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Introduction

Thank you for purchasing an NX-series NX701 CPU Unit.

This manual contains information that is necessary to use the NX-series NX701 CPU Unit. Please read this manual and make sure you understand the functionality and performance of the NX-series CPU Unit before you attempt to use it in a control system.

In this manual, an NX-series NX701 CPU Unit is called an NX Series or NX-series CPU Unit. Keep this manual in a safe place where it will be available for reference during operation.

Intended Audience

This manual is intended for the following personnel, who must also have knowledge of electrical systems (an electrical engineer or the equivalent).

- Personnel in charge of introducing FA systems.
- Personnel in charge of designing FA systems.
- Personnel in charge of installing and maintaining FA systems.
- Personnel in charge of managing FA systems and facilities.

For programming, this manual is intended for personnel who understand the programming language specifications in international standard IEC 61131-3 or Japanese standard JIS B 3503.

Applicable Products

This manual covers the following products.

 NX-series CPU Units NX701-17
 NX701-16

Part of the specifications and restrictions for the CPU Units are given in other manuals. Refer to *Relevant Manuals* on page 2 and *Related Manuals* on page 39.

Relevant Manuals

The following table provides the relevant manuals for the NX-series CPU Units. Read all of the manuals that are relevant to your system configuration and application before you use the NX-series CPU Unit.

Most operations are performed from the Sysmac Studio Automation Software. Refer to the *Sysmac Studio Version 1 Operation Manual (Cat. No. W504)* for information on the Sysmac Studio.

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*1. Refer to the NJ/NX-series Troubleshooting Manual (Cat. No. W503) for the error management concepts and the error items. However, refer to the manuals that are indicated with triangles (△) for details on errors corresponding to the products with the manuals that are indicated with triangles (△).

Manual Structure

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This illustration is provided only as a sample. It may not literally appear in this manual.

Special Information

Special information in this manual is classified as follows:

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.

Version Information

Information on differences in specifications and functionality for Controller with different unit versions and for different versions of the Sysmac Studio is given.

Precaution on Terminology

In this manual, "download" refers to transferring data from the Sysmac Studio to the physical Controller and "upload" refers to transferring data from the physical Controller to the Sysmac Studio. For the Sysmac Studio, "synchronization" is used to both "upload" and "download" data. Here, "synchronize" means to automatically compare the data for the Sysmac Studio on the computer with the data in the physical Controller and transfer the data in the direction that is specified by the user.

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Safety Precautions

Definition of Precautionary Information

The following notation is used in this manual to provide precautions required to ensure safe usage of an NX-series Controller.

The safety precautions that are provided are extremely important to safety. Always read and heed the information provided in all safety precautions.

The following notation is used.



Symbols

	The circle and slash symbol indicates operations that you must not do. The specific operation is shown in the circle and explained in text. This example indicates prohibiting disassembly.
	The triangle symbol indicates precautions (including warnings). The specific operation is shown in the triangle and explained in text. This example indicates a precaution for electric shock.
$\underline{\mathbb{N}}$	The triangle symbol indicates precautions (including warnings). The specific operation is shown in the triangle and explained in text. This example indicates a general precaution.
0	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 you must do.
	The triangle symbol indicates precautions (including warnings). The specific operation is shown in the triangle and explained in text. This example indicates a precaution for high temperatures.

Warnings

During Power Supply

Do not touch any of the terminals or terminal blocks while the power is being supplied. Doing so may result in electric shock.

Do not attempt to take any Unit apart.

In particular, high-voltage parts are present in the Power Supply Unit while power is supplied or immediately after power is turned OFF. Touching any of these parts may result in electric shock. There are sharp parts inside the Unit that may cause injury.

Fail-safe Measures

Provide safety measures in external circuits to ensure safety in the system if an abnormality occurs due to malfunction of the CPU Unit, slaves, or Units or due to other external factors affecting operation. Not doing so may result in serious accidents due to incorrect operation.

Emergency stop circuits, interlock circuits, limit circuits, and similar safety measures must be provided in external control circuits.

The Controller outputs may remain ON or OFF due to deposition or burning of the output relays or destruction of the output transistors. As a countermeasure for such problems, external safety measures must be provided to ensure safe operation of the system.

The CPU Unit turns OFF all outputs of the Digital Output Unit and the slave follows the operation of the slave side;

- If an error occurs in the power supply
- If a CPU Unit error or CPU Unit reset occurs
- If a major fault level Controller error occurs
- While the CPU Unit is on standby until RUN mode is entered after the power is turned ON
- If a system initialization error occurs

External safety measures must be provided to ensure safe operation of the system in such cases.

If external power supplies for slaves or other devices are overloaded or short-circuited, the voltage will drop, outputs will turn OFF, and the system may be unable to read inputs. Provide external safety measures in controls with monitoring of external power supply voltage as required so that the system operates safely in such a case.

Unintended outputs may be performed when an error occurs in variable memory or memory for CJ-series Units. As a countermeasure for such problems, external safety measures must be provided to ensure safe operation of the system.

Provide measures in the communications system and user program to ensure safety in the overall system even if errors or malfunctions occur in data link communications or remote I/O communications.

If there is interference in remote I/O communications or if a major fault level error occurs, output status will depend on the products that are used.

Confirm the operation that will occur when there is interference in communications or a major fault level error, and implement safety measures.

Correctly set all of the settings in the slaves and Units.











The NX-series Controller continues normal operation for a certain period of time when a momentary power interruption occurs. This means that the NX-series Controller may receive incorrect signals from external devices that are also affected by the power interruption.

Accordingly, take suitable actions, such as external fail-safe measures and interlock conditions, to monitor the power supply voltage of the external device as required.

You must take fail-safe measures to ensure safety in the event of incorrect, missing, or abnormal signals caused by broken signal lines, momentary power interruptions, or other causes.

Not doing so may result in serious accidents due to incorrect operation.

Voltage and Current Inputs

Make sure that the voltages and currents that are input to the slaves and Units are within the specified ranges.

Inputting voltages or currents that are outside of the specified ranges may cause accidents or fire.

Downloading

Always confirm safety at the destination 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.

Actual Operation

Check the user program, data, and parameter settings for proper execution before you use them for actual operation.

Security Measures

Anti-virus protection

Install the latest commercial-quality antivirus software on the computer connected to the control system and maintain to keep the software up-to-date.











Security measures to prevent unauthorized access

Take the following measures to prevent unauthorized access to our products.

- Install physical controls so that only authorized personnel can access control systems and equipment.
- Reduce connections to control systems and equipment via networks to prevent access from untrusted devices.
- Install firewalls to shut down unused communications ports and limit communications hosts and isolate control systems and equipment from the IT network.
- Use a virtual private network (VPN) for remote access to control systems and equipment.
- Adopt multifactor authentication to devices with remote access to control systems and equipment.
- Set strong passwords and change them frequently.
- Scan virus to ensure safety of USB drives or other external storages before connecting them to control systems and equipment.

Data input and output protection

Validate backups and ranges to cope with unintentional modification of input/output data to control systems and equipment.

- · Checking the scope of data
- Checking validity of backups and preparing data for restore in case of falsification and abnormalities
- Safety design, such as emergency shutdown and fail-soft operation in case of data tampering and abnormalities

Data recovery

Backup data and keep the data up-to-date periodically to prepare for data loss.

When using an intranet environment through a global address, connecting to a SCADA or an unauthorized terminal such as an HMI or to an unauthorized server may result in network security issues such as spoofing and tampering. You must take sufficient measures such as restricting access to the terminal, using a terminal equipped with a secure function, and locking the installation area by yourself.

When constructing an intranet, communication failure may occur due to cable disconnection or the influence of unauthorized network equipment. Take adequate measures, such as restricting physical access to network devices, by means such as locking the installation area.

When using a device equipped with the SD Memory Card function, there is a security risk that a third party may acquire, alter, or replace the files and data in the removable media by removing the removable media or unmounting the removable media. Please take sufficient measures, such as restricting physical access to the Controller or taking appropriate management measures for removable media, by means of locking the installation area, entrance management, etc., by yourself.

Cautions

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Application









Do not touch any Unit when power is being supplied or immediately after the power supply is turned OFF. Doing so may result in burn injury.

Wiring

Be sure that all terminal screws and cable connector screws are tightened to the torque specified in the relevant manuals. The loose screws may result in fire or malfunction.

When you connect a computer or other peripheral device to a Controller that has a non-isolated DC Power Supply Unit, either ground the 0-V side of the external power supply or do not ground it at all.

If the peripheral devices are grounded incorrectly, the external power supply may be short-circuited. Never ground the 24-V side of the power supply, as shown in the following figure.





Online Editing

Execute online editing only after confirming that no adverse effects will be caused by deviations in the timing of I/O. If you perform online editing, the task execution time may exceed the task period, I/O may not be refreshed with external devices, input signals may not be read, and output timing may change.



Precautions for Safe Use

Disassembly and Dropping

- Do not attempt to disassemble, repair, or modify any Units. Doing so may result in malfunction or fire.
- Do not drop any Unit or subject it to abnormal vibration or shock. Doing so may result in Unit malfunction or burning.

Mounting

- The sliders on the tops and bottoms of the Power Supply Unit and CPU Unit must be completely locked (until they click into place) after connecting the adjacent Unit connectors.
- Do not apply labels or tape to the Unit. When the Unit is installed or removed, adhesive or scraps may adhere to the pins in the NX bus connector, which may result in malfunctions.
- Do not touch the pins in the NX bus connector on the Unit. Dirt may adhere to the pins in the NX bus connector, which may result in malfunctions.



• Do not write on the CPU Unit with ink within the restricted region that is shown in the following figure. Also do not get this area dirty. When the Unit is installed or removed, ink or dirt may adhere to the pins in the NX connector, which may result in malfunctions.



Installation

- Always connect to a ground of 100 Ω or less when installing the Units.
- If the LG and GR terminals are connected, make sure to connect them firmly. The LG terminal that
 is a noise-filtered neutral terminal, has a half electrical potential of the input voltage. Therefore, if
 you touch the metallic part of the LG terminal, GR terminal, or Controller, while the GR terminal is
 not grounded, it may result in electrical shock even when a normal operation is performed.

Wiring

- Follow the instructions in this manual to correctly perform wiring.
 Double-check all wiring and switch settings before turning ON the power supply.
- Use crimp terminals for wiring. Do not connect bare stranded wires directly to terminals.
- Do not pull on the cables or bend the cables beyond their natural limit.
 Do not place heavy objects on top of the cables or other wiring lines. Doing so may break the cables.
- · Mount terminal blocks and connectors only after checking the mounting location carefully.
- Be sure that the terminal blocks, expansion cables, and other items with locking devices are properly locked into place.
- Before you connect a computer to the CPU Unit, disconnect the power supply plug of the computer from the AC outlet. Also, if the computer has an FG terminal, make the connections so that the FG terminal has the same electrical potential as the GR terminal on the Power Supply Unit. A difference in electrical potential between the computer and Controller may cause failure or malfunction.
- If the external power supply to an Output Unit or slave has polarity, connect it with the correct polarity. If the polarity is reversed, current may flow in the reverse direction and damage the connected devices regardless of the operation of the Controller.

Power Supply Design

• Do not exceed the rated supply capacity of the Power Supply Units in the NX-series Controller. The rated supply capacities are given in the *NX-series CPU Unit Hardware User's Manual (Cat. No. W535)*.

If the capacity is exceeded, operation may stop, malfunctions may occur, or data may not be backed up normally for power interruptions.

- Do not apply voltages or connect loads to the Output Units or slaves in excess of the maximum ratings.
- Surge current occurs when the power supply is turned ON. When selecting fuses or breakers for external circuits, consider the above precaution and allow sufficient margin in shut-off performance. Refer to the relevant manuals for surge current specifications. Refer to the *NX-series CPU Unit Hardware User's Manual (Cat. No. W535)* for surge current specifications.
- If the full dielectric strength voltage is applied or turned OFF using the switch on the tester, the generated impulse voltage may damage the Power Supply Unit. Use the adjustment on the tester to gradually increase and decrease the voltage.

- Apply the voltage between the Power Supply Unit's L1 or L2 terminal and the GR terminal when testing insulation and dielectric strength.
- Do not supply AC power from an inverter or other device with a square-wave output. Internal temperature rise may result in smoking or burning. Always input a sinusoidal wave with the frequency that is given in the *NX-series CPU Unit Hardware User's Manual (Cat. No. W535)*.
- Install external breakers and take other safety measures against short-circuiting in external wiring.

Turning ON the Power Supply

- It takes up to approximately 10 to 20 s to enter RUN mode after the power is turned ON. The outputs during this time behave according to the slave or Unit specifications. Use the RUN output on the Power Supply Unit, for example, to implement fail-safe circuits so that external devices do not operate incorrectly.
- Configure the external circuits so that the power supply to the control system turns ON only after the power supply to the Controller has turned ON. If the power supply to the Controller is turned ON after the control power supply, temporary errors may result in incorrect control system signals because the output terminals on Output Units may momentarily turn ON when power supply is turned ON to the Controller.
- If you transfer data from a backup file on an SD Memory Card to the Controller when the power supply is turned ON, properly select the data groups to transfer. If the data for an unintended data group is transferred to the Controller, it may cause the equipment to operate unpredictably.

Turning OFF the Power Supply

- Never turn OFF the power supply to the Controller when the BUSY indicator is flashing. While the BUSY indicator is lit, the user program and settings in the CPU Unit are being backed up in the builtin non-volatile memory. This data will not be backed up correctly if the power supply is turned OFF. Also, a major fault level Controller error will occur the next time you start operation, and operation will stop.
- Do not turn OFF the power supply or remove the SD Memory Card while SD Memory Card access is in progress (i.e., while the SD BUSY indicator flashes). Data may become corrupted, and the Controller will not operate correctly if it uses corrupted data. To remove the SD Memory Card from the CPU Unit while the power supply is ON, press the SD Memory Card power supply switch and wait for the SD BUSY indicator to turn OFF before you remove the SD Memory Card.
- Do not disconnect the cable or turn OFF the power supply to the Controller when downloading data or the user program from Support Software.
- Always turn OFF the power supply to the Controller before you attempt any of the following.
 - a) Mounting or removing the Units
 - b) Assembling the Units
 - c) Setting DIP switches or rotary switches
 - d) Connecting cables or wiring the system
 - e) Connecting or disconnecting the connectors
 - f) Mounting or removing the Fan Unit

The Power Supply Unit may continue to supply power to the rest of the Controller for a few seconds after the power supply turns OFF. The PWR indicator is lit during this time. Confirm that the PWR indicator is not lit before you perform any of the above.

Task Design

- If the following variables are specified for a condition expression when the execution condition is a condition expression for a variable, event tasks may not be executed when conditions are met or event tasks may be executed when conditions are not met.
 - a) Structure members whose data size is 16 bits or more, except for system-defined variables for motion control
 - b) Array elements whose data size is 16 bits or more

For information on event task execution conditions, refer to the *NJ/NX-series CPU Unit Software User's Manual (Cat. No. W501).*

Operation

- Confirm that no adverse effect will occur in the system before you attempt any of the following.
 - a) Changing the operating mode of the CPU Unit (including changing the setting of the Startup Mode)
 - b) Changing the user program or settings
 - c) Changing set values or present values
 - d) Forced refreshing
- After you change any slave or Unit settings, carefully check the safety of the controlled system before you restart the Unit.
- If two different function modules are used together, such as when you use EtherNet/IP and Ether-CAT slaves, take suitable measures in the user program and external controls to ensure that safety is maintained in the controlled system if one of the function modules stops. The relevant outputs will behave according to the slave or Unit specifications if a partial fault level error occurs in one of the function modules.
- Always confirm safety at the connected equipment before you reset Controller errors with an event level of partial fault or higher for the EtherCAT Master Function Module.

When the error is reset, all slaves that were in any state other than Operational state due to a Controller error with an event level of partial fault or higher (in which outputs are disabled) will go to Operational state and the outputs will be enabled.

Before you reset all errors or restart a slave, confirm that no Controller errors with an event level of partial fault have occurred for the EtherCAT Master Function Module.

- Always confirm safety at the connected equipment before you perform the following operations when the device output hold configuration is set to enable. The equipment may operate unexpectedly because the last status for outputs is retained.
 - a) Changing the operating mode of the CPU Unit
 - b) When downloaded

Battery Backup

 The user program and initial values for the variables are stored in non-volatile memory in the CPU Unit. The present values of variables with the Retain attribute and the values of the Holding, DM, and EM Areas in the memory used for CJ-series Units are backed up by a Battery.
 If the Battery is not connected or the Battery is exhausted, the CPU Unit detects a Battery-backup Memory Check Error. If that error is detected, variables with a Retain attribute are set to their initial values and the Holding, DM, and EM Areas in memory used for CJ-series Units are cleared to all zeros. Perform thorough verifications and provide sufficient measures to ensure that the devices perform safe operation for the initial values of the variables with Retain attributes and the resulting operation.

- The absolute encoder home offsets are backed up by a Battery. If the CPU Unit detects a low battery voltage or the absence of a mounted battery when the power supply to the Controller is turned ON, the absolute encoder home offsets are cleared to zeros and an Encoder Home Offset Read Error occurs. Reset the error and perform homing to define home. If you do not define home, unintended operation of the controlled system may occur.
- To prevent the user program from operating with an unintended value in the retained variables or the
 retained areas in the memory used for CJ-series Units or in the absolute encoder home offset position, use the system-defined variable _*RetainUnexec* (Retention Inexecution Flag) in the user program as an interlock condition as required.

Debugging

- Forced refreshing ignores the results of user program execution and refreshes I/O with the specified values. If forced refreshing is used for inputs for which I/O refreshing is not supported, the inputs will first take the specified values, but they will then be overwritten by the user program. This operation differs from the force-set/reset functionality of the CJ-series PLCs.
- You cannot upload or download information for forced refreshing with the Sysmac Studio. After downloading data that contains forced refreshing, change to RUN mode and then use the Sysmac Studio to perform the operation for forced refreshing.

Depending on the difference in the forced status, the control system may operate unexpectedly.

Do not specify the same address for the AT specification for more than one variable.
 Doing so would allow the same entity to be accessed with different variable names, which would make the user program more difficult to understand and possibly cause programming mistakes.

General Communications

- When you use data link communications, check the error information that is given in _ErrSta (Controller Error Status) to make sure that no error has occurred in the source device. Create a user program that uses reception data only when there is no error in the source device.
 If there is an error in the source device, the data for the data link may contain incorrect values.
- Unexpected operation may result if inappropriate data link tables are set. Even if appropriate data link tables have been set, confirm that the controlled system will not be adversely affected before you transfer the data link tables. The data links start automatically after the data link tables are transferred.

EtherNet/IP Communications

- Make sure that the communications distance, number of nodes connected, and method of connection for EtherNet/IP are within specifications. Do not connect EtherNet/IP communications to Ether-CAT or other networks. An overload may cause the network to fail or malfunction.
- All related EtherNet/IP nodes are reset when you transfer settings for the built-in EtherNet/IP port (including IP addresses and tag data links settings). The settings can only be enabled after the

reset. Confirm that the system will not be adversely affected by resetting nodes before you transfer the settings.

- If EtherNet/IP tag data links (cyclic communications) are used with a repeating hub, the communications load on the network will increase. This will increase collisions and may prevent stable communications. Do not use repeating hubs on networks where tag data links are used. Use an Ethernet switch instead.
- When you use two EtherNet/IP networks separately, provide separate hubs to connect nodes in each network.
- Be careful not to mix nodes that belong different EtherNet/IP networks when you connect them.

EtherCAT Communications

 Make sure that the communications distance, number of nodes connected, and method of connection for EtherCAT are within specifications.
 Do not connect EtherCAT communications to EtherNet/ID a standard in house LAN, or other not

Do not connect EtherCAT communications to EtherNet/IP, a standard in-house LAN, or other networks. An overload may cause the network to fail or malfunction.

- Malfunctions or unexpected operation may occur for some combinations of EtherCAT revisions of the master and slaves. If you disable the revision check in the network settings, use the Sysmac Studio to check the slave revision settings in the master and the actual slave revisions, and then make sure that functionality is compatible in the slave manuals or other references. You can check the actual slave revisions from the Sysmac Studio or on slave nameplates.
- After you transfer the user program, the CPU Unit is restarted and communications with the Ether-CAT slaves are cut off. During that period, the slave outputs behave according to the slave specifications. 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.
- If the Fail-soft Operation parameter is set to stop operation, process data communications will stop for all slaves when an EtherCAT communications error is detected in a slave. At that time, the Servo Drive will operate according to the Servo Drive specifications. Make sure that the Fail-soft Operation parameter setting results in safe operation when a device error occurs.
- EtherCAT communications are not always established immediately after the power supply is turned ON. Use the system-defined variables in the user program to confirm that communications are established before attempting control operations.
- If noise occurs or an EtherCAT slave is disconnected from the network, any current communications frames may be lost. If frames are lost, slave I/O data is not communicated, and unintended operation may occur. The slave outputs will behave according to the slave specifications. Refer to the manual for the slave. If a noise countermeasure or slave replacement is required, perform the following processing.
 - a) Program the Input Data Invalid system-defined variable as an interlock condition in the user program.
 - b) Set the PDO communications timeout detection count setting in the EtherCAT master to at least
 2. Refer to the NJ/NX-series CPU Unit Built-in EtherCAT Port User's Manual (Cat. No. W505) for details.
- When an EtherCAT slave is disconnected or disabled, communications will stop and control of the outputs will be lost not only for the disconnected slave, but for all slaves connected after it. Confirm that the system will not be adversely affected before you disconnect or disable a slave.
- I/O data communications of NX bus are not always established immediately after the power supply is turned ON. Use the system-defined variables and the EtherCAT Coupler Unit device variables in

the user program to confirm that I/O data communications are established before attempting control operations.

