

# **CANBus Example**

This library gives the user the ability to easily make use of some CAN Bus functionality. The library is optimized for object oriented programming with Structured Text and graphical programming with languages like CFC. Therefore it uses internally the system library CAN Bus Low Level.

### **Product description**

#### Licensing:

No license is required.



This is an easy to use library for CANBus which internally uses the system library CANBus as base. Two example programs with a different implementation (object oriented in ST and graphical in CFC) are provided together with this library.

# 1. Interface IMessageProcessor

All received messages are passed to the MessageProcessor. The method ProcessMessage of IMessageProcessor must be implemented by the user.

Methods:

**ProcessMessage** Process the received CAN telegrams here.

# 1.1. ICANDriver

CANDriver\_11bit and CANDriver\_29bit implement this interface. CANSender, CANMaskReceiver, CANAreaReceiver and CANBusDiagnosis expect a CANDriver instance that implements the ICANDriver interface.

## 2. Graphical POUs

The following function blocks are optimized for programming in graphical languages e.g. CFC.

## 2.1. CANDriver\_11bit (FB)

The CANDriver can handle frames with 11bit CAN-IDs. If a CAN Sender gets instantiated with this driver all messages are sent in 11 bit frames. Any receiver instantiated with this driver will only receive frames with 11 bit CAN-IDs. In case of a Bus Alarm it's possible to reset the driver through xResetBusAlarm.



Input:

**xEnable** BOOL TRUE: action running FALSE: action stopped, outputs xDone, xBusy, xError,

eError, xBusAlarm are reset

xResetBusAlarm BOOL TRUE: Reset the Bus Alarm (applies only if the Bus Driver is in alarm state).

In Out:

DriverConfig DRIVER CONFIG Information to setup the CANbus Driver

#### Output:

xDone	BOOL	Action successfully completed	
xBusy	BOOL	Function block active	
xError	BOOL	TRUE: error occurred, function block aborts action FALSE: no error	
xBusAlarm	BOOL	Indicates if a Bus Alarm occurred	
eError	ERROR	Error codes	

### 2.2. CANDriver\_29bit (FB)

This CANDriver can handle frames with 29bit CAN-IDs and 11bit CAN-IDs. If a CAN Sender gets instantiated with this driver, messages will be sent either as 11 bit or 29 bit frames, depending on the xls29BitMessage flag of MESSAGE. If the flag is TRUE, messages are sent as 29bit frame. Any receiver instantiated with this driver can receive 11 bit and 29 bit CAN-ID frames. In case of a Bus Alarm it's possible to reset the driver through xResetBusAlarm.



Input:

**xEnable** BOOL TRUE: action running FALSE: action stopped, outputs xDone, xBusy, xError,

eError, xBusAlram are reset

xResetBusAlarm BOOL TRUE: Reset the Bus Alarm (applies only if the Bus Driver is in alarm state).

In\_Out:

DriverConfig DRIVER\_CONFIG Information to setup the CANbus Driver

#### Output:

eError	ERROR	Error codes	
xBusAlarm	BOOL	Indicates if a Bus Alarm occurred	
xError	BOOL	TRUE: error occurred, function block aborts action FALSE: no error	
xBusy	BOOL	Function block active	
xDone	BOOL	Action successfully completed	

# 2.3. CANSender

CANSender will send messages over a CANDriver. It is possible to send frames with 29 bit and 11 bit frames. This depends on the CAN Driver used for instantiating the CAN Sender. A CAN Sender instantiated with a 29BitCANDriver is able to send 11 bit messages as well as 29 bit messages. The sending method is defined by setting the xls29BitMessage flag of MESSAGE. An 11BitCANDriver can only send 11 bit messages. If CANSender uses an 11bit driver an error is returned when xls29BitMessage of MESSAGE is TRUE.

