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Connecting Compax3 I22T11 and Allen Bradley / Rockwell PLCs via DeviceNet

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1. General

This document describes how to connect Compax3 I22T11 devices to Rockwell (Allen Bradley) PLCs via DeviceNet by the following steps:

- How to setup the Compax3 DeviceNet configuration
- How to setup the DeviceNet scanner
- How to control the axis via a tiny PLC program example written in Structured Text (ST)

It is assumed that the user has basic knowledge of Rockwell software tools and PLCs.

2. System overview

2.1. Hardware overview

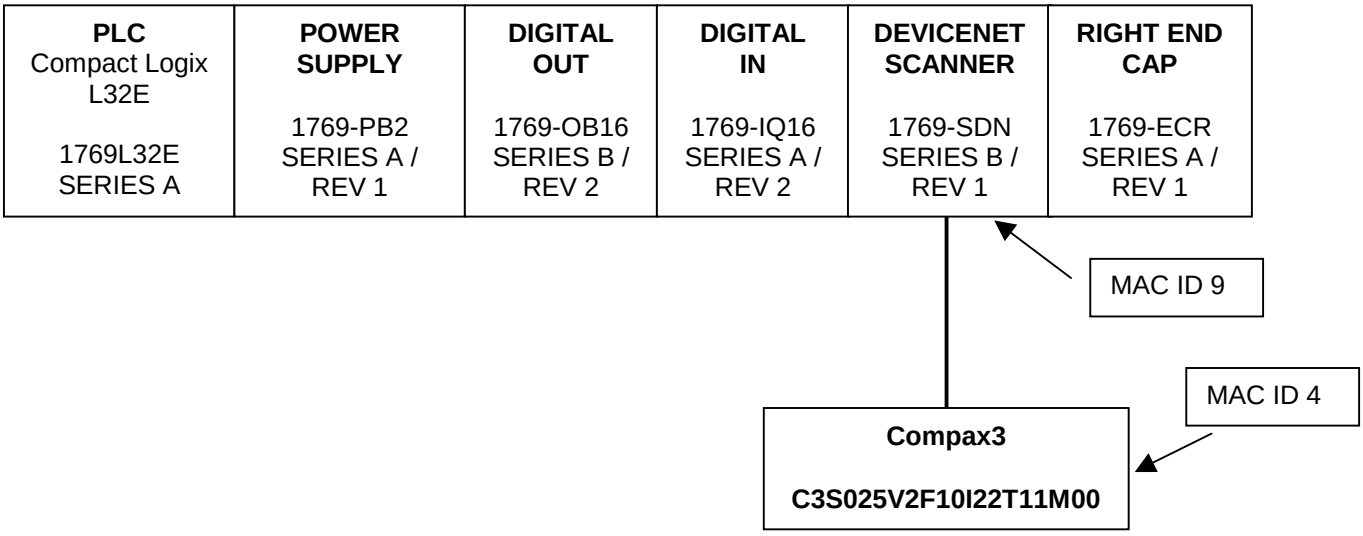


Figure 1: hardware overview

The bus speed in this application example is 125 kBaud/sec.

2.2. Software overview

The following software packages were used:

- Compax3 ServoManager V2.0.2.2 → Compax3 configuration
- RSLogix 5000 with Structured Text (ST) externsion V13.03.00 → PLC configuration and programming
- RSNetWorx for DeviceNet V6.00.00 → DeviceNet network configuration

3. DeviceNet configuration of Compax3

3.1. Defining the process data

The first step is to determine the process data to be exchanged between the PLC and Compax3.

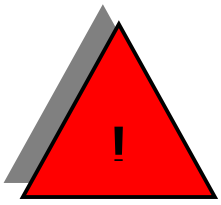
This application example uses 8 bytes of bidirectional process data that is defined as follows:

- PLC → Compax3

Signal	Data size
Controlword	16 Bit (2 bytes)
Operation Mode	16 Bit (2 bytes)
Target position	32 Bit (4 bytes)

- Compax3 → PLC

Signal	Data size
Statusword	16 Bit (2 bytes)
Last device error	16 Bit (2 bytes)
Actual position	32 Bit (4 bytes)

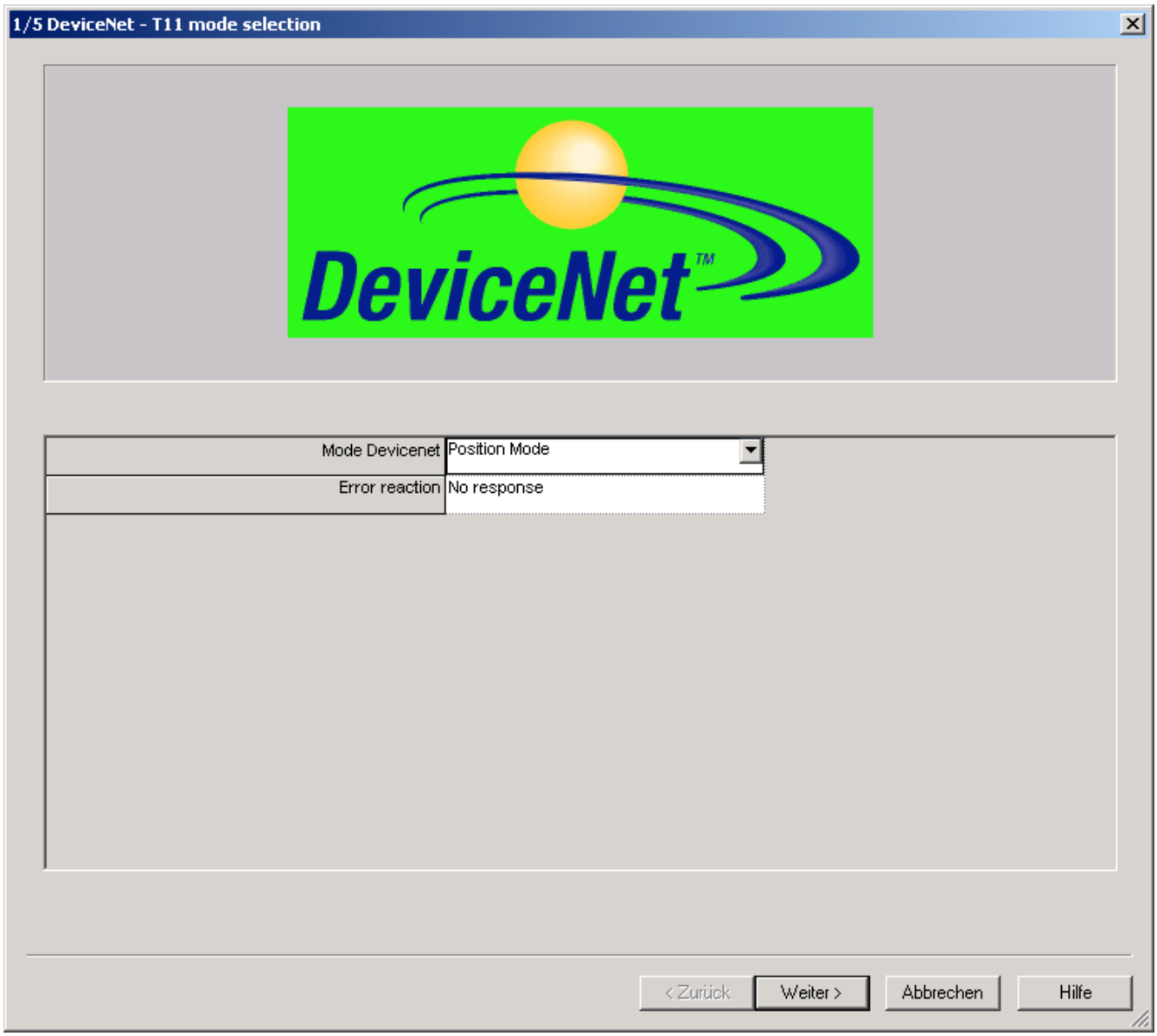


Due to the fact the process image of Rockwell PLCs is arranged in arrays of 32 Bit integer values (DINT) it is recommended to take special care of the byte alignment.
32 Bit values (e.g. Target position) should not overlap two array elements because this would make them difficult to handle.
In the example above the first element of the process data array is covered by the controlword and the operation mode. The second element is entirely covered by the target position.

