



How to Make a Device Real Time Compass Navigator

In the case that an IP controlled device needs a constant socket with Compass

IF Your Program is Modular:

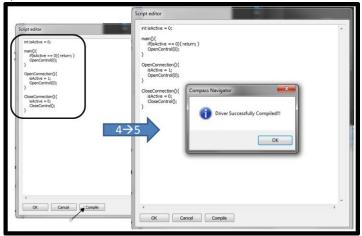
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- 1. In Navigator, edit module for desired device (.mod mode, not .ksp mode)
- 2. Select device from System Designer tree
- 3. In the properties window, press the blue block button to open the script editor window (fig. 3)
- 4. In the Script Editor, key the following text (fig 4/5)
 int isActive = 0;
 main(){
 if(isActive == 0){ return; }
 OpenControl(0);
 }
 OpenConnection(){
 isActive = 1;
 OpenControl(0);
 }
 CloseConnection(){
 isActive = 0;
 CloseControl();
 }
- Press "Compile" and receive confirmation that the driver has successfully compile. Press OK (fig 4/5)

Example Figures

Bi-Directional Driver

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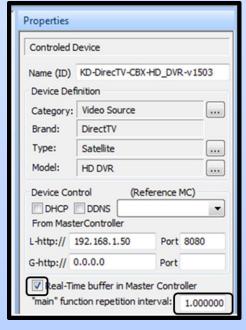


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- 6. In device's properties, choose "Real-Time buffer in Master Controller (fig 6/7)
- 7. Set repetition interval to 1.0 seconds (fig 6/7)
- 8. In the Controller Designer panel, choose the module page for the device (fig. 8: 1), and add a show event (fig. 8: 2,3) and remove event (fig. 8: 2,4) to the page
- 9. The show event opens the connection with the device via the bi-directional macro as the page is entered (fig. 9)
- 10. The remove event closes the connection with the device via the bi-directional macros as the page is exited (fig. 10)
- 11. File → Exit and save module updates to return to project (.ksp)

Example Figures

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IF Your Program is Custom:

- 1. If there is no module for the device, you can create your driver using notepad and save the file as "*DriverName*.c". The script should be the same as instructed in Modular step 4.
- 2. In the device properties, choose the magnifying glass (seen in fig. 3) icon to locate your driver.
- 3. Press the blue block button (seen in fig. 3) to open the script editor, and press compile (seen in fig. 4/5)









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