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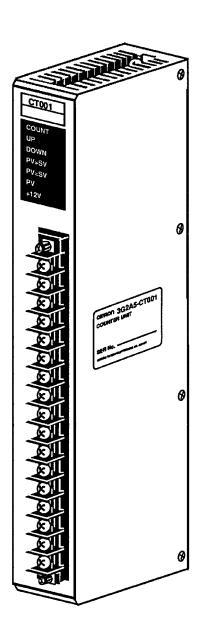
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## About this Manual:

High-speed Counter models 3G2A5-CT001 and 3G2A6-CT001 are Special I/O Units for the C500 and C120 series of Programmable Controllers; High-speed Counter model 3G2A5-CT012 is designed for use with the C1000H and C2000H series of Programmable Controllers. This manual explains the operation and functions of these Counters. Before incorporating a High-speed Counter in your PC system, familiarize yourself with both the Counter and this manual.

**Section 1** introduces the Counters' components and provides information on the DIP switch(es) and wiring.

Section 2 describes the operation of the Counter and operating modes.

Section 3 gives examples of applications and programming.

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### 1-1 Features

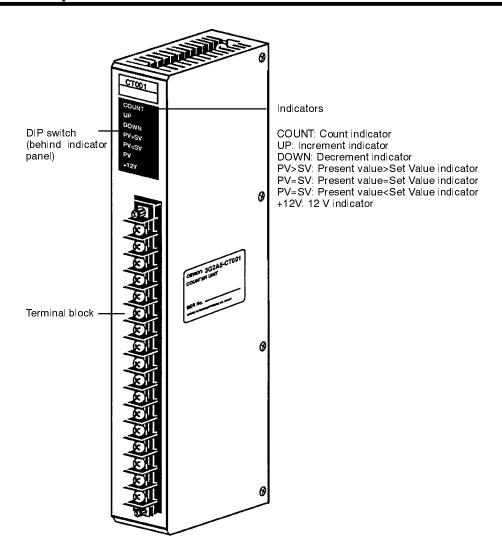
The CT001s are six-digit BCD (Binary Coded Decimal) High-speed Counters compatible with C-Series sensors such as Rotary Encoders. They are capable of counting clock pulses at speeds of up to 50 kHz. Counters can be used for position control or high-speed measurement when connected to various sensors.

The CT012 is a reversible preset Counter for use with pulse output devices such as Rotary Encoders. Although its operation is similar to that of the CT001s, it has several advantages:

- •The CT012 can be used with the Intelligent I/O Read/Write Instructions for programming.
- •Up to 8 coincidence outputs can be set.
- •The Counter value can be changed via presets during operation.
- •Two types of input signals can be used: phase differential pulse input and pulse and direction input. Thus, the CT012 is compatible with a wide variety of sensors.
- •Three sets of input and output voltages (5, 12, and 24 VDC) can be used.

# 1-2 Indicators and Components

The following figure shows the components of the CT001 High-speed Counters.



**Note** The CT001s have one DIP switch, located behind the indicator panel. To gain access to the DIP switch, remove the indicator panel with a standard screwdriver.

**Front** 

3G2A5-CT001



### 3G2A6-CT001



Note Although the 3G2A5-CT001 and 3G2A6-CT001 differ in external appearance, they are operated identically. (The 3G2A6-CT001 is shipped with no external housing; it is designed to be mounted directly in an I/O Unit.)

In this manual, these models are referred to collectively as CT001s.

### **Indicators**

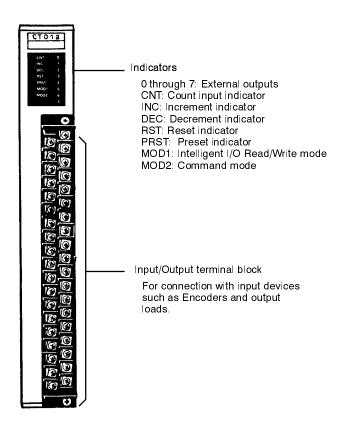
The following table shows the functions of the indicators on the CT001s.

Indicator	Function
COUNT	Lit when count input 1 is OFF. Unlit when count input 1 is ON.
UP	Lit when Counter is incrementing.
DOWN	Lit when Counter is decrementing.
PV > SV	Lit when Present Value is greater than Set Value.
PV = SV	Lit when Present Value equals Set Value.
PV < SV	Lit when Present Value is less than Set Value.
12 V	Lit when 12 V power supply for sensor is normal.

Note The initials PV and SV stand for Present Value and Set Value, respectively.

The following figure shows the components of a CT012 High-speed Counter.

### **Front**



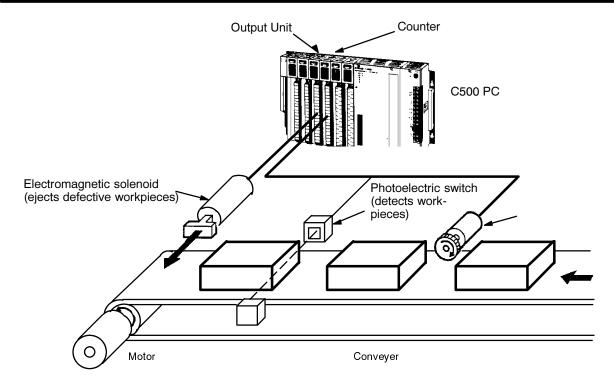
### **Indicators**

The following table shows the functions of the indicators on the CT012.

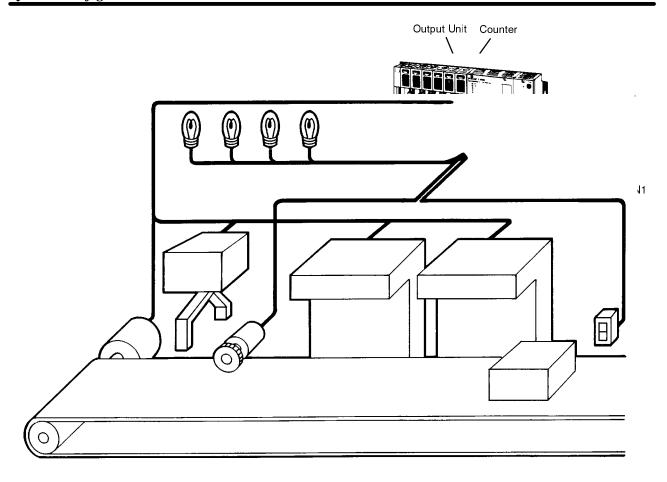
Inc	dicator	Function		
0 through 7	External outputs	Lit when their corresponding outputs are turned ON.		
CNT	Count input	Lit when input A is OFF and unlit when input A is ON.		
INC	Increment	Lit when Counter is incrementing.		
DEC	Decrement	Lit when Counter is decrementing.		
RST	Reset	Lit when Counter is reset.		
PRST	Preset	Lit when Counter is preset.		
MOD1	Intelligent I/O Read/Write mode	Lit when Counter is in Intelligent I/O Read/Write data transfer mode.		
MOD2	Command mode	Lit when Counter is in command data transfer mode.		

# 1-3 System Configurations

High-speed Counters can perform a variety of functions in the control system. The following system configuration uses a High-speed Counter to determine whether the length of a workpiece is acceptable. The workpieces on the conveyer pass a photoelectric switch, whose output is used to start and stop the counting of pulses from an Encoder. The pulse count is used to determine the length of the workpiece. This length is checked against the standard, and the work is ejected if it is out of the acceptable range.

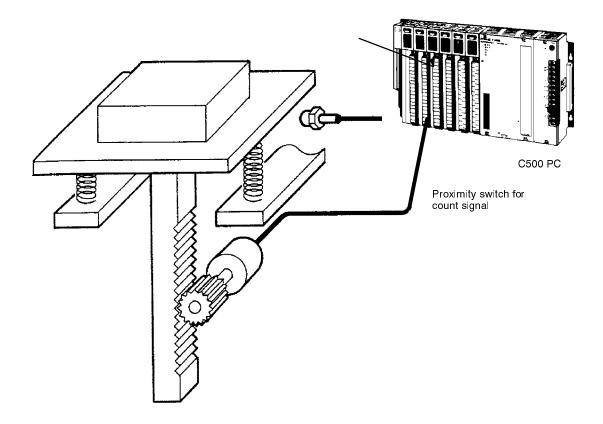


The next system configuration example shows a Counter detecting the position of a workpiece as it passes on a conveyer. Position is checked by means of the pulse input from the Encoder, and the required operations are performed on the workpiece as it passes the various stations.



This system configuration example shows a Counter being used to measure the mass of a workpiece. Encoder pulses are counted for a fixed period after the workpiece has been placed on a scale. The workpiece is weighed only after all vibration has stopped.

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Other examples and the associated programming are discussed in *Section 3 Programming Examples*.

## 1-4 Precautions

When mounting or removing a High-speed Counter, first turn OFF the power supplies to both the Counter and the PC.

The High-speed Counter continues to operate even when the operation mode of the PC is changed from RUN or MONITOR to PROGRAM. If input pulses continue to be fed to the Counter and the count value falls within the set range, the corresponding output will turn ON. Thus, once the Counter's coincidence data is set and its outputs are enabled, the outputs will operate regardless of the PC's operation mode.

To adjust the origin and debug a program, first set the coincidence values and enable the outputs while in RUN mode, then switch to PROGRAM mode. However, as a safety precaution, be sure to provide circuitry to shut down equipment, such as motors, that is connected to the outputs.

If an I/O bus error occurs when the Counter is connected to a C1000H or C2000H PC, the PC's RUN operation will stop and all Output Units will turn OFF. The PC will then send a hardware reset signal to all the I/O Units and the Counter will return to the same status as at initial power application. The Counter will not be reset if it is mounted on a Remote I/O Rack.

If an I/O bus error occurs while the Counter is connected to a C500 PC, the Counter will operate as if switched to PROGRAM mode. Therefore, when using a C500 PC, turn OFF the outputs via an external circuit or turn OFF the power to the PC.

All C-series PCs perform a hardware reset during a CPU error.

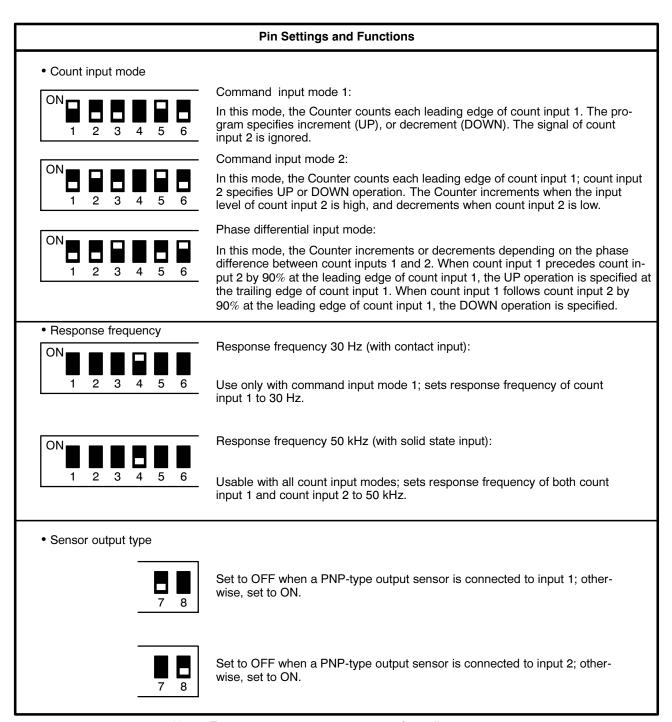
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# 1-5 DIP Switch Settings

Set the Counter's DIP switch(es) before operation. Depending on the Counter model, the DIP switch(es) are used to determine count input mode, response frequency, sensor output, reset/preset mode, reset/preset conditions, and data transfer mode.

#### CT001 DIP Switch Settings

The DIP switch is located behind the indicator panel. To gain access to the DIP switch, remove the indicator panel with a standard screwdriver.