• You cannot use standard Ethernet hubs or repeater hubs with EtherCAT communications. If you use one of these, a major fault level error or other error may occur.

Motion Control

- Confirm the axis number carefully before you perform an MC Test Run.
- The motor is stopped if communications are interrupted between the Sysmac Studio and the CPU Unit during an MC Test Run. Connect the communications cable between the computer and CPU Unit securely and confirm that the system will not be adversely affected before you perform an MC Test Run.
- Always execute the Save Cam Table instruction if you change any of the cam data from the user program in the CPU Unit or from the Sysmac Studio. If the cam data is not saved, the previous condition will be restored when the power is turned ON again, possibly causing unexpected machine operation.
- The positive drive prohibit input (POT), negative drive prohibit input (NOT), and home proximity input (DEC) of the Servo Drive are used by the MC Function Module as the positive limit input, negative limit input, and home proximity input. Make sure that the signal widths for all of these input signals are longer than the control period of the MC Function Module. If the input signal widths are shorter than the control period, the MC Function Module may not be able to detect the input signals, resulting in incorrect operation.
- If you make any changes in the Detailed Settings Area of the Axis Basic Settings Display of the Sysmac Studio, make sure that the devices or machines perform the expected operation before you start actual operation.

If the relationship between the functions of the Motion Control Function Module and the EtherCAT slave process data that is assigned to the axes is not correct, the devices or machines may perform unexpected operation.

 Always use the axis at a constant velocity for the MC_DigitalCamSwitch (Enable Digital Cam Switch) instruction.

If you set the Count Mode to Rotary Mode, the following operation will occur if you use OnCompensation or OffCompensation and the axis velocity changes abruptly.

- a) If the value of OnCompensation or OffCompensation is equivalent to the time for half a rotation or more, InOperation will be FALSE.
- b) If the value of OnCompensation results in exceeding LastOnPosition, the output timing will be unstable.



FirstOnPosition after compensation

c) If the value of OffCompensation results in exceeding FirstOnPosition, the output timing will be unstable.



- Use the NX_AryDOutTimeStamp (Write Digital Output Array with Specified Time Stamp) instruction only after you confirm that InOperation from the MC_DigitalCamSwitch (Enable Digital Cam Switch) instruction is TRUE.
- If you change the unit conversion settings, perform homing again. If you do not perform homing, unintended operation of the controlled system may occur.
- Do not execute the following instructions to change the cam table which is in operation. Otherwise, an unintended operation may occur.
 - a) MC_SetCamTableProperty (Setting cam table properties) instruction
 - b) MC_SetCamTableEndPointIndex (Setting cam table end point index) instruction
 - c) MC_GenerateCamTable (Generating cam tables) instruction

Data Backup

• We recommend that you back up the present values of variables while the retained variables are not refreshed.

If you back up while the values of retained variables are refreshed, the data may not be saved correctly.

For information on Backup Functions and a backup for present values of variables, refer to the *NJ/NX-series CPU Unit Software User's Manual (Cat. No. W501)*.

Restoring Data

- You cannot back up, restore, or compare some or all of the settings for certain slaves and Units. Also, you cannot back up, restore, or compare data for disabled slaves or Units. After you restore data, sufficiently confirm that operation is correct before you start actual operation.
- The *absolute encoder home offsets* are backed up with a Battery in the CPU Unit as absolute encoder information. If any of the following conditions is met, clear the absolute encoder home offsets from the list of data items to restore, and then restore the data. Then, define the absolute encoder home again. If you do not define home, unintended operation of the controlled system may occur.
 - a) The Servomotor or Servo Drive was changed since the data was backed up.
 - b) The absolute encoder was set up after the data was backed up.
 - c) The absolute data for the absolute encoder was lost.

Transferring Programs

 When you use the program transfer from SD Memory Card whose Startup Mode setting is set to RUN mode, the operating mode changes to RUN after the transfer is completed regardless of the status and setting before the transfer. Use this function after you confirm that system startup does not cause any problem.

Battery Replacement

- The Battery may leak, rupture, heat, or ignite. Never short-circuit, charge, disassemble, heat, or incinerate the Battery or subject it to strong shock.
- Dispose of any Battery that has been dropped on the floor or otherwise subjected to excessive shock. Batteries that have been subjected to shock may leak if they are used.
- Apply power for at least five minutes before changing the Battery. Install a new Battery within five minutes (at 25°C) of turning OFF the power supply. If power is not supplied for at least 5 minutes, the saved data may be lost.
- We recommend replacing the Battery with the power turned OFF to prevent the CPU Unit's sensitive internal components from being damaged by static electricity and to prevent malfunctions. The Battery can be replaced without turning OFF the power supply. To do so, always touch a grounded piece of metal to discharge static electricity from your body before you start the procedure.
 After you replace the Battery, connect the Sysmac Studio and clear the Low Battery Voltage error.

Fan Unit Replacement

• Do not touch the heatsink inside the CPU Unit immediately after turning OFF the power supply. Doing so may result in burn injury.

Unit Replacement

- Make sure that the required data, including the user program, *configurations, settings*, variables, and memory used for CJ-series Units, is transferred to a CPU Unit that was replaced and to externally connected devices before restarting operation. Be sure to include the tag data link settings and routing tables, which are stored in the CPU Unit.
- The absolute encoder home offsets are backed up with a Battery in the CPU Unit as absolute encoder information. When you change the combination of the CPU Unit and Servomotor, e.g., when you add or replace a Servomotor, define the absolute encoder home again.
- The performance may be different if the hardware revisions are different. Before you transfer the user program, data, and parameter settings to the CPU Units with the different hardware revisions, check them for proper execution and then use them for actual operation.

Disposal

• Dispose of the product and Batteries according to local ordinances as they apply. Dispose of the product and Batteries according to local ordinances as they apply.



• The following information must be displayed for all products that contain primary lithium batteries with a perchlorate content of 6 ppb or higher when shipped to or transported through the State of California, USA.

Perchlorate Material - special handling may apply. See www.dtsc.ca.gov/hazardouswaste/perchlorate • The CPU Unit contains a primary lithium battery with a perchlorate content of 6 ppb or higher. Place the above information on the individual boxes and shipping boxes when shipping finished products that contain a CPU Unit to the State of California, USA.

Precautions for Correct Use

Storage and Installation

- Follow the instructions in this manual to correctly perform installation.
- Do not operate or store the Controller in the following locations. Operation may stop or malfunctions may occur.
 - a) Locations subject to direct sunlight
 - b) Locations subject to temperatures or humidity outside the range specified in the specifications
 - c) Locations subject to condensation as the result of severe changes in temperature
 - d) Locations subject to corrosive or flammable gases
 - e) Locations subject to dust (especially iron dust) or salts
 - f) Locations subject to exposure to water, oil, or chemicals
 - g) Locations subject to shock or vibration
- Take appropriate and sufficient countermeasures when installing the Controller in the following locations.
 - a) Locations subject to strong, high-frequency noise
 - b) Locations subject to static electricity or other forms of noise
 - c) Locations subject to strong electromagnetic fields
 - d) Locations subject to possible exposure to radioactivity
 - e) Locations close to power lines
- Before touching a Unit, be sure to first touch a grounded metallic object in order to discharge any static build-up.
- Install the Controller away from sources of heat and ensure proper ventilation. Not doing so may result in malfunction, in operation stopping, or in burning.
- When you use a Controller that has not been operated for more than six months, make sure that there are no errors when the power is turned ON.

Mounting

- When you install the Unit, be careful not to touch or bump the pins in the NX bus connector.
- When you handle the Unit, be careful not to apply stress to the pins in the NX bus connector. If the Unit is installed and the power supply is turned ON when the pins in the NX bus connector are deformed, contact failure may cause malfunctions.
- Always mount an End Cover to the end of the CPU Rack to protect the last Unit on the CPU Rack. Not mounting the End Cover may result in malfunction or failure of the CPU Unit.
- After you mount the Unit, always secure it with End Plates at both sides. If you do not secure it, the Unit may be damaged or malfunction.
- If you use DIN Track Insulation Spacers to install a CPU Rack, the height will be increased by approximately 10 mm. Make sure that the CPU Rack and connecting cables do not come into contact with other devices.

Wiring

- Do not allow foreign matter to enter the openings in the Unit. Doing so may result in Unit burning, electric shock, or failure.
- Do not allow wire clippings, shavings, or other foreign material to enter any Unit. Otherwise, Unit burning, failure, or malfunction may occur. Cover the Units or take other suitable countermeasures, especially during wiring work.
- For EtherCAT and EtherNet/IP, use the connection methods and cables that are specified in the *NJ/NX-series CPU Unit Built-in EtherCAT Port User's Manual (Cat. No. W505)* and the *NJ/NX-series CPU Unit Built-in EtherNet/IP Port User's Manual (Cat. No. W506)*. Otherwise, communications may be faulty.
- Use the rated power supply voltage for the Power Supply Units. Take appropriate measures to ensure that the specified power with the rated voltage and frequency is supplied in places where the power supply is unstable.
- Make sure that the current capacity of the wire is sufficient. Otherwise, excessive heat may be generated. When cross-wiring terminals, the total current for all the terminals will flow in the wire. When wiring cross-overs, make sure that the current capacity of each of the wires is not exceeded.
- Do not touch the terminals on the Power Supply Unit immediately after turning OFF the power supply. Residual voltage may cause electrical shock.
- If you use reed switches for the input contacts for AC Input Units, use switches with a current capacity of 1 A or greater.

If the capacity of the reed switches is too low, surge current may fuse the contacts.

Operation

• Confirm the device output hold configuration before you change the operating mode of the CPU Unit or execute the download.

Error Processing

- In applications that use the results of instructions that read the error status, consider the affect on the system when errors are detected and program error processing accordingly. For example, even the detection of a minor error, such as Battery replacement during operation, can affect the system depending on how the user program is written.
- If you change the event level of a Controller error, the output status when the error occurs may also change. Confirm safety before you change an event level.

Debugging

- If you use data tracing to sample following variables, correct data may not be sampled.
 - a) Structure members whose data size is 16 bits or more, except for system-defined variables for motion control
 - b) Array elements whose data size is 16 bits or more

For information on data tracing, refer to the *NJ/NX-series CPU Unit Software User's Manual (Cat. No. W501).*

Restoring and Automatically Transferring Data

- When you edit the *restore command file* or the *automatic transfer command file*, do not change anything in the file except for the *"yes" and "no"* specifications for the selectable data groups. If you change anything else in the file, the Controller may perform unexpected operation when you restore or automatically transfer the data.
- To prevent an unexpected restoration, set to enter the password for each execution before the restore operation.

Transferring Programs

• If you use the program transfer from SD Memory Card, set to enter the password for each execution to prevent an unexpected program transfer.

Replacing Slaves and Units

• If you replace a slave or Unit, refer to the operation manual for the slave or Unit for information on the data required for individual slaves or Units and redo the necessary settings.

Task Settings

• If a Task Period Exceeded error occurs, shorten the programs to fit in the task period or increase the setting of the task period.

Motion Control

- Use the system-defined variable in the user program to confirm that EtherCAT communications are established before you attempt to execute motion control instructions. Motion control instructions are not executed normally if EtherCAT communications are not established.
- Use the system-defined variables to monitor for errors in communications with the slaves that are controlled by the motion control function module. Motion control instructions are not executed normally if an error occur in slave communications.
- Before you start an MC Test Run, make sure that the operation parameters are set correctly.
- Do not download motion control settings during an MC Test Run.

EtherCAT Communications

- If you need to disconnect the cable from an EtherCAT slave during operation, first disconnect the software connection to the EtherCAT slave or disable the EtherCAT slave and all of the EtherCAT slaves that are connected after it.
- Set the Servo Drives to stop operation if an error occurs in EtherCAT communications between the Controller and a Servo Drive.
- Make sure that all of the slaves to be restored are participating in the network before you reset a Network Configuration Verification Error, Process Data Communications Error, or Link OFF Error in the EtherCAT Master Function Module. If any slave is not participating when any of these errors is

reset, the EtherCAT Master Function Module may access slave with a different node address than the specified node address or the error may not be reset correctly.

- Always use the specified EtherCAT slave cables. If you use any other cable, the EtherCAT master or the EtherCAT slaves may detect an error and one of the following may occur.
 - a) Continuous refreshing of process data communications will not be possible.
 - b) Continuous refreshing of process data communications will not end during the set cycle.

Battery Replacement

- Be sure to install a replacement Battery within two years of the production date shown on the Battery label.
- Turn ON the power after replacing the Battery for a CPU Unit that has been unused for a long time. Leaving the CPU Unit unused again without turning ON the power even once after the Battery is replaced may result in a shorter Battery life.
- When you replace the Battery, use the CJ1W-BAT01 Battery Set.

SD Memory Cards

- Insert the SD Memory Card all the way.
- Do not turn OFF the power supply to the Controller during SD Memory Card access. The files may be corrupted.

If there is a corrupted file in the SD Memory Card, the file is automatically deleted by the restoration function when the power supply is turned ON.

- If you use an OMRON SD Memory Card, the end of the life of the SD Memory Card can be detected in the following ways.
 - a) _Card1Deteriorated (SD Memory Card Life Warning Flag) system-defined variable
 - b) SD Memory Card Life Exceeded event in the event log

When the end of the life is detected in any of the above ways, replace the SD Memory Card.



Version Information

Combination of the CPU Unit version and SD Memory Card determines whether the SD memory card life expiration detection function can be used or not. Refer to *Specifications of Supported SD Memory Cards, Folders, and Files* in the *NJ/NX-series CPU Unit Software User's Manual (Cat. No. W501)* for details.

Online Editing

 When performing online editing, the CPU Unit saves a program updated by the online editing to built-in non-volatile memory. Sysmac Studio shows a message that it is in a backup operation. Do not turn OFF the power supply to the Controller while this message is displayed. If the power supply to the Controller is turned OFF, a Controller error will occur when the power supply is turned ON next time.

Secure Communication

- If you transfer a project with project unit version earlier than 1.36 to a CPU Unit that is set to use secure communications version 2, the CPU Unit's secure communications version will be changed to 1.
- If you restore a backup file with project unit version earlier than 1.36 to a CPU Unit that is set to use secure communications version 2, the CPU Unit's secure communications version will be changed to 1.
- Setting the secure communications version to 2 always enables user authentication. When user authentication is enabled, users are required to enter their user name and password to go online.
- When you use a CPU Unit that is set to use secure communications version 2 and an NA-series Programmable Terminal that supports secure communication, please note that there is the following restriction.

The troubleshooter function of the NA-series Programmable Terminal cannot be used.

- When you use a CPU Unit that is set to use secure communications version 2 with an NA-series Programmable Terminal and Soft-NA that do not support secure communication, please note that there are the following restrictions.
 - a) The NA-series Programmable Terminal cannot be connected.
 - b) The troubleshooter of the NS-series Programmable Terminal cannot be used.

Disposal

 When disposing of or transferring our products, information such as user data stored in the device may be seen by third parties, resulting in information leakage. It is recommended that you erase the data on your responsibility before disposing of or transferring the device. Omron shall not be liable for any loss, damage, or other expenses incurred directly or indirectly in the event of any information leakage due to disposal or transfer.

For details on *complete data erasure function* for completely erasing user data, refer to the *NJ/NX-series CPU Unit Software User's Manual (Cat. No. W501)*.

Regulations and Standards

Conformance to EU Directives

Applicable Directives

- EMC Directives
- Low Voltage Directive

Concepts

• EMC Directives

OMRON devices that comply with EU Directives also conform to the related EMC standards so that they can be more easily built into other devices or the overall machine. The actual products have

been checked for conformity to EMC standards.*1

Whether the products conform to the standards in the system used by the customer, however, must be checked by the customer. EMC-related performance of the OMRON devices that comply with EU Directives will vary depending on the configuration, wiring, and other conditions of the equipment or control panel on which the OMRON devices are installed. The customer must, therefore, perform the final check to confirm that devices and the overall machine conform to EMC standards.

*1. Applicable EMC (Electromagnetic Compatibility) standards are as follows: EMS (Electromagnetic Susceptibility): EN 61131-2 EMI (Electromagnetic Interference): EN 61131-2 (Radiated emission: 10-m regulations).

• Low Voltage Directive

Always ensure that devices operating at voltages of 50 to 1,000 VAC and 75 to 1,500 VDC meet the required safety standards. The applicable directive is EN 61010-2-201.

• Conformance to EU Directives

The NX-series Units comply with EU Directives. To ensure that the machine or device in which the NX-series Units are used complies with EU Directives, the following precautions must be observed.

- The NX-series Units must be installed within a control panel.
- The SELV requirements must be satisfied for the DC power supplies connected to the DC Power Supply Units of NX-series Units. EMC standard compliance was confirmed for the OMRON S8VS-18024 DC Power Supplies.
- NX-series Units that comply with EU Directives also conform to the Common Emission Standard. Radiated emission characteristics (10-m regulations) may vary depending on the configuration of the control panel used, other devices connected to the control panel, wiring, and other conditions.

You must therefore confirm that the overall machine or equipment in which the NX-series Units are used complies with EU Directives.

• This is a Class A product (for industrial environments). In a residential environment, it may cause radio interference. If radio interference occurs, the user may be required to take appropriate measures.
Conformance to UL and CSA Standards

Some NX-series products comply with UL and CSA standards.

If you use a product that complies with UL or CSA standards and must apply those standards to your machinery or devices, refer to the *Instruction Sheet* that is provided with the product. The *Instruction Sheet* provides the application conditions for complying with the standards.

Conformance to KC Certification

When you use this product in South Korea, observe the following precautions.



This product meets the electromagnetic compatibility requirements for business use. There is a risk of radio interference when this product is used in home.

Conformance to Shipbuilding Standards

The NJ/NX-series Controllers comply with the following shipbuilding standards. Applicability to the shipbuilding standards is based on certain usage conditions. It may not be possible to use the product in some locations. Contact your OMRON representative before attempting to use a Controller on a ship.

Usage Conditions for NK and LR Shipbuilding Standards

- The NJ/NX-series Controller must be installed within a control panel.
- Gaps in the door to the control panel must be completely filled or covered with gaskets or other material.
- The following two noise filters must be connected in series to the power supply line.

Noise Filter

Manufacturer	Model	
Cosel Co., Ltd.	TAH-06-683	

Software Licenses and Copyrights

This product incorporates certain third party software. The license and copyright information associated with this software is available at http://www.fa.omron.co.jp/nj_info_e/.

Versions

Hardware revisions and unit versions are used to manage the hardware and software in NX-series Units and EtherCAT slaves. The hardware revision or unit version is updated each time there is a change in hardware or software specifications. Even when two Units or EtherCAT slaves have the same model number, they will have functional or performance differences if they have different hardware revisions or unit versions.

Checking Versions

You can check versions on the ID information indications or with the Sysmac Studio.

Checking Unit Versions on ID Information Indications

The unit version is given on the ID information indication on the side of the product.

For NX701

The ID information on an NX-series NX701-□□00 CPU Unit is shown below.



Note The hardware revision is not displayed for the Unit whose hardware revision is blank.

Checking Unit Versions with the Sysmac Studio

You can use the Sysmac Studio to check unit versions. The procedure is different for Units and for EtherCAT slaves.

• Checking the Unit Version of an NX-series CPU Unit

You can use the Production Information while the Sysmac Studio is online to check the unit version of a Unit. You can do this for the following Units.

Model	Unit for which unit version can be checked
NX701-□□□	CPU Unit

Model	Unit for which unit version can be checked	
NX102-□□□	CPU Unit and NX Unit on CPU Rack	
NX1P2-000	CPU Unit, NX Unit on CPU Rack, and Option Boards	

- 1 Right-click CPU Rack under Configurations and Setup CPU/Expansion Racks in the Multiview Explorer and select Production Information. The Production Information Dialog Box is displayed.
- Changing Information Displayed in Production Information Dialog Box
 - 1 Click the **Show Detail** or **Show Outline** Button at the lower right of the Production Information Dialog Box.

The view will change between the production information details and outline.

Production information	×	Production information	×
Model information NJ501-1400 Ver.1.10 Rack: 0 Slot: 0 Unit: 2 CJ1W-SCU32 Ver.2.1 Output file	Lot number 16415 100416 Show Detail Close	Model information NJ501-1400 Ver.1.10 Hardware version : B A B B A /A Software version SYSTEM : 1.10.05 53415 BOOT : 20150605 IOPFP : B-3-0 IOPFW : 1.35 Runtime : 1060	Lot number 16415
		Rack: 0 Slot: 0 Unit: 2 CJ1W-SCU32 Ver.2.1 Unit revision: PCB revision: Software revision: A_ 0	100416 Show Outline
Outline View		Output file	Close

The information that is displayed is different for the Outline View and Detail View. The Detail View displays the unit version, hardware revision, and various versions. The Outline View displays only the unit version.

Note The hardware revision is separated by "/" and displayed on the right of the hardware version. The hardware revision is not displayed for the Unit that the hardware revision is in blank.

• Checking the Unit Version of an EtherCAT Slave

You can use the Production Information while the Sysmac Studio is online to check the unit version of an EtherCAT slave.

Use the following procedure to check the unit version.

- 1 Double-click EtherCAT under Configurations and Setup in the Multiview Explorer. Or, rightclick EtherCAT under Configurations and Setup and select Edit from the menu. The EtherCAT Tab Page is displayed.
- 2 Right-click the master on the EtherCAT Tab Page and select Display Production Information. The Production Information Dialog Box is displayed. The unit version is displayed after "Rev."

• Changing Information Displayed in Production Information Dialog Box

1 Click the **Show Detail** or **Show Outline** Button at the lower right of the Production Information Dialog Box.

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Node5 E3X-ECT Rev:1.0 (OMRON Corporation)	0xB0000009	Hardware Version : V1.00	
		Software Version : V1.02	
		Node5 E3X-ECT Rev:1.0 (OMRON Corporation)	0xB0000009
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Unit Versions of CPU Units and Sysmac Studio Versions

The functions that are supported depend on the unit version of the NX-series CPU Unit. The version of Sysmac Studio that supports the functions that were added for an upgrade is also required to use those functions.

