

CT-5321 Modbus Serial Port Module

1 Module Description

The Modbus serial port module supports 1 channel RS485/RS232 /RS422 (optional), supports Modbus RTU/ASCII protocol, and supports master, slave and free transparent transmission mode.

The serial Module **CT-5321** could be applied with the adapter modules, so it could convert Modbus into other protocols such as Modbus TCP, Profinet, EtherCAT, EtherNet/IP, etc. When the module is used, serial port parameters and Modbus instructions should be configured in IO Config software.

Devices with RS485/RS232/RS422 interface, which support modbus-RTU /ASCII, could be applied with **CT-5321** to realize interconnection with upper PLC or upper computers. **CT-5321** could be applied with devices such as: PLC, DCS, remote IO, VFD, motor start protection device, intelligent high and low voltage electrical apparatus, power measurement device, intelligent field measurement equipment and instruments, etc.

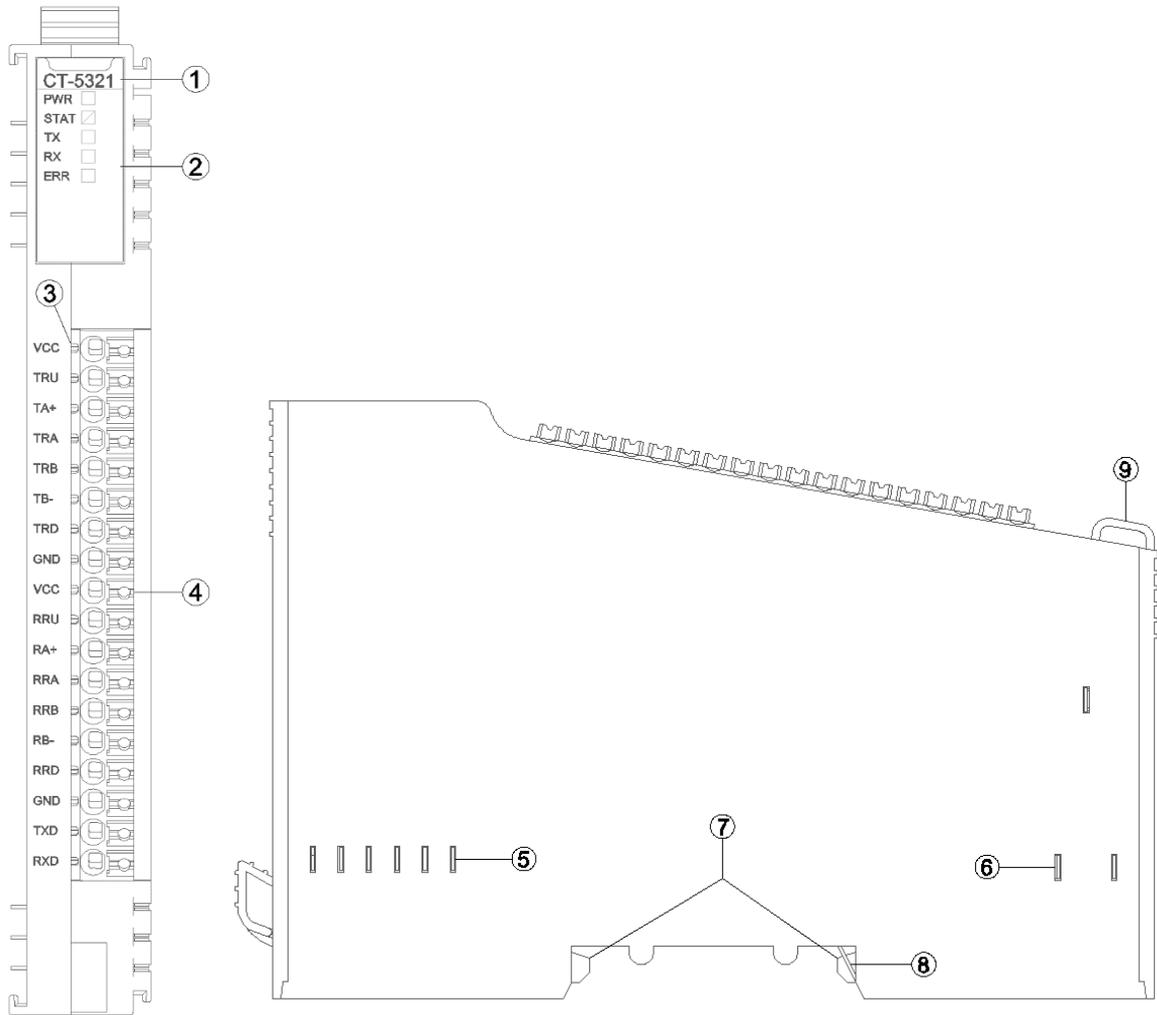
2 Technical Parameters

| General parameters | |
|---------------------------|---|
| Power | Max.500mA @5.0Vdc |
| Isolation | I/O to internal bus: opto-couple isolation (3KVrms) |
| Field Power | Nominal:24Vdc, Range:22-28Vdc |
| Wiring | I/O Wiring: Max.1.5mm (AWG 16) |
| Mounting Type | 35mmDIN-Rail |
| Size | 115*14*75mm |
| Weight | 65g |
| Environment Specification | |
| Operational Temperature | -40~85°C |
| Operational Humidity | 5%~95% RH(No Condensation) |
| Protection Class | IP20 |
| Serial Port Parameters | |

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|------------------------------|--|
| M/S/F:Channel Number | 1Channel |
| M/S/F:Interface | RS485/RS232/RS422 |
| M/S:Protocol | Modbus RTU/ASCII |
| M/S/F:Working Mode | Modbus Master, Slave, Transparent Transmission |
| M/S/F:Baud Rate | 300bps-500Kbps |
| M/S/F:Data Bit | Bit 7, Bit 8 |
| M/S/F:Parity Checking | None, Odd, Even |
| M/S/F:Stop Bit | Bit1, Bit2 |
