

Programmable Controller

**MELSEC iQ-R**  
series

# MELSEC iQ-R System Recorder Co-recording Function Reference Manual

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# INTRODUCTION

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Thank you for purchasing the Mitsubishi Electric MELSEC iQ-R series programmable controllers.

This manual describes the co-recording function.

Before using this product, please read this manual and the relevant manuals carefully and develop familiarity with the functions and performance of the MELSEC iQ-R series programmable controller to handle the product correctly.

Please make sure that the end users read this manual.

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# RELEVANT MANUALS

The following manuals are relevant to this product.

| Manual name [manual number]                                                                        | Description                                                                                                                                                        |
|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| MELSEC iQ-R System Recorder Co-recording Function Reference Manual<br>[SH-082553ENG] (this manual) | Function, system configuration, parameter settings, and troubleshooting for co-recording                                                                           |
| MELSEC iQ-R System Recorder User's Manual (Startup)<br>[SH-082279ENG]                              | Specifications, procedures for operation, and system configuration of System Recorder, and specifications of a recorder module/camera recorder module              |
| MELSEC iQ-R System Recorder User's Manual (Application)<br>[SH-082281ENG]                          | Functions, parameter settings, recording settings, and troubleshooting of System Recorder, and detailed specifications of a recorder module/camera recorder module |
| MELSEC iQ-R Motion Module User's Manual (Application)<br>[IB-0300411ENG]                           | Functions, input/output signals, variables, labels, programming, and troubleshooting of a motion module                                                            |
| MELSEC iQ-R Motion Controller Programming Manual (Common)<br>[IB-0300237]                          | Multiple CPU system configuration, performance specifications, common parameters, auxiliary/applied functions, error lists, etc.                                   |

# GENERIC TERMS AND ABBREVIATIONS

Unless otherwise specified, this manual uses the following generic terms and abbreviations.

| Generic term/abbreviation | Description                                                                                       |
|---------------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Trigger relay device      | A generic term for devices that send a received co-recording trigger to other devices             |
| Recording                 | A generic term for the recording function and the servo system recorder function                  |
| Recording device          | A generic term for devices that have the recording function or the servo system recorder function |

# 1 OVERVIEW

System Recorder is a solution that integrates the following three steps performed in the breakdown maintenance phase: recording, reproduction, and analysis.

For details on System Recorder, refer to the following:

MELSEC iQ-R System Recorder User's Manual (Startup)

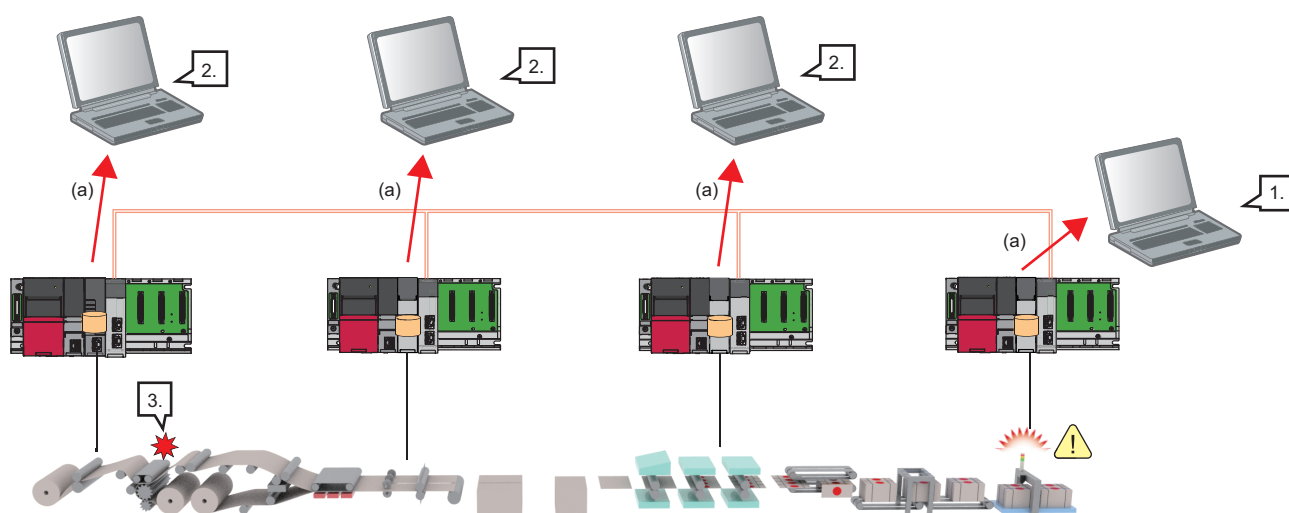
MELSEC iQ-R System Recorder User's Manual (Application)

This manual explains the co-recording function in System Recorder.

## 1.1 Co-recording Function

Co-recording is a function that can be used to perform recording also on other recording devices by linking with recording in a recording device.

With this function, data is saved in related devices when a failure occurs; therefore, a cause of the failure across multiple devices can be checked.



: Failure detected

: Saved data

★: Failure location

(a) Saved data is read.

1. Use GX Works3 or MT Developer2 to check the recording result for a device in which a failure is detected.
2. Check the recording result for each device on which co-recording was performed.
3. Find where the failure is detected.

