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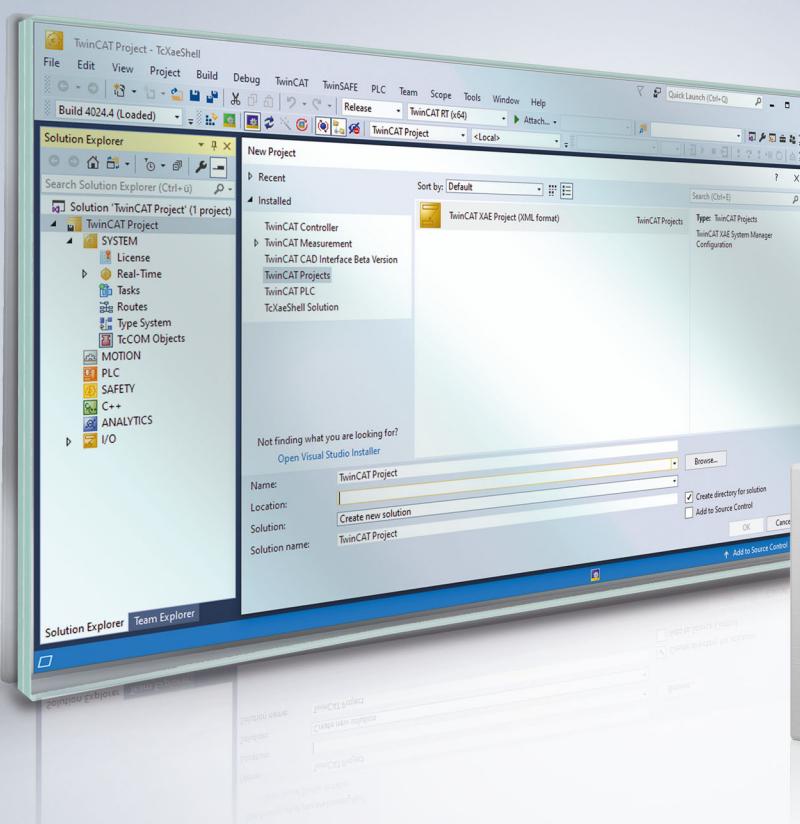


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1 Foreword

1.1 Notes on the documentation

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Hazard with high risk of death or serious injury.

WARNING

Hazard with medium risk of death or serious injury.

CAUTION

There is a low-risk hazard that could result in medium or minor injury.

Warning of damage to property or environment**NOTICE**

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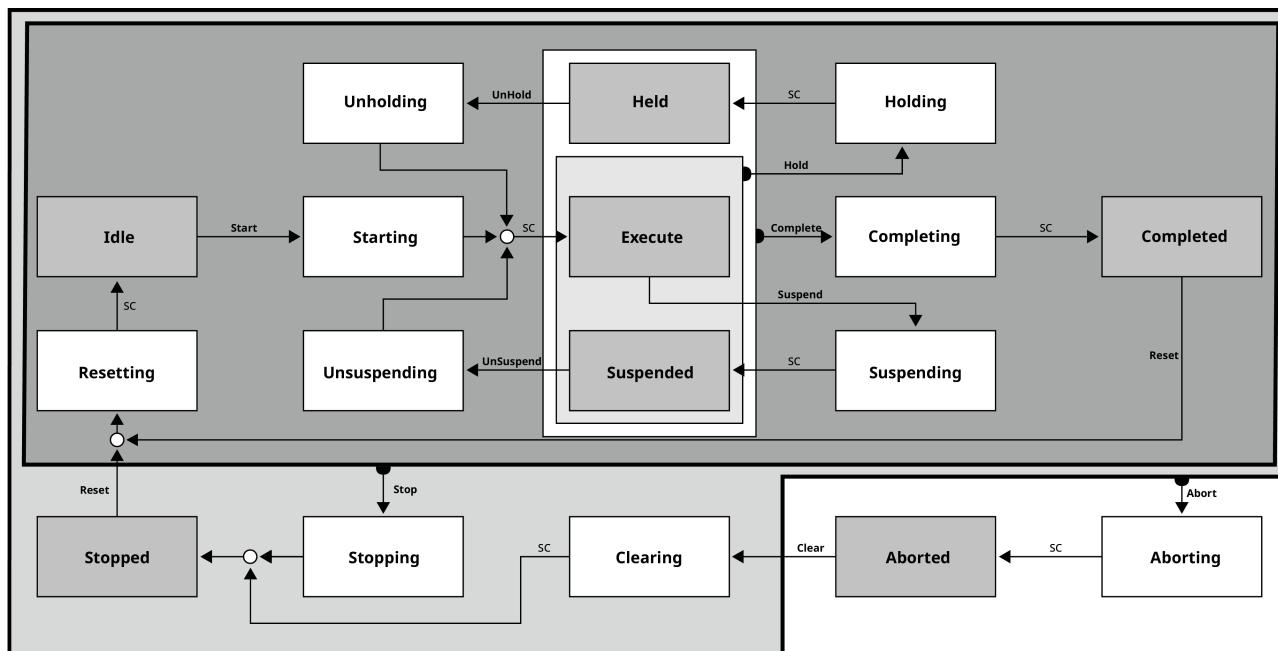
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2 Packaging Machine State

The “Packaging Machine State” function blocks have a common interface to the existing “PackML Machine State Model” versions.

It is expected that application-specific logic such as state transitions are programmed in external function blocks and that the “Packaging Machine State” function block takes over the central logic of the state machine and the state display. For that reason there is a recommendation for this function block with regard to how it can be combined with other logic.

The state transition in a machine application is always application-specific. To simplify standardization, it is best to implement methods linked to the PackML State Machine V3 in your function blocks. To do this, you can use the interfaces provided within this library and then program the methods for the specific application. The “acting” methods acquire application-specific signals and represent the transition logic to adjacent states (see PackML state model below). The “Waiting” methods provide feedback to the higher-level, higher-order PackML State Machine V3, enabling a standard state machine and state message. The methods contain the machine execution code and the application-specific transition logic.



The available methods are listed below and are programmed in a way that preserves the integrity and functionality of the PackML state machine.

Names of the "PackML State Machine V3" Acting methods:

- M_Start
- M_Complete
- M_Reset
- M_Hold
- M_UnHold
- M_Suspend
- M_UnSuspend
- M_Clear
- M_Stop
- M_Abort
- M_Execute

Names of the "PackML State Machine V3" Waiting methods:

- M_Completed
- M_Idle

- M_Held
- M_Suspended
- M_Stopped
- M_Aborted

Requirements

Development Environment	Target platform	PLC library to include
From TwinCAT • 3.1 Build 4024.63 • 3.1 Build 4026.xx	PC (i386)	Tc3_PackML_V3

3 Packaging Machine Tags

PackTags provides a uniform set of naming conventions for data elements that are used in the procedural elements of the Base State Model. As described, the Base State Model provides a uniform set of machine states, so that all automated machines can be considered in the same way. PackTags are data elements provided with names for the interoperable data exchange between automated machines with open architectures. This documentation contains the key names of the data elements, data types, values, fields and data structures, if applicable. PackTags are used for machine-to-machine communication, e.g. between a bottle filler and a cap fitter. PackTags can also be used for the exchange of data between a machine and superordinated information systems such as Manufacturing Operations Management and Enterprise Information Systems.

The documentation describes all PackTags for the navigation through a state model and for the definition and actuation of the system control mode. Furthermore, this documentation defines a list of PackTags that provide potentially important information about a machine. All PackTags must be used in order to conform to the principles of integrated connectivity with systems with the same implementation.

The tags required are those that are needed for the function of the automated machine or for the connectivity to control or remote systems.

3.1 Tag Types

PackTags are broken down into three groups: Command, Status and Administration. Command and State tags contain data for interfacing the machine with the line control for coordination or for downloading recipes/parameters. Command tags are transferred as “information recipients” to the machine program and “consumed” by it. State tags are created and read by the machine program. Administration tags contain data, which are collected by higher-level systems for machine performance analysis or operator information.

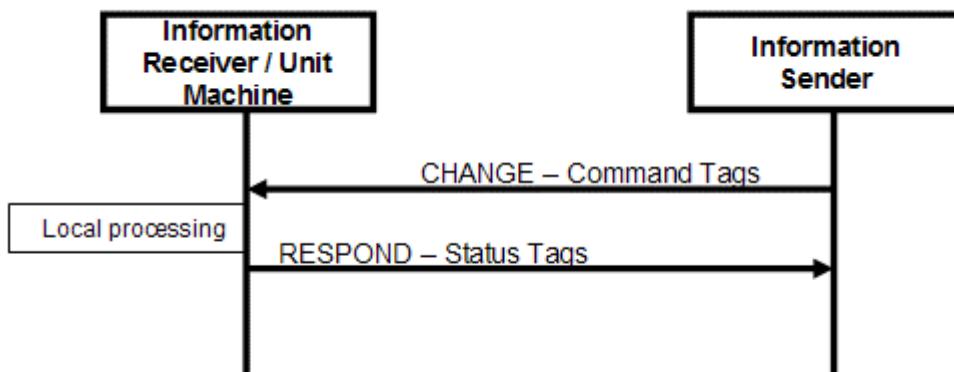
The grouping of data should take place in adjacent registers, in order to optimize the communication.

Information data are usually transferred via OPC in an Ethernet-based communication network.

The prefix of Command tags is “PMLc”.

The prefix of State tags is “PMLs”.

The prefix of Administration tags is “PMLa”.



3.2 Tag Details

The following section provides an overview of the tags. Command, state and administration PackTags are listed in the following tables.

Command structure Command

				Tag Name	Data Type
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Command				Command	ST_PMLc
UnitMode				Command.UnitMode	DINT
UnitModeChangeRequest				Command.UnitModeChangeRequest	BOOL
MachSpeed				Command.MachSpeed	REAL
MaterialInterlock				Command.MaterialInterlock	DWORD
CntrlCmd				Command.CntrlCmd	DINT
CmdChangeRequest				Command.CmdChangeRequest	BOOL
Parameter_REAL[#]				Command.Parameter_REAL[#]	ST_PMLParameterReal
	Id			Command.Parameter_REAL[#].Id	DINT
	Name			Command.Parameter_REAL[#].Name	STRING
	Unit			Command.Parameter_REAL[#].Unit	STRING(6)
	Value			Command.Parameter_REAL[#].Value	REAL
Parameter_STRING[#]				Command.Parameter_STRING[#]	ST_PMLParameterString
	Id			Command.Parameter_STRING[#].Id	DINT
	Name			Command.Parameter_STRING[#].Name	STRING
	Unit			Command.Parameter_STRING[#].Unit	STRING(6)
	Value			Command.Parameter_STRING[#].Value	STRING
Parameter_LREAL[#]				Command.Parameter_LREAL[#]	ST_PMLParameterLreal
	Id			Command.Parameter_LREAL[#].Id	DINT
	Name			Command.Parameter_LREAL[#].Name	STRING
	Unit			Command.Parameter_LREAL[#].Unit	STRING(6)
	Value			Command.Parameter_LREAL[#].Value	LREAL
Parameter_DINT[#]				Command.Parameter_DINT[#]	ST_PMLParameterDint
	Id			Command.Parameter_DINT[#].Id	DINT
	Name			Command.Parameter_DINT[#].Name	STRING
	Unit			Command.Parameter_DINT[#].Unit	STRING(6)
	Value			Command.Parameter_DINT[#].Value	DINT
SelectedRecipe				Command.SelectedRecipe	DINT
RecipeChangeRequest				Command.RecipeChangeRequest	BOOL
Recipe[#]				Command.Recipe[#]	ST_PMLRecipe
	Id			Command.Recipe[#].Id	DINT
	Name			Command.Recipe[#].Name	STRING
	Unit			Command.Recipe[#].unit	STRING(6)
	PrimaryQty			Command.Recipe[#].PrimaryQty	REAL
	ProcessVariables			Command.Recipe[#].ProcessVariables	ST_PMLProcessVariables
		Parameter_REAL[#]		Command.Recipe[#].ProcessVariables.Parameter_REAL[#]	ST_PMLParameterReal
			Id	Command.Recipe[#].ProcessVariables.Parameter_REAL[#].Id	DINT
			Name	Command.Recipe[#].ProcessVariables.Parameter_REAL[#].Name	STRING
			Unit	Command.Recipe[#].ProcessVariables.Parameter_REAL[#].Unit	STRING(6)
			Value	Command.Recipe[#].ProcessVariables.Parameter_REAL[#].Value	REAL
		Parameter_STRING[#]		Command.Recipe[#].ProcessVariables.Parameter_STRING[#]	ST_PMLParameterString
			Id	Command.Recipe[#].ProcessVariables.Parameter_STRING[#].Id	DINT
			Name	Command.Recipe[#].ProcessVariables.Parameter_STRING[#].Name	STRING
			Unit	Command.Recipe[#].ProcessVariables.Parameter_STRING[#].Unit	STRING(6)
			Value	Command.Recipe[#].ProcessVariables.Parameter_STRING[#].Value	STRING

