



# FD CONTROLLER INSTRUCTION MANUAL EtherNet/IP Function

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# Chapter 1 Outline

## 1.1 What is EtherNet/IP?

EtherNet/IP is the industrial network system which is possible to transfer large capacity and wide variety of data with high speed.

By connecting the limit switches, photo sensors, operating boxes and industrial equipments such as robot through this network, these equipments are connected with logical access (network I/O). So communication between the equipments where the hardware connection was hard to be achieved is now improved and diagnosis of equipments is enabled.

Network speed from 10 Mbps to 100 Mpbps are selectable depending on the network size. (selected automatically depending on the network)

Two types of communication methods (I/O communication and Explicit communication) are available when using EtherNet/IP.

- I/O communication: Communication at high-speed cycle
- Explicit communication: Communication for settings / monitoring

In this controller, only I/O communications for transferring I/O signals over the network are supported.

The diagram below gives an example of this controller connected to an EtherNet/IP network.

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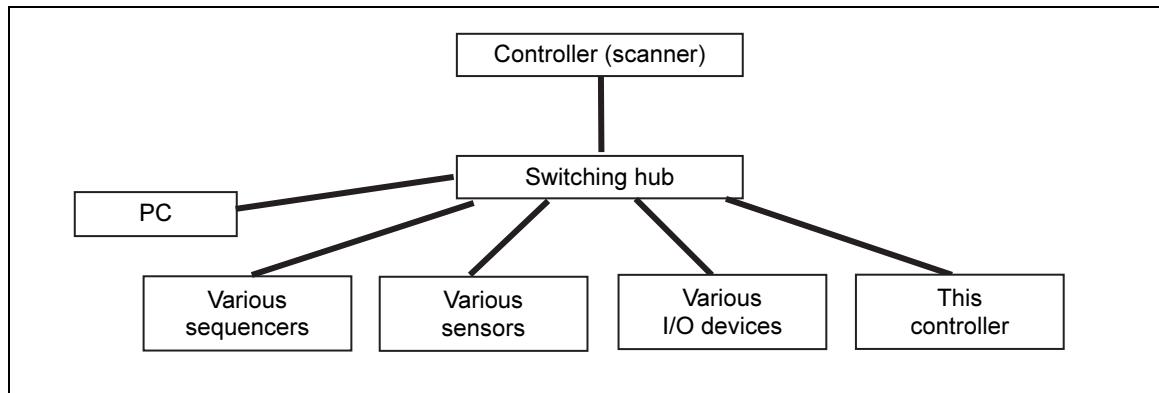


Fig. 1.1.1 EtherNet/IP connection diagram

With EtherNet/IP, the device called a “master” when using DeviceNet/IP is called a “scanner,” and the device called a “slave” is called an “adapter.”

## 1.2 EtherNet/IP of this controller

### 1.2.1 I/O signals

EtherNet/IP of this controller supports up to four independent networks (channels). Each of these channels functions independently as a scanner or an adapter.

The diagram below gives an operational block diagram of the EtherNet/IP.

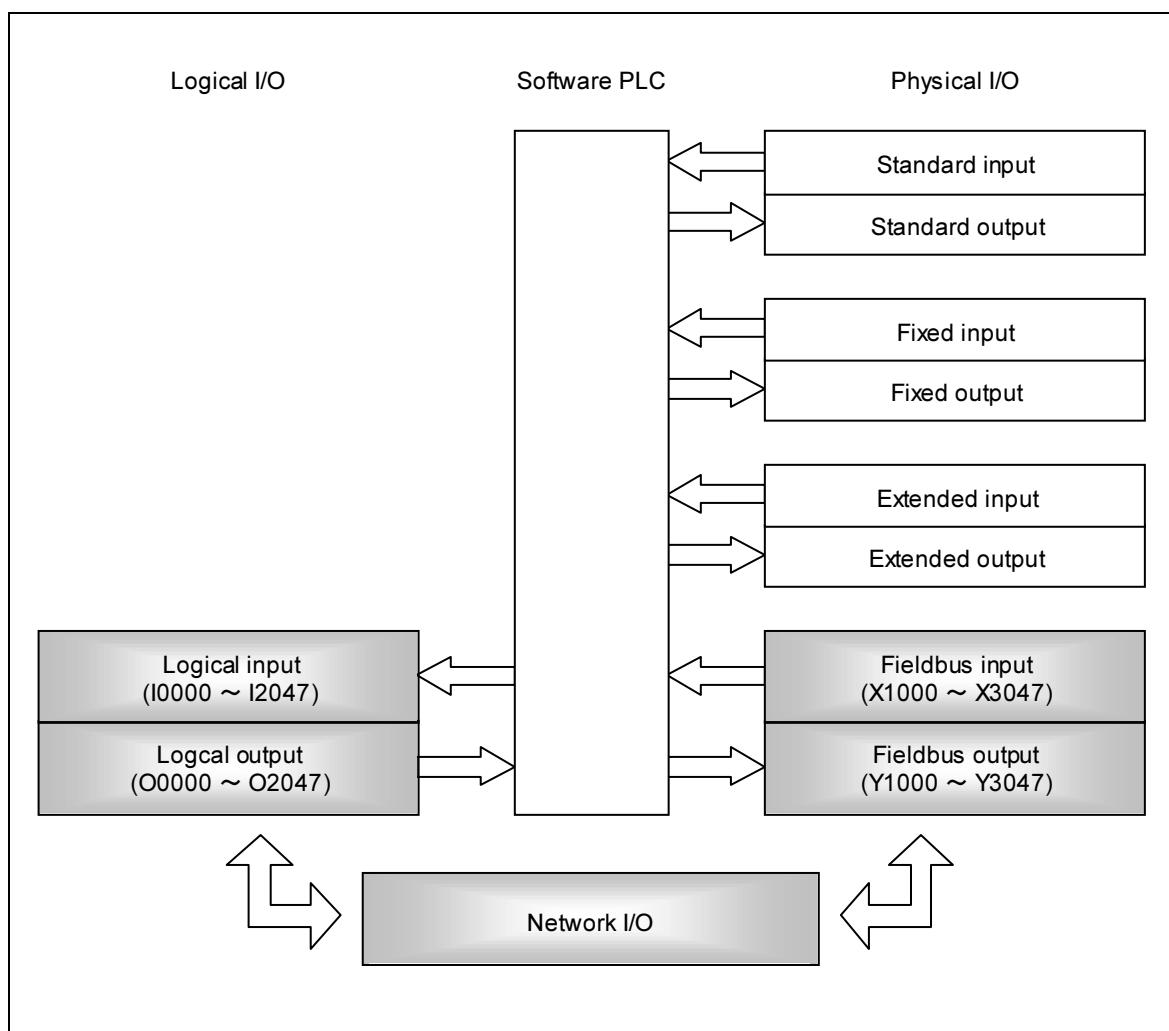


Fig. 1.2.1 Operational block diagram

Two methods of accessing network I/O from this controller are available.

When using PLC, access is carried out using field bus I/O having 2048 input points (X1000 to X3047) and 2048 output points (Y1000 to Y3047).

When not using PLC, access is carried out using logical I/O having 1888 input points (I161 to I2048) and 1888 output points (O161 to O2048).

## 1.2.2 Performance table

Table 1.2.1 Performance table

Item	Specification
Number of channels	Up to four installed channels
Scanners / adapters	Scanners and adaptors can be used. Adaptors can be configured independently for each channel.
Communications	Supports I/O communication only
Number of I/O signals	Capable of using up to 2048 input signals (256 bytes) and up to 2048 output signals (256 bytes) for all channels combined, communication can be covered by the general-purpose signals of this controller. (When using embedded PLC)
Addresses	The IP address, subnet mask, and default gateway of this controller can be set for each channel by key entry from the teach pendant.
Transfer rate	10 Mbps, 100 Mbps The transfer rate is set automatically.
Processing of input data when a communication error occurs	You can select whether to maintain or clear input signal status when a communication error occurs.

Possible causes of errors are given below.

- Hardware error of the EtherNet/IP board
- Broken cable or hub error
- Incorrect node address setting



I/O status may not be normal if an error occurs and the LED indicating a problem lights. Take great care as the interlock functions of the robot, jigs, and/or other devices may fail to operate normally, resulting in unintended operation.

The following configuration tool (prepared by the user) is necessary to use the scanner function.

- RsNetworx for EtherNet/IP (from Rockwell)

## 1.2.3 Hardware configuration

EtherNet/IP board should be mounted on one of three PCI slots in CPU unit.

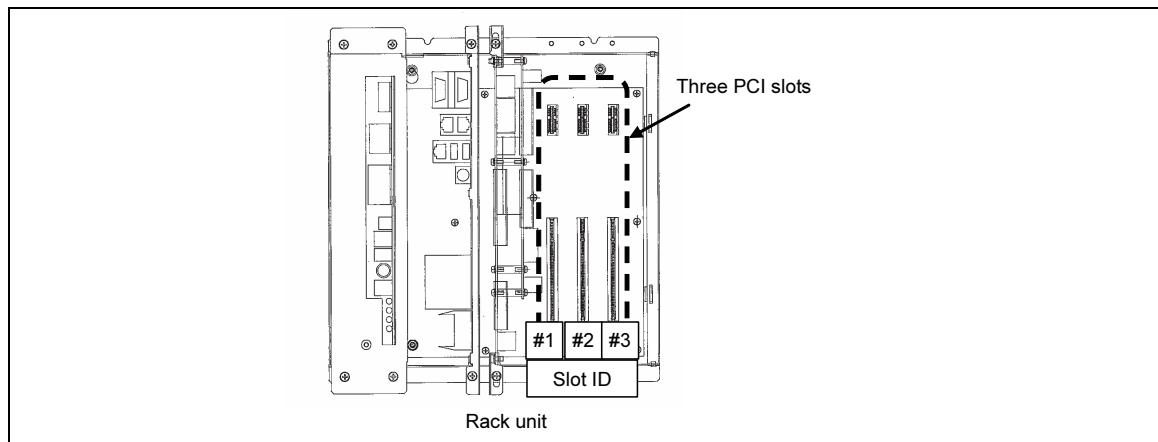


Fig. 1.2.2 PCI slots

### 1.2.4 Hardware settings

The EtherNet/IP function is performed using HMS EtherNet/IP module ("Anybus-S Ethernet module" or "Anybus-M Ethernet scanner module" (HMS Industrial Networks)) that is mounted on field bus base board. Up to two modules can be mounted on field bus base board.

It's unnecessary to change the dip switches on field bus base board and HMS EtherNet/IP module.

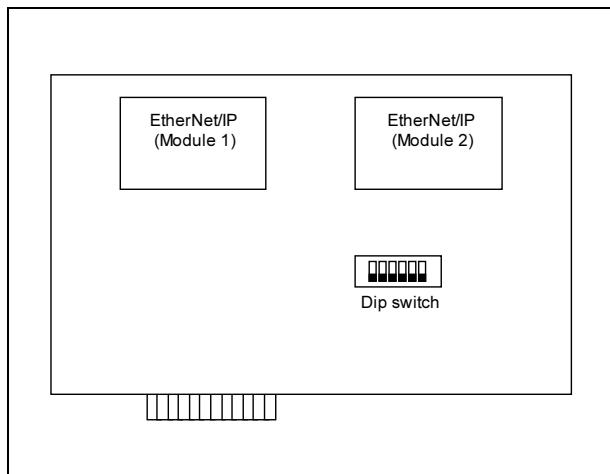


Fig. 1.2.3 Appearance of field bus base board

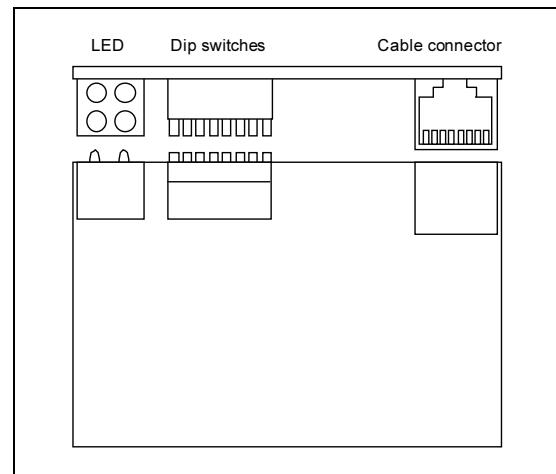


Fig. 1.2.4 Appearance of HMS EtherNet/IP module

### 1.2.5 EtherNet/IP network

Use category 5 or higher Ethernet cable for the EtherNet/IP network. In addition, make sure that the length of Ethernet cable as measured from switches to this controller does not exceed 100 m.

