

Industrial Automation

(Automação de Processos Industriais)

PLCs Programming Languages

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Syllabus:

Chap. 2 – Introduction to PLCs [2 weeks]

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Chap. 3 – PLCs Programming Languages [2 weeks]

Standard languages (IEC-1131-3):

Ladder Diagram; Instruction List, and Structured Text.

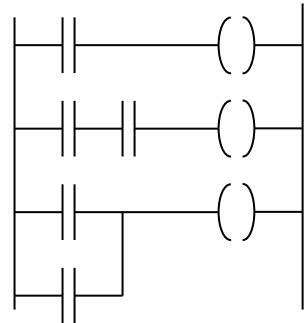
Software development resources.

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Chap. 4 - GRAFCET (*Sequential Function Chart*) [1 week]

PLCs Programming Languages (IEC 1131-3)

Ladder Diagram



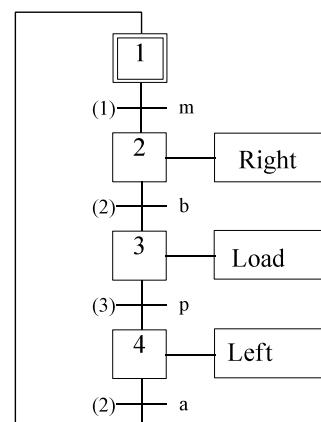
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```
If %I1.0 THEN  
  %Q2.1 := TRUE  
ELSE  
  %Q2.2 := FALSE  
END_IF
```

Instruction List

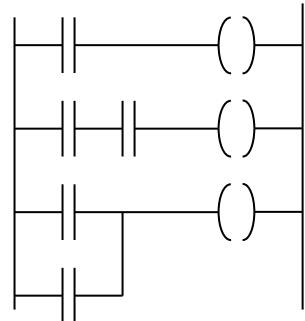
LD	%M12
AND	%I1.0
ANDN	%I1.1
OR	%M10
ST	%Q2.0

Sequential Function Chart (GRAFCET)



Linguagens de programação de PLCs (IEC 1131-3)

Ladder Diagram



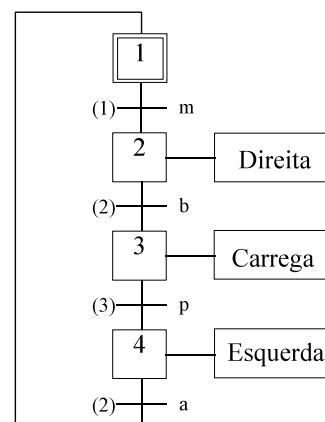
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Sequential Function Chart (GRAFCET)



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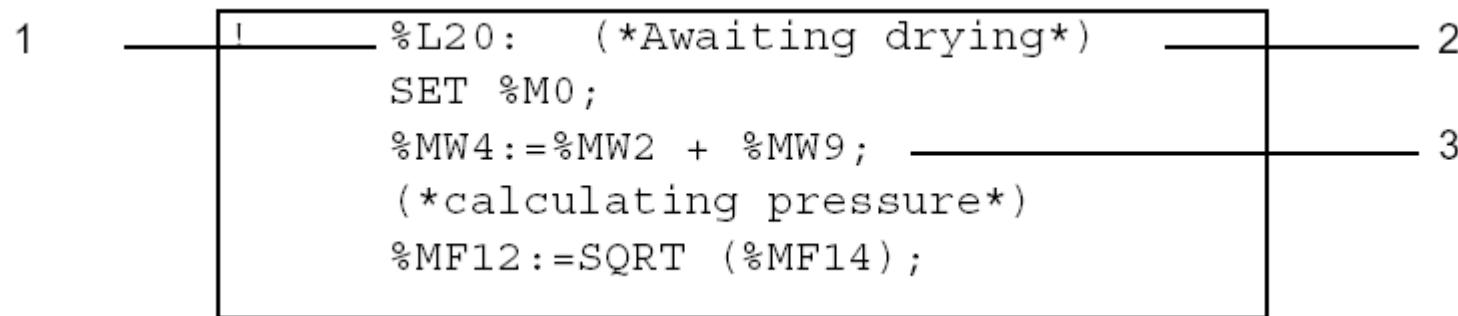
```
!      (* Searching for the first element that is not zero
in a
table of 32 words, determining its value
(%MW10), its rank (%MW11). This search
is done if %M0 is set to 1, %M1 is set to 1 if
an element which is not zero exists unless it is
set to 0*)