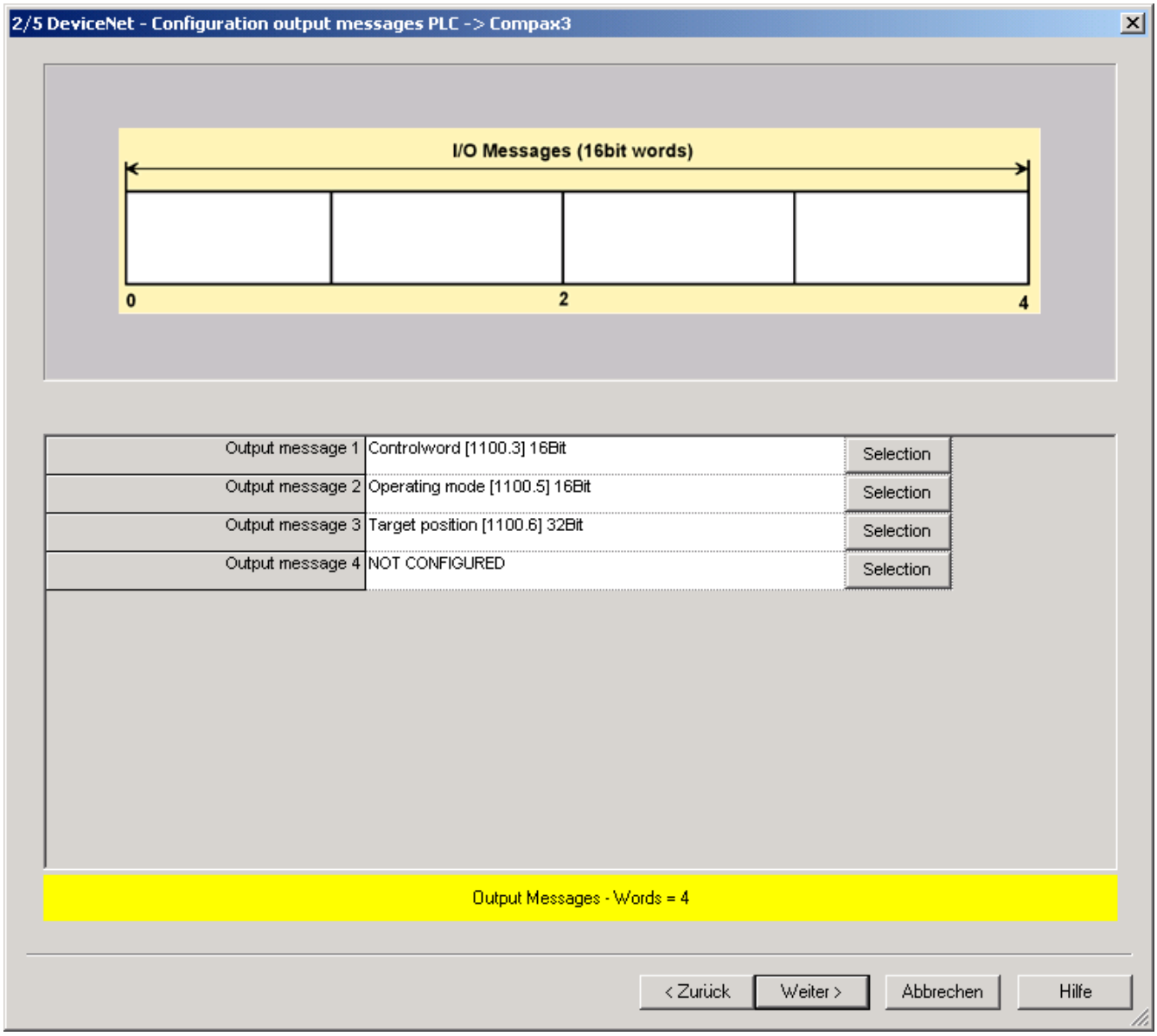
3.2. Configuration

The following screenshots show how to configure Compax3 via the DeviceNet wizard.

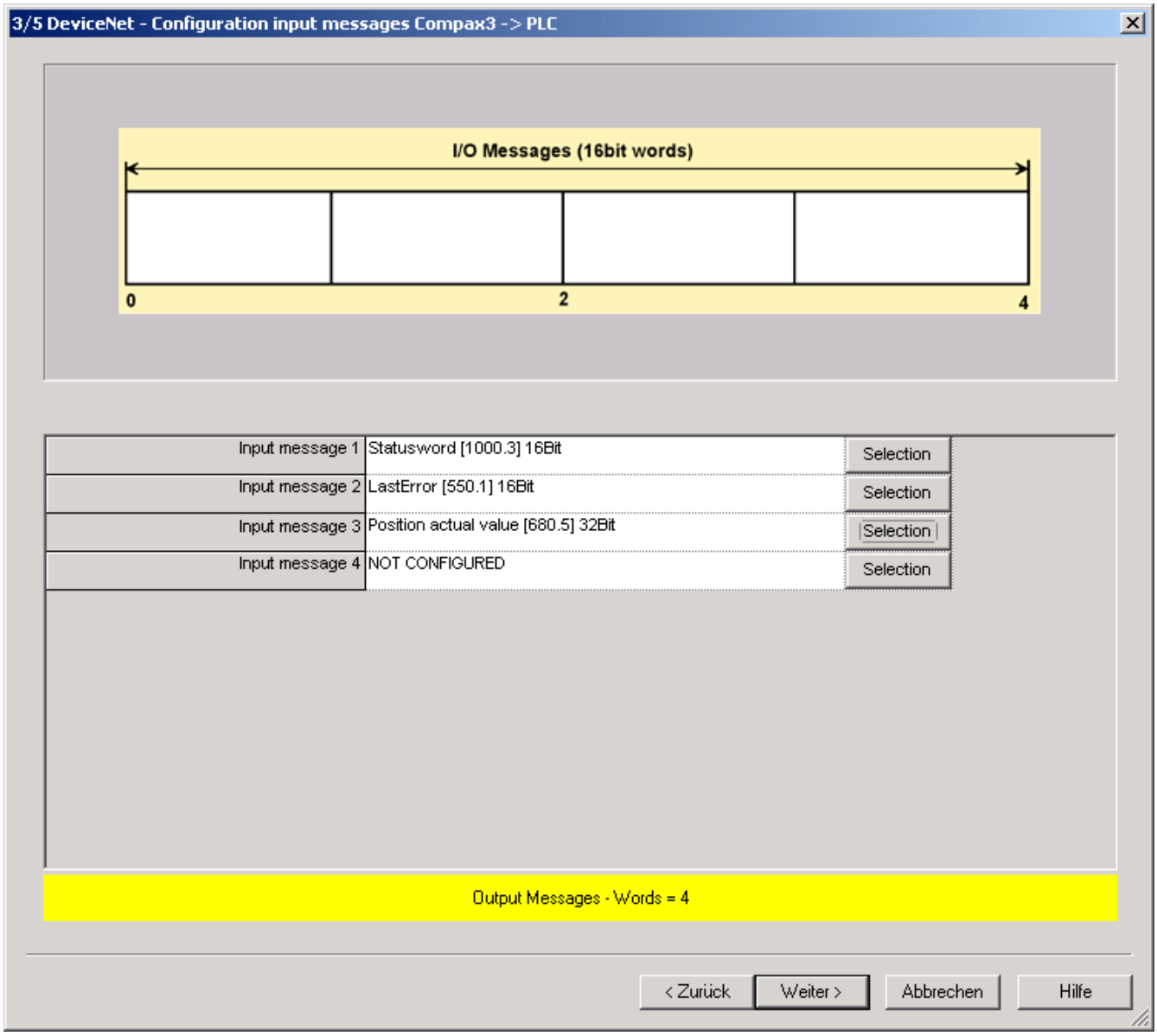
3.2.1. Default Operation mode and error behavior



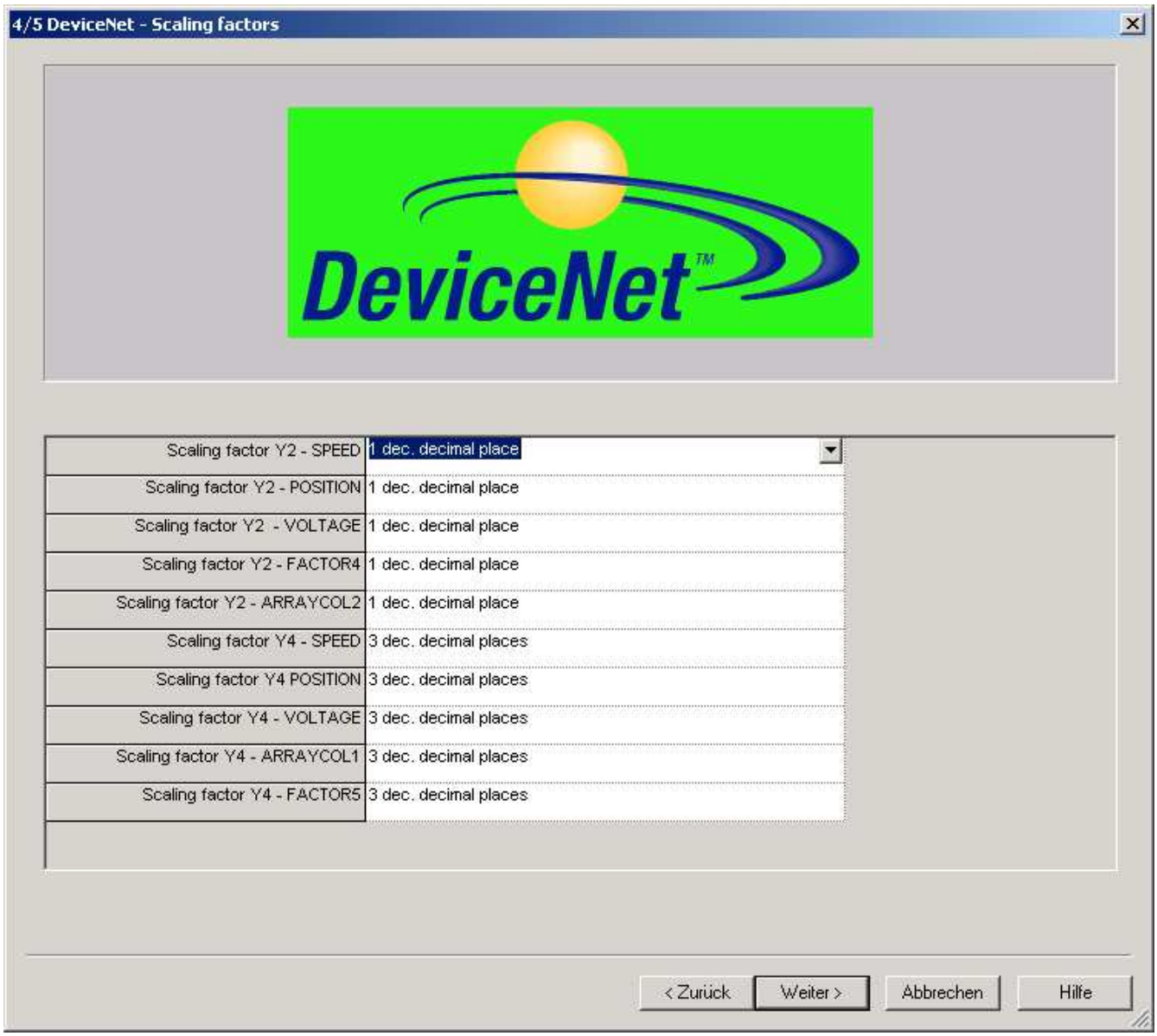
3.2.2. Output messages (PLC → Compax3)



