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Software Details

Software Name: FDI Device Package

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Release Version: 1.5.146

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Description FDI Device Package for Ethernet-APL Rail Field

Switch ic





1. Software Version 1.5.146

1.1 Supported Products

ARS*-*-IC*-*, requires at least PANOS firmware version 1.3.0

1.2 New features

- SFP physical layer data supported
- Temperature stress diagnostics and lifetime prognostics supported
- PROFINET port configuration can be ignored to allow disabling of ports if the DCS system does not handle port settings over PROFINET

1.3 Changed features

Update of product documentation

1.4 Bug Fixes

None





2. Software Version 1.4.128

2.1 Supported Products

ARS*-*-IC*-*, requires at least PANOS firmware version 1.2.0

2.2 New features

None

2.3 Changed features

- Update of GSDML file
- Update of product documentation

2.4 Bug Fixes

- Data rate for Dev port is not supported by device removed from FDI package
- SNMP community strings are not evaluated in FDI package whether they are valid
- Alert timestamp is shown as edited in some FDI hosts, although it is a read-only value





3. Software Version 1.3.103

3.1 Supported Products

ARS*-*-IC*-*, requires at least PANOS firmware version 1.2.0

3.2 New features

- Network communication load and communication error rates for Ethernet ports
- Communication statistics for PROFIBUS PA
- Alert reporting to a PROFINET controller (DCS alarming) can be disabled without disabling alerts shown at the web interface and FDI package
- Diagnostic shows hints about disabled or acknowledged alarms and disabled DCS alarming
- Status of the bulk power supply connection is shown at the diagnostics details of the device

3.3 Changed features

Update of product documentation

3.4 Bug Fixes

None





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4. Software Version 1.2.85

4.1 Supported Products

ARS*-*-IC*-*, requires at least PANOS firmware version 1.1.1

4.2 New features

None

4.3 Changed features

- Update of GSDML file
- Update of product documentation

4.4 Bug Fixes

None



5. Software Version 1.2.83

5.1 Supported Products

ARS*-*-IC*-*, requires at least PANOS firmware version 1.1.1

5.2 New features

- FDI Package supports more parameters in the offline configuration menu
- FDI Package is digitally signed

5.3 Changed features

- Read performance of switch parameters is optimized for faster access
- Performance improvements for FDI Hosts using Common Host Components 1.5.1 (e.g. ABB Field Information Manager 2.4)
- Device information like serial number is also shown in the "Settings" menu as some
 FDI hosts don't provide the "Maintenance" menu

5.4 Bug Fixes

 SNMP parameters cannot be changed if SNMP is enabled/disabled by a PROFINET AR

6. Software Version 1.1.55

6.1 Supported Products

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6.2 Changes

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