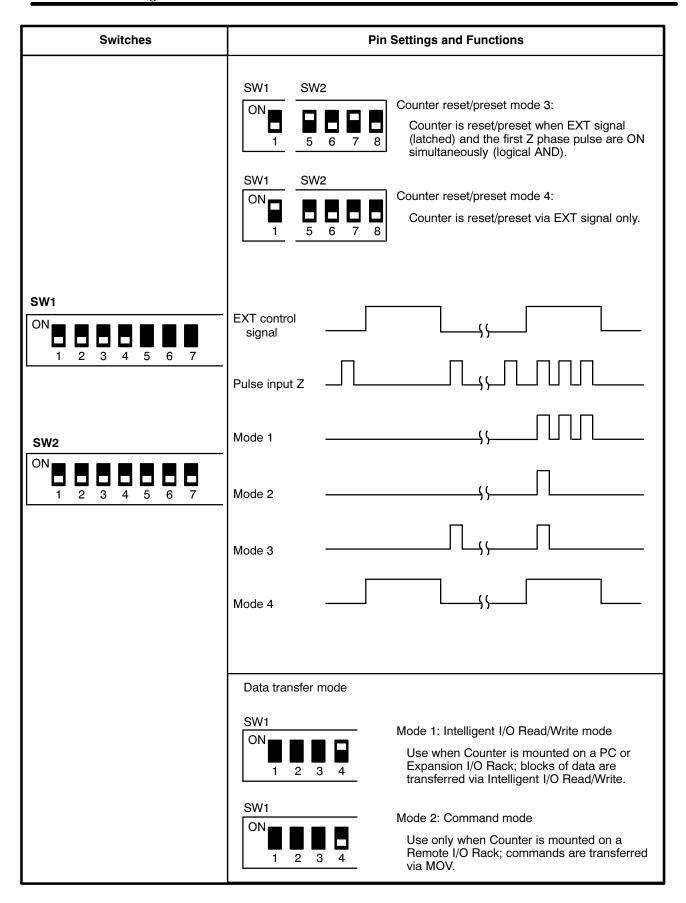
**Note** To ensure correct operation, confirm all settings.

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## CT012 Dip Switch Settings

Switches	Pin Settings and Functions
	Count input mode SW2  ON 1 2 3 4  Phase differential input mode:  Determines increment/decrement operation according to phase difference between A and B.  SW2  ON 1 2 3 4  Pulse and direction input mode:  Determines increment/decrement operation via INC/DEC signal at Encoder input B.
SW1  ON  1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8	Response frequency SW1  ON  1 2 3 4  30 Hz max. (contact input): Use only with pulse and direction input mode. Sets Encoder input A frequency to 30 Hz (max).  SW1  ON  SW1  SW1  SW1  Use with either input mode. Sets maximum
SW2 ON 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8	frequency for both Encoder inputs to 50 kHz (30 kHz for phase differential input mode).  Counter reset/preset mode (via external control signal(s))  SW1  ON  Preset mode:  Preset data is '000000' upon initial power application. A preset sets the counter to the preset
	value sent by the PC.  SW1  ON  1 2 3 4  Reset mode: A reset sets the counter to '000000'.  Counter reset/preset conditions
	(relationship between EXT and Z phase signals)  SW1 SW2  Counter reset/preset mode 1:  Counter is reset/preset when EXT and Z phase signals are ON simultaneously (logical AND).  SW1 SW2  ON SW2  Counter reset/preset mode 2:  Counter reset/preset mode 2:  Counter is reset/preset when EXT signal and first Z phase pulse are ON simultaneously (logical AND).

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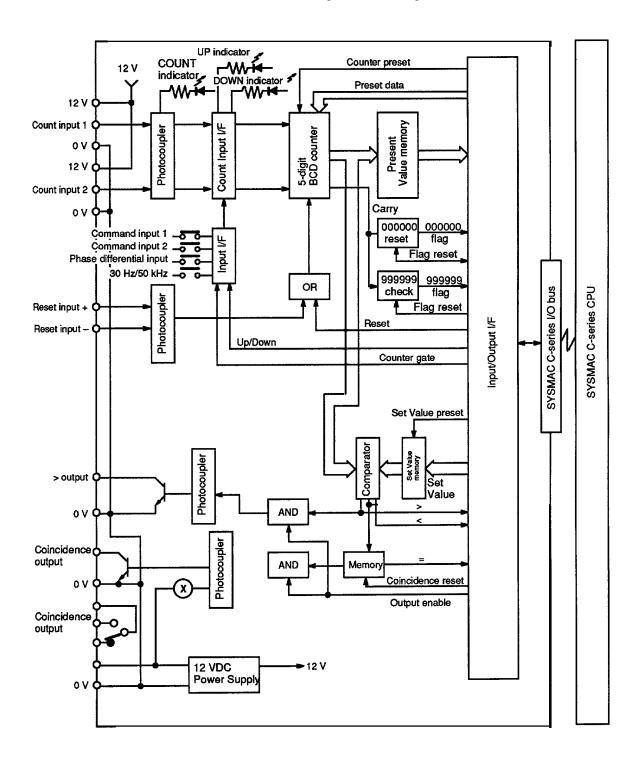
**Note** To ensure correct operation, confirm all settings.

# 1-6 Wiring

This section explains how to wire inputs to the Counter's terminal block. For the Counter's signal and power leads, use twisted pair shielded cable. Avoid running signal and power supply leads in the vicinity of other high voltage lines.

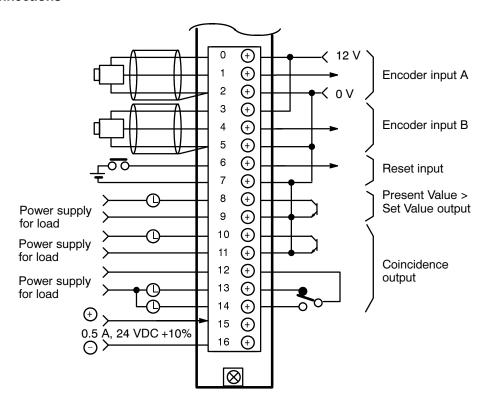
### 1-6-1 Terminal Blocks

The Counters have a terminal block connector for wiring to devices such as Encoders. The following is a block diagram for the CT001s:

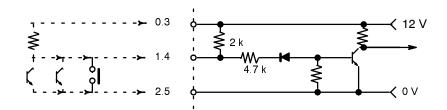


The following diagram shows terminal block allocations for the CT001s.

### **External connections**



### **Count input signal**



**Note** Because a High-speed Counter operates at a speed of 50,000 counts per second, avoid connecting loads and wiring that may generate noise at the coincidence output terminals.

Terminal block allocations for the CT012 are similar. They are listed in the following table.

Row A	Pin no.	Row B
Encoder input A: 12 VDC	0	Encoder input A: 24 VDC
Encoder input A: 0 V	1	Encoder input A: 5 VDC
Encoder input B: 12 VDC	2	Encoder input B: 24 VDC
Encoder input B: 0 V	3	Encoder input B: 5 VDC
Pulse input Z: 12 VDC	4	Pulse input Z: 24 VDC
Pulse input Z: 0 V	5	Pulse input Z: 5 VDC
External control input 12/24 VDC	6	External control input 12/24 VDC
External control input 0V	7	External control input 5 VDC
	8	
External output 0	9	External outputs 0 through 3, COM: 0 V
External output 1	10	External outputs 0 through 3, COM: 0 V
External output 2	11	External outputs 0 through 3, COM: 0 V
External output 3	12	External outputs 0 through 3, COM: 0 V
External outputs 0 through 3 Power Supply: 5 to 24 VDC	13	External outputs 0 through 3, COM: 0 V
External output 4	14	External outputs 4 through 7, COM: 0 V
External output 5	15	External outputs 4 through 7, COM: 0 V
External output 6	16	External outputs 4 through 7, COM: 0 V
External output 7	17	External outputs 4 through 7, COM: 0 V
External outputs 4 through 7 Power Supply: 5 to 24 VDC	18	External outputs 4 through 7, COM: 0 V

Note The power supply terminals to be wired for Encoder inputs A, B, and Pulse input Z differ depending on whether the supply voltage is 5, 12, or 24 VDC. The supply terminals to be wired for the External control input differ depending on whether the supply voltage is 5 or 12/24 VDC. When wiring, be sure that terminal connections are correct.

External outputs 0 through 3 and 4 through 7 are supplied via separate 5 to 24 VDC and COM (0 V) external power supply inputs. These two sets of power supply inputs are not internally connected.

Reversing the 5 to 24 VDC and COM (0V) terminals will cause the internal fuse to blow, disabling the Unit. Never reverse the connections, as this internal fuse is not user-replaceable.

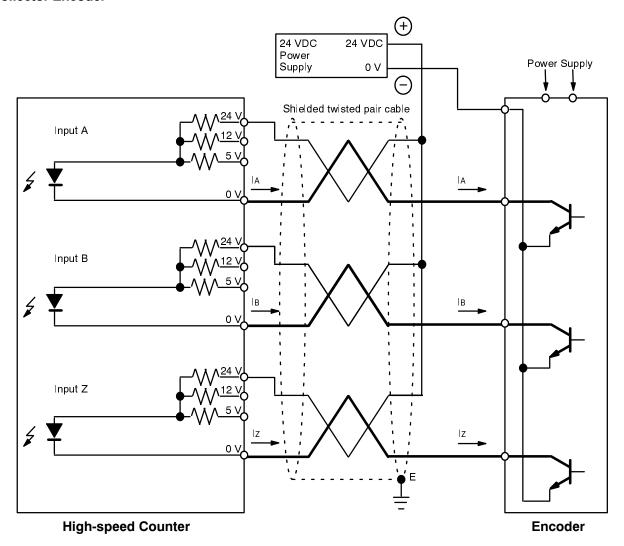
When wiring Encoder inputs A and B, take the following precautions to minimize the effects of electrical noise:

- **1, 2, 3...** 1. Use twisted pair shielded cable for wiring Encoder inputs A and B; connect the shield to ground.
  - 2. Keep the leads of Encoder inputs A and B as short as possible and avoid running them in the vicinity of electrical noise sources such as high voltage power lines.
  - 3. If possible, use a stable power supply, separate from other input/output power supplies, for the Encoder.

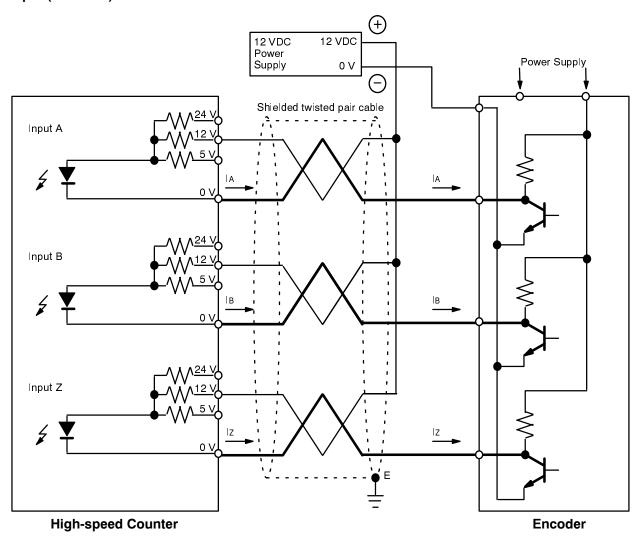
# 1-6-2 Circuit Wiring Examples

This section illustrates possible wiring examples with Encoders. The following example shows the wiring for an Encoder with A, B, and Z phase outputs.