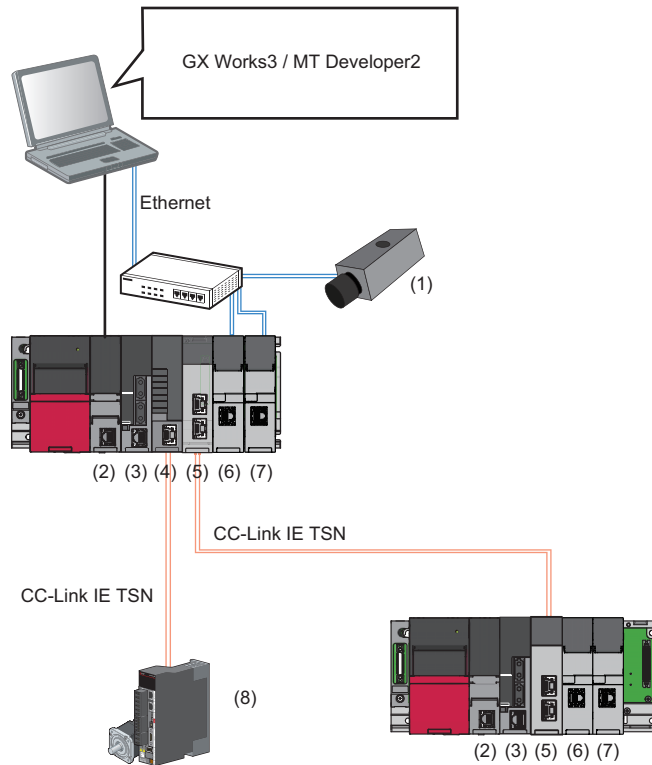


# 2 SYSTEM CONFIGURATION

## 2.1 System Configuration

This section shows the overall system configuration.

Co-recording can be performed by configuring a trigger relay device and multiple recording devices.



- (1) Network camera
- (2) Programmable controller CPU (trigger relay device)
- (3) Motion CPU (trigger relay device, recording device)
- (4) Motion module (trigger relay device, recording device)
- (5) CC-Link IE TSN master/local module\*<sup>1</sup> (trigger relay device)
- (6) Recorder module (recording device)
- (7) Camera recorder module (recording device)
- (8) Servo amplifier

\*<sup>1</sup> A CC-Link IE TSN interface board (master station) can also be used as a trigger relay device for other stations on CC-Link IE TSN.

## Systems on the same base units

The following shows the system configurations when performing co-recording in a system on the same base unit.

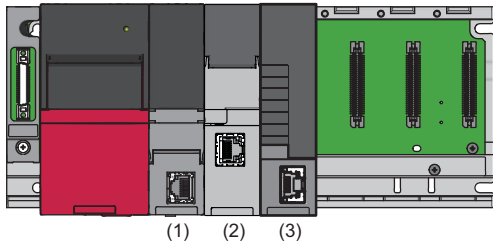
### Single CPU system

The system configurations are as follows.

Co-recording can be performed among recording devices by configuring a programmable controller CPU (trigger relay device) and recording devices controlled by the programmable controller CPU.

#### ■ Configuration example 1

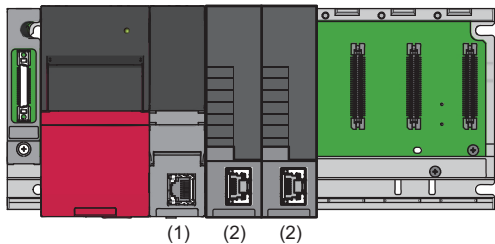
When using co-recording between a camera recorder module and motion module



- (1) Programmable controller CPU (trigger relay device)
- (2) Camera recorder module (recording device)
- (3) Motion module (recording device)

#### ■ Configuration example 2

When using co-recording between motion modules



- (1) Programmable controller CPU (trigger relay device)
- (2) Motion module (recording device)

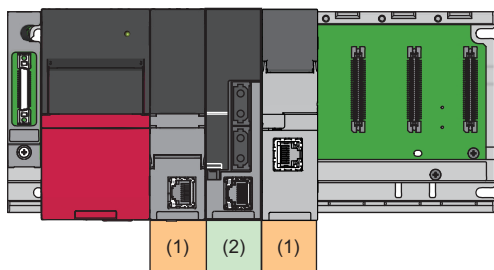
## Multiple CPU system

The system configurations are as follows.

Co-recording can be performed among recording devices by configuring multiple CPUs including a programmable controller CPU or motion CPU (trigger relay device).

### ■ Configuration example 1

When using co-recording between a camera recorder module controlled by CPU No.1 and motion CPU No.2



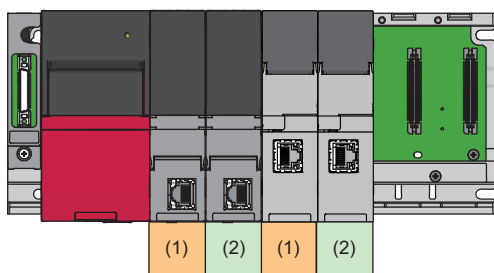
(1) Programmable controller CPU No.1 (trigger relay device)/camera recorder module (recording device) controlled by CPU No.1

(2) Motion CPU No.2 (trigger relay device or recording device)\*1)

\*1 Recording is performed on a motion CPU itself.

### ■ Configuration example 2

When using co-recording between a recorder module controlled by CPU No.1 and a camera recorder module controlled by CPU No.2

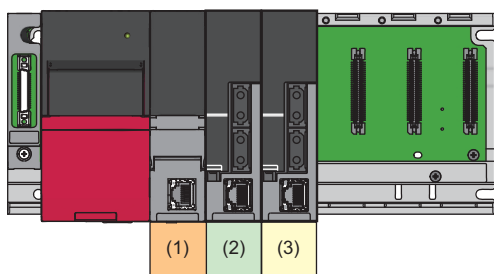


(1) Programmable controller CPU No.1 (trigger relay device)/recorder module (recording device) controlled by CPU No.1

(2) Programmable controller CPU No.2 (trigger relay device)/camera recorder module (recording device) controlled by CPU No.2

### ■ Configuration example 3

When using co-recording between motion CPU No.2 and No.3



(1) Programmable controller CPU No.1 (trigger relay device)\*1

(2) Motion CPU No.2 (trigger relay device or recording device)\*2)

(3) Motion CPU No.3 (trigger relay device or recording device)\*2)

\*1 Any programmable controller CPU can also be configured even if it does not support co-recording or the co-recording setting is set to "Not use."

\*2 Recording is performed on a motion CPU itself.

