# **Dura**Pulse Accessories – Software GSoft2 Drive Configuration Software

## **GSoft2 Drive Configuration Software**

### Available for FREE Download

DURAPULSE Drives GSOFT2 Drive Configuration Software				
Part Number	Price*	Description	For GS Drive	
GSOFT2	\$10.50	GSOFT2 Windows configuration software, USB or free download. For use with DURApulse GS4, GS10, GS20, GS20X and GS30 series AC drives. Requires PC serial port or USB-485M serial adapter.	GS4 – all GS10 – all GS20(X) – all GS30 – all	
<u>USB-485M</u>	\$69.00	PC adapter, USB A to RS-485 (RJ45/RJ12).	GS4/GS10	
USB-CBL-AB3	\$12.00	Programming cable, USB A to USB B, 3ft cable length.	GS4 – all (for Drive FW only) GS20(X) – all GS30 – all	
* GSOFT2 can be downloaded for free or purchased on USB from AutomationDirect.com (search for GSOFT2).				

# **GSOFT2** Drive Configuration Software

GSoft2 is the configuration software for the Automation *Dura*Pulse family of drives. It is designed to allow you to connect a personal computer to the drive, and perform a variety of functions.

GSoft2 includes an integral help file with software instructions. GSoft2 can be downloaded for free or purchased on USB from AutomationDirect.com (search for GSoft2).

#### **Functions**

- Create new drive configurations
- · Upload/download drive configurations
- Edit drive configurations
- Archive/store multiple drive configurations on your PC
- Trend drive operation parameters (not available with GS10)
- Tune the drive PID loop
- View real time key operating parameters
- · Real-time trending
- Start/Stop drive and switch directions, provided drive is set up for remote operation
- View drive faults

### **Computer System Requirements**

GSoft2 will run on Windows PCs that meet the following requirements:

- Windows OS: <u>8</u>: 32 & 64 bit, <u>8.1</u>: 32 & 64 bit, <u>10</u>: 64 bit, 11
- Edge or Chrome (for HTML help support)
- 32 Mb of available memory
- 10 Mb hard drive space
- Available USB port
- USB to RS485 adapter needed for GS4 and GS10 models



# GS4/GS20(X)/GS30 Accessories – Software GSLogic PLC Programming Software

Optional Accessory Software Applicable Only to AC Drive Series:

- GS4
- GS20(X)
- GS30

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### **PLC Summary**

The GS4, GS20(X), and GS30 drives include a built-in PLC. Programmed in ladder logic, the PLC provides a comprehensive set of instructions and 2,000 (GS20(X)), 5,000 (GS30), or 10,000 (GS4) steps of programming capacity. GSLogic PLC software includes a Help File which contains the detailed information needed to use the PLC.

The PLC functionality is included with every GS4, GS20(X), and GS30 drive, and can be accessed over communications by external PLCs (via serial Modbus), or by the drive itself (using built-in PLC instructions). The PLC is perfectly suited for applications where digital and analog I/O requirements are small. For applications with complex PLC programming or large I/O requirements, please consider Click, Productivity, or Do-More/BRX. All of these PLCs can be easily integrated with the GS drive family or PLC. The GS4-KPD keypad is capable of storing multiple PLC programs.

There are two methods for communicating from the PLC to the drive. The first method is to use the WPR and RPR instructions available in the PLC's library. These two instructions can read from or write to any AC drive parameter in the same physical drive. The second method is to use Modbus RTU. The PLC is a Serial Modbus slave only. A Modbus RTU master can communicate with the PLC via serial only; optional communication cards cannot address the PLC. If communication cards (EtherNet/IP or Modbus TCP) are the desired method of communication, the drive includes PLC Buffers parameters that can be used. Simply write the needed information from the PLC into the drive's PLC buffer parameters using the WPR instruction. The Modbus TCP or EtherNet/IP cards can then read the VFD parameters.

### **GSLogic Introduction**

GSLogic is the drive PLC programming software for the AutomationDirect GS4, GS20(X), and GS30 family of drives. It is designed to enable you to perform a variety of drive PLC programming functions. Windows editing functions like cut, copy, paste, multiple windows, etc., are supported. GSLogic also provides for register editing, settings, file reading, saving, online monitoring settings, and other convenience functions, such as:

- Upload/download drive PLC program files to the onboard PLC
- Create new drive PLC programs
- Edit drive PLC programs
- Archive/store multiple drive PLC programs on your PC or the GS4-KPD drive keypad
- Control drive PID loops (FPID instructions)
- · View in real time all drive PLC registers
- Print drive PLC program files

GSLogic includes an integral help file that includes software instructions, how to use GSLogic, and how to use the GS drive PLC.

### **GSLogic System Requirements**

GSLogic is a Windows-based programming software environment. Please check the following requirements when choosing your PC configuration:

- Windows OS: 8: 32 & 64 bit, 8.1: 32 & 64 bit, 10: 64 bit, 11
- 300MB free hard-disk space
- USB Port required for project transfer to drive
- USB-485M serial adapter required for GS4 models