Example 1: 24 VDC open collector Encoder

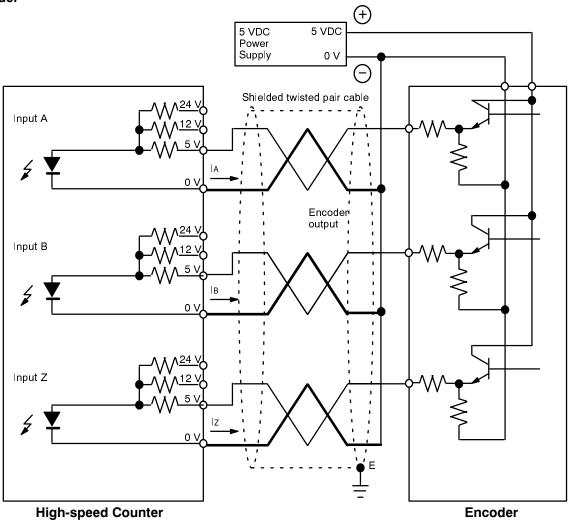


# Example 2: 12 VDC voltage output (sink load) Encoder



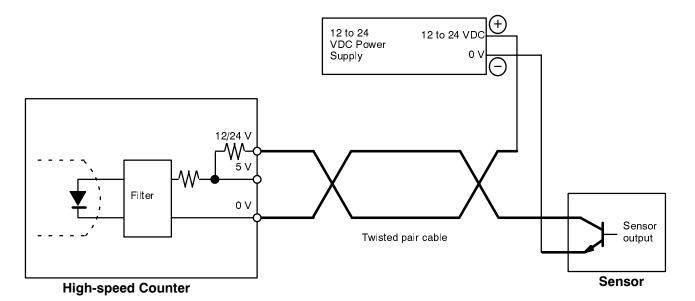
**Note** High-speed Counter input is OFF when Encoder output is "H" and ON when Encoder output is "L."

Example 3: 5 VDC voltage output (source load) Encoder



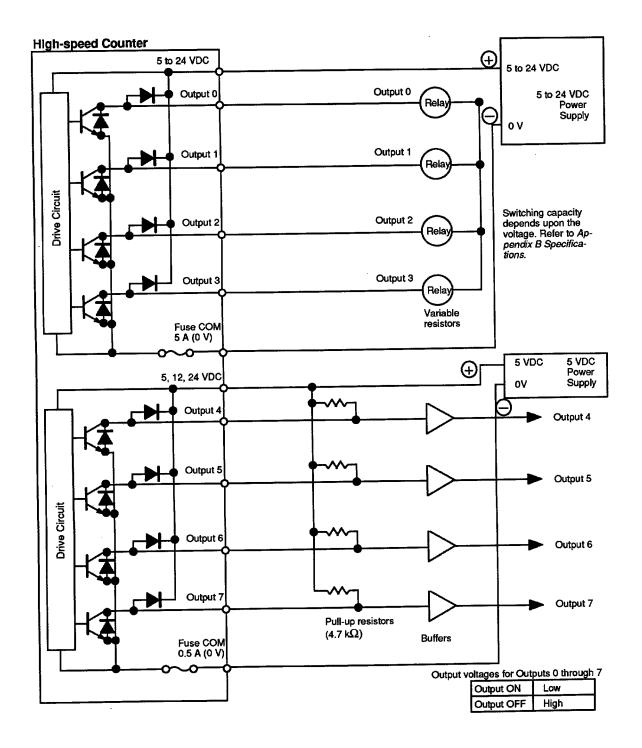
**Note** Be sure the ON voltage is sufficient.

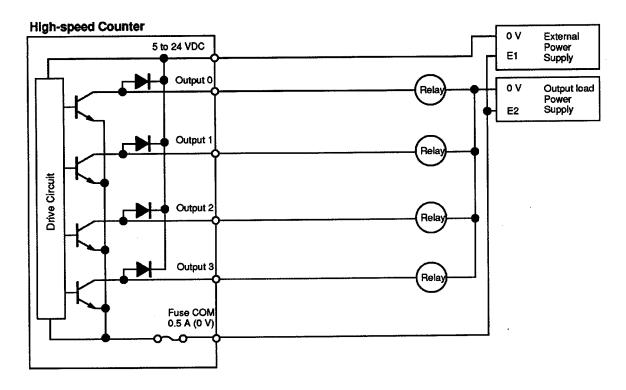
# External Control Input Wiring



### **External Output Wiring**

The following diagram shows the wiring when outputs 0 through 3 are connected to relays, and outputs 4 through 7 are connected to TTL devices.





**Note** Make sure that the external Power Supply voltage is not less than the output load Power Supply voltage; otherwise errors may occur.

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# 2-1 Operating Modes

The CT001 and CT012 Counters can be operated in several modes. This section describes these modes as well as the counting speed characteristics of the Counters.

The Counters can be incremented or decremented between 000000 and 999999. Within this range, 500000 through 999999 are treated as negative values. The CT001s have three input modes: command input mode 1, command input mode 2, and phase differential input mode. The CT012 has two input modes: phase differential input mode, and pulse and direction input mode. All input modes include a reset input. Set the DIP switch to select the desired mode.

The Present Value of a CT001 Counter is continually compared to a single Preset Value. The appropriate signal lights to indicate whether the Present Value is greater than, equal to, or less than the Preset Value.

The CT012 Counter compares the Present Value to a maximum of 8 preset coincidence ranges. When the Counter value is within one of these ranges, specified outputs are turned ON. The same output may be specified for one or more overlapping ranges, in which case the output will be turned ON whenever the Counter value is within one or more of the ranges. The ranges specified for the CT012 must be between 000000 and 999999.

The three input modes of the CT001s are explained below.

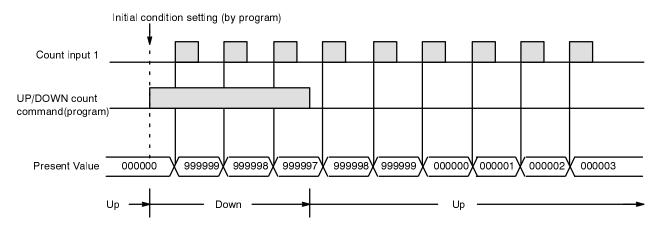
## 2-1-1 CT001 Operating Modes

### **Command Input Mode 1**

There are two count inputs and a reset input on the terminal block. Count input 1 can be connected to solid-state or contact inputs; count input 2 can be connected only to solid-state inputs. If the control system requires very high counting speeds, note that solid-state inputs can be counted at speeds of up to 50,000 Hz. When input 1 is connected to a contact input this speed is reduced to a maximum of 30 Hz. Set the DIP switch accordingly.

When in command input mode 1, the Counter counts each leading edge of count input 1. The program specifies either UP or DOWN counting. The signal from input 2 is ignored.

### Command input mode 1

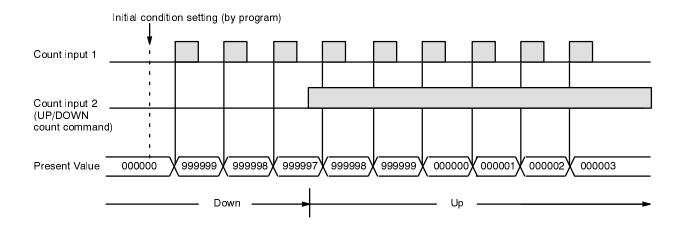


#### **Command Input Mode 2**

When in command input mode 2, the Counter counts each leading edge of count input 1; count input 2 specifies either UP or DOWN. The count is incremented when count input 2 is ON, and decremented when count input 2 is OFF.

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### Command input mode 2

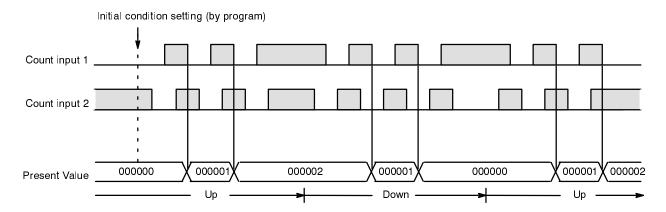


# CT001 Phase Differential Input Mode

In this mode, the difference in phase between count inputs 1 and 2 determines whether the count will be incremented or decremented. When the leading edge of count input 1 precedes count input 2 by 90% (1/4 T), the UP operation is specified at the trailing edge of count input 1. When count input 1 follows count input 2 by 90%, the DOWN operation is specified at the leading edge of count input 1.

Permissible phase difference error range is +45%.

### Phase differential input mode



# 2-1-2 CT012 Operating Modes

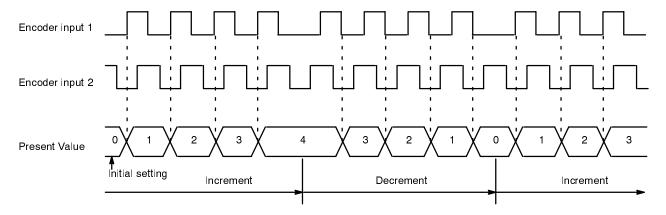
The CT012 Counters have two input modes: phase differential input mode and pulse and direction input mode. Use DIP switch 2 on the Counter's back panel to select the mode.

# CT012 Phase Differential Input Mode

In this mode, the difference in phase between count inputs 1 and 2 determines whether the count will be incremented or decremented. When the leading edge of count input 1 precedes count input 2 by 90% (1/4 T), the UP operation is specified at the trailing edge of count input 1. When count input follows count input 2 by 90% , the DOWN operation is specified at the leading edge of count input 1.

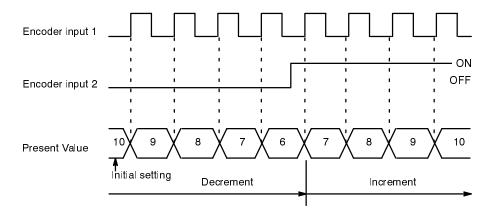
Permissible phase difference error range is +45%.

### Phase differential input mode



# Pulse and Direction Input Mode

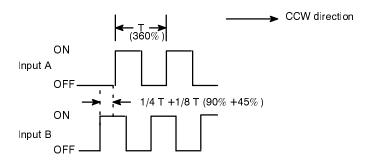
The pulse and direction input increments or decrements the Counter according to the ON/OFF status of input 2 at the leading edge of the input 1 signal. The Counter will decrement if input 2 is registering the OFF signal, and increment if input 2 is registering the ON signal.



# 2-2 Counting Speeds with Phase Differential Inputs

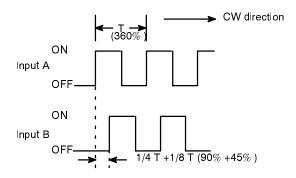
Both the CT001 and CT012 Counters have a phase differential input mode, in which the phase difference of the inputs determines whether the count will be incremented or decremented. The maximum pulse frequency possible for phase differential inputs is determined by the specifications of the Incremental Encoder connected to the Counter. The following example shows calculations for a CT012 connected to an Incremental Encoder with a resolution of 500 pulses/revolution. Direction of rotation is as viewed from the end of the Encoder shaft.

### **Counterclockwise Rotation**



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### **Clockwise Rotation**

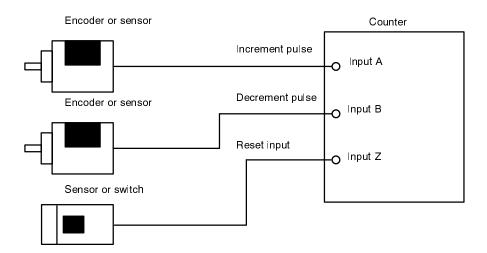


Since the output phase difference is 90% + 45%, the minimum phase difference the Encoder is capable of producing is 90% - 45% = 45%, Because the CT012 requires a phase difference of at least 3 microseconds, 3 microseconds must be equal to or less than 45%/360%. The period, T, must therefore be at least 24 microseconds; this represents a maximum frequency (1/T) of 41.7 kHz, or approximately 83 rps at the Encoder's resolution of 500 pulses per revolution (41700÷500=83.4). This is the maximum frequency at which this Encoder can be used with the CT012.

**Note** The minimum pulse width must be considered when using the reset input Z. With the CT012, the pulse width of this input must be 8 microseconds or greater, and the return frequency, allowing for software processing time, must be 10 kHz or less.

# 2-3 Up and Down Pulses

With separate up and down pulse inputs (command input mode 2 of the CT001), the Counter value is incremented or decremented on the rising edge of the appropriate input. Here, sensors could replace the Encoders to provide inputs A and B. The Counter can be reset by connecting the reset input Z to a sensor or switch.

