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USER GUIDE

CUSTOM LOGIC

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PURPOSE AND BASIC DESCRIPTION

Custom Logic is a new tool in the Ekip Connect 3 Software that lets you create your own logics for many applications.

Users can easily create connections and logics with devices, saving time on complex programming and extra wiring, and removing the need for external controllers.

The Custom Logic tool has a simple graphical interface, making it less complex than typical Programmable Logic Controllers (PLCs).

The most significant capabilities that the tool possess are as follows:

- Do not require a connection to circuit breakers during programming:
The tool does not require a connection to the device during the logic configuration, Ensuring the comfort and safety of the operator.

- Creation of flexible logics using a visual approach:

With a block-based visual strategy, the tool guides the user to use the available inputs on the device and combine them using the available operators. Moreover, the tool provides the necessary product configuration for each device to implement the logic (Bill of Material).

- Logic creation validation:
The tool will allow for checks both on the correctness of the logic and on the verification of the behavior within the tool itself.



CREATE PROJECT



This chapter explains how to create a project using the Ekip Connect software. By creating a project, the user can save an encrypted file (.cl format) that contains the entire logic along with all the devices involved. Creating a project does not require being connected

to any device or having a specific license or user account.

This chapter also highlights and explains the various elements of a project without referring directly to a specific example.

Material required

Every Custom Logic (CL) project can be created and designed off-line, therefore without the need of any device connected to the laptop. It is required to:

- have installed the Ekip Connect 3 software (check for latest available version in ABB Library: <https://library.abb.com/d/1SDC20011X3000>)
- Purchase “Custom Logic Tool” license from the following ABB Marketplace link: [Custom Logic](#)

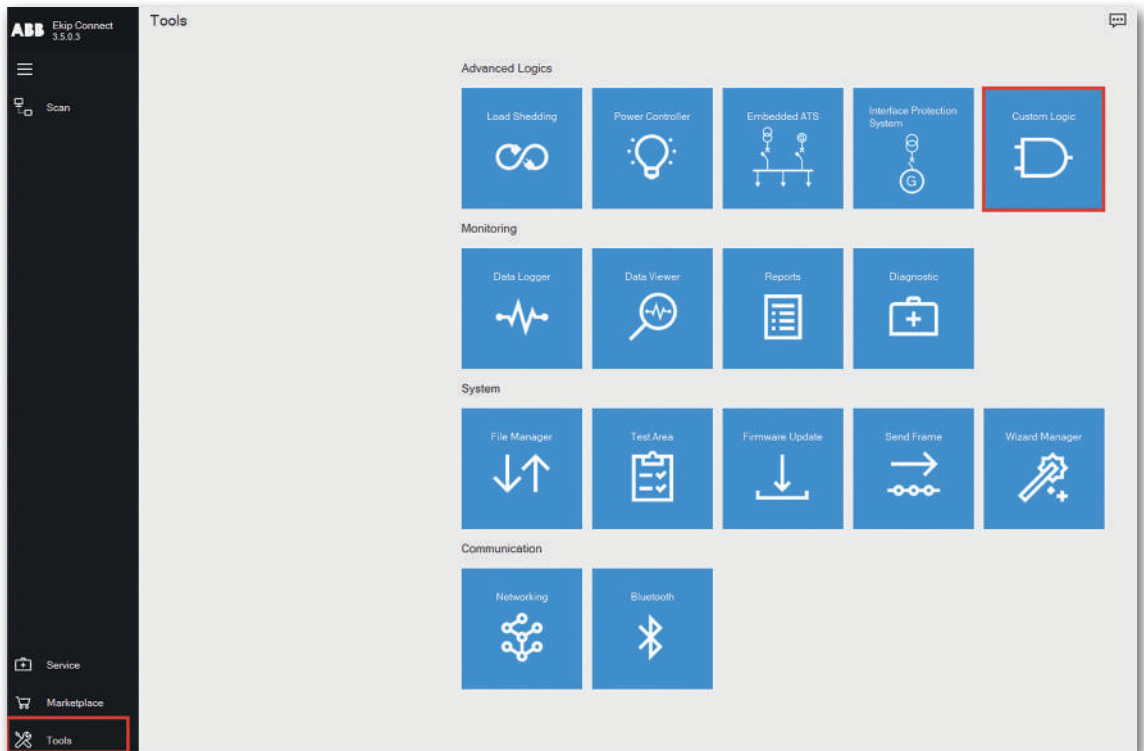
Once redeemed, the license becomes permanently linked to the device's serial number.

Note: The Custom Logic license is required only to upload the logic onto the device. The license is linked to each individual device, not to the project. Logic must be uploaded by connecting directly to each device, where the license must be activated.

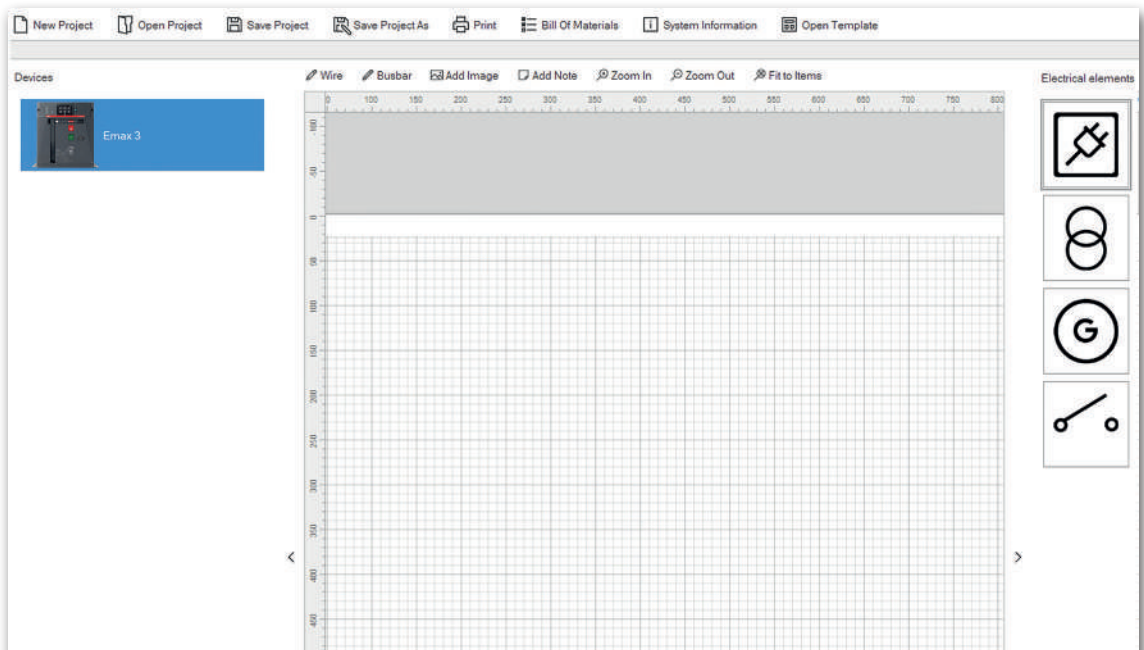
CREATE PROJECT

New Project

Open Ekip Connect software. Click on Tools → Custom Logic



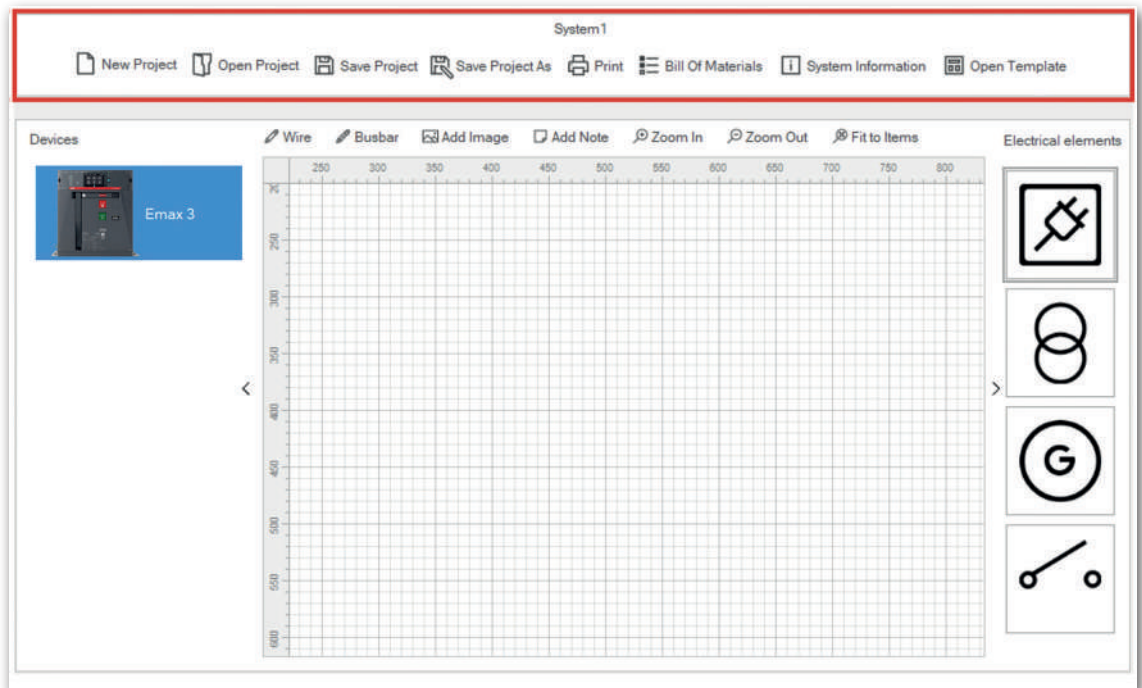
Here is an overview of the tool's main page:



Let's now analyze the meaning of each component of this page:

File management

At the top of the Custom Logic main page, there are several functionalities to manage the project:



New Project: start the new project



Open Project



Save Project



Save Project as



Print project: it creates a pdf file with all the information and materials of the project.



Bill of Materials: it automatically creates a list of materials (hardware and software) that is required to make the logic works as designed. This will be analyzed more in followings chapters.



System Information: displays the history of all downloads and uploads for the devices within the project.

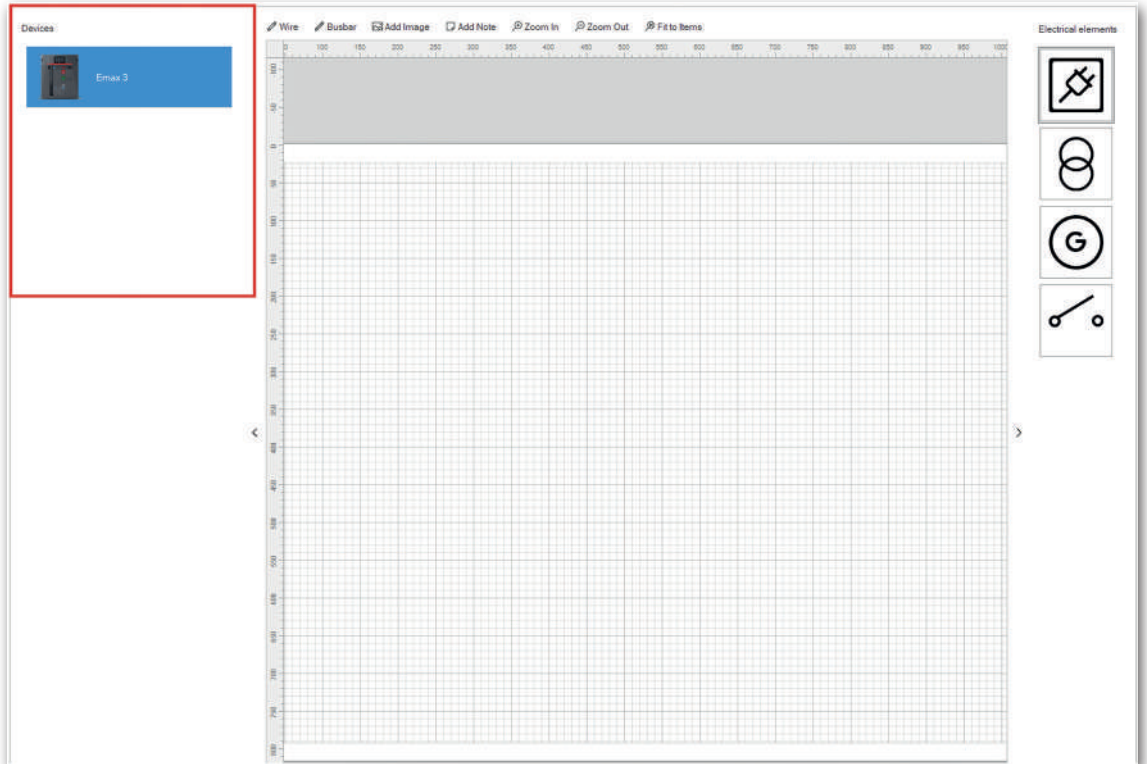


Open Template: Opens a list of pre-configured logics that can be downloaded directly to the devices.

Devices list

This is the list of devices that can be involved in the logic. To insert a device, either double-click on it or drag and drop it into the Diagram View.

The same type of device can be inserted multiple times, with a maximum of 20 devices allowed in the Diagram View.



Electrical elements

List of electrical elements that can be added into the diagram page.

To insert one device, double left clicks on it or drag and drop it in the diagram view.

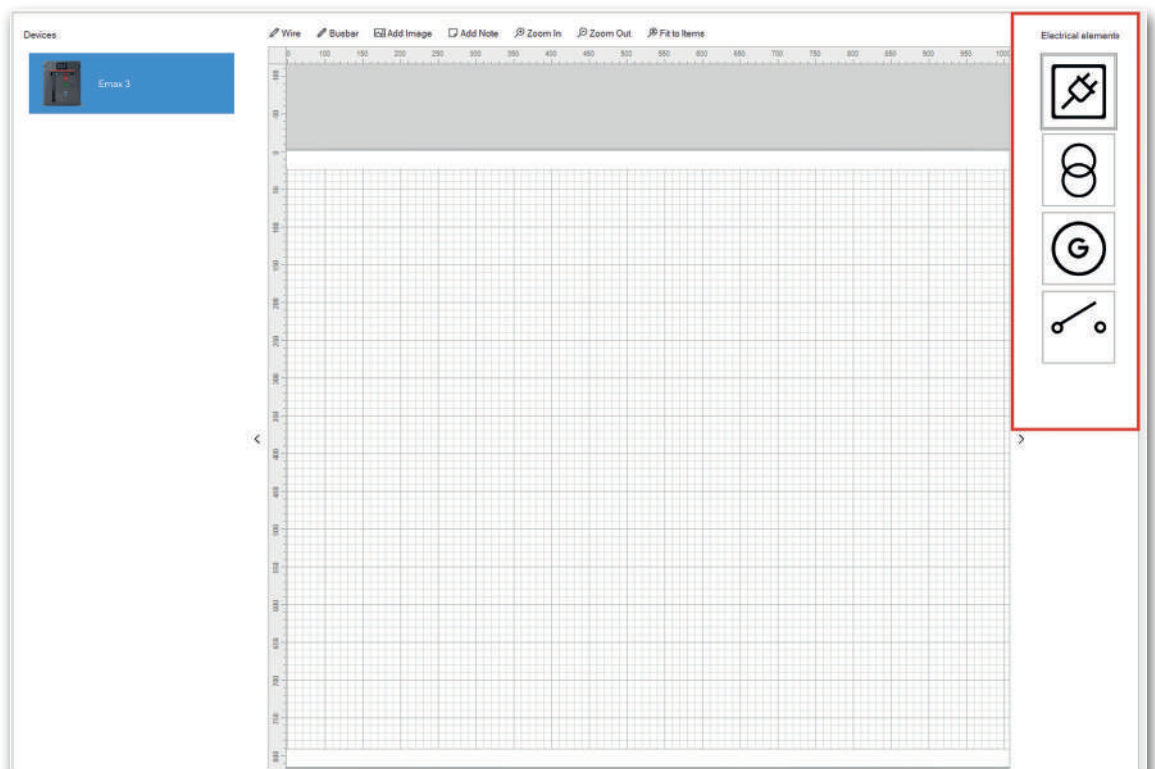
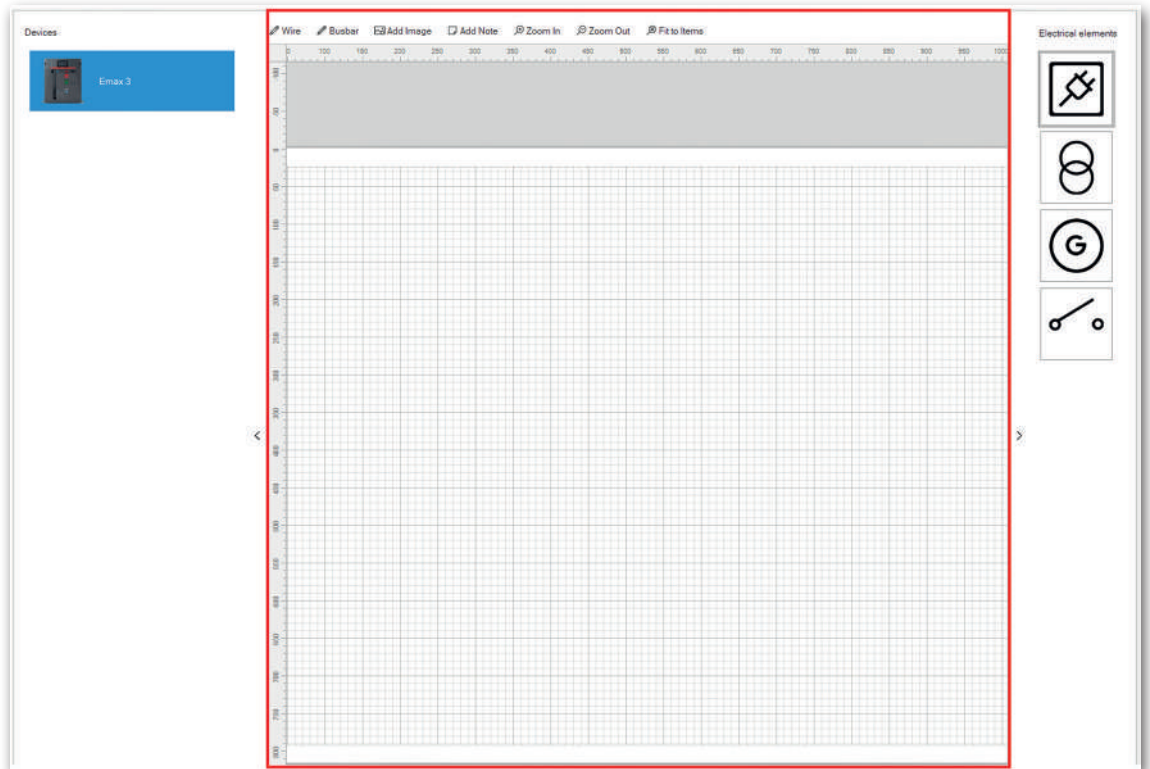


Diagram Page

It is a graphic representation of the system. It is possible to draw a single line diagram of the plant or some schematic that can help the user to understand better the entire system.



In addition of devices list and Electrical Elements, to fill the Diagram Page are present the following options:



Wire: draw thin lines to represent connections between objects in the single line diagram.



Add Note: insert a sticky note in the page.



Busbar: draw thick lines to represent the busbar in the single line diagram.



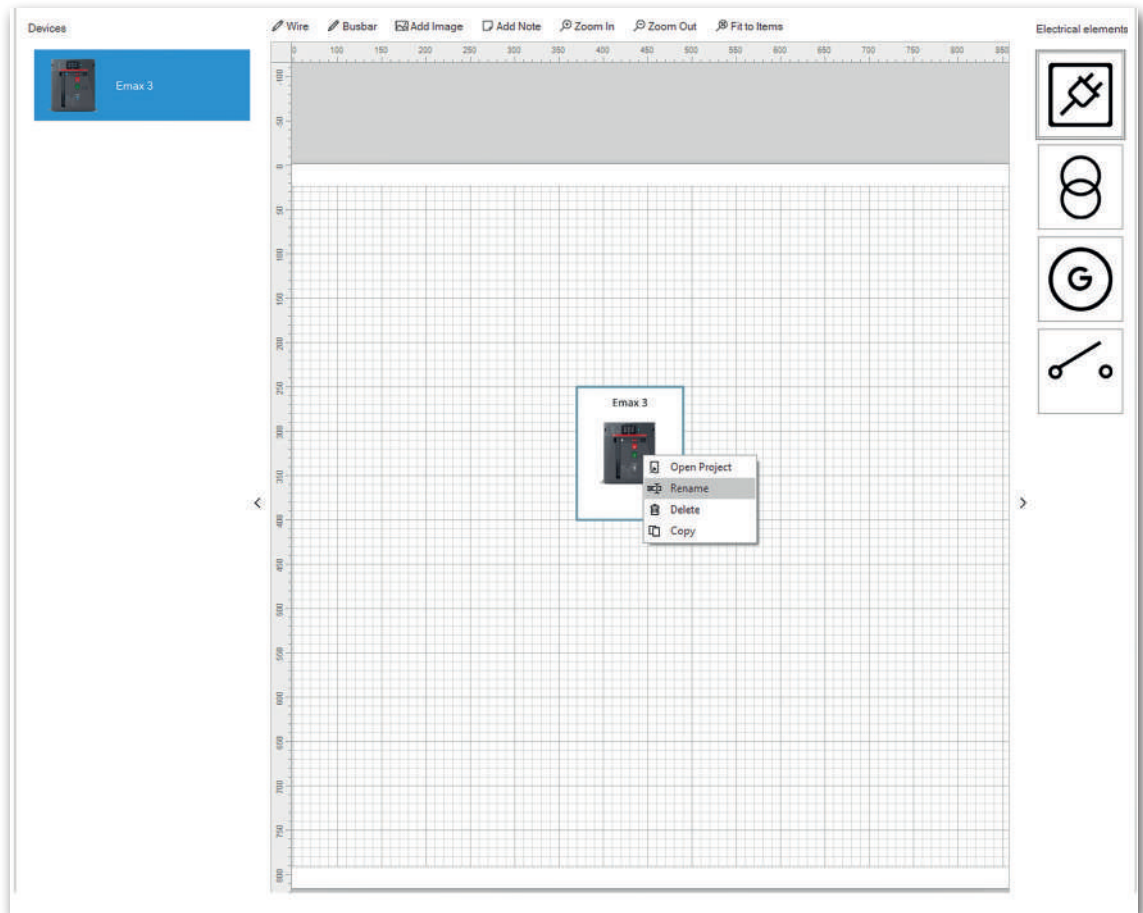
Zoom In, Zoom Out & Fit to Items: adapt the graphic view of the page



Add Image: insert an external image file in the page.

Note: The diagram page is just a graphical representation and it's not defining any behavior of the logic.

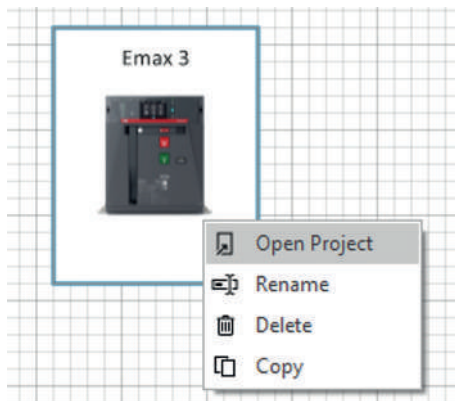
When a breaker is inserted in the page, it is possible to rename it by using the right click:



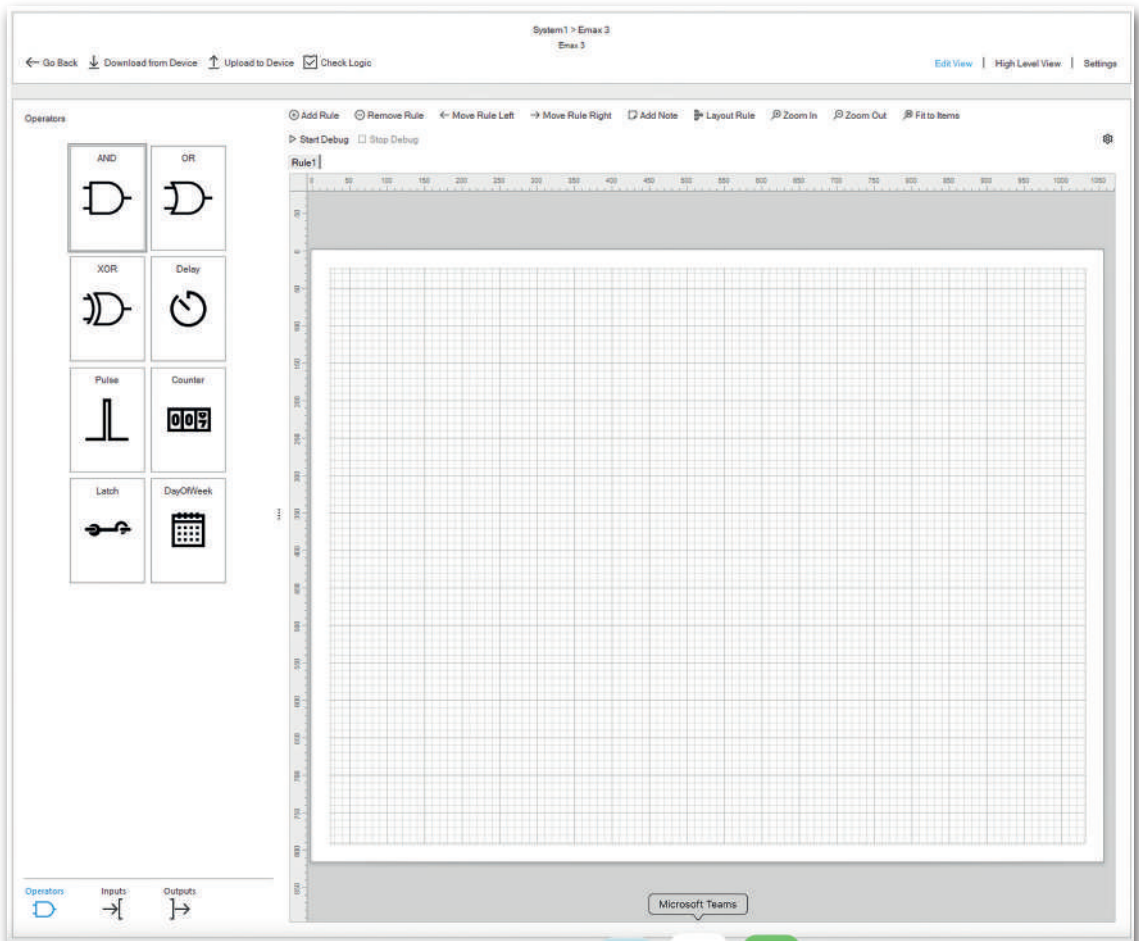
LOGIC DESIGN

After the devices are added to the diagram page, the logic must be programmed individually on each single device.

Therefore, select one device → right click → Open Project (or double left click) and the programming page opens:



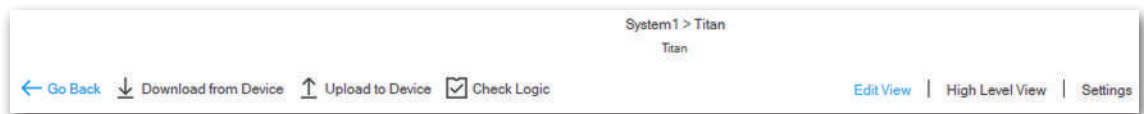
Here is an overview of the programming main page







In this page it is possible to implement the logic for the breaker selected.
Let's now analyze the meaning of each component of this page:

Logic features

After opening the project, tools and views appear at the top of the page to support project management.



