8 Draw (Figures/Text)

This chapter provides a basic explanation for "Draw (Figures/Text)", and how to use the draw/edit tools and the other draw features in GP-Pro EX.

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8.1 Settings Menu













8.2 Drawing Graphics

8.2.1 List of Drawing Tools

Graphi	C	Description
Dot	•	Draws a dot. [©] "8.2.2 Drawing Dots" (page 8-8)
Line/ Polyline	/	Draws a line/polyline. ⁽²⁷⁾ "8.2.3 Drawing Lines/Polylines" (page 8-9)
Rectangle		Draws a rectangle. ⁽²⁾ "8.2.4 Drawing Rectangles" (page 8-11)
Polygon	\Diamond	Draws a polygon. [©] "8.2.7 Drawing Polygons" (page 8-17)
Circle/Oval	0	Draws a circle/oval. ^(SP) "8.2.5 Drawing Circles/Ovals" (page 8-13)
Arc/Pie	(Draws an arc/pie. [©] "8.2.6 Drawing Arcs/Pies" (page 8-15)
Scale	Lund	Draws the graph scales. ^(SP) "8.2.8 Drawing Scales" (page 8-19)
Table		Draws a table. ^{CSP} "8.2.9 Drawing Tables" (page 8-21)

8.2.2 Drawing Dots

The Dot feature can draw one to five dots at a time.

From the [Draw (D)] menu, select [Dot (D)] or click • to place a dot on the screen. Double-click the placed [Dot] to display the following dialog box.

💰 Dot					×
	Size	β	<u>=</u>		
	Color	7	•	Blink	None
			C	K (<u>O</u>)	Cancel

- For display colors, refer to "8.5.1 Setting Colors" (page 8-36)
- For information about blinking, refer to "8.5.2 Setting Up Blink" (page 8-43)

8.2.3 Drawing Lines/Polylines

Drag the mouse to draw a line from the start to the end. For the polyline, click to designate the start, each change of direction and the end, and right-click to set.

From the [Draw (D)] menu, select [Line (L)] or [Polyline (U)], or click \checkmark or \checkmark to place a line/polyline on the screen. If you double-click the placed [Line] or [Polyline], the following dialog box will appear.

- If you press and hold the [Shift] key while placing a line, you can draw a line at an angle of 0 degrees and 90 degrees.
 - If you place a line while pressing the [Ctrl] key, you can draw a line extending from the center. If you place a line while pressing the [Ctrl] and [Shift] keys at the same time, you can draw a line of 0 degrees or 90 degrees extending from the center.
 - To edit after placing the line and polyline, click on the selected line to change to a yellow handle. You can drag the line to change the shape.
 - For a polyline, you can left click and drag to draw, similar to handwriting.

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Line Type	Solid Line	!	-	
Line Thickness	1			
Arrow Shape	— None	-		
Arrow Direction	End	7		
Display Color	7	👻 Blink	None	-
Pattern Color 📘	0	👻 Blink	None	~
		(OK (Q)	Cancel	
	Line Thickness Arrow Shape Arrow Direction Display Color	Line Thickness T Arrow Shape - None Arrow Direction End Display Color 7	Line Thickness Arrow Shape None Arrow Direction End Display Color 7 Blink Pattern Color	Line Thickness Line Thickness Image: Constraint of the second s

Setting	Description
	Select the line type from [Solid Line], [Dotted Line], [Dash Line], [Chain
Line Type	Line], or [Two-Dot Chain Line].
	🐨 "8.5.3 Setting Up Line Types" (page 8-43)
	Set the line thickness within the range of one to nine dots.
Line Thickness	NOTE
	• When line types other than [Solid Line] are selected in [Line Type], the
	setting range is one to two dots.
Arrow Shape	Select the arrow shape from $-, \leftarrow, \leftarrow, \bullet$, \bullet or \bullet .
Arrow Direction	Select the arrow direction from [Start], [End], or [Both Ends].
Display Color	Set the line color.
Display Color	🐨 "8.5.1 Setting Colors" (page 8-36)
Pattern Color	Select the pattern color. This function can be used only when line types
	other than [Solid Line] are selected in [Line Type].

Setting	Description
	Select the blink and blink speed. You can choose different blink settings for the [Display Color] and [Pattern Color].
Blink	 NOTE There are cases where you can and cannot set Blink depending on the Display Unit and System Settings' [Color Settings]. ** "8.5.1 Setting Colors" (page 8-36)

8.2.4 Drawing Rectangles

Draw a rectangle by dragging the mouse to specify two opposite corners. In the [Draw (D)] menu, select [Rectangle (R)] or click \Box to place a rectangle on the screen. Double-click the placed [Rectangle] to display the following dialog box.

• If you press and hold the [Shift] key while drawing a rectangle, the object is forced into a square.

• If you place a rectangle while pressing the [Ctrl] key, you can draw a rectangle spreading out from the center. If you place a rectangle while pressing the [Ctrl] and [Shift] keys at the same time, you can draw a square that spreads away from the center.

💰 Rectangle		×
	🔽 Border	
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	Display Color 7 Blink None	3
	Pattern Color 🔲 0 🚽 Blink None 🚽]
Chamfer	— 🗖 Fill —	
None 💌	Pattern None 💌	
Number of Pixels	Display Color 7 Blink None	-
β 🔆 🗰	Pattern Color 🔲 🔳 Blink None	-
	— 🗖 Shadaw —	
	Direction Bottom Right 🔽	
	Color 🗾	
	Shadow Distance 🕴 🚞 🌉	
	Cancel	

Setting		Description
	Line Type	Select the line type from [Solid Line], [Dotted Line], [Dash Line], [Chain Line], or [Two-Dot Chain Line].
	Line Thickness	 Set the line thickness within the range of one to nine dots. NOTE When other line types than [Solid Line] are selected in [Line Type], the line thickness is fixed at one dot.
Border	Display Color	Set the border color. ⁽²⁾ "8.5.1 Setting Colors" (page 8-36)
Dorder	Pattern Color	Select the pattern color. This function can be used only when line types other than [Solid Line] are selected in [Line Type].
	Blink	 Select the blink and blink speed. You can choose different blink settings for the Part's [Display Color] and [Pattern Color]. NOTE There are cases where you can and cannot set Blink depending on the Display Unit and System Settings' [Color Settings]. * "8.5.1 Setting Colors" (page 8-36)

Setting		Description
	Pattern	Set a background pattern for the rectangle.
		"8.5.4 Setting Up Patterns" (page 8-43)
	Display Color	Set a color for the rectangle.
	Display Color	"8.5.1 Setting Colors" (page 8-36)
	Pattern Color	Set the background pattern color for the rectangle.
Fill		"8.5.4 Setting Up Patterns" (page 8-43)
FIII		Select the blink and blink speed. You can choose different blink
		settings for the Part's [Display Color] and [Pattern Color].
	Blink	NOTE
		• There are cases where you can and cannot set Blink depending on
		the Display Unit and System Settings' [Color Settings].
		"8.5.1 Setting Colors" (page 8-36)
	Direction	Select the shadow direction from [Top Left], [Bottom Left], [Top
		Right], or [Bottom Right].
Shadow	Color	Set a color for the shadow.
		"8.5.1 Setting Colors" (page 8-36)
	Shadow Width	Set the width of the picture and the shadow within the range of 1 to 16.
Chamfer		Select the chamfer shape from [None], [Line], or [Circle].
		Designate the number of pixels for chamfer from 1 to 999.
Number of Pixels		Set the number of dots in this space.

8.2.5 Drawing Circles/Ovals

Draw a circle or oval by dragging the mouse to specify the center point and one point on the circle.

From the [Draw (D)] menu, select [Circle/Oval (C)] or click o to place a circle/oval on the screen. Double-click the placed [Circle/Oval] to display the following dialog box.

• If you press and hold the [Shift] key while placing an object, you can draw a circle.

• If you place a circle/oval while pressing the [Ctrl] key, you can draw a circle/ oval spreading out from the center. If you place a circle/oval while pressing the [Ctrl] and [Shift] keys at the same time, you can draw a circle spreading out from the center.

💣 Circle/Oval		X
	✓ Border Line Type Line Thickness 1 Display Color 7 Y Pattern Color	
	Fill Pattern Display Color 7 Blink None Blink None	<
	Shadow Direction Bottom Right Color Shadow Distance	
	Cancel	

Ś	Setting	Description
	Line Type	Select the line type from [Solid Line], [Dotted Line], [Dash Line], [Chain Line], or [Two-Dot Chain Line]. ** "8.5.3 Setting Up Line Types" (page 8-43)
Border	Line Thickness	 Set the line thickness within the range of one to nine dots. NOTE When other line types than [Solid Line] are selected in [Line Type], the line thickness is fixed at one dot.
	Display Color	Set the border color. ⁽²⁾ "8.5.1 Setting Colors" (page 8-36)
	Pattern Color	Select the pattern color. This function can be used only when line types other than [Solid Line] are selected in [Line Type]. ** "8.5.4 Setting Up Patterns" (page 8-43)

Setting		Description
Border	Blink	Select the blink and blink speed. You can choose different blink settings for the Part's [Display Color] and [Pattern Color].
		NOTE
		• There are cases where you can and cannot set Blink depending on the Display Unit and System Settings' [Color Settings].
		"8.5.1 Setting Colors" (page 8-36)
	Pattern	Set the background pattern for the circle/oval.
	1 allenn	"8.5.4 Setting Up Patterns" (page 8-43)
	Display Color	Set a color for the circle/oval.
	Display Color	"8.5.1 Setting Colors" (page 8-36)
	Pattern Color	Set the background pattern color for the circle/oval.
 :u		"8.5.4 Setting Up Patterns" (page 8-43)
Fill	Blink	Select the blink and blink speed. You can choose different blink
		settings for the Part's [Display Color] and [Pattern Color].
		NOTE
		• There are cases where you can and cannot set Blink depending on the Display Unit and System Settings' [Color Settings].
		"8.5.1 Setting Colors" (page 8-36)
	Direction	Select the shadow direction from [Top Left], [Bottom Left], [Top
	Direction	Right], or [Bottom Right].
Shadow	Color	Set a color for the shadow.
Ghadow		"8.5.1 Setting Colors" (page 8-36)
	Shadow Width	Set the width of the circle/oval and the shadow within the range of 1 to 16.
		10.

• You can set the width and height of a circle/oval in [Properties (P)]. However, if you set the width or height to an even number, it will be drawn with one less dot on the GP.



8.2.6 Drawing Arcs/Pies

Draw an arc or pie by dragging the mouse to specify the center point and one point on the circle, and specify the start angle and end angle in the dialog box. You can select an arc or pie.

From the [Draw (D)] menu, select [Arc/Pie (A)] or click \checkmark to place an arc/pie on the screen. Double-click the placed [Arc/Pie] to display the following dialog box.

- If you press and hold the [Shift] key while placing an object, you can draw a circle arc.
 - If you place an arc/pie while pressing the [Ctrl] key, you can draw a circle/ oval's arc spreading out from the center. If you place an arc/pie while pressing the [Ctrl] and [Shift] keys at the same time, you can draw a circle's arc spreading out from the center.
 - If you edit an arc/pie after placing it, you can change the arc/pie's start angle and end angle by operating the yellow handle in the selected state.
 - You can set the width and height of an arc//pie in [Properties (P)]. However, if you set the width or height to an even number, it will be drawn with one less dot on the GP.

