



GL20-8TC-PID Series Thermocouple Input Temperature Detection Module User Guide



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Preface

Introduction

The GL20-8TC-PID is an 8-channel PID integrated thermocouple temperature detection module. It can be used with GL20 series communication interface modules, such as GL20-RTU-ECT32.

This guide describes the mechanical installation, electrical installation, program commissioning, troubleshooting, and version matching information of the product.

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The following table lists the certifications, directives, and standards that the product may comply with. For details about the acquired certificates, see the certification marks on the product nameplate.

Certification	Directive		Standard
CE Certification	EMC Directive	2014/30/EU	24 VDC products: EN 61131-2 220 VAC products: EN 61131-2 EN 61000-3-2 EN 61000-3-3
	LVD Directive	2014/35/EU	EN 61010-1 EN 61010-2-201
	RoHS Directive	2011/65/EU amended by (EU)2015/863	EN IEC 63000
UL/cUL Certification	-		UL 61010-1 UL 61010-2-201 CAN/CSA-C22.2 No. 61010-1 CSA C22.2 NO. 61010-2-201
KCC Certification	-		-
EAC Certification	-		-
UKCA Certification	Safety Regulations	Electrical Equipment (Safety) Regulations 2016	EN 61010-1 EN 61010-2-201
	EMC Regulations	Electromagnetic Compatibility Regulations 2016	24 VDC products: EN 61131-2 220 VAC products: EN 61131-2 EN 61000-3-2 EN 61000-3-3
	RoHS Regulations	Directive (RoHS) Regulations 2012	EN IEC 63000

More Data

Name	Code	Description
GL20-RTU-ECT32 Series Communication Interface Module User Guide	PS00013434	Introduces the installation, wiring, and other information of the product.
GL20-8TC-PID Series Thermocouple Input Temperature Detection Module User Guide (This guide)	PS00019554	Introduces the mechanical installation, electrical installation, program commissioning, troubleshooting, and version matching information of the product.

Revision History

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1 General Safety Rules

1.1 Fundamental Safety Instructions

Safety Precautions

1. Read and follow the safety instructions when installing, operating, and maintaining the equipment.
2. To ensure your safety and prevent damage to the equipment, follow the marks on the equipment and all the safety instructions in this guide.
3. "CAUTION", "WARNING", and "DANGER" items in this guide do not indicate all safety precautions that need to be followed; instead, they just supplement the safety precautions.
4. Use this equipment according to the designated environment requirements; otherwise, a fault may occur. Malfunction or damage caused by improper use is not covered by warranty.
5. Inovance shall take no responsibility for any personal injury or property damage caused by improper use.

Safety Levels and Definitions



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"CAUTION" indicates that failure to comply with the notice may result in minor personal injuries or equipment damage. Keep this user guide properly for future use and deliver it to the end user.

Control System Design	
	• Provide a safety circuit outside the PLC so that the control system can still work safely once external power failure or controller fault occurs. • Add an external fuse or circuit breaker to prevent the module from smoking or catching fire due to long-time overcurrent caused by operation above rated current or load short-circuit.
	• An emergency stop circuit, a protection circuit, a forward/reverse operation interlocked circuit, and an upper position limit and lower position limit interlocked circuit must be set in the external circuits of PLC to prevent damage to the equipment. • To ensure safe operation, for the output signals that may cause critical accidents, use external protection circuit and safety mechanism. • Once the CPU of the PLC detects an exception in the system, all outputs may be closed; however, when a fault occurs in the controller circuit, the output may not be under control. Therefore, it is necessary to design an appropriate external control circuit to ensure normal operation. • If the output units such as relays or transistors are damaged, the output may fail to switch between ON and OFF states according to the commands. • The PLC is designed to be used in an indoor electrical environment compliant with overvoltage category II. The power supply must have a system-level surge protector to ensure that overvoltage caused by lightning shock cannot be applied to power supply input terminals, signal input terminals, and control output terminals of the PLC, therefore preventing damage to the product.

Installation

- Installation must be carried out by skilled personal who have undergone specialized electrical training and possess comprehensive electrical expertise.
- Disconnect all external power supplies of the system before installing/removing the module. Failure to do so may result in electric shock, module fault, or malfunction.
- Do not use the PLC in environments with dust, greasy smoke, conductive dust, corrosive or combustible gases, exposed to high temperature, condensation, wind & rain, or subject to vibration and shock. Electric shock, fire, and malfunction may also result in damage or deterioration to the product.
- The PLC is open-type equipment that must be installed in a control cabinet with lock (cabinet housing protection > IP20). Only the skilled personnel who have undergone specialized electrical training and possess comprehensive electrical expertise can open the cabinet.



- Prevent metal filings and wire ends from dropping into ventilation holes of the PLC during installation. Failure to comply may result in fire, fault, and malfunction.
- Ensure there are no unwanted matters on ventilation surface. Failure to comply may result in poor ventilation, which may cause fire, fault, or malfunction.
- Ensure the module is connected to the respective connector securely and hook the module firmly. Improper installation may result in malfunction, fault, or fall-off.
- Ensure natural ventilation for the equipment.

Wiring

- Wiring must be carried out by skilled personnel who have undergone specialized electrical training and possess comprehensive electrical expertise.
- Disconnect all external power supplies of the system before wiring. Failure to comply may result in electric shock, module fault, or malfunction.
- After wiring, install the terminal cover attached to the product before power-on or operation. Failure to comply may result in electric shock.
- Insulate the cable terminals properly to ensure the insulation distance between cables will not be shortened after cables are connected to the terminal block. Failure to comply may result in electric shock or damage to the product.



- To avoid electric shock, cut off the power supply before connecting the equipment to the power supply.
- The input power supply of this product must be 24 VDC. Power supplies outside $\pm 20\%$ of 24 VDC can cause severe damage to the product. Therefore, check whether the DC power supply provided by the switching-mode power supply is stable at a regular interval.

Operation and maintenance
 CAUTION • Operation and maintenance must be carried out by skilled personnel who have undergone specialized electrical training and possess comprehensive electrical expertise. • Do not touch the terminals while the power is on. Failure to comply may result in electric shock or malfunction. • Disconnect all external power supplies of the system before cleaning the module or re-tightening screws on the terminal block or the connector. Failure to comply may result in electric shock. • Disconnect all external power supplies of the system before assembling/disassembling the module or connecting/removing the communication cables. Failure to comply may result in electric shock or malfunction. Safety Recommendations • In the position where the operator directly touches the machinery part, for example, where a machinery tool is loaded/unloaded, or where a machine runs automatically, the on-site manual operating devices and any other alternative means must be carefully arranged and designed so that they are independent of the PLC and can start or terminate the automatic running of the system. • If modification on the program is needed during system operation, use the lock function or other protective measures. Ensure that only authorized personnel can make the necessary modifications.
Disposal
 CAUTION • Treat the scrapped product as industrial waste. Dispose of the battery according to local laws and regulations. • Recycle retired equipment by observing industry waste disposal standards to avoid environmental pollution.

1.2 Industrial Information Security

The product provides interfaces to connect to the network and transmit data through the network interfaces. In order to protect factories, systems, machines and networks from network attacks and ensure their safe operation, implement appropriate industrial information security protection mechanisms.

The customer is responsible for providing and continuously ensuring a secure connection between the product and the network to prevent unauthorized access to its factories, systems, machines and networks. The system can only be connected to the corporate network or the Internet if it is connected securely and appropriate security measures are in place (for example, using anti-virus software and a firewall).

Inovance continuously develops and improves products and solutions to improve safety. It is strongly recommended that you update the product promptly and always use the latest version.



Tampering with software (such as viruses, Trojans, and Worms) can lead to unsafe drive state, which can put the device in an unsafe operation state. This may result in death, serious injury, and property damage. Observe the following strictly.

- Always use the latest software version. If the product version is no longer supported or the latest version of the program is not applied, customers are at increased risk of cyber-attacks.
 - Take proper protection measures (including but not limited to deploying anti-virus software, firewall, WAF, IPS/IDS, situational awareness system, ID verification, and data encryption) to prevent files in the mobile storage device from being damaged by malware and protect products, networks, systems, and interfaces from unauthorized access, disturbance, intrusion, data disclosure, or information theft.
 - Check all safety-related interfaces and settings after commissioning.
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2 Product Information

2.1 Model and Nameplate

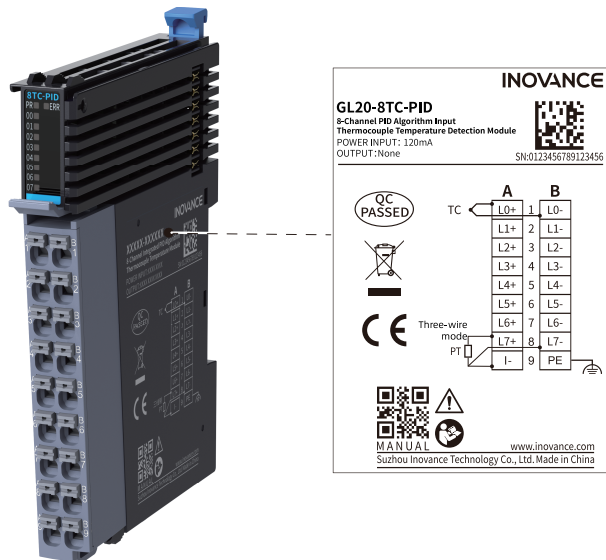
Model

GL 20 - 8 TC-PID

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① Product Information GL: Inovance general local module	③ Number of Input Channels 8: 8 input channels	⑤ Auxiliary Type PID: PID algorithm
② Series Number 20: 20 series module	④ Module Type TC: Thermocouple temperature detection	-

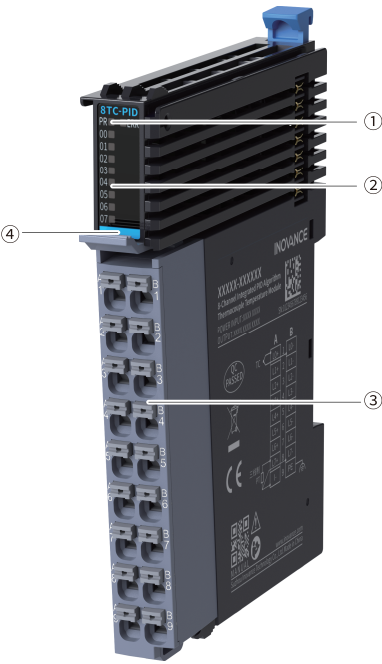
Nameplate



The data for ordering the product is shown in the following table.

Model	Specification	Material Code	Applicable Model
GL20-8TC-PID	GL20 series 8-channel PID integrated thermocouple temperature detection module	01441270	Applicable to GL20 series communication interface modules, such as GL20-RTU-ECT32

2.2 Components



No.	Component	Description			
①	Signal indicators	PR (POWER +RUN)	Power/Run indicator	Yellow-green	• Solid ON: The module is operating normally. • Flashing quickly: The module is addressed successfully. • Flashing slowly: The module is powered on but not addressed. • OFF: The module is not powered on or is faulty.
		ERR	Fault indicator	Red	ON when the module is faulty. For details, see “Troubleshooting” on page 38
②	I/O signal indicator	00 to 07	Indicator	Yellow-green	• Solid ON: The channel is not faulty. • OFF: The channel encounters faults such as disabling, overlimit, disconnection, overflow, and underflow.
③	I/O terminals	Eight thermocouple inputs, as defined in “4.2 Terminal Definition” on page 16			
④	Color identification		Red: Digital output		Orange: Analog output
			Gray: Digital input		Green: Analog input
			White: Communication		Blue: Other modules

Note

- Flashing quickly: The indicator is on for 200 ms and off for 200 ms.
- Flashing slowly: The indicator is on for 200 ms and off for 1 s.

2.3 Technical Specifications

General specifications

Item	Specification
IP rating	IP20
Dimensions (W x H x D)	12 mm x 100 mm x 75 mm
Weight	About 62 g

Power supply specifications

Item	Specification
Rated voltage of bus input power supply	5 VDC (4.75 VDC to 5.25 VDC)
Rated current of bus input power supply	110 mA (typical value@5 V)
Hot swap	Not supported

Input specifications

Item	Specification
Number of input channels	8
Digital resolution	24-bit resolution
Display sensitivity	0.1, 0.01, or 0.001 (depending on the number of decimal places). The unit is °C or °F.
Input terminal	• Thermocouple input • Microvoltage input: ± 100 mV
Input type	Supports the following input types: • Thermocouple types: B, E, N, J, K, R, S, T, C • Microvoltage measurement: ± 100 mV
Compensation method	Supports internal and external cold junction compensation. To apply the external cold junction compensation, the 7th channel of the module shall adopt the PT100 three-wire connection. • External cold junctions: For normal wiring, the value of the external cold junction is displayed. For abnormal wiring (including two-wire connection), the maximum value of 3276.7 is displayed. When overlimit/sensor disconnection/overflow detection is enabled, the corresponding fault code will be reported. • Internal cold junctions: No difference with other channels
Accuracy (at normal temperature: 25°C)	$(\pm 0.1\%)^{[1]}(\pm 100\text{mV full scale}) + \text{cold junction compensation error}^{[2]}$
Accuracy (at operating temperature: -20°C to +55°C)	$(\pm 0.3\%)^{[1]}(\pm 100\text{mV full scale}) + \text{cold junction compensation error}^{[2]}$
Isolation	Isolated between I/O terminals and power supply, as well as between channels and MCU. Not isolated between channels.
Input indicator	/
Input derating	/
Overflow and open circuit detection	Supported
Power consumption	< 0.6 W
Anti-interference capacity ^[3]	For default parameter settings, the anti-interference capacity is 50 dB in differential mode and 120 dB in common mode.

- [1]: Indicates ADC sampling accuracy, which needs to be determined based on sensor type and thermocouple detection temperature range. For details, see [“8.1 Appendix 1: Accuracy Calculation” on page 40](#).
- [2]: The cold junction compensation error needs to be determined based on the compensation type, installation direction, adjacent module type and operating temperature range. For details, see [“8.1 Appendix 1: Accuracy Calculation” on page 40](#).
- [3]: The anti-interference capacity is strongly associated with sampling cycle and filter time. The anti-interference capacity is only about 25 dB when the filter time is set to 0, and sampling cycle to 100ms. The sensor must be equipped with shielded cables for use by the customer.

PID specifications

Item	Specification
PID control mode	• 0: PID negative action (unipolar heating) • 1: PID positive action (unipolar cooling) • 2: PID bipolarity controlled by cooling coefficient • 3: PID bipolarity controlled independently
Auto-tuning coefficient range	0 to 100 with the default of 50
PID output limit	Upper and lower limits of heating and cooling output: -100% to +100%
Temperature control mode	• PID controlled by heating • PID controlled by heating and cooling
PID output type	Bit 3 to Bit 4: Output type • 0: PWM output • 2: Percentage output Bit 5 to Bit 6: Cooling output type • 0: PWM output • 2: Percentage output
Analog output	Supported. The upper and lower limits of the analog output are configurable.
Output data range (MV)	• Heating and cooling range: -105% to +105% • Heating range: -5% to +105%
PID incomplete derivative function	Supported
PID dead zone control function	In dead zones of PID control, no PID adjustment is performed. The SP (temperature set point) range is 0°C (default) to 100°C.
PID output compensation function	Supports heating and cooling output offset compensation functions. Final output = PID output + Output offset compensation (range: -100% to +100%, with the default of 0).
PID disconnection hold function	Supported • For sensor disconnection: Options include outputting last value and outputting preset value. • For communication disconnection: Options include continuing PID operation and outputting preset value.

Software specifications

Item	Specification
Input PDO data volume	Max. 32 bytes
Diagnostic report configuration	Supported
Diagnostic detection enable configuration	Overflow and offline detection supported
Filter time	0s to 16s (configurable through software, default 5s)
Overflow and underflow detection	Overflow and underflow faults are reported only when the overflow detection function is enabled.

