

# AN408 – Configuring a GIM 140 with Protocol Converter

#### Introduction

Axiomatic Technologies' module AX140200 can be used in conjunction with the Baumer GIM 140 inclination sensor to convert messages from CANopen® to J1939 without a CANopen® master on the network. The module can be modified by the user to function as desired.

#### **GIM 140 TPDO**

TPDO1 Transmission Rate			GIM140 Angle Sensor A Tx COB ID 0x1DA			
		Rate	25 ms			
Data I	Length	ing:	6 bytes			
Byte	Bits	Parameter	eter		l	4
1 & 2	1-8 1-8	Sensor Temperature				
3 & 4	1-8 1-8	Slope X			-	
5 & 6	1-8 1-8	Slope Y				

TPDO1 Transmission Rate Data Length			GIM140 Angle Sensor B	Tx	COB ID 0x1DB	
		Rate	25 ms	-		
			6 bytes			
Byte	Bits	Parameter	er			
1 & 2	1-8 1-8	Sensor Ten	perature			
3 & 4	1-8 1-8	Slope X			to to	
5 & 6	1-8 1-8	Slope Y				

It is configured to receive the GIM 140 slope sensor data from COB ID 0x1DAh and 0x1DBh on the CANopen® port and forward it to the J1939 port. The data is transmitted on PGNs 0xFF14h and 0xFF15h.

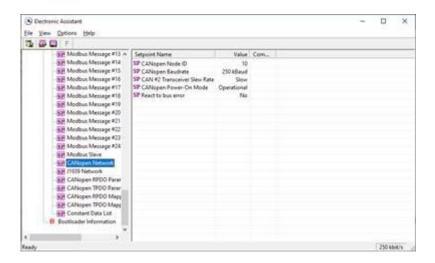


#### **Setting Up Transmission**

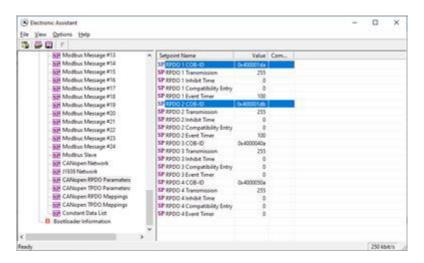
The setpoint will transmit the data exactly as it is received on the CANopen® port.

Here are the steps to set up the transmission:

- 1. In the CANopen® Network settings:
  - a. Set the baud rate (250kbps).
  - b. Set the Power on mode to 'Operational'.



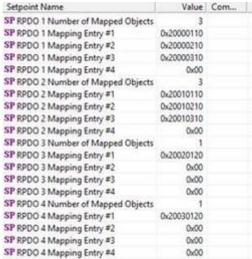
- 2. Go to the CANopen® RPDO parameters:
  - a. Set the COB-ID for RPDO1 to "1DA" (Angle Sensor A TPDO1).
  - b. Set the COB-ID for RPDO2 to "1DB" (Angle Sensor B TPDO1).
  - c. Set the event timer for RPDO1 and 2 to 100 (ms).





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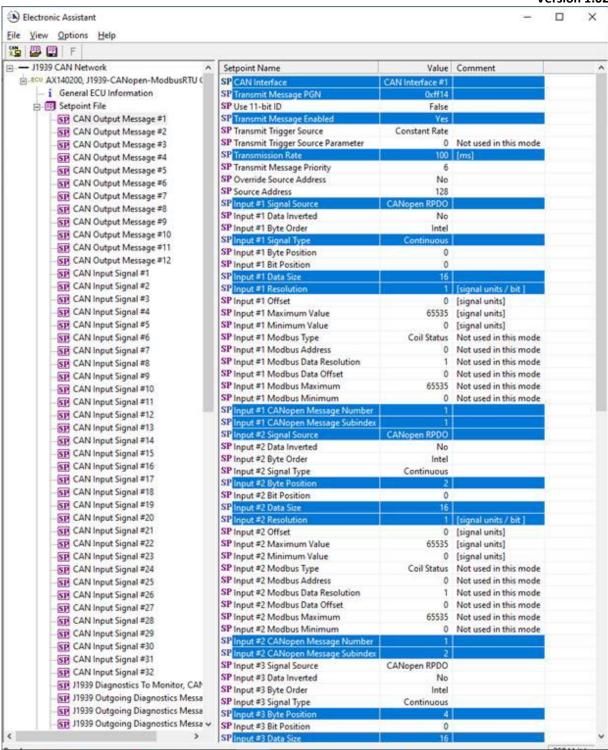
- 3. Go to the CANopen® RPDO Mappings:
  - a. Change the number of mapped objects in RPDO1 to three.
  - b. Map three 2 byte objects (Sensor temp, Slope X, Slope Y)(Angle Sensor A) to Mapping entries 1 to 3 of RPDO1.
    - Where in the Mapping entry 0x2000h (CAN RX data 1),0x01h (Sub index 1), 0x10h(2 bytes).
  - c. Change the number of mapped objects in RPDO2 to three.
  - d. Map three 2 byte objects (Sensor temp, Slope X, Slope Y)(Angle Sensor B) to Mapping entries 1 to 3 of RPDO2.



