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Chapter 1 INTRODUCTION

THE T640

The T640 is the first in the range of T600 Series controllers. It is a multi-purpose 2- or 4loop controller with a high-speed peer-to-peer communications link and a well-established block-structured database, allowing it to integrate tightly into a Network 6000 distributed control system — where its full versatility and power can be realised. See Figure 1-1. For small yet complex applications, T640's comprehensive front-panel displays and pushbuttons mean that it can also work perfectly well on its own as a totally independent controller.

THE T640 M101 6360 EMULATION

Where the T640 is fitted with an M101 memory module the functionality emulates a 6360/ 6350 process controller and is therefore fixed-function.

The user is recommended to refer to Chapters 2 and 5 in this manual for details of installation and configuration.



Figure 1-1 Network 6000 distributed control system

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Summary of T640-FF's main features

- Internal switch-selectable pre-configured strategy supplied in the T640's memory
- Easy-to-use 'LINfiler' file-handling package available
- Clear front-panel text, numeric, and bargraph displays, and controller pushbuttons
- Front-panel overview of all loops, with detail of one selected loop
- Front-panel monitor/edit access to parameter values, protected by IR security key
- High-speed peer-to-peer communications for easy connection to the LIN via bridge
- Serial port option for Bisync slave interface or MODBUS, or for linking internal serial bus to external fascias and remote I/O
- High-level I/O options
- Removable memory module for quick unit replacement and strategy portability
- IP65 front-panel seal, with instrument access entirely from front of panel
- DC or universal AC mains supply options

What's in this manual

Table 1-1 summarises the contents of the T640-(M101)FF Reference Manual & User Guide in a concise form. Use the Table of Contents at the beginning of the manual for a more detailed breakdown of what's in the individual chapters, and/or the Index at the back to locate particular topics.

| Ch | apter | Topics |
|----|--------------------------------|--|
|] | Introduction | Summary of T640-FF features, packaging, & place in the wider network |
| 2 | Installation & startup | Getting T640 going, from unpacking to power-up |
| 3 | Hands-on tutorial | Practical experience in using the T640 controls, with a real strategy (N/A M101 optior |
| 4 | User interface | Using T640 — front-panel controls & displays explained |
| 5 | M101 6360 emulation | |
| | fixed-function strategy | Details of the 6360 emulation pre-configured control strategy supplied in EEPROM |
| 5 | Changes logfile | How T640 records every change to a loaded database |
| 7 | Inside T640 | Internal hardware, pcbs, and communications |
| 3 | Error conditions & diagnostics | Error displays & diagnostic messages |
|) | Specifications | Hardware & software specs. Resources supported. I/O circuits |
| 10 | Ordering information | How to order T640 with its various options & accessories |

What's not in this manual

Parameterisation tool

In the fixed-function (FF) version of the T640 you do not have to create your own strategies from scratch — you need only adjust certain parameter values in the databases provided, to adapt them to your particular plant control needs. This can be done directly via T640's front panel, and all the information required to do this is given in the present manual. The 'hands-on' tutorial in Chapter 3 also gives you some practice at this.

An alternative way to parameterise fixed-function databases is to use the PC-based *Fixed-Function Parameterisation Tool* (FFPT) supplied in another section of this product manual — section 4. Software and instructions for the FFPT, and also for the file-handling package *LINfiler*, are given there. You will need LINfiler to be able to download/upload databases to/from the T640 via an ALIN link, as well as perform several other useful filing operations.

Full block-structured strategy configuration using LINtools

If you wish to go on to create and configure your own strategies — or simply adapt existing ones — for running in non fixed-function versions of the T640, you will need to refer to the *LIN Product Manual* (Part No. HA 082 375 U999) for details on all the LIN-based function blocks, their parameters and input/output connections. You will need this data to be able to select, interconnect, and parameterise the blocks in your control strategies. How to use the PC-based LINtools database configurator to create and download control strategies and sequences is described in the *T500 LINtools Product Manual* (Part No. HA 082 377 U999).

General information on installing, commissioning and using the LIN is given in Section 2 of the product manual you are now reading, in the *LIN/ALIN Installation & User Guide* (Part No. HA 082 429 U005).

Getting started

The quickest way to get going with the fixed-function version of T640 is to turn directly to Chapter 3 and work through the 'hands-on' tutorial set out there. For this, all you will need is a T640 fitted with an M006 memory module, a power supply, and a piece of wire.

If you are new to the T640, there is no substitute for actual practical experience with the instrument — just reading about it is not the same!

The tutorial will quickly teach you how to navigate around T640's user interface — the front panel — and also introduce you to the simplest of the fixed-function control strategies supplied in the memory module. After that, you will be ready to start customising a selected T640 strategy to suit your plant control needs, based on the detailed information given in Chapter 5, *Fixed function strategies*.

Chapter 2 INSTALLATION & STARTUP

This chapter presents important safety and EMC information and describes how to install, configure, and power up the loop processor.

The main topics covered are:



- Installation
- Connections & wiring
- Hardware configuration
- Binary RS422 configuration
- Modbus RS422/485 configuration
- Software file types
- Control strategies & sequences
- Powerup routine
- Powerup displays.

SAFETY & EMC INFORMATION

Please read this section before installing the processor.

This unit meets the requirements of the European Directives on Safety and EMC. However, it is the responsibility of the installer to ensure the safety and EMC compliance of any particular installation.

Installation requirements for EMC

This unit conforms with the essential protection requirements of the EMC Directive 89/ 336/EEC, amended by 93/68/EEC, by the application of a technical construction file.

This unit satisfies the emissions and immunity standards for industrial environments.

To ensure compliance with the European EMC directive certain installation precautions are necessary as follows:

■ **General guidance.** For general guidance refer to the Eurotherm Process Automation *EMC Installation Guide* (Part No. HG 083 635 U001).

- **Relay outputs.** When using relay or triac outputs it may be necessary to fit a filter suitable for suppressing the conducted emissions. The filter requirements will depend on the type of load. For typical applications we recommend Schaffner FN321 or FN612.
- Use with standard mains socket. If the unit is plugged into a standard power socket, it is likely that compliance to the commercial and light industrial emissions standard is required. In this case to meet the conducted emissions requirement, a suitable mains filter should be installed. We recommend Schaffner types FN321 and FN612.
- **Routing of wires.** To minimise the pickup of electrical noise, the low voltage DC connections and the sensor input wiring should be routed away from high-current power cables. Where it is impractical to do this, use shielded cables with the shield grounded at both ends.

Installation safety requirements

This controller complies with the European Low Voltage Directive 73/23/EEC, amended by 93/68/EEC, by the application of the safety standard EN61010-1:1993/A2:1995.

Personnel

Installation must be carried out only by authorised personnel.

Protective earth connection



NOTE. A *protective* earth terminal (see symbol inset), in contrast to a *functional* earth terminal, is one that is bonded to conductive parts of an equipment for safety purposes and is intended to be connected to an external protective earthing system.

The following safety measures should be observed:

- Before any other power input connection is made, the protective earth terminal shall be connected to an external protective earthing system.
- Whenever it is likely that protection has been impaired, the unit shall be made inoperative. Seek advice from the nearest manufacturer's service centre.
- The mains supply wiring must be terminated in such a way that, should it slip in the cable clamp, the earth wire is the last wire to become disconnected.

WARNING!

Any interruption of the protective conductor inside the unit, or of the external protective earthing system, or disconnection of the protective earth terminal, is likely to make the unit dangerous under some fault conditions. Intentional interruption is prohibited.

Wiring

It is important to connect the controller in accordance with the wiring data given in this handbook. Wiring installations must comply with all local wiring regulation. Any wiring that is 'Hazardous Live' (as defined in EN61010) must be adequately anchored.

Disconnecting device

In order to comply with the requirements of safety standard EN61010, the unit shall have one of the following as a disconnecting device, fitted within easy reach of the operator, and labelled as the disconnecting device for the equipment:

- A switch or circuit breaker complying with the requirements of IEC947-1 and IEC947-3
- A separable coupler that can be disconnected without the use of a tool
- A separable plug, without a locking device, to mate with a socket outlet in the building.

Overcurrent protection

To protect the unit against excessive currents, the AC power supply to the unit and power outputs must be wired through independent external fuses or circuit breakers. A minimum of 0.5mm² or 16awg wire is recommended. Use independent fuses for the instrument supply and each relay output. Suitable fuses are T type, (IEC 127 time-lag type) as follows;

Instrument supply: 85 to 264Vac, 2A, (T).

Relay outputs: 2A (T).

Installation category voltages

The unit should not be wired to a three phase supply with an unearthed star connection. Under fault conditions such a supply could rise above 264Vac with respect to ground and the unit would not be safe.

Voltage transients across the power supply connections, and between the power supply and ground, must not exceed 2.5kV. Where occasional voltage transients over 2.5kV are expected or measured, the power installation to both the instrument supply and load circuits should include transient limiting devices, e.g. using gas discharge tubes and metal oxide varistors.

Conductive pollution

Electrically conductive pollution (e.g. carbon dust, water condensation) must be excluded from the cabinet in which the unit is mounted. To ensure the atmosphere is suitable, install an air filter in the air intake of the cabinet. Where condensation is likely, for example at low temperatures, include a thermostatically controlled heater in the cabinet.

Ventilation

Ensure that the enclosure or cabinet housing the unit provides adequate ventilation/heating to maintain the operating temperature of the unit within the limits indicated in the Specification (see Chapter 9).

Electrostatic discharge handling precautions

Caution

Electrostatic sensitivity. Some circuit boards inside the unit contain electrostatically sensitive components. To avoid damage, before you remove or handle any board ensure that you, the working area, and the board are electrostatically grounded. Handle boards only by their edges and do not touch the connectors.

Safety symbols marked on the unit

Various safety/warning symbols are marked on the unit, which have the following meanings:



Keeping the product safe

To maintain the unit in a safe condition, observe the following instructions.

Misuse of equipment

Note that if the equipment is used in a manner not specified in this handbook or by Eurotherm Process Automation, the protection provided by the equipment may be impaired.

Service and repairs

This unit has no user-serviceable parts. Contact your nearest Eurotherm Process Automation agent for repair.

Cleaning instructions

Use a suitable antistatic vacuum cleaner to keep the unit and all associated air inlets/outlets clear of dust buildup. Wipe the front panel with a damp cloth to keep it clean and the operator legends and displays clearly visible. Mild detergents may be used to remove grease, but do not use abrasive cleaners or aggressive organic solvents.

Safe usage of alkaline manganese batteries

The 12V alkaline manganese batteries used in the T950 security key must be stored in a suitable manner, handled and used correctly, and disposed of safely when spent. Read the information given in the following COSHH statement.

ALKALINE MANGANESE BATTERIES — COSHH STATEMENT

| Product: 12V ALKA | LINE MANG | ANESI | E DIOXIDE CELLS |) |
|---|--|--|--|---------------------------|
| | ™ MN21, Pa | anasor | iic™ RV08, or equi | ivalents |
| Н | AZARDOUS | INGR | EDIENTS | |
| Name | % by weight | | OSHA PEL | ACGIH TLV |
| Potassium hydroxide (KOH) | 8 | | 2mg/m ³ (C) | 2mg/m ³ (C) |
| Manganese dioxide (MnO ₂) | 37 | | 5mg/m ³ (C) | 5mg/m ³ (C) |
| Zinc (Zn) | 15 | | 15mg/m ³ (C) | 10mg/m ³ (C) |
| Carbon (C) | 4 | | 3.5mg/m ³ (C) | 3.5mg/m ³ (C) |
| Steel | 18 | | 10mg/m ³ (C) | 10mg/m ³ (C) |
| Brass | 2 | | 10mg/m ³ (C) | 10mg/m ³ (C) |
| Mercury | none add | ed | 0.05mg/m ³ (C) | 0.05mg/m ³ (C) |
| | PHYSIC | CAL DA | ATA | |
| Property | KOH | | MNO ₂ | Zn |
| Boiling point (°C) | 1320 | | N/A | 907 |
| Vapour pressure (mm Hg) | N/A | ,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,, | N/A | 1mm @ 487°C |
| Vapour density (air=1) | N/A | | N/A | N/A |
| Solubility in water | 50% | | 0% | 0% |
| Specific gravity (water=1) | 2.0 | | 5.0 | 7.14 |
| Melting point (°C) | 360 | | 535 | 420 |
| State & colour | Clear liquid | | Black powder | Grey powder |
| F | IRE AND EX | PLOS | ION DATA | |
| Flash point (method used) | N/A Extinguishing media | | N/A | |
| Flammable limits (LEL & PEL) | N/A | | n de la construcción de la constru La | |
| Special fire-fighting procedures and unusual fire hazards | a large numbe | er of cel | se self-contained brea Is are involved in a fire tic zinc fumes when ex |). |
| | HEALTH H | AZARI | D DATA | |
| NOTE. These compounds and metals are contained in a sealed can. Potential for exposure should not exist unless the battery leaks, is exposed to high temperature, is swallowed, or is mechanically, physically, or electrically abused. | | | | |
| Routes of entry | Inhalation: YE | ES. SI | kin: YES. Ingestion: ` | YES. |
| Acute/chronic health hazards | c health hazards Potassium hydroxide (KOH) is caustic and skin contact can cause burns. Eye contact with KOH may cause permanent eye injury. Potential does not exist for chronic exposure. | | | |
| Carcinogenity | NTP: NO. IA | RC Mor | nograph: NO. OSHA F | Regulated: NO. |
| Signs/symptoms of exposure Skin and eye contact with KOH may cause chemical burns. | | | | |
| Medical conditions generally aggravated by exposureAn acute exposure will not generally aggravate any medical condition. | | | | |
| | | | | continued |

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| Safety |
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| continued | | | | | |
|-------------------------------------|--|--|--|--|--|
| FIRST AID PROCEDURES | | | | | |
| Skin contact | If leakage from a cell contacts the skin, flush immediately with water and cover with dry gauze. | | | | |
| Eye contact | Flush seek n | with copious amounts of water for 15 minutes and nedical assistance. | | | |
| Inhalation of vapour | If vapo | our is inhaled, remove to fresh air. | | | |
| | RE | ACTIVITY DATA | | | |
| Stability | | Stable. | | | |
| Conditions to avoid | | DO NOT heat, disassemble, or recharge. | | | |
| Hazardous decomposition | n or byproducts | When heated, cells may emit caustic vapours of KOH. | | | |
| PRECAUTI | ONS FOR SA | AFE HANDLING, USE, AND DISPOSAL | | | |
| Spill or leak procedures | leaked | skin and eye contact. Do not inhale vapours. Neutralise a material with weak acidic solution (e.g. vinegar), and/or away with copious amounts of water. | | | |
| Waste disposal method | Do no more s cells, r cells n | Dispose of spent batteries in small quantities with normal waste. Do not accumulate, but if unavoidable, quantities of 5 gallons or more should be disposed of in a secure landfill, as should leaking cells, regardless of quantity. Do not incinerate batteries since cells may explode at high temperature. Disposal should be in accordance with all applicable national and local regulations. | | | |
| Handling and storage | latex-r | Avoid mechanical or electrical abuse. Use neoprene, rubber, or latex-nitrile gloves when handling leaking cells. Store at room temperature. | | | |
| Other precautions | equipr batteri systeri | Do not attempt to recharge. Install cells in accordance with equipment instructions. Do not dispose of in fire. Replace all batteries in equipment at the same time. Do not mix battery systems such as alkaline and zinc carbon in the same equipment. Do not carry batteries loose in pocket or bag. | | | |
| | SPECIAL PR | OTECTION INFORMATION | | | |
| Respiratory protection | None under n | ormal conditions. | | | |
| Ventilation | Subsequent t | o a fire, provide as much ventilation as possible. | | | |
| Protective gloves | Use neoprene | e, rubber, or latex-nitrile gloves when handling leaking cells. | | | |
| Eye protection | Wear safety g | plasses when handling leaking cells. | | | |
| Other protective clothing/equipment | None. | | | | |
| AB | ABBREVIATIONS USED IN THIS DOCUMENT | | | | |
| ACGIH | American Council of Governmental Industrial Hygienists | | | | |
| IARC | International Agency for Research on Cancer | | | | |
| OSHA | Occupational Safety and Health Administration (US) | | | | |
| NTP | National Toxicology Program (US) | | | | |
| PEL | Permissible Exposure Limit | | | | |
| TLV | Threshold Limit Values | | | | |

UNPACKING YOUR T640

Unpack the instrument and accessories carefully and inspect the contents for damage. Keep the original packing materials in case re-shipment is required. If there is evidence of shipping damage, please notify Eurotherm Process Automation or the carrier within 72 hours and retain the packaging for inspection by the manufacturer's and/or carrier's representative.

Handling precautions

Caution

Electrostatic sensitivity. Some circuit boards inside the T640 contain electrostatically sensitive components. To avoid damage, before you remove or handle any board ensure that you, the working area, and the board are electrostatically grounded. Handle boards only by their edges and do not touch the connectors.

Package contents

Check the package contents against your order codes, using the labels on the components to help you. Product labelling includes:

- Outer packaging label. Shows the full instrument order code, instrument serial number, hardware build level, and software issue number.
- Antistatic bag label. Shows the full instrument order code, instrument serial number, and hardware build level.
- Sleeve labels. Two labels, one outside and one inside showing the sleeve order code and sales order number.
- Instrument label. One on the instrument, identical to the antistatic bag label.
- Memory module label. One label showing the software issue number.
- Security key label. Shows access, area, and ID code.

INSTALLATION

Dimensions

Figure 2-1 shows the DIN-size aperture needed for panel-mounting the T640. Also shown are the unit's overall dimensions, the mounting clamps, panel section, terminal cover and screw, and the access for cabling.



Figure 2-1 T640 principal dimensions

Panel mounting

Insert the sleeve in the aperture and fit the two clamps as shown in Figure 2-2. To fit a clamp, position it flat on the sleeve, locating the hook in the slot. Slide the clamp away from the panel to engage the hook firmly, and snap the two feet into the two small recesses. Screw the clamp rod in to hold the sleeve lightly in position. Fit the second clamp in the same way. Finally, tighten up both clamps to exert a moderate retaining force. To avoid panel distortion, do not overtighten. The maximum recommended torque is 0.6Nm.



Figure 2-2 Fitting a clamp to the sleeve

Clamp removal

See Figure 2-3. Slacken off the clamp by at least 2mm and insert a screwdriver blade between the feet at the end of the clamp body. Lift the screwdriver handle to lever the clamp towards the panel and disengage it. Do not press downwards — this could cause damage!



Figure 2-3 Removing a clamp from the sleeve

Removing T640 from sleeve

Withdrawing the T640 from its sleeve is done entirely from the front of the mounting panel, without disturbing any of the system wiring.

Caution

Repeated removal/replacement of the T640 under power erodes the connectors. Anti-static precautions must be observed when handling the unit out of its sleeve.

See Figure 2-4. To unlock the T640 insert a small screwdriver blade into the slot in the retaining clip at the bottom of the fascia and slide the clip to the left as far as it will go. Repeat this for the clip at the top of the fascia, but slide it to the right. To withdraw the unit use the extractor tool supplied in the accessory kit (Part No. BD 082253). Hold the tool at an angle of about 45°, insert the hook into the opening under the 'SP-W' pushbutton, then level the tool and pull the unit from the sleeve. Remember to lock both retaining clips after refitting the unit in the sleeve.



Figure 2-4 Withdrawing T640 from the sleeve

CONNECTIONS & WIRING

Electrical connections to the T640 are made via three blocks of customer screw terminals at the rear of the sleeve, protected by a terminal cover. Wiring passes through the opening in the base of the terminal cover. All connections are low current and a 16/0.20 cable size is adequate. The maximum cable size for these terminals is 2.5mm². 'Bootlace' type ferrules are strongly recommended.

Power input. The instrument supply should be fused externally in accordance with local wiring regulations. The mains option accepts 90 - 265 Vac, 45 - 65 Hz, the DC option 19 - 55 Vdc. Power input depends on the application and configuration, and on the I/O cards fitted, but is a nominal maximum of 25VA per T640. Please refer to Chapter 9, *Specifications*, for further details.