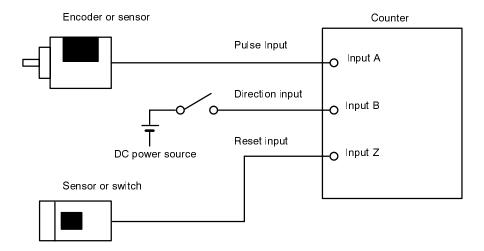


## 2-4 Pulse and Direction

With pulse and direction inputs, the Counter value is incremented or decremented on the leading edge of the pulse input. When the direction input is ON, the Counter value is incremented; when the direction input is OFF, the Count-

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er value is decremented. The direction input should be switched between ON and OFF only when the pulse input is OFF. The Counter can be reset by connecting reset input Z to a sensor or switch.

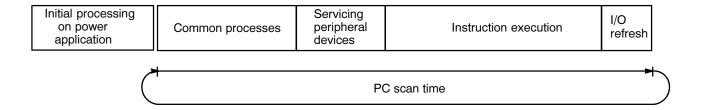


## 2-5 Data Transfers

The Present Value of a Counter, and range limit settings of the CT012, can be changed using data transfers from a PC. Data to be transferred must be prepared in the appropriate form in the PC data area. Data transfer specifications are described in *Section 2–5–2 Data Transfer Modes*. This section describes data transfer timing in relation to PC scan time.

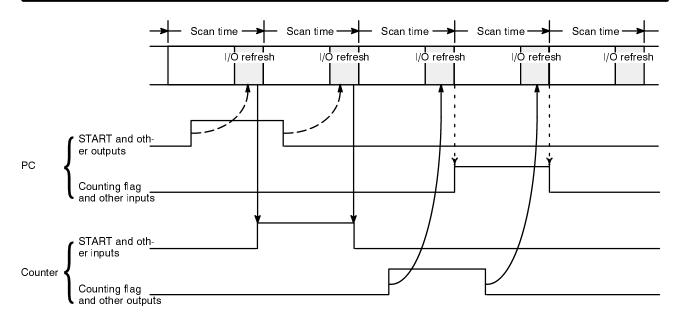
# 2-5-1 Timing of Data Transfers

The following diagram shows the timing and relative duration of the operations performed during scan time:

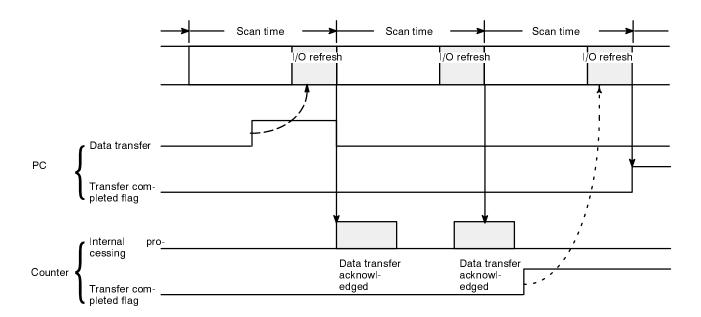


Input and output data is transferred during the PC's I/O refresh cycle. This means that the PC's acknowledgment of Counter's status, and the Counter's acknowledgment of PC commands, are delayed until the next I/O refresh cycle. This is illustrated below.

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Data transfer is related to scan time as shown in the following diagram:



### 2-5-2 Data Transfer Modes

The CT012 has two data transfer modes. Mode1 is Intelligent I/O Read/Write mode, in which blocks of data are transferred via Intelligent I/O Read/Write. Mode 2 is command mode, in which commands are transferred via MOV. Data transfer can be in either direction between the PC and Counter. Set the DIP switch to select the desired mode. Mode 1 is for use when the Counter is mounted on a PC or Expansion I/O Rack. Mode 2 is for use when the Counter is mounted on a Remote I/O Rack.

Mode 1 of the CT012 is similar to CT001 operation.

The following table shows bit allocations.

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## **CT001 Bit Number Allocations**

		I/O							
C			UT			IN			
		word n	l	word n+1		word n+2		word n+3	
	0	Present Value	Preset	Preset data 1		000000 res	et	PV data 1	
	1	Set Value Pres	et	Preset data 2	x 10 <sup>2</sup>	999999 reset		PV data 2	x 10 <sup>2</sup>
	2	Count Gate		Preset data 4	X 10-	PV > SV		PV data 4	X 10-
	3	Increment/Dec	rement	Preset data 8	Ī	PV = SV		PV data 8	1
	4	000000 Reset		Preset data 1		PV < SV		PV data 1	
	5	999999 Reset		Preset data 2	x 10 <sup>3</sup>	Normally ON		PV data 2	103
L :.	6	Coincidence Reset		Preset data 4		Normally ON		PV data 4	x 10 <sup>3</sup>
bit	7	Output Enable		Preset data 8	Ĭ	Normally ON		PV data 8	1
	8	Preset data 1	x 10 <sup>0</sup>	Preset data 1		PV data 1	x 10 <sup>0</sup>	PV data 1	
	9	Preset data 2		Preset data 2		PV data 2		PV data 2	404
	10	Preset data 4		Preset data 4	x 10 <sup>4</sup>	PV data 4		PV data 4	x 10 <sup>4</sup>
	11	Preset data 8	1	Preset data 8	Ī	PV data 8		PV data 8	
	12	Preset data 1	x 10 <sup>1</sup>	Preset data 1		PV data 1	- x 10 <sup>1</sup>	PV data 1	
	13	Preset data 2		Preset data 2	v 105	PV data 2		PV data 2	1 105
	14	Preset data 4		Preset data 4	x 10 <sup>5</sup>	PV data 4		PV data 4	x 10 <sup>5</sup>
	15	Preset data 8		Preset data 8		PV data 8		PV data 8	

Note PV and SV stand for Present Value and Set Value, respectively.

These bits function as shown in the following table.

### PC → Counter Unit

Bit	Function
Present Value Preset	Presets the counter to the value specified in the preset data.
Set Value Preset	Presets the preset data in the Set Value memory.
Count Gate	Controls the Counter's start and stop operations. ON starts the Counter; OFF stops it.
Increment/Decrement	In command input mode 1, the Counter's increment and decrement functions receive instructions from the PC program.
000000 Reset	Resets the Counter to 000000 from 999999.
999999 Reset	Resets the Counter to 999999 from 000000.
Coincidence Reset	Resets the Counter's Present Value = Set Value signal
Output Enable	Enables external output signals. (Coincidence signal and Present Value > Set Value signal). When power source is ON, output is blocked, thus both contact output and transistor output are OFF.
Preset data 10 <sup>5</sup> through 10 <sup>0</sup>	This is preset data for either the Counter (Present Value) or the Set Value memory. The data range is 000000 through 999999. When the power is applied, it is initialized to 000000.

Section 2-5 Data Transfers

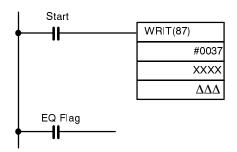
### Counter Unit → PC

Bit	Function
000000 Reset	Using the increment instruction, this turns ON as the Counter's Present Value changes from 999999 to 000000. It is turned OFF by the 000000 reset or by an external reset instruction.
999999 Reset	Using the decrement instruction, this turns ON as the Counter's Present Value changes from 000000 to 999999. It is turned OFF by the 999999 reset or by an external reset instruction.
Present Value > Set Value	Turns ON when the Counter's Present Value is greater than the Set Value.
Present Value = Set Value	Turns ON when the Counter's Present Value equals the Set Value. It is turned OFF by the coincidence reset or an external reset signal. Although the values still coincide once it is reset, this bit will not turn on again until the next instance of Present Value = Set Value.
Present Value < Set Value	This turns on when the Counter's Present Value is smaller than the Set Value.
Present Value Data	This is the Counter's Present Value (000000 through 999999).

- **Note** 1. When power is applied, all bits are OFF.
  - 2. When an external reset is received, UP, DOWN, Present Value = Set Value, and Present Value Data are all reset.
  - 3. When the preset data resets binary data, normal operations are not handled. Preset the BCD data.
  - 4. Present Value preset and Set Value preset require that the coincidence reset be ON.
  - 5. When the Counter is mounted on a Remote I/O Terminal, the ON/OFF signals of the various preset and reset outputs will be delayed at least 20 ms.

### CT012 Bit Number Allocations

When writing programs to be transferred from the PC to the Counter, use the following format:

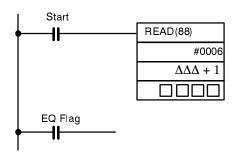


In this program, #0037 indicates the number of words to be sent to the Counter Unit. XXXX indicates the first address of PC data that will be sent.  $\Delta\Delta\Delta$  indicates the OUT word where the Counter is mounted. The EQ flag will turn ON when the write command has been completed.

Writing data to the Counter does not set the Counter's Present Value unless the proper commands are used. The Present Value of the Counter can be set three ways: Clear, Preset 1, and Preset 2. When an OUT is sent to the appropriate bit, the bit's value is set to 1. Bits are allocated as follows: Input the three digit word where the Counter is mounted, followed by bit 03 (clear), bit 04 (Preset 1), or bit 05 (Preset 2). If a bit is left high, with a 1 value, the Counter will remain in a reset/preset state.

When sending information from the Counter to the PC, the same programming applies.

Data Transfers Section 2–5



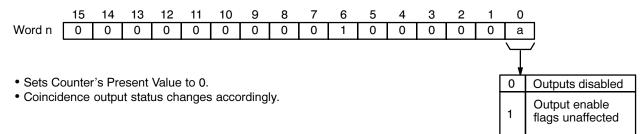
In this program, #0006 indicates the number of words to be read by the PC.  $\Delta\Delta\Delta+1$  indicates that 1 should be added to the word where the Counter is mounted.  $\Box\Box\Box\Box$  indicates the first location in the PC where data should be sent. The EQ flag turns ON when the READ command has been completed.

In data transfer mode 1, the Counter's status is not updated until an Intelligent I/O Read (READ(88)) has been executed. In order to obtain the most current status, execute READ(88) two consecutive times, and use the data obtained from the second READ(88).

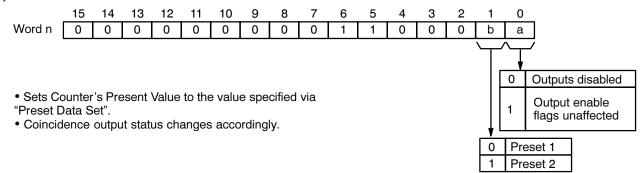
Data transfer mode 2 is command data transfer mode. This mode can be used only when the Counter is mounted on a Remote I/O Rack. As with mode 1, data can be sent to the PC from the Counter, or vice versa. The following six diagrams show word and bit allocation in this mode.

Data Transfers Section 2–5

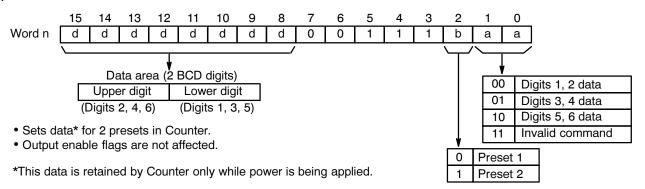
#### 1) Clear Command



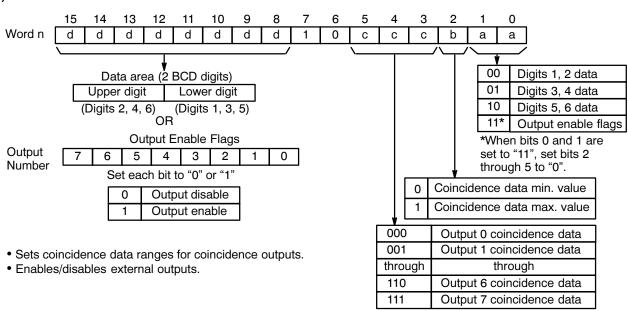
#### 2) Preset Command



#### 3) Preset Data Set Command

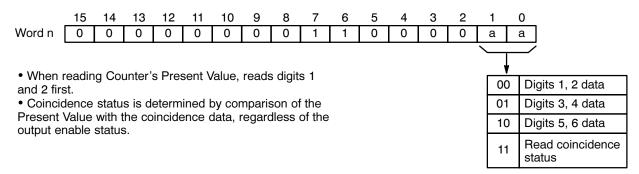


#### 4) Coincidence Data Set Command



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#### (5) Data Request Command



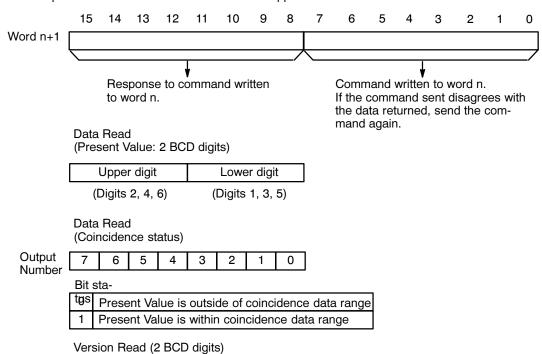
#### (6) Version Read Command

	15	14	13	12	11	10	9	8	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0	
Word n	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	

• Reads the version number of the High-speed Counter's system ROM.