Refer to *A-3 Version Information* on page A-6 for the relationship between the unit versions of the CPU Units and the Sysmac Studio versions, and for the functions that are supported by each unit version.

Related Manuals

Manual name	Cat. No.	Model numbers	Application	Description
NX-series CPU Unit Hardware User's Manual	W535	NX701-000	Learning the basic specifications of the NX701 CPU Units, including introductory information, design- ing, installation, and maintenance. Mainly hardware in- formation is provided.	 An introduction to the entire NX701 system is provided along with the following infor- mation on the CPU Unit. Features and system configuration Introduction Part names and functions General specifications Installation and wiring Maintenance and inspection
NJ/NX-series CPU Unit Software User's Manual	W501	NX701-000 NX502-000 NX102-000 NX1P2-000 NJ501-000 NJ301-000 NJ101-000	Learning how to pro- gram and set up an NJ/NX-series CPU Unit. Mainly software infor- mation is provided.	 The following information is provided on a Controller built with an NJ/NX-series CPU Unit. CPU Unit operation CPU Unit features Initial settings Programming based on IEC 61131-3 language specifications
NJ/NX-series Instructions Reference Manual	W502	NX701-000 NX502-000 NX102-000 NX1P2-000 NJ501-000 NJ301-000 NJ101-000	Learning detailed specifications on the basic instructions of an NJ/NX-series CPU Unit.	The instructions in the instruction set (IEC 61131-3 specifications) are described.
NJ/NX-series CPU Unit Motion Control User's Man- ual	W507	NX701-000 NX502-000 NX102-000 NX1P2-000 NJ501-000 NJ301-000 NJ101-000	Learning about mo- tion control settings and programming concepts.	The settings and operation of the CPU Unit and programming concepts for motion con- trol are described.
NJ/NX-series Motion Control Instructions Reference Manual	W508	NX701-000 NX502-000 NX102-000 NX1P2-000 NJ501-000 NJ301-000 NJ101-000	Learning about the specifications of the motion control in- structions.	The motion control instructions are described.
NJ/NX-series CPU Unit Built-in EtherCAT [®] Port User's Manual	W505	NX701-000 NX502-000 NX102-000 NX1P2-000 NJ501-000 NJ301-000 NJ101-000	Using the built-in EtherCAT port on an NJ/NX-series CPU Unit.	Information on the built-in EtherCAT port is provided. This manual provides an introduction and provides information on the configuration, features, and setup.
NJ/NX-series CPU Unit Built-in EtherNet/IP [™] Port User's Manual	W506	NX701-000 NX502-000 NX102-000 NX1P2-000 NJ501-000 NJ301-000 NJ301-000	Using the built-in EtherNet/IP port on an NJ/NX-series CPU Unit.	Information on the built-in EtherNet/IP port is provided. Information is provided on the basic setup, tag data links, and other features.

The following manuals are related. Use these manuals for reference.

Manual name	Cat. No.	Model numbers	Application	Description
NJ/NX-series CPU Unit OPC UA	W588	NX701-000 NX502-000 NX102-000	Using the OPC UA.	Describes the OPC UA.
User's Manual		NJ501-1□00		
NX-series CPU Unit FINS Function User's Manual	W596	NX701-□20 NX502-□□□ NX102-□□□	Using the FINS func- tion of an NX-series CPU Unit.	Describes the FINS function of an NX-ser- ies CPU Unit.
NJ/NX-series Database Connection CPU Units User's Manual	W527	NX701-020 NX502-00 NX102-020 NJ501-020 NJ101-020	Using the database connection service with NJ/NX-series Controllers.	Describes the database connection serv- ice.
NJ/NX-series Troubleshooting Manual	W503	NX701-000 NX502-000 NX102-000 NX1P2-000 NJ501-000 NJ301-000 NJ101-000	Learning about the errors that may be detected in an NJ/NX-series Con- troller.	Concepts on managing errors that may be detected in an NJ/NX-series Controller and information on individual errors are descri- bed.
Sysmac Studio Version 1 Operation Manual	W504	SYSMAC -SE2□□□	Learning about the operating procedures and functions of the Sysmac Studio.	Describes the operating procedures of the Sysmac Studio.
NX-series EtherCAT [®] Coupler Unit User's Manual	W519	NX-ECC	Learning how to use the NX-series Ether- CAT Coupler Unit and EtherCAT Slave Terminals.	The following items are described: the overall system and configuration methods of an EtherCAT Slave Terminal (which con- sists of an NX-series EtherCAT Coupler Unit and NX Units), and information on hardware, setup, and functions to set up, control, and monitor NX Units through EtherCAT.
NX-series Data Reference Manual	W525	NX-00000	Referencing lists of the data that is re- quired to configure systems with NX-ser- ies Units.	Lists of the power consumptions, weights, and other NX Unit data that is required to configure systems with NX-series Units are provided.
NX-series NX Units User's Manual	W521	NX-ID	Learning how to use NX Units.	Describes the hardware, setup methods, and functions of the NX Units. Manuals are available for the following Units. Digital I/O Units, Analog I/O Units, System
	W522	NX-AD		Units, Position Interface Units, Communi- cations Interface Units, Load Cell Input
	W566	NX-TSDDDD NX-HBDDDD		Unit, and IO-Link Master Units.
	W523	NX-PD1 NX-PF0 NX-PC0 NX-PC0 NX-TBX01		
	W524	NX-EC0 NX-ECS NX-PG0		
	W540	NX-CIF		
	W565	NX-RS		
	W567	NX-ILM		

Manual name	Cat. No.	Model numbers	Application	Description
NX-series	Z930	NX-SLOOOO	Learning how to use	Describes the hardware, setup methods,
Safety Control Unit		NX-SIDDDD	NX-series Safety	and functions of the NX-series Safety Con-
User's Manual		NX-SO	Control Units.	trol Units.
NX-series	Z931	NX-SLOOOO	Learning about the	Describes the instructions for the Safety
Safety Control Unit			specifications of in-	CPU Unit.
Instructions Reference Man-			structions for the	
ual			Safety CPU Unit.	
NA-series Programmable	V118	NA5-00W0000	Learning about NA-	Describes the pages and object functions
Terminal		(-V□)	series PT pages and	of the NA-series Programmable Terminals.
Software User's Manual			object functions.	
NS-series Programmable	V073	NS15-0000	Learning how to use	Describes the setup methods, functions,
Terminals		NS12-0000	the NS-series Pro-	etc. of the NS-series Programmable Termi-
Programming Manual		NS10-0000	grammable Termi-	nals.
		NS8-0000	nals.	
		NS5-0000		

Terminology

Term	Description
AT	One of the attributes of a variable.
	This attribute allows the user to specify what is assigned to a variable. An I/O
	port or an address in memory used for CJ-series Units can be specified.
CJ-series Unit	Any of the CJ-series Units that can be used with an NJ-series Controller.
memory used for CJ-series Units	One type of I/O memory that contains addresses to which variables can be as-
	signed, for example, when accessing a CJ-series Unit or CJ-series network. It
	can be accessed only with variables with an AT attribute.
CPU Unit	The Unit that serves as the center of control for a Machine Automation Control-
	Ier. The CPU Unit executes tasks, refreshes I/O for other Units and slaves, etc. The NJ/NX-series CPU Units include the NX701-□□□□, NX102-□□□□,
	NX1P2-000, NJ501-000.
EtherCAT Master Function Module	One of the function modules. This function module controls the EtherCAT slaves
	as the EtherCAT master.
EtherNet/IP Function Module	One of the function modules. This function module controls the built-in
	EtherNet/IP port.
FB	An acronym for "function block."
FUN	An abbreviation for "function."
I/O port	A logical interface that is used by the CPU Unit to exchange data with an exter-
	nal device (slave or Unit).
I/O map settings	Settings that assign variables to I/O ports. Assignment information between I/O
	ports and variables.
I/O refreshing	Cyclic data exchange with external devices that is performed with predetermined
	memory addresses.
MC Test Run	A function to check motor operation and wiring from the Sysmac Studio.
NX bus	An internal bus of the NX-series Controller.
NX Units	Any of the NX-series Units that perform I/O processing with connected external
	devices. The Communications Coupler Units are not included with the NX Units.
PDO communications	An abbreviation for process data communications. Data is exchanged between
	the master and slaves on a process data communications cycle. (The process
	data communications cycle is the same as the task period of the primary periodic task.)
PLC Function Module	One of the function modules. This function module executes the user program,
	sends commands to the Motion Control Function Module, and provides an inter-
	face to the USB and SD Memory Card.
POU	An acronym for "program organization unit". A POU is a unit in a program execu-
	tion model that is defined in IEC 61131-3.
	A POU contains an algorithm and a local variable table and forms the basic unit
	used to build a user program.
	There are three types of POUs: programs, functions, and function blocks.
SDO communications	One type of EtherCAT communications in which service data objects (SDOs) are used to transmit information whenever required.
Sysmac Studio	A computer software application for setting, programming, debugging, and trou-
	bleshooting NJ/NX-series Controllers. It also provides operations for motion con-
	trol and a Simulator.
upload	To transfer data from the Controller to the Sysmac Studio with the synchroniza-
	tion operation of the Sysmac Studio.

Term	Description
information	One of the event levels for Controller events or user-defined events. These are not errors, but appear in the event log to notify the user of specific information.
Event Setup	Settings that define user-defined errors and user-defined information.
event task	A task that executes a user program only once when the task execution condi- tions are met.
event log	A function that recognizes and records errors and other events.
inline ST	ST programming that is included within a ladder diagram.
edge	One of the attributes of a variable. This attribute makes a BOOL variable pass TRUE to a function block when the variable changes from FALSE to TRUE or when it changes from TRUE to FALSE.
cam data variable	A variable that represents the cam data as a structure array. A cam data variable is an array structure that consists of phases and displace- ments.
observation	One of the event levels for Controller events or user-defined events. These are minor errors that do not affect control operations, but appear in the event log to notify the user of specific information.
function module	One of the functional units of the software configuration of the CPU Unit.
basic data type	 Any of the data types that are defined by IEC 61131-3. They include Boolean, bit string, integer, real, duration, date, time of day, date and time, and text string data types. "Basic data type" is used as opposed to derivative data types, which are defined by the user.
forced refreshing	Forcing the refreshing of an input from an external device or an output to an external device, e.g., when the user debugs a program.Addresses that are subject to forced refreshing can still be overwritten from the user program.
union	One of the derivative data types. It allows you to handle the same data as different data types.
global variable	A variable that can be read or written from all POUs (programs, functions, and function blocks).
minor fault level Controller error	 An error for which some of the control operations for one of the function modules in the NJ/NX-series Controller stop. An NJ/NX-series CPU Unit continues operation even after a minor fault level Controller error occurs.
Special Unit Setup	A generic term for the settings for a Special Unit, including the settings in allocat- ed DM Area words.
structure	One of the derivative data types. It consists of multiple data types placed together into a layered structure.
Constant	One of the attributes of a variable. If you specify the Constant attribute for a variable, the value of the variable can- not be written by any instructions, ST operators, or CIP message communica- tions.
Controller	 The range of devices that are directly controlled by the CPU Unit. In the NX-series System, the Controller includes the CPU Rack and EtherCAT slaves (including general-purpose slaves and Servo Drives). In the NJ-series System, the Controller includes the CPU Rack, Expansion Racks, and EtherCAT slaves (including general-purpose slaves and Servo Drives).

Term	Description
Controller error	Errors that are defined by the NJ/NX-series System.
	"Controller error" is a collective term for major fault level, partial fault level, minor
	fault level, and observation Controller events.
Controller event	One of the events in the NJ/NX-series System. Controller events are errors and
	information that are defined by the system for user notification. A Controller
	event occurs when the system detects a factor that is defined as a Controller
	event.
Controller information	Information that is defined by the NJ/NX-series System that is not an error. It rep-
	resents an information Controller event.
Servo Drive/encoder input slave	Any of the EtherCAT slaves that is assigned to an axis. In the NJ/NX-series Sys-
	tem, it would be a Servo Drive or Encoder Input Slave Unit.
axis	A functional unit within the Motion Control Function Module. An axis is assigned
	to the drive mechanism in an external Servo Drive or the sensing mechanism in
	an external Encoder Input Slave Unit.
axes group	A functional unit that groups together axes within the Motion Control Function
	Module.
Axes Group Variable	A system-defined variable that is defined as a structure and provides status in-
	formation and some of the axes parameters for an individual axes group.
	An Axes Group Variable is used to specify an axes group for motion control in-
	structions and to monitor the command interpolation velocity, error information,
	and other information for the axes group.
Axis Variable	A system-defined variable that is defined as a structure and provides status in-
	formation and some of the axis parameters for an individual axis.
	An Axis Variable is used to specify an axis for motion control instructions and to
	monitor the command position, error information, and other information for the
· · ·	axis.
system common processing	System processing that is performed by the CPU Unit to perform I/O refreshing
	and the user program execution within a task. Exclusive control of variables be-
	tween tasks, data trace processing, and other processing is performed.
system service	Processing that is performed by the CPU Unit in unused time between task proc-
	essing. The system service includes communications processing, SD Memory
	Card access processing, self-diagnosis processing, and other processing.
system-defined variable	A variable for which all attributes are defined by the system and cannot be
1. 10. 1. 7. 1	changed by the user.
Initial Value	One of the attributes of a variable. The variable is set to the initial value in the
	following situations.
	When power is turned ONWhen the CPU Unit changes to RUN mode
	 When you specify to initialize the values when the user program is transferred
	When a major fault level Controller error occurs
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slave	A device that performs remote I/O for a master.
Slave Terminal	A building-block remote I/O terminal to which a Communications Coupler Unit
alove and Unit configurations	and NX Units are mounted. A Slave Terminal is one type of slave.
slave and Unit configurations	A generic term for the EtherCAT configuration and Unit configuration.
absolute encoder home offset	This data is used to restore in the CPU Unit the actual position of a Servo Drive
	with an absolute encoder. The offset is the difference between the command po-
	sition after homing and the absolute data that is read from the absolute encoder.
major fault level Controller error	An error for which all NJ/NX-series Controller control operations stop. The CPU
	Unit immediately stops user program execution and turns OFF the loads for all
	slaves and Units (including remote I/O).

Term	Description
download	To transfer data from the Sysmac Studio to the Controller with the synchroniza-
	tion operation of the Sysmac Studio.
task	An attribute that defines when a program is executed.
task period	The interval at which the primary periodic task or a periodic task is executed.
Communications Coupler Unit	The generic name of an interface unit for remote I/O communications on a net-
	work between NX Units and a host network master. For example, an EtherCAT
	Coupler Unit is a Communications Coupler Unit for an EtherCAT network.
periodic task	A tasks for which user program execution and I/O refreshing are performed each period.
device	A general term for any Unit or slave that is refreshed by the I/O refreshing that is performed by the CPU Unit. Specifically, it refers to EtherCAT slaves, NX Units on the CPU Unit, built-in I/O, Option Boards, and CJ-series Units.
device output	An output for any Unit or slave that is refreshed by the I/O refreshing that is per- formed by the CPU Unit.
device variable	A variable that is used to access a specific device through an I/O port.
synchronization	A function that automatically compares the information in the NJ/NX-series Con-
	troller with the information in the Sysmac Studio, displays any differences and lo- cations in a hierarchical form, and can be used to synchronize the information.
namespace	A system that is used to group and nest the names of functions, function block definitions, and data types.
Network Publish	One of the attributes of a variable.
	This attribute allows you to use CIP message communications or tag data links
	to read/write variables from another Controller or from a host computer.
array specification	One of the variable specifications. An array variable contains multiple elements
	of the same data type. The elements in the array are specified by serial numbers
	called subscripts that start from the beginning of the array.
derivative data type	A data type that is defined by the user. Structures, unions, and enumerations are derivative data types.
Range Specification	One of the variable specifications. You can specify a range for a variable in ad-
	vance. The variable can take only values that are in the specified range.
general-purpose slave	Any of the EtherCAT slaves that cannot be assigned to an axis.
function	A POU that is used to create an object that determines a unique output for the
	same input, such as for data processing.
function block	A POU that is used to create an object that can have a different output for the
	same input, such as for a timer or counter.
partial fault level Controller error	An error for which all of the control operations for one of the function modules in
	the NJ/NX-series Controller stop.
	An NJ/NX-series CPU Unit continues operation even after a partial fault level
primary pariodic tack	Controller error.
primary periodic task	The task with the highest priority.
program	Along with functions and function blocks, one of the three types of POUs. Programs are assigned to tasks to execute them.
process data communications	One type of EtherCAT communications in which process data objects (PDOs)
	are used to exchange information cyclically and in realtime. Process data com-
· · · ·	munications are also called PDO communications.
variable	A representation of data, such as a numeric value or character string, that is
	used in a user program. You can change the value of a variable by assigned the required value. "Varia-
	ble" is used as opposed to "constant," for which the value does not change.
variable memory	A memory area that contains the present values of variables that do not have AT
	specifications. It can be accessed only with variables without an AT attribute.

Term	Description	
Retain	 One of the attributes of a variable. The values of variables with a Retain attribute are held at the following times. (Variables without a Retain attribute are set to their initial values.) When power is turned ON after a power interruption When the CPU Unit changes to RUN mode When you specify to not initialize the values when the user program is trans- 	
	ferred	
instruction	The smallest unit of the processing elements that are provided by OMRON for use in POU algorithms. There are ladder diagram instructions (program inputs and outputs), function instructions, function block instructions, and ST statements.	
main memory	The memory inside the CPU Unit that is used by the CPU Unit to execute the OS and user program.	
Motion Control Function Module	One of the function modules. The MC Function Module performs motion control based on commands from the motion control instructions that are executed in the user program.	
motion control instruction	A function block instruction that executes motion control. The Motion Control Function Module supports instructions that are based on function blocks for PLCopen [®] motion control as well as instructions developed specifically for the Motion Control Function Module.	
user-defined event	One of the events in the NJ/NX-series System. These events are defined by the user. "User-defined events" is a generic term for user-defined errors and user-defined information.	
user-defined variable	A variable for which all of the attributes are defined by the user and can be changed by the user.	
user program	All of the programs in one project.	
Unit	A device that mounts to the CPU Rack or an Expansion Rack.	
Unit configuration	The configuration information for the Units that are set on the Sysmac Studio. This information tells what Unit models are connected to the CPU Unit and where they are connected.	
literal	A constant expression that is used in a user program.	
enumeration	One of the derivative data types. This data type takes one item from a prepared name list of enumerators as its value.	
enumerator	One of the values that an enumeration can take expressed as a character string. The value of an enumeration is one of the enumerators.	
local variable	A variable that can be accessed only from inside the POU in which it is defined. "Local variable" is used as opposed to "global variable." Local variables include internal variables, input variables, output variables, in-out variables, and external variables.	

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Introduction to NX-series Controllers

This section describes the features, basic system configuration, specifications, and overall operating procedure of an NX-series NX701 Controller.

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1-1 The NX-series Controllers

The SYSMAC NX-series Controllers are next-generation machine automation controllers that provide the functionality and high-speed performance that are required for machine control. They provide the safety, reliability, and maintainability that are required of industrial controllers.

The NX-series Controllers provide the functionality of previous OMRON PLCs, and they also provide the functionality that is required for motion control. Synchronized control of I/O devices on high-speed EtherCAT can be applied to safety devices, vision systems, motion equipment, discrete I/O, and more. OMRON offers the new Sysmac Series of control devices designed with unified communications specifications and user interface specifications. The NX-series Machine Automation Controllers are part of the Sysmac Series. You can use them together with EtherCAT slaves, other Sysmac products, and the Sysmac Studio Automation Software to achieve optimum functionality and ease of operation. With a system that is created from Sysmac products, you can connect components and commission the system through unified concepts and usability.



1-1-1 Features

Hardware Features

• Standard-feature EtherCAT Control Network Support

All CPU Units provide an EtherCAT master port for EtherCAT communications. EtherCAT is an advanced industrial network system that achieves faster, more-efficient communications. It is based on Ethernet. Each node achieves a short fixed communications cycle time by transmitting Ethernet frames at high speed.

The standard-feature EtherCAT control network allows you to connect all of the devices required for machine control (e.g., I/O systems, Servo Drives, Inverters, and machine vision) to the same network.

• Support for EtherCAT Slave Terminals

You can use EtherCAT Slave Terminals to save space. You can also flexibly build systems with the wide variety of NX Units.

Achieving a Safety Subsystem on EtherCAT

You can use NX-series Safety Control Units to integrate safety controls in a sequence and motion control system as a subsystem on EtherCAT.

Standard-feature Two EtherNet/IP Communications Ports

All CPU Units provide two EtherNet/IP ports for EtherNet/IP communications.

EtherNet/IP is a multi-vendor industrial network that uses Ethernet. You can use it for networks between Controllers or as a field network. The use of standard Ethernet technology allows you to connect to many different types of general-purpose Ethernet devices.

Standard-feature SD Memory Card Slot

You can access an SD Memory Card that is mounted in the CPU Unit from the user program.

Highly Reliable Hardware

The NX-series Controllers provide the hardware reliability and RAS functions that you expect of a PLC.

Parallel Execution of Tasks with a Multi-core Processor

The NX701-□□□ CPU Unit has a multi-core processor that can execute more than one task in parallel. This enables high-speed control of even large-scale devices.

Software Features

Integrated Sequence Control and Motion Control

An NX-series CPU Unit can perform both sequence control and motion control. You can simultaneously achieve both sequence control and multi-axes synchronized control. Sequence control, motion control, and I/O refreshing are all executed in the same control period.