Terminal cover removal

See Figure 2-5. With the sleeve upright unscrew the retaining screw and pull the cover away from the cover bracket and cable clamp assembly. To remove the bracket, lift it to free the hooks from the tabs, then withdraw it from the sleeve. Refitting the bracket and cover is the reverse procedure.



Figure 2-5 Removing the terminal cover

Customer terminals

Figure 2-6 shows the customer terminals (example). Other configurations are possible depending on the I/O and power supply ordered. The Figure shows the MAINS option motherboard terminal block with safety cover, and Site 1 I/O and Site 2 I/O terminal blocks. Wire connectors, securing screws, and terminal identification labels are also shown. Connect a good local earth to the M4 screw terminal. *Do not* connect an external earth directly to terminals 1 and 2.

Mains safety cover

This fits over the mains screw terminals to prevent accidental contact with the live screws. To remove the cover loosen the two screws and pull it off. To replace the cover insert its two legs fully into the corresponding terminals and tighten up the screws securely.



Figure 2-6 Customer terminals (example)

Terminal designations

Motherboards

Table 2-1 shows the terminal designations for two motherboard terminal block options, with the ac MAINS option on the left and the DC option on the right of the table.

The uses of these terminals and how they connect to T640's internal circuitry are described in later sections.



*Factory-connected externally

Table 2-1 Customer terminals for AC (left) & DC (right) T640 motherboard options

High-level I/O boards

Table 2-2 shows terminal designations for the high-level I/O board options, fitted in sites 1 (right) and 2 (left). Note that Site 1 terminals are labelled **1A** to **1Z**, and Site 2 terminals are **2A** to **2Z**. Also shown are the software 'function blocks' in the control database that link to each terminal or set of terminals, and the required value of their output/input type parameters. (You are introduced to function blocks in the tutorial in Chapter 3.)

| Terminal (SiteNo=2) | Linked block | Terminal (<i>SiteNo</i> =1) | Linked block |
|---------------------------------|------------------------------|-------------------------------------|---|
| 2A Current output + | AN OUT | 1A Current output + | AN OUT |
| 2B Current output - Channel 3 | OutType = mA | 1B Current output | OutType = mA |
| 2C TX power supply + | | 10 TX power supply + | |
| | | | |
| | | 1D TX power supply – | |
| 2E Analogue input, Channel 1 | AN_IP: InType = Volts | 1E Analogue input, Channel 1 | AN_IP: InType = Volts |
| 2F Analogue input, Channel 2 | AN_IP: InType = Volts | 1F 🔊 Analogue input, Channel 2 | AN_IP: InType = Volts |
| 2G 🔊 Analogue ground | | 1G 🔊 Analogue ground | |
| 2H 🔊 Analogue input, Channel 3 | AN_IP: InType = Volts | 1H 🕥 Analogue input, Channel 3 | AN_IP: InType = Volts |
| 2J 🕥 Analogue input, Channel 4 | AN_IP: InType = Volts | 1J 🕥 Analogue input, Channel 4 | AN_IP: InType = Volts |
| 2K 🕥 Analogue ground | | 1K 🕥 Analogue ground | |
| 2L 🕥 Analogue output, Channel 1 | AN_OUT: Out Type = Volts | 1L 🕥 Analogue output, Channel 1 | AN_OUT: OutType = Volts |
| 2M 🕥 Analogue output, Channel 2 | AN_OUT: Out Type = Volts | 1 M 🕥 Analogue output, Channel 2 | AN_OUT: OutType = Volts |
| 2N 🕥 Analogue ground | | 1N 🚫 Analogue ground | |
| 2P 🕥 Digital input BitO | | 1 P 🕥 Digital input BitO | |
| 2Q 🕥 Digital input Bit1 | | 1Q 🕥 Digital input Bit1 | |
| 2R 🕥 Digital input Bit2 | DG_IN: <i>InType</i> = Volts | 1 R 🕥 Digital input Bit2 | DG_IN: <i>InType</i> = Volts |
| 2S 🕥 Digital input Bit3 | | 1S 🕥 Digital input Bit3 | |
| 2T 🕥 Digital output, BitO | | 1T 🕥 Digital output, BitO | |
| 2U 🕥 Digital output, Bit1 | | 1U 🕥 Digital output, Bit1 | DG_OUT, DGPULS_4 |
| 2V 🕥 Digital output, Bit2 | DG_OUT | 1V 🔊 Digital output, Bit2 | N.B. In DGPULS_4 block, |
| 2W 🕥 Digital output, Bit3 | | 1W 🔊 Digital output, Bit3 | BitO - Bit3 correspond to <i>Chan1 - Chan4</i> , resp. |
| 2X 🕥 (Not connected) | | 1X 🕥 * Pullup: 15V out OR 24V in | |
| 2Y 🕥 Digital ground | | 1Y 🔊 Digital ground | |
| 2Z 🕥 Digital ground | · | 1Z 🔊 Digital ground | |

NB. SiteNo, Channel, & Bit numbers refer to the associated I/O function block's corresponding parameters *Pullup connects internally to digital outputs of both sites

Table 2-2 Customer terminals for high-level I/O options — Site 2 (left) & Site 1 (right)







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T640 zero volts schematic

Figure 2-7 shows schematically T640's internal zero volts and power supply arrangements, and associated customer screw terminals. The power supply units feed the main CPU, I/O board(s), front panel, and RS422/485 power supply unit, via a power supply bus. The GND terminal connects directly to the instrument case, and via wires to terminals 1 and 2, which must not be connected to externally.

I/O zero volts schematic

Figure 2-8 shows the (generalised) I/O zero volts and power supply arrangements, and associated customer screw terminals. The number and designations of terminals associated with the non-isolated analogue inputs and outputs depend on what I/O options are fitted (Table 2-2 shows those currently available). The I/O control circuit communicates via the ISB (Internal Serial Bus). Connect the analogue ground terminal(s) to an external zero volts reference bar as shown.

The number and designations of terminals associated with the non-isolated digital inputs and digital outputs also vary with I/O option. Connect the digital ground(s) to an external zero volts power bar, which should be connected to a clean instrument earth.

Communications zero volts schematic

Figure 2-9 shows the RS422/485 and ALIN comms connections with associated customer screw terminals. The main CPU is opto-isolated from the RS422/485 transmit/receive terminals. Factory-set jumpers (J4, J5, and others not shown) configure the motherboard for RS422, RS485, or external ISB (Internal Serial Bus) operation. See next section.

NOTE. The ALIN cable screen and the RS422/485 cable screen should each be grounded at one point only.



Figure 2-9 T640 communications zero volts schematic

HARDWARE CONFIGURATION

Internal layout

Figure 2-10 shows T640's internal layout (example). The motherboard is the main electronics board on which all I/O board options are mounted. It carries two configuration DIL switchbanks 1 and 2, and the memory module in its socket. The figure shows an I/O board in Site 1, and an expansion-type I/O board in Site 2. Other I/O options and arrangements are possible, depending what was ordered.

Memory module removal

See Figure 2-10. Use a screwdriver blade to slide the retaining clip towards the front panel as far as it will go, then pull the module out of its socket. Replacement is the reverse procedure.

Caution

The module can be pushed fully home only if it is the right way round. Check this before applying excessive force, which can damage the pins.



Figure 2-10 T640 internal layout (example)
Main fuse

See Figure 2-11. The motherboard carries the T640 main fuseholder. The fuse is a 20×5 mm 250Vac antisurge cartridge fuse rated at 500mA (AC option), or 2A (DC option). Unscrew the fuse cap anticlockwise to remove.



Figure 2-11 T640 motherboard showing fuse & jumper locations

Switchbank 1

Figure 2-12 shows the location and functions of the eight switches in DIL switchbank 1.



Figure 2-12 SW1 location and functions

Switches 1 and 2, together with four jumper links, configure the type of communications used by the T640 via its serial port. See Table 2-3 below in the section *Serial communications jumper links & switches*. These switches and links are set at the factory according to the comms option ordered and should generally be left as supplied.

- Switches 3 and 4 configure the way the T640 powers up, and are usually both set to ON for normal operation. T640's power-up routine is explained in detail later in the section *Power-up routine*.
- Switch 5, when set to ON, causes the watchdog relay contacts customer terminals 16 & 17 to open if a loop (user task) stops running or if the database halts. This function is in addition to the relay's normal actions, i.e. CPU failure watchdog (closed = healthy, open = failure), and user alarm (via the T600 block's *UsrAlm* field). With switch 5 OFF, the relay does not respond to loop or database halts.
- Switches 6, 7, and 8 select the number of a preconfigured fixed-function strategy to be loaded to RAM and if possible run in the T640. The strategy selected is the sum of the 'values' of the three switches (OFF = 0, ON = 'value' as shown in Figure 2-12). E.g. strategy #3 has been selected in the figure. Setting these three switches all OFF prevents any standard strategy being loaded. Running standard strategies is explained in Chapter 5, *Fixed function strategies*.

Switchbank 2

Figure 2-13 shows the ALIN address DIL switchbank 2, and an example setup (7A hex).



Figure 2-13 SW2 — ALIN address setup (example)

This bank of switches is used to set up the address of the T640 on the ALIN. Figure 2-13 shows how to set them up and read them, using the hexadecimal address **7A** as an example. Note that switch 1 is the least significant bit, and switch 8 the most significant, i.e. they are in 'reverse order'. Note also that addresses 00 and FF must not be used.

Serial communications jumper links & switches

Four jumper links (J2, J4, J5, and J6), together with switches 1 and 2 of Switchbank 1, are factory-set to configure the motherboard according to what serial comms option was ordered. You can check that these are set as required — the jumpers and switches are located on the motherboard where shown in Figure 2-11. Table 2-3 shows the switch settings and jumper links for the five possible comms options.

| Required | DILs | witch | L | umpei | r links | |
|-----------------------|------------|-------|------------|-------|---------|-----|
| comms option | SW1/1 | SW1/2 | J2 | J4 | J5 | J6 |
| Binary RS422 | OFF | OFF | Not fitted | 2-3 | 2-3 | 2-3 |
| Modbus RS422 | ON | OFF | Not fitted | 2-3 | 2-3 | 2-3 |
| Modbus RS485 | ON | OFF | 1-2 | 2-3 | 2-3 | 2-3 |
| External ISB (RS422)* | Don't care | ON | Not fitted | 1-2 | 1-2 | 1-2 |
| External ISB (RS485)* | Don't care | ON | 1-2 | 1-2 | 1-2 | 1-2 |

*Not implemented at current issue

Table 2-3 Comms option switch & jumper link settings

BINARY RS422 CONFIGURATION

Table 2-3 shows the hardware settings required for communication via an RS422 serial link using binary (BISYNC) protocol.

Each T640 fixed-function strategy database has an S6000 category function block running in it, allowing it to emulate a TCS System 6000 instrument, or to be supervised by a T1000 or other suitable instrument over the serial link. Addresses (instrument numbers, 0-127) are allocated via the S6000 block's *Instr_No* parameter, and baud rates via the T600 header block's *BinSpd1* and *BinSpd2* parameters.

Chapter 5, Fixed function strategies, explains how to set up these parameters.

MODBUS RS422/485 CONFIGURATION

To configure the hardware for MODBUS comms, set up the motherboard switches and jumper links as shown in Table 2-3. Note that jumper link J2 determines the medium used — RS422 or RS485.

A MODBUS configuration — 'gateway file' — must be created and downloaded to the T640 to run alongside the regular LIN control database. This gateway file (.GWF filename extension) defines the communication between the LIN database (.DBF file) and

the MODBUS device(s) connected to the T640 via the serial link. The MODBUS configuration also specifies slave/master status, slave address, comms data rate and parity/stop bits.

Using the LINtools MODBUS configurator is fully described in the *T500 LINtools Product Manual* (Part No. HA 082 377 U999), together with general information on MOD-BUS.

SOFTWARE FILE TYPES

Table 2-4 lists the different file types that are found in the T640's EEPROM and EPROM (ROM) memory areas, that you may see via the LINfiler package. Some of these files are supplied already installed — those marked with * in the table. Others appear automatically when you use the instrument, or may be downloaded from a PC. EEPROM and ROM reside in a removable memory module, which allows a new strategy to be plugged directly into an existing controller, or conversely allows a strategy to remain if the controller must be changed. (Accessing and replacing the memory module was described earlier in this chapter, in the section *Hardware configuration*. T640's internal architecture is described in Chapter 7, *Inside T640*.) Further details on these files are given in the relevant sections of this manual.

| Filename | Extension | File type |
|---------------------------------|-----------|---|
| Control strategy name | .DBF | Control strategy database (parameters, connections, etc.) |
| Control strategy name | .RUN | T640 coldstart filename (i.e. last database run) |
| Control strategy name | .GWF | MODBUS configuration file ('GateWay File') |
| Sequence name | .SDB | Sequence database |
| System filename | .LIB | *Library of system routines in ROM area |
| Factory-set filename | .FFn | *Fixed-function strategy in compressed format ($n = 1-4$) |
| Control strategy name (current) | .TPD | Tepid data file |
| Control strategy name | .Lnn | Logfile of database changes via the INS pushbutton (nn = 01 - 99) |
| Language name | .LNG | Non-English language front-panel messages |

Table 2-4 T640 file types

POWER-UP ROUTINE

This section outlines what happens when a T640 powers up and how its final state is arrived at. You do not not generally need to understand the power-up process fully to use a T640, but a general conception of what occurs is useful — especially if something goes wrong.

I/O cards

I/O cards power up with their outputs 'killed' (i.e. tri-stated or low, depending on the particular card). The T640 ISB (internal serial bus) starts before the user tasks start, although initially the I/O card outputs are not written to, and hence remain in their killed state.

Database acquisition

The database is acquired in a manner depending on the type of startup:

- If a warm start occurs the database is the one in RAM, provided it is uncorrupted. If it is corrupted, the last-loaded database file (.RUN, stored in EEPROM), overlaid with 'tepid data', is used. Please refer to the section below for more details on tepid data.
- If a cold start occurs the database is loaded from EEPROM
- Otherwise, the database is loaded from one of the standard pre-configured strategies
- If no valid source is found, a null database is created.

Figure 2-14 charts the events that occur when T640 is powered up. Figure 2-15 shows the warm start routine that may be called during power-up, and should be read in conjunction with Figure 2-14. As there is no hardware realtime clock in the T640, it must derive elapsed time since power-down (needed in the warm start routine) from a clock it maintains over the peer-to-peer communications. If this is not possible, power-up follows the alternative route shown in Figure 2-15. After loading, the entire database is subjected to a sumcheck test.

User task startup

Before user tasks ('loops') start, the output blocks execute their power-up defaults, as defined by their *OPTIONS/PwrFlLo* parameters, or in the case of a cold start, as specified by the strategy. This is needed to ensure that the *InitDmnd* value (in the MAN_STAT block) is itself initialised, and causes the real plant outputs to attain their power up states. Output blocks with sumcheck errors do not execute at all; hence their outputs remain 'killed'.

The loops now start executing. The MODE block selects manual mode — if *ManPwrUp* is TRUE — and the manual station initialises the *Demand* parameter.



Figure 2-14 T640 power-up routine

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Tepid data

At the end of each task iteration a package of data is assembled in a .TPD file in RAM, ready to be written to EEPROM should a power-down occur. This data — 'tepid data' — includes each loop's local setpoint (SL), output (OP), and operating mode (MODE). In the event of a power-down, there is enough time for the tepid data in the .TPD file to be transferred rapidly to EEPROM, ready to be used if required during a subsequent warm start routine (see Figure 2-15).

Motherboard DIL switchbanks

DIL switchbank SW1, switches 3 and 4, determine how T640 starts up after a power interruption — as charted in Figures 2-14 and 2-15. For normal T640 operation both switches should be 'ON' to provide full warm start and cold start capability.

The location of SW1 was shown in Figure 2-12, and the functions of switches 3 and 4 briefly summarised. Table 2-5 below provides more detail on the effect of the four possible switch setting combinations.

| Sw 3 | Sw 4 | T640 power-up routine & final state |
|------|------|---|
| OFF | OFF | T640 idle; database not loaded. |
| OFF | ON | Do warm start, i.e. checksum database in memory. If OK, run database from where it stopped. If corrupted, try tepid start, i.e. get .RUN file if possible, overlay tepid data and run database. If tepid start fails, clear memory and idle without running database. |
| ON | OFF | Do cold start, i.e.: count xxx.RUN files. If exactly one exists, try to load and run xxx.DBF. If this fails, or unique xxx.RUN file does not exist, idle without running database. |
| ON | ON | Power interruption < ColdStrt: do warm or tepid start. If this fails, do cold start (as above). Power interruption \geq ColdStrt: do cold start |

POWER-UP DISPLAYS

This section describes the messages normally displayed on T640's front panel during power-up. For full details of all the front-panel displays and controls, refer to Chapter 4, *User interface*. The hands-on tutorial presented in Chapter 3 also familiarises you with the front panel power-up messages.



Figure 2-16 T640 front panel — principal features

Normal power-up

Figure 2-16 shows the principal features of T640's front panel.

A **Power-on Reset** message normally flashes briefly in the red tag display when T640 is powered up, while the front panel awaits communications from the main CPU. Then, **WarmStrt Trying**, **TepidSrt Trying**, or **ColdStrt Trying**, flash to tell you the type of startup procedure T640 is attempting. If a fixed-function strategy is being loaded for the very first time, **Un Pack DataBase** flashes in the tag display as the .FF*n* file is being decompressed. Finally, the fascia adopts the normal display as described in Chapter 4.

Error conditions

A number of error conditions can arise during the power-up process, which are reported on the front-panel displays as messages or error codes. These are described in Chapter 8, *Error conditions & diagnostics*. Please refer there for details.

Chapter 3 HANDS-ON TUTORIAL

This section describes the operation of the T640 (M006) fixed-function controller. If you are using the (M101) 6360 emulation the control strategy is documented in Chapter 5.

AIMS OF THIS TUTORIAL

This tutorial will give you 'hands-on' experience of the T640, and at the same time acquaint you with the simplest of the four in-built 'fixed-function' control strategies supplied in ROM. This is **#1**, a single control loop. The other three fixed-function strategies are all designed around this loop, so what you learn here can be applied to configuring them as well, via T640's front-panel pushbuttons and displays.

Note that in this tutorial the T640 operates as a stand-alone instrument — no network or communications are involved.

Much of the information given here can also be found in other parts of this manual. Refer there if you need more comprehensive information.

HARDWARE REQUIRED FOR THE TUTORIAL

- **T**640 fixed function instrument fitted with the M006 option memory module.
- Short wire link, terminated (ideally) with bootlace ferrules.
- Terminal screwdriver.
- Digital multimeter (optional).
- An appropriate power supply DC: 19-55V (25W), MAINS: 90-265Vac, 45-65Hz.

INSTALLING YOUR T640

If you have not already done so, please refer to Chapter 2, *Installation & startup*, for details on unpacking your T640.

Note that for this tutorial there is no need to panel-mount the instrument — it can simply rest on a bench in its sleeve, with the rear terminal cover removed.

Connecting the power supply

Remove the terminal cover and cable clamp from the rear of the T640 to access the customer terminals. Figure 3-1 shows the cover and clamp.

First determine which option you have — DC or AC mains. You can see this from Figure 3-2 and also from the order code label on the sleeve (the second field is DC or MAINS, respectively).

With the power switched off, wire the power supply to the terminals shown in the figure, according to your option. Do not power up yet!



Figure 3-1 Terminal cover removal



Figure 3-2 Customer terminals — MAINS (left) and DC (right) options

SWITCH SETTINGS

A bank of eight on-board switches must be configured for this tutorial. To access them you have to remove the T640 from its sleeve.