Functionalities:

-  **Go Back:** it goes back to the diagram page
-  **Download from Device:** download the logic from the device to the laptop
-  **Upload to Device:** upload the logic from the laptop to the device
-  **Check Logic:** it checks if the logic does not present any error and if it is respecting the device memory limit

Views:

- **Edit View:** Main page to program the logic
- **High level View:** page where is presented the interconnection between each logic block
- **Settings:** page where is presented the list of Programmable Status, Digital Output and Delay programmed in the logic

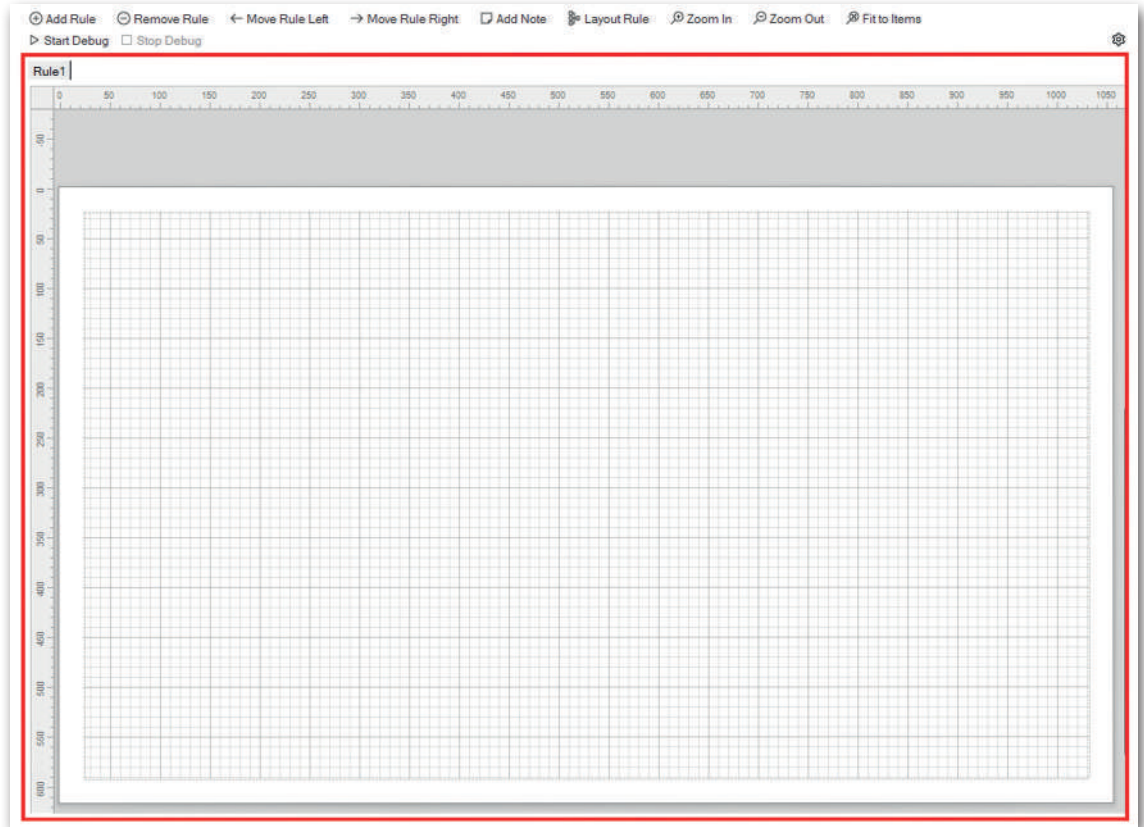
Edit View

This is the main page in which the logic is implemented.



Rules

Rule is the window where the user can insert Input, Output and Operator to program the logic.



+ Add Rule: insert a new Rule in the logic

- Remove Rule: delete the selected Rule

← Move Rule left: Move the selected Rule before the previous one

→ Move Rule Right: Move the selected Rule after the next one

□ Add Note: insert a sticky note in the Rule

Layout Rule: organize automatically the layout of the Rule

Zoom In: zoom more the selected Rule objects

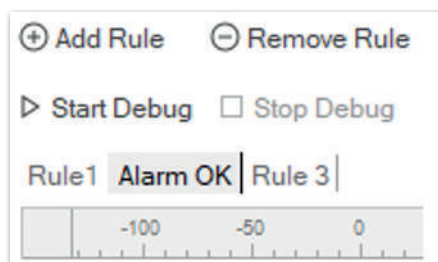
Zoom Out: zoom less the selected Rule objects

Fit to item: zoom in/out automatically to adapt the view at the Rule

Note: Zoom In/Out can be done also by scrolling the mouse wheel + ctrl button.

For each Rule, it is mandatory to have at least one Input variable and only one Output.

Each Rule can be renamed by clicking directly in the Rule name.

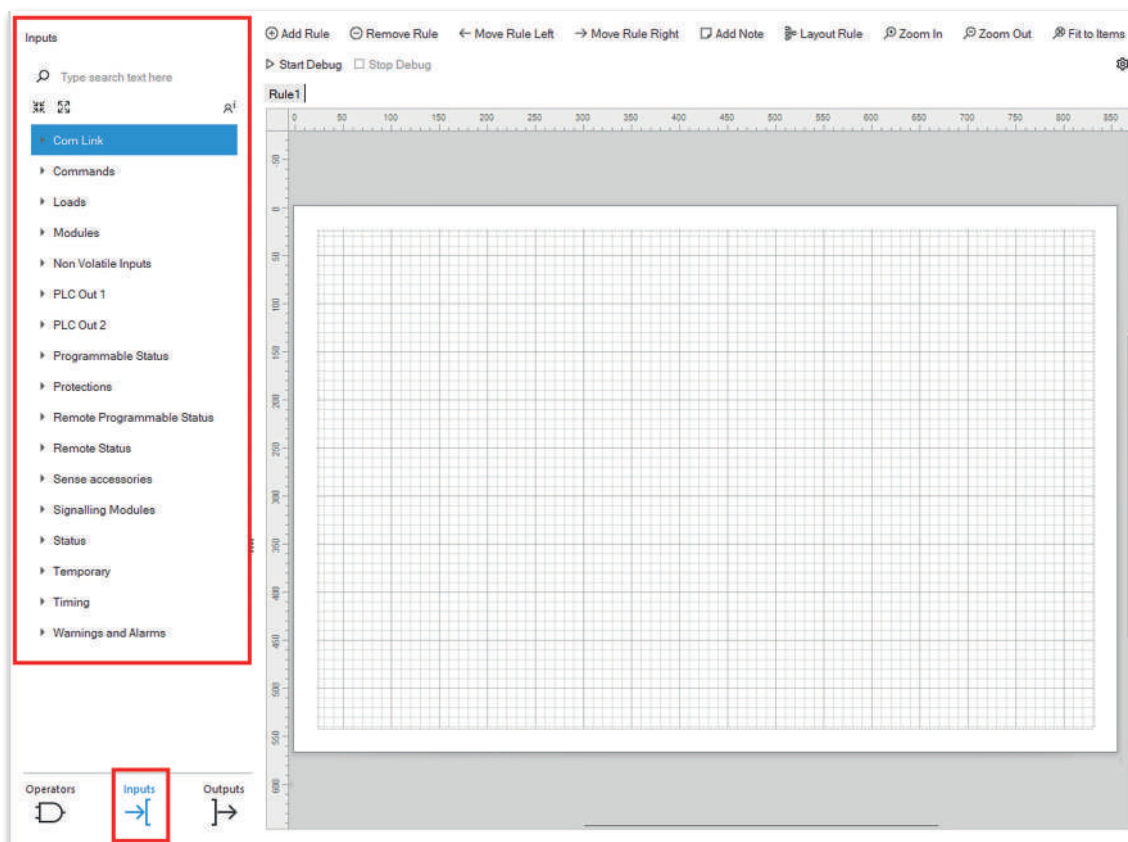


Note: the output can be "PLC Output", "Temporary" or "Ekip Signalling" variable.

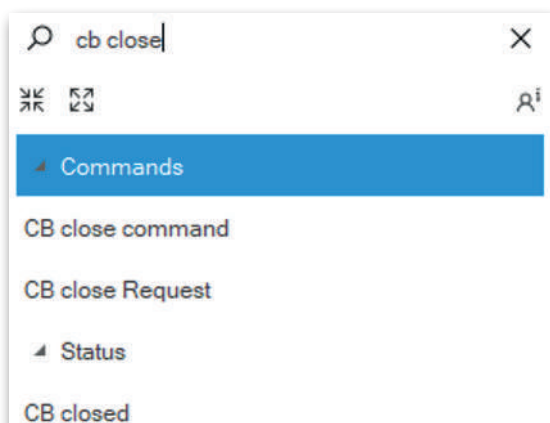
Inputs

According to the type of device selected, in the Inputs menu are present all the variable defined in the registers of the System Interface document.

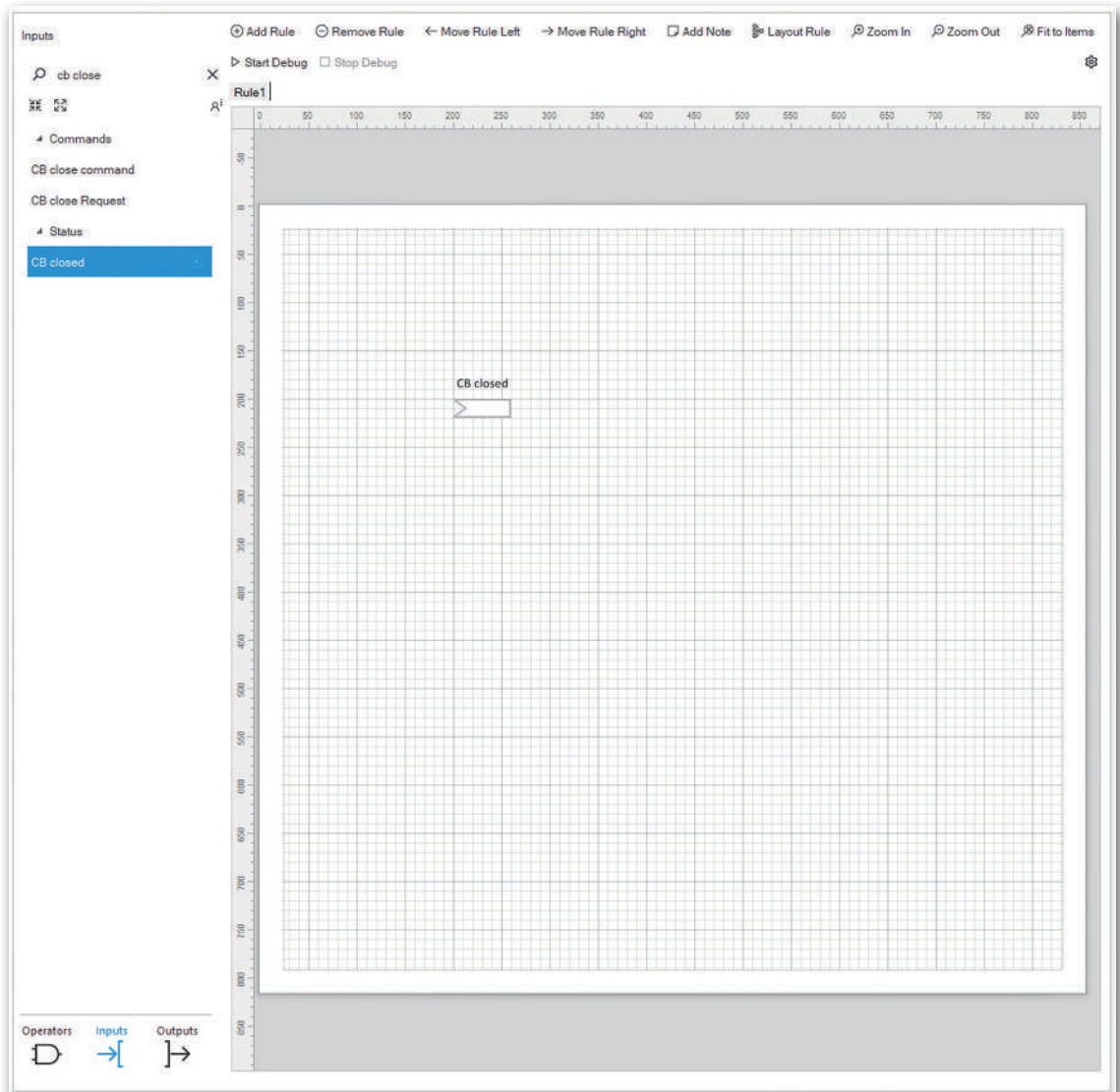
For additional detail, the document is available in ABB Library (<https://library.abb.com/d/1SDH001140R0001>):



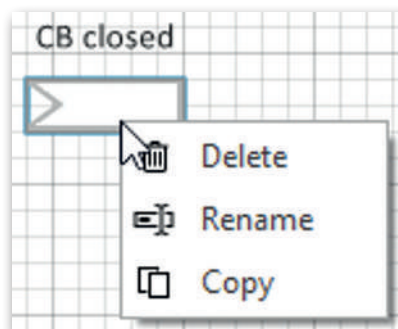
Every input variable can be searched manually by expanding the tree menu, or it can be searched by typing the name in the dedicated row:



To select the input, double left clicks on it or drag and drop it in the Rule:

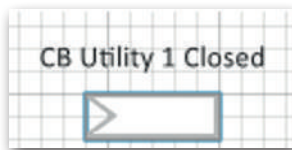


Each variable can be copied or deleted:

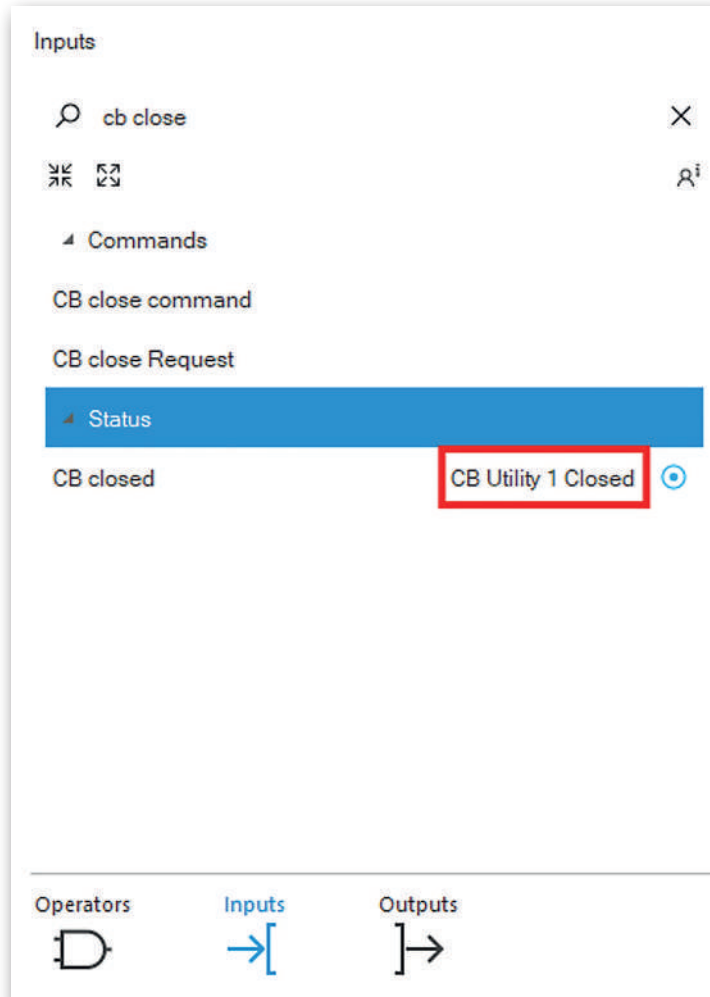


Every Input can be also renamed:

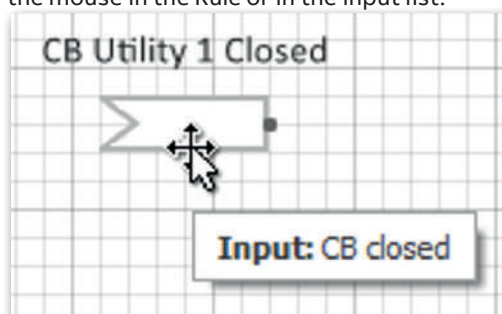
- by using right click → Rename or double click:



- from the Inputs menu list by typing the new name next to the variable:



It is possible to see the connection between the new name and its source variable by pointing at it with the mouse in the Rule or in the input list.

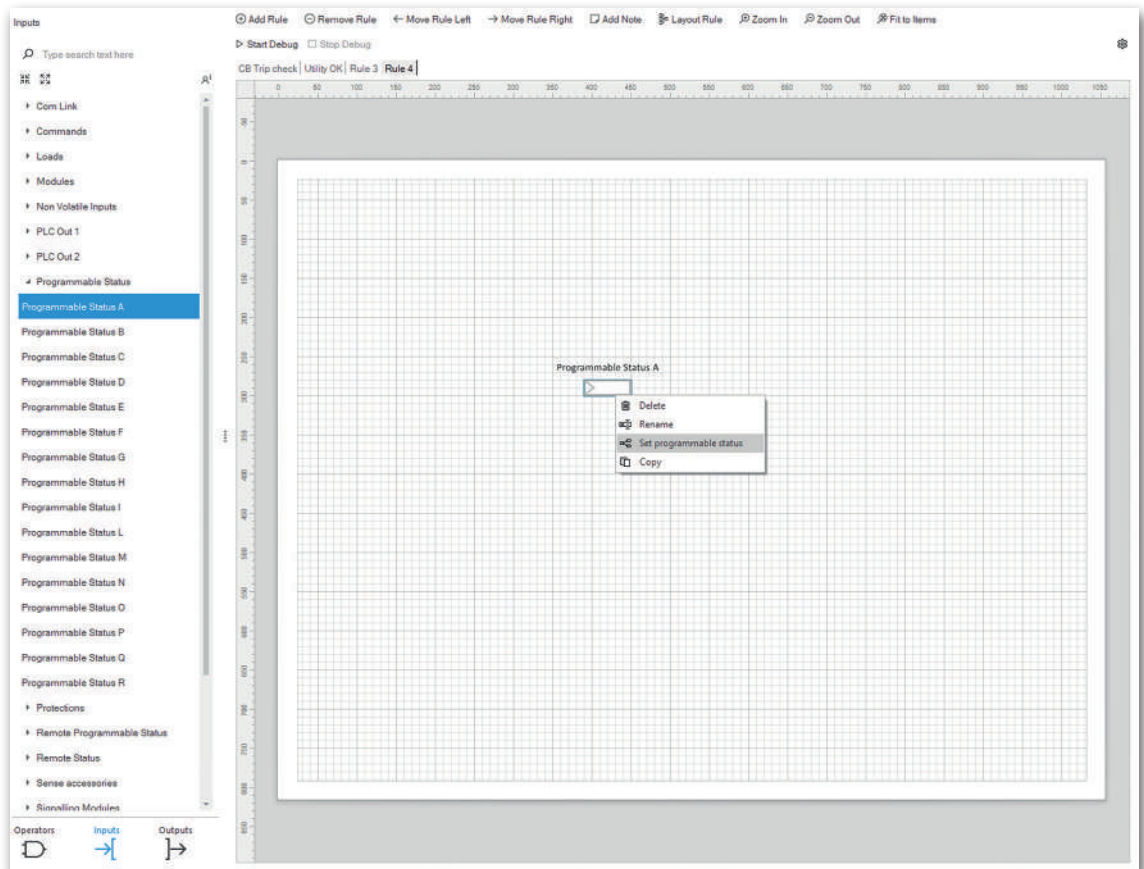


Once the input variable is inserted in a Rule, the following icon appears in the menu:

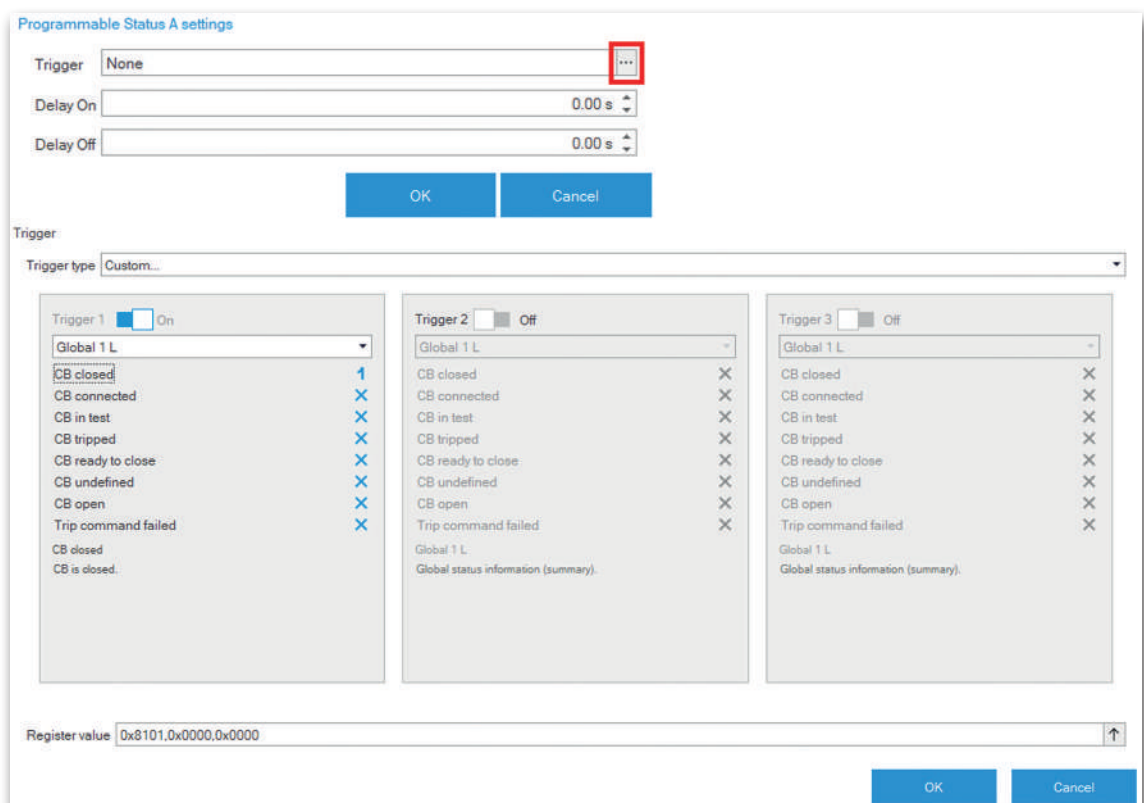


Programmable Status

The Programmable Status input can be programmed directly in the Rule by double-clicking (or right click) the selected Programmable Status variable



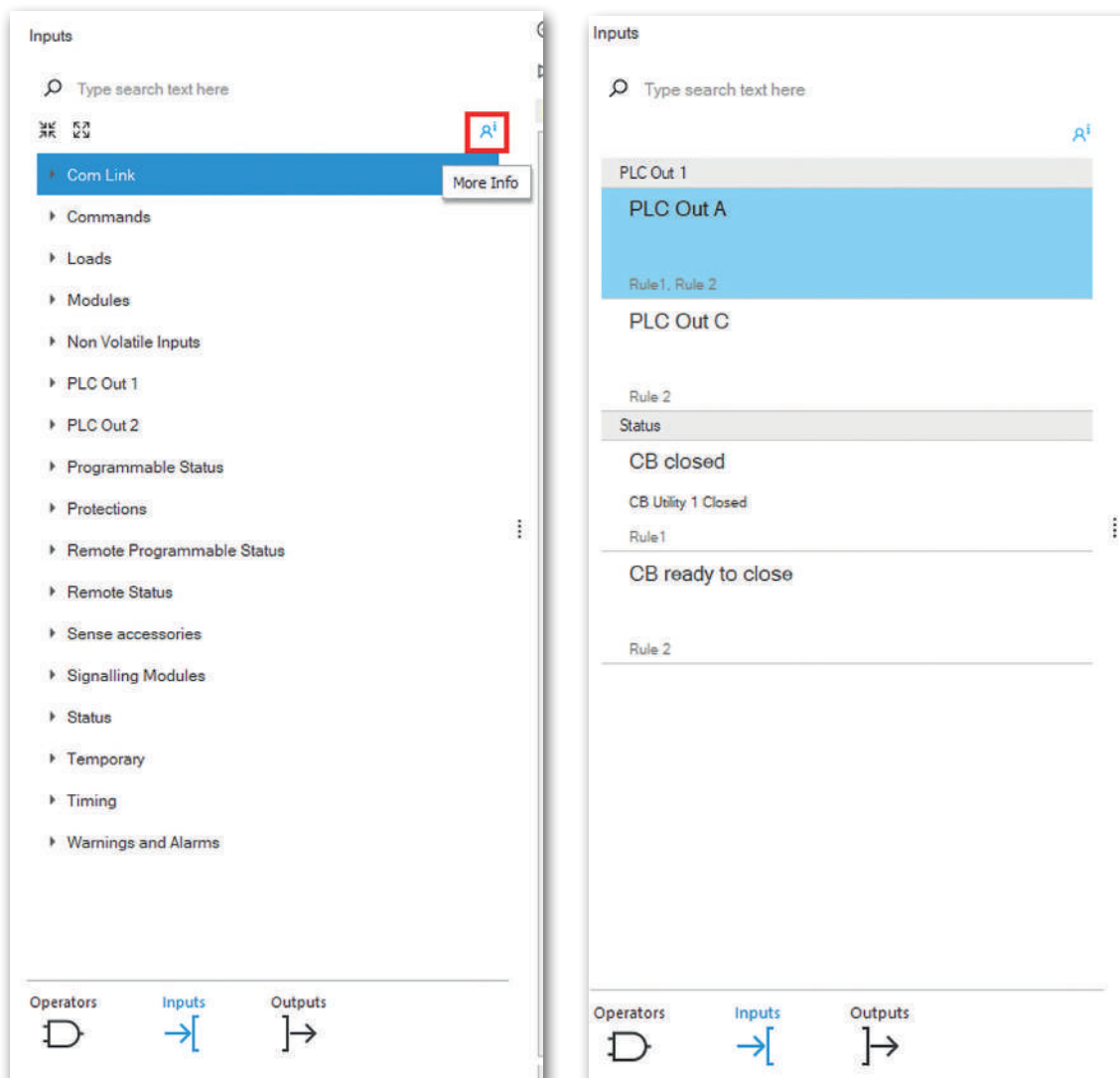
To select the Trigger, click on the 3 dots and select the variable connected to it (i.e. “CB closed”)



Note: it is possible to select the Delay On and Off values of the Programmable Status.

