

CONVAG Bosch To Pelco

PTZ protocol converter / translator Standard and Lite version

The converter / translator is a microprocessor device designed to integrate Bosch CCTV system with other Speed Dome cameras using Pelco-D or Pelco-D protocol.

High performance processor and software created in accordance with the principles of multitasking, give an efficient configuration with fast response to control.

The converter / translator is equipped with one input port OSRD (RS-485) / Biphase for Bosch and two independent output ports for Pelco-D and Pelco-P.

Converter Standard version can be used in CCTV systems where only one Bosch PTZ keyboard is used. For systems with multiple PTZ keyboards LITE version should be used for stable operation - one protocol converter per one Speed Dome.

Main features

- 1) Support for up to **sixteen** cameras (**Standard version**) by one converter with individually selected addresses for each camera in the range from 1-254. **One** camera support for **Lite** version.
- 2) Possibility to extend up to 99 cameras by purchasing additional licenses.
- 3) Function of changing camera output addresses (**ADDRESS SHIFT**) during translation. It also allows to cameras with DVR's or Video Matrix using address range of 1-16383. Optional license for the Standard version, free for the **Lite** version.
- 4) Advanced PAN / TILT **Joystick Curve Correction** function, individually for each camera optional license for the Standard version, free for the Lite version.
- 5) Simultaneous processing of many motion commands: Pan, Tilt, Zoom, Iris, Focus.
- 6) Programming and calling the PRESET and AUX functions.
- 7) Wide range of baud rate selection and Pelco and Bosch OSRD protocol type selection.
- 8) Settings and updating firmware via USB and Ewimar Firmware Upgrader / Configurator.
- 9) Possibility to change the firmware to others when the converter will no longer be used in the existing system only at the cost of the software.

Supported protocols Bosch/Philips

Translation process takes into account a feew motion commands for Bosch.

Fixed-Start-Stop (optocode 0x02) – The command sends START and STOP, with no information about the speed of movement. Command used in old type PTZ telemetry receivers and heads. The Pan/Tilt Speed for Pelco Speed Dome during translation is as set by commands **Pan Speed for Fixed** and **Tilt Speed for Fixed**.

Fixed-speed for Specified Period (optocode 0x03) – The command sends START and STOP with no information about the speed of movement. The movement is active by defined time. The Pan/Tilt Speed for Pelco Speed Dome during translation is as set by commands **Pan Speed for Fixed** and **Tilt Speed for Fixed**.

Fixed-Repetive (optocode 0x04) – The command sending only the START at intervals up to every 50ms (20Hz), with no information about the speed of rotation. Used in old type PTZ telemetry receivers and heads. It does not support **Iris Close and Iris Open**. The Pan/Tilt Speed for Pelco Speed Dome during translation is as set by commands **Pan Speed for Fixed** and **Tilt Speed for Fixed**.

Variable-Start-Stop (optocode 0x05) - The command sending START and STOP including information about the speed of rotation. Used in new type PTZ telemetry receivers and speed-dome cameras. Often also used in cameras from other manufacturers with support of Bosch or Philips code.

Fixed-Repetive Zoom Focus (optocode 0x06) – The command sending only the START at intervals up to every 50ms (20Hz). Used for MOTO-ZOOM lenses only.

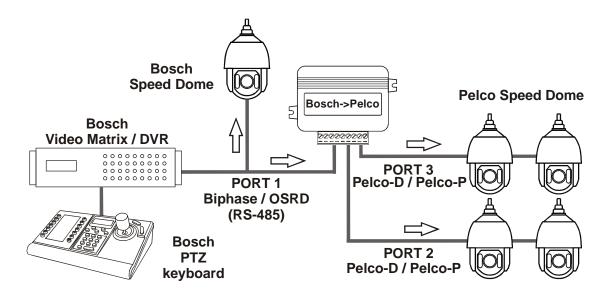
Commands (optocode 0x07) – Special commands: Presets, Auxiliary ON/OFF commands. Compatible with all systems.