In order to maintain normal communication status, be sure to use a switch having the functions given below for the switch to be used as the accumulation point for the EtherNet network.

- Equipped with an L2 switch for preventing signal collision
- Capable of 100 Mbps communications
- Supports full duplex communications

If the network is large and traffic is high, be sure to configure the network using switches equipped with Quality of Service (QOS) and Virtual Local Area Network (VLAN) functions so that delays in I/O transfer do not occur.

# Chapter 2 Needed Parts

## 2.1 Needed Parts

Optional hardware is required to use the EtherNet/IP.

Table 2.1.1 Optional hardware required for EtherNet/IP

Part name	Product number
EtherNet/IP board (Field bus base board + HMS EtherNet/IP module)	Single scanner specification
	Single adapter specification
	Scanner + Adapter
	Dual adapter specification
	Dual scanner specification

Product numbers are as follows if you want to purchase the field bus base board and the HMS EtherNet/IP module separately.

Table 2.1.2 Product numbers of each part

Part name	Product number
Field bus base board	UM236-10
HMS EtherNet/IP scanner module	AB5057-B
HMS EtherNet/IP adapter module	AB4173-B

The following configuration tool (prepared by the user) is necessary to use the scanner function.

- RsNetworx for EtherNet/IP (from Rockwell)

NOTE

# Chapter 3 Signal allocation

## 3.1 Field bus I/O signals

The I/O signals of the field bus differ depending on whether PLC is enabled or disabled. In addition, the I/O points to which signals are assigned is determined based on the field bus channel number to be used.

### 3.1.1 When software PLC is enabled

When software PLC is enabled, signals are assigned to field bus relay inputs (X1000 ~ X3047) and outputs (Y1000 ~ Y3047).

Table 3.1.1 I/O assignments when software PLC is enabled

Channel number	Input	Output	Number of points
Channel 1	X1000 ~ X1511	Y1000 ~ Y1511	512 pts (64 bytes)
Channel 2	X1512 ~ X2023	Y1512 ~ Y2023	512 pts (64 bytes)
Channel 3	X2024 ~ X2535	Y2024 ~ Y2535	512 pts (64 bytes)
Channel 4	X2536 ~ X3047	Y2536 ~ Y3047	512 pts (64 bytes)

Total: 2,048 pts

### 3.1.2 When software PLC is disabled

When software PLC is disabled, signals are assigned to the inputs (I161 ~ I2048) and outputs (O161 ~ O2048) of general-purpose I/O.

Table 3.1.2 I/O assignments when software PLC is disabled

Channel number	Input	Output	Number of points
Channel 1	I161 ~ I672	O161 ~ O672	512 pts (64 bytes)
Channel 2	I673 ~ I1184	O673 ~ O1184	512 pts (64 bytes)
Channel 3	I1185 ~ I1696	O1185 ~ O1696	512 pts (64 bytes)
Channel 4	I1697 ~ I2048	O1697 ~ O2048	352 pts (44 bytes)

Total: 1,888 pts

### 3.1.3 Assigning signals beyond the number of channels

The field bus can use up to four channels. If all four channels are not being used, it is possible to use the signal assignment region of channels not being used.

The description below gives an example in which software PLC is enabled. Signals can be assigned using a similar concept even if software PLC is disabled.

If only one channel is being used, all 2048 points can be used with just “Channel 1” by using “Channel 1”.

Table 3.1.3 I/O assignment when using only one channel

Channel number	Input	Output	Number of points
Channel 1			
Channel 2			
Channel 3			
Channel 4			

When using two channels, 1024 points can be used for each channel, by using “Channel 1” and “Channel 3”.

Table 3.1.4 I/O assignment when using only two channels

Channel number	Input	Output	Number of points
Channel 1			
Channel 2			
Channel 3			
Channel 4			

## 3.2 EtherNet/IP signal assignment

The assignment of signals is determined based on the channel numbers of the field bus being used.

If EtherNet/IP is used in this controller, I/O is simply assigned beginning from the signal position determined based on the channels being used. If the number of I/O bytes is smaller than the number of signals assigned to each channel, an unused assignment region results.

The description below gives an example in which the system is set to use “Channel 1” as the slave, with two bytes of input and three bytes of output.

Table 3.2.1 Example of slave signal assignment

Channel number	Input	Output	Remark
Channel 1	X1000 ~ X1015	Y1000 ~ Y1023	Usable assignment region
	X1016 ~ X1511	Y1024 ~ Y1511	Unused assignment region

# Chapter 4 Setting

## 4.1 Setting procedure

The basic flow of the setting procedure is given below.

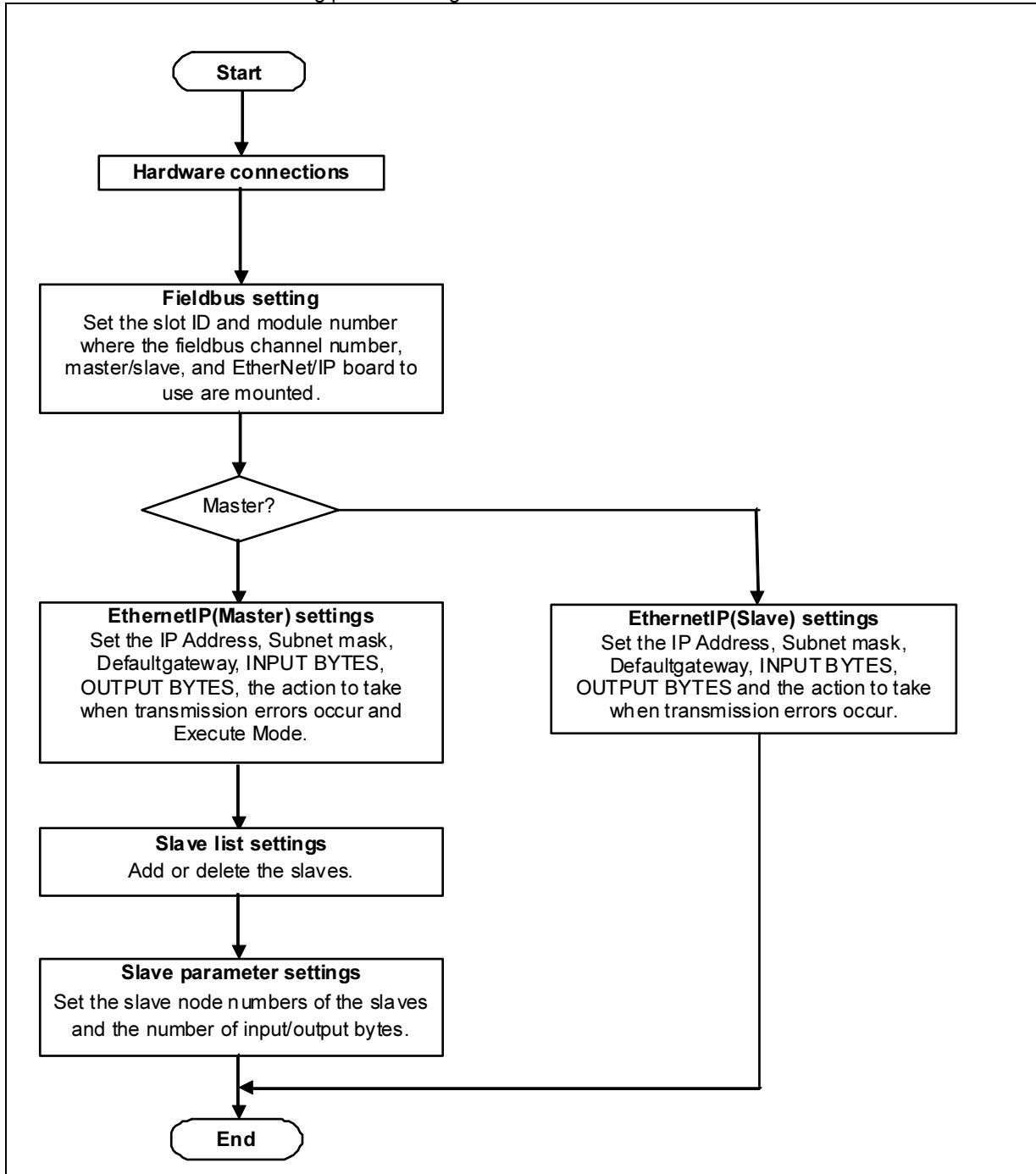


Fig. 4.1.1 Setting procedure flowchart

Hardware connections are carried out at time of factory shipment.

To set the scanlist, it is necessary to have the setting PC and RSNetWorx for EtherNet/IP (paid software) by Rockwell.

When software PLC is used for fieldbus I/O, PLC setting procedure is required separately. For details, refer to the instruction manual "Software PLC."



- In EtherNet/IP, the device called a “slave” on DeviceNet is called an “adapter”.  
("EtherNet/IP slave" in this controller means "EtherNet/IP adapter".)
- In EtherNet/IP, the device called a “master” on DeviceNet is called an “scanner”.  
("EtherNet/IP master" in this controller means "EtherNet/IP scanner").

## Setting example

The following figure shows the setting example of the configuration used in this chapter.

- Configuration of Robot controller  
Set master as module1 of base board. Set slave as module2 of base board.  
Connect them to setting PC via a hub.

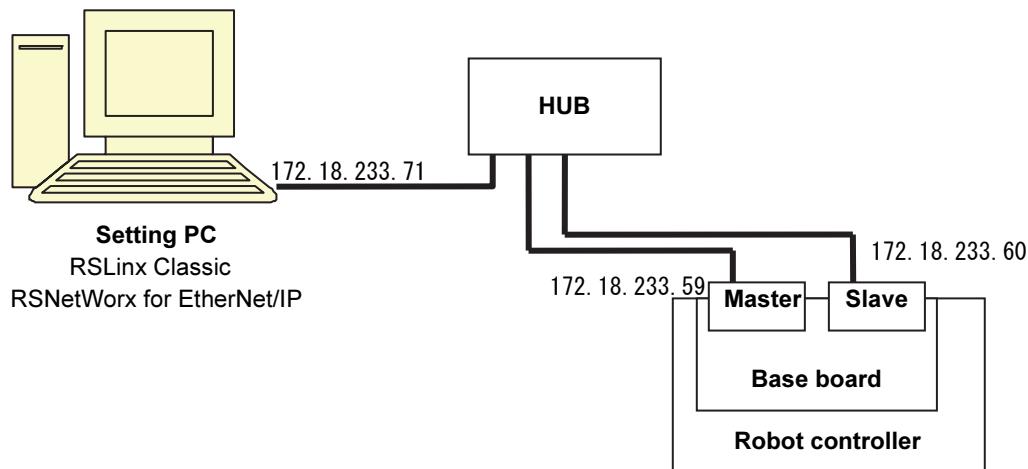


Fig. 4.1.2 Configuration example

- Setting of field bus  
CH1 AnyBusEtherNet/IP Mater module 1  
CH2 No use  
CH3 AnyBusEtherNet/IP Slave module 2  
CH4 No use
- Master detailed settings (CH1)  
IP address and so on are omitted.  
Input byte number 128  
Output byte number 128
- Slave detailed settings (CH3)  
IP address and so on are omitted.  
Input byte number 128  
Output byte number 128
- PC settings  
The IP address of the PC must belong to the identical network with the robot controller.

## 4.2 EtherNet/IP slave settings

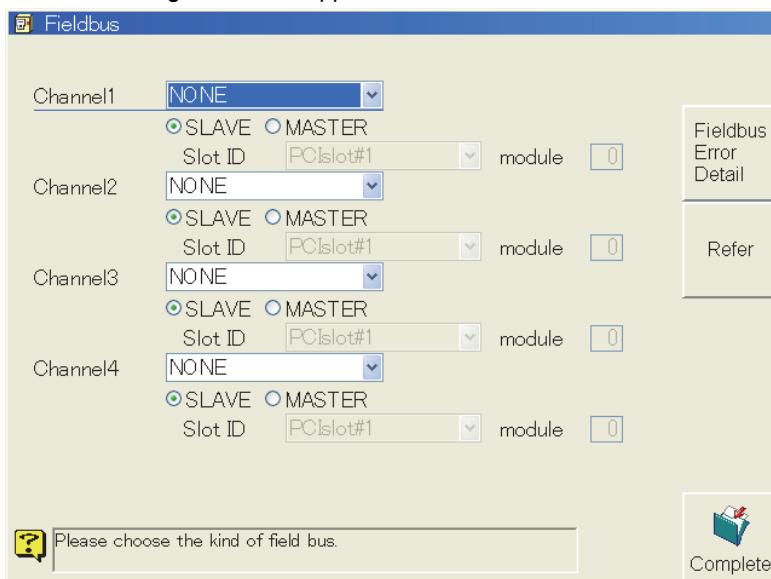
### 4.2.1 Fieldbus settings

#### Protocol settings



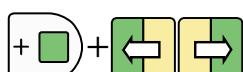
- 1 Open <Constant Settings> - [8 Communications] - [3 Fieldbus] screen.**

>> The following screen will appear.