3.2.3. Input messages (Compax3 → PLC)



3.2.4. Scaling factors

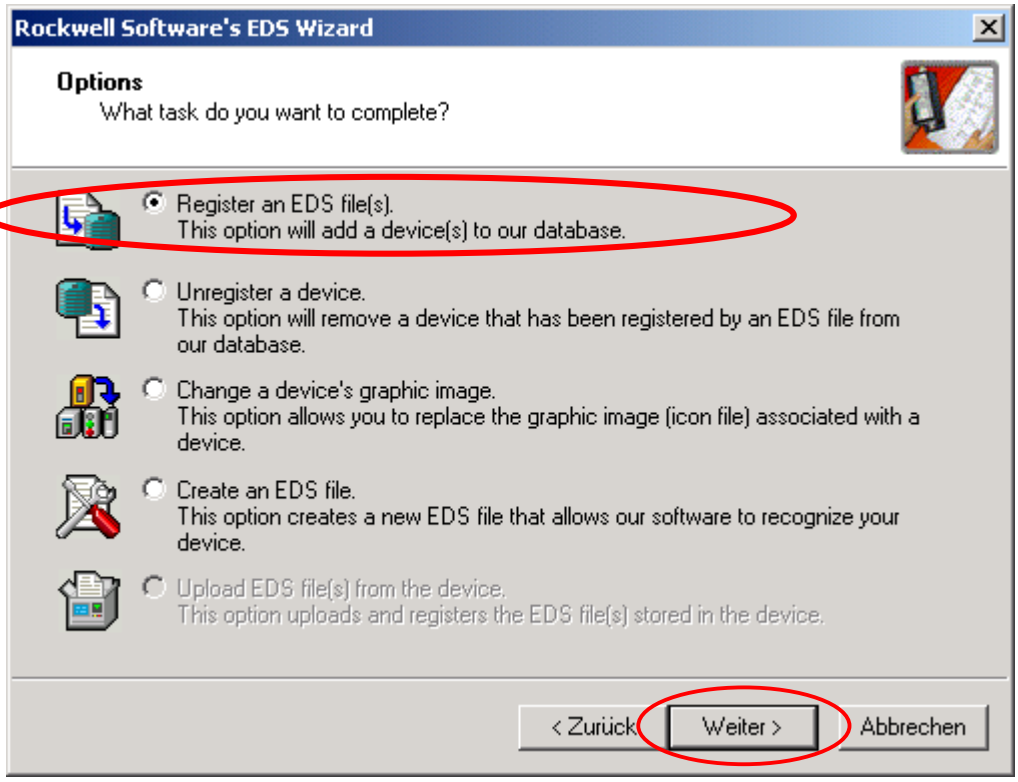


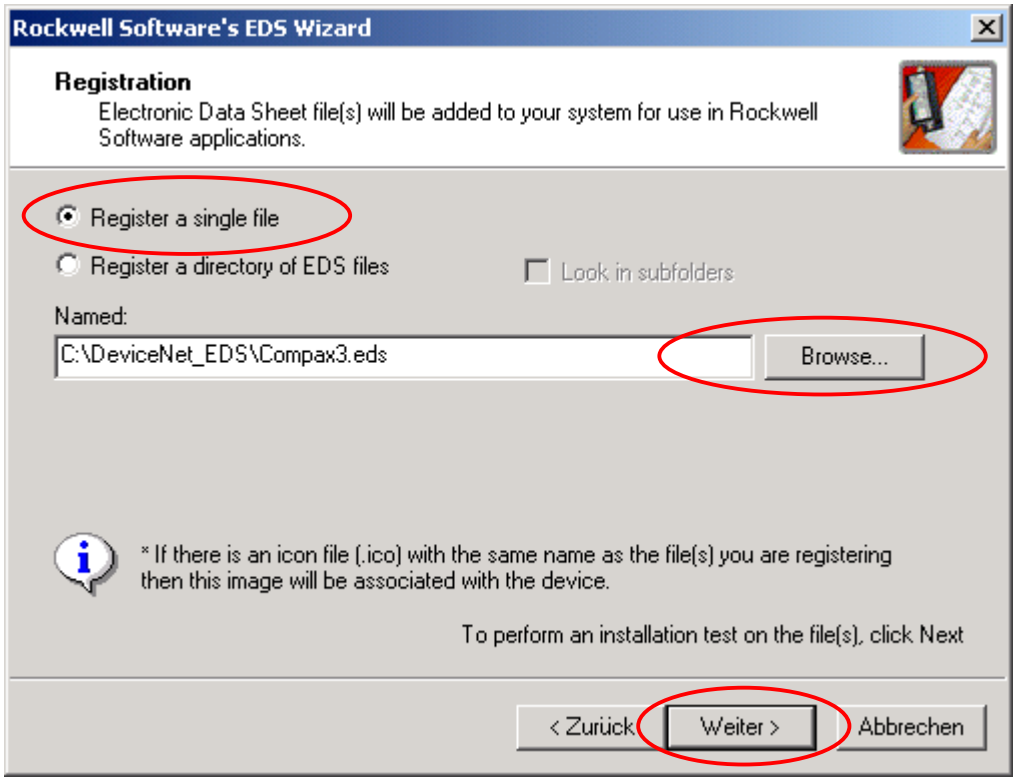
4. Setting up the DeviceNet scanner

A working RSLinx communication path is required !

4.1. Adding the Compax3 EDS file to RSNetWorx

In order to use Compax3 with RSNetWorx the Compax3 EDS (electronic data sheet) has to be included to the library pool by using the EDS wizard.




