



# Pacific Scientific PC830 Series Servo Controllers

## Overview

### Maple Systems' 3100 Series and 4100 Series Operator Interface

**Terminals** (Maple OITs) can be used to monitor and modify the operating parameters of Pacific Scientific's PC830 Series servo controllers. Below is a listing of the PC830 Series models which can communicate to a Maple OIT:

Compatible Controllers	
Controller Family	Controller Model
PC830 Series	PC832, PC833, PC834

Maple Systems' OITware-200 configuration software allows a Maple OIT to communicate with a Pacific Scientific PC830 Series servo controller using the PC830 protocol. When configured with **OITware-200**, the **Maple OIT is the master** in a point-to-point single master, single slave or single master, multiple slave format.

## Communications Cable

The Maple OIT should be connected via 3-wire RS-232 or 4-wire RS-422 to the serial port on the Pacific Scientific PC830 controller.

Refer to Technical Note 1061 for information on communications cable part numbers and cable assembly instructions. If you will be assembling your own communications cable, cable assembly instructions are also available on our web site at [www.maple-systems.com](http://www.maple-systems.com).

**WARNING:** If you communications cable is not wired exactly as shown in our cable assembly instructions, damage to the Maple OIT or loss of communications can result.

# Controller Settings

Name	Setting	Options	Important Notes
Baud Rate:	19200	No options	Must match the OIT Configuration setting. Use the fastest baud rate supported by both.
Data Bits:	8	No options	Must match the OIT Configuration setting.
Parity:	None	No options	Must match the OIT Configuration setting.
Stop Bits:	1	No options	Must match the OIT Configuration setting.
Node Address:	255	1 to 255	Must match the OIT Configuration setting. The global node address, 255, should not be used in a network since all drives respond.

## Accessible Controller Commands and Memory

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The following tables list the Controller commands and memory ranges that Maple's OITs are able to access: (Please note that your Controller's memory range may be *smaller* or *larger* than that supported by Maple's OITs.)

#### For Register Monitors:

Keyword	Sub-Element	Access	Preferred Format
AccelLmt	N/A	R/W	Float
ActiveAccelRate	N/A	R	Float
ActiveDecelRate	N/A	R	Float
ActiveDistance	N/A	R	Long
ActiveDistOffset	N/A	R	Long
ActiveHomeDir	N/A	R	1/0, On/Off, ASCII String
ActiveHomeMode	N/A	R	Decimal
ActiveMove	N/A	R/W	Decimal
ActiveMoveType	N/A	R	Decimal
ActiveRegSelect	N/A	R	1/0, On/Off, ASCII String
ActiveRunSpeed	N/A	R	Float
ActualILmtMinus	N/A	R	Float
ActualILmtPlus	N/A	R	Float
ADF0	N/A	R/W	Float

<b>Keyword</b>	<b>Sub-Element</b>	<b>Access</b>	<b>Preferred Format</b>
ADOffset	N/A	R/W	Float
AInNull	N/A	R/W	1/0, On/Off, ASCII String
AnalogIn	N/A	R	Float
AnalogOutX	1-2	R/W	Float
ARFX	0-1	R/W	Float
AxisAddr	N/A	R/W	Decimal
Brake	N/A	R	1/0, On/Off, ASCII String
CcwInh	N/A	R/W	1/0, On/Off, ASCII String
CfgD	N/A	R	Decimal
CmdGain	N/A	R/W	Float
CmdGain2	N/A	R/W	Float
CommSrc	N/A	R/W	Decimal
CwInh	N/A	R/W	1/0, On/Off, ASCII String
DecelLmt	N/A	R/W	Float
DigitalCmd	N/A	R	Long
DigitalCmdFreq	N/A	R	Float
DMXF0	1-2	R/W	Float
DMXGain	1-2	R/W	Float
DMXMap	1-2	R/W	Decimal
DMXOut	1-2	R	Float
DriveStatus	N/A	R	Decimal
ElecAngTau	N/A	R/W	Decimal
Enable	N/A	R/W	1/0, On/Off, ASCII String
Enable2	N/A	R/W	1/0, On/Off, ASCII String
Enabled	N/A	R	1/0, On/Off, ASCII String
EncAlignRampIcmd	N/A	R/W	Decimal
EncAlignTestDist	N/A	R/W	Decimal
EncAlignTime	N/A	R/W	Decimal
EncFreq	N/A	R	Float
EncIn	N/A	R/W	Decimal
EncInF0	N/A	R/W	Float
EncMode	N/A	R/W	Decimal

