicators in normal status:

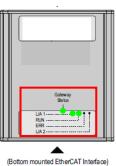
[L/A 1]: Flashing green

[RUN]: Lit green [ERR]: Not lit

[L/A 2]: Not lit

[Gateway Status]: Lit green





The Gateway Status LEDs

These LEDs reflect the overall status of each network in terface.

Colour	Indication
Green	Communication running
Red	Communication fault
Red, flashing	Network interface fault
Off	No power

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Double-click EtherCAT under New Project Configurations and Setup in the Multiview Explorer. new\_Controller\_0 ▼ Configurations and Setup ► 🔄 CPU/Expansion Racks ♣ I/O Map ▶ ॡ Controller Setup Configurations and Setup The icon for E001 is EtherCAT Node Address|Network configuration displayed on the Edit Pane. Anybus X-gateway - Slave Rev:0x00030014 Confirm that the mark which indicates normal communications of EtherCAT is displayed. Select Troubleshooting from the Tools Help Tools Menu. Troubleshooting... Backup Export Global Variables Comments for Variables and Data Types > Import ST Program... Option... Troubleshooting The Troubleshooting Dialog Box is displayed. Confirm that "No Error" is displayed on the Details Pane in the Controller Errors Tab. No Error \*A message stating "No Error" is displayed if there is no error in the EtherCAT communications.

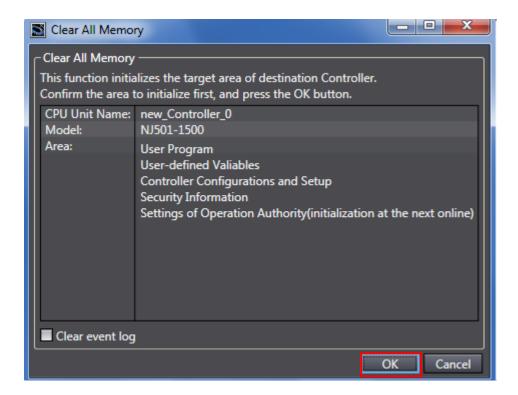
## 8. Initialization Method

This document explains the setting procedure from the factory default setting.

Some settings may not be applicable as described in this document unless you use the devices with the factory default setting.

## 8.1. Initializing the Controller

To initialize the settings of the Controller, select *Clear All Memory* from the Controller Menu of the Sysmac Studio. The Clear All Memory Dialog Box is displayed. Check the contents and click the **OK** Button.



## 8.2. Initializing the X-gateway

For how to initialize the X-gateway, contact HMS Industrial Networks.

# 9. Revision History

Revision	Date of revision	Revision reason and revision page	
code			
01	2013/8/8	First edition	
02	2014/3/4	Correction of device variable names for input area	
		Correction of erroneous description	

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