



PROGRAMMABLE CONTROLLERS  
MELSEC-F

FX3U-ENET

INSTALLATION MANUAL



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This manual describes the part names, dimensions, mounting, and specifications of the product. Before use, read this manual and the manuals of all relevant products fully to acquire proficiency in handling and operating the product. Make sure to learn all the product information, safety information, and precautions. Store this manual in a safe place so that it can be taken out and read whenever necessary. Always forward it to the end user.  
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**Safety Precaution** (Read these precautions before use.)

This manual classifies the safety precautions into two categories:

**WARNING** and **CAUTION**

<b>WARNING</b>	Indicates that incorrect handling may cause hazardous conditions, resulting in death or severe injury.
<b>CAUTION</b>	Indicates that incorrect handling may cause hazardous conditions, resulting in medium or slight personal injury or physical damage.

Depending on circumstances, procedures indicated by **CAUTION** may also cause severe injury.  
It is important to follow all precautions for personal safety.

**Associated Manuals**

Manual name	Manual No.	Description
FX3U-ENET INSTALLATION MANUAL	JY997D15901	This manual
FX3U-ENET User's Manual	JY997D18101 MODEL CODE: 09R716	Describes the specifications, wiring, installation, maintenance, and operations of the FX3U-ENET.
FX3U Series HARDWARE MANUAL	JY997D18801	Briefly describes the I/O specifications, wiring, and installation of the FX3U Series PLC.
FX3U Series User's Manual - Hardware Edition	JY997D16501 MODEL CODE: 09R516	Describes the I/O specifications, wiring, installation, and maintenance of the FX3U Series PLC in detail.
FX3S/FX3G/FX3GC/FX3U/FX3UC Series Programming Manual - Basic & Applied Instruction Edition	JY997D16601 MODEL CODE: 09R517	Describes PLC programming for basic/applied instructions and devices.
FX3UC(D, DSS) Series HARDWARE MANUAL	JY997D28601	Briefly describes the I/O specifications, wiring, and installation of the FX3UC Series PLC.
FX3UC-32MT-LT-2 HARDWARE MANUAL	JY997D31601	Briefly describes the I/O specifications, wiring, and installation of the FX3U-32MT-LT-2.
FX3UC Series User's Manual - Hardware Edition	JY997D28701 MODEL CODE: 09R519	Describes the I/O specifications, wiring, installation, and maintenance of the FX3UC Series PLC in detail.

Manual name	Manual No.	Description
FX Configurator-EN Operation Manual	JY997D20501 MODEL CODE: 09R919	Describes the operation method of FX Configurator-EN.

Only this INSTALLATION MANUAL is supplied with the FX3U-ENET.  
For more details regarding the FX3U/FX3UC Series hardware, PLC programming commands, and special function blocks/units, refer to the appropriate manuals.

**How to obtain manuals**

For the necessary product manuals or documents, consult with the Mitsubishi Electric dealer from who you purchased this product.

**How to obtain FX Configurator-EN**

The parameter setting software, FX Configurator-EN is not supplied with this product. Consult with the Mitsubishi Electric dealer from who you purchased this product

**DESIGN PRECAUTION** **CAUTION**

- Configure an interlock circuit in the sequence program so that the system operates safely and uses the communication information in case of a communication error.
- Do not bundle the communication cable or the 24V power supply together with the main circuit or power line. Lay them at least 100mm (3.94") apart from each other. Failure to do so may result in noise and malfunctions.
- Ensure that the unit and cable are not subjected to excessive force. Failure to do so may result in wire damage/breakage or PLC failure.

**Certification of UL, cUL standards**

The following product has UL and cUL certification.

**UL, cUL File Number: E95239**

**Models: MELSEC FX3U series manufactured FX3U-ENET**

**Compliance with EC directive (CE Marking)**

This note does not guarantee that an entire mechanical module produced in accordance with the contents of this note will comply with the following standards. Compliance to EMC directive and LVD directive for the entire mechanical module should be checked by the user / manufacturer. For more details please contact the local Mitsubishi Electric sales site.