		Parameter_LREAL[#]		Command.Recipe[#.ProcessVariables.Parameter_LREAL[#]	ST_PMLParameterLreal
			Id	Command.Recipe[#.ProcessVariables.Parameter_LREAL[#].Id	DINT
			Name	Command.Recipe[#.ProcessVariables.Parameter_LREAL[#].Name	STRING
			Unit	Command.Recipe[#.ProcessVariables.Parameter_LREAL[#].Unit	STRING(6)
			Value	Command.Recipe[#.ProcessVariables.Parameter_LREAL[#].Value	LREAL
		Parameter_DINT[#]		Command.Recipe[#.ProcessVariables.Parameter_DINT[#]	ST_PMLParameterDint
			Id	Command.Recipe[#.ProcessVariables.Parameter_DINT[#].Id	DINT
			Name	Command.Recipe[#.ProcessVariables.Parameter_DINT[#].Name	STRING
			Unit	Command.Recipe[#.ProcessVariables.Parameter_DINT[#].Unit	STRING(6)
			Value	Command.Recipe[#.ProcessVariables.Parameter_DINT[#].Value	DINT
	Ingredients			Command.Product[#.Ingredients	ST_PMLIngredient
		Parameter_REAL[#]		Command.Recipe[#.Ingredients.Parameter_REAL[#]	ST_PMLParameterReal
			Id	Command.Recipe[#.Ingredients.Parameter_REAL[#].Id	DINT
			Name	Command.Recipe[#.Ingredients.Parameter_REAL[#].Name	STRING
			Unit	Command.Recipe[#.Ingredients.Parameter_REAL[#].Unit	STRING(6)
			Value	Command.Recipe[#.Ingredients.Parameter_REAL[#].Value	REAL
		Parameter_STRING[#]		Command.Recipe[#.Ingredients.Parameter_STRING[#]	ST_PMLParameterString
			Id	Command.Recipe[#.Ingredients.Parameter_STRING[#].Id	DINT
			Name	Command.Recipe[#.Ingredients.Parameter_STRING[#].Name	STRING
			Unit	Command.Recipe[#.Ingredients.Parameter_STRING[#].Unit	STRING(6)
			Value	Command.Recipe[#.Ingredients.Parameter_STRING[#].Value	STRING
		Parameter_LREAL[#]		Command.Recipe[#.Ingredients.Parameter_LREAL[#]	ST_PMLParameterLreal
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			Name	Command.Recipe[#.Ingredients.Parameter_LREAL[#].Name	STRING
			Unit	Command.Recipe[#.Ingredients.Parameter_LREAL[#].Unit	STRING(6)
			Value	Command.Recipe[#.Ingredients.Parameter_LREAL[#].Value	LREAL
		Parameter_DINT[#]		Command.Recipe[#.Ingredients.Parameter_DINT[#]	ST_PMLParameterDint
			Id	Command.Recipe[#.Ingredients.Parameter_DINT[#].Id	DINT
			Name	Command.Recipe[#.Ingredients.Parameter_DINT[#].Name	STRING
			Unit	Command.Recipe[#.Ingredients.Parameter_DINT[#].Unit	STRING(6)
			Value	Command.Recipe[#.Ingredients.Parameter_DINT[#].Value	DINT

State structure Status

				Tag Name	Data Type
Status				Status	ST_PMLs
	UnitModeCurrent			Status.UnitModeCurrent	DINT
	UnitModeRequested			Status.UnitModerequested	DINT
	UnitModeChangeInProcess			Status.UnitModeChangeInProcess	BOOL
	StateCurrent			Status.StateCurrent	DINT
	StateRequested			Status.StateRequested	DINT
	StateChangeInProcess			Status.StateChangeInProcess	BOOL
	MachSpeed			Status.MachineSpeed	REAL
	CurMachSpeed			Status.CurMachineSpeed	REAL
	MaterialInterlock			Status.MaterialInterlock	DWORD
	EquipmentInterlock			Status.EquipmentInterlock	ST_PMLEquipment
		Blocked		Status.EquipmentInterlock.Blocked	BOOL
		Starved		Status.EquipmentInterlock.Starved	BOOL
	Parameter_REAL[#]			Status.Parameter_REAL[#]	ST_PMLParameterReal
		Id		Status.Parameter_REAL[#].Id	DINT
		Name		Status.Parameter_REAL[#].Name	STRING
		Unit		Status.Parameter_REAL[#].Unit	STRING(6)
		Value		Status.Parameter_REAL[#].Value	REAL
	Parameter_STRING[#]			Status.Parameter_STRING[#]	ST_PMLParameterString
		Id		Status.Parameter_STRING[#].Id	DINT
		Name		Status.Parameter_STRING[#].Name	STRING
		Unit		Status.Parameter_STRING[#].Unit	STRING(6)
		Value		Status.Parameter_STRING[#].Value	STRING
	Parameter_LREAL[#]			Status.Parameter_LREAL[#]	ST_PMLParameterLreal
		Id		Status.Parameter_LREAL[#].Id	DINT
		Name		Status.Parameter_LREAL[#].Name	STRING
		Unit		Status.Parameter_LREAL[#].Unit	STRING(6)
		Value		Status.Parameter_LREAL[#].Value	LREAL
	Parameter_DINT[#]			Status.Parameter_DINT[#]	ST_PMLParameterDint
		Id		Status.Parameter_DINT[#].Id	DINT
		Name		Status.Parameter_DINT[#].Name	STRING
		Unit		Status.Parameter_DINT[#].Unit	STRING(6)
		Value		Status.Parameter_DINT[#].Value	DINT
	RecipeCurrent			Status.RecipeCurrent	DINT
	RecipeRequested			Status.RecipeRequested	DINT
	RecipeChangeInProcess			Status.RecipeChangeInProcess	BOOL
	Recipe[#]			Status.Recipe[#]	ST_PMLRecipe
		Id		Status.Recipe[#].Id	DINT
		Name		Status.Recipe[#].Name	STRING
		Unit		Status.Recipe[#].Unit	STRING(6)
		PrimaryQty		Status.Recipe[#].PrimaryQty	REAL
		ProcessVariables		Status.Recipe[#].ProcessVariables	ST_PMLProcessVariables
		Parameter_REAL[#]		Status.Recipe[#].ProcessVariables.Parameter_REAL[#]	ST_PMLParameterReal
			Id	Status.Recipe[#].ProcessVariables.Parameter_REAL[#].Id	DINT
			Name	Status.Recipe[#].ProcessVariables.Parameter_REAL[#].Name	STRING
			Unit	Status.Recipe[#].ProcessVariables.Parameter_REAL[#].Unit	STRING(6)

				Value	Status.Recipe[#].ProcessVariables.Parameter_REAL[#].Value	REAL
			Parameter_STRING[#]		Status.Recipe[#].ProcessVariables.Parameter_STRING[#]	ST_PMLParameterString
				Id	Status.Recipe[#].ProcessVariables.Parameter_STRING[#].Id	DINT
				Name	Status.Recipe[#].ProcessVariables.Parameter_STRING[#].Name	STRING
				Unit	Status.Recipe[#].ProcessVariables.Parameter_STRING[#].Unit	STRING(6)
				Value	Status.Recipe[#].ProcessVariables.Parameter_STRING[#].Value	STRING
			Parameter_LREAL[#]		Status.Recipe[#].ProcessVariables.Parameter_LREAL[#]	ST_PMLParameterLreal
				Id	Status.Recipe[#].ProcessVariables.Parameter_LREAL[#].Id	DINT
				Name	Status.Recipe[#].ProcessVariables.Parameter_LREAL[#].Name	STRING
				Unit	Status.Recipe[#].ProcessVariables.Parameter_LREAL[#].Unit	STRING(6)
				Value	Status.Recipe[#].ProcessVariables.Parameter_LREAL[#].Value	LREAL
			Parameter_DINT[#]		Status.Recipe[#].ProcessVariables.Parameter_DINT[#]	ST_PMLParameterDint
				Id	Status.Recipe[#].ProcessVariables.Parameter_DINT[#].Id	DINT
				Name	Status.Recipe[#].ProcessVariables.Parameter_DINT[#].Name	STRING
				Unit	Status.Recipe[#].ProcessVariables.Parameter_DINT[#].Unit	STRING(6)
				Value	Status.Recipe[#].ProcessVariables.Parameter_DINT[#].Value	DINT
		Ingredients			Status.Product[#].Ingredients	ST_PMLIngredient
			Parameter_REAL[#]		Status.Recipe[#].Ingredients.Parameter_REAL[#]	ST_PMLParameterReal
				Id	Status.Recipe[#].Ingredients.Parameter_REAL[#].Id	DINT
				Name	Status.Recipe[#].Ingredients.Parameter_REAL[#].Name	STRING
				Unit	Status.Recipe[#].Ingredients.Parameter_REAL[#].Unit	STRING(6)
				Value	Status.Recipe[#].Ingredients.Parameter_REAL[#].Value	REAL
			Parameter_STRING[#]		Status.Recipe[#].Ingredients.Parameter_STRING[#]	ST_PMLParameterString
				Id	Status.Recipe[#].Ingredients.Parameter_STRING[#].Id	DINT
				Name	Status.Recipe[#].Ingredients.Parameter_STRING[#].Name	STRING
				Unit	Status.Recipe[#].Ingredients.Parameter_STRING[#].Unit	STRING(6)
				Value	Status.Recipe[#].Ingredients.Parameter_STRING[#].Value	STRING
			Parameter_STRING[#]		Status.Recipe[#].Ingredients.Parameter_LREAL[#]	ST_PMLParameterLreal
				Id	Status.Recipe[#].Ingredients.Parameter_LREAL[#].Id	DINT
				Name	Status.Recipe[#].Ingredients.Parameter_LREAL[#].Name	STRING
				Unit	Status.Recipe[#].Ingredients.Parameter_LREAL[#].Unit	STRING(6)
				Value	Status.Recipe[#].Ingredients.Parameter_LREAL[#].Value	STRING

				Value	Status.Recipe[#].Ingredients.Parameter_LREAL[#].Value	LREAL
			Parameter_DINT[#]		Status.Recipe[#].Ingredients.Parameter_DINT[#].Value	ST_PMLParameterDint
				Id	Status.Recipe[#].Ingredients.Parameter_DINT[#].Id	DINT
				Name	Status.Recipe[#].Ingredients.Parameter_DINT[#].Name	STRING
				Unit	Status.Recipe[#].Ingredients.Parameter_DINT[#].Unit	STRING(6)
				Value	Status.Recipe[#].Ingredients.Parameter_DINT[#].Value	DINT
	StackLight[#]				Status.StackLight[#]	DWORD

Administration structure Admin

				Tag Name	Data Type
Admin				Admin	ST_PMLAdmin
	Parameter_REAL[#]			Admin.Parameter_REAL[#]	ST_PMLParameterReal
		Id		Admin.Parameter_REAL[#].Id	DINT
		Name		Admin.Parameter_REAL[#].Name	STRING
		Unit		Admin.Parameter_REAL[#].Unit	STRING(6)
		Value		Admin.Parameter_REAL[#].Value	REAL
	Parameter_STRING[#]			Admin.Parameter_STRING[#]	ST_PMLParameterString
		Id		Admin.Parameter_STRING[#].Id	DINT
		Name		Admin.Parameter_STRING[#].Name	STRING
		Unit		Admin.Parameter_STRING[#].Unit	STRING(6)
		Value		Admin.Parameter_STRING[#].Value	STRING
	Parameter_LREAL[#]			Admin.Parameter_LREAL[#]	ST_PMLParameterLreal
		Id		Admin.Parameter_LREAL[#].Id	DINT
		Name		Admin.Parameter_LREAL[#].Name	STRING
		Unit		Admin.Parameter_LREAL[#].Unit	STRING(6)
		Value		Admin.Parameter_LREAL[#].Value	LREAL
	Parameter_DINT[#]			Admin.Parameter_DINT[#]	ST_PMLParameterDint
		Id		Admin.Parameter_DINT[#].Id	DINT
		Name		Admin.Parameter_DINT[#].Name	STRING
		Unit		Admin.Parameter_DINT[#].Unit	STRING(6)
		Value		Admin.Parameter_DINT[#].Value	DINT
	Alarm[#]			Admin.Alarm[#]	ST_PMLEvent
		Trigger		Admin.Alarm[#].Trigger	BOOL
		Id		Admin.Alarm[#].Id	DINT
		Value		Admin.Alarm[#].Value	DINT
		Message		Admin.Alarm[#].Message	STRING
		Category		Admin.Alarm[#].Category	DINT
		DateTime		Admin.Alarm[#].DateTime	ST_PMLDateTime
		Year		Admin.Alarm[#].DateTime.Year	DINT
		Month		Admin.Alarm[#].DateTime.Month	DINT
		Day		Admin.Alarm[#].DateTime.Day	DINT
		Hour		Admin.Alarm[#].DateTime.Hour	DINT
		Minute		Admin.Alarm[#].DateTime.Minute	DINT
		Second		Admin.Alarm[#].DateTime.Second	DINT
		mSec		Admin.Alarm[#].DateTime.mSec	DINT
		AckDateTime		Admin.Alarm[#].AckDateTime	ST_PMLAckDateTime
			Year	Admin.Alarm[#].AckDateTime.Year	DINT
			Month	Admin.Alarm[#].AckDateTime.Month	DINT
			Day	Admin.Alarm[#].AckDateTime.Day	DINT