| M/S/F:Character Interval | 1.5t-200t |
| F: Byte Order Conversion | Prohibit, Enable |
| M/F:Response Timeout | Customized, default: 1000 |
| M/F: Polling Timeout | Customized, default: 100 |
| M: Read Data Processing Mode | Hold the last input value, clear the input value |
| M: Data Output Mode | Polling, event triggering (data changes) |
| M: Module Control Enable | Prohibit, Enable |
| M: Module Control Mode | Level trigger (continuously valid), rising edge trigger (single valid) |
| M: Power on Event Output | Prohibit, Enable |
| S:Slave ID | Customized, default: 1 |
| S:Response Time | Customized, default: 50 |

Note: M represents the valid parameters of master mode, S represents the valid parameters of slave mode, and F represents the valid parameters of free transparent transmission mode.

3 Hardware Interface



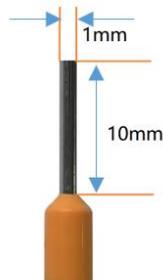
- ① Module Type
- ② State indicator
- ③ N/A
- ④ Wiring Terminal and identification
- ⑤ Internal Bus
- ⑥ Field Power
- ⑦ Buckle
- ⑧ Grounding Resilient Sheet
- ⑨ Fixed Wiring Harness

3.1 Wiring Terminal

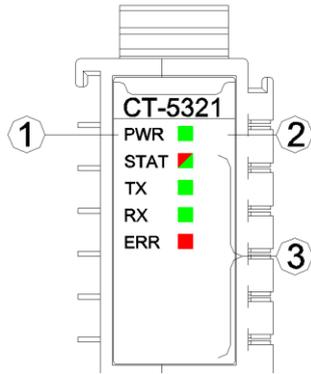
| Terminal | RS485 | RS422 | RS232 |
|----------|--|---|-------|
| VCC | 4.7K Pull up resistance short connection | 4.7K Pull up resistance short connection (TX) | |
| TRU | | | |
| TA+ | A+ | TX+ | |
| TRA | 120R Terminal resistance short connection | 120R Terminal resistance short connection (TX) | |
| TRB | | | |
| TB- | B- | TX- | |
| TRD | 4.7K Pull down resistance short connection | 4.7K Pull down resistance short connection (TX) | |
| GND | | | |
| VCC | | 4.7K Pull up resistance short connection (RX) | |
| RRU | | | |
| RA+ | | RX+ | |
| RRA | | 120R Terminal resistance short connection (RX) | |
| RRB | | | |
| RB- | | RX- | |
| RRD | | 4.7K Pull down resistance short connection (RX) | |
| GND | | | GND |
| TXD | | | TXD |
| RXD | | | RXD |

It is recommended to use cables with cores smaller than 1mm ?