💰 Arc/Pie					×
	Border				
	Line Type Line Thickness Display Color Pattern Color	Solid Line	<mark>∵</mark> ▼ Blin ▼ Blin		V
 ₢ Arc C Pie Start Angle 	Fill Pattern Display Color Pattern Color	None 7	▼ Blin		Y
0 mmmmmmmmmmmmmmmmmmmmmmmmmmmmmmmmmmmm	Direction Color Shadow Distance	Bottom Right			
			OK (<u>O</u>)	Cano	el

5	Setting	Description
	Line Type	Select the line type from [Solid Line], [Dotted Line], [Dash Line], [Chain Line], or [Two-Dot Chain Line].
Border	Line Thickness	 Set the line thickness within the range of one to nine dots. NOTE When other line types than [Solid Line] are selected in [Line Type], the line thickness is fixed at one dot.
	Display Color	Set the arc/pie border color.
	Pattern Color	Select the pattern color. This function can be used only when line types other than [Solid Line] are selected in [Line Type].

Setting		Description		
	Blink	Select the blink and blink speed. You can choose different blink settings for the Part's [Display Color] and [Pattern Color].		
Border		 NOTE There are cases where you can and cannot set Blink depending on the Display Unit and System Settings' [Color Settings]. ** "8.5.1 Setting Colors" (page 8-36) 		
	Pattern	Select a background pattern for the pie.		
	Display Color	Set the pie's color.		
	Pattern Color	Set the background pattern color for the pie.		
Fill	Blink	Select the blink and blink speed. You can choose different blink settings for the Part's [Display Color] and [Pattern Color].		
		 NOTE There are cases where you can and cannot set Blink depending on the Display Unit and System Settings' [Color Settings]. ** "8.5.1 Setting Colors" (page 8-36) 		
Shadow	Direction	Select the shadow direction from [Top Left], [Bottom Left], [Top Right], or [Bottom Right].		
Shadow	Color	Set a color for the shadow.		
	Shadow Width	Set the width of the arc/pie and its shadow within the range of 1 to 16.		
Arc/Pie	·	Select from [Arc] or [Pie].		
Start Angle/End Angle		 Set the [Start Angle] or [End Angle]. NOTE When the same value is defined for the start and end angles, a dot indicates the start point, and a line extends from the center of the pie to the start point. 		

8.2.7 Drawing Polygons

To draw a polygon, click each apex and right-click to define a polygon. From the [Draw (D)] menu, select [Polygon (P)] or click 🚫 to place a polygon on the screen. Double-click the placed [Polygon] to display the following dialog box.

• To edit a polygon, click on a line in the polygon to change to a yellow handle. You can drag a line on the polygon to change the shape.

×
Border Line Type Solid Line Line Thickness Display Color 7 Blink None Pattern Color
Fill Pattern None Display Color 7 Pattern Color 0
□ Shadow Direction Bottom Right Color Shadow Distance □ OK (② Cancel

;	Setting	Description
	Line Type	Select the line type from [Solid Line], [Dotted Line], [Dash Line], [Chain Line], or [Two-Dot Chain Line]. ** "8.5.3 Setting Up Line Types" (page 8-43)
	Line Thickness	 Set the line thickness within the range of one to nine dots. NOTE When other line types than [Solid Line] are selected in [Line Type], the line thickness is fixed at one dot.
Border	Display Color	Set the border color. ^{(SP} "8.5.1 Setting Colors" (page 8-36)
Dorder	Pattern Color	Select the pattern color. This function can be used only when line types other than [Solid Line] are selected in [Line Type].
	Blink	 Select the blink and blink speed. You can choose different blink settings for the Part's [Display Color] and [Pattern Color]. NOTE There are cases where you can and cannot set Blink depending on the Display Unit and System Settings' [Color Settings]. * "8.5.1 Setting Colors" (page 8-36)

	Setting	Description
	Pattern	Set a background pattern for the polygon. ⁽²⁷⁾ "8.5.4 Setting Up Patterns" (page 8-43)
	Display Color	Set a color for the polygon. ⁽²⁷⁾ "8.5.1 Setting Colors" (page 8-36)
	Pattern Color	Set a background pattern's color for the polygon.
Fill	Blink	 Select the blink and blink speed. You can choose different blink settings for the Part's [Display Color] and [Pattern Color]. NOTE There are cases where you can and cannot set Blink depending on the Display Unit and System Settings' [Color Settings]. * "8.5.1 Setting Colors" (page 8-36)
	Direction	Select the shadow direction from [Top Left], [Bottom Left], [Top Right], or [Bottom Right].
Shadow	Color	Set a color for the shadow. ^(CP) "8.5.1 Setting Colors" (page 8-36)
	Shadow Width	Set the width of the polygon and its shadow within the range of 1 to 16.

8.2.8 Drawing Scales

Draw a scale by dragging to specify two opposite corners. Set the divisions of the scale in the following dialog box.

From the [Draw (D)] menu, select [Scales (M)] or click **[** to place a scale on the screen. Double-click the placed [Scale] to display the following dialog box.

• To edit a scale after placing it, click the line in the selected state to make it a yellow handle. You can change the scale type by operating the yellow handle axis.

💰 Scale					×
	Scale Line Type Line Thickness Display Color Pattern Color	Solid Line	×	Blink None	V
Type	Major Scale Divisions Length	5 33			
C Bar (Horizontal) C Arc Start Angle	<mark>── ── ── ── ── ── ── ── ── ── ─</mark> Minor Scale Divisions Length	3 32			
Dend Angle	Axis Position	Left	¥		
			OK (<u>O</u>)	Can	el

:	Setting	Description		
	Line Type	Select the line type from [Solid Line], [Dotted Line], [Dash Line], [Chain Line], or [Two-Dot Chain Line]. "8.5.3 Setting Up Line Types" (page 8-43)		
Scale	Line Thickness	 Set the line thickness within the range of one to nine dots. NOTE When line types other than [Solid Line] are selected in [Line Type], the setting range is one to two dots. 		
	Display Color	Select the scale color. ® "8.5.1 Setting Colors" (page 8-36)		
	Pattern Color	Select the pattern color. This function can be used only when line types other than [Solid Line] are selected in [Line Type].		

	Setting	Description
Scale	Blink	 Select the blink and blink speed. You can choose different blink settings for the Part's [Display Color] and [Pattern Color]. NOTE There are cases where you can and cannot set Blink depending on the Display Unit and System Settings' [Color Settings]. * "8.5.1 Setting Colors" (page 8-36)
Major Divisions Scale		Select from 1 to 999 large-scale axis divisions.
	Length	Select the large scale length from 2 to 3,072.
Minor Scale	Divisions	Select from 2 to 999 minor-scale axis divisions.
	Length	Select the minor scale length from 1 to 3,071.
Draw Axis	Axis Position	Select the scale direction from the axis from [Left] or [Right]. Continued
	Bar (Vertical)	Displays the scale for a vertical bar graph.
	Bar (Horizontal)	Displays the scale for a horizontal bar graph.
Туре	Arc	 Displays the scale for a circle graph. NOTE You can set the width and height of a scale in the [Properties (P)]. However, if you set the width or height to an even number, it will be drawn with one less dot on the GP.
Start Angle/End Angle		 Set the [Start Angle] or [End Angle]. NOTE When the same value is defined for the start and end angles, the scale becomes a circle.

8.2.9 Drawing Tables

Draw a table by dragging to specify two opposite corners. Set the rungs and number of columns in the following dialog box.

From the [Draw (D)] menu, select [Table (T)] or click \blacksquare to place a table on the screen, and set the number of rows and number of columns in the following dialog box displayed by a double-click.

- To edit the table after placing it, click a line of the table in the selected state to make it a yellow handle. You can change the inside border spacing by operating the yellow handle.
 - I When you click this icon, drag to select the table frame borders and move the pointer 1 to the drawing area to place the defined table.

💣 Table	x
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Pixels Between Equal Spacing	Inside Border Line Type Solid Line Line Thickness I Display Color 7 V Blink None V Pattern Color I V Blink None V
Divisions Vertical 3 📑 🏢	Fill Pattern None
Horizontal 🛛 🛄	Display Color 46 Blink None Pattern Color 7 Blink None
	Cancel

:	Setting	Description		
		Select the line type from [Solid Line], [Dotted Line], [Dash Line],		
	Line Type	[Chain Line], or [Two-Dot Chain Line].		
		*** "8.5.3 Setting Up Line Types" (page 8-43)		
		Set the line thickness within the range of one to nine dots.		
Show	Line Thickness	NOTE		
Border		• When line types other than [Solid Line] are selected in [Line Type],		
		the line thickness is fixed to one dot.		
	Display Color	Set the outer border color for the table.		
	Display Color	*** "8.5.1 Setting Colors" (page 8-36)		
	Pattern Color	Select the pattern color. This function can be used only when line types other than [Solid Line] are selected in [Line Type].		

:	Setting	Description			
Show Border	Blink	 Select the blink and blink speed. You can choose different blink settings for the Part's [Display Color] and [Pattern Color]. NOTE There are cases where you can and cannot set Blink depending on the Display Unit and System Settings' [Color Settings]. 			
	Line Type	 "8.5.1 Setting Colors" (page 8-36) Select the line type from [Solid Line], [Dotted Line], [Dash Line], [Chain Line], or [Two-Dot Chain Line]. "8.5.3 Setting Up Line Types" (page 8-43) 			
	Line Thickness	 Set the line thickness within the range of one to nine dots. NOTE When other line types than [Solid Line] are selected in [Line Type], the line thickness is fixed at one dot. 			
Inside	Display Color	Set the inside border color for the table. ** "8.5.1 Setting Colors" (page 8-36)			
Border	Pattern Color	Select the pattern color. This function can be used only when line types other than [Solid Line] are selected in [Line Type].			
	Blink	 Select the blink and blink speed. You can choose different blink settings for the Part's [Display Color] and [Pattern Color]. NOTE There are cases where you can and cannot set Blink depending on the Display Unit and System Settings' [Color Settings]. * "8.5.1 Setting Colors" (page 8-36) 			
	Pattern	Select a background pattern for the table.			
	Display Color	Set the table color. ^{(SP} "8.5.1 Setting Colors" (page 8-36)			
-	Pattern Color	Set the background pattern color for the table.			
Fill	Blink	 Select the blink and blink speed. You can choose different blink settings for the Part's [Display Color] and [Pattern Color]. NOTE There are cases where you can and cannot set Blink depending on the Display Unit and System Settings' [Color Settings]. * "8.5.1 Setting Colors" (page 8-36) 			
Interval		 Select from [Equal Spacing] or [Free]. Equal Spacing The row width and column width are made equal. Free The row width and column width can be adjusted freely. 			
Divisions	3	Designate the number of rows [Vertical] and number of columns [Horizontal] in the table from 1 to 30.			

8.3 Writing Text

Draw text on the drawing screen.

To draw text that changes depending on the selected display language on the GP, use the text table. For settings, refer to "17.4 Changing a Text's Language (Multilanguage)" (page 17-15).

8.3.1 Setup Procedure

NOTE

• Please refer to the Settings Guide for details.

To place the text "Production Inventory" on the drawing screen.



1 From the [Draw (D)] menu, select [Text (S)] or click \mathbf{A} to place text on the screen.



2 Click the placed text. When the text border appears, drag to adjust its size and position.



- 3 Double-click the placed text and the [Text] dialog box will appear.Designate the font and size and input text to place in the Input Text border.(For example, Production Inventory)
- 4 Click [OK] and the input text "Production Inventory" will be placed.



