

■ Troubleshooting Err84.0

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Cause & Solutions of Err84.0 (Timeout)

	Situation	Cause	Solution
A	When replacing the communication cable, it gets well. When shaking the plug, Err84.0 frequency is changed.	Connector contact failure	Change connector plug manufacturer.
B	The frequency of communication error is high. This error counts can be indicated on 7-segment LED. When installing ferrite cores or removing shield, the frequency is changed.	Noise When communication data is broken, it becomes Err83.0. But when a part identifying frame type is broken, the frame is thrown away as a waste. Thus, it makes frame lost in itself and the following nodes. When this situation is continued for a certain time, it causes Err84.0.	Remedy against noise such as installing ferrite cores. Confirm whether certain shielding is done or not. If earth-potential is unstable, remove shield.
C	All Slaves detect timeout at the same time.	Reset in Master com. circuit By some of unknown reason, Master reset communication circuit itself.	Verify power source and operation of Master.
D	It depends on a certain servo drive, and the following nodes detect timeout or communication error.	Servo drive failure	Replace the drive. Contact us through your local distributor.

Communication Error Counter

When Err84.0, measure frequency of the communication error to distinguish causes. Communication error counts can be indicated on 7-segment LED. (Pr7.00 = 3)

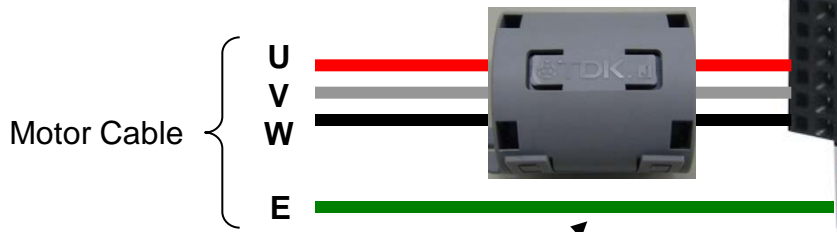
Pr 7.00	Information on display	Remarks
0	Normal display	[-]: servo OFF, [00]: servo ON
1	Mechanical angle	Range: 0 to FFF hex. 0: zero position of 1 revolution data of encoder. Data increments as motor turns CCW. When the displayed value exceeds [FF], the count is reset to [0] and restarted. When the incremental encoder is used, upon turning ON of the control power, [nF] (not Fixed) is displayed until zero position of the encoder is detected.
2	Electrical angle	Display range: 0 to FF hex. 0: the position where U phase induced voltage reaches the positive peak. Data increments as motor turns CCW. When the displayed value exceeds [FF], the count is reset to [0] and restarted.
3	RTEX Accumulated communication error counts	Display range: 0 to FF hex. Max. accumulated communication error counts: FFFF hex. Only the least significant byte is displayed. When the displayed value exceeds [FF], the count is reset to [00] and restarted. * Accumulated communication error counts will be cleared upon turning OFF of the control power source.
5	Encoder Accumulated communication error counts	When the displayed value exceeds [FF], the count is reset to [00] and restarted. * Accumulated communication error counts will be cleared upon turning OFF of the control power source.
6	External scale Accumulated communication error counts	
4	Node address value	Displays the value set on rotary switch (node address) and read upon power-up, in decimal number. After power-up, the value cannot be changed from the rotary switch.
7	Z phase counter	When the incremental external scale is used in full closed control, displays the value of Z phase counter read from external scale: 0-F hex. * This displayed value is not affected by the value of Pr 3.26 Reversal of direction of external scale.
Other	To be used by the manufacturer but not by the user.	—

Counter-measures for Noise

Reducing PWM Noise Radiated from Drive

Install a ferrite core on motor cable U, V and W.

Ferrite Core: ZCAT3035-1330 by TDK (DV0P1460)



Do not install it on E.



Stable Frame Ground

Make the back of chassis tightly contact earthed metal-frame. The surface of the metal-frame must be kept conductive.