KNX Combi Switch Actuator SAH/S – Shutter Functions

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Overview KNX Combi Switch Actuators and Applications

ETS Application Combi Switch Actuators with Function Shutter

Differences between Combi Switch Actuator SAH/S and Shutter Actuators JRA/S
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Overview and Applications
## KNX Combi Switch Actuator - Shutter Functions

### Combi Switch Actuators

**Key Characteristics**

- Compact, high-channel-density devices with selectable switching & shading functionality

- **Data**
  - 8 / 16 / 24 outputs
  - 6A / 10A / 16A – AC1
  - Compact form: 2 channels per module width
  - Manual operation (KNX voltage dependent)
  - Combi screw-head terminals
  - Single application, smart features
  - New housing
  - Combi switching & shading

### Key Specifications

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Connection Diagram

1. Label Carriers
2. Programming LED
3. Programming Button
4. Bus Connection Terminal
5. Cover Cap
6. Load Circuit
7. Output Status LED (yellow)
8. Output Button
9. Group LED (yellow)
10. Manual Operation LED (yellow)
11. S-Button (manual operation/output selection/central off)
Combi Switch Actuators are ideal for the control of drives in the area of sun protection:

- Control with slat adjustment
  - Blinds
  - Exterior blinds
  - Slat blinds
  - Panel curtains
  - ...

**Blinds: Up/down and step/stop**

Overview Applications
Combi Switch Actuators are ideal also for the control of drives of following components:
- Control without slat adjustment
  - Roller shutters
  - Roller blinds
  - Screens
  - Vertical blinds
  - Awnings
  - Pleated curtains
  - Skylights
  - Pool cover
  - Windows
  - …
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ETS Application
ETS Application with comprehensive functions but satisfying user experience
- Templates for switch- and shutter functions
- Freely programmable logic independent of the output channels (AND, OR, Exclusive OR, GATE) and threshold functions
- Full functionality of shutter outputs (Safety/Weather alarm, automatic sun protection, scenes, blocking, forced operation), but no travel time detection
- Switch outputs with time functions (Staircase, Delay, Flashing), safety, forced operation, blocking, 16 scenes (1 byte)
- Central objects (switching, shutter functions, scenes)
- Colored hints simplify work
- ETS5 is required

More details about application in general with switching functions → session KNX Combi Switch Actuator – ETS Application
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Device Settings (per device)

- Central Group Objects
  - To be used to switch several device outputs at the same time
  - Advantage: Less group address assignments, especially for multi channel devices
- Available for switching, shutter control and scene
- In the parameter block of each channel it can be decided whether the channel shall be part of the central function
Shutter Actuator Template (per device)

- Templates allow to parametrize a certain number of functions to be assigned to individual channels
  - Available for switch or shutter outputs
  - Split into different parts (parameter pages)
- For Shutter: Basic settings, Drive, Blind/shutter, Safety/weather, Automatic sun protection, Status messages, Scene assignment
  - For each output and parameter page the templates can be used or individual adjustment can be done
- Advantage: Save of time and work during parametrization as typically channels need the same adjustments
Selection of actuator type (switching or shutter)

Please note: Default parametrization is shutter! Why?
- Inverse default parametrization (switching) can destroy a motor as the two related output can be closed at the same time!

With selection shutter the second output of a pair (e.g. A/B or C/D) belongs automatically to the shutter channel
- Selection with (slat/stop) or without slat adjustment (only stop)
- Enable scene, priority/safety functions and automatic sun protection
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Shutter Actuator – Basic settings (per channel)

- Available for individual configuration or template
- Reaction to central object to create individual 'central' function
- Reaction on logic/threshold function
  - No Logic/threshold function, Logic/threshold 1…24
  - Though logic is independent of any output, it can be directly assigned
  - For more details of logic in Combi Switch Actuator see Online Session KNX Combi Switch Actuator – ETS Application
- Reaction on bus voltage failure and recovery or after ETS download
  - No reaction, open, down, stop, individual position (height and slat), activation of automatic sun position
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**Shutter Actuator – Drive (per channel)**

- Available for individual configuration or template
- Travel time separate for up and down, needed for good positioning
  - **Please note:** no automatic travel time detection via current measurement available like JRA/S x.y.5.1
- Disconnect output power after end position + x% overflow
  - Additional safety with power turn off in case of malfunction of end switch
- Object “Trigger Reference Movement”
  - Runs drive to end position (value 1 = lower end position, value 0 upper end position)
  - Improvement of positioning when driving the hanging not to end positions during normal operation
  - Position after reference movement adjustable

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**Parameter setting**

- **Configuration**
  - Apply from template
  - Individual
- **Travel time up**
  - 00:10:10
- **Travel time down**
  - 00:10:10
- **Disconnect output power from after**
  - End position + 10% overflow
- **Enable group object**
  - Trigger reference movement
- **Position after reference movement**
  - No reaction, remain in reference position
  - Move to position before reference movement
- **Reversing time**
  - 500 ms
- **Delay time for drive**
  - Default