#### **High-speed Counter to PC**

The response to the command written to word n appears at word n+1

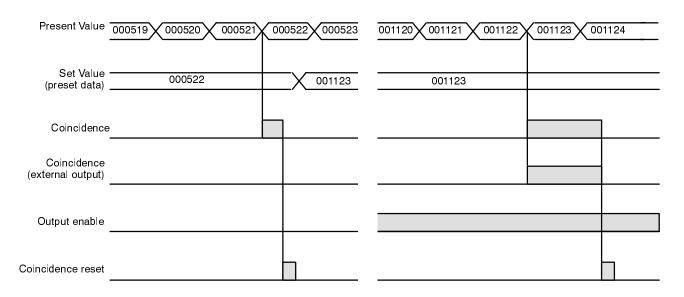


## 2-6 Coincidence Signals

#### **CT001 Coincidence Signals**

The coincidence signal turns ON when the Present Value of the Counter coincides with the Set Value. This signal remains ON until the coincidence reset signal or external reset signal is turned ON. The outputs will remain OFF, regardless of coincidence status, if the output enable flags have not been set. Enable the outputs as required via the user program.

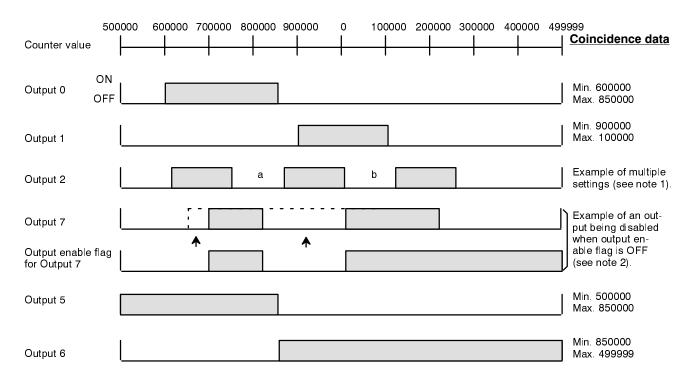
The following diagram shows an example of how coincidence signals operate.



#### **CT012 Coincidence Signals**

The CT012 differs from the CT001 in that the CT012 has eight output signals. A PC can be used to set two coincidence values for each of these outputs. The values set from the PC consist of a minimum and maximum value. When the counter value is within this range, the coincidence output will go ON. The outputs will remain OFF, regardless of coincidence status, if the output enable flags have not been set. Enable the outputs as required via the user program.

Example coincidence ranges for outputs are shown in the following diagram.



**Note** 1. Coincidence data is changed during periods 'a' and 'b' via the user program.

2. All output enable flags (0 through 7) are reset (turned OFF) when power is applied. Enable the outputs as required via the user program.

Bit Number Allocations Section 2–7

## 2-7 Bit Number Allocations

The CT001s can have eight set count values. The CT012 can have eight preset coincidence ranges. These bits are allocated as described below. Assignments are the same regardless of the mode.

#### **CT001 Bit Number Allocations**

					I,	/O					
			0	UT		IN					
Ī		word n		word n+	1	word n	-2	word n+3			
	0	Present Value P	reset	Preset data 1	x 10 <sup>2</sup>	000000 reset		PV data 1	x 10 <sup>2</sup>		
	1	Set Value Prese	t	Preset data 2		999999 reset		PV data 2			
	2	Count Gate		Preset data 4		PV > SV		PV data 4			
	3	Increment/Decre	ement	Preset data 8		PV = SV		PV data 8			
	4	000000 Reset		Preset data 1	x 10 <sup>3</sup>	PV < SV		PV data 1	x 10 <sup>3</sup>		
	5	999999 Reset		Preset data 2		Normally ON		PV data 2			
	6	Coincidence Res	set	et Preset data 4		Normally ON		PV data 4			
bit	7	Output Enable		Preset data 8		Normally ON		PV data 8			
	8	Preset data 1	x 10 <sup>0</sup>	Preset data 1	x 10 <sup>4</sup>	PV data 1	x 10 <sup>0</sup>	PV data 1	x 10 <sup>4</sup>		
	9	Preset data 2		Preset data 2		PV data 2		PV data 2			
	10	Preset data 4		Preset data 4		PV data 4		PV data 4			
	11	Preset data 8		Preset data 8		PV data 8		PV data 8			
	12	Preset data 1	x 10 <sup>1</sup>	Preset data 1	x 10 <sup>5</sup>	PV data 1	x 10 <sup>1</sup>	PV data 1	x 10 <sup>5</sup>		
	13	Preset data 2	1	Preset data 2		PV data 2		PV data 2			
	14	Preset data 4		Preset data 4		PV data 4		PV data 4			
	15	Preset data 8		Preset data 8		PV data 8		PV data 8			

**Note** PV and SV stand for Present Value and Set Value, respectively.

# CT012 Bit Number Allocations

The CT012 has two data transfer modes: Intelligent I/O Read/Write mode (mode 1) and command mode (mode 2). Mode 1 of the CT012 is similar to CT001 operation. In mode 1, word n and word n+1 bits 0 through 2 are used by the PC and Counter for communication purposes. Using these bits as work bits may cause a malfunction. Use the following table to set the relays.

									1/0					
									I/O					
									OUT					
									word n					
							Commar	nd N	/lode					Intelligent I/O
			Clear		Preset	Pre	set Data Set		incidence ta Set	Da	ata Request	Ve	ersion Read	R/W Mode
	00	а	O/P enable	а	O/P enable	а	Digit	а	O/P flags/di-	а	Digit/status	0		(PC Busy)
	01	0		b	Preset 1/2	а	selection	а	git selection	0	selection	0		(PC WR End)
	02	0		0		Ь	Preset 1/2	b	Min/Max	0		0		(PC RD End)
	03	0		0		1		С	Output	0		0		Clear
	04	0	Command	0	Command	1		С	0 to 7 selection	0	Command 0		Preset 1	
	05	0		1		1	Command	С		0		0		Preset 2
bit	06	1		1		0		0	Command	1		0		
Dit	07	0		0		0		1	Command	1		0	Command	
	80	0		0		а		d		0		0	Command	
	09	0		0		d		d		0		0		
	10	0		0		d		d		0		0		
	11	0		0		d	Data Area	d	Data Area	0		0		
	12	0		0		d	Data / Tod	d	Data / ii ea	0		0		
	13	0		0		d		d		0		0		
	14	0		0		d		d	]	0		0		
	15	0		0		đ		d		0		0		

_									
			I/O	0					
		IN							
		word n+1							
		Сс	mmand mode	Intelligent I/O					
			Data Read	R/W Mode					
	00		Output enable	(CNT Busy)					
	01		A#== 0	(CNT RD End)					
	02		After 2 command	(CNT WR End)					
	03		has been						
	04		successful- ly sent,						
	05		it reap-						
La:4	06		pears here.						
bit	07								
	80	d							
	09	d							
	10	d							
	11	d	Response (Data						
	12	d	Requested)						
	13	d							
	14	d							
	15	d							



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# 2-8 DM Coding

The DM area contains parameters that are to be set into the Counter. These parameters include the operating mode and output range limits. The following figures show the DM coding for the CT012 Counter.

DM Coding Section 2–8

#### Mode 1: Intelligent I/O Read/Write Mode

#### Data area for Write instruction (WRIT 87).

Initial setting: Set output enable flags to '0' as counter has not been initialized.

DM No.	15	<b>+</b>	_	00	Fund	tion	
100	0	0			Digits 6, 5		
101					Digits 4, 1	Prese	et 1
102	0	0			Digits 6, 5		
103					Digits 4, 1	Prese	et 2
104	0	0	0	0	Output enab	e flags	3
105	0	0			Digits 6, 5	MIN	
106					Digits 4, 1	IVIIIN	DATA
107	0	0			Digits 6, 5	MAX	0
108					Digits 4, 1	IVIAA	
109	0	0			Digits 6, 5	MIN	
110					Digits 4, 1	IVIIIN	DATA
111	0	0			Digits 6, 5	MAX	1
112					Digits 4, 1	INIAX	
113	0	0			Digits 6, 5	MIN	
114					Digits 4, 1	IVIIIN	DATA
115	0	0			Digits 6, 5	MAX	2
116					Digits 4, 1	IWAX	
117	0	0			Digits 6, 5	MIN	
118					Digits 4, 1	IVIIIN	DATA
119	0	0			Digits 6, 5	MAX	3
120					Digits 4, 1		
121	0	0			Digits 6, 5	MIN	
122					Digits 4, 1	IVIIIN	DATA
123	0	0			Digits 6, 5	MAX	4
124					Digits 4, 1		
125	0	0			Digits 6, 5	MIN	
126					Digits 4, 1	IVIIIN	DATA
127	0	0			Digits 6, 5	MAX	5
128					Digits 4, 1		
129	0	0			Digits 6, 5	MIN	
130					Digits 4, 1	IVIIIV	DATA
131	0	0			Digits 6, 5	MAX	6
132					Digits 4, 1		
133	0	0			Digits 6, 5	MIN	
134					Digits 4, 1	IVIIIV	DATA
135	0	0			Digits 6, 5	MAX	7
136					Digits 4, 1	INIAX	

Output enable data

DM No.	15	<b>+</b>	_	00	Function		
150	0	0			Digits 6, 5	Preset 1	
151					Digits 4, 1	1 16361 1	
152	0	0			Digits 6, 5	Preset 2	
153					Digits 4, 1	Flesel 2	
154	0	0	F	F	Output enable flags		

Enter appropriate BCD data in the shaded areas.

Data area for Read

DM No.	15	<b>+</b>	_	00	9 Function		
200	0	0			Digits 6, 5	Present	
201					Digits 4, 1	Value	
202	0	0	Δ	Δ	Coincidence	Droost	
203	0	0			Digits 6, 5	Preset data	
204					Digits 4, 1	data	
205	0	0			Output enable status		

: Counter's Present Value (6 BCD digits).

 $\begin{array}{lll} \Delta & \Delta & : \mbox{Result of comparison of coincidence} \\ & \mbox{data 0 through 7 and Counter's} \\ & \mbox{Present Value (1 = equal)} \end{array}$ 

: Counter's Preset Value. The Counter will be preset with this value via the appropriate external control signals when the Counter is in the external 'preset' mode.

: Counter's output enable status.