		Hour	Admin.Alarm[#].AckDateTime.Hour	DINT
		Minute	Admin.Alarm[#].AckDateTime.Minute	DINT
		Second	Admin.Alarm[#].AckDateTime.Second	DINT
		mSec	Admin.Alarm[#].AckDateTime.mSec	DINT
AlarmExtent			Admin.AlarmExtent	DINT
AlarmHistory[#]			Admin.AlarmHistory[#]	ST_PMLEvent
	Trigger		Admin.AlarmHistory[#].Trigger	BOOL
	Id		Admin.AlarmHistory[#].Id	DINT
	Value		Admin.AlarmHistory[#].Value	DINT
	Message		Admin.AlarmHistory[#].Message	STRING
	Category		Admin.AlarmHistory[#].Category	DINT
	DateTime		Admin.AlarmHistory[#].DateTime	ST_PMLDateAndTime
	Year		Admin.AlarmHistory[#].DateTime.Year	DINT
	Month		Admin.AlarmHistory[#].DateTime.Month	DINT
	Day		Admin.AlarmHistory[#].DateTime.Day	DINT
	Hour		Admin.AlarmHistory[#].DateTime.Hour	DINT
	Minute		Admin.AlarmHistory[#].DateTime.Minute	DINT
	Second		Admin.AlarmHistory[#].DateTime.Second	DINT
	mSec		Admin.AlarmHistory[#].DateTime.mSec	DINT
	AckDateTime		Admin.AlarmHistory[#].AckDateTime	ST_PMLDateAndTime
	Year		Admin.AlarmHistory[#].AckDateTime.Year	DINT
	Month		Admin.AlarmHistory[#].AckDateTime.Month	DINT
	Day		Admin.AlarmHistory[#].AckDateTime.Day	DINT
	Hour		Admin.AlarmHistory[#].AckDateTime.Hour	DINT
	Minute		Admin.AlarmHistory[#].AckDateTime.Minute	DINT
	Second		Admin.AlarmHistory[#].AckDateTime.Second	DINT
	mSec		Admin.AlarmHistory[#].AckDateTime.msec	DINT
AlarmHistoryExtent			Admin.AlarmHistoryExtent	DINT
StopReason			Admin.StopReason	ST_PMLEvent
	Trigger		Admin.StopReason.Trigger	BOOL
	Id		Admin.StopReason.Id	DINT
	Value		Admin.StopReason.Value	DINT
	Message		Admin.StopReason.Message	STRING
	Category		Admin.StopReason.Category	DINT
	DateTime		Admin.StopReason.DateTime	ST_PMLDateAndTime
	Year		Admin.StopReason.DateTime.Year	DINT
	Month		Admin.StopReason.DateTime.Month	DINT
	Day		Admin.StopReason.DateTime.Day	DINT
	Hour		Admin.StopReason.DateTime.Hour	DINT
	Minute		Admin.StopReason.DateTime.Minute	DINT
	Second		Admin.StopReason.DateTime.Second	DINT
	mSec		Admin.StopReason.DateTime.mSec	DINT
	AckDateTime		Admin.StopReason.AckDateTime	ST_PMLDateAndTime
	Year		Admin.StopReason.AckDateTime.Year	DINT
	Month		Admin.StopReason.AckDateTime.Month	DINT
	Day		Admin.StopReason.AckDateTime.Day	DINT
	Hour		Admin.StopReason.AckDateTime.Hour	DINT
	Minute		Admin.StopReason.AckDateTime.Minute	DINT
	Second		Admin.StopReason.AckDateTime.Second	DINT
	mSec		Admin.StopReason.AckDateTime.mSec	DINT
Warning[#]			Admin.Warning[#]	ST_PMLEvent
	Trigger		Admin.Warning [#].Trigger	BOOL
	Id		Admin.Warning[#].Id	DINT
	Value		Admin.Warning[#].Value	DINT
	Message		Admin.Warning[#].Message	STRING
	Category		Admin.Warning[#].Category	DINT

		Datetime		Admin.Warning[##].Datetime	ST_PMLDateAndTime
		Year		Admin.Warning[##].Datetime.Year	DINT
		Month		Admin.Warning[##].Datetime.Month	DINT
		Day		Admin.Warning[##].Datetime.Day	DINT
		Hour		Admin.Warning[##].Datetime.Hour	DINT
		Minute		Admin.Warning[##].Datetime.Minute	DINT
		Second		Admin.Warning[##].Datetime.Second	DINT
		mSec		Admin.Warning[##].Datetime.mSec	DINT
	AckDateTime			Admin.Warning[##].AckDateTime	ST_PMLDateAndTime
		Year		Admin.Warning[##].AckDateTime.Year	DINT
		Month		Admin.Warning[##].AckDateTime.Month	DINT
		Day		Admin.Warning[##].AckDateTime.Day	DINT
		Hour		Admin.Warning[##].AckDateTime.Hour	DINT
		Minute		Admin.Warning[##].AckDateTime.Minute	DINT
		Second		Admin.Warning[##].AckDateTime.Second	DINT
		mSec		Admin.Warning[##].AckDateTime.mSec	DINT
	WarningExtent			Admin.WarningExtent	DINT
	ModeTimeCurrent			Admin.ModeTimeCurrent	DINT
	StateTimeCurrent			Admin.StateTimeCurrent	DINT
	CummulativeTimes[##]			Admin.CummulativeTimes[##]	ST_PMLCumulativeTimes
		AccTimeSinceReset		Admin.CummulativeTime[##].AccTimeSinceReset	DINT
		ModeStateTimes[##]		Admin.CummulativeTime[##].ModeStateTimes[##]	ST_PMLModeStateTimes
		Mode		Admin.CummulativeTime[##].ModeStateTimes[##].Mode	DINT
		State[##]		Admin.CummulativeTime[##].ModeStateTimes[##].State[##]	ARRAY[##] OF DINT
	ProductData[##]			Admin.ProductData[##]	ST_PMLProductData
		Id		Admin.ProductData[##].Id	DINT
		Name		Admin.ProductData[##].Name	STRING
		Unit		Admin.ProductData[##].Unit	STRING(6)
		PrimaryQty		Admin.ProductData[##].PrimaryQty	DINT
		ConsumedCount		Admin.ProductData[##].ConsumedCout	DINT
		ProcessedCount		Admin.ProductData[##].ProcessCout	DINT
		DefectiveCount		Admin.ProductData[##].DefectiveCount	DINT
		AccConsumedCount		Admin.ProductData[##].AccConsumedCount	DINT
		AccProcessedCount		Admin.ProductData[##].AccProcessedCount	DINT
		AccDefectiveCount		Admin.ProductData[##].AccDefectiveCount	DINT
	MachDesignSpeed			Admin.MachDesignSpeed	REAL
	DisabledStatesCfg[##]			Admin.DisabledStatesCfg[##]	ARRAY [##] OF DWORD
	CurDisabledStates			Admin.CurDisabledStates	DWORD
	EnabledModesCfg			Admin.EnabledModesCfg	DWORD
	ModeTransitionCfg[##]			Admin.ModeTransitionCfg[##]	ARRAY [##] OF DWORD
	PlcDateTime			Admin.PlcDateTime	ST_PMLDateAndTime
		Year		Admin.PlcDateTime.Year	DINT
		Month		Admin.PlcDateTime.Month	DINT
		Day		Admin.PlcDateTime.Day	DINT
		Hour		Admin.PlcDateTime.Hour	DINT
		Minute		Admin.PlcDateTime.Minute	DINT

		Second			Admin.PlcDateTime.Second	DINT
		mSec			Admin.PlcDateTime.mSec	DINT

4 Function Blocks

4.1 Conversion

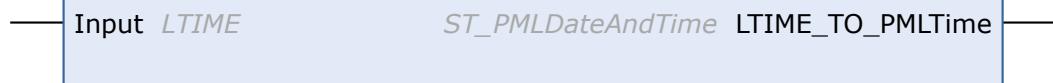
Here you will find functions for converting times or timestamps in TwinCAT format to PackML format, as well as converting a PackML UnitMode or PackML State (both DINT) to a corresponding STRING.

4.1.1 Time

These function convert time values into the PackML-compliant array.

4.1.1.1 LTIME_TO_PMLTime

LTIME_TO_PMLTime



The LTIME_TO_PMLTime function converts a time value in LTIME format to the PackML-compliant format.

FUNCTION LTIME_TO_PMLTime : ST_PMLDateAndTime

Input

```

VAR_INPUT
    Input      : LTIME;
END_VAR
  
```

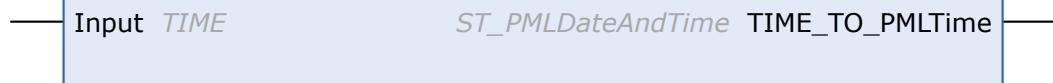
Name	Type	Description
Input	LTIME	The time value to be converted

Requirements

Development Environment	Target platform	PLC library to include
From TwinCAT • 3.1 Build 4024.63 • 3.1 Build 4026.xx	PC (i386)	Tc3_PackML_V3

4.1.1.2 TIME_TO_PMLTime

TIME_TO_PMLTime



The TIME_TO_PMLTime function converts a time value in TIME format to the PackML-compliant format.

FUNCTION TIME_TO_PMLTime : ST_PMLDateAndTime

Input

```

VAR_INPUT
    Input      : TIME;
END_VAR
  
```

Name	Type	Description
Input	TIME	The time value to be converted

Requirements

Development Environment	Target platform	PLC library to include
From TwinCAT • 3.1 Build 4024.63 • 3.1 Build 4026.xx	PC (i386)	Tc3_PackML_V3

4.1.1.3 ULINT_TO_PMLTime

ULINT_TO_PMLTime

— Input *ULINT* *ST_PMLDateAndTime* *ULINT_TO_PMLTime* —

The ULINT_TO_PMLTime function converts a time value in ULINT format to the PackML-compliant format.

FUNCTION ULINT_TO_PMLTime : ST_PMLDateAndTime

Input

```
VAR_INPUT
    Input      : ULINT;
END_VAR
```

Name	Type	Description
Input	ULINT	The time value to be converted

Requirements

Development Environment	Target platform	PLC library to include
From TwinCAT • 3.1 Build 4024.63 • 3.1 Build 4026.xx	PC (i386)	Tc3_PackML_V3

4.1.2 Timestamp

4.1.2.1 DCTIME64_TO_PMLTime

DCTIME64_TO_PMLTime

— Input *T_DCTIME64* *ST_PMLDateAndTime* *DCTIME64_TO_PMLTime* —

The DCTIME64_TO_PMLTime function converts a time in DCTIME64 format to the PackML-compliant format.

FUNCTION DCTIME64_TO_PMLTime : ST_PMLDateAndTime

Input

```
VAR_INPUT
    Input      : DCTIME64;
END_VAR
```

Name	Type	Description
Input	DCTIME64	The time to be converted.

Requirements

Development Environment	Target platform	PLC library to include
From TwinCAT • 3.1 Build 4024.63 • 3.1 Build 4026.xx	PC (i386)	Tc3_PackML_V3

4.1.2.2 DT_TO_PMLTime

DT_TO_PMLTime

— Input *DATE_AND_TIME* *ST_PMLDateAndTime* DT_TO_PMLTime —

The DT_TO_PMLTime function converts a time in DT format to PackML-compliant format.

FUNCTION DT_TO_PMLTime : ST_PMLDateAndTime

Input

```
VAR_INPUT
    Input      : DATE_AND_TIME;
END_VAR
```

Name	Type	Description
Input	DATE_AND_TIME	The time to be converted.

Requirements

Development Environment	Target platform	PLC library to include
From TwinCAT • 3.1 Build 4024.63 • 3.1 Build 4026.xx	PC (i386)	Tc3_PackML_V3

4.1.2.3 TIMESTRUCT_TO_PMLTime

TIMESTRUCT_TO_PMLTime

— Input *TIMESTRUCT* *ST_PMLDateAndTime* TIMESTRUCT_TO_PMLTime —

The TIMESTRUCT_TO_PMLTime function converts a time in TIMESTRUCT format to the PackML-compliant format.

FUNCTION TIMESTRUCT_TO_PMLTime : ST_PMLDateAndTime

Input

```
VAR_INPUT
    Input      : TIMESTRUCT;
END_VAR
```

Name	Type	Description
Input	TIMESTRUCT	The time to be converted.

Requirements

Development Environment	Target platform	PLC library to include
From TwinCAT	PC (i386)	Tc3_PackML_V3

Development Environment	Target platform	PLC library to include
• 3.1 Build 4024.63		
• 3.1 Build 4026.xx		

4.1.3 F_PMLStateCommandToString

F_PMLStateCommandToString

eStateCommand *E_PMLCommand*

STRING F_PMLStateCommandToString

The F_PMLStateCommandToString function outputs the name of a state command as a string.

FUNCTION F_PMLStateCommandToString : STRING;

Input

```
VAR_INPUT
    eStateCommand      : E_PMLCommand;
END_VAR
```

Name	Type	Description
eStateCommand	E_PMLCommand	The state command for which the name is to be determined.

Requirements

Development Environment	Target platform	PLC library to include
From TwinCAT	PC (i386)	Tc3_PackML_V3
• 3.1 Build 4024.63		
• 3.1 Build 4026.xx		

4.1.4 F_PMLUnitModeToString

F_PMLUnitModeToString

eMode *DINT*

STRING F_PMLUnitModeToString

The F_PMLUnitModeToString function returns the name of a Unit Mode as a string.

FUNCTION F_PMLUnitModeToString : STRING;

Input

```
VAR_INPUT
    eMode          : DINT;
END_VAR
```

Name	Type	Description
eMode	DINT	The Unit Mode for which the name is to be determined.

Requirements

Development Environment	Target platform	PLC library to include
From TwinCAT	PC (i386)	Tc3_PackML_V3
• 3.1 Build 4024.63		
• 3.1 Build 4026.xx		

4.2 General

General function blocks to simplify the handling of PackML structures

4.2.1 FB_PMLAdminAlarm

This function block supports entering, acknowledging, and deleting alarms, warnings, and StopReasons for Admin PackTags. The function block provides different methods for this.

Requirements

Development Environment	Target platform	PLC library to include
From TwinCAT • 3.1 Build 4024.63 • 3.1 Build 4026.xx	PC (i386)	Tc3_PackML_V3

4.2.1.1 Alarm

Methods for handling alarms

4.2.1.1.1 M_AcknowledgeAlarm

M_AcknowledgeAlarm

```
— stAdmin Reference To ST_PMLa      BOOL M_AcknowledgeAlarm
— stAlarm  ST_PMLEvent
```

This method acknowledges an alarm in the Admin-Tags. Alarm[].Trigger is set to FALSE and the value from Admin.PlcDateTime is entered in Alarm[].AckDateTime. The method returns TRUE if the alarm was found and acknowledged successfully. Acknowledging the alarm does not delete it. The alarm remains in the Alarm array until an M_ClearAlarm has been called, then it is moved to the AlarmHistory array. If the AlarmHistory array is already full of entries, the oldest entry is deleted as a result.



So that a valid timestamp can be entered, the PML_AdminTime function block should be called cyclically in the program.