CANSender			
—xExecute BOOL	BOOL	xDone -	
-itfCANDriver ICANDriver	BOOL	xBusy	
Message MESSAGE	800L	xError	
-	ERROR	eError	
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## Input:

**xExecute** BOOL Rising edge: Action start, Falling edge: Resets outputs If a falling edge occurs

before the function block has completed its action, the outputs operate in the  $% \left( 1\right) =\left( 1\right) \left( 1\right) \left($ 

usual manner.

itfCANDriver ICANDriver Messages are sent with this driver

In\_Out:

Message	MESSAGE	Message information and data.
Output:		
xDone	BOOL	Action successfully completed
xBusy	BOOL	Function block active

xError	BOOL	TRUE: error occurred, function block aborts action FALSE: no error
eError	ERROR	Error codes

#### 2.4. CANSingleIdReceiver

Generates a receiver for filtering a single Canld. If a time limit is set, the receiver will receive in each cycle messages until the time is up. It there is no time limit set (tTimeLimit:- 0), the receiver receives messages until the receiver buffer is empty. If the time limit is too small it might be that not all received messages are processed and therefore the buffer gets smaller until there are no free message handles left. Received messages will be passed to the MessageProcessor. All message information will be available there. The MessageProcessor must be implemented by the user.



## Input:

xEnable	BOOL	TRUE: action running FALSE: action stopped, outputs xDone, xBusy, xError, eError are reset
itfCANDriver	ICANDriver	An Mask Receiver will be created for this CAN Driver
itfMsgProcessor	IMessageProcessor	Processed the message information. The user must implement the Message Processor.
tTimeLimit	TIME	The time limit for reading messages.  (T#0s means no time limit)
		(1#05 means no time iiinit)

### In\_Out:

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SingleId	RECEIVE	R_SINGLE_ID	Filter criteria for the receiver
Output:			
xDone	BOOL	Action successfully comp	pleted
xBusy	BOOL	Function block active	
xError	BOOL	TRUE: error occurred, fu	unction block aborts action FALSE: no error
eError	ERROR	Error codes	

## 2.5. CANMaskReceiver

This receives messages according to a specific Bit Mask. If a time limit is set, the receiver will receive in each cycle messages until the time is up. It there is no time limit set (tTimeLimit:- 0), the receiver receives messages until the receiver buffer is empty. If the time limit is too small it might be that not all received messages are processed and therefore the empty part of the buffer gets smaller until there are no free message handles left.

Received messages will be passed to the MessageProcessor. All message information will be available there. The MessageProcessor must be implemented by the user.

CANMaskReceiver		
-xEnable BOOL	BOOL xDo	ne —
—itfCANDriver ICANDriver	BOOL xBu	ısy —
-itfMsgProcessor IMessageProcessor BOOL xError		
—tTimeLimit TIME	ERROR eEm	ror —
—Mask RECEIVER_MASK		
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### Input:

xEnable	BOOL	TRUE: action running FALSE: action stopped, outputs
		xDone, xBusy, xError, eError are reset
itfCANDriver	ICANDriver	An Mask Receiver will be created for this CAN Driver
itfMsgProcessor	IMessageProcessor	Processed the message information. The user must implement the Message Processor.
tTime Limit	TIME	The time limit for reading messages.
		(T#0s means no time limit)

In\_Out:

Mask	RECEIVER_MASK	Filter criteria for the receiver	
Output:			
xDone	BOOL	Action successfully completed	
xBusy	BOOL	Function block active	
xError	BOOL	TRUE: error occurred, function block aborts action FALSE: no error	
eError	ERROR	Error codes	

### 2.6. CANAreaReceiver

This receives messages for a range of CAN-IDs. Please note that the Area Receiver only allows 11bit CAN-IDs. If a time limit is set, the receiver will receive in each cycle messages until the time is up. It there is no time limit set (tTimeLimit:- 0), the receiver receives messages until the receiver buffer is empty. If the time limit is too small it might be that not all received messages are processed and therefore the empty part of the buffer gets smaller until there are no free message handles left. Received messages will be passed to the MessageProcessor. All message information will be available there. The MessageProcessor must be implemented by the user.