Item	Specification
Overflow detection configuration	Supported
Independent channel configuration	Supported
Temperature offset configuration	Supported
Temperature configuration range	-204.8 to +204.7
Sampling cycle	100ms, 500 ms, 1000 ms, 2000 ms for 8 channels
Display mode	Centigrade degree (°C), Fahrenheit degree (°F)
Sampling refresh	Refresh asynchronously according to the sampling cycle, with no need to refresh synchronously according to the bus cycle
Stop mode	Output based on the maximum value with no further refresh
Open circuit or overflow detection	Output based on the maximum value with no further refresh
Channel diagnosis	Beyond upper limit alarm, beyond lower limit alarm, open circuit alarm, overflow error
Software diagnostics	Not supported
Configuration diagnosis	Configuration fault identification, channel parameter configuration fault



Caution

A maximum of 4 GL20-8TC-PID modules are supported when used with the GL20-RTU-ECT32 communication interface module. Only the first 4 slots in the configuration are available.

2.4 Environmental Specifications

Item	Specification
Installation/Operating environment	Free from conductive dust, conductive fibers, explosive dust, flammable gases, water mist/greasy dirt, corrosive dusts/gases, strong vibration, and repetitive shock
Max. altitude	≤ 2000 m
Pollution degree	2
Immunity	2 kV on power supply cable (compliant with IEC 61000-4-4)
Overvoltage category	I
EMC immunity level	Zone B, IEC61131-2
ESD protection level	Contact discharge +/-6 kV, air discharge +/-8 kV
Vibration resistance	• Application scenario: Tested according to IEC60068-2-6; 3.5 mm amplitude at 5 Hz to 8.4 Hz; 1 g acceleration at 8.4 Hz to 200 Hz; in ten cycles/axes • Transportation scenario: Tested according to IEC60068-2-64, 0.01 g²/Hz power spectral density at 5 Hz to 100 Hz; 0.001 g²/Hz power spectral density at 200 Hz; 1.14 g Grms
Shock resistance	Application/Transportation scenario: Tested according to IEC60068-2-27; 15 g peak gravitational acceleration; 11ms pulse width; 18 times in X/Y/Z-axis directions
Operating temperature/humidity	• Temperature: -20°C to +55°C • Humidity: < 95% RH (30°C), without condensation
Storage temperature/humidity	• Temperature: -20°C to +60°C • Humidity: < 95% RH (30°C), without condensation
Transportation temperature/humidity	• Temperature: -40°C to +70°C • Humidity: < 95% RH (40°C), without condensation

3 Mechanical Installation

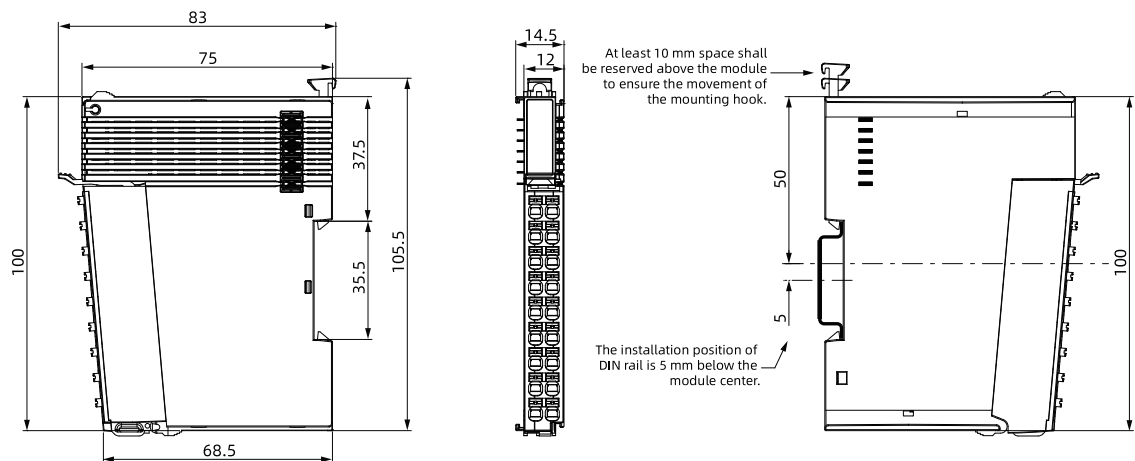
3.1 Installation Precautions

- Make sure the module is powered off before installing or removing.
- Do not hot swap the modules. Otherwise, the modules may be damaged by overcurrent or overvoltage, and the communication interface module or PLC may be subject to restart, user data loss or corruption.
- Do not drop or shock the housing or terminals of the module to avoid damage.

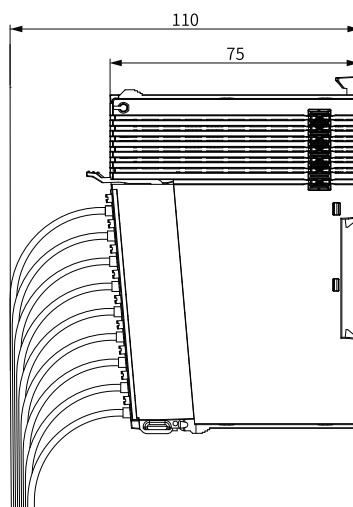
3.2 Installation Dimensions

Module

The installation dimensions (in mm) are shown in the figure below.

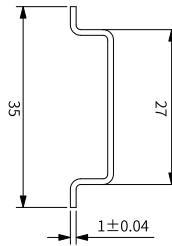


Cable



3.3 Installation Method

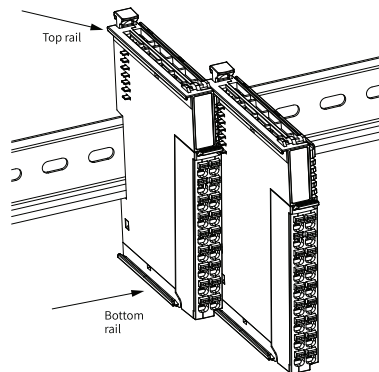
The module is mounted onto a DIN rail in conformity with IEC 60715 (width: 35 mm, thickness: 1 mm). The dimensions (unit: mm) are shown below.



When installed on a DIN rail other than the recommended one (especially the one whose thickness is not 1.0 mm), the product will not fit in place as the mounting hook does not work.

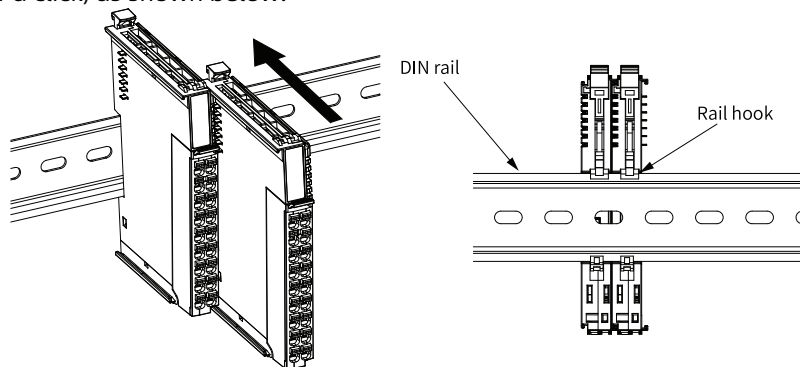
Installing modules side by side

Install modules side by side by sliding them along the top and bottom guide rails of adjacent modules.

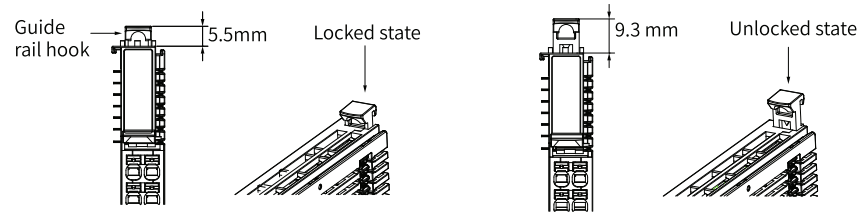


Installing modules onto DIN Rail

1. Align the module with the DIN rail and push the module in the direction indicated by the arrow until you hear a click, as shown below.



2. Make sure the DIN rail mounting hook of the module is locked. The locked and unlocked states of the mounting hook are shown below.



- If the mounting hook is pressed down, it is locked.
- If the mounting hook is lifted up, it is unlocked.

To lock the module to the DIN rail, press down the mounting hook.



Caution

When the module is not installed on the DIN rail, keep the rail hook in locked state. A hook that kept in unlocked state for a long period of time may fail to function properly.

3. Install a DIN rail end plate on both sides of the PLC or the module.

To install the end plate, hook the bottom of it to the bottom of the DIN rail, rotate the end plate to hook the top of it to the top of the DIN rail, and then tighten the screw to lock the end plate in place,

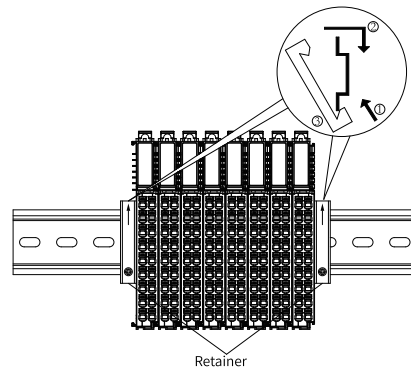
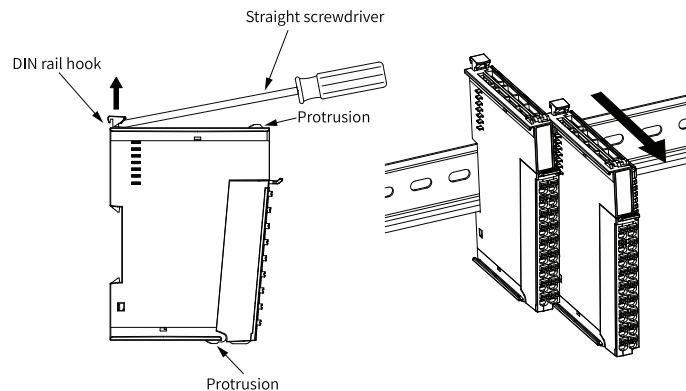


Figure 3-1 Installing end plate

Removing modules

Pry the DIN rail mounting hook upwards with a tool such as a slotted screwdriver, hold the protrusions and pull the module out straight forward. Then, press down the top of the mounting hook.



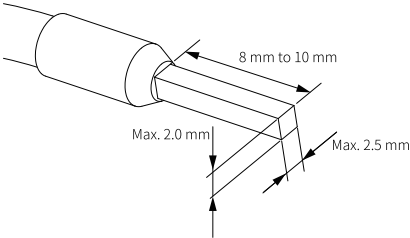
4 Electrical Installation

4.1 Cable Selection

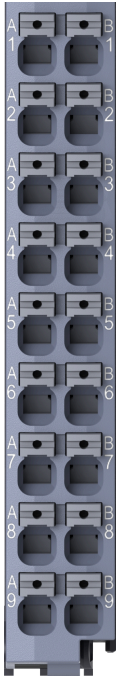
The cable lug and cable diameter included in the following table are only for reference.

Material Name	Applicable Cable Diameter		KST		Suzhou Yuanli	
	mm ²	AWG	Model	Crimping Tool	Model	Crimping Tool
Tubular lug	0.3	22	E0308	KST2000L	0308	YAC-5
	0.5	20	E0508		0508	
	0.75	18	E7508		7508	
	1.0	18	E1008		1008	
	1.5	16	E1508		1508	

To use other types of tubular lugs, crimp the lug to the cables according to the shape and dimension requirements shown below.



4.2 Terminal Definition



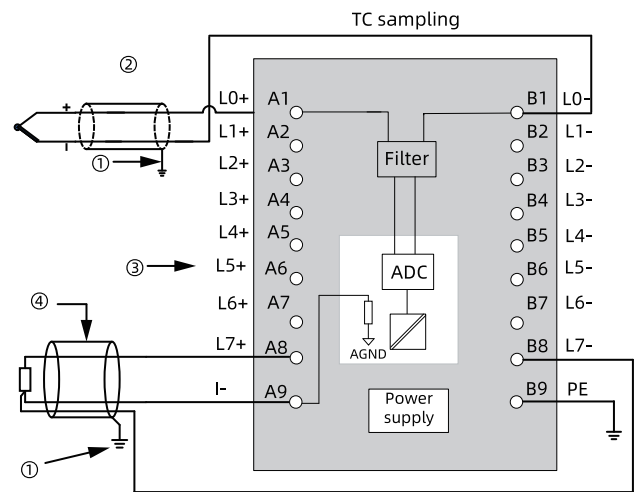
Left Signal Description	Left Signal	Left Terminal	Right Terminal	Right Signal	Right Signal Description
Channel 0 thermocouple input (+)	L0+	A1	B1	L0-	Channel 0 thermocouple input (-)
Channel 1 thermocouple input (+)	L1+	A2	B2	L1-	Channel 1 thermocouple input (-)
Channel 2 thermocouple input (+)	L2+	A3	B3	L2-	Channel 2 thermocouple input (-)
Channel 3 thermocouple input (+)	L3+	A4	B4	L3-	Channel 3 thermocouple input (-)
Channel 4 thermocouple input (+)	L4+	A5	B5	L4-	Channel 4 thermocouple input (-)
Channel 5 thermocouple input (+)	L5+	A6	B6	L5-	Channel 5 thermocouple input (-)
Channel 6 thermocouple input (+)	L6+	A7	B7	L6-	Channel 6 thermocouple input (-)
Channel 7 thermocouple input (+)	L7+	A8	B8	L7-	Channel 7 thermocouple input (-)
Input B for the external PT cold junction compensation (three-wire mode)	I-	A9	B9	PE	Grounding

4.3 Terminal Wiring

Wiring precautions

- Do not bundle the expansion cable together with power cables (with high voltage and large current) that produce strong interference signals; otherwise, the expansion cable may be influenced by noise, surge, or induction. Separate it from other cables and avoid cabling in parallel.
- Use recommended cables and adapter boards for connection. It is recommended that shielded cables be used as expansion cables to enhance anti-interference capacity.
- Apply single-point grounding for the shielding of shielded cable and solder sealed cable.

Circuit block diagram and wiring diagram



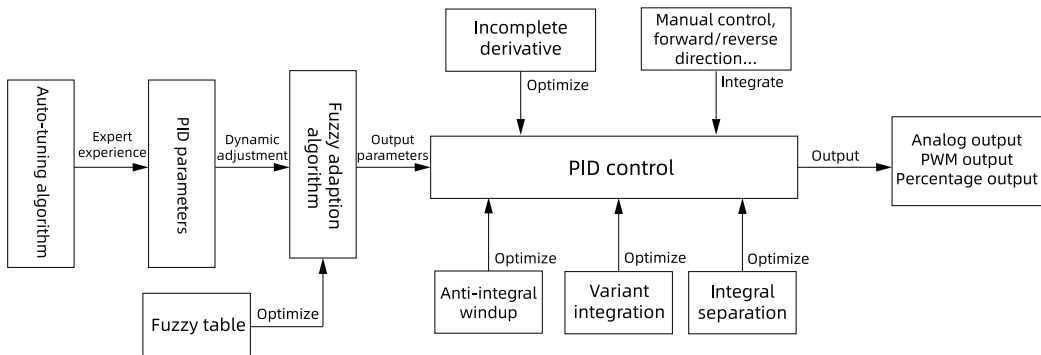
Name	Description
①	Use shielded compensating cables and connect the shield to PE. It is recommended to connect the PE terminal of the module to the external PE.
②	Compensating cables are required to extend thermocouples; otherwise, temperature measurements may be abnormal.
③	8-channel TC wiring: The wiring methods for A2 and B2 to A7 and B7 are the same as those for A1 and B1.
④	1-channel three-wire PT wiring (for external cold junction compensation): Terminals A8, B8, and A9 are connected. Use a cable with three low-resistance wires that have no difference in resistance.