Rockwell Software's EDS Wizard
Registration
Electronic Data Sheet file(s) will be added to your system for use in Rockwell Software applications.
Register a single file
Register a directory of EDS files
Look in subfolders
Named:
C:\DeviceNet_EDS\Compax3.eds
Browse...
* If there is an icon file (.ico) with the same name as the file(s) you are registering then this image will be associated with the device.
To perform an installation test on the file(s), click Next
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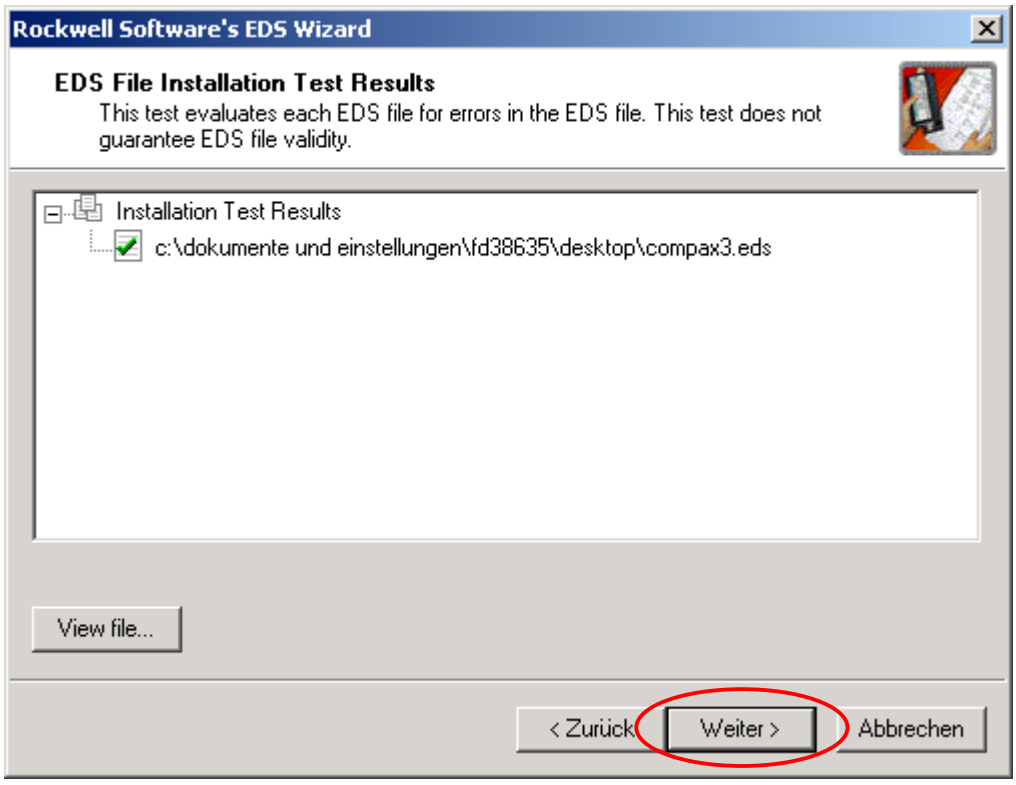
Rockwell Software's EDS Wizard
EDS File Installation Test Results
This test evaluates each EDS file for errors in the EDS file. This test does not guarantee EDS file validity.
Installation Test Results
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View file...
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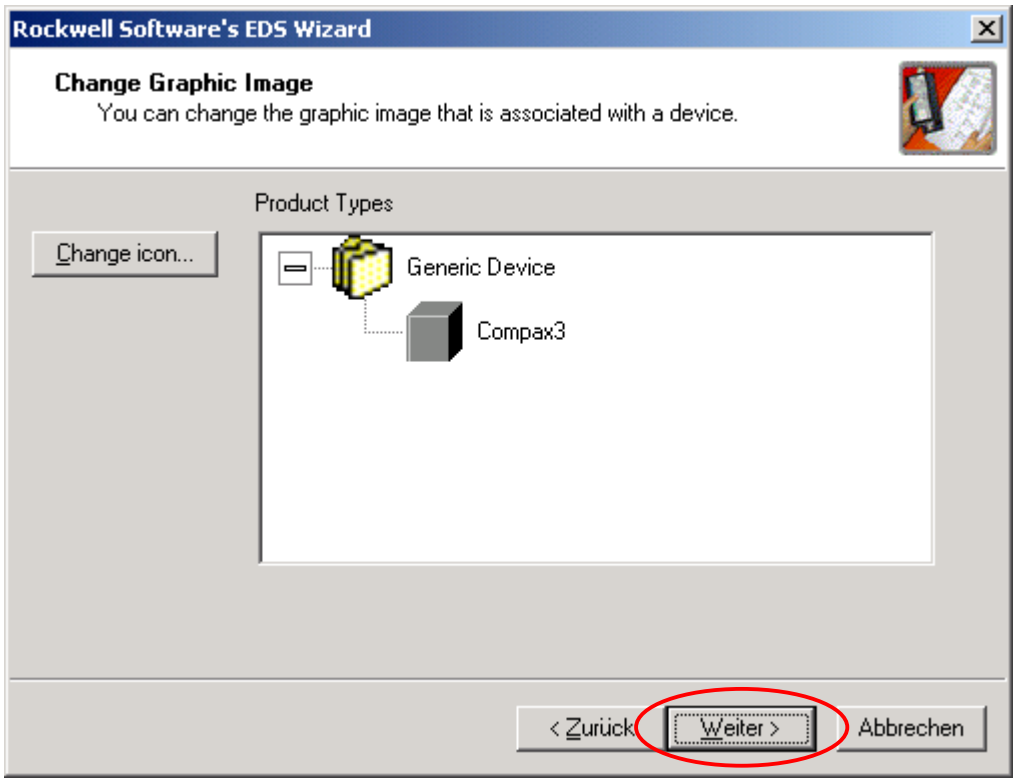
Rockwell Software's EDS Wizard
Change Graphic Image
You can change the graphic image that is associated with a device.
Product Types
Change icon...
Generic Device
Compax3
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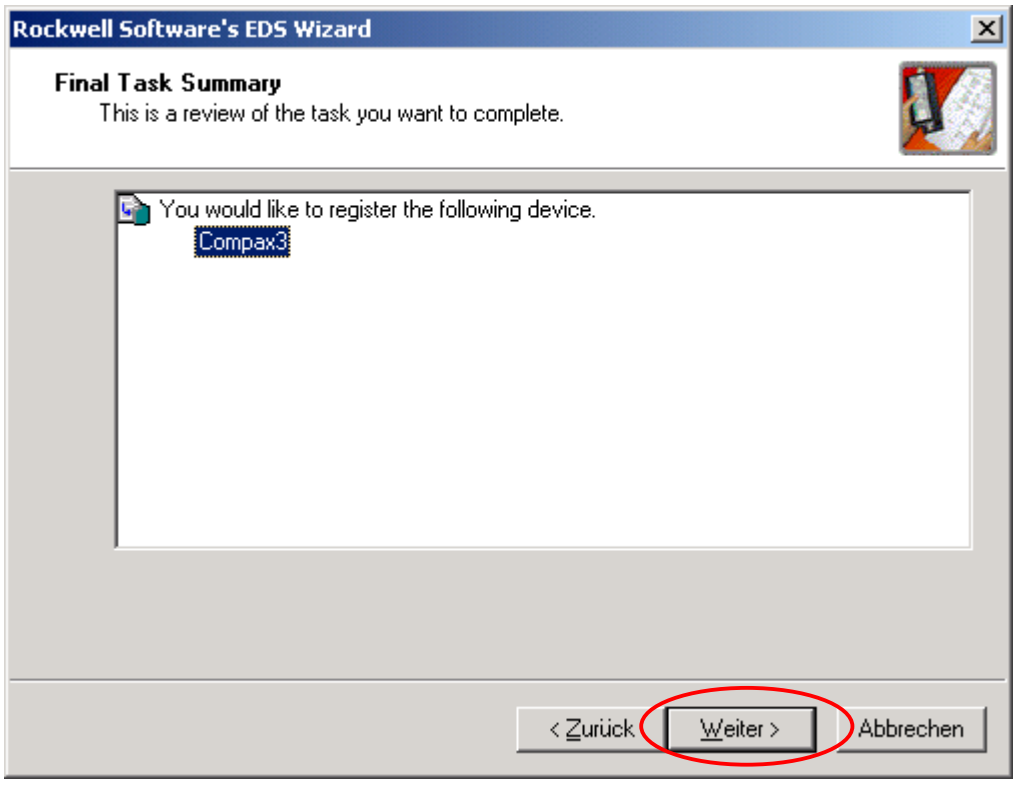
Rockwell Software's EDS Wizard
Final Task Summary
This is a review of the task you want to complete.
You would like to register the following device.
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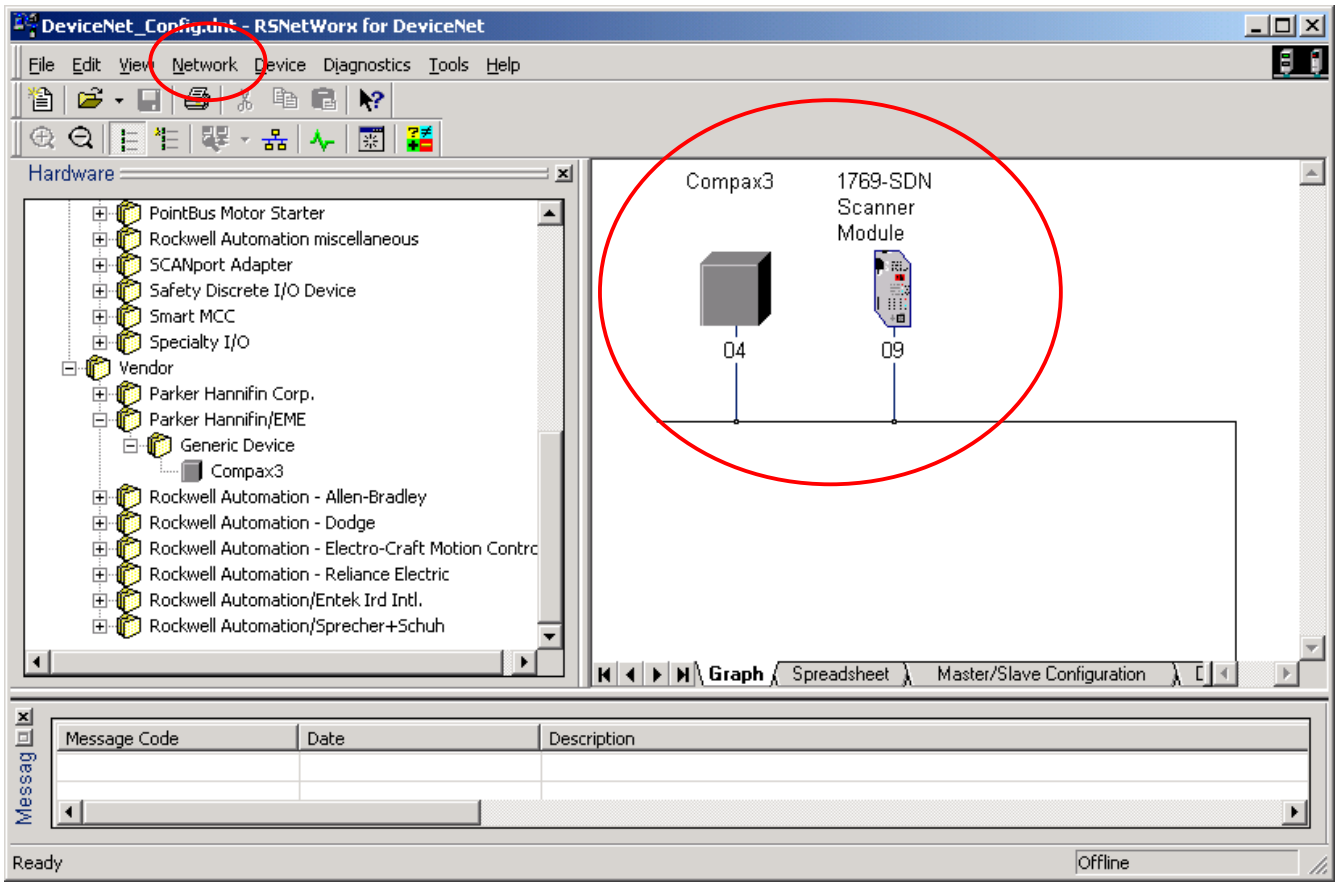
4.2. Network configuration