CANAreaReceiver		ì
—xEnable 8001	800L xDone	Н
—itfCANDriver ICANDriver	BOOL xBusy	Н
itfMsgProcessor	BOOL xError	н
—tTimeLimit TIME	ERROR eError	н
—Area RECEIVER_AREA		1

# Input:

xEnable	BOOL	TRUE: action running FALSE: action stopped, outputs xDone, xBusy, xError, eError are reset
itfCANDriver	ICANDriver	An Area Receiver will be created for this CAN Driver
itfMsgProcessor	IMessageProcessor	Processed the message information. The user must implement the Message Processor.
tTimeLimit	TIME	The time limit for reading messages.
		(T#0s means no time limit)

# In\_Out:

Area	RECEIVER_AREA	Filter criteria for the receiver	
Output:			
xDone	BOOL	Action successfully completed	
xBusy	BOOL	Function block active	
xError	BOOL	TRUE: error occurred, function block aborts action FALSE: no error	
eError	ERROR	Error codes	

# 2.7. CANBusDiagnosis

CAN Bus Diagnosis delivers a structure of diagnostic information about a CAN Bus Driver.

	CANBusDiagnosis	
-	xEnable 800L 800L	xDone -
$\dashv$	itfCANDriver ICANDriver 800L	xBusy
$\dashv$	DiagnosticInfo DIAGNOSIS_INFO 800L	xError
	ERROR	eError

## Input:

xEnable	BOOL	TRUE: action running
		FALSE: action stopped, outputs xDone, xBusy, xError, eError, DiagnosticInfo are reset
itfCANDriver	ICANDriver	Information will be retrieved from this CAN Driver

DiagnosticInfo		DIAGNOSIS_INFO	Describes the diagnostic information	
Output:				
xDone	BOOL	Actio	Action successfully completed	
xBusy	BOOL	Fund	ction block active	
xError	BOOL	TRU	TRUE: error occurred, function block aborts action FALSE: no error	
eError	ERROR	Erro	Error codes	

# 3. Object Oriented POUs

The following POUs provide an object oriented way of programming with the CAN Bus API library.

### 3.1. CANBus\_11bit

CANBus\_11bit can handle frames with 11bit CAN-IDs. An instance of this function block has to be created in order of being able to send or receive messages. The FB expects a complete structure of the type DRIVER\_CONFIG to set up the CANBus.

#### 3.1.1. CloseCANDriver

Closes the CAN Driver. After closing, messages can't be received or transmitted anymore.

### Output:

CloseCANDriver	BOOL	
eError	ERROR	Error codes

#### 3.1.2. DeleteReceiver

Deletes the given receiver

hReceiver	CAA.HANDLE	Receiver to be deleted
eError	ERROR	Error codes

Input:

Output:

DeleteReceiver	BOOL	
eError	ERROR	Error codes

# 3.1.3. GetSingleIdReceiver

Generates a receiver for filtering a single Canld. (With each call of this function a Receiver is created. Therefore the method should not be called cyclic.)

In\_Out:

SingleId	RECEIVER_	_SINGLE_ID	Structure with Bitmask
Output:			
GetMaskRec	eiver	CAA.HANDLE	
eError		ERROR	Error codes

## 3.1.4. GetAreaReceiver

Creates a receiver to receive messages within a range of CAN-IDs. (With each call of this function a Receiver is created. Therefore the method should not be called cyclic.)

In\_Out:

Area	RECEIVER_AREA	Structure with the information of the bit masks and a range of
		CAN-IDs

# Output:

GetAreaReceiver	CAA.HANDLE	
eError	ERROR	Error codes

#### 3.1.5. GetMaskReceiver

Creates a mask for receiving messages. (With each call of this function a Receiver is created. Therefore the method should not be called cyclic.)