- 2 Align the cursor with the combo box of the “Channel” in which EtherNet/IP is to be used, and press the [Enter] key.**

>> Select “AnyBusEtherNet/IP”, and press the [Enter] key.



- 3 Use the [Enable] + [Left] or [Right] cursor keys to switch to the radio buttons (a horizontal row of selector buttons), and select “SLAVE”.**

- 4 Align the cursor with the combo box of “Slot ID”, and press the [Enter].**

>> Select the Slot ID in which the field bus base board is installed, and press the [Enter].



The slot ID is required in order to specify the slot position where the EtherNet/IP board is installed. For the relationship between the slot position and the slot ID, refer to “1.2.3 Hardware Configuration”.

- 5 Input the module number in the edit box of “module”, and press the [Enter].**



“Module” is a number that specifies the position of the module on field bus base board. When “0” is set, the channel is disabled. For the position of the module, refer to “1.2.4 Hardware Setting”.

Now proceed to set the EtherNet/IP (slave).

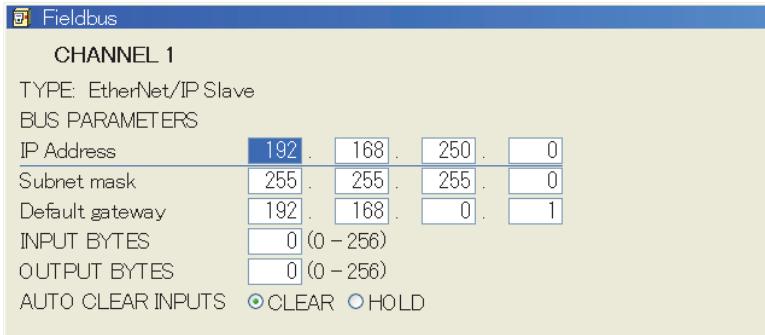
## 4.2.2 EtherNet/IP (slave) settings

### Channel settings

Refer

- 1** On the [3 Fieldbus] setting screen, align the cursor with the channel for which EtherNet/IP (slave) is selected, and press the f key <Refer>.

&gt;&gt; The following screen will appear.



- 2** Set each parameter.

Table 4.2.1 Parameter of [3 Fieldbus] setting screen (at the EtherNet/IP slave settings)

Parameter	Description of function
IP Address	Input the IP address for the corresponding node. It is used to identify the device on the network. Devices having the same node number cannot be set on the same network. The last number of the IP address must be other than "0".
Subnet mask	Input the subnet mask for the corresponding node. It is used to manage the network by splitting it into sub-networks. Set the same value for all devices on the same network.
Default gateway	Input the default gateway for the corresponding node. Sometimes this setting is not required in cases where there is no router on the network. Be sure to consult with your network administrator when making settings.
INPUT BYTES	Input the input bytes from the field bus base board. It is the size of data input to this controller. Eight signals can be sent/received in one byte.
OUTPUT BYTES	Input the output bytes to the field bus base board. It is the size of data output from this controller.
AUTO CLEAR INPUTS	Select the input signal status when a communication error has occurred. When the input signal statuses are to be cleared, "CLEAR" is selected. On the other hand, when to be held, "HOLD" is selected.



- 3** Upon completion of the settings, press the f key <OK>.

&gt;&gt; The display returns to [3 Fieldbus] setting screen.



- 4** On the [3 Fieldbus] setting screen, press the f key <Complete>

&gt;&gt; The setting is saved to the internal memory.



Be sure to use PLC Engine/EDS\_ABS\_EIP\_V\_1\_9.eds located in system memory for the EDS file required to set this controller for scanners being used.

For details on how to set scanners, see the operating manual for your scanner hardware.

The newest EDS file can be downloaded from the website of HMS Industrial Networks.

<http://www.anybus.com/>

## 4.3 EtherNet/IP master settings

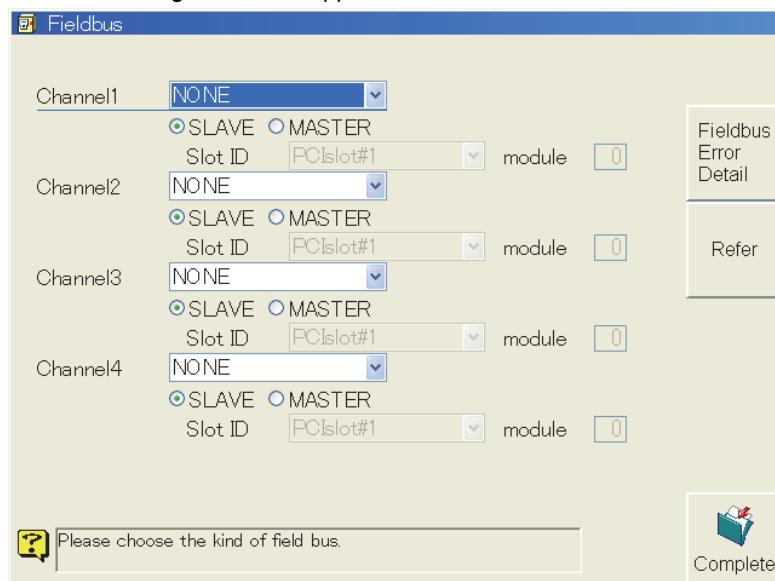
### 4.3.1 Fieldbus settings

#### Protocol settings



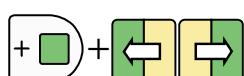
- 1 Open <Constant Setting> - [8 Communication] - [3 Fieldbus] screen.**

>> The following screen will appear.



- 2 Align the cursor with the combo box of the “Channel” in which EtherNet/IP is to be used, and press the [Enter].**

>> Select “AnyBusEtherNet/IP”, and press the [Enter].



- 3 Use the [Enable] + [Left] or [Right] cursor keys to switch to the radio buttons (a horizontal row of selector buttons), and select “MASTER”.**

- 4 Align the cursor with the combo box of “Slot ID”, and press the [Enter].**

>> Select the Slot ID in which the field bus base board is installed, and press the [Enter].



The slot ID is required in order to specify the slot position where the EtherNet/IP board is installed. For the relationship between the slot position and the slot ID, refer to “1.2.3 Hardware Configuration”.

- 5 Input the module number in the edit box of “module”, and press the [Enter].**



“Module” is a number that specifies the position of the module on field bus base board. When “0” is set, the channel is disabled. For the position of the module, refer to “1.2.4 Hardware Setting”.

Now proceed to set the EtherNet/IP (master).

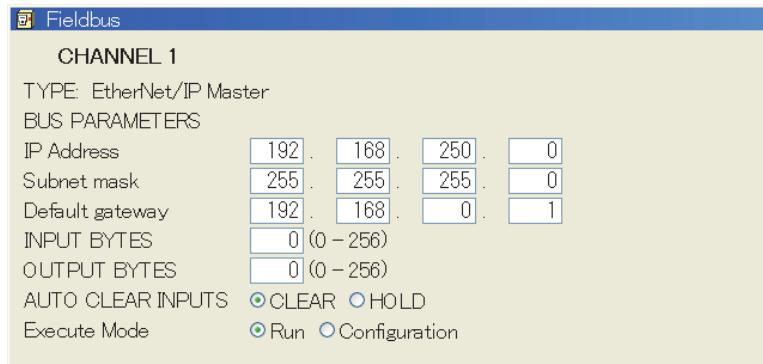
### 4.3.2 EtherNet/IP (Master) Settings

#### Channel Settings

Refer

- 1** On the [3 Fieldbus] setting screen, align the cursor with the channel for which EtherNet/IP (master) is selected, and press the f key <Refer>.

>> The following screen will appear.



- 2** Set each parameter.

Table 4.3.1 Parameter of [3 Fieldbus] setting screen (at the EtherNet/IP master settings)

Parameter	Description of function
IP Address	Input the IP address for the corresponding node. It is used to identify the device on the network. Devices having the same node number cannot be set on the same network. The last number of the IP address must be other than "0".
Subnet mask	Input the subnet mask for the corresponding node. It is used to manage the network by splitting it into sub-networks. Set the same value for all devices on the same network.
Default gateway	Input the default gateway IP address for the corresponding node. Sometimes this setting is not required in cases where there is no router on the network. Be sure to consult with your network administrator when making settings.
INPUT BYTES	Input the input bytes from the field bus base board. It is the size of data input to this controller. Eight signals can be sent/received in one byte.
OUTPUT BYTES	Input the output bytes to the field bus base board. It is the size of data output from this controller.
AUTO CLEAR INPUTS	Select the input signal status when a communication error has occurred. When the input signal statuses are to be cleared, "CLEAR" is selected. On the other hand, when to be held, "HOLD" is selected.
Execute Mode	Select whether to do the scan list setting. When the scanning list is set, "Configuration" is selected. Besides, "Run" is selected. (Refer to "4.3.3 Setting of scan list" for details.)



- 3** Upon completion of the settings, press the f key <OK>.

>> The display now returns to [3 Fieldbus] setting screen.



- 4** On the [3 Fieldbus] setting screen, press the f key <Complete>

>> The setting is saved to the internal memory.

Now continue to the setting of scan list.

### 4.3.3 Setting of scan list

The following tools are necessary to set the scan list.

- Configuration tool: RsNetworx for EtherNet/IP (from Rockwell)
- Personal computer

When the scan list is set, the personal computer is connected with the same network as the EtherNet/IP scanner of this controller.

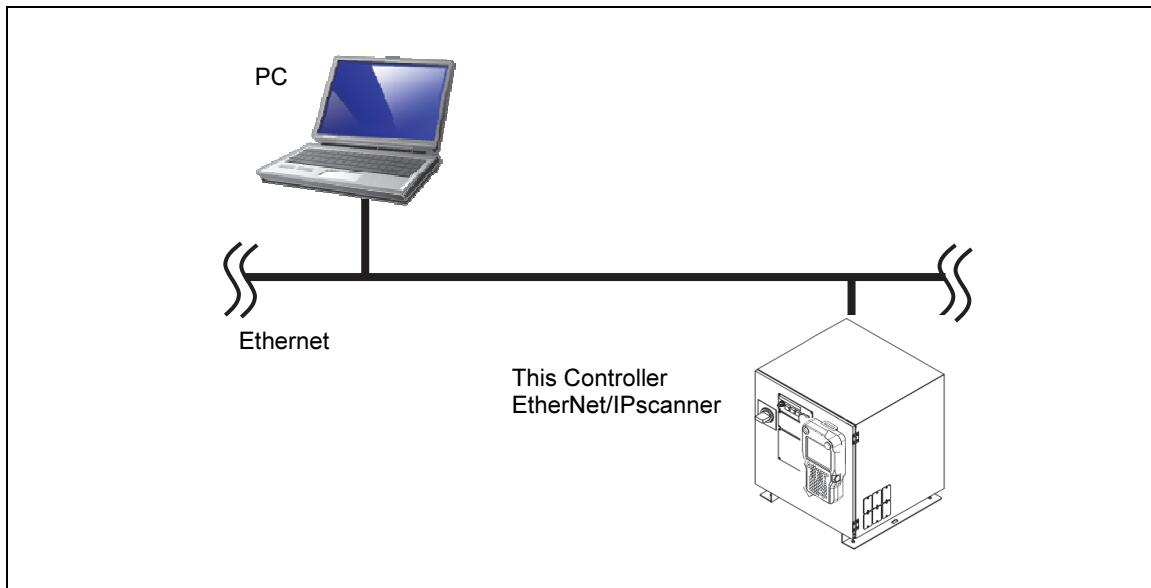


Fig. 4.3.1 EtherNet/IP Network Diagram

## Setting of EtherNet/IP driver

To use "RsNetworx for EtherNet/IP", the driver is set by using "RSLinx Classic Lite" ("RsNetworx for EtherNet/IP" attachment tool)".