8.4 Editing

8.4.1 Introducing Edit Tools

Setting	Description
	Cut the object (Parts, Text, Figure). Use [Paste (P)] to place the object back on the screen.
Cut	Operating Procedure You can cut an object by selecting a desired object and click [Cut] in the [Edit] menu.
	Copies the selected object. Place it on the screen by using the [Paste].
Сору	Operating Procedure You can copy by selecting a desired object and click [Copy] in the [Edit] menu.
	Pastes the copied or cut object onto a screen.
Paste	Operating Procedure You can paste the object you copied or cut by clicking [Paste] in the [Edit] menu.
	 NOTE When pasting from one screen to another, you can paste the object to the same position as the other screen.
Duplicate	Copies multiple pictures at a time. When duplicating parts, you can automatically assign the next consecutive address after the source part's address to the destination part. ^(F) "8.4.5 Duplicate" (page 8-28)
	Deletes an object.
Delete	Operating Procedure You can delete by selecting the desired object and clicking [Delete (D)] in the [Edit] menu.
	Selects all the objects on the screen.
Select All	You can also specify the range to drag multiple objects. ** "8.4.2 Selection Method" (page 8-26)
	You can edit, delete or insert each vertex coordinate of a polyline
Edit Vertex	or polygon. [©] "■ Edit Vertex" (page 8-30)
Group	You can group multiple objects together and treat them as one unit. ** "8.4.7 Grouping (Ungrouping)" (page 8-31)
Order 🝙 🝙 🝙	When the placed objects are overlapping, you can change the placement order.
	"8.4.8 Order" (page 8-33) Continued

Setting	Description			
Place/ Align 말 혼 아 噴	Using Align Right, Align Left, Align Center, and so on, you can adjust the positions of multiple objects. ** "8.4.9 Aligning" (page 8-33)			
Rotate/ Flip	 Rotate Rotates the object by 90 degrees. "8.4.10 Rotating Right or Left" (page 8-34) Flip Flips the object horizontally or vertically. "8.4.11 Reversing X-Axis (Vertical)/Y-Axis (Horizontal)" (page 8-34) 			
Others	Sets a grid and guidelines to align a part with another one. "8.9 Creating a Screen from a Template" (page 8-63)			

8.4.2 Selection Method

There are two ways to select an object: click the object directly or specify the range to drag multiple surrounding objects.

NOTE	• To select one of the overlapping objects, click the object while pressing the
	[Ctrl] key. Each object becomes in the selective state in turn, and you can
	select the target object.
	• To release a particular object from the selected objects, click the target object while
	pressing the [Shift] key.

• To add a particular object to the selected objects, click the target object while pressing the [Shift] key.

8.4.3 Enlarging and Reducing the Size

Select the target object and hover the cursor on the handle. When the cursor turns to \leftrightarrow , you can zoom in or out and drag the object to the appropriate size.



NOTE

- If you select an object and move the four-cornered handles while pressing the [Shift] key, you can enlarge/reduce it with the same horizontal to vertical ratio.
- With the cursor on an object handle, you can use the [↑], [→], [←], and [↓] keys to increase or decrease the object's size by one dot.

8.4.4 Moving Objects

Select the target object and hover the cursor on the object. When the cursor turns to \oplus , you can drag the object to the appropriate location.



NOTE	• If you move while pressing the [Shift] key, you can move the object
	horizontally or vertically.

If you use the [↑], [→], [←], and [↓] keys with the object selected, you can move the object a dot at a time.

8.4.5 Duplicate

Copies multiple pictures at a time.

Right-click the object and click [Duplicate (W)]. [Duplicate] dialog box appears. Set the number of copies and copy direction.

• You can automatically assign the next consecutive address after the source part's address to the destination part.



Setting Description						
Specify Range	 Select how to specify the area from [Disable], [Set Up Using the Mouse] and [Set Up Interval]. Disable Make copies without spacing. Set Using the Mouse Using the defined interval, makes copies that fit into the range. Setting Intervals Set the number of pixels between objects, from 1 to 99. 					
X Direction	 Set the number of display positions in the X direction from 1 to 99. Interval Set the number of pixels between objects, from 1 to 99. 					
	Continued					

Setting	Description					
Y Direction	 Set the number of display positions in the Y direction from 1 to 99. Interval Set the number of pixels between objects, from 1 to 99. 					
Copy Direction	 Select the display direction from Z, Z, Z, N, M, M or N. NOTE When you add addresses, sequential addresses are assigned in the specified direction according to the address addition width. 					
Duplicate Comment	The copy source comment is reflected in the copy destination.					
Automatically Increment Addresses	 You can assign sequential addresses from the copy-from addresses according to the [Increment Each Address by]. Enable Designates an address interval. When the copy-from addresses are Bit addresses, addresses are added by the Bit. When the copy-from addresses are Word addresses, addresses are added by the Word. Disable Addresses are not assigned automatically. 					

8.4.6 Changing Attributes

You can change object attributes such as color or address.

To change attributes, double-click the object while selecting it or select [Change Attributes (M)] from the [Edit] menu.

• When multiple objects are selected, you cannot change attributes.



Edit Vertex

You can edit, delete, or insert each vertex coordinate of a polyline or polygon. To edit the object's vertex, click a line in the selected state to change it to a yellow handle. Change the shape of the object by clicking an arbitrary line. To delete the vertex, right-click on the vertex and select [Delete Vertex].



8.4.7 Grouping (Ungrouping)

You can group multiple objects and handle them as one object. To do so, select multiple objects, right-click, and click [Group (E)]. To ungroup, click [Ungroup (U)].



NOTE

When Animation is set for a group, Animation Settings will be reflected in all the parts belonging to the group. However, Animation that can be set is limited to Animation supported by all parts belonging to the group.
 "Chapter 20 Animating Screen Objects", page 20-1

NOTE

Batch Conversion of Parts and Objects

Select multiple objects or parts of the same type and use the [Properties (P)] window to change attributes of the selected objects in one step.



- When you select grouped objects, only parts information and coordinates are displayed.
- When you select multiple types of parts, you can change coordinates only.
- When multiple switch operations are added to a single switch (Multifunction feature), you cannot change the [Switch Feature].

8.4.8 Order

When the placed objects are overlapping, you can change the placement order. Select and right-click the object whose order you want to change, click [Order (O)], and select the object order from [Bring to Front], [Send to Back], [Move Forward], or [Move Backward]. In the following example, the oval is moved backward.





8.4.9 Aligning

You can align the position of multiple objects. Select the objects that you want to align, rightclick, and then select [Align Left (L)], [Right (R)], [Top (T)], [Bottom (B)], [Align Center (Horizontal) (C)], [Align Center (Vertical) (M)], or [Others (E)] from [Place/Align (A)]. In the following example, the rectangle, polygon, and circle are all aligned to the top.



8.4.10 Rotating Right or Left

You can rotate the object to the right and left 90 degrees at a time. Right click to select the object you want to rotate, select [Rotate Right (E)] or [Rotate Left (I)] in [Rotate/Flip]. The following example describes placement of a right-rotated polygon.





8.4.11 Reversing X-Axis (Vertical)/Y-Axis (Horizontal)

From the object's center, you can flip objects vertically (X-axis) or horizontally (Y-axis). Select the object to flip, and from the right-click menu point to [Rotate/Flip (R)] and click [Flip Horizontal (H)] or [Flip Vertical (V)]. The following example shows a polygon flipped horizontally. Please note that when you flip screens, marks, parts, and text that are called into the screen, only the display position is reflected.

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						Cut (T)	Ctrl+X							-
						Copy (C)	Ctrl+C							-
					1	Paste (P) Duplicate (W)	Ctrl+V							-
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						Copy Part Shape Paste Part Shape		*						
						Delete (D)	Del							
						Select All (L)	Ctrl+A							
						Set as Default (E)								
						Change Attributes (M								
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						Scale Label Placement								
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						Group (G)		•						
						Lock Password		•						
						Order (O)		•						
						Place/Align (A)		F						
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						Release Fixed Pin		_	Flip	Ver	tical	(V)		
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8.4.12 Changing Coordinates

You can change the position and size of an object by designating a coordinate in the [Properties (P)]. The reference of the coordinate is the top left of an object.

Properties 🛛 🔀							
at a: 1							
Attribute Name	Value						
💎 Coordinate							
Top Left X-Coordinat	140						
Top Left Y-Coordinat	140						
Width	140						
Height	100						
🔻 Polygon							
Border	On						
🔻 Border							
Line Type	Solid Line						
Line Thickness	1						
Display Color	7						
Blink	None						
Fill	Off						
Decoration							

NOTE

• If the [Properties] tab is not displayed in either the work space or the screen drawing area, from the [View (V)] menu, point to [Work Space (W)] and select [Properties Window (P)].

8.4.13 Protecting Objects That You Do Not Want to Edit

Fixing Objects

Place drawings and parts, and a blue fixed pin [] appears at the top-left corner of the object on the screen. If you click the pin, it turns red [] and the object cannot be selected or edited. When you put the cursor over the object, a "lock" mark appears to the right, indicating that the placement position is fixed.



Click the blue fixed pin



The fixed pin turns red to indicate the part is locked

Releasing Fixed Pins

- Releasing individual objects
 Double-click a drawing or part, click
 and the pin turns blue.
- Releasing all fixed pins on the screen
 From the [Edit (E)] menu, select [Release All Fixed Pins (K)].

• Click the pin marks in the list of drawings and parts displayed in the [Screen Data List] window, and the fixed pins can be set/released.

8.5 Changing Colors, Line Types and Patterns

8.5.1 Setting Colors

■ List of Compatible Colors

Model	Display Device	Display Color	Number of Colors in Drawing		
AGP-3200T	TFT Color LCD	256 Colors, No Blink 64 Colors, 3-Speed Blink	256 Colors 64 Colors		
AGP-3200A	Monochrome LCD	8 Levels, 1-Speed Blink	Monochrome 8 Levels		
AGP-3302B	Blue-mode Monochrome LCD	16 Levels, 3-Speed Blink	16 Levels		
AGP-3301L	Monochrome LCD	Monochrome 16 Levels 3- Speed Blink	Monochrome 16 Levels		
AGP-3301S	STN Color LCD	4096 Colors, 3-Speed Blink	256 Colors		
AGP-3300L	Monochrome LCD	Monochrome 16 Levels 3- Speed Blink	Monochrome 16 Levels		
AGP-3300S	STN Color LCD	4096 Colors, 3-Speed Blink	256 Colors		
AGP-3300T	TFT Color LCD	65536 Colors, No Blink 16384 Colors, 3-Speed Blink	256 Colors		
AGP3300HL	Monochrome LCD	4096 Colors, No Blink	256 Colors		
AGP3300HS	STN Color LCD	16 Levels of Monochrome Shading, No Blink	Monochrome 16 Levels		
AGP3310HT	TFT Color LCD	65536 Colors, No Blink	256 Colors		
AGP-3400S	STN Color LCD	4096 Colors, 3-Speed Blink	256 Colors		
AGP-3400T	TFT Color LCD	65536 Colors, No Blink 16384 Colors, 3-Speed Blink	256 Colors		
AGP-3500T	TFT Color LCD	65536 Colors, No Blink 16384 Colors, 3-Speed Blink	256 Colors		
AGP-3500L	Monochrome LCD	Monochrome 16 Levels 3- Speed Blink	Monochrome 16 Levels		
AGP-3500S	STN Color LCD	4096 Colors, 3-Speed Blink	256 Colors		
AGP-3510T					
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AGP-3560T					
AGP-3600T					
AGP-3450T	TFT Color LCD	65536 Colors, No Blink 16384 Colors, 3-Speed Blink	256 Colors		
AGP-3550T		10504 Colors, 5 Speed Dillik			
AGP-3650T					
AGP-3750T					
AST-3201A	Monochrome LCD	Q Levels 1 Greed Dials	Monochrome 8		
AST-3211A	(Amber)	8 Levels, 1 Speed Blink	Levels		
AST-3301B	Blue-mode Monochrome LCD	8 Levels, 1 Speed Blink	Monochrome 8 Levels		
AST-3301S	STN Color LCD	256 Colors, No Blink 64 Colors, 3-Speed Blink	256 Colors 64 Colors		
AST-3401T	TFT Color LCD	256 Colors, No Blink 64 Colors, 3-Speed Blink	256 Colors 64 Colors		
AST-3501C	LCD Color	16 Colors, 1-Speed Blink	16 Colors		
AST-3501T	TFT Color LCD	256 Colors, No Blink 64 Colors, 3-Speed Blink	256 Colors 64 Colors		
LT-3201A	Monochrome LCD (Umber)	8 Levels, No Blink	Monochrome 8 Levels		
LT-3300S	STN Color LCD	4096 Colors, 3-Speed Blink	256 Colors		
LT-3301L	Monochrome LCD	Monochrome 16 Levels 3-	Monochrome 16		
LT-3300L		Speed Blink	Levels		
PS-3,651A					
PS-3,650A					
PS-3,700A					
PS-3,451A	1				
PS-3,450A	TFT Color LCD	65536 Colors, No Blink 16384 Colors, 3-Speed Blink	256 Colors		
PS-3711A					
PS-3710A					
PS-2000B					
PL-3000B]				

NOTE

• Objects set up with the blink option will blink ON and OFF on the display unit. You can define three different blinking speeds.