In\_Out:

 Mask
 RECEIVER\_MASK
 Structure with the information of the bit masks

Output:

GetMaskReceiver	CAA.HANDLE	
eError	ERROR	Error codes

#### 3.1.6. GetBusDiagnosis

This method aggregates diagnostic information in DIAGNOSIS\_INFO

In\_Out:

DiagnosticInfo	DIAGNOSIS_INFO	This dat	ta type describes diagnostic information
Output:			
GetBusDiagnosis	s	BOOL	
eError		ERROR	Error codes

#### 3.1.7. ReceiveMessage

ReceiveMessage expects a valid handle to either an AreaReceiver, SingleIdReceiver or a MaskReceiver. With receivers it is possible to filter incoming messages. If a time limit is set, the receiver will receive in each cycle messages until the time is up. It there is no time limit set (tTimeLimit:- 0), the receiver receives messages until the receiver buffer is empty. If the time limit is too small it might be that not all received messages are processed and therefore the free part of the buffer gets smaller until there are no free message handles left. Received messages will be passed to the MessageProcessor. All message information will be available there. The MessageProcessor must be implemented by the user.

Input:

hReceiver	CAA.HANDLE	Either a MaskReceiver o	or AreaReceiver
itfMsgProcessor	IMessageProcessor	The Message Processor according to the implem	r will process the read messages entation of the user
tTimeLimit	TIME	The time limit for reading	g messages.
		(T#0s means no time lin	nit)
Output:			
ReceiveMessage		BOOL	
eError		ERROR	Error codes

### 3.1.8. ResetBusAlarm

This method resets the CANBus if the driver is in 'bus alarm' state.

Output:

ResetBusAlarm	BOOL	
eError	ERROR	Error codes

### 3.1.9. SendMessage

In\_Out:

Message Message information and data.

Output:

SendMessage BOOL

eError	ERROR	Error codes

### 3.2. CANBus\_29bit

CANBus Function Block 29 Bit can handle frames with 11bit CAN-IDs and 29bit CAN-IDs. The FB expects a complete structure of the type DRIVER\_CONFIG to set up the CANBus.

#### 4. Structures

## 4.1. DRIVER\_CONFIG

This data type describes the configuration of a CANbus Driver

	usiNetwork	USINT	number of the interface (Network ID starts by 0)	
<b>uiBaudrate</b> UINT Possible values for baud rate [kbit/s]: 10, 20, 50, 100, 125, 250, 500, 800 or		Possible values for baud rate [kbit/s]: 10, 20, 50, 100, 125, 250, 500, 800 or 1000.		
	ctMessages	USINT	length of the message queue for outgoing messages	

### 4.2. RECEIVER\_SINGLE\_ID

This structure filters the messages of a single CAN ld. If the mask parameter is TRUE, a filter in the CAN Receiver Queue is active. Now messages are filtered according to the value parameter. Also see the examples of RECEIVER\_AREA.

dwCanId	DWORD	Canld
xRTRValue	BOOL	bit sign for RTR flag
xRTRMask	BOOL	mask for bit sign of xRTRValue
x29BitIdValue	BOOL	29-Bit message
x29BitIdMask	BOOL	Mask for 29-bit message
xTransmitValue	BOOL	Messages sent via this adapter with the same driver.
xTransmitMask	BOOL	Mask for messages sent via this adapter with the same driver.
xAlwaysNewest	BOOL	TRUE: only the most current message will be received; FALSE: all messages will be received

## 4.3. RECEIVER\_AREA

This structure identifies an area for receiving CANBus frames. Please note that the Area Receiver only allows 11bit CAN-IDs. If the mask parameter is TRUE, a filter in the CAN Receiver Queue is active. Now messages are filtered according to the value parameter.

dwldStart	DWORD	first identifier of the area
dwldEnd	DWORD	last identifier of the area
xRTRValue	BOOL	bit sign for RTR flag
xRTRMask	BOOL	mask for bit sign of xRTRValue
xTransmitValue	BOOL	Messages sent via this adapter with the same driver.
xTransmitMask	BOOL	Mask for messages sent via this adapter with the same driver.