- 4. Go to the CAN Output Message #1:
  - a. Set the CAN interface to "#1".
  - b. Set the Transmit Message PGN.
  - c. Set the Transmit Message Enabled to "Yes".
  - d. Set the transmission rate to "100ms".
  - e. Set the Input #1 Signal Source to "CANopen® RPDO".
  - f. Set the Signal Type to "Continuous".
  - g. Set the Input #1 byte position. "0".
  - h. Set the Data Size to "16" bits (2 bytes).
  - i. Set the Data Resolution. Default = "1".
  - j. Set the CANopen® Message number "1" (Sensor Temp).
  - k. Set the CANopen® Message subindex "1" (Sensor Temp).
  - I. Repeat steps e to f to set up Slope X and Y for sensor A.
  - m. For each new parameter, the byte position should be incremented by 2.
  - n. For each new parameter, the CANopen® Message subindex should be increased by "1".



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### **RPDO Mapping Parameters**

To access the RPDO mapping parameters, users must first destroy the RPDO. Users can do this by writing a 'C' value as the leading byte of the COB-ID:

1. Set RPDO1 'COB-ID' = 0xC000020A (destroy RPDO1)

SP RPDO 1 COB-ID	0xc000020a	
SP RPDO 1 Transmission	255	
SP RPDO 1 Inhibit Time	0	
SP RPDO 1 Compatibility Entry	0	
SP RPDO 1 Event Timer	0	

- 2. Set RPDO1 'Number of Mapped Objects' = 0 (this opens access to the mapping objects. Users should do this if they are configuring by CANopen® SDO writes. If the Axiomatic EA software is being used, then this is not needed)
- 3. Set RPDO1 'Mapping Entry #1' = 0x20000110 (this means: 'store a 16-bit data in object 0x2000 sub-index 1')
- 4. Set RPDO1 'Mapping Entry #2' = 0x20000210 (this means: 'store a 16-bit data in object 0x2000\_sub-index\_2')
- 5. Set RPDO1 'Mapping Entry #3' = 0x20000310 (this means: 'store a 16-bit data in object 0x2000\_sub-index\_3')
- 6. Set RPDO1 'Mapping Entry #2' = 0x20000410 (this means: 'store a 16-bit data in object 0x2000 sub-index 4')
- 7. Set RPDO1 'Number of Mapped Objects' = 4 (now there are four mapped entries)

SP RPDO 1 Number of Mapped Objects	4
SP RPDO 1 Mapping Entry #1	0x20000110
SP RPDO 1 Mapping Entry #2	0x20000210
SP RPDO 1 Mapping Entry #3	0x20000310
SP RPDO 1 Mapping Entry #4	0x20000410

• Set RPDO1 'COB-ID' = 0x4000020A (activate RPDO1)

SP RPDO 1 COB-ID	0x4000020a
SP RPDO 1 Transmission	255
SP RPDO 1 Inhibit Time	0
SP RPDO 1 Compatibility Entry	0
SP RPDO 1 Event Timer	0

So now with that done, RPDO1 should be sent on ID 0x20A and contain four 16-bit data signals.



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