- "8.5.2 Setting Up Blink" (page 8-43)
- On monochrome LCD models and STN Color LCD models, when you set a tiling pattern in the background settings to use the blink setting, some drawing components that do not have the blink setting may blink. Please confirm the display in advance.

For a 256-color supported model

Specifying Colors

NOTE

Set the object colors. Depending on part type, setting items such as colors of a border, fill, shadow or label, differ depending on the part type.

	Line Type	Solid Line		Ţ	
	Line Thickness	1	∃ ≡		
	Display Color		→ Blink	None	-
	Pattern Color		urrent Color: : (255.255.255		
Chamfer	Fill		. (200.200.200		
None 💌	Pattern				
Number of Pixels	Display Color				-
8 🐺 🏢	Pattern Color				¥
	Shadow				
	Direction				
	Color				
	Shadow Width				



For a monochrome 16-level supported model

• For a 256-color compatible model, change the palette with the color code order button under the color palette, and colors can be selected with the color code number.

- You can only select [Transparent] for the [Pattern Color] for a Switch Lamp that does not use the [Lamp Feature] or for a Key that has a [Pattern] set in the settings dialog box.
- When you change from a model that supports more than 16 colors to a model that supports only 16 colors, colors inside the 16 color range remain as is. Colors outside the 16 color range are converted to one of the 16 colors.
- When using AGP-3200T or ST3000 Series, some specified colors may appear more bluish than in the drawing software.

• For a monochrome 16-level model, there are some cases where color distinction is difficult or where flicker is caused. Use the color designation above after confirming the colors.

♦ Color Palette



	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
100										
110										
120									80	
130										
140									8	
150										
160										
170										
180										
190								题		





■ Changing Colors with Drag and Drop

You can change colors by dragging and dropping colors from [Color Settings (O)] workspace to the object on the editor screen.

1 Drag the selected color to the object on the drawing screen, and when the [Feature List] window appears drop the color onto [Display Color].



2 The display colors of the object will change to the dropped color.

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Blink	None	:			·													
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80~		1																
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112~		-	1000															
128~		1:																
144~		1																
160~		E																
176~ 192~		3																
208~		1:																
224~		:																
240~		1																
Transpa	rent	4																
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		1	1000															

NOTE

• When the [Color] window is not displayed, from the [View (V)] menu, point to [Work Space (W)] and select [Color Settings (O)].

• In the [Color] window you can set up blinking.

Types of Palettes

The type of palette will vary depending on the model and settings.

Models That Support Color

You can select between [Color] and [Monochrome] palettes.

When [Color] is selected, select the display order of color cells by color code or hue. When [Monochrome] is selected, a 12 level monochrome palette displays. The 4 missing colors of the 16 level monochrome are included in the [Color] palette.

Color (Color Code Order)



Color (Hue Order)



Monochrome (12 Levels)

Color	×
C Color	Monochrome
Blink Nor	ne 💌
	01 02 03 04 05 06 07 08 09 10 11 12
Е	
Transparent	

Models That Support Monochrome

You cannot select [Color] as the color palette. A 16 level monochrome palette displays.

Color Color	Monochrome
Blink Nor	ne 💌
	00 01 02 03 04 05 06 07 08 09 10 11 12 13 14 15
0~	
Transparent	

Non-Blinking Palettes

In the [Display Unit] page, when blink is disabled in the [Display Settings] area, the blink options will not display.

☞ 5.17.6 [System Settings] Setting Guide ■ [Display Unit] Settings Guide ◆ Display Settings 5-147

When Blink is ON

When Blink is OFF

⊙ Color O Monochrome
Palette Color Code Order
00 01 02 03 04 05 06 07 08 09 10 11 12 13 14 15

For information about blinking, refer to "8.5.2 Setting Up Blink" (page 8-43)

8.5.2 Setting Up Blink

Blink makes the object blink on the display and has three selectable blink speed rates (Slow, Medium, Fast). [Fast] is twice the speed of [Medium] and [Slow] is half the speed of [Medium].

If you select [None], the object will not blink.

• For faded color blink refer to 5.17.6 [System Settings] Setting Guide ■ [Display Unit] Settings Guide ◆ Display Settings 5-147.

💣 Rectangle				×
	Border			
	Line Type	Solid Line		-
	Line Thickness	1 💼	#	
	Display Color	7	Blink	None 💌
	Pattern Color	— 0	Blink	None Medium
Chamfer	Fill			Fast
None	Pattern	None		

8.5.3 Setting Up Line Types

You can select the line type from five types: [Solid Line], [Dotted Line], [Dash Line], [Chain Line], or [Two-Dot Chain Line].

Rectangle				×
	Border			
	Line Type			•
	Line Thickness			
	Display Color	[💽 Blink	None 💌
	Pattern Color	D	🚽 Blink	None 💌
Chamfer	Fill			
None	Pattern	ſ <u></u>		•
Number of Pixels	Display Color	ļ	🖵 Blink	None 💌

8.5.4 Setting Up Patterns

Select a pattern from the following nine types.

💰 Rectangle		×
	Border	
	Line Type 🛛 🗕 Solid Line 💽	
	Line Thickness 🛙 📑 🏢	
	Display Color 🔲 15 💽 Blink None 💌	
	Pattern Color 🔲 Blink None 💌	
Chamfer	Fill	
None	Pattern Check Pattern (Large)	
Number of Pixels	Display Copr 🔄 📕 🖵 Blink None 💌	
8 🛨 🗮	Pattern Color 📰 🔛 🔽 🚽 Blink None 💌	ſ
	Shadow	

Editing a Part 8.6

8.6.1 **Editing Parts**



- 1 From the [Parts (P)] menu, point to [Switch Lamp (C)] and select [Lamp (L)] or click
- 2 J Move the pointer to the drawing screen and the pointer changes to a cross-hair cursor ╞



3 Drag the switch to the desired location. Release to place the switch.



NOTE

• You can also drag and drop a part from the Parts Toolbox. From the [View (V)] menu, point to [Work Space (W)] and then click [Parts Toolbox (T)]. In the Parts Toolbox, select the [Parts Palette] and [Type] to browse various parts and shapes.

⁽ "5.17.5 [Work Space] Settings Guide ■ Parts Toolbox" (page 5-142)

4 Double-click the placed lamp. The Switch/Lamp dialog box appears.

Switch/Lamp	X
Parts ID SL_0000	Switch Feature Lamp Feature Color Label
Comment	I → Lamp Feature
OFF Select Shape	Sit Address
Help (<u>H</u>)	OK (Q) Cancel

5 Click the 🔲 icon to display the [Input Address] dialog box.

Click the icon and select the [Device/PLC] and [Device]. Input an address from the keypad.

(For example, M100)



NOTE

- Input the address with the keypad on the Input Address dialog. If you input it directly with the PC keyboard, it may not be recognized as an address.
- Select the [Use as Default Value] check box and click [Ent], and the value registered as the default value in the [Address Input] dialog box will appear on the next time.

6 Click [Select Shape].

7 The [Select State Window] appears. Select [State 0] and click [Open].



8 Select [Standard Parts] from the [Part Palette]. Next select the picture with [Part Number] "SW_3D202_OFF".

Shape Browser			D
Parts Palette Stand	ard Parts 💽	Browse	
State OFF	•		
			
—			
	=		
			-
Parts Number SW_3	3D202_OFF		
New Palette Create		OK Can	cel

- Use the Parts Palette drop-down list to change the images displayed. There are parts with 65536, 256, or 64 colors. Please select the part palette that matches the colors supported by your model.
- **9** Click [OK] and the display returns to the [Select State Window]. Select [State 1] and click [Open].

10 Select [Standard Parts] from the [Part Palette]. Next, select the picture with [Part Number] "SW_3D202_ON".



11 The pictures at [State 0] (OFF) and [State 1] (ON) are displayed. Click [OK].

💰 Select State	Window	×
State 0	State 1	
<u>Auto Open</u>		OK Cancel

NOTE

- Click [Auto] after defining the picture in [State 0] to automatically match the pictures for all other states with [State 0].
- If different states have different shapes, part of a previous shape may remain in the background when touching the switch to change its state. This results because part shapes are drawn by overwriting the other.

12 Click the [Color] tab. Confirm that [Select State] is OFF and set the color of the switch for the OFF state. For the [Display Color], click 🔽 and select a color from the color palette.

SL_0000 🛨 Comment	Select State OF	F 💽 🚖			
	Display Color	2 Slink Current Colo	r:	J	
	Border Color			-	
Normal Select Shape					
No Shape					
		0- 100	0- 200-/E		
				OK (0)	Cance

To change the palette in the color code order, click the color code button under the palette.

13 Click 📰 in [Select State] to select ON, and set the color of the switch for the ON state.

Comment	Select State OF	4 🗐	o Blink	None	T		
	Pattern	Curre	nt Color: (255.0.0)]		
	Border Color				-		
OFF							
Select Shape							
		0.	100-	200-/E			
Help (H)					OK	(0)	Cancel

14 Select the [Label] tab. Click 🗮 in [Select State] to select OFF, and input the text to be displayed on the switch in the OFF state. (For example, START)

Switch/Lamp Parts ID	Switch Feature Lamp Feature Copr Label		X
SL_0003	Direct Text O Text Table		
	Select State OFF		
ABC	Font Type Standard Font Size Display Language ASCII Image: Compare the standard sta	8 x 16 Pixels	
OFF	Text Attribute	Normal	•
Select Shape	Start	Text Color	Blink
		Shadow Color	Blink
		Background Color	None 💌 Blink
	Copy to All Labels Clear All Labels	Transparent 💌	None 💌
	Line Spacing 0 📑 🔳		
Help (H)		OK (0)	Cancel

15 Click 📰 in [Select State] to select ON and input the text to be displayed on the switch in the ON state. (For example, STOP)

SL_0003 🕂	Direct Text C Text Table
	Select State ON 💌 🚔
	Font Type Standard Font Size 8 x 16 Pixels Display Language ASCII
ON	Text Attribute Normal
Select Shape	Stop Text Color Blink 7 None Blink Shadow Color Blink Background Color Blink Background Color Blink V Fixed Position Transparent V Fixed Position Tracking Line Spacing Image: State St
Help (H)	OK (0) Cancel

- label.

16 Click [OK] when all the settings are complete.

8.6.2 Creating Your Own Parts

Register new images for parts.