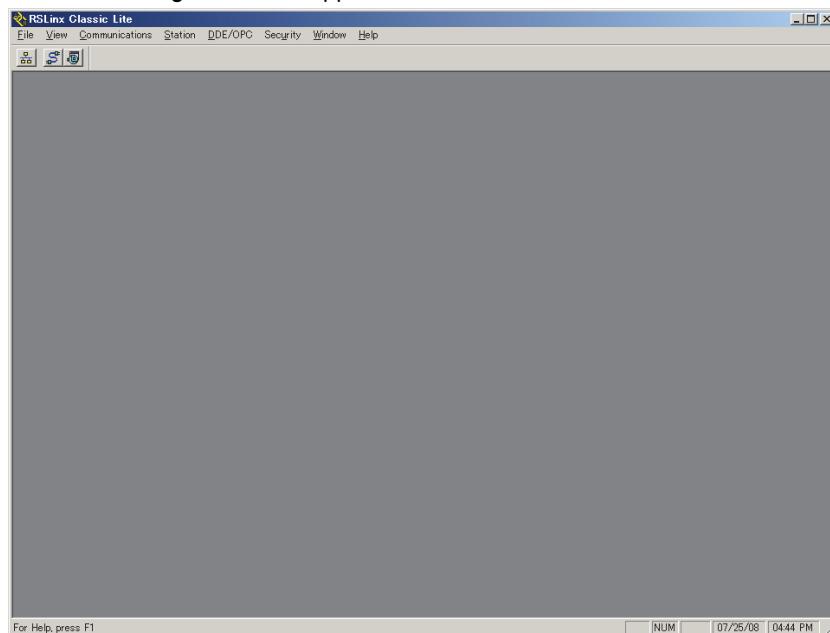
After setting the driver, the connection from the personal computer to the EtherNet/IP network becomes possible.

- 1 Set "Execute Mode" to "Configuration", referring to "4.3.2 EtherNet/IP (Master) Settings".**

The following operations should be done with the personal computer.

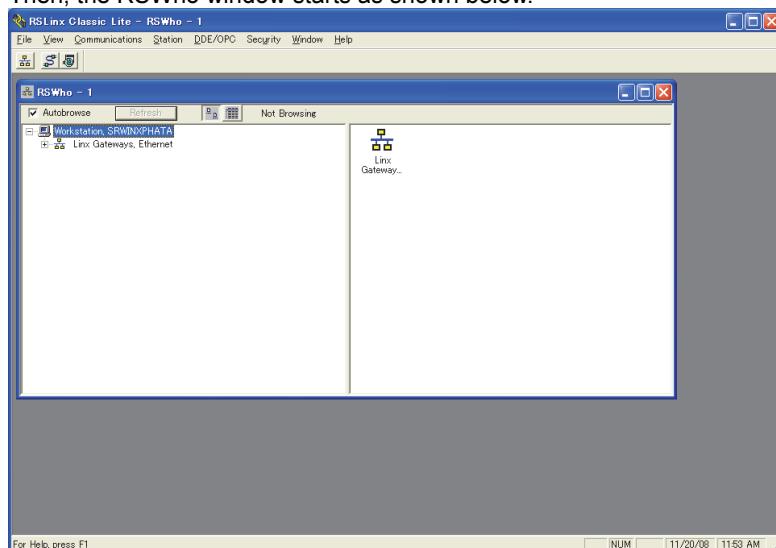
- 2 "RSLinx Classic Lite" is started with a personal computer.**

>> The following screen will appear.

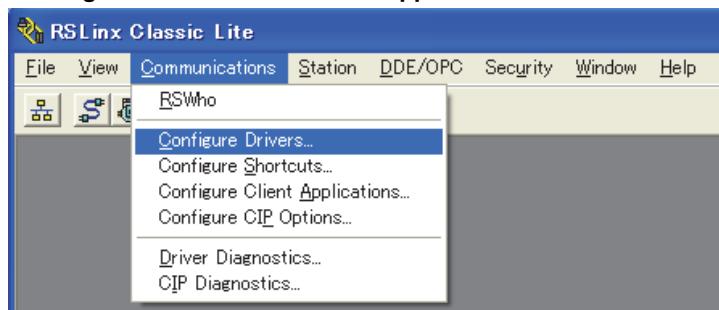


- 3 Select "Communications->RSWho" in the Menu, or click the icon "RSWho" on the upper left of the screen.**

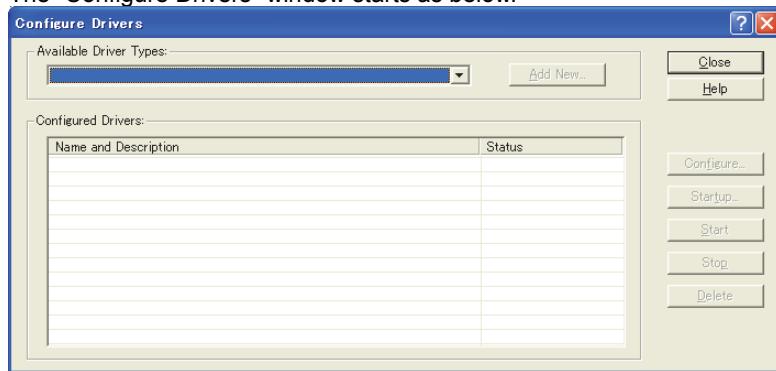
Then, the RSWho window starts as shown below.



- 4** Select "Configure Drivers..." in the "Communications" menu, or click the icon "Configure Drivers"  on the upper left of the screen.



The "Configure Drivers" window starts as below.



- 5** Select "EtherNet/IP Driver" in "Available Driver Types", and then press the "Add New..." button.



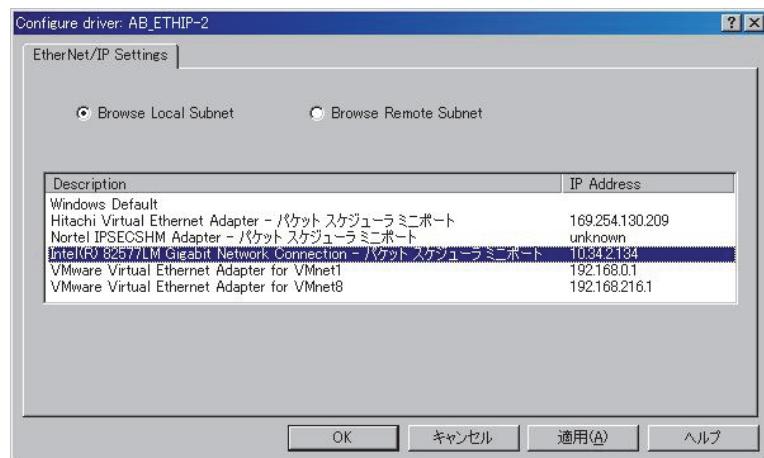
The window to input the name corresponding to the Driver Type starts as shown below. Input an arbitrary name, and press OK button.

Since a long-spelling name may cause a Path error (the maximum is 15 one-byte characters) depending on the environment by the setting of RSNetWorx, it is recommended to name it as short as possible.



Next, select a suitable network in the EtherNet/IP Settings, and then press "OK" button.

- 6 Select the “Browse Local Subnet” and then select 1 port from the list of ports connected to the Ethernet/IP scanner and then press [OK].



(This list is just an example)

The IP address must be set so that its network is the same with that of the robot controller. (This screen cannot be used to set the IP address).

**POINT**

Make sure that the network selected on this screen is always connected to the EtherNet/IP (master) channel on the robot controller side appropriately beforehand.

In particular;

(1) Connect the setting PC and the EtherNet/IP board mounted on the robot controller side on its master channel side by the Ethernet cable.

(2) Use the setting PC to check the network connection with the "ping" command.

1. Open the command prompt screen of MS-DOS.

2. Check the connection with the IP address configured on the EtherNet/IP (master) channel on the robot controller side.

The following is an example when the master IP address is 172.18.233.59.

```
>ping 172.18.233.59
```