Removing the T640 from its sleeve

Caution

Handling precautions. Some of the circuit boards inside the T640 contain electrostatically sensitive components. To avoid damage, before you remove or handle any board ensure that you, the working area, and the board are electrostatically grounded. Handle boards only by their edges and do not touch the connectors.

See Figure 3-3. To unlock the T640 insert a small screwdriver blade into the slot in the retaining clip at the bottom of the fascia and slide the clip to the left as far as it will go. Repeat this for the clip at the top of the fascia, but slide it to the right. To withdraw the unit use the extractor tool supplied in the accessory kit (Part No. BD 082253). Hold the tool at an angle of about 45°, insert the hook into the opening under the 'SP-W' pushbutton, then level the tool and pull the unit from the sleeve.



Figure 3-3 Removal of T640 from sleeve

Setting the switches

Figure 3-4 shows the location of switchbank 1 (SW1) on the T640 motherboard, and also SW1 in detail. Set the switches as shown. Note that for this tutorial the settings of the switchbank SW2 switches are 'don't care'.

Replace the unit in its sleeve. You are now ready to power up the T640, but before doing this you should be introduced to control strategy #1 - a single control loop.



Figure 3-4 SW1 location and settings

STRATEGY #1 — SINGLE LOOP CONTROLLER

This simple strategy is a single loop controller using one 'I/O site', i.e. the column of terminals labelled 1A to 1Z. Figure 3-5 shows an example P & I (piping and instrumentation) diagram for the strategy, with the T640 connected to a flow-control valve and an orifice-plate flow sensor. The measured flow PV is input to the T640, where a PID (proportional-integral-derivative) calculation compares PV with the setpoint to produce a 3-term control output 3T OUT. This is fed to the valve controlling the flow.

Figure 3-6 shows the same control scheme but highlights very schematically the three main areas of software inside the T640 that are responsible for running the strategy. The 'PV input' software takes in the measured PV as an analogue voltage and applies ranging, conditioning, limiting, and alarms, before passing the signal to the 'PID control' area.

Here, the setpoint and PV are fed into the PID algorithm which calculates a value for the control output needed to be applied to the valve to achieve optimum flow control. Other operations done in the PID control area include ranging, limiting, alarm detection, control mode selection, manual intervention, and application of PID algorithm tuning constants.

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Figure 3-5 Example P & I diagram for strategy #1



Figure 3-6 Main software areas — strategy #1

The last area — 'Control output' — handles output conditioning, ranging, power-up and failure modes.

This tutorial will show you how to access these software areas — via T640's front-panel buttons and displays — and configure their parameters to suit your particular plant control requirements.

POWER-UP

Power-up messages

Switch on the power to the instrument. You may be quick enough to see the message **Power-on** flashing briefly in the red *tag display* at the top of the fascia (see Figure 3-7). Then **ColdStrt Trying** flashes, telling you that T640 is attempting a 'cold startup' of the single loop database (strategy #1). Next, if the strategy is being loaded for the very first time, you will see **Un Pack Database** flashing in the tag display as the strategy #1 file (which you selected via SW1) is being decompressed from storage in ROM. You may also hear the clicking of a relay closing and opening just after these messages.

Finally, the fascia adopts the normal display shown in Figure 3-7.

NOTES. 1) Slightly different power-up messages may appear if someone else has used the T640 before you — e.g. TepidSrt Trying or WarmStrt Trying.
2) If what has just been described fails to happen and you get an error message (e.g. Err 6001), first check that you have set SW1 correctly. If necessary refer to Chapter 8, Error conditions & diagnostics, for further information.



Figure 3-7 T640 front panel — initial power up

The initial display

Refer to Figure 3-7. FIC-001 in the red tag display is the loop's 'tagname', appropriate to a flow controller. Note that you can select an alternative tagname if you wish — see Table 5-5 in Chapter 5 — but 'FIC-001' will do for this tutorial. The green 0.00 appearing in the *units display* — accompanied by the glowing green SP-W legend — shows the loop's setpoint (SP) value. The red 5-digit display shows the current PV value (also 0.00), accompanied by the glowing red PV-X legend.

The two *bargraphs* at the left of the fascia, sharing a 0-100% scale, also display PV and SP as red and green vertical bars, respectively. They presently indicate zero — only the bottom LEDs are lit.

Note the brownish-yellow letter M flashing above the green arrowhead just above the set of pushbuttons, together with the flashing yellow LED in the M (Manual) pushbutton. The brown letter M means that the loop displayed on the fascia is in Manual mode, and its flashing — together with the flashing button yellow LED — means that manual mode selection has been forced by an alarm condition.

Finally, note that the **ALM** (alarm) button shows a steadily-glowing red LED. This draws your attention to the fact that an alarm condition exists somewhere in the instrument.

INVESTIGATING THE ALARM CONDITION

Whenever the **ALM** button LED is lit you can quickly trace the source of the alarm as follows. (Figure 3-8 shows these how the **ALM** button works.)

- 1 Press ALM briefly. The tag display shows LOOP 1, and LOOP appears in the green units display. This tells you that the alarm is in Loop 1.
- 2 Press ALM again. The tag display shows SETP1, and BLOCK appears in the green units display. This localises the alarm condition to a specific area of the control database called a 'function block', the name of the block in this case being 'SETP1'. (Function blocks are explained in more detail below.)
- 3 To see if there are any other Loop 1 blocks in alarm, press the 'raise' ▲ button. The tag display now shows **PV_1**, indicating that a block called 'PV_1' is also in alarm.
- 4 Investigate the PV_1 block's alarm by pressing ALM again. The tag display shows Hardware, with SubFd showing in the units display. This tells you that the particular type of alarm involves the T640 hardware in some way, 'Hardware' being the name of the Alarm 'subfield' within the affected block. (Subfields are explained in the *Function blocks* section below.)
- 5 To see if there are any other alarms in the PV_1 block, press the 'lower' ▼ button. This changes the tag display to OCctdel, which indicates that an open circuit has been detected on the PV input. This is not surprising since you have not connected any-thing to the input terminals other than the power supply! Note that the hardware alarm you just saw is itself due to the open-circuit condition rather than to any other hardware fault, though this would not always be the case.



Figure 3-8 Alarm inspect button functions — ALM

- 6 Press ▼ again. Combined appears in the display. This is the 'combined' or 'common' alarm that is always asserted when any other alarm in a block trips.
- 7 Finally, escape from the 'alarm inspect mode' by briefly pressing any one of the R, A, M, or SP-W buttons. If you do nothing for two minutes a timeout will in any case operate to revert the fascia to its normal display automatically.

WATCHDOG RELAY

The clicking you may have heard when you powered up the T640 was due (in part) to the closing and opening of the *Watchdog relay*. The contacts of this relay are connected to customer terminals 16 and 17. The watchdog relay is normally closed when the T640 is running and its CPU is healthy. It opens on CPU or power failure, but has also been configured to open if an alarm occurs and remains open until the alarm condition has been cleared.

You can check this by connecting a multimeter set to measure resistance across terminals 16 and 17. These will be open circuit, indicating an alarm condition — the hardware alarm in the PV_1 block.

FUNCTION BLOCKS

Blocks

Figure 3-6 (on page 3-5) divided the control database into three broad areas. In fact, each of these areas is further subdivided into pre-defined packages of software, having defined and specialised functions in the running of the control strategy. These are the *function blocks*, or 'blocks' for short. Every block has a tagname for reference, and can perform its own specific task in the strategy, e.g. the block called PV_1 is an *analogue input* block type that takes in analogue signals from the plant, processes them, and passes the results on to other blocks in the strategy via 'wiring' between the blocks.

Other block types perform such tasks as setpoint generation, PID calculation, digital input, analogue output, mathematical and logical operations, and so on.

Fields & subfields

Each block includes a collection of database values — *fields* — some of which are subdivided into *subfields*. Note that in the four fixed-function strategies, all the necessary blocks have been installed and wired together for you — all you need do is set some of the block fields to specific values to tailor the strategy to your own plant requirements.



Figure 3-9 Strategy # 1 schematic

Alarm fields

Alarm conditions are represented in each block by an **Alarms** data field. This field is further divided into subfields, which become TRUE when the corresponding alarm condition arises. It was these subfields that you just inspected via the ALM pushbutton.

Figure 3-9 shows strategy #1 in a little more detail, with some of the blocks named and their block types indicated. Also, some of the customer terminals are shown, where plant can be connected. You will need this information to progress with the tutorial.

Block functions

PV input area

As already stated, **PV__1** is an analogue input block that takes in a voltage signal from the plant (the orifice plate in this example) via terminal 1E. PV__1 ranges the input signal to engineering units, filters, characterises, and conditions it (e.g. applies square-root for an orifice plate signal). PV__1 also checks for alarm conditions including I/O hardware, out-of-range and open-circuit inputs. And as you have just seen, the block detected the fact that its input is in open-circuit.

PID control area

In the PID control area of the database, the **SETP1** (setpoint) block generates a resultant setpoint from the local setpoint you can enter via the front panel, and subjects it (and PV) to ranging, high/low limits, trim, rate limits, and also provides absolute and deviation alarms. The **3TRM1** (3-term) block generates a 3-term control output from PV and SP, and lets you alter the loop's tuning constants. The **MANS1** (manual station) block applies high and low limits to the control output.

Control output area

In the control output area, **OUTP1** is an analogue output block configured to provide an isolated 4-20mA control output to the plant, via T640's hardware. This is available on customer terminals 1A and 1B, as shown in the Figure. Also available — via another analogue output block **OP_1** configured to output volts — is a 0-10V control output on terminal 1L. (Any of terminals 1G, 1K, and 1N provide the analogue ground.) The 0-10V output follows the 4-20mA output. Figure 3-2 showed the I/O customer terminals 1A-1Z.

SIMULATING A FEEDBACK LOOP

Figure 3-9 shows that the 0-10V control output appears on terminal 1L — which could in a real plant be connected to a suitable control valve. The PV input from the orifice plate would be connected to terminal 1E for input to the PV_1 block. You can simulate this control loop by feeding the control output back to the PV input. Do this by simply connecting a wire between terminals 1L and 1E.

Note that within a few moments of connecting the wire the red ALM button light goes out (showing the alarm condition has cleared), the M button's yellow LED stops flashing (meaning that normal 'un-forced' manual mode now operates), and the watchdog relay closes (which you may see on the multimeter if still connected).

If you now press the **ALM** button, the message **NoAlm** appears in the tag display, meaning no detected alarm condition now exists in the instrument.

With the control loop complete, you can now investigate the strategy further.

DISPLAYING & ALTERING THE LOCAL SETPOINT

The resultant setpoint is currently 0.00 units, as shown in the green units display (see Figure 3-7). Alter this to about 50 units as follows:

Press the SP-w button to display the local setpoint (0.00) in the red 5-digit display.
 With SP-w pressed, SetLocal appears in the tag display to remind you what is being displayed. The setpoint's units ('Engl') are shown in the green units display.

2 Keeping SP-w pressed, hold down the ▲ button and watch the local setpoint value increase — slowly at first, then more and more rapidly. Raise it to about 50 units, then release both buttons. The new resultant setpoint shows in the green units display — it should equal the local setpoint you just configured. Also, the green SP vertical bargraph now displays the resultant setpoint in percentage units. (These happen to equal the engineering units, with the default ranges currently configured.)

Note the negative value now displayed by the Loop 1 deviation bargraph — i.e. the red LEDs are lit below the central green zero LED. Full-scale (all 3 segments lit) represents about 10% deviation (PV-SP).

- 3 Try lowering SP again to zero, by pressing SP-w and ▼ together. Note how the green units display shows Limit if you try to reduce SP below zero. This tells you that you have hit a configured low limit of 0.00 on the setpoint value. Similarly, you meet another limit if you try to raise SP above 100.00 units.
- 4 Finally, restore SP to about 50 units.

NOTE. While you have been varying SP, the PV value — as shown by the PV bargraph and the red 5-digit display — has remained at zero. This is because the control loop is still in manual mode and is therefore exerting no control action. Automatic mode will be looked at next.

SELECTING ANOTHER OPERATING MODE

Automatic mode

With SP still at about 50 units, p ress the A button to select automatic mode. Its green LED lights — confirming that auto mode has been adopted — and the M button's yellow LED goes out. As soon as auto is selected the control output begins to rise due to the action of the PID algorithm in the PID control area of the strategy.

NOTE. While A is pressed, **OUTPUT** appears in the tag display and the fascia shows the current control output value and its units (%).

You can see the control output displayed in the horizontal output bargraph, labelled **OUT-**Y. Each of its yellow segments represents about 10% of full range output.

The (simulated) PV value also rises, of course, and shows itself on the red **PV-X** vertical bargraph at the left of the fascia, and also in the 5-digit display. Once the controller has settled down in auto, PV and SP should adopt the same value in this simulation.

The deviation bargraph now shows zero deviation, with just the central green LED lit. The letter A glows in green below the deviation bargraph denoting automatic mode for this loop.

Manual mode

You can press the M button at any time to select manual mode. Note that pressing M also displays the control output value and units. But in manual mode you can alter the output, not just display it.

Try raising the control output to 100% by pressing **M** and at the same time pressing the \blacktriangle button. You will see the PV and deviation bargraphs rise to their maximum indications. 'Limit' appears in the green units display, because PV has reached its configured limit.

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Remote mode

Pressing the **R** button cannot select remote mode in this simple loop simulation. Instead, the **A** button's green LED (and the letter **A** below the deviation bargraph) flashes indicating that 'forced automatic' mode has been adopted. This happens if you try to select remote when it has not been enabled, or if the remote setpoint is invalid. Control action is still exerted in this mode. If you don't want remote mode to be selectable you can disable ('mask') the **R** button. This is explained later under *Pushbutton masking* on page 3-23.

Press A to restore normal automatic mode.

POWER INTERRUPTIONS

Warm start

Remember when you powered up the T640 at the start of the tutorial you saw the message **ColdStrt Trying**, and the instrument performed a cold start. After a cold start the database is initialised and therefore in its default state. Remember also that you set the SW1 switches to enable both cold and warm starts. This enables the T640 to perform a warm start if possible. After a successful warm start the instrument resumes running the control strategy having remembered or regenerated all the database values as they were at the moment of power interruption. Try a warm start now:

- 1 Check that you have automatic mode selected, and a PV value other than the default of 0.00.
- 2 Switch off the power to the T640, either at source or by withdrawing the instrument from its sleeve.
- **3** Restore the power after a few minutes. The message **WarmStrt Trying** flashes in the tag display, and after a few moments the fascia adopts the state it had at power-down, i.e. a warm start has been performed.

Cold start

Now try interrupting the power with the warm start enable switch OFF:

- 1 Access the interior of the T640 and set SW1 switch 4 to OFF but leave switch 3 ON.
- 2 Re-insert the T640 in its sleeve to restore power. A cold start is performed, and the strategy starts in its default state, having 'forgotten' your modifications to it.

Tepid start

A 'tepid' start is a type of warm start, but not quite as good because only some of the database values are restored at power up — including local setpoints, control outputs, and operating modes. Tepid starts occur when the RAM database has been corrupted; it's possible that you may have seen one when you powered up the T640 at the start of this tutorial.

(For more information please refer to Chapter 2, under Power up routine.)

INSPECTING & EDITING THE DATABASE

Using INS

This section of the tutorial shows you how to inspect and modify parts of the database to tailor the strategy to your particular needs. The first thing you will look at is ranging the setpoint and process variable engineering units. After that you will go on to apply high and low limits to the local setpoint (SL), and then configure absolute and deviation alarms on PV. Finally in this section, you will set up a new decimal point position for the front-panel display.

The function block concerned with this part of the control strategy is the **SETP1** (setpoint) block, which was shown in Figure 3-9 in the 'PID control area' of the database. To carry out modifications you must access the relevant fields inside the SETP1 block. To do this you use the **INS** ('inspect') pushbutton on the front panel.

Table 3-1 lists each of the configurable fields within the SETP1 block, together with its default value, target setting, and a brief description of its function in the strategy. This list will be useful when you are navigating around the fields to configure them. Note that a complete list of blocks and fields for each of the fixed-function strategies is given in the setup sheet included in this manual (at the end of Chapter 5).

| Block | Field | Subfield | Default | Setting | Description |
|-------|--------|----------|---------|---------|-------------------------------------|
| SETP1 | HR_SP | | 100.00 | 75.00 | Engineering unitshigh for SP and PV |
| | LR SP | | 0.00 | | Engineering units low for SP and PV |
| | HL SP | | 100.00 | | High limit on SP |
| | LLSP | | 0.00 | | Low limit on SP |
| | HL SL | | 100.00 | 60.00 | High limit on SL |
| | LL SL | | 0.00 | | Low limit on SL |
| | Alarms | HighAbs | 2 | | Alarm priority on HAA |
| | | LowAbs | 2 | | Alarm priority on LAA |
| | | HighDev | 2 | | Alarm priority on HDA |
| | | LowDev | 2 | | Alarm priority on LDA |
| | HAA | | 100.00 | 70.00 | High absolute alarm on PV |
| | LAA | | 0.00 | 30.00 | Low absolute alarm on PV |
| | HDA | | 100.00 | 10.00 | High deviation alarm on PV |
| | LDA | | 100.00 | 10.00 | Low deviation alarm on PV |
| | Dis_DP | | 2 | 3 | Decimal point position |

 Table 3-1
 Configurable fields in the SETP1 (setpoint) block

Configuring ranges and limits

Figure 3-10 shows how the INS button works.

Press the INS button briefly. LOOP 1 appears in the tag display — this is the loop ready to be inspected, and it is the loop that contains the SETP1 block. The green units display shows LOOP (meaning 'loop access mode').



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NOTE. If you now press either \blacktriangle or \checkmark you will see another 'loop' — LOOP 4 — in the tag display. Loop 4 is not actually a *control* loop, but is a second independently-running section of the database ('user task 4') that you can access via the **INS** button. Loop 4 contains, among other items, configuration data on T640 communications, which do not concern us here.

- 2 With LOOP 1 in the display, press INS again. The units display changes to BLOCK, denoting 'block access mode', and the tag display now shows the name of the first block in the Loop 1 (i.e. 'User task 1') area of the database. This block may or may not be the one you want (SETP1) depending on how the T640's memory module has been programmed at the factory.
- 3 In any case, now press the ▼ button to move down to the next block in Loop 1 and see its name in the tag display.
- 4 Press ▼ again repeatedly to see all the blocks in Loop 1 that you can access for inspection or modification. There are 13 altogether. Use ▲ to move up the list again, if you go past the block you require. Access the SETP1 block.
- 5 With SETP1 in the tag display, press INS again. This gets you into 'field access mode' as shown by FIELD in the units display. The tag display now shows the first accessible field in the SETP1 block, which is called HR_SP. This field stores the high range in engineering units for SP and PV. Its current (default) value is shown in the red 5-digit display as +100.00. In the next step you will alter this value, but before doing this try accessing the other fields in the SETP1 block using the ▲ and ♥ buttons to move around the list. There are 12 fields in all (see Table 3-1). Get back to HR_SP for the next step.
- 6 With the HR_SP field selected, press INS again. VALUE appears in the units display, telling you that you can update the field value. Press ▲ to raise the value, or ▼ to lower it, to the one you require (subject to any configured limits). For this tutorial, lower the high range to 75.000 engineering units.
- You now want to move on to the HL_SL field in the block, which specifies a high limit value for the local setpoint SL. Press INS three times to return to 'field access mode' with HR_SP still accessed (T640 has remembered your selections). Then press ▼ once to access LR_SP (which you will leave at zero) and then three more times to reach HL_SL. Adjust this to 60.000 by pressing INS to get into 'value update mode' as before, then use ▲ or ▼ as needed. Then return to field access mode by pressing INS three times.

Configuring absolute and deviation alarms

In this stage of the tutorial you set new values for the high and low absolute and deviation alarms.