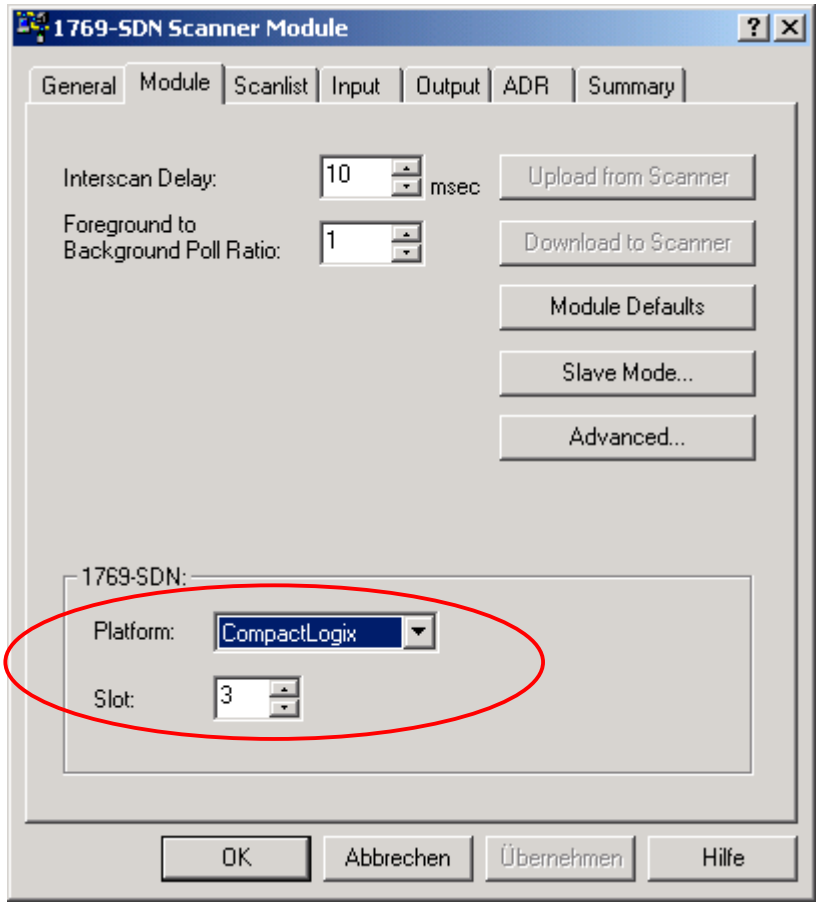
The easiest way to configure the network is to perform an online identification (Menu Network -> Online).
As a result the devices found on the network should be showing up in the Graph window.



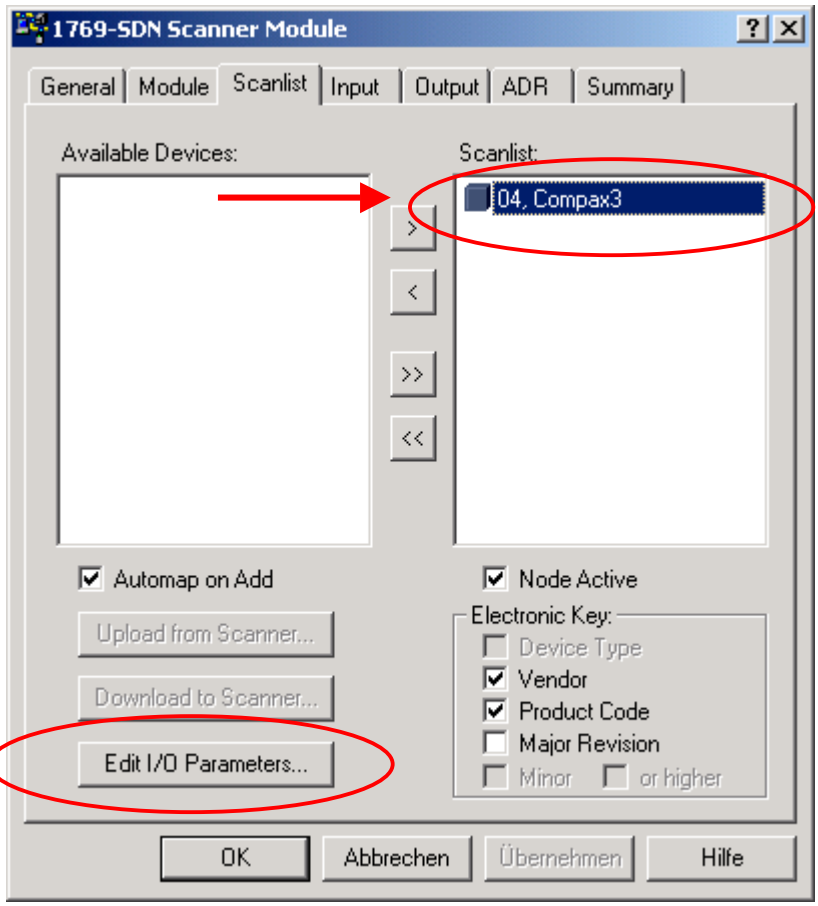
4.3. Scanner setup

By clicking the Scanner icon in the Graph window the Scanner properties dialog shows up.

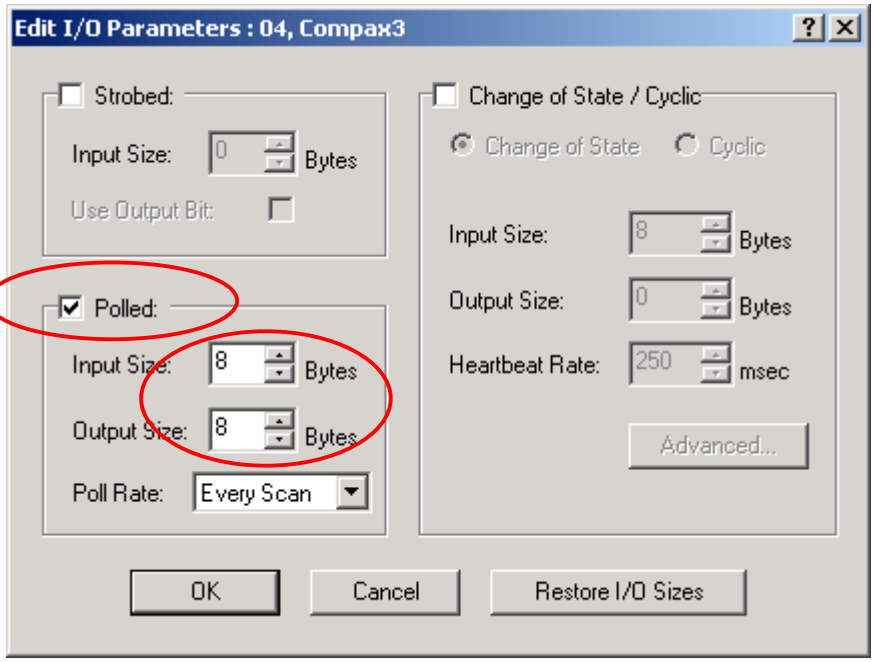
Choose the Module tab and make sure the Platform and Slot settings correspond to your hardware configuration.