# Range

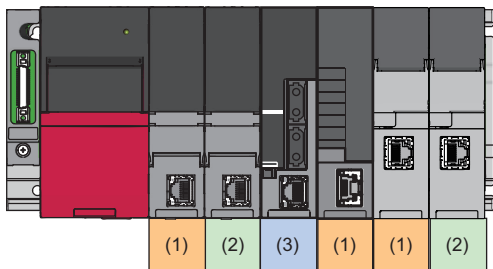
The range can be changed according to the co-recording setting for each CPU module.

For details on the co-recording setting for a CPU module, refer to the following:

☞ Page 23 Setting for a CPU module

The following configuration example is used to show the ranges and settings for co-recording.

(It is assumed that the co-recording setting is set to "Use" for a recording device controlled by a CPU module.)



- (1) Programmable controller CPU No.1/recording device controlled by CPU No.1
- (2) Programmable controller CPU No.2/recording device controlled by CPU No.2
- (3) Motion CPU No.3

| Range                 | Co-recording setting for each CPU module |          |          |
|-----------------------|------------------------------------------|----------|----------|
|                       | CPU No.1                                 | CPU No.2 | CPU No.3 |
| All recording devices | Use                                      | Use      | Use      |
| CPU No.1 and CPU No.2 | Use                                      | Use      | Not use  |

## System via a network

The following shows the system configuration when performing co-recording in a system via a network.

Co-recording can be performed among recording devices via a network by configuring a network including network modules (trigger relay devices) controlled by a programmable controller CPU (trigger relay device).

The following modules can be used as network modules. (A network can be configured by including both ❶ and ❷.)

- ❶ CC-Link IE TSN master/local module (master station), CC-Link IE TSN interface board (master station), or motion module
- ❷ CC-Link IE TSN master/local module (local station)

### Configuration example

When using co-recording with mounting a recorder module in a system connected via CC-Link IE TSN



— : CC-Link IE TSN network connection

(1) Programmable controller CPU (trigger relay device)

(2) Recorder module (recording device)

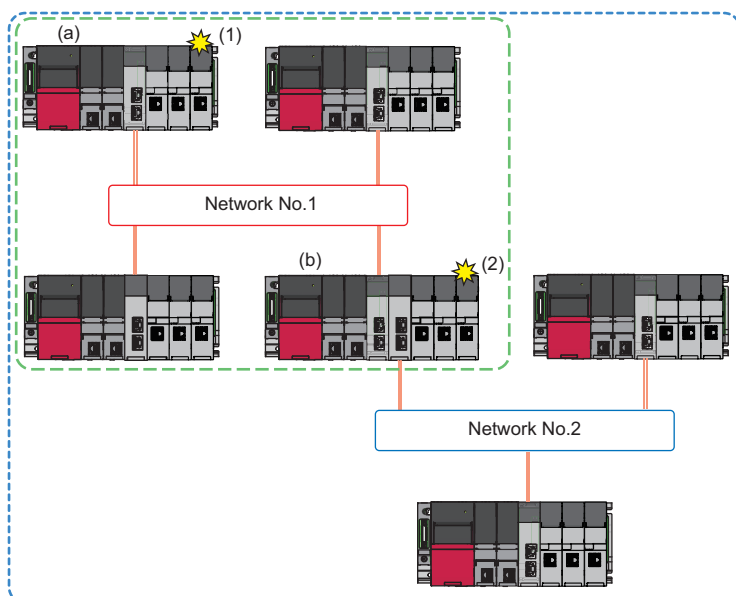
(3) CC-Link IE TSN master/local module (master station)\*1 (trigger relay device)

(4) CC-Link IE TSN master/local module (local station) (trigger relay device)

\*1 A network interface board (master station) or motion module can also be used.

## Precautions

- Configure network modules so that they are in the same network.
- When performing co-recording via networks, the range is up to the first layer of the network including a device in which a recording trigger is satisfied (from which a co-recording trigger is sent).



(1) A recording trigger is satisfied in the programmable controller system (a).

(2) A recording trigger is satisfied in the programmable controller system (b).

—: Range of co-recording when a recording trigger is satisfied in the programmable controller system (a)

—: Range of co-recording when a recording trigger is satisfied in the programmable controller system (b)

Range

The range can be changed according to the co-recording setting for each network module.

For details on the co-recording setting for each network module, refer to the following:

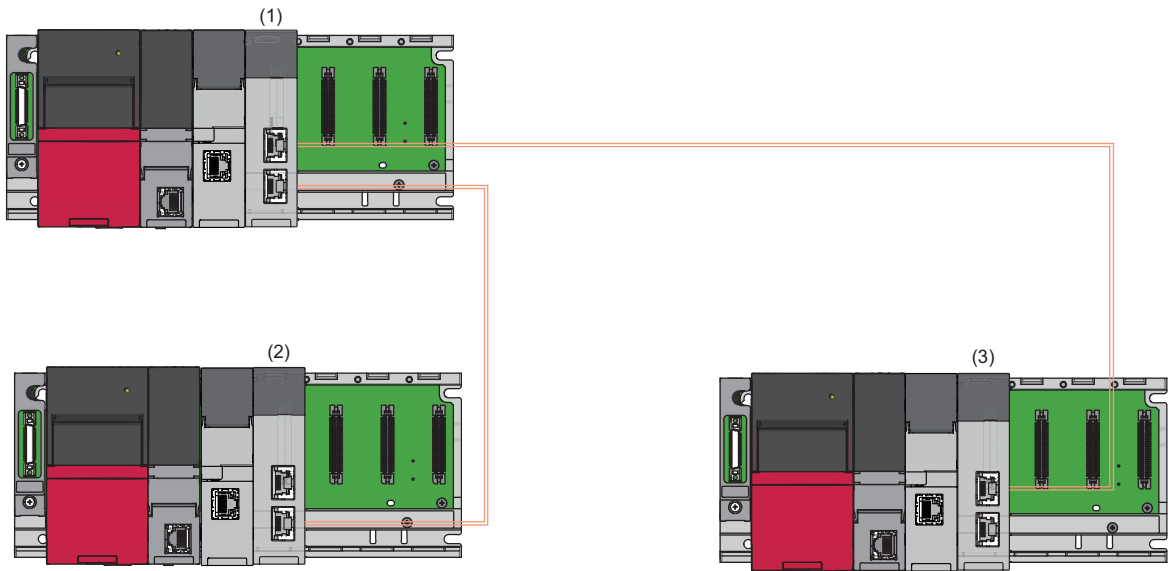
☞ Page 24 Setting for a network module

The following configuration example is used to show the ranges and settings for co-recording.