**【Connected】**

Pinging 172.18.233.59 with 32 bytes of data:

```
Reply from 172.18.233.59: bytes=32 time<1ms TTL=128
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Reply from 172.18.233.59: bytes=32 time<1ms TTL=128
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Reply from 172.18.233.59: bytes=32 time<1ms TTL=128
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Reply from 172.18.233.59: bytes=32 time=1ms TTL=128
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Ping statistics for 172.18.233.59:

Packets: Sent = 4, Received = 4, Lost = 0 (0% loss),

Approximate round trip times in milli-seconds:

Minimum = 0ms, Maximum = 1ms, Average = 0ms

**【Not connected】**

Pinging 172.18.233.59 with 32 bytes of data:

Request timed out.

Request timed out.

Request timed out.

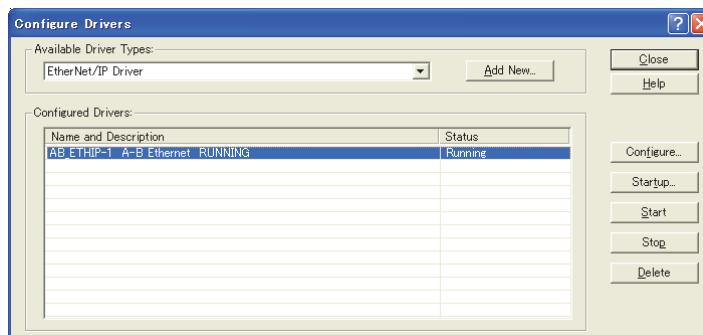
Request timed out.

Ping statistics for 172.18.233.59:

Packets: Sent = 4, Received = 0, Lost = 4 (100% loss),

**7 On completion of the setting of 5, press “Close”.**

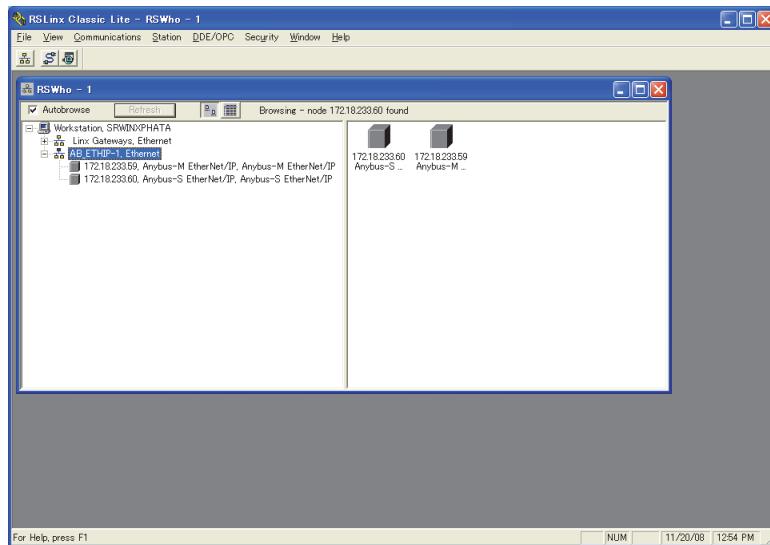
As shown below, the item corresponding to the added Driver is the Status: Running.



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**7 Finish the setting of RSLinx Classic.**

As shown below, all the masters and slaves of the EtherNet/IP network appear. The displayed icon may be indicated as '??' if EDS files corresponding to the module have not been added by RSNetWorx. However, the icon will change from '??' to be displayed after setting as shown below.



Thus, the network setting in RSLinx Classic completes.

## Setting of scan list

Next, the scanlist is set.

Before this setting, turn on the power supply of this controller, and set the fieldbus, referring to "4.3.1 Fieldbus settings".

The description below gives an example in which "Anybus-S EtherNet/IP" communicates with "Anybus-M EtherNet/IP" by the one to one.

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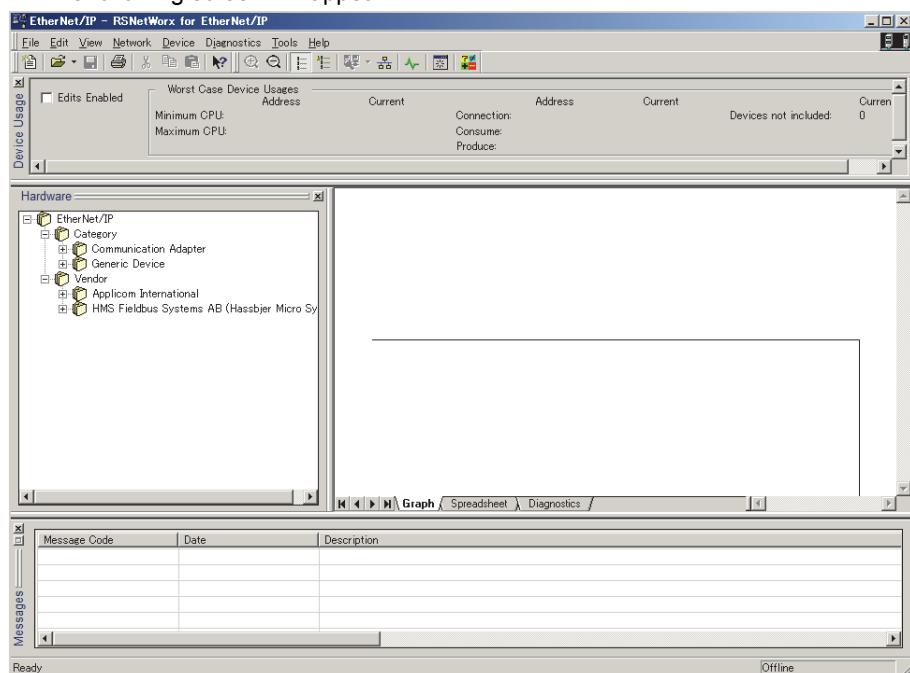
**1 Set "Execute Mode" to "Configuration", referring to "4.3.2 EtherNet/IP (Master) Settings".**

The following operations should be done with the personal computer.

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**2 "RsNetWorx for EtherNet/IP" is started with a personal computer.**

>> The following screen will appear.

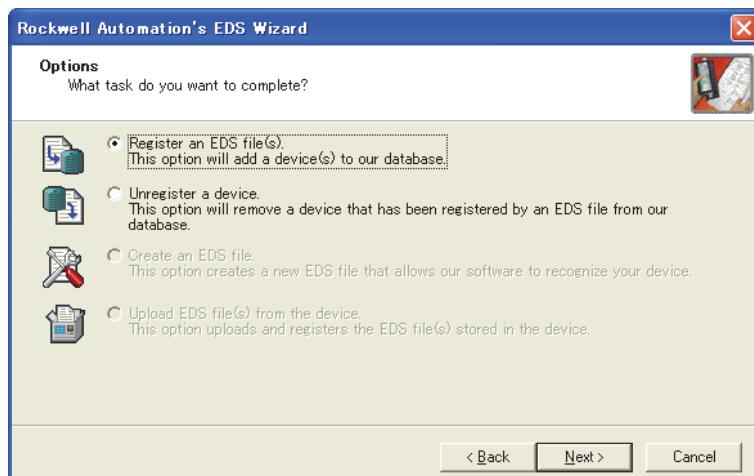



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**3 Go to the menu "Tools->EDS Wizard" and register the EDS files in "Anybus-M EtherNet/IP" and "Anybus-S EtherNet/IP".**

After starting up EDS Wizard, go to "Next" on the first screen.

On the Options select screen, choose "Register an EDS file(s)" and go to "Next".



- 4 Select “Register a single file” on the Registration screen, and press “Browse” to set the path where the EDS file is stored.



Where there are two or more EDS files and they are stored in the same folder at the same time, select “Register a directory of EDS files” and press “Browse” to set the path where the EDS file is stored.



On the EDS File Installation Test Results screen, press “Next”.

**POINT**

Store the EDS files beforehand in an arbitrary folder in the PC local drive (as the path is to be registered in the registry, unexpected troubles may be caused if referring through the network.)

**POINT**

About the EDS file to be used:  
 EDS files are stored in the system CF folder “PLC Engine” of the robot controller.  
 For master : EDS\_ABM\_EIP\_V\_1\_4.eds  
 For slave : EDS\_ABS\_EIP\_V\_1\_9.eds  
 The newest EDS file can be downloaded from the website of HMS Industrial Networks.  
<http://www.anybus.com/>

- 5** It is available to change the icon on the Change Graphic Image screen. As the change of icon does not affect the robot performance, configure the setting as you choose. On completion of setting, press "Next".

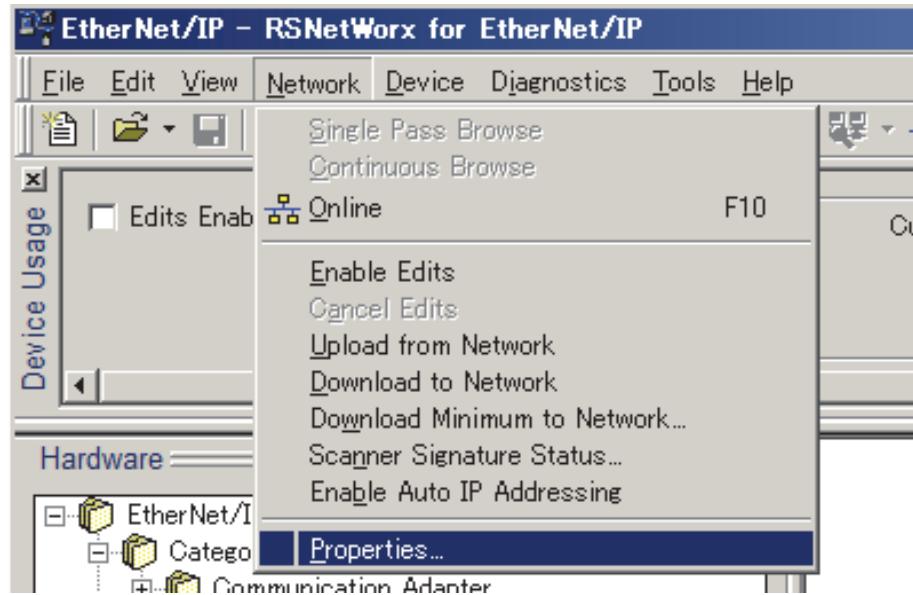
**Click "Change icon..." with "Anybus-M EtherNet/IP" selected from Product Types, the list of the icon is displayed. Select necessary icons, and click "Next" key.**



- 6** Keep clicking "Next" until the message "You have successfully completed the EDS Wizard." appears.  
On the screen "You have successfully completed the EDS Wizard.", click "Complete".  
» The EDS files are to be added in the list "Hardware" when properly read into.

- 7 Click “Properties...” of the “Network” menu.

>> Select the network driver.



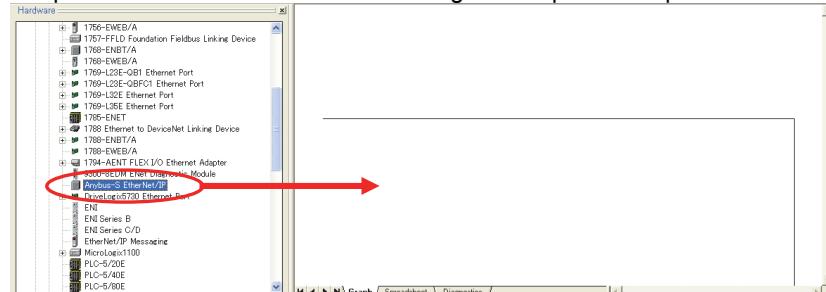
- 8 When "Set Online Path..." key is clicked, the selection screen on the network is displayed.

>> Select “EtherNet/IP Driver” set with “RsLinx”.

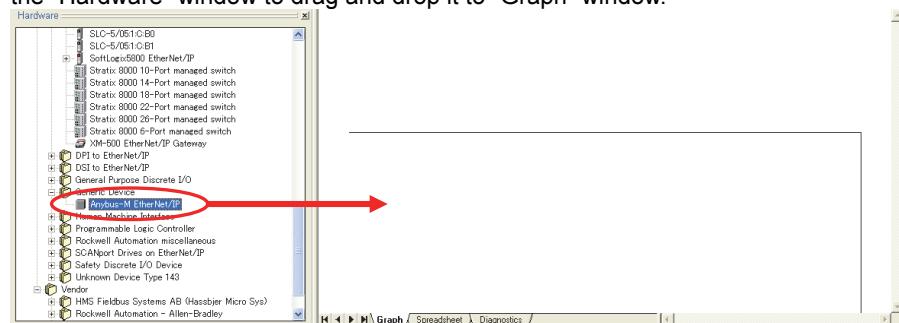


**9 On the “Hardware” window, drag and drop an appropriate node to the “Graph” window to register it.**

Select “Anybus-S EtherNet/IP” on the “EtherNet/IP->Category->Communication Adapter” of the “Hardware” window to drag and drop it to “Graph” window.



Select “Anybus-M EtherNet/IP” on the “EtherNet/IP->Category->Generic Device” of the “Hardware” window to drag and drop it to “Graph” window.

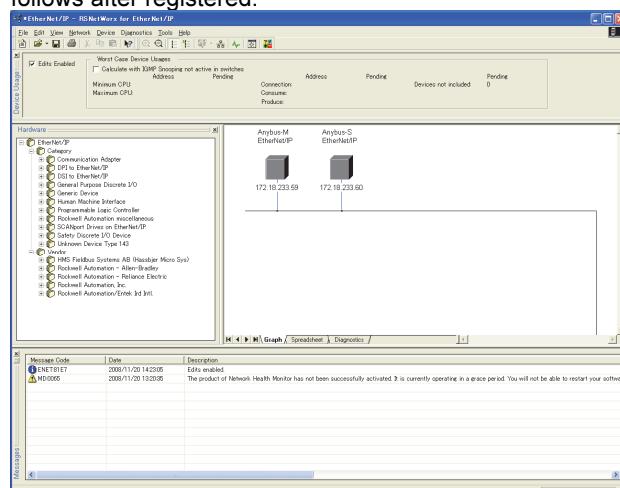


As the following window starts up when dragging and dropping the node, set the appropriate IP address in “IP Address”. (For the IP address, set the number according to the IP address configured by the robot controller beforehand.)

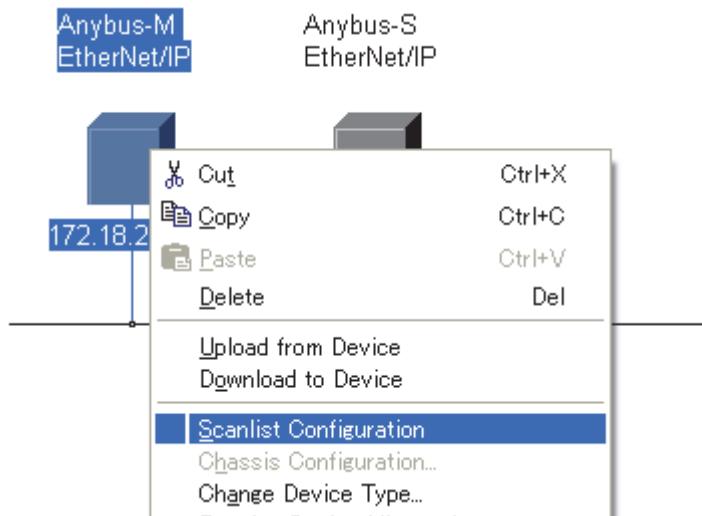


As shown below, register all the necessary nodes.

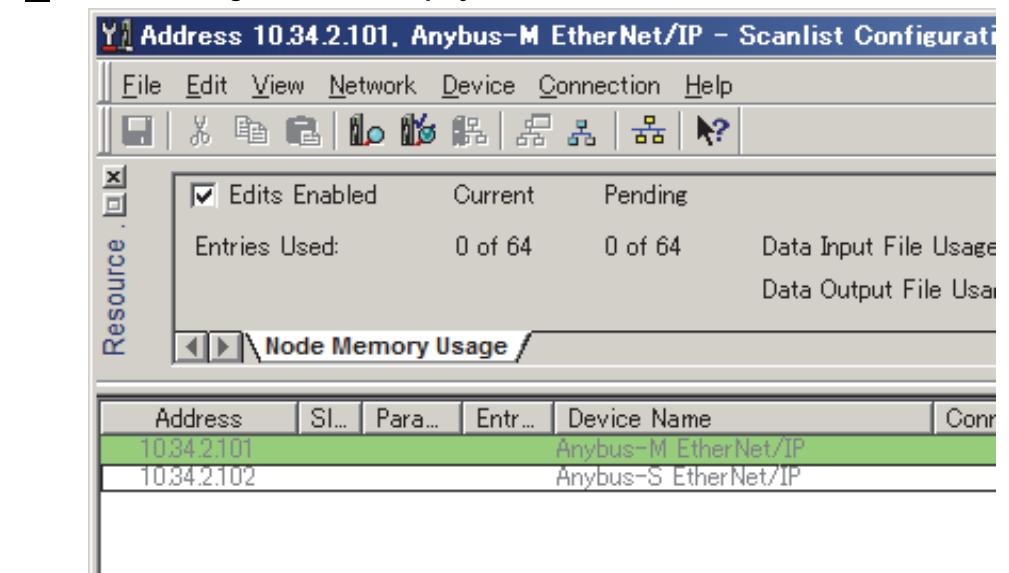
The following examples show the configuration of master 1 and slave 1, appeared as follows after registered.



- 10 Select the master (Anybus-M EtherNet/IP) on the “Graph” window, right-click to display the menu, and then click “Scanlist Configuration”.



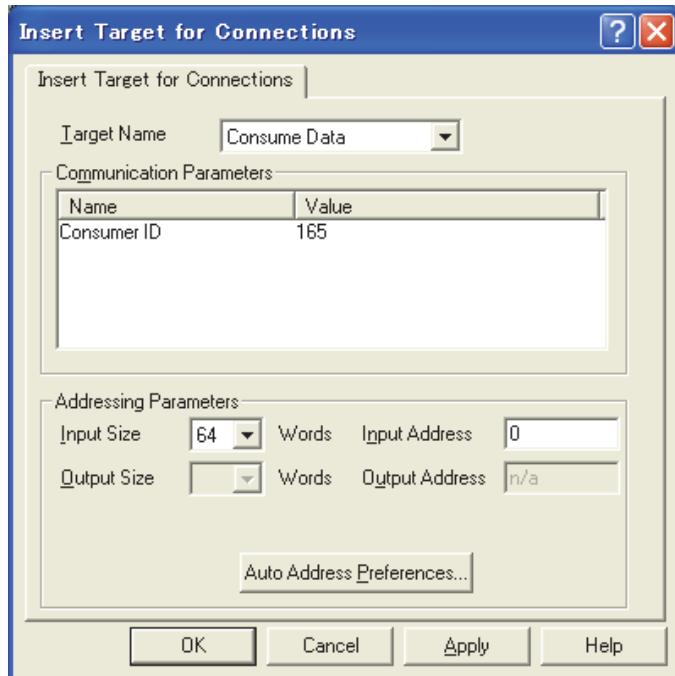
- 11 The following screens are displayed.



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**12 Double-click the master in the list, and set the input byte count.**