**Requirement for Compliance with EMC directive**

The following products have shown compliance through direct testing (of the identified standards below) and design analysis (through the creation of a technical construction file) to the European Directive for Electromagnetic Compatibility (2004/108/EC) when used as directed by the appropriate documentation.

**Attention**

- This product is designed for use in industrial applications.

**Note**

- Authorized Representative in the European Community: Mitsubishi Electric Europe B.V. Gothaer Str. 8, 40880 Ratingen, Germany

**Type: Programmable Controller (Open Type Equipment)**

**Models: MELSEC FX3U series manufactured from August 1st, 2005 FX3U-ENET**

Standard	Remark
EN61131-2:2007 Programmable controllers - Equipment requirements and tests	Compliance with all relevant aspects of the standard. <b>EMI</b> • Radiated Emissions • Conducted Emissions <b>EMS</b> • Radiated electromagnetic field • Fast Transient burst • Electrostatic discharge • High-energy surge • Voltage drops and interruptions • Conducted RF • Power frequency magnetic fields

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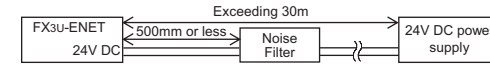
**Notes for compliance to EMC regulation.**

The (FX3U-ENET) must be installed in a shielded metal control panel. For more details please contact your local Mitsubishi Electric sales site.

**Notes for compliance with EN61131-2:2007**

General notes on the use of the power supply cable.

- The FX3U-ENET unit requires that the cable used for power supply is 30m or less.
- When the cable used for power supply exceeds 30m, a noise filter (Ex. TDK-Lambda MBS1205-22 or similar) should be placed on the 24V DC power cabling as close (within 500mm) to the FX3U-ENET termination points as possible, refer to following figure.



**1. Outline**

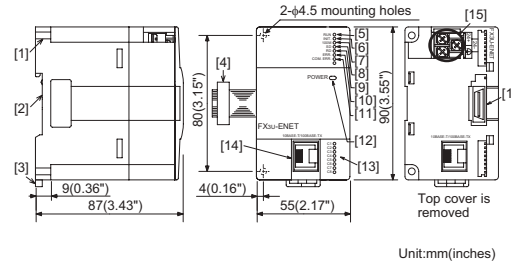
FX3U-ENET is an Ethernet unit for the FX3U/FX3UC Series (Ver.2.21 or later) PLC that is compliant with 100BASE-TX/10BASE-T and has the features as follows.

- Data and programs within the PLC can be sent and received via Ethernet by using GX Developer Ver.8.25B or later.
- Communication between PLCs or with a general Ethernet device is possible by fixed buffer communication. (TCP/IP or UDP/IP)
- Users can develop custom software to communicate with the PLC by using MC (MELSEC Communication) protocol (A-compatible 1E frame subset, for details, refer to user's manual). (TCP/IP or UDP/IP)
- E-mail can be sent and received. (SMTP or POP3 protocol)
- The FX3U-ENET parameters can be set easily using FX Configurator-EN.
- The diagnostic functions of FX Configurator-EN enables easy diagnostics and troubleshooting of the FX3U-ENET.

**1.1 Incorporated Items**

Product	Ethernet unit for the FX3U/FX3UC Series PLC
Included items	Installation Manual (this manual) Dust sheet Label for indication of special function unit/block number

**1.2 External Dimensions and Part Names**



MASS(Weight):0.3kg(0.66lbs)

- Direct mounting hole: 2 holes of  $\phi 4.5$ . Used when ENET is directly mounted. Not used when DIN rail is mounted.
- DIN rail mounting groove
- DIN rail mounting hook
- Extension cable
- RUN LED
- INIT. LED
- 100M LED
- SD LED
- RD LED
- ERR. LED
- COM.ERR. LED
- POWER LED
- C1 to C8 LEDs
- RJ45 modular jack
- Terminal block for power supply (24V DC) (M3 terminal block screw)
- Extension connector