The cold-pressed terminal parameters are as follows:

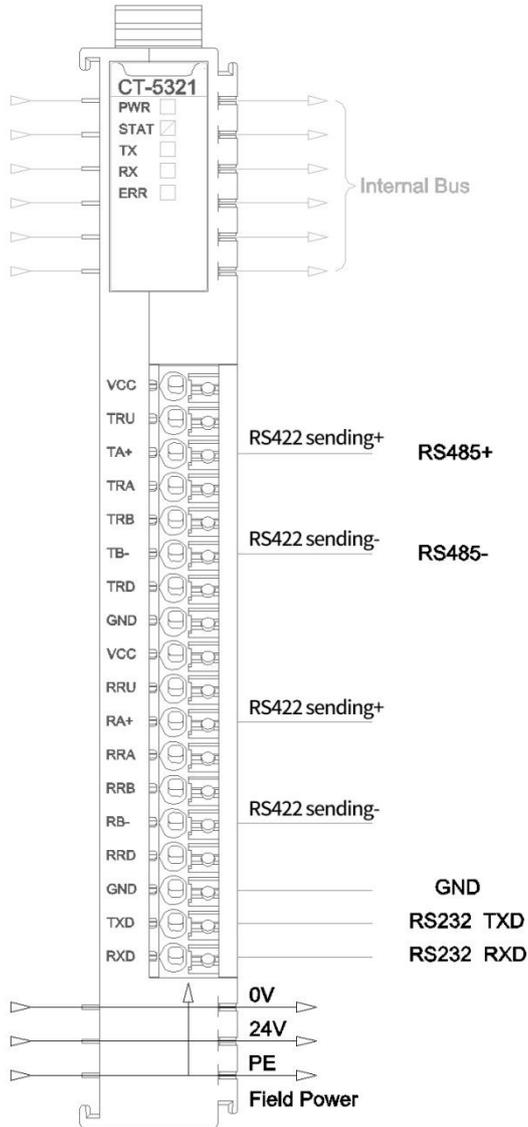


3.2 LED Indicator State



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| PW power indicator(Green) | Definition |
| ON | The system power supply is normal. |
| OFF | The system power supply is failure. |
| STAT Module State Indicator(Red/Green) | Definition |
| Double Flash (RED) | Module Exception has been soft-restarted |
| ON (GREEN) | Operational Mode |
| Green Single Flash | Stop mode |
| Flash(2.5Hz) (RED/GREEN) | Upgrading mode |
| Flash(10Hz) (RED/GREEN) | Firmware Update |
| TX Serial Port Sending Indicator | Definition |
| OFF | No data sending |
| Flash | Serial port data sending |
| RX Serial Port receiving Indicator | Definition |
| OFF | No data receiving |
| Flash | Serial port data receiving |
| ERR Running Indicator | Definition |
| OFF | Configuration normal, communication normal |
| Single Flash | Communication abnormal |
| Cycle Flash | Configuration error |

4 Wiring



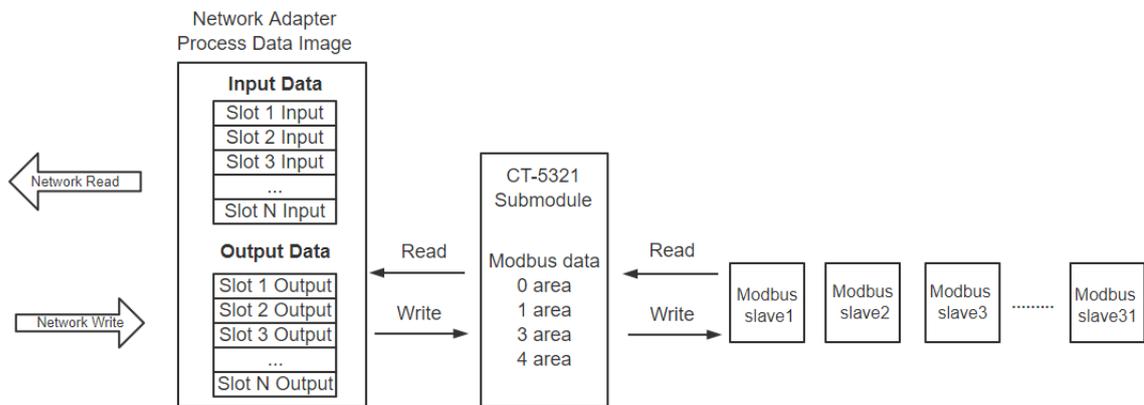
5 Process data definition

5.1 Module process data definition

CT-5321, the module itself has no input or output process data.