<b>Keyword</b>	<b>Sub-Element</b>	<b>Access</b>	<b>Preferred Format</b>
EncOut	N/A	R/W	Decimal
EncPos	N/A	R	Long
ExtFault	N/A	R	Decimal
Fault	N/A	R	1/0, On/Off, ASCII String
FaultCode	N/A	R	Decimal
FaultReset	N/A	R/W	1/0, On/Off, ASCII String
FVelErr	N/A	R	Float
FwV	N/A	R	Decimal
GearingOn	N/A	R/W	1/0, On/Off, ASCII String
HallOffset	N/A	R/W	Decimal
HallState	N/A	R	Decimal
HomeSwitch	N/A	R	1/0, On/Off, ASCII String
HSTemp	N/A	R	Float
HwV	N/A	R	Decimal
ICmd	N/A	R	Float
IFB	N/A	R	Float
ILmtMinus	N/A	R/W	Decimal
ILmtPlus	N/A	R/W	Decimal
InpX	1-6	R	Long
InpMapX	1-6	R/W	Decimal
InPosLimit	N/A	R/W	Decimal
Inputs	N/A	R	Decimal
IntgStopThresh	N/A	R/W	Float
Ipeak	N/A	R	Float
ItF0	N/A	R/W	Float
ItFilt	N/A	R	Float
ItThresh	N/A	R/W	Decimal
ItThreshA	N/A	R	Float
IU	N/A	R	Float
IV	N/A	R	Float
IW	N/A	R	Float
KdEnc	N/A	R/W	Decimal

Keyword	Sub-Element	Access	Preferred Format
KiEnc	N/A	R/W	Decimal
Kii	N/A	R/W	Float
Kip	N/A	R/W	Float
KpEnc	N/A	R/W	Decimal
Kpp	N/A	R/W	Float
Kvff	N/A	R/W	Float
Kvi	N/A	R/W	Float
Kvp	N/A	R/W	Float
Model	N/A	R	Decimal
MotorX	1-2	R	Signed
MoveXAccelRate	0-7	R/W	Float
MoveXDecelRate	0-7	R/W	Float
MoveXDistance	0-7	R/W	Long
MoveXDistOffset	0-7	R/W	Long
MoveXHomeDir	0-7	R/W	1/0, On/Off, ASCII String
MoveXHomeMode	0-7	R/W	Decimal
MoveXRegSelect	0-7	R/W	1/0, On/Off, ASCII String
MoveXRunSpeed	0-7	R/W	Float
MoveXType	0-7	R/W	Decimal
MoveDone	N/A	R	1/0, On/Off, ASCII String
MoveSelectBitX	0-2	R/W	1/0, On/Off, ASCII String
NVLoad	Not Supported in Register Monitors. Use with Function keys.		
NVSave	Not Supported in Register Monitors. Use with Function keys		
OutX	1-4	R/W	1/0, On/Off, ASCII String
OutMapX	1-4	R/W	Decimal
Outputs	N/A	R/W	Decimal
PoleCount	N/A	R/W	Decimal
PosCmdSet	N/A	R/W	Long
PosCommand	N/A	R	Long
PosError	N/A	R	Long
PosErrorMax	N/A	R/W	Long
Position	N/A	R	Long

<b>Keyword</b>	<b>Sub-Element</b>	<b>Access</b>	<b>Preferred Format</b>
PulsesIn	N/A	R/W	Long
PulsesOut	N/A	R/W	Signed
RegXActiveEdge	1-2	R/W	1/0, On/Off, ASCII String
RegXEncoderPosition	1-2	R	Long
RegXResolverPosition	1-2	R	Long
RemoteFB	N/A	R/W	Decimal
ResPos	N/A	R	Decimal
RunStop	N/A	R/W	1/0, On/Off, ASCII String
StartMove	N/A	R/W	1/0, On/Off, ASCII String
StopTime	N/A	R/W	Float
Unconfigure	Not Supported in Register Monitors. Use with Function keys.		
VBus	N/A	R	Float
VBusThresh	N/A	R/W	Float
VelCmd	N/A	R/W	Float
VelCmd2	N/A	R/W	Float
VelCmdA	N/A	R	Float
VelCmdSrc	N/A	R/W	1/0, On/Off, ASCII String
VelErr	N/A	R	Float
VelFB	N/A	R	Float
VelLmtHi	N/A	R/W	Float
VelLmtLo	N/A	R/W	Float
Velocity	N/A	R	Float
ZeroSpeedThresh	N/A	R/W	Float