More Info

There is a way to have a list of all the Inputs involved in the logic by clicking on the icon “More Info”, the list of Inputs is presented:



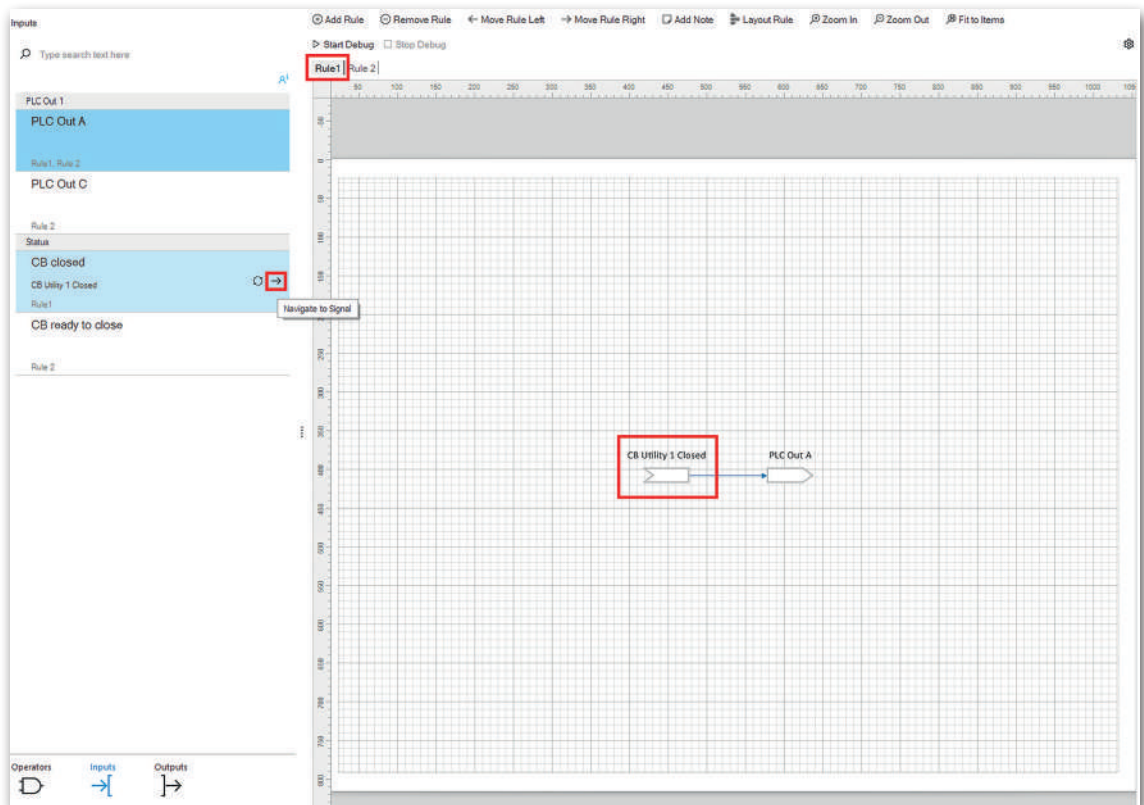
Each input variable corresponds to a cell, which is composed of a title and three rows:

- Title: Name of the register to which the variable belongs (i.e. “Status”)
- 1st row: input variable (i.e. “CB closed”)
- 2nd row: input variable tag (i.e. “CB Utility 1 Closed”)
- 3rd row: Rule where the variable has been inserted (i.e. “Rule 1”)

Status
CB closed
CB Utility 1 Closed
Rule 1

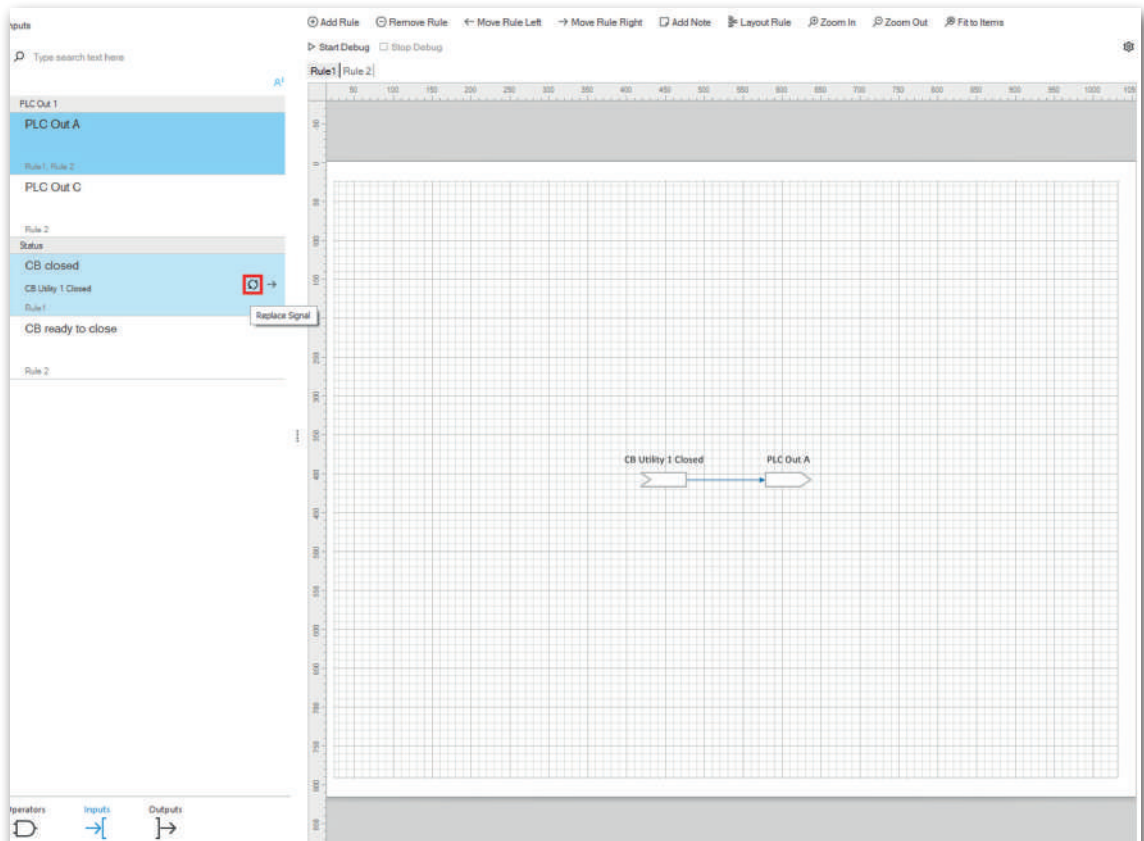
Navigate to Signal

By clicking on “Navigate to Signal”, it moves to the Rule where the selected input is present. If the same input is present in more than one Rule, by clicking again the “Navigate to Signal” the diagram page move the next Rule.



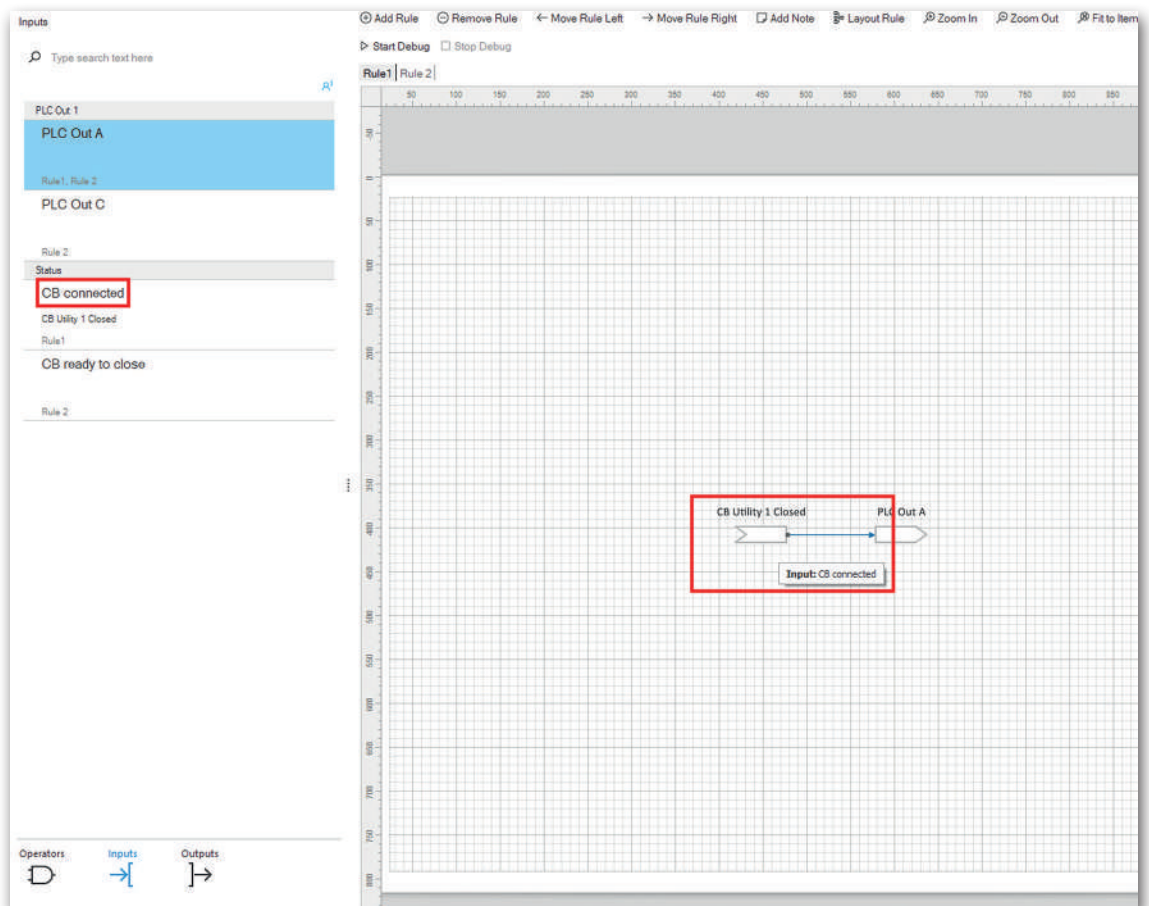
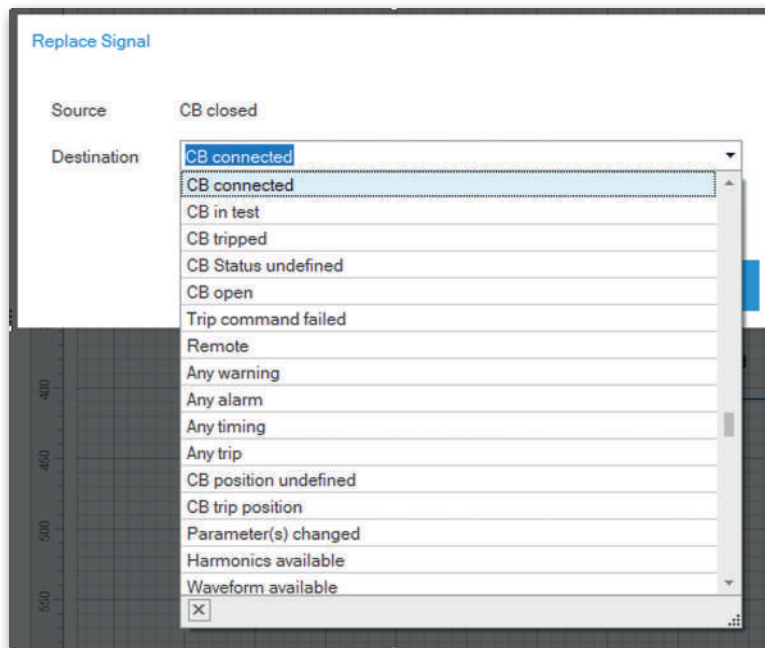
Replace Signal

Each input can also be replaced with another directly from this page without losing any connections by clicking on ‘Replace Signal’



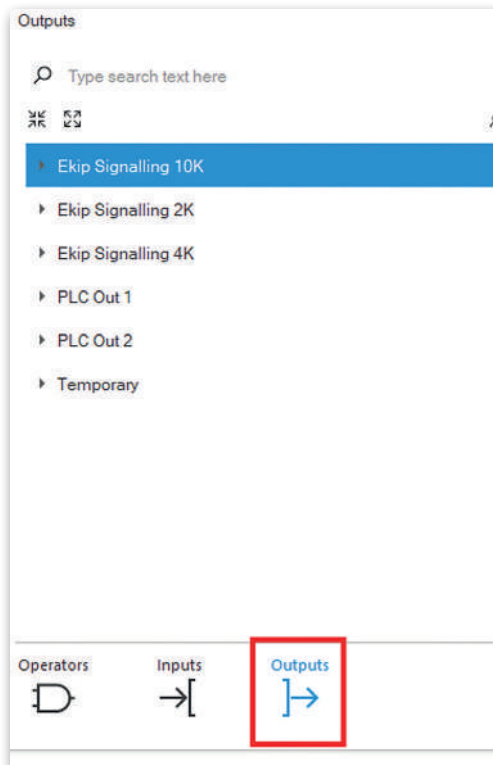
Note: Replace Signal not available for PLC Output and Temporary registers

It opens a window where the variable can be replaced with another one selected from the tree menu. For example, in this case the variable “CB closed” is replaced with “CB connected”:

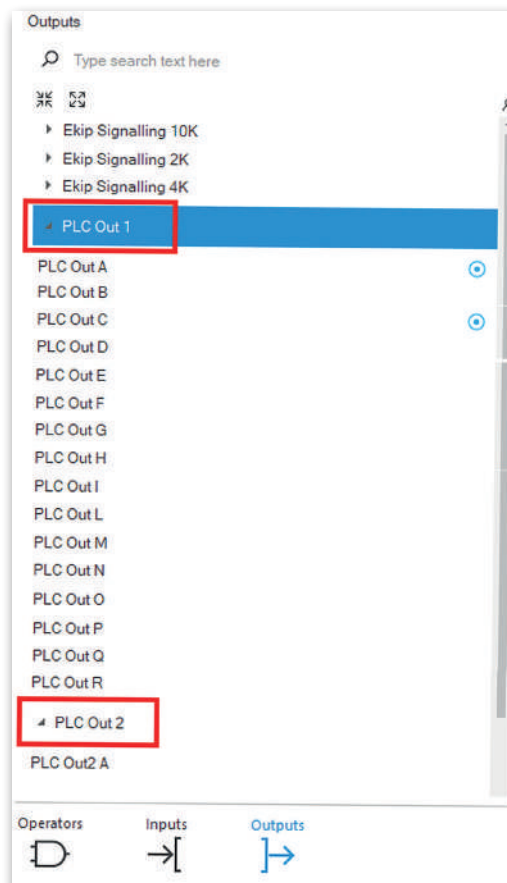


Outputs

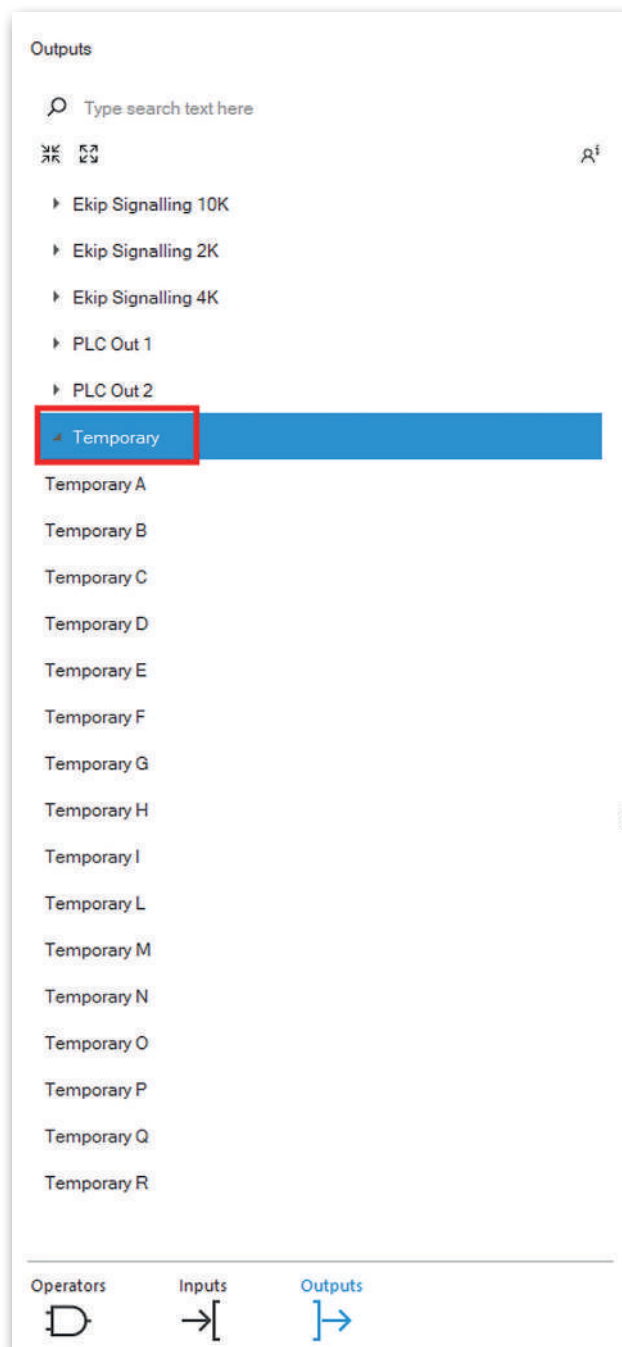
Each rule requires one output. Each output is a Boolean variable, but it can have different characteristics according to the register selected.



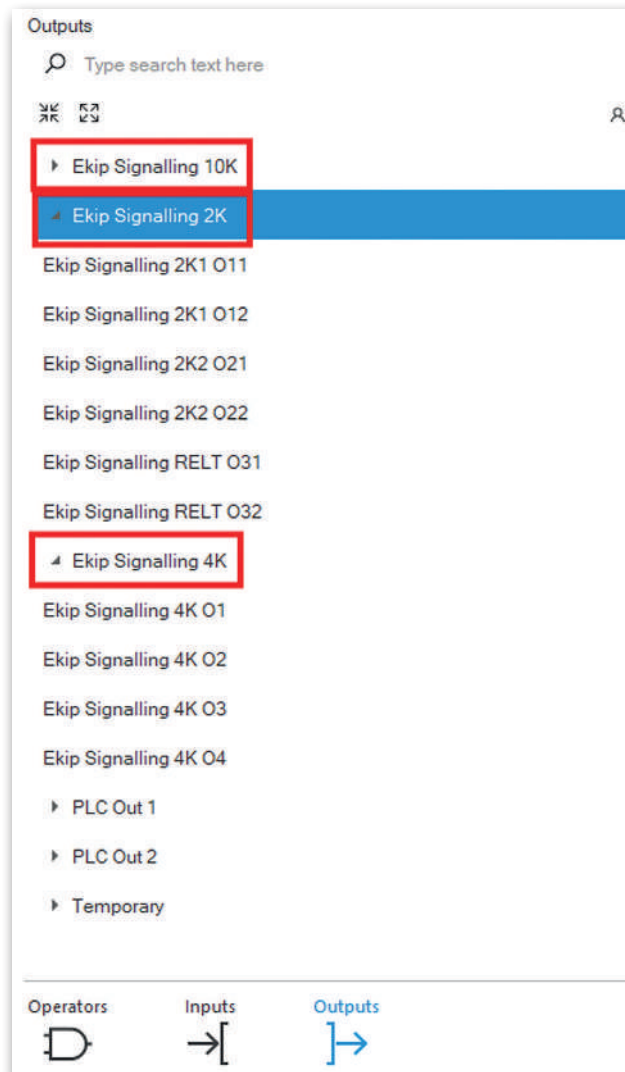
- PLC Out: composed by 2 registers (PLC Out 1 and PLC Out 2), with 16 outputs each. The status of these variables can be monitored in real time directly in the Custom Logic tool (presented in chapter Logic Design → Settings).



- Temporary: composed by 1 register with 16 outputs. The status of these variables cannot be monitored in real time since they remain as “internal” variable



- Ekip Signalling: composed by all the available digital output modules for Emax3:
 - Ekip Signalling 10K Link (composed by 10K-1, 10K-2 and 10K-3)
 - Ekip Signalling 2K (composed by 2K-1, 2K-2 and RELT)
 - Ekip Signalling 4K

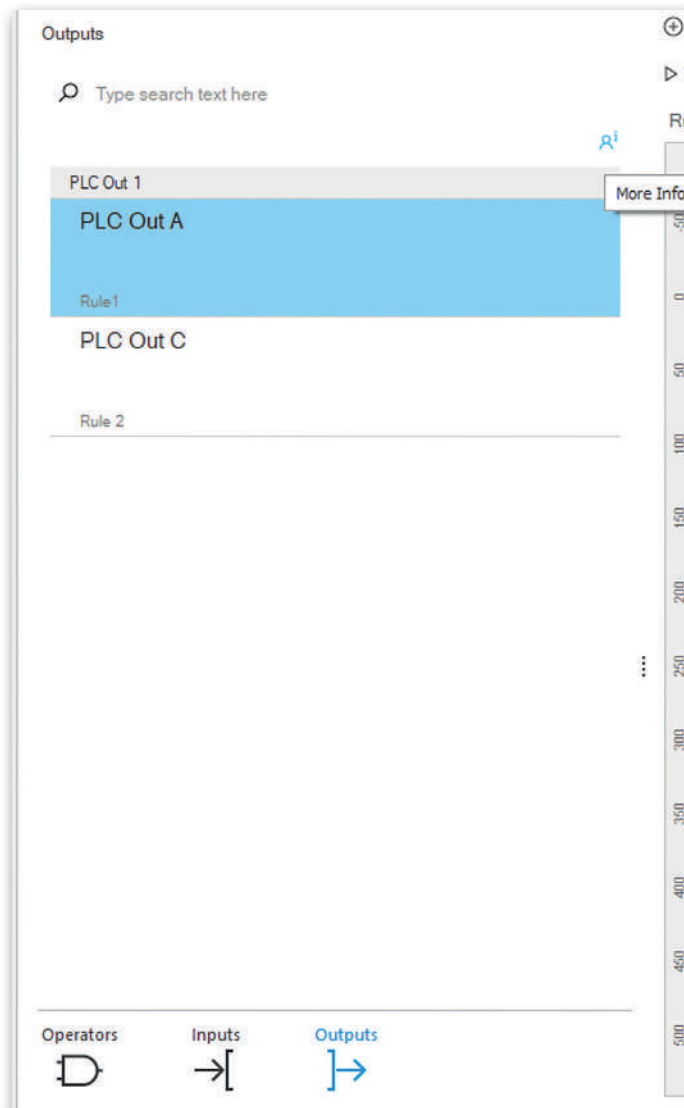


Note: The Custom Logic Tool will program directly the digital output inserted in the logic when it is uploaded in the device.

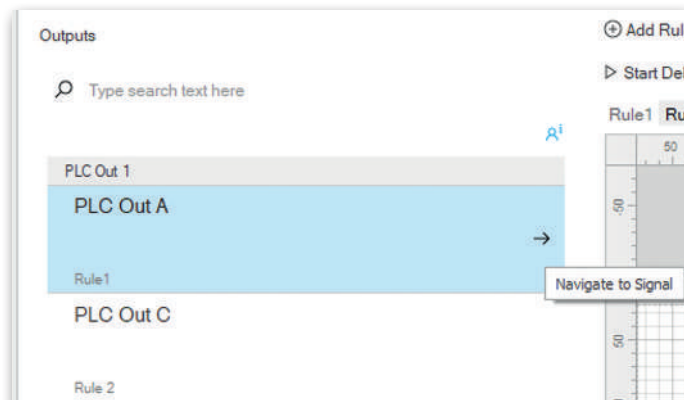
The functionalities present for the inputs (rename, search, drag and drop) are also present for all the Outputs. Each output can be deleted directly in the Rule, but it cannot be copied because has to be unique.

More Info

The “More Info” page is also available for the Outputs.

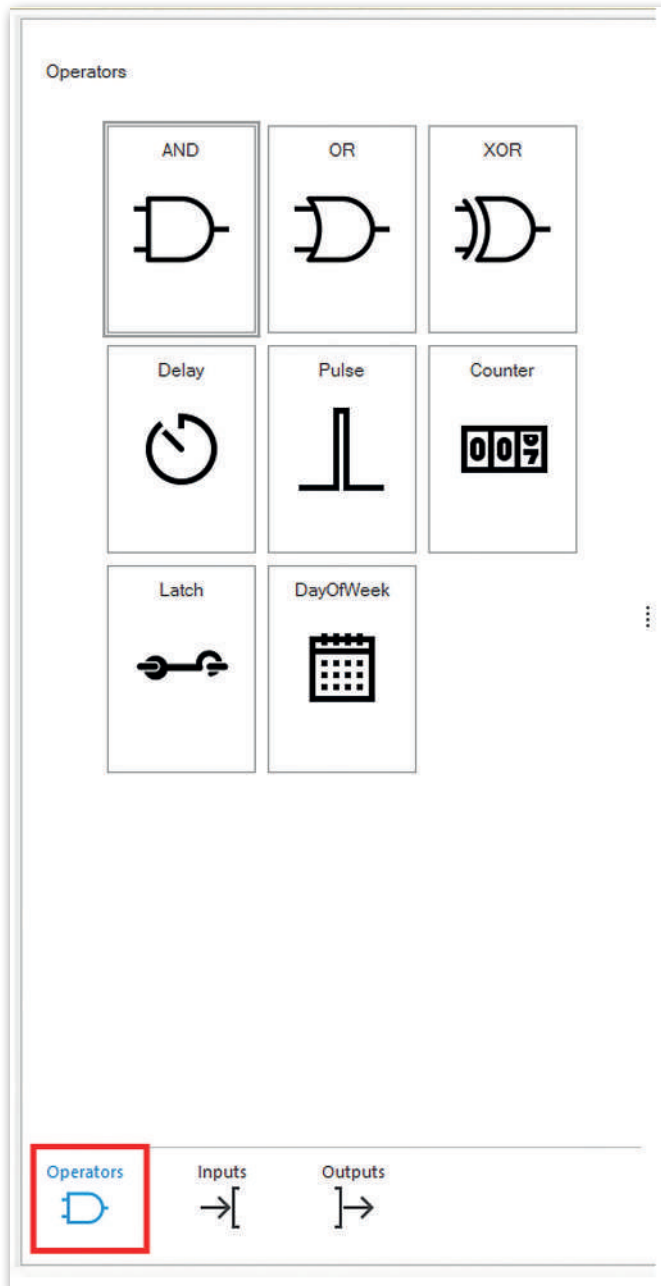


The function “Navigate Signal” is available, but “Replace Signal” is not available.



Operators

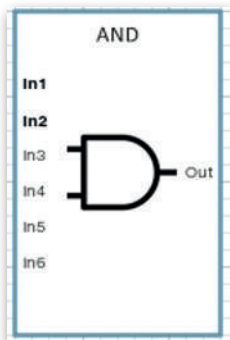
The Operator block is the computation function that is applied to one or more input and provide one output. The total list of operators available for that type of breaker is presented in this menu:



To select the operator, double-click on it or drag and drop it in the Rule. Each Rule can have more than one operator.

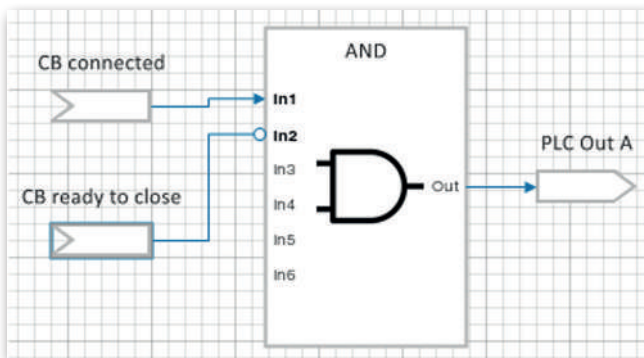
AND

It can have up to 6 input variables selected by the “Input” menu list. At least 2 inputs (In1 and In2) are mandatory.



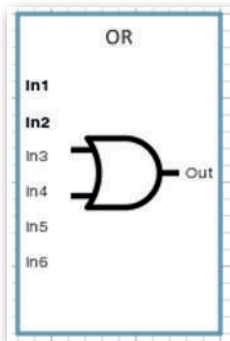
With right-click it's possible to replace it with another compatible operator. The operator can be also copied in the Rule.

Note: it is also possible to negate the input/output status for each variable connected to the operator by clicking directly to the single pin of the operator:



OR

Has the same characteristics of “AND” operator: It can have up to 6 input variables selected by the “Input” menu list. At least 2 inputs (In1 and In2) are mandatory.

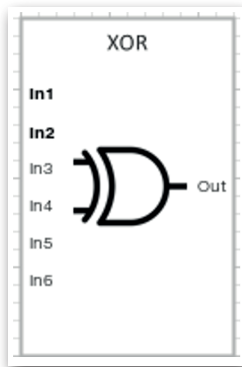


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Note: it is also possible to negate the input/output status for each variable connected to the operator by clicking directly to the single pin of the operator.

XOR

Has the same characteristics of “AND” & “OR” operator: It can have up to 6 input variables selected by the “Input” menu list. At least 2 inputs (In1 and In2) are mandatory.