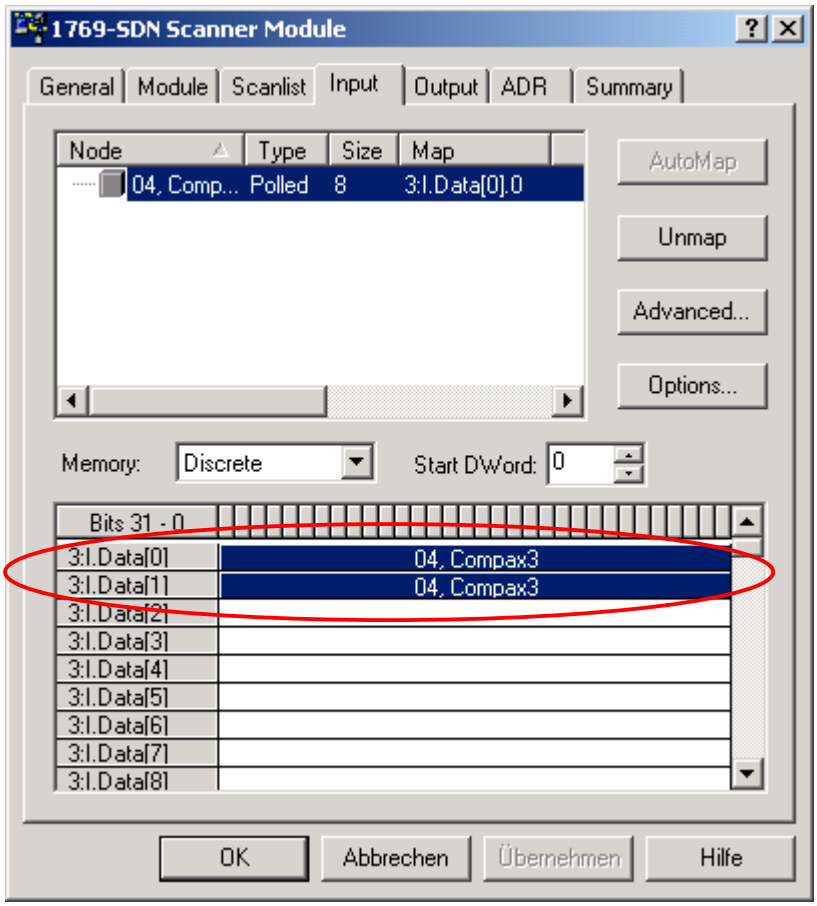
Choose the Scanlist tab and move the Compax3 device from Available Devices to the Scanlist and click on the Edit I/O Parameters button.



In the I/O Parameters dialog the transmission mode for the process data has to be selected (this example uses Polled I/O data).
Afterwards it has to be made sure the Input and Output size of the polled data equals the process data that has been configured in the Compax3 DeviceNet wizard!



Finally the location of the Compax3 process data within the process image of the PLC has to be defined (Input and Output tab).



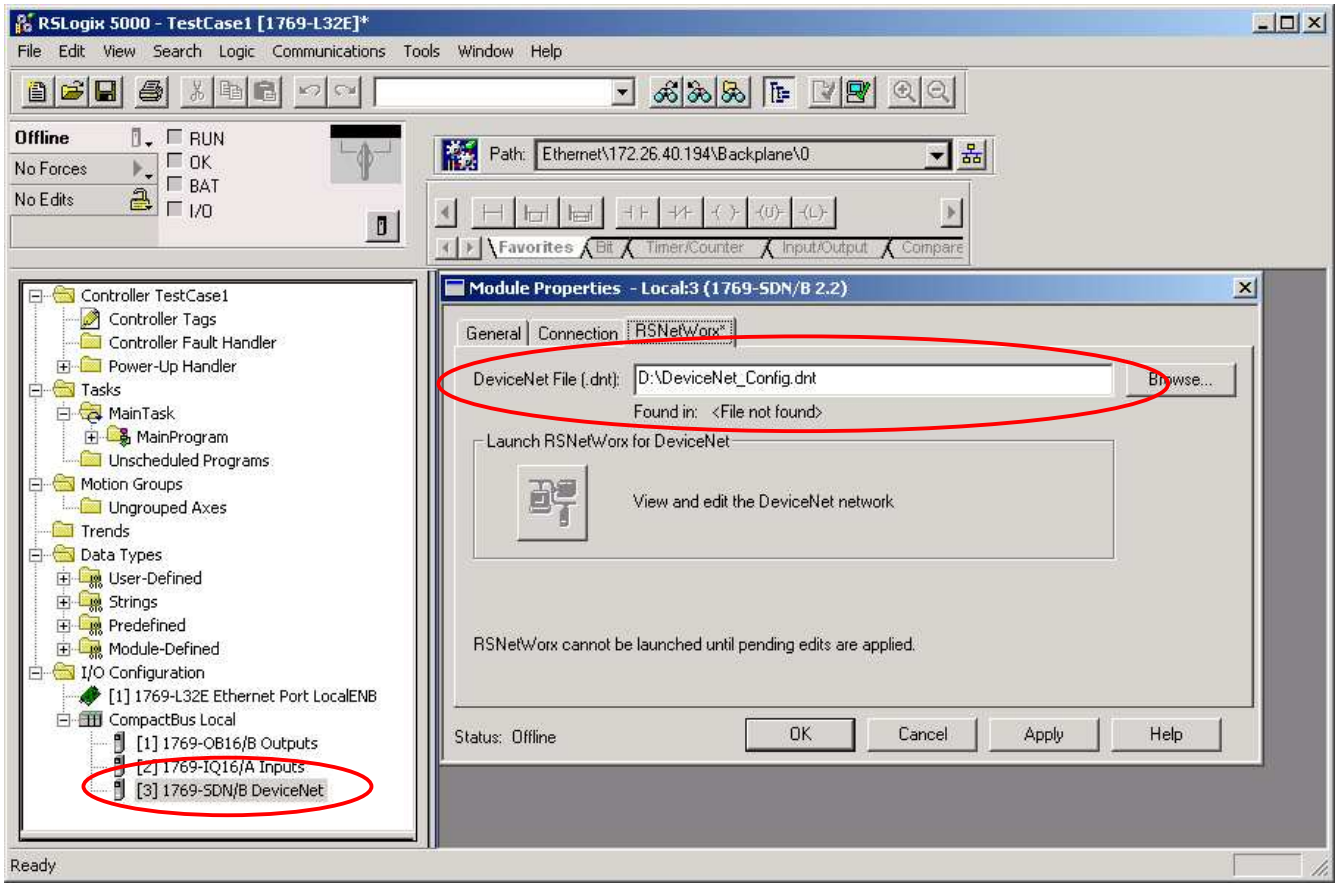
In this example the Input and Output data is located in the first two elements of the input and output process data array (Data[0] and Data[1]).

The RSNetworx configuration is now finished and should be saved to a file that will be included into the RSLogix project later on.

5. RSLogix configuration and application example

5.1. Including the RSNetworx configuration file into the RSLogix project.

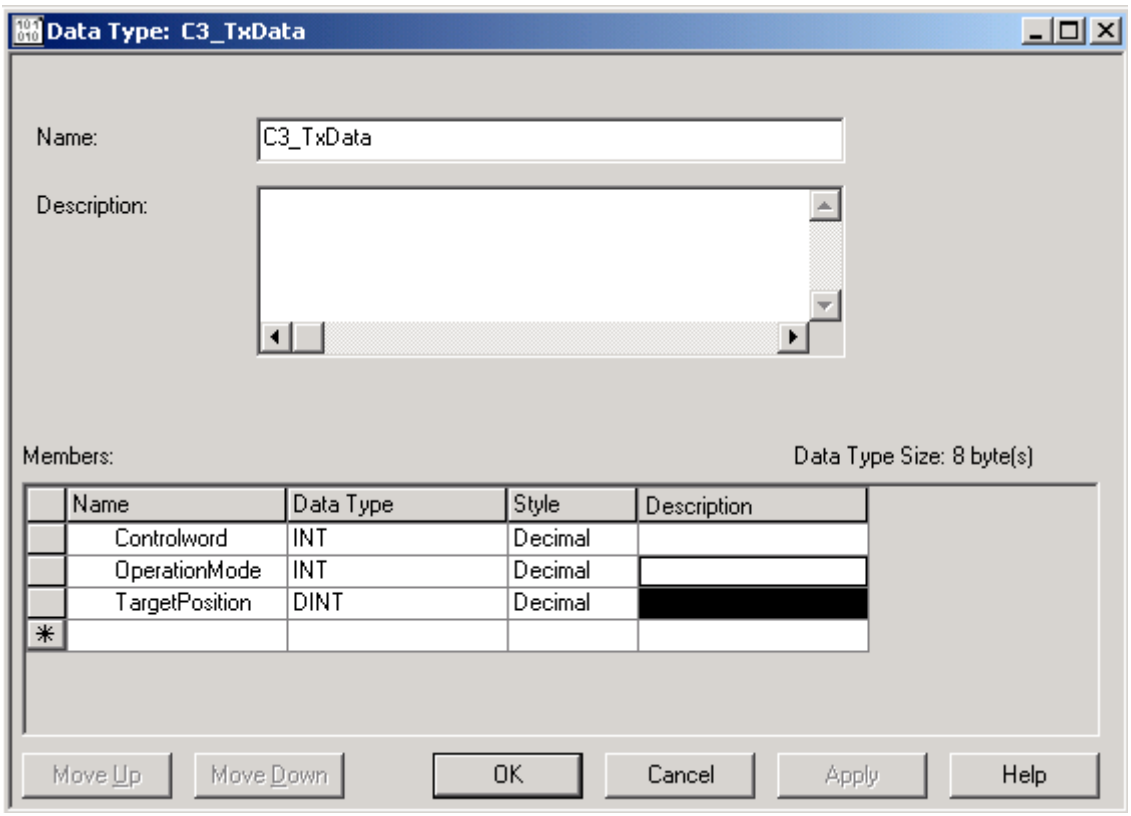
Select the DeviceNet scanner from the local CompactBus and select the RSNetworx configuration file.