**For Recipe Presets:**

Register	Sub-Element	Preferred Format
AccelLmt	Not Supported in Recipes. Do Not Use.	
ActiveMove	N/A	Decimal
ADF0	Not Supported in Recipes. Do Not Use.	
ADOffset	Not Supported in Recipes. Do Not Use.	
AInNull	N/A	1/0, On/Off, ASCII String
AnalogOutX	Not Supported in Recipes. Do Not Use.	
ARFX	Not Supported in Recipes. Do Not Use.	
AxisAddr	N/A	Decimal
CcwInh	N/A	1/0, On/Off, ASCII String
CmdGain	Not Supported in Recipes. Do Not Use.	
CmdGain2	Not Supported in Recipes. Do Not Use.	
CommSrc	N/A	Decimal
CwInh	N/A	1/0, On/Off, ASCII String
DecelLmt	Not Supported in Recipes. Do Not Use.	
DMXF0	Not Supported in Recipes. Do Not Use.	
DMXGain	Not Supported in Recipes. Do Not Use.	
DMXMap	1-2	Decimal
ElecAngTau	N/A	Decimal
Enable	N/A	1/0, On/Off, ASCII String
Enable2	N/A	1/0, On/Off, ASCII String
EncAlignRampIcmd	N/A	Decimal
EncAlignTestDist	N/A	Decimal
EncAlignTime	N/A	Decimal
EncIn	N/A	Decimal
EncInF0	Not Supported in Recipes. Do Not Use.	
EncMode	N/A	Decimal
EncOut	N/A	Decimal
FaultReset	N/A	1/0, On/Off, ASCII String
GearingOn	N/A	1/0, On/Off, ASCII String
HallOffset	N/A	Decimal
ILmtMinus	N/A	Decimal

<b>Register</b>	<b>Sub-Element</b>	<b>Preferred Format</b>
ILmtPlus	N/A	Decimal
InpMapX	1-6	Decimal
InPosLimit	N/A	Decimal
IntgStopThresh	Not Supported in Recipes. Do Not Use.	
ItF0	Not Supported in Recipes. Do Not Use.	
ItThresh	N/A	Decimal
KdEnc	N/A	Decimal
KiEnc	N/A	Decimal
Kii	Not Supported in Recipes. Do Not Use.	
Kip	Not Supported in Recipes. Do Not Use.	
KpEnc	N/A	Decimal
Kpp	Not Supported in Recipes. Do Not Use.	
Kvff	Not Supported in Recipes. Do Not Use.	
Kvi	Not Supported in Recipes. Do Not Use.	
Kvp	Not Supported in Recipes. Do Not Use.	
MoveXAccelRate	Not Supported in Recipes. Do Not Use.	
MoveXDecelRate	Not Supported in Recipes. Do Not Use.	
MoveXDistance	0-7	Long
MoveXDistOffset	0-7	Long
MoveXHomeDir	0-7	1/0, On/Off, ASCII String
MoveXHomeMode	0-7	Decimal
MoveXRegSelect	0-7	1/0, On/Off, ASCII String
MoveXRunSpeed	Not Supported in Recipes. Do Not Use.	
MoveXType	0-7	Decimal
MoveSelectBitX	0-2	1/0, On/Off, ASCII String
NVLoad	N/A	1/0, On/Off, ASCII String
NVSave	N/A	1/0, On/Off, ASCII String
OutX	1-4	1/0, On/Off, ASCII String
OutMapX	1-4	Decimal
Outputs	N/A	Decimal
PoleCount	N/A	Decimal
PosCmdSet	N/A	Long