5 PID Temperature Control Function

5.1 Introduction

The PID temperature control function is based on the auto-tuning fuzzy adaption bipolar PID control algorithm. It is applicable to both unipolar and bipolar control applications.

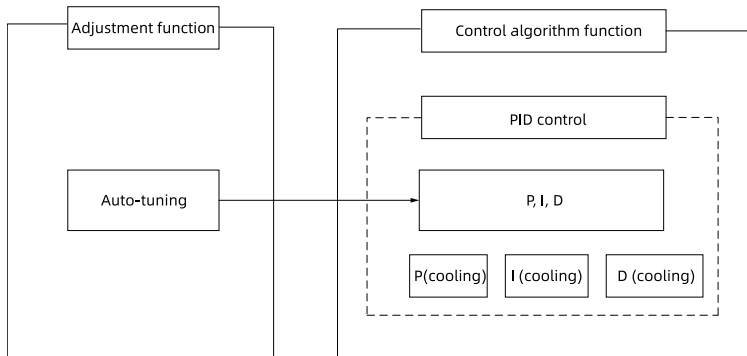
The PID temperature control algorithm mainly consists of three functions: auto-tuning, fuzzy adaption, and PID control. The auto-tuning function uses relay feedback algorithms. The fuzzy adaption algorithms, based on auto-tuning PID parameters, modify PID parameters in real time according to deviation and deviation change rate. The PID control function uses a positional PID algorithm to calculate the percentage output, which integrates variable integral, anti-integral windup, integral separation, incomplete derivation, and manual control. For complex control systems, auto-tuning can be completed by simply enabling the PID auto-tuning function.



5.2 Auto-Tuning Function

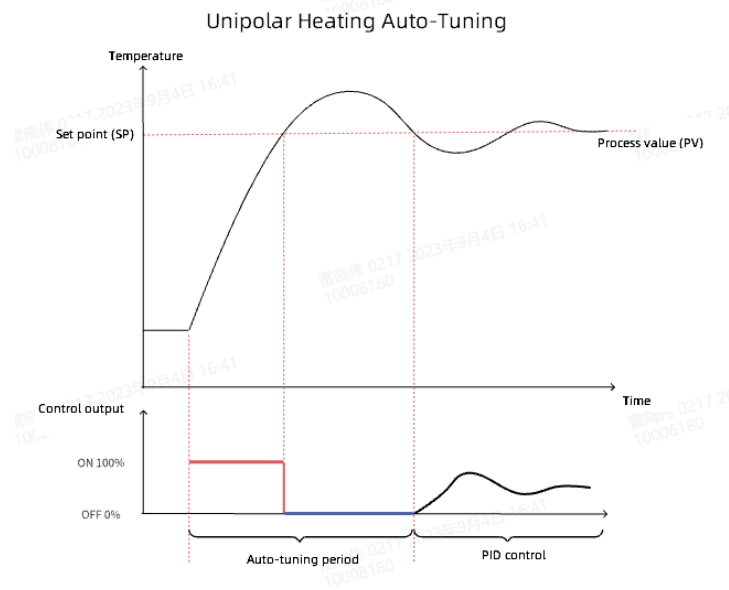
Introduction

Auto-tuning adjustment function: The temperature control unit of the module automatically calculates the PID parameters (including proportional, integral, and derivative) and determines the set point to adjust the temperature. This function enables fast, stable, and precise temperature control, boosts commissioning efficiency, and simplifies the complicated manual commissioning workflow. The module features the temperature control function by heating and cooling. The corresponding function blocks are shown below.

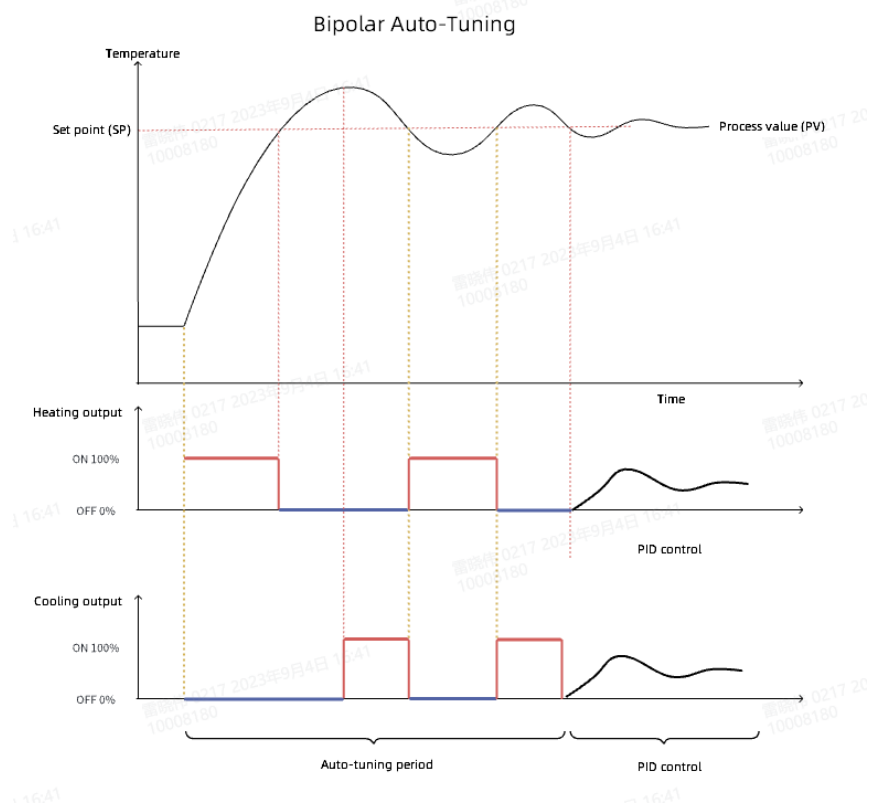


The auto-tuning function can be divided into unipolar heating auto-tuning and bipolar auto-tuning.

The following figure illustrates the unipolar heating auto-tuning process, with a waveform near the set point.



The following figure illustrates the bipolar auto-tuning process, with 2 waveforms near the set point. After auto-tuning, manually set the StartAT parameter to False.



Calculation of the initial auto-tuning PID value

The initial value of PID is obtained through the relay feedback auto-tuning algorithm, combined with expert experience.

Based on the relay feedback method of the Z-N formula, the calculation of the initial auto-tuning PID value is shown below.

$$\begin{cases} A = \frac{y_{\max} - y_{\min}}{2} \\ T_u = 2(t_2 - t_1) \end{cases}$$

$$\begin{cases} K_u = \frac{4d}{\pi A} \\ T_u = \frac{2\pi}{\omega} \end{cases}$$

"d" represents the relay characteristic amplitude; "A" represents the amplitude generated by the system; "T_u" represents the critical oscillation cycle; "y_{max}" and "y_{min}" represent the peak and valley values respectively; "t₂" and "t₁" represent the time of the peak and valley respectively.

The critical proportional band method is used to calculate the controller parameters during the relay-type auto-tuning process, as shown below.

$$K_{p0} = 0.6K_u$$

$$T_i = 0.5T_u$$

$$T_d = 0.125T_u$$

"K_p" represents the proportional gain; "T_i" represents the integral time constant; "T_d" represents the derivative time constant.

The following formulas are derived from $K_{i0} = K_{p0} \div T_i$, and $K_{d0} = K_{p0} \times T_d$.

$$\begin{cases} K_{p0} = 0.6K_u \\ K_{i0} = \frac{0.3K_u}{T_u} \\ K_{d0} = 0.75K_u T_u \end{cases}$$

According to the above formulas, K_{p0}, K_{i0}, and K_{d0} can be calculated.

Function description

Enable the appropriate auto-tuning type based on the application scenario. Install sensors and other execution units in accordance with electrical requirements. The parameter settings and descriptions are as shown in the following table.

Sequence	Parameter	Name	Description	Default Value
1	ControlMode +ErrorAction	Auto-tuning type	Options include unipolar heating auto-tuning and bipolar auto-tuning. 0: PID negative action (unipolar heating) 2: PID bipolarity controlled by cooling coefficient 3: PID bipolarity controlled independently	0
2	ATNum	Number of auto-tuning waveforms	- Selects at least one waveform for unipolar heating auto-tuning. - Selects at least 2 waveforms for bipolar auto-tuning.	2

Sequence	Parameter	Name	Description	Default Value
3	SampleMode +SenserType +ChannelEnable	Sensor type	Bit 2 to Bit 6: Sensor type Default is K type. • 0: K • 1: J • 2: E • 3: B • 4: N • 5: R • 6: S • 7: T • 8: C • 9: ± 100 mV	K type
4	SampleTime/ Unit/Float/ CoolJunction	Sampling cycle	Bit 0 to Bit 2: Sampling cycle • 0: 100ms • 1: 500ms • 2: 1000ms • 3: 2000ms	2
5	ControlMode +ErrorAction	Action upon an alarm	Bit 2: Action upon an alarm • 0: Keep the current value • 1: Output the predefined value	1
6	ControlMode +ErrorAction	Output type	Bit 3 to Bit 4: Output type • 0: PWM output • 2: Percentage output Bit 5 to Bit 6: Cooling output type • 0: PWM output • 2: Percentage output	00
7	TempCommand	PID enabling	Bit 0: Enable temperature control 0: Disabled 1: Enabled	0
8	TempCommand	Auto-tuning enabling	Bit 2: Enable auto-tuning mode (StartAT) 0: Disabled 1: Enabled	0
9	Set Point	Target temperature	Sets this parameter to the common operating temperature.	-
10	Output State	Temperature control state	Indicates the auto-tuning state of temperature control. Bit 3 to Bit 4: Auto-tuning state (ATState) 0: Not tuned 1: Tuning 2: Tuned	0

**Caution**

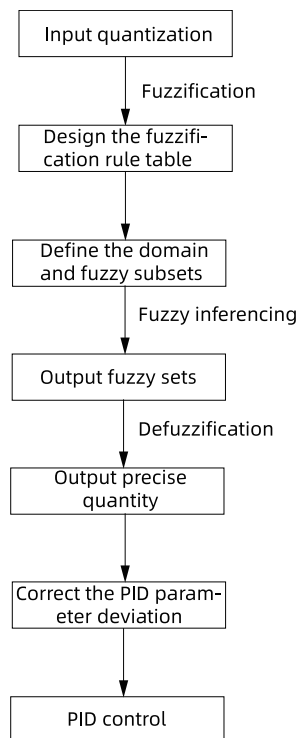
- The auto-tuning PID parameter is used to adjust the target temperature. If there is a large deviation between the target temperature and the temperature during auto-tuning, the adjustment speed and accuracy may not meet expectations, and auto-tuning must be performed again.
- During the auto-tuning process, parameter configurations cannot be modified; otherwise, unreasonable parameters may be obtained.
- After the auto-tuning, the auto-tuned parameters are recorded, written, and saved to the PID-related parameters of RPDO.
- For detailed auto-tuning parameter settings, see ["8.2 Appendix 2: Object Dictionary Definition" on page 47](#).

5.3 Fuzzy Adaption Function

The fuzzy adaption function is based on is an algorithm based on intelligent reasoning, capable of handling complex, variable, and uncertain control environments. It addresses control problems in complex nonlinear systems where characteristics vary with time or operating conditions – problems that traditional PID controllers, and even those with auto-tuning function, cannot handle effectively.

A fuzzy adaption controller comprises three functional modules: fuzzification, fuzzy inferencing, and defuzzification. It also includes a knowledge base, which consists of a database and a rule base.

The parameter offset of the PID is corrected by fuzzy adaption.

**Note**

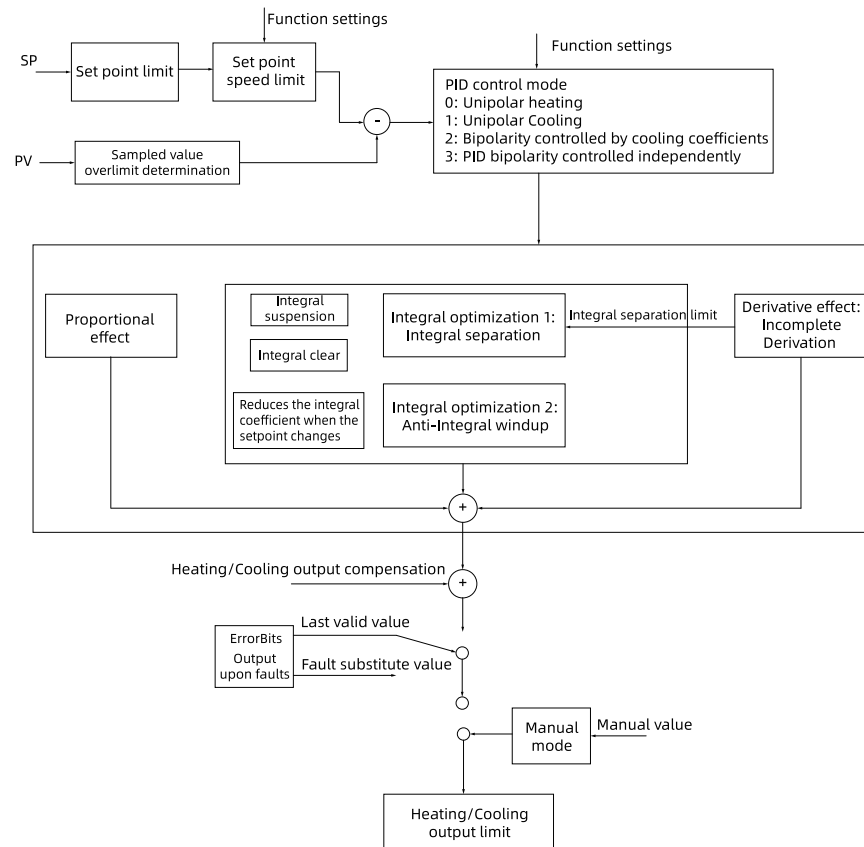
The fuzzy adaption function is enabled by setting the Bit 0 in "OtherParameter". Since the GL20-8TC-PID module does not have "OtherParameter", the fuzzy adaption function is not supported.

5.4 PID Control Algorithm

Introduction

The PID control algorithm supports both manual and automatic modes, and features parameter auto-tuning. It is applicable to heating, cooling, and heating/cooling scenarios, with two separate outputs for heating and cooling.

As shown in the figure below, select the PID control mode and set the target temperature (SP) according to actual application scenarios and requirements. Connect the actual sensor to sample the temperature as PV and output the heating/cooling amplitude using the PID algorithm of the module.

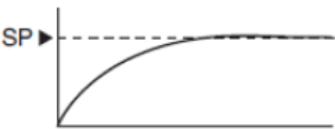
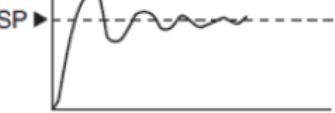


Function description

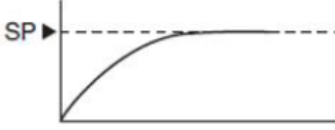
- PID parameters

For PID control, set the proportional band (K_p), integral time (T_i), and derivative time (T_d) based on actual needs.

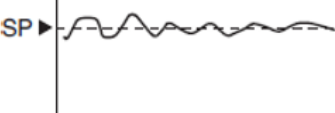
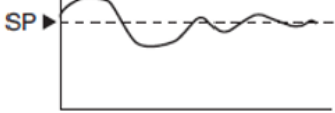
- The larger the K_p , the stronger the proportional effect, which only focuses on the deviation.