- 1 Access the HAA field in the SETP1 block, as before. (If you've forgotten how to do this, have a look at the previous section again to remind yourself!). HAA specifies the high absolute alarm limit on PV, i.e. the PV value which if exceeded trips the high absolute alarm (which you will inspect soon). Its default value is 100.00. Press INS to access value update mode and lower the HAA value to 70.000 units. Press INS three times to return to field access mode.
- 2 In the same way, set LAA (low absolute PV alarm) to 30.000, and set HDA & LDA (high and low deviation alarms, respectively) to 10.000 each.

Configuring the decimal point

- 1 Access the **Dis_DP** field, which stores the decimal point position used in the 5-digit and the units displays. To do this quickly you can, once into field access mode, just press the ▲ button once to get you directly to the end of the field list, which is cyclic.
- 2 Set **Dis_DP** to 3 (decimal places), then press **A** to return to the normal display and see the effect of this change.

Alarm subfields

In this next stage of the tutorial you inspect the subfields of the Alarms field in the SETP1 block. To do this:

- 1 Use the **INS** button as before to access the **Alarms** field in the SETP1 block.
- 2 Press INS again. This time, instead of entering 'value update mode' you see SubFd in the green units display, denoting 'subfield access mode'. This is because the Alarms field consists of a set of *subfields*, unlike the range and limit fields you have met so far. The first subfield accessed is shown in the tag display Software and its current value appears in the 5-digit display 1. This is the *priority* of the Software alarm, which you should not alter at this stage. (You would alter it in the same way as described above, using the INS and ▲/▼ buttons.)
- Still in subfield access mode, press ▼ to move to the next subfield in the Alarms field
 HighAbs. This is the PV high absolute alarm, which trips if PV exceeds the high limit (specified in the HAA parameter). Its priority of 2 should be left as is.
- 4 Go on to inspect the rest of the Alarm subfields in the same way. Finally return to the normal fascia display by pressing the A button. You may have noticed that if you do nothing for two minutes a timeout operates automatically to escape from 'inspect mode'.

EFFECT OF THE ALARM SETTINGS AND LIMITS ON THE FRONT-PANEL DISPLAYS

You can see the effects on the fascia displays of the limits and alarm levels just configured. Start by setting SP to about 50 units with the loop in auto. Let the displays settle.

Inspecting absolute and deviation alarm settings

To see these values directly on the PV-X and SP-W bargraphs, press and hold down ▲ and ▼ together. ALM_SET ('alarm settings') appears on the tag display. On the PV bargraph the upper and lower limits (HAA and LAA) appear as a pair of reverse-lit segments superimposed on the bar. This display lets you see immediately where PV is in relation to the limits. At the same time the high and low deviation limits (HDA and LDA) are superimposed on the SP bargraph as reverse-lit segments. These mark the levels above and below the current SP-value, which move up and down with it. If PV goes outside these levels a deviation alarm trips.

Effect of local setpoint limit

The setpoint limit you set up (in HL_SL) shows itself when you try to adjust the local setpoint:

1 Raise the setpoint as far as possible by pressing **SP-w** together with ▲. When the value reaches 60.000, **Limit** appears in the units display.

Annunciation of absolute and deviation alarms

Produce alarm conditions and see the effects on the displays:

1 Lower the setpoint (from 60) to about 20 engineering units. The green SP-W bargraph starts to flash as soon as the setpoint has fallen far enough to trip the high deviation alarm. At the same time the deviation bargraph also flashes, and the ALM button light comes on. Shortly after this, when PV has fallen below its low limit (in LAA), the PV-X bargraph starts flashing to warn you that the low absolute alarm has tripped.

NOTE. You may also have heard the watchdog relay click open, which it is configured to do by any priority 2 alarm.

- 2 After a while, when the fascia has settled and control has been regained (PV = SP), only the low absolute alarm remains. Trace this alarm via the ALM button. You should find LowAbs (and Combined) alarms in the SETP1 block.
- **3** Finally, restore the setpoint to about 50 units to clear all alarms.

INSPECTING & EDITING THE PV INPUT AREA

This section gives you some more practice at using the **INS** button to access the fields in the **PV_1** (analogue input) block. Remember, PV_1 takes in and conditions the signal from the orifice plate (in this example). Specifically, you will inspect and edit the input filter time constant, and apply a square root function to the signal from the orifice plate. Table 3-2 lists the PV_1 block's configurable fields and target settings.

| Block | Field | Subfield | Default | Setting | Description |
|-------|---------|----------|---------|---------|--------------------|
| PV_1 | Filter | | 1.00 | 2.00 | Input filter |
| | RomCha | r | None | | Input conditioning |
| | Alarms | Hardware | 2 | | Alarm priority |
| | | OutRange | 2 | | Alarm priority |
| | | OCctdel | 2 | | Alarm priority |
| | HR in | | 10.00 | | Input voltage high |
| | LR in | | 0.00 | | Input voltage low |
| | Options | Invert | FALSE | | Input conditioning |
| | | Sqrt | FALSE | TRUE | Input conditioning |

Table 3-2 Configurable fields in the PV_1 (analogue input) block

Start this section with the T640 set up as at the end of the previous section.

- Press INS twice to access block inspect mode, then press ▼ (if needed) to bring up the PV_1 block.
- 2 Press INS again to access the first field in the PV_1 block Filter.
- Press INS again, then increase the value of the filter time to 2.00 (seconds) using the ▲ and ♥ buttons.
- **4** Press **INS** three times to return to field inspect mode.
- 5 Access the RomChar field and inspect its contents by pressing INS again (to access VALUE mode) and using ▲/▼. As you edit the ROM-based characterisation functions stored in the RomChar field you may notice the front-panel displays altering to re-establish control under the new conditions you are creating! Return the RomChar value to None (the default) before continuing.
- 6 Access the **Options** field in the usual way. This field lets you apply an inversion to the input signal, and/or a square root function.
- Press INS to see the Options subfields. The first is Invert which is FALSE by default
 -- i.e. no inversion.
- 8 Press ∇ to move to the second subfield Sqrt (square root).
- 9 Press INS again and set the value to tru (TRUE) using ▲. (▼ restores FALSE.) You will see the front panel respond as PV changes value.
- **10** Finally, press the **A** button to return to the normal display.

SAVING A DATABASE

Now that you have reconfigured several of the fields in the control strategy you will want to save it to EEPROM, where it will be safe and effectively permanent. At the moment your customised strategy exists only in RAM, which although battery-backed in the T640 is inherently a volatile memory medium.

To save your database currently in RAM you must access a function block called **T60_00**. (The last two digits are the *node number*, and may differ from '**00**'. Ignore this in the tutorial!) This block contains a field called **Options**. Within Options is a subfield called **FullSave**. You set this TRUE to effect the save to EEPROM.

- 1 Press INS to access loop inspect mode.
- **2** Press \blacktriangle or \triangledown to move to LOOP 4, which is the user task containing the T60_00 block.
- **3** Press **INS** again to inspect the blocks in Loop 4. The first one is **USR_ALM**, which stores the alarm priority needed to trip the watchdog alarm relay (currently set at 2).
- 4 Move to the next block T60_00 and press INS to see the Options field, which is the only accessible field in this block.
- 5 Press INS again to see the Options subfields, and move down the list until you reach FullSave.
- 6 Pres INS and set the value to tru by pressing ▲. The message SAVING.. appears in the tag display as the save is executed, and the value of the subfield automatically returns to FALSE. After a few moments the tag display reports Save OK. Press A to return to normal mode.

Saved databases

Your customised database is now safely stored in EEPROM — under the same filename that the original default database had. But note that the original fixed-function default strategies will always reside in ROM and could be made to overwrite your customised strategy!

To avoid this, if you intend to keep a customised strategy in EEPROM, do not reset the SW1 strategy-select switches (switches 6, 7, and 8 in Figure 3-4). If you do, there is a risk that at power-up a new strategy will replace your customised one in EEPROM.

It is OK to power up with the switches set to the *original* strategy that you subsequently customised (#1 in this case). This is because when the T640 sees that the EEPROM already contains the strategy indicated by the switches, it loads it directly from EEPROM to RAM and runs it *without* 'unpacking' (decompressing) a default database from ROM.

You can test the effect of your save as follows:

1 Remove the T640 from its sleeve and set the warm start enable switch to OFF. (Leave the cold start enable switch at ON, and the strategy-select switches at #1.) Figure 3-4 shows the required SW1 switches. This action now ensures that the T640 cannot do a warm start, only a cold start.

- 2 Power up again by replacing the T640 in its sleeve. You will see a cold start performed but all your saved field values are preserved in your customised strategy. Check this using **INS**.
- **3** Finally, return the warm start enable switch to ON.

INVESTIGATING THE LOOP SETUP 'SWITCHES'

There is a set of 16 'software switches' or bits within a block called SWS_1, in the PID control area of the strategy. You can use them to specify the way the control loop operates. The SWS_1 bits select such things as the T640 power-up mode, inversion of control output action, on/off control action, pushbutton disabling ('masking'), and the tagname that appears in the loop's tag display. Table 3-3 lists the SWS_1 bitfields.

Try switching some of these bits from their default states (all but one are FALSE) to see how they affect the control action.

Power-up/power-fail mode

- Press INS twice to access block inspect mode, then press ▼ as required to bring up the SWS_1 block.
- 2 Press INS again to see the only accessible field in the SWS_1 block W Field1. This consists of 16 subfields called **Bit0** to **BitF** (hexadecimal 'F' is decimal '15').
- 3 Press INS again, to access Bit0. Table 3-3 tells you that this bit selects the power-up mode. Remember that power-up occurs after unexpected power interruptions not just when you switch on the T640. TRUE causes the loop to adopt manual mode on power-up with zero electrical output for safety i.e. 0V or 4mA. FALSE (the default) causes the loop to maintain its last mode and output value on power-up.

| Block | Field | Subfield | Default | Setting | Description |
|-------|----------|-----------|-----------------|----------------|--|
| SWS 1 | W Field1 | Bit0 | FALSE | tru | Power up mode |
| | | Bit 1 | FALSE | | PV fail mode |
| | | Bit2 | FALSE | | tru - inverse output action |
| | | Bit3 | FALSE | | tru - inverse PID |
| | | Bit4 | FALSE | tru | tru - On/Off control |
| | | Bit5 | FALSE | | tru - setpoint tracks PV if not AUTO |
| | | Bit6 | FALSE | | tru - PV/SP Out = SP |
| | | Bit7 | FALSE | | tru - inverse ratio setting |
| | | Bit8 | FALSE | | tru - Mask R |
| | | Bit9 | FALSE | | tru – Mask A |
| | | BitA | FALSE | | tru - Mask M |
| | | BitB | tru | | Tag FIC-001 |
| | | BitC | FALSE | | Tag LIC-001 |
| | | BitD | FALSE | | Tag PIC-001 \rangle If all bits FALSE, tag is LOOP 1 |
| | | BitE | FALSE | | Tag TIC-001 |
| | | BitF | FALSE | | Tag AIC-001 |
| | Tabl | e 3-3 Cor | figurable field | ls in the SWS_ | 1 (digital connection) block |

- 4 Press INS and alter BitO's value to tru, then return to the normal display by pressing A.
- 5 Now simulate a power interruption by switching the power off then on, and watch the front panel displays. The T640 powers up in manual mode, and the control output falls to zero. Check this by pressing the M button and reading the 5-digit display, which should indicate 0.00% output. Restore control by re-selecting auto mode (press A). Restore Bit0 to FALSE.

PV fail mode

- 1 Use the INS button to access Bit1 of the SWS_1 block. This bit determines what happens to the control output should the process variable input PV fail. In Bit1's default state (FALSE), the control output holds at its last value on PV failure. With Bit1 TRUE, however, the output falls to electrical zero (i.e. 0V or 4mA) on PV fail.
- 2 Set Bit1 to **tru** and press A to return to automatic mode. While A is pressed, note the control output value in the 5-digit display.
- Now simulate a PV failure by disconnecting the wire attached to terminal 1E. Notice that the control loop adopts 'forced manual' mode indicated by the flashing yellow LED in the M button, and that the control output drops immediately to zero. (Press M to check this.)
- 4 Reconnect terminal 1E and press A to restore control.
- **5** Reset Bit1 to **FALSE**, return to auto mode, then repeat the PV fail simulation. This time the control output holds at its current value despite the loss of PV and adoption of forced manual mode.
- 6 Finally, reconnect PV, press A, and allow equilibrium to return.

On/off control

- 1 Use the INS button to access Bit4 of the SWS_1 block. This bit selects on/off control action (TRUE) or normal continuous control action (FALSE). With on/off action the control output is either at 0% or 100% of range, with nothing in between.
- 2 Set Bit4 to **tru** and watch the chaos on the front panel as the simulated PV oscillates above and below the setpoint trying to attain equilibrium! Restore Bit4 to FALSE.

NOTE. With a suitable *Deadband* value selected (via the **3TRM1** block), on/off control can be applied successfully in appropriate plant situations.

Tracking of PV by the setpoint

Access Bit5 of the SWS_1 block. When TRUE, this bit forces the local setpoint to track (i.e. follow) the process variable PV whenever the controller is not in automatic mode. (It may be safer for SL to keep equal to PV in the event of a loss of control, so that when control is eventually restored and auto mode resumed, there will not be a sudden and possibly damaging change in control output value.)

- 2 Set Bit5 to tru and return to the normal display in auto mode (press A).
- 3 Now select manual mode by pressing the M button, then attempt to change the local setpoint by pressing SP-w together with either ▲ or ▼. You won't be able to!
- 4 Get back to auto mode and try again. Alter the setpoint to be as far as possible from the current PV-value e.g. to zero then quickly switch back to manual mode. Note how the setpoint rapidly equalises with PV.
- 5 Now raise the control output, by pressing M and ▲ together. Remember that in this simulation the output is being used as a PV input, so you are also raising PV. Notice how the green SP bargraph tracks the rising red PV bargraph, *but not further than the limit you configured earlier*.

Pushbutton masking

This may be necessary if you want to prevent an operator selecting a particular mode via the front-panel pushbuttons. Note that button-masking does not prevent modes being changed by other means, e.g. automatically during a failure mode, or over the comms network. When TRUE, **Bit8**, **Bit9**, and **BitA** disable the **R**(emote), **A**(uto), and **M**(anual) mode select pushbuttons, respectively.

- 1 Access the **Bit9** subfield of the SWS_1 block, and alter its value to **tru**. Return to the normal display by pressing **M**.
- 2 Now try to select auto by pressing A. You will not succeed, and the message MASKED appears in the tag display for about 3 seconds to tell you why.

NOTE. You may have seen the **MASKED** message at the start of this tutorial if you pressed \mathbf{R} or \mathbf{A} before you connected the piece of wire to close the control loop. These buttons are automatically masked in this strategy as a safety precaution in certain alarm conditions.

3 Restore Bit9 to FALSE.



Figure 3-11 SW1 location and settings — strategy #4

HANDLING MORE THAN ONE CONTROL LOOP

You have nearly completed this tutorial, which has used as its example strategy #1 - a single control loop. When there are two, three, or four control loops in a strategy the front-panel display is able to show you a summary of the status of all the loops at once, together with a more detailed display of one selected loop.

To see how this works in practice, load strategy #4, which has three control loops in it.

- 1 Withdraw the T640 from its sleeve and set the strategy select switches to #4. Figure 3-11 shows the required SW1 switch positions.
- 2 Replace the T640 in its sleeve to power it up. After the initial database unpacking, strategy #4 starts to run, and you now see three deviation bargraph displays illuminated, instead of just one, each applying to one of the control loops. Under one of the deviation bargraphs will be the green arrowhead; this identifies the loop currently selected to occupy the main fascia displays. Its loop tagname is displayed in the tag display at the top of the fascia, and the rest of the displays refer only to this selected loop.
- Select a different loop for main display by holding down ▲ or ▼ to cycle around the available loops. Let go when the required loop is indicated by the green arrowhead. The main display now applies to your selected loop, whose tagname appears in the tag display.
- 4 Try altering a variable of the current loop, e.g. raise its setpoint (by pressing SP-w and ▲ together). Note that the front-panel buttons also work only on the currently-selected loop. This applies also to the ALM and INS pushbuttons.

Chapter 4 USER INTERFACE

This chapter describes how to use the T640 front-panel pushbuttons and displays to carry out all the basic operations. The front-panel can also indicates failure states; please refer to Chapter 8, *Error conditions & diagnostics*, for details. The present chapter concentrates on the normal running of the T640.

Figure 4-1 shows the front panel, with a typical display.



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OPERATOR DISPLAYS & CONTROLS

Summary loop displays

Figure 4-1 shows the front panel. Four summary displays show red deviation bargraphs of T640's four loops — Loops 1 to 4 from left to right. *DevnBar*, in the SETPOINT block, specifies the bargraph span as ± 3 , ± 10 (default), or $\pm 30\%$ deviation. PV can be displayed instead, to 100% of range, if *DevnBar* = Abs_PV. The central green LED glows if the bargraph is showing deviation; the bottom red LED glows if PV is being displayed. A flashing bargraph means the loop is in absolute or deviation alarm.

Operating mode letters glow to show selected modes for each loop: $\mathbf{R} = \text{Remote}$, $\mathbf{A} = \text{Auto}$, $\mathbf{M} = \text{Manual}$, $\mathbf{T} = \text{Track}$, $\mathbf{H} = \text{Hold}$). Flashing signifies a 'forced' mode. A totally blank loop summary display and inaccessible main display mean the loop contains no configured blocks, or the related T600 block *FPdisn* parameter is TRUE.

Main loop display

This details the status of one of the four loops, indicated by a green arrowhead under the related summary bargraph. To select a loop for main display, hold down a raise \blacktriangle or lower \triangledown button. If a loop's MODE block *SelDisp* parameter is TRUE it will always occupy the main display and cannot be deselected. The following features apply only to the loop selected for main display.

Tag display

This red display normally shows the TAG block's *TAG* field. With no TAG block, the PID/PID_CONN block name, or SETPOINT block name, or the default **LOOP** *n* message appears. Special displays can override the normal display, as described in later sections.

PV-X bargraph display

Red display normally showing the SETPOINT (or PID) block's PV value in 2% steps.

SP-W bargraph display

Green display normally showing the SETPOINT (or PID) block's SP value in 2% steps.

5-digit display

Red display normally showing the PV value of the SETPOINT (or PID) block in engineering units. The **PV-X** legend (see Figure 4-1) glows red only when PV is being displayed.

Units display

Green display normally showing the engineering units associated with the 5-digit display. It can also show the SETPOINT block's SP value (Show_SP TRUE). In this case the SP-W legend glows green.

NOTE. Pressing \blacktriangle or \triangledown displays units in this case.
Output bargraph

Yellow display normally showing the loop's control output, i.e. the MAN_STAT block's *MeasPos* value, or its *OP* value if *MPosDisp* is FALSE, or if absent the PID block's *OP* value. All segments lit represents 95% of full range. Note that each bargraph segment can also be driven individually via the MAN_STAT block's *UserBar* parameter.

Mode changes

You interact with the main display loop via the eight front-panel pushbuttons. Press M(anual), A(uto) or R(emote) to select the related mode — strategy permitting. The button's top-right LED glows if the mode is adopted; both R LEDs glow green in 'computer remote' mode. A flashing LED signifies a 'forced' mode. If a mode button is inhibited (by the MODE block's *PBmasks* parameter, or by a *SelMode* bit), the tag display is overridden by the word **MASKED** for 3 seconds and no mode-change occurs.

Output display

Holding down a mode button also displays the current value of the control output in the 5digit display and its units in the units display. The word **OUTPUT** or **MeasPos** appears in the tag display (with A or **R** pressed), or **MS_Dmnd** (with **M** pressed). For the simple PID block only **OUTPUT** appears.

Changing the output

With **M** pressed and the controller in Manual, press \blacktriangle or \triangledown to vary the value of the MAN_STAT block's *Demand* field (or the PID block's *OP* field). Full-range change takes about 12 seconds.

Output parameters — quick access

With any of M, A, or R pressed, press INS (Inspect) repeatedly to scroll the 5-digit display through the MAN_STAT block's primary output parameter values.

