Substation control and automation

Talus 2000-C20

Product overview







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1 Introduction

The Talus 2000-C20 is suited for applications such as substation control where high capacity with intelligent, multi-function control and monitoring is required. Designed as a modular structure, it provides maximum flexibility for customer specific plant configurations and is optimised for electrical distribution HV/MV substations.

Many of the configuration parameters required by the Talus 2000-C20 are loaded locally from a personal computer into a non-volatile area of memory. Long down loading of data at start up is therefore not required, enabling speedy commissioning times and rapid restoration after power recovery.

The main features are:

Integrated or co-ordinated solution

- integrates with other Schneider products to provide the total substation solution
- multi-protocol capability to host(s)
- capability to communicate and manage other manufacturers Intelligent Electronic Devices (IEDs)
- retrofit capability plus upgrade of functionality

Programmable automation functions

- supports a full range of mathematical and logical operations
- time based and event based derivation blocks
- application examples include:
- □ data manipulation
- □ automatic distribution network reconfiguration
- □ interlocking of events/controls

Modular, extendible architecture

- capability for sixteen serial ports for external communications
- dual internal modem support with each modem catering for main and standby lines
- configurable via Personal Computer
- large discrete I/O capacity (absolute maximums listed)
- □ 3072 digital inputs
- □ 576 secure control outputs
- □ 768 analogue inputs
- □ 768 relay drive outputs
- □ 1536 lamp drive outputs

Integration with network control systems

- assured compatibility with the Milenium 8000 range
- multiple host capability
- provides the network gateway to substation equipment
- data concentrator functionality
- repeater and regenerator functions

Investment for the future

- designed for adaptation to the emerging international standards
- designed for discrete retrofit and digital architectures

2 Programming capability

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- Support for a full range of mathematical and logical operations
- Time based and event based derivation blocks
- WHIRL compiler with built-in simulator for monitoring and debugging programs prior to downloading

3 Enclosures

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4 Housing and backplane

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- a power supply unit
- one RTUC
- up to four SIOCs
- up to two communication subsystems
- up to twelve discrete I/O plant subsystems

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5.1....Communications

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5.2....Protocol/emulation

The standard Schneider WISP+ protocols used give high security of data transmission while maintaining compatibility with existing Schneider RTU's. The architecture of the Talus 2000-C20 enables international protocols and other proprietary protocols to be emulated when required. Protocols/emulation's available and proven include those required to communicate with Merlin Gerin SEPAM and other digital relays. Concurrent emulation of different protocols on adjacent I/O channels is also supported.

5.3.....Multiple host support

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5.4.....RTUC

- Manages all C20 activities.
- Processing of derived data.
- Communicates with SIOCs via a high-speed bus.
- RS423 ports for local user interface, e.g. a personal computer or video terminal.
- High accuracy clock for precision sequence of event recording and message time stamping.
- Extensive database monitoring facilities accessed via a local video terminal.
- Memory for program (up to 1Mbytes) and database storage (up to 0.5Mbytes)
- Non-volatile memory (up to 128kbytes) for storage of configuration data and derived data algorithms.

5.5....SIOC

- Supports serial communications to hosts, slave RTUs, and intelligent devices with protocols dependent on application.
- Retrieves and pre-processes data from discrete I/O plant subsystems.
- Transfers data to and from RTUC using high-speed bus.
- Memory for program (up to 512kbytes), database storage and configuration data (up to 256kbytes).

6 Power supplies

7 Discrete I/O subsystems

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7.1....Analogue input subsystem

- Versions available for 8, 16 or 32 optically isolated analogue inputs per subsystem.
- Solid state multiplexing.
- DC voltage or current inputs.
- Input ranges:
- □ ±1V, ±2V, ±5V ±10V bipolar and 0.4 to 2V unipolar
- □ ±10mA, ±20mA, 4 to 20mA
- Resolution: 12-bits plus sign and overrange detection.
- ADC accuracy: 0.1% full scale at 25°C.

7.2.....Digital input subsystem

- 32, 64 or 128 inputs per subsystem depending on version and configurations.
- Typical uses: alarm, event, sequence of events, momentary change detect, pulse count or encoded inputs.
- Sequence of event resolution up to 1mS.
- Counter rate up to 100Hz.
- Input filter delay: 5mS nominal.