(It is assumed that the co-recording setting is set to "Use" for all trigger relay devices and recording devices, excluding network modules and network interface boards.)

In the same network

The following shows the ranges and settings for co-recording in the same network.



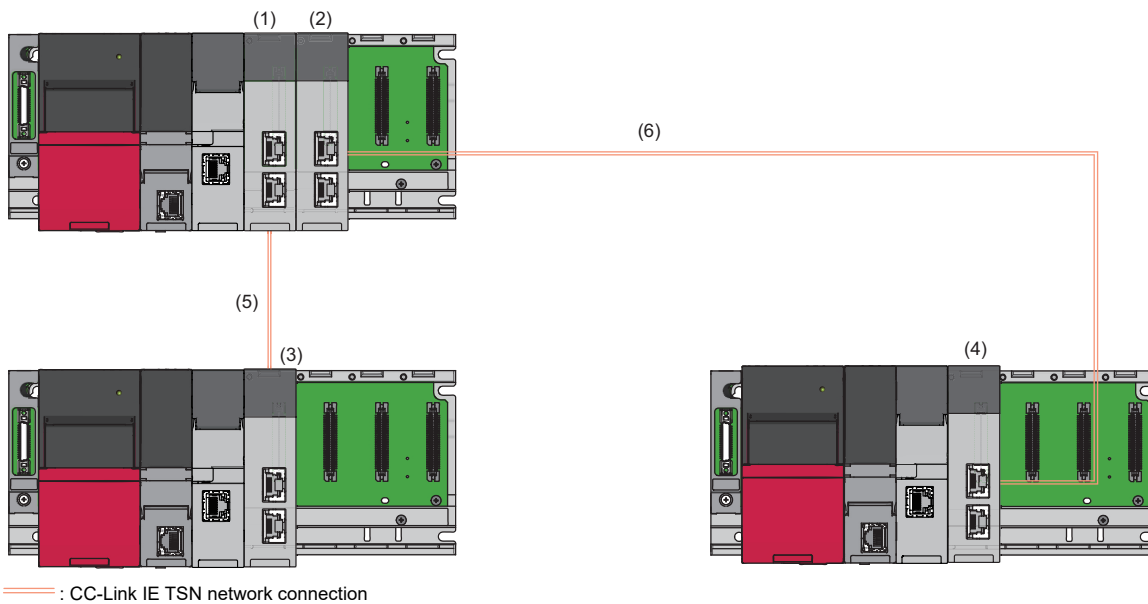
— : CC-Link IE TSN network connection

| Range                                                                                     | Co-recording setting for each network module |                     |                     |
|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------|---------------------|---------------------|
|                                                                                           | (1) Master station *1                        | (2) Local station 1 | (3) Local station 2 |
| All programmable controller systems                                                       | Use                                          | Use                 | Use                 |
| Master station 1 and a programmable controller system on which local station 1 is mounted | Use                                          | Use                 | Not use             |
| Local station 1 and local station 2                                                       | Not use                                      | Use                 | Use                 |
| Each programmable controller system only                                                  | Not use                                      | Not use             | Not use             |

\*1 When using a network interface board (master station), it operates as if "Not use" were set.

## ■ In a different network

The following shows the ranges and settings for co-recording in a different network.



| Range                                    | Co-recording setting for each network module |                     |                      |                     |
|------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------|---------------------|----------------------|---------------------|
|                                          | (5) Network 1                                |                     | (6) Network 2        |                     |
|                                          | (1) Master station 1                         | (3) Local station 1 | (2) Master station 2 | (4) Local station 2 |
| All programmable controller systems      | Use                                          | Use                 | Use                  | Use                 |
| Network 1 only                           | Use                                          | Use                 | Not use              | Not use             |
| Each programmable controller system only | Not use                                      | Not use             | Not use              | Not use             |

When a recording trigger is satisfied in a programmable controller system on which master station 1 and master station 2 are mounted, co-recording runs in the ranges above.

The range of co-recording is up to the first layer of the network including a device in which a recording trigger is satisfied; therefore, when a recording trigger is satisfied in local station 1 or local station 2, co-recording cannot be performed on the other local station.

For details, refer to the considerations in the following:

☞ Page 12 Configuration example

## 2.2 System Components

This section shows the recording devices, trigger relay devices, and engineering tools that support co-recording.

### Recording device list

| Recording device              | Model name  | Firmware version |
|-------------------------------|-------------|------------------|
| Recorder module               | RD81RC96    | '08' or later    |
| Camera recorder module        | RD81RC96-CA | '06' or later    |
| Motion CPU <sup>*1</sup>      | R16MTCPU    | '25' or later    |
|                               | R32MTCPU    |                  |
|                               | R64MTCPU    |                  |
| Motion module <sup>*1*2</sup> | RD78G4      | '26' or later    |
|                               | RD78G8      |                  |
|                               | RD78G16     |                  |
|                               | RD78G32     |                  |
|                               | RD78G64     |                  |
|                               | RD78GHV     |                  |
|                               | RD78GHW     |                  |

\*1 Can also be used as a trigger relay device.