Variable-Start-Stop (optocode 0x08) - The command sending only the START at intervals up to every 50ms (20Hz), with information about the speed of movement. Used with Bosch DVR's and Video Matrix. It is not recommended to radio transmission and LAN network using the LAN to RS-485 converters.

Fine Speed PTZ (optocode 0x09) – The command sending START and STOP including information about the high precision speed of movement. During translation the movement speed is converted to range used in Pelco protocols.

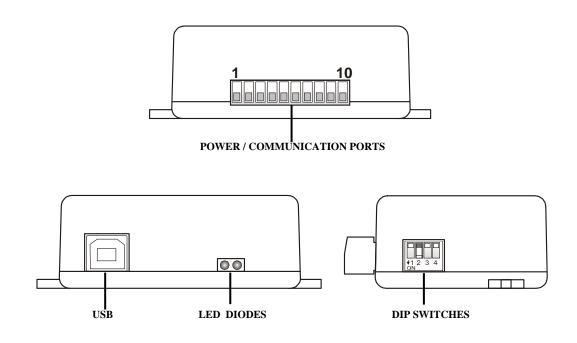
Connection structure

The converter has one input port for Bosch (Biphase / OSRD) and two Pelco output ports, each of which is freely configurable as Pelco-D or Pelco-P. It is installed between a Bosch control device (PTZ keyboard, DVR, Video Matrix, Encoder, etc) and other Speed Dome cameras. Can be located anywhere between control device and PTZ cameras..



The basic way to connect a Pelco Speed Dome to Bosch CCTV system

Description of configuration and connection elements



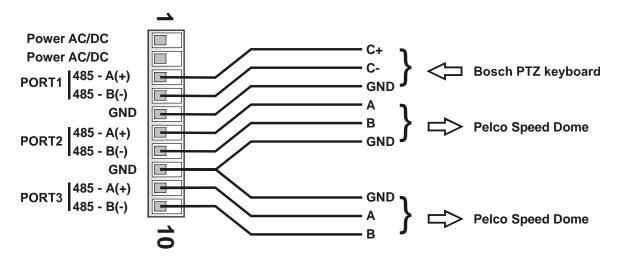
POWER / COMMUNICATION PORTS – Removable terminal containing converter power terminals and RS-485 / BIPHASE communication ports. The purpose of each port is described below.

LED DIODES.

Red – depending on the settings, informs about translation and sending data to the camera **or** informs about corrupted data packets / collisions, coming from the control device.

Green – depending on the settings informs about any data coming from the control device **or** about the correct packets only (correct protocol and transmission parameters). Signaling that the correct packets have been received does not mean that they will be translated, because it also depends on settings the supported addresses by the converter.

- **DIP SWITCHES** Designed to switch on termination resistors for ports 1 ~ 3 and to run the converter firmware update mode.
- **USB** It is designed to configure settings using the Firmware Upgrader / Configurator and to perform software updates / changes



- **POWER** Connect a power source in the range 9 ~ 24V AC / DC any polarity.
- **GND** Power Ground communication ports. It is recommended to connect with cameras and keyboards to avoid damage due to the ground loop effect.
- **PORT1** Configurable input port for connecting a PTZ keyboard with Bosch OSRD (RS-485) or Bosch Biphase. When OSRD is chosen also baudrate adjust is available by Configuration software (by default: Pelco-D, 9600baud).
- **PORT2** Output port do Speed Dome cameras with Pelco protocols.
- **PORT3** Output port do Speed Dome cameras with Pelco protocols.

DIP-SW



Dip switches No 1~3 are designed to turn on termination resistors accordingly for ports 1~3. After set to ON, internal 120Ω resistor is connected between A and B of according port.

Dip switch No 4 is used to emergency firmware update if during normal update communication has been lost. This way to repair broken firmware. To activate emergency update mode set DIP No 4 to **ON** and restart power supply (reconnect the USB). For normal operation DIP No 4 must be in **OFF** position. Emergency update method has been decribed in manual of the Firmware Upgrader / Configurator.

Settings and available functions

Configuration of the converter is carried out using the software available at:

<u>www.ewimar.com/soft/configurator.rar</u> - the file contains drivers and operating manuals needed to run.