Modification	Curve	Description
When K_p decreases		The curve increases gradually and takes longer to stabilize, but overshoot can be avoided.
When K_p increases		Overshoots and fluctuations occur, but the curve quickly reaches the set point and remains stable.

- The larger the T_i , the weaker the integral effect, which only focuses on the deviation.

Modification	Curve	Description
When T_i increases		The time to reach the set point increases. The stabilization time is longer, but fluctuations, overshoots, and undershoots are reduced.
When T_i decreases		Overshoots and undershoots occur. Fluctuations occur. The curve reaches the set point quickly.

- The larger the T_d , the stronger the derivative effect. The derivative process only focuses on the deviation changes (when the set point is constant, it only focuses on PV changes), and the derivative action occurs only when PV changes.

Modification	Curve	Description
When T_d increases		The overshoot/undershoot magnitudes and the stabilization time are reduced. Minor fluctuations occur when the system's state changes.
When T_d decreases		The overshoot/undershoot magnitudes are relatively large and it takes longer to return to the set point.

- Parameter setting

Enable the PID control algorithm. Install sensors and other execution units in accordance with electrical requirements. The parameter settings and descriptions are as shown in the following table.

PID Temperature Control Function

No.	Parameter	Name	Description	Default Value
1	SampleTime/Unit/ Float/CoolJunction	Sampling cycle	Bit 0 to Bit 2: Sampling cycle • 0: 100ms • 1: 500ms • 2: 1000ms • 3: 2000ms	2
2	SampleMode +SenserType +ChannelEnable	Sensor type	Bit 2 to Bit 6: Sensor type Default is K type. • 0: K • 1: J • 2: E • 3: B • 4: N • 5: R • 6: S • 7: T • 8: C • 9: ± 100 mV	K type
3	ControlMode +ErrorAction	PID control mode	Bit 0 to Bit 1: Control mode • 0: PID negative action (unipolar heating) • 1: PID positive action (unipolar cooling) • 2: PID bipolarity controlled by cooling coefficient • 3: PID bipolarity controlled independently	0
4	ControlMode +ErrorAction	Action upon an alarm	Bit 2: Action upon an alarm • 0: Keep the current value • 1: Output the predefined value	1
5	ControlMode +ErrorAction	Output type	Bit 3 to Bit 4: Output type • 0: PWM output • 2: Percentage output Bit 5 to Bit 6: Cooling output type • 0: PWM output • 2: Percentage output	00
6	TempCommand	PID enabling	Bit 0: Enable temperature control • 0: Disabled • 1: Enabled	0
7	TempCommand	Manual enabling	Check whether the wiring is correct during commissioning. Bit 1: Enable manual mode (ManualEnable) • 0: Disabled • 1: Enabled	0
8	Set Point	Target temperature	Sets this parameter to the common operating temperature.	-

Note

For PID-related parameter settings, see ["8.2 Appendix 2: Object Dictionary Definition" on page 41](#)

6 Program Commissioning

There is an example where AM600 series PLC is used with the GL20-8TC-PID module and heating/cooling devices.

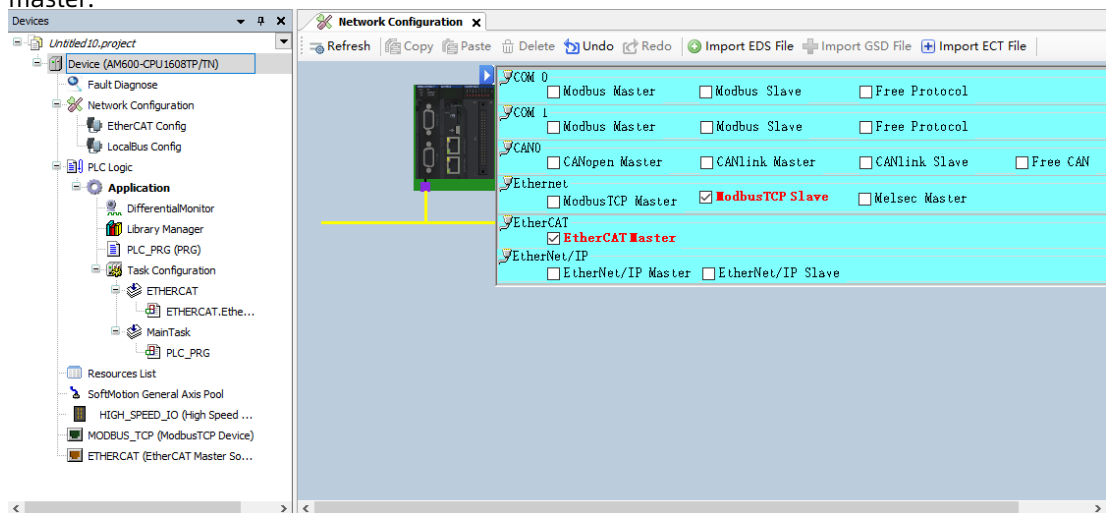
Prerequisites

- The installation and wiring of the required hardware are completed.
- All products are powered on.
- The PC equipped with the InoProShop programming software is connected to the network port of the AM600 PLC.
- The firmware is upgraded and the XML device file is imported.

Procedure

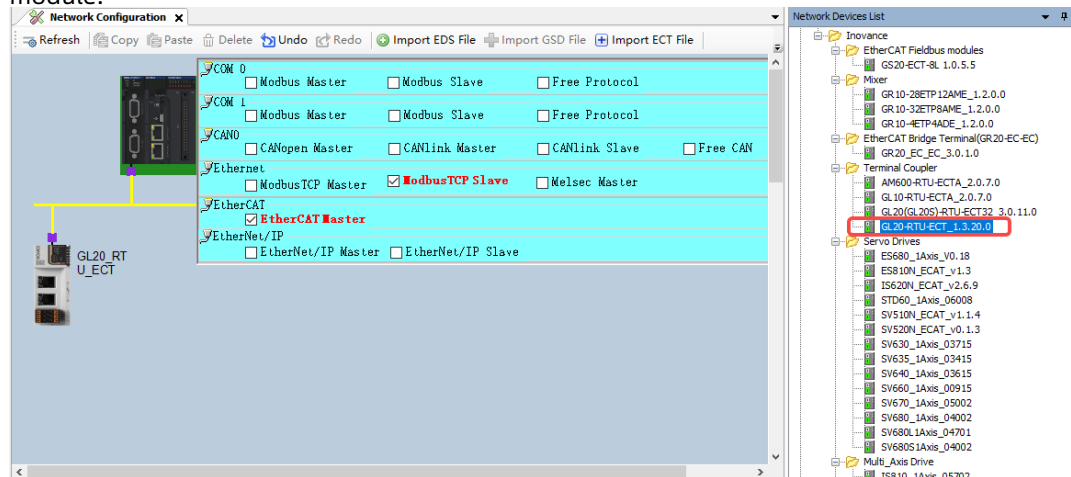
1. Add the GL20-RTU-ECT32 communication interface module.

- a. In the left **Devices** pane, double-click **Network Configuration** and click the AM600 figure in the upper left corner of the interface. Check the "EtherCAT Master" to enable the PLC as an EtherCAT master.

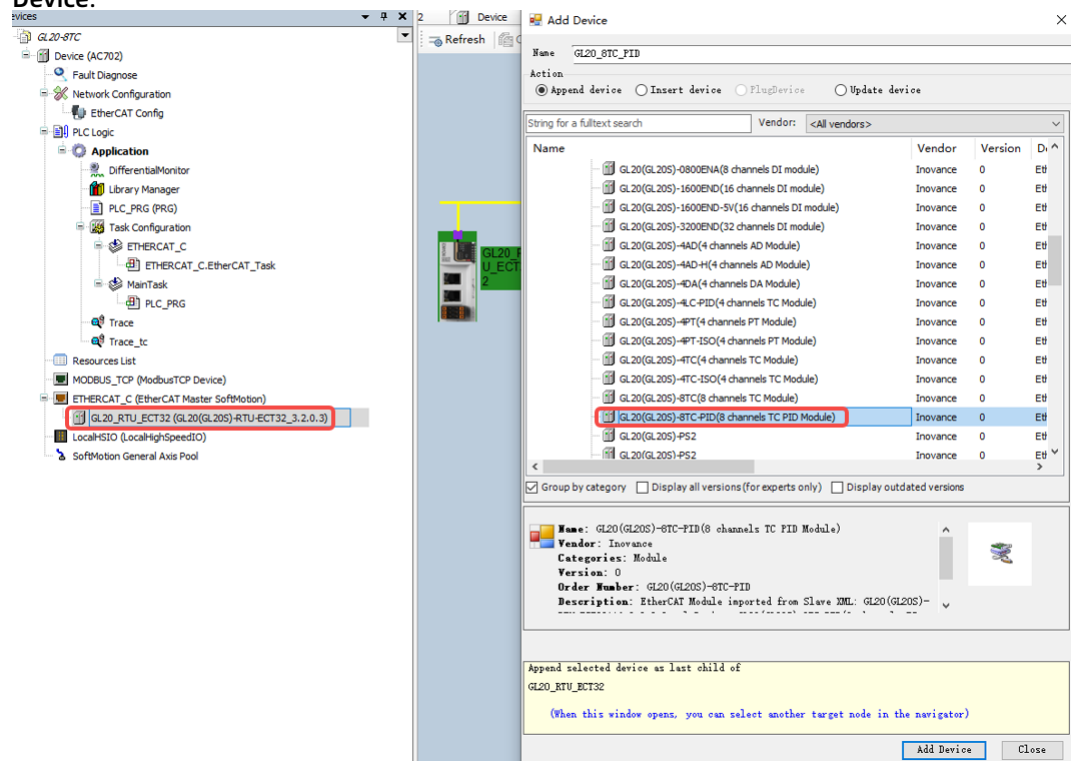


- b. Add the GL20-RTU-ECT32 communication interface module.

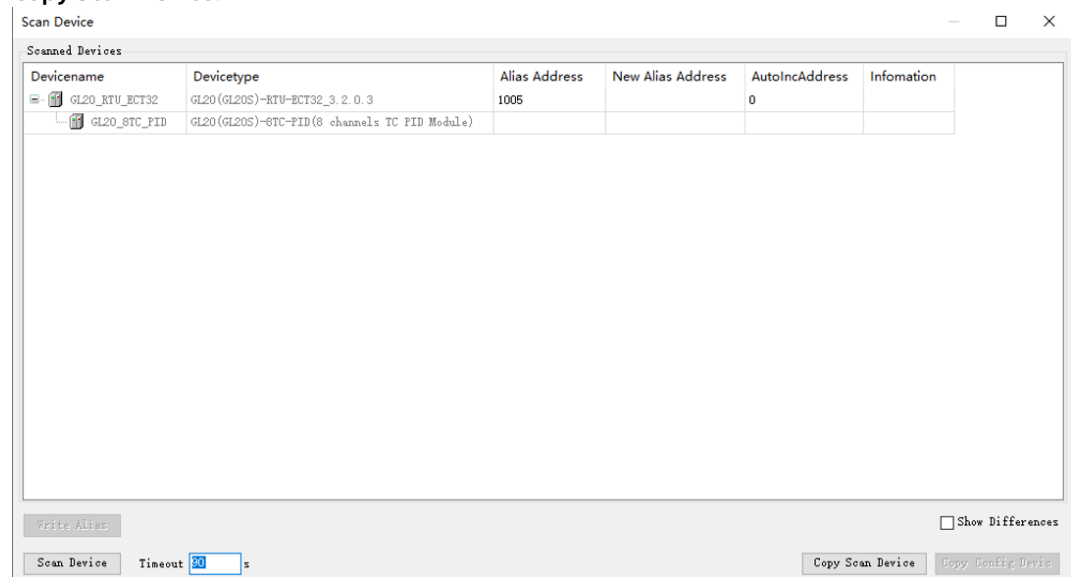
- Method 1: In the right **Network Devices List**, double-click "GL20-RTU-ECT32" to add the module.



- Method 2: In the left **Devices** pane, right-click **ETHERCAT(EtherCAT Master SoftMotion)** and select **Add Device**. Select "GL20_RTU_ECT32_X.X.X.X" in the pop-up dialog box and click **Add Device**.



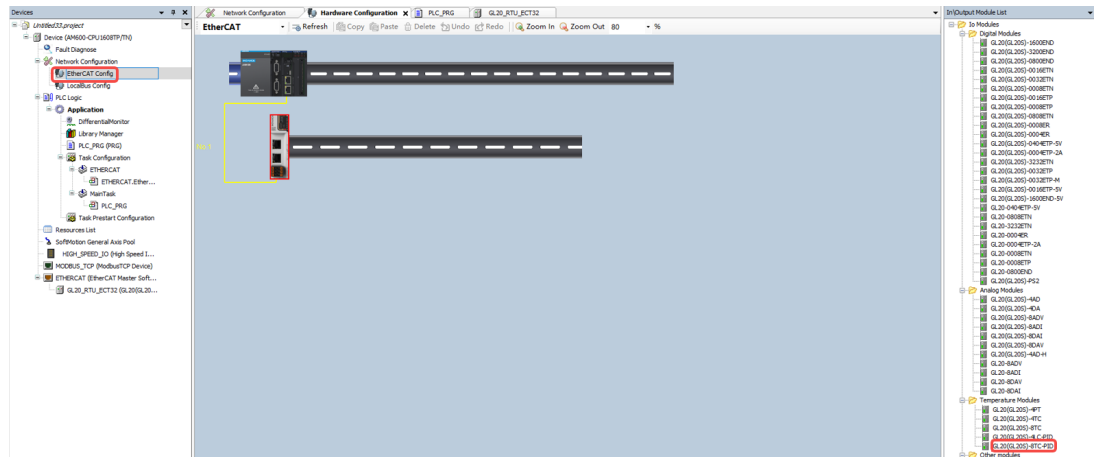
- Method 3: In the left **Devices** pane, right-click **ETHERCAT(EtherCAT Master SoftMotion)** and select **Scan For Devices**. Click **Scan Devices**, select the GL20-RTU-ECT32 module, and click **Copy Scan Device**.



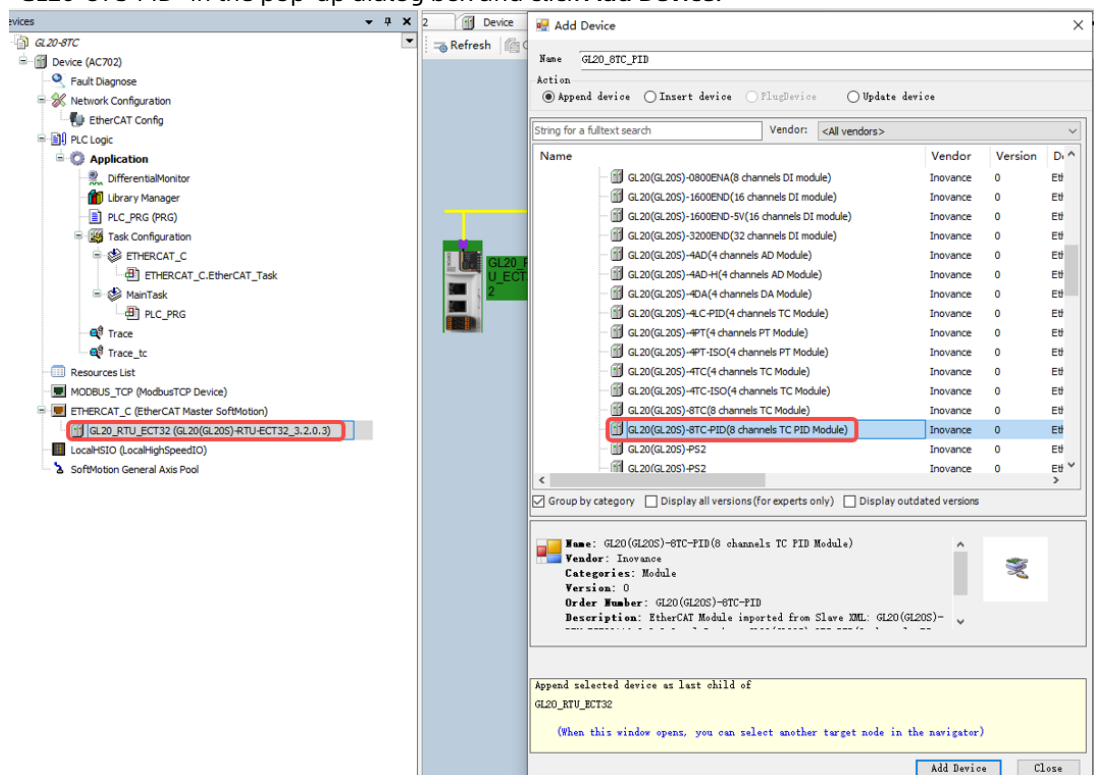
2. Add the GL20-8TC-PID module.