7.3.....Secure control output subsystem

- Each secure control output subsystem provides up to twenty-four, 2-state secure drives.
- Only one output per subsystem can be energised at a time.
- Secure variable pulse width in multiples of 100mS or variable pulse train with mark/space ratio in units of 100mS.
- Output rating: 1A maximum at control supply voltage.

7.4 Relay drive subsystem

- 32 single-pole form A drives per subsystem via optically isolated FETs.
- Each relay drive may be individually configured to Latched, Pulse Train or Pulse width (single pulse) output.

7.5....Lamp drive subsystem

- 64 single wire lamp drives per subsystem via optically isolated FETs.
- General purpose outputs for driving indicators such as mimic lamps.
- Each output may be driven on, off, slow flash or fast flash.
- Plant supply, 21 63V DC.
- Separate control supply required to power indicators, 21 63V DC.

8 Communications

8.1....Inter-module

The link between plant sub-systems and SIOC is via an optically isolated serial data stream, operating at speeds up to 19,200 bits per second.

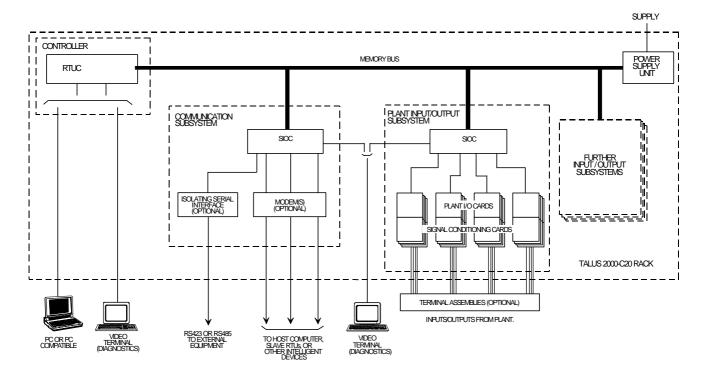
8.2....External

The main controller communicates with:

- Host devices utilising WISP+ as standard
- Devices conforming to the standardised IEC 870-5-101 protocol*
- Slave RTU's utilising WISP+
- IEDs using MODBUS* (such as Merlin Gerin SEPAM)
- Courier (GEC K Series) relays*
- Spabus (such as ABB)*
- Schweitzer*
- Other devices/protocols available on request*
- * Please contact Schneider Limited, PMS Division for further information.

8.3.....Modem

- Bit or byte orientated data formats.
- User selectable baud rate to 9600 baud FSK, up to 2 modems on one module.
- Main/standby line support.
- Radio switch output.
- 2/4 wire communications.
- High impedance capability
- Built-in diagnostics
- BABT approved



Talus 2000-C20 Architecture

8.4....Isolating serial interface

- Enables serial communications to external devices while maintaining EMC standards.
- RS232/RS423 and RS485 ports.
- Mounts in plant I/O area of C20.

8.5....Bit serial interface

- Enables communication to host(s) requiring bit stream protocol(s).
- Converts byte orientated message formats to bit stream, and vice versa.

	Talus 2000-C20
Plant cabling	o.5 to 2.5mm ² (screw terminals)
Operating temperature range	-0°C to +70°C
Storage temperature range	-40 °C to +70 °C
Relative humidity	Up to 90% at 40 °C non-condensing (standard)
	Up to 95% at 40 $^\circ C$ non-condensing (tropicalised)
EMC immunity	Complies with EC EMC directive 89/336/EEC
	BS EN 50082-2 (industrial generic standard)
	IEC 255-22-1 Class III
	IEC 255-4 Class III (5KV impulse)
EMC emissions	BS EN 55022 Class A
Additional approval	Version available designed to comply with
	NGTS 2.13 Class Z.

10 Configuration, test and maintenance

A full range of tools is provided to configure and testing the Talus 2000-C20. These include:

- A configurator, which generates a file from a personal computer for downloading information to the controller
- A modem configurator
- A local Video Terminal (VT) facility that allows the database to be examined or diagnostics to be run
- A Talus master terminal unit utility (TMTU), used to test devices employing the WISP+ message set
- A TLINE utility which runs on a personal computer enabling WISP+ messages, to and from the devices, to be interpreted and displayed

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