DM Coding Section 2–8

#### Mode 2: Command Mode

DM No.	15	$\leftarrow$	00	Function					
00		3	8	Digits 2, 1	Pres	et 1			
01		3	9	Digits 4, 3	7				
02		3	Α	Digits 6, 5	1				
03		3	С	Digits 2, 1	Pres	ot 0			
04		3	D	Digits 4, 3	T Fies	el Z			
05		3	E	Digits 6, 5	1				
06		8	0	Digits 2, 1	MIN	DATA			
07		8	1	Digits 4, 3		0			
08		8	2	Digits 6, 5	1				
09		8	4	Digits 2, 1	MAX				
10		8	5	Digits 4, 3	WAX				
11		8	6	Digits 4, 6	┪				
12		8	8	Digits 2, 1	MIN	DATA			
13		8	9	Digits 4, 3		1			
14		8	A	Digits 4, 5	┪				
15		8	С	Digits 2, 1	MAX				
16		8	D	Digits 4, 3	┪┉╱ヘ				
17		8	Ē	Digits 6, 5	1				
18		9	0	Digits 2, 1	MIN	DATA			
19		9	1	Digits 4, 3	<b></b>	2			
20		9	2	Digits 6, 5	1				
21		9	4	Digits 2, 1	MAX				
22		9	5	Digits 4, 3	WAX				
23		9	6	Digits 6, 5	1				
24		9	8	Digits 2, 1	MIN	DATA			
25		9	9	Digits 4, 3		3			
26		9	Α	Digits 6, 5	1				
27		9	С	Digits 2, 1	MAX				
28		9	D	Digits 4, 3	<b> ''''                                 </b>				
29		9	Е	Digits 6, 5	1				
30		Α	0	Digits 2, 1	MIN	DATA			
31		Α	1	Digits 4, 3	<b>1</b> ''''`	4			
32		Α	2	Digits 6, 5					
33		Α	4	Digits 2, 1	MAX				
34		Α	5	Digits 4, 3	7				
35		А	6	Digits 6, 5	1				
36		Α	8	Digits 2, 1	MIN	DATA			
37		Α	9	Digits 4, 3		5			
38		Α	Α	Digits 6, 5	1				
39		Α	С	Digits 2, 1	MAX				
40		Α	D	Digits 4, 3					
41		Α	Е	Digits 6, 5					
42		В	0	Digits 2, 1	MIN	DATA			
43		В	1	Digits 4, 3	7	6			
44		В	2	Digits 6, 5	7				
45		В	4	Digits 2, 1	MAX				
46		В	5	Digits 4, 3	7				
47		В	6	Digits 6, 5	1				

DM No.	15	<b>+</b>		00	Fui	nction	
48			В	8	Digits 2, 1	igits 2, 1 MIN	
49			В	9	Digits 4, 3		
50			В	Α	Digits 6, 5		
51			В	С	Digits 2, 1	MAX	
52			В	D	Digits 4, 3		
53			В	Е	Digits 6, 5		
54			8	3	Output ena	ble fla	gs
55	0	0	4	0	Disable o/p	)	Clear
56	0	0	4	1	Flags unaf	fected	
57	0	0	6	0	Disable o/p	)	Preset 1
58	0	0	6	1	Flags unaf	fected	
59	0	0	6	2	Disable o/p	)	Preset 2
60	0	0	6	3	Flags unaf	fected	
61	0	0	С	0	Digits 2, 1		
62	0	0	С	1	Digits 4, 3		Data
63	0	0	С	2	Digits 6, 5	request	
64	0	0	С	3	Status		·

Enter appropriate BCD data in the shaded area
(except in the case of output enable flags).

DM No	15	<b>←</b>	_	00	Function				
70			0	0	Digits 2, 1	Counter			
71			0	0	Digits 4, 3	Present			
72			0	0	Digits 6, 5	Value			
73			0	0	Coincidenc	e status			
74					Read Area				
75					Index Register				
76					Work Area				

<sup>=</sup> Counter's Present Value and coincidence status.

# **SECTION 3**

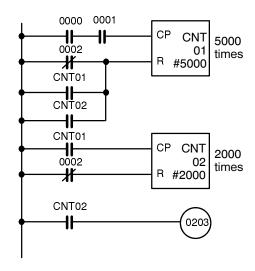
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Cumulative Counters Section 3–1

## 3-1 Cumulative Counters

An extended Counter for counting higher than 499,999 can be made by programming Counters in series. The following is an example of a 1,000,000-count Counter.

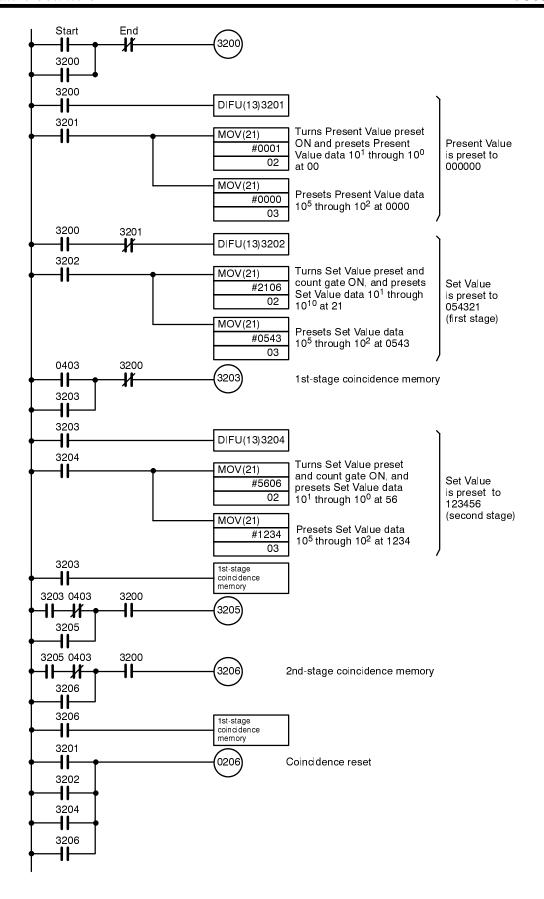


Address	Instruction		ata
0000	LD		0000
0001	AND		0001
0002	LD		0002
0003	8 <sub>H</sub> T	CNT	01
0004	OR	CNT	02
0005			01
		#	5000
0006	LD	CNT	01
0007	LD		0002
8000	<del>T</del> RB		02
		#	2000
0009	LD	CNT	02
0010	OUT		0203

CT001 Two-stage Preset Counter

Count values 054321 and 123456 are processed. (The Counter is assigned to words 2 through 5.) Bits 3200 through 3206 are internal bits. This is shown in the following ladder diagram.

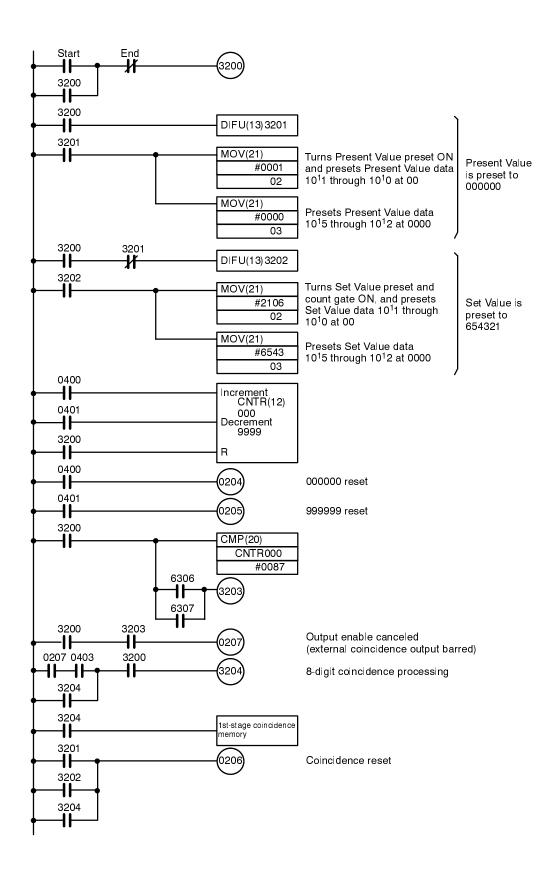
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**Note** When performing Present Value preset and Set Value preset, turn coincidence reset ON.

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Multi-digit Preset Incrementing Counter (six digits or more) Processing is performed with a count value of "87654321." (Counter is assigned words 2 through 5.) This is shown in the following ladder diagram.

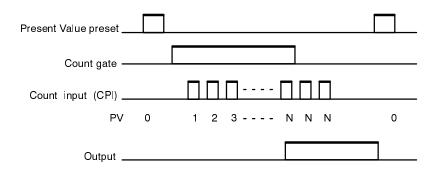


## 3-2 Application Examples

#### **Example of Four-digit Increment Count**

#### 1, 2, 3... 1. Operation

A count is made of pulses from a sensor, such as an Encoder or proximity switch, connected to a CT001. When this matches the value set with a rotary switch, the output goes ON.



Note PV and SV stand for Present Value and Set Value, respectively.

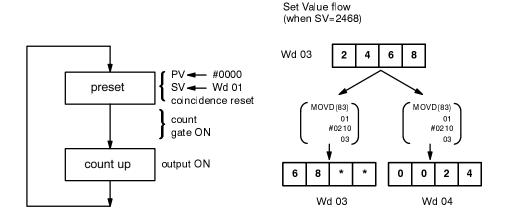
#### 2. Input and output

Word 00 (control input)
Reset = 0000
Word 01 (4-digit rotary switch for settings)
Word 02 (control output)
Output = 0200
Words 03 through 06 (High-speed Counter)

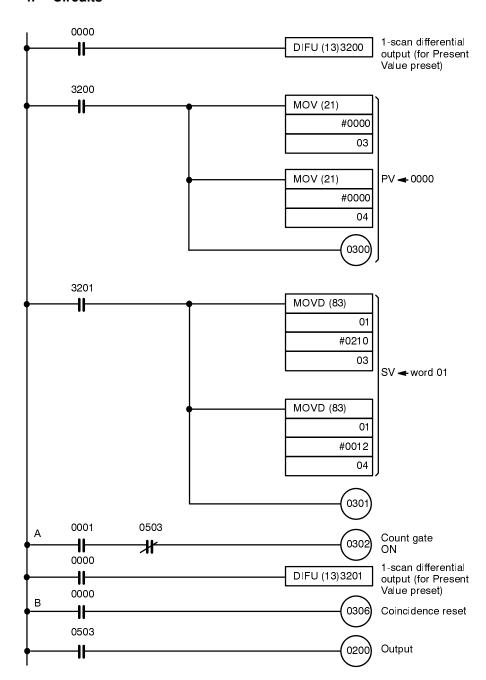
#### DIP switch



#### 3. Flow



#### **Circuits**



Note 1. Because the I/O refresh occurs at the end of the scan time, the PC can not set both PV and SV within the same scan. Two scans are required, as shown in the above figure.

2. If the same input (PV and SV setting, count gate, and coincidence reset) is used more than twice, the program will not operate correctly. Consequently, when using signals from the count gate and coincidence reset, the circuits at (A) and (B) above must be added.

## **CT001 Dual-speed Positioning Counter Example**

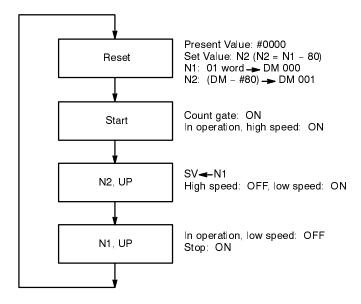
#### *1, 2, 3...* 1. Operation

This is a positioning operation using an Inverter and an Encoder. The goal value N1 is externally set with a rotary switch. A first-stage setting of N2 = (N1 - 80) is made and run at high speed up to N2. Then it is run at low speed from N2 to N1 and stopped at N1.