There are three ways to add the GL20-8TC-PID module.

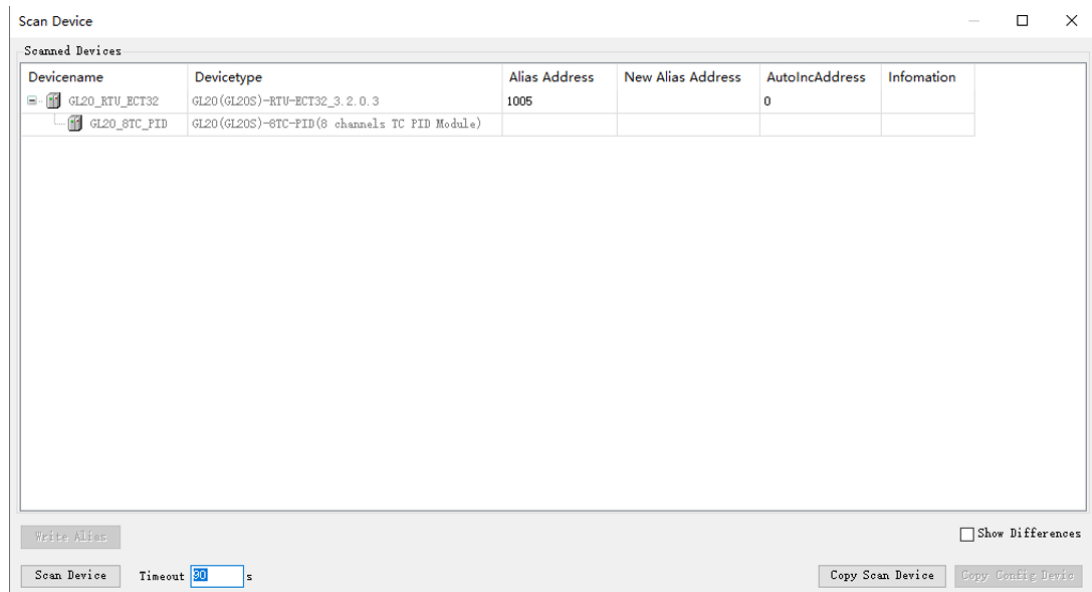
- Method 1: Open the **Hardware Configuration** pane by double-clicking **EtherCAT Config** in the left **Devices** pane, or double-clicking the GL20-RTU-ECT32 figure in the **Network Configuration** pane. In the right **In\Output Module List**, double-click "GL20-8TC-PID" or drag and place it after the GL20-RTU-ECT32 module.



- Method 2: In the left **Devices** pane, right click **GL20_RTU_ECT32** and select **Add Device**. Select "GL20-8TC-PID" in the pop-up dialog box and click **Add Device**.



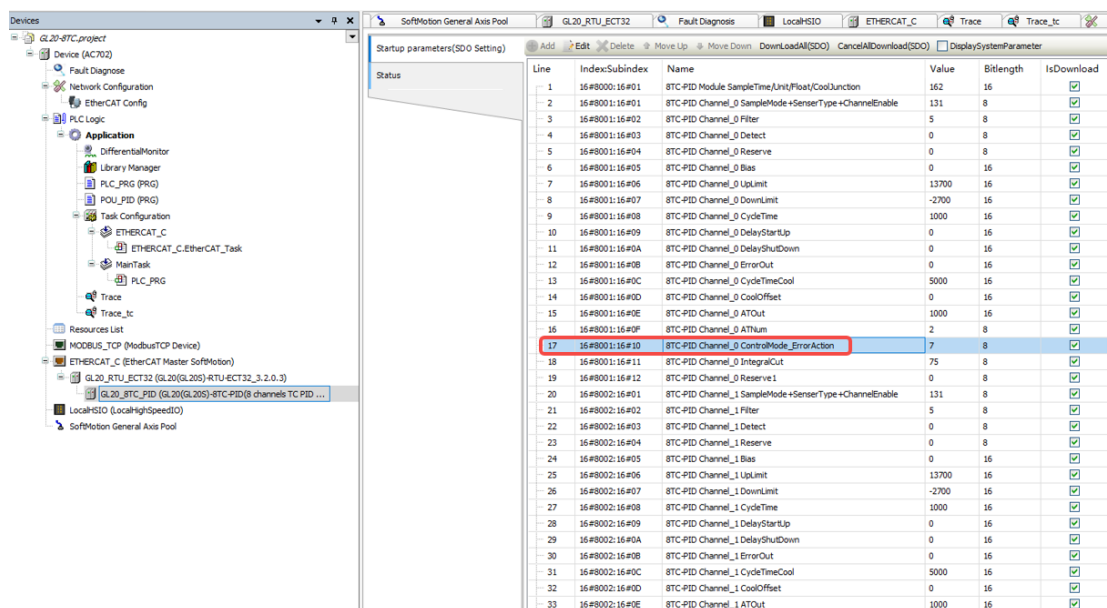
- Method 3: In the left **Devices** pane, right-click **ETHERCAT(EtherCAT Master SoftMotion)** and select **Scan For Devices**. Click **Scan Devices**, select the "GL20-8TC-PID" module, and click **Copy Scan Device**.



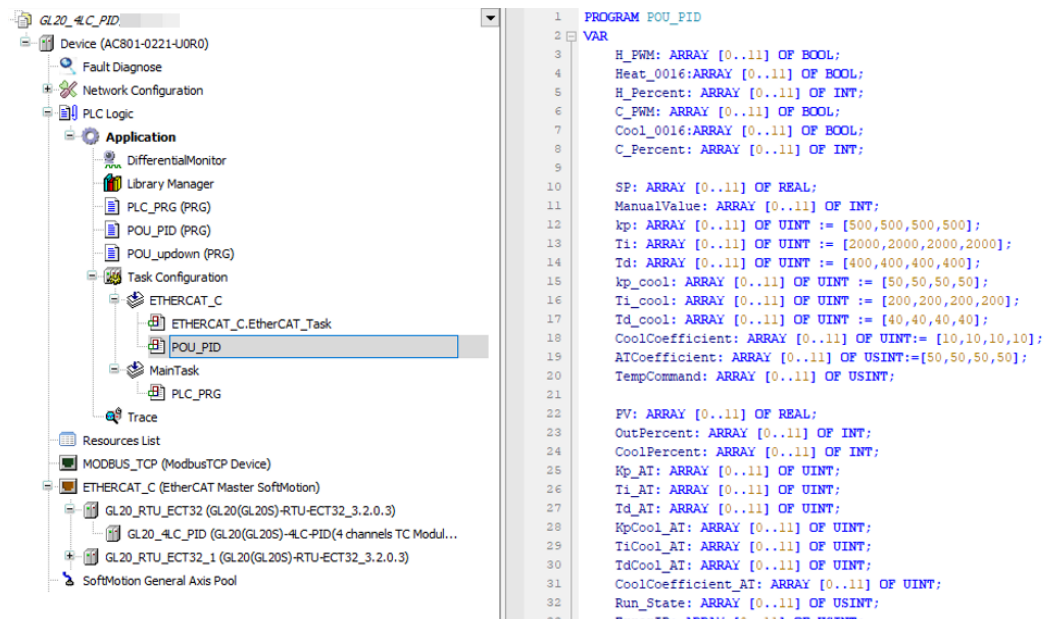
3. Create new variables.

- a. Set the PID control mode (ControlMode), fault alarm action (ErrorAction), and output type (OutType) according to the actual requirements.

Double-click **GL20-8TC-PID** in the left **Devices** pane. In the **Startup parameters (SDO Setting)** interface, set the value of "8TC-PIDChannel_0 ControlMode_ErrorAction" to 7.



- b. Double-click **POU_PID** to set the RPDO parameters, TPDO parameters, and PWM output parameters



1). Set the RPDO parameters as follows.

```

//RPDO settings
SP: ARRAY [0..11] OF REAL;
ManualValue: ARRAY [0..11] OF INT;
kp: ARRAY [0..11] OF USINT := [500,500,500,500];
Ti: ARRAY [0..11] OF USINT := [2000,2000,2000,2000];
Td: ARRAY [0..11] OF USINT := [400,400,400,400];
kp_cool: ARRAY [0..11] OF USINT := [50,50,50,50];
Ti_cool: ARRAY [0..11] OF USINT := [200,200,200,200];
Td_cool: ARRAY [0..11] OF USINT := [40,40,40,40];
CoolCoefficient: ARRAY [0..11] OF USINT := [10,10,10,10];
ATCoefficient: ARRAY [0..11] OF USINT := [50,50,50,50];
TempCommand: ARRAY [0..11] OF USINT;

```

2). Set the TPDO parameters as follows.

```

//TPDO settings
FV: ARRAY [0..11] OF REAL;
OutPercent: ARRAY [0..11] OF INT;
CoolPercent: ARRAY [0..11] OF INT;
Kp_AT: ARRAY [0..11] OF USINT;
Ti_AT: ARRAY [0..11] OF USINT;
Td_AT: ARRAY [0..11] OF USINT;
KpCool_AT: ARRAY [0..11] OF USINT;
TiCool_AT: ARRAY [0..11] OF USINT;
TdCool_AT: ARRAY [0..11] OF USINT;
CoolCoefficient_AT: ARRAY [0..11] OF USINT;
Run_State: ARRAY [0..11] OF USINT;
ErrorID: ARRAY [0..11] OF USINT;
Output_State: ARRAY [0..11] OF USINT;

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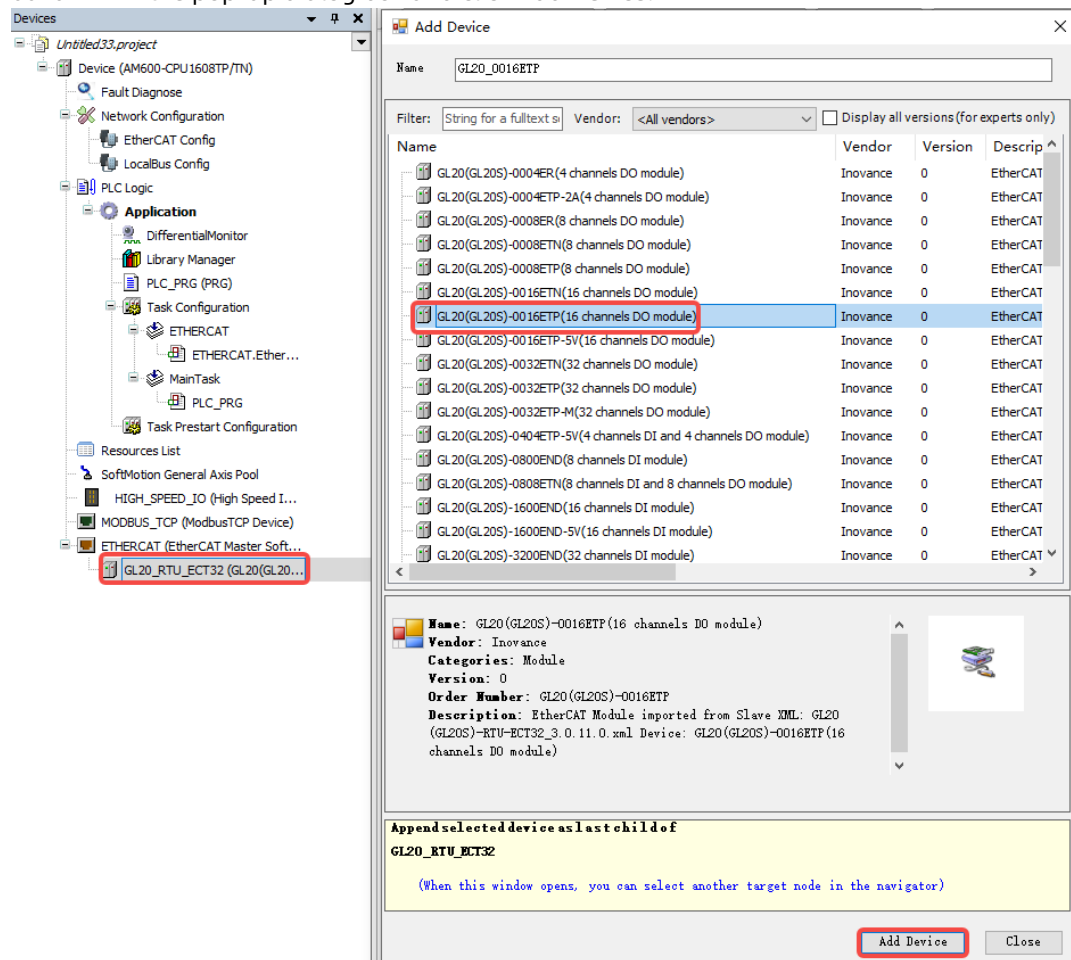
3). Set the parameters related to PWM output as follows. Since the GL20-8TC-PID module is not equipped with the output function, it is recommended to use it with the GL20-0016ETP module.

```

//PWM output parameters
H_PWM: ARRAY [0..11] OF BOOL;
Heat_0016: ARRAY [0..11] OF BOOL;
C_PWM: ARRAY [0..11] OF BOOL;
Cool_0016: ARRAY [0..11] OF BOOL;

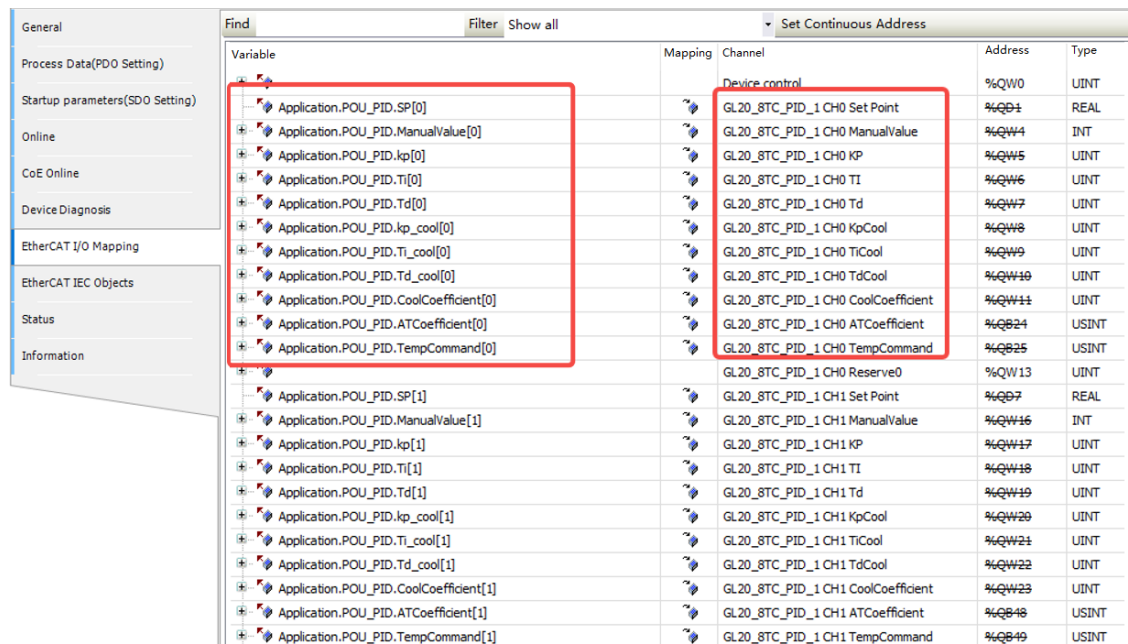
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- 4). In the left **Devices** pane, right click **GL20_RTU_ECT32** and select **Add Device**. Select "GL20-0016ETP" in the pop-up dialog box and click **Add Device**.