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**Function**

- **Drive**
  - Start-up delay
  - 100 ms
  - Coasting delay
  - 0 ms
  - Minimum run time for drive
  - 50 ms

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Shutter Actuator – Drive (per channel)

- Available for individual configuration or template
- Reversing time: Time the drive stops when the direction of the hanging will be reversed, to avoid too strong mechanical and electrical load
  - **Please note:** important value to protect the drive, see manual or recommendation of drive manufacturer
- Delay time of drive
  - Some drives attain their full power only after a start-up delay of a few milliseconds or continue moving for a few milliseconds after switch-off (coasting delay). It may be necessary to compensate delay times during start-up and coasting of the drive, e.g. to position the blinds/shutters exactly.
- Minimum run time for drive
  - Too short minimum run time can damage the connected drive. Pay attention to technical data for the connected drive
Available for individual configuration or template

- Move to position (1 byte object, 0 % (open)...100% (closed))
  - Direct, indirectly via upper/lower end position or shortest way
- Slat adjustment
  - Via duration of slat adjustment:
    After adjustment of duration the number of steps from open to close has to be tested and typed in the parameter
  - Via total duration for slat turning: Time from manufacturer of the drive to adjust the required number of steps
- Limit step commands to the number of adjusted steps avoids further movement of hanging in case of slate operation
- Total turning of slats after move down (Function closed-open-closed) to release slats which got stuck
- Position of slats at lower end position to adjust the brightness in the room
Travelling range limitation upper/lower limit depending on function (automatic sun protection and direct commands)

Direct commands:
• Move blind/shutter Up-Down
• Slat adjustment/stop Up-Down
• Move to position height
• Move to position slat
• Scene 1 … 64

Dead times
• Defines times where the hanging is not moving though motor is turning (mechanical slippage)
• Consideration enables precise positioning
• In projects to be tested with different times
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Safety/Weather Alarms - Weather Stations to detect Wind, Frost and Rain

Weather Sensor, WES/A 3.1 and Weather Unit WZ/S 1.3.1.2
Solution mainly for residential projects

Weather Station WS/S 4.1.1.2
For commercial projects, common weather sensors can be connected (0-10V, 4-20mA, etc.)
Safety/Weather Alarms (per device)

- Distinction between switch and shutter functionality
- Shutter
  - Three Wind alarms / Rain / Frost
  - Priority of wind, rain and frost adjustable
  - Monitoring of sensor signals (standard due to security reasons) can be deactivated
- For both switching and shutter additionally forced operation and blocking at the dedicated parameter blocks available
Shutter Actuator – Safety/weather (per channel)

- Available for individual configuration or template
- Reaction of the drive on different safety or weather conditions
  - No reaction, up, down, stop, unchanged, recall scene, individual position (height and slat)
  - Up to three wind sensors can be assigned
    Application: Complex building structure with different wind situations at the various facades
  - Rain and frost alarm sensors can be assigned
    Application: Closing of windows in case of rain, retract frost sensitive hanging
  - Blocking function via 1 bit telegram
    Application: Cleaning of window with shutter up and blocked
Forced operation via 1 or 2 bit

**Application:** Roof windows open in case of fire alarm

- 1 bit
  - one position for height and slat
  - Activation with value 0 or 1

- 2 bit (practically triggered via visualization)
  - two different positions for height and slat possible
  - Activation with value 3 (active on) and 2 (active off)

| 0 | 0 = forced operation inactive | (value 0 decimal) |
| 0 | 1 = forced operation inactive  | (value 1 decimal) |
| 1 | 0 = forced operation active, Off state | (value 2 decimal) |
| 1 | 1 = forced operation active, On state  | (value 3 decimal) |
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Shutter Actuator – Safety/weather (per channel)

- Position for reset of weather alarm, blocking and forced operation
  - No reaction, up, down, stop, unchanged, scene, individual position, refreshed KNX state (any background functions during safety/weather functions will be carried out)
- Automatic sun protection on reset of weather alarms, blocking and forced operation
- Priority sequence of safety/weather alarms
  - Note: Priority sequence of weather alarms (wind, rain, frost) to be adjusted under parameter page Safety/weather alarms
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Automatic Sun Protection

Standard Sun Automatic

Weather Sensor WES/A
Weather Unit WZ/S
Combi Switch Actuator SAH/S

Sun → Blind lowered and slats closed
No sun → Blind raised
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Automatic Sun Protection

Blind control depending on sun position with Shutter Control Unit JSB/S 1.1

Weather Station WS/S 4.1.1.2  Shutter Control Unit JSB/S  Combi Switch Actuator SAH/S