1 Double-click the part for which you want to register a new image, and the following dialog box will appear. Click [Select Shape], (For example, switch)

💣 Switch/Lamp						×
Switch/Lamp Parts ID SL_0001	Switch Feature Switch Common Switch Feature Multi-function List Bit Switch	Bit Switch Bit Address	Word Switch	Screen Change	Special Switch	Selector Switch
Normal Select Shape		[PLC1]X000 Copy from L Bit Action Bit Momenta	amp Co	py to Lamp]	
	Add Delete Copy and Add	🗖 Get Operal	tion Log			
Help (H)					OK (0)	Cancel

2 The [Shape Browser] dialog box will appear. Click [New Palette].



3 The [Save As] dialog box will appear. Define the [Location (I)] and [File Name (N)] of the new part palette you and click [Save (S)].

Save in: 🔄 pdx 💽 ← 🖻 📸 🖽 -	Save As			? ×
Dodb R DecisionMark 2 ndx R Bectanole I bin 3 ndx R Valve ndx	Savejn: 🔄 pdx		- 🖬 🕂	# •
Image 265 EXT History Image 265 EXT History Image 265 EXT Image 265 E	History Desktop Desktop My Documents My Computer My Network P My Network P	OperationMark4,pdx OperationPark4 Ope	Z L Sign, pdx L Sign, Small, pdx L Silver, pdx L Silver, pdx L L Silver, pdx L L Silver, pdx L L Tank, pdx L L Toggle2State1, pdx L L Toggle2State2, pdx L L Toggle3State1, pdx L L Toggle3State1, pdx	Img_blue256.pt Img_grayn.pdx Img_grayn.pdx Img_grayn.pdx Img_grayn.pdx Img_graen256.j Img_graen256.j Img_orange256 Img_orange256 Img_orange256.pd: Img_red256.pd:

4 When the following message appears, click [Yes (Y)].



5 The newly registered [Shape Browser] dialog box will appear. Click [Create].



🎋 Register Parts(test.bdx)		
StateD	State1	State2	 State3
State4	State5	State6	State7
State8	State9	State10	State11
State12	State13	State14	State15
Title Color Set the numbe 4096 Colors	r of colors at Ima	age -> Parts conv ↓ ✓ Compress	Select Delete
Transpare	nt 🔳 🗆])∙ compress	
		Register	Cancel

6 The [Register Part] dialog box will appear. Select [State 0], and click [Select].

7 When the [Open File] dialog box appears, navigate to the image location [Look In], select the file [File Name] and [Look in] and [File name] and click [Open].

Open File			? ×
Look in	: 🗟 My Pictures	- 🖬 📩 🕁	
History Desktop My Documents My Computer	fleft.bmp		
(File <u>n</u> ame:	left.bmp	<u>O</u> pen
	Files of type:	All Image Files	Cancel

8 The image will be registered in the [Register Part] dialog box [State 0].

💰 Register Parts	test.bdx)			×
State0	State1	State2	State3	
State4	State5	State6	State7	
State8	State9	State10	State11	
State12	State13	State14	State15	-
Title Untitled			Select Delete	
Color Set the numbe 4096 Colors	1	age -> Parts com r] I⊄ Compress	version.	
		Register	Cancel	

9 If necessary, set the part number and number of colors for the image to register in [Title] and [Color Settings], and click [Register], to complete the process.

NOTE	• You can use the [Parts Toolbox] ON/OFF options to view Switches, Lamps, and Key parts in [State 0] (OFF) and [State 1] (ON).
	• To select the registered image for the part, open the Parts dialog box
	and click [Select Shape]. In the [Shape Browser] dialog box, from the [Parts
	Palette] list select a palette to display its registered images. Select the appropriate image and click [OK].
	• If you click "Create" while a previously registered part is selected, you can
	edit that part image. To create a new image, click the "Create" button while
	no previously registered part is selected.
	• Image parts can be registered with a maximum size of 160 x 160 dots.
	• Parts which use registered images can cause large project file sizes. It is
	recommended you set [Compress] in the [Color].
	• You can register up to 200 image parts in a single parts palette file.
	• Image parts that have been enlarged or reduced may display differently on
	the GP and in Pro-EX.
	• When the registered image size is different depending on the state, the larger
	image will remain the same, and the smaller image will be enlarged.
	• You cannot register or delete a previously-prepared PDX file.
	• The types of image file that can be registered to a part are BMP, JPEG, DPD,
	and PNG.

8.6.3 Registering Frequently Used Parts as Your Favorites

You can register frequently used parts in the [Package] window's [Favorites] list. You can also combine multiple objects together for registration.

1 Open the [Package] window and select the [Favorite] package.



NOTE	• To display the [Package] window, on the [View (V)] menu, point to [Work
	Space (W)] and then click [Package (K)].

- After the application is just installed, opening the [Package] window displays the [Favorite] package. The next time the application is started, the [Package] window displays the last-used package.
- 2 Select the figure to register, and drag it to the [Package] window.



3 Package registration is complete.

Package Favorite	×]
Change Delete Update	

• To register the figure to a separate package, in the [Package List] dialog box, select New and create a new package.

"8.8.2 Registering Pictures in the Package" (page 8-61)

8.7 Using a Screen Multiple Times

8.7.1 Setup Procedure



1 From the [Screen (S)] menu, select [New Screen (N)]. The following [New Screen] dialog box will appear. Click [New] to create a new base screen. (For example, Base Screen 2)

New Screen		×
Screens of Type	Base	
Screen	2 📑 🏢	
Title	Untitled	
Use Template		
Select Templa Recently Use		
	New Cancel]

2 From the [Draw (D)] menu, select [Call Screen (O)] or click 🔢.



3 When drag onto the created screen, a dashed line displays and the [Call Screen] dialog box appears.



4 Select the target image from [Call Target].

Base Screen	Previously created base screens will display.
Image (Display Unit)	The image data registered in "Image Registration" will display.
Image (CF)	The CF-card image data registered in "Image Registration" will display.
Mark	Displays registered marks in "Mark Registration".
Keypad	The keypads registered in "Keypad Registration" will display.
• When you	a call a [Base Screen], call and place it in the center of the screen.

5 Select an image and click [OK] to display the designated image.



NOTE

• After drawing a [Call Screen] object, on the top left corner of the object, below the fixed pin, the jump icon becomes available. Click this icon to load the called screen. This feature is convenient for checking and editing screens.

8.8 Editing a Picture on Another Screen

8.8.1 Placing Graphics Registered in a Package

You can place graphics registered in the package by dragging and dropping on the screen.



1 Displays registered shape lists. From the [View (V)] menu, select [Package (P)] or click 🐺

View	(V)		
	Work Space (<u>W</u>)		
	Tool Bar (<u>T</u>)		
	Status Bar (<u>5</u>)		
	Function Bar (⊆)		
1	Package (P)		
	Header (<u>H</u>) Footer (F)		
	Zoom (<u>Z</u>)		
	Zoom Box		
	Editing Area (<u>B</u>)		
	Number of States (\underline{M}) \blacktriangleright		
	Change Language (L)►		
7	Full Screen (<u>U</u>)		
	Preferences (<u>O</u>)		

2 In the [Package List] dialog box, select the package with the shape you want, and click [Open]. (For example, figure)

External Package Reference Fold	ler	
		Change Reference
Name	Туре	Creation Date
DEC Keyboard	System	2005/05/27
HEX Keyboard	System	2005/05/27
Text(ABC/ENG) Keyboard	System	2005/05/27
Text(QWE/ENG) Keyboard	System	2005/05/27
Text(ABC/JPN) Keyboard	System	2005/05/27
Text(QWE/JPN) Keyboard	System	2005/05/27
Text(KANA1/JPN) Keyboard	System	2005/05/27
Text(KANA2/JPN) Keyboard	System	2005/05/27
Small DEC Keyboard	System	2005/05/27
Small HEX Keyboard	System	2005/05/27
Small Text(ABC/ENG) Keyboard	System	2005/05/27
Small Text(ABC/JPN) Keyboard	System	2005/05/27
Favorite	User	2007/05/16
Figure	User	2007/06/28

3 The [Package] dialog box is will appear. Select a picture and drag it to the drawing screen to place it.



8.8.2 Registering Pictures in the Package

You can register a created object. You can also register a combination of multiple objects.

• You can save packages you create to other computers and servers.

- 1 From the [View (V)] menu, select [Package (P)], or click \overline{W} .
- **2** In the [Package] dialog box, select the package name to register and click [Open]. (For example, figure)

External Package Reference Fold	er	
		Change Reference
Name	Туре	Creation Date
DEC Keyboard	System	2005/05/27
HEX Keyboard	System	2005/05/27
Text(ABC/ENG) Keyboard	System	2005/05/27
Text(QWE/ENG) Keyboard	System	2005/05/27
Text(ABC/JPN) Keyboard	System	2005/05/27
Text(QWE/JPN) Keyboard	System	2005/05/27
Text(KANA1/JPN) Keyboard	System	2005/05/27
Text(KANA2/JPN) Keyboard	System	2005/05/27
Small DEC Keyboard	System	2005/05/27
Small HEX Keyboard	System	2005/05/27
Small Text(ABC/ENG) Keyboard	System	2005/05/27
Small Text(ABC/JPN) Keyboard	System	2005/05/27
Favorite	User	2007/05/16
Figure	User	2007/06/28

NOTE

• To register pictures in a new package, click [OK].

3 A dialog box of the selected [Package] will appear.

Package 🛛 Figure
Change Delete Update

4 Select the figure to be registered and drag to the [Package] dialog box.



5 Package registration is complete.

Package			×
Figure			-
Change	Delete	Update	

8.9 Creating a Screen from a Template

8.9.1 Setting up Grids

Introduction

You can display a grid with dots or lines on the drawing screen for reference when placing multiple objects.

The position of objects is defined by grid points, which makes it easier to adjust the object position.



Setup Procedure

NOTE

Please refer to the Settings Guide for details.
 "8.13.3 Preferences (Screen Edit Style) Setup Guide" (page 8-97)

Display a lined grid on the drawing screen and set the environment for placing an object along a line.



- 1 From the [View (V)] menu, select [References (O)].
- 2 The [Preferences] dialog box will appear. Select [Screen Edit Style].

Preferences	
General Toolbar Function Bar Error Check Screen Edit Style Logic Common Ladder IL Script Text Table Monitor Step Commo Ladder IL	Settings for Screen Edit Style Action Grid Display Show Guides When Moving or Resizing Image: Left Edge Right Edge Image: Horizontal Center Vertical Center Image: Upper Edge Bottom Edge Label Size Do Not Synchronize Labels Image: Synchronize Labels Synchronize Labels Image: Drawing Process for Parts and Drawings Keep Parts Drawing Enabled Image: Keep Defaults Drawing Enabled Image: Defaults DK (0)

3 Set up objects so they align with grid points when drawing or editing. In the [Grid] tab, select the [Snap to Grid] check box. In the [Grid Size (pixels)] list, select the grid spacing. (For example, 20 x 20).

Error Check Screen Edit Style Logic Common Ladder IL Script Text Table Monitor Step Commoi Ladder IL	Action Grid Display

customized grid size.

"8.13.3 Preferences (Screen Edit Style) Setup Guide" (page 8-97)

4 Defines the grid as either dots or lines. Select the [Show Grid] check box. Specify the display order and grid shape, and then click [OK].(For example, [Order] Back, [Shape] Grid)

Monitor Step Common Ladder IL Color: Edit List Color: Change Color	Show Grid ar Back Shape Dot 💌
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NOTE

• Click [Change Color] to select the grid color from the color palette.

8.9.2 Selecting a Screen from Templates

You can reduce the number of drawing processes by editing in a screen registered in the templates.