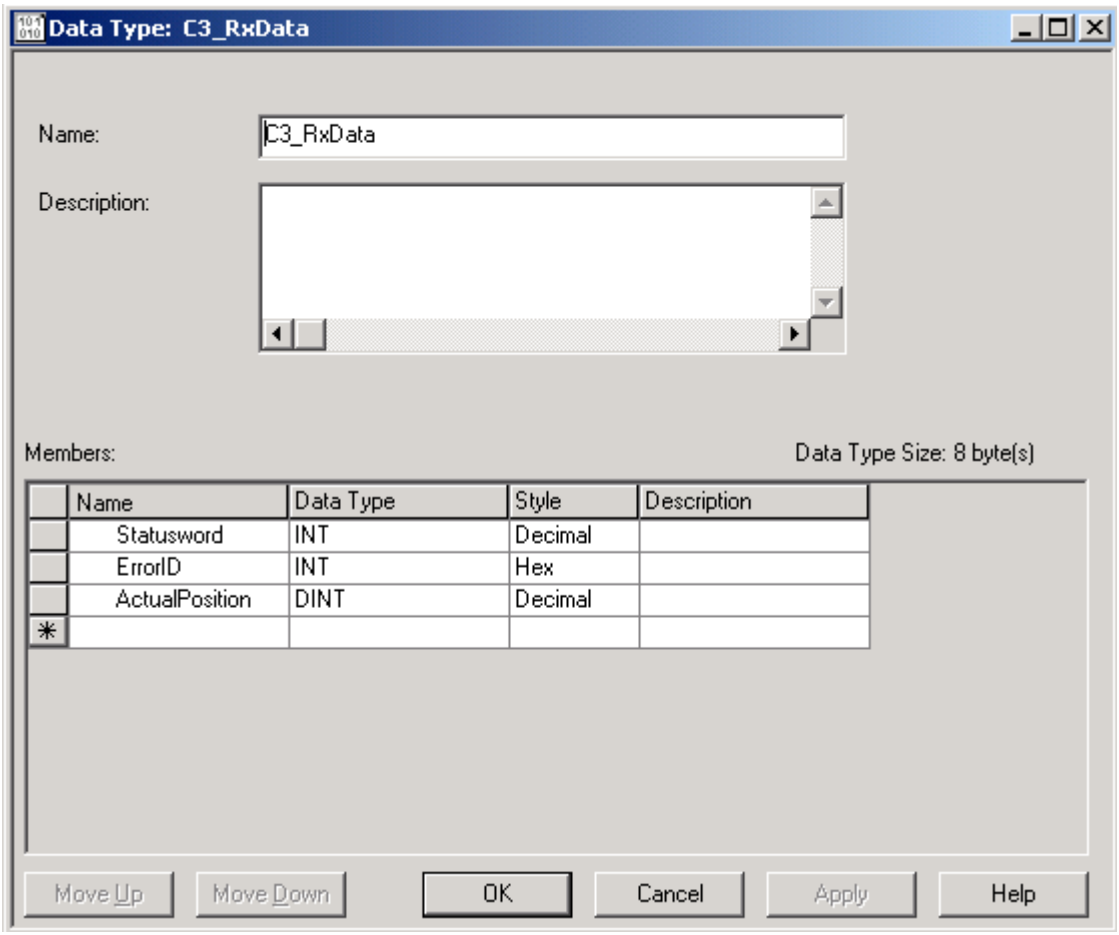
5.2. Creating User-Defined data types for easy handling of the Compax3 process data

The elements of the data structures to be defined must match the definition of the process data made in chapter 3.1 !

a.) add a new User-Defined data type called C3_TxData which encapsulates the data transferred from the PLC to Compax3.

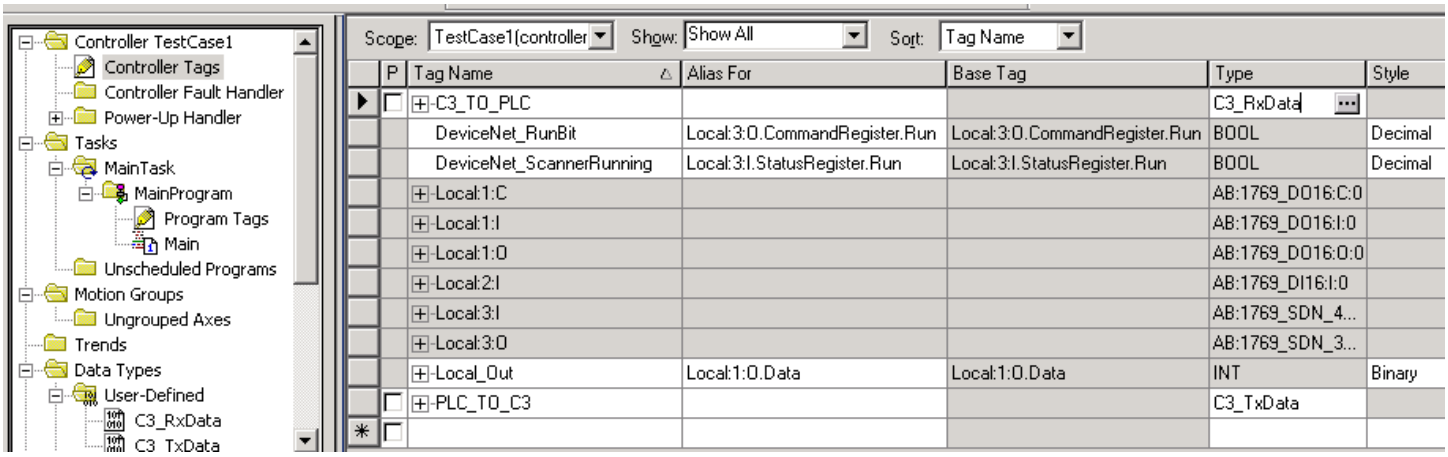


b.) add a new User-Defined data type called C3_RxData which encapsulates the data transferred from Compax3 to the PLC.



5.3. Creating the required Controller Tags

Open the Controller Tags window to create new Tags of the type C3_RxData and C3_TxData.
Additionally a Tag called DeviceNet_RunBit and a Tag called DeviceNet_ScannerRunning should be created to have control of the scanner from within the PLC program.