#### 2. Input and Output

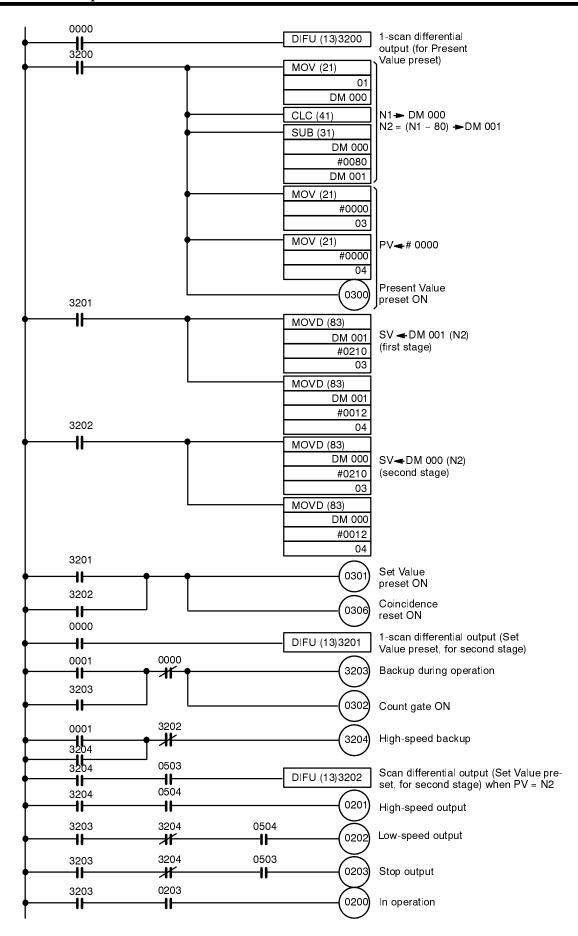
Word 00 (control input)
Reset = 0000, start = 0001
Word 01 (Set Value input = 4-digit rotary switch)
Word 02 (control output)
In operation = 0200, high speed = 0201, low speed = 0202, stop = 0203
Words 03 through 06 (High-speed Counter)

#### 3. Flow



#### 4. Programming

The required ladder diagram programming is shown in the following diagram.



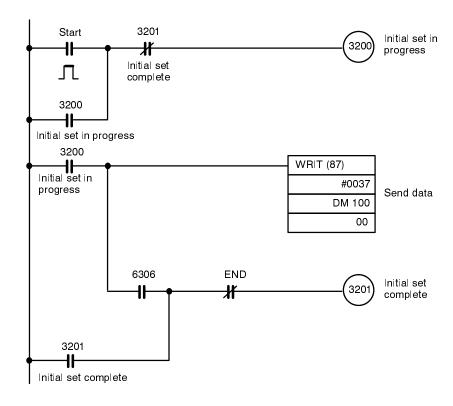
## 3-3 Programming Examples for the CT012

The examples in this section show the programming required for each Counter operation. Use the program segments that pertain to the operations your control system requires.

## 3-3-1 Mode 1: Intelligent I/O Read/Write Programming Example

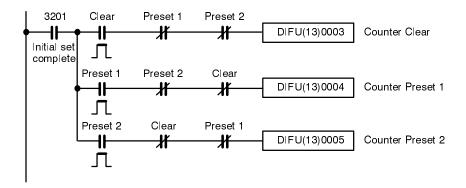
The High-speed Counter occupies words 0 and 1

#### Set initial data



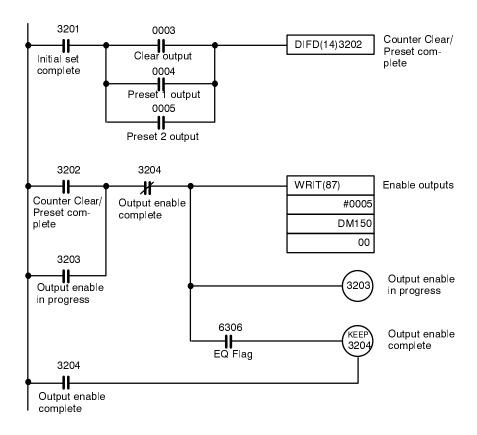
Execution of the above program segment does not set the Counter's Present Value. The coincidence outputs will not operate if the output enable flags are = 0. Set the Present Value as shown in the following diagram.

#### **Set Present Value**

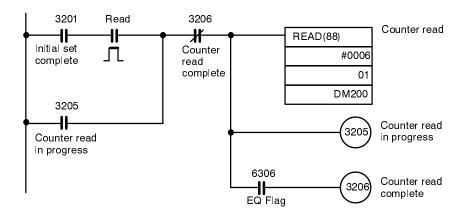


In the preceding diagram, the Counter is Cleared/Preset on the leading edge of the signals and resumes operation on the trailing edge.

#### **Enabling the outputs**



#### **Read Counter**

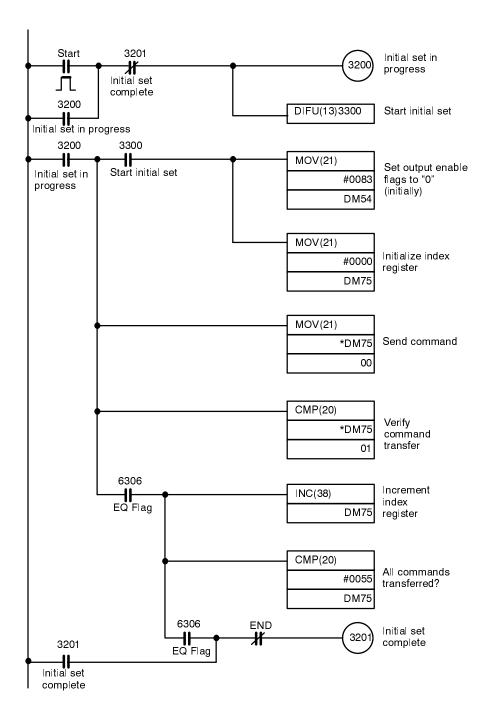


Use the Counter's Present Value, coincidence status etc. as required.

## 3-3-2 Mode 2: Command Mode Programming Example

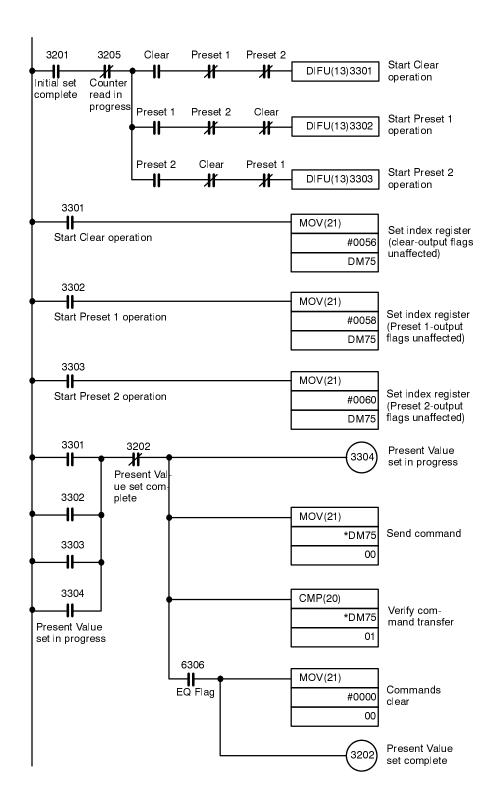
The High-speed Counter occupies words 0 and 1.

#### Set initial data



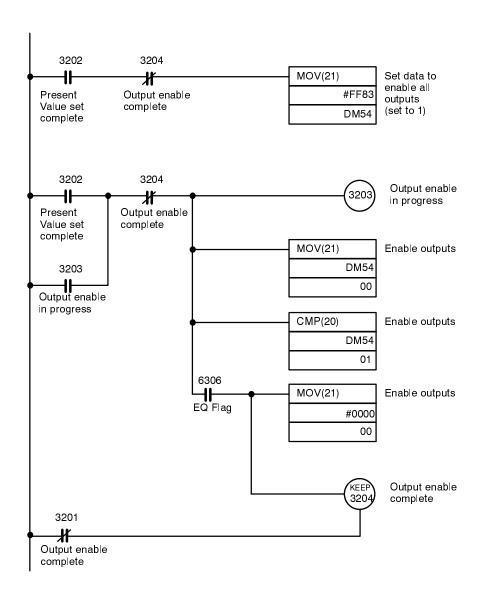
Execution of the preceding program segment does not set the Counter's Present Value. The coincidence outputs will not operate if the output enable flags are = 0. To set the Present Value, run the following program.

#### **Set Present Value**

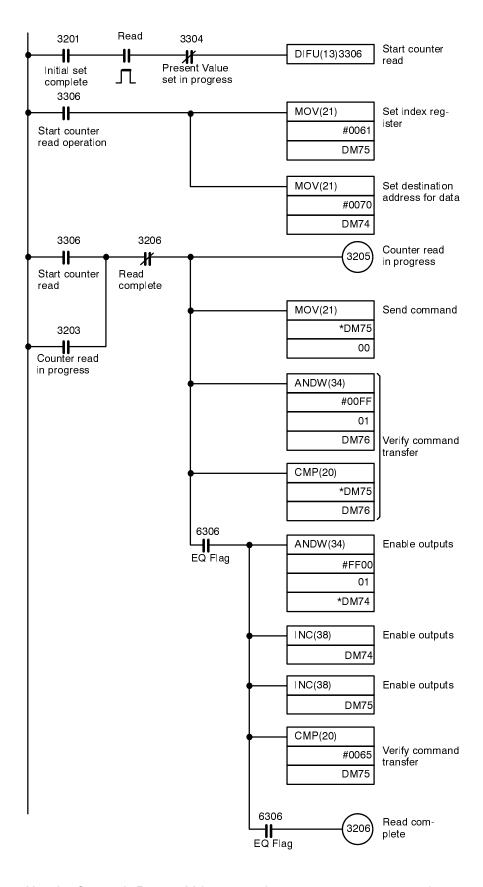


The Counter is Cleared/Preset when the command is sent. Counter operation resumes after the command has been cleared.

#### **Enable outputs**



#### **Read Counter**



Use the Counter's Present Value, coincidence status etc. as required.

# Appendix A Standard Models

Name	Description	Model
	For C120	3G2A6-CT001
High-speed Counter	For C500	3G2A5-CT001
	For C500 C1000H C2000H	3G2A5-CT012

# Appendix B Specifications

#### CT001

Count input	Input signals*	Count input 1
		Count input 2
	Voltage levels	H: 6 to 12 V L: 0 to 4 V
	Input modes	Command input 1 mode/command input 2 mode: Specifies whether UP/DOWN count command is executed via a program or count input 2.  Phase differential input mode: Specifies execution of UP/DOWN count command according to phase difference between count inputs 1 and 2, as follows: UP: When count input 1 precedes count input 2 by 90%. DOWN: When count input 1 follows count input 2 by 90%. (Input modes are DIP switch-selectable.)
	Counting speeds	Solid-state input: 50 kHz max. (30 kHz max. for phase differential input mode) Contact input: 30 Hz max. (Counting speeds are DIP switch-selectable.)
Reset input	Voltage levels	H: 6 to 12 V L: 0 to 4 V
	ON-response time	1.5 ms max.
	OFF-response time	2 ms max.
Output signals		Output by hardware     Coincidence signal: Relay contact output and     transistor (open collector) output     Present Value > Set Value output     signal: transistor (open collector) output
Internal power supply		300 mA 5 V max.
Terminal for external connection		Terminal block (not removable)
Power supply for sensor		100 mA 12 VDC +10% (per point)
Power supply to outside circuit		500 mA 24 VDC +10% 500 mA
Dimensions (mm)		250(H)X34.5(W)X113(D) (CG2A5-CT001) 244(H)X29(W)X110(D) (CG2A6-CT001)
Weight		700 grams

<sup>\*</sup>Count input 1 can be connected to either the solid-state or contact inputs. Count input 2 can be connected to the solid-state input only.

#### **RELAY OUTPUT**

Output switching capacity	Relay contact output (G6B) 250 VAC/2A (p.f. = 1) 24 VDC/2A
ON-response time	10 ms max.
OFF-response time	15 ms max.
Service life	Electrical: 300 x 10 <sup>3</sup> operations Mechanical: 20 x 10 <sup>6</sup> operations

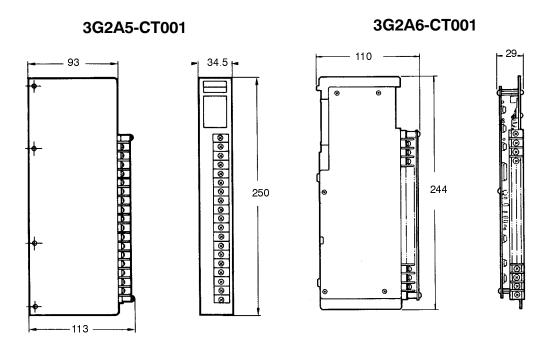
## OPEN COLLECTOR TYPE TRANSISTOR OUTPUT

Max. switching capacity	24 VDC/200 mA
Leakage current	500 mA max.
Saturation voltage	1.3 V max.
ON-response time	50 ms max.
OFF-response time	50 ms max.