These are: *OP* (OUTPUT), *Demand* (MS_Dmnd), *MeasPos* (MeasPos), *PV* (MS_Input), and *Track* (MS_Track), identified in the tag display. Only *OP* and *Track* are available from simple PID blocks.

Setpoint display

Press **SP-W** to display the SETPOINT (or PID) block's *SL* value in the 5-digit display. When in Remote mode the corresponding remote setpoint is seen. With **SP-W** pressed, **SetLocal** or **RemoteSP** appears in the tag display.

Changing the setpoint

To vary the value of *SL*, press **SP-W** together with \blacktriangle or \triangledown . Full-range change takes about 30 seconds.

Setpoint parameters — quick access

With **SP-W** pressed, press **INS** repeatedly to scroll the 5-digit display through the primary setpoint parameter values. These are: *SL* (SetLocal), *SP* (SetPoint), *RemoteSP*, *ComRemSP*, and *TrimSP*, identified in the tag display. *ComRemSP* is not available from simple PID blocks.

Absolute & deviation alarm settings — viewing

Press \blacktriangle and \triangledown together to superimpose the absolute alarm settings on the PV-X bargraph, and the deviation alarm settings on the SP-W bargraph, as pairs of reverse-lit LEDs. The tag display shows ALM_SET.

Absolute & deviation alarm annunciation

For the main loop on the display, an absolute alarm flashes the red PV-X bargraph and a deviation alarm flashes the green SP-W bargraph. For the four summary loop displays, either alarm flashes the relevant summary deviation bargraph.

DATABASE ACCESS

The **INS** button lets you inspect and edit database parameters. Two access modes are available — 'Full' and 'Partial' — requiring a 'Full' or 'Partial' security key (unless the need for a key is overridden in the T600 block). If necessary, refer to the *Security key* section at the end of this chapter for how to use the key.

Both modes work in the same way, but Partial mode can access only a limited set of blocks and fields. Parameter changes during database access are automatically logged by the T640 in a special EEPROM file — see Chapter 6, *Changes logfile*.

To access the current database, press **INS** repeatedly as required to cycle through the following hierarchy of database access modes; the green units display shows the access level reached.

Figure 4-2 shows how the **INS** button works.

1 Loop Access mode

The first **INS** press selects this mode, and **LOOP** appears in the green units display. Unless overridden, a security key must be active for initial entry into this mode.

NOTE. If the message 'No Key' appears in the tag display, you will not be permitted to access inspect mode without a valid security key — see below in the section *Security key* for details.

Press \blacktriangle or \triangledown to select a loop for inspection, indicated as LOOP *n* (or Cached) in the red tag display. The initially selected loop is the same as the main display loop. (Press ALM to see the *loop repeat rate*, in seconds, in the 5-digit display.)



2 Block Access mode

The second INS press selects this mode, and **BLOCK** appears in the units display. Press \blacktriangle or \triangledown to select a block for inspection. Block tagnames appear in the tag display in execution order. (Press ALM to see the block *Type* in the Tag display.)

3 Field Access mode

The third **INS** press selects this mode, and **FIELD** appears in the units display. Press \blacktriangle or \blacktriangledown to select a field for inspection. The tag display shows the field's name, and the 5-digit display shows its value (format permitting). (Press **ALM** to see the field's *units* in the Tag display.)

4 Value Update mode, Connection Enquiry mode, Subfield Access mode

The fourth **INS** press selects one of these three modes, depending on the type of field accessed:

- Value Update mode. VALUE appears in the units display, or Ronly (read-only) if update is not permitted. Press ▲ or ▼ to vary the field value, indicated in the 5-digit display (or in the tag display if text). Limit in the units display indicates that a limit has been reached. Pressing INS at this point returns you to Loop Access mode. Further INS pressing cycles through the access mode hierarchy, retaining your latest selections.
- Connection Enquiry mode. If the field has a connection into it, barring manual update, Conn. appears in the units display. The tag display shows the first 8 characters defining the source point. Press ▲ or ▼ to see the rest. Press INS to return to Loop Access mode.
- Subfield Access mode. If this is a subfield, SubFd appears in the units display. Press ▲ or ▼ to select a subfield within the current field. The tag display shows the field's name, and the 5-digit display shows its value (format permitting).

5 Subfields

If this is a subfield, the fifth INS press selects subfield VALUE or Conn. modes, used as already described.

Quitting database access modes

Pressing **R**, **A**, **M**, or **SP-W** immediately reverts the T640 to standard operation. A timeout can also be set in the T600 block to revert the display after a defined period of no button activity.

ALARM DISPLAY & INSPECTION

Whenever any unacknowledged alarms exist in the loop occupying the main display, the highest priority alarm name flashes in alternation with the standard message in the tag display. Unacknowledged alarms elsewhere display LPn ALM, where n is the relevant loop number.

Any alarm in the instrument — in any of the loops — lights the red LED in the ALM button. The LED flashes if any alarm is unacknowledged; otherwise it remains steady.

Alarm inspection via the ALM button

The **ALM** button lets you quickly locate and acknowledge alarms, wherever they are. Figure 4-3 shows how the **ALM** button works.

- 1 Press ALM to enter Loop (Alarm Inspect) mode, indicated by LOOP in the green units display. The tag display flashes the highest priority alarm name current in the database, and the corresponding loop is entered for inspection, whether or not it is in the main display. (If no alarm exists anywhere ALM button LED unlit NoAlm is displayed and you cannot enter loop mode.) Once in loop mode, you can press ▲ or ▼ to select another loop for inspection if required; only loops in alarm are accessed.
- **2** Press ALM again to display the name of the block with the highest priority alarm in the entered loop. **BLOCK** appears in the units display. (The units display will show NoAlm if the loop has since cleared itself of alarms, and you remain in loop mode. In this case you can select another loop in alarm using \blacktriangle or \blacktriangledown .)
- **3** Press ALM again. The tag display shows the alarm name within the block. The units display shows **SubFd**, and the 5-digit display indicates **UnAcd** if the alarm is unacknowledged, or is blank if acknowledged.
- **4** Press ALM again to enter Alarm Acknowledge mode, indicated by AlAck in the units display. To acknowledge the alarm, press \blacktriangle or \blacktriangledown .
- 5 Press ALM again to return to Loop Alarm Inspect mode.

Quitting alarm inspection modes

Pressing **R**, **A**, **M**, or **SP-W** immediately reverts the T640 to standard operation. A timeout (in the T600 block) can also be set for automatic reversion after a defined period of no button activity.



Figure 4-3 Alarm inspect button functions — ALM

SECURITY KEY

Access to T640's database via the **INS** pushbutton is protected by the T950 infrared-operating security key. (Using **INS** is described in an earlier section: *Database access*.)

Key parameters

Each key is factory-programmed with three parameters whose values are marked on the key label. There is also a space for entering the keyholder's name. The parameters are:

- Access. Specifies how much of the database is accessible to the keyholder. Full accesses all parameters; Partial accesses the limited default set of parameters specific to each function block (or a set defined during strategy configuration in LINtools). Note that the T600 block's *NoKeyFul* and *NoKeyPrt* parameters if set TRUE allow full or partial access respectively without needing a security key.
- Area. Specifies by an area number (1 8) what databases are accessible to the keyholder. The area number must match the T600 block's *AreaNo* parameter to gain access (except when *AreaNo* is zero, allowing any key access the database). A key can also have an Area of zero, giving it access only to zero-*AreaNo* databases.
- ID Code. Identifies each key with a unique 13-bit number (0 8191). Every time the key is used to change a database, a record is logged in a file that includes all the key's parameters. This means that all changes are traceable to a particular keyholder. (See Chapter 6, *Changes logfile*, for details)

Using the key

Figure 4-4 shows the T950 security key.



Figure 4-4 Security key — operation

1 Press INS on the front panel. If no key is needed for access, loop access mode is immediately entered and LOOP shows in the units display. Otherwise, No Key appears in the tag display and you proceed to step 2.

2 Hold the key about 15cm from T640's front-panel, aiming the infrared LED at the OUT-Y legend to the left of the output bargraph (see Figure 4-1). The IR sensor is here behind the fascia. Press INS, then squeeze the key briefly to click the internal switch. If the security key is valid the tag display replies with LOOP, and loop access mode is entered. Invalid keys display Bad Key.

NOTE. The battery-test LED on the case should glow when the switch is pressed, indicating a healthy key battery. If not, replace the battery (described below).

While the T640 is in INSpect mode the key is not needed. But if no pushbuttons are pressed for a time specified by the T600 block's *TimeOut* parameter, the fascia reverts to the normal display. Re-entering INSpect mode then needs a security key again.

Battery replacement

Caution

Observe anti-static precautions when handling the security key with its lid open.

Replace the battery if the battery-test LED fails to light when the key is operated, and at least every two years. Use a 12V alkaline manganese battery, e.g. DuracellTM MN21, PanasonicTM RV08, or equivalent of overall length 27.5 - 28.5, diameter 9.62 - 10.62 (mm).



Figure 4-5 Security key — battery replacement

- **1** See Figure 4-5. Press just below the lid catch, hinge back the lid and remove it completely. The interior of the key is shown on the right of the figure.
- 2 Extract the battery and fit a replacement, ensuring correct polarity. This is marked on the tray underneath the battery, and also on the printed circuit board. Test the new battery by pressing the switch. The battery-test LED should light.
- **3** Replace the lid by positioning it over the pair of hinges, then snapping it shut securely over the lid catch.

Chapter 5 6360 EMULATION FIXED-FUNCTION STRATEGY

This chapter describes the 6360 emulation pre-configured 'fixed-function' control strategy supplied with your T640 in its M101 memory module.

USING THE STRATEGIES

With the fixed-function T640 you do not have to create your control strategies from scratch. Instead, you just load and run one of the pre-configured (in this case the 6360 emulation) fixed-function strategies stored in the instrument's EEPROM. Once the fixed-function strategy is loaded, you can, directly via the front panel, alter any default parameter values to suit your plant requirements, then save the customised database for future use (via the SM6360 block's FullSave or PartSave parameters). Accessing the database is described in Chapter 4, User interface. The tutorial in Chapter 3 describes the process of editing and saving the parameter values of a fixed-function strategy via the front panel.

SUMMARY OF THE STRATEGIES

The 6360 emulation fixed-function strategy is supplied in the M101 memory module in a scrambled format, in a file called T6360.DBF accompanied with files called T6360.FFn (n = 1 to 7, being the number that must be set up on switches 6, 7 and 8 of Switchbank 1). The M101 memory module also contains a sequence database (.SDB file) with the same root filename, ready to be downloaded to RAM and run. Table 5-1 summarises the content of the M101 memory module.

| Name & Extension | Summary |
|-------------------|----------------------------------|
| T6360.DBF | T640 database for 6360 emulation |
| T6360.SDB | T640 sequence for 6360 emulation |
| T6360.RUN | Run file |
| T6360.FF1 to .FF7 | Switch setting files |

Table 5-1 Summary of the files supplied in the EEPROM of an M101

RUNNING THE 6360 EMULATION FIXED-FUNCTION STRATEGY

To run the 6360 emulation fixed-function strategy:

- 1 Withdraw the T640 from its sleeve (taking the necessary anti-static precautions see Chapter 2) and set switches 6, 7 and 8 of switchbank 1 to OFF. (Figure 5-1 reminds you of their location and how to set them.)
- 2 Set switch 3 of SW1 ON to enable a cold start. (Switch 4 should also be ON if you want warm start capability. Switches 1 and 2 should be both OFF. See Chapter 2 for switch 5.)
- **3** Power up the T640. Assuming that the selected strategy was not previously being run when power-down occurred, the T640 searches in its EEPROM area for a .FFn file with the same n-value as that specified by switches 6, 7 and 8. If it finds a matching file, it uses this to establish the name of the required strategy (in this case T6360). If no match is found in its EEPROM, the T640 then searches the ROM area, then adopts an idle state and no database is run.
- **4** Having determined the required filename, the T640 then checks if the corresponding .DBF file is already in EEPROM. If it is, the database is loaded directly to RAM and run. If not, the T640 adopts an idle state and no database is run (An 'unpacking database' message would be continuously displayed on the front panel).



Figure 5-1 SW1 switch settings

6360 EMULATION FIXED-FUNCTION STRATEGY DESIGN PRINCIPLES

The 6360 emulation fixed-function strategy has been designed to provide a T640 strategy that emulates as close as possible the functionality of the 6360, 6360A, 6350 and 6350A controllers. This strategy has been designed to be configured/ parameterised in a similar manner to the 6360:

- The number of parameters that must be set up is minimal (only two blocks to parameterise: The SL6360 block called SETUP1 and the SM6360 block called SETUP2).
- All settable parameters have usable default values (except for the RS422 Instrument Number).
- Partial access is available either by setting one digital input high or via a partial security key.

6360 EMULATION FIXED-FUNCTION STRATEGY — PIN/TERMINAL CONNECTIONS

Table 5-2 lists the 6360 emulation pin and terminal connections, for both the T750 sleeve (T640 used as a direct 6360 replacement) and the T710 sleeve.

| T750 Pin No | TA636X Terminal No | 6360 Instrument Function | T640 (M101) Instrument Function | Site | Ch | Bit | T710 Terminal No |
|----------------|-----------------------|-----------------------------|------------------------------------|------|----|-----|---------------------|
| 1 | | | DC - Power In | N/A | - | | 8 |
| 2 | 16,17,18,19 | 0 Volts Reference | Analogue Ground | N/A | | | 1G,1K,1N,2G,2K,2L |
| 3 | 14,34,43 | 0 Volts Power | Digital Ground | N/A | - | | 1Y,1Z,2Y,2Z |
| 7 | | | Ext. Supply Input 24V | | | | |
| 8 | 15 | DC Supply Input | DC + Power In | N/A | _ | · _ | 7 |
| 9 | 13,28 | Watchdog Output | Watchdog Output | N/A | - | | 16,17 |
| 10 | 1 | PV.IN (1-5V) | PV.IN (1-5V) | 1 | 1 | | 1E |
| 11 | 2 | REM.SP.IN (1-5V) | REM.SP.IN (1-5V) | 1 | 2 | | 1F |
| 12 | 3 | SP.TRIM.IN (1-5V) | SP.TRIM.IN (1-5V) | 1 | 3 | | ΊН |
| 13 | 31 | PV.IN (0-10V) | PV.IN (0-10V) | 1 | 4 | | 11 |
| 14 | 32 | REM.SP.IN (0-10V) | REM.SP.IN (0-10V) | 2 | 1 | | 2E |
| 15 | 33 | SP.TRIM.IN (0-10V) | SP.TRIM.IN (0-10V) | 2 | 2 | | 2F |
| 16 | 20 | HI.ALM.OUT(0) | HI.ALM.OUT(0) | 1 | | 0 | · 1T |
| 17 | 2 1 | LO.ALM.OUT(0) | LO.ALM.OUT(0) | 1 | | 1 | 1U . |
| 18 | 22 | HW.ALM.OUT(0) | HW.ALM.OUT(0) | 1 | | 2 | 1V |
| 19 | 23 | BAT.LOW.OUT(0) | <u> </u> | | | - | |
| 20 | 24 | REM/RATIO.OUT(0) | REM/RATIO.OUT(0) | 2 | | 0 | 2⊤ |
| 21 | 25 | HLD+MAN.OUT(0) | HLD+MAN.OUT(0) | 2 | | 1 | 2U |
| 22 | 26 | BIT 1 OUT (1) | BIT 1 OUT (1) | 2 | | 2 | 2V |
| 23 | 27 | BIT 2 OUT (1) | BIT 2 OUT (1) | 2 | | 2 | 2W |
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Pin/terminal connections

| T750 Pin No | TA636X Terminal No | 6360 Instrument Function | T640 (M101) Instrument Function | Site | Ch | Bit | T710 Terminal No |
|----------------|-----------------------|-----------------------------|------------------------------------|------|----|--------|---------------------|
| 24 | 5 | ADD1 IN (1) | Partial Access (1) | 1 | | 0 | 1P |
| 25 | 6 | ADD2 IN (1) | - . | | | - | |
| 26 | 7 | ADD3 IN (1) | | | | _ | |
| 27 | 8 | ADD4 IN (1) | - | _ | | - | |
| 28 | 9 | COMP.EN.IN (1) | | · | | | |
| 29 | 10 | REM.SP.EN.IN (1) | REM.SP.EN.IN (1) | 2 | | 1. | 2Q |
| 30 | 11 | TRACK.EN.IN (1) | TRACK.EN.IN (1) | 2 | | 2 | 2R |
| 31 | 12 | HOLD.EN.IN (0) | HOLD.EN.IN (0) | 2 | | 3 | 25 |
| 32 | 40 | 3T OUT (0-10V) | 3T OUT (0-10V) | 1 | 1 | | 1L |
| 33 | 38 | PV OUT (0-10V) | PV OUT (0-10V) | 1 | 2 | | 1M |
| 34 | 39 | SP/DEV OUT (0-10V) | SP/DEV OUT (0-10V) | 2 | 1 | | 2L |
| 35 | 29 | XMT.OUT (-) RS422 | RS422 TX- | | | | 12 |
| 36 | 30 | XMT.OUT(+) RS422 | RS422 TX+ | | | | 11 |
| 37 | 44 | RCV.IN (-) RS422 | RS422 RX- | | | | 15 |
| 38 | 45 | RCV.IN (+) RS422 | RS422 RX+ | | | | 14 |
| 40 | 35 | TX.SUPPLY (-) | TX POWER SUPPLY - | | | ****** | 1D |
| 41 | 36 | TX.SUPPLY (+) | TX POWER SUPPLY + | | | | 1C |
| 43 | 41 | 3T OUT - (4-20mA) | CURRENT 3T - | 1 | | 3 | 1B |
| 45 | 42 | 3T OUT + (4-20mA) | CURRENT 3T + | 1 | | 3 | 1A |
| 4 | | | ALIN GROUND | | | | 20 |
| 5 | | | ALIN PHASE A | | | | 21 |
| 6 | | | ALIN PHASE B | | | | 22 |

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Table 5-2 Pin and terminal assignments

As seen from the table above, the T640 pin connections match to a large extent those of a 6360. Discrepancies are as follows:

- The battery low digital output is not available (the T640 has no battery).
- The instrument address on the bi-synch communications network is no longer deduced from GIDs (set of switches on the 6360) and UIDs (set of digital inputs Add1 to Add4.In) but from an instrument number. This number is entered from the T640 front panel (during an inspection procedure) in the SL6360 block. The equivalence is as follows:

 $Instr_No = (16 \times GID) + UID$, in the range 0 to 127

One new digital input has been catered for (space vacated by Add1.In) to provide 'partial' access facility (for inspection mode). This digital input works in parallel with the partial security key (T950). If this digital input is not used (not wired in), the only way to configure/access the T640 database for commissioning purposes would be to use a security key. The intention is that only a partial access key should be needed so that the only block to be configured/accessed would be the SM6360 parameterisation function block and the SL6360 block. These two blocks group all the necessary fields and functions required for setting up the instrument. The SL6360 and SM6360 fields are shown in more detail in the section 6360 emulation strategy blocks and parameters.

List of 6360 functions not implemented in the T640

The 6360 parameters/functions not supported by the T640 strategy for 6360 emulation are:

- Error Limit (EL)
- Computer Enable bit (DS.CompEn)
- GID selection (carried out via the Instrument Number instead)
- UID selection (see above)
- Protocol mode (always binary in the T640)
- Only a limited number of Baud rates are allowed in the T640 (see page 5.9)
- User defined input channel processing functions
- In the T640, the RS parameter is modified by inspecting the appropriate field (SETUP1.RS) and then by using the Raise/Lower (▲/▼) pushbuttons
- In the T640, On/Off control is selected using a pushbutton procedure described in a later chapter

In addition to the above list, some fields which used to be read/write over Bi-Synch in the 6360 are now read-only in the T640. These fields are:

- Channel 1 decimal point position, this parameter can only be modified via the T640 front panel (field SETUP2.DP_PV), and
- Channels 1 to 3 input processing, these parameters can only be modified via the T640 front panel (fields SETUP2.IC_Ch1 through to IC_Ch3).