Configuration of the converter is done after connecting it to a PC with a standard USB cable. The converter is detected as another COM port with fast data transmission.

The converter is connected to the software by selecting the COM port (the converter is detected as a USB serial port) and clicking the "Connect" button.

The "**Get user manual**" button opens the current User Manual for the firmware version of the converter in the default web browser. It may contain more detailed information than paper manuals. To open the manual you need an internet connection and installed PDF browser. Web address to the manual is also displayed after reading the converter configuration.

The "Get **Current Configuration**" button displays the current converter configuration settings in the left panel. The "**Command list**" button displays a list of commands available for the current firmware version along with the command's syntax and range of input data.

The right panel displays the command sent to the converter and its response about a changed setting or an error.

Each command must be entered in full syntax (letters, dashes, etc.) and the allowable range of data. The x, y characters must be replaced by the appropriate value.

The following parameters are defined in the converter:

1. Protocol type for Port 1: Command "P1-x".

Selection of communication protocol for the PTZ keyboard: P1-0 = Biphase -D, P1-1 = OSRD.

2. Protocol type for Port 2: Command "P2-x".

Selection of communication protocol for the Speed Dome: **P2-0** – Pelco-D, **P2-1** - Pelco-P.

3. Protocol type for Port 3: Command "P3-x".

Selection of communication protocol for the Speed Dome: **P3-0** – Pelco-D, **P3-1** - Pelco-P.

4. Baud rate: Command "Bx-y".

Used to select the baud rate for each ports in the range 1200 – 115200 baud.

The \mathbf{x} means port number (1-3), \mathbf{y} means baud rate (0-8). Notice! After set port 2 or 3 to Biphase the baud rate can't changed.

Example: To set the speed 9600baud for port 1, enter "B1-3".

5. PAN speed for FIXED: Command "MP-x".

Used to set PAN speed movement for Pelco cameras during translation FIXED type commands. The **x** charracter mean speed with range 1-7.

Example: To set speed movement for PAN, enter "MP-4".

6. TILT speed for FIXED: Command "MT-x".

Used to set TILT speed movement for Pelco cameras during translation FIXED type commands. The \mathbf{x} character mean speed with range 1-7.

Example: To set speed movement for TILT, enter "MT-4".

7. Green LED: Command "DG-x".

Configuration for Green LED operation. **DG-0** – Indicates of any data received from on the Port 1, regardless of the protocol setting or transmission speed.

DG-1 – Indicates of receiving only the correct packets on Port 1.

8. Red LED: Command "DR-x".

Configuration for Red LED operation. **DR-0** – Indicates the translation and sending commands to Bosch cameras - only if the controlled camera address is configured in the converter. **DR-1** – Indicates wrong packets received on Port 1 - wrong protocol, incorrect transmission speed or transmission errors due to the use of poor quality cable..

9. Supported camera addresses: Command "CAx-y".

The converter contains a camera table, the capacity of which depends on the license entered - by default **16** for the **Standard** version and **1** for the **Lite** version. The table should be assigned camera addresses in the range from 1-254, which will be supported by the converter.

The x character mean the position number in the table, y mean supported camera address (1-255) entered at that position.

Choose the position number and assign an address to it. Example: To assign camera address 128 to position No 1, enter: **CA1-128**.

The order of the addresses in the table does not matter if the addresses repeat, only the first one matters. If "Address Shift" function is active can be used address 1-16383. It allows to control Pelco cameras in big Bosch CCTV systems. For input addresses above 255 must be assigned output addresses 1-255 in the **Shift** fields.

10. Special: Command "Sxxxxxx".

Execution of a special command, for example entering the license code...

11. Address shift: Command "CSx-y".

Described in the extended manual downloaded with the " **Get user manual** " button. Always active in **Lite** version, active in **Standard** version after purchasing the license.

12. Advanced joystick correction: Command "CPx-y" i "CTx-y".

Described in the extended manual downloaded with the " **Get user manual** " button. Always active in **Lite** version, active in **Standard** version after purchasing the license.