**Indications of LEDs**

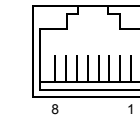
LED	Indication (○: Off, ●: On)
RUN	●: Normal operation ○: Abnormal operation
INIT.	●: Initial processing normal completion ○: Initial processing not performed
100M	●: 100Mbps ○: 10Mbps / When not connected
SD	●: Data being sent ○: Data not being sent
RD	●: Data being received ○: Data not being received
ERR.	●: Abnormal setting display* ○: Normal setting display
COM. ERR.	●: Abnormal communication display ○: Normal communication display
POWER	●: Power on ○: Power off
C1 to C8	●: TCP/IP - Connection established UDP - Open ○: TCP/IP - Connection not established UDP - Closed

\*The ERR LED illuminates in the following cases:

- When a parameter setting error occurs in the Ethernet unit
- When an operational error occurs in the PLC CPU
- When an error is found in the Ethernet unit (H/W error)

**Pin Configuration**

The pin configuration of ENET RJ45 type modular jack (for category 5 or category 3) is as follows:



Pin No.	Signal	Direction	Contents
1	TD+	Out	+ side of sending data
2	TD-	Out	- side of sending data
3	RD+	In	+ side of receiving data
4	Not used	-	
5	Not used	-	
6	RD-	In	- side of receiving data
7	Not used	-	
8	Not used	-	

**Cables to be used**

For 10BASE-T	Category 5e, shielded twisted-pair cable Category 5, shielded twisted-pair cable Category 3, shielded twisted-pair cable
For 100BASE-TX	Category 5e, shielded twisted-pair cable Category 5, shielded twisted-pair cable

**2. Installation**

**INSTALLATION PRECAUTIONS** **WARNING**

- Make sure to cut off all phases of the power supply externally before attempting installation work. Failure to do so may cause electric shock.
- Before attaching or replacing the main unit or extension unit, externally cut off all phases of the power supply. If not, it may cause malfunctions or misoperations.

**INSTALLATION PRECAUTIONS** **CAUTION**

- Use this product within the generic environment specifications described in this manual. Never use the product in areas with excessive dust, oily smoke, conductive dusts, corrosive gas (salt air, Cl<sub>2</sub>, H<sub>2</sub>S, SO<sub>2</sub>, or NO<sub>2</sub>), flammable gas, vibration or impacts, or expose it to high temperature, condensation, or rain and wind. If the product is used in such conditions, fire, malfunctions, deterioration or damage may occur.
- When tightening the terminal screws, stay within the specified torque range. When tightened insufficiently, short-circuit or failure may occur. When tightened too much, the screws or the unit may be damaged, causing the unit disposal, short-circuit, or failure.
- Do not touch the conductive part or electric parts of this unit directly. Doing so may cause device failure or malfunctions.

**INSTALLATION PRECAUTIONS** **CAUTION**

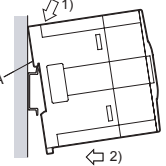
- Install the unit on a flat surface. If the mounting surface is rough, undue force will be applied to the PC board, thereby causing nonconformities.

**2.1 Mounting**  
The FX3U-ENET can be mounted directly using screws or on a DIN rail (DIN46227).

**2.1.1 Direct Mounting**  
The FX3U-ENET can be mounted with M4 screws by using the direct mounting holes.  
A space of 1 to 2 mm (0.04" to 0.08") between each unit is necessary.  
→ For the mounting hole pitch information, refer to Section 1.2

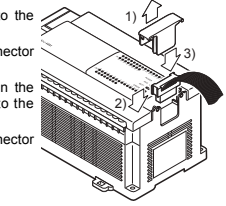
**2.1.2 DIN Rail Mounting**  
The FX3U-ENET can be mounted on a DIN rail (DIN46227, 35mm width).

- Fit the upper edge of the DIN rail mounting groove (fig. A) onto the DIN rail.
- Push the unit onto the DIN rail.