4. Map the PDO data.

In the left **Devices** pane, double-click **GL20-RTU-ECT32** and select **EtherCAT I/O Mapping**.



Application.POU_PID.Heat_0016[0]	GL20_0016ETP_1 Digital output CH0-8bit	%QB196	USINT
Application.POU_PID.Cool_0016[0]	Bit0	%QX196-0	BOOL
	Bit1	%QX196-1	BOOL
	Bit2	%QX196-2	BOOL

Application.POU_PID.PV[0]	GL20_8TC_PID_1 CH0 Temperature	%ID3	REAL
Application.POU_PID.OutPercent[0]	GL20_8TC_PID_1 CH0 OutPercent	%IW8	INT
Application.POU_PID.CoolPercent[0]	GL20_8TC_PID_1 CH0 CoolPercent	%IW9	INT
Application.POU_PID.Kp_AT[0]	GL20_8TC_PID_1 CH0 Kp_AT	%IW10	UINT
Application.POU_PID.Ti_AT[0]	GL20_8TC_PID_1 CH0 Ti_AT	%IW11	UINT
Application.POU_PID.Td_AT[0]	GL20_8TC_PID_1 CH0 Td_AT	%IW12	UINT
Application.POU_PID.KpCool_AT[0]	GL20_8TC_PID_1 CH0 KpCool_AT	%IW13	UINT
Application.POU_PID.TiCool_AT[0]	GL20_8TC_PID_1 CH0 TiCool_AT	%IW14	UINT
Application.POU_PID.TdCool_AT[0]	GL20_8TC_PID_1 CH0 TdCool_AT	%IW15	UINT
Application.POU_PID.CoolCoefficient_AT[0]	GL20_8TC_PID_1 CH0 CoolCoefficient_AT	%IW16	UINT
Application.POU_PID.Run_State[0]	GL20_8TC_PID_1 CH0 Run State	%IB34	USINT
Application.POU_PID.ErrorID[0]	GL20_8TC_PID_1 CH0 ErrorID	%IB35	USINT
Application.POU_PID.Output_State[0]	GL20_8TC_PID_1 CH0 Output State	%IB36	USINT
Application.POU_PID.H_PWM[0]	Bit0	%IX36-0	BOOL
Application.POU_PID.C_PWM[0]	Bit1	%IX36-1	BOOL

5. Check, compile, log in, download, and run the program.

- Click  on the toolbar at the top of the interface to check whether the program is correct.
- Click  on the toolbar to compile all the code into PLC executable code.
- Click  on the toolbar, and follow the interface prompts to log in to the PLC and download the program.
- Click  on the toolbar to execute the program.

6. Perform the heating function.

Set the target temperature to 50°C and set the Bit 0 of parameter "TempCommand" to TRUE to enable the PID function. The GL20-0016ETP module will perform the heating function.

Application.POU_PID.SP[0]	Device control	%QW0	UINT	0
Application.POU_PID.ManualValue[0]	GL20_8TC_PID_1 CH0 Set Point	%QB1	REAL	50
Application.POU_PID.kp[0]	GL20_8TC_PID_1 CH0 ManualValue	%QW4	INT	0
Application.POU_PID.Ti[0]	GL20_8TC_PID_1 CH0 KP	%QW5	UINT	500
Application.POU_PID.Td[0]	GL20_8TC_PID_1 CH0 TI	%QW6	UINT	2000
Application.POU_PID.kp_cool[0]	GL20_8TC_PID_1 CH0 Td	%QW7	UINT	400
Application.POU_PID.Ti_cool[0]	GL20_8TC_PID_1 CH0 KpCool	%QW8	UINT	50
Application.POU_PID.Td_cool[0]	GL20_8TC_PID_1 CH0 TiCool	%QW9	UINT	200
Application.POU_PID.CoolCoefficient[0]	GL20_8TC_PID_1 CH0 TdCool	%QW10	UINT	40
Application.POU_PID.ATCoefficient[0]	GL20_8TC_PID_1 CH0 CoolCoefficient	%QW11	UINT	10
Application.POU_PID.TempCommand[0]	GL20_8TC_PID_1 CH0 ATCoefficient	%QB24	USINT	50
	GL20_8TC_PID_1 CH0 TempCommand	%QB25	USINT	1
	Bit0	%QX25-0	BOOL	TRUE
	Bit1	%QX25-1	BOOL	FALSE

Application.POU_PID.PV[0]	ErrorSolt2	%ID2	UDINT	0
Application.POU_PID.OutPercent[0]	GL20_8TC_PID_1 CH0 Temperature	%IB3	REAL	33.5
Application.POU_PID.CoolPercent[0]	GL20_8TC_PID_1 CH0 OutPercent	%IW8	INT	952
Application.POU_PID.Kp_AT[0]	GL20_8TC_PID_1 CH0 CoolPercent	%IW9	INT	0
Application.POU_PID.Ti_AT[0]	GL20_8TC_PID_1 CH0 Kp_AT	%IW10	UINT	500
Application.POU_PID.Td_AT[0]	GL20_8TC_PID_1 CH0 Ti_AT	%IW11	UINT	2000
Application.POU_PID.KpCool_AT[0]	GL20_8TC_PID_1 CH0 Td_AT	%IW12	UINT	400
Application.POU_PID.TiCool_AT[0]	GL20_8TC_PID_1 CH0 KpCool_AT	%IW13	UINT	50
Application.POU_PID.TdCool_AT[0]	GL20_8TC_PID_1 CH0 TiCool_AT	%IW14	UINT	2000
Application.POU_PID.CoolCoefficient_AT[0]	GL20_8TC_PID_1 CH0 TdCool_AT	%IW15	UINT	400
Application.POU_PID.Run_State[0]	GL20_8TC_PID_1 CH0 CoolCoefficient_AT	%IW16	UINT	100
Application.POU_PID.ErrorID[0]	GL20_8TC_PID_1 CH0 Run State	%IB34	USINT	2
Application.POU_PID.Output_State[0]	GL20_8TC_PID_1 CH0 ErrorID	%IB35	USINT	0
Application.POU_PID.H_PWM[0]	GL20_8TC_PID_1 CH0 Output State	%IB36	USINT	1
Application.POU_PID.C_PWM[0]	Bit0	%IX36-0	BOOL	TRUE
	Bit1	%IX36-1	BOOL	FALSE

	GL20_0016ETP_1 Digital output CH0-8bit	%QB196	USINT	
Application.POU_PID.Heat_0016[0]	Bit0	%QX196.0	BOOL	TRUE
Application.POU_PID.Cool_0016[0]	Bit1	%QX196.1	BOOL	FALSE

7. As shown in the above figure, the measured temperature is 33.5°C. To perform the cooling function, set the target temperature to 20°C and set the Bit 1 of parameter "Output_State" to TRUE, as shown below.

	Fault ID	%IW1	UINT	0
	ErrorSolt1	%ID1	UDINT	0
	ErrorSolt2	%ID2	UDINT	0
Application.POU_PID.PV[0]	GL20_8TC_PID_1 CH0 Temperature	%IW3	REAL	31.6
Application.POU_PID.OutPercent[0]	GL20_8TC_PID_1 CH0 OutPercent	%IW8	INT	0
Application.POU_PID.CoolPercent[0]	GL20_8TC_PID_1 CH0 CoolPercent	%IW9	INT	1000
Application.POU_PID.Kp_AT[0]	GL20_8TC_PID_1 CH0 Kp_AT	%IW10	UINT	500
Application.POU_PID.Ti_AT[0]	GL20_8TC_PID_1 CH0 Ti_AT	%IW11	UINT	2000
Application.POU_PID.Td_AT[0]	GL20_8TC_PID_1 CH0 Td_AT	%IW12	UINT	400
Application.POU_PID.KpCool_AT[0]	GL20_8TC_PID_1 CH0 KpCool_AT	%IW13	UINT	50
Application.POU_PID.TiCool_AT[0]	GL20_8TC_PID_1 CH0 TiCool_AT	%IW14	UINT	2000
Application.POU_PID.TdCool_AT[0]	GL20_8TC_PID_1 CH0 TdCool_AT	%IW15	UINT	400
Application.POU_PID.CoolCoefficient_AT[0]	GL20_8TC_PID_1 CH0 CoolCoefficient_AT	%IW16	UINT	100
Application.POU_PID.Run_State[0]	GL20_8TC_PID_1 CH0 Run State	%IB34	USINT	2
Application.POU_PID.ErrorID[0]	GL20_8TC_PID_1 CH0 ErrorID	%IB35	USINT	0
Application.POU_PID.Output_State[0]	GL20_8TC_PID_1 CH0 Output State	%IB36	USINT	2
Application.POU_PID.H_PWM[0]	Bit0	%IX36.0	BOOL	FALSE
Application.POU_PID.C_PWM[0]	Bit1	%IX36.1	BOOL	TRUE
	Bit2	%IX36.2	BOOL	FALSE

The GL20-0016ETP module will perform the cooling function.

	GL20_0016ETP_1 Digital output CH0-8bit	%QB196	USINT	
Application.POU_PID.Heat_0016[0]	Bit0	%QX196.0	BOOL	FALSE
Application.POU_PID.Cool_0016[0]	Bit1	%QX196.1	BOOL	TRUE

Note

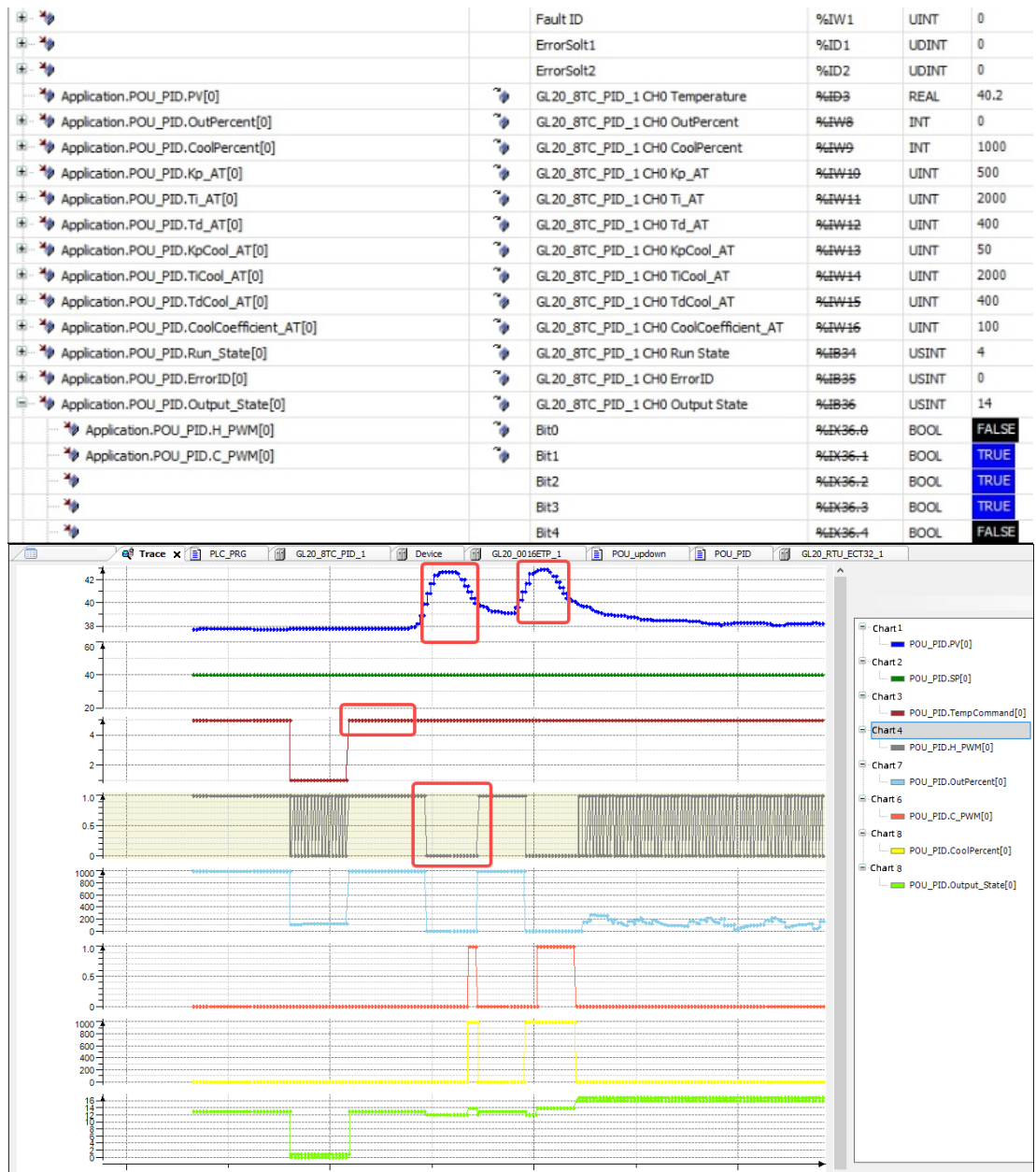
For details on the heating and cooling functions, see [“5.4 PID Control Algorithm” on page 24](#). For detailed heating and cooling parameter settings, see [“8.2 Appendix 2: Object Dictionary Definition” on page 41](#).

8. Set the auto-tuning PID parameter "TempCommand".

- a. Set the target temperature to 40°C and set Bit 0 of parameter "TempCommand" to TRUE to enable the PID function.

	Device control	%QW0	UINT	0
Application.POU_PID.SP[0]	GL20_8TC_PID_1 CH0 Set Point	%QB1	REAL	40
Application.POU_PID.ManualValue[0]	GL20_8TC_PID_1 CH0 ManualValue	%QW4	INT	0
Application.POU_PID.kp[0]	GL20_8TC_PID_1 CH0 KP	%QW5	UINT	500
Application.POU_PID.Ti[0]	GL20_8TC_PID_1 CH0 TI	%QW6	UINT	2000
Application.POU_PID.Td[0]	GL20_8TC_PID_1 CH0 Td	%QW7	UINT	400
Application.POU_PID.kp_cool[0]	GL20_8TC_PID_1 CH0 KpCool	%QW8	UINT	50
Application.POU_PID.Ti_cool[0]	GL20_8TC_PID_1 CH0 TiCool	%QW9	UINT	200
Application.POU_PID.Td_cool[0]	GL20_8TC_PID_1 CH0 TdCool	%QW10	UINT	40
Application.POU_PID.CoolCoefficient[0]	GL20_8TC_PID_1 CH0 CoolCoefficient	%QW11	UINT	10
Application.POU_PID.ATCoefficient[0]	GL20_8TC_PID_1 CH0 ATCoefficient	%QB24	USINT	50
Application.POU_PID.TempCommand[0]	GL20_8TC_PID_1 CH0 TempCommand	%QB25	USINT	5
	Bit0	%QX25.0	BOOL	TRUE
	Bit1	%QX25.1	BOOL	FALSE
	Bit2	%QX25.2	BOOL	TRUE
	Bit3	%QX25.3	BOOL	FALSE

- b. Set Bit 2 of parameter "TempCommand" to TRUE to enable the auto-tuning function. By default, there are 2 auto-tuning waveforms, as shown below.