\*2 PLCopen motion control FB mode only

### Trigger relay device list

| Trigger relay device | Model name                                      | Firmware version |
|----------------------|-------------------------------------------------|------------------|
| CPU module           | RnCPU                                           | R00CPU           |
|                      |                                                 | R01CPU           |
|                      |                                                 | R02CPU           |
|                      |                                                 | R04CPU           |
|                      |                                                 | R08CPU           |
|                      |                                                 | R16CPU           |
|                      |                                                 | R32CPU           |
|                      |                                                 | R120CPU          |
|                      | RnENCPU                                         | R04ENCPU         |
|                      |                                                 | R08ENCPU         |
|                      |                                                 | R16ENCPU         |
|                      |                                                 | R32ENCPU         |
|                      |                                                 | R120ENCPU        |
|                      |                                                 |                  |
| Network device       | CC-Link IE TSN master/<br>local module          | RJ71GN11-T2      |
|                      |                                                 | RJ71GN11-SX      |
|                      | CC-Link IE TSN<br>interface board <sup>*1</sup> | NZ81GN11-T2      |
|                      |                                                 | NZ81GN11-SX      |

\*1 Master stations only

### Engineering tool list

| Engineering tool | Model name    | Version |
|------------------|---------------|---------|
| GX Works3        | SW1DND-GXW3-E | 1.090U  |
| MT Developer2    | SW1DND-MTW2-E | 1.180N  |

# 3 PROCEDURE BEFORE OPERATION

This chapter shows the procedure before using co-recording.

## 1. System construction

Construct a system, and set parameters required for startup and configure the recording setting for each device.

For the system configurations and ranges in which co-recording runs, refer to the following:

 Page 8 System Configuration

For details on the recording setting, refer to the manual for each recording device.

## 2. Setting for co-recording

Set the co-recording setting for each device. ( Page 23 PARAMETER SETTINGS)

## 3. System startup

## 4. Operation check for co-recording

Satisfy a recording trigger in a recording device, and check if co-recording runs.

When performing recording on any device, it is also performed on other devices with the co-recording setting set to "Use."

Whether a co-recording trigger is sent or received can be checked in the event history of an engineering tool.

Check the time of data recorded in each recording device in the event history, and set the saving period so that the timing when a recording trigger is satisfied first is included.

For details, refer to the following:

 Page 22 Continuous co-recording

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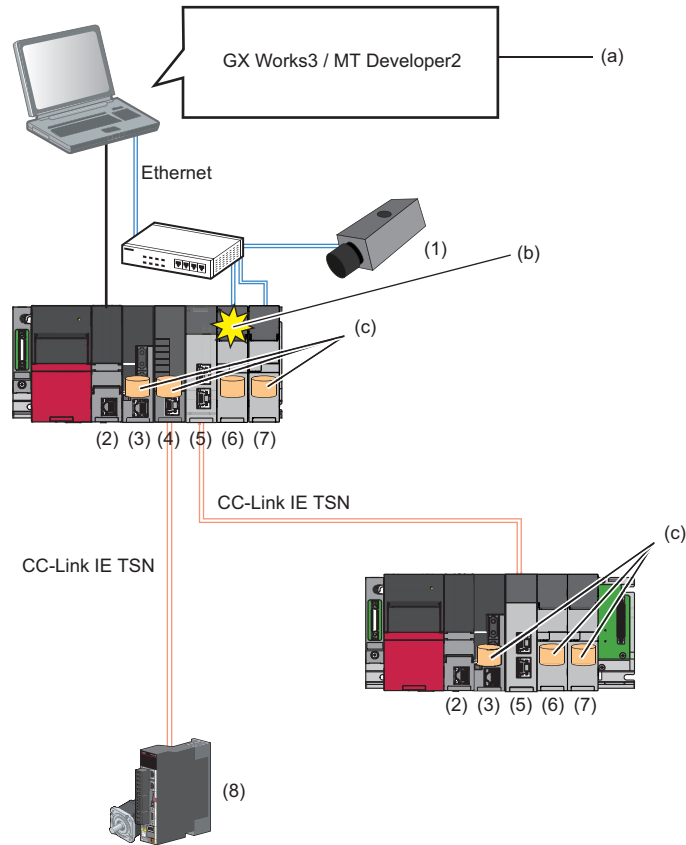
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# 4 FUNCTION

This chapter explains the function details for co-recording.

Co-recording is a function that can be used to perform recording also on other recording devices by linking with recording in a recording device.

With this function, data is saved in related devices when a failure occurs; therefore, a cause of the failure across multiple devices can be checked.



■: Saved data

- (1) Network camera
- (2) Programmable controller CPU (trigger relay device)
- (3) Motion CPU (trigger relay device, recording device)
- (4) Motion module (trigger relay device, recording device)
- (5) CC-Link IE TSN master/local module (trigger relay device)\*1
- (6) Recorder module (recording device)
- (7) Camera recorder module (recording device)
- (8) Servo amplifier

(a) Set the co-recording setting in the setting screen for each module as necessary.

(b) When a recording trigger is satisfied, recording is performed.

(c) Recording is also performed on the target devices for co-recording.

\*1 A CC-Link IE TSN interface board (master station) can also be used as a trigger relay device for other stations on CC-Link IE TSN.

## 4.1 Co-recording Operation

When a condition for saving data is met in a recording device, a recording trigger is satisfied.

Then, a co-recording trigger is sent from the recording device.\*<sup>1</sup>

By receiving the co-recording trigger in another recording device via a trigger relay device, co-recording is performed.

When a trigger is sent and received in a recording device or trigger relay device, a 'co-recording trigger sending,' 'co-recording trigger receiving,' or 'co-recording trigger sending/receiving' event is saved; therefore, the operating status of co-recording can be checked in the event history.

\*<sup>1</sup> A co-recording trigger is not sent unless recording is performed even if a recording trigger is satisfied such as during data saving.