The same control period is also used for the process data communications cycle for EtherCAT. This enables precise sequence and motion control in a fixed period with very little deviation.

Multitasking

You assign I/O refreshing and programs to tasks and then specify execution conditions and execution order for them to flexibly combine controls that suit the application.

• Programming Languages Based on the IEC 61131-3 International Standard

The NX-series Controllers support language specifications that are based on IEC 61131-3. To these, OMRON has added our own improvements. Motion control instructions that are based on PLCopen[®] standards and an instruction set (POUs) that follows IEC rules are provided.

• Programming with Variables to Eliminate Worrying about the Memory Map

You access all data through variables in the same way as for the advanced programming languages that are used on computers. Memory in the CPU Unit is automatically assigned to the variables that you create so that you do not have to remember the physical addresses.

• A Wealth of Security Features

The many security features of the NX-series Controllers include operation authority settings and restriction of program execution with IDs.

Complete Controller Monitoring

The CPU Unit monitors events in all parts of the Controller, including mounted Units and EtherCAT slaves.

Troubleshooting information for errors is displayed on the Sysmac Studio or on an NS-series PT. Events are also recorded in logs.

Sysmac Studio Automation Software

The Sysmac Studio provides an integrated development environment that covers not only the Controller, but also covers peripheral devices and devices on EtherCAT. You can use consistent procedures for all devices regardless of the differences in the devices. The Sysmac Studio supports all phases of Controller application, from designing through debugging, simulations, commissioning, and changes during operation.

A Wealth of Simulation Features

The many simulation features include execution, debugging, and task execution time estimates on a virtual controller.

1-1-2 Introduction to the System Configurations

The NX Series supports the following system configurations.

Basic System Configurations

The NX-series basic configurations include the EtherCAT network configuration and the Support Software.

EtherCAT Network Configuration

You can use the built-in EtherCAT port to connect to EtherCAT Slave Terminals, to general-purpose slaves for analog and digital I/O, and to Servo Drives and encoder input slaves. An Ether-CAT network configuration enables precise sequence and motion control in a fixed cycle with very little deviation.

Support Software

The Support Software is connected to the built-in EtherNet/IP port with an Ethernet cable. Refer to *3-4-2 Connection* on page 3-15 for details on the connection configuration of the Support Software.





Precautions for Correct Use

NX Units should be connected to Slave Terminals. The NX bus connector of the CPU Unit is provided for future expansion so that it cannot be used to connect any NX Unit.

Additional Information

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You can connect the Sysmac Studio directly to the Communications Coupler Unit to set up the Slave Terminal. Refer to the NX-series EtherCAT Coupler Units User's Manual (Cat. No. W519) for details.

Network Configurations

- Host computers, HMIs, and other NJ/NX-series Controllers are connected to the built-in Ether-Net/IP port.
- · A DeviceNet network is connected to a CJ-series DeviceNet Unit. A serial communications network is connected to a CJ-series Serial Communications Unit.

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Refer to the *NJ/NX-series CPU Unit Software User's Manual (Cat. No. W501)* for details on the network configuration.

Support Software

You can use the following Support Software to set up, monitor, and debug an NX-series Controller.

Sysmac Studio

The Sysmac Studio is the main Support Software that you use for an NX-series Controller. On it, you can set up the Controller configurations, parameters, and programs, and you can debug and simulate operation.

Other Support Software

The following Support Software is also included in the Sysmac Studio Software Package Standard Edition.

Configuration software	Application	
Sysmac Studio	The Sysmac Studio is used for sequence control, motion control, and	
	all other operations except those described below.	
Network Configurator	The Network Configurator is used for tag data links on EtherNet/IP	
	ports. ^{*1}	
CX-Integrator	The CX-Integrator is used for remote I/O communications with a CJ-	
	series DeviceNet Unit or CJ-series CompoNet Master Unit.	
CX-Protocol	The CX-Protocol is used for protocol macros with the CJ-series Serial	
	Communications Units.	

Configuration software	Application
CX-Designer The CX-Designer is used to create screens for NS-series PTs.	

*1. If the NJ/NX-series Controller is a target device, you may also use Sysmac Studio version 1.10 or higher. Use the Network Configurator if a CS/CJ-series PLC operates as the originator device.

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1-2 Specifications

This section gives the main specifications of the NX-series Controllers.

	Item		NX	701-		
			17□□	16□□		
Processing	Instruction execu-	LD instruction	LD instruction		0.37 ns or more	
time	me tion times	Math instructions (f	for long real data)	3.2 ns or more		
		Size		80 MB		
	Program capaci-		Number of POU definitions	6,000		
	ty*1	Quantity	Number of POU Instances	48,000		
		Retain attributes ^{*2}	Size	4 MB		
	Memory capacity		Number of varia- bles	40,000		
Program-	Program- ming for variables	No Retain attrib- utes ^{*3}	Size	256 MB		
ming			Number of varia- bles	360,000		
	Data types	Number of data types		8,000		
	Memory for CJ-	CIO Area				
series Units (Can	Work Area					
	be specified with	Holding Area				
	AT specifications	DM Area				
	for variables.)	EM Area				

			NX	701-	
		Item		17□□	16□□
	Maximum number of controlled axes		256 axes	128 axes	
			Motion control ax- es	256 axes	128 axes
		Single-axis posi- tion control axes			
		Maximum number o	of used real axes	256 axes	128 axes
	Number of con- trolled axes ^{*4}		Used motion con- trol servo axes	256 axes	128 axes
trolled axes			Used single-axis position control servo axes		
Motion		Maximum number of axes for linear in- terpolation axis control		4 axes per axes group	
control		Number of axes for circular interpola- tion axis control		2 axes per axes group	
	Maximum number	of axes groups		64 axes groups	
Motion control per		iod		The same control period as that is used for the process data communications cy- cle for EtherCAT.	
		Number of cam	Maximum points per cam table	65,535 points	
	Cams	data points	Maximum points for all cam tables	1,048,560 points	
		Maximum number of	of cam tables	640 tables	
	Position units		Pulse, mm, µm, nm, degree, and inch		
	Override factors		0.00% or 0.01% to 5	00.00%	
Deviat	Supported services			^{*5}	
Peripheral USB port	Physical layer			^{*5}	
Jon port	Transmission dista	nce		*5	

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	Item		17□□	16□□	
	Number of ports			2	
	Physical layer			10BASE-T, 100BAS T	SE-TX, or 1000BASE-
	Frame length			1,514 bytes max.	
	Media access meth	od		CSMA/CD	
	Modulation			Baseband	
	Topology			Star	
	Baud rate			1 Gbps (1000BASE	
	Transmission medi			STP (shielded, twisted-pair) cable of Ethernet category 5, 5e or higher	
	Maximum transmis and node	sion distance betwee	en Ethernet switch	100 m	
	Maximum number o	of cascade connectio	ons	There are no restric switch is used.	tions if an Ethernet
		Maximum number o	of connections	256 per port 512 total	
		Packet interval ^{*6}		Can be set for each 0.5 to 10,000 ms in	
		Permissible communications band		40,000 pps ^{*7} (inclue	ding heartbeat)
		Maximum number of tag sets		256 per port 512 total	
		Tag types		Network variables	
Built-in		Number of tags per connection (i.e.,		8 (7 tags if Controlle	er status is included in
EtherNet/IP	CIP service: Tag	per tag set)		the tag set.)	
port	data links (cyclic communications)	Maximum number of tags		256 per port 512 total	
		Maximum link data size per node (total size for all tags)		369,664 bytes	
		Maximum data size per connection		1,444 bytes	
		Maximum number of registrable tag sets		256 per port 512 total (1 connection = 1 ta	aq set)
		Maximum tag set size		1,444 bytes (Two b	ytes are used if Con- uded in the tag set.)
		Multi-cast packet fi	lter ^{*8}	Supported.	
servic		Class 3 (number of connections)		128 per port 256 total (clients plus server))
	CIP message service: Explicit messages	LICMM (non-con-	Maximum number of clients that can communicate at one time	32 per port 64 total	
	incoody co	sages UCMM (non-con- nection type)	Maximum number of servers that can communicate at one time	32 per port 64 total	
	Number of TCP soc	ckets		30	
	OPC UA server			*9	

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Item			17□□	16□□	
	Communications st	andard		IEC 61158 Type12	
	EtherCAT master s	pecifications		Class B (Feature Pac compliant)	ck Motion Control
Physical layer				100BASE-TX	
	Modulation			Baseband	
	Baud rate			100 Mbps (100BASE	-TX)
	Duplex mode /		Auto		
	Тороlоду			Line, daisy chain, and branching	
	Transmission media			Twisted-pair cable of (double-shielded stra minum tape and brai	ight cable with alu-
Built-in	Maximum transmis	sion distance betwee	en nodes	100 m	
EtherCAT	Maximum number o	of slaves		512	
port	Range of node add	resses that can be se	ət	1 to 512	
	Maximum process	laximum process data size			
	Maximum process data size per slave			Input: 1,434 bytes Output: 1,434 bytes	
Communications of		ycle		Primary periodic task 125 µs 250 µs to 8 ms in 250-µs increments Priority-5 periodic task 125 µs 250 µs to 100 ms in 250-µs increments	
	Sync jitter			1 μs max.	
Serial com-	Communications method				
munica-	Synchronization method				
tions	Baud rate				
		Maximum number of Rack or Expansion	of CJ Units per CPU Rack		
	Maximum number of connectable	Maximum number of NX Units per CPU Rack			
	Units	Maximum number of CJ Units for en- tire controller			
Unit config-		Maximum number of NX Units for en- tire controller		4,096 (On EtherCAT Slave Terminals)	
uration	Maximum number o	of Expansion Racks		0	
	I/O capacity	Maximum number of series Units	of I/O points on CJ-		
	Power Supply Unit for CPU Rack	Model		NX-PA9001 NX-PD7001	
	and Expansion	Power OFF detec-	AC power supply	30 to 45 ms	
	Racks	tion time	DC power supply	5 to 20 ms	
Option Board	Number of slots				

Item		NX701-			
	item		17□□	16□□	
	Input Number of points				
Built-in I/O	Output	Number of points			
	Output	Load short-circuit protection			
Internal clock	nternal Accuracy ^{*11}		Ambient temperature min error per month Ambient temperature min error per month Ambient temperature min error per month	e of 25°C: -3.5 to 3.5	
	Retention time of built-in capacitor				

*1. Execution objects and variable tables (including variable names)

*2. Does not include Holding, DM, and EM Area memory for CJ-series Units.

- *3. Does not include CIO and Work Area memory for CJ-series Units.
- *4. Refer to the NJ/NX-series CPU Unit Motion Control User's Manual (Cat. No. W507) for descriptions of axes.
- *5. A CPU Unit without hardware revision provides a peripheral USB port of the following specification.
 - Supported service: Sysmac Studio connection
 - Physical layer: USB 2.0-compliant B-type connector
 - Transmission distance: 5 m max.
- *6. Data will be refreshed at the set interval, regardless of the number of nodes.
- *7. "pps" means packets per second, i.e., the number of communications packets that can be sent or received in one second.
- *8. As the EtherNet/IP port implements the IGMP client, unnecessary multi-cast packets can be filtered by using an Ethernet switch that supports IGMP Snooping.
- *9. Refer to the *NJ/NX-series CPU Unit OPC UA User's Manual (Cat. No. W588)* for information on the specifications for the OPC UA server.
- *10. However, the data must be within eight frames.
- *11. These are values in continuous operation state.

1-3 Overall Operating Procedure for the NX-series Controller

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1-3 Overall Operating Procedure for the NX-series Controller

This section gives the overall operating procedure of the NX-series Controllers and then describes it in more detail.

1-3-1 Overall Procedure

The overall procedure to use an NX-series Controller is given below.

Step 1. Software Design		
	Design the overall system configuration, task configuration, programs, and variables.	
Step 1-1 Designing I/O and Processing		
	Step 1-2 Designing Tasks	
	Step 1-3 Designing Programs	

Step 2. Software	Setups and Programming
	Create the system configurations that you designed in step 1 on the Support Software and assign the variables. Create the tasks and programs, and debug them, e.g., with simulations.
	Step 2-1 Slave and Unit Configurations
	Step 2-2 Controller Setup
	Step 2-3 Programming
	Step 2-4 Offline Debugging

 Step 3. Mounting and Setting Hardware

 Mount the Units and make the required hardware settings.

Step 4. Wiring Connect the network cables and wire the I/O.

 Step 5. Confirming Operation and Starting Actual System Operation

 Connect the Support Software to the physical system and download the project. Check operation on the physical system and then start actual system operation.

1-3-2 Procedure Details

Step 1. Software Design

Step	Description	Reference
Step 1-1	 External I/O devices and unit configuration 	Section 3 Configu-
Designing I/O and	 Refresh periods for external devices 	ration Units on page
Processing	Program contents	3-1



Step 1-2	Task configuration	NJ/NX-series CPU
Designing Tasks	 Relationship between tasks and programs 	Unit Software User's
	Task periods	Manual (Cat. No.
	Slave and Unit refresh times	W501)
	 Exclusive control methods for variables between tasks 	



Step 2. Software Setups and Programming

Step	Description	Sysmac Studio Operations	Reference
Project Creation	 Create a project in the Sysmac Studio. Insert a Controller. 	New Project Button Insert – Controller	Sysmac Studio Version 1 Operation Manual (Cat. No. W504)

The following *Controller Configurations and Setup* and the *Programming and Task Settings* can be performed in either order.

Step 2-1 Slave and Unit configurations			
1) Creating the Slave and Unit Configurations	 Creating the slave configuration and Unit configuration either offline or on- line. (For online configuration, make the online connection that is described in step 5.) Setting up any Slave Terminals that are used. 	EtherCAT Slave Setting Editor Unit Editor	NJ/NX-series CPU Unit Software User's Manual (Cat. No. W501) NX-series EtherCAT Coupler Units User's Manual (Cat. No. W519)

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dure	
Details	

2) Assigning De-	Registering device variables in variable ta-	I/O Map	NJ/NX-series CPU
vice Variables to	ble		Unit Software User's
I/O Ports	(Variable names are user defined or auto-		Manual (Cat. No.
	matically created.)		W501)

(The following step is for motion control.)

Axes and Assign- ing Them to the Servo Drive/axes or virtual axes.and Setup -Unit Software Motion Control SetupAxes and Assign- ing Them to the ed axes control.Unit Software Motion Control SetupManual (Cat. I W501)	
	User's
Servo Drive/ ed axes control. Setup W501)	No.
Encoder Input	
Slaves	

Step 2-2 Controller Setup	Setting the following parameters from the Sysmac Studio		NJ/NX-series CPU Unit Software User's
	Setting the initial values for the PLC Function Module	Configurations and Setup – Controller Setup – Operation Settings	Manual (Cat. No. W501)
	(To use motion control) Setting the initial settings for the Mo- tion Control Function Module	Configurations and Setup – Motion Control Setup	
	Setting the initial values for the Ether- CAT Function Module	Configurations and Setup – EtherCAT	
	Setting the initial values for the Ether- Net/IP Function Module	Configurations and Setup – Controller Setup – Built-in EtherNet/IP Port Settings	

Step 2-3 Programming			
1) Registering Vari- ables	 Registering the variables used by more than one POU in the global variable table with Sysmac Studio Registering the local variable table for each program Registering the local variable table for each function block and function 	Global Variable Table Editor Local Variable Table Editor	Sysmac Studio Version 1 Operation Manual (Cat. No. W504) NJ/NX-series CPU Unit Software User's Manual (Cat. No. W501)

2) Writing Algo- rithms for POUs	Writing the algorithms for the POUs (pro- grams, function blocks, and functions) in the required languages	Programming Editor	NJ/NX-series CPU Unit Software User's Manual (Cat. No. W501) NJ/NX-series Instructions Reference Manual (Cat. No. W502) NJ/NX-series Motion Control Instructions Reference Manual (Cat. No. W508)
3) Setting the Tasks	Making task settings	Configurations and Setup – Task Settings	NJ/NX-series CPU Unit Software User's Manual (Cat. No. W501)



Step 2-4	Checking the algorithms and task execu-	NJ/NX-series CPU
Offline Debugging	tion times on the Simulator (virtual control-	Unit Software User's
	ler)	Manual (Cat. No.
		W501)

Step 3. Mounting and Setting Hardware

Step	Description	Reference
1) Mounting	Connecting adjacent Units	4-3 Mounting Units
	Mounting to DIN Track	on page 4-9
2) Setting Hard-	Setting the node addresses of the EtherCAT slaves	Operation manuals
ware		for the EtherCAT
		slaves

Step 4. Wiring

Step	Description	Reference
1) Connecting Ethernet Cable	Connecting the built-in EtherCAT portConnecting the built-in EtherNet/IP port	<i>4-4 Wiring</i> on page 4-28
2) Wiring I/O	Wiring I/O to EtherCAT slaves	Operation manuals for the EtherCAT slaves <i>4-4 Wiring</i> on page 4-28
	Checking wiring	Sysmac Studio Version 1 Operation Manual (Cat. No. W504)
3) Connecting the Computer That Runs the Sysmac Studio	Connecting the built-in EtherNet/IP port	Sysmac Studio Version 1 Operation Manual (Cat. No. W504)

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Step 5. Checking Operation and Starting Operation on the Actual System

Step	Description	Sysmac Studio Operations	Reference
1) Online Connec-	Turn ON the power supply to the Controller	Controller –	NJ/NX-series CPU
tion to Sysmac	and place the Sysmac Studio online. Then,	Communications	Unit Software User's
Studio and Project	download the project.*1	Setup –	Manual (Cat. No.
Download	Perform this step before you create the	Controller –	W501)
	slave configuration or Unit configuration	Synchronization	
	from the mounted Units in step 2-1.		

*1. Use the Synchronize Menu of the Sysmac Studio to download the project.

2) Operation Check on Control- ler	 Check the wiring by using forced re- freshing of real I/O from the I/O Map or Watch Tab Page. For motion control, use the MC Test Run operations in PROGRAM mode to check the wiring. Then check the motor rotation directions for jogging, travel distances for relative positioning (e.g., for electronic gear settings), and hom- ing operation. Change the Controller to RUN mode and check the operation of the user 	 NJ/NX-series CPU Unit Software User's Manual (Cat. No. W501)
	and check the operation of the user program.	

3) Actual Control-	Start actual operation.	
ler Operation		

System Configuration

This section describes the basic system configuration used for NX-series NX701 Controllers.

2-1	Basic System Configuration	2-2
	2-1-1 EtherCAT Network Configuration	
2-2	Connecting to the Sysmac Studio	2-5
2-3	Network Configuration	2-6

2-1 Basic System Configuration

An NX-series Controller supports the following two types of configurations.

Basic Configuration

The basic configurations include the CPU Unit and the Configuration Units that are controlled directly by the CPU Unit. There are two basic configurations.

- a) EtherCAT network configuration
- Other Network Configurations

These are the configurations of the systems that are connected to the CPU Unit's built-in EtherNet/IP port and Communications Units.

• Basic Controller Configuration

With an NX-series CPU Unit, you can use an EtherCAT network as a basic system. With the EtherCAT network system of the NX-series CPU Unit, the period for sequence processing and motion processing in the CPU Unit is the same as the EtherCAT communications period. This enables high-precision sequence control and motion control with a constant period and little fluctuation.

For information on EtherCAT, refer to the *NJ/NX-series CPU Unit Built-in EtherCAT Port User's Manual (Cat. No. W505)*.

2-1-1 EtherCAT Network Configuration

The EtherCAT network configuration consists of an NX-series CPU Unit, an NX-series Power Supply Unit, an End Cover, and the EtherCAT slaves.

You use the built-in EtherCAT master port on the NX-series CPU Unit to connect EtherCAT slaves.



For information on the system configuration of an EtherCAT network, refer to the *NJ/NX-series CPU* Unit Built-in EtherCAT Port User's Manual (Cat. No. W505).

Configuration Units

• NX-series CPU Units

The Unit that serves as the center of control for a Machine Automation Controller. It executes tasks, refreshes I/O for other Units and slaves, etc. The NX-series CPU Unit includes the NX701- \Box \Box \Box . Refer to *3-1 CPU Units* on page 3-2 for the models and specifications of individual NX-series CPU Units.

• NX-series Power Supply Units

The Unit that supplies power to a CPU Rack including an NX-series CPU Unit. AC type and DC type are provided for the Power Supply Unit.

Refer to 3-3 Power Supply Units on page 3-11 for the models and specifications of individual NX-series Power Supply Units.

Precautions for Safe Use

Do not use the Power Supply Units in the system beyond the rated supply capacity ranges. Doing so may result in operation stopping, incorrect operation, or failure to correctly back up required data at power interruptions.

• SD Memory Card

With the NX-series CPU Unit, various data can be saved, backed up, restored and compared using the SD Memory Card.

Refer to 3-2 SD Memory Cards on page 3-10 for the models and specifications of individual SD Memory Card.

End Cover

A cover to protect the NX-series CPU Unit.

• EtherCAT Slaves

A device that exchanges data with the EtherCAT master built into NX-series Controller through the EtherCAT network. The device provides non-synced slaves and synced slaves. Refer to the manuals for the specific EtherCAT slaves for details.

• Recommended Communications Cables for EtherCAT and EtherNet/IP

EtherCAT communications are performed in accordance with the 100BASE-TX standard. Refer to the *NJ/NX-series CPU Unit Built-in EtherCAT Port User's Manual (Cat. No. W505)* for recommended cables.

EtherNet/IP communications are performed in accordance with the 100BASE-TX or 10BASE-T standard. Refer to the *NJ/NX-series CPU Unit Built-in EtherNet/IP Port User's Manual (Cat. No. W506)* for recommended cables.
2-2 Connecting to the Sysmac Studio

Connect the NX-series CPU Unit and the Sysmac Studio through EtherNet/IP. Refer to *3-4-2 Connection* on page 3-15 for information on how to make the connection between the NX-series CPU Unit and the Sysmac Studio.

