

Morningstar SureSine 2 Inverter MODBUS Specification v1

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Supported Modbus® Functions

Read Holding Registers (0x03) and Read Input Registers (0x04)

RAM

PDU Addr	Logical Address	Variable name	Variable description	Units	Scaling or Range
0x0000	1	Reserved	-	-	-
0x0001	2	Reserved	-	-	-
0x0002	3	Reserved	-	-	-
0x0003	4	Prated	AC output power rating (read only)	W	N*0.1
0x0004	5	DC Input	Nominal DC input voltage rating (read only)	V	N*0.01
0x0005	6	AC Output	AC output voltage rating (read only)	V	N*0.1
0x0006	7	hertz	Output frequency rating (read only)	Hz	n
0x0007	8	adc_remote	Remote switch status OFF-ON	-	(0=OFF, 1=ON)
0x0008	9	Vb	Battery voltage, slow filter ($\tau \approx ?s$)	V	N*0.01
0x0009	10	Ib	Battery current, filtered ($\tau \approx ?s$)	A	N*0.01
0x000A	11	Vac	AC output voltage, filtered ($\tau \approx ?s$)	V	N*0.1
0x000B	12	Iac	AC output current, filtered ($\tau \approx ?s$)	A	N*0.01
0x000C	13	Ths	Heatsink temperature	°C	-40 to 120
0x000D	14	Reserved	-	-	-
0x000E	15	Ta	Internal temperature	°C	-40 to 120
0x000F	16	dip_switch	dip switch settings switches[1..8] in bits[0..7]	-	-
0x0010	17	load_state	Load state bitfield	-	-
0x0012	19	Heatsink_temp_status	Heatsink temperature sensor status	-	0, 1, 2
0x0013	20	Reserved	-	-	-
0x0014	21	Ta_status	Internal temperature status	-	0, 1, 2
0x0015	22	Fault	Fault bitfield	-	0 or 1
0x0016	23	Alarm	Alarm bitfield	-	0 or 1
0x0017-0x0021	24 - 34	Reserved	-	-	-
0x0022	35	hourmeter_HI	hourmeter, (inverter on) HI word	h	n(0 to (2 ²⁴ -1))
0x0023	36	hourmeter_LO	hourmeter, (inverter on) LO word	-	-
0x0024	37	kwh_resetable_HI	AC Load Energy kWh - Resetable HI Word	kwh	N*0.1
0x0025	38	kwh_resetable_LO	AC Load Energy kWh - Resetable LO Word	kWh	N*0.1
0x0026	39	rtc_tm_count_HI	System time RTC_HI	-	Note 3
0x0027	40	rtc_tm_count_LO	System time RTC_LO	-	
0x0028-0x002F	41 - 48	Reserved	-	-	-
0x0030	49	Modbus_ID	Modbus address (read only)	-	N, 1-247
0x0031-0x0033	50 - 52	MAC_Address	MAC address	-	-
0x0034	53	Reserved	-	-	-
0x0035	54	Port_UDP	UDP port number	-	-
0x0036-0x003B	55 - 60	IP_Address & SubNetMask & Gateway	IP address, subnet mask, gateway	-	-
0x003C-0x003F	61 - 64	Bluetooth_ID	Bluetooth communication ID	-	Reserve

0x0040-0x004F	65 – 80	Reserved	-	-	
0x0050	81	Boat_SW_state	AC output mode Boat Switch state	-	1- (AC on) 2- (AC remote) 3- (neutral gear)
0x0051	82	kwh_total_HI	Total AC load energy kWh HI Word	kWh	N*0.1
0x0052	83	kwh_total_LO	Total AC load energy kWh LO word	-	-
0x0053-0x005B	84-92	Reserved	-	-	
0x005C	93	Run_State	Run state (Off/ On)	-	0 or 1
0x005D	94	LED1 LED2 Display	LED1 LED2 display	-	0-7
0x005E	95	P_AC instantaneous	AC instantaneous power	W	N*0.1
0x005F	96	Relay_State	Relay state		0 or 1
0x006E-0x006F	111-112	Reserved	-	-	-
0x007A-0x007F	123-128	Reserved	-	-	-
0x008E-0x008F	143-144	Reserved	-	-	-