IF %M0 THEN
    FOR %MW99:=0 TO 31 DO
        IF %MW100[%MW99]<>0 THEN
            %MW10:=%MW100[%MW99];
            %MW11:=%MW99;
            %M1:=TRUE;
            EXIT;      (*Exit the loop*)
        ELSE
            %M1:=FALSE;
        END_IF;
    END_FOR;
ELSE
    %M1:=FALSE;
END_IF;
```

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A section of the program is composed by sequences

One sequence is equivalent to a section in *ladder diagram* (one or more ranges).



Legend:

1 – label

- unique identifier (%Li, i=0...999)

2 – comments

- augments legibility (* limited to 256 bytes *)

3 – instructions

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Basic Instructions

Load

:=	
:=NOT	
:=RE	
:=FE	

Open contact: contact is active (result is 1) while the control bit is 1.

Close contact: contact is active (result is 1) while the control bit is 0.

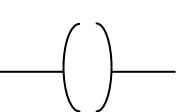
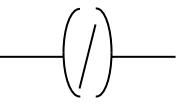
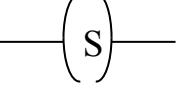
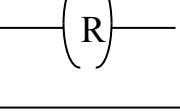
Contact in the rising edge: contact is active during a scan cycle where the control bit has a rising edge.

Contact in the falling edge: contact is active during a scan cycle where the control bit has a falling edge.

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Basic Instructions

Store

:=	
:=NOT	
SET	
RESET	

The result of the logic function activates the coil.

The inverse result of the logic function activates the coil.

The result of the logic function energizes the relay
(sets the latch).

The result of the logic function de-energizes the relay
(resets the latch)..

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Basic Instructions

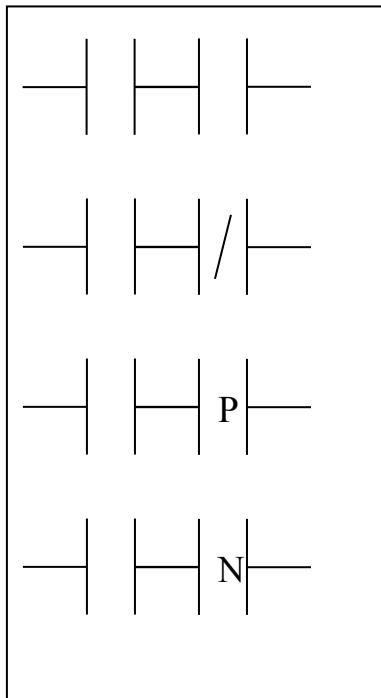
AND

AND

AND(NOT...)

AND(RE...)

AND(FE...)



AND of the operand with the result of the previous logical operation.

AND of the operand with the inverted result of the previous logical operation.

AND of the rising edge with the result of the previous logical operation.

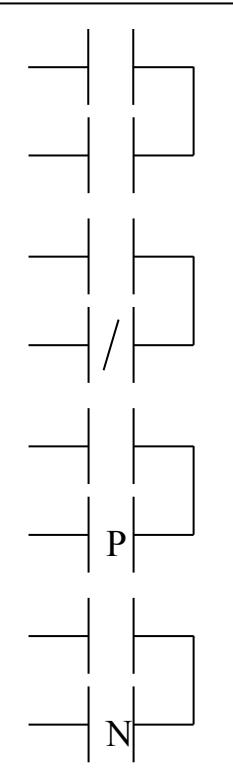
AND of the falling edge with the result of the previous logical operation.

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Basic Instructions

OR

OR



OR of the operand with the result of the previous logical operation.

OR(NOT...)

OR of the operand with the inverted result of the previous logical operation.

OR(RE...)

OR of the rising edge with the result of the previous logical operation.

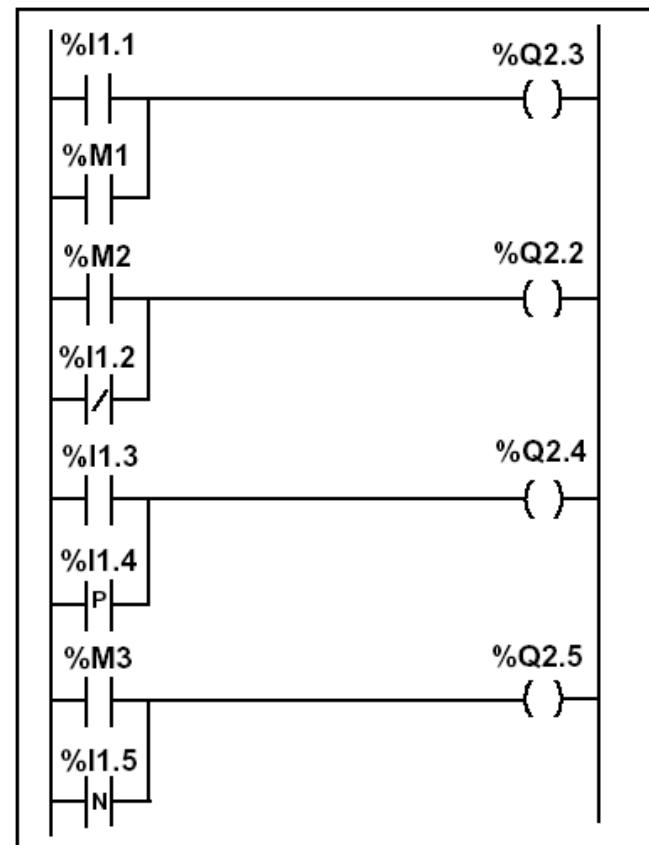
OR(FE...)

OR of the falling edge with the result of the previous logical operation.

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Example:

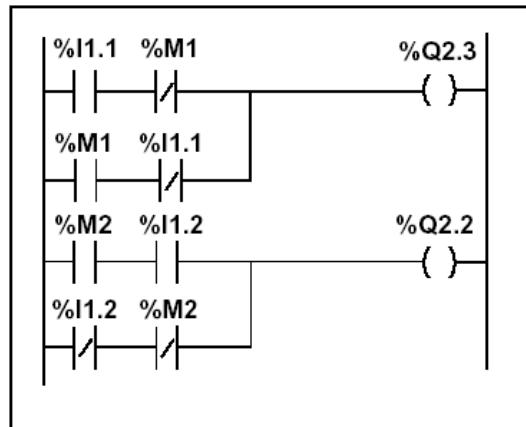
```
%Q2.3 := %I1.1 OR %M1;  
%Q2.2 := %M2 OR (NOT %I1.2);  
%Q2.4 := %I1.3 OR (RE %I1.4);  
%Q2.5 := %M3 OR (FE %I1.5);
```



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Basic Instructions

XOR