<b>Register</b>	<b>Sub-Element</b>	<b>Preferred Format</b>
PosErrorMax	N/A	Long
PulsesIn	N/A	Long
PulsesOut	N/A	Signed
RegXActiveEdge	1-2	1/0, On/Off, ASCII String
RemoteFB	N/A	Decimal
RunStop	N/A	1/0, On/Off, ASCII String
StartMove	N/A	1/0, On/Off, ASCII String
StopTime	Not Supported in Recipes. Do Not Use.	
Unconfigure	N/A	1/0, On/Off, ASCII String
VBusThresh	Not Supported in Recipes. Do Not Use.	
VelCmd	Not Supported in Recipes. Do Not Use.	
VelCmd2	Not Supported in Recipes. Do Not Use.	
VelCmdSrc	N/A	1/0, On/Off, ASCII String
VelLmtHi	Not Supported in Recipes. Do Not Use.	
VelLmtLo	Not Supported in Recipes. Do Not Use.	
ZeroSpeedThresh	Not Supported in Recipes. Do Not Use.	

**For Screen-Dependent Function Keys and Function Keys:**

<b>Register</b>	<b>Sub-Element</b>	<b>Preferred Action</b>
AInNull	N/A	Latch
CcwInh	N/A	Push On/Off
CwInh	N/A	Push On/Off
Enable	N/A	Push On/Off
Enable2	N/A	Push On/Off
FaultReset	N/A	Latch
GearingOn	N/A	Push On/Off
MoveXHomeDir	0-7	Push On/Off
MoveXRegSelect	0-7	Push On/Off
MoveSelectBitX	0-2	Push On/Off
NVLoad	N/A	Latch
NVSave	N/A	Latch
OutX	1-4	Push On/Off
RegXActiveEdge	1-2	Push On/Off
RunStop	N/A	Push On/Off
StartMove	N/A	Latch
Unconfigure	N/A	Latch
VelCmdSrc	N/A	Push On/Off

## Important Controller Memory Considerations

If your controller's memory range is smaller than the range supported by Maple's OITs, it is possible to configure the Maple OIT to monitor a memory address which does not exist. Since this can cause unpredictable results, when you configure the Maple OIT please ensure that all selected memory addresses are valid for your controller model.
Do not configure the Maple OIT to write to any memory address which should only be written to by the controller.
When using the Bank 8 or Bank 16 register monitor formats to display information from discrete memory, the bits displayed must start on a byte boundary. The byte boundaries leave no remainder when the following formula is used: (discrete memory address -1)/8.
4-digit BCD and 8-digit BCD formats do not support floating-point.
Any memory value specified by the controller that exceeds the displayable range specified by OITware will display the "Data out of Range" message until the value changes to within range or is no longer being read by the OIT (i.e. a screen is called that does not have this condition). The following example is with Signed Format and Decimal Location = 2 (displayable range is then 327.67): Example 1: If the controller memory = 1230.00, then the OIT displays "Data out of Range".
For the PC830 commands NVLoad, NVSave and Unconfigure, use either in Recipes or as Function keys configured as Latched.
PC830 Keywords with Floating Point format are not supported in Recipes or Setpoints.

## OITware-200 Settings

The following table lists the communications settings that must be configured in OITware-200.

Please note:

- the Settings column lists OITware-200's recommended setting; your controller's default may be different
- the Options column lists OITware-200's options; your controller may not support every option

Name	Settings	Options	Important Notes
Baud Rate	19200	19200, 9600, 4800, 2400, 1200, 600, 300	Must match the controller's configuration settings. Use the fastest baud rate supported by both.
Parity	None	Even, Odd, None, Mark, Space	Must match the controller's configuration settings.
Data Bits	8	7, 8	Must match the controller's configuration settings.
Stop Bits	1	1, 2	Must match the controller's configuration settings.
Node Address:	255	1 to 255	Must match the OIT Configuration setting. The global node address, 255, should not be used in a network since all drives respond.

# Error Messages

“Can not connect ....”

The OIT could not communicate with the controller during initial communications. Check for consistent communication parameters between the controller and the OIT. Check the cable and connectors for integrity and correctness. Move cables away from noise sources. Check for proper grounding and power supply.

“Communication Error”

The OIT did not receive a response or a valid response. Check the cable and connectors for integrity. Move cables away from noise sources. Check for proper grounding and power supply.

“Error: Cannot Write!”

A write command was sent to the controller to write data to a register that is read only. Using OITware, make the register read-only access.

“Protocol Error”

The controller responded that the request was invalid. Check that the register is available and the type of access is allowed for the particular controller.

“Invalid Command”

The protocol driver was requested to perform an invalid command. Contact Maple Systems technical support.