Select “Consume Data” in the “Target Name”, set the input byte count (2-byte words) in the “Input Size”, and then set the IP address in the “Input Address”.

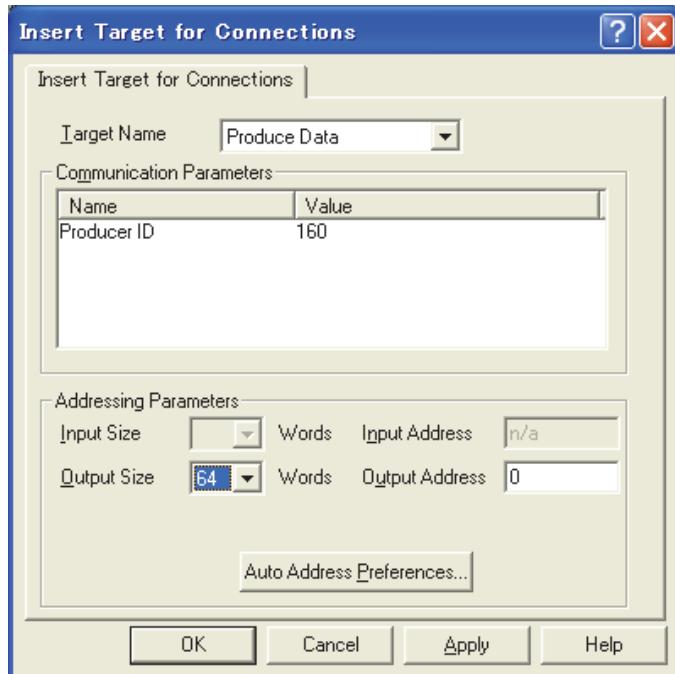


Set I/O etc., and click the “OK” key at the end.

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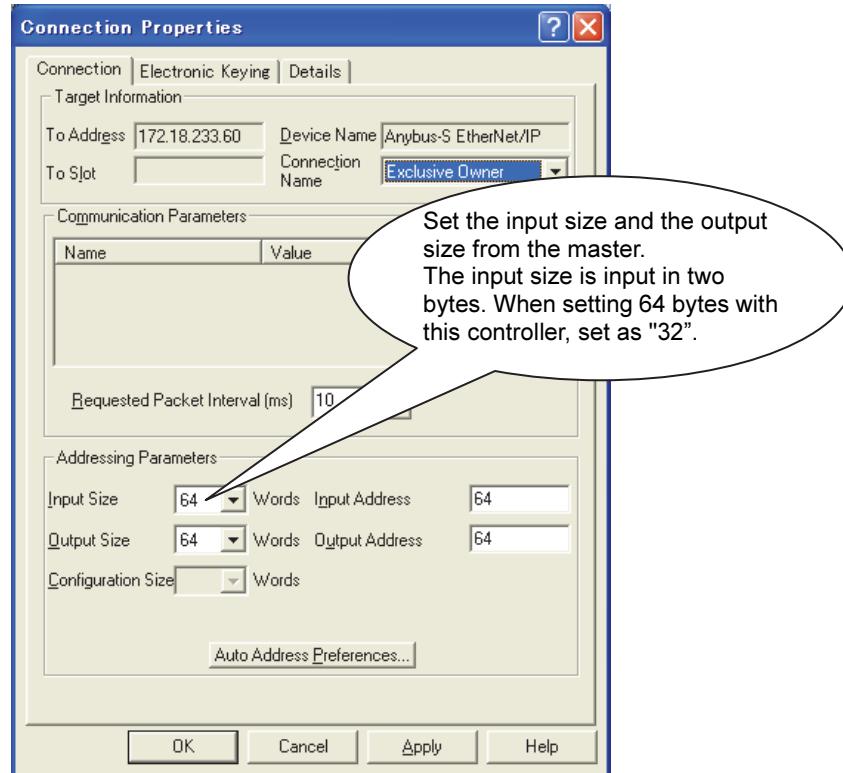
**13 Double-click the master in the list, and set the output byte count.**

Select “Produce Data” in the “Target Name”, set the output byte count (2-byte words) in the “Output Size”, and then set the output address in the “Output Address”.

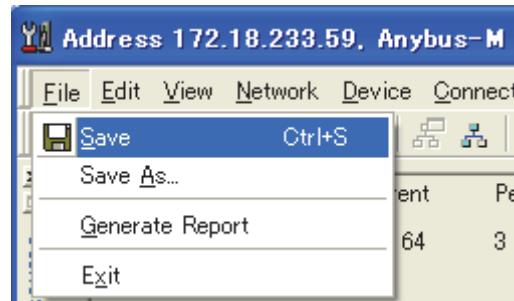


**14 Double-click the slave in the list, and set the input/output byte count.**

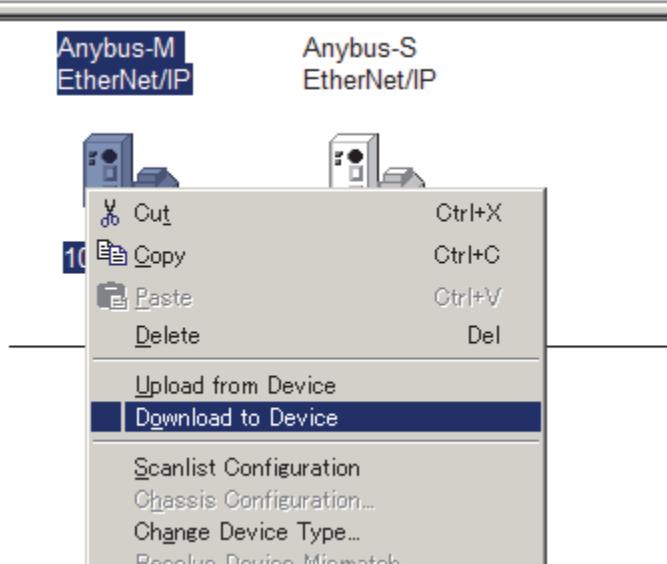
Select “Exclusive Owner” in the “Connection Name”, set the input/output byte count (2-byte words) in the “Input Size” and “Output Size”, and then set the input/output address in the “Input Address” and “Output Address”.

**15 Click “Save” of the “File” menu.**

>> Save the list.



- 16 Right-click in the icon of master, and click "Download to Device".**  
 >> The setting for "Scanlist Configuration" is to be downloaded into the master module.  
 Wait until the progress bar moves up to the right, and the dialog disappears.



Thus, the setting for Scanlist by the RSNetWorx for EtherNet/IP is completed.  
 The following operation should be done with the teach pendant of this controller.

- 17 Set "Execute Mode" to "Run", referring to "4.3.2 EtherNet/IP (Master) Settings".**

**POINT**

When the setting is properly done, and "Execute Mode" of master has been set to "Run", the EIP MASTER and EIP SLAVE become "Device began scanned" on the fieldbus monitor.

## 4.4 Change of the Network Environment

To reconstruct the network environment by changing the IP address of master or slave, another operation different from the initial setting operation is necessary.

Note that this operation can be completed by resetting on the robot controller side if not changing the IP address.

### 4.4.1 Resetting of the fieldbus and EtherNet/IP (master and slave)

Change “4.2.1 Fieldbus settings”, “4.3.2 EtherNet/IP (Master) Settings” and “4.2.2 EtherNet/IP (slave) settings” if needed. For detailed operation, refer to each chapter.

#### Resetting on the robot controller side



**1 Select <Constant Setting> - [8 Communication].**

**2 Select [3 Fieldbus].**

If any change has been made, make a setting.

>>Refer to “4.2.1 Fieldbus settings”.

**3 Select the channel to change, and press <Refer> button.**

Change the appropriate items of the master and slave.

If the IP address has been changed, set "Execute Mode" of master to "Configuration".

>> Refer to “4.3.2 EtherNet/IP (Master) Settings”.

>> Refer to “4.2.2 EtherNet/IP (slave) settings”.

**4 Press <Complete> on the fieldbus setting screen.**

If the IP address has been changed, continue to make a resetting of Scanlist.

If the IP address has not been changed, resetting operation is now completed.

## 4.4.2 Resetting of Scanlist

If changing the IP address in “4.4.1 Resetting of the fieldbus and EtherNet/IP (master and slave)”, it is necessary to make a resetting of network.

### Resetting of network by RSLinx Classic

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**1 Set “Execute Mode” for EtherNet/IP (master) to “Configuration” and write in the fieldbus setting to initialize the module.**

It is necessary to detect all the masters and slaves in the network by RSLinx Classic. To do this, the robot controller to be used in the Ethernet IP network has to be done with resetting of the master (“Execute Mode” : Setting) and slave first, and started up connected to the Ethernet/IP network.

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**2 Connect the setting PC to the hub in the EtherNet/IP network.**

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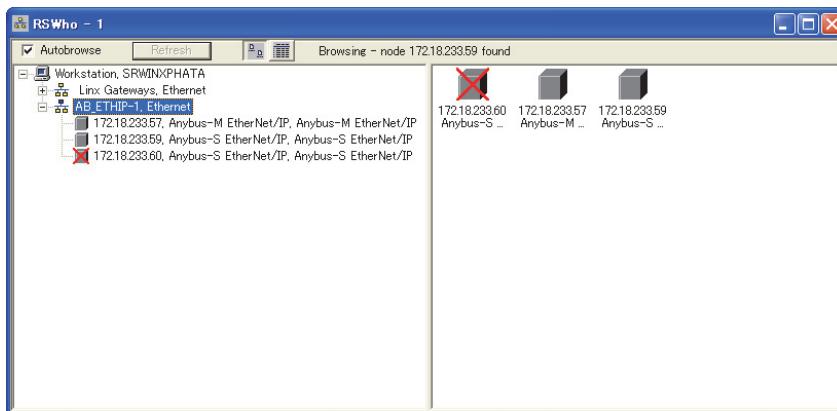
**3 Start up RSLinx Classic using the setting PC.**

- 4** Click “Communications->RSWho” in the menu, or the icon “RSWho”  on the upper left of the screen.

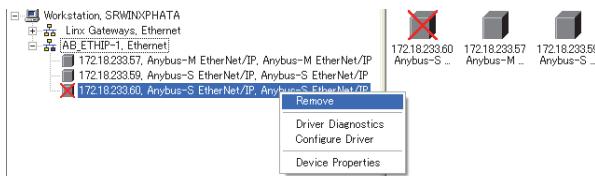
When the RSWho window starts up, the node already changed appears as the “EtherNet/IP Driver” has been set by “Configure Drivers”. At this time, remove the display of node indicated by a “x” sign. Select a target node and right-click to press “Remove”. Although it depends on the details of resetting for the network configuration, there may be no node with “x” sign even if changing the IP address.

<Example of change>

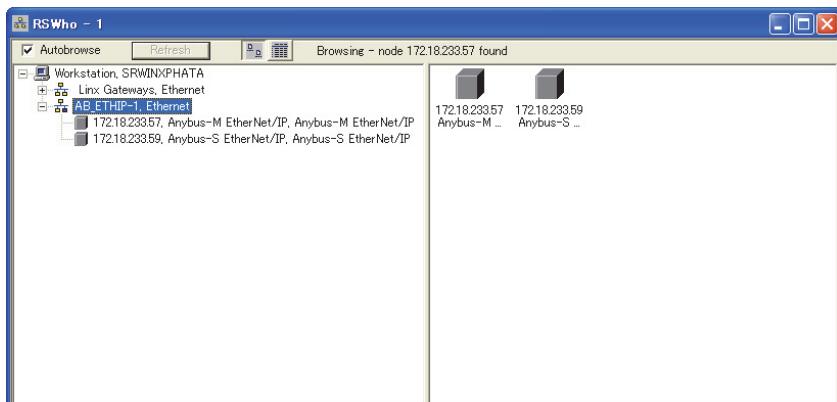
Master : Change from 172.18.233.59 → 172.18.233.57  
Slave : Change from 172.18.233.60 → 172.18.233.59



- (1) The setting on the robot controller side is completed, and RSLinx is started up.



- (2) Remove the node indicated by a “x” sign. Select “YES” on the dialog appeared.



- (3) Status when the change is completed.

- 5** Finish the setting for RSLinx Classic.

Make sure that all the nodes are valid, and then finish the RSLinx Classic.

Thus, the resetting of the network by RSLinx Classic is completed.  
Continue to make a resetting of the Scanlist by RSNetWorx for EtherNet/IP.

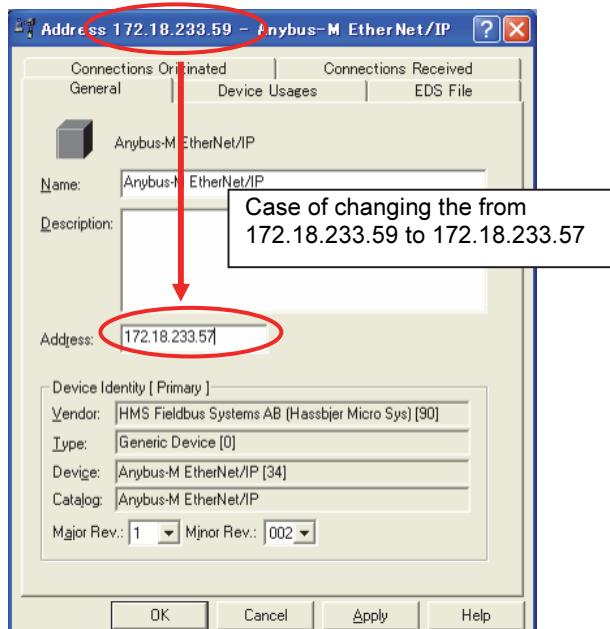
## Resetting of the Scanlist by RSNetWorx for EtherNet/IP

### 1 Use the setting PC to start up RSNetWorx for EtherNet/IP.

### 2 Change the node of which IP address has been modified on the “Graph”, remove unnecessary nodes if needed, and add the appropriate node if necessary by dragging and dropping from the Hardware.

<Changing the node>

When the number of nodes for the master and slave remains the same or comparable situations, change only the IP address of the existing node. First select a target node on the “Graph”, and right-click to press “Properties”. Change the IP address in the “General” tab: Address to the value you desire.



※ When the dialog appears, select “YES”. (The dialog does not always appear.)