```
%Q2.3 := %I1.1 XOR %M1;
%Q2.2 := %M2 XOR (NOT %I1.2);
%Q2.4 := %I1.3 XOR (RE %I1.4);
%Q2.5 := %M3 XOR (FE %I1.5);
```

Instruction list	Structured text	Description	Timing diagram
XOR	XOR	OR Exclusive between the operand and the previous instruction's Boolean result	<p>The timing diagram for the XOR instruction shows two inputs: %I1.1 and %M1. The output %Q2.3 is high whenever the inputs differ. A shaded gray area highlights the period where the inputs are different.</p>
XORN	XOR (NOT...)	OR Exclusive between the operand inverse and the previous instruction's Boolean result	<p>The timing diagram for the XORN instruction shows two inputs: %M2 and %I1.2. The output %Q2.2 is high whenever the inputs are different. A shaded gray area highlights the period where the inputs are different.</p>
XORR	XOR (RE...)	OR Exclusive between the operand's rising edge and the previous instruction's Boolean result	<p>The timing diagram for the XORR instruction shows two inputs: %I1.3 and %I1.4. The output %Q2.4 is high during the rising edge of %I1.3. A shaded gray area highlights the rising edge of %I1.3.</p>
XORF	XOR (FE...)	OR Exclusive between the operand's falling edge and the previous instruction's Boolean result	<p>The timing diagram for the XORF instruction shows two inputs: %M3 and %I1.5. The output %Q2.5 is high during the falling edge of %I1.5. A shaded gray area highlights the falling edge of %I1.5.</p>

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Basic Instructions to Manipulate Bit Tables

Designation	Function
Table:= Table	Assignment between two tables
Table:= Word	Assignment of a word to a table