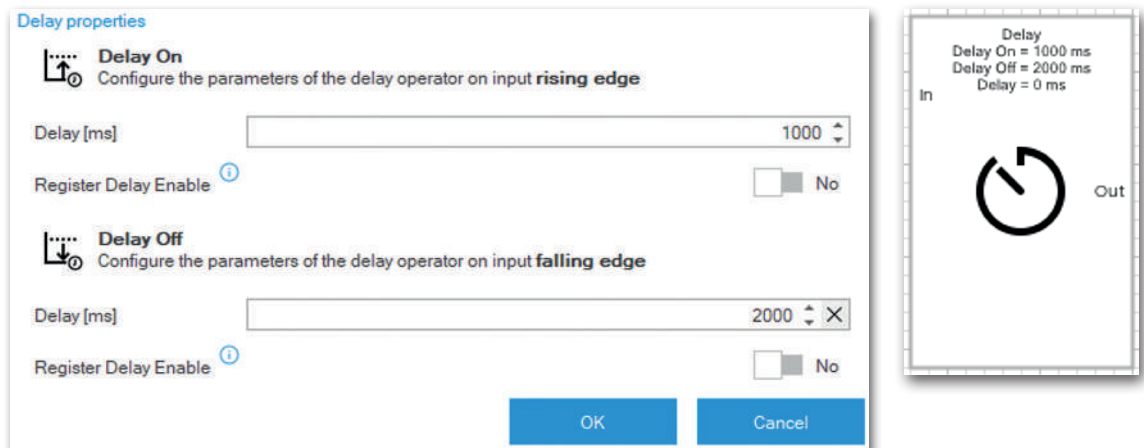


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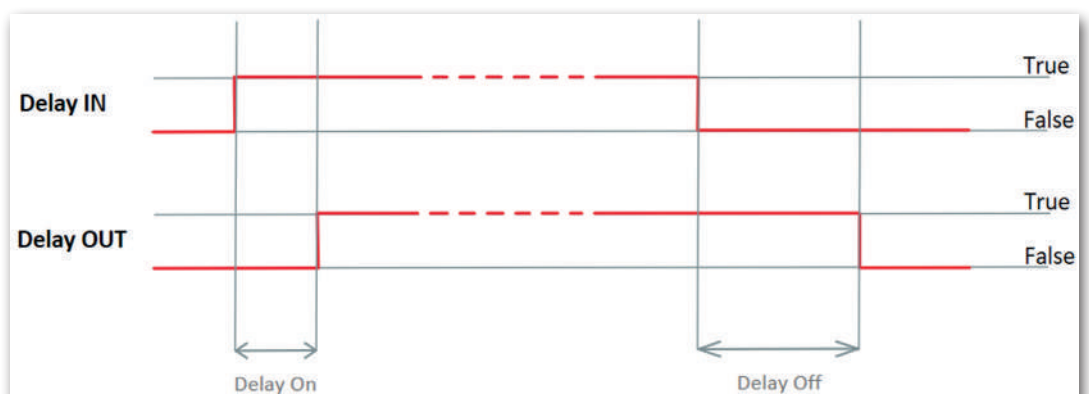
Note: it is also possible to negate the input/output status for each variable connected to the operator by clicking directly to the single pin of the operator.

Delay

It has 1 input and 1 output. To set the delays, double-click on the operator and define Delay On and Delay Off values:



- Delay On: delay of output variable to become True after that input variable becomes True.
- Delay Off: delay of output variable to become False after that input variable becomes False.



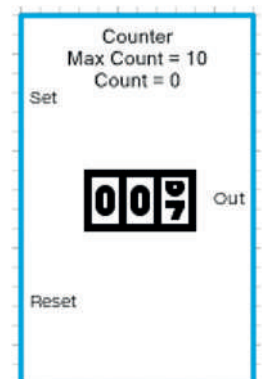
Time diagram representation of Delay On/Off behavior

- **Register Delay Enable:** when this function is enabled, the specific On/Off delay can be stored in a register (Delay On A–O). This allows the delay value to be changed directly from the Classic View, without editing the project.

Each delay register can be linked to more than one delay block operator.

Counter

It has 2 inputs and 1 output. To set the max count, double-click on the operator and define the value:



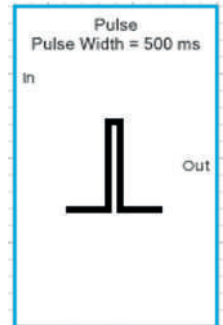
- **Counter operator behavior:** Each time the Set input becomes True, the counter increases by 1. When the counter reaches the Max Count value, the operator's output becomes True. If the Reset input becomes True, the counter resets to 0 and the output becomes False.

Pulse

Pulse properties

Pulse Duration [ms]

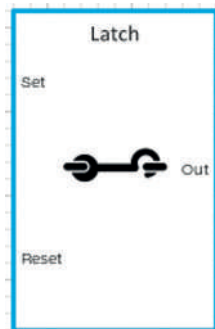
OK Cancel



- **Pulse operator behavior:** when the input variable becomes True, the output also becomes True and stays True for the entire pulse duration. After the pulse duration ends, the output becomes False.

Latch

It has 2 inputs and 1 output.



- **Latch operator behavior:** when the Set input becomes True, the output becomes True and stays True, even if the Set input goes back to False. The output only returns to False when the Re-set input becomes True.

DayOfWeek

It has just one output variable.

It is possible to define at least one day of the week and a specific time window.

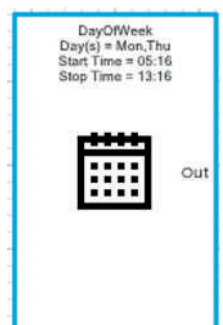
DayOfWeek properties

Day

Start Time

Stop Time

OK Cancel



- **DayOfWeek operator behavior:** When the internal clock of the breaker matches the defined parameters (day and/or a specific time window), the output becomes True. If the current time is outside these parameters, the output becomes False.

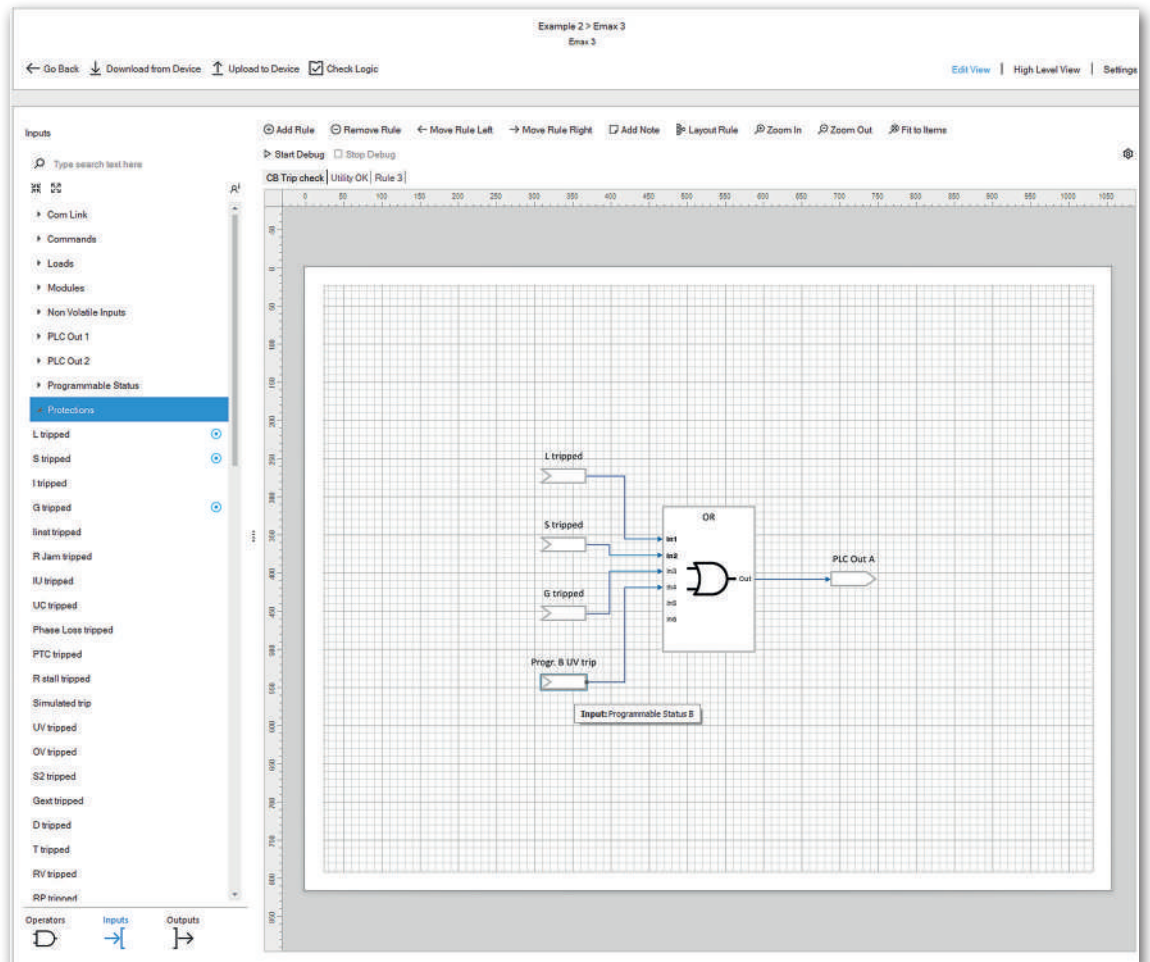
Edit View example

Here is presented a simple example that involves 3 Rules:

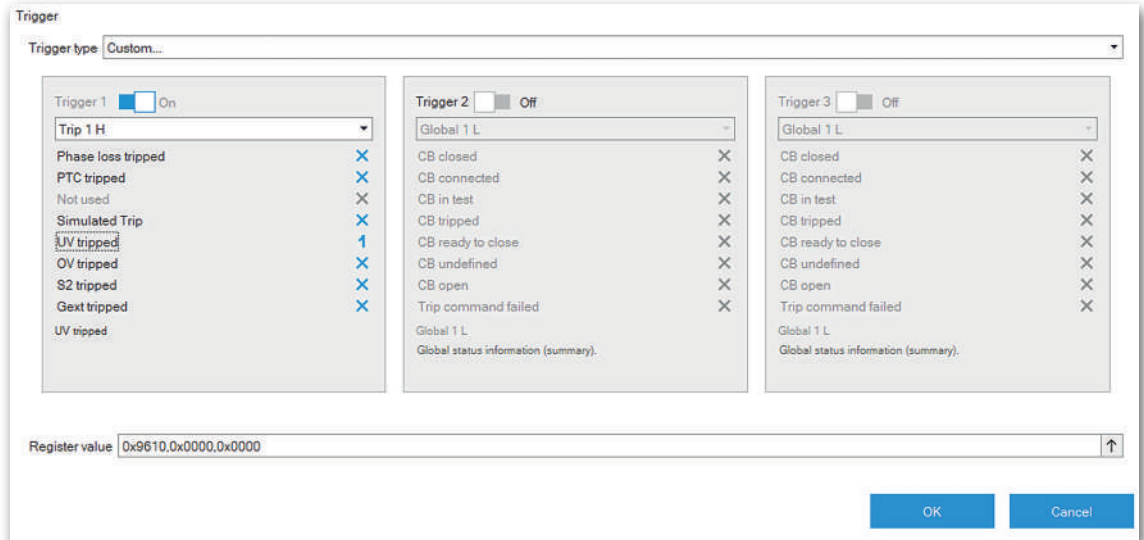
Rule 1: “CB Trip check”

Rule 1 Goal:

- The output is True if at least one of the following input variables is True: ‘L tripped’, ‘S tripped’, ‘G tripped’, or ‘Programmable Status B’.
- The output is False only if all input variables are False.



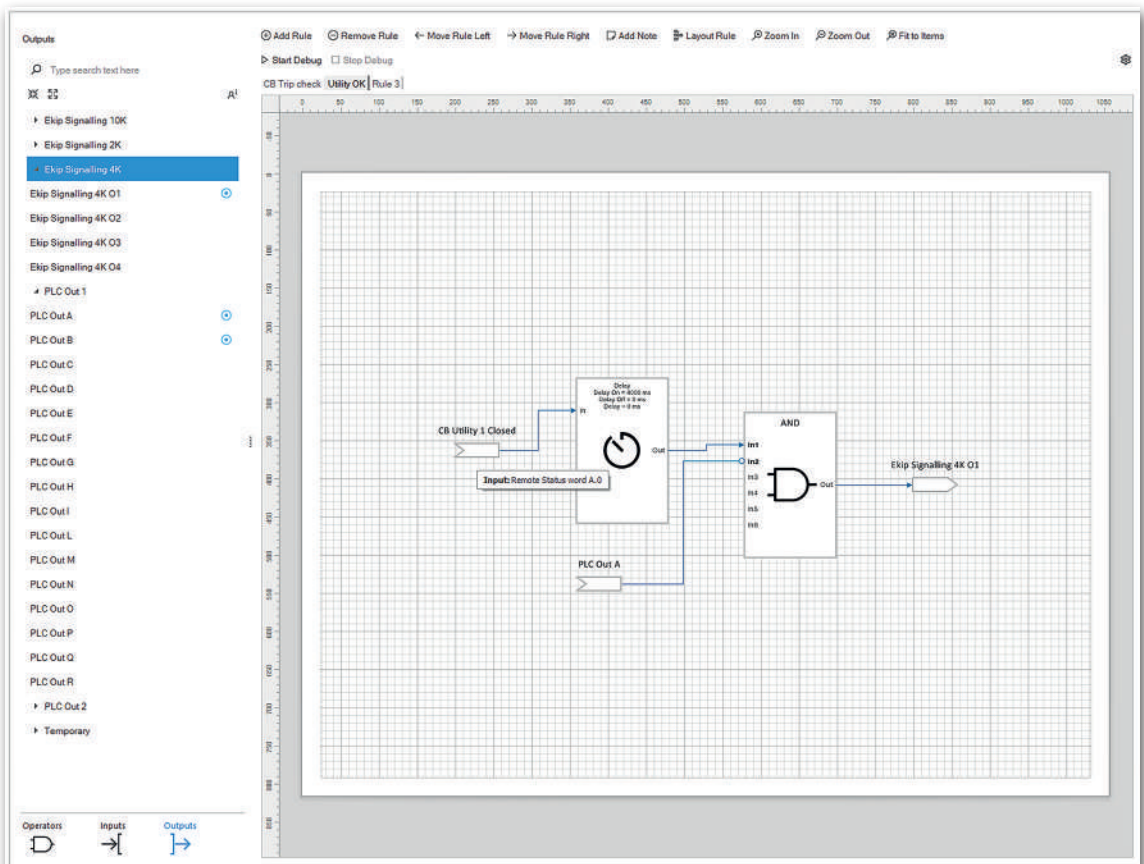
Programmable Status B set with trigger “UV tripped” and renamed as “Progr. B UV trip”:



Rule 2: “Utility OK”


Rule 2 Goal:

- The output (Ekip Signalling 4K O1) is True if both of this condition are respected:
 - Remote Status word A.0 is True after 4s
 - Rule 1 out is False
- The output is False only if at least one of the conditions are not respected





Delay On value connected to Register Delay On A (optional)


Delay properties

 **Delay On**
Configure the parameters of the delay operator on input **rising edge**


Delay [ms]

Register Delay Enable  ☒ Yes

Register Delay  Delay On A

 **Delay Off**
Configure the parameters of the delay operator on input **falling edge**

Delay [ms]

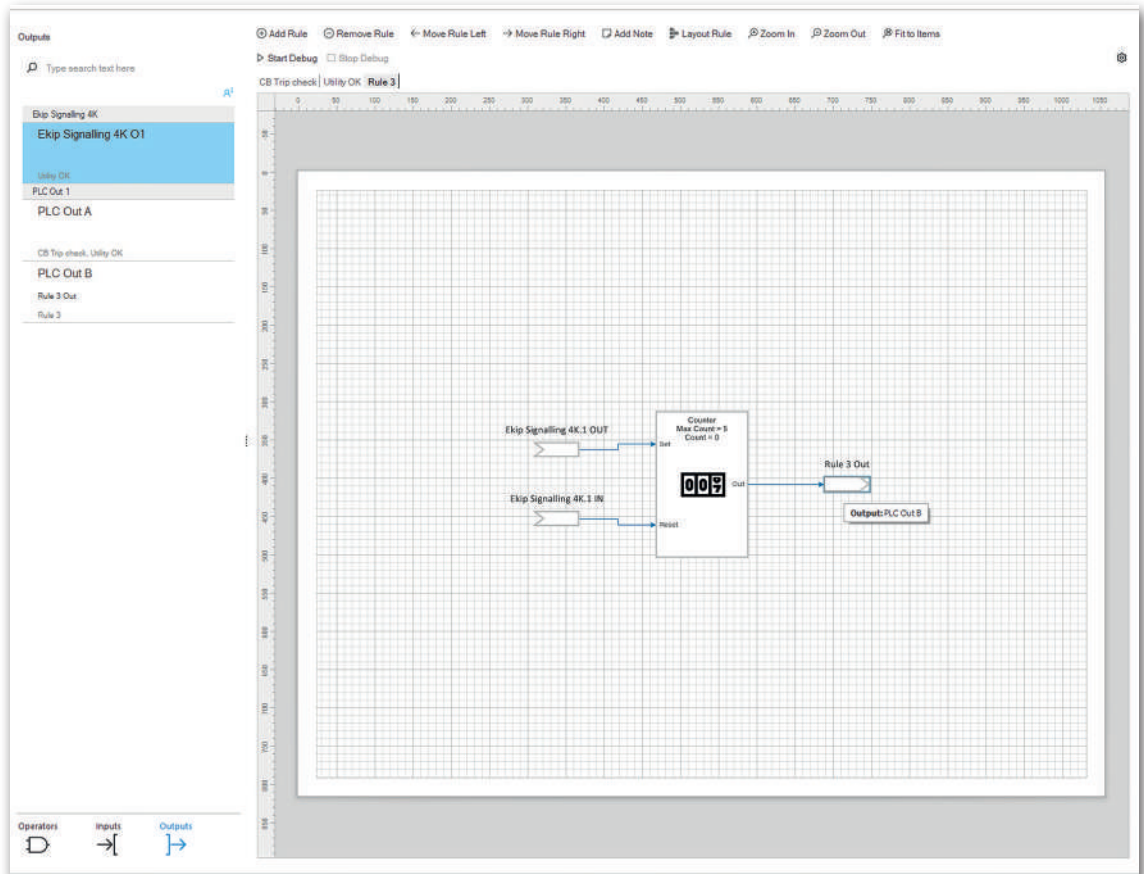
Register Delay Enable  ☐ No

OK Cancel

Rule 3

Rule 3 Goal:

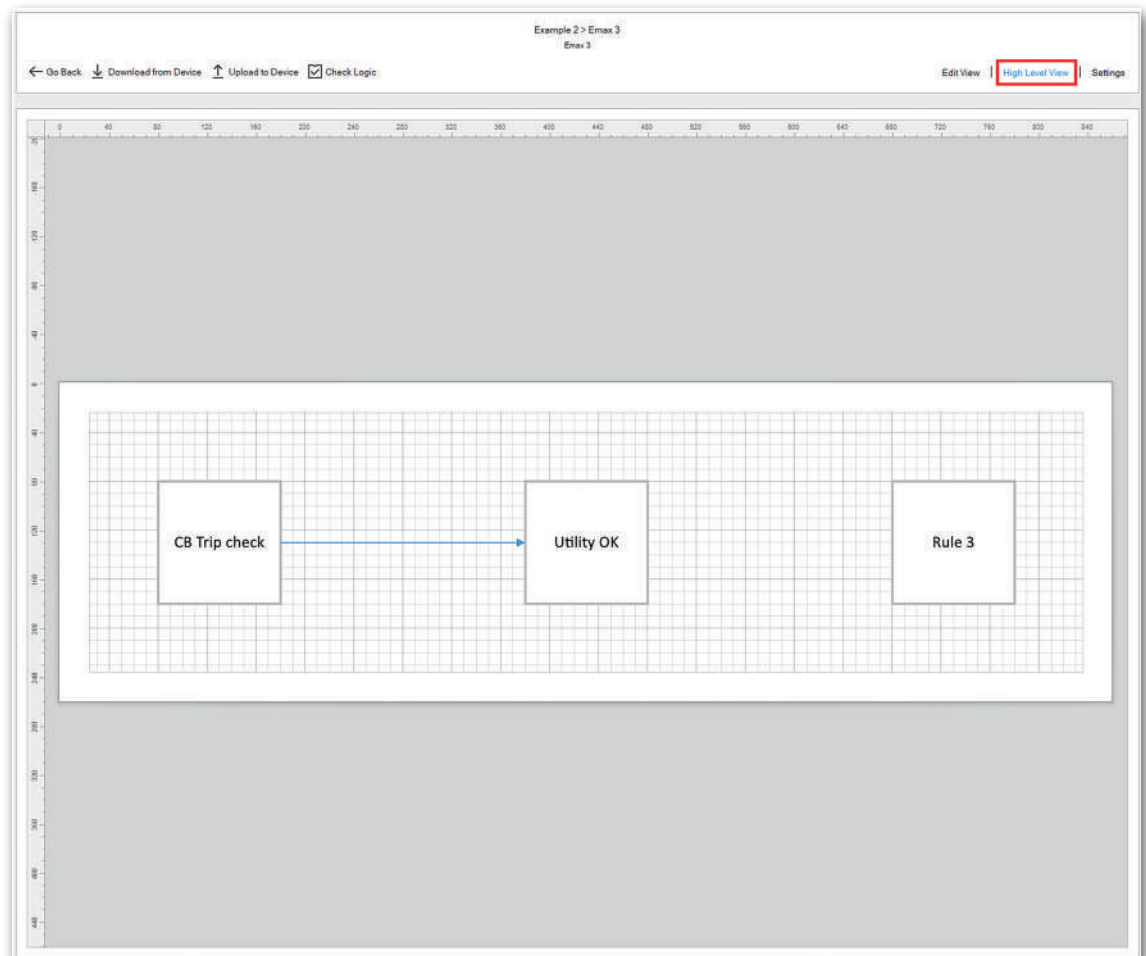
- The output is True if the input variable “Ekip Signalling 4K.1 OUT” becomes True at least 5 times.
- The output is False if:
 - “Ekip Signalling 4K.1 OUT” becomes True less than 5 times
 - or
 - “Ekip Signalling 4K.1 IN” becomes True



PLC Out B renamed as “Rule 3 Out”

High Level View

This page summarizes the complete logic of the individual device. It is useful to understand the correlation between inputs and outputs across the different Rules.



In this example, the output of the rule "CB Trip Check" is also used as an input for the rule "Utility OK".

Settings

This page displays the overall programming of the Programmable Status, PLC Outputs, Ekip Signalling outputs and Delay Operators Monitor.

Example 2 > Emax 3
Emax 3

← Go Back Download from Device Upload to Device ☒ Check Logic Edit View High Level View **Settings**

Programmable status

☒ Show only programmable status in your project

NAME	ALIAS	TRIGGER	DELAY ON	DELAY OFF	EDIT	RESET
Programmable Status B	Progr. B UV trip	Custom 0x9610	0 s	0 s		

Physical outputs

☒ Show only physical outputs in your project

NAME	PLC OUTPUT STATUS	ALIAS	PHYSICAL OUTPUT
PLC Out A			Not connected
PLC Out B		Rule 3 Out	Not connected
Ekip Signalling 4K O1	Not Available		4K O1

Delays monitor

☒ Show only delay monitored in your project

NAME	RULES	THRESHOLD	EDIT	RESET
Delay On A	Utility OK	4000		

Programmable Status

Once a Programmable Status variable is inserted into the Rule, the Programmable Status menu of the Settings page will be populated by highlighting the main information

Programmable status

☒ Show only programmable status in your project

NAME	ALIAS	TRIGGER	DELAY ON	DELAY OFF	EDIT	RESET
Programmable Status B	Progr. B UV trip	Custom 0x9610	0 s	0 s		

For both lists, it can be chosen to view only the variables involved in the logic, or the en-tire list of variables. To do this, simply uncheck the option “Show only programmable sta-tus / physical outputs / delay monitored in your project.”

Programmable status

☐ Show only programmable status in your project

NAME	ALIAS	TRIGGER	DELAY ON	DELAY OFF	EDIT	RESET
Programmable Status A						
Programmable Status B	Progr. B UV trip	Custom 0x9610	0 s	0 s		
Programmable Status C						
Programmable Status D						
Programmable Status E						
Programmable Status F						
Programmable Status G						
Programmable Status H						
Programmable Status I						
Programmable Status L						
Programmable Status M						
Programmable Status N						
Programmable Status O						
Programmable Status P						
Programmable Status Q						
Programmable Status R						

From the menu it is possible to edit or reset the configuration of each Programmable Status.

Programmable status

☒ Show only programmable status in your project

NAME	ALIAS	TRIGGER	DELAY ON	DELAY OFF	EDIT	RESET
Programmable Status B	Progr. B UV trip	Custom 0x9610	0 s	0 s		

Physical outputs

Once a PLC Out or Ekip Signalling Out variable is inserted into the Rule, Physical outputs menu of the Settings page will be populated by highlighting the main information

NAME	PLC OUTPUT STATUS	ALIAS	PHYSICAL OUTPUT
PLC Out A	●		Not connected
PLC Out B	●	Rule 3 Out	Not connected
Ekip Signalling 4K O1	Not Available		4K O1

Since Temporary Outputs cannot be monitored, they are not shown in the menu.

Like in the Programmable Status menu, it can be chosen to view only the variables involved in the logic, or the entire list of variables.


If the user is connected to the device, the real-time status of each PLC output is presented in the list “PLC Output Status”, differentiated by colors, where:

- Green corresponds to PLC Out Status = True
- Grey corresponds to PLC Out Status = False



NAME	PLC OUTPUT STATUS	ALIAS	PHYSICAL OUTPUT
PLC Out A	●		Not connected
PLC Out B	●	Rule 3 Out	Not connected
Ekip Signalling 4K O1	Not Available		4K O1

Delay monitor



Once a Delay On/Off value is connected to a delay register, Delay monitor menu of the Settings page will be populated by highlighting the main information

Delays monitor				
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Show only delay monitored in your project				
NAME	RULES	THRESHOLD	EDIT	RESET
Delay On A	Utility OK	4000		

From the menu it is possible to edit or reset the configuration of each Delay register.

Delays monitor				
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Show only delay monitored in your project				
NAME	RULES	THRESHOLD	EDIT	RESET
Delay On A	Utility OK	4000		

Note: Each delay register can be linked to more than one delay block operator.

Delays monitor				
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Show only delay monitored in your project				
NAME	RULES	THRESHOLD	EDIT	RESET
Delay On A	Utility OK, Rule 4	4000		

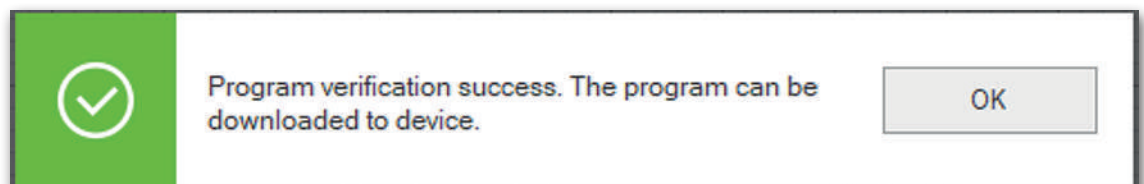
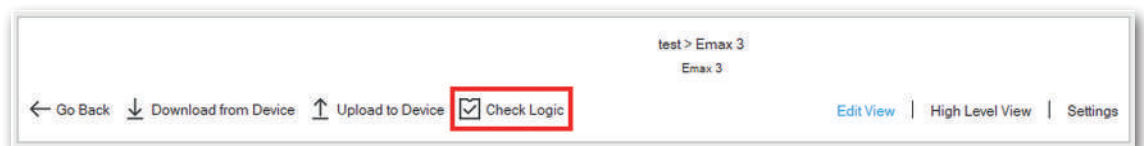
LOGIC AND PROJECT OFFLINE VALIDATION

After writing a logic, it is necessary to verify its correctness and prepare the required documentation to ensure that the project is as complete and accurate as possible.