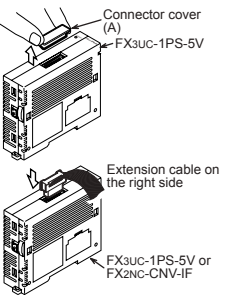
**2.1.3 Procedure for connecting with the FX3U Series PLC**  
**When connecting to an FX3U:**  
Before connections, turn off the power to the PLC.

- Remove the extension device connector cover of the main unit.
- Fold and insert the extension cable in the corresponding connector as shown to the right.
- Reattach the extension device connector cover on the main unit.



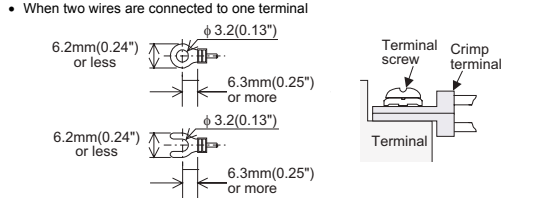
**When connecting to an FX3UC:**  
When connecting the FX3U-ENET, either the FX3UC-1PS-5V or FX2NC-CNV-IF is required.

- The connector cover (A) of the FX3UC-1PS-5V is removed as shown in the figure to the right. The FX2NC-CNV-IF does not have a connector cover.
- Connect the extension cable as shown to the right.



**2.2 Wire end treatment**  
The solderless terminal size depends on the terminal screw size and wiring method.  
- Use solderless terminals of the following size.  
- Tighten the terminals to a torque of 0.5 N·m to 0.8 N·m. Do not tighten terminal screws with a torque exceeding the regulation torque. Failure to do so may cause equipment failures or malfunctions.

**When using M3 terminal screw**  
For the main unit, input/output powered extension unit/block and special function unit/block



**3. Specification**

**STARTUP AND MAINTENANCE PRECAUTIONS** **WARNING**

- Do not touch any terminals or connector while the PLC's power is on. Doing so may cause electric shock or malfunctions.
- Before cleaning or retightening terminals, cut off all phases of the power supply. Failure to do so may cause malfunction or failure of this unit. When the screws are tightened insufficiently, they may fall out and cause a short-circuit or malfunction. When tightened too much, the screws or the unit may be damaged, resulting in short-circuit, or malfunction.
- When controlling the PLC (especially when changing data, the program or changing the operating conditions) during operation, ensure that it is safe to do so.

**STARTUP AND MAINTENANCE PRECAUTIONS** **CAUTION**

- Do not disassemble or modify the unit. Doing so may cause fire, equipment failures, or malfunctions.
- The unit case is made of resin. Do not drop the product or exert strong impact to it. Doing so may cause damage.
- When this unit is installed or removed from the panel, make sure to externally cut off all phases of the power supply. Failure to do so may cause malfunction or failure of this unit.

**DISPOSAL PRECAUTIONS** **CAUTION**

- Please contact a certified electronic waste disposal company for the environmentally safe recycling and disposal of your device.

**TRANSPORT AND STORAGE PRECAUTIONS** **CAUTION**

- The product is a precision instrument. During transportation, avoid any impacts. Failure to do so may cause failures in the product. After transportation, verify the operations of the product.

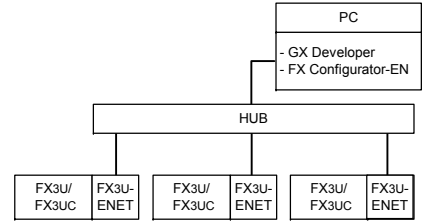
For the general specifications, refer to the manual of FX Series PLC.