### Point

- To perform co-recording, the co-recording setting must be set to "Use" for recording devices and trigger relay devices.
  - This function can be used to easily identify a cause of a failure across multiple devices by analyzing saved data in a module in a station, other CPUs, and other stations via networks when the failure occurs, but it is not assumed to be performed continuously.
- Once co-recording is performed, a trigger is not sent or received for a certain period of time. For details, refer to the following:

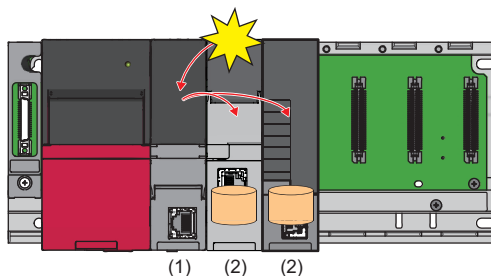
☞ Page 22 Continuous co-recording

## Operation flows

The following shows the operation flows for co-recording by using each configuration as an example.

### Single CPU system

When a recording trigger is satisfied in a recording device, a co-recording trigger is sent to another recording device on the same base unit via the trigger relay device (CPU module).



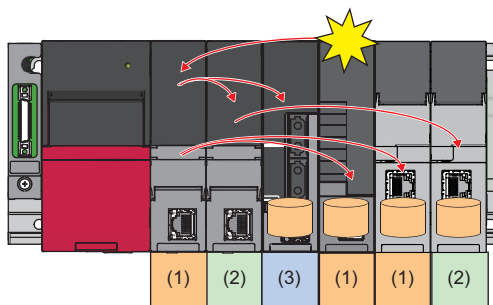
- ★: A recording trigger is satisfied.  
→: A co-recording trigger is sent.  
○: Saved data  
(1) Trigger relay device  
(2) Recording device

### Point

A trigger is also sent from a trigger relay device to a recording device in which a recording trigger is satisfied. For the operation when a trigger satisfied in a recording device is received in the recording device itself, refer to the manual for each recording device.

## Multiple CPU system

When a recording trigger is satisfied in a recording device, a co-recording trigger is sent to other recording devices on the same base unit via a trigger relay device (CPU module) controlling each recording device.



★: A recording trigger is satisfied.

→: A co-recording trigger is sent.

□: Saved data

(1) Trigger relay device (programmable controller CPU No.1)/recording device controlled by CPU No.1

(2) Trigger relay device (programmable controller CPU No.2)/recording device controlled by CPU No.2

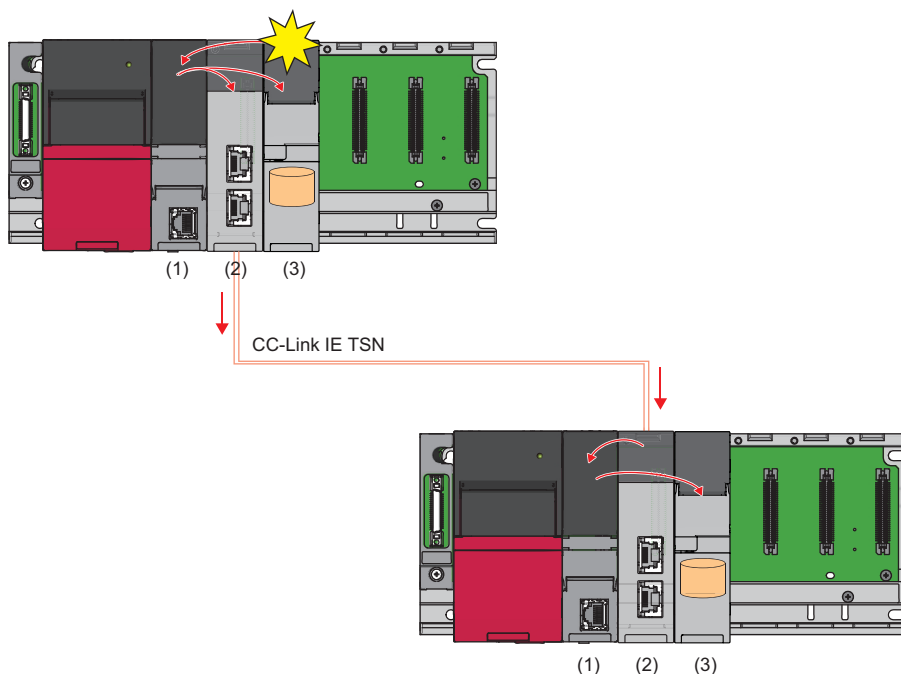
(3) Trigger relay device (motion CPU No.3)

### Point

A trigger is also sent from a trigger relay device to a recording device in which a recording trigger is satisfied. For the operation when a trigger satisfied in a recording device is received in the recording device itself, refer to the manual for each recording device.

## System via a network

When a recording trigger is satisfied in a recording device, a co-recording trigger is sent to a recording device in the network destination via trigger relay devices (CPU modules, network modules, or network interface boards).



★: A recording trigger is satisfied.

→: A co-recording trigger is sent.

□: Saved data

(1) Trigger relay device (CPU module)

(2) Trigger relay device (network module)

(3) Recording device

## 4.2 Considerations for Co-recording

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This section shows the considerations for co-recording.

### Saving in the event history

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When co-recording runs, each event for trigger sending, receiving, and sending/receiving is saved in recording devices and trigger relay devices.

Depending on the operation timing of the co-recording function in each device, the order in which each event occurs and that in which it is sampled (displayed) in a CPU module may be interchanged.

For the co-recording operation, check if each event is saved.



If the number of minor events, such as device/label writing operations, link-up, and link-down, exceeds its upper limit in the event history of a CPU module, a function runs to restrict (stop) saving in the event history, which may cause events for co-recording not to be saved.

If saving in the event history of a CPU module is restricted, a 'co-recording trigger sending/receiving' event for the co-recording function is not saved.

Check the co-recording operation in the event history of a recording device, other CPUs, or other stations.

MELSEC iQ-R CPU Module User's Manual (Application)

MELSEC iQ-R Motion Controller Programming Manual (Common)

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### Continuous co-recording

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To transmit a co-recording trigger to other CPUs and CPU modules in other stations via networks, a CPU module has a trigger sending/receiving pause period (10 minutes), and the period until a co-recording trigger can be sent and received again is up to 20 minutes<sup>\*1</sup>.