5.2 Submodule process data mapping

The network adapter reads and writes the input and output process data of the sub-module of CT-5321 in real time through the internal bus. Its data mapping model is shown as the figure below:



6 Configuration parameters definition

6.1 CT-5321 Configuration parameter definition

| Configuration Parameter | | | | | | | | |
|-------------------------|-------------------------|-------|-------|--------------------------|---------------------|-----------------------|--------------|-------------------------------|
| Bit No | Bit 7 | Bit 6 | Bit 5 | Bit 4 | Bit 3 | Bit 2 | Bit 1 | Bit 0 |
| Byte 0 | | | | | | BaudRate Select | Gateway Mode | |
| Byte 1 | Standard BaudRate | | | | | | | |
| Byte 2 | | | | | | | | |
| Byte 3 | | | | | | | | |
| Byte 4 | | | | | | | | |
| Byte 5 | | | | | | | | |
| Byte 6 | Custom BaudRate | | | | | | | |
| Byte 7 | | | | | | | | |
| Byte 8 | | | | | | | | |
| Byte 9 | | | | | | | | |
| Byte 10 | Char Pitch | | | | | | | |
| Byte 11 | Response Timeout(ms) | | | | | | | |
| Byte 12 | | | | | | | | |
| Byte 13 | | | | | | | | |
| Byte 14 | Delay Between Polls(ms) | | | | | | | |
| Byte 15 | | | | First Output on Power-Up | Module Control Mode | Module Control Enable | Output Mode | Fault Action for Read Command |
| Byte 16 | Slave ID | | | | | | | |
| Byte 17 | Response Delay(ms) | | | | | | | |
| Byte 18 | | | | | | | | |

M/S/F: Gateway Mode : Module working mode (default: Modbus Master)

- 0: Modbus Master
- 1: Modbus Slave
- 2: Free port communication mode

M/S/F: Baudrate Selection (default: standard baud rate)

- 0: Standard baud rate
- 1: Customized baud rate

M/S/F: Standard BaudRate (default: 9600bps)

- 0: 300bps
- 1: 600bps
- 2: 1200bps

- 3: 2400bps
- 4: 4800bps
- 5: 9600bps
- 6: 14400bps
- 7: 19200bps
- 8: 38400bps
- 9: 57600bps
- 10: 115200bps
- 11: 128000bps
- 12: 230400bps
- 13: 256000bps
- 14: 384000bps
- 15: 500000bps

M/S/F: Custom BaudRate: 300-500000bps could be set, default: 9600 Note:

The devices of a few customers are with non-standard Baud rate, and it could be customized.

M/S/F: Data Bits(default: Bit 8)

- 0: Bit 7
- 1: Bit 8

M/S/F: Parity Bits(default: None)

- 0: None
- 1: Odd
- 2: Even

M/S/F: Stop Bits(default: Bit 1)

- 0: Bit 1
- 1: Bit 2

M/S:Serial Mode (default: RTU)

0: RTU

1: ASCII

F:Btye Swap (default: disabled)

0: Disabled

1: Enable

M/S/F:Char Pitch: Frame interval detection time when receiving a message. (T is the transmission time of a single character and is related to the baud rate) (default: 5 CH)

0: 1.5 CH

1: 3.5 CH

2: 5 CH

3: 10 CH

4: 20 CH

5: 50 CH

6: 100 CH

7: 200 CH

M/F: Response Timeout (ms): The time that the master sends a command and waits for a response from the slave. 1~65535 could be set, the default is 1000.

M/F: Delay Between Polls (ms): The interval time between Modbus commands (the delay between receiving the slave response message and sending the next command), 0~65535 could be set, default 100.