Syntax

```
METHOD M_AcknowledgeAlarm : BOOL
VAR_IN_OUT
    stAdmin      : ST_PMLa;
END_VAR
VAR_INPUT
    stAlarm       : ST_PMLEvent;
END_VAR
```

Example call:

```
AlarmAcknowledged := fbAdminAlarm.M_AcknowledgeAlarm(stAdmin := PackTags.Admin, stAlarm := Alarm);
```

Requirements

Development Environment	Target platform	PLC library to include
From TwinCAT • 3.1 Build 4024.63 • 3.1 Build 4026.xx	PC (i386)	Tc3_PackML_V3

4.2.1.1.2 M_AcknowledgeAllAlarms

M_AcknowledgeAllAlarms

— stAdmin Reference To ST_PMLa

BOOL M_AcknowledgeAllAlarms —

This method acknowledges all alarms in the admin tags. Alarm[].Trigger is set to FALSE and the value from Admin.PlcDateTime is entered in Alarm[].AckDateTime. If all alarms have been acknowledged, the method returns TRUE. Acknowledging the alarms does not delete them. The alarms remain in the alarm array until an M_ClearAlarm or M_ClearAllAlarms call has also been made, at which point the alarms in question are moved to the AlarmHistory array. If the AlarmHistory array is already full of entries, the oldest entries are deleted as a result.



So that a valid timestamp can be entered, the PML_AdminTime function block should be called cyclically in the program.

Syntax

```
METHOD M_AcknowledgeAllAlarms : BOOL
VAR_IN_OUT
    stAdmin      : ST_PMLa;
END_VAR
```

Example call:

```
AllAlarmsAcknowledged := fbAdminAlarm.M_AcknowledgeAllAlarms(stAdmin := PackTags.Admin);
```

Requirements

Development Environment	Target platform	PLC library to include
From TwinCAT <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 3.1 Build 4024.63 • 3.1 Build 4026.xx 	PC (i386)	Tc3_PackML_V3

4.2.1.1.3 M_ClearAlarm

M_ClearAlarm

— stAdmin Reference To ST_PMLa

BOOL M_ClearAlarm —

— stAlarm ST_PMLEvent

This method deletes an alarm from the Admin-Tags. Alarm[].Trigger is set to FALSE. The method returns TRUE if the alarm was deleted successfully. The alarm remains in the Alarm array until an M_AcknowledgeAlarm has been called, then it is moved to the AlarmHistory array. If the AlarmHistory array is already full of entries, the oldest entry is deleted as a result.

Syntax

```
METHOD M_ClearAlarm : BOOL
VAR_IN_OUT
    stAdmin      : ST_PMLa;
END_VAR
VAR_INPUT
    stAlarm      : ST_PMLEvent;
END_VAR
```

Example call:

```
AlarmCleared := fbAdminAlarm.M_ClearAlarm(stAdmin := PackTags.Admin, stAlarm := Alarm);
```

Requirements

Development Environment	Target platform	PLC library to include
From TwinCAT • 3.1 Build 4024.63 • 3.1 Build 4026.xx	PC (i386)	Tc3_PackML_V3

4.2.1.1.4 M_ClearAllAlarms

M_ClearAllAlarms

— stAdmin Reference To ST_PMLa BOOL M_ClearAllAlarms —

This method deletes all alarms in the Admin-Tags. Alarm[].Trigger is set to FALSE. If the alarms were successfully deleted, the method returns TRUE. The alarms remain in the alarm array until an M_AcknowledgeAlarm or M_AcknowledgeAllAlarms call has also been made, at which point they are moved to the AlarmHistory array. If the AlarmHistory array is already full of entries, the oldest entries are deleted as a result.

Syntax

```
METHOD M_ClearAllAlarms : BOOL
VAR_IN_OUT
    stAdmin      : ST_PMLa;
END_VAR
```

Example call:

```
AllAlarmsCleared := fbAdminAlarm.M_ClearAllAlarms(stAdmin := PackTags.Admin);
```

Requirements

Development Environment	Target platform	PLC library to include
From TwinCAT • 3.1 Build 4024.63 • 3.1 Build 4026.xx	PC (i386)	Tc3_PackML_V3

4.2.1.1.5 M_GetAlarmCategory

M_GetAlarmCategory

— stAdmin Reference To ST_PMLa DINT M_GetAlarmCategory —

This method returns the highest AlarmCategory (smallest value) in the alarms of the Admin-Tags.

Syntax

```
METHOD M_GetAlarmCategory : BOOL
VAR_IN_OUT
    stAdmin      : ST_PMLa;
END_VAR
```

Example call:

```
AlarmCategory := fbAdminAlarm.M_GetAlarmCategory(stAdmin := PackTags.Admin);
```

Requirements

Development Environment	Target platform	PLC library to include
From TwinCAT	PC (i386)	Tc3_PackML_V3

Development Environment	Target platform	PLC library to include
• 3.1 Build 4024.63		
• 3.1 Build 4026.xx		

4.2.1.1.6 M_HasAlarm

M_HasAlarm

— stAdmin Reference To ST_PMLa *BOOL* M_HasAlarm —

This method checks whether an active alarm is entered in the Admin-Tags and the method returns TRUE

Syntax

```
METHOD M_HasAlarm : BOOL
VAR_IN_OUT
    stAdmin      : ST_PMLa;
END_VAR
```

Example call:

```
HasAlarm := fbAdminAlarm.M_HasAlarm(stAdmin := PackTags.Admin);
```

Requirements

Development Environment	Target platform	PLC library to include
From TwinCAT	PC (i386)	Tc3_PackML_V3
• 3.1 Build 4024.63		
• 3.1 Build 4026.xx		

4.2.1.1.7 M_SetAlarm

M_SetAlarm

— stAdmin Reference To ST_PMLa *BOOL* M_SetAlarm —

— stAlarm ST_PMLEvent —

This method inserts an alarm in the Admin-Tags. Alarm[].Trigger is set to TRUE and the value from Admin.PlcDateTime is entered in Alarm[].DateTime. The other values are taken from the transferred alarm structure. The method returns TRUE if the alarm was entered successfully



So that a valid timestamp can be entered, the PML_AdminTime function block should be called cyclically in the program.

Syntax

```
METHOD M_SetAlarm : BOOL
VAR_IN_OUT
    stAdmin      : ST_PMLa;
END_VAR
VAR_INPUT
    stAlarm      : ST_PMLEvent;
END_VAR
```

Example call:

```
AlarmInserted := fbAdminAlarm.M_SetAlarm(stAdmin := PackTags.Admin, stAlarm := Alarm);
```

Requirements

Development Environment	Target platform	PLC library to include
From TwinCAT <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 3.1 Build 4024.63 • 3.1 Build 4026.xx 	PC (i386)	Tc3_PackML_V3

4.2.1.2 StopReason

Methods for handling stop causes

4.2.1.2.1 M_AcknowledgeStopReason

M_AcknowledgeStopReason

— stAdmin Reference To ST_PMLa BOOL M_AcknowledgeStopReason —

This method acknowledges the StopReason in the Admin-Tags. StopReason.Trigger is set to FALSE and the value from Admin.PlcDateTime is entered in StopReason.AckDateTime. If the StopReason was successfully acknowledged, the method returns TRUE. The StopReason remains in the Admin-Tags until it is replaced by a subsequent StopReason.



So that a valid timestamp can be entered, the PML_AdminTime function block should be called cyclically in the program.

Syntax

```
METHOD M_AcknowledgeStopReason: BOOL
VAR_IN_OUT
    stAdmin      : ST_PMLa;
END_VAR
```

Example call:

```
StopReasonAcknowledged := fbAdminAlarm.M_AcknowledgeStopReason(stAdmin := PackTags.Admin);
```

Requirements

Development Environment	Target platform	PLC library to include
From TwinCAT <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 3.1 Build 4024.63 • 3.1 Build 4026.xx 	PC (i386)	Tc3_PackML_V3

4.2.1.2.2 M_ClearStopReason

M_ClearStopReason

— stAdmin Reference To ST_PMLa BOOL M_ClearStopReason —

This method deletes the StopReason from the Admin-Tags. StopReason.Trigger is set to FALSE. The method returns TRUE if the StopReason was deleted successfully. The StopReason remains in the Admin-Tags until it is replaced by a subsequent StopReason.

Syntax

```
METHOD M_ClearStopReason : BOOL
VAR_IN_OUT
    stAdmin      : ST_PMLa;
END_VAR
```

Example call:

```
StopReasonCleared := fbAdminAlarm.M_ClearStopReason(stAdmin := PackTags.Admin)
;
```

Requirements

Development Environment	Target platform	PLC library to include
From TwinCAT • 3.1 Build 4024.63 • 3.1 Build 4026.xx	PC (i386)	Tc3_PackML_V3

4.2.1.2.3 M_HasStopReason**M_HasStopReason**

— stAdmin *Reference To ST_PMLa* *BOOL* M_HasStopReason —

This method checks whether an active StopReason is entered in the Admin-Tags and the method returns TRUE

Syntax

```
METHOD M_SetStopReason : BOOL
VAR_IN_OUT
    stAdmin      : ST_PMLa;
END_VAR
```

Example call:

```
HasStopReason := fbAdminAlarm.M_HasStopReason (stAdmin := PackTags.Admin);
```

Requirements

Development Environment	Target platform	PLC library to include
From TwinCAT • 3.1 Build 4024.63 • 3.1 Build 4026.xx	PC (i386)	Tc3_PackML_V3

4.2.1.2.4 M_SetStopReason**M_SetStopReason**

— stAdmin *Reference To ST_PMLa* *BOOL* M_SetStopReason —
— stStopReason *ST_PMLEvent* —

This method inserts a StopReason in the Admin-Tags. StopReason[].Trigger is set to TRUE and the value from Admin.PlcDateTime is entered in StopReason[].DateTime. The other values are taken from the transferred StopReason structure. The method returns TRUE if the StopReason was entered successfully. If the StopReason array is already full of entries, the oldest entry is deleted as a result.



So that a valid timestamp can be entered, the PML_AdminTime function block should be called cyclically in the program.

Syntax

```
METHOD M_SetStopReason : BOOL
VAR_IN_OUT
    stAdmin      : ST_PMLa;
END_VAR
VAR_INPUT
```

```

stStopReason      : ST_PMLEvent;
END_VAR

```

Example call:

```

StopReasonInserted := fbAdminAlarm.M_SetStopReason
(stAdmin := PackTags.Admin, stStopReason := StopReason);

```

Requirements

Development Environment	Target platform	PLC library to include
From TwinCAT • 3.1 Build 4024.63 • 3.1 Build 4026.xx	PC (i386)	Tc3_PackML_V3

4.2.1.3 Warning

Methods for handling warnings

4.2.1.3.1 M_AcknowledgeAllWarning

M_AcknowledgeAllWarning

```

— stAdmin Reference To ST_PMLa          BOOL M_AcknowledgeAllWarning —

```

This method acknowledges all warnings in the Admin-Tags. Warning[].Trigger is set to FALSE and the value from Admin.PlcDateTime is entered in Warning[].AckDateTime. If all warnings are acknowledged, the method returns TRUE. The warnings remain in the Warning array until they are pushed out of the array by the next warnings.



So that a valid timestamp can be entered, the PML_AdminTime function block should be called cyclically in the program.

Syntax

```

METHOD M_AcknowledgeAllWarning : BOOL
VAR_IN_OUT
    stAdmin      : ST_PMLa;
END_VAR

```

Example call:

```

AllWarningAcknowledged := fbAdminAlarm.M_AcknowledgeAllWarning(stAdmin := PackTags.Admin);

```

Requirements

Development Environment	Target platform	PLC library to include
From TwinCAT • 3.1 Build 4024.63 • 3.1 Build 4026.xx	PC (i386)	Tc3_PackML_V3

4.2.1.3.2 M_AcknowledgeWarning

M_AcknowledgeWarning

```

— stAdmin Reference To ST_PMLa          BOOL M_AcknowledgeWarning —
— stWarning ST_PMLEvent

```

This method acknowledges a warning in the Admin-Tags. Warning[].Trigger is set to FALSE and the value from Admin.PlcDateTime is entered in Warning[].AckDateTime. The method returns TRUE if the warning was found and acknowledged successfully. The warning remains in the Warning array until it is pushed out of the array by the next warning.



So that a valid timestamp can be entered, the PML_AdminTime function block should be called cyclically in the program.

Syntax

```
METHOD M_AcknowledgeWarning : BOOL
VAR_IN_OUT
    stAdmin      : ST_PMLa;
END_VAR
VAR_INPUT
    stWarning     : ST_PMLEvent;
END_VAR
```

Example call:

```
WarningAcknowledged := fbAdminAlarm.M_AcknowledgeWarning(stAdmin := PackTags.Admin, stWarning := Warning);
```

Requirements

Development Environment	Target platform	PLC library to include
From TwinCAT <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 3.1 Build 4024.63 • 3.1 Build 4026.xx 	PC (i386)	Tc3_PackML_V3

4.2.1.3.3 M_ClearAllWarning

M_ClearAllWarning

stAdmin *Reference To ST_PMLa* *BOOL* M_ClearAllWarning

This method deletes all warnings in the Admin-Tags. Warning[].Trigger is set to FALSE. The method returns TRUE if the warning was deleted successfully. The warnings remain in the Warning array until they are pushed out of the array by the next warnings.

Syntax

```
METHOD M_ClearAllWarning : BOOL
VAR_IN_OUT
    stAdmin      : ST_PMLa;
END_VAR
```

Example call:

```
AllWarningCleared := fbAdminAlarm.M_ClearAllWarning(stAdmin := PackTags.Admin);
```

Requirements

Development Environment	Target platform	PLC library to include
From TwinCAT <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 3.1 Build 4024.63 • 3.1 Build 4026.xx 	PC (i386)	Tc3_PackML_V3

4.2.1.3.4 M_ClearWarning

M_ClearWarning

```
— stAdmin Reference To ST_PMLa      BOOL M_ClearWarning —
— stWarning ST_PMLEvent —
```

This method deletes a warning in the Admin-Tags. Warning[].Trigger is set to FALSE. The method returns TRUE if the warning was deleted successfully. The warning remains in the Warning array until it is pushed out of the array by the next warning.