Customize the settings as needed, write the auto-tuned parameters to the RPDO parameters and save them, as shown below.

		Fault ID	%IW1	UINT	0		
		ErrorSolt1	%ID1	UDINT	0		
		ErrorSolt2	%ID2	UDINT	0		
	Application.POU_PID.PV[0]	GL20_8TC_PID_1 CH0 Temperature	%IW8	REAL	38.3		
	Application.POU_PID.OutPercent[0]	GL20_8TC_PID_1 CH0 OutPercent	%IW8	INT	134		
	Application.POU_PID.CoolPercent[0]	GL20_8TC_PID_1 CH0 CoolPercent	%IW9	INT	0		
	Application.POU_PID.Kp_AT[0]	GL20_8TC_PID_1 CH0 Kp_AT	%IW10	UINT	1000		
	Application.POU_PID.Ti_AT[0]	GL20_8TC_PID_1 CH0 Ti_AT	%IW11	UINT	240		
	Application.POU_PID.Td_AT[0]	GL20_8TC_PID_1 CH0 Td_AT	%IW12	UINT	48		
	Application.POU_PID.KpCool_AT[0]	GL20_8TC_PID_1 CH0 KpCool_AT	%IW13	UINT	1000		
	Application.POU_PID.TiCool_AT[0]	GL20_8TC_PID_1 CH0 TiCool_AT	%IW14	UINT	283		
	Application.POU_PID.TdCool_AT[0]	GL20_8TC_PID_1 CH0 TdCool_AT	%IW15	UINT	28		
	Application.POU_PID.CoolCoefficient_AT[0]	GL20_8TC_PID_1 CH0 CoolCoefficient_AT	%IW16	UINT	161		
	Application.POU_PID.Run_State[0]	GL20_8TC_PID_1 CH0 Run State	%IB34	USINT	2		
	Application.POU_PID.ErrorID[0]	GL20_8TC_PID_1 CH0 ErrorID	%IB35	USINT	0		
	Application.POU_PID.Output_State[0]	GL20_8TC_PID_1 CH0 Output State	%IB36	USINT	17		
	Application.POU_PID.H_PWM[0]	Bit0	%IX36:0	BOOL	TRUE		
	Application.POU_PID.C_PWM[0]	Bit1	%IX36:1	BOOL	FALSE		
		Bit2	%IX36:2	BOOL	FALSE		
		Bit3	%IX36:3	BOOL	FALSE		
		Bit4	%IX36:4	BOOL	TRUE		
		Bit5	%IX36:5	BOOL	FALSE		
		Bit6	%IX36:6	BOOL	FALSE		
		Bit7	%IX36:7	BOOL	FALSE		
		GL20_8TC_PID_1 CH0 Reserve1	%IB37	USINT	0		
		GL20_8TC_PID_1 CH0 Reserve2	%IW19	UINT	0		

Note

For details on the auto-tuning function, see [“5.2 Auto-Tuning Function” on page 19](#). For detailed auto-tuning parameter settings, see [“8.2 Appendix 2: Object Dictionary Definition” on page 41](#).

7 Troubleshooting

When the ERR indicator is ON, it indicates that the module is faulty. The module reports a fault code, which can be obtained through the diagnostic data object dictionary value in the **CoE Online** interface, as shown below.

General	Read this page	☒ Auto Update	☒ Offline from ESI file	☐ Online fr
Process Data(PDO Setting)				
Startup parameters(SDO Setting)				
Online				
CoE Online				
Device Diagnosis				
EtherCAT I/O Mapping				
EtherCAT IEC Objects				
Status				
Information				

Index:Subindex	Name	Flags	Type	Value
* 16#1C32:16#00	SM output parameter	RO	USINT	
* 16#1C33:16#00	SM input parameter	RO	USINT	
* 16#3010:16#00	Port 0 error counter	RO	USINT	
* 16#3011:16#00	Port 1 error counter	RO	USINT	
* 16#3012:16#00	ESC error counter	RO	USINT	
* 16#3016:16#00	Station address	RO	USINT	
16#3020:16#00	Fpga soft version	RO	UDINT	
* 16#3021:16#00	Module software version	RO	USINT	
* 16#5000:16#00	Disable Slot Control	RW	USINT	
16#5001:16#00	Disable Function Control	RW	UINT	
* 16#8000:16#00	8TC_PID Module Config	RW	USINT	
* 16#8001:16#00	8TC_PID CH0 Config	RW	USINT	
* 16#8002:16#00	8TC_PID CH1 Config	RW	USINT	
* 16#8003:16#00	8TC_PID CH2 Config	RW	USINT	
* 16#8004:16#00	8TC_PID CH3 Config	RW	USINT	
* 16#8005:16#00	8TC_PID CH4 Config	RW	USINT	
* 16#8006:16#00	8TC_PID CH5 Config	RW	USINT	
* 16#8007:16#00	8TC_PID CH6 Config	RW	USINT	
* 16#8008:16#00	8TC_PID CH7 Config	RW	USINT	
16#A000:16#00	8TC_PID Diagnosis information	RO	USINT	
:16#01	Module Error Code	RO	UINT	
:16#02	Channel Error Code CH0	RO	UINT	
:16#03	Channel Error Code CH1	RO	UINT	
:16#04	Channel Error Code CH2	RO	UINT	
:16#05	Channel Error Code CH3	RO	UINT	
:16#06	Channel Error Code CH4	RO	UINT	
:16#07	Channel Error Code CH5	RO	UINT	
:16#08	Channel Error Code CH6	RO	UINT	
:16#09	Channel Error Code CH7	RO	UINT	
* 16#F000:16#00	Modular device profile	RO	USINT	
* 16#F030:16#00	Configured Module Ident List	RO	USINT	
* 16#F050:16#00	Detected Module Ident List	RO	USINT	
* 16#F100:16#00	Device Status	RO	USINT	
* 16#F110:16#00	Module Error Flag	RO	USINT	

For the module in slot n (n = 0 to 31), the object dictionary definition for index 0xA000+0x40*n is shown in the table below.

Index	0xA000+0x40*n: 8TC-PID Diag data				
Subindex	Name	Data Type	Access Type	Mapping	Default Value
0	Subindex 000	USINT	RO	NO	9
1	Module Error Code	UINT	RO	NO	0x0000
2	Channel Error Code CH0	UINT	RO	NO	0x0000

Index	0xA000+0x40*n: 8TC-PID Diag data				
Subindex	Name	Data Type	Access Type	Mapping	Default Value
3	Channel Error Code CH1	UINT	RO	NO	0x0000
4	Channel Error Code CH2	UINT	RO	NO	0x0000
5	Channel Error Code CH3	UINT	RO	NO	0x0000
6	Channel Error Code CH4	UINT	RO	NO	0x0000
7	Channel Error Code CH5	UINT	RO	NO	0x0000
8	Channel Error Code CH6	UINT	RO	NO	0x0000
9	Channel Error Code CH7	UINT	RO	NO	0x0000

Note

The thermocouple input supports fault detection for the module and channels.

The channel fault codes are defined as follows:

Diagnostic Code	Fault Description	Solution
0x6001	Channel open-circuited	Check the wiring of the sensor.
0x6002	Channel short-circuited	/
0x6003	Channel data exceeds upper limit	Check whether the sensors, wiring, or configured limit ranges are appropriate.
0x6004	Channel data exceeds lower limit	Check whether the sensors, wiring, or configured limit ranges are appropriate.
0x6005	Overflow	Check whether the selected sensor range is exceeded.
0x6006	Underflow	Check whether the selected sensor range is undershot.
0x6035	DO0 overload	-
0x6036	DO1 overload	-

8 Appendix

8.1 Appendix 1: Accuracy Calculation

Within the operating temperature range, when the temperature change rate is less than 0.3°C/min, it is necessary to wait 45 minutes before measuring. The accuracy of this product is shown below.

- Internal cold junction measurement accuracy = ADC sampling accuracy + Internal cold junction compensation error (irrelevant to the installation method)
 - It is recommended to install the module horizontally in upright position (refer to [“3.3 Installation Method” on page 14](#)) and use it adjacent to temperature modules within the operating temperature range. In this case, the cold junction compensation error is within ±3°C.
 - It is not recommended to use the module adjacent to modules that consume more than 3.5W power, such as GL20-3232ETN module.

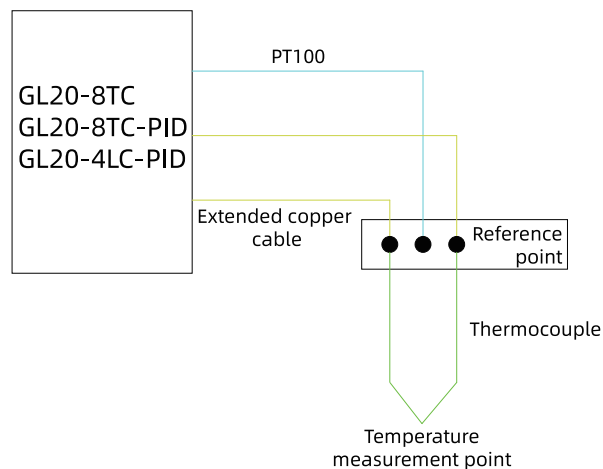
The following table shows the internal cold junction compensation error.

Installation Direction	Adjacent Module Type	Cold Junction Compensation Error (-20°C to 0°C)	Cold Junction Compensation Error (0°C to 55°C)
Horizontal, upright	Temperature module	±3°C	±1.75°C
	Non-temperature module	±6.5°C	±4.5°C
Non-horizontal, upright	Temperature module	±5.5°C	±4°C
	Non-temperature module	±5.5°C	±4.5°C

The module is equipped with four built-in temperature sensors for internal cold junction compensation.

- External cold junction measurement accuracy = ADC sampling accuracy + External cold junction compensation error (±1°C) + Sensor error (irrelevant to the installation method)

The external cold junction measurement principle is shown below. The module requires a 45-minute warm-up after power-on before measurement.



The following table shows the thermocouple detection range and ADC sampling accuracy.

Sensor type	Detection range	ADC Sampling Accuracy
B	200.0°C to 1800.0°C, 392.0°F to 3272.0°F	$\geq \pm 5^{\circ}\text{C}@200^{\circ}\text{C} \leq T \leq 400^{\circ}\text{C}$ $< \pm 5^{\circ}\text{C}@400^{\circ}\text{C} \leq T \leq 750^{\circ}\text{C}$ $< \pm 3^{\circ}\text{C}@750^{\circ}\text{C} \leq T \leq 1200^{\circ}\text{C}$ $< \pm 3.5^{\circ}\text{C}@1200^{\circ}\text{C} \leq T \leq 1800^{\circ}\text{C}$
E	-270.0°C to +1000.0°C, -454.0°F to +1832.0°F	$\geq \pm 1^{\circ}\text{C}@-270^{\circ}\text{C} \leq T \leq -200^{\circ}\text{C}$ $< \pm 1^{\circ}\text{C}@-200^{\circ}\text{C} \leq T \leq 400^{\circ}\text{C}$ $< \pm 1.5^{\circ}\text{C}@400^{\circ}\text{C} \leq T \leq 1000^{\circ}\text{C}$
N	-200.0°C to +1300.0°C, -328.0°F to +2372.0°F	$< \pm 2^{\circ}\text{C}@-200^{\circ}\text{C} \leq T \leq -150^{\circ}\text{C}$ $< \pm 1.5^{\circ}\text{C}@-150^{\circ}\text{C} \leq T \leq 750^{\circ}\text{C}$ $< \pm 0.2\%$ of displayed value $@750^{\circ}\text{C} \leq T \leq 1300^{\circ}\text{C}$
J	-210.0°C to +1200.0°C, -346.0°F to +2192.0°F	$\geq \pm 1^{\circ}\text{C}@-210^{\circ}\text{C} \leq T \leq -100^{\circ}\text{C}$ $< \pm 1^{\circ}\text{C}@-100^{\circ}\text{C} \leq T \leq 500^{\circ}\text{C}$ $< \pm 0.2\%$ of displayed value $@500^{\circ}\text{C} \leq T \leq 1200^{\circ}\text{C}$
K	-270.0°C to +1370.0°C, -454.0°F to +2498.0°F	$\geq \pm 1.5^{\circ}\text{C}@-270^{\circ}\text{C} \leq T \leq -200^{\circ}\text{C}$ $< \pm 1.5^{\circ}\text{C}@-200^{\circ}\text{C} \leq T \leq -100^{\circ}\text{C}$ $< \pm 1^{\circ}\text{C}@-100^{\circ}\text{C} \leq T \leq 500^{\circ}\text{C}$ $< \pm 0.2\%$ of displayed value $@500^{\circ}\text{C} \leq T \leq 1300^{\circ}\text{C}$ $\geq \pm 2.6^{\circ}\text{C}@1300^{\circ}\text{C} \leq T \leq 1370^{\circ}\text{C}$
R	-50.0°C to +1765.0°C, -58.0°F to +3209.0°F	$\geq \pm 4^{\circ}\text{C}@-50^{\circ}\text{C} \leq T \leq 0^{\circ}\text{C}$ $< \pm 4^{\circ}\text{C}@0^{\circ}\text{C} \leq T \leq 250^{\circ}\text{C}$ $< \pm 2^{\circ}\text{C}@250^{\circ}\text{C} \leq T \leq 500^{\circ}\text{C}$ $< \pm 3.5^{\circ}\text{C}@500^{\circ}\text{C} \leq T \leq 1700^{\circ}\text{C}$ $\geq \pm 3.5^{\circ}\text{C}@1700^{\circ}\text{C} \leq T \leq 1765^{\circ}\text{C}$
S	-50.0°C to +1765.0°C, -58.0°F to +3209.0°F	$\geq \pm 4^{\circ}\text{C}@-50^{\circ}\text{C} \leq T \leq 0^{\circ}\text{C}$ $< \pm 4^{\circ}\text{C}@0^{\circ}\text{C} \leq T \leq 250^{\circ}\text{C}$ $< \pm 2^{\circ}\text{C}@250^{\circ}\text{C} \leq T \leq 500^{\circ}\text{C}$ $< \pm 3.5^{\circ}\text{C}@500^{\circ}\text{C} \leq T \leq 1700^{\circ}\text{C}$ $\geq \pm 3.5^{\circ}\text{C}@1700^{\circ}\text{C} \leq T \leq 1768^{\circ}\text{C}$
T	-270.0°C to +400.0°C, -454.0°F to +752.0°F	$\geq \pm 1^{\circ}\text{C}@-270^{\circ}\text{C} \leq T \leq -200^{\circ}\text{C}$ $< \pm 1^{\circ}\text{C}@-200^{\circ}\text{C} \leq T \leq 400^{\circ}\text{C}$
C	0°C to 2300°C, 32°F to +3276.7°F	$\leq \pm 3^{\circ}\text{C}@0^{\circ}\text{C} \leq T < 300^{\circ}\text{C}$ $\leq \pm 4^{\circ}\text{C}@300^{\circ}\text{C} \leq T < 700^{\circ}\text{C}$ $\leq \pm 5.75^{\circ}\text{C}@700^{\circ}\text{C} \leq T < 2300^{\circ}\text{C}$

8.2 Appendix 2: Object Dictionary Definition

Description

The GL20-8TC-PID module is used for thermocouple temperature collection. It is equipped with 8 independent channels for simultaneous temperature collection. The configuration of each channel

is independent from each other. The module supports PID adjustment and can control the heating or cooling of external devices based on the collected temperature.