M: Fault Action for Read Command: The way the data is processed after the timeout of the slave read data. (Default: Hold last input value)

0: Hold the last input value

1: Clearing input value optional

M:Output Mode: The Modbus periodically sending write messages under "polling mode". In "event triggered" mode, write commands are sent only when

the Modbus output data changes.(Default: polling)

0: polling

1: Event triggers (data changes)

M: Module Control Enable: When it is necessary to control the read and write commands of Modbus, it could select enabling mode and control the read and write commands of Modbus by controlling the value of "module control output". (Default: disabled)

0: disabled

1: enable

M: Module Control Mode.This value is valid only in module control enabled mode. (Default: Level triggered)

0: Level trigger (effective continuously)

1: Rising edge trigger (single trigger)

M: First Output on Power-on. (Default: enabled)

0: disabled

1: enable

S: Slave ID: 1-247 could be set.This parameter is only valid in slave mode.

S: Respond Delay (MS): 0~65535 is optional, default 50.

6.2 CT-5321 Parameter definitions for submodules

6.2.1 Submodules in master mode

M: Diagnostic module

M: Reading coil (0xxxx), it supports 8~128bits optionally

M: Reading discrete input (1xxxx), it supports 8~128bits optionally

M: Reading input register (3xxxx), it supports 1~16words optionally

M: Reading hold register (4xxxx), it supports 1~16words optionally

M: Writing coil (0 xxxx), it supports single coil and 8~128bits optionally

M: Writing hold register (4xxxx), it supports single register and 1~16words optionally

M: Diagnostic module, it includes module status input, module error code input, module control output, and polling time input. The drop-down menu commands need to be added to the first 8 lines of the slot.

1. Module state input: there are 8~48 channels available. The module state could monitor the working state of each data slot. When a data slot fails, the corresponding state bit will be set to 1, and it would be reset automatically after failure recovery.

2. Module error code input: there are 8~48 channels available. When the data slot fails, the error code module could display the function code of the error channel and the detailed error code. According to the error code, the user can judge the cause of the fault, and then take the corresponding adjustment method. See "Modbus Error Code Table" for a detailed description.

3. Module control output: there are 8~48 channels available. The read/write channel for output control of the command is valid when the parameter (**M: module control**) under the serial port is in enabled mode.

4. Polling time input: Polling time is used for monitoring serial ports.

6.2.2 Submodules in slave mode

S: Diagnostic module

S: Reading coil (0xxxx), it supports 1~1024Bytes optionally

S: Reading hold register (4xxxx), it supports 1~512words optionally

S: Writing coil (0xxxx), it supports 1~1024Bytes optionally

S: Writing discrete input (1xxxx), it supports 8~1024Bytes optionally

S: Writing input register (3xxxx), it supports 1~512words optionally

S: Writing hold register (4xxxx), it supports 1~512words optionally

S :Diagnostic module

The module could monitor the communication failure by entering the state in slave. Please see the following table to check the failure.

Modbus Error code table

| Error Code | Fault description | Troubleshooting method |
|------------|-----------------------------------|--|
| 0x00 | Working properly | N/A |
| 0x01 | Illegal function code | The device does not support the current function code, please refer to the slave manual to select the corresponding function code module |
| 0x02 | Illegal data address | If the device data exceeds its address range, refer to the slave manual to modify the data starting address or data length |
| 0x03 | Illegal data value | Data length error, data length beyond the Max. allowed value 125(Word) or 2000(Bit), modify the length |
| 0x04 | Data processing error | Check that if the range of data values meets the slave requirements |
| 0x05 | Application layer length mismatch | Increase the receive character pitch and check the communication parameter Settings |
| 0x06 | Protocol ID error | Check the sending end message |
| 0x07 | Cache address error | Device internal error |

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| 0x08 | Bit offset error | Device internal error |
| 0x09 | The slave ID number does not match | Increase timeout time, check hardware connection state, and check communication parameter Settings |
| 0x0A | CRC Error | CRC error, check communication line |
| 0x0B | LRC Error | LRC error, check communication line |
| 0x0C | Answer function codes do not match | Check the hardware connection state |
| 0x0D | Answer addresses do not match | Check the hardware connection state |
| 0x0E | The length of the reply data does not match | Check the hardware connection state |
| 0x0F | Communication timeout | Increase timeout time, check hardware connection state, and check communication parameter Settings |
| 0x10 | ASCII mode starting character Error | ‘:’ Colon starting character Error |
| 0x11 | ASCII mode terminator character Error | CR/LF Carriage return terminator character Error |
| 0x12 | ASCII mode non-character data | The data contains non-hexadecimal ASCII codes |
| 0x13 | ASCII mode character error | Slave answering length error |