Syntax

```
METHOD M_ClearWarning : BOOL
VAR_IN_OUT
    stAdmin      : ST_PMLa;
END_VAR
VAR_INPUT
    stWarning     : ST_PMLEvent;
END_VAR
```

Example call:

```
WarningCleared := fbAdminAlarm.M_ClearWarning(stAdmin := PackTags.Admin, stWarning := Warning);
```

Requirements

Development Environment	Target platform	PLC library to include
From TwinCAT <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 3.1 Build 4024.63 • 3.1 Build 4026.xx 	PC (i386)	Tc3_PackML_V3

4.2.1.3.5 M_HasWarning

M_HasWarning

```
— stAdmin Reference To ST_PMLa      BOOL M_HasWarning —
```

This method checks whether an active warning is entered in the Admin-Tags and the method returns TRUE

Syntax

```
METHOD M_HasWarning : BOOL
VAR_IN_OUT
    stAdmin      : ST_PMLa;
END_VAR
```

Example call:

```
HasWarning := fbAdminAlarm.M_HasWarning(stAdmin := PackTags.Admin);
```

Requirements

Development Environment	Target platform	PLC library to include
From TwinCAT <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 3.1 Build 4024.63 • 3.1 Build 4026.xx 	PC (i386)	Tc3_PackML_V3

4.2.1.3.6 M_SetWarning

M_SetWarning

```
stAdmin Reference To ST_PMLa      BOOL M_SetWarning
stWarning ST_PMLEvent
```

This method inserts a warning in the Admin-Tags. Warning[].Trigger is set to TRUE and the value from Admin.PlcDateTime is entered in Warning[].DateTime. The other values are taken from the transferred warning structure. The method returns TRUE if the warning was entered successfully. If the Warning array is already full of entries, the oldest entry is deleted as a result.



So that a valid timestamp can be entered, the PML_AdminTime function block should be called cyclically in the program.

Syntax

```
METHOD M_SetWarning : BOOL
VAR_IN_OUT
    stAdmin          : ST_PMLa;
END_VAR
VAR_INPUT
    stWarning        : ST_PMLEvent;
END_VAR
```

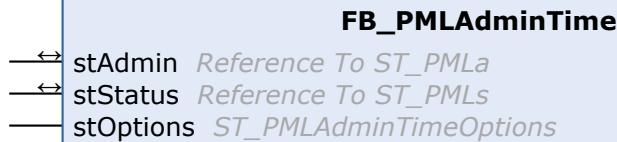
Example call:

```
WarningInserted := fbAdminAlarm.M_SetWarning(stAdmin := PackTags.Admin, stWarning := Warning);
```

Requirements

Development Environment	Target platform	PLC library to include
From TwinCAT <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 3.1 Build 4024.63 • 3.1 Build 4026.xx 	PC (i386)	Tc3_PackML_V3

4.2.2 FB_PMLAdminTime



The FB_PMLAdminTime function block should be called cyclically to fill the following Admin-PackTags:

- PlcDateTime
- ModeTimeCurrent
- StateTimeCurrent
- CumulativeTimes[].AccTimeSinceReset
- CumulativeTimes[].ModeStateTimes[].Mode
- CumulativeTimes[].ModeStateTimes[].State[]

The length of time for which the machine was in the different states is thus recorded. In the further process, this allows conclusions to be drawn about the machine efficiency. To ensure that the times are calculated correctly, it is a prerequisite that the *UnitCurrent* and *StateCurrent* Status-PackTags have already been written coherently.

The individual timers can be reset using the M_ResetCumulativeTime method.

Input

```

VAR_INPUT
  stOptions : ST_AdminTimeOptions;
END_VAR
  
```

Name	Type	Description
stOptions	ST_PMLAdminTimeOptions	Additional options of the function block

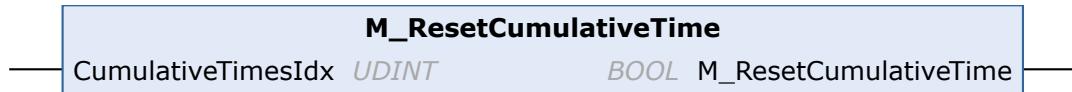
Inputs/Outputs

```

VAR_IN_OUT
  stAdmin : ST_PMLa;
  stStatus : ST_PMLs;
END_VAR
  
```

Name	Type	Description
stAdmin	ST_PMLa	Transfer of the Admin-PackTags
stStatus	ST_PMLs	Transfer of the Status-PackTags

M_ResetCumulativeTime



The M_ResetCumulativeTime method resets the Admin.CumulativeTimes[CumulativeTimesIdx] entry.

Syntax

```

METHOD M_ResetCumulativeTime : BOOL
VAR_INPUT
  CumulativeTimesIdx : UDINT;
END_VAR
  
```

Example call:

```
fbAdminTime.M_ResetCumulativeTime(CumulativeTimesIdx := 1);
```

Requirements

Development Environment	Target platform	PLC library to include
From TwinCAT • 3.1 Build 4024.63 • 3.1 Build 4026.xx	PC (i386)	Tc3_PackML_V3

4.3 Packaging Machine State

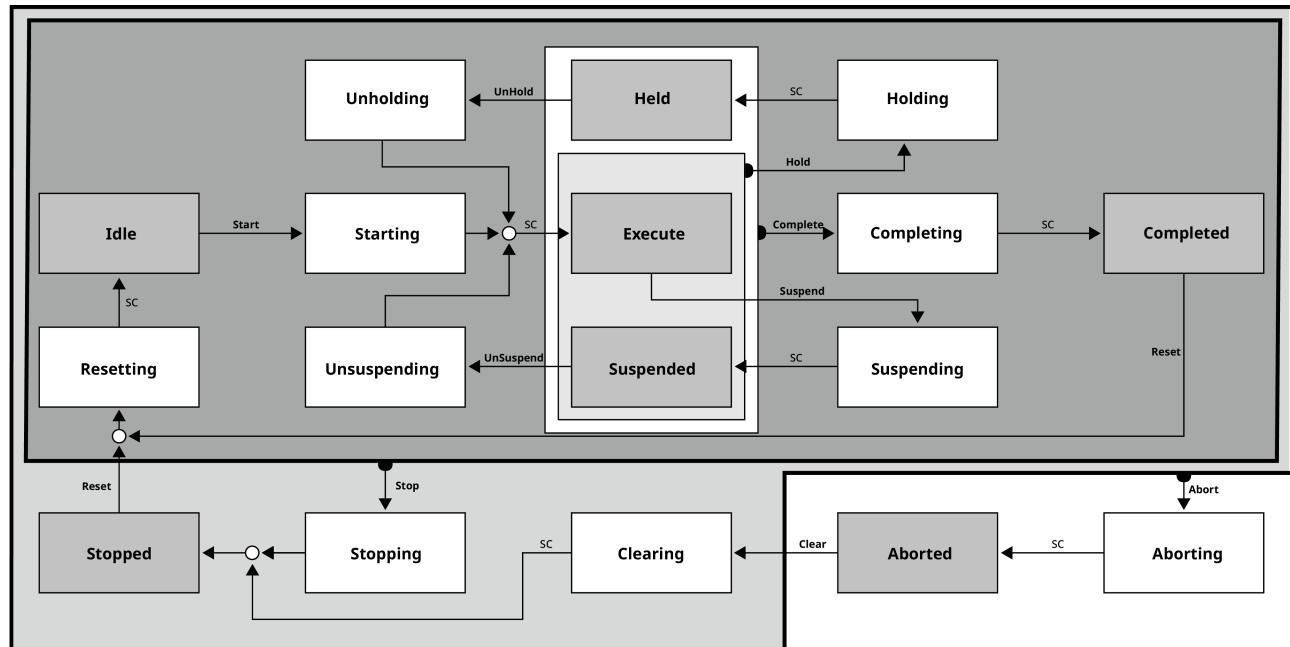
Function blocks for simplified handling of the PackML state machine and unit modes

4.3.1 FB_PMLStateMachine

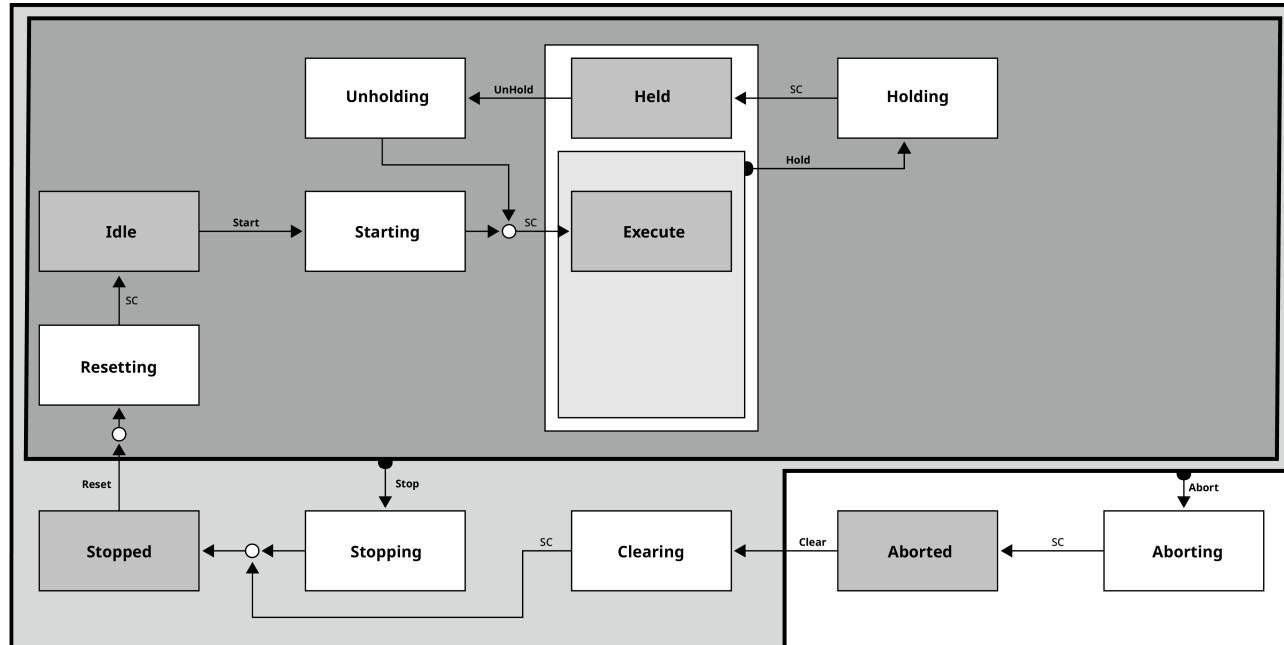


In its updated form, the PML_StateMachine function block has a common interface to the PackML Machine State Model V3. It is expected that application-specific logic, such as state transitions, will be programmed in external function blocks and that the PML_StateMachine function block will take over the central logic of the state machine and the state representation. The Machine State Model has a different appearance due to the currently active UnitMode (eMode). Three basic models are preconfigured for this purpose ([E_PMLProtectedUnitMode \[► 45\]](#)).

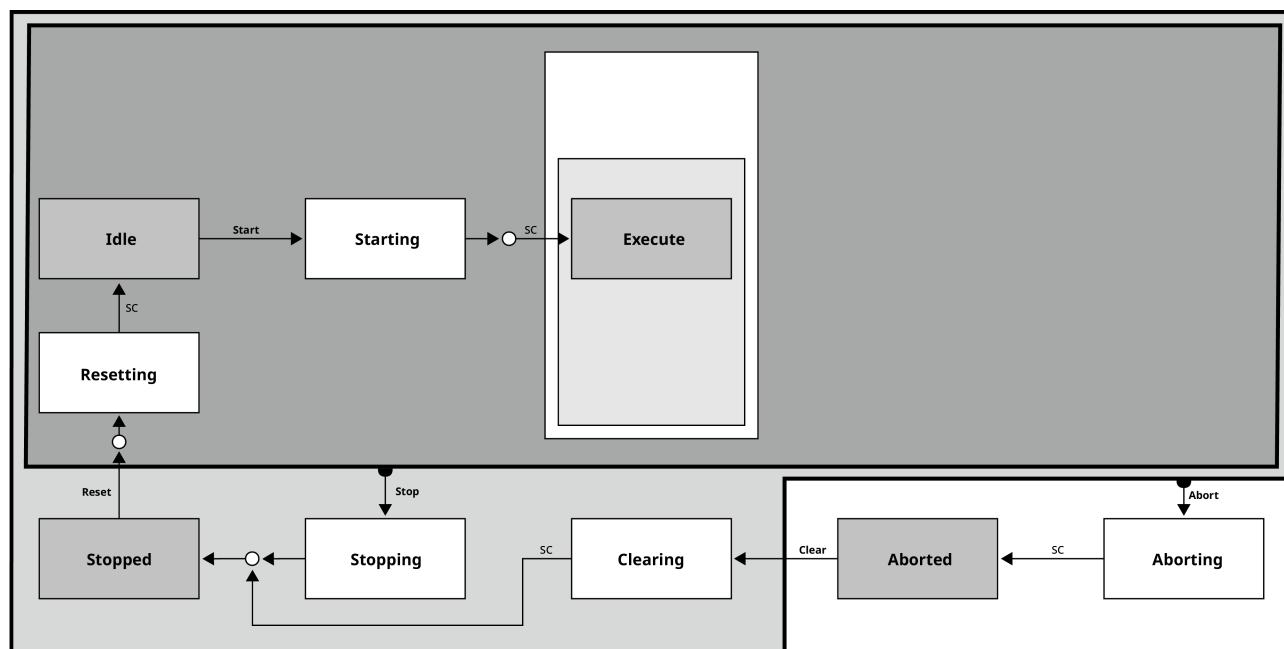
ePMLProtUnitMode_Production



ePMLProtUnitMode_Maintenance



ePMLProtUnitMode_Manual



Furthermore, other user-specific models can be created in a simple manner with the aid of the FB PMLUnitModeConfig [► 38] function block and are thus very flexible in use.

The logic for transitions, in particular between production, maintenance and manual mode, depends on the application. The states in which UnitMode changes are permissible for the basic models are described more precisely in the description of the FB PMLUnitModeManager [► 41] function block.