Word:= Table	Assignment of a table to a word
Table:= Double word	Assignment of a double word to a table
Double word:= Table	Assignment of a table to a double word
COPY_BIT	Copy of a bits table in a bits table
AND_ARX	AND between two tables
OR_ARX	OR between two tables
XOR_ARX	exclusive OR between two tables
NOT_ARX	Negation in a table
BIT_W	Copy of a bits table in a word table
BIT_D	Copy of a bits table in a double word table
W_BIT	Copy of a word table in a bits table
D_BIT	Copy of a double word table in a bits table
LENGTH_ARX	Calculation of the length of a table by the number of elements

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Temporized Relays

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Timers

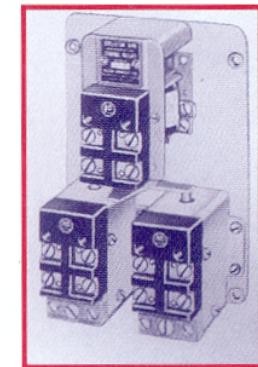
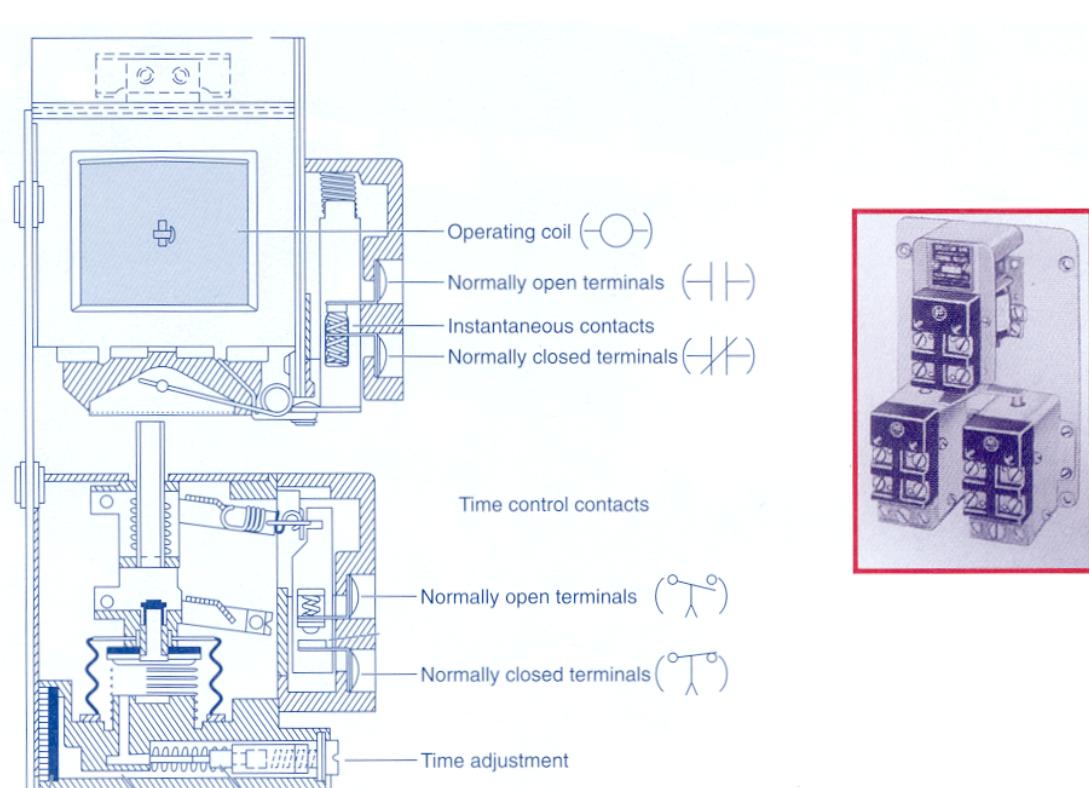


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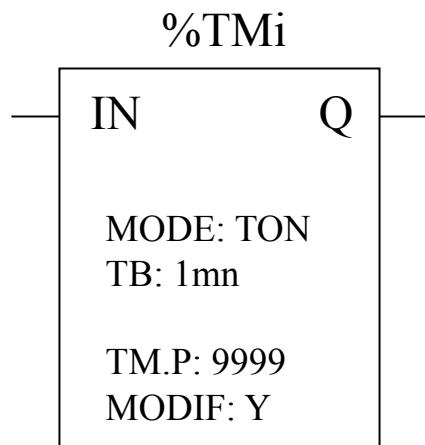
Pneumatic on-delay timer. (Courtesy of Allen-Bradley Company, Inc.)

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Temporized Relays

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Timers



Characteristics:

Identifier: %TMi 0..63 in the TSX37

Input: IN to activate

Mode:	TON	On delay
	TOFF	Off delay
	TP	Monostable

Time basis: TB 1mn (def.), 1s,
 100ms, 10ms

Programmed value: %TMi.P 0...9999 (def.)
 period=TB*TMi.P

Actual value: %TMi.V 0...TMi.P
 (can be real or tested)

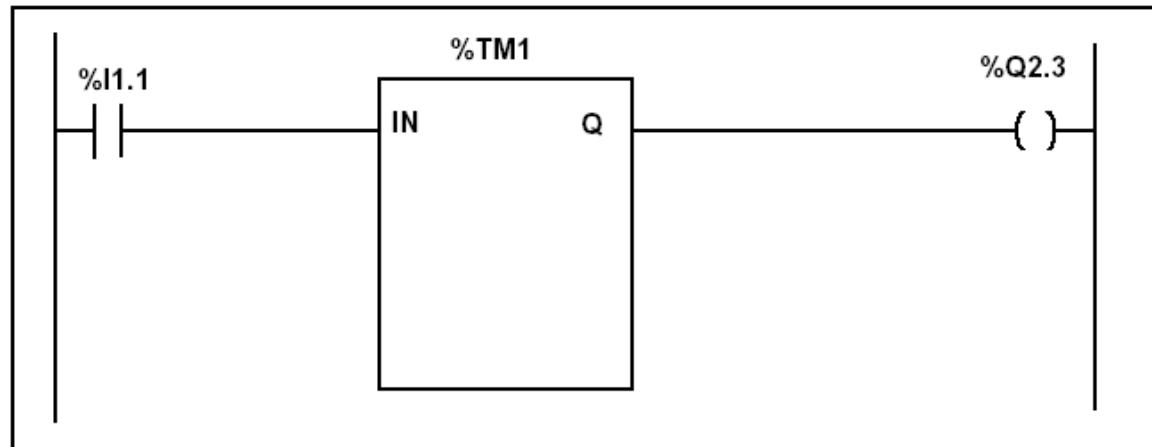
Modifiable: Y/N can be modified from
 the console

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Relés temporizados

Ou

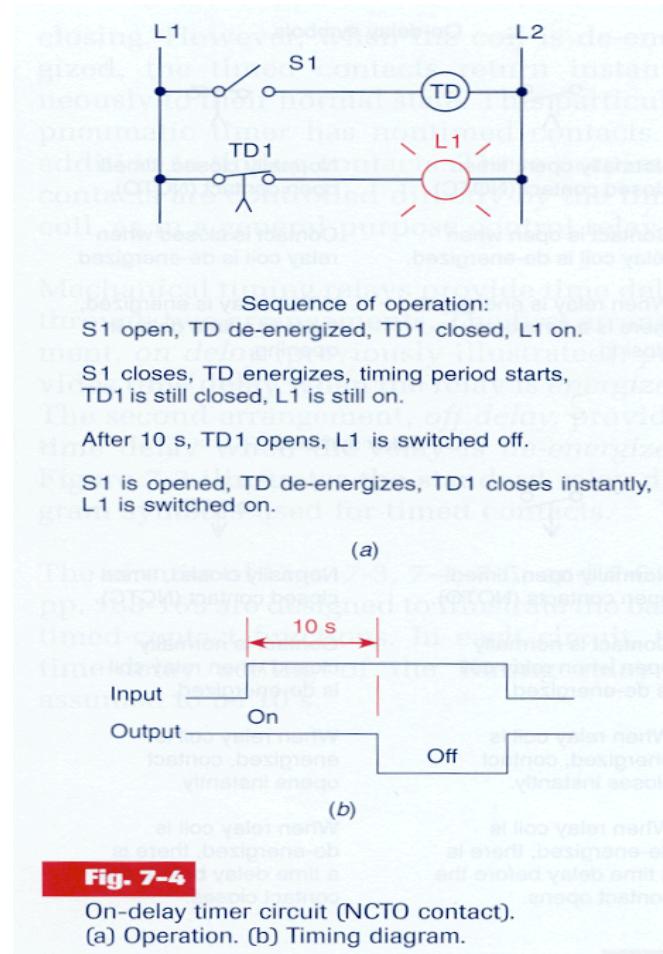
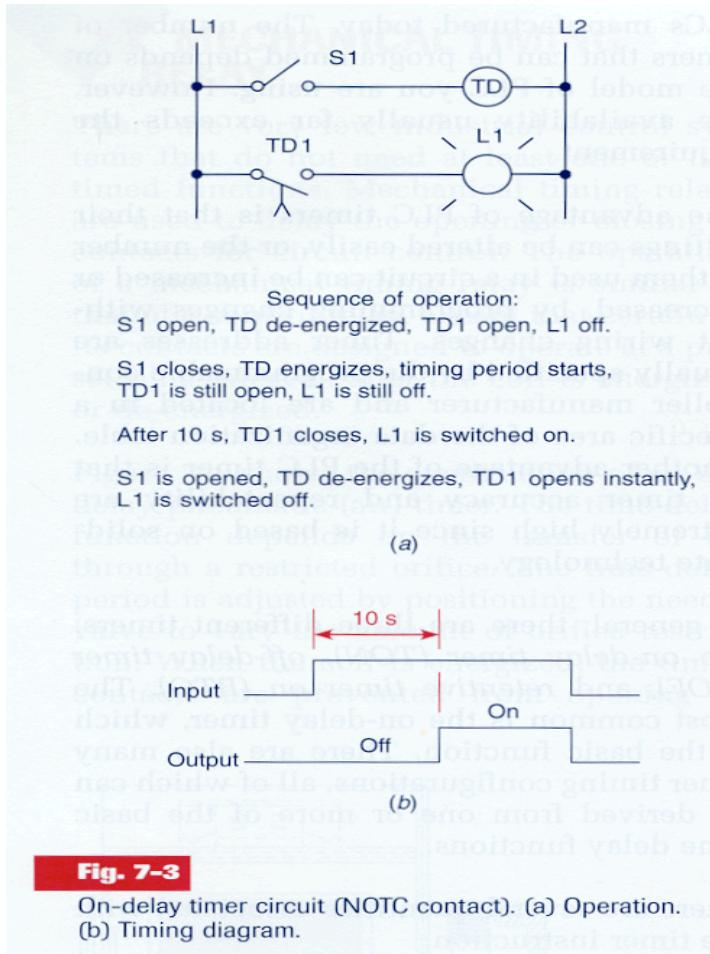
Timers