6.2.3 Submodule in free transparent transmission mode

F : Control and state modules

F : Input and output data modules all support 1~512words optionally

Definition of process data for control and state modules

| IO module data direction | Data Name | Variable Name | Data Type | Byte Offset |
|--------------------------|--|------------------------|-----------|-------------|
| Input Data | Output control word – Feedback | Control_Word_Feedback | uint16_t | 0 |
| | Send frame byte length- feedback | Send_Data_Len_Feedback | uint16_t | 2 |
| | Serial State | COM_Status | uint16_t | 4 |
| | Received Error frame count | Error_Counter | uint16_t | 6 |
| | Total received data frame count | Received_Counter | uint16_t | 8 |
| | The current received frame byte length | Received_Data_Len | uint16_t | 10 |
| Output Data | Output control word | Control_Word | uint16_t | 0 |
| | Send frame byte length | Send_Data_Len | uint16_t | 2 |

Variable Definition:

| Variable Name | Bit 15-7 | Bit 6 | Bit 5 | Bit 4 | Bit 3 | Bit 2 | Bit 1 | Bit 0 |
|------------------------|-------------------|------------------|----------------|-------------|---------------|--------------|------------|---------|
| Control_Word_Feedback | Reseverd | Input Data Reset | Received Reset | Error Reset | Timeout Reset | Parity Reset | Done Reset | Trigger |
| Send_Data_Len_Feddback | Send Data Len | | | | | | | |
| COM_Status | Reseverd | | | | Timeout Error | Parity Error | Done | Busy |
| Error_Counter | Error Counter | | | | | | | |
| Received_Counter | Received Counter | | | | | | | |
| Received_Data_Len | Received Data Len | | | | | | | |
| Control_Word | Reseverd | Input Data Reset | Received Reset | Error Reset | Timeout Reset | Parity Reset | Done Reset | Trigger |
| Send_Data_Len | Send Data Len | | | | | | | |

Input data description:

1. Control_Word_Feedback is the feedback value of Control_Word, which will be updated to the control word feedback after the output control word is refresh to the module

2. Send_Data_Len_Feedback is the feedback value of Send_Data_Len. After the length of sending frame bytes is refreshed to the module, it will be updated to the length feedback of sending frame bytes.

3. In the response mode, when the serial ports are sending data, the Busy bit is set to 1.

3.1 When the serial port receives the reply within the timeout period, the Busy bit will be reset, and Done will be completed at position 1 and Received_Counter will calculate the value plus 1. If there is a parity error in the received frame, and Parity_Error will be set to 1, while Error_Counter will count plus 1.

Received_Data_Len holds the number of bytes of the currently received frame.

3.2 When the serial port does not receive a reply within the timeout period, the Busy bit will be reset, and the Done will be completed at position 1. At the same time, Timeout_Error will be set as 1, and the Error_Counter will be added as 1, so the Received_Data_Len value will be reset.

4. In the active report mode, when slave received the data packet, and the Received_Counter will count as a value plus 1. If there is a parity error in the received frame, the Parity_Error bit will be set to 1, while the Error_Counter will count plus 1.

Description of output data :

1. When Received_Counter_Reset is in rise edge, the Received_Counter value will be reset.

When Error_Counter_Reset is in rise edge, Error_Counter value will be reset.

When Timeout_Error_Reset s in rise edge, Timeout_Error will be reset.

When Parity_Error_Reset is in rise edge, Parity_Error will be reset.

When Done_Reset is in rise edge, Done will be reset.

2. In the active report mode, the Trigger bit is invalid and the Send_Data_Len is invalid.
3. In master-slave response mode, when Trigger is in rise edge, and it will Trigger serial port to send data for one time, and the serial port will send data packets according to the data length of Send_Data_Len and wait for the replying processing.

A Dimension drawing