■ Placing a Screen Saved as a Template

1 From the [Screen (S)] menu, select [New Screen (N)].



2 The following [New Screen] dialog box will appear. Click [Select Template from List].

💰 New Screen		×
Screens of Type	Base	
Screen	2 🗄 🏢	
Title	Untitled	
Use Template		
Select Templa Recently Use		
	New Cancel	

3 The registered templates display. Select a screen you want to use and click [OK].

ð 🖏	Select Template			×
9	Screen Number:2	Untitled		
	Server (2009) States (1991)			
(🕉 Delete 🛛 🗾	Rename	Cancel	

4 The template is placed.

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- · ·																					
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	-																			_	

■ Save as a Template

You can register created screens as templates and use them again. To make a screen into a template, from the [Screen (S)] menu, select [Register Template (T)].

 Screen (S)

 Image: Screen (N)

 Image: Screen (O)

 Close Screen (C)

 Image: Screen (E)

 Image: Next screen (E)

 Screen Information (I)

 Change View (V)

 Register Template (T)

8.10 Pasting an Image

8.10.1 Target Image

Image data that can be displayed on the GP screen is as follows.

Image	Pasting Method	Description
	Directly placing an image on the screen	 Directly pastes BMP, JPEG, DPD, or PNG on the screen. NOTE In using the same image on the multiple screens, you can hold down the screen capacity by registering the original image in "Image". You can call the base screen with an image already placed onto another base screen. * "8.10.2 Pasting BMP/JPEG Procedure ■ Paste Images Directly on the Screen" (page 8-70)
Bitmap, JPEG, DPD, PNG File	Registering an image in "Image (Display)" and using Call Screen	 Registers a BMP, JPEG, DPD, or PNG file as the "Image" and displays it on the base screen by using Call Screen. NOTE You can improve screen capacity by registering an image file in "Image" and using the same image on the multiple screens. ^C "8.10.2 Pasting BMP/JPEG Procedure ■ Registering and Using Images" (page 8-73) ^C "8.7 Using a Screen Multiple Times" (page 8-56)
	Registering an image in "Image (CF)" and using Call Screen	Calls and displays the image data stored in the CF Card on the base screen.
	Calling the base screen's image	Calls and displays the base screen's already created image data on the base screen.
Mark	Registered "Mark registration" images.	Calls and displays the dotted image data registered in "Mark" on the base screen. ** "8.11 Drawing a Detailed Picture" (page 8-75)
Keypad	Registered "Keypad" images.	 Calls and displays the registered keypad on the base screen. "8.7 Using a Screen Multiple Times" (page 8-56) NOTE You can call one keypad from a [Call Screen] part on a Base Screen.

8.10.2 Pasting BMP/JPEG Procedure

Paste Images Directly on the Screen



1 From the [Draw (D)] menu, select [Image Placement (I)] or click 🔁

Dra	Draw (<u>D</u>)						
 	Select Range (<u>E</u>)						
\mathbf{A}	Text (<u>S</u>)						
•	Dot (D)						
/	Line (L)						
~*	Polyline (U)						
	Rectangle (<u>R</u>)						
\Diamond	Polygon (<u>P</u>)						
$^{\circ}$	Circle/Oval (<u>C</u>)						
1	Arc/Pie (<u>A</u>)						
E	Scale (<u>M</u>)						
	Image Placement (I)						
22	Call Screen (<u>O</u>)						
⊞	Table (<u>T</u>)						

2 Click the screen drawing area to place the image part. Double-click the object to open its dialog box and define the [Files of type] and [File name] of the image to paste.

Ç	🛛 Base 1 (Untitled) 🔀 🛛	Open Original File	$\triangleright \mathbf{x}$
		Look in: 🔁 GP-Pro EX 2.00 💌 🖛 💼 🍟 🎟 -	· A
1		Backup mrk CML Package History CMLUSB CMLUSB Parts CMLUSB Parts Desktop FONT Protocol FONT FONT Protocol FONT Protocol FONT Protocol FONT Protocol Dolvier gproface.bmp My Documents Logic My Network P Manual	
		File name: proface.bmp Open Files of type: All Image Files Cancel	
4		Brightness Light Quality Coarse Faded Light Reduce Colors 16384 Colors Mirror Mirror None Standard Transparent Image: Colors	• •

- You can also copy bitmaps on the PC. Click the GP-Pro EX drawing area, and then from the [Edit] menu, select [Paste]. After selecting the [Paste] command, the dialog box above displays.
- **3** Adjust the image quality and number of colors, and click [Open].
 - Select [Transparent] check box to enable the [Settings] button. Click the button, and in the [Transparent Color Settings] dialog box, use a dropper to select the color on the image to make transparent. This feature is useful for making the background color transparent on pasted images.

Zoom Full View	×
Select Color	
C From Color Palette	From Image RGB(255,64,64)
Pro-1	ine:
) OK (0)	Cancel

4 The following [Image Registration] dialog box will appear. Set the size and blink rate for the image to paste.





- When [Original Size] is selected, an image is placed with the same size as the original image. You cannot change the image size after placing it.
- When [Fix Aspect Ratio] is selected, an image is placed with the original image horizontal to vertical ratio fixed.
- 5 Click [OK] and the designated image will be placed.


Registering and Using Images

Using Image Registration and using its images, you can reduce the volume of image data.

1 From the [Common Settings (R)] menu, select [Image Registration (I)], or click 🛃 to display the following dialog box.

💰 Image	Registr	ation		×
Add	Сору	Paste	Delete	Image Settings Number 1 Change Number Save in Internal Memory Comment Original File File : Number of Colors: Unknown Size:
				Conversion Brightness Quality Medium Faded Light Reduce Colors Mirror None Standard Transparent Settings Blink Compress Send Size - bytes Close (2)

2 Click [Add]. The [Add Image] dialog box appears. Select a graphic and click [Open].

Add Image					? ×
Look in:	🚞 Database		•	← 🗈 💣 💷•	
My Recent Documents	Dackup usb image_rain				
Desktop My Documents					
My Computer					
My Network Places	File name:	image_rain		•	Open Cancel
Save in	Files of type:	All Files			Laricei
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3 If required, add comments to images, set the brightness or colors, and then click [Close]. Image registration is complete.



4 The registered image can be loaded to the screen. The following describes the steps. ** "8.7 Using a Screen Multiple Times" (page 8-56)

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8.11 Drawing a Detailed Picture

8.11.1 Drawing a Valve

Introduction

You can call and display image data created in a Mark to the base screen. In [Mark Registration], you can use dots to draw your own symbols or pictures.





Setup Procedure



• Please refer to the Settings Guide for details. ** "8.13.4 Common Mark Registration Settings Guide" (page 8-102)

To draw a valve with dots:



1 From the [Common Settings (R)] menu, click [Mark Registration (M)]. Select [New] and enter the [Number] and [Comment] and click [New]. (For example, [Number]=1, [Comment]=Mark)

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Co	mment	Mark Registration	
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			l
			l
		New Cancel	
			1

2 Create an outline of the valve body with a rectangle. From the [Draw (D)] menu, select [Filled Rectangle]. Place after dragging to adjust the size and location of the rectangle.



NOTE

• From the [Edit] menu, click [Undo (U)] to undo the command.

3 Create a valve opening with an ellipse. From the [Draw (D)] menu, select [Filled Circle/ Ellipse (C)] and place the object after adjusting the size and location of the ellipse.



4 Create an outline of the valve opening using [Color Inversion]. From the [Edit] menu, select [Color Inversion (Y)] to mirror the dot on the campus. In this state, from the [Draw (D)] menu, select [Filled Circle/Ellipse (C)] to place after adjusting the size and location of the ellipse. After placement, click [Color Inversion (Y)] again to return to the campus state.



5 Create the handle part with an ellipse and rectangle. From the [Draw] menu, select [Circle/ Ellipse (C)] or [Filled Rectangle (T)].

Click [Filled Rectangle (T)] and place the object after adjusting the size and location of the oval or rectangle.



6 Fine tune each part using dots. From the [Draw (D)] menu, select [Dot (D)]. To draw, you can click to turn ON (white) and right-click to turn OFF (black).





7 Click the [Base 1] tab and open a base screen to place the mark. From the [Draw (D)] menu, click [Call Screen (O)].

NOTE

• From the [Screen (S)] menu, select [New Screen (N)] to create a new base screen.

8 Click the drawing screen and the dotted border is placed and the [Call Screen] dialog box will appear.

Ę	Base 1 (valve) 🗵 🛱	Mark Registration 1(Mark Reg) 🛛
-		5 1
0		Call Target Number Base Screens
1		
-		
2		
-		
- - - 3		
		OK (0) Cancel

9 Select [Mark Registration] from [Call Target] and select the mark number registered in [Number]. (For example, 1)

Call Screen Call Target Mark Registratio		Number				
1: Mark Reg	j)					
Size 1 x 1 times		play Color	Nine	Back	kground Color	None
					OK (<u>0)</u>	Cancel

NOTE

• You can designate the display color of the created mark.

10 Select an image and click [OK] to display the designated image.



8.11.2 Displaying a Character External to the Character Code

Draw an external character with dots in Mark. You can display registered external characters on the screen.

You can register external characters only when selecting the ASCII standard font (bitmap font) and the font size of 8 x 16 dots or larger.





GP

Setup Procedure

You can display the created character on the screen by replacing a character in the frame in the character code table with it. The following is the procedure for replacing the character "ë" (89h) in the character code table (Code Page 850) with the character "III", which was created with dots, and displaying the character "III" on the GP screen.

Character Code Table

The following is the character code table of Code Page 850, the character code used on the GP.



- 1 From the [Common Settings (R)] menu, click [Mark Registration (M)]. Select [New], and enter the mark number "8010" in the [Number] which corresponds to the character **ë** (89h) in the character code table, and click [New]
 - Input Code Table" (page 8-85)

đ	🖗 New Mark,	/Open	×
1	New	C Open	
	Number	B010 📻 🧱	
	Comment	Mark Registration	
		New Cancel	

2 Draw a special character. Create "III" to display on the screen.



3 Click the [Base 1] tab, select the [Draw (D)] menu, and then select [Text (S)].



4 Place the text on the screen, and double-click it to open the [Text] dialog box.

💕 Text				×
	Direct Text	C Text Table		
A B C	Font Font Type Display Language Direction	Standard Font		8 x 16 Pixels 💌 Normal 💌
	Color Text Color		Blink None	•
	Background Color	Transparent _		Y
Line Spacing 0 芸 🏢	Shadow Color	1	Blink None	<u> </u>
Text				
			OK (<u>0</u>)	Cancel

5 In the text input area, while holding down the [Alt] key, type the [Input Code] "0235", which corresponds to text code (89h). Upon releasing the [Alt] key, ë is input. Click [OK].
[©] " ■ Input Code Table" (page 8-85)

EEE	Background Color Shadow Color	Transparent	•	Blink Blink	None	V V
Line Spacing 🛛 🚍 🧾	Shadow Color		*	Blink	None	<u>▼</u>
ë						
1						

• The character placed on the drawing screen displays as "ë". However, on the screen display transferred to the GP, "III" will display.

■ How to Display Characters Whose Character Code is Not Listed

The marks drawn for the mark numbers from 8001 to 8128 are treated as the characters of the character codes from 80h to FFh. For example, 8001 corresponds to 80h, and 8002 to 81h. If you create marks for these mark numbers, they will be registered as external characters. By inputting the input code corresponding to a mark number on the base screen, the character displayed on the base screen displays as a registered external character on the GP.