```
IF %I1.1 THEN  
    START %TM1;  
END_IF;  
%Q2.3 := %TM1.Q
```

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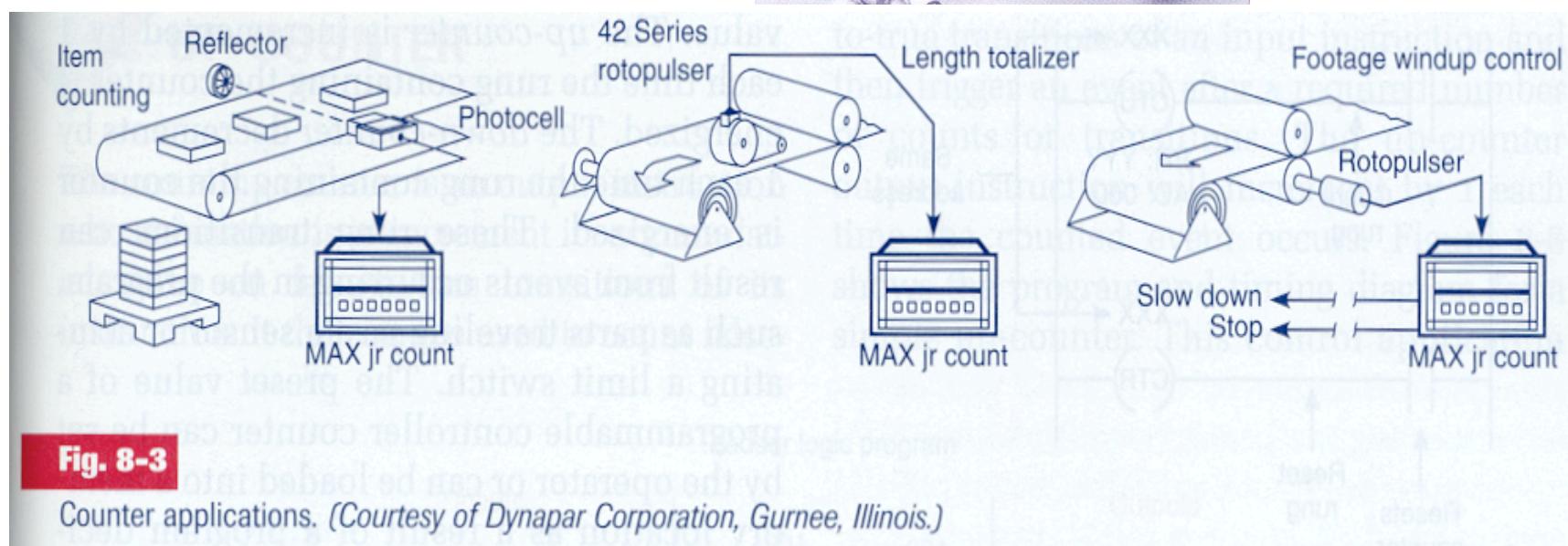
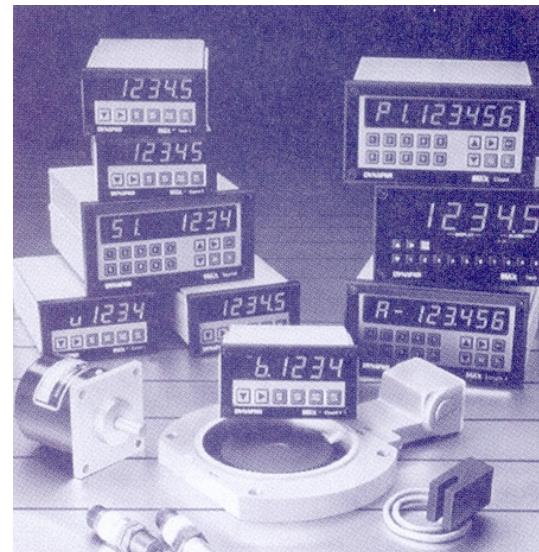
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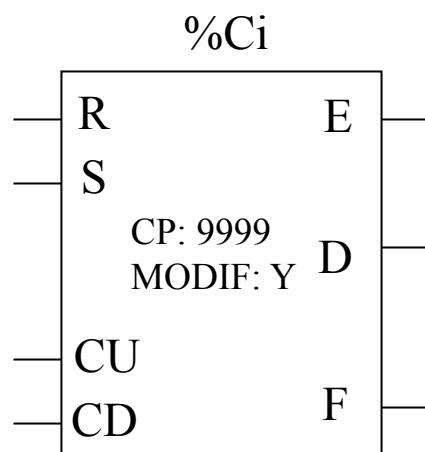


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Counters

Some applications...



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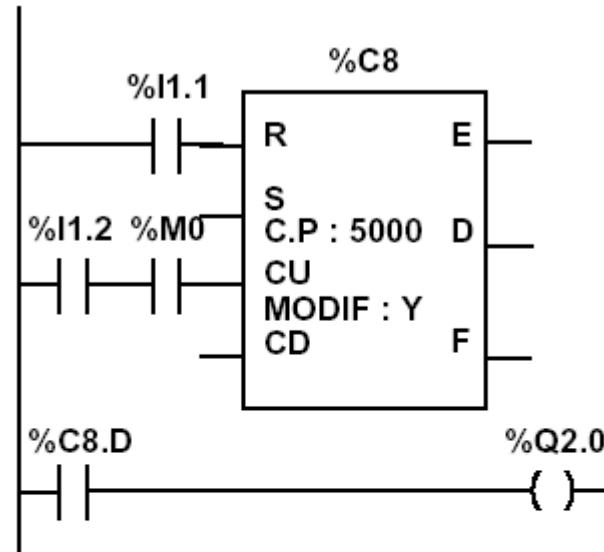
Identifier:	%Ci	0..31 in the TSX37
Value progr.:	%Ci.P	0...9999 (def.)
Value Actual:	%Ci.V	0...Ci.P (only to be read)
Modifiable:	Y/N	can be modified from the console
Inputs:	R S CU CD	Reset Ci.V=0 Preset Ci.V=Ci.P <i>Count Up</i> <i>Count Down</i>
Outputs:	E D F	Overrun %Ci.E=1 %Ci.V=0->9999 Done %Ci.D=1 %Ci.V=Ci.P Full %Ci.F=1 %Ci.V=9999->0

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Counters

Example:

```
IF %I1.1 THEN
    RESET %C8;
END_IF;
IF (%I1.2 AND %M0) THEN
    UP %C8;
END_IF;
%Q2.0 := %C8.D;
```



Instruction list language

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Numerical Processing

Algebraic and Logic Functions

```
%Q2.2 := %MW50 > 10;  
IF %I1.0 THEN  
    %MW10 := %KW0 + 10;  
END_IF;  
IF FE %I1.2 THEN  
    INC %MW100;  
END_IF;
```

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Numerical Processing

Arithmetic Functions for Words

+	addition of two operands	SQRT	square root of an operand
-	subtraction of two operands	INC	incrementation of an operand
*	multiplication of two operands	DEC	decrementation of an operand
/	division of two operands	ABS	absolute value of an operand
REM	remainder from the division of 2 operands		

Operands

Type	Operand 1 (Op1)	Operand 2 (Op2)
Indexable words	%MW	%MW,%KW,%Xi.T
Non-indexable words	%QW,%SW,%NW,%BLK	Imm.Val.,%IW,%QW,%SW,%NW,%BLK, Num.expr.
Indexable double words	%MD	%MD,%KD
Non-indexable double words	%QD,%SD	Imm.Val.,%ID,%QD,%SD, Numeric expr.

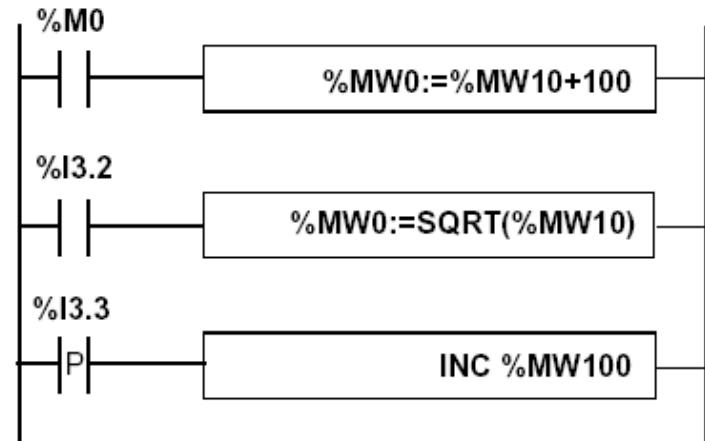
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Numerical Processing

Example:

Arithmetic functions

```
IF %M0 THEN  
    %MW0 := %MW10 + 100;  
END_IF;  
IF %I3.2 THEN  
    %MW0 := SQRT(%MW10);  
END_IF;  
IF RE %I3.3 THEN  
    INC %MW100;  
END_IF;
```



Instruction list language

```
LD %M0  
[%MW0:=%MW10+100]  
  
LD %I3.2  
[%MW0:=SQRT(%MW10)]  
  
LD %I3.3  
[INC %MW100]
```

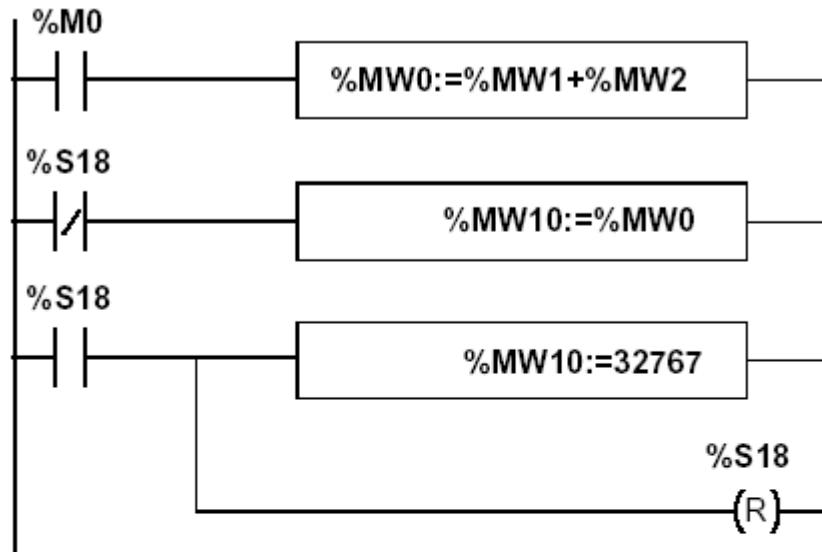
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Example:

Arithmetic functions

```
IF %M0 THEN
    %MW0 := %MW1 + %MW2;
END_IF;
IF %S18 THEN
    %MW10 := 32767; RESET %S18;
ELSE
    %MW10 := %MW0;
END_IF;
```



Example in instruction list language:

```
LD      %M0
[ %MW0 := %MW1 + %MW2 ]
LDN     %S18
[ %MW10 := %MW0 ]
LD      %S18
[ %MW10 := 32767 ]
R      %S18 ]
```

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Numerical Processing

Logic Functions

AND	AND (bit by bit) between two operands
OR	logical OR (bit by bit) between two operands
XOR	exclusive OR (bit by bit) between two operands
NOT	logical complement (bit by bit) of an operand

Comparison instructions are used to compare two operands.

- **>**: tests whether operand 1 is greater than operand 2,
- **>=**: tests whether operand 1 is greater than or equal to operand 2,
- **<**: tests whether operand 1 is less than operand 2,
- **<=**: tests whether operand 1 is less than or equal to operand 2,
- **=**: tests whether operand 1 is different from operand 2.

Operands

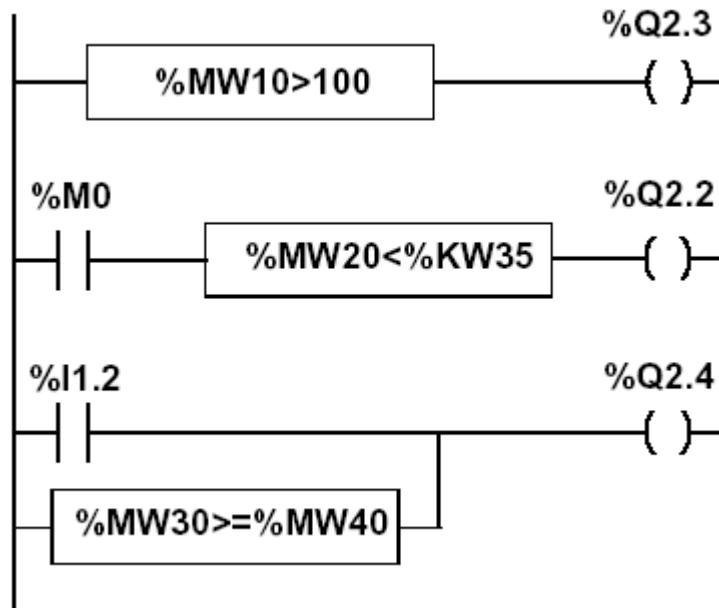
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Non-indexable words	Imm.val., %IW, %QW, %SW, %NW, %BLK, Numeric Expr.
Indexable double words	%MD, %KD
Non-indexable double words	Imm.val., %ID, %QD, %SD, Numeric expr.

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Numerical Processing

Example:

Logic functions



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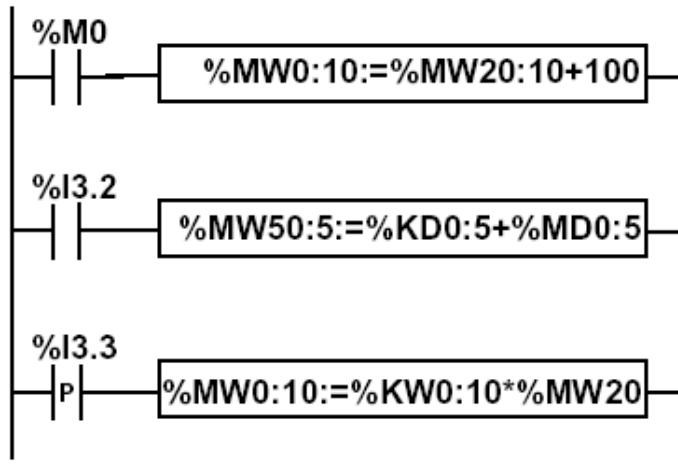
```
%Q2.3 := %MW10 > 100 ;  
%Q2.2 := %M0 AND (%MW20 < %KW35) ;  
%Q2.4 := %I1.2 OR (%MW30 >= %MW40) ;
```

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Example:

Numeric Tables Manipulation



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```
IF RE %I3.3 THEN  
    %MW0 : 10 : = %KW0 : 10 * %MW20 ;  
END_IF ;
```