6360 emulation strategy schematic

Figure 5-2 shows schematically the main parameters in the strategy and the principal signal flow between them.



Figre 5.2 Setpoint derivation flow diagram

6360 EMULATION FUNCTION BLOCKS AND PARAMETERS

Following parameterisation, the user is required to carry out a PartSave (or FullSave) procedure by setting TRUE the bit SW.PartSave (SW.FullSave) in the SM6360 block called SETUP2. The message "SAVING.." followed by "SAVE OK" will be shown in the T640 tag display, indicating that the procedure was successful.

NOTE 1: If the T640 is left in the Loop Inspect mode and no pushbuttons are pressed for 2 minutes, the front panel reverts automatically to its normal display mode.

NOTE 2: When some of the SL6360 or SM6360 blocks parameters are modified during the Inspect mode, they may take up to 30 seconds to update the appropriate fields in the T640 strategy and hence the effect of some changes is not instantaneous. These parameters are mostly commissioning fields, such as ranges, which do not need to be scanned for changes every loop update.

| Block | Field Su | bfield Description |
|---------|----------|---|
| SETUP1 | | This block provides the interface between the binary comms link |
| | | and the T640 database. |
| | 1H, 1L | PV (Channel 1 Input) high and low ranges. |
| | HD, LD | High and low deviation alarm limits. |
| | HA, LA | High and low absolute alarm limits. |
| | HS, LS | SP and SL high and low limits. |
| | HO, LO | 3-Term output high and low limits. |
| | HR, LR | Ratio setting high and low limits. |
| | Instr_No | Instrument number (Bi-Synch comms address). |
| | XP | Proportional band |
| | TI | Integral time constant |
| | TD | Derivative time constant |
| | 2H, 2L | Ratio PV (Channel 2 Input) high and low ranges. These values are applied to Channel 2 only if SW.SelRatio is TRUE, otherwise 1H and 1L apply. |
| | 3H, 3L | Setpoint and ratio trim/measured position (Channel 3 Input) hig and low ranges. They should be both set to zero when Channel 3 is not used, otherwise an open-circuit alarm on the input will be constantly displayed. |
| | MP | Measured position. Displayed instead of OP (output display on T640 front panel) only if MD.MPDisSel is TRUE. |
| | RS | Ratio setting. Used to calculate the ratio setpoint. |
| | RB | Ratio bias. Used to trim the resultant setpoint. |
| | IF | Input channels filter constant. |
| | TS | PID algorithm sampling time. |
| | ER | Error value (PV-SP). |

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| Block | Field | Subfield | Description |
|-----------|----------|------------|--|
| | MD | | Operating Mode. |
| | | ManualPB | Manual (M) pushbutton pressed. |
| | | AutoPB | Auto (A) pushbutton pressed. |
| | | RemotePB | Remote/Ratio (R) pushbutton pressed. |
| | | SetpntPB | Setpoint (SP) pushbutton pressed. |
| | | MPDisSel | Selects measured position for display. |
| | | LEDtest | Front panel LED test. |
| | | RaisePB | Raise (▲) pushbutton pressed. |
| | | LowerPB | Lower (♥) pushbutton pressed. |
| | | Sumcheck | Indicates the presence of a sumcheck error in the database. |
| | | PVOCct | PV in open-circuit. |
| | | RmRatEnb | RemoteSP or Ratio Enabled. |
| | | RemRatio | Remote/Ratio mode active. |
| | | Auto | Auto mode active. |
| | | Manual | Manual mode active. |
| | | Track | Track mode active. |
| | | Hold | Hold mode active. |
| TUP2 | | ······ | 6360 parameterisation function block. |
| | DP PV | | Enumeration for the PV, SL, SP and Remote SP decimal point |
| | - | | position. (0000/000.0/00.00/0.000/.0000) |
| | DP OP | | Enumeration for the OP decimal point position. |
| | | | (0000/000.0/00.00/0.000/.0000) |
| | IC Masks | | Pushbuttons disable bits. |
| | | PBmaskM | Disables the manual (M) pushbutton. |
| · · · · · | | PBmaskA | Disables the auto (A) pushbutton. |
| | | PBmaskR | Disables the remote (R) pushbutton. |
| | | PBmasks | |
| | IC Chi | I DITIUSKS | Disables the manual (M), auto (A) and remote (R) pushbuttons. |
| | IC_Ch1 | | Enumeration for the Channel 1 input channel processing. NONE: 0 to 10V |
| | | | SQRT: 0 to 10V |
| | | | J: -200 to 1200∫C |
| | | | K: -270 to 1370∫C |
| | | | T: -2270 to 400∫ C |
| | | | S: -50 to 1760∫C |
| | | | R: -50 to 1760 C |
| | | | E: -270 to 1000∫C |
| | | | B: 0 to 1820∫C |
| | | | PRT: -220 to 1050∫C |
| | | | INVERSE: 0 to 10V |
| | IC_Ch2 | | Enumeration for the Channel 2 input channel processing. (NONE/SQRT/J/K/T/S/R/E/B/PRT/INVERSE) |
| | IC_Ch3 | | Enumeration for the Channel 3 input channel processing. (NONE/SQRT/J/K/T/S/R/E/B/PRT/INVERSE) |

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| lock Field | Subfield | Description |
|--|---------------------|---|
| SW | | Status switch settings. |
| | InType1 | Determines the input range (and therefore the site and channel) fo Channel 1 (i.e. the PV). FALSE selects 1-5V, TRUE selects 0-10V. |
| | InType2 | Determines the input range (and therefore the site and channel) fo Channel 2. FALSE selects 1-5V, TRUE selects 0-10V. |
| ······································ | InType3 | Determines the input range (and therefore the site and channel) fo Channel 3. FALSE selects 1-5V, TRUE selects 0-10V. |
| | FullSave | Allows the current database (in RAM) to be entirely saved (to the EEPROM) to the same filename from which it was loaded. |
| | PartSave | Allows the current database (in RAM) to be saved (to the EEPROM) without the 'tepid' data to the same filename from which it was loaded. Following parameterisation, the user is required to carry out a PartSave procedure by setting this bitfield TRUE. The message "SAVING" followed by "SAVE OK" will be shown in the T640 tag |
| | | display, indicating that the procedure was successful. |
| | BaudRt1, BaudRt2 | RS422 comms Baud rate selection. BaudRt1 FALSE FALSE TRUE TRUE BaudRt2 FALSE TRUE FALSE TRUE Baud rate = 9600 4800 1200 300 |
| | NoIntBal | Integral term balance enabled when FALSE. |
| | TimeBase | Specifies time units for TI, TD and TS. FALSE (default) selects Seconds. TRUE selects Minutes. |
| | Chan3OP | Channel 3 output function selection. FALSE (default) allows SP to be re-transmitted as the Channel 3 output. TRUE allows the de viation to be re-transmitted. Dev = $[Err + 1H + 1L] / 2$ (centred around 50% of the full range) |
| | SPtrkPV | SP track PV enable bit (when mode is not Auto or Remote). |
| | FailMode | Power up and Open-Circuit fail modes. TRUE forces the loop into Manual mode on power up and the output to be set to its lowest limit (HO or LO depending on whether output electrical inversion is selected or not, see InvOP below) on input open-circuit. FALSE forces the loop to resume operation in the mode in which it was operating prior to power failure and the output to be held at the last calculated value on input open-circuit. |
| | InvPID | 3-Term control action sense. FALSE (default) selects direct action TRUE selects inverse action. |
| | InvRatio | Ratio action sense. FALSE (default) selects direct ratio action. TRUE selects inverse ratio action. |
| | InvOP | Inverse output. Used to select output electrical inversion. FALSE (default) selects direct action, TRUE selects inverse action where 100% is 0V (or 4 mA) and 0% is 10V (or 20mA). |
| | SelRatio | Ratio mode selection. TRUE selects Ratio Setpoint. FALSE selects Remote Setpoint. |

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| Block Fie | ld Subfield | Description |
|-----------|-----------------------|---|
| DS | | Digital input/output states. |
| | NotHiAlm | High alarm output. FALSE indicates that either the high absolute or the high deviation alarm is asserted. |
| | NotLoAlm | Low alarm output. FALSE indicates that either the low absolute or the low deviation alarm is asserted. |
| | NotHwAlm | Hardware alarm output. FALSE indicates that either the database has a sumcheck error or an open-circuit on the PV input signal has been detected. |
| | BattAlm | Not implemented. |
| | NotRemRt | Loop not in Remote/Ratio mode. FALSE indicates that either mode is active. |
| | NotHdMan | Loop not in Hold or Manual mode. FALSE indicates that either mode is active. |
| | UserBit1, UserBit2 | Spare bitfields wired directly to the digital output bits 2 and 3 on site 2 of the T640. |
| - | NoKeyPrt | Indicates the status of the partial inspection digital input. |
| | NoKeyFul | Not implemented. |
| | CompEn | Not implemented. |
| | EnRemRt | Digital input enabling Remote/Ratio. |
| | SelTrack | Track select digital input. |
| | DisHold | Hold disable digital input. |
| | | |

 Table 5-3
 Function blocks parameters

I/O ALLOCATION

For correct operation of the instrument, it is necessary that the I/O is connected up to it in the following manner.

Analogue Inputs

The controller has three separate analogue input channels allocated the following functions (for TA636X/T710 terminal numbers refer to Table 5-2. Pin refers to T750 pin in following descriptions):

Channel 1 (Pin 10: 1-5V or Pin 13: 0-10V)

Channel 1 is the Process Variable (Measured Value) input and has the same range as the Setpoint. An open-circuit condition on Channel 1 will be indicated on the T640 in the form of the display "OCct1" (subject to a 3-second delay).

Channel 2 (Pin 11: 1-5V or Pin 14: 0-10V)

Channel 2 is allocated to one of the following two functions depending upon whether the T640 is acting as a Ratio Controller or not. When Remote mode is selected, an open-circuit condition on Channel 2 will be indicated on the T640 in the form of the display "OCct2".

SETUP2.SW.SelRatio FALSE

If this bitfield is FALSE, the T640 is configured as a conventional 3-Term PID Controller. In this mode, Channel 2 is used as a Remote Setpoint input, if and when required (SETUP2.DS.EnRemRt, Pin 29, needs to be TRUE/high and the operating mode needs to be Remote).

SETUP2.SW.SelRatio TRUE

If this bitfield is TRUE, the T640 is configured as a Ratio Controller. In this mode, Channel 2 is used as the Ratio Process Variable input (see Figure 5-2).

Channel 3 (Pin 12: 1-5V or Pin 15: 0-10V)

Channel 3 is allocated to one of the following four functions depending upon the T640 operating mode, the status of the Track Enable digital input (Pin 30), SETUP2.SW.SelRatio and SETUP1.MD.MPDisSel bits. When Track mode is selected or when both SETUP1.3H and SETUP1.3L are not null simultaneously, an open-circuit condition on Channel 3 will be indicated on the T640 in the form of the display "OCct3".

Track mode

When the Track Enable digital input is high, the T640 operates in Track mode. Under this condition, the 3-Term output is forced to follow the signal applied to the Channel 3 input without filtering or input channel processing.

SETUP2.SW.SelRatio FALSE and SETUP1.MD.MPDisSel FALSE

Under these conditions the T640 operates as a conventional 3-Term PID controller and the signal applied to the Channel 3 input is used to trim the Local or Remote Setpoint (see Figure 5-2).

SETUP2.SW.SelRatio TRUE and SETUP1.MD.MPDisSel FALSE

Under these conditions the T640 operates as a Ratio controller. The signal applied to the Channel 3 input is used to trim the Ratio Setting, SETUP1.RS (see Figure 5-2).

SETUP1.MD.MPDisSel TRUE

Regardless of the setting of SETUP2.SW.SelRatio, if SETUP1.MD.MPDisSel is set TRUE then the controller is displaying the Measured Power signal, SETUP1.MP, applied to the Channel 3 input (see Figure 5-2).

Analogue Outputs

The controller has three separate analogue output allocated the following functions:

Channel 1 (Pin 32: 0-10V)

Channel 1 is the 3-Term PID control output level representing 0-100% of full scale output. If the Channel 1 3-Term PID control output is required in isolated form, then this signal is available from Pins 45 and 43 as a 4-20mA isolated output.

Channel 2 (Pin 33: 0-10V)

Channel 2 is the re-transmitted version of the Process Variable input after it has been filtered and had any signal processing applied to it.

Channel 3 (Pin 34: 0-10V)

Channel 3 may be selected by means of bitfield SETUP2.SW.Chan3OP to output either of two signals as follows:

SETUP2.SW.Chan3OP FALSE

If this bitfield is FALSE, this output is a re-transmitted version of the Setpoint. It is in fact the Resultant Setpoint, SP, as actually applied to the 3-Term PID control algorithm and is the Local or Remote value with or without Trim.

SETUP2.SW.Chan3OP TRUE

If this bitfield is TRUE, the output is a re-transmitted version of the Deviation signal. In fact, the output in this mode represents the spanned error, centered about a 5V datum thus:

Dev = [Err + 1H + 1L] / 2

Digital Inputs

The controller is provided with eight digital inputs (two of which are unallocated) for use with 0-15V logic levels. They occupy pins 24, 25 and 28 to 31. Each of these inputs is allocated to the following functions:

Input 1 (Pin 24)

When at 15V, this digital input enables Partial Inspection mode. This input provides the same functionality as the Partial Access infrared security key (order code: T950/Partial).

Input 6 (Pin 29)

This digital input is used to enable the controller to switch to the Remote mode with Remote Setpoint or Ratio mode when the front-panel R button is pressed. When this signal is absent, the controller is inhibited from entering the Remote/Ratio mode.

Input 7 (Pin 30)

When at 15V, this digital input enables the controller to enter Track mode providing Hold mode is not selected.

Input 8 (Pin 31)

This digital input is used to select/deselect Hold mode. When at 0V, this input will cause the controller to enter Hold mode and maintain the controller PID analogue outputs at their current levels (both 0-10V and 4-20mA controller outputs). To enable the controller to operate normally, this input must therefore be held at 15V.

It can be seen that external alarm signals can be connected to this input and so "freeze" the controller output under alarm conditions if required. In applications where this facility is not used, it is recommended that Pin 31 is connected to the Watchdog Output (Pin 9) which is high at all times during normal operation.

Digital Outputs

The controller is provided with eight digital outputs (three of which are not used) which produce 0-15V logic levels. They occupy pins 16 to 18, 20 and 21. Each of these outputs is allocated to the following functions:

Output 1 (Pin 16)

This output signal is used to indicate when the deviation between Setpoint and Process variable has exceeded the High Deviation Alarm Limit (SETUP1.HD), or if the Process Variable has exceeded the High Absolute Alarm Limit (SETUP1.HA). When either of these alarm conditions are reached, Pin 16 will fall to 0V, otherwise it will remain at 15V.

Output 2 (Pin 17)

This output signal is used to indicate when the deviation between Setpoint and Process variable has exceeded the Low Deviation Alarm Limit (SETUP1.LD), or if the Process Variable is below the Low Absolute Alarm Limit (SETUP1.LA). When either of these alarm conditions are reached, Pin 17 will fall to 0V, otherwise it will remain at 15V.

Output 3 (Pin 18)

This output signal represents the common hardware alarm condition and will be at 15V during normal controller operation. Pin 18 output will fall to 0V to indicate that either a memory sumcheck failure has occurred (also indicated by the bitfield SETUP1.MD.Sumcheck), or that the Process Variable is in open-circuit (highlighted in the T640 tag display as "OCct1" and also indicated by the bitfield SETUP1.MD.PVFail).

Output 5 (Pin 20)

This status output is normally at 15V unless the controller is in Remote/Ratio mode at which it reverts to 0V.

Output 6 (Pin 21)

This status output is normally at 15V unless Hold mode is selected or the controller is in Manual mode at which times it reverts to 0V.

Output 7 (Pin 22)

This output can be set by the user to be a logic 1 or a logic 0. This is carried out by setting SETUP2.DS.UserBit1 TRUE or FALSE from the T640 front panel or by writing a 1 or a 0 to SETUP1.DS.UserBit1 via Bi-Synch. When the bit is at logic 1, the output is at 15V. When the bit is at a logic 0, the output is at 0V.

Output 8 (Pin 23)

This output can be set by the user to be a logic 1 or a logic 0. This is carried out by setting SETUP2.DS.UserBit2 TRUE or FALSE from the T640 front panel or by writing a 1 or a 0 to SETUP1.DS.UserBit2 via Bi-Synch. When the bit is at logic 1, the output is at 15V. When the bit is at a logic 0, the output is at 0V.

ON/OFF CONTROL

Unlike the 6360, On/Off control cannot be selected on the T640 by setting XP to zero. Instead, a sequence of pushbutton selections is provided to do so or to revert back to 3-Term PID control.

1 If the controller is already in 3-Term PID control and the intention is to set it to On/Off control mode, the procedure is as follows:

With ALM and SP pressed simultaneously, the T640 tag display changes to INVALID then NEXT? indicating that controller operation is about to be modified. This should be followed by ALM and \blacktriangle pushbuttons, pressed simultaneously, then, by ALM and SP, pressed simultaneously. The T640 will then display ON/OFF for 3 seconds, indicating that On/Off control is successfully selected.

2 If the controller is in On/Off control and the intention is to set it to 3-Term PID control mode, the procedure is as follows: With ALM and SP pressed simultaneously, the T640 tag display changes to INVALID then NEXT? indicating that controller operation is about to be modified. This should be followed by ALM and \blacktriangle pushbuttons, pressed simultaneously, then, by ALM and SP, pressed simultaneously. The T640 will then display 3T-PID for 3 seconds, indicating that 3-Term PID control is successfully selected.

NOTE: Any of the two selection sequences above is automatically aborted if not carried out fully. A time out of 10 seconds is applied after each combination of pushbutton presses.

COMMUNICATING WITH THE T640

There are two ways in which a T640 fitted with an M101 memory module may be integrated into a system - via the ALIN and via RS422 serial data comms using bi-synch protocol.

Communicating on the ALIN

This is available when the T640 is fitted in a T710 sleeve. ALIN terminals are also present in the T750 sleeve but the TA636X termination connecting to the sleeve does not cater for them.

ALIN gives tight integration into the Eurotherm Process Automation LIN system. Blocks have been included in the 6360 emulation fixed-function strategies specifically for caching. The most important of these is the PID_CONN block, which allows interaction with the control loop. The name of the PID_CONN block is:

PID60**

where ****** is the instrument node number. For example, if the ALIN address of the instrument were 88, the T640 control block would be named PID6088. The T640 automatically substitutes the node number for ******.

Furthermore, four diagnostic blocks are provided for the instrument as a whole. For details on the operation of these blocks, please refer to the LIN blocks Reference Manual (Part No. HA 082 375 U003). Table 5-4 lists these block types and their names.

| Block type | Block name |
|------------|------------|
| DB DIAG | DDIAG ** |
| EDB DIAG | EDIAG_** |
| ALINDIAG | ALIND ** |
| T600TUNE | T600T_** |

 Table 5-4
 Diagnostic blocks in the 6360 emulation fixed-function strategy

Bi-Synch protocol

As an option (required if the T640 is to replace a 6360), the T640 can be fitted with RS422/RS485 communications. The controller will then emulate a 6360 as far as functionality and communications are concerned (for list of exception, see the paragraph titled 'List of 6360 Functions not implemented in the T640'). This allows the T640 to be integrated into existing 6000 instrument-based systems. Setting up the RS422 node address is done within the SL6360 block named SETUP1.

Chapter 6 CHANGES LOGFILE

LOGFILES

The T640 maintains in EEPROM a logfile of every parameter change made via the front panel database access mechanism, i.e. via the **INS** button. (Please refer to Chapter 4, *User interface*, for full details on database access and use of this button.) The logfile contains a complete record of what was changed, when it was changed, and by whom.