## Examples:

Only Transmit messages ranging between 16#100 and 16#150: dwldStart:-16#100, dwldEnd:-16#150, xTransmitValue - TRUE, xTransmitMask - TRUE, all other Mask paramters - FALSE

All messages ranging between 16#0 and 16#7FF dwldStart:-16#0, dwldEnd:-16#7FF all mask parameters FALSE (no further filtering is done).

All messages: dwldStart - 0, dwldEnd - 0, all Mask Parameter FALSE all Value Parameter FALSE

## 4.4. RECEIVER\_MASK

The parameter canldMask describes a bit mask for canld's on incoming messages. The parameter canldValue proofs if the mask applies to the Canld of the received message. If the Canld doesn't apply to the mask, the message will be filtered out. For the use of the other Mask/Value parameters see the examples of RECEIVER AREA.

canldValue	DWORD	bit sign of identifier of message	
canldMask	DWORD	mask for bit sign of canldValue	
xRTRValue	BOOL	bit sign for RTR flag	
xRTRMask	BOOL	mask for bit sign of xRTRValue	
x29BitIdValue	BOOL	29-Bit message	
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x29BitIdMask	BOOL	Mask for 29-bit message
xTransmitValue	BOOL	Messages sent via this adapter with the same driver.
xTransmitMask	BOOL	Mask for messages sent via this adapter with the same driver.
xAlwaysNewest	BOOL	TRUE: only the most current message will be received; FALSE: all messages will be received

# 4.5. MESSAGE

This structure contains the information of a message. Messages of this type can be sent via CANSender (FB) or by an instance of CANBus\_11bit / CANBus\_29bit.

udiCANId	UDINT	CAN-ID is the bitld of a CAN-frame
abyData	ARRAY [07] OF BYTE	Array for 0 to 7 bytes of data
usiDataLength	USINT	The length of the data array 0 to 8
xRTR	BOOL	Remote Transmission Request
xls29BitMessage	BOOL	TRUE: the messages is a 29bit message, FALSE: the message is a 11bit message

# 4.6. RxMESSAGE

(RxMESSAGE has all elements of MESSAGE plus two additional ones)

xlsTxMessage	BOOL	TRUE: Messages sent via this adapter with the same driver.	
udiTSP	UDINT	NT Only available if the driver supports TimeStamps. If not the value is 0. Compare	
	TimeStamp by calling SysTimeGetUs() function		

# 4.7. DIAGNOSIS\_INFO

This data type describes diagnostic information.

xBusAlarm	BOOL	Bus Alarm
usiBusLoad	USINT	The bus load.
e State	BUSSTATE	This data type describes the state of the CAN network.
uiBaudrate	UINT	The baud rate of the bus.
ctSendCounter	CAA.COUNT	The value of the send counter.
ctReceiveCounter	CAA.COUNT	The value of the receive counter.
ctRxErrorCounter	CAA.COUNT	The value of the receive error counter.
ctTxErrorCounter	CAA.COUNT	The value of the send error counter.
xSendingActive	BOOL	TRUE: the CAN hardware is busy sending CAN messages.
		FALSE: all messages have already been sent.
ctLostCounter	CAA.COUNT	The value of the lost messages.
ctReceivePoolSize	CAA.COUNT	Size of the receive pool
ctReceiveQueueLength	CAA.COUNT	Size of the receive queue length
ctTransmitPoolSize	CAA.COUNT	Size of the transmit pool
ctTransmitQueueLength	CAA.COUNT	Size of the transmit queue length

