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1.4 Introduction

INTRODUCTION

Robotics Developer Pack (RDP) brings robotics, automation, and animatronics
into the Amiga world. RDP provides minissc library, a full library
documentation, necessary C/C++ include files, 3 example programs (C source
codes and executable binary files included), RDP developer manual, and Mini
SSC II controller documentation & presentation.

Minissc library is designed for controlling standard R/C servos through the
popular Mini SSC II serial servo controller. There are tens of robot kits
(arms, wheeled robots, legged robots, wheeled robots with arms...) and
animatronics available which are based on Mini SSC II controller. Just plug

the controller's cable into the Amiga serial port and the robot is under your control!

The Robotics Developer Pack is a freeware [AMITY] product.

1.5 Features

FEATURES

· minissc library supports all Mini SSC II features: low & high communication rates, narrow & wide motion ranges, and controller chaining
· extra featues: servo positioning based on AUs or degrees and individual motion ranges for servos
· detailed library and coding documentation
· example programs with C source codes
· comprehensive Mini SSC II documentation + controller pictures
· suggestive Mini SSC II distributor list with full contact informations

1.6 Requirements

REQUIREMENTS

Hardware

Amiga
and

Mini SSC II
and

Connector cable
and

Servo

Amiga

· OS version 1.x or later
· at least 68000 CPU

Mini SSC II

Manufacturer
Distributors

Connector cable

 Cable between Amiga's serial port and Mini SSC II controller.
 See ssc2_mnl.pdf, manufacturer's web pages, or one of the distributor's web
 pages for more information.

 Servo

 "Hobby" servo with standard three-conductor socket connector (e.g. Futaba-J
 connector). See one of the distributor's web pages.

 Software

                Installer
                Version 44.10 or later.

                Apdf
                Version 1.3 or later.

Installer 44.10

 Version 44.10 is included in AmigaOS 3.5 CD-ROM and in Developer CD V2.1.

Apdf 4.12

 25.02.2000 Aminet (Sweden)
 http://ftp.sunet.se/~aminet/dirs/gfx_show.html/
 Apdf020.lha
 Apdf040.lha
 Apdf060.lha
 Apdfppc.lha

1.7 Installation

                INSTALLATION

Requirements

 · about 7-800 kB of free disk space
 ·
                Installer version 44.10
                 How to install Robotics Developer Pack on hard disk?

Just double-click the 'Install' icon and follow the given instructions.

The cover picture, installer script, readme files, and other notes are not
essential, and that is why they are not installed by the script. If you would
like to have them on your hard disk, you have to copy them manually.

How to test minissc.library without installing it?

Just double-click 'Preview' icon. Script will make a temporary assign to the
local library directory where minissc.library is located. Then it shows
information about how Mini SSC II controller should be configured and waits
until you have done the required modifications, executes LowRateScan example
program in order to demonstrate servo control, and finaly it removes
temporary assign made at the beginning.

No required installer!?

If you cannot use Installer version 44.10, for one reason or another, you
have to make the installation manually.

Create somewhere on your hard disk a directory 'RoboticsDP' and copy there
all RoboticsDP directories and files except 'Include' and 'Libs'
directories. Locate your C/C++ compiler's 'Include' directory and copy there
all directories and files from the RoboticsDP's 'Include' directory. Finally
copy minissc.library from the 'Libs' directory to the system's 'LIBS:'.

1.8 Bugs and Limitations

BUGS/LIMITATIONS

Bug reports

If you think the minissc library doesn't work as it's supposed to, please
send me mail describing the problem so that I can make RoboticsDP into a
better product.

Limitations

· Due to Mini SSC II hardware limitations, minissc library can never know for
  sure the actual settings of Mini SSC II controller or actual servo
  positions.
· Servos modified for continuous rotation are not currently supported.

HINT

IF SOMEONE SENDS ME A MODIFIED SERVO, I WILL ADD SUPPORT FOR THOSE SERVOS IN
MINISSC LIBRARY.

1.9 Future of Robotics Developer Pack

FUTURE

The future of Robotics Developer Pack depends on you. Without your feedback
there won't be new releases or new features.

Let me know how you like it so far and what you would like to see in future

releases.

1.10 History

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                HISTORY


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                1.0
                First release.


15012000 minissc.library

    DATE
        15.01.2000

    AUTHOR
        Janne Peräaho

    VERSION
        1

    REVISION
        0

    NEW
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    CHANGES
        -

    REMOVED
        -

    BUGS
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    COMPILER
        StormC Version 3.0 AmigaOS

    COMMENT
        First version.
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1.11 Support

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                SUPPORT



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                    minissc library
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 Mini SSC II               Scott Edwards Electronics, Inc.
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