Inputs

```
VAR_INPUT
    eMode          : DINT;
    eCommand       : E_PMLCommand;
    stSubUnitInfoRef : ST_PMLSubUnitInfoRef;
    stOptions      : ST_PMLStateMachineOptions;
END VAR
```

Name	Type	Description
eMode	DINT	Current PML UnitMode
eCommand	E_PMLCommand	Enumeration [▶ 44] with the various PML commands of the function block.
stSubUnitInfoRef	ST_PMLSubUnitInfoRef	Structure [▶ 48] that points to an array of the current PML states of subordinated machine units
stOptions	ST_PMLStateMachineOptions	Not used at present

➡ Outputs

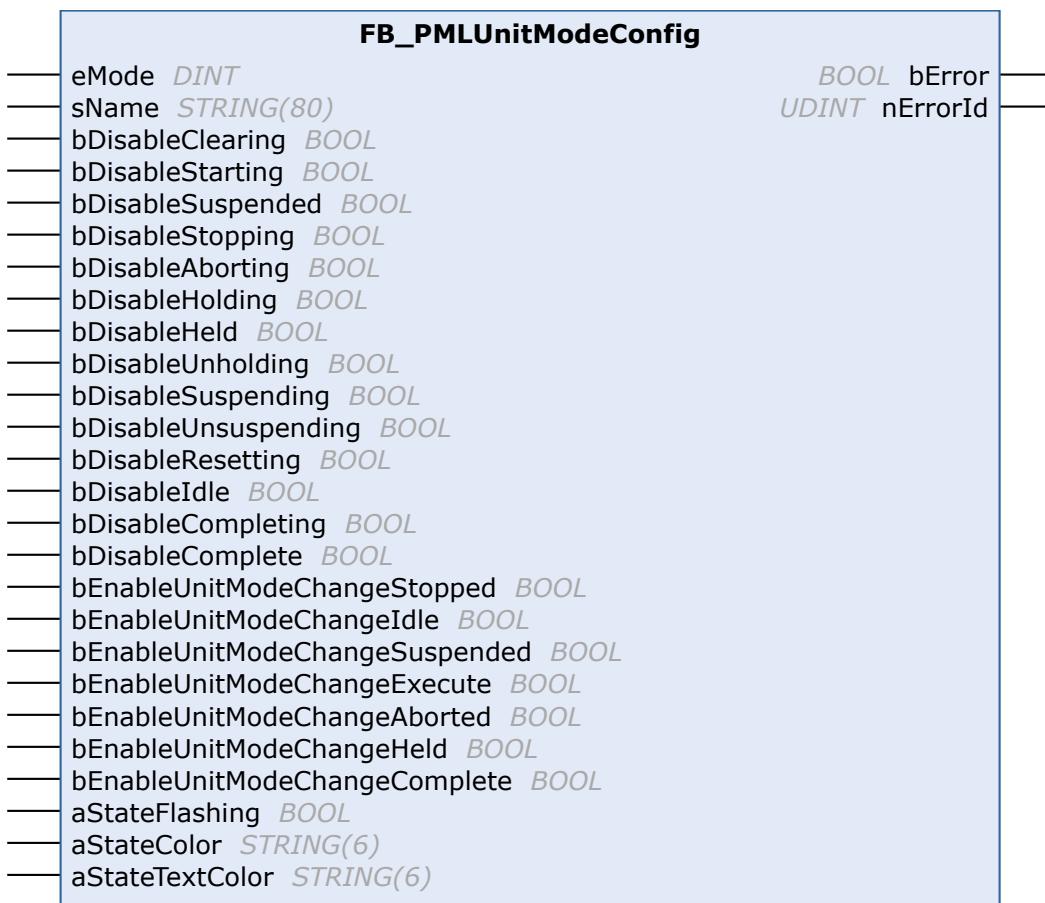
```
VAR_OUTPUT
  eState      : E_PMLState;
  sState      : STRING;
  bError      : BOOL;
  nErrorId    : UDINT;
END_VAR
```

Name	Type	Description
eState	E_PMLState	Enumeration [▶ 46] that delivers the current PML state of the automatic state machine.
sState	STRING	Name of the current PML state of the automatic state machine.
bError	BOOL	Becomes TRUE as soon as an error occurs.
nErrorId	UDINT	Supplies the error number when the bError output is set.

Requirements

Development Environment	Target platform	PLC library to include
From TwinCAT • 3.1 Build 4024.63 • 3.1 Build 4026.xx	PC (i386)	Tc3_PackML_V3

4.3.2 FB_PMLUnitModeConfig



Machines may have unit modes other than "Production", "Maintenance" and "Manual". This function block enables the user to configure further models (UnitModes).

The number of the new model, the existing states and the states in which a model change is possible can be freely defined.

From version 1.0.5.0 of the library, the activation of a flashing and the state and state text color can also be stored here.

The configuration is then part of the global structure [ST_PMLUnitModeConfiguration \[▶ 48\]](#).

Inputs

```

VAR_INPUT
  eMode          : DINT;
  sName          : STRING;
  bDisableClearing : BOOL;
  bDisableStarting : BOOL;
  bDisableSuspended : BOOL;
  bDisableStopping : BOOL;
  bDisableAborting : BOOL;
  bDisableHolding : BOOL;
  bDisableHeld   : BOOL;
  bDisableUnholding : BOOL;
  bDisableSuspending : BOOL;
  bDisableUnsuspending : BOOL;
  bDisableResetting : BOOL;
  bDisableIdle    : BOOL;
  bDisableCompleting : BOOL;
  bDisableComplete : BOOL;
  bEnableUnitModeChangeStopped : BOOL;
  bEnableUnitModeChangeIdle : BOOL;
  bEnableUnitModeChangeSuspended : BOOL;
  bEnableUnitModeChangeExecute : BOOL;
  bEnableUnitModeChangeAborted : BOOL;
  bEnableUnitModeChangeHeld   : BOOL;
  bEnableUnitModeChangeComplete : BOOL;
  aStateFlashing  : BOOL;
  aStateColor     : STRING(6);
  aStateTextColor : STRING(6);
  
```

```

bEnableUnitModeChangeComplete : BOOL;

aStateFlashing : ARRAY [E_PMLState.Undefined..E_PMLState.Completed] OF BOOL :=
aStateFlashingDefault; //Extension Tc3_PackML_V3 >= 1.0.5.0
aStateColor : ARRAY [E_PMLState.Undefined..E_PMLState.Completed] OF
STRING[6] := aStateColorDefault; //Extension Tc3_PackML_V3 >= 1.0.5.0
aStateTextColor : ARRAY [E_PMLState.Undefined..E_PMLState.Completed] OF
STRING[6] := aStateTextColorDefault; //Extension Tc3_PackML_V3 >= 1.0.5.0
END_VAR

```

Name	Type	Description
eMode	DINT	Number of the new PML UnitMode [4..31]
sName	STRING	Name of the new PML UnitMode
bDisableClearing	BOOL	Disables the "Clearing" PML state.
bDisableStarting	BOOL	Disables the "Starting" PML state.
bDisableSuspended	BOOL	Disables the "Suspended" PML state. Disabling the static state also causes the "Suspending" and "Unsuspending" PML states to be disabled.
bDisableStopping	BOOL	Disables the "Stopping" PML state.
bDisableAborting	BOOL	Disables the "Aborting" PML state.
bDisableHolding	BOOL	Disables the "Holding" PML state.
bDisableHeld	BOOL	Disables the "Held" PML state. Disabling the static state also causes the "Holding" and "Unholding" PML states to be disabled.
bDisableUnholding	BOOL	Disables the "Unholding" PML state.
bDisableSuspending	BOOL	Disables the "Suspending" PML state.
bDisableUnsuspending	BOOL	Disables the "Unsuspending" PML state.
bDisableResetting	BOOL	Disables the "Resetting" PML state.
bDisableIdle	BOOL	Disables the "Idle" PML state. Disabling the static state also causes the "Resetting" PML state to be disabled.
bDisableCompleting	BOOL	Disables the "Completing" PML state.
bDisableComplete	BOOL	Disables the "Complete" PML state. Disabling the static state also causes the "Completing" PML state to be disabled.
bEnableUnitModeChangeStopped	BOOL	Enables a mode change in the "Stopped" PML state.
bEnableUnitModeChangeIdle	BOOL	Enables a mode change in the "Idle" PML state.
bEnableUnitModeChangeSuspended	BOOL	Enables a mode change in the "Suspended" PML state.
bEnableUnitModeChangeExecute	BOOL	Enables a mode change in the "Execute" PML state.
bEnableUnitModeChangeAborted	BOOL	Enables a mode change in the "Aborted" PML state.
bEnableUnitModeChangeHeld	BOOL	Enables a mode change in the "Held" PML state.
bEnableUnitModeChangeComplete	BOOL	Enables a mode change in the "Complete" PML state.
aStateFlashing	ARRAY[0..17] OF BOOL	Defines the flashing of the states when active.
aStateColor	ARRAY[0..17] OF STRING[6]	Defines the color of the states when active.
aStateTextColor	ARRAY[0..17] OF STRING[6]	Defines the text color of the states when active

▶ Outputs

```
VAR_OUTPUT  
  bError      : BOOL;  
  nErrorID    : UDINT;  
END_VAR
```

Name	Type	Description
bError	BOOL	Becomes TRUE as soon as an error occurs.
nErrorID	UDINT	Supplies the error number when the bError output is set.

Requirements

Development Environment	Target platform	PLC library to include
From TwinCAT • 3.1 Build 4024.63 • 3.1 Build 4026.xx	PC (i386)	Tc3_PackML_V3

4.3.3 FB_PMLUnitModeManager

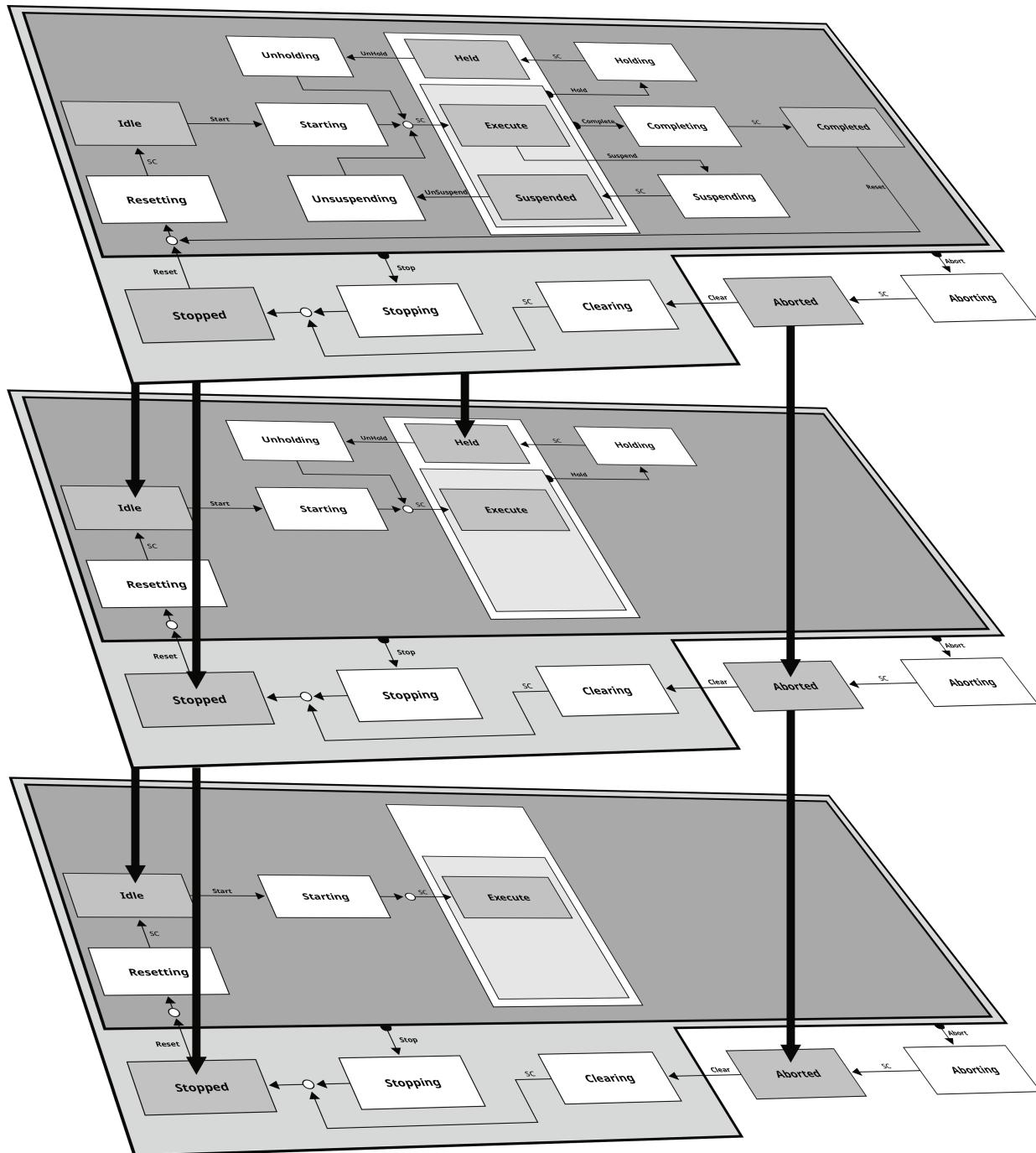


Machines have other system modes apart from "Production". Each unit mode is defined by its own state model. A "Mode Manager" must be defined for transitions between the modes. The "Mode Manager" decides how and in which state a machine can change unit modes; i.e. built-in barriers prevent the machine from changing to unsuitable states. These barriers are predefined for the base modes "Production", "Maintenance" and "Manual", as the illustration below shows. This can be individually specified for other modes defined via the [FB_PMLUnitModeConfig \[► 38\]](#) function block.

WARNING

Adhere to proper mode changes

The logic for transitions between the modes depends on the application, especially for transitions between "Manual" and "Production" mode. In addition, hardware barriers or safety equipment may be necessary for such mode changes. The responsibility for proper mode changes lies with whoever implements them.