Check logic function

To verify the logic of each individual device, the 'Check Logic' function is available on the Edit View page, which checks:

- Input& Output connections: no variables in the rules without being connected to something
- Output Rules: one single Output for each Rule
- Operator conditions: every operator respects the operating requirements (Delay On/Off for Delay and Pulse, at least 2 inputs for AND/OR, etc...)
- Memory limits: the entire logic is respecting the memory limit of the device



Note: once the logic is uploaded in the devices, is presenting more in details the memory limits in Classic View page:

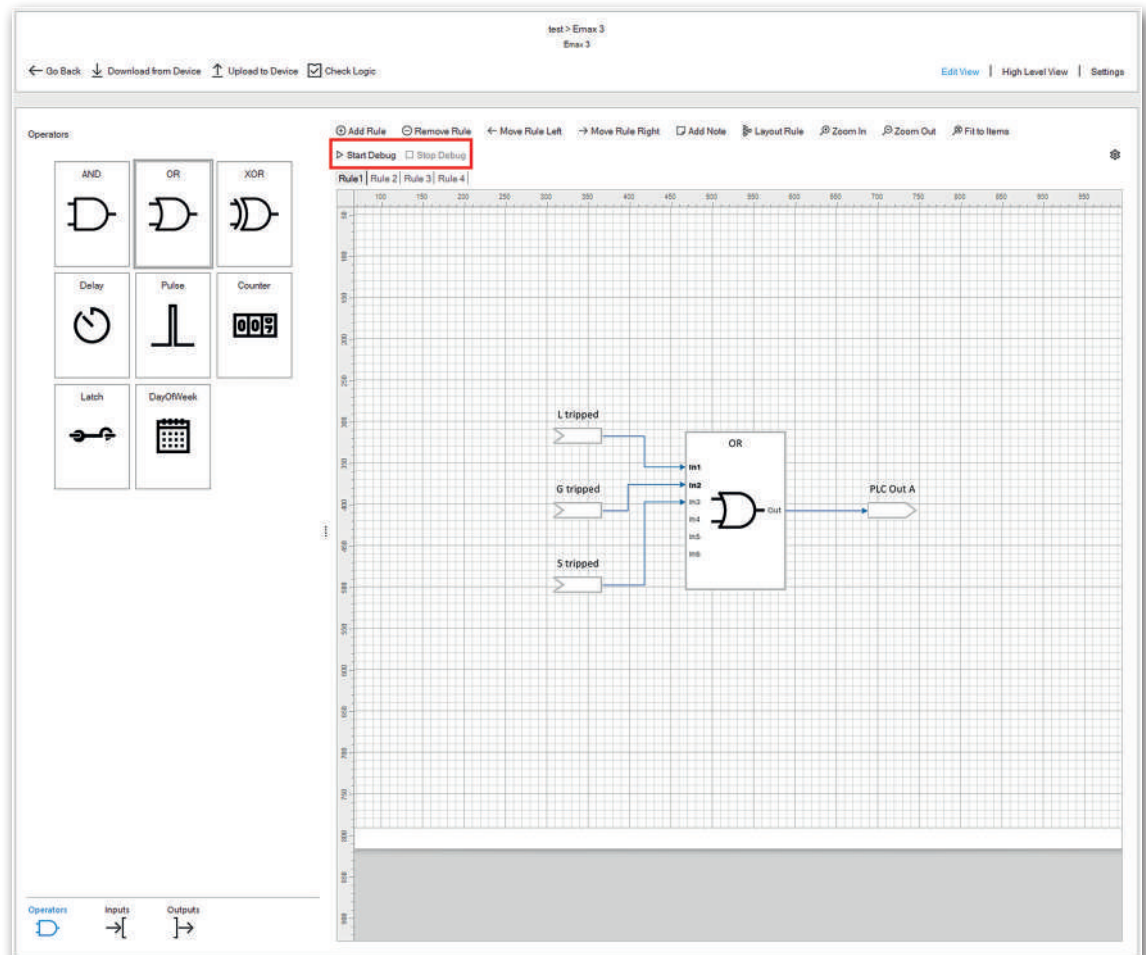
The screenshot displays the 'Classic View' page of a software interface. On the left is a dark sidebar with a menu containing icons and labels for various functions: Scan, Devices, TITAN CBA E1.3-8800 Emax 3 (with a green checkmark), Dashboard, Information, Configuration, Monitoring, Protections, Modules, and Classic View (highlighted). The main area is divided into three vertical panels. The left panel is a list of menu items with blue icons: Information, Features Collection, Status, Warning/Alarms, Trips, Measures Menu (expanded), CB Statistics, Unit configuration, Sense Accessories configuration, Protection Parameters (expanded), Modules (expanded), Wireless Modules, Programmable Status and Outputs (expanded), Functions, Measures History, Trip History, Events log, Datalogger Advanced, Datalogger Basic, THD-Harmonics, Network Analyzer, Advanced Power Controller, and Diana. The middle panel, titled 'Custom Logic', contains 'PLC Settings' (PLC Enable: Enabled, Memory Manufacturer: 0, Memory Size: 0) and 'PLC Resources' (highlighted with a red box). The 'PLC Resources' section shows: Number of source instructions (4/70), Number of PLC instructions (22/1000), Number of Delay blocks used (1/40), Number of Pulse blocks used (0/40), Number of Latch blocks used (0/40), Number of Counter blocks used (1/40), and PLC Memory Used (2%). Below this is 'PLC Status' (PLC program execution time (average): 53 us, PLC program execution time (maximum): 71 us, PLC Parser error code: ---, PLC Parser error details: ---, PLC Run-time resource check: ---, PLC Run-time error code: ---) and 'PLC Outputs' (PLC Outputs, PLC Outputs 2). The right panel shows a list of variables: PLC RealTime variable, Delay On Monitor, Delay Off Monitor, and Non Volatile Inputs.

PLC Resources	Value
Number of source instructions	4 / 70
Number of PLC instructions	22 / 1000
Number of Delay blocks used	1 / 40
Number of Pulse blocks used	0 / 40
Number of Latch blocks used	0 / 40
Number of Counter blocks used	1 / 40
PLC Memory Used	2 %

Debug Mode

The designed logic can be tested by simulating it directly in Custom Logic, without needing to download it to the devices. The simulation can be performed on one device at a time only.

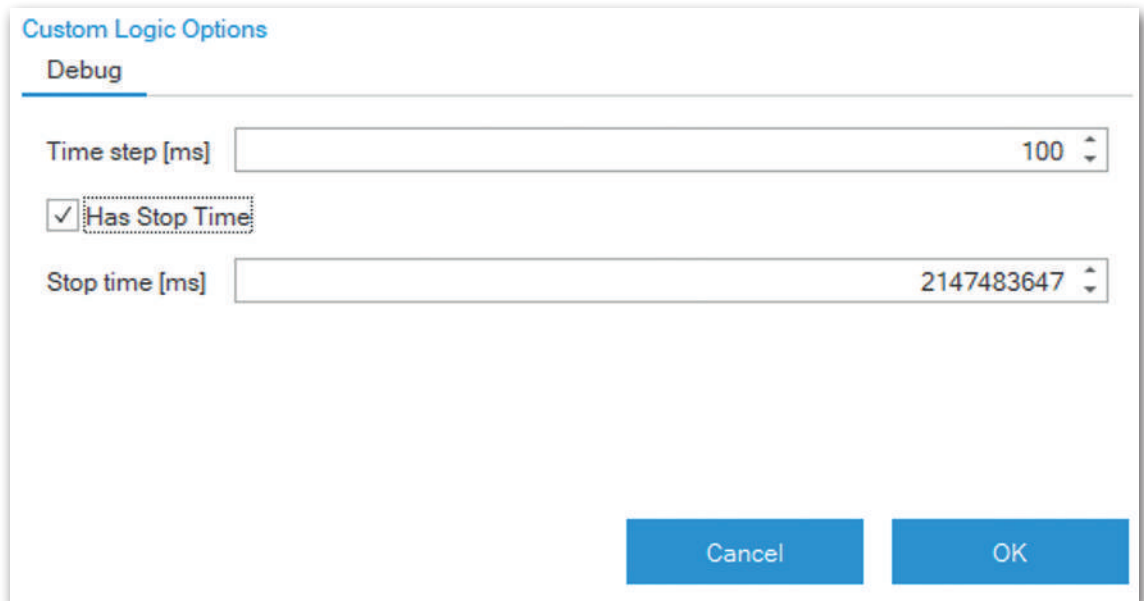
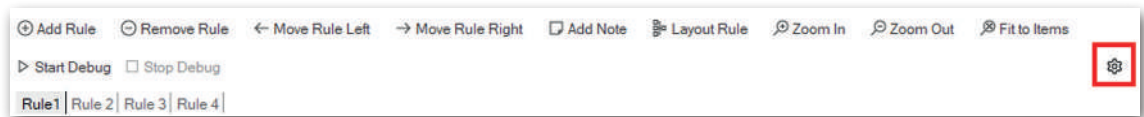
The simulation tool is called “Debug” function and is available on the Edit View page.



Debug settings

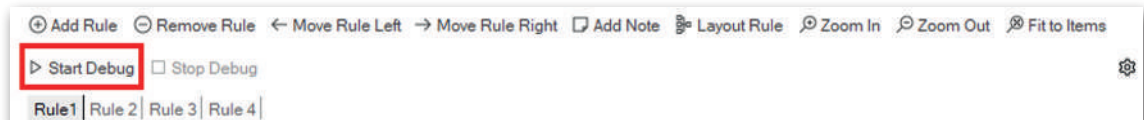
By clicking on the gear icon on the right side of the window, it's possible to set:

- Clock of the simulation
- End of infinite loop
- Stop time



Debug ON

To start the simulation, click on "Start Debug".

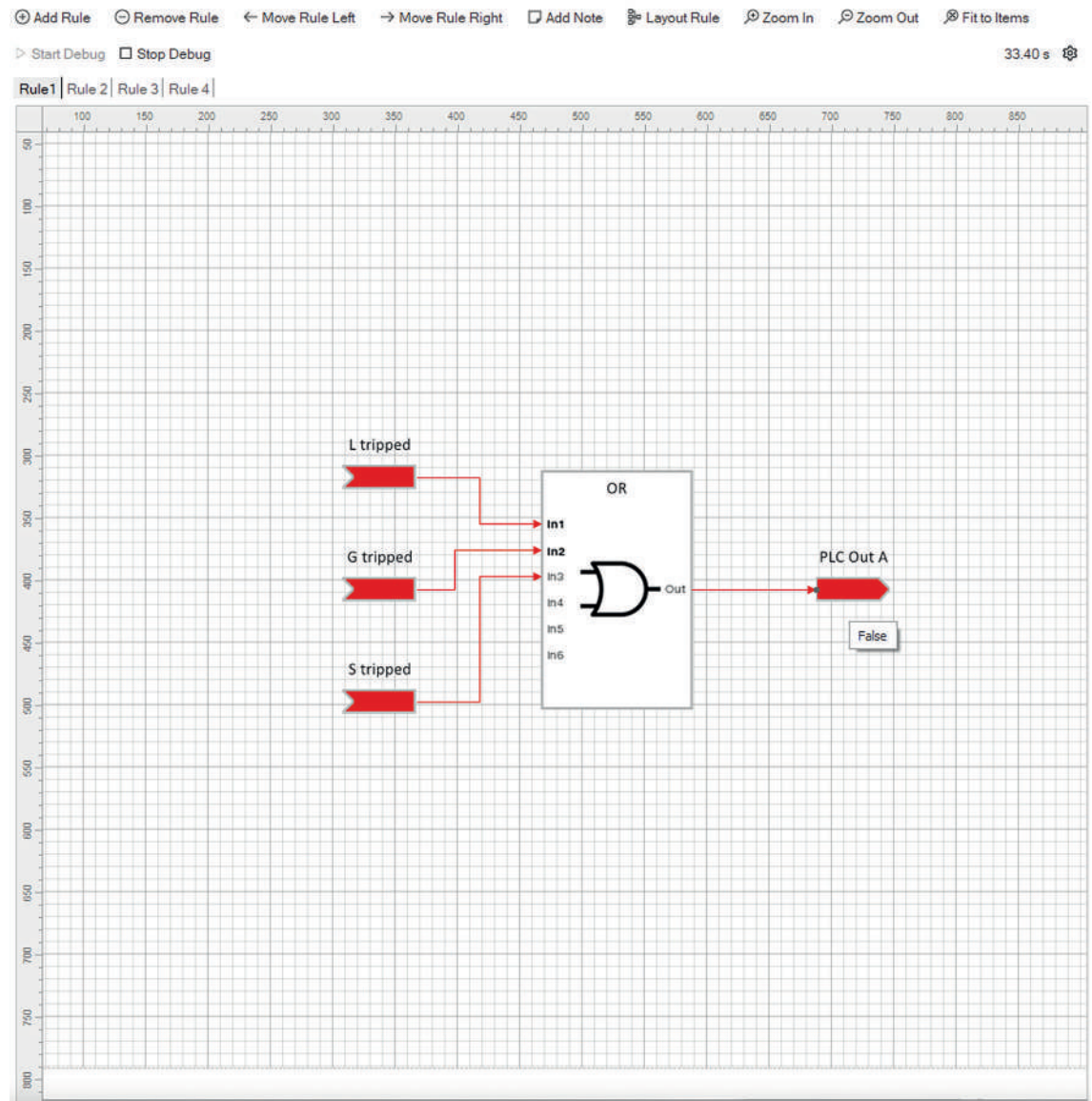


Variable status

Each input/output is colored in real-time according to their status:

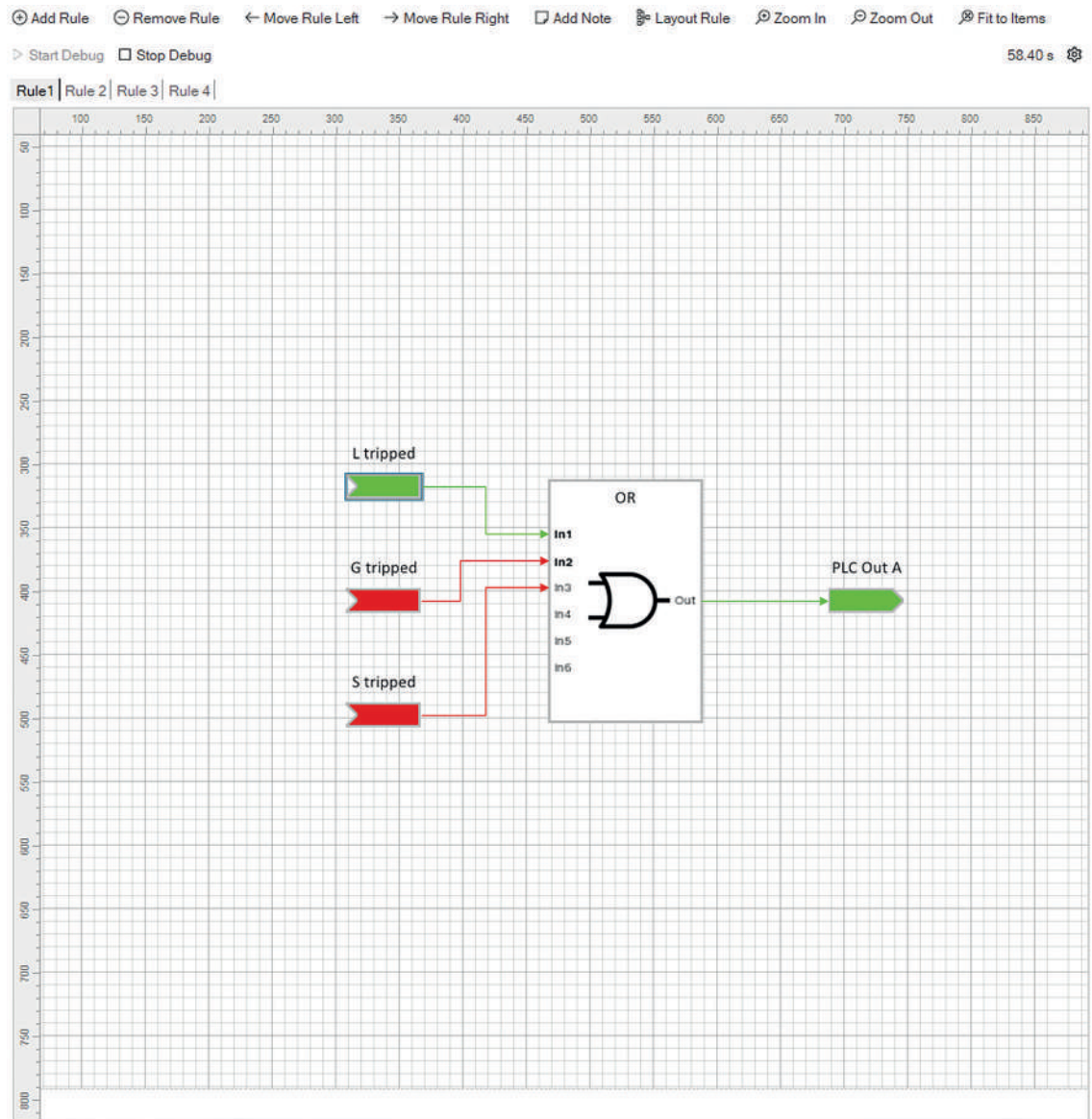
- Green = True
- Red = False

In addition, by moving the mouse on each variable, a label with the status appears:



Input status definition

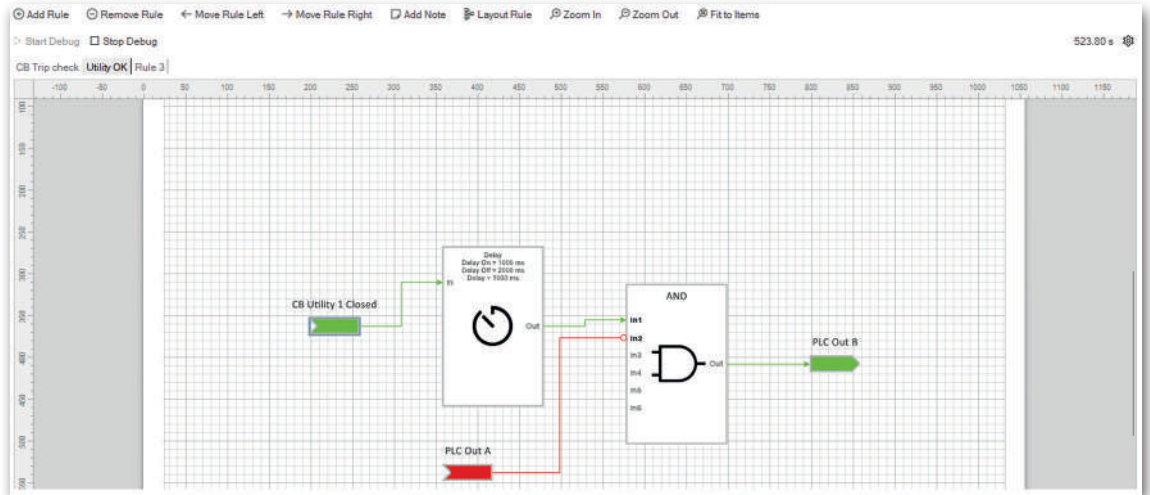
To test the logic, the status of each input variable can be defined by clicking directly on it:



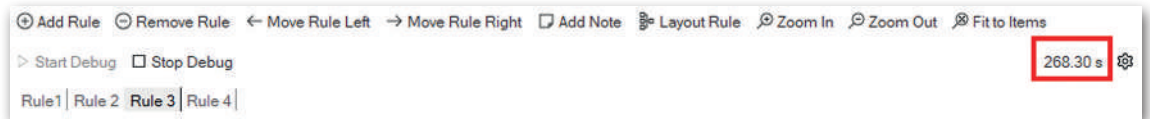
Time and date Operators

The Operators that depend on date and time (“Delay”, “Pulse” and “DayOfWeek”) are respecting the real time characteristics to replicate the real behavior of the logic in the simulation.

For example, in the above Rule, the Delay operator is programmed with a Delay On = 1000ms. So, when the input of Delay operator becomes True, the output becomes True after 1s:



Note: close to the gear icon, the clock timer starts to count once the “Start Debug” button is On.



More Info page status

Clicking on the icon “more info” for Inputs or Outputs, the real-time status of all the variables involved in the logic is showed:

The image displays two side-by-side screenshots of the 'More Info' page status interface, showing the real-time status of variables involved in the logic.

Left Panel (PLC Out 1):

- Trip reset** (Rule 3)
- PLC Out 1**
- PLC Out A** (CB Trip check, Utility OK)
- PLC Out B** (Utility OK)
- Protections**
 - L tripped** (CB Trip check)
 - S tripped** (CB Trip check)
 - G tripped** (CB Trip check)
- Status**

Right Panel (PLC Out 1):

- PLC Out 1**
- PLC Out A** (CB Trip check, Utility OK)
- PLC Out B** (Utility OK)
- Temporary**
 - Temporary A** (Rule 3)

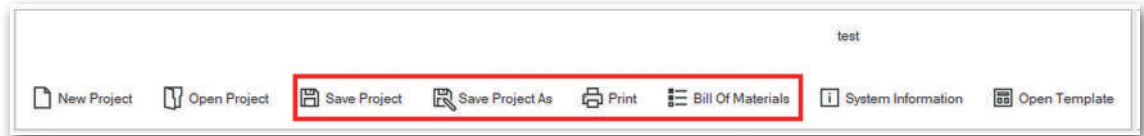
Bottom Navigation Bar:

- Operators** (Icon: D with a vertical line through it)
- Inputs** (Icon: Blue arrow pointing right into a bracket)
- Outputs** (Icon: Bracket pointing right with an arrow)

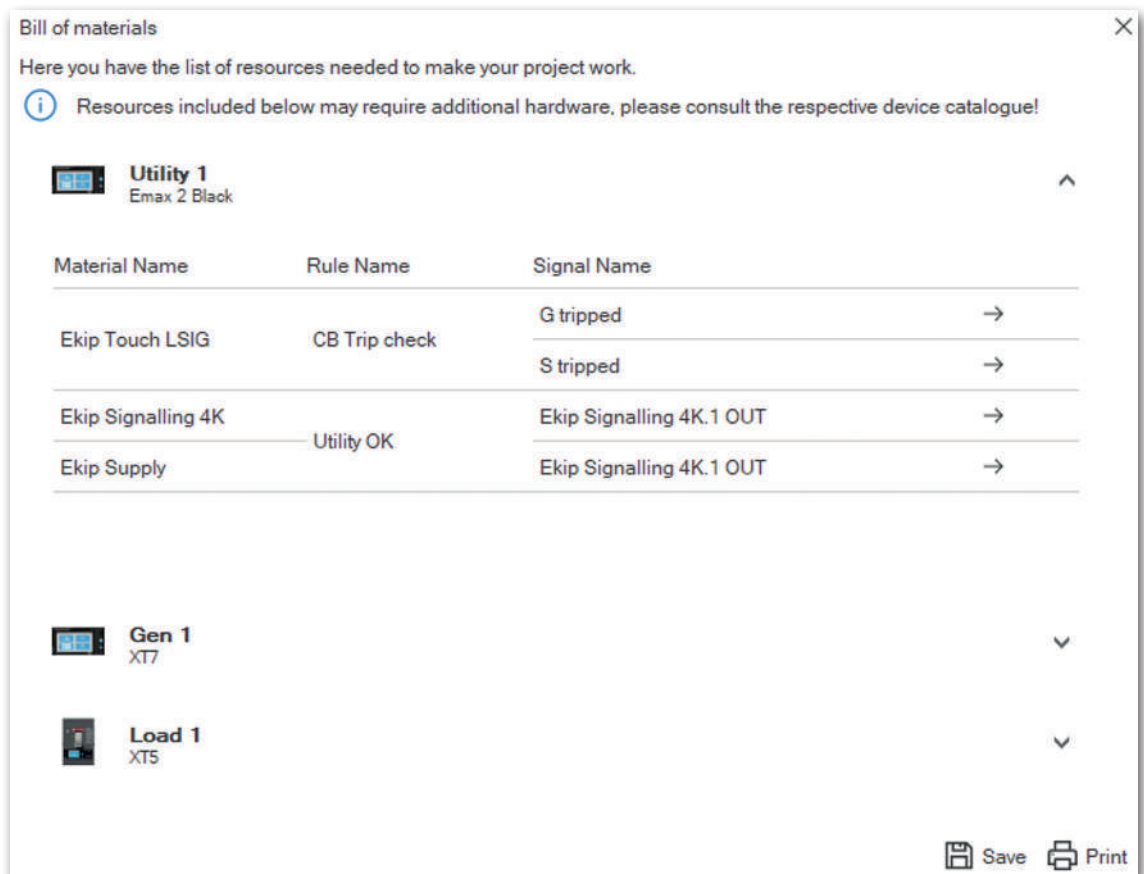
Project functions

After verifying the logic of a single device, it is possible to return to the Diagram Page and proceed with the programming of the other devices.

Once the checks for each individual device have been completed, the project documentation can be prepared.

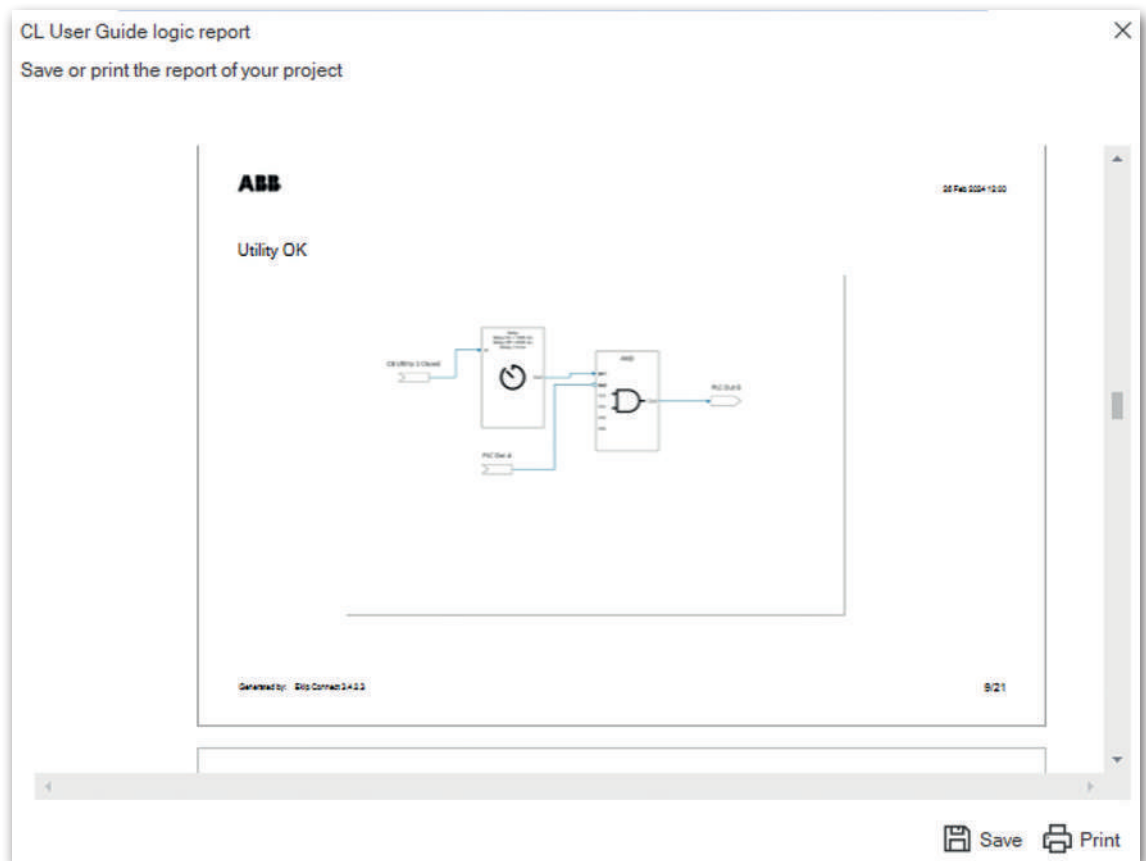


- Save Project: Save or update locally the project file with the function
- Bill of Materials: The BoM is automatically created by collecting all the information provided by the logic of each device in the project.



Note: Resources included inside Bill of material may require additional hardware, please consult the respective device catalog.