2-3 Network Configuration

You can make networks in the following layers with an NJ/NX-series Controller. For details on communications networks that you can connect to, refer to the *NJ/NX-series CPU Unit Software User's Manual (Cat. No. W501)*.



	Connection	Connection method
Sysmac Studio		Use the built-in EtherNet/IP port.
Between Control-	NJ/NX-series Controller or CJ-series	Use the built-in EtherNet/IP port or a port on an
lers	PLC	EtherNet/IP Unit. ^{*1}
Devices	Servo Drives, general-purpose slaves and Vision Systems	Use the built-in EtherCAT port.
	Ethernet communications devices	Use the built-in EtherNet/IP port or a port on an
		EtherNet/IP Unit. ^{*1}
	Serial communications devices	Mount a Serial Communications Unit ^{*2} and use RS-232C port or RS-422A/485 ports.
	DeviceNet slaves	Mount a DeviceNet Unit ^{*2} and use DeviceNet.
	CompoNet slaves	Mount a CompoNet Master Unit ^{*2} and use Compo- Net.
Programmable Terminals		Use the built-in EtherNet/IP port or a port on an
		EtherNet/IP Unit. ^{*1}

	Connection	Connection method			
Servers	Connections to BOOTP server, DNS server, or NTP server	Use the built-in EtherNet/IP port or a port on an EtherNet/IP Unit. ^{*1}			
*1. Use a CJ-series EtherNet/IP Unit with a unit version of 2.1 or later.					

Also, mount the EtherNet/IP Unit to an NJ-series CPU Unit with unit version 1.01 or later, and use Sysmac Studio version 1.02 or higher. Refer to the *NJ/NX-series CPU Unit Software User's Manual (Cat. No. W501)* for information on version up-

Refer to the NJ/NX-series CPU Unit Software User's Manual (Cat. No. W501) for information on version upgrades.

*2. Mount to an NJ-series CPU Unit.

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Configuration Units

This section describes configuration devices in the NX-series Unit configuration.

3-1	CPU	Units	
	3-1-1		
	3-1-2	•	
3-2	SD M	lemory Cards	
	3-2-1	-	
	3-2-2	Purpose	
3-3	Powe	er Supply Units	
	3-3-1		
	3-3-2	•	
3-4	Sysm	nac Studio	
	3-4-1		
	3-4-2	Connection	

3-1 CPU Units

This section describes the models and specifications of the NX-series CPU Units as well as the names and functions of the parts.

3-1-1 Models and Specifications

Model	Program ca- pacity	Memory capacity for variables	Number of mo- tion axes	Database connection
NX701-1700	80 MB	4 MB (Retained during	256 axes	Not supported.
NX701-1600		power interruptions) or	128 axes	
NX701-1720		256 MB (Not retained dur-	256 axes	Supported.
NX701-1620		ing power interruptions)	128 axes	

3-1-2 Part Names and Functions



Letter	Name	Function
А	DIP switch	Used in Safe Mode or when backing up data. Normally, turn
		OFF all of the pins.
В	Push switch	Unused. For future expansion, leave it unoperated.
С	Power supply connector	Connects to the Power Supply Unit.
D	DIN Track mounting hooks	These hooks are used to mount the Unit to a DIN Track.
E	Fan Unit	Cools the CPU Unit internally. Refer to Fan Unit on page 3-8.
F	Battery	Battery for backup. Refer to Battery on page 3-8.

Letter	Name	Function
G	SD Memory Card power supply	Turns OFF the power supply so that you can remove the SD
	switch	Memory Card.
		Refer to 4-3-6 Installing and Removing the SD Memory Card on
		page 4-20.
Н	SD Memory Card connector	Connects the SD Memory Card to the CPU Unit.
- 1	Unit hookup guides	These guides are used to mount the End Cover.
J	Connector	Unused. For future expansion, leave it unoperated.
K	Battery connector	Connector to mount the backup battery.
L	ID information indication	Shows the ID information of the CPU Unit. Refer to ID Informa-
		<i>tion Indication</i> on page 3-9.
М	Built-in EtherCAT port (port 3)	Connects the built-in EtherCAT with an Ethernet cable.
Ν	Operation status indicators	Shows the operation status of the CPU Unit. Refer to Operation
		Status Indicators on page 3-4.
0	Built-in EtherNet/IP port (port 2)	Connects the built-in EtherNet/IP with an Ethernet cable.
Р	Built-in EtherNet/IP port (port 1)	Connects the built-in EtherNet/IP with an Ethernet cable.

DIP Switch

Set the DIP switch when backing up data or using Safe Mode, etc. The meanings of each function, DIP switch settings, and reference manuals are shown in the table below. If you do not want to use these functions, turn OFF all pins.

The figure below shows an example setting when the Safe Mode is used.



Function	Magning		DIP s	witch	Reference manual	
Function Meaning		4	3	2	1	Reference manual
Backup	You can back up all of the da- ta in the Controller to an SD Memory Card.	OFF	ON	OFF	OFF	NJ/NX-series CPU Unit Software User's Manual (Cat. No.
Restore ^{*1}	You can transfer the various setting data stored in the SD Memory Card to the Control- ler.	ON	ON	OFF	OFF	W501)
Automatic transfer from SD Memory Card ^{*1}	You can automatically transfer the various setting data stored in the SD Memory Card to the Controller when the power is turned ON.	OFF	OFF	ON	OFF	

E	Maanima		DIP s	witch		Defense
Function	Meaning	4	3	2	1	Reference manual
Safe Mode ^{*1}	You can start the Unit in PRO- GRAM mode when the power is turned ON. Use the Safe Mode if you do not want to ex- ecute the user program imme- diately after the power is turned ON, or if it is difficult to connect the Sysmac Studio.	ON	OFF	OFF	OFF	NJ/NX-series Troubleshooting Manual (Cat. No. W503)
Enabling connections to the Sysmac Studio and NA that are not supporting secure communication ^{*1}	You can use this function to communicate with the Sys- mac Studio with versions that are not supporting secure communication, or NA-series HMI.	OFF	OFF	ON	ON	NJ/NX-series CPU Unit Software User's Manual (Cat. No. W501)
Safe Mode, and ena- bling connections to the Sysmac Studio and NA that are not supporting secure communication ^{*1}	You can set both of the Safe Mode and enabling connec- tions to the Sysmac Studio and NA that are not support- ing secure communication.	ON	OFF	ON	ON	
Automatic transfer from SD Memory Card, and enabling connections to the Sysmac Studio and NA that are not sup- porting secure com- munication ^{*1}	You can set both of the auto- matic transfer from SD Memo- ry Card and enabling connec- tions to the Sysmac Studio and NA that are not support- ing secure communication.	OFF	ON	ON	ON	

*1. This function operates when the power supply to the CPU Unit is turned ON after you change the DIP switch settings. If you want to use this function, turn ON power to the CPU Unit after you change the DIP switch settings.

The DIP switch on the NX701 CPU Unit has 8 positions. Turn OFF all positions from 5 to 8 of the DIP switch.

Operation Status Indicators

There are the indicators to show the operation status of Unit in the center of the front side of the CPU Unit.



Indicators at the Top

🗆 RUN
SD PWR
SD BUSY

These indicators show the main operation status of the CPU Unit.

The following table describes these indicators.

Indicator	Color	Status	Meaning
RUN	Green	Lit.	The CPU Unit is in normal operation in RUN mode. (The
			user program is in execution.)
		Flashing at 2-	The CPU Unit is starting (entering RUN mode or PRO-
		s intervals,	GRAM mode at startup).
		then flashing	
		at 0.5-s inter-	
		vals.	
		Flashing at 2-	System initialization error occurs.
		s intervals	
		continues for	
		30 seconds	
		or longer.	
		Not lit.	Operation is stopped in PROGRAM mode, when a CPU
			Unit reset is in progress, or when any of the following errors
			occurs.
			 Controller error in the major fault level
			CPU error (WDT error)

Indicator	Color	Status	Meaning
ERROR	Red	Lit.	Self-diagnosis found one of the following errors.Controller error in the major fault levelCPU error
		Flashing at 1- s intervals.	 Self-diagnosis found one of the following errors. Controller error in the partial fault level (an error in which all control of a Function Module is disabled) Controller error in the minor fault level (an error in which partial control of a Function Module is disabled) CPU Unit operation will continue for either of these errors. Operation will stop for the Function Module in which a Con- troller error in the partial fault level occurred. Operation will continue for the Function Module in which a Controller error in the minor fault level occurred.
_		Not lit.	The CPU Unit is in normal operation, a CPU reset is in progress, or monitored information occurred. (CPU Unit operation will continue.)
BUSY	Yellow	Flashing	Built-in non-volatile memory access in progress.
		Not lit.	Other than the above.
SD PWR	Green	Lit.	Power is being supplied to the SD Memory Card and the SD Memory Card can be used.
		Flashing	A backup, restore or verification operation is in progress. ^{*1}
		Not lit.	The power supply for the SD Memory Card is stopped, an SD Memory Card is not mounted, or the file format of the mounted SD Memory Card is not supported.
SD BUSY	Yellow	Flashing	SD Memory Card access in progress.
		Not lit.	SD Memory Card access not in progress.

*1. Refer to the *NJ/NX-series CPU Unit Software User's Manual (Cat. No. W501)* for details on backing up data.

Precautions for Safe Use

- Do not turn OFF the power supply to the Controller while the BUSY indicator flashes. While the BUSY indicator is lit, the user program and settings in the CPU Unit are being backed up in the built-in non-volatile memory. The data will not be backed up if the power supply is turned OFF. The next time that the Controller is started, a Controller error in the major fault level will occur and operation will stop.
- Do not turn OFF the power supply or remove the SD Memory Card while SD Memory Card access is in progress (i.e., while the SD BUSY indicator flashes). Data may become corrupted, and the Controller will not operate correctly if it uses corrupted data. To remove an SD Memory Card from the CPU Unit when power is supplied to the CPU Unit, press the SD Memory Card power supply switch and wait for the SD PWR indicator to turn OFF before you remove the SD Memory Card.

You can check the operation status of the CPU Unit with the PWR, RUN, and ERROR indicators at the top of the front panels of the Power Supply Unit and CPU Unit.

Refer to 5-1 Overview of Troubleshooting on page 5-2 for the procedures to check the operation status of the CPU Unit.

Indicators at the Bottom



These indicators show the operation status of the built-in ports of the CPU Unit. Port 1 and port 2 are the indicators for the built-in EtherNet/IP ports, while port 3 is the indicators for the built-in EtherCAT port.

- Indicator Color **Status** Meaning NFT You cannot perform Ethernet communications. Green Not lit. RUN The power supply is OFF or the CPU Unit was reset. · A MAC address error or communications Controller error occurred. Flashing Ethernet communications are in progress. Tag data link connection establishment in progress. IP address acquisition with BOOTP in progress. Lit. Normal startup status. NET Red Not lit. There are no Ethernet communications errors. ERR Flashing red. communications. etc. Lit.
- Built-in EtherNet/IP Ports (Port 1 and Port 2) Indicators

· The power supply is OFF or the CPU Unit was reset. An error for which the user can recover operation occur- An error occurred in TCP/IP communications or CIP • FTP server setting error, NTP server setting error, etc. • Tag data link setting error, tag data link verification error, An error for which the user cannot recover operation occurred. A MAC address error or communications Controller error occurred. LINK/AC Yellow Not lit. A link was not established. Т The cable is not connected. • The power supply is OFF or the CPU Unit was reset. Flashing The link is established, and data communications are in progress. Lit. The link was established. • Built-in EtherCAT Port (Port 3) Indicators

Indicator	Color	Status	Meaning
NET	Green	Lit.	EtherCAT communications are in progress.
RUN			Inputs and outputs for I/O data are in operation.
		Flashing	EtherCAT communications are established.
			This indicator shows either of the following conditions.
			Only message communications are in operation.
			 Only message communications and I/O data inputs are in operation.
		Not lit.	EtherCAT communications are stopped.
			The power supply is OFF or the CPU Unit was reset.
			A MAC address error, communications Controller error,
			or other error occurred.
NET	Red	Lit.	A hardware error or unrecoverable error occurred, such as
ERR			for exception processing.
		Flashing	A recoverable error occurred.
		Not lit.	There are no errors.
LINK/AC T	Yellow	Lit.	A link is established.
		Flashing	Data communications are in progress after establishing
		2	link.
			Flashes every time data is sent or received.
		Not lit.	The link was not established.

Battery

The following Battery is built in as a standard feature.

Model	Appearance	Specification
CJ1W-BAT01		 Service life: 5 years^{*1} For the battery lifetime, refer to <i>Battery Service</i> <i>Life and Replacement Period</i> on page 6-6. The following values are retained during power interruptions. Values of variables with a Retain attribute Clock information Some system-defined variables Event logs

*1. The Battery installed at the time of purchase is only for monitoring purpose to test the battery backup function. The Battery is exhausted depending on the period from factory checking to actual operation, thus it may not satisfy specified battery lifetime.

Fan Unit

The following Fan Unit is built in as a standard feature.

Model	Appearance	Specification
NX-FAN01		Life: 10 years at ambient temperature of 55°C Storage limitation with no power supplied: 1 year Cools the CPU in the CPU Unit.

ID Information Indication

You can check the followings in the ID information indications on the right side of the CPU Unit.



Letter	Name	Function
А	Lot number and serial	Shows the lot number and the serial number of the CPU Unit.
	number	DDMYY: Lot number, : For use by OMRON, xxxx: Serial number
		M is 1 to 9 for January to September, X for October, Y for November, and
		Z for December.
В	Unit version	Shows the unit version of the CPU Unit.
С	MAC addresses	Shows the MAC addresses of the built-in EtherNet/IP ports on the CPU
		Unit.
D	Hardware revision	Shows the hardware revision of the CPU Unit.*1

*1. The hardware revision is not displayed for the Unit that the hardware revision is in blank.

3-1 CPU Units

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3-1-2 Part Names and Functions

3-2 SD Memory Cards

This section describes the models, specifications, and application of the SD Memory Cards.

3-2-1 Models and Specifications

Refer to Specifications of Supported SD Memory Cards, Folders, and Files in the NJ/NX-series CPU Unit Software User's Manual (Cat. No. W501) for details.

3-2-2 Purpose

You can use the SD Memory Card for the following applications.

- Read and write files in the SD Memory Card with instructions.
- Read and write files in the SD Memory Card from an FTP client on EtherNet/IP.
- · Back up, restore, and verify data in the Controller.
- Transfer data from the SD Memory Card to the Controller when the power is turned ON.

Refer to the *NJ/NX-series CPU Unit Software User's Manual (Cat. No. W501)* for details on the functions for SD Memory Cards.

3-3 Power Supply Units

This section describes the models and specifications of the Power Supply Units as well as the names and functions of the parts.

3-3-1 Models and Specifications

NX7-series Power Supply Units

ltem	Specif	ication		
Model	NX-PA9001	NX-PD7001		
Dimensions	80 × 100 × 100 mm (W × H × D)	51 × 100 × 100 mm (W × H × D)		
Weight	570 g	290 g		
Power supply volt-	100 to 240 VAC (wide-range), 50/60 Hz (85	24 VDC		
age	to 264 VAC, 47 to 63 Hz)	(20.4 to 28.8 VDC)		
Power consumption	150 VA max.	85 W max.		
Inrush current ^{*1}	At 100 VAC:	At 24 VDC:		
	20 A ^{*2} /8 ms max. for cold start at room	30 A/2 ms max. for cold start at room tem-		
	temperature	perature		
	At 200 VAC:	7 $A^{*3}/3$ s max. for cold start at room tem-		
	40 A ^{*2} /8 ms max. for cold start at room	perature		
	temperature			
Output capacity ^{*4}	Total: 90 W max.	Total: 70 W max.		
Output terminal	Not provided.			
(service supply)				
RUN Output	Contact configuration: SPST-NO			
	Switch capacity: 250 VAC, 2 A (resistive load	d) 120 VAC, 0.5 A (inductive load), 24 VDC,		
	2A (resistive load)			
Replacement notifi-	Not provided.			
cation function				
Insulation resistance	20 M Ω min. (at 500 VDC) between AC ex-	*6		
	ternal and GR terminals ^{*5}			
Dielectric strength	2,300 VAC 50/60 Hz for 1 min between AC	*6		
	external and GR terminals ^{*5*7}			
	Leakage current: 5 mA max.			

Use an NX7-series Power Supply Unit to supply power to an NX7-series CPU Unit.

*1. The inrush current may vary depending on the operating condition and other conditions. Therefore, select fuses, breakers, and external power supply devices that have enough margin in characteristic and capacity, considering the condition under which the devices are used.

- *2. If the ambient temperature is higher or the Controller is hot-started, the inrush current given in the table may be exceeded by up to twice the given value because the thermistor element with a low-temperature current control characteristic is not sufficiently cool.
- *3. Of the inrush current values, the latter value varies depending on the input voltage and may rise to approx. 8.3 A at 20.4 VDC.
- *4. Internal components in the Power Supply Unit will deteriorate or be damaged if the Power Supply Unit is used for an extended period of time exceeding the power supply output capacity or if the outputs are shorted.

*5. Apply the voltage between the Power Supply Unit's L1 or L2 terminal and the GR terminal when testing insulation and dielectric strength. The tests can also be performed with the LG terminal and GR terminal connected to each other. In this

case, the leakage current will be 10 mA or less.

- *6. The primary DC power supply and the secondary DC power supply are not isolated.
- *7. Change the applied voltage gradually using the adjuster on the Tester. If the full dielectric strength voltage is applied or turned OFF using the switch on the Tester, the generated impulse voltage may damage the Power Supply Unit.



Precautions for Safe Use

Do not use the Power Supply Units in the system beyond the rated supply capacity range given in the specifications.

Doing so may result in operation stopping, incorrect operation, or failure to correctly back up required data at power interruptions.

3-3-2 Part Names and Functions



• Front View



Back View
 Common in NX-PA9001/PD7001



Letter	Name	Function
А	Dropout prevention lock release	Releases the dropout prevention lock.
	lever	
В	DIN Track mounting hooks	These hooks are used to mount the Unit to a DIN Track.
С	Sliders	Holds the Units together.
D	PWR indicator	Indicates that the power supply is operating.
Е	Connector	Connects to the CPU Unit.
F	Terminal block cover	Covers the terminal block.
G	Terminal block	The terminal block is used to connect to the power supply.
Н	Dropout prevention lock	Prevents the CPU Unit and other devices from accidentally
		dropping out, when you remove them from the DIN Tracks.
I	DIN Track contact plate	This plate is used to contact the protective ground terminal with
		a DIN Track.

• Terminal Block

Terminal	Ар-		Function		
number	pear- ance	Name	NX-PA9001	NX-PD7001	
(1)	Ð	Power sup-	Supply 100 to 240 VAC.*1	Supply 24 VDC.*1	
(2)	Ð	ply input			
(3)	\square	LG	LG terminal is a noise-filtered neutra	al terminal to increase noise resist-	
	Ð		ance. ^{*2}		
(4)	Ð	GR	GR terminal is a ground terminal to	prevent electrical shock.*2	
(5)	\square	RUN Out-	Turns ON when the CPU Unit is operating. ^{*3}		
(6)		put		-	

*1. For details, refer to 4-4-1 Power Supply Wiring on page 4-28.

*2. For details, refer to 4-4-2 Grounding on page 4-31.

*3. Details of the operation are given in the following table.

Status	Operation
In operation (RUN mode).	ON

Status	Operation
The CPU Unit is starting (until entering the operating status that is specified in	OFF
the Startup Mode setting).	
Operation stopped (PROGRAM mode).	
Controller error in the major fault level occurred.	

3-4 Sysmac Studio

The Sysmac Studio is a Support Software package that provides an integrated development environment to design, program, debug, and maintain SYSMAC NJ/NX-series Controllers. This section describes the models and connecting methods of the Sysmac Studio.

3-4-1 Model Numbers

The model numbers of the Sysmac Studio Standard Edition are given in the following table. The model numbers are different for the media and licenses.

Product	Configuration software	Media	Number of user li- censes	Model
Sysmac Studio	Sysmac Studio	DVD		SYSMAC-SE200D
Standard Edition T	The following Support Software		1	SYSMAC-SE201L
	is also included.		3	SYSMAC-SE203L
	Network Configurator CX-Integrator CX-Protocol CX-Designer		10	SYSMAC-SE210L

3-4-2 Connection

With an NJ/NX-series CPU Unit, you can connect the Sysmac Studio online in the following ways.

Configuration

Connection with EtherNet/IP

1:1 Connection



• 1:N Connection



- A direct connection is made from the Sysmac Studio. The IP address and connection device do not need to be specified.^{*1}
- You can make the connection whether or not a switching hub is used.
- Support for Auto-MDI enables the use of cross cables or straight cables if a direct connection is made.
- *1. With the NX7-series CPU Unit, it is possible only when you connect the Unit to the built-in EtherNet/IP port (port 1).

Additional Information

The Sysmac Studio cannot connect online to an NJ/NX-series CPU Unit in the following type of configuration.

• If the built-in EtherNet/IP port is not used, you cannot connect to an NJ/NX-series CPU Unit on an EtherNet/IP network.

Example: Connection to NJ/NX-series CPU Unit Routing through an EtherNet/IP Unit or Builtin Port



• You cannot route through any networks other than EtherNet/IP networks.

Directly specify the IP address of the remote device.

Installation and Wiring

This section describes how to install and wire the NX-series NX701 CPU Unit as well as details on installation locations.

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4-1 Processing at Power ON and Power OFF

Do not touch the terminal section while power is ON. Electrical shock may occur.