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Numerical Processing

Priorities on the execution of the operations

Rank	Instruction
1	Instruction to an operand
2	* , /, REM
3	+,-
4	<,>, <=,>=
5	=, <>
6	AND
7	XOR
8	OR

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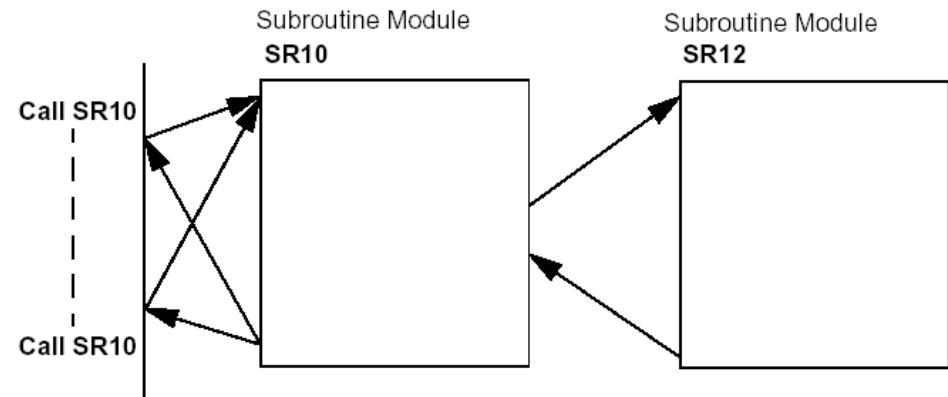
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Subroutines

Call and Return

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```
IF %M8 THEN  
    RETURN;  
END_IF;
```



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```
IF (%M5>3) THEN  
    RETURN;  
END_IF;  
IF %M8 THEN  
    %MD26 := %MW4 * %KD6;  
END_IF;
```

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JUMP instructions:

Conditional and unconditional

Jump instructions are used to go to a programming line with an %Li label address:

- **JMP**: unconditional program jump
 - **JMPC**: program jump if the instruction's Boolean result from the previous test is set at 1
 - **JMPCN**: program jump if the instruction's Boolean result from the previous test is set at 0. %Li is the label of the line to which the jump has been made (address i from 1 to 999 with maximum 256 labels)
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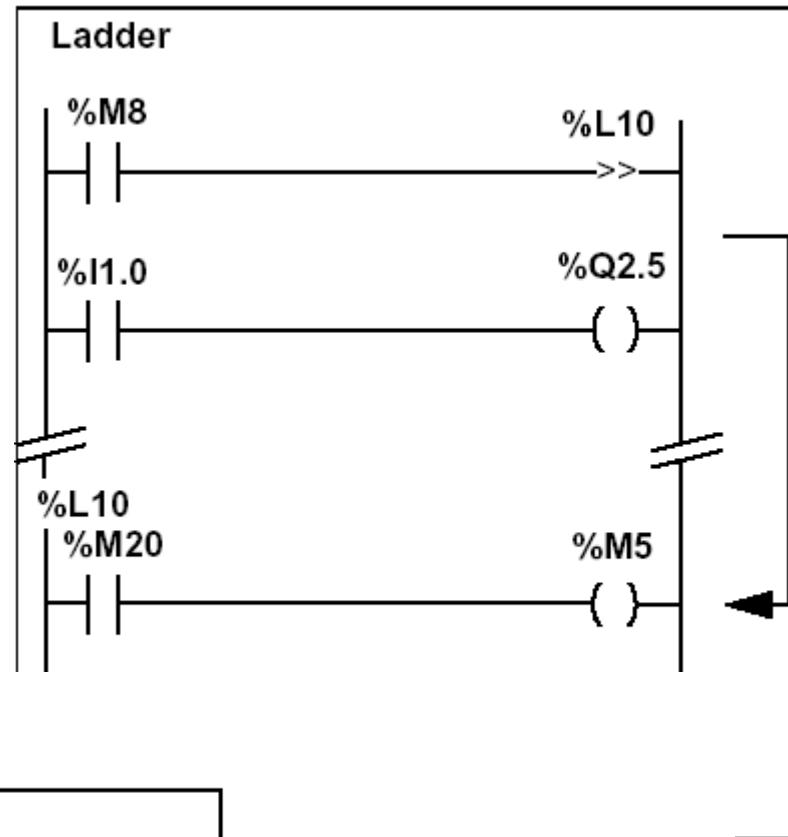
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Example:

Use of jump instructions

Attention to:

```
IF %M8 THEN
    JUMP %L10;
END_IF;
%Q2.5 := %I1.0;
-----
%L10:
    %M5 := %M20;
    %Q2.1 := %I1.0 AND %I1.2;
```



Jump to label %L10
if %M8=1

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Structures for Control of Flux

IF ... THEN ... ELSE ...

