

Hydraulics & Pneumatics

Chapter 4: Programmable Logic Controller (PLC for Repeated Sequence)

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Lesson Outcome

- By the end of this lecture, student should be able to:
 - Design and analyze the pneumatics and hydraulics components with PLC to perform repeated sequence.

Content

- Definition of Repeated Sequence
- Approach to Solve Repeated Sequence
- Example of Problem



Repeated Sequence

 Example: Design a hydraulic system with the following sequence using double solenoid valves.

A+ B+ A- B- A+ A-

Solution

- Identify sequence
- Group one group will have one relay
- Identify limit switch status
- Start operation with turn ON relay group 1
- Turn ON every subsequent relay group
- Turn OFF all relay group
- Finish by turn OFF last relay group



Example

Group 1

Start with turn ON k1

 $k1 \rightarrow Start.a0$

 $A = \rightarrow k1 = k3.b0$

 $B = \rightarrow k1.a1$

Group 2

Start with turn ON k2

 $k2 \rightarrow b1.k1$

 $A- \rightarrow k2.b1 \equiv k4.$

a1

 $B- \rightarrow k2.a0$

Group 3

Group 4



Start with turn ON k3

 $k3 \rightarrow k2.b0$

A :: Was set in

Group 1

Start with turn ON k4

k4 → k3.a1

A-: Was set in Group 2

Using the last sensor turn OFF $k4 \rightarrow k4.a0$

Summary



k1 -> Start.a0

 $A = \rightarrow k1 = k3.b0$

 $B = \rightarrow k1.A1$

 $k2 \rightarrow b1.k1$

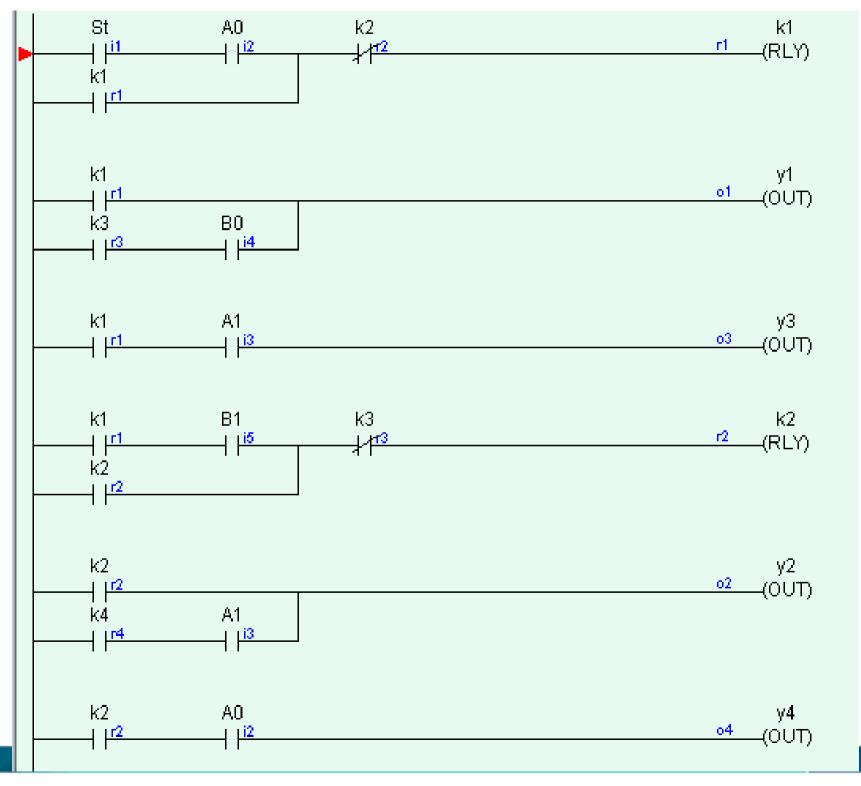
 $A- \rightarrow k2.b1 \equiv k4.$

a1

 $B- \rightarrow k2.a0$

 $k3 \rightarrow k2.b0$

k4 -> k3.a1







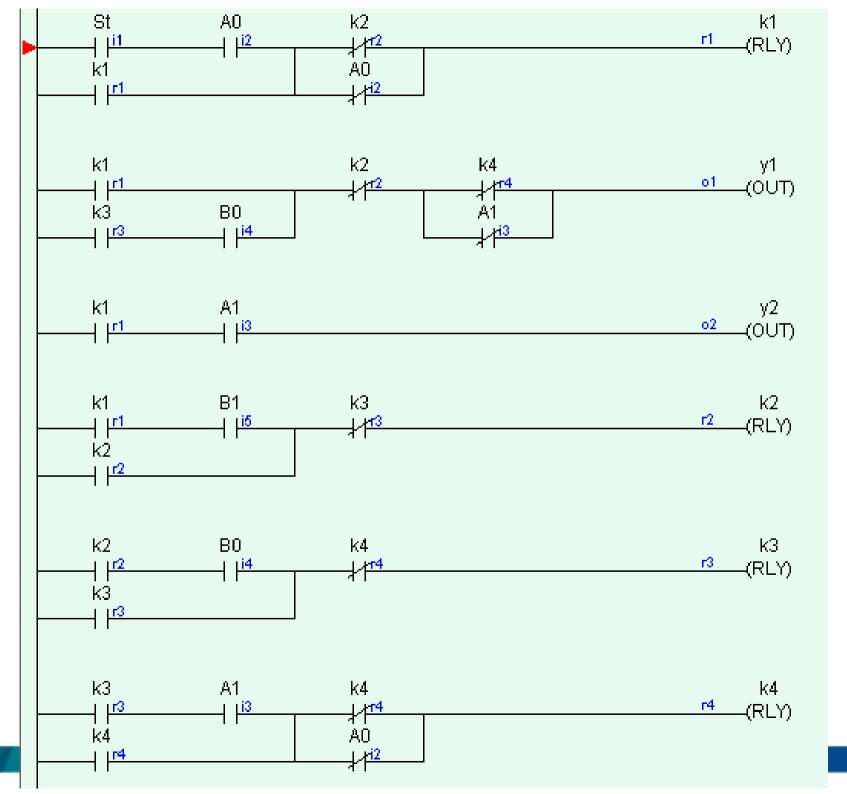
Remember! Dots are SERIES Pluses are PARALLEL



Example

 Similar Example: Design a hydraulic system with the following sequence using SINGLE solenoid valves.

A+ B+ A- B- A+ A-





Summary

 In this lesson, we have learn how to design PLC ladder diagram for repeated sequence.