Inputs

```

VAR_INPUT
    bExecute      : BOOL;
    eModeCommand  : DINT;
    eState        : E_PMLState;
END_VAR
  
```

Name	Type	Description
bExecute	BOOL	Mode change on rising edge
eModeCommand	DINT	Requested mode
eState	E_PMLState	Enumeration [▶ 46] that delivers the current PML state of the automatic state machine.

 Outputs

```
VAR_OUTPUT
    eModeStatus      : DINT;
    sModeStatus      : STRING;
    bDone            : BOOL;
    bError           : BOOL;
    bErrorID         : UDINT;
END_VAR
```

Name	Type	Description
eModeStatus	DINT	Current PML UnitMode
sModeStatus	STRING	Name of the current PML UnitMode
bDone	BOOL	Becomes TRUE as soon as the mode change has been successfully carried out.
bError	BOOL	Becomes TRUE as soon as an error occurs.
nErrorID	UDINT	Supplies the error number when the bError output is set.

Requirements

Development Environment	Target platform	PLC library to include
From TwinCAT • 3.1 Build 4024.63 • 3.1 Build 4026.xx	PC (i386)	Tc3_PackML_V3

5 Data types

Data types that are used in the PackML library.

5.1 General

General data types

5.1.1 ST_PMLAdminTimeOptions

```
TYPE ST_PMLAdminTimeOptions :
STRUCT
    UseExternalTime      : BOOL;
    ExternalPackMLTime   : ST_PMLDateAndTime;
END_STRUCT
END_TYPE
```

Name	Description
UseExternalTime	If this flag is set to TRUE, the time set at the input ExternalPackMLTime is used instead of the system time information.
ExternalPackMLTime	Externally set time

Requirements

Development Environment	Target platform	PLC library to include
From TwinCAT • 3.1 Build 4024.63 • 3.1 Build 4026.xx	PC (i386)	Tc3_PackML_V3

5.2 Packaging machine state and mode

PackML state and mode handling data types

5.2.1 E_PMLCommand

```
TYPE E_PMLCommand :
(
    Undefined    := 0,
    Reset        := 1,
    Start         := 2,
    Stop          := 3,
    Hold          := 4,
    Unhold        := 5,
    Suspend       := 6,
    Unsuspend     := 7,
    Abort         := 8,
    Clear         := 9,
    Complete      := 10
);
END_TYPE
```

Requirements

Development Environment	Target platform	PLC library to include
From TwinCAT • 3.1 Build 4024.63 • 3.1 Build 4026.xx	PC (i386)	Tc3_PackML_V3

5.2.2 E_PMLProtectedUnitMode

```
TYPE E_PMLProtectedUnitMode :  
{  
    Invalid      := 0,  
    Production   := 1,  
    Maintenance  := 2,  
    Manual       := 3  
};  
END_TYPE
```

Requirements

Development Environment	Target platform	PLC library to include
From TwinCAT • 3.1 Build 4024.63 • 3.1 Build 4026.xx	PC (i386)	Tc3_PackML_V3

5.2.3 E_PMLState

```
TYPE E_PMLState :
(
    Undefined      := 0,
    Clearing       := 1,
    Stopped        := 2,
    Starting       := 3,
    Idle           := 4,
    Suspended      := 5,
    Execute         := 6,
    Stopping        := 7,
    Aborting        := 8,
    Aborted         := 9,
    Holding          := 10,
    Held            := 11,
    Unholding       := 12,
    Suspending       := 13,
    Unsuspending     := 14,
    Resetting        := 15,
    Completing       := 16,
    Completed        := 17
);
END_TYPE
```

Requirements

Development Environment	Target platform	PLC library to include
From TwinCAT • 3.1 Build 4024.63 • 3.1 Build 4026.xx	PC (i386)	Tc3_PackML_V3

5.2.4 ST_PMLStateMachineOptions

```
TYPE ST_PMLStateMachineOptions :
STRUCT
END_STRUCT
END_TYPE
```

Requirements

Development Environment	Target platform	PLC library to include
From TwinCAT • 3.1 Build 4024.63 • 3.1 Build 4026.xx	PC (i386)	Tc3_PackML_V3

5.2.5 ST_PMLSubUnitInfo

```
TYPE ST_PMLSubUnitInfo :
STRUCT
    Active      : BOOL;
    eState       : E_PMLState := E_PMLState.Aborted;
END_STRUCT
END_TYPE
```

Name	Description
Active	Signals that this subordinated machine part is active and follows the state presets of the state machine.
eState	Enumeration, that reflects the current state of the subordinated machine part.

Requirements

Development Environment	Target platform	PLC library to include
From TwinCAT • 3.1 Build 4024.63	PC (i386)	Tc3_PackML_V3

Development Environment	Target platform	PLC library to include
• 3.1 Build 4026.xx		

5.2.6 ST_PMLSubUnitInfoRef

```
TYPE ST_PMLSubUnitInfoRef :
STRUCT
    pArray      : PVOID;
    ArraySize   : UDINT;
    NoOfSubUnits : UDINT;
END_STRUCT
END_TYPE
```

Name	Description
pArray	Address of a one-dimensional array of the type ST_PMLSubUnitInfo [► 46]. Each array element contains the state of a subordinated machine part. Sample: stSubUnitInfo : ARRAY[1..10] OF ST_PMLSubUnitInfo [► 46]; pArray := ADR(stSubUnitInfo);
ArraySize	Size of the one-dimensional array, which can be determined with the SIZEOF function. Sample: ArraySize := SIZEOF(stSubUnitInfo);
NoOfSubUnits	Number of relevant subordinated machine parts.

Requirements

Development Environment	Target platform	PLC library to include
From TwinCAT • 3.1 Build 4024.63 • 3.1 Build 4026.xx	PC (i386)	Tc3_PackML_V3

5.2.7 ST_PMLUnitModeConfiguration

This structure is used for the GlobalVariables *stPMLUnitModeConfiguration*. The information about the permitted states and transitions configured with [FB_PMLUnitModeConfig](#) [► 38] is stored there.

```
TYPE ST_PMLUnitModeConfiguration :
STRUCT
    bActive      : BOOL;
    aStateDisabled : ARRAY[E_PMLState.Undefined..E_PMLState.Completed] OF BOOL;
    aModeChangeValid : ARRAY[E_PMLState.Undefined..E_PMLState.Completed] OF BOOL;
    sName        : STRING;
    aStateFlashing : ARRAY[E_PMLState.Undefined..E_PMLState.Completed] OF BOOL; // Extension Tc3_PackML_V3 >= 1.0.5.0
    aStateColor   : ARRAY[E_PMLState.Undefined..E_PMLState.Completed] OF STRING[6]; // Extension Tc3_PackML_V3 >= 1.0.5.0
    aStateTextColor : ARRAY[E_PMLState.Undefined..E_PMLState.Completed] OF STRING[6]; // Extension Tc3_PackML_V3 >= 1.0.5.0
END_STRUCT
END_TYPE
```

Requirements

Development Environment	Target platform	PLC library to include
From TwinCAT • 3.1 Build 4024.63 • 3.1 Build 4026.xx	PC (i386)	Tc3_PackML_V3

5.3 PackTags

Data types of the PackML PackTags

5.3.1 Alarm

Data types for alarm, warning and stop cause handling

5.3.1.1 ST_PMLDateAndTime

This structure is used for saving the date and time of an event or for the acknowledgement of an event.

```
TYPE ST_PMLDateAndTime :
STRUCT
    Year          : DINT;
    Month         : DINT;
    Day           : DINT;
    Hour          : DINT;
    Minute        : DINT;
    Second        : DINT;
    mSec          : DINT;
END_STRUCT
END_TYPE
```

Requirements

Development Environment	Target platform	PLC library to include
From TwinCAT • 3.1 Build 4024.63 • 3.1 Build 4026.xx	PC (i386)	Tc3_PackML_V3

5.3.1.2 ST_PMLEvent

Collection of tags for describing alarm events.

```
TYPE ST_PMLEvent :
STRUCT
    Trigger      : BOOL;
    Id           : DINT;
    Value         : DINT;
    Message       : STRING;
    Category      : DINT;

    DateTime     : ST_PMLDateAndTime;
    AckDateTime   : ST_PMLDateAndTime;
END_STRUCT
END_TYPE
```

Requirements

Development Environment	Target platform	PLC library to include
From TwinCAT • 3.1 Build 4024.63 • 3.1 Build 4026.xx	PC (i386)	Tc3_PackML_V3

5.3.1.3 ST_PMLEventMin

Collection of the minimum tags required for describing alarm events.

```
TYPE ST_PMLEventMin :
STRUCT
    Id           : DINT;
```

```
END_STRUCT
END_TYPE
```

Requirements

Development Environment	Target platform	PLC library to include
From TwinCAT <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 3.1 Build 4024.63 • 3.1 Build 4026.xx 	PC (i386)	Tc3_PackML_V3

5.3.2 Common

5.3.2.1 ST_PMLCumulativeTimes

Collection of tags for recording times in the various states and UnitModes in the machine.

By using [FB_PMLAdminTime](#) [► 33], these are filled automatically and can be reset using the [M_ResetCumulativeTime\(\)](#) method of the FB.

```
TYPE ST_PMLCumulativeTimes :
STRUCT
    AccTimeSinceReset      : DINT;
    ModeStateTimes         : ARRAY[0..cMaxDefinedUnitMode-1] OF ST_PMLModeStateTimes;
END_STRUCT
END_TYPE
```

Requirements

Development Environment	Target platform	PLC library to include
From TwinCAT <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 3.1 Build 4024.63 • 3.1 Build 4026.xx 	PC (i386)	Tc3_PackML_V3

5.3.2.2 ST_PMLEquipment

Collection of tags for signaling problems in the downstream (Blocked) or upstream (Starved) of the machine.

```
TYPE ST_PMLEquipment :
STRUCT
    Blocked          : BOOL;
    Starved          : BOOL;
END_STRUCT
END_TYPE
```

Requirements

Development Environment	Target platform	PLC library to include
From TwinCAT <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 3.1 Build 4024.63 • 3.1 Build 4026.xx 	PC (i386)	Tc3_PackML_V3

5.3.2.3 ST_PMLIngredients

Collection of tags for describing the raw materials required for the product.

```
TYPE ST_PMLIngredients :
STRUCT
    Parameter_REAL      : ARRAY[0..
cMaxRecipeIngredientsParametersReal-1] OF ST_PMLParameterReal;
    Parameter_STRING     : ARRAY[0..
```

```
cMaxRecipeIngredientsParametersString-1] OF ST_PMLParameterString;
    Parameter_LREAL           : ARRAY[0..cMaxRecipeIngredientsParametersLreal-1] OF ST_PMLParameterLreal;
    Parameter_DINT            : ARRAY[0..cMaxRecipeIngredientsParametersDint-1] OF ST_PMLParameterDint;
END_STRUCT
END_TYPE
```

Requirements

Development Environment	Target platform	PLC library to include
From TwinCAT <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 3.1 Build 4024.63 • 3.1 Build 4026.xx 	PC (i386)	Tc3_PackML_V3

5.3.2.4 ST_PMLModeStateTimes

Collection of tags for recording times in the various states and UnitModes in the machine.

```
TYPE ST_PMLModeStateTimes :
STRUCT
    Mode          : DINT;
    State         : ARRAY [0..cMaxMachineState] OF DINT;
END_STRUCT
END_TYPE
```

Requirements

Development Environment	Target platform	PLC library to include
From TwinCAT <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 3.1 Build 4024.63 • 3.1 Build 4026.xx 	PC (i386)	Tc3_PackML_V3

5.3.2.5 ST_PMLParameterDint

Collection of tags for describing DINT parameters in the machine.

```
TYPE ST_PMLParameterDint :
STRUCT
    Id          : DINT;
    Name        : STRING;
    Unit        : STRING(6);
    Value       : DINT;
END_STRUCT
END_TYPE
```

Requirements

Development Environment	Target platform	PLC library to include
From TwinCAT <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 3.1 Build 4024.63 • 3.1 Build 4026.xx 	PC (i386)	Tc3_PackML_V3

5.3.2.6 ST_PMLParameterLreal

Collection of tags for describing LREAL parameters in the machine.

```
TYPE ST_PMLParameterLreal :
STRUCT
    Id          : DINT;
    Name        : STRING;
    Unit        : STRING(6);
```

```

    Value          : LREAL;
END_STRUCT
END_TYPE

```

Requirements

Development Environment	Target platform	PLC library to include
From TwinCAT <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 3.1 Build 4024.63 • 3.1 Build 4026.xx 	PC (i386)	Tc3_PackML_V3

5.3.2.7 ST_PMLParameterReal

Collection of tags for describing REAL parameters in the machine.

```

TYPE ST_PMLParameterReal :
STRUCT
    Id          : DINT;
    Name        : STRING;
    Unit        : STRING(6);
    Value       : REAL;
END_STRUCT
END_TYPE

```

Requirements

Development Environment	Target platform	PLC library to include
From TwinCAT <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 3.1 Build 4024.63 • 3.1 Build 4026.xx 	PC (i386)	Tc3_PackML_V3

5.3.2.8 ST_PMLParameterString

Collection of tags for describing STRING parameters in the machine.

```

TYPE ST_PMLParameterString :
STRUCT
    Id          : DINT;
    Name        : STRING;
    Unit        : STRING(6);
    Value       : STRING;
END_STRUCT
END_TYPE

```

Requirements

Development Environment	Target platform	PLC library to include
From TwinCAT <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 3.1 Build 4024.63 • 3.1 Build 4026.xx 	PC (i386)	Tc3_PackML_V3

5.3.2.9 ST_PMLProcessVariables

Collection of tags for describing process variables in the machine.

```

TYPE ST_PMLProcessVariables :
STRUCT
    Parameter_REAL      : ARRAY[0..cMaxRecipeProcessVariablesParametersReal-1] OF
    ST_PMLParameterReal;
    Parameter_STRING     : ARRAY[0..cMaxRecipeProcessVariablesParametersString-1] OF
    ST_PMLParameterString;
    Parameter_LREAL       : ARRAY[0..cMaxRecipeProcessVariablesParametersLreal-1] OF