**Note** 1. Insert the High-speed Counter into the upper slot of an I/O Unit when mounting the Counter on a C120 PC.

2. To mount the Counter on a C120 PC, use a Type 3G2C4-SI025 or 3G2C4-SI026 I/O Unit.

#### **CT001 External Dimensions**



## CT012

No. of axes			1 axis/Unit
I/O Points consumed			2 words (32 points)
		als	Encoder input A Encoder input B
	Signal leve	els	5, 12, 24 VDC Voltage determined by terminal block wiring.
	Input mode	es	Phase differential Pulse and direction DIP Switch-selectable
		iency	Non-contact input: 50 kHz max. Contact input: 30 Hz max. (pulse and direction mode) (Frequency is dependent upon encoder specifications. Refer to following page.)
Control inputs	Input signa	als	Pulse input Z EXT control input (reset/preset): DIP switch-selectable
	Signal levels		5, 12, 24 VDC (EXT is 5 or 12 to 24 VDC) Voltage determined by terminal block wiring.
	Input mode	es	Counter's Present Value reset/preset by: Mode 1: concurrent EXT and Z signals. Mode 2: EXT and the first concurrent Z pulse. Mode 3: EXT (latched) and first concurrent Z pulse. Mode 4: EXT signal only.
Coincidence	Flags	No. of points	8
		Coincidence range	0 to 999999 (6 digits, BCD) 500000 to 999999 are treated as negative values.
		Coincidence status	'1' when min. coincidence data ≤ Present Value ≤ max. coincidence data.
	Out- puts	Outputs	8 points: external coincidence outputs 0 through 7
	Sink current		Open collector outputs, max. 100 mA at 24 VDC (output power supply: 5 to 24 VDC).
Data transfer modes (DIP switch-selectable)		switch-selectable)	Mode 1: blocks of data transferred via Intelligent I/O Read/Write (use only when mounted on PC or Expansion I/O Rack).  Mode 2: commands transferred via MOV (use only when mounted on Remote I/O Rack).
Current consumption			550 mA max. 5 VDC (supplied by Backplane)
Dimensions (r	Dimensions (mm)		250(H)×34.5(W)×115(D) (including terminal block)
Weight			660 grams (including terminal block)

## **Input Specifications**

ltem	Encoder Inputs A, B, Pulse Input Z			EXT	
Input Voltage	5 VDC +5%	12 VDC +10%	24 VDC +10%	5 VDC + 5%	12/24 VDC +10%
Input Current	10 mA (typ.)	10 mA (typ.)	10 mA (typ.)	10 mA (typ.)	5/10 mA (typ.)
ON Voltage	4.5 V min.	10.2 min.	21.6 min.	4.5 min.	10.2 V min.
OFF Voltage	1.5 V max.	3.0 max.	4.0 max.	1.5 max.	3.0 V max.
ON/OFF Response Time		4 ms max.		2 m	s max.
Minimum Pulse Width	(Phase different Input rise/fall times) 30 kHz, 50% duty cycle  ON  OFF  1 ms  • Relationship be differential input on the	Encoder inputs A, B atial input mode) mes: 1 ms max.  33 ms min.  16 ms 16 min.  1 ms max.  1 ms max.	ses for phase	ON OFF	2 ms min.

### **Output Specifications**

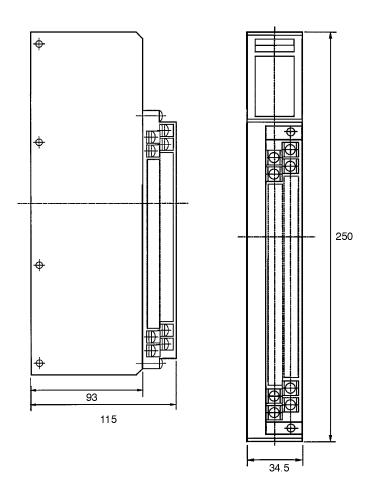
Item	External Outputs 0 to 7
Maximum Sink Current	16 mA 4.5 VDC to 100 mA 26.4 VDC (See graph below) Maximum of 400 mA/Common
Leakage Current	0.1 mA max.
V <sub>ce</sub> max.	0.4 V max.
In→Out Response Time	1 ms max. See Note 1
External Power Supply	5 to 24 VDC +10% (Maximum 800 mA at 26.4 V)
● Maximum  (mA) 100  50  Maximum Sink Current 16	
	External Power Supply Voltage

Note In ➤ Out response time is the interval between the arrival of an input pulse that affects the coincidence output status and the point at which the corresponding output(s) are switched ON or OFF. However, the 1 ms maximum may be exceeded if the pulse arrives:

- 1) during the period between completion of data initialization and enabling of the output enable flags when power is applied (mode 1); or
- 2) during an access of the High-speed Counter via the user program to change coincidence data, preset data, etc.

**Caution** If the output current exceeds 0.5 A/common (4 points) the internal fuse will burn out, disabling the Unit. The fuse is not user-replaceable.

### **CT012 External Dimensions**



## **Glossary**

Backplane A base to which Units are mounted to form a Rack. Backplanes provide a

series of connectors for these Units along with wiring to connect them to the CPU and Power Supply. Backplanes also provide connectors used to connect them to other Backplanes. In some Systems, different Backplanes are used for different Racks; in other Systems, Racks differ only by the Units

mounted to them.

backup A copy of existing data which is valuable if data is accidentally erased.

bit The smallest piece of information that can be represented on a computer. A

bit has the value of either zero or one, corresponding to the electrical signals

ON and OFF. A bit is one binary digit.

**central processing unit** A device that is capable of storing a program and data, and executing the set

of instructions contained in the program. In a PC System, the central processing unit executes the program, processes I/O signals, communicates

with external devices, etc.

coincidence signal A coincidence signal is generated by the Counter when the Present Value of

the Counter matches or falls within the range of the Set Value(s).

**command mode** Mode 2 of the CT012, set via the Unit's DIP switch; available only when the

Unit is mounted on a Remote I/O Expansion Rack.

**CPU** An acronym for central processing unit.

data area An area in the PC's memory that is designed to hold a specific type of data.

For example, the LR area is designed to hold common data in a PC Link

System.

**debugging** The process of checking for errors in a program.

**default condition** The original condition of a function or system.

**Expansion I/O Backplane** A Backplane used to create an Expansion I/O Rack.

Expansion I/O Rack Part of a Rack PC, an Expansion I/O Rack is connected to a CPU Rack to

increase the number of slots available for mounting Units.

**Expansion I/O Unit** An I/O Unit for a Package-type PC that provides more I/O points to the PC.

	Glossary
flag	A bit that is turned ON and OFF automatically by the system in order to provide status information.
hexadecimal	A number system used to represent numbers in base 16 with digits 0,1,29,A,BF.
High-Speed Counter	A Special I/O Unit. A High Speed Counter Unit counts independently of the PC's scan time. This allows counting of very short, fast signals.
Intelligent I/O	
Read/Write mode	Data transfer mode 1 of the CT012, set via theCounter's DIP switch; available only when the Unit is mounted on a PC or an I/O Expansion Rack.
Intelligent I/O Unit	A Unit, such as an ASCII Unit or Ladder Program I/O Unit, that is equipped with its own CPU and can be programmed.
I/O Control Unit	A Unit mounted to the CPU Rack in certain PCs to monitor and control I/O points on Expansion I/O Units.
I/O devices	The devices which are connected to the terminals on I/O Units, Special I/O Units, or Intelligent I/O Units. I/O devices may be part of the Control System if they function to help control other devices, or they may be part of the controlled system if they interact directly with it.
I/O point	The place at which an input signal enters the PC System or an output signal leaves the PC System. In physical terms, an I/O point corresponds to terminals or connector pins on a Unit; in terms of programming, an I/O point corresponds to an I/O bit in the IR area.
I/O Unit	The most basic type of Unit mounted to a Backplane. I/O Units include Input Units and Output Units, each of which is available in a range of specifications. I/O Units do not include Special I/O Units, Link Units, etc.
Limit Switch	A switch that detects when an object has reached the limit of its movement by actually making contact with the object. Limit Switches are fitted to electric elevators, traveling cranes, etc. to indicate when a certain part of the equipment has traveled to the specified limit.

ment has traveled to the specified limit.

origin The number set against which the Counter is incremented or decremented.

Outputs the result of a logical operation to a specified bit. **OUT** instruction

An acronym for Programmable Controller. PC

#### **Glossary**

**phase difference** The difference between Co

The difference between Counter inputs measured in degrees per 360°. For example, if the two inputs sends signals to the Counter at exactly opposite intervals, the phase difference between these inputs would be 180°.

phase differential

input mode A Counter input mode in which phase difference determines whether the

Counter is incremented or decremented.

**Photoelectric Switch** A switch that uses light to detect the presence of an object.

**Power Supply** A Unit that mounts to a Backplane in a Rack PC. It provides power at the

voltage required by the other Units on the Rack.

Programmable Controller A small, computer-like device that can control peripheral equipment, such as

an electric door or quality control devices, based on programming and peripheral input devices. Any process that can be controlled using electrical signals can be controlled by a PC. PCs can be used independently or net-

worked together into a system to control more complex operations.

**Proximity Switch** A switch that uses magnetic induction to measure the distance of a metallic

object from the front of the switch.

pulse and direction

**input mode** A Counter input mode in which the present status of the Counter's input 2

determines whether the Counter value is incremented or decremented when

a pulse is received from an input.

Rack An assembly that forms a functional unit in a Rack PC System. A Rack con-

sists of a Backplane and the Units mounted to it. These Units include the Power Supply, CPU, and I/O Units. Racks include CPU Racks, Expansion I/O Racks, and I/O Racks. The CPU Rack is the Rack with the CPU mounted to it. An Expansion I/O Rack is an additional Rack that holds extra I/O Units. An I/O Rack is used in the C2000H Duplex System, because there is no

room for any I/O Units on the CPU Rack in this System.

Rack PC A PC that is composed of Units mounted to one or more Racks. This configu-

ration is the most flexible, and most large PCs are Rack PCs. A Rack PC is the opposite of a Package-type PC, which has all of the basic I/O, storage,

and control functions built into a single package.

Remote I/O Unit A Unit that extends the distance an Expansion I/O Rack can be from the

CPU.

**scan time** The time it takes the PC to perform internal operations, i.e., reset the watch-

dog timer, read the program, receive input data, send output data, and ex-

#### Glossary

ecute instructions. Scan time is monitored by the watchdog timer within the PC, and if it takes longer than a certain specified amount of time, an error message may be generated, or the CPU may just stop. Scan times will differ depending on the configuration of the system.

sensor

An input device that "senses" a property of the real world and relays it to the Control System. The property can be a measurement of an object, or simply a signal indicating the presence of the object.

Special I/O Unit

A dedicated Unit that is designed for a specific purpose. Special I/O Units include Position Control Units, High-Speed Counters, Analog I/O Units, etc.

switch

An input device that sends either an ON or OFF signal to the Control System. A switch can be operated either by a person or by the movement of a piece of equipment or material.

Unit

In OMRON PC terminology, the word Unit is capitalized to indicate any product sold for a PC System. Though most of the names of these products end with the word Unit, not all do. For example, a Remote Terminal is referred to in a collective sense as a Unit. Context generally makes any limitations of this word clear.

word

In digital circuits, a group of bits. Usually a word consists of four, eight, or sixteen bits. In C-series PCs, a word consists of sixteen bits. Words can be used to store data, or they can be used for I/O.

work bits

Bits in the IR area that are not being used for input or output. These bits can be used in the program in any way desired.

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