- Print Project: Create a pdf file that summarize the entire project



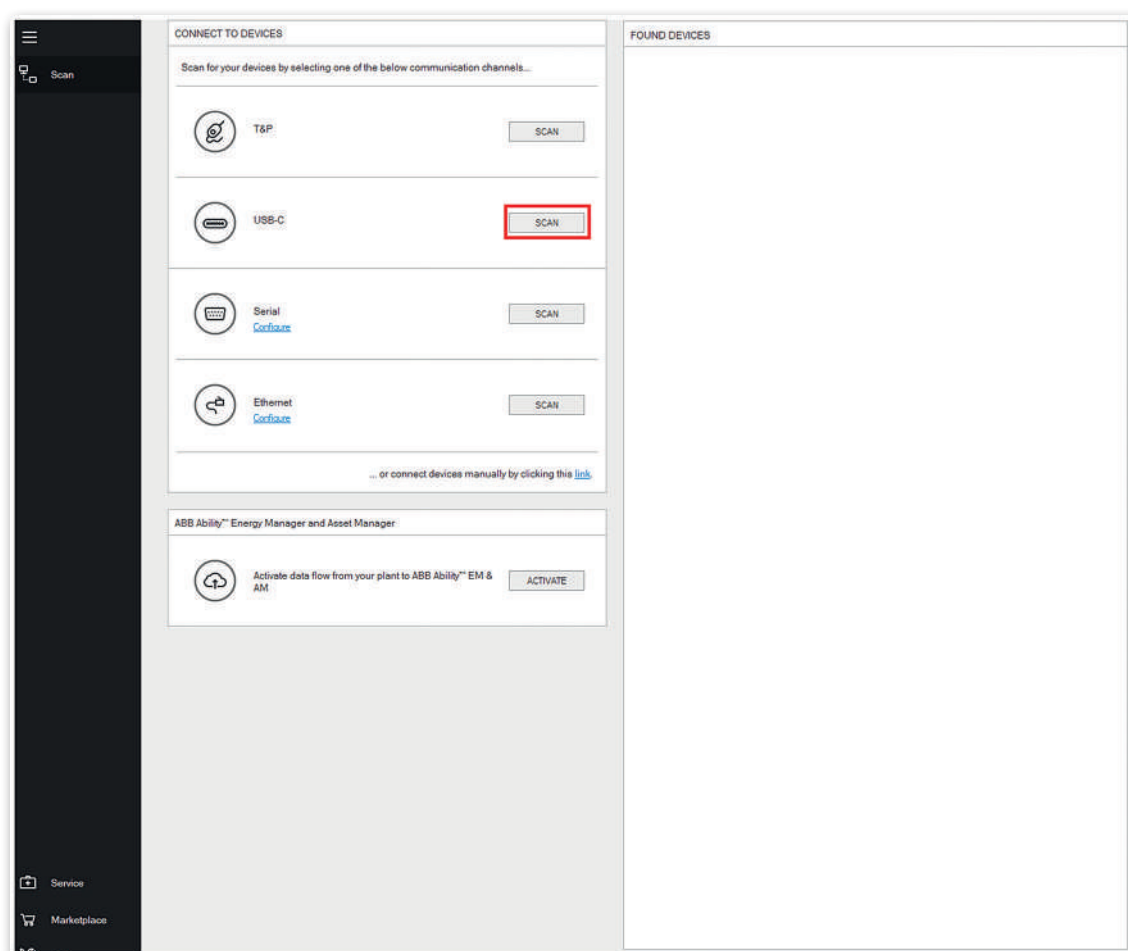
LOGIC COMMISSIONING

Logic Commissioning

To upload the logic in each breaker it is mandatory to be connected to them.

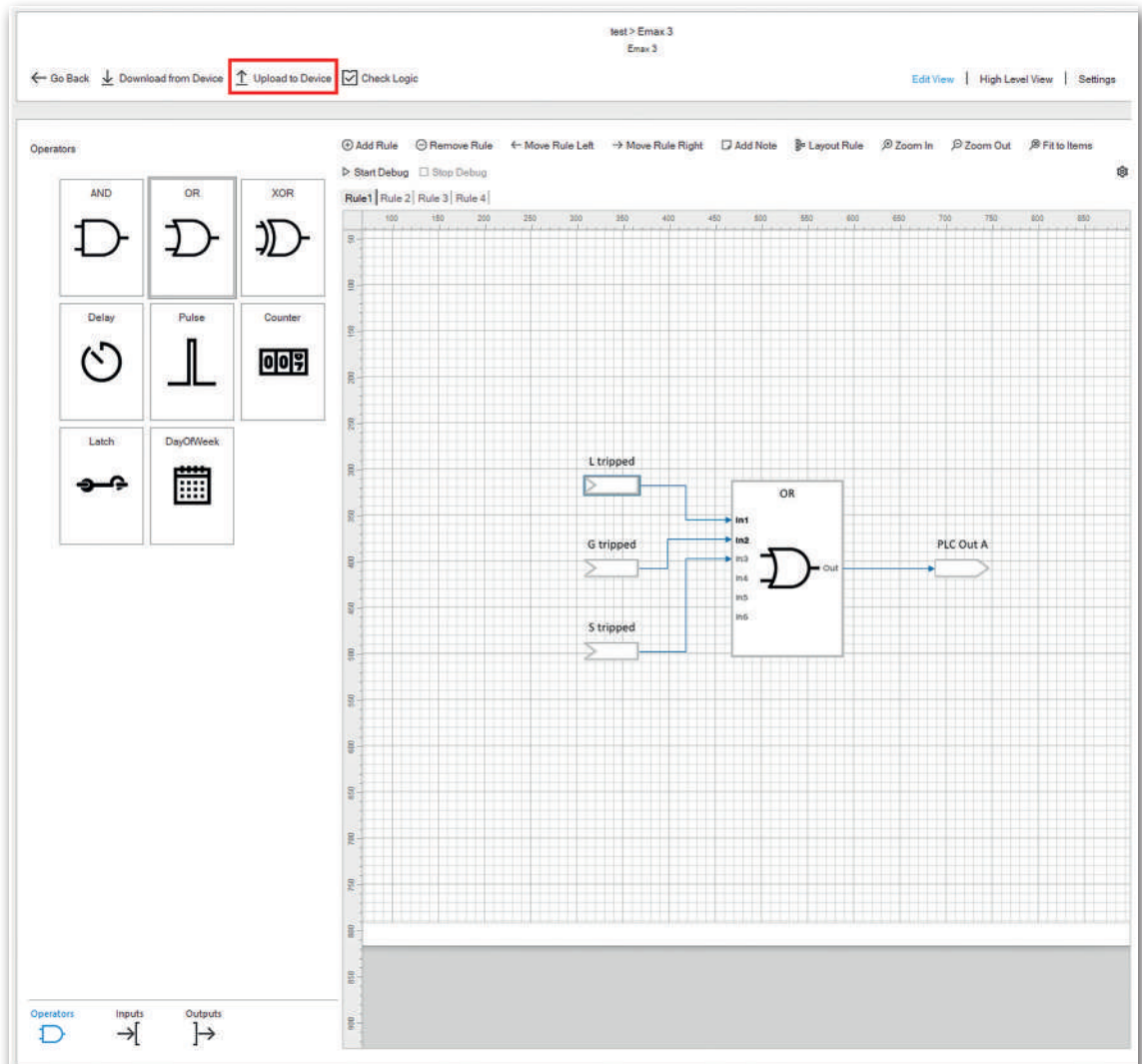
Devices connection

The connection to the breaker can be done via USB-C connector:



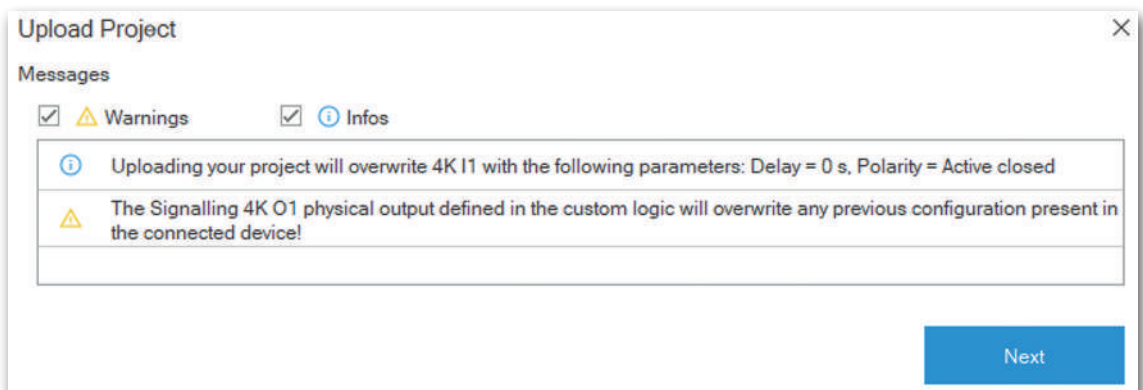
Device logic upload

After the connection is established in Ekip connect, select the corresponding device on the diagram page. Reopen the Custom Logic Tool and, in the Edit View, press the function “Upload to Device” to download the logic:



Before doing the upload, the tool makes all the check and gives a summary of:

- List of signalling output and input that will be programmed
- Presence of any error in the logic
- hardware and licenses package presence in the connected device.



After that, the logic can be uploaded to the breaker.

Note: If the device lacks one or more hardware components or licenses required by the logic, the download is not blocked. However, an alert message will appear in Ekip Connect, and an error message will be displayed on the device.

Upload Project

✕

Bill of materials verification

RESOURCE	VERIFIED
Ekip Signalling 4K	✕
Voltage Protections	✓
Measuring Package	✓
Ekip Supply Evo Modbus TCP	✓
Com Link	✓

Upload

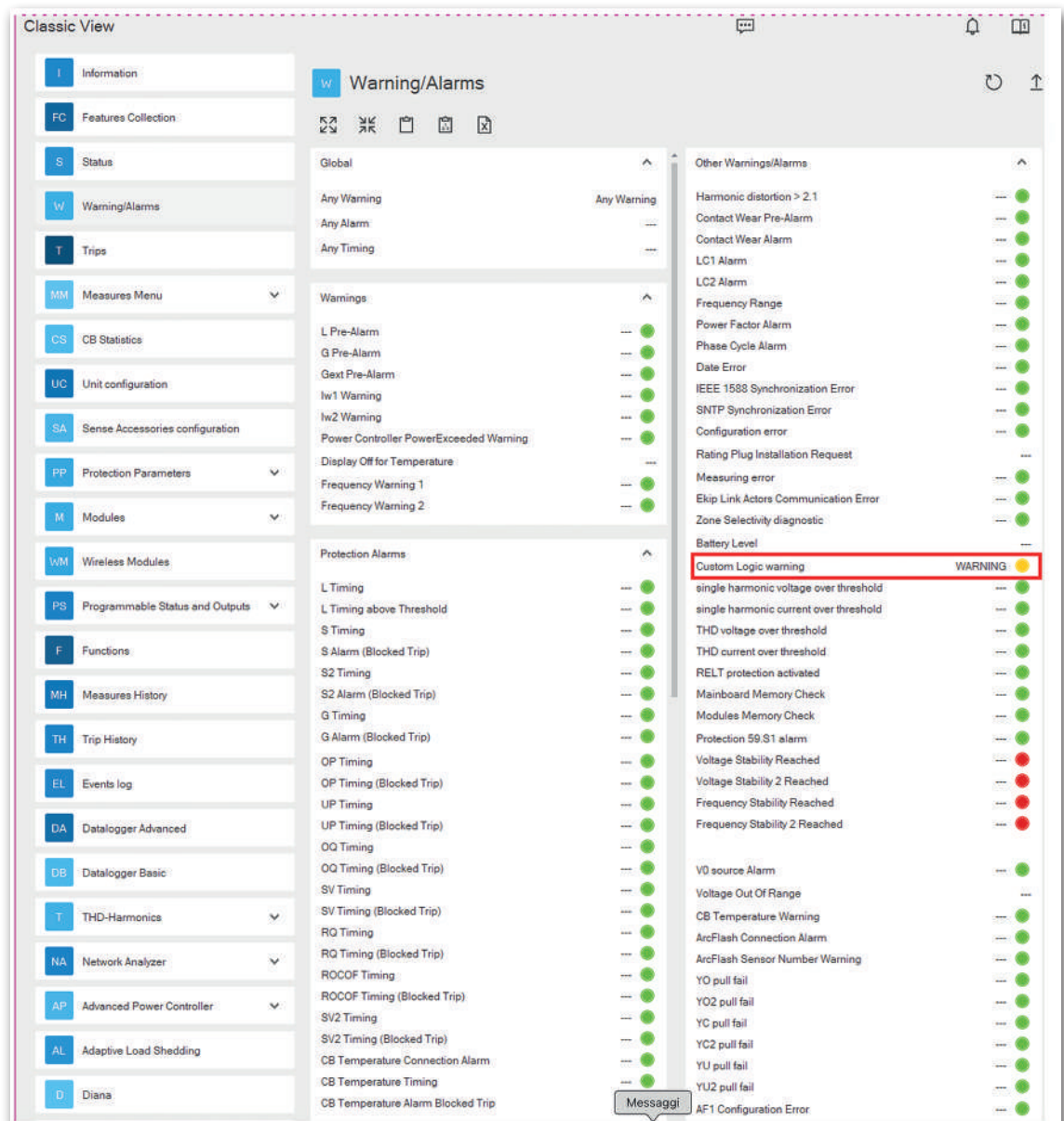


Your logic won't work if you don't add the necessary resources. Do you want to proceed anyway?

Yes

No

After the upload, a warning message will appear in the HMI and in the “Warning/Alarms” menu in Ekip Connect (click on Classic View → Warning/Alarms):



To analyze better the Alarm, it is possible to check in detail in the classic view page by clicking on Classic View → Programmable Status and Outputs → Custom Logic → PLC Sta-tus:

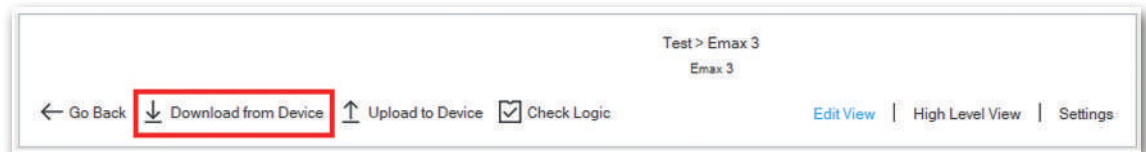


Note: The warning alarm on the device appears only when Ekip Signalling OUT is missing. If other equipment is missing (i.e. Measuring package, or Ekip Supply Evo Modbus TCP), this is shown only in Ekip Connect during the logic upload process.

Logic reading

In the opposite direction, it is also possible to read the logic that is installed on the breakers.

In the Edit View, press the function “Download from Device” to open the logic saved in the device:

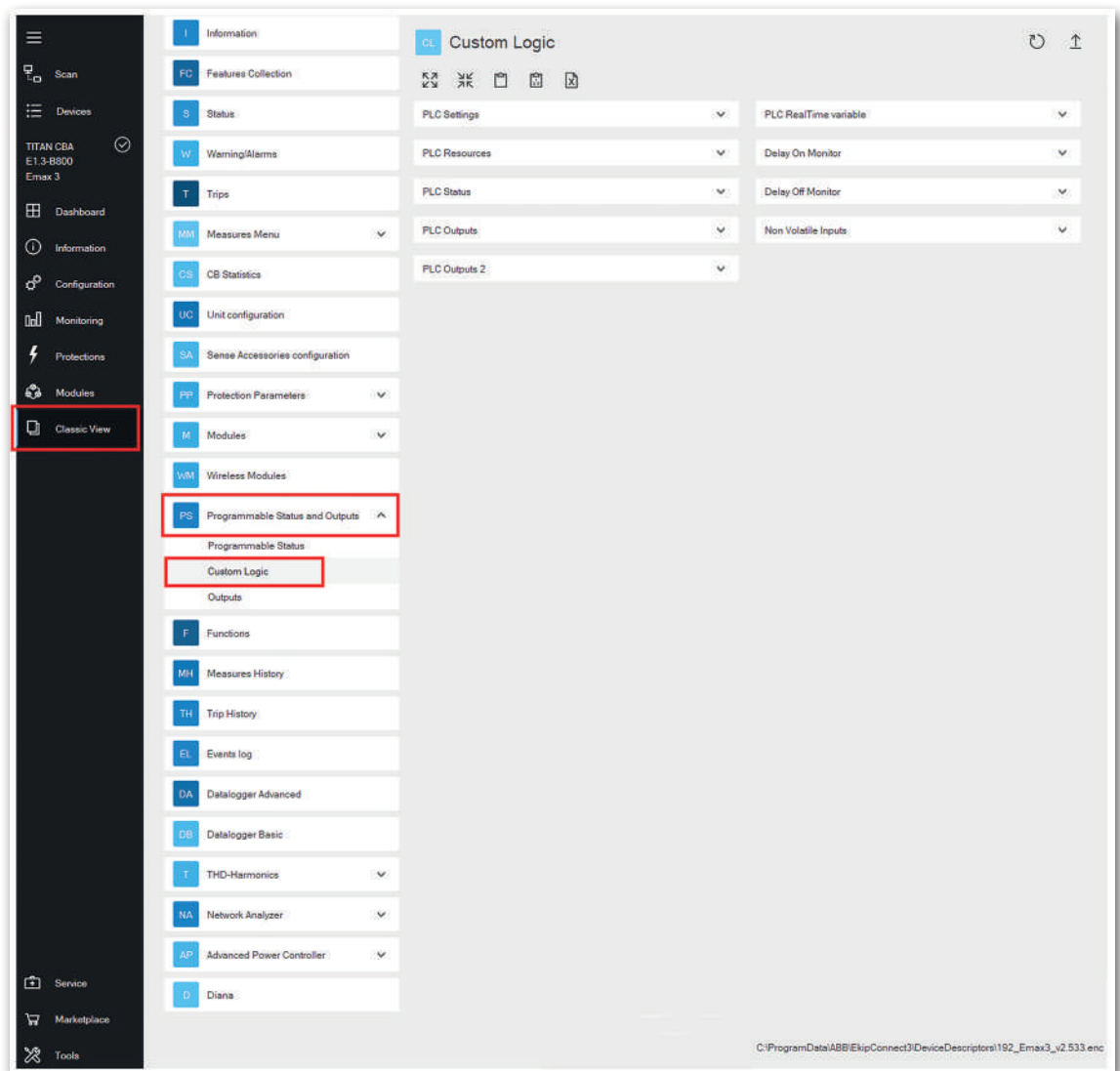


Note: downloading from the device, it will overwrite the logic that is open in the file.

CLASSIC VIEW PAGE

Logic Management from Classic View: once the logic has been uploaded to the device, it is also possible to manage certain parts of it not only from the Tool page, but also from the Classic View page.

Click on Classic View → Programmable Status and Outputs → Custom Logic



Classic View functionalities

From this page it is possible to use some feaatures without the need to pass from the tool

- PLC Enable/Disable

PLC Settings		^
PLC Enable	Enabled	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Memory Manufacturer		0
Memory Size		0

Note: when the Custom Logic (PLC) is enable, an icon is present also in the HMI of Ekip Aware

- PLC Resources: it present how the logic is distributed in the device memory and especially how much of it has bees used

PLC Resources		^
Number of source instructions		4 / 70
Number of PLC instructions		22 / 1000
Number of Delay blocks used		1 / 40
Number of Pulse blocks used		0 / 40
Number of Latch blocks used		0 / 40
Number of Counter blocks used		1 / 40
PLC Memory Used		2 %

- PLC Status: it presents the execution time and any eventual error

PLC program execution time (average)	52 us
PLC program execution time (maximum)	200 us
PLC Parser error code	---
PLC Parser error details	---
PLC Run-time resource check	---
PLC Run-time error code	---

- PLC Outputs: it shows in real time the status of the PLC Outputs 1&2 variable

PLC Outputs		^
PLC Out A	false	
PLC Out B	false	
PLC Out C	true	
PLC Out D	false	
PLC Out E	false	
PLC Out F	false	
PLC Out G	false	
PLC Out H	false	
PLC Out I	false	
PLC Out L	false	
PLC Out M	false	
PLC Out N	false	
PLC Out O	false	
PLC Out P	false	
PLC Out Q	false	
PLC Out R	false	
PLC Outputs 2		^
PLC Out2 A	false	
PLC Out2 B	false	
PLC Out2 C	false	
PLC Out2 D	false	
PLC Out2 E	false	
PLC Out2 F	false	
PLC Out2 G	false	
PLC Out2 H	false	
PLC Out2 I	false	
PLC Out2 L	false	
PLC Out2 M	false	
PLC Out2 N	false	
PLC Out2 O	false	
PLC Out2 P	false	
PLC Out2 Q	false	
PLC Out2 R	false	

- PLC RealTime variable: it shows in real time the status of each delay operator time (RealTime Delay 1 – 30) and Counter operator number (RealTime Counter 1 – 30)

PLC RealTime variable	
RealTime Delay 1	0 ms
RealTime Delay 2	0 ms
RealTime Delay 3	0 ms
RealTime Delay 4	0 ms
RealTime Delay 5	0 ms
RealTime Delay 6	0 ms
RealTime Delay 7	0 ms
RealTime Delay 8	0 ms
RealTime Delay 9	0 ms
RealTime Delay 10	0 ms
RealTime Delay 11	0 ms
RealTime Delay 12	0 ms
RealTime Delay 13	0 ms
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RealTime Delay 26	0 ms
RealTime Delay 27	0 ms
RealTime Delay 28	0 ms
RealTime Delay 29	0 ms
RealTime Delay 30	0 ms
RealTime Counter 1	1
RealTime Counter 2	0
RealTime Counter 3	0
RealTime Counter 4	0
RealTime Counter 5	0
RealTime Counter 6	0
RealTime Counter 7	0
RealTime Counter 8	0

Note: The number associated with each register (1–30) refers to the order in which the operators (Delay/Counter) are positioned in the logic, starting from Rule 1 to the last rule added to the project.

Note 2: The Real-Time Delay value does not differentiate between Delay On and Delay Off. For the same register, both delays are monitored in real time.

- Delay On & Off Monitor: functionality where the register Delay On A – O and Delay Off A – O can be modified without editing the project.

Delay On Monitor


Delay On A	5000
Delay On B	0
Delay On C	0
Delay On D	0
Delay On E	0
Delay On F	0
Delay On G	0
Delay On H	0
Delay On I	0
Delay On J	0
Delay On K	0
Delay On L	0
Delay On M	0
Delay On N	0
Delay On O	0

Delay Off Monitor


Delay Off A	0
Delay Off B	0
Delay Off C	0
Delay Off D	0
Delay Off E	0
Delay Off F	0
Delay Off G	0
Delay Off H	0
Delay Off I	0
Delay Off J	0
Delay Off K	0
Delay Off L	0
Delay Off M	0
Delay Off N	0
Delay Off O	0

Note: the link between the Delay On/Off register and the Delay Operator has to be done in the project


Delay properties

 **Delay On**
Configure the parameters of the delay operator on input **rising edge**


Delay [ms]

Register Delay Enable  ☒ Yes

Register Delay ☐ Delay On A

 **Delay Off**
Configure the parameters of the delay operator on input **falling edge**

Delay [ms]

Register Delay Enable  ☐ No

OK Cancel

- Non Volatile Inputs: free boolean variable that can be controlled from the Classic View

Non Volatile Inputs

Non Volatile Input 1	OFF	<input type="checkbox"/>
Non Volatile Input 2	OFF	<input type="checkbox"/>
Non Volatile Input 3	OFF	<input type="checkbox"/>
Non Volatile Input 4	OFF	<input type="checkbox"/>
Non Volatile Input 5	OFF	<input type="checkbox"/>
Non Volatile Input 6	OFF	<input type="checkbox"/>
Non Volatile Input 7	OFF	<input type="checkbox"/>
Non Volatile Input 8	OFF	<input type="checkbox"/>
Non Volatile Input 9	OFF	<input type="checkbox"/>
Non Volatile Input 10	OFF	<input type="checkbox"/>
Non Volatile Input 11	OFF	<input type="checkbox"/>
Non Volatile Input 12	OFF	<input type="checkbox"/>
Non Volatile Input 13	OFF	<input type="checkbox"/>
Non Volatile Input 14	OFF	<input type="checkbox"/>
Non Volatile Input 15	OFF	<input type="checkbox"/>
Non Volatile Input 16	OFF	<input type="checkbox"/>

APPLICATION EXAMPLE

This chapter presents an example that illustrates all the steps and features used to design and implement a logic on the breaker.

Note: The purpose of the following example is to demonstrate how to implement a logic step by step, highlighting most of the functionalities described in the previous chapters. This is not a real case study.

Logic description and requirements

CONDITION	REQUIREMENT	ACTION
1	[CB open] AND [NOT [CB ready to close]]	4k Out 01 = On
2	4K Out 01 (Condition 1) = On	4k Out 02 = On for 5s, and then, 4k Out 02 = Off
3	[UV tripped] OR [L tripped]	PLC Out C = True
4	Counter [PLC Out C] = 10	Temporary A = True
	4k In 01 = On	Counter [PLC Out C] = 0

Logic development

Create Project

Create a new project and define the name (i.e. “Application Example”).