```

```

ST_PMLParameterLreal;
  Parameter_DINT          : ARRAY[0..cMaxRecipeProcessVariablesParametersDint-1] OF
ST_PMLParameterDint;
END_STRUCT
END_TYPE

```

Requirements

Development Environment	Target platform	PLC library to include
From TwinCAT <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 3.1 Build 4024.63 • 3.1 Build 4026.xx 	PC (i386)	Tc3_PackML_V3

5.3.2.10 ST_PMLProductData

Collection of tags for describing the product manufactured on the machine.

```

TYPE ST_PMLProductData :
STRUCT
  ID                  : DINT;
  Name                : STRING;
  Unit                : STRING[6];
  PrimaryQty          : DINT;
  ConsumedCount       : DINT;
  ProcessedCount      : DINT;
  DefectiveCount      : DINT;
  AccConsumedCount    : DINT;
  AccProcessedCount   : DINT;
  AccDefectiveCount   : DINT;
END_STRUCT
END_TYPE

```

Requirements

Development Environment	Target platform	PLC library to include
From TwinCAT <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 3.1 Build 4024.63 • 3.1 Build 4026.xx 	PC (i386)	Tc3_PackML_V3

5.3.2.11 ST_PMLProductDataMin

Collection of all tags that are at least necessary for describing the product manufactured on the machine.

```

TYPE ST_PMLProductDataMin:
STRUCT
  ProcessedCount      : DINT;
  DefectiveCount      : DINT;
END_STRUCT
END_TYPE

```

Requirements

Development Environment	Target platform	PLC library to include
From TwinCAT <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 3.1 Build 4024.63 • 3.1 Build 4026.xx 	PC (i386)	Tc3_PackML_V3

5.3.2.12 ST_PMLRecipe

Collection of tags for describing recipes in the machine.

```

TYPE ST_PMLRecipe :
STRUCT
    Id                  : DINT;
    Name                : STRING;
    Unit                : STRING(6);
    PrimaryQty          : REAL;
    ProcessVariables    : ST_PMLProcessVariables;
    Ingredients         : ST_PMLIngredients;
END_STRUCT
END_TYPE

```

Requirements

Development Environment	Target platform	PLC library to include
From TwinCAT • 3.1 Build 4024.63 • 3.1 Build 4026.xx	PC (i386)	Tc3_PackML_V3

5.3.3 ST_PMLa

Collection of all Administration tags of the PackTag structure.

```

TYPE ST_PMLa :
STRUCT
    Parameter_REAL           : ARRAY [0..cMaxAdminParametersReal-1] OF ST_PMLParameterReal;
    Parameter_STRING          : ARRAY [0..cMaxAdminParametersString-1] OF ST_PMLParameterString;
    Parameter_LREAL           : ARRAY [0..cMaxAdminParametersLreal-1] OF ST_PMLParameterLreal;
    Parameter_DINT            : ARRAY [0..cMaxAdminParametersDint-1] OF ST_PMLParameterDint;

    Alarm                    : ARRAY [0..cMaxAlarms-1] OF ST_PMLEvent;
    AlarmExtent               : DINT := cMaxAlarms;
    AlarmHistory              : ARRAY [0..cMaxHistoryAlarms-1] OF ST_PMLEvent;
    AlarmHistoryExtent        : DINT := cMaxHistoryAlarms;
    StopReason                : ST_PMLEvent;
    Warning                   : ARRAY [0..cMaxWarnings-1] OF ST_PMLEvent;
    WarningExtent              : DINT := cMaxWarnings;

    ModeTimeCurrent           : DINT;
    StateTimeCurrent          : DINT;
    CumulativeTimes           : ARRAY [0..cMaxAdminCumulativeTimes-1] OF ST_PMLCumulativeTimes;

    ProductData               : ARRAY [0..cMaxAdminProductData-1] OF ST_PMLProductData;

    MachDesignSpeed            : REAL;
    DisabledStatesCfg          : ARRAY [0..cMaxDefinedUnitMode-1] OF DWORD;
    CurDisabledStates          : DWORD;
    EnabledModesCfg            : DWORD;
    ModeTransitionCfg          : ARRAY [0..cMaxDefinedUnitMode-1] OF DWORD;

    PlcDateTime                : ST_PMLDateAndTime;
END_STRUCT
END_TYPE

```

Requirements

Development Environment	Target platform	PLC library to include
From TwinCAT • 3.1 Build 4024.63 • 3.1 Build 4026.xx	PC (i386)	Tc3_PackML_V3

5.3.4 ST_PMLaMin

Collection of all minimum necessary Administration tags of the PackTag structure.

```
TYPE ST_PMLaMin :
STRUCT
    StopReason           : ST_PMLEventMin;
    ProductData          : ARRAY [0..cMaxAdminProductData-1] OF ST_PMLProductDataMin;
END_STRUCT
END_TYPE
```

Requirements

Development Environment	Target platform	PLC library to include
From TwinCAT • 3.1 Build 4024.63 • 3.1 Build 4026.xx	PC (i386)	Tc3_PackML_V3

5.3.5 ST_PMLc

Collection of all Command tags of the PackTag structure.

```
TYPE ST_PMLc :
STRUCT
    UnitMode           : DINT;
    UnitModeChangeRequest : BOOL;

    MachSpeed         : REAL;

    MaterialInterlock : DWORD;

    CntrlCmd          : DINT;
    CmdChangeRequest  : BOOL;

    Parameter_REAL    : ARRAY [0..cMaxCommandParametersReal-1] OF ST_PMLParameterReal;
    Parameter_STRING   : ARRAY [0..cMaxCommandParametersString-1] OF ST_PMLParameterString;
    Parameter_LREAL    : ARRAY [0..cMaxCommandParametersLreal-1] OF ST_PMLParameterLreal;
    Parameter_DINT     : ARRAY [0..cMaxCommandParametersDint-1] OF ST_PMLParameterDint;

    SelectedRecipe    : DINT;
    RecipeChangeRequest : BOOL;

    Recipe             : ARRAY [0.. cMaxCommandRecipes-1] OF ST_PMLRecipe;
END_STRUCT
END_TYPE
```

Requirements

Development Environment	Target platform	PLC library to include
From TwinCAT • 3.1 Build 4024.63 • 3.1 Build 4026.xx	PC (i386)	Tc3_PackML_V3

5.3.6 ST_PMLcMin

Collection of all minimum necessary Command tags of the PackTag structure.

```
TYPE ST_PMLcMin :
STRUCT
    UnitMode           : DINT;
    UnitModeChangeRequest : BOOL;

    MachSpeed         : REAL;

    CntrlCmd          : DINT;
    CmdChangeRequest  : BOOL;
END_STRUCT
END_TYPE
```

Requirements

Development Environment	Target platform	PLC library to include
From TwinCAT • 3.1 Build 4024.63 • 3.1 Build 4026.xx	PC (i386)	Tc3_PackML_V3

5.3.7 ST_PMLs

Collection of all State tags of the PackTag structure.

```
TYPE ST_PMLs :
STRUCT
    UnitModeCurrent      : DINT;
    UnitModeRequested    : DINT;
    UnitModeChangeInProcess : BOOL;

    StateCurrent         : DINT;
    StateRequested       : DINT;
    StateChangeInProcess : BOOL;

    MachSpeed            : REAL;
    CurMachSpeed         : REAL;

    MaterialInterlock    : DWORD;
    EquipmentInterlock   : ST_PMLEquipment;

    Parameter_REAL        : ARRAY [0..cMaxStatusParametersReal-1] OF ST_PMLParameterReal;
    Parameter_STRING       : ARRAY [0..cMaxStatusParametersString-1] OF ST_PMLParameterString;
    Parameter_LREAL        : ARRAY [0..cMaxStatusParametersLreal-1] OF ST_PMLParameterLreal;
    Parameter_DINT         : ARRAY [0..cMaxStatusParametersDint-1] OF ST_PMLParameterDint;

    RecipeCurrent         : DINT;
    RecipeRequested       : DINT;
    RecipeChangeInProcess : BOOL;

    Recipe                : ARRAY [0..cMaxStatusRecipes-1] OF ST_PMLRecipe;

    Stacklight             : ARRAY [0..cMaxStatusStacklights-1] OF DWORD;
END_STRUCT
END_TYPE
```

Requirements

Development Environment	Target platform	PLC library to include
From TwinCAT • 3.1 Build 4024.63 • 3.1 Build 4026.xx	PC (i386)	Tc3_PackML_V3

5.3.8 ST_PMLsMin

Collection of all minimum necessary State tags of the PackTag structure.

```
TYPE ST_PMLsMin :
STRUCT
    UnitModeCurrent      : DINT;

    StateCurrent         : DINT;

    MachSpeed            : REAL;
    CurMachSpeed         : REAL;
END_STRUCT
END_TYPE
```

Requirements

Development Environment	Target platform	PLC library to include
From TwinCAT	PC (i386)	Tc3_PackML_V3

Development Environment	Target platform	PLC library to include
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 3.1 Build 4024.63 • 3.1 Build 4026.xx 		

5.3.9 ST_PMLV2022

Collection of all tags in the PackTag structure.

```
TYPE ST_PMLV2022 :
STRUCT
    Command      : ST_PMLc;
    Status       : ST_PMLS;
    Admin        : ST_PMLa;
END_STRUCT
END_TYPE
```

Requirements

Development Environment	Target platform	PLC library to include
From TwinCAT <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 3.1 Build 4024.63 • 3.1 Build 4026.xx 	PC (i386)	Tc3_PackML_V3

5.3.10 ST_PMLV2022Min

Collection of all minimum required tags of the PackTag structure.

```
TYPE ST_PMLV2022Min :
STRUCT
    Command      : ST_PMLcMin;
    Status       : ST_PMLSMin;
    Admin        : ST_PMLaMin;
END_STRUCT
END_TYPE
```

Requirements

Development Environment	Target platform	PLC library to include
From TwinCAT <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 3.1 Build 4024.63 • 3.1 Build 4026.xx 	PC (i386)	Tc3_PackML_V3

6 Global parameters

Parameters for setting up the packaging machine tag structures. These can be adapted when inserting the library for the current project.

```

VAR_GLOBAL CONSTANT
    cMaxDefinedUnitMode : UDINT := 4;

    (* PMLc/PMLa *)
    cMaxRecipeProcessVariablesParametersReal : UDINT := 10;
    cMaxRecipeProcessVariablesParametersString : UDINT := 10;
    cMaxRecipeProcessVariablesParametersLreal : UDINT := 10;
    cMaxRecipeProcessVariablesParametersDint : UDINT := 10;

    cMaxRecipeIngredientsParametersReal : UDINT := 10;
    cMaxRecipeIngredientsParametersString : UDINT := 10;
    cMaxRecipeIngredientsParametersLreal : UDINT := 10;
    cMaxRecipeIngredientsParametersDint : UDINT := 10;

    (* PMLC *)
    cMaxCommandParametersReal : UDINT := 10;
    cMaxCommandParametersString : UDINT := 10;
    cMaxCommandParametersLreal : UDINT := 10;
    cMaxCommandParametersDint : UDINT := 10;

    cMaxCommandRecipes : UDINT := 5;

    (* PMLs *)
    cMaxStatusParametersReal : UDINT := 10;
    cMaxStatusParametersString : UDINT := 10;
    cMaxStatusParametersLreal : UDINT := 10;
    cMaxStatusParametersDint : UDINT := 10;

    cMaxStatusRecipes : UDINT := 5;

    cMaxStatusStacklights : UDINT := 1;

    (* PMLa *)
    cMaxAdminParametersReal : UDINT := 10;
    cMaxAdminParametersString : UDINT := 10;
    cMaxAdminParametersLreal : UDINT := 10;
    cMaxAdminParametersDint : UDINT := 10;

    cMaxAlarms : DINT := 10;
    cMaxHistoryAlarms : DINT := 10;
    cMaxWarnings : DINT := 10;

    cMaxAdminCumulativeTimes : UDINT := 1;
    cMaxAdminProductData : UDINT := 10;

    cMaxConsumedCounts : UDINT := 10;
    cMaxProductCounts : UDINT := 10;

END_VAR

```

Requirements

Development Environment	Target platform	PLC library to include
From TwinCAT • 3.1 Build 4024.63 • 3.1 Build 4026.xx	PC (i386)	Tc3_PackML_V3

7 Global constants / variables

Constants for setting up the packaging machine tag structures. These cannot be changed.

```
VAR_GLOBAL CONSTANT
    cMaxUnitMode          : INT := 31
    cMaxMachineState      : INT := 17
END_VAR
```

The information about the permitted states and transitions configured with the [PML_UnitModeConfig \[▶ 38\]](#) is stored in this structure.

```
VAR_GLOBAL
    stPMLUnitModeConfiguration : ARRAY[0..cMaxUnitMode] OF ST_PMLUnitModeConfiguration
END_Var
```

Requirements

Development Environment	Target platform	PLC library to include
From TwinCAT • 3.1 Build 4024.63 • 3.1 Build 4026.xx	PC (i386)	Tc3_PackML_V3

8 Interfaces

Definition of interfaces, that can be used for PackML handling.

8.1 I_PMLUnitStateActing

This interface can be implemented in the unit function blocks of the application and only provides the "Acting" methods of the Packaging State Model, which can then be filled with application code as required.

These methods are:

M_Aborting
M_Clearing
M_Completing
M_Execute
M_Holding
M_Resetting
M_Starting
M_StateComplete
M_Stopping
M_Suspending
M_Unholding
M_Unsuspending

8.2 I_PMLUnitStateWaiting

This interface can be implemented in the unit function blocks of the application and only provides the "Waiting" methods of the Packaging State Model, which can then be filled with application code as required.

These methods are:

M_Aborted
M_Completed
M_Held
M_Idle
M_Stopped
M_Suspended
M_Undefined

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