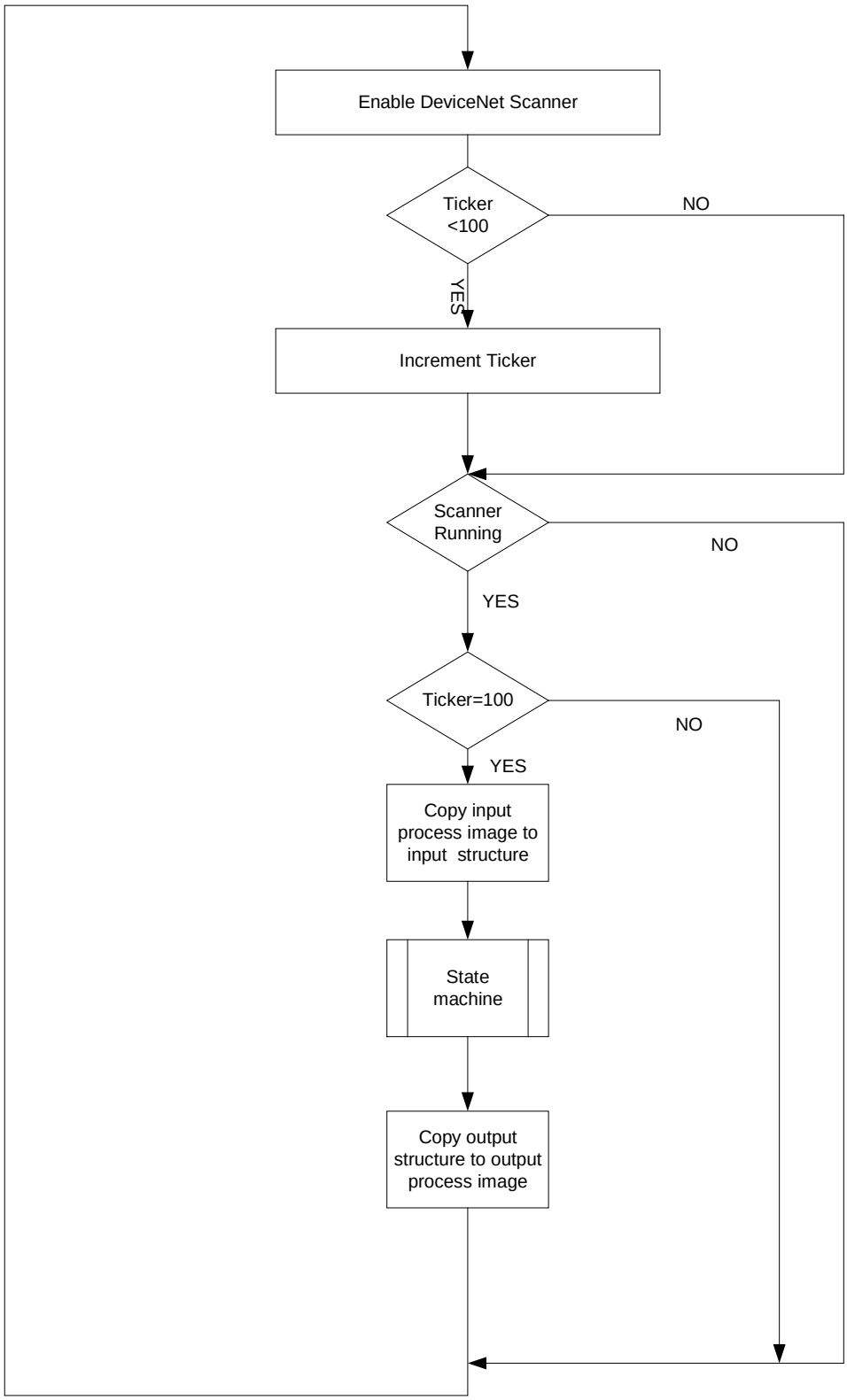


5.4. Example program

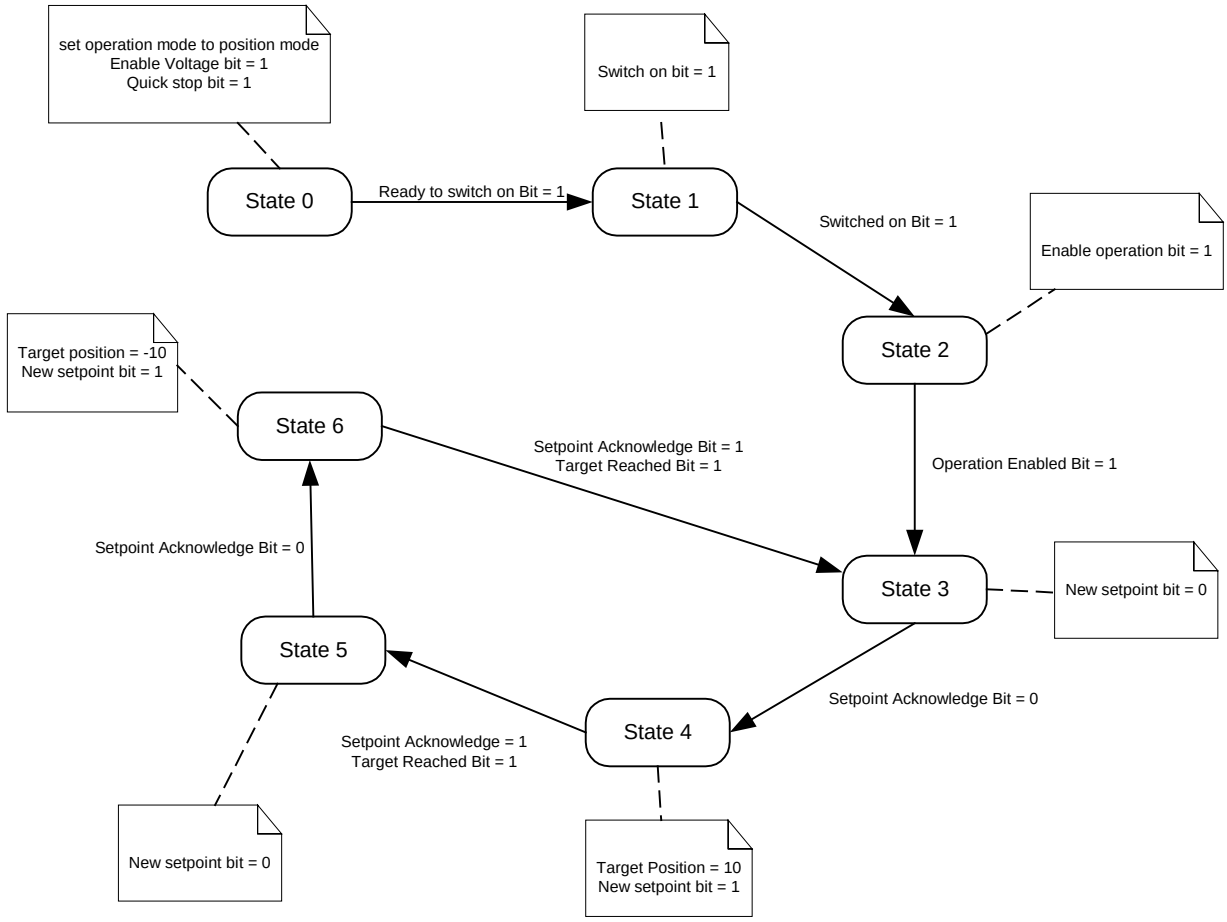
The following program explains how to handle the process data and shows how to enable the drive and move cyclical between two target positions.

In order to understand the program it is necessary to understand the principles of the I22T11 state machine and the handling of the controlword and statusword.

5.4.1. Flow chart



5.4.2. State diagram of state machine sub module



5.4.3. Application source code

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// Put DeviceNet Scanner to run mode (start polling)
DeviceNet_RunBit:=1;

IF(DelayTicker<100) THEN
    DelayTicker:=DelayTicker+1;
END_IF;

// Wait until DeviceNet Scanning is running
// and 100 PLC cycles have passed
IF(DeviceNet_ScannerRunning AND DelayTicker=100) THEN

    // Fill input structure with incoming process data from Compax3
    COP(Local:3:I.Data[0],C3_TO_PLC,8);

    CASE State OF
        0:  // Set Operation Mode to Position Profile (1)
            PLC_TO_C3.OperationMode:=1;
            // <Enable Voltage> = 1 , <Quick Stop> = 1
            PLC_TO_C3.Controlword:=6;
            // Wait for <Ready to switch on> Bit to enter next state
            IF(C3_TO_PLC.Statusword.0) THEN
                State:=1;
            END_IF;
        1:  // <Enable Voltage> = 1 , <Quick Stop> = 1 , <Switch on> = 1
            PLC_TO_C3.Controlword:=7;
            // Wait for <Switched on> Bit to enter next state
            IF(C3_TO_PLC.Statusword.1) THEN
                State:=2;
            END_IF;
        2:  // <Enable Voltage> = 1 , <Quick Stop> = 1 ,
            // <Switch on> = 1, <Enable operation> = 1
            PLC_TO_C3.Controlword:=16#F;
            // Wait for <Operation enabled> Bit to enter next state
            IF(C3_TO_PLC.Statusword.2) THEN
                State:=3;
            END_IF;
        3:  // Reset <Net setpoint> Bit
            PLC_TO_C3.Controlword.4:=0;
            // Wait for <Setpoint acknowledge> Bit becoming 0
            IF(NOT C3_TO_PLC.Statusword.12) THEN
                State:=4;
            END_IF;
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        4:  // Set <Target position> to 10
            // the corresponding Y4 bus scale factor is 3 so the
            // resulting position value to be transmitted is 10000
            PLC_TO_C3.TargetPosition:=10000;
            // Set <Net setpoint> Bit
            PLC_TO_C3.Controlword.4:=1;
            // Wait for <Target reached> bit and Setpoint acknowledge> Bit
            IF(C3_TO_PLC.Statusword.10 AND C3_TO_PLC.Statusword.12) THEN
                State:=5;
            END_IF;
        5: // Reset <Net setpoint> Bit
            PLC_TO_C3.Controlword.4:=0;
            // Wait for <Setpoint acknowledge> Bit becoming 0
            IF(NOT C3_TO_PLC.Statusword.12) THEN
                State:=6;
            END_IF;
        6:  // Set <Target position> to -10
            // the corresponding Y4 bus scale factor is 3 so the
            // resulting position value to be transmitted is -10000
            PLC_TO_C3.TargetPosition:=-10000;
            // Set <Net setpoint> Bit
            PLC_TO_C3.Controlword.4:=1;
            // Wait for <Target reached> bit and Setpoint acknowledge> Bit
            IF(C3_TO_PLC.Statusword.10 AND C3_TO_PLC.Statusword.12) THEN
                // Setpoint ACK and Target Reached
                State:=3;
            END_IF;
    END_CASE;

    // Copy output structure to the array of outgoing process data
    COP(PLC_TO_C3,Local:3:0.Data[0],8);

END_IF;
```