System1

New Project Open Project Save Project Save Project As Print Bill Of Materials System Information Open Template

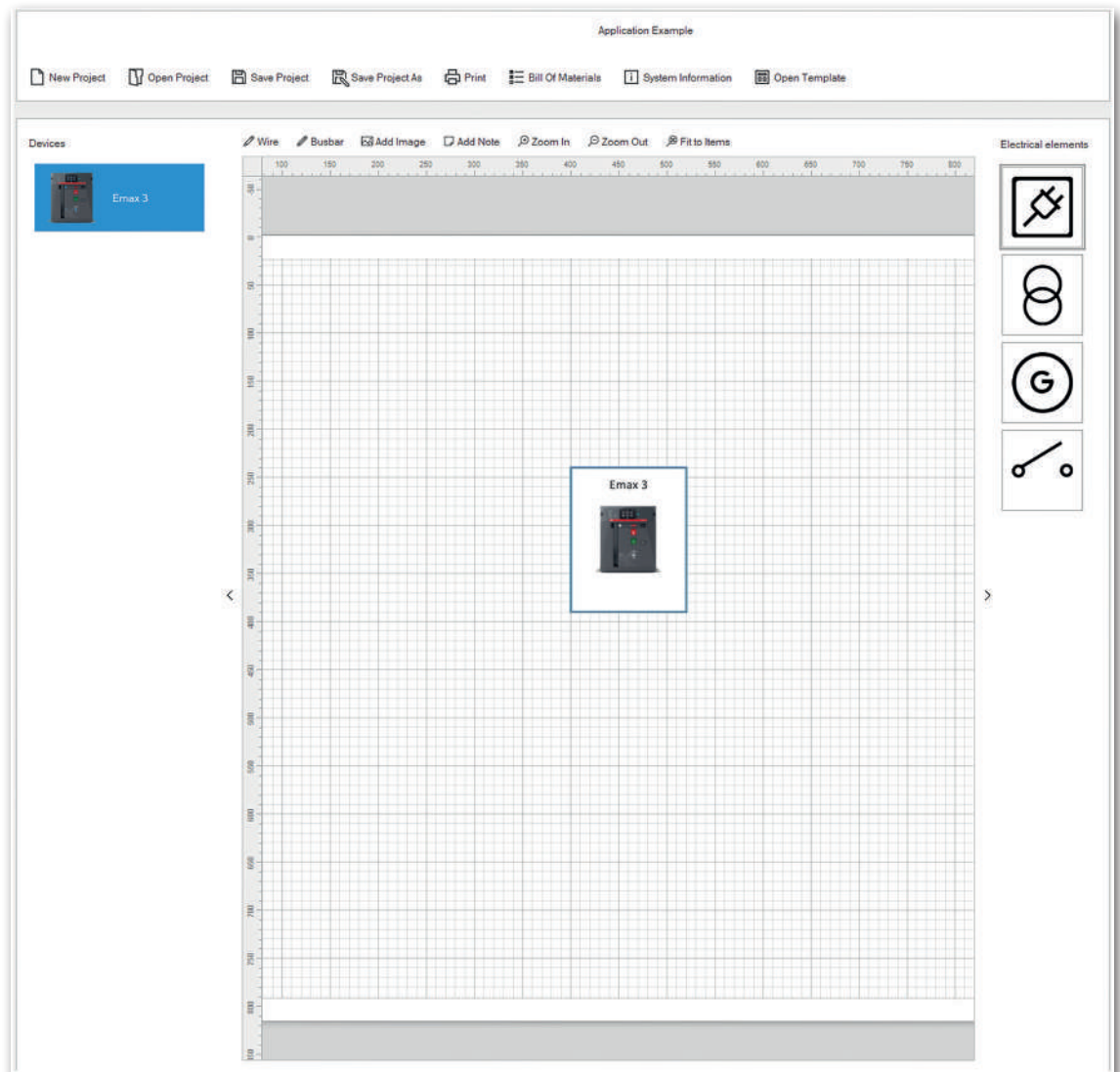
New project

Name of your new project

Application Example

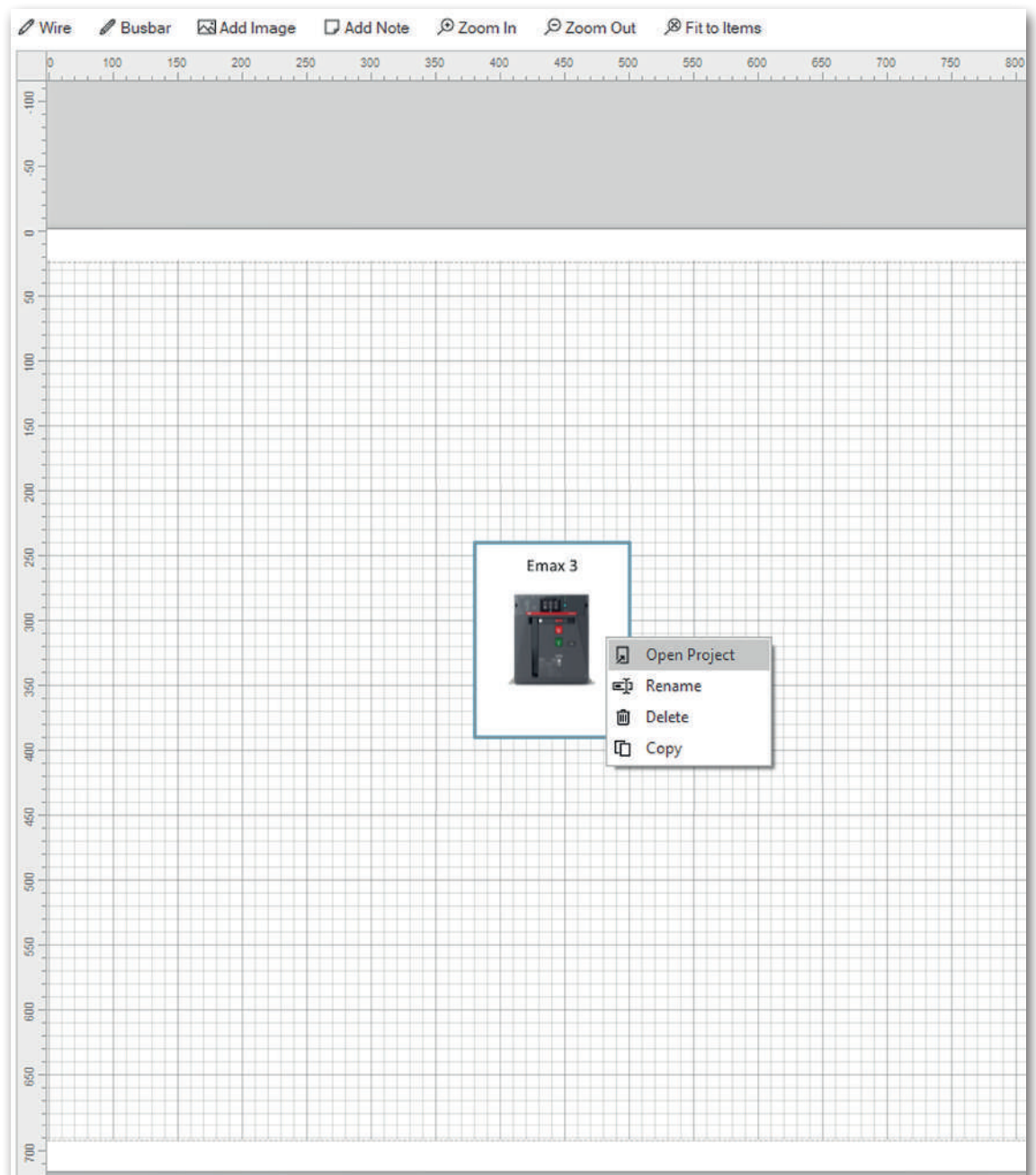
OK Cancel

Insert the device in the required for the logic in the diagram page. In this case, it is Emax 3.



Logic design

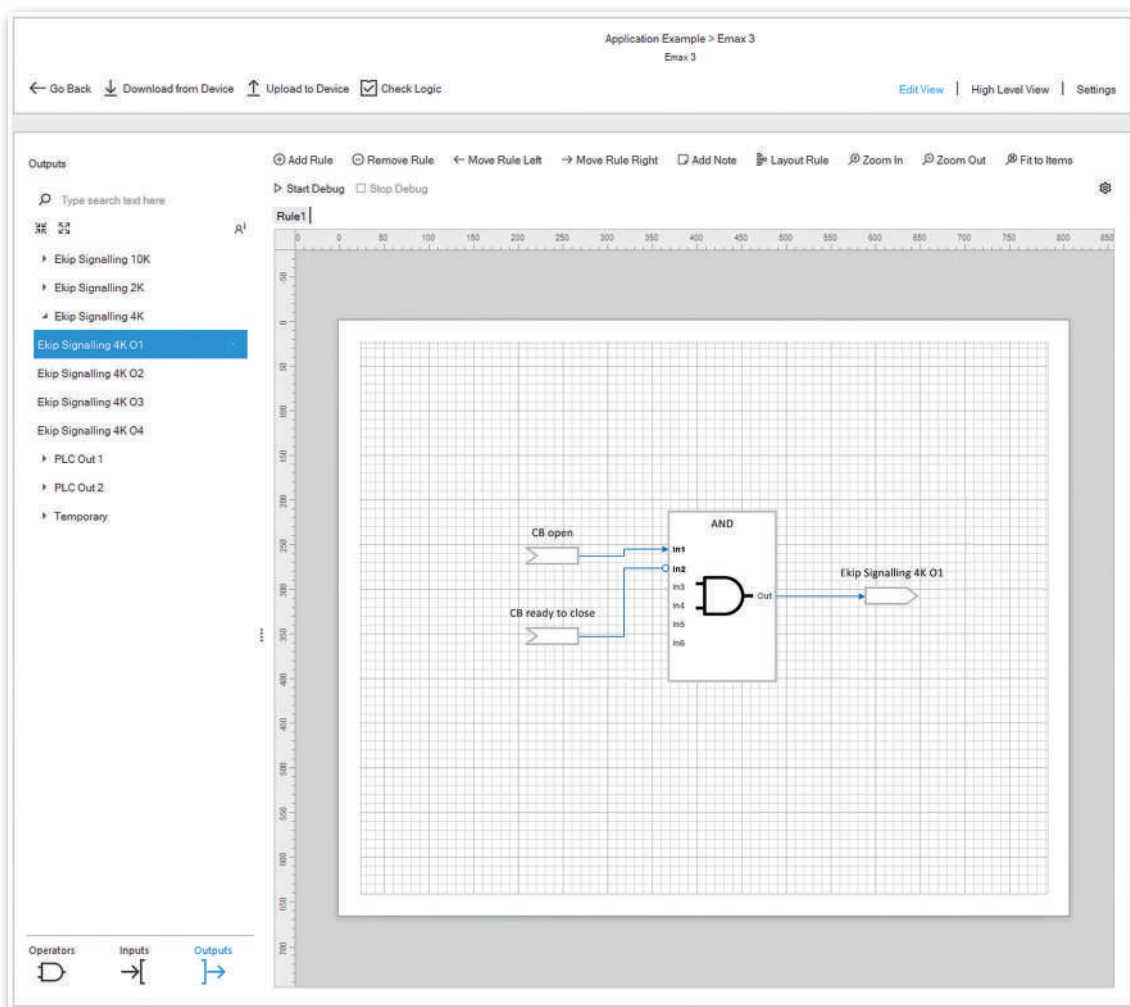
Click on “Open Project” on the device and insert the variables, operators and outputs required in the logic description.



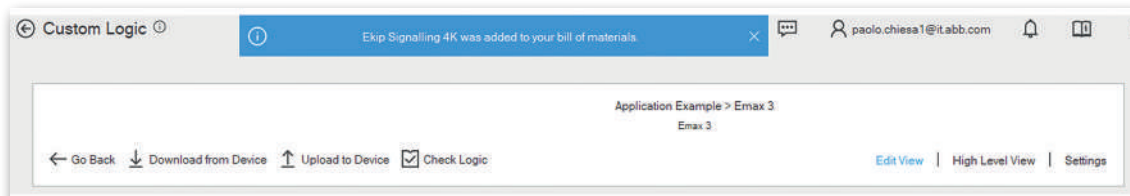
Rule 1: Condition 1

CONDITION	REQUIREMENT	ACTION
1	[CB open] AND [NOT [CB ready to close]]	4k Out O1 = On

1. Rename Rule1 to “Condition 1”
2. Insert input variables (CB open, CB ready to close) to Rule 1
3. Insert Operator AND
4. Connect input variables to input of AND operator and negate “CB ready to close”
5. Insert output variable “Ekip Signalling 4K O1”
6. Connect Out of AND operator to “Ekip Signalling 4K O1”
7. Click on “Layout Rule” function to organize automatically the view of the Rule (op-tional)



Note: Ekip Signalling 4k will be inserted in the BoM




Rule 2: Condition 2


CONDITION	REQUIREMENT	ACTION
2	4K Out 01 (Condition 1) = On	4k Out 02 = On for 5s, and then, 4k Out 02 = Off


1. Click on Add Rule
2. Rename Rule2 to “Condition 2”
3. Insert input variables (4K Out 01) to Rule 2
4. Insert Delay Operator
5. Double click on the Delay operator to set Delay On value = 5000ms
6. Enable the “Register Delay Enable” and select “Delay On A” register (optional)


Delay properties

 **Delay On**
Configure the parameters of the delay operator on input **rising edge**


Delay [ms]

Register Delay Enable  ☒ Yes

Register Delay  Delay On A

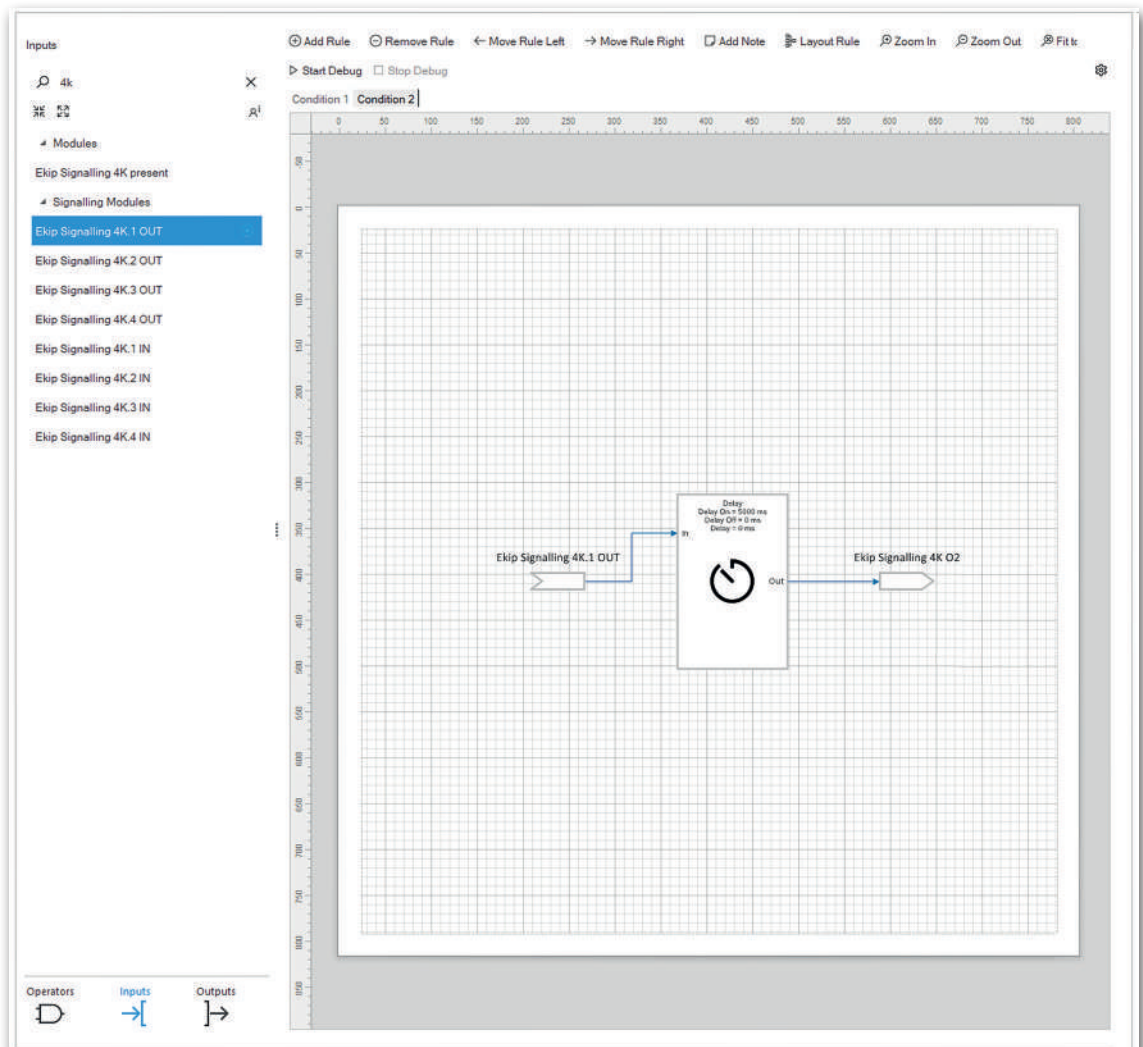
 **Delay Off**
Configure the parameters of the delay operator on input **falling edge**

Delay [ms]

Register Delay Enable  ☐ No

OK Cancel

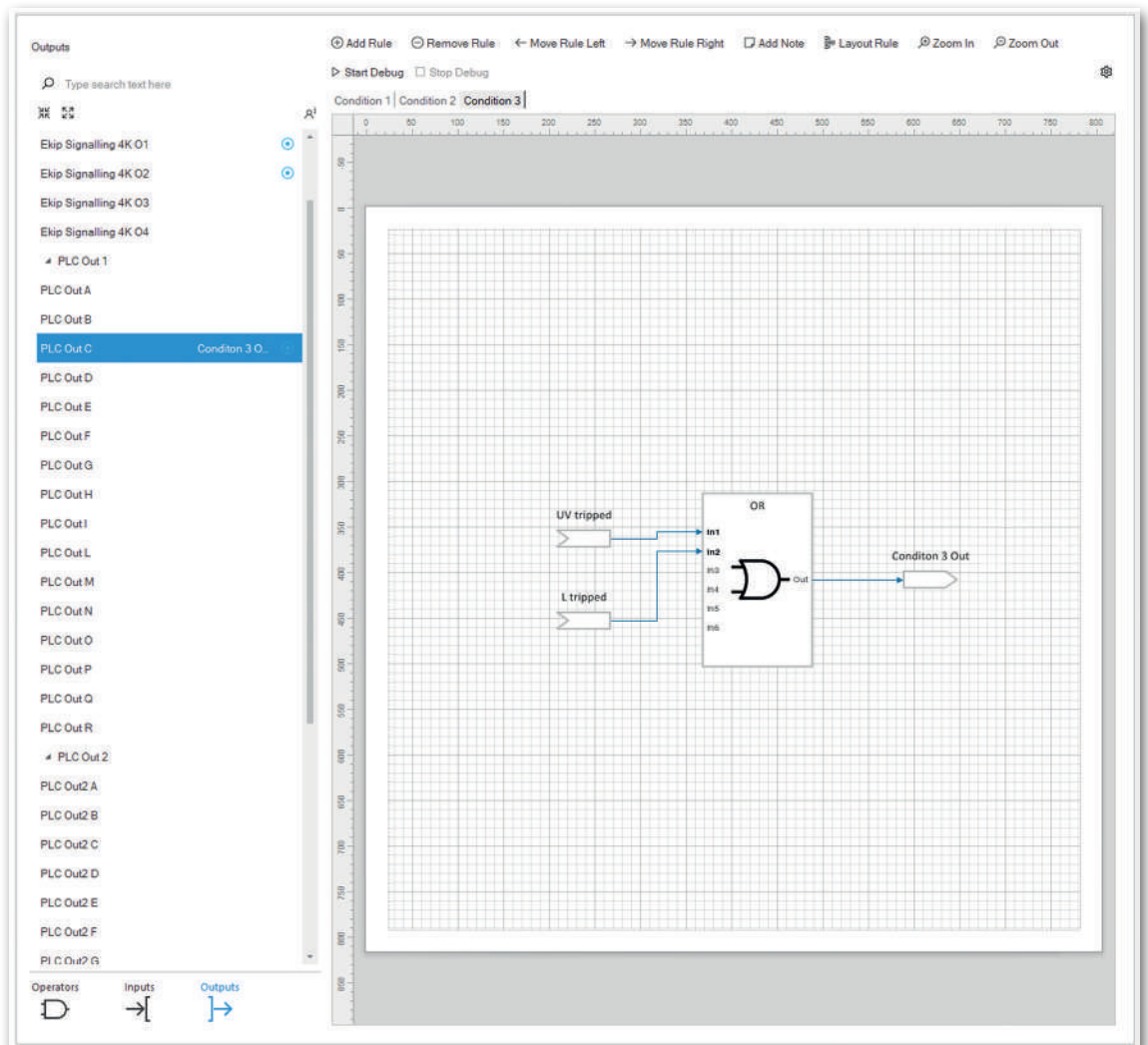
7. Connect “4K.1 OUT” input variables to input of Delay operator
8. Insert output variable “Ekip Signalling 4K O2”
9. Connect Out of Delay operator to “Ekip Signalling 4K O2”
10. Click on “Layout Rule” function to organize automatically the view of the Rule (optional)



Rule 3: Condition 3

CONDITION	REQUIREMENT	ACTION
3	[UV tripped] OR [L tripped]	PLC Out C = True

1. Click on Add Rule
2. Rename Rule3 to “Condition 3”
3. Insert input variables (UV tripped, L tripped) to Rule 3
4. Insert OR Operator
5. Connect “UV tripped”, “L tripped” input variables to input of OR operator
6. Insert output variable “PLC Out C”
7. Connect Out of OR operator to “PLC Out C”
8. Right click on PLC Out C and rename it as “Condition 3 Out” (optional)
9. Click on “Layout Rule” function to organize automatically the view of the Rule (optional)

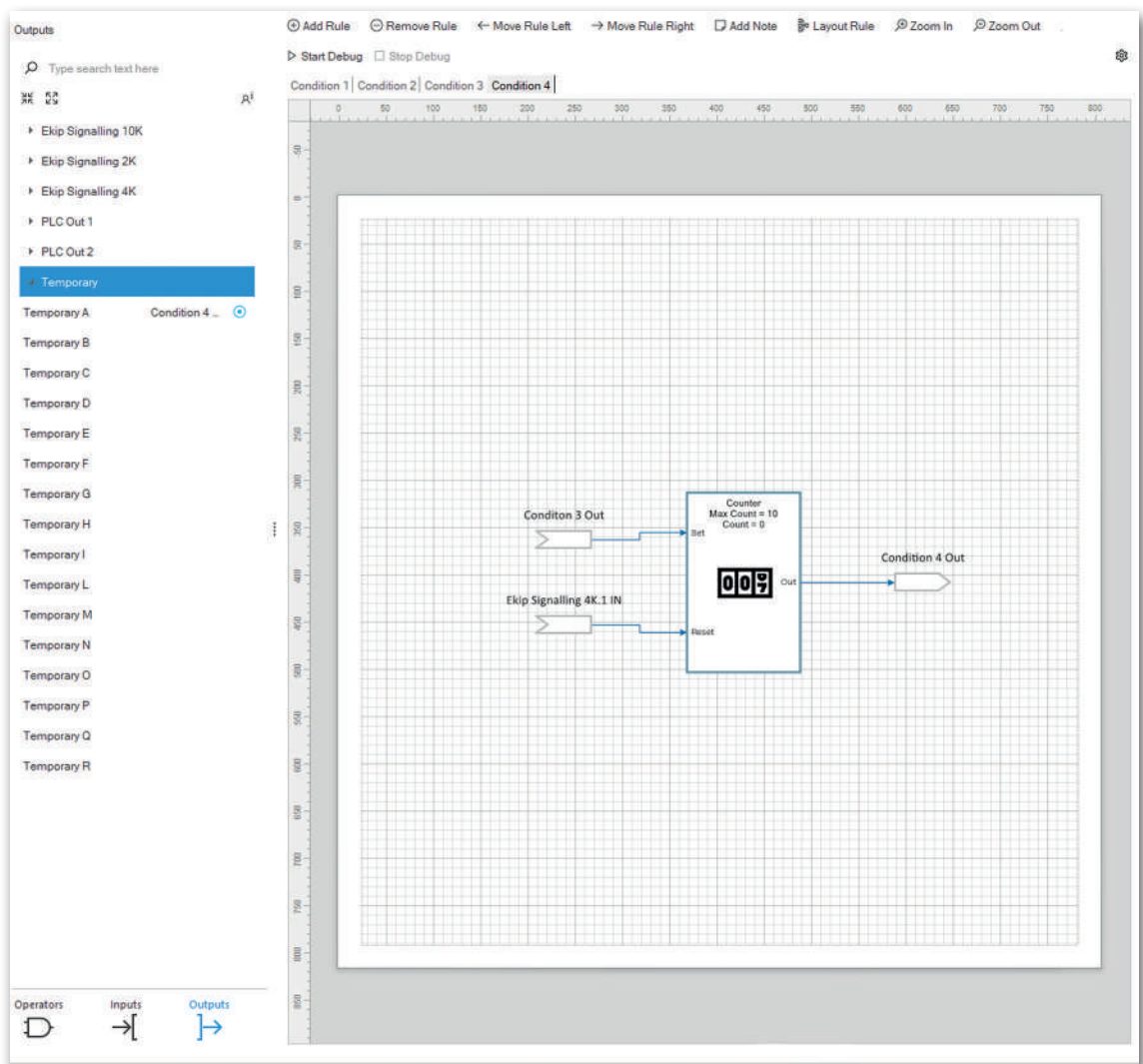


Note: Voltage Protection and Measuring packages will be inserted in the BoM

Rule 4: Condition 4

CONDITION	REQUIREMENT	ACTION
4	Counter [PLC Out C] = 10	Temporary A = True
	4k In 01 = On	Counter [PLC Out C] = 0

1. Click on Add Rule
2. Rename Rule4 to "Condition 4"
3. Insert input variables (PLC Out C, 4k In 01) to Rule 4
4. Insert Counter Operator
5. Double click on the Counter operator to set Max Count value = 10
6. Connect "PLC Out C" input variable to Set input of Counter operator
7. Connect "4K In 01" input variable to Reset input of Counter operator
8. Insert output variable "Temporary A"
9. Connect Out of Counter operator to "Temporary A"
10. Right click on Temporary A and rename it as "Condition 4 Out" (optional)
11. Click on "Layout Rule" function to organize automatically the view of the Rule (optional)



Logic check

More info

Check Input and Output involved in the logic.

Inputs

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Signalling Modules

Ekip Signalling 4K.1 OUT

Condition 2

Ekip Signalling 4K.1 IN

Condition 4

Status

CB ready to close

Condition 1

CB open

Condition 1

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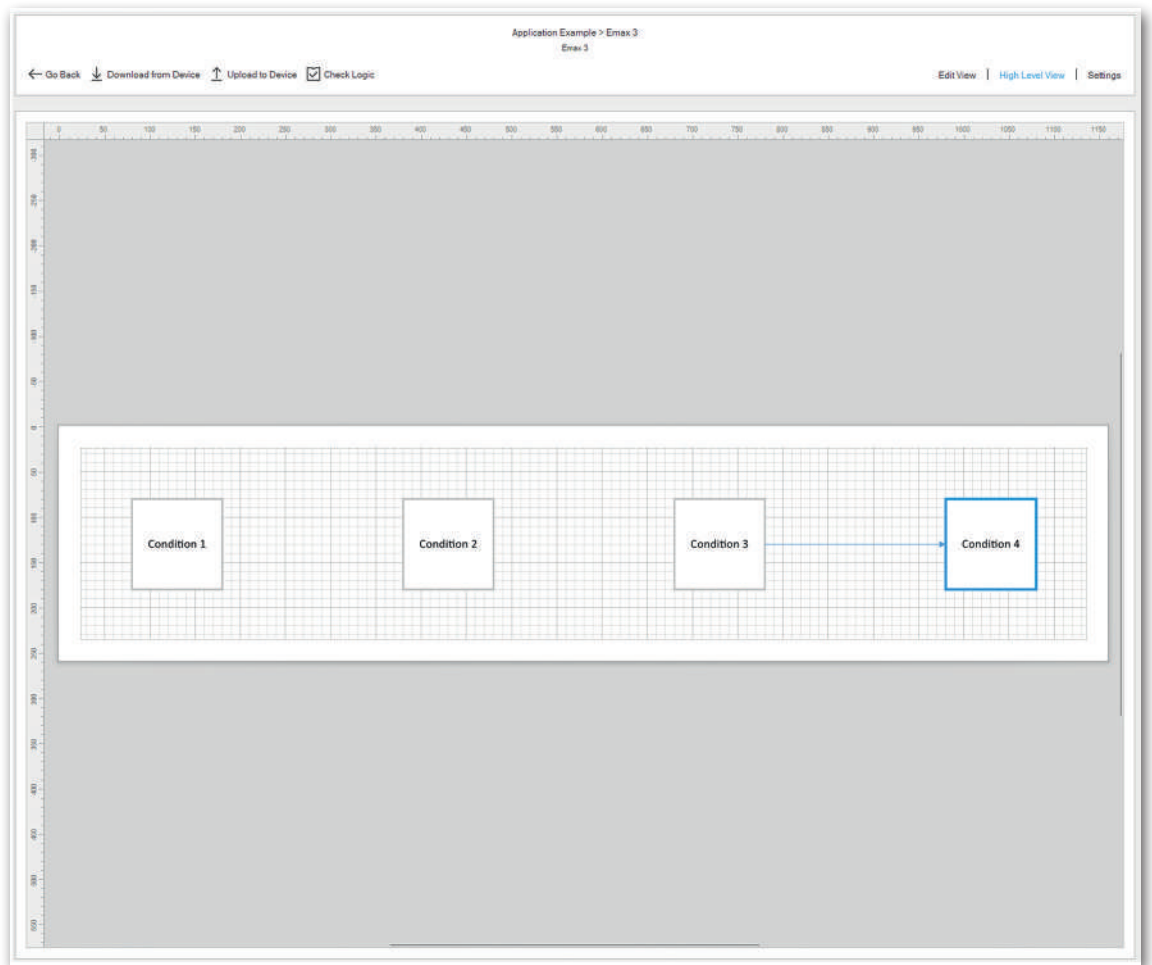
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High Level View

Check the connection between the Rules




Settings

Check all the PLC output and physical output configurations.