Mark Number	Text Code Code Page 850	Input Code (Alt + Code)	Mark Number	Text Code Code Page 850	Input Code (Alt + Code)	Mark Number	Text Code Code Page 850	Input Code (Alt + Code)
8001	80h	0199	8049	B0h	0130	8097	E0h	0211
8002	81h	0252	8050	B1h	0131	8098	E1h	0223
8003	82h	0233	8051	B2h	0132	8099	E2h	0212
8004	83h	0226	8052	B3h	0133	8100	E3h	0210
8005	84h	0228	8053	B4h	0134	8101	E4h	0245
8006	85h	0224	8054	B5h	0193	8102	E5h	0213
8007	86h	0229	8055	B6h	0194	8103	E6h	0181
8008	87h	0231	8056	B7h	0192	8104	E7h	0254
8009	88h	0234	8057	B8h	0169	8105	E8h	0222
8010	89h	0235	8058	B9h	0135	8106	E9h	0218
8011	8Ah	0232	8059	BAh	0136	8107	EAh	0219
8012	8Bh	0239	8060	BBh	0137	8108	EBh	0217
8013	8Ch	0238	8061	BCh	0138	8109	ECh	0253
8014	8Dh	0236	8062	BDh	0162	8110	EDh	0221
8015	8Eh	0196	8063	BEh	0165	8111	EEh	0175
8016	8Fh	0197	8064	BFh	0139	8112	EFh	0180
8017	90h	0201	8065	C0h	0140	8113	F0h	0173
8018	91h	0230	8066	C1h	0141	8114	F1h	0177
8019	92h	0198	8067	C2h	0142	8115	F2h	0159
8020	93h	0244	8068	C3h	0143	8116	F3h	0190
8021	94h	0246	8069	C4h	0144	8117	F4h	0182
8022	95h	0242	8070	C5h	0145	8118	F5h	0167
8023	96h	0251	8071	C6h	0227	8119	F6h	0215
8024	97h	0249	8072	C7h	0195	8120	F7h	0184
8025	98h	0255	8073	C8h	0146	8121	F8h	0176
8026	99h	0214	8074	C9h	0147	8122	F9h	0168
8027	9Ah	0220	8075	CAh	0148	8123	FAh	0183
8028	9Bh	0248	8076	CBh	0149	8124	FBh	0185
8029	9Ch	0163	8077	CCh	0150	8125	FCh	0179
8030	9Dh	0216	8078	CDh	0151	8126	FDh	0178
8031	9Eh	0128	8079	CEh	0152	8127	FEh	0247
8032	9Fh	0129	8080	CFh	0164	8128	FFh	0160
8033	A0h	0225	8081	D0h	0240			
8034	A1h	0237	8082	D1h	0208			
8035	A2h	0243	8083	D2h	0202			
8036	A3h	0250	8084	D3h	0203			
8037	A4h	0241	8085	D4h	0200			
8038	A5h	0209	8086	D5h	0153			
8039	A6h	0170	8087	D6h	0205			
8040	A7h	0186	8088	D7h	0206			
8041	A8h	0191	8089	D8h	0207			
8042	A9h	0174	8090	D9h	0154			
8043	AAh	0172	8091	DAh	0155			
8044	ABh	0189	8092	DBh	0156			
8045	ACh	0188	8093	DCh	0157			
8046	ADh	0161	8094	DDh	0166			
8047	AEh	0171	8095	DEh	0204			
8048	AFh	0187	8096	DFh	0158			

Input Code Table

8.12 Making an Animated Screen By Controlling Colors and Display of Drawings Animation

8.12.1 Types of Animation That can be Set

• For more information about the animation feature, please refer to the following.

"Chapter 20 Animating Screen Objects", page 20-1

■ Show/Hide of the Drawing

The drawing can be hidden once and displayed again when needed. It can be used also as a security feature such as keeping it normally hidden so that only a particular person can operate it.

For example:



Change the Position of the Drawing

By moving the drawing, changes in actual situations can be displayed on the screen.

For example:



NOTE

Rotating Drawings

The drawing can be rotated to display rotating actions of equipment such as fans and motors.

For example:



■ Change the Color of the Drawing

The color of the drawing can be changed at an arbitrary timing. Change the color as the value exceeds a certain value, and when you want to distinguish among error messages.

For example:



8.12.2 Setup Procedure

• Please refer to the Animation Settings Guide for details.

1 Select a drawing for which you want to set the animation, and click [Animation (N)] in the [Edit (E)] menu.

Edit	(E)	
Ş	Undo (<u>U</u>)	Ctrl+Z
\$	Redo (<u>B</u>)	Ctrl+Y
*	Cut (I)	Ctrl+X
Ф	Copy (⊆)	Ctrl+C
	Paste (P)	Ctrl+V
Ðģ	Duplicate (<u>W</u>)	
	Copy Part Shape	•
		•
×	Delete (D)	Del
	Select All (L)	Ctrl+A
	Set as Default (<u>E</u>)	
	Change Attributes (M)	
	Animation (<u>N</u>)	
Ð		
	Group (<u>G</u>)	•
	Lock Password	•
	Order (<u>O</u>)	•
	Place/Align (<u>A</u>)	•
	Rotate/Flip (<u>R</u>)	۲
	Release All Fixed Pins (K)	
	Auto-Align Trays (<u>I</u>)	

NOTE

NOTE	•	can also be displayed a in [Properties] - [A	
	Properties	×	1
	Data Display Parts		
	at at 1		
	Attribute Name	Value	
	Parts Information		
	Coordinate		
	Basic		
	Display		
	Alarm/Color		
	Processing		
	Animation		
	Settings	Disable	
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			1

•In the [Screen Data List], double-click the [Animation] column of the part you want to edit.

Screen Data List 🛛 🔀 Target 🕼				
	Draw/Parts	Information	Animation	
۵	SL_0000	[#MEMLINK]0000	<u>۵</u>	
۵	D-Script	0		
۵	DD_0000	#H_ChangeScreer		
۵	SL_0001	[#MEMLINK]0000		
۵	Rectangle	(250, 114, 433, 20	↔	
۵	Rectangle	(293, 125, 366, 16		
۵	Text	(206, 37, 269, 52)		
۵	Text	(65, 226, 128, 273		
۵	Image	(316, 33, 348, 61)		

2 The [Animation Settings] dialog box will appear. Select the type of animation from the list on the left of the screen. Set the animation on the right of the screen.

 Wisibility Model Model Color Model Model Position 	Visibility Bit Address
Rotation	[FLC1]×00000 ♥ Visible When 0 (False) ♥ Visible When 1 (True)
Help (H)	OK (0)Can

he selected parts 1g 01 and drawings.

"20.1.2 Supported Objects" (page 20-4)

8.13 Settings Guide

8.13.1 Text Settings Guide

💰 Text	 Direct Text 	O Text Table		×
A B C	Font Font Type Display Language	Standard Font 💌	Text Size	32 x 56 Pixels
	Direction	Horizontal	Text Attribute	Normal
	Text Color	iolor Transparent	Blink Blink	None
E E E	Background C Shadow Color		▼ Blink	None
Text				
			OK	(0) Cancel

Setting	Description
Direct Text	Input text into the Input Text window and place it directly as fixed text.
Font Type	 Select from among [Standard Font], [Stroke Font], and [Image Font]. Standard Font You can select the bitmap font from [ASCII], [Japanese], [Chinese (Traditional)], [Chinese (Simplified)] or [Korean]. MPORTANT The standard font will become bitmap font. The display speed is faster than with other fonts, but characters may have jagged outlines or distort if enlarged/reduced too much. The Japanese and ASCII standard fonts are transferred to the GP. To use the Chinese (Simplified), Korean, or Chinese (Traditional) standard font, you must add the font in [System Settings/Font]. "6.2 Defining Stroke Font and Standard Font" (page 6-3)

Continued

	Setting	Description
Direct Text	Font Type	 Stroke Font You can select the vector font from [ASCII], [Japanese], [Chinese (Traditional)], [Chinese (Simplified)], [Korean], [Cyrillic], or [Thai]. MPORTANT The stroke font will become vector font. Characters are displayed with smooth outlines when enlarged, but the display speed is slower than with the standard font. The ASCII stroke font will be transferred to the GP. To use the Japanese, Chinese (Simplified), Korean, Chinese (Traditional), Cyrillic or Thai stroke font, you must add the font in [System Settings/Font]. "6.2 Defining Stroke Font and Standard Font" (page 6-3) Image Font Displays a Windows font as bitmap data. "6.3 Image Font" (page 6-14)
	Text Size	 Select the text size. Each font type has a different size range. Standard Font You can select the font size from either [8 x 8 pixels] to [64 x 128 pixels] in increments of 8 pixel units, or a fixed font size from [6 x 10 pixels], [8 x 13 pixels], or [13 x 23 pixels]. When using fixed sizes, you can display only single-byte alphanumeric characters. Stroke Font: 6 to 127 When the [Automatically Adjust Text Size] check box is selected, set the font's [Maximum Size] and [Minimum Size]. NOTE To use alphanumeric fonts, select [ASCII] as your Display Language.
	Display Language	Choose a text display language from [ASCII], [Japanese], [Chinese (Traditional)], [Chinese (Simplified)], [Korean], [Cyrillic], or [Thai].
	Text Attributes	 When [Font Type] is [Standard Font] or [Stroke Font], select from the following text attributes. Standard Font: Choose from [Standard], [Bold], [Shadow] (When using a fixed font size [6 x 10], select from [Standard] or [Shadow].) Stroke Font: Choose from [Standard], [Bold], [Outline]
	Direction	Select from [Portrait] or [Landscape].
	Centering	When selecting "Vertical", align the center of text with single-byte and double-byte characters.
	Input Text Field	If [Direct Text] is selected, input the character string.

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Setting	Description
Text Table	Use text from a previously saved Text Table.
	"17.4 Changing a Text's Language (Multilanguage)" (page 17-15)
Font Type	 Select either [Standard Font] or [Stroke Font]. Standard Font You can select the bitmap font from [ASCII], [Japanese], [Chinese (Traditional)], [Chinese (Simplified)] or [Korean]. MPORTANT The standard font will become bitmap font. The display speed is faster than with other fonts, but characters may have jagged outlines or distort if enlarged/reduced too much. The Japanese and ASCII standard fonts are transferred to the GP. To use the Chinese (Simplified), Korean, or Chinese (Traditional) standard font, you must add the font in [System Settings/Font]. "6.2 Defining Stroke Font and Standard Font" (page 6-3) Stroke Font You can select the vector font from [ASCII], [Japanese], [Chinese (Traditional)], [Chinese (Simplified)], [Korean], [Cyrillic], or [Thai]. MPORTANT The stroke font will become vector font. Characters are displayed with smooth outlines when enlarged, but the display speed is slower than with the standard font. The ASCII stroke font will be transferred to the GP. To use the Japanese, Chinese (Simplified), Korean, Chinese (Traditional), Cyrillic or Thai stroke font, you must add the font in [System Settings/Font]. "6.2 Defining Stroke Font and Standard Font" (page 6-3)
Text Size	 Select the text size. Each font type has a different size range. Standard Font You can select the font size from either [8 x 8 pixels] to [64 x 128 pixels] in increments of 8 pixel units, or a fixed font size from [6 x 10 pixels], [8 x 13 pixels], or [13 x 23 pixels]. When using fixed sizes, you can display only single-byte alphanumeric characters. Stroke Font: 6 to 127 When the [Automatically Adjust Text Size] check box is selected, set the font's [Maximum Size] and [Minimum Size]. NOTE To use alphanumeric fonts, in the [Text Table] editor click [Change Language]. In the [Language Change] dialog box, set a table in the [Language] column to [English].