If a co-recording trigger is sent immediately after a trigger sending/receiving pause period (10 minutes) elapses, the period has not elapsed in other CPUs and CPU modules in other stations due to a trigger transmission delay and the trigger may not be sent or received.

When performing co-recording continuously, consider the trigger sending/receiving pause periods and trigger transmission delay times of other CPUs and CPU modules in other stations.

Note that the trigger transmission delay time varies depending on the settings, operating statuses, processing loads, and communication statuses of recording devices or trigger relay devices.

For an actual trigger transmission delay time, satisfy a co-recording trigger at startup and check a time lag in recording data with the time in the event history, etc.

<sup>\*1</sup> Including a time lag (trigger transmission delay time) when a trigger is satisfied and trigger sending/receiving pause periods for other CPUs and CPU modules in other stations.

# 5 PARAMETER SETTINGS

This chapter shows the parameter settings required to use co-recording.

## 5.1 Setting for Co-recording

This section shows the setting for co-recording for each device.

| Target device        |                                                 | Reference                              |
|----------------------|-------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------|
| Recording device     | Motion CPU (RnMTCPU)* <sup>1</sup>              | Page 23 Setting for a recording device |
|                      | Motion module* <sup>2</sup>                     |                                        |
|                      | Others                                          |                                        |
| Trigger relay device | Programmable controller CPU (RnCPU/RnENCPU)     | Page 23 Setting for a CPU module       |
|                      | Motion CPU (RnMTCPU)* <sup>1</sup>              | Page 24 Setting for a network module   |
|                      | CC-Link IE TSN master/local module              |                                        |
|                      | Motion module* <sup>2</sup>                     |                                        |
|                      | CC-Link IE TSN interface board (master station) | —* <sup>3</sup>                        |

\*<sup>1</sup> When setting a motion CPU in one setting, the setting applies to both the settings for a recording device and CPU module.

\*<sup>2</sup> When setting a motion module in one setting, the setting applies to both the settings for a recording device and network module.

\*<sup>3</sup> There is no co-recording setting for a CC-Link IE TSN interface board (master station), however, a co-recording trigger received from another station is sent to the network.

### Setting for a recording device

The co-recording setting can be set in the parameter of a recording device.

For details on the parameter setting, refer to the manual for a recording device used.

| Item                 | Description                      | Setting range                                                           |
|----------------------|----------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Co-recording Setting | Set whether to use co-recording. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Use</li><li>• Not use</li></ul> |

#### Precautions

If either of the following cases applies to a CPU module, an error occurs.

In this case, a co-recording trigger is not sent from a recording device to a CPU module, but recording continues.

- The firmware version does not support co-recording (when starting a CPU module).
- The co-recording setting is set to "Not use" (when a trigger is satisfied).

For the error codes, refer to the manual for each module.

### Setting for a CPU module

The co-recording setting can be set in the parameter of a CPU module.

For details on the parameter setting, refer to the manual for a CPU module used.

| Item                 | Description                                                                                                          | Setting range                                                           |
|----------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Co-recording Setting | Set whether to send and receive a co-recording trigger between the control module of a module and other CPU modules. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Use</li><li>• Not use</li></ul> |

## Setting for a network module

The co-recording setting can be set in the parameter of a network module.

For details on the parameter setting, refer to the manual for a network module used.

| Item                 | Description                                                                                                                                                                | Setting range                                                           |
|----------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Co-recording Setting | Set whether to send and receive a co-recording trigger between the programmable controller system on which a module is mounted and other stations in the same network.*1*2 | <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Use</li><li>• Not use</li></ul> |

\*1 A co-recording trigger may not be sent when performing co-recording via networks, because the range is determined by a device in which a recording trigger is satisfied.

For details, refer to the following:

 Page 12 System via a network

\*2 Even when setting "Not use" for a network module of the master station, a co-recording trigger received from another station is sent to the network.



# 6 TROUBLESHOOTING

This chapter shows the troubleshooting for co-recording.

## 6.1 Troubleshooting by Symptom

This section shows the troubleshooting by symptom.

### Co-recording does not run

Check the following items:

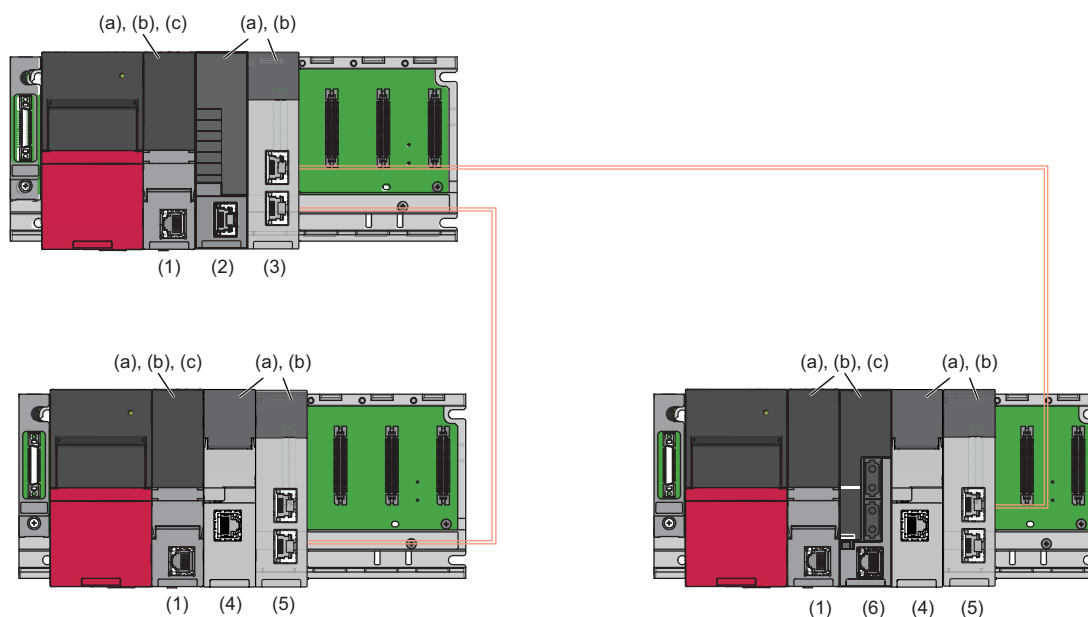
| Check item                                                            | Corrective action                                                                                                                                   |
|-----------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| (a) Is a device with a firmware version supporting co-recording used? | Use a device with a firmware version supporting it.<br>For the applicable firmware versions, refer to the following:<br>☞ Page 16 System Components |
| (b) Is the co-recording setting set to "Use"?                         | Set the co-recording setting to "Use" then write it.                                                                                                |
| (c) Is an event*1 for co-recording saved?                             | Check the event history, and take any necessary corrective action.<br>☞ Page 27 Procedure for checking the event history                            |