## 5. Enumerations

# 5.1. ERROR

NO_ERROR	No error occurred
INTERNAL_ERROR	An error occurred in the CL2 Library.
NO_CANBUS_DRIVER	Create a valid CANBus Driver for this operation
CANBUS_DRIVER_NOT_CREATED	NetID might be wrong or the driver is not registered in "GatewayPLC/CoDeSysControl.cfg".
	Example 1: 1 CAN card with 2 channels, channel 1: NetId - 0, channel 2: NetId - 1;
	Example 2: 2 CAN cards: NetId depends on the order the drivers are loaded.
NO_VALID_RECEIVER	There is no valid receiver

START_VALUE_GT_END	Start value is greater than end value for area receiver
TIME_OUT	Time out
BUS_ALARM	The CAN Bus is in alarm state
MESSAGE_QUEUE_EXCEEDED	The sending queue is full
ONLY_11BIT_CANID_ALLOWED	CAN-IDs needs to be max. 11bit
WRONG_BOUDRATE	Boudrate for CANDriver is not valid
WRONG_PARAMETER	A parameter has a wrong value

#### 5.2. BUSSTATE

UNKNOWN	The state of the network is not known. Its functionality is not implemented.	
ERR_FREE	No occurrence of CAN bus errors so far. The error counters of the chip are zero.	
ACTIVE	Only few CAN bus errors so far. The error counters of the chip are below the warning level.	
WARNING	Occurrence of some CAN bus errors. The error counters are above the warning level.	
PASSIVE	Too many CAN bus errors. The error counters are above the error level.	
BUSOFF	The node has been separated from the CAN bus. The error counter has exceeded the admissible maximum.	

## 6. Examples

The example project CANBusAPIExample.project contains two implementations, one in ST, the other in CFC. Both implement in different ways, how a CAN telegram can be received, processed and resent.

Call one of the two programs (CFC\_PRG, ST\_PRG) in the task manager and download the application onto your PLC and run it. When you send a CAN telegram with appropriate ID (e.g. 0x500) from an external device, your PLC will receive it, and send it out with the identical data content and another ID (0x501).

#### 6.1. Example ST

Receives all incoming messages and echoes them with CAN-ID +1

## **Technical description**

**MsgProcessor\_EchoST**: Implements the CAN.IMessageProcessor interface. Its method ProcessMessage was implemented by the user. In this example the method simply increments the CAN-IDs of the received messages by 1 and writes them back to the CAN driver.

**ST\_PRG**: Configures the CAN Driver with the DEVICE\_CONFIG from g\_busConfig. Also an instance of MsgProcessor\_EchoST and a MaskReceiver are created. GetMaskReceiver should only be called once because every call generates a new MaskReceiver. With the setup of this MaskReceiver it's possible to receive all incoming messages. Incoming messages are automatically handed over to the previously created msgProcessor.

## 6.2. Example CFC

Receives messages with CAN-IDs ranging from 16#500 to 16#550 and echoes them back with CAN-ID +1

#### **Technical description**

**MsgProcessor\_EchoCFC**: Implements the CAN.IMessageProcessor interface. Its method ProcessMessage was implemented by the user. In this example the method simply increments the CAN-IDs of the received messages by 1 and writes them back to the CAN driver.

CFC\_PRG: Configures the CAN Driver with the DEVICE\_CONFIG from g\_busConfig. Also an instance of MsgProcessor\_EchoCFC, an instance of CANBusDiagnosis and two AreaReceiver are created. With the setup of the AreaReceivers it's possible to receive incoming messages with the CAN-ID 16#280 and CAN-IDs ranging from 16#500 to 16#550. These CAN-IDs can be adapted anytime. Please keep in mind that an AreaReceiver is only able to receive messages 11bit CAN-IDs. Incoming messages are automatically handed over to the previously created msgProcessor. With the CANBusDiagnosis it's possible to monitor the state of the CAN Driver.

## **General information**

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Programming System	CODESYS Development System Version 3.5.6.0 or higher
Runtime System	CODESYS Control Version 3.5.6.0
Supported Platforms/ Devices	All
Additional Requirements	PLC with CAN interface
Restrictions	-
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