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Setting		etting	Description		
	Automatically Adjust Text Size		With the range of maximum and minimum text sizes that have been set, the font size adjusts automatically to fit the text. NOTE • The range cannot be set when Standard Font is selected.		
Text Table		Maximum size	6-127		
		Minimum size	6-127		
	Text Attributes		 When [Font Type] is [Standard Font] or [Stroke Font], select from the following text attributes. Standard Font: Choose from [Standard], [Bold], [Shadow] (When using a fixed font size [6 x 10], select from [Standard] or [Shadow].) Stroke Font: Choose from [Standard], [Bold], [Outline] 		
	Direction		Select from [Portrait] or [Landscape].		
	Centering		When selecting "Vertical", align the center of text with single-byte and double-byte characters.		
	Select text		Select text from the Text Table.		
Tex	t Cole	or	Set the display color for the text.		
Background Color		und Color	Set the background color for the text.		
Shadow Color		Color	If the [Font Type] menu - [Standard Font] command and the [Text Attribute] menu - [Shadow] command are selected, set the color for the text shadow.		
Display Language		anguage	Choose a text display language from [ASCII], [Japanese], [Chinese (Traditional)], [Chinese (Simplified)], [Korean], [Cyrillic], or [Thai].		
Line Spacing		icing	Set a value from 0 to 255. This is only applicable when in the [Text] field you add multiple lines of text. This option cannot be used when the [Font Type] is set to [Image Font].		
Align			Specifies whether text is fixed to the center of parts.		

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8.13.2 Package List Setup Guide

Displays the Package List registered in GP-Pro EX. You can register user-created parts, drawings, keypads, and so on. One [Package] can store a combination of 200 drawings, parts, and keypads. If a drawing or part is registered in multiple groups, it counts as one in the package count.

		Change Reference
Name	Туре	Creation Date
DEC Keyboard	System	2005/05/27
HEX Keyboard	System	2005/05/27
Text(ABC/ENG) Keyboard	System	2005/05/27
Text(QWE/ENG) Keyboard	System	2005/05/27
Text(ABC/JPN) Keyboard	System	2005/05/27
Text(QWE/JPN) Keyboard	System	2005/05/27
Text(KANA1/JPN) Keyboard	System	2005/05/27
Text(KANA2/JPN) Keyboard	System	2005/05/27
Small DEC Keyboard	System	2005/05/27
Small HEX Keyboard	System	2005/05/27
Small Text(ABC/ENG) Keyboard	System	2005/05/27
	System	2005/05/27
Favorite	User	2007/05/16
Small Text(ABC/JPN) Keyboard Favorite	System User	

Setting	Description
Reference External Package	 Sets up references of external packages. NOTE If enabled, lists registered packages and registered reference folder packages. If the reference folder is not found, an error message appears and the list displays registered packages only.
 Displays the location of the reference folder. Change Reference Displays a dialog box for changing reference to external package Input the location of the folder directly or click [Browse] and folder from the [Browse folder] dialog box. 	
Package List Displays a Package list. Package List • Name Displays the names of all the packages registered in a project file. • Type Displays types of packages from among the following three types. System : Registered package User : Package created by users External : External package • Creation Date Displays the dates when the packages were registered.	

Setting	Description
	Displays the [New Package] dialog box. Set a name of a new part, drawing,
	keypad, etc. to register in the package within 64 characters.
New	new Package
	Input a package name.
	New Cancel
Open	Displays the [Package] window. You can register parts, drawings, and keypads by dragging them in from the drawing screen. You can drag and drop parts, drawings, and keypads registered in the [Package] onto the drawing screen.
	 NOTE You can also display the [Package] window from the [View (V)] menu. Point to [Work Space (W)] and then click [Package (K)]. Deletes the parts, drawings, keypads, etc. previously registered in
Delete	[Package].
	Displays the [Rename Package] dialog box. Renames the parts, drawings, keypads, etc. previously registered in [Package]. Set a new name within 64 characters.
Rename	Figure Figure Replace
	Outputs packages created by users to the [External Package Reference Folder].
Export	External Package Name Figure External Package File Name (.pkg) External Package File Name (.pkg) Export Cancel
Import	Imports as user packages external packages selected from the list.

8.13.3 Preferences (Screen Edit Style) Setup Guide

On the [View (V)] menu, click [Preferences (O)]. The following [Preferences] dialog box will appear. Select [Screen Edit Style] in the left window.

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	 Synchronize Labels Drawing Process for Parts and Drawings Keep Drawing Enabled Keep Parts Drawing Enabled Clear Defaults 	
	OK (0) Cancel	

Setting	Description	
	This function is valid when aligning an object with a previously placed object. Guidelines are displayed at the designated points (the left edge and upper edge).	
Show Guide on Move or Resize		
Label Resizing Process	Set whether the size of the label (text) will also be changed when the size of the part is changed.	
Drawing Process for Parts/ Drawings	Specify whether drawings and parts can be placed continuously when they are created. If you cancel continuous placement, right-click on the unused screen area, or select the menu and icons of other features.	
Clear Defaults	Right-click Draw/Parts, and from the menu, reset the default attributes of Draw/Parts set in [Set as Defaults of Parts].	

Grid

Preferences General Toolbar Function Bar Error Check Screen Edit Style Logic Common Ladder IL Script Text Table Monitor Step Common Ladder IL	Settings for Screen Edit Style Action Grid Snap to Grid Grid Size (pixels) 2 40X 40 318X16 318X16 Edit List ✓ Show Grid Order Order Back Color: Change Color
	OK (0) Cancel

Setting	Description		
Snap to Grid	ne cursor position is determined from the grid size, you don't have to fine ne the position. "8.9 Creating a Screen from a Template" (page 8-63)		
Grid Size (pixels)	 Select the grid size from a list. Edit List If the list does not have the desired size, display the [Edit Grid Size] dialog box and specify the width and height. 		

Setting	Description		
Show Grid	 Designate whether or not to show a grid. Order Select the display order from [Back] or [Front]. Shape Select the shape from [Grid] or [Dot]. Color specification Display set colors. To change, click [Change Color] and select the color that you want to display from the color palette. 		

Display

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Preferences General Toolbar Function Bar Error Check Screen Edit Style Logic Common Ladder IL Script Text Table Monitor Step Commoi Ladder IL	Settings for Screen Edit Style Action Grid Display Show Fixed Pin of Parts and Called Screens Show Fixed Pin of Parts and Called Screens Show Touch Areas Show Vindow Part Screens Show Package Images Display Navigator Character Information Show Parts ID Show Address Display Escled is Background	×
	Display Faded in Background Text Size Standard Minimize	
		OK (0) Cancel

Setting Description			
Show Fixed Pin of Parts and Called Screens	 Specify whether a pin mark and jump icon should be displayed when selecting objects. NOTE If you click the pin mark, the Move and Edit Object functions will be locked and the pin mark will be red. Click the jump icon to open the screen to be called. 		
Show Ruler	Shows rulers at the top and the left side of the screen.		
Specify whether the Touch Input Valid Area is shown or not. Show Touch Area IMPORTANT • Place each object so that the touch areas do not overlap each other.			
Show Window Part Screens	Specify whether the Window Parts Screen is shown or not.		
Show Package Images	Place the cursor on the figure in the [Package] window screen to display figure images.		

Setting Description		
Display Navigator		 Display the navigator. Display/Hide the placed parts. Move the cursor close to the [Display Navigator Icon] on the top right of the drawing screen to display the navigator. Image: A the line of the line o
		Designate whether or not to show character information of the placed parts on the parts, and the display format.
	Show Parts ID	Designate whether or not to show the ID number of the placed part.
	Show Address	Designate whether or not to show the address set for the part.
	Display Faded in Background	Designate whether to display the background as semi-transparent when showing the part ID and addresses.
	Text Size	Select the text size for the part ID and addresses from [Standard] or [Reduced].

8.13.4 Common Mark Registration Settings Guide

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	Comment	Mark Registration	ļ
		New Cancel	

Setting Description	
New	Creates a new [Mark Registration] screen.
Open	Opens a previously created [Mark Registration] screen.
Number	Set the [Mark Registration] screen Number to any value between 1 and 8999.
Comment	Enter a comment of up to 30 characters for the [Mark Registration] screen.

Open

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		Comment			
			Open	Cancel	

Setting	Description
New	Creates a new [Mark Registration] screen.
Open	Opens a previously created [Mark Registration] screen.
List of marks	Displays the list of the [Mark Registration] screens in the project file.

Setting		Description
Number Displays the number of each [Mark Registration] screen.		Displays the number of each [Mark Registration] screen.
	Comment	Displays the comment for each [Mark Registration] screen.
Mark preview		Provides a preview display of the marks in the [Mark Registration] screen selected in the mark list.
Number Displays the number of the [Mark Registration] screen semark list.		Displays the number of the [Mark Registration] screen selected in the mark list.
	Comment	Displays the comment for the [Mark Registration] screen selected in the mark list.

Mark Registration



Setting	Description		
Preview area Provides a preview display of the mark's on-screen display size.			
Drawing area	Used to draw marks using the drawing operations below, which can be selected from the menu and toolbar. • [Dot] • [Line] • [Rectangle] • [Circle/Oval] • [Filled Rectangle] • [Filled Rectangle] • [Filled Circle/Ellipse] • [Fill] • [Text] • [Draw Size] The following items are displayed in the drawing area: • Origin • 48 x 48 dot grid • Quadrant (8 x 8 dot area) borders • Dot ON, Dot OFF (Black), Dot OFF (Transparent)		

8.14 Restrictions

8.14.1 Restrictions for Drawing (Text)

- When text is enlarged or rotated, the thickness of some letters may change.
- For characters with a character code (0x80 to 0xFF), the characters' shape will change due to differences in font between GP-Pro EX and GP.

8.14.2 Restrictions for Pasting BMP/JPEG

- If you set the background color to the screen used for a call screen, the objects placed on the screen are not displayed on the GP.
- For a color data image screen, the data capacity is large, but the display speed on the GP is fast. For a monochrome data image screen, the display speed on the GP is somewhat slow, but the data capacity can be saved. Convert screens depending on the purpose.
- If an image screen is placed beyond the drawing area, the part that is outside the area is not displayed on the GP.



Nesting (calling hierarchy) up to 10-layer (11-fold) is available. However, if the remaining memory in the PC decreases in operation, the display on the screen may be omitted. When transferred, the nested objects are normally displayed on the GP. For example, double-layer (threefold) nesting.



8.14.3 Package Registration Restrictions

- Packages are registered and saved when you close the GP-Pro EX project.
- Up to 200 objects can be registered in one package. To register more than 200 objects, create a new package and register them in a new category.

8.14.4 Restrictions on Marks

- Acknowledge the registered external character after the screen data transmission on the display unit. The text corresponding to the input text code displays on GP-Pro EX.
- External characters can be registered only when the English standard font with a font size of 8 x 16 pixel or larger is selected. 8 x 8 pixel is not supported.
- To create an external character, draw it with single-byte characters (within 8 x 16 dot) with reference to the origin of the mark creating area (0,0).
- External characters cannot be rotated.
- When you print text in Alarm, external characters are not outputted. The results, depending on printer types, are as follows:
 For NEC PR201, EPSON ESC/P, HP Laser Jet, and Text ASCII:
 Direct code output of the text codes.
 For EPSON PM/Stylus:
 Image output of Code Page 850 characters
- If you were using the Character code (0x80 to 0xFF) of the Western standard fonts in a CSV file while registering external marks, and you want to display the marks in the Special Data Display [CSV Display] and [CSV Data Transmission] on GP, they will be converted to the external characters that were registered in the mark screen.

8.14.5 Restrictions for Screen Display

When you reduce the screen edit area with the zoom function, some drawings may not display correctly, depending on the magnification.