<Removing the node>

To remove the slave, select the target node to remove on the “Graph” and right-click to press “Delete”. While to remove the master, it is necessary to remove all the related slave nodes.

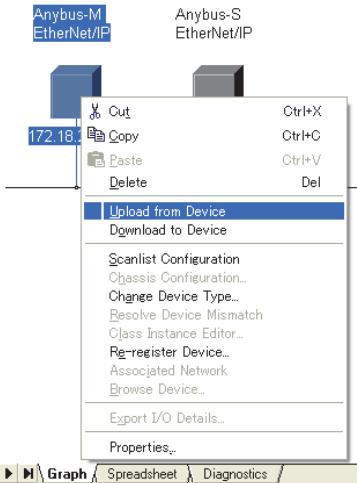
<Adding the node>

For more nodes of the master and slave, drag and drop the appropriate ones from the Hardware.

Set all the nodes to the value modified by the robot controller.

**3 Select “master” on the Graph, and right-click to press “Upload from Device”.**

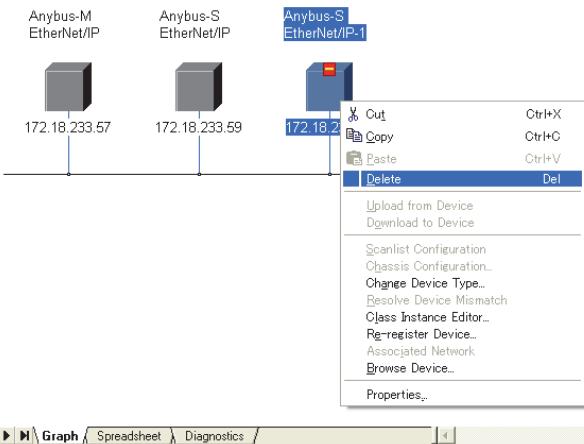
Upload the IP address to change from the device, and apply it. This operation is available only by the master. Even if it is not required to change the IP address of master but slave only, the same operation is needed.

**4 Press the menu “Network->Upload from Network”.**

The network reset by RSLinx is read into.

If changing/removing/adding of the node has been properly done, the State shows all OK.

In the case where the nodes not in connection appear depending on the details of the change of IP address, delete them as long as you consider unnecessary according to their setting details (IP address).



※If the node not in connection is unnecessary, select the target one and right-click to press “Delete”.

When the state of the necessary node shows “Missing” or “Mismatch”, or another kind of error appears, the setting details should have been a problem. In that case, review the network connection status between the robot controller and the setting details of each node.

**5 Select the master (Anybus-M EtherNet/IP) on the “Graph” window, and right-click to display the menu to press “Scanlist Configuration”.**

Start up the “Scanlist Configuration” window, and make a resetting as needed.

**6 Save the setting to complete “Scanlist Configuration”.**

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**7 Press the menu “Network->Download to Network”.**

Download the detail of resetting to the network, and apply it.

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**8 Right-click the master, and press “Download to Device”.**

Download the details of resetting of the “Scanlist Configuration” to the master module.

Thus, resetting of the Scanlist by RSNetWorx for EtherNet/IP is completed. Setting the "Execute Mode" of the master of the robot controller to "Run", EtherNet/IP communication is going to be active.

If resetting operation is properly done with the "Execute Mode" of the master set to "Run", the fieldbus monitor shows the EIP MASTER and EIP SLAVE specified as "Device began scanned".

## 4.5 Fieldbus Channel Monitor

"Fieldbus Channel Monitor" can confirm the state of the fieldbus.  
When the communication is normal, the monitor is shown below.

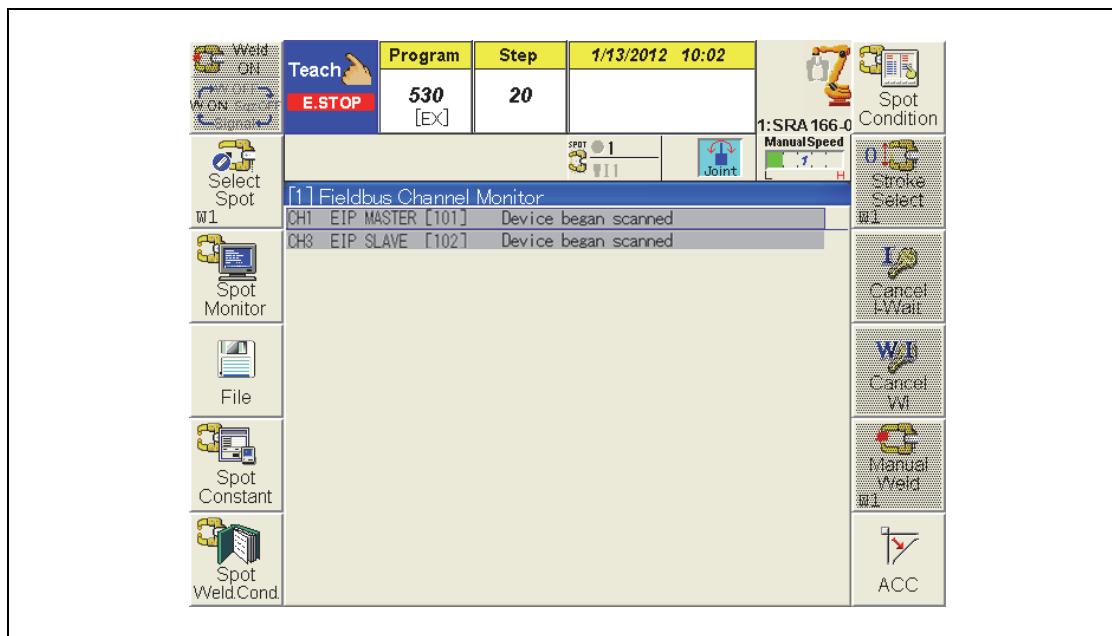


Fig. 4.5.1 Fieldbus Channel Monitor

When a communication error occurs by the slave, it is displayed as "Error allocating Master/Slave connection set". In EtherNet/IP, the slave that occurs a communication error is not displayed unlike other fieldbuses. Use the external diagnosis tool such as "RSNetWorxMD Diagnostics" for the slave's situation confirmation.

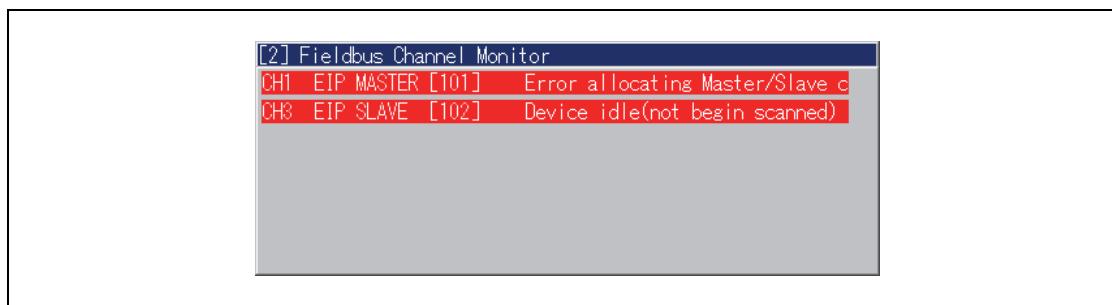


Fig. 4.5.2 Fieldbus Channel Monitor (When abnormality occurs by the slave)

When a communication error occurs by the master, the monitor is shown in Fig. 4.5.3.

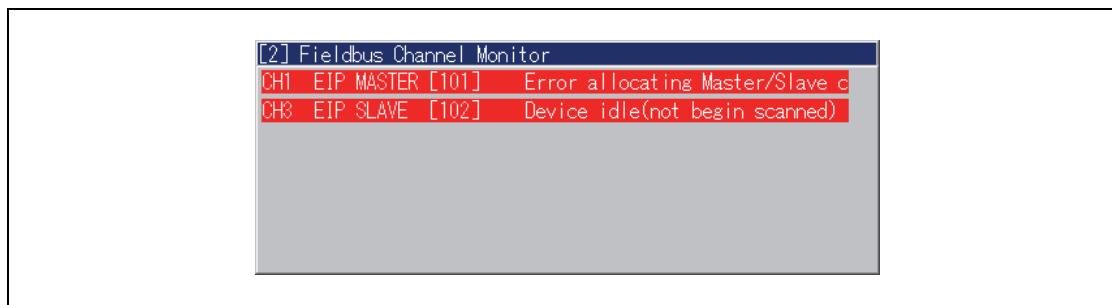


Fig. 4.5.3 Fieldbus Channel Monitor (When abnormality occurs by the master)

## 4.6 Output signal “Fieldbus acting correctly”

Output signal (signal name s “Fieldbus act.”) is prepared to confirm that robot controller is communicating correctly with external device in EtherNet/IP system. This output signal turns to OFF when EtherNet/IP is disconnected.

Please utilize this output signal by referring to the procedure written below, if needed.

### How to assign “Fieldbus act.” Output signal



- 1 Open <Constant Settings>-[6 Signals]-[3 Output Signal Assignment] -[1 Standard Outputs].**

>> The following screen will appear.

Standard Outputs		1/13
Under stopping	U1	0
Program ended	U1	20
Emergency stopped		24
In playbk mode		0
In teach mode		25
Hi-spd teach mode		0
Step-set alarm		0
Interlock alarm	U1	0
Waiting unit num.	1	0 2 0 3 0 4 0
Wait I signal num.	U1	1 0 2 0 3 0 4 0 5 0 6 0 7 0 8 0 9 0 10 0 11 0 12 0 13 0 14 0 15 0 16 0
Over run		0
Program selected	U1	0
Ext.reset ackno.	U1	0

It is the signal outputted while a unit is stopping [0-2048]

- 2 Align the cursor with the “Fieldbus act.” edit box of the same number as the Ethernet/IP channel number. Then input the signal number and press [Enter] key.**

Vision monitor off	0			
Fieldbus act.	1	0	2 0 3 0 4 0	
TP EnableKey ON	0			



- 3 Press the f key <Complete>.**

## 4.7 Error check delay for EtherNet/IP

Due to the specification of EtherNet/IP device, it needs some time to wait for the establishment of EtherNet/IP communication, for example at the timing of power on or initializing sequence. In this case, robot controller may detect the error of "E960: Some or all I/O links are currently stopped". In order to avoid this error, it is possible to delay the error check timing.



When error check delay is used, it is possible to operate the robot before EtherNet/IP communication is established. If any operation such as start is attempted in this period, robot controller detects the error of "E960: Some or all I/O links are currently stopped" even before elapsing of the error check delay time.

### How to set the EtherNet/IP error check delay time



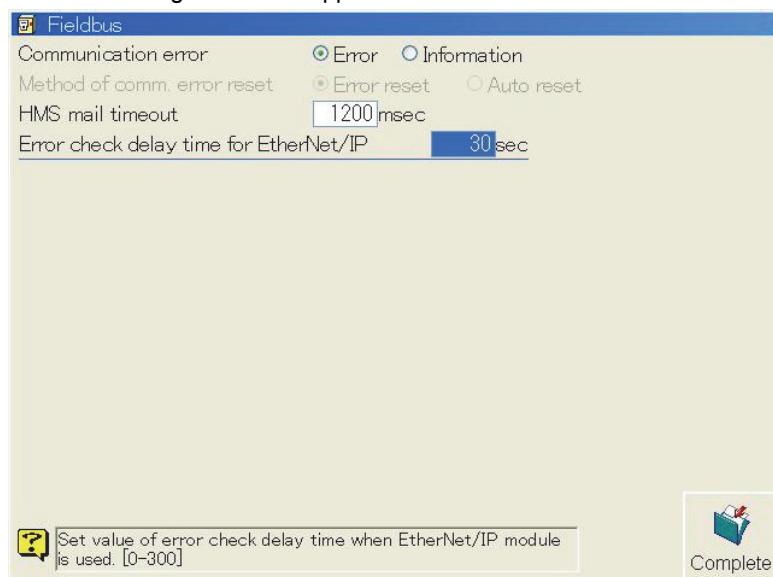
- 1 Open <Constant Settings> -[8 Communication] -[3 Fieldbus].

>> The following screen will appear.



- 2 Press the f key <Fieldbus Error Detail>.

>> The following screen will appear.



- 3 Set the "EtherNet/IP error check delay time" and press [Enter] key.



- 4 Press the f key <Complete>.