- Name: GL20-8TC-PID Module
- Module category: Temperature Measure
- Module identification code: 0x10F41052

Process data

Input data

For the module in slot n ($n = 0$ to 62) and channel m ($m = 0$ to 7), the object dictionary definition for index $0x7000+0x40*n+m$ is shown in the table below.

There are 24 bytes/channel (192 bytes/8 channels) of process data transmitted from PLC to the module.

Index	0x7000+0x40*n+m:				
Subindex	Name	Data Type/Length	Data Type	Access Type	Mapping
0	Subindex 000	4	USINT	RO	NO
1	8TC-PID CHm0 Set Point	4	REAL	RW	YES
2	8TC-PID CHm0 Manual Value	2	INT	RW	YES
3	8TC-PID CHm1 Kp	2	UINT	RW	YES
4	8TC-PID CHm2 Ti	2	UINT	RW	YES
5	8TC-PID CHm3 Td	2	UINT	RW	YES
6	8TC-PID CHm0 KpCool	2	USINT	RW	YES
7	8TC-PID CHm0 TiCool	2	UINT	RW	YES
8	8TC-PID CHm0 TdCool	2	UINT	RW	YES
9	8TC-PID CHm0 CoolCoefficient	1	UINT	RW	YES
10	8TC-PID CHm0 ATCoefficient	1	USINT	RW	YES
11	8TC-PID CHm0 TempCommand	1	USINT	RW	YES
12	Reserve1	1	USINT	RW	YES

The parameters for channel configuration are shown in the following table.

Parameter	Specification	Value Range	Default Value	Unit
Set Point	Set point value (SP)	-	-	1 (0.1)°C
ManualValue	Manual output percentage	• Unipolar: 0 to 1000 • Bipolar: -1000 to +1000	0	0.10%
Kp	Proportional coefficient	1 to 10000	500	0.1
Ti	Integral time	0 to 65535	2000	0.1s
Td	Derivative time	0 to 65535	400	0.1s
KpCool	Proportional coefficient	1 to 10000	50	0.1
TiCool	Integral time	0 to 65535	200	0.1s
TdCool	Derivative time	0 to 65535	40	0.1s
CoolCoefficient	Cooling coefficient	1 to 1000	1	0.1

Parameter	Specification	Value Range	Default Value	Unit
ATCoefficient	Auto-tuning coefficient	0 to 100	50	0.01
TempCommand	Bit 0: Enable temperature control • 0: Disabled • 1: Enabled Bit 1: Enable manual mode (ManualEnable) • 0: Disabled • 1: Enabled Bit 2: Enable auto-tuning mode (StartAT) • 0: Disabled • 1: Enabled	• 0: Disabled • 1: Enabled	0	-
Reserve1	Reserved	-	-	-

Output data

For the module in slot n ($n = 0$ to 62) and channel m ($m = 0$ to 7), the object dictionary definition for index $0x6000+0x40*n+m$ is shown in the table below.

There are 28 bytes/channel (224 bytes/8 channels) of output data transmitted from the module to the PLC.

Index	0x6000+0x40*n+m:				
Subindex	Name	Data Type/ Length	Data Type	Access Type	Mapping
0	Subindex 000	4	USINT	RO	NO
1	8TC-PID CHm0 Temperature	4	REAL	RO	YES
2	8TC-PID CHm0 HeatPercent	2	INT	RO	YES
3	8TC-PID CHm0 CoolPercent	2	INT	RO	YES
4	8TC-PID CHm1 Kp_AT	2	UINT	RO	YES
5	8TC-PID CHm2 Ti_AT	2	UINT	RO	YES
6	8TC-PID CHm3 Td_AT	2	UINT	RO	YES
7	8TC-PID CHm0 KpCool_AT	2	UINT	RO	YES
8	8TC-PID CHm0 TiCool_AT	2	UINT	RO	YES
9	8TC-PID CHm0 TdCool_AT	2	UINT	RO	YES
10	8TC-PID CHm0 CoolCoefficient_AT	2	UINT	RO	YES
11	8TC-PID CHm0 Run State	1	USINT	RO	YES
12	8TC-PID CHm0 ErrorID	1	USINT	RO	YES
13	8TC-PID CHm0 Output State	1	USINT	RO	YES
14	Reserved	1	USINT	RO	YES
15	Reserved	2	USINT	RO	YES

The parameters for channel configuration are shown in the following table.

Parameter	Specification	Value Range	Default Value	Unit
Temperature	Temperature	-	-	-
HeatPercent	Output percentage of unipolar control	-1000 to +1000	-	0.1%
CoolPercent	Cooling output percentage of bipolar controls	-1000 to +1000	-	0.1%
Kp_AT	Proportional coefficient in auto-tuning mode	1 to 10000	0	0.1
Ti_AT	Integral time in auto-tuning mode	0 to 65535	0	0.1s
Td_AT	Derivative time in auto-tuning mode	0 to 65535	0	0.1s
KpCool_AT	Proportional coefficient in auto-tuning mode	1 to 10000	0	0.1
TiCool_AT	Integral time in auto-tuning mode	0 to 65535	0	0.1s
TdCool_AT	Derivative time in auto-tuning mode	0 to 65535	0	0.1s
CoolCoefficient_AT	Cooling coefficient in auto-tuning mode	0 to 1000	10	0.01
Run State	Running state	• 0: Not activated • 1: Manual • 2: Automatic • 3: Reserved • 4: Tuned • 5: Faulty	-	-
ErrorID	Fault code For details, see “8.3 Appendix 3: PID Fault Code” on page 48	-	-	-
Output State (of temperature control)	• Bit 0: HeatPWM (unipolar mode output) • Bit 1: Cooling PWM output (CoolPWM), only applicable in bipolar control modes 2, 3, and 6 • Bit 2: Enable auto-tuning mode (StartAT) • Bit 3: Auto-tuning state (ATState) • Bit 4: Auto-tuning state (ATState) • Bit 5: Overload of heating output • Bit 6: Overload of cooling output • Bit 7: Reserved Note: This bit is used for output for unipolar heating/cooling control mode.	For unipolar control mode, Bit 0 • 1: ON • 0: OFF For bipolar control mode, Bit 0: Heating output • 1: Heating • 0: No heating Bit 1: Cooling output • 1: Cooling • 0: No cooling Bit 2: Enabling • 0: Disabled • 1: Enabled Bit 3 to Bit 4 • 0: Not tuned • 1: Tuning • 2: Tuned	-	-

Configuration data

For the module in slot n ($n = 0$ to 62), the object dictionary definition for index $0x8000+0x40*n$ is shown in the table below.

There are 2 bytes of configuration data of the module.

Index	0x8000+0x40*n: SampleTime/Unit/Float/CoolJunction					
Subindex	Name	Data Type/ Length	Data Type	Access Type	Mapping	Default Value
0	Subindex 000	-	USINT	RO	NO	1
1	SampleTime/ Unit/Float/ CoolJunction	2	UINT	RW	NO	162

The parameters for channel configuration are shown in the following table.

Parameter	Specification	Value Range	Default Value	Unit
SampleTime/Unit/ Float/CoolJunction	Sampling cycle + Temperature unit + Decimal place + Cold junction compensation	Bit 0 to Bit 2: Sampling cycle • 0: 100ms • 1: 500ms • 2: 1000ms • 3: 2000ms Bit 3 to Bit 4: Temperature unit • 0: Celsius (default) • 1: Fahrenheit degree Bit 5 to Bit 6: Decimal places • 1: One decimal place • 2: Two decimal places • 3: Three decimal places Bit 7: Cold junction compensation of thermocouple • 0: External cold junction compensation • 1: Internal cold junction compensation	162	-

For the module in slot n ($n = 0$ to 62), the object dictionary definition for index $0x8001+0x40*n$ is shown in the table below.

There are 10 bytes of SDO configuration data.

Subindex	Name	Data Type/ Length	Data Type	Access Type	Mapping
0	Subindex 000	1	UINT	RO	NO
1	8TC-PID CHm0 SampleMode +SenserType +ChannelEnable	1	USINT	RW	NO
2	8TC-PID CHm0 Filter	1	USINT	RW	NO
3	8TC-PID CHm0 Detect	2	USINT	RW	NO
4	8TC-PID CHm0 Reserved	2	USINT	RW	NO
5	8TC-PID CHm0 Bias	2	INT	RW	NO
6	8TC-PID CHm0 UpLimit	2	INT	RW	NO

Subindex	Name	Data Type/ Length	Data Type	Access Type	Mapping
7	8TC-PID CHm0 DownLimit	2	INT	RW	NO
8	8TC-PID CHm0 CycleTime	2	UINT	RW	NO
9	8TC-PID CHm0 DelayStartUp	2	UINT	RW	NO
10	8TC-PID CHm0 DelayShutDown	2	UINT	RW	NO
11	8TC-PID CHm0 ErrorOut	2	INT	RW	NO
12	8TC-PID CHm0 CycleTimeCool	2	UINT	RW	NO
13	8TC-PID CHm0 CoolOffset	2	INT	RW	NO
14	8TC-PID CHm0 ATOut	2	UINT	RW	NO
15	8TC-PID CHm0 ATNum	1	USINT	RW	NO
16	8TC-PID CHm0 ControlMode +ErrorAction	1	USINT	RW	NO
17	8TC-PID CHm0 IntegralCut	1	USINT	RW	NO
18	8TC-PID CHm0 Reserved1	1	USINT	RW	NO

The parameters for channel configuration are shown in the following table.

Parameter	Specification	Value Range	Default Value	Unit
SampleMode + SenserType + ChannelEnable	Sampling mode + Sensor type + Channel enabling	Bit 0 to Bit 1: Sampling mode Default is K type. Bit 2 to Bit 6: Sensor type Default is K type. • 0: K • 1: J • 2: E • 3: B • 4: N • 5: R • 6: S • 7: T • 8: C • 9: ± 100 mV Bit 7: Channel enabling • 0: Disabled • 1: Enabled	131	-
Filter	Channel filter parameter	0s to 16s, with the default of 5s	5	-

Parameter	Specification	Value Range	Default Value	Unit
Detect	Temperature detection and diagnostic parameters	Bit 0: Temperature offset • 0: Disabled • 1: Enabled (normal) Bit 1: Wire disconnection detection • 0: Disabled • 1: Enabled Bit 2: Overlimit detection • 0: Disabled • 1: Enabled Bit 3: Overflow/underflow detection • 0: Disabled • 1: Enabled Bit 4 to Bit 7: Reserved	0	-
Reserved	/	-	0	-
Bias	Channel temperature offset parameter	-204.8 to +204.7 with the default of 0	0	-
UpLimit	Upper limit of channel temperature	The range of "UpLimit" equals to the temperature setting range of the current mode, with the default being the maximum value of the temperature setting range in the current mode.	13700	-
DownLimit	Lower limit of channel temperature	The range of "DownLimit" equals to the temperature setting range of the current mode, with the default being the minimum value of the temperature setting range in the current mode.	-2700	-
CycleTime	Output cycle	1 to 65535	1000	ms
DelayStartUp	PID starts after the set delay time, which is used for staggered startup when the device is equipped with multiple temperature control channels.	0 to 65535	0	ms
DelayShutDown	PID is closed after the set delay time.	0 to 65535	0	ms
ErrorOut	Outputs a predefined percentage value in case of an alarm	-1000 to +1000	0	0.10%
CycleTimeCool	Cooling output cycle	1 to 65535	5000	ms
CoolOffset	Cooling offset. Cooling setpoint = SP+ OffsetCool	-1000 to +1000	0	°C
ATOut	Auto-tuning output	0 to 1000	1000	0.10%
ATNum	Number of auto-tuning waveforms	0 to 20	2	-

Parameter	Specification	Value Range	Default Value	Unit
ControlMode +ErrorAction	Control mode + Fault action + Output type + Cooling output type	Bit 0 to Bit 1: Control mode • 0: PID negative action (unipolar heating) • 1: PID positive action (unipolar cooling) • 2: PID bipolarity controlled by cooling coefficient • 3: PID bipolarity controlled independently Bit 2: Action upon an alarm • 0: Keep the current value • 1: Output the predefined value Bit 3 to Bit 4: Output type • 0: PWM output • 2: Percentage output • Bit 5 to Bit 6: Cooling output type • 0: PWM output • 2: Percentage output Bit 7: Reserved	4	-
IntegralCut	Reduces the integral coefficient when the setpoint changes	0 to 100	75	0.01
Reserved1	Reserved	-	-	-

8.3 Appendix 3: PID Fault Code

Group	No.	Fault Code	Description
No fault	0	NO_ERROR :=0	No fault
Input interface parameters	1	KP_ERROR	Kp configuration fault
	4	KPCOOL_ERROR	Cooling Kp configuration fault
	7	COOL_COEFFICIENT_ERROR	Cooling coefficient configuration fault
	9	CYCLE_TIME_ERROR	General configuration fault of the output cycle
	12	MANUAL_VALUE_ERROR	General configuration fault of the manual output value
	13	ATCOEFFICIENT_ERROR	General configuration fault of the auto-tuning coefficient

Group	No.	Fault Code	Description
Heating output configuration	25	OUT_TYPE_ERROR	Configuration fault of the heating output type
	26	OUT_MIN_ERROR	Configuration fault of the minimum heating output percentage
	27	OUT_MAX_ERROR	Configuration fault of the maximum heating output percentage
	28	AO_MIN_ERROR	Configuration fault of the minimum heating analog output
	29	AO_MAX_ERROR	Configuration fault of the maximum heating analog output
	30	OUTPUT_OFFSET_ERROR	Configuration fault of the heating output compensation value
Cooling output configuration	31	COOL_OUT_TYPE_ERROR	Configuration fault of the cooling output type
	32	COOL_OUT_MIN_ERROR	Configuration fault of the minimum cooling output percentage
	33	COOL_OUT_MAX_ERROR	Configuration fault of the maximum cooling output percentage
	34	COOL_AO_MIN_ERROR	Configuration fault of the minimum cooling analog output
	35	COOL_AO_MAX_ERROR	Configuration fault of the maximum cooling analog output
	36	COOL_OUTPUT_OFFSET_ERROR	Configuration fault of the cooling output compensation value
Cooling configuration	41	COOL_PID_TYPE_ERROR	Configuration fault of the cooling PID type
	42	SAMPLE_COOL_TIME_ERROR	Configuration fault of the cooling sampling cycle
	43	CYCLE_COOL_TIME_ERROR	Configuration fault of the cooling output cycle
	44	COOL_OFFSET_ERROR	Configuration fault of the cooling set deviation
	45	PV_LOW_LIMIT_ERROR	The PV target temperature is lower than the lower limit alarm. This fault is only related to the configured lower limit.
	46	PV_HIGH_LIMIT_ERROR	The PV target temperature is higher than the upper limit alarm. This fault is only related to the configured upper limit.
General configuration	57	AT_NUM_ERROR	The number of auto-tuning waveforms exceeds the range of 0 to 20.
	58	AT_OUT_ERROR	The auto-tuning output percentage exceeds the range
Temperature configuration	59	TEMP_ERROR	Temperature fault

8.4 Appendix 4: Version Matching Information

The version matching information is shown in the following table.

Product Name	Firmware Version	XML File Version	InoProShop Version
Local module	Board software: 2.0.4.0 and later Logic software: 4.0.0.0 and later	-	V1.9.0.1 and later
GL20-RTU-ECT32 communication interface module	Board software: 3.1.16.0 and later Logic software: 0.1.4.5 and later	3.2.0.3 and later	

Note

You can get the firmware of the module and the firmware of communication interface module from Inovance technical support, and download XML files and InoProShop from <https://www.inovance.com>.

Service and Support

Should you encounter a safety accident during the use or operation of the product, or face challenges in operating and maintaining the equipment, which remain unresolved after the relevant documentation is consulted, we provide multiple channels to ensure prompt resolution:

- Channel #1: Contact service@inovance.com.
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