Logfile organisation

The logfile adopts the same root filename as the .DBF file from which the database was loaded, but with extension **.Lnn**, where *nn* is the logfile number, ranging from 01 to 99. When a logfile becomes full (i.e. has reached 1Kbyte) it closes and its number is written to the T600 block's *Log_File* parameter. The previously held file is deleted. When more logfile data is generated a new file with incremented logfile number is automatically created. Thus the T600 block logfile number defines a file that may be safely uploaded. If *Log_File* is '0', there is no file to upload. Only the two most recent logfiles are retained in memory: the currently open file and the last closed one.

A logfile can be closed before it is full if another type of file (e.g. a strategy file) is added to EEPROM to make the logfile no longer the latest file. This is because T640's filing system allows data to be appended only to the last file in EEPROM.

Logfile records

There are two possible records in a log file:

■ Inspect Mode entry. This record shows the date of entry into Database Inspect mode, and which security key was used to access the mode. One of these records is written to file only if parameter changes were actually made.

Each record is a single text line of the format

dd/mm/yy T:aakkkk

| where: dd/mm/yy = the date in day/month/year representation | | |
|---|------|--|
| | Т | = type of security key $(P = partial, F = full, G = global,$ |
| | | ignoring area no.) |
| | aa | = area number (0 - 63) |
| | kkkk | = security key number (0 - 4095). |

Parameter Change entry. This record shows a single instance of parameter updating. In order to control file size when the operator is 'nudging' to the value, there must be a significant time gap between nudges to result in more than one record. Where a change in direction occurs the peaks in each direction are logged (as a minimum). The time logged is the time that the final value was written.

Each record is a single text line of the format

```
hh:mm:ss block.field.subfield = value
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or, for a change of mode,

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hh:mm:ss LOOP n = X
```

where: hh:mm:ss = the time in hours/minutes/seconds (24hr) representation

block ... = the full path of the point being modified
value = the new value
n = the loop number
X = the new mode, i.e. M, A, or R.

Example logfile record

```
21/01/93 F: 3:2345
01:12:15 T640C6C3.Options.FPdisl = TRUE
01:12:18 T640C6C3.Options.NoKeyFul = FALSE
01:12:25 LOOP 4 = M
```

Chapter 7 INSIDE T640

INTERNAL LAYOUT

Please refer to Chapter 2, *Installation & startup*, for details of T640's dimensions, internal physical and electrical layout, and hardware configuration. The present chapter deals with the software and hardware blocks functioning within the T640.

FUNCTIONAL BLOCKS

Figure 7-1 shows a functional block schematic of the T640. The main functional blocks are: the motherboard, the front panel, the I/O sub-assemblies (up to two), and the rearpanel customer screw terminals.



Figure 7-1 T640 Functional block schematic

Motherboard

The motherboard is the main electronics board in the instrument to which all other subassemblies connect. It carries the main CPU, communications electronics, power supply, and the two configuration DIL switchbanks.

Main CPU

The main CPU has its own limited I/O to read the configuration DIL switches and the power supply status. It also provides a watchdog output to indicate the health of the processor, and a common alarm output. Both these outputs are available at the rear connectors.

Details on the operation of the watchdog and alarm outputs are given in Chapter 8, *Error* conditions & diagnostics.

Memory

Memory consists of EPROM for T640 firmware, EEPROM for databases, standard strategies and logfiles, and static RAM for the working memory and operational data (running database with setpoints etc.). The RAM is maintained by a Supercap. This obviates the need for a battery in the instrument, and means that the T640 resumes its exact control conditions in the event of a power failure of up to 24 hours. Key operating parameters, controller modes, setpoints, etc., are passed to EEPROM on power-down to ensure that the controller returns to its correct operating conditions if the power fails for more than 24 hours. (Refer to Chapter 2 for details of T640's power-up routines.)

The EEPROM (and EPROM) memory resides in a removable memory module. This allows a new strategy to be plugged directly into an existing controller, or conversely allows a strategy to remain if the controller must be changed. (Chapter 2 describes memory-module and T640 unit replacement.)

Table 2-4 in Chapter 2 summarised the major T640 file types. Further details on these files are given in the relevant sections of this manual.

Comms ports

There are three communications ports — two serial, and one peer-to-peer. The two serial ports are the internal serial bus, and the Bisync/MODBUS port, available as options at the rear panel via an isolated RS422/485 driver on the motherboard. Jumpers and motherboard switches select which port is connected via the driver. (Chapter 2 specifies these jumper and switch configurations.) The third port is the peer-to-peer ALIN channel.

Internal Serial Bus (ISB). The ISB communicates between the main CPU, the I/O card(s), and the front panel. It also supports remote I/O and external faceplates from the rear connections (*not available at this release*). The external link is half duplex, using a 5-wire RS485-derivative physical and electrical interface to the I/O cards. The front panel and any internally fitted I/O cards are directly coupled to the main processor at logic levels.

The ISB is asynchronous, with 1 start bit, 8 data bits, 1 control bit, and 1 stop bit, operating at 78.125kbits/second. This speed allows messages to be transferred with negligible delay.

The main processor acts as master on this communications bus; no other nodes can transmit without being invited to. Each slave node on the bus is given a node number, in the range 0 - 15. Node number 15 is reserved for the front panel, and node numbers 0 - 7 are allocated to I/O cards. Each I/O card has switches for setting up its ISB node number.

Bisync/MODBUS Port. This port provides a Bisync slave interface for connection to existing supervisors or to industry-standard MODBUS units (selectable via SW1/1), via the RS422/485 driver.



Figure 7-2 ALIN communications schematic

ALIN peer-to-peer comms. A high-speed (2.5Mbaud) short-distance form of the LIN, the ALIN is the main communications channel in the instrument, used for configuration, supervision, and inter-instrument communication. See Figure 7-2. It supports all current LIN features — block attachments, field writes, file transfers, etc. — except channel redundancy. ALIN and LIN can be interconnected via a T221 bridge.

ALIN is provided by an ARCNET physical layer and uses the same, though enhanced, application layer as the LIN. The peer-to-peer enhancements — synchronised realtime clock and time-stamped alarms — are provided by the T221 bridge.

Power supplies

T640 has two power supply options — DC input, and AC input. See Chapter 9, Specifications, for details.

DIL switchbanks

Switchbanks 1 and 2 set T640's comms function and address, startup procedure, standard strategy selection, and also enable/disable a loop failure watchdog alarm. (Refer to Chapter 2 for switchbank functions.) Chapter 5 details the pre-configured fixed-function strategies stored in the T640.

Front panel

The front panel display sub-assembly is an intelligent unit controlled by its own microprocessor. It communicates with the main CPU on the motherboard via the internal serial bus (see Figure 7-1). The display features are specified in Chapter 9. Using the front panel and the security key are described in Chapter 4, *User interface*.

I/O sub-assemblies

The T640 can be supplied with several I/O options, in the form of I/O boards that mount on the motherboard and communicate with it via the ISB. Note that a T640's I/O is not restricted to its own direct inputs, as it can access data from other instruments across the ALIN. For full descriptions and specifications of the available I/O, see Chapter 9, *Specifications*. Chapter 2 (*Hardware configuration* section) shows an example of how I/O boards fit inside the T640

Customer screw terminals

Full details of the rear-panel screw terminals are given in Chapter 2 in the *Connections & wiring* section.

Chapter 8 ERROR CONDITIONS & DIAGNOSTICS

This chapter deals with T640's error conditions, diagnostic messages, safety features, and alarm strategy. Power-up messages tell you what T640 is doing or attempting to do when power is restored, and subsequently database alarms and hardware/software faults are signalled as special front-panel messages, or 4-digit hex codes which can be looked up in Table 8-1.

The aims of T640's safety features are to report abnormal and fault conditions to the outside world, to prevent — as far as is practicable — unsafe conditions occurring, and if they do occur, to restore the system to a safe state as quickly as possible.

POWER-UP DISPLAYS

Normal power-up

Power-on Reset. normally flashes briefly in the red tag display when T640 is powered up, while the front panel awaits communications from the main CPU. Then, **WarmStrt Try**ing, **TepidSrt Trying**, or **ColdStrt Trying**, flash to tell you the type of startup procedure T640 is attempting. If a standard strategy is being loaded for the very first time, **Un Pack Database** flashes in the tag display as the file is being decompressed. Finally, the fascia adopts the normal display (as described in Chapter 4).

ERROR CONDITIONS

- CPU FAIL flashes in the 5-digit display if the CPU fails to establish comms to the fascia. This message can also mean a watchdog failure (see later under *CPU watch-dog*, incorrect motherboard comms option SW1/2 setting (see Table 2-3 in Chapter 2, *Hardware configuration* section), or an absent/faulty memory module.
- **HALTED** in the tag display, with **Error** flashing in the 5-digit display, means the user task in the main display has halted.
- Err hhhh flashing brightly in alternation with the normal tag display means a filing system or database system error (e.g. coldstart file access failure) identified by a 4-digit hex code hhhh. Filing system alarms override database alarms on the front panel. To clear them, press the ▲ and ▼ keys simultaneously. Table 8-1 lists all the hex code error numbers and their meanings.

■ Database alarms. Unacknowledged alarms in the loop occupying the main display cause the tag display to bright flash the highest priority alarm name in alternation with the standard message. Unacknowledged alarms elsewhere display LP *n* ALM, where *n* is the relevant loop number. Please refer to Chapter 4, *Alarm display & inspection* section, for further details on alarm display, inspection, and acknowledge-ment.

| Error | Meaning |
|--------------|--|
| 6001 | Failure to load MODBUS database |
| 6002 | Failure to start MODBUS database |
| 0001 | Device net meunted (compatible (net formatted, or corrupt) |
| 8201 | Device not mounted/compatible (not formatted, or corrupt) |
| 8202 | Invalid device specified |
| 8203 | Error performing I/O to device (write/read protected by wrong switch settings) |
| 8204 | Feature not implemented |
| 8205 8206 | Formatting error Physical device not present |
| | Device full |
| 8207 | File not found |
| 8208 8209 | No handles for file (not enough memory to open file and note its state) |
| 8209 820A | Bad filename |
| | |
| 820B 820C | Verify error File locked, already in use |
| 820C | The locked, direddy in use |
| 8301 | Bad template |
| 8302 | Bad block number |
| 8303 | No free blocks |
| 8304 | No free database memory |
| 8305 | Not allowed by block create |
| 8306 | ln use |
| 8307 | Database already exists |
| 8308 | No spare databases |
| 8309 | Not enough memory |
| 8320 | Bad library file (corrupt ROM file) |
| 8321 | Invalid template in library |
| 8322 | Bad server (corrupt file when loading) |
| 8323 | Cannot create EDB entry |
| 8324 | Bad file version |
| 8325 | Bad template spec |
| 8326 | Unable to make block remote |
| 8327 | Invalid parent |
| 8328 | Corrupt data in .DBF file |
| 8329 | Corrupt block spec |
| 832A | Corrupt block data |
| 832B | Corrupt pool data |
| 832C | No free resources |
| 832D | Template not found |
| 832E | Template resource fault |
| 8330 | Cannot start |
| 8331 | Cannot stop |
| 8332 | Empty database |

continued ...

| continue | ed |
|----------|---|
| Error | Meaning |
| 8333 | Configurator in use |
| 8340 | .DBF file write failed |
| 8341 | More than one .RUN file found |
| 8342 | .RUN file not found |
| 834A | Connection source is not an output |
| 834B | Multiple connection to same input |
| 834C | Connection destination not input |
| 834D | No free connection resources |
| 834E | Bad connection source/destination block/field |
| 834F | Invalid connection destination |
| 8350 | Warmstart switch is disabled |
| 8351 | No database was running |
| 8352 | Real-time clock is not running |
| 8353 | Root block clock is not running |
| 8354 | Coldstart time was exceeded |
| 8355 | Root block is invalid |
| 8356 | More than two PID or 3_TERM blocks in a 2-loop controller |
| 8357 | Coldstart switch is disabled |
| 8360 | Unsynchronised Block Types |
| 8361 | DB/Filing system mismatch |
| 8362 | Unsynchronised Secondary |
| 8363 | Operation forbidden whilst CPUs synchronising |
| 8364 | Power-up data inhibits run |
| 8365 | POST hardware failure |
| 8366 | Not fixed-function strategy |
| 8367 | Default strategy missing |
| FFFF | (Unspecified error) |

Table 8-1 T640 Error numbers & their meanings

ALARM STRATEGY

Alarm priorities

Alarm priorities in the T640 follow the convention established in all LIN-based instruments. They can be set in individual blocks via their *Alarms* fields and are defined as:

- $\blacksquare 0 (lowest priority) = alarm disabled.$
- 1 -5 = annunciated with auto acknowledge. These alarms are annunciated only while the alarm condition persists, and clear themselves when the alarm condition clears, without needing manual acknowledgement.
- 6-10 = annunciated with manual acknowledge. These alarms do not automatically clear when the alarm condition disappears, but remain active until manually acknowledged.

■ 11-15 (top priority) = annunciated with manual acknowledge and alarm relay. These alarms work in the same way as priority 6-10 alarms but in addition they trip the T640 hardware alarm relay (see below) and set the T600 block's *Status/Alarm* bit.

Alarm annunciation

Annunciated alarms are indicated on the controller front panel by means of the red LED in the ALM button, and also via the tag display. Please refer to Chapter 4 for further details.

Alarm events

As an alarm state changes, into or out of alarm, (occurring at block execution time) this event is advised to an alarm event system where it is date/time stamped (*not implemented at Issue 1*). A supervisor may attach to the alarm events of an instrument (*not at Issue 1*). Once so attached, the instrument checks at regular intervals to see if any new alarm events have occurred and transmits them to the supervisor.

To ensure consistent date/time stamping, the date/time is regularly copied across the peerto-peer communications link, via the T221 bridge (*not implemented at Issue 1*).

Alarm relay

The alarm relay's contacts are closed when energised and in the no-alarm condition. When a priority 11-15 alarm occurs in the T640, or if the database halts, the contacts open. They also open if the relay is de-energised, i.e. fail safe operation.

CPU WATCHDOG

Watchdog output

The instrument is provided with a watchdog output on the main processor unit, which flags an alarm condition if the processor fails. If the watchdog trips, the processor is reset and restarted.

Watchdog relay

A relay output is provided to indicate that the watchdog has tripped. The contacts are closed when energised and in the healthy condition, but open if the CPU fails. Additionally, the front panel 5-digit display flashes CPU FAIL until the processor has been restarted.

Loop fail

The CPU can also force the watchdog into alarm, to flag if a loop (user task) fails to run, or if the database halts. This facility may be enabled/disabled via the motherboard DIL switchbank SW1, switch 5 (see Figure 2-12 in Chapter 2, *Hardware configuration* section). If a loop fails to run, the outputs assume the state defined in the *OPTIONS/ CPUF1Lo* field of the output block (e.g. 'low').

User alarm

The watchdog relay can also act as a general-purpose user alarm, via the T600 block's *UsrAlm* field. A TRUE input to *UsrAlm* from the control strategy opens the relay contacts. A FALSE input closes them, but is overridden by a watchdog alarm.

Main processor (CPU) fail

Both I/O cards and the front panel microprocessor can detect failure of the main CPU, by virtue of there being no activity on the internal serial bus. In this case the front panel replaces the normal 5-digit PV display with a flashing **CPU FAIL** message. The I/O cards can be programmed with action to be performed on main processor fail, e.g. outputs hold or outputs low. If the database stops, either due to a fault, or as a result of a command over the LIN, this will also cause the I/O cards to adopt their CPU-fail state.

Forced manual mode

In user tasks with MODE blocks, the block adopts forced manual mode under error conditions (i.e. sumcheck, open circuit PV, or other strategy-defined conditions).
Chapter 9 SPECIFICATIONS

T640 BASE UNIT

Panel cut-out & dimensions

Please refer to Chapter 2, under Installation, for details.

Mechanical

Fascia dimensions: Mounting panel aperture: Behind mounting panel: Front of mounting panel: Weight: height 144mm, width 72mm. height 138 +1 -0 mm, width 68 +0.7 -0 mm. depth 258mm (measured from panel front). depth 10.6mm. 2.15kg.

Environmental

Storage temperature: Operating temperature:

Atmosphere:

Front panel sealing: EMC emissions: EMC immunity: Electrical safety:

Isolation:

Vibration:

Shock:

 -10° C to $+85^{\circ}$ C, at humidity of 5-95% (non-condensing).

 0° C to +50°C. The enclosure must provide adequate ventilation, and heating if required to avoid condensation at low temperatures.

Unsuitable for use above 2000m or in explosive or corrosive atmospheres.

to meet EN60529: IP65.

to meet EN50081-2 (Group 1; Class A).

to meet EN50082-2.

to meet EN61010, Installation category II. Voltage transients on any mains power connected to the unit must not exceed 2.5kV.

Electrically conductive pollution must be excluded from the cabinet in which the unit is mounted.

All isolated inputs and outputs are double-insulated as specified in EN61010 to provide protection against electric shock. (Isolation levels for particular I/O types are stated in the relevant section of the specification for the I/O board concerned.)

to meet BS2011 Part 2.1, Test Fc, Table CII, 'Equipment intended for large power plant and general industrial use' (2g, 10-55 Hz).

to meet BS2011 Part2.1, Test Ea, Table II, 'General test for robustness, handling and transport' (15g, 11ms).

Front panel displays

PV bargraph: SP bargraph: Output bargraph:

Numeric display: 'PV-X' legend: Tag display:

Units display: 'SP-W' legend:

Loop status summary

deviation/PV bargraph:

loop mode:

loop selected:

Pushbuttons

loop control:

red 51-segment vertical % display (flashable via block). green 51-segment vertical % display (flashable via block).

yellow 10-segment horizontal display (segments individually addressable).

5-digit, red 7-segment.lit red when PV indicated in Numeric display.8-character, red dot-matrix (user-configurable).

5-character, green dot-matrix (eng. units or SP). lit green when SP indicated in Units display.

4-off red 7-segment vertical displays, settable via block to 1/2/3%, 1/5/10%, or 10/20/30% deviation; or to 100% PV. Central bicolour LED glows green when deviation shown.

A(uto), R(emote/ratio) green lit single letters M(anual), H(old), T(rack) orange lit single letters.

green lit arrow symbol under deviation/PV bargraph.

6-off membrane pushbuttons with symbols—

| R (with green LED) | R └✦] |
|-------------------------------|---------------------|
| A (with green LED) | A O |
| M (with orange LED) | M |
| SP | SP-w ▶ |
| 'raise' | |
| 'lower' | ▼ |
| INS pushbutton | INS ?? |
| ALM pushbutton (with red LED) | alm ⊏⊅))) |

parameter access:

alarm acknowledge:

| (space) | ! | 11 | # | \$ | % | & | 1 | (|) | * | + | , | 10000 | • | 1 |
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| Ø | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 | : | ; | < | = | > | ? |
| 48 | 49 | 50 | 51 | 52 | 53 | 54 | 55 | 56 | 57 | 58 | 59 | 60 | 61 | 62 | 63 |
| æ | A | В | C | D | E | F | G | H | Ι | J | K | L | М | N | 0 |
| 64 | 65 | 66 | 67 | 68 | 69 | 70 | 71 | 72 | 73 | 74 | 75 | 76 | 77 | 78 | 79 |
| P | Q | R | S | Т | υ | V | W | X | Y | Z |] | ١ |] | \uparrow | |
| 80 | 81 | 82 | 83 | 84 | 85 | 86 | 87 | 88 | 89 | 90 | 91 | 92 | 93 | 94 | 95 |
| 1 | a | b | С | d | е | f | g | h | i | j | k | 1 | m | n | 0 |
| 96 | 97 | 98 | 99 | 100 | 101 | 10 2 | 103 | 104 | 105 | 106 | 107 | 108 | 109 | 110 | 111 |
| р | q | r | S | t | u | v | w | х | У | Z | { | | } | ~ | Δ |
| 112 | 113 | 114 | 115 | 116 | 117 | 118 | 119 | 120 | 121 | 122 | 123 | 124 | 125 | 126 | 127 |
| F | < | D | U | L | T | • | Р | В | Q | R | K | V | Y | J | G |
| 128 | 129 | 130 | 131 | 132 | 133 | 134 | 135 | 136 | 137 | 138 | 139 | 140 | 141 | 142 | 143 |
| H | С | N | E | A | X | W | Х | I | 0 |) | S | М | 11 | ? | Z |
| 144 | 145 | 146 | 147 | 148 | 149 | 150 | 151 | 152 | 153 | 154 | 155 | 156 | 157 | 158 | 159 |
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| 160 | 161 | 162 | 163 | 164 | 165 | 166 | 167 | 168 | 169 | 170 | 171 | 17 2 | 1 73 | 174 | 175 |
| φ | χ | ψ | ω | Γ | Δ | Θ | Λ | [1] | Σ | Φ | Ψ | Ω | £ | ¥ | Å |
| 176 | 177 | 178 | 179 | 180 | 181 | 182 | 183 | 184 | 185 | 186 | 187 | 188 | 189 | 190 | 191 |
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 Table 9-1
 Dot-matrix display character set (representation)

Dot-matrix display character set

Table 9-1 shows (in representative typefaces) the complete set of characters displayable by the two dot-matrix front-panel displays — the Tag display and the Units display. The number under each character is its decimal code, used to specify that character for display via the LINtools configuration package. Codes 0 to 31 are reserved and are not user-accessible.