At the timing of the EtherNet/IP communication establishment , "Fieldbus act." output signal is immediately turned on even before elapsing of the error check delay time.

# Chapter 5 Error Detection

## 5.1 Error Detection on EtherNet/IP module

The current status of HMS EtherNet/IP module is indicated using up to four LEDs.

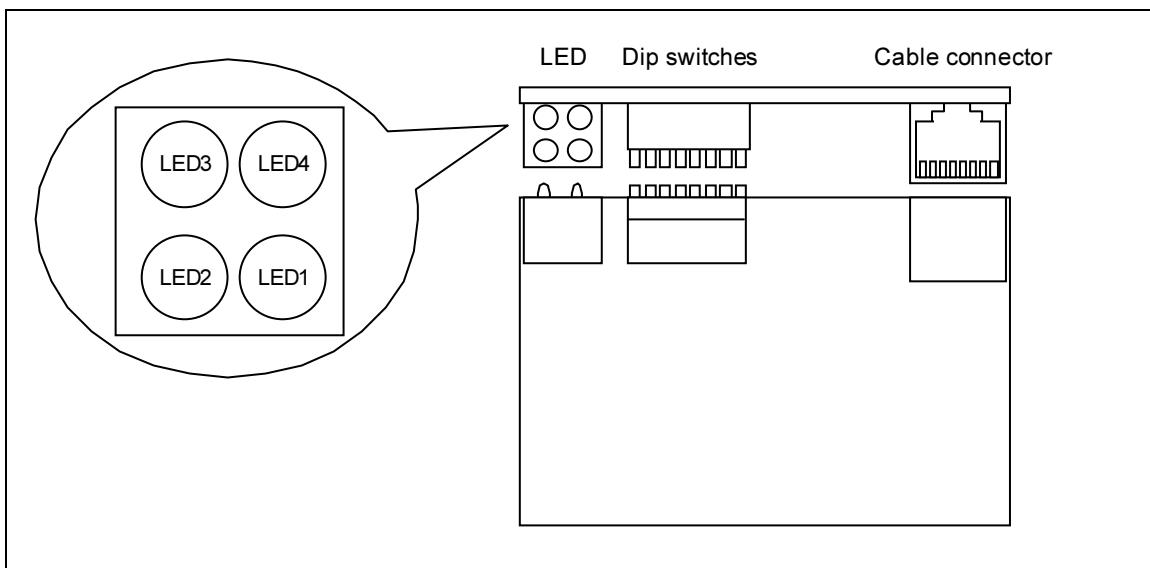


Fig. 5.1.1 HMS EtherNet/IP module

Each LED indicates the following status for the slave module.

- LED1: Network reception status
- LED2: Current module status
- LED3: Current communication status
- LED4: Scanner status

Table 5.1.1 LEDs and field bus base board Status for the Slave Module

LED	Color	Status	Description
LED1	Green	Lit	Online
	—	Unlit	Offline
LED2	Green	Lit	Run State
	Green	Flashing	Not set / Idle State
	Red	Flashing	Error
	Red	Lit	Critical error detected
	—	Unlit	No power supply
LED3	Green	Lit	Online / Currently connected
	Green	Flashing	Online / Not connected
	Red	Lit	Error
	Red	Flashing	Non-critical error detected
	Red green	Flashing	Self-diagnostics
	—	Unlit	Initialization incomplete / No power supply
LED4	Green	Flashing	Packet sending and receiving
			Currently sending and receiving the packet

Each LED indicates the following status for the master module.

- LED1: Network reception status
- LED2: Current module status
- LED3: Current communication status
- LED4: Not used

Table 5.1.2 LEDs and field bus base board Status for the Master Module

LED	Color	Status		Description
LED1	Green	Lit	Online	—
	Green	Flashing	Packet sending and receiving	Currently sending and receiving the packet
	—	Unlit	Offline	—
LED2	Green	Lit	Run State	Currently communicating with scanner
	Green	Flashing	Not set / Idle State	Settings are not complete or no communication with scanner
	Red	Flashing	Error	Non-critical error detected
	Red	Lit	Error	Critical error detected
	Red green	Flashing	Self-diagnostics	Currently performing self-diagnostics
	—	Unlit	—	No power supply
LED3	Green	Lit	Online / Currently connected	Online
	Green	Flashing	Online / Not connected	Online / No communication partner
	Red	Lit	Error	Duplicate IP address
	Red	Flashing	Error	Connected time-out
	—	Unlit	—	Initialization incomplete / No power supply

LED3 is green and lit as long as communications are established with at least one node.

## 5.2 Error Detection on this Controller

No.	E0956
Message	Communication error.
Cause	<p>A list of possible causes is given below.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• field bus base board error</li> <li>• Broken cable</li> <li>• Baud rate mismatch</li> <li>• Incorrect node address setting</li> <li>• Network power failure</li> </ul>
Remedy	The system will recover once the problems listed above are resolved.

No.	E0957
Message	System error detected.
Cause	Either the EtherNet/IP setting file does not exist or its contents are invalid.
Remedy	Check that EtherNet/IP settings are correct on the Fieldbus Hardware Setting window.

No.	E0958
Message	Error detected by communication board self-check.
Cause	<p>A list of possible causes is given below.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Faulty field bus base board</li> <li>• Incorrect detailed EtherNet/IP settings (E.g. The last number of the IP address is "0")</li> </ul>
Remedy	The system will recover once the problems listed above are resolved.

No.	E0959
Message	Cannot find communication board.
Cause	The field bus base board specified on the Constant Settings window cannot be found.
Remedy	<p>Confirm the slot ID of the fieldbus hardware setting. Even if the field bus base board is correctly connected, the field bus base board itself may have failed if this error occurs. Replace the field bus base board.</p>

No.	E0960
Message	Some or all I/O links are currently stopped.
Cause	I/O links have stopped.
Remedy	The system automatically recovers once the problem is resolved. (It may be necessary in some cases to turn power off and on again in order to resolve this problem.)

No.	I3960
Message	Some or all I/O links are currently stopped.
Cause	I/O links have stopped.
Remedy	The system automatically recovers once the problem is resolved. (It may be necessary in some cases to turn power off and on again in order to resolve this problem.)

In the case of E0960 and I3960, E0960 and I3960 are selected based on settings made on the [Detailed Field Bus Error Settings] screen. For details, see “5.3 Detailed Field Bus Error Settings”.

## 5.3 Detailed Field Bus Error Settings

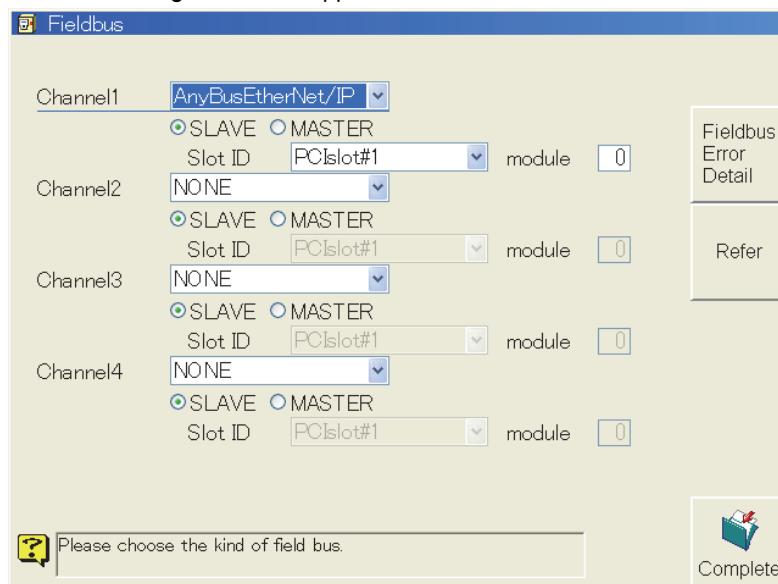
The following settings can be made regarding operations when an I/O link error occurs.

- Error type when a communication error occurs
- Communication error reset method for restoring communications

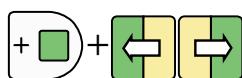
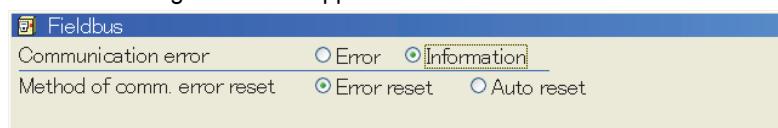
The setting method is given below.



- 1 Open <Constant settings> - [8 Communications] - [3 Fieldbus] screen.**  
 >> The following screen will appear.



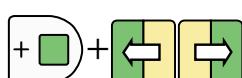
- 2 Press the f-key < Fieldbus Error Detail>.**  
 >> The following screen will appear.



- 3 Align the cursor with “Communication error” and Use the [Enable] + [Left] or [Right] cursor keys to switch to the radio buttons (a horizontal row of selector buttons), and select “Error” or “Information”.**

>> When an I/O link error occurs;

- If “Error” is selected, E0960 is generated.
- If “Information” is selected, I3960 is generated.



- 4 Align the cursor with “Method of comm. error reset” and switch the radio buttons, and select “Error reset” or “Auto reset”.**

>> When recovering from a communication error;

- If error reset is selected, a communication error is maintained until the system is reset.
- If automatic reset is selected, a communication error is automatically reset.



This item cannot be selected if “Communication error” is set to “error.”



- 5 Press the f-key < Complete > to save settings.**





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