



HEXACON MODEL II SCADA SPECIFICATIONS

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1. Introduction

This document provides specifications for the optional Supervisory Control And Data Acquisition (SCADA) output of the Hexacon Model II system. This RS232 serial unidirectional data stream is intended to be connected to a serial port on the SCADA computer

2. Serial Port Configuration

The serial output port is designed to be directly connected to a serial port on the SCADA computer. Table 1 documents the configuration of the serial port.

| Parameter | Data |
|------------------|--------------------------------|
| Direction | Unidirectional - Data out only |
| BAUD Rate | 9600 |
| Data Bits | 8 |
| Start Bits | 1 |
| Stop Bits | 1 |
| Parity | None |

Table 1: Serial Port Configuration

3. Connector Configuration

| Parameter | Data |
|------------------|--------------------|
| Connector Type | DB |
| Equipment Type | DCE |
| Number of Pins | 9 |
| Polarity | Sockets |
| Pins 1,4,6,7,8,9 | Not used |
| Pin 2 | Transmit Data (Tx) |
| Pin 3 | reserved |
| Pin 5 | Return |

Table 2: Serial Connector Parameters

4. Electrical Parameters

| Parameter | Data |
|------------------------|--------------|
| Signal Levels | RS232 |
| Max. Drive Distance | 100 feet |
| Recommended Cable Type | Belden 1421A |

Table 3: Electrical Parameters

5. Output Messages

Table 4 documents each possible code that is transmitted by the Hexacon Model II System, the definition of the code, and the rate at which it is repeated. Fault codes are repeated as long as the fault persists. All codes are followed by a carriage return (ASCII: 0x0D) and a line feed (ASCII: 0x0A); these are the delimiting characters for each fault code.

For example:

A system that has two actuators attached to the A and B Terminal Blocks and is 100% operational will report the following message string once per hour:

OA0D0A0B0D0A

| ASCII Characters | Definition | Repetition Rate |
|------------------|---|-----------------|
| OA - OF | Valve Armed and Ready | once per hour |
| EC | Emergency Close Initiated | at occurrence |
| ES | Valve Closure Complete | at occurrence |
| TI | Test Close Initiated | at occurrence |
| TS | Test Close Complete | at occurrence |
| VA - VF | Valve Has Closed and Was Torqued Properly | at occurrence |
| TA - TF | Valve Timed Out While Closing | at occurrence |
| BF | Battery Is Disconnected Or The 30 Amp Fuse Is Blown | at occurrence |
| BL | Battery Voltage Is Less Than 12.4 Volts | once per minute |
| BH | Battery Voltage Is Greater Than 15.0 Volts | once per minute |
| CF | Charger Voltage Is Less Than 13.9 Volts Or There Is An AC Power Fault | once per minute |
| CH | Charging Supply Voltage Is Greater Than 16.3 Volts | once per minute |
| +5 | +5 Volt Logic Supply Is Out Of Range (4.6 to 5.3 Volts) | once per minute |
| RS | System Needs To Be Reset | once per minute |
| CD | Charger Is Off | once per minute |
| SA - SF | Valve Shorted During The Last Activation | at occurrence |
| SR | System Reset - A Hardware Or Software Reset Occurred | at occurrence |

Table 4: SCADA Codes and Definitions

Note: System faults will continue to be reported at a once per minute rate until the fault is cleared. If multiple system faults exist at the same time, they will be reported in the order that they were received by the system. Multiple fault codes will also be separated by the same delimiting characters: a carriage return (ASCII: 0x0D) and a line feed (ASCII: 0x0A).