List of translated commands from the Pelco keyboard

Nr	Command from Bosch keyboard	d Pelco camera function		
1	Move Up / Down / Left / Right	Move Up / Down / Left / Right		
2	Zoom in / Zoom out	Zoom + / Zoom -		
3	Focus Far / Focus Near	Focus Far / Focus Near		
4	Iris open / Close	Iris Open / Close		
5	Call SHOT 1~100 / Set SHOT 1~100	Call Preset 1~100 / Set preset 1~100		
6	Aux ON 1 ENTER	Start Auto-Scan		
7	Aux ON 2 ENTER	Auto-Pan		
8	Record A (Aux ON 100 ENTER)	Record pattern		
9	End record A (Aux OFF 100 ENTER)	End record pattern		
10	Continous Playback A (Aux ON 50 ENTER)	Start pattern		
11	SET SHOT 101	Set left limit		
12	SET SHOT 102	Set Right limit		

Fixed-Start-Stop and Fixed-Repetive commands do not contain information about the speed of movement. During translation to Pelco movement speed always is constant with value set by Firmware Upgrader / Configurator or by SET/SHOT 98 and 99 as below:

No	Command of Bosch keyboard	Result
1	SET SHOT 98	Increase PAN movement +1
2	RUN SHOT 98	Decrease PAN movement -1
3	SET SHOT 99	Increase TILT movement +1
4	RUN SHOT 99	Decrease TILT movement -1

Known problems and their solutions

No control Pelco Speed Dome - the green LED blinks during control, the red LED does not blink

- 1. Set the green LED to display only valid packets.
- 2. If the green LED is not blinking, check the connection and transmission parameters.
- 3. If the green LED is blinking, check if the camera address you want to control is set in the converter.

No control Pelco Speed Dome – the green LED blinks on the control, the red LED blinks from time to time.

- 1. Check the correct connection between the converter and the keyboard.
- 2. Check if the RS-485 terminating resistors are included in the keyboard and converter, if the distance between the converter and the keyboard are over 100m
- 3. Check the power supply stability of the converter

No control Pelco Speed Dome – green and red LED blinks.

- 1. Check the correct connection of the cables between the converter and the camera.
- 2. Check if the Pelco output protocol is suitable for the controlled cameras, check transmission baud rate.
- 3. Check if the termination is configured following the rules of RS-485.
- 4. Check the baud rate and camera address settings.

Time to time there is no camera control or the camera rotates continuously and cannot be stopped.

- 1. Set the red LED to display erroneous packets.
- 2. If the red LED blinks frequently, transmission is interrupted as a result of incorrect connections or data collision with another control device.
- 3. Check if the termination resistors are included in the converter and in the camera.
- 4. Possible interference from the ground loop effect a data separator is required.

No LED's light up when attempting to control.

- 1. Set the green LED to display all data.
- 2. If the green LED is blinking, verify the baud rate and protocol settings on PTZ keyboard and in the converter.
- 3. If the green LED is not blinking, check the connections between the keyboard and the converter.
- 4. Check the converter power supply. Restart power after connecting power supply red diode should blinks several times.

The device failed to start despite the above tips? Contact Ewimar Sp z o.o. Technical Support.

The converter is a specialized product and to connect and run this product, basic electronic knowledge, knowledge of communication interfaces and issues related to the installation of CCTV devices are necessary. The manufacturer is not liable for losses related to the use of the device, failure to operate or damage caused by the lack of proper knowledge of the user. This manual does not convey general knowledge, only information applicable to this product.

In the absence of operation or malfunction of the device or any complaint, please contact the manufacturer immediately.

DECLARATION OF CONFORMITY



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PTZ Protocol Converter

MODEL:

CONV Bosch To Pelco

MANUFACTURER:

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We hereby declare that the above product is approved for work within the EU and is compliant with essential requirements and other relevant provisions of EMC Directives 2014/30 / EU and 2011/65 / EU - RoHS directive:

PN-EN 61000-6-3: 2008 / A1: 2012 - Electromagnetic compatibility (EMC) - Part 6-3: General standards - Emission standard in residential, commercial and slightly industrialized environments

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