Please refer to the T500 LINtools User Guide (Part No. HA 082 377 U005) for further details.

Relays

| Alarm relay: | SPST. 24V ac/dc at 1A. Absolute maximum rating 30Vrms, 60Vdc. |
|-----------------|---|
| Watchdog relay: | SPST. 24V ac/dc at 1A. Absolute maximum rating 30Vrms, 60Vdc. |

Power supplies

Mains version

| Input voltage range: | 90 - 265 Vac rms. |
|-----------------------------|--|
| Input frequency range: | 45 - 65 Hz. |
| Maximum peak input current: | 1.1A. |
| Power rating: | 25VA. |
| Holdup time: | 20ms. |
| Fuse: | T-type (IEC 127 time-lag type) |
| | 20 ¥ 5 mm 250Vac antisurge cartridge, 500mA. |

DC version

| Number of inputs: | 2 — Channel 1 (main input), channel 2 (backup). |
|----------------------|--|
| Input voltage range: | 19 - 55 V (including rectified 48Vac). |
| Power rating: | 25VA. |
| Holdup time: | 20ms. |
| Fuse: | T-type (IEC 127 time-lag type) |
| | 20×5 mm 250Vac antisurge cartridge, 2A. |

T950 Security key

Battery:

12V alkaline manganese dioxide type, of overall length 27.5-28.5 mm, diameter 9.62-10.62 mm. E.g. DuracellTM MN21, PanasonicTM RV08, or equivalent. (Refer to Ch2 for safety precautions.)

ALIN

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The ALIN runs on screened twisted pair. Phase A, pin 21, should be bussed to other Phase A signals and likewise Phase B, pin 22. The cable screen should be connected to ALIN Gnd, pin 20. The ALIN connections are galvanically isolated within the T640 to assist with noise rejection and simplify system wiring. The key specifications of the ALIN are summarised as follows:

| Cable type: | screened twisted pair. |
|-----------------------|---------------------------------|
| Line impedance: | 82 $Ω$, nominal. |
| Network topology: | single non-branching network. |
| Network terminations: | 82Ω at each end. |
| Maximum load: | 20 nodes. |
| Maximum length: | 100 metres. |
| Grounding: | single point ground per system. |

RS422 COMMUNICATIONS

| Selection: | Via motherboard DIL SW1 & jumper links (see Chapter 2). |
|------------------------|---|
| Protocols supported: | MODBUS and BISYNC. |
| Transmission standard: | 5-wire RS422 (0-5V). |
| Line impedance: | 120Ω - 240Ω twisted pair. |
| Line length: | 1220m (4000ft) maximum at 9600 baud. |
| Units per line: | 16 instruments electrical maximum, expandable to 128 electrical maximum by nesting of 8245 Comms Buffers. |

RS485 COMMUNICATIONS

| Selection: | Via motherboard DIL SW1 & jumper links (see Chapter 2). |
|------------------------|---|
| Protocols supported: | MODBUS. |
| Transmission standard: | 3-wire RS485 (0-5V). |
| Line impedance: | 120Ω - 240Ω twisted pair. |
| Line length: | 1220m (4000ft) maximum at 9600 baud. |
| Units per line: | 16 instruments electrical maximum. |

BISYNC PROTOCOL

| Selection: | Via motherboard DIL SW1 & jumper links (see Chapter 2). |
|-------------------|---|
| Conforms to: | ANSI-X3.28 - 2.5 - A4 Revision 1976 — binary version. |
| Medium: | RS422. |
| Implementation: | Via appropriate T6000 category function block running in the T640 (see the <i>LIN Blocks Reference Manual</i>). |
| Addresses: | 128 maximum, software-selectable via the S6000 function block's <i>Instr_No</i> parameter. |
| Data rate: | Software-selectable, via T600 function block's <i>BinSpd1</i> & <i>BinSpd2</i> parameters, from 300, 1200, 4800, & 9600 baud. |
| Character length: | 11 bits made up of — 1 start + 8 data + 1 parity (even) + 1 stop. |

MODBUS PROTOCOL

| Selection: | Via motherboard DIL SW1 & jumper links (see Chapter 2). |
|---------------------|---|
| Transmission mode: | MODBUS RTU (8-bit) supported. |
| Medium: | RS422 or RS485. |
| Implementation: | Via 'gateway' file (.GWF) configured via T500 LINtools MODBUS configurator and stored in the T640 together with the database file (.DBF). |
| Slave addresses: | 254 maximum, software-selectable via T500 LINtools MODBUS configurator. |
| Data rate: | Software-selectable (via LINtools) from 110, 150, 300, 600, 1200, 2400, 4800, and 9600 baud. |
| Parity & stop bits: | Software-selectable (via LINtools) from none, odd, and even parity, with 1 or 2 stop bits. |
| | |

SOFTWARE

Maximum resources supported

The table shows the default maximum resources supported by the T640. (This information is also available in the local DB_DIAG blocks.)

| Resource | Default Maximum |
|-------------|-----------------|
| Blocks | 256 |
| Templates | 50 |
| Libraries | 32 |
| EDBs | 8 |
| Featts | 128 |
| Teatts | 10 |
| Servers | 5 |
| Connections | 512 |

Note that if a database is loaded having more resources than the default maximum, the maximum is set to the new value — which may mean there is not enough memory to load the whole database. In this case it is the connections that disappear first. Featts are an exception. When a database is saved there are generally no Featts present because they are created dynamically at runtime, preventing the default maximum from being overridden.

Maximum sequencing resources supported

| Resource | Maximum |
|--------------------------|---|
| Simultaneous independent | sequences 10 |
| SFC actions | 50 |
| Steps | 150 |
| Action associations | 600 |
| Actions | 300 |
| Transitions | 225 |
| Servers | 5 |
| Sequence execution rate | (determined by repeat rate of User Task 4 loop) |

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HIGH-LEVEL I/O

Layout

The high-level I/O electronics resides on a main I/O board mounted next to the motherboard, which plugs into the central rear-panel 24-way terminal block (I/O site 1). These terminals can carry only half the available I/O; the second half can be accessed at the lefthand rear-panel 24-way terminal block (I/O site 2) via an expansion I/O board, fitted next to the main board. (Figure 2-10 in the *Hardware configuration* section of Chapter 2 shows this layout.)

T640 rear-panel customer connections

Please refer to Chapter 2, under Connections & wiring (Customer terminals), for details.

Input ranges

The appropriate 0-5 V or 0-10 V range is automatically selected by the software when you configure the analogue input or output block in the control database. However, you can override the software and select the 0-1.25 V range specifically by connecting together the two pins of Jumper 1, and those of Jumper 2, on the main high-level I/O board. These are located as shown in Figure 9-1. Both analogue inputs and voltage analogue outputs are forced to the 1.25V range by these jumper links.

Burden resistors. If internal burden resistors have been specified (HIB and HGB options), or if external burden resistors are fitted to the customer screw terminals, the analogue input block's range parameters — LR_in and HR_in — must be appropriately configured to suit the plant's current input range. Consult Table 9-2.



| | Burden | Plant AN_ | | IP block setup: | |
|----------|----------|------------------------|--------------|-----------------|--|
| Option | resistor | input | LR_in | HR_in | |
| HIB | 250Ω | 0 - 20 mA 4 - 20 mA | 0V 1V | 5V 5V | |
| HGB | 62Ω | 0 - 20 mA 4 - 20 mA | 0V 0.248V | 1.24V 1.24V | |
| External | 250Ω | 0 - 20 mA 4 - 20 mA | 0V 1V | 5∨ 5∨ | |
| | 50Ω | 0 - 20 mA 4 - 20 mA | 0V 0.2V | 1V 1V | |

Table 9-2Range settings for burden resistors

Calibration. The 1.25V range is supplied with a nominal calibration accuracy of better than 5%. If required, the board may be recalibrated to an accuracy of 0.05% — please refer to Eurotherm Process Automation for details.

NOTE. In the T640 HI and HIB options the 1.25V range is uncalibrated at the present issue of hardware. This state is not flagged by the STATUS/BadCal bit.

LIN blocks parameters not supported

The *LIN Blocks Reference Manual* (Part No. HA 082 375 U003) describes in generic terms every block and parameter that can be run in a T640 instrument. However, certain parameters are not supported, or are only partially supported, by the high-level I/O board. Table 9-3 lists these board-specific parameters.

| Block type | Parame | ter | Support |
|--------------|--|---|--|
| AN_IP | InType CJ_temp LeadRes STATUS | PSUshort BrkWarn BrkDtctd | V option only Not supported Not supported Not supported Not supported Not supported when burden resistors in use |
| AN_OUT | STATUS ALARMS | FaultCct OverDrv Killed CctFault OvrDrive | Voltage outputs: short circuit only Current outputs: not supported <i>Not supported</i> <i>Not supported</i> Voltage outputs: short circuit only Current outputs: not supported <i>Not supported</i> |
| DG_IN | Thresh InType | | Not supported Volts option only |
| DG_OUT | Pullup | | Not supported |
| DGPULS_4 [1] | Pullup | | Not supported |

[1] With high-level boards in both T640 sites, only site 1 can support a DGPULS_4 block.Table 9-3 High-level I/O board LIN blocks parameter support

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Hardware organisation

Figures 9-2 to 9-4 are block schematics outlining the organisation of the high-level I/O board hardware. Figure 9-2 shows the non-isolated analogue I/O, Figure 9-3 shows the digital I/O, and Figure 9-4 shows the current outputs and transmitter power supplies.

Analogue inputs

| Channels: | 8. |
|--------------------------|--|
| Input range: | 0-5 V and 0-10 V, with software-selectable range. 0-1.25 V range jumper-selectable (see <i>Input ranges</i> above). |
| Absolute max. input: | 15V. |
| Resolution: Accuracy: | 0.025%. 0.05% of range. |



High-level I/O



Figure 9-3 Digital input & output block schematic

| Gain drift: | 30ppm/°C. |
|------------------|---|
| Offset drift: | 65μV/°C. |
| Input impedance: | 1 M Ω pull-down to -1.2V. |
| Break detection: | within 1 sample. Protection strategy selected from within the configuration (up-scale, down-scale, etc.). |
| Isolation: | none. |
| Sample rate: | 9ms per configured input. Only the configured inputs are scanned. The fastest loop update cannot be less than 20ms. |



Internal burden resistors

| HIB option — 250R. |
|--------------------|
| HGB option — 62R. |
| 0.25W. |
| 0.1%. |
| 15ppm/°C. |
| |

NOTE. Tolerances and temperature coefficients must be added to the specified analogue input tolerances.

Transmitter power supplies

| z . |
|------------|
| |

Voltage analogue outputs

| Channels: | 4. |
|--|---|
| Output range: | 0-5 V and 0-10 V, with software-selectable range 0-1.25 V range jumper-selectable (see <i>Input ranges</i> above). |
| Resolution: | 12 bits. (1.25 and 2.5 mV, for the 5 and 10 V ranges resp.) |
| Accuracy: Gain drift: Offset drift: Current drive: Overload detection: Isolation: | 0.05% of range. 30ppm/°C. 70μV/°C. ±5 mA. triggered if the output cannot maintain the desired voltage. none. |

Current analogue outputs

| Channels: | 2. |
|---------------|---|
| Output range: | 0-20 mA. (Rangeable 0-10 mA, 0-20 mA, 4-20 mA etc.) |
| Over-range: | 22mA. |
| Resolution: | 5μΑ. |
| Accuracy: | 0.1%. |
| Gain drift: | 80ppm/°C. |
| Offset drift: | 0.9µA/°C. |
| Output drive: | 0-1 kΩ. |
| Isolation: | 60V ac or dc working. |
| | |

High-level I/O

Digital inputs

| i | Channels: | 8. | |
|---|--|--|--|
| | Thresholds: | • | 7.5V minimum 2.5V maximum. |
| | Hysteresis: Input voltage: Input impedance: Isolation: gital outputs | 28V maxim | num, 3.5V maximum. num. inputs <10V, 100kΩ for inputs >10V. |
| | Channels: | 8. | |
| | Output levels: | logic 0: logic 1: (14.0V | 0V 15V -15.5V internal supply, or external supply). |
| | External supply: | dual function as input: as output: | on: 15.5V minimum, 28V maximum. 14.0V minimum, 15.5V maximum, (≤7mA) sourced via 2K7 resistor. (Allows hardware pullup of up to 8 digital inputs.) |
| | Drive impedance: | logic 0: | 68Ω, 25mA maximum sink current to maintain logic 0 output level.(37mA absolute maximum sink current.) |
| | Isolation: | logic 1: none. | 2.2kΩ. |

General

The environmental, physical, and electrical specifications for this assembly are the same as for the base unit.

I/O calibration

Please contact Eurotherm Process Automation if you need to re-calibrate your I/O boards.

NOTE. In the standard (i.e. non fixed-function) version of the T640 you can recalibrate I/O boards by installing and running special AI_CALIB and AO_CALIB function blocks in the database. Full details are given in the standard T640 Product Manual (Part No. HA 082 468 U999)



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Figures 9-5 to 9-7 show schematically some ways to use the high-level I/O.



Figure 9-5 Digital outputs driving plant logic using customer's PSU





High-level I/O

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Chapter 10 ORDERING INFORMATION

ORDERING OPTIONS

The T640 can be ordered as a complete package including sleeve and memory module. The order codes required for this are given in Table 10-1. Sleeves (T710), security keys (T950), memory modules (T901), burden resistor/diode kits, and ALIN terminator kits are separately orderable using the order codes listed in Tables 10-2 to 10-5.

T640 ORDER CODES

| CODE | DESCRIPTION |
|-------------------------|---|
| T640 | Base unit Integrated Loop Processor |
| MAINS DC | Power supply Universal mains 90 to 265 volts ac rms 19 to 55 volts dc power supply |
| 422 485 ExISB | Serial communications RS422 Bi-Synch or MODBUS serial communications RS485 MODBUS comms ^[3] (Not yet available) None fitted |
| HI HG HIB HGB | Site 1 high-level I/O board 0-5V or 0-10V input range automatically selected by database Jumpers set for 0-1.25V fixed input range As HI but with internal burden resistors fitted As HG but with internal burden resistors fitted |
| HI HG HIB HGB | Site 2 high-level I/O expansion board [1] Expands board specified in Site 1, but with no burden resistors Expands board specified in Site 1, but with internal burden resistors fitted |
| | No board fitted in Site 2 |
| TC RT | Site 1 low-level I/O board ^{[2] [3]} Thermocouple I/O option (Not yet available) |
| TC RT | Site 2 low-level I/O board ^{[2] [3]} Thermocouple I/O option (Not yet available) |

^[3]Not for T640 (M101)FF

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| 10 codes | Ordering information |
|--|--|
| continued | |
| CODE | DESCRIPTION |
| M001 M002 M003 M004 M006 M101 | Memory module 2-loop Integrated Loop Processor 4-loop Integrated Loop Processor (Not yet available) 4-loop Integrated Loop Processor with sequencing Fixed-function Integrated Loop Processor (High-level I/O only) 6360 emulation fixed-function Integrated Loop Processor (High-level I/O only) None fitted |
| T710 T750 | Sleeve Supplied in a T710 sleeve Supplied in a T750 sleeve None supplied |
| CERT | Calibration certificate Calibration certificate supplied None supplied |
| CONF | Configuration sheet Factory-configured to supplied configuration sheet Supplied with I/O settings as specified in the I/O codes |
| | Labelling language |
| EN | English |
| FR | French |
| GE | German |
| IT | Italian |
| SW | Swedish |
| SP | Spanish |
| PO CY | (Not yet available) |
| US | (Not yet available) American |

Table 10-1 T640 order codes

T710 SLEEVE (ORDERED SEPARATELY)

| CODE | DESCRIPTION |
|-------|--|
| | Base unit |
| T710 | DIN sleeve |
| | Power supply connector assembly |
| MAINS | Universal mains 90 to 265 volts ac rms |
| DC | 19 to 55 volts dc power supply |

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| CODE | DESCRIPTION |
|------|---|
| H | Site 1 connector assembly High-level I/O |
| Η | Site 2 connector assembly High-level I/O [Only if H specified in Site 1] No I/O specified for Site 2 |
| | Labelling language |
| EN | English |
| FR | French |
| GE | German |
| IT | Italian |
| SW | Swedish |
| SP | Spanish |
| PO | (Not yet available) |
| CY | (Not yet available) |
| US | American |

Example: T710/DC/H/H/EN

Table 10-2 T710 sleeve order codes

T950 SECURITY KEY

| T950 | Base unit Infrared security key |
|------------|---|
| | Access |
| FULL | Full access to all parameters provided [3] |
| PARTIAL | Partial access to parameters provided |
| | Area |
| AREA n | Key operates only instruments with specified area code <i>n</i> , |
| | or zero area code. $[n = 1 \text{ to } 8]$ |
| NULLINGIES | Key operates only instruments with zero area code |
| | Labelling language |
| EN | English |
| FR | French |
| GE | German |
| IT | Italian |
| SW | Swedish |
| SP | Spanish |
| PO | (Not yet available) |
| CY | (Not yet available) |
| US | American |

Table 10-3 T950 security key order codes

T901 MEMORY MODULE (ORDERED SEPARATELY)

| | Base unit |
|--------------|---|
| T90 1 | Memory module |
| | Controller function |
| M001 | 2-loop control |
| M002 | 4-loop control |
| M003 | (Not yet available) |
| M004 | 4-loop control with sequencing |
| M006 | Fixed-function Integrated Loop Processor |
| M101 | 6360 emulation fixed-function Integrated Loop Processor |
| | Labelling language |
| EN | English |
| FR | French |
| GE | German |
| IT | Italian |
| SW | Swedish |
| SP | Spanish |
| PO | (Not yet available) |
| CY | (Not yet available) |
| US | American |

Table 10-4 T901 memory module order codes

BURDEN RESISTOR/DIODE & ALIN TERMINATOR KITS

Encapsulated plug-in modules for insertion in T640's rear-panel customer screw terminals are orderable using the codes listed in Table 10-5. Burden resistors, burden diodes, and ALIN terminating resistors are available.

| CODE | DESCRIPTION |
|------------|---|
| | High-level mA kit |
| LA 082 728 | 4-off double 250R burden resistor plug-in modules |
| | 2-off burden diode plug-in modules |
| | ALIN terminator kit |
| LA 082 729 | 2-off 82R terminating resistor plug-in modules |

Table 10-5 Rear-panel plug-in module kits

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