• Do not disassemble any of the Units. Particularly the Power Supply Units contain parts with high voltages when power is ON or immediately after power is turned OFF. Electrical shock may occur. There are also sharp internal parts that may cause injury.

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4-1-1 Power ON Operation



Precautions for Safe Use

It takes approximately 10 to 20 seconds to enter RUN mode after the power supply is turned ON. The outputs during this period will behave according to the slave and Unit specifications. Use the RUN output on the Power Supply Unit, for example, to implement fail-safe circuits so that external devices do not operate incorrectly.

Operation until Operation Ready Status

Once power supply to the Power Supply Unit starts, approximately 10 to 20 seconds elapses before the CPU Unit enters the operation-ready status. This period is called the *startup* status. The *startup* time depends on the slave/Unit configuration^{*1}, user program, SD Memory Card usage, SD Memory

Card self-diagnosis usage^{*2}, etc.

While the CPU Unit is in the startup status, the RUN indicator flashes at a one second interval.

- *1. Some EtherCAT slaves can set a maximum standby time of 1 to 200 seconds. For the CPU Unit, however, the operation-ready status exists as soon as the EtherCAT Master Function Module is functioning, regardless of the standby time of the EtherCAT slaves. For the EtherCAT Master Function Module, slaves that do not start within the maximum waiting time are treated as having an error.
- *2. This function performs self-diagnosis on the inserted SD Memory Card. This is executed if the self-diagnosis at startup is enabled in the **Operation Settings** under **Configurations and Setup Controller Setup** in the Sysmac Studio.

Process	Description
Self diagnosis at startup	Operation is monitored for the following errors: Power Supply Error, CPU
	Unit Reset, CPU Unit Watchdog Timer Error.*1
Data check	The _ <i>RetainFail (Retention Failure Flag)</i> system-defined variable changes to TRUE at the following time: when the values of variables for which the Retain attribute was set to retain the values were not retained after a power interruption.
Recording Power Turned ON and Power Interrupted events	The Power Turned ON and Power Interrupted events are recorded.

The following processing is performed during the *startup* status.

*1. Refer to the *NJ/NX-series Troubleshooting Manual (Cat. No. W503)* for information on the following errors: *Power Supply Error, CPU Unit Reset,* and *CPU Unit Watchdog Timer Error.*

Operating Mode at Startup

The system will immediately enter RUN mode if RUN mode (default) is set as the startup operating mode. The system will immediately enter PROGRAM mode if PROGRAM mode is set as the startup operating mode.

- RUN Mode Set as Startup Mode
- PROGRAM Mode Set as Startup Mode

Power supply			Power supply		
	CPU Unit Startup Time at Power ON			CPU Unit Startup Time at Power ON	
	\longleftrightarrow	 M 	1 1 1	← →	
Operating mode	Startup	RUN mode	Operating mode	Startup	PROGRAM mode
RUN indicator	Flashing	Lit	RUN indicator	Flashing	Not lit
RUN output on Power Supply Unit		ON	RUN output on Power Supply Unit		OFF

4-1-2 Power OFF Operation



The NX-series Controller continues normal operation for a specific period of time even when a momentary power interruption occurs. The Controller may therefore receive incorrect signals from external devices that are affected by the momentary power interruption.



Take suitable actions, such as external fail-safe measures and interlock conditions, to monitor the power supply voltage of the external devices as required.

Different operations will be performed when the power is turned OFF depending on whether the power interruption time is longer than the power OFF detection time, as described below.

The following table gives the voltage conditions for a power interruption.

Power Supply Unit model	Power supply input	Power interruption voltage	
NX-PA9001	100 to 200 VAC	85 VAC max.	
NX-PD7001	24 VDC	20.4 VDC max.	

The setting ranges for the power OFF detection time are given in the following table.

Power supply type	Power OFF detection time
AC power sup- ply	30.5 to 45.5 ms
DC power sup- ply	5.0 to 20.5 ms

Operation at Power OFF Operation

Execution of the user program is ended if a power interruption exceeds the time shown in the table below. The processing after power interruption confirmation (described below) is performed, and then the system (i.e., CPU Unit) stops.

Power supply type	Time required for a power interruption	
AC power supply	45.5 ms or longer	
DC power supply	20.5 ms or longer	



As shown in the following figure, the system (i.e. CPU Unit) will stop even if the voltage recovers after the power interruption detection time.



After stopping, the system will restart if the power supply remains recovery.

The table below defines the time that is used in the above two figures.

Item	Description
Power OFF detection time	The time from when the power supply voltage drops until the CPU Unit starts proc-
	essing after the power interruption is confirmed. The CPU Unit continues to operate
	normally until the power interruption is confirmed.

Momentary Power Interruption with Continued Operation

Execution of the user program will continue if a momentary power interruption is less than the following times.

Power supply type	Momentary power interruption time with continued operation		
AC power supply	30.5 ms max.		
DC power supply	5.0 ms max.		



Processing After Power Interruption Is Confirmed

After a power interruption is confirmed, the CPU Unit performs the following processing and then stops.

Item		Description	
I/O refresh		Load outputs are turned OFF. Tag data links stop.	
Processing	SD Memory Card access in progress	Any writing is interrupted, files are closed, and the Card is unmount- ed.	
	Transferring user program (including online editing)	Interrupted. As a result, an error will occur the next time that the power is turned ON. The Controller will not operate.	
	User program execution	User program execution is aborted even during execution of an in- struction.	
Saving event log		The time that a power interruption occurs and the cause (primary power interruption of Power Supply Unit) of the interruption are recorded.	

4-1-3 Resetting the Controller from the Sysmac Studio

You can reset the CPU Unit from the Sysmac Studio.

A reset from the Sysmac Studio performs the same operation as cycling the power supply of the Power Supply Unit.

Resetting is possible, however, only when the CPU Unit is in PROGRAM mode.

Confirm the following status before resetting the CPU Unit.

- · Check the status of output loads.
- Make sure that SD Memory Card access is not in progress.

4-2 Fail-safe Circuits

\land WARNING

Provide safety measures in external circuits to ensure safety in the system if an abnormality occurs due to malfunction of the CPU Unit, other Units, or slaves or due to other external factors affecting operation. Not doing so may result in serious accidents due to incorrect operation.

- Emergency stop circuits, interlock circuits, limit circuits, and similar safety measures must be provided in external control circuits.
- The outputs may remain ON or OFF due to deposition or burning of the output relays or destruction of the output transistors. As a countermeasure for such problems, external safety measures must be provided to ensure safe operation of the system.
- The CPU Unit will turn OFF all outputs from Digital Output Units in the following cases. The slaves will operate according to the settings in the slaves.
 - a) If a power supply error occurs.
 - b) If a CPU error or CPU reset occurs.
 - c) If a Controller error in the major fault level occurs.
 - d) While the CPU Unit is in startup status until RUN mode is entered after the power is turned ON.
 - e) If a system initialization error occurs.

External safety measures must be provided to ensure safe operation of the system in such cases.

- If external power supplies for slaves or other devices are overloaded or shortcircuited, the voltage will drop, outputs will turn OFF, and the system may be unable to read inputs. Provide external safety measures in controls with monitoring of external power supply voltage as required so that the system operates safely in such a case.
- Unintended outputs may be performed when an error occurs in variable memory or memory for CJ-series Units. As a countermeasure for such problems, external safe-ty measures must be provided to ensure safe operation of the system.
- Provide measures in the communications system and user program to ensure safety in the overall system even if errors or malfunctions occur in data link communications or remote I/O communications.
- If a communications interference occurs for remote I/O or if a major fault level error occurs, output status will be determined by the specifications of the external output device.

Confirm the operating specifications for communications errors and major fault level errors and implement suitable safety measures.

- Correctly set all of the settings in the slaves and Units.
- You must implement fail-safe circuits to provide sufficient protection in the event that abnormal signals occur as the result of broken signal lines or momentary power interruptions.

Not doing so may result in serious accidents due to incorrect operation.

4-2-1 Order of Powering Up the Controller and Controlled System

Outputs from Units, such as DC Output Units, may malfunction momentarily when the power to the Controller is turned ON. This may cause problems in the system if the Controller power supply is turned ON after the controlled system's power supply. To prevent possible malfunctions, add an external circuit that prevents the power supply to the controlled system from going ON before the power supply to the Controller itself.



Precautions for Safe Use

It takes approximately 10 to 20 seconds to enter RUN mode after the power supply is turned ON. During that time, outputs will be OFF or the values will be according to settings in the Units or slaves. Also, external communications cannot be performed.

Use the RUN output on the Power Supply Unit, for example, to implement fail-safe circuits so that external devices do not operate incorrectly.

Output Unit Failure

It is possible for an output to remain ON due to a malfunction in the internal circuitry of the Output Unit, such as a relay or transistor malfunction. Be sure to add any circuits necessary outside of the Controller to ensure the safety of the system in the event that an output fails to go OFF.

Power Supply Wiring and Emergency Stop Circuit

The following emergency stop circuit controls the power supply to the controlled system so that power is supplied to the controlled system only when the Controller is operating and the RUN output is ON. An external relay (CR1) is connected to the RUN output from the Power Supply Unit as shown in the following diagram.



Interlock Circuits

When the Controller controls an operation such as the clockwise and counterclockwise operation of a motor, provide an external interlock such as the one shown in the following example to prevent both the forward and reverse outputs from turning ON at the same time if required by the application. Example:



This circuit prevents outputs MC1 and MC2 from both being ON at the same time even if both Controller outputs ON_MC1 and ON_MC2 are ON due to a malfunction.

4-3 Mounting Units

This section describes how to mount Units to the NX-series Controller.

In this description, the combination of the NX-series CPU Unit and the NX-series Power Supply Unit is called a CPU Module.



Precautions for Safe Use

- Always turn OFF the power supply to the Controller before attempting any of the following.
 a) Mounting or removing NX Units or CPU Units.
 - b) Assembling the Units.
 - c) Setting DIP switches or rotary switches.
 - d) Connecting cables or wiring the system.
 - e) Connecting or disconnecting the connectors.
 - f) Mounting or removing the Fan Unit.
- The Power Supply Unit continues to supply power to the Controller for up to several seconds after the power supply is turned OFF. The PWR indicator remains lit as long as power is supplied. Make sure that the PWR indicator is not lit before you perform any of the above operations.



Precautions for Correct Use

- Follow the instructions in this manual to correctly perform installation.
- Do not operate or store the Units in the following locations. Doing so may result in malfunction or in operation stopping.
 - a) Locations subject to direct sunlight
 - b) Locations subject to temperatures or humidity outside the range specified in the specifications
 - c) Locations subject to condensation as the result of severe changes in temperature
 - d) Locations subject to corrosive or flammable gases
 - e) Locations subject to dust (especially iron dust) or salts
 - f) Locations subject to exposure to water, oil, or chemicals
 - g) Locations subject to shock or vibration
 - Take appropriate and sufficient countermeasures during installation in the following locations.
 - a) Locations subject to strong, high-frequency noise
 - b) Locations subject to static electricity or other forms of noise
 - c) Locations subject to strong electromagnetic fields
 - d) Locations subject to possible exposure to radioactivity
 - e) Locations close to power lines

4-3-1 Installation in a Control Panel

Installation in Cabinets or Control Panels

When the NX-series Controller is being installed in a cabinet or control panel, be sure to provide proper ambient conditions as well as access for operation and maintenance.

• Temperature Control

The ambient temperature within the NX-series Controller must be within the operating range of 0 to 55°C. When necessary, take the following steps to maintain the proper temperature.

• Provide enough space for good air flow.

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4-3-1 Installation in a Control Panel

- Do not install the Controller directly above equipment that generates a large amount of heat such as heaters, transformers, or high-capacity resistors.
- If the ambient temperature exceeds 55°C, install a cooling fan or air conditioner.



Accessibility for Operation and Maintenance

- To ensure safe access for operation and maintenance, separate the Controller as much as possible from high-voltage equipment and power machinery.
- It will be easy to operate the Controller if it is mounted at a height of 1.0 to 1.6 m above the floor.

• Improving Noise Resistance

- · Do not mount the Controller in a control panel containing high-voltage equipment.
- Install the Controller at least 200 mm away from power lines.



• Ground the mounting plate between the Controller and the mounting surface.

Controller Orientation

• Each Rack must be mounted in an upright position to provide proper cooling.



· Do not install a Rack in any of the following positions.



Mounting with the DIN Track on the Top



Mounting with the DIN Track Installed Vertically



Installation Method in Control Panels

An NX-series Controller must be mounted inside a control panel on DIN Track.

• Consider the width of wiring ducts, wiring, ventilation, and Unit replacement when determining the space between the CPU Rack and other devices.



Additional Information

A Controller must be mounted on DIN Track. It cannot be mounted with screws.

Wiring Ducts

Whenever possible, route I/O wiring through wiring ducts. Install mounting bracket so that it is easy to fish wire from the I/O Units through the duct. It is handy to have the duct at the same height as the CPU Rack.





Additional Information

If you want to attach or remove the Fan Unit of CPU Unit while the CPU Rack remains mounted on the control panel, ensure at least 50 mm between the tops of CPU Unit and the wiring duct.



Wiring Duct Example





Precautions for Correct Use

Tighten terminal block screws and cable screws to the following torques. Terminal Screws M4: 1.2 N·m M3: 0.5 N·m Cable Connector Screws M2.6: 0.2 N·m

Routing Wiring Ducts

Install the wiring ducts at least 20 mm away from the tops of the Rack and any other objects (e.g., ceiling, wiring ducts, structural supports, devices, etc.) to provide enough space for air circulation and replacement of Units.



4-3-2 Preparations for Installation

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4-3 Mounting Units

4-3-2 Preparations for Installation

We recommend using the following products to install the Unit on a DIN Track.

Name	Model	Manufacturer	Remarks
35-mm DIN Track	PFP-50N	OMRON Corporation	Length: 50 cmMaterial: AluminumSurface treatment: Insulated
	PFP-100N	OMRON Corporation	Length: 100 cmMaterial: AluminumSurface treatment: Insulated
	NS 35/ 7,5 PERF	Phoenix Contact	 Length: 75.5, 95.5, 115.5, or 200 cm Material: Steel Surface treatment: Conductive
	NS 35/ 15 PERF	Phoenix Contact	 Length: 75.5, 95.5, 115.5, or 200 cm Material: Steel Surface treatment: Conductive
End Plate	PFP-M	OMRON Corporation	Two End Plates are required for each CPU Rack.
	CLIPFIX 35	Phoenix Contact	Two End Plates are required for each CPU Rack.

DIN Track model	PFP-M (OMRON)	CLIPFIX 35 (Phoenix Contact)
PFP-50N	Possible.	Possible.
PFP-100N	Possible.	Possible.
NS 35/ 7,5 PERF	Possible.	Possible.
NS 35/ 15 PERF	Not possible.	Possible.

Not all of the combinations of the DIN Tracks and End Plates listed above are possible. Confirm applicability of the combinations in the following table.

Also, use screws and washers of the following sizes to fix the DIN Tracks.

(a): Dimensions from the screw head to the fastening surface

DIN Track model	Applicable screw size	(a)	(a)
PFP-50N	M4	4.1 mm max.	
NS 35/ 7,5 PERF	M6	4.6 mm max.	
NS 35/ 15 PERF	M6	10 mm max.	لاہم

If you use any DIN Track other than those listed in the table above, refer to the dimensions shown in *4-3-8 Assembled Appearance and Dimensions* on page 4-26 and use proper screws and washers.

• DIN Tracks

PFP-100N/50N DIN Track



NS 35/7,5 PERF



NS 35/ 15 PERF



• End Plate

PFP-M (Two)



CLIPFIX 35 (Two)



4-3-3 Installing the CPU Module

This section describes how to install the CPU Module.



Precautions for Safe Use

- Do not apply labels or tape to the Unit. When the Unit is installed or removed, adhesive or scraps may adhere to the pins in the NX bus connector, which may result in malfunctions.
- Do not touch the pins in the NX bus connector on the Unit. Dirt may adhere to the pins in the NX bus connector, which may result in malfunctions.



• Do not write on the CPU Unit with ink within the restricted region that is shown in the following figure. Also do not get this area dirty. When the Unit is installed or removed, ink or dirt may adhere to the pins in the NX bus connector, which may result in malfunctions in the Unit.





Precautions for Correct Use

- When you install the Unit, be careful not to touch or bump the pins in the NX bus connector.
- When you handle the Unit, be careful not to apply stress to the pins in the NX bus connector. If the Unit is installed and the power supply is turned ON when the pins in the NX bus connector are deformed, contact failure may cause malfunctions.
- 1 Install the DIN Track.
 - Using a PFP-50N/100N DIN Track
 - Use one M4 screw for each three holes in the DIN Track. There must be a screw for each interval of 105 mm or less. The screw tightening torque is 1.2 N⋅m.



Use one screw for each three holes.

Using an NS 35/7,5 PERF or NS 35/15 PERF DIN Track

Use one M6 screw for each four holes in the DIN Track. There must be a screw for each interval of 100 mm or less. The screw tightening torque is $5.2 \text{ N} \cdot \text{m}$.



Use one screw for each four holes.

- 2 Connect the Power Supply Unit and the CPU Unit and lock them with the sliders.
 - 1) Join the Units so that the connectors fit exactly.
 - The yellow sliders one each at the top and bottom of each Unit lock the Units together. Move the sliders toward the back of the Units as shown below until they click into place.


3 Make sure that the DIN Track mounting hooks on each Unit of the CPU Module are in the unlocked position.



If the DIN Track mounting hooks are pulled up, they are in the unlocked position. If the DIN Track mounting hooks are pressed down, they are in the locked position. Use a flat-blade screwdriver to pull up the DIN Track mounting hook on the Unit to release the locked position.

4 Mount the CPU Module on the DIN Track and lock it.

1) Press the CPU Module straight against the DIN Track.



Press the DIN Track mounting hooks down to the locked position.
 After mounting, check to be sure that the CPU Module and the End Cover securely mounted on the DIN Track.



4-3-4 Mounting the End Cover

Use the following procedure to mount the End Cover if you removed it when mounting the Unit or if it is displaced from the CPU Unit.

Precautions for Correct Use

Always mount an End Cover to the end of the CPU Rack to protect the last Unit on the CPU Rack. Not mounting the End Cover may result in malfunction or failure of the CPU Unit.

1 From the front of the CPU Unit, slide the End Cover along the Unit hookup guides on the Unit.



2 Press the End Cover firmly against the DIN Track until you hear it lock into place on the DIN Track.

After you mount the End Cover, check to be sure that it is securely mounted on the DIN Track.

4-3-5 Mounting the End Plates

After you mount the End Cover, always secure the Unit with End Plates at both sides.

Precautions for Correct Use

After you mount the Unit on the DIN Track, always secure it with End Plates at both sides. If you do not secure it, the Unit may be damaged or malfunction.

• Using PFP-M (OMRON)

To mount an End Plate, 1) hook the bottom of it on the bottom of the DIN Track and 2) rotate the End Plate to hook the top of it on the top of the DIN Track.

Then tighten the screw to lock the End Plate in place.



• Using CLIPFIX 35 (Phoenix Contact)

To mount an End Plate, 1) hook the top of it on the top of the DIN Track and 2) rotate the Plate to hook the bottom of it on the bottom of the DIN Track. Press in until you hear the End Plate lock into place.



To remove an End Plate 1) insert the tip of a flat-blade screwdriver into groove "a" and 2) use "b" as a fulcrum and lift the end of the screwdriver, as shown in the following diagram.



Flat-blade screwdriver

4-3-6 Installing and Removing the SD Memory Card

Before Using an SD Memory Card

- Keep the following precautions because an SD Memory Card may become unusable.
 - a) Do not turn OFF the power supply to the Controller while the SD BUSY indicator is lit (i.e., while SD Memory Card access is in progress).
 The SD BUSY indicator is lit when the SD Memory Card is accessed from the user program or from a computer through FTP.
 - b) Do not remove the SD Memory Card while the SD BUSY indicator is lit or the SD PWR indicator is lit (i.e., while SD Memory Card power is supplied).
 Press the SD Memory Card power supply switch and confirm that the SD BUSY indicator or SD PWR indicator is not lit before you remove the SD Memory Card.
- Never insert the SD Memory Card facing the wrong way. If the SD Memory Card is inserted forcibly, it may become unusable.
- To format the SD Memory Card (e.g., to delete all of the data), insert the SD Memory Card in the CPU Unit and perform the operation from the Sysmac Studio.
- The SD Memory Card uses flash memory, and so its service life is limited. When the end of the SD
 Memory Card's service life approaches, the ability to write data is lost, and data is sometimes not
 retained after writing. The service life depends on the size of the data that is written and on the ambient temperature. For the unlikely event that data is lost, it is recommended to periodically back up
 data.

- The service life may be extremely short if a non-OMRON SD Memory Card is used. Also, operation may be affected due to deterioration in writing performance.
- If you use an OMRON SD Memory Card, the end of the life of the SD Memory Card can be detected in the following ways.
 - a) _Card1Deteriorated (SD Memory Card Life Warning Flag) system-defined variable
 - b) SD Memory Card Life Exceeded event in the event log

Version Information

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Combination of the CPU Unit version and SD Memory Card determines whether the SD memory card life expiration detection function can be used or not. Refer to *Specifications of Supported SD Memory Cards, Folders, and Files* in the *NJ/NX-series CPU Unit Software User's Manual (Cat. No. W501)* for details.

Installing the SD Memory Card

- Pull the upper side of the right CPU Unit cover forward and remove from the Unit.
- 2 Insert the SD Memory Card with the label facing to the right. Insert the SD Memory Card with the label facing the right side of the CPU Unit.



3 Push the SD Memory Card securely into the compartment.

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4-3-6 Installing and Removing the SD Memory Card



Removing the SD Memory Card

1 Press the SD Memory Card power supply switch.



2 Press the SD Memory Card after the SD BUSY indicator is no longer lit.



The SD Memory Card will be ejected from the compartment.