Application Example > Emax 3
Emax 3

← Go Back Download from Device Upload to Device ☒ Check Logic Edit View High Level View Settings


 Programmable status ⌵


☒ Show only programmable status in your project

No programmable status in your project



 Physical outputs ⌵

☒ Show only physical outputs in your project

NAME	PLC OUTPUT STATUS	ALIAS	PHYSICAL OUTPUT
PLC Out C		Condition 3 Out	Not connected
Ekip Signalling 4K O1	Not Available		4K O1
Ekip Signalling 4K O2	Not Available		4K O2


 Delays monitor ⌵

☒ Show only delay monitored in your project

NAME	RULES	THRESHOLD	EDIT	RESET
Delay On A	Condition 2	5000		

Check Logic

Use to function “Check Logic” to be sure that there is no presence of any error and if the logic is respecting the CB memory limit.

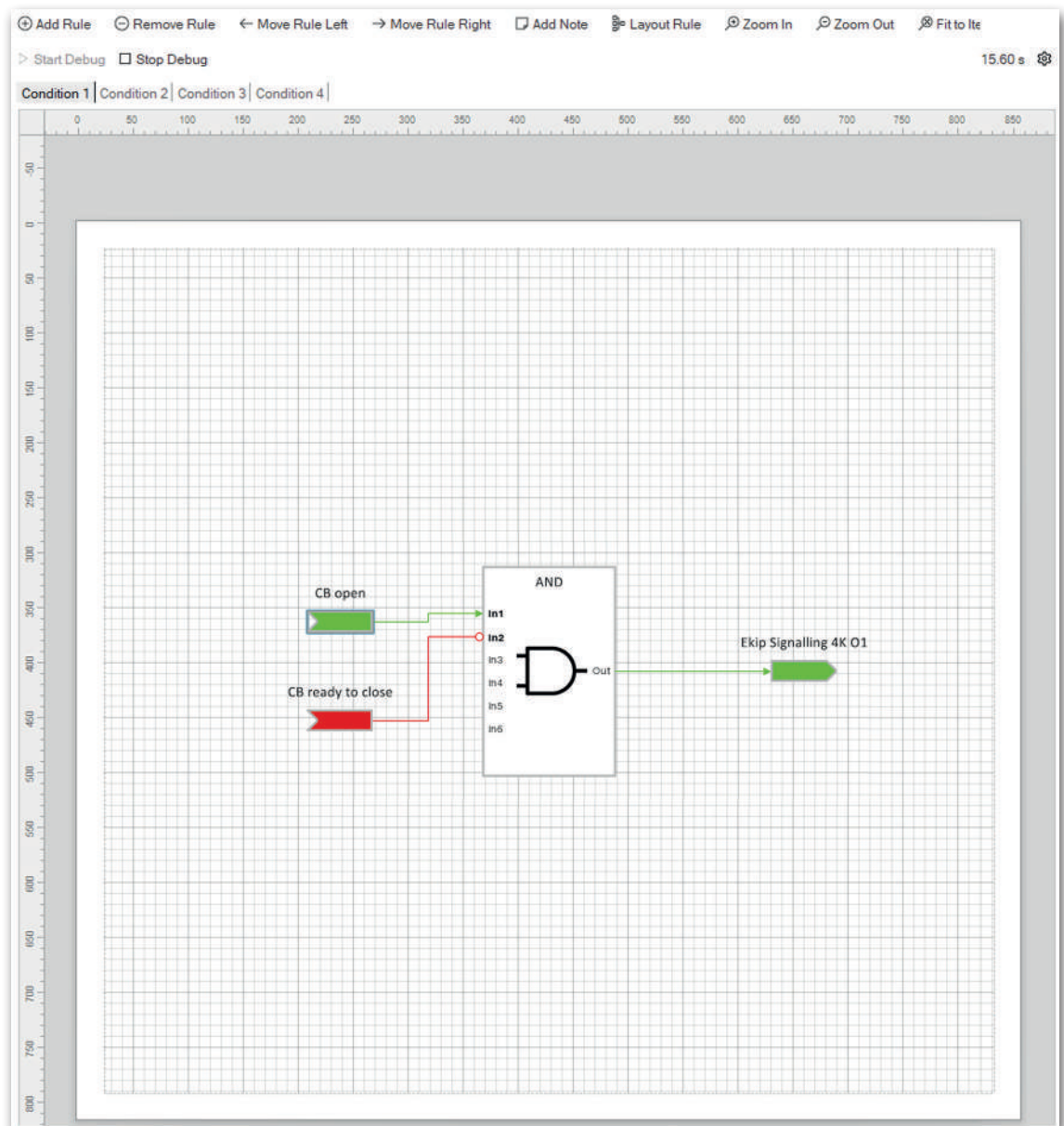


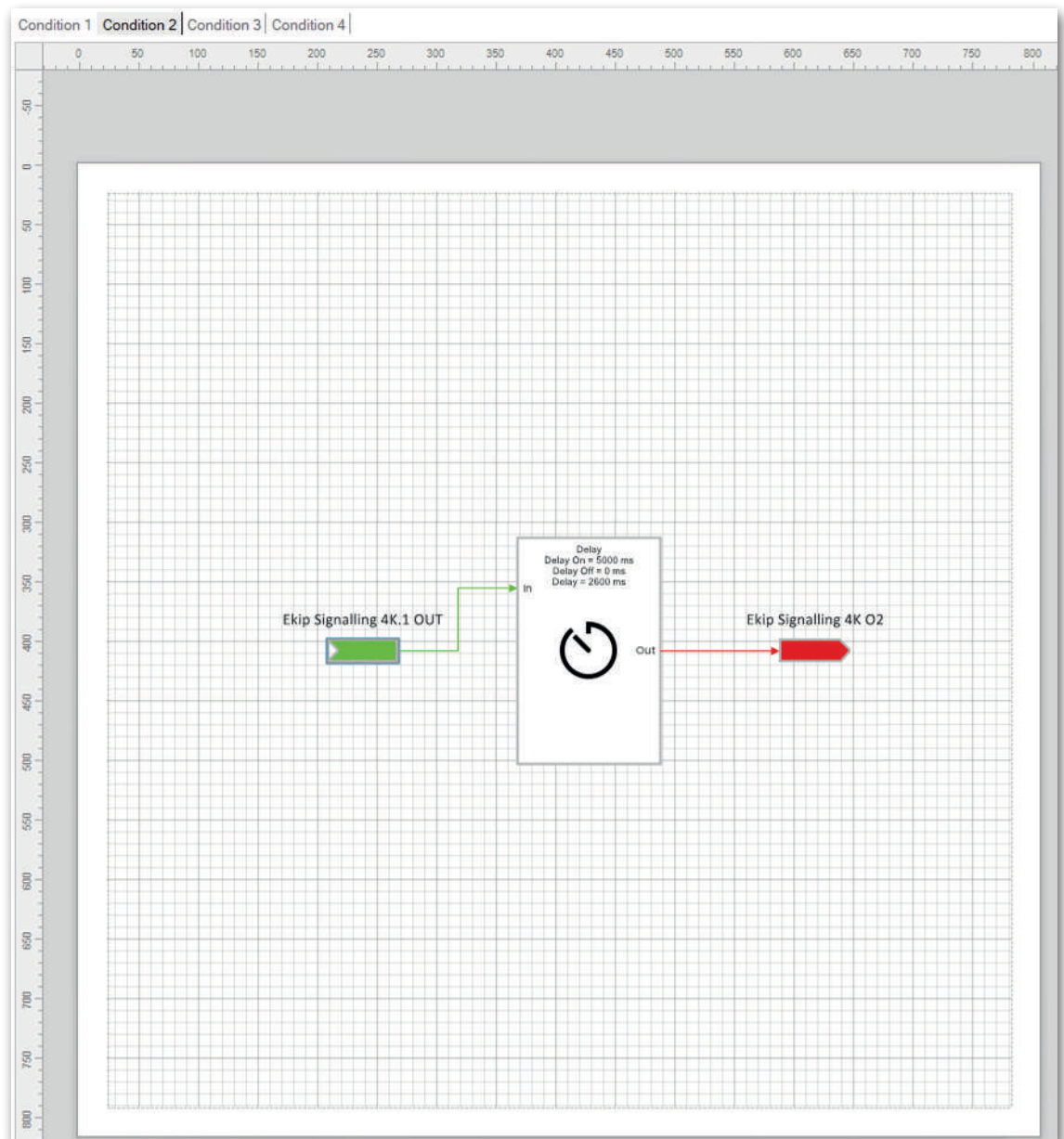
Program verification success. The program can be downloaded to device.

OK

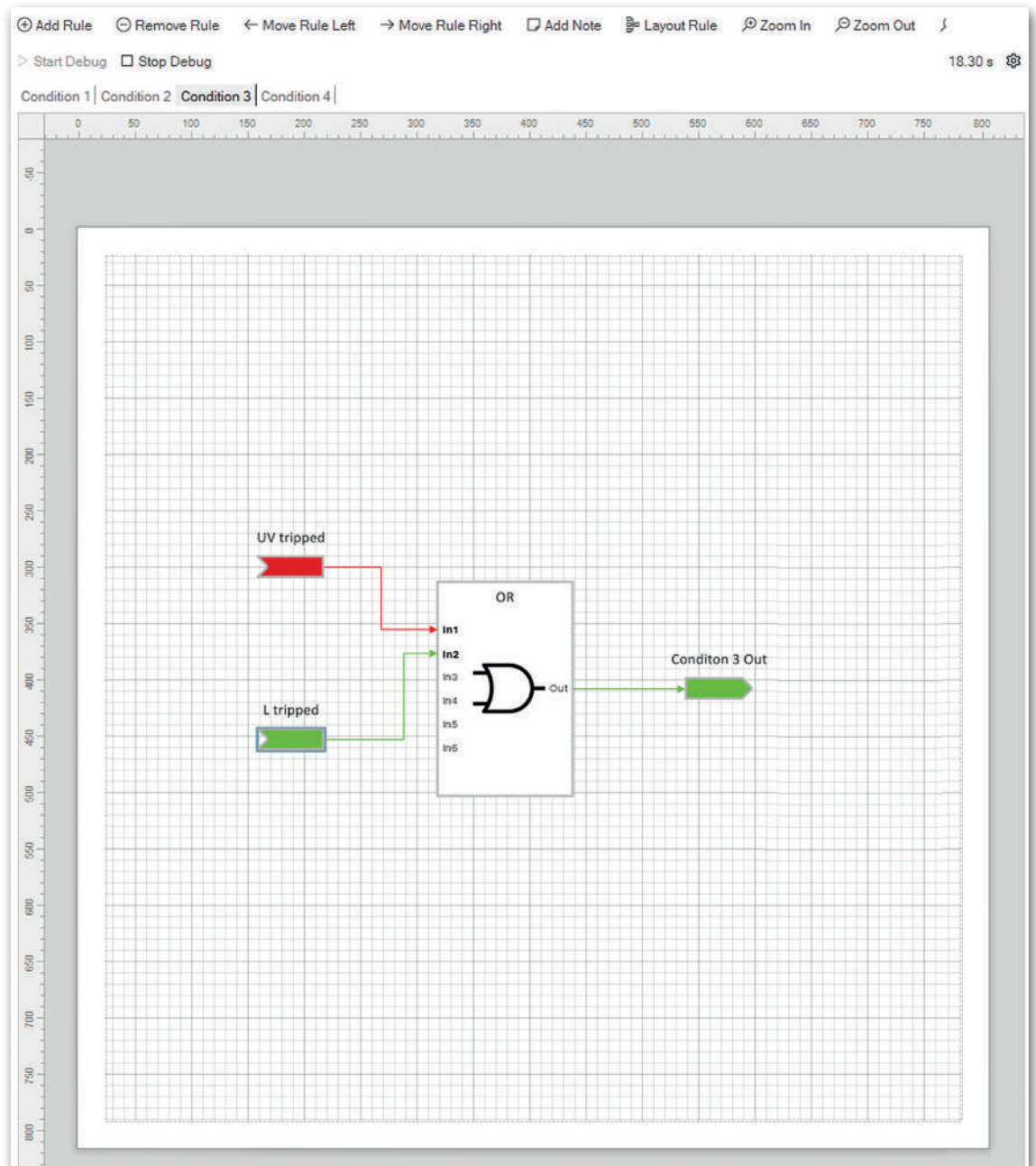
Debug mode

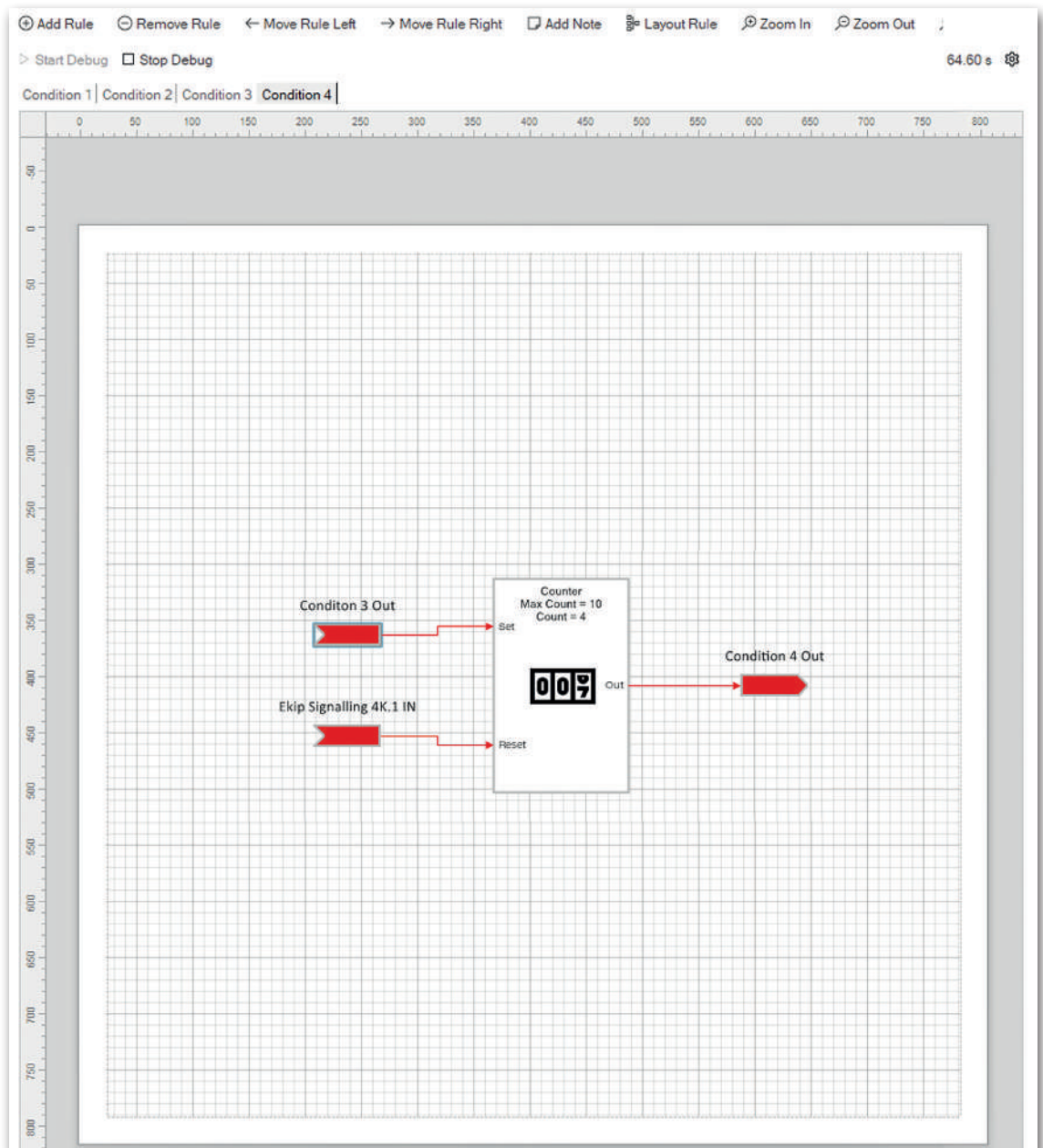
Check the behavior of the logic by changing in real time the input variable status

Condition 1:

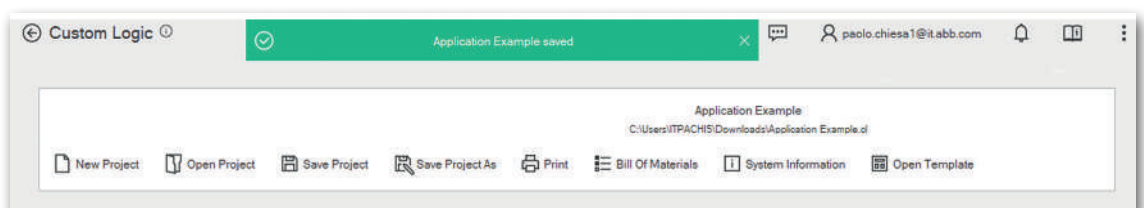
Condition 2:

Condition 3:



Condition 4:**Project check****More info**

Click on “Save Project” in the diagram page to save a .cl file locally in the computer..




Bill of Materials



Click on “Bill Of Materials” in the diagram page to have the:

Bill of materials

Here you have the list of resources needed to make your project work.
Resources included below may require additional hardware, please consult the respective device catalogue!


Ekip 3
Ekip 3

Material Name	Material Type	Rule Name	Signal Name	
Ekip Signalling 4K	Hardware Upgrade	Condition 1	Ekip Signalling 4K O1	→
		Condition 2	Ekip Signalling 4K.1 OUT	→
			Ekip Signalling 4K O2	→
		Condition 4	Ekip Signalling 4K.1 IN	→
Ekip Supply Lite	Digital Upgrade	Condition 1	Ekip Signalling 4K O1	→
		Condition 2	Ekip Signalling 4K.1 OUT	→
			Ekip Signalling 4K O2	→
Voltage Protections	Digital Upgrade	Condition 4	Ekip Signalling 4K.1 IN	→
			UV tripped	→
Measuring Package	Digital Upgrade	Condition 3	UV tripped	→

 Save
 Print


Note: the BoM can be saved as a pdf or printed.

Print Project

Click on “Print” in the diagram page to save locally a pdf file of the entire project or to print it directly:



Application Example report

Save or print the report of your project


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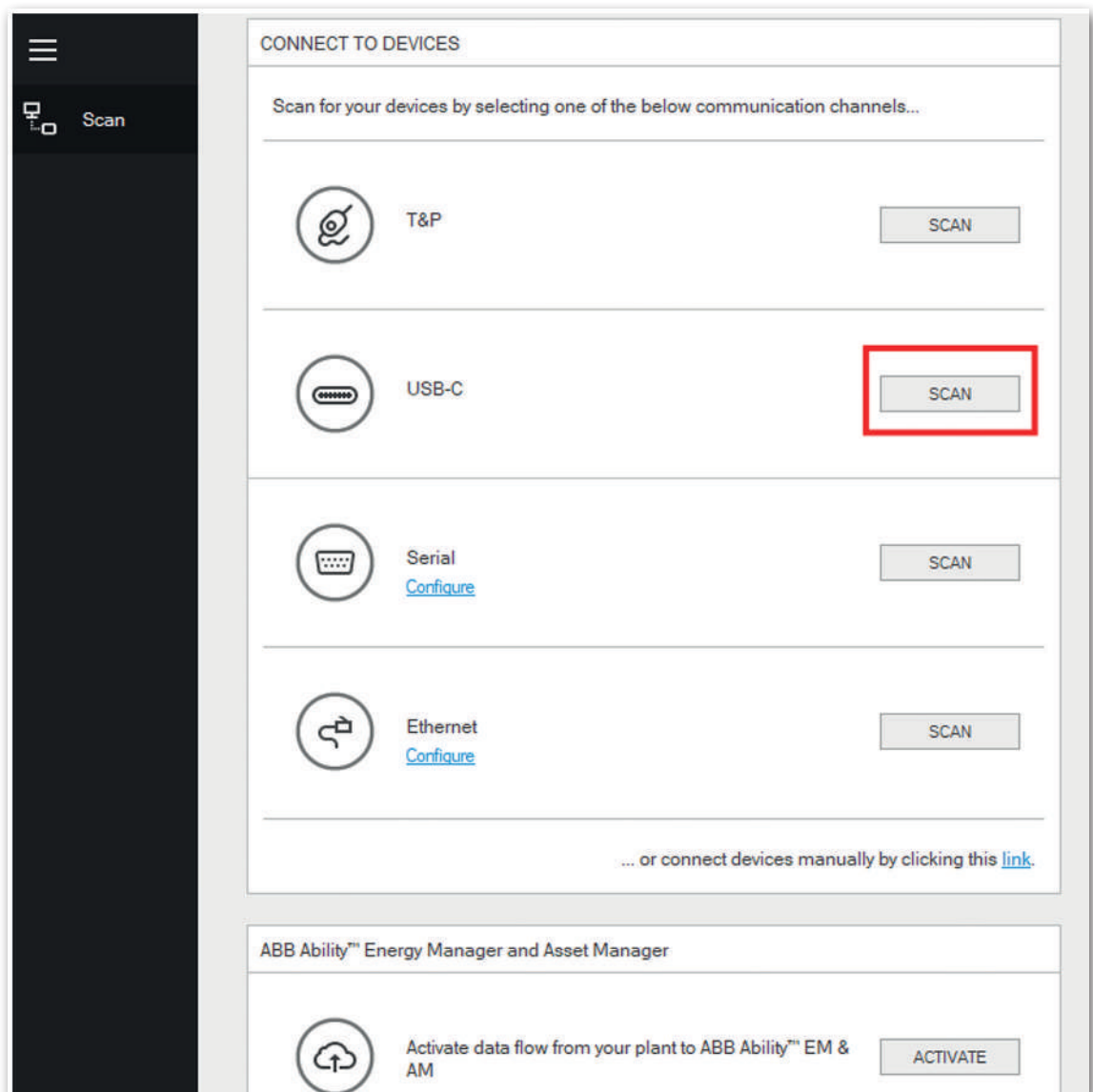
Application Example

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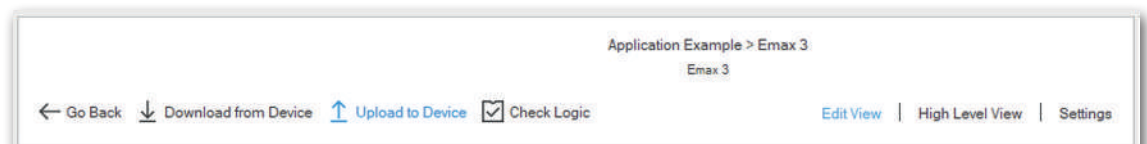
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Logic Upload

Connect the laptop to the device and scan it in Ekip Connect.





Reopen the tool Custom logic and click on “Upload to device” and follow the procedure





Upload Project


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Messages

☒  Warnings
 ☒  Infos

 Uploading your project will overwrite 4K I1 with the following parameters: Delay = 0 s, Polarity = Active closed

 The Signalling 4K O1 physical output defined in the custom logic will overwrite any previous configuration present in the connected device!





 The Signalling 4K O2 physical output defined in the custom logic will overwrite any previous configuration present in the connected device!

Next

Upload Project

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Bill of materials verification

RESOURCE	VERIFIED
Ekip Signalling 4K	
Ekip Supply Lite	
Voltage Protections	
Measuring Package	

Upload

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All data have been uploaded successfully!

OK

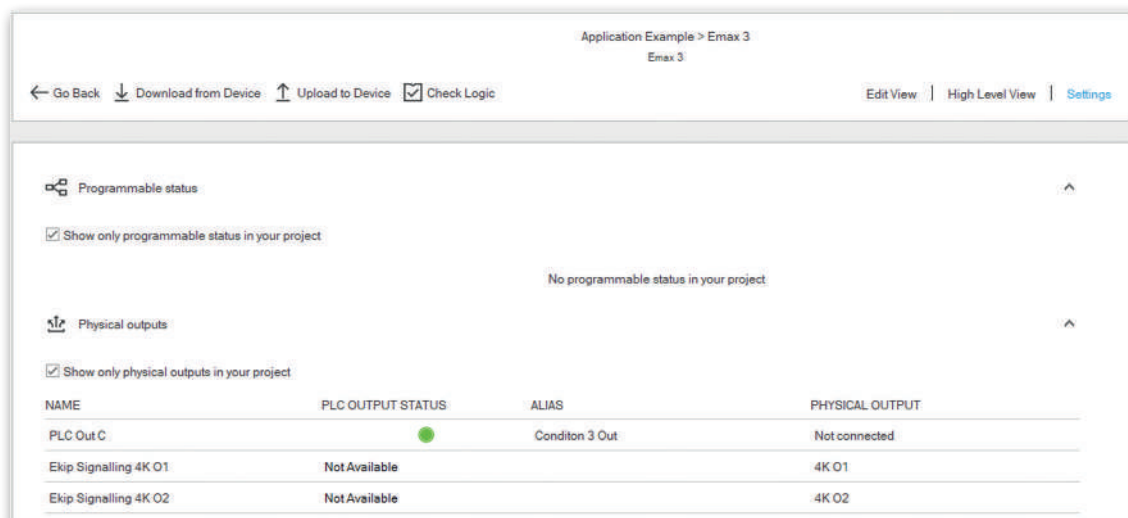
Note: The device must be equipped with the licenses and hardware listed in the Bill of Materials to ensure that the logic works properly.

Logic device test

Logic Validation: now that the logic has been downloaded to the breaker, the conditions listed in the table in the chapter “Logic Description and Requirements” should be replicated.

For each condition, it must be verified that the corresponding action is correctly executed.

Note: It is possible to view the real-time status of each PLC Out in the ‘Settings’ window of the tool. A connection to the device is required



Delay value change

To modify the Delay On value in Rule2, select the Delay On A register in the Classic View menu. For example, set 3000ms instead of 5000ms.

Click on Classic View → Programmable Status and Outputs → Custom Logic → Delay On Monitor → Delay On A → set 3000 → Apply

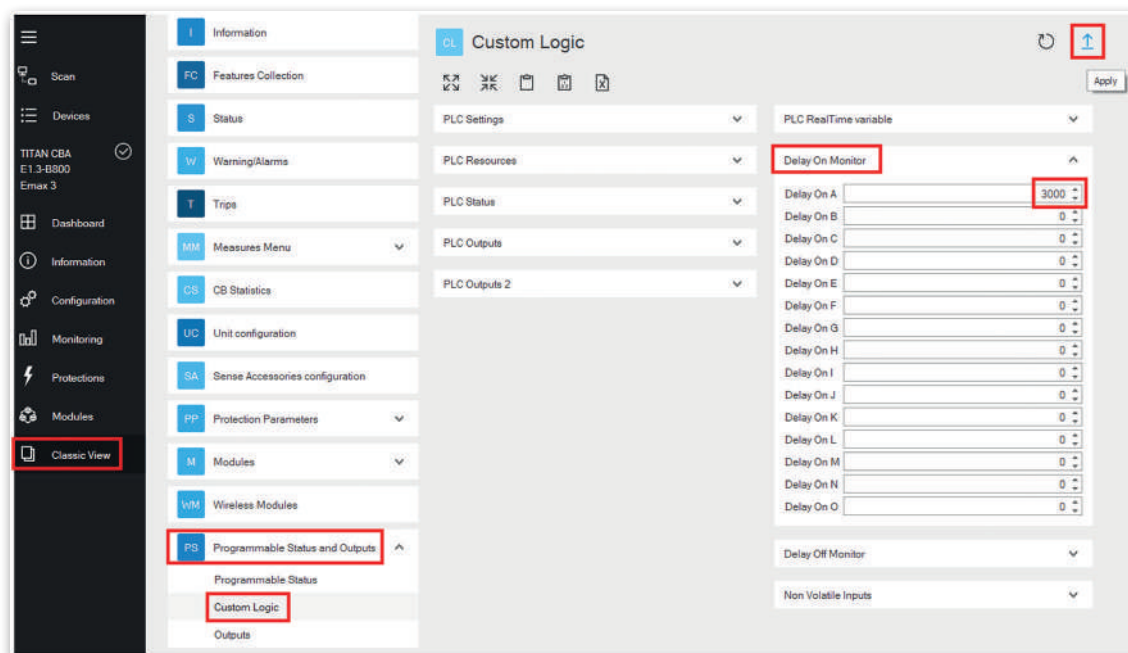




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