Syntax	Operation
<pre>IF condition1 THEN actions1; ELSEIF condition2 THEN actions2; ELSE actions3; END_IF;</pre>	<p>Beginning of IF</p> <pre>graph TD; Start([Beginning of IF]) --> Cond1{Condition 1}; Cond1 -- checked --> Actions1[Actions 1]; Cond1 -- not checked --> Cond2{Condition 2}; Actions1 -- checked --> Actions2[Actions 2]; Actions1 -- not checked --> Actions3[Actions 3]; Actions2 --> End([End of IF]); Actions3 --> End;</pre>

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WHILE

Syntax	Operation
<pre>WHILE condition DO action ; END WHILE;</pre>	<p>Beginning of WHILE</p> <pre>graph TD Start((Beginning of WHILE)) --> Cond{Condition} Cond -- not checked --> Action[Action] Action --> Cond Cond -- checked --> End((End of WHILE))</pre>

Example:

```
! (*WHILE conditional repeated action*)
WHILE %MW4<12 DO
    INC %MW4;
    SET %M25 [%MW4];
END WHILE;
```

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Structures for Control of Flux

REPEAT ... UNTIL

FOR ... DO

EXIT to abort the execution of a structured flux control instruction

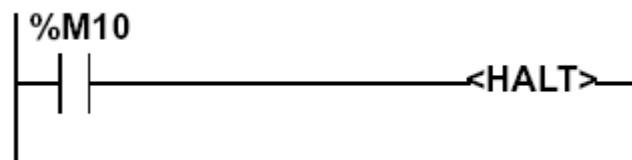
Example:

```
! (*Instruction for exiting the loop EXIT*)
WHILE %MW1<124 DO
    %MW2:=0;
    %MW3:=%MW100[%MW1];
    REPEAT
        %MW500[%MW2]:=%MW3+%MW500[%MW2];
        IF(%MW500[%MW2]>32700) THEN
            EXIT;
        END_IF;
        INC %MW2;
    UNTIL %MW2>25 END_REPEAT;
    INC %MW1;
END WHILE;
```

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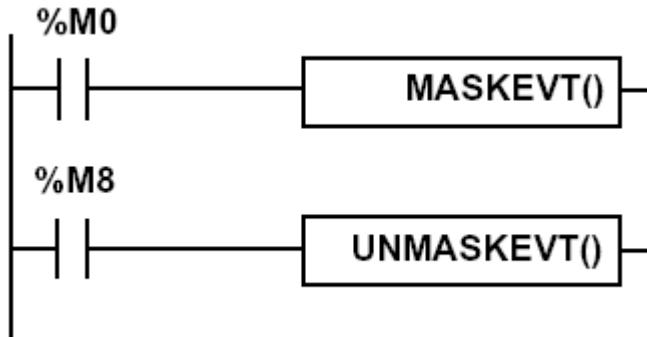
Halt



Stops all processes!

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IF %M10 THEN
 HALT;
END_IF;

Events masking



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IF %M0 THEN
 MASKEVT();
END_IF;
IF %M8 THEN
 UNMASKEVT();
END_IF;

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Data and time related instructions

Name	Function
SCHEDULE	Time function
RRTC	Reading system date
WRTC	Updating system date
PTC	Reading date and stop code
ADD_TOD	Adding a duration to a time of day
ADD_DT	Adding a duration to a date and time
DELTA_TOD	Measuring the gap between times of day
DELTA_D	Measuring the gap between dates (without time).
DELTA_DT	Measuring the gap between dates (with time).
SUB_TOD	Totaling the time to date
SUB_DT	Totaling the time to date and time
DAY_OF_WEEK	Reading the current day of the week
TRANS_TIME	Converting duration into date
DATE_TO_STRING	Converting a date to a character string
TOD_TO_STRING	Converting a time to a character string
DT_TO_STRING	Converting a whole date to a character string
TIME_TO_STRING	Converting a duration to a character string

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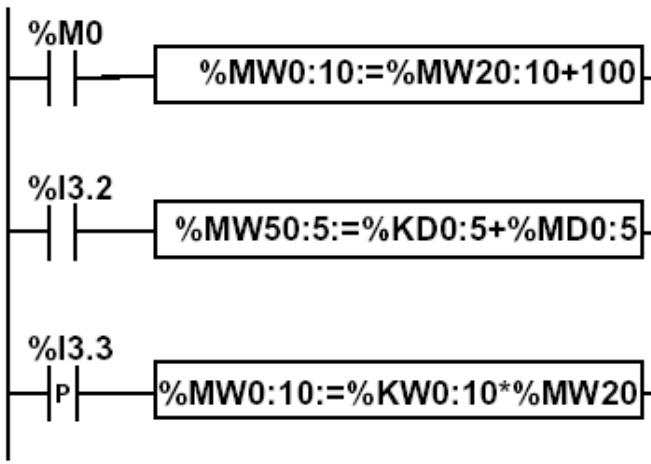
There are other advanced instructions (see manual)

- Monostable
- Registers of 256 words (LIFO ou FIFO)
- *DRUMs*
- Comparators
- *Shift-registers*
- ...
- Functions to manipulate *floats*
- Functions to convert bases and types

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Numerical Tables

Type	Format	Maximum address	Size	Write access
Internal words	Simple length	%MW <i>i</i> :L	$i+L \leq N_{max} (1)$	Yes
	Double length	%MWD <i>i</i> :L	$i+L \leq N_{max}-1 (1)$	Yes
	Floating point	%MFI:L	$i+L \leq N_{max}-1 (1)$	Yes
Constant words	Single length	%KWi:L	$i+L \leq N_{max} (1)$	No
	Double length	%KWD <i>i</i> :L	$i+L \leq N_{max}-1 (1)$	No
	Floating point	%KFI:L	$i+L \leq N_{max}-1 (1)$	No
System word	Single length	%SW50:4 (2)	-	Yes



Instruction list language

```
LD %M0
[%MW0:10:=%MW20:10+100]
```

```
LD %I3.2
[%MD50:5:=%KD0:5+%MD0:5]
```