3 Pull out the SD Memory Card.



Close the CPU Unit cover when an SD Memory Card is not being used.



4-3-7 **Removing the CPU Module**

This section describes how to remove the CPU Module.



Precautions for Safe Use

- Do not apply labels or tape to the Unit. When the Unit is installed or removed, adhesive or scraps may adhere to the pins in the NX bus connector, which may result in malfunctions.
- Do not touch the pins in the NX bus connector on the Unit. Dirt may adhere to the pins in the NX bus connector, which may result in malfunctions.



• Do not write on a CPU Unit with ink within the restricted region that is shown in the following figure. Also do not get this area dirty. When the Unit is installed or removed, ink or dirt may adhere to the pins in the NX bus connector, which may result in malfunctions in the Unit.



Precautions for Correct Use

When you remove a Unit, be careful not to touch or bump the pins in the NX bus connector.

1 Unlock the DIN Track mounting hook.

Use a flat-blade screwdriver to pull up the DIN Track mounting hook on the CPU Module to unlocked position.

At this point, be sure not to drop the CPU Module.



2 Remove the CPU Module from the DIN Track.

- 1) Press the dropout prevention lock release lever on the front left side of the Power Supply Unit to release the dropout prevention lock.
- 2) Press and hold the release lever, pull the CPU Module straight forward to remove it.



4-3-8 Assembled Appearance and Dimensions



Installation Dimensions

W: Total width of the Power Supply Unit and CPU Unit (the End Cover is included in the CPU Unit width)

• Unit width

Model	Unit width [mm]
NX-PA9001	80
NX-PD7001	51
NX701-17	144

• DIN Track dimension

DIN Track model	(A) DIN Track dimension	(B) Dimension from the back of the Unit to the back of the DIN Track
PFP-100N	7.3 mm	1.5 mm
PFP-50N	7.3 mm	1.5 mm
NS 35/ 7,5 PERF	7.5 mm	1.7 mm
NS 35/ 15 PERF	15 mm	9.2 mm

• End Plate dimension

End Plate model	(C) End Plate dimension	
PFP-M	10 mm	
CLIPFIX 35	9.5 mm	

Installation Height

With a height of 100 mm, the CPU Unit is the highest component in an NX-series CPU Rack. When a cable is connected (such as a Unit communications cable), however, even greater height is required. Allow sufficient depth in the control panel containing the Controller.

The following figure shows the dimensions from the cables connected to the CPU Rack to the back of the Unit. The unit of dimension is millimeter.

The height from the mounting surface of the DIN Track varies depending on the DIN Track to be used. Refer to *Installation Dimensions* on page 4-26 for the height of individual DIN Track type.



*1. This is the dimension from the back of the Unit to the communications cables.
130 mm: When an MPS588-C Connector is used.
155 mm: When an XS6G-T421-1 Connector is used.

4-4 Wiring

 Do not input a voltage or current that exceeds the specified range into a Unit or slave. If a voltage or current that is outside the specified range is input, the Unit or slave may fail or a fire may occur.



- Tighten terminal block screws and cable screws to the torques specified in this manual or in the reference manuals. The loose screws may result in fire or malfunction.
- Do not touch devices while power is supplied or immediately after the power supply is turned OFF. You may be burnt.



Precautions for Safe Use

- Use crimp terminals for wiring.
- · Do not connect bare stranded wires directly to terminals.



Additional Information

Do not allow wire clippings, shavings, or other foreign material to enter any Unit. Otherwise, Unit burning, failure, or malfunction may occur. Cover the Units or take other suitable countermeasures, especially during wiring work.

4-4-1 Power Supply Wiring

AC Power Supply Units

• NX-PA9001 Power Supply Unit



*1. The RUN output is ON when the CPU Unit is in RUN mode and OFF when the CPU Unit is in PROGRAM mode or a Controller error in the major fault level occurs.

AC Power Supply

- Supply 100 to 240 VAC.
- Use the Power Supply Unit of the voltage and frequency shown in the table below.

Model	Power supply voltage	
NX-PA9001	100 to 240 VAC 50/60 Hz (85 to 264 VAC, 47 to 63 Hz)	

• If one power supply phase of the equipment is grounded, connect the grounded phase side to the L2/N terminal.

Isolation Transformer

The Controller's internal noise isolation circuits are sufficient to control typical noise in power supply lines. Noise between the Controller and ground can be significantly reduced by connecting a 1to-1 isolation transformer. Do not ground the secondary coil of the transformer.

• Power Supply Capacity

The power consumption will be 150 VA maximum per Rack for the NX-PA9001. When you select the power supply, consider that inrush current will flow when the power is turned ON. Refer to *3-1-1 Models and Specifications* on page 3-2 for inrush current specifications.

RUN Output

This output is ON when the CPU Unit is operating; it is OFF when the CPU Unit is in PROGRAM mode or a Controller error in the major fault level occurs.

The RUN output can be used to control external systems, such as in an emergency stop circuit that turns OFF the power supply to external systems when the CPU Unit is not operating. (Refer to *4-2 Fail-safe Circuits* on page 4-6 for more information.)

Refer to *NX7-series Power Supply Units* on page 3-11 for switching capacity specifications for contacts.

• Terminal Screws and Crimp Terminals

The terminals on the Power Supply Unit are M4, self-raising terminals with screws.

Use crimp terminals (M4) having the dimensions shown below. Tighten the terminal block screws to the torque of 1.2 N \cdot m.



DC Power Supplies

• Precautions When Using A Non-isolated Power Supply Unit NX-PD7001

When you connect a computer or other peripheral device to a Controller that has a non-isolated DC Power Supply Unit NX-PD7001, either ground the 0-V side of the external power supply or do not ground it at all.

If the peripheral devices are grounded incorrectly, the external power supply may be short-circuited. Never ground the 24-V side of the power supply, as shown in the following figure.



• Wiring for NX-PD7001



*1. The RUN output is ON when the CPU Unit is in RUN mode and OFF when the CPU Unit is in PROGRAM mode or a Controller error in the major fault level occurs.

DC Power Supply

- Supply 24 VDC.
- Use the Power Supply Unit of the voltage shown in the table below.

Model	Power supply voltage	
NX-PD7001	24 VDC (20.4 to 28.8 VDC)	

• Power Supply Capacity

The power consumption will be 85 W maximum per Rack for the NX-PD7001. When you select the power supply, consider that inrush current will flow when the power is turned ON. Refer to *3-1-1 Models and Specifications* on page 3-2 for inrush current specifications. We recommend that you use the OMRON S8JX-series or S8VS-series Power Supplies, all of which have the capacity of 180 W or greater.

RUN Output

This output is ON when the CPU Unit is operating; it is OFF when the CPU Unit is in PROGRAM mode or a Controller error in the major fault level occurs.

The RUN output can be used to control external systems, such as in an emergency stop circuit that turns OFF the power supply to external systems when the CPU Unit is not operating. (Refer to *4-2 Fail-safe Circuits* on page 4-6.)

Refer to *NX7-series Power Supply Units* on page 3-11 for switching capacity specifications for contacts.

Terminal Screws and Crimp Terminals

The terminals on the Power Supply Unit are M4, self-raising terminals with screws.

Use crimp terminals (M4) having the dimensions shown below. Tighten the terminal block screws to the torque of 1.2 N \cdot m.

Crimp Terminals for DC Power Supplies



4-4-2 Grounding

This section describes how to ground the CPU Rack.

Units with Ground Terminals and Type of Ground Terminals

• Power Supply Units

Power Supply Units NX-PA9001 and NX-PD7001



Terminal name	Grounding type	Symbol	Function
LG	Functional Grounding	Ē	Functional grounding is done to protect device and system func- tions, including prevention of noise from external sources, or pre- vention of noise from devices or equipment that could have harmful effects on other devices or equipment.
GR	Protective Grounding		Protective grounding is done to ensure safety. It is intended to pre- vent electrical shock by grounding the electrical potential that is generated by factors such as leakage, induction, or failure.

• Terminal Screws and Crimp Terminals

The terminals on the Power Supply Unit are M4, self-raising terminals with screws.

Use crimp terminals (M4) having the dimensions shown below. Tighten the terminal block screws to the torque of $1.2 \text{ N} \cdot \text{m}$.



DIN Track Contact Plates

A Unit that has a ground terminal also has a DIN Track contact plate on the back of the Unit. The DIN Track contact plate is connected internally to the ground terminal on the Unit. This means that the ground terminal will be electrically connected to the DIN Track.



Connected inside the Unit.



Additional Information

The CPU Unit has no ground terminals, thus no DIN Track Contact Plates. Therefore, the grounding part of the CPU Unit will be grounded through the Power Supply Unit.

Grounding the CPU Rack

This section describes how to ground the ground terminals on the CPU Rack. The protective ground terminals on the Power Supply Units, the functional ground terminals that are

provided on some Units, and the DIN Track are grounded.



- GR terminal is a ground terminal to prevent electrical shock. Always ground the terminal.
- LG terminal is a noise-filtered neutral terminal to increase noise resistance, and it is effective in suppressing power supply common noise. The internal circuit is shown in the following figure. Ground the LG terminal alone or connect the LG terminal with the GR terminal.



- When you ground the LG terminal or connect the LG terminal with the GR terminal, it may cause to enter noise into devices or equipments. In this case, do not ground the LG terminal or connect the LG terminal with the GR terminal.
- Ground the GR and LD terminals with a ground resistance of less than 100 Ω using a 14-gauge wire (minimum cross-sectional area of 2 mm²).
- The ground wire should not be more than 20 m long.
- When wiring an AC Power Supply Unit, if one power supply phase of the equipment is grounded, always connect the grounded phase to the L2/N terminal.



Precautions for Safe Use

If the LG and GR terminals are connected, make sure to connect them firmly. The LG terminal that is a noise-filtered neutral terminal, has a half electrical potential of the input voltage. Therefore, if you touch the metallic part of the LG terminal, GR terminal, or Controller, while the GR terminal is not grounded, it may result in electrical shock even when a normal operation is performed.

When using the DC Power Supply Unit, you can omit grounding the ground terminals.

• If the DIN Track is made of steel and its surface is not insulated.



If the surface of the DIN Track is treated to produce an insulating material (e.g., anodized aluminum), the DIN Track contact plate will not be electrically connected to the DIN Track even if they are in physical contact.

Refer to 4-5-6 Grounding on page 4-43 for details on the grounding of the control panel.

Isolating the CPU Rack from the Control Panel

If the ground wire for a Unit with a ground terminal is shared with power equipment, noise will adversely affect the Units.

You can use OMRON NX-AUX01 DIN Track Insulation Spacers with PFP-50N or PFP-100N DIN Tracks to isolate the CPU Rack from the control panel.

• Installing DIN Track Insulation Spacers and DIN Track

Secure the DIN Track Insulation Spacers to the control panel with screws, and then secure the DIN Track to the DIN Track Insulation Spacers. The recommended tightening torque for M4 screws is 1.2 N·m.



DIN Track Insulation Spacers
 NX-AUX01 (OMRON Corporation)
 Three Spacers are included in one model.



Precautions for Correct Use

If you use DIN Track Insulation Spacers to install a CPU Rack, the height will be increased by approximately 10 mm.

Make sure that the CPU Rack and connecting cables do not come into contact with other devices.

4-4-3 Wiring the Built-in EtherCAT Port

For information on wiring the built-in EtherCAT port, refer to the *NJ/NX-series CPU Unit Built-in EtherCAT Port User's Manual (Cat. No. W505)*.

4-4-4 Wiring the Built-in EtherNet/IP Port

For information on wiring the built-in EtherNet/IP port, refer to the *NJ/NX-series CPU Unit Built-in EtherNet/IP Port User's Manual (Cat. No. W506).*

4-5 Control Panel Installation

To ensure system reliability and safety, the system must be designed and configured according to the installation environment (temperature, humidity, vibration, shock, corrosive gases, overcurrent, noise, etc.).

4-5-1 Temperature

Panels have been reduced in size due to space-saving and miniaturization in devices and systems, and the temperature inside the panel may be at least 10 to 15°C higher than outside the panel. Implement the following measures against overheating at the installation site and in the panel, and allow a sufficient margin for the temperature.

High Temperatures

Use the following cooling methods as required, taking into account the ambient temperature and the amount of heating inside the panel.

Natural Cooling

- Natural cooling relies on natural ventilation through slits in the panel, rather than using cooling devices such as fans or coolers. When using this method, observe the following points.
- Do not install the Controller at the top of the panel, where hot air tends to stagnate.
- To provide ventilation space above and below the Controller, leave sufficient distance from other devices, wiring ducts, etc.
- Do not mount the Units in the wrong direction (e.g., vertically or upside down). Doing so may cause abnormal heating in the Controller.
- Do not install the Controller directly above any heat-generating equipment, such as heaters, transformers, and devices with high resistance.
- Do not install the Controller in a location exposed to direct sunlight.



Natural Cooling

• Forced Ventilation (by Fan at Top of Panel)



Forced Ventilation Method

• Forced Air Circulation (by Fan in Closed Panel)



Forced Air Circulation

Room Cooling (Cooling the Entire Room Where the Control Panel Is Located)



Low Temperatures

The Controller may not start normally if the temperature is below 0°C when the power is turned ON. Maintain an air temperature of at least approximately 5°C inside the panel, by implementing measures such as installing a low-capacity space heater in the panel.

Alternatively, leave the Controller power ON to keep the Controller warm.

4-5-2 Humidity

Rapid temperature changes can cause condensation to occur, resulting in malfunctioning due to shortcircuiting.

When there is a possibility of this occurring, take measures against condensation, such as leaving the Controller power ON at night or installing a heater in the control panel to keep it warmer.



Examples of Measures against Condensation

4-5-3 Vibration and Shock

The Controller is tested for conformity with the sine wave vibration test method (IEC 60068-2-6) and the shock test method (IEC 60068-2-27) of the Environmental Testing for Electrotechnical Products. It is designed so that malfunctioning will not occur within the specifications for vibration and shock. If, however, the Controller is to be used in a location in which it will be directly subjected to regular vibration or shock, then implement the following countermeasures:

• Separate the control panel from the source of the vibration or shock.

Or secure the Controller and the panel with rubber padding to prevent vibration.

- · Make the building or the floor vibration-resistant.
- To prevent shock when other devices in the panel such as electromagnetic contactors operate, secure either the source of the shock or the Controller with rubber padding.

4-5-4 Atmosphere

Using the Controller in any of the following locations can cause defective contact with connectors and corrosion of components. Implement countermeasures such as purging the air as required.

- In locations exposed to dust, dirt, salt, metal powder, soot, or organic solvents, use a panel with an airtight structure. Be careful of temperature increases inside the panel.
- In locations exposed to corrosive gas, purge the air inside the panel to clear the gas and then pressurize the inside of the panel to prevent gas from entering from outside.
- In locations where flammable gas is present, either use an explosion-protected construction or do not use the Controller.

4-5-5 Electrical Environment

When installing or wiring devices, make sure that there will be no danger to people and that noise will not interfere with electrical signals.

Controller Installation Location

Install the Controller as far away as possible from high-voltage (600 V or higher) and power devices to ensure safe operation and maintenance.



Examples of Equipment Arrangement in Panel with High-voltage Devices

Arrangement of Controller and Units

The coils and contacts in electromagnetic contacts and relays in an external circuit are sources of noise. Do not install them close to the Controller. Locate them at least 100 mm away from the Controller. ler.



Example of Arrangement in Panel

Wire Layout for the Power Supply System

Observe the following points when wiring the power supply system.

• Separate the Controller power supply from the I/O device power supply and install a noise filter near the Controller power supply feed section.

- Use an isolating transformer to significantly reduce noise between the Controller and the ground. Install the isolating transformer between the Controller power supply and the noise filter, and do not ground the secondary coil of the transformer.
- Keep the wiring between the transformer and the Controller as short as possible, twist the wires well, and keep the wiring separate from high-voltage and power lines.



Wiring External I/O Signal Lines

Observe the following points when wiring external I/O signal lines.

 To absorb reverse electromotive force when an inductive load is connected to an output signal, connect a surge suppressor near the inductive load in an AC circuit, or connect a diode near the inductive load in a DC circuit.



• Never bundle output signal lines with high-voltage or power lines, and do not route them in close proximity or parallel to such lines.

If output signal lines must be routed in close proximity to such lines, place them in separate ducts or conduits. Be sure to ground the ducts or conduits.



- If the signal lines and power lines cannot be routed in separate ducts, use shielded cable. Connect the shield to the ground terminal at the Controller, and leave it unconnected at the input device.
- Wire the lines so that common impedance does not occur.
 Such wiring will increase the number of wires, so use common return circuits.
 Use thick wires with sufficient allowance for the return circuits, and bundle them with lines of the same signal level.
- · For long I/O lines, wire the input and output signal lines separately.
- Use twisted-pair wires for pilot lamps (and particularly lamps with filaments).
- Use countermeasures, such as CR surge absorbers and diodes, for input device and output load device noise sources, as required.

External Wiring

Wiring, and noise countermeasures in particular, are based on experience, and it is necessary to closely manage wiring based on experience and information in the manuals.

• Wiring Routes

Each of the following combinations includes different signal types, properties, or levels. They will cause the signal-to-noise ratio to drop due to factors such as electrical induction. As a general rule when wiring, either use separate cables or separate wiring routes for these items. Future maintenance operations and changes to the system will also be made easier by carefully organizing the wiring from the start.

- Power lines and signal lines
- Input signals and output signals
- · Analog signals and digital signals
- High-level signals and low-level signals
- · Communications lines and power lines
- DC signals and AC signals
- High-frequency devices (such as Inverters) and signal lines (communications)

• Wiring

Observe the following points when wiring power supply and signal cables.

- When routing signal cables with differing characteristics through the same duct, always keep them separated.
- As much as possible, avoid routing multiple power supply lines through the same duct. If it cannot be avoided, then construct a partition between them in the duct and ground the partition.



Partitioning Methods for Signal and Power Supply Cables

• To avoid overheating the conduits when using conduits for wiring, do not place wires for a single circuit in separate conduits.



- Power cables and signal cables adversely affect each other. Do not wire them in parallel.
- Noise induction may occur if the Controller is installed in a panel that includes high-voltage devices. Wire and install them as far apart as possible. (Refer to *Controller Installation Location* on page 4-38.)
- Either install the Controller a minimum of 200 mm away from high-voltage lines or power lines, or place the high-voltage lines or power lines in metal tubing and completely ground the metal tubing to 100 Ω or less.





Other Precautions

• Basic I/O Units have both plus and minus commons, so pay attention to the polarity when wiring.

4-5-6 Grounding

This section describes the earthing methods and precautions. Refer to *4-4-2 Grounding* on page 4-31 for details on the grounding of the Controller.

Considerations for Earthing Methods

Local potential fluctuations due to lightning or noise occurred by power devices will cause potential fluctuations between ground terminals of devices. This potential fluctuation may result in device malfunction or damage. To prevent this, it is necessary to suppress the occurrence of a difference in electrical potential between ground terminals of devices. You need to consider the earthing methods to achieve this objective.

	Earthing methods				
	Star		arthing		
Specification of communications cables for EtherCAT and EtherNet/IP	Equipoten- tial bonding system	Connecting devices and noise sour- ces to sepa- rate earth electrodes	levices and noise sour- ces to sepa- rate earth earth elec-		
The cable shield connected to the connector	Recommend-	Recommend-	Not recom-	Not recom-	
hood at both ends of the communications ca-	ed	ed	mended	mended	
ble ^{*1}					
The cable shield connected to the connector hood at only one end of the communications cable ^{*2}	Recommend- ed	Recommend- ed	Not recom- mended	Not recom- mended	
Neither EtherCAT nor EtherNet/IP used	Recommend- ed	Recommend- ed	Not recom- mended	Not recom- mended	

*1. Use this cable when using EtherCAT or when using EtherNet/IP with 1000BASE-T.

*2. You can use either of cables when not using EtherCAT or when using EtherNet/IP with 100BASE-TX or 10BASE-T.



Additional Information

- In a country or region where the earthing method is regulated, you must comply with the regulations. Refer to the applicable local and national ordinances of the place where you install the system, or other international laws and regulations.
- For details on wiring EtherCAT or EtherNet/IP, refer to the *NJ/NX-series CPU Unit Built-in EtherCAT Port User's Manual (Cat. No. W505)* or the *NJ/NX-series CPU Unit Built-in EtherNet/IP Port User's Manual (Cat. No. W506)*.
- Ethernet switches are used with the EtherNet/IP. For information on the environmental resistance of the Ethernet switch to use, the grounding between Ethernet switches, or the specifications of cables, ask the Ethernet switch manufacturer.

Each of these earthing methods is given below.

• Equipotential Bonding System

Equipotential bonding is an earthing method in which steel frames and building structures, metal ducts and pipes, and metal structures in floors are connected together and make connections to the earth trunk line to achieve a uniform potential everywhere across the entire building. We recommend this earthing method.

The following figure shows an example of an equipotential bonding system.

Connect the main earthing terminal and building structures together with equipotential bonding conductors and embed the mesh ground line in each floor.

Connect the ground line of each control panel to the equipotential bonding system.



• Star Earthing

If the earthing method used for the building is not equipotential bonding or the earthing system is unknown, choose a) from among the earthing methods given below.

a. Connecting devices and noise sources to separate earth electrodes

This is an earthing method to separately ground an earth electrode of the device that is connected with a communications cable or other devices and an earth electrode of a high-power device that could be a noise source, such as a motor or inverter. Each earth electrode must be ground to 100 Ω or less.

Connect the ground lines of the device that is connected with a communications cable and other devices as a bundle to a single earth electrode. Be sure that the earth electrode is separated by a minimum of 10 m from any other earth electrode of a device that could be a noise source.



b. Connecting devices and noise sources to a common earth electrode
This is an earthing method to connect the device that is connected with a communications cable, other devices, and a device that could be a noise source, to a common earth electrode.
This earthing method is not recommended because the device that could be a noise source may interfere electromagnetically with other devices.