No sun → Blind raised
Sun → Blind lowered and slats closed
Shutter Actuator – Automatic sun protection (per channel)

- Automatic sun protection runs the drive depending on over/undershooting of outside brightness level. Information is received from outdoor brightness sensor or weather station as a 1 bit telegram
- Deactivation of automatic sun protection via group object or direct operation (e.g. local push button in the room)
  - Reactivation after certain time possible
- Both automatic sun protection and direct operation can be blocked via group objects
- Position of shutter in the event of over/undershooting adjustable, also with delay
  - No reaction, up, down, stop, unchanged, scene, individual pos.
  - Receive height and/or slat via group object (1 byte) allows integration of shutter control unit JSB/S 1.1 for control of blinds depending on sun position

[Diagram of KNX Combi Switch Actuator - Shutter Functions]

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Group objects for following status messages:

- **Height/Slats (1 byte, 0...100%)**
- **Upper/Lower end position (1 bit)**
  Application: A curtain must not be moved when the window is open. Conversely, a drive must not open the window when the awning is down
- **Operability (1 bit)**
  Application: LED on local push button shows operability, operation e.g. not possible due to safety functions (wind) or manual operation
- **Automatic sun protection active (1 bit)**
- **Status Information (1 byte, e.g. safety, - time,- or manual operation active)**
  Application: Presentation of various status information with text in a visualization
- Parameter options (to adapt the number of status telegrams):
  - No, update only (value in group object will be updated but not sent on the bus. Possible to achieve the status via read request, e.g. visualization)
  - After change (value has to be different to be sent on the bus)
  - On request (A request can be triggered by sending the value 0 or 1 on the group object Request status values, e.g. intentional request from visualization)
  - After change and on request
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#### Shutter Actuator – Scene assignment (per channel)

- Available for individual configuration or template
- Activation for of up to 16 scenes 1 byte
- Recall and storage of scenes via 1 byte object
- Scene recall also via further group object (for scene 1 … 4)
  - Additional 1 bit object to activate the scene
  - Advantage: 1 bit is easier to handle for some sensors than 1 byte
- Delay in running the drive
  - Application: delayed start of the drives to avoid load peak
- Position height or slat individually adjustable

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[Image of KNX Combi Switch Actuator - Shutter Functions diagram]
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1 byte Light Scene

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**Short: Calling KNX scene No. 6 “Good Morning”**

- **Dim Actuator UD/S**
  - Bedroom: A - n.A.
  - Staircase: B - n.A.
  - …

- **Switch Actuator SA/S**
  - Kitchen light: A - n.A.
  - Kitchen socket outlets: B - ON
  - Corridor light: C - n.A.
  - Bathroom light: D - n.A.
  - Children room: E - n.A.
  - …

- **Combi Switch Actuator SAH/S**
  - Blind Kitchen: A - 80%
  - Blind Living room: B - 50%
  - Blind Bathroom: C - 100%
  - Blind Bedroom: D - 90%
  - Blind Children room: E - n.A.
  - …

- **Security Module:**
  - Unset

- **RTC:**
  - Comfort mode

- **DG/S x.64.5.1:**
  - Livingroom light: 75% and 3,200K
  - RGB LED strips: -n.A.
  - …

- **HUE:**
  - Lights n.A.

- **SONOS:**
  - Music - PLAY

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n.A. – no assignment
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Combi Switch Actuator SAH/S ↔ Shutter Actuator JRA/S
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Main Differences: Combi Switch Actuator SAH/S ↔ Shutter Actuator JRA/S

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<td>Number of Channels for Shutter</td>
<td>4, 8, 12</td>
<td>2, 4, 6*, 8</td>
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<td>Option Switching / Number of Channels</td>
<td>yes / 8, 16, 24</td>
<td>yes / 2, 4, 6, 8</td>
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<td>Relay current</td>
<td>6, 10, 16 A</td>
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<td>Actuator for 24V DC</td>
<td>no</td>
<td>yes, JRAS/S 4.24.5.1</td>
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<td>Change over contact with mechanical lock</td>
<td>no, two relays per shutter output with software lock</td>
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<td>ABB i-bus Tool support</td>
<td>(yes), soon available in 2020</td>
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<td>Blind Control depending on sun position</td>
<td>yes</td>
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<td>together with Shutter Control Unit JSB/S 1.1</td>
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<td>Travel Time Detection via current measurement</td>
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<td>Parameter for Switching Functions</td>
<td>yes</td>
<td>only Staircase Lighting and invert output (Ventilation Flaps)</td>
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<td>ETS Application (special functions)</td>
<td>Central group objects, 8 bit scenes with delay and 1 bit object to recall, Logic functions, Templates</td>
<td>1 bit preset (4x, move to and set position), 8 bit scenes, Heating/Cooling automatic, Overheat control</td>
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