\*1 For details on events, refer to the following:

☞ Page 28 Event Codes

### Configuration example

Refer to the following configuration to check the items (a) to (c) above.



— : CC-Link IE TSN network connection

- (1) Programmable controller CPU (trigger relay device)
- (2) Motion module (recording device)
- (3) CC-Link IE TSN master/local module (master station) (trigger relay device)
- (4) Recorder module (recording device)
- (5) CC-Link IE TSN master/local module (local station) (trigger relay device)
- (6) Motion CPU (trigger relay device or recording device)

## ■Procedure for checking the event history

If no events for co-recording are saved, follow the procedure below to check the event history and take any necessary corrective action.

1. Is a co-recording trigger receiving event registered in the event history of a device on which recording does not run?
  - Yes:  Page 27 When a trigger receiving event is saved
  - No:  Page 27 When no trigger receiving event is saved

If the symptom still persists, proceed to step 2.
2. Is a co-recording trigger sending event registered in the event history of a device in which a recording trigger is satisfied?
  - Yes: Proceed to step 3.
  - No:  Page 27 When no trigger sending event is saved
3. Is a co-recording trigger receiving event registered in the event history of a trigger relay device for sending and receiving a co-recording trigger? (Check devices in order from a device in which a recording trigger is satisfied to one for sending and receiving a co-recording trigger.)
  - Yes: Repeat this step to check the event histories of all trigger relay devices for sending and receiving co-recording triggers.
  - No (The trigger relay device is a CPU module):  Page 27 CPU module
  - No (The trigger relay device is a network module or a network interface board):  Page 27 Network module or network interface board

### When a trigger receiving event is saved

| Check point                                                                                                | Corrective action                                                                                      |
|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Was a co-recording trigger received while recording was available on a device where recording did not run? | Check if recording is available on each device.<br>For details, refer to the manual for a module used. |

If the symptom still persists, refer to the troubleshooting for each recording device.

### When no trigger receiving event is saved

| Check point                                                                 | Corrective action                                                                      |
|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Is the recording function running on a device where recording does not run? | Perform the recording function.<br>For details, refer to the manual for a module used. |

If the symptom still persists, refer to the troubleshooting for each recording device.

### When no trigger sending event is saved

| Check point                                                            | Corrective action                                 |
|------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------------|
| Is a trigger relay device in a trigger sending/receiving pause period? | Satisfy a trigger after the pause period elapses. |

If the symptom still persists, refer to the troubleshooting for each recording device.

### When no trigger sending/receiving event is saved

#### ■CPU module

| Check point                                                  | Corrective action                                 |
|--------------------------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------------|
| Is a CPU module in a trigger sending/receiving pause period? | Satisfy a trigger after the pause period elapses. |
| Is the event history logging restriction function enabled?   | Check the event on the recording device side.     |

#### ■Network module or network interface board

| Check point                                                                                                                                                     | Corrective action                                                           |
|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Is any station disconnected?                                                                                                                                    | Reconnect the disconnected station.                                         |
| Is the communication load on the network extremely high?                                                                                                        | Reduce the frequency of transient transmissions or Ethernet communications. |
| Is the transient transmission time sufficiently secured in the setting for a CC-Link IE TSN master station ("Basic Settings" → "Communication Period Setting")? | Change the transient transmission time to a sufficiently long time.         |

## The start time of sampling data saved in co-recording is after the time when a trigger is satisfied first

| Check point                                                                                                                                 | Corrective action                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                     |
|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Is the data saving period before the time when a trigger is satisfied sufficiently secured in a device on which co-recording was performed? | Change the recording setting to increase the data saving period before the time when a trigger is satisfied.<br>(This is because the time from when a recording trigger is satisfied to when recording actually starts differs for each device.)<br> Page 22 Continuous co-recording |

## 6.2 Error Codes

For the descriptions and corrective actions for error codes, refer to the manual for a module used.

## 6.3 Event Codes

This section shows the event code list related to co-recording.

| Event code | Overview                               | Cause                                                                                                                                                 |
|------------|----------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| 00170      | Co-recording trigger sending           | The co-recording trigger has been sent.                                                                                                               |
| 00171      | Co-recording trigger receiving         | The co-recording trigger has been received.                                                                                                           |
| 00172      | Co-recording trigger sending/receiving | As the trigger has been notified from the module compatible with co-recording trigger function, the module has notified the trigger to other modules. |
| 00173      | Co-recording trigger sending/receiving | The co-recording trigger received from [Trigger relay device] <sup>*1</sup> has been sent to the network.                                             |
| 00174      | Co-recording trigger sending/receiving | The co-recording trigger received from the network has been sent to [Trigger relay device] <sup>*1</sup> .                                            |
| 00175      | Co-recording trigger sending/receiving | The co-recording trigger received from the network has been sent to the network.                                                                      |

<sup>\*1</sup> The display in the event history differs depending on a module in which an event occurred.

For the other event codes, refer to the manual for a trigger relay device or recording device in which an event occurred.



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