Item	Specifications	
General specification	Ambient temperature	0 to 55°C (32 to 131°F) when operating and -20 to 75°C (-4 to 167°F) when stored
	Dielectric withstand voltage	500 V AC for one minute
	Insulation resistance	5MΩ or more by 500V DC
Transmission specifications	Data transmission speed	100Mbps / 10Mbps
	Communication method	Full-duplex/Half-duplex
	Transmission method	Base band
	Maximum segment length	100m(328'1")*1
	Maximum number of nodes/connection	Cascade connection Maximum 2 stages / Cascade connection Maximum 4 stages

Item	Specifications	
Transmission data storage memory	Number of simultaneously open connections allowed	8 connections (Connections usable by the sequence program)
	Fixed buffer	1023 word × 8
	E-mail	Attached file 2048 word × 1*2 Main text 256 word × 1*2
Number of I/O occupied points	8 points	
Power supply specifications	24V DC external power supply	240 mA, 24 V DC +20%, -15%, ripple (p-p) less than 5%
	5V DC internal power supply	5V DC of PLC is not used. (5V DC is converted from 24V DC external power supply.) Make sure to observe the power-on timing and the procedure.
External dimensions	90(H) × 55(W) × 87(D) [mm] 3.55"(H) × 2.17"(W) × 3.43"(D) [inches]	
MASS (Weight)	0.3kg(0.66lbs)	
Number of connectable units to the main unit	1	

\*1 Length between a hub and a node  
\*2 Refer to the FX3U-ENET User's Manual of e-mail sending/receiving function specifications.

**4. System configuration**  
System configuration example



PLC	Ethernet unit	LAN cable
FX3U Series PLC	FX3U-ENET	Shielded twisted-pair cable 10BASE-T : Category 5e, 5 or 3 100BASE-T : Category 5e or 5
FX3UC Series PLC + FX2NC-CNV-IF		
FX3UC Series PLC + FX3UC-1PS-5V		

**FX Configurator-EN**  
Ver.1.00 or later

**GX Developer applicable version**  
Ver.8.25B or later

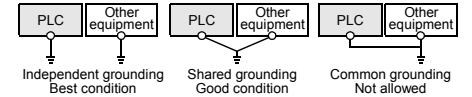
**FX3U/FX3UC PLC applicable version**  
Ver.2.21 or later

**5. Wiring**  
**WIRING PRECAUTIONS** **WARNING**

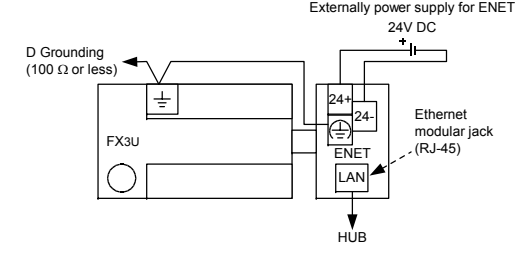
- Make sure to cut off all phases of the power supply externally before attempting wiring work. Failure to do so may cause electric shock or damage to the product.

**WIRING PRECAUTIONS** **CAUTION**

- Before wiring the unit, confirm that the rated voltage and terminal allocation of the unit are correct. An incorrect voltage supply and/or incorrect wiring may cause fire, malfunction, or failure.
- Perform class D grounding (grounding resistance: 100Ω or less) to the grounding terminal on the main unit. Do not use common grounding with heavy electrical systems.
- Prevent cutting or wiring debris from entering the main unit. Failure to do so may cause fire, malfunctions, or failures.
- Place a label that warns of electrical shock (417-IEC-5036) on the enclosure of the final equipment.



**Wiring and power supply wiring between PLC and FX3U-ENET**  
Example usage of FX3U



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Mitsubishi will not be held liable for damage caused by factors found not to be the cause of Mitsubishi; opportunity loss or lost profits caused by faults in the Mitsubishi products; damage, secondary damage, accident compensation caused by special factors unpredictable by Mitsubishi; damages to products other than Mitsubishi products; and to other duties.

**For safe use**

- This product has been manufactured as a general-purpose part for general industries, and has not been designed or manufactured to be incorporated in a device or system used in purposes related to human life.
- Before using the product for special purposes such as nuclear power, electric power, aerospace, medicine or passenger movement vehicles, consult with Mitsubishi Electric.
- This product has been manufactured under strict quality control. However when installing the product where major accidents or losses could occur if the product fails, install appropriate backup or failsafe functions in the system.