Daisy Chain

This is an earthing method to connect the device that is connected with a communications cable, other devices, and a device that could be a noise source using a daisy-chain topology to a common earth electrode.

This earthing method is not recommended because the device that could be a noise source may interfere electromagnetically with other devices.



Precautions for Grounding

- To prevent electrical shock, do not connect devices to ground poles (or steel frames) with nonequalized potential to which multiple devices are connected.
- Use a ground pole as close to the Controller as possible and keep the ground line as short as possible.
- If the same ground is used for both the signal lines and the enclosure, isolate the channel base (a grounded metal plate inside a control panel) with an insulating material.

Refer to *Isolating the CPU Rack from the Control Panel* on page 4-34 for how to isolate the NX-series Controllers.



Example: Insulating and Grounding an Enclosure

- If high-frequency equipment is present, then ground not only the high-frequency equipment but also the panel itself in which the Controller is housed.
- As shown in the following diagram, when using shielded cable for I/O wiring, connect the shield near the Controller to the enclosure ground terminal.

Follow the instructions in the Communications Unit manual for preparing shielded communications cable.



Shielded Cable Ground

5

Troubleshooting

This section describes the overview of the methods for checking errors.

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5-1 Overview of Troubleshooting

You manage all of the errors that occur on the NJ/NX-series Controller as events.

This allows you to see what errors have occurred and find corrections for them with the same methods for the entire range of errors that is managed (i.e., CPU Unit, NX Units, NX-series Slave Terminals,

EtherCAT slaves,^{*1} and CJ-series Units).

*1. Only Sysmac devices are supported.



You can use the troubleshooting functions of the Sysmac Studio or the Troubleshooter on an HMI to quickly check for errors that have occurred and find corrections for them.

Refer to the *NJ/NX-series Troubleshooting Manual (Cat. No. W503)* for error types and details, specific corrections when errors occur, and troubleshooting information on the entire NJ/NX-series Controllers.

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Inspection and Maintenance

This section describes the required inspections and maintenance for the NX-series NX701 CPU Unit. It also describes the service lives and replacement procedures for the Battery and Power Supply Units.

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6-1 Cleaning and Maintenance

This section describes daily maintenance and the cleaning and inspection methods. Inspect the NX-series CPU Unit daily or periodically in order to keep it in optimal operating condition.

6-1-1 Cleaning

Perform the following cleaning procedures periodically to ensure the NX-series CPU Unit is maintained in the best operating condition. Always turn OFF the power supply to the Controller before performing the cleaning procedures.

- Wipe off the dust or dirt on the front, top or bottom of the Unit over with a dry, soft cloth when doing daily cleaning.
- If dust or dirt remains even after wiping with a soft, dry cloth, wipe over with a cloth that has been wet with a sufficiently diluted detergent (2%) and wrung dry.
- Perform the following procedure when you clean a Fan Unit used in a dusty environment.
 - a) Remove the Fan Unit, and clean it with a dry, soft cloth. Do not blow the fan blade strongly with tools such as a gas duster. Doing so may cause a Fan Unit failure.
 - b) Remove the dust on the heatsink inside the CPU Unit with tools such as an antistatic gas duster. Do not touch the inside of the CPU Unit.
- A smudge may remain on the Unit from gum, vinyl, or tape that was left on for a long time. Remove the smudge when cleaning.

Precautions for Safe Use

• Always turn OFF the power supply to the Controller before attaching or removing the Fan Unit.

The Power Supply Unit may continue to supply power to the rest of the Controller for a few seconds after the power supply turns OFF. The PWR indicator is lit during this time. Confirm that the PWR indicator is not lit before you perform any of the above.

• Do not touch the heatsink inside the CPU Unit immediately after turning OFF the power supply.

Doing so may result in burn injury.



Precautions for Correct Use

- Never use volatile solvents, such as paint thinner, benzene, or chemical wipes.
- · Do not touch the connectors.

6-1-2 Periodic Inspections

Although the major components in NX-series Controllers have an extremely long life time, they can deteriorate under improper environmental conditions. Periodic inspections are thus required to ensure that the required conditions are being kept.

Inspection is recommended at least once every six months to a year, but more frequent inspections may be necessary depending on the severe environments.

Take immediate steps to correct the situation if any of the conditions in the following table are not met.

No.	Inspec- tion item	Inspection details	Criteria	Correction
1	External power supply	Check for voltage fluctua- tions at the power supply ter- minals.	The voltage must be within the allowable voltage fluctua- tion range.	Use a voltage tester to check the power supply at the terminals. Take necessary steps to bring voltage of the supplied power to within the allowable voltage fluc- tuation range.
2	I/O power supply	Check for voltage fluctua- tions at the I/O terminals.	Voltages must be within specifi- cations for each Unit.	Use a voltage tester to check the I/O pow- er supply at the terminals. Take necessary steps to bring voltage fluctuations within limits.
3	Ambient environ- ment	Check the ambient tempera- ture. (Inside the control panel if the Controller is in a control panel.)	0 to 55°C	Use a thermometer to check the tempera- ture and ensure that the ambient temper- ature remains within the allowed range of 0 to 55°C.
		Check the ambient humidity. (Inside the control panel if the Controller is in a control panel.)	Relative humidi- ty must be 10% to 95% with no condensation.	Use a hygrometer to check the humidity and ensure that the ambient operating hu- midity remains between 10% and 95%. Make sure that condensation does not oc- cur due to rapid changes in temperature.
		Check that the Controller is not in direct sunlight.	Not in direct sunlight	Protect the Controller if necessary.
		Check for accumulation of dirt, dust, salt, metal powder, etc.	No accumulation	Clean and protect the Controller if neces- sary.
		Check for water, oil, or chem- ical sprays hitting the Con- troller.	No spray	Clean and protect the Controller if neces- sary.
		Check for corrosive or flam- mable gases in the area of the Controller.	No corrosive or flammable gas-	Check by smell or use a gas sensor.
		Check the level of vibration or shock.	Vibration resist- ance and shock resistance must be within specifi- cations.	Install cushioning or shock absorbing equipment if necessary.
		Check for noise sources near the Controller.	No significant noise sources	Either separate the Controller and noise source or protect the Controller.

Periodic Inspection Items

No.	Inspec- tion item	Inspection details	Criteria	Correction
4	Installa- tion and wiring	Check that each Unit is con- nected and locked to the next Unit securely.	No looseness	Press the connectors together completely and lock them with the sliders.
		Check that cable connectors are fully inserted and locked.	No looseness	Correct any improperly installed connec- tors.
		Check for loose screws in external wiring.	No looseness	Tighten loose screws with a Phillips-head screwdriver.
		Check crimp connectors in external wiring.	Adequate spac- ing between connectors	Check visually and adjust if necessary.
		Check for damaged external wiring cables.	No visible dam- age	Check visually and replace cables if nec- essary.
5	User- servicea- ble parts	Battery Set CJ1W-BAT01 Check whether the battery has reached its service life.	Service life ex- pectancy is 5 years at 25°C. Depending on model and ambi- ent temperature.	Replace the battery when its service life has passed even if a battery error has not occurred. (Battery life depends upon the model, and ambient conditions.) Refer to <i>6-2-1 Battery Replacement</i> on page 6-6 for the service life of individual model.
		Check whether the NX- FAN01 Fan Unit has reached its service life, or whether it is rotated during power sup- ply.	Service life ex- pectancy is 10 years at 55 °C.	Replace the Fan Unit when its service life has passed even if the fan speed has not decreased. Refer to 6-3-3 Fan Unit Used for Replacement on page 6-12 for the service life, and 6-3-4 Procedure of Fan Unit Replacement on page 6-13 for how to replace the Fan Unit.

Tools Required for Inspections

Required Tools

- Flat-blade screwdriver
- Phillips screwdriver
- Voltage tester or digital voltmeter
- Industrial alcohol and pure cotton cloth
- · Antistatic gas duster

• Tools Required Occasionally

- Oscilloscope
- Thermometer and hygrometer

6-1-3 Unit Replacement Precautions

Check the following after replacing any faulty Unit.

- Do not replace a Unit until the power is turned OFF.
- Check the new Unit to make sure that there are no errors.
- If you return a faulty Unit for repair, describe the problem in as much detail as possible, enclose this description with the Unit before returning it.
• For poor contact, take a clean cotton cloth, soak the cloth in industrial alcohol, and carefully wipe the contacts clean. Be sure to remove any lint prior to remounting the Unit.



Precautions for Correct Use

- Make sure that the required data, including the user program, settings and variables transferred to a CPU Unit that was replaced and to externally connected devices before restarting operation. Be sure to include the tag data link settings and routing tables, which are stored in the CPU Unit.
- The *absolute encoder home offsets* are backed up with a Battery in the CPU Unit as absolute encoder information. When you change the combination of the CPU Unit and Servomotor, e.g., when you add or replace a Servomotor, define the absolute encoder home again.
- If you replace a slave or Unit, refer to operation manual for the slave or Unit for information on the data required for individual slaves or Units and redo the necessary settings.

6-2 Replacing the Battery

The Battery in the NX-series CPU Unit must be replaced periodically as preventative maintenance. (The Battery is a backup power supply for the CPU Unit's internal clock and the variables that are retained during power interruptions.) This section describes how to replace the Battery.

6-2-1 Battery Replacement

Purpose of the Battery

The Battery maintains the CPU Unit internal clock and the variables retained during power interruptions while the main power supply is OFF.

If the Battery is not installed or Battery voltage drops too low, the internal clock will stop and the variables that are retained for power interruptions will be lost when the main power supply goes OFF.

Battery Service Life and Replacement Period

The service life of a Battery is five years, which varies depending on the CPU Unit model, ambient temperature, and power ON time rate.

Make a plan to replace the Battery so that the service life of the Battery will not exceed the minimum lifetime under the normal product usage condition.

Unit model number	Approx. I	Reference life- time [month] ^{*2}		
	25°C	40°C	55°C	25°C
NX701-□□□	31	17	10	60

The Battery service life when power ON time rate is 0% (i.e., power OFF)

*1. The minimum lifetime we warrant is based on the calculation with the worst case values within the specifications for the parts used in the product.

*2. The lifetime is based on the calculation with test data of the product. This value is used only for reference because deviation for individual model is not considered.

Battery service life (minimum lifetime) of NX701-DDD in relation to power ON time rate and ambient temperature



Unit model number	Power ON time	Battery service life (minimum lifetime) [month]				
Unit model number	rate	25°C	40°C	55°C		
NX701-□□□□	0%	31	17	10		
	25%	40	22	13		
	50%	57	32	18		
	75%	60	55	32		
	100%	60	60	60		



Additional Information

The Battery installed at the time of purchase is only for monitoring purpose to test the battery backup function. The Battery is exhausted depending on the period from factory checking to actual operation, thus it may not satisfy specified battery lifetime.

Low Battery Indicators

If the Controller Setup has been set to detect a low-battery error, the ERROR indicator on the front of the CPU Unit will flash when the battery is nearly discharged.

If the ERROR indicator flashes, connect the Sysmac Studio, and then check the CPU Unit's Battery connection if the Sysmac Studio shows a *Low Battery Voltage*, *Battery-backup Memory Check Error*, or *Real-Time Clock Stopped* event. If the Battery is properly connected, replace the Battery with a new one as soon as possible.

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Once a low-battery error has been detected, it will take 5 days (at an ambient temperature of 25°C) before the battery fails if power has been supplied at least once a day.

Clock data and variables that are retained during power interruptions can be retained by ensuring that the CPU Unit power is not turned OFF until the Battery has been replaced.

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Precautions for Correct Use

The Battery will lose its charge faster at high ambient temperatures.

• Replacement Battery

Use the Battery CJ1W-BAT01 for replacement.

Precautions for Correct Use

Be sure to install a replacement Battery within two years of the production date shown on the Battery label.

Production Date

OMRON CJ1W-BAT01 15-03

Manufactured in March 2015.

Replacement Procedure

Use the following procedure to replace the battery.

Precautions for Safe Use

We recommend replacing the battery with the power OFF to prevent the CPU Unit's sensitive internal components from being damaged by static electricity. The battery can be replaced without turning OFF the power supply. To do so, always touch a grounded piece of metal to discharge static electricity from your body before starting the procedure.

After you replace the Battery, connect the Sysmac Studio and clear the *Low Battery Voltage* event.

Additional Information

UL standards require that batteries be replaced by experienced technicians. Always place an experienced technician in charge of battery replacement.

1 Turn OFF the power supply to the Controller.

If the CPU Unit has not been ON, turn it ON for at least five minutes and then turn it OFF.



Additional Information

If power is not turned ON for at least five minutes before replacing the battery, the capacitor that backs up memory when the Battery is removed will not be fully charged and memory may be lost before the new battery is inserted.

2 Replace the battery.

1) Pull the upper side of the right CPU Unit cover forward and remove from the Unit.



2) Draw out the battery from the battery connector and replace a new battery.



When placing the new battery, hanging battery wires on the protrusion for placing wires will allow for compact storage of wires.



Precautions for Safe Use

- Before you replace the Battery, you must first supply power to the Controller for at least 5 minutes, and then you must complete this procedure within 5 minutes at 25°C after turning OFF the power to the CPU Unit to ensure memory backup. If power is not supplied for at least 5 minutes, the saved data may be lost.
- Never short-circuit the battery terminals; never charge the battery; never disassemble the battery; and never heat or incinerate the battery. Doing any of these may cause the battery to leak, heat, ignite, or rupture.
- Never use a battery that has been dropped on the floor or otherwise subject to shock. It may leak.
- Turn ON the power after replacing the Battery for a CPU Unit that has been unused for a long time. Leaving the CPU Unit unused again without turning ON the power even once after the battery is replaced may result in a shorter battery life.

Additional Information

- The *Low Battery Voltage* event is cleared automatically the next time the Controller is turned ON after replacing the Battery.
- For CPU Units with hardware revision B or later, if there is no battery for more than 5 minutes, it may take about 10 seconds longer to start the Unit at the next startup.

6-2-2 Operation without a Battery

The NX-series CPU Units do not support a battery-free operation function such as CJ-series CPU Units. If a Battery is not connected or the Battery voltage is too low, the following operation occurs.

- A Low Battery Voltage, Battery-backup Memory Check Error, and Real-Time Clock Stopped events are detected.
- The _RetainFail (Power Retention Failure Flag) system-defined variable will be TRUE.

• Retaining or Not Retaining Data in the CPU Unit

Data in the CPU Unit will be retained or not retained as described in the following table according to whether there is a Battery.

	Type of data		Power turned ON	
			No Battery	
User program		Values before powe	Values before power interruption will be	
Controller Configuration	ons and Setup	retained by the built-in non-volatile memory.		
Event log		Values before power interruption will be retained.	Values before power interruption will not be re- tained.	
Clock data		Correct values	Illegal values	
	No Retain attribute	Initial values ^{*1}	Initial values ^{*1}	
Values of variables	Retain attribute	Values before power interruption will be retained.	Initial values ^{*1}	

*1. If the initial value setting is blank, the initial value for the data type is used. For example, the initial value of BOOL data is FALSE and the initial value of integer data is 0. Refer to the *NJ/NX-series CPU Unit Software User's Manual (Cat. No. W501)* for details on the initial values.

6-3 Replacing the Fan Unit

This section describes how to replace the Fan Unit, a part of the NX7-series CPU Unit that allows replacement as preventive maintenance.

6-3-1 Purpose of Attaching the Fan Unit

A CPU that is incorporated in an NX7-series CPU Unit requires forced cooling to maintain its performance. A Fan Unit is used to cool the CPU.

If the Fan Unit is not mounted, or if rotation of the fan stops or the rotation speed decreases due to a failure or other causes, a *Slow Fan error* occurs in the Controller. If you continue the operation without taking measures, a *CPU Unit Overheat error* (a minor fault level Controller error) or a *CPU Unit Overheat error* (a minor fault level Controller error) or a *CPU Unit Overheat (Operation Stopped)* error may occur. The latter will stop operation of the Controller.

6-3-2 Fan Unit Replacement Period

The Fan Unit has a high resistance to wear and a long service life that corresponds to the life of an NX7-series CPU Unit. However, an accidental failure may be caused by entry of foreign particles or other factors.

The NX7-series CPU Units employ a replaceable Fan Unit that allows preventative maintenance.

You need to replace the Fan Unit if the Fan Unit stops or a *Slow Fan* error occurs and operation is not recovered after you remove the obstacle from the Fan Unit.

When you replace the Fan Unit, stop the operation and turn OFF the power supply to the Controller.

6-3-3 Fan Unit Used for Replacement

Use an NX-FAN01 Fan Unit.

The service life of a Fan Unit is 10 years at the ambient temperature of 55°C, and the storage limitation for a Fan Unit that is not energized is 1 year.

Select a Fan Unit which was manufactured less than 10 years ago and has been stored for less than a year without being energized. Perform operation check for the Fan Unit before you use it in normal operation.



Precautions for Correct Use

- Do not use a Fan Unit which was subject to a strong impact, such as dropping on the floor. A damaged bearing may cause a failure.
- Perform periodic cleaning procedures and remove dust from the Fan Unit. The service life of the Fan Unit may be reduced due to dust.

Additional Information

The date of manufacturing can be checked on the side of the Fan Unit. DDMYY gives the lot number, and "M" gives the following meaning. 1 to 9: January to September, X: October, Y: November, Z: December



6-3-4 Procedure of Fan Unit Replacement



Always turn OFF the power supply to the Controller before replacing the Fan Unit. The Power Supply Unit may continue to supply power to the rest of the Controller for a few seconds after the power supply turns OFF. The PWR indicator is lit during this time. Confirm that the PWR indicator is not lit before you perform any of the above.

- **1** Turn OFF the power supply to the Controller.
- **2** Remove the Fan Unit while you push back the lever on top of the CPU Unit using a tool such as a flat-blade screwdriver.





Precautions for Safe Use

Do not touch the heatsink inside the CPU Unit immediately after turning OFF the power supply. Doing so may result in burn injury.

3 Attach the new Fan Unit.

1) Put the locating part of the Fan Unit to the locating part on the back of the CPU Unit.



2) Use the locating part as a supporting point and push the Fan Unit into the CPU Unit.



Make sure that the lever is securely locked and there is no lifting-off of the Fan Unit. The power supply connection for the Fan Unit is established when it is attached to the CPU Unit. Wiring is not required.



Turn ON the power supply to the Controller and check the operation for about a minute. Make sure that the fan does not generate abnormal noise or vibration, and a *Slow Fan* error does not occur.

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Appendices

The appendices provide the general specifications of the NX-series NX701 CPU Unit and Unit dimensions.

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A-1 Specifications

This section gives the specifications of the NX-series CPU Units.

	ltem	NX7-□□□	
Enclosure		Mounted in a panel	
Grounding method		Ground to less than 100 Ω.	
Dimensions (height × depth × width)		100 mm × 100 mm × 132 mm	
Weight		880 g (including the End Cover)	
Current consumption		40 W (including SD Memory Card and End Cover)	
Ambient operating temperature		0 to 55°C	
	Ambient operating humidity	10% to 95% (with no condensation)	
	Atmosphere	Must be free from corrosive gases.	
	Ambient storage temperature	-25 to 70°C (excluding battery and Fan Unit)	
	Altitude	2,000 m max.	
	Pollution degree	2 or less: Meets IEC 61010-2-201.	
	Noise immunity	2 kV on power supply line (Conforms to IEC 61000-4-4.)	
Operating envi-	Overvoltage category	Category II: Meets IEC 61010-2-201.	
ronment	EMC immunity level	Zone B	
	Vibration resistance	Conforms to IEC 60068-2-6. 5 to 8.4 Hz with 3.5-mm amplitude, 8.4 to 150 Hz, ac- celeration of 9.8 m/s ² 100 min each in X, Y, and Z directions (10 sweeps of 10 min each = 100 min total)	
		Gravity acceleration is assumed to be G=9.8m/s ² .	
		Conforms to IEC 60068-2-27.	
	Shock resistance	147 m/s ² , 3 times in X, Y, and Z directions	
		Gravity acceleration is assumed to be G=9.8m/s ² .	
Battery	Life	2.5 years (at 25°C, Power ON time rate 0% (power OFF))	
	Model	CJ1W-BAT01	
	EU Directives	EN61131-2	
Applicable	cULus	Listed UL508 and ANSI/ISA 12.12.01	
standards ^{*1}	Shipbuilding Standards	NK, LR	
	Other than the above.	КС	

*1. Refer to the OMRON website (http://www.ia.omron.com) or consult your OMRON representative for the most recent applicable standards for each model.

A-2 Dimensions

Dimensions of the CPU Units are shown as follows. The unit of dimension is millimeter.



When a cable is connected (such as a communications cable)



*1. This is the dimension from the back of the Unit to the communications cables.
130 mm: When an MPS588-C Connector is used.
155 mm: When an XS6G-T421-1 Connector is used.

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A-3 Version Information

Refer to Version Information for NX-series Controllers in the NJ/NX-series CPU Unit Software User's Manual (Cat. No. W501) for the relationship between the unit versions of NX-series CPU Unit and the Sysmac Studio versions, and for the functions that are supported by each unit version.

A-3-1 Relationship between Hardware Revisions of CPU Units and Sysmac Studio Versions

The following table shows how the hardware revisions of the NX-series CPU Units correspond to Sysmac Studio versions. Use the corresponding version of Sysmac Studio or higher if you use the Simulator in Execution Time Estimation Mode. You cannot select the relevant hardware revision if you use a lower version of the Sysmac Studio.

Model	Hardware revision of CPU Unit	Corresponding version of Sysmac Studio
NX701-□□□□	В	1.50



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