EEPROM

PDU Addr	Logical Addr	Variable name	Variable description	Write Allowed	Unit	Scaling or Range
0xE000	57345	Reserved	-	-	-	-
0xE001	57346	Reserved	-	-	-	-
0xE002	57347	Et_lvd_warn	LVD Warning time	yes	S	n
0xE003	57348	Ev_lvd	Low voltage disconnect	yes	V	N*0.01
0xE004	57349	Ev_lvr	Low voltage reconnect	yes	V	N*0.01
0xE005	57350	Ev_lvdwarn_beep_start	LVD alarm voltage	yes	V	N*0.01
0xE006	57351	Reserved	-	-	-	-
0xE007	57352	Et_hvd_warn	HVD warning time HVD	no	S	n
0xE008	57353	Ev_hvd	High voltage disconnect HVD	no	V	N*0.01
0xE009	57354	Ev_hvr	High voltage reconnect HVR	no	V	N*0.01
0xE00A	57355	Ev_hvdwarn_beep_start	HVD alarm voltage	no	V	N*0.01
0xE00B	57356	Reserved	-	-	-	-
0xE00C	57357	Ev_startlvd	Start LVD setting	yes	V	N*0.01
0xE00D	57358	Ev_starthvd	Start HVD setting	Yes	V	N*0.01
0xE00E	57359	Ehour meter_hi	Accumulated hours (inverter on) HI word	no	h	-
0xE00F	57360	Ehour meter_lo	Accumulated hours (inverter on) LO word	no	-	-
0xE010-0xE019	57361-57370	Reserved	-	-	-	-
0xE01A-0xE021	57371-57378	E_IP_Address & SubNetMask & Gateway	IP address, subnet mask, gateway	yes	-	See Note 1
0xE022-0xE028	57379-57385	Reserved	-	-	-	-
0xE029-0xE02B	57386-57388	E_MAC_Address	MAC address (reserved)	TEST MODE	-	-

0xE02C	57389	Reserved	-	-	-	-
0xE02D	57390	E_kwh_resettable_HI	AC load energy kWh - Resettable HI word	yes	kwh	N*0.1
0xE02E	57391	E_kwh_resettable_LO	Load AC load energy kWh – resettable LO word	yes	kWh	N*0.1
0xE02F	57392	E_kwh_total_HI	Total AC load energy kWh HI word	no	kwh	N*0.1
0xE030	57393	E_kwh_total_LO	Total AC load energy kWh LO word	no	-	-
0xE031	57394	Et_Relay_Open	Delay opening time of relay	yes	S	N
0xE032	57395	Ev_Relay_Open	Relay open voltage	yes	V	N*0.01
0xE033	57396	Ev_Relay_Close	Relay closed voltage	yes	V	N*0.01
0xE034-0xE03A	57397-57403	Reserved	-	-	-	-
0xE03B	57404	E_Port_UDP	UDP Port	yes	-	-
0xE034-0xE116	57397-57623	Reserved	-	-	-	-
0xE117	57624	E_Modbus_ID	Modbus address	yes	-	N, 1-247
0xE118-0xE127	57625	E_HW_VER	Hardware version	no	-	Note 2
0xE128-0xE137	57626	E_SW_VER	Software version	no	-	Note 2
0xE138-0xE147	57627	E_Device_sn	Device serial number	no	-	-
0xE148-0xE14F	57528-57535	Reserved	-	-	-	-

Note 1: Local IP read and write

Read data format description: Starting from 0x0034, 8 consecutive registers are 16 bytes in total

Read Command: 0x03

0x01 0x03 0x00 0x34 0x00 0x08 0x05 0xC2

Return 8 registers with a total of 16 bytes:

01 03 10 00 00 01 F6 C0 A8 01 FD FF FF FF 00 C0 A8 01 01 A2 69

Buf[0] : Modbus ID

Buf[1] : Command

Buf[2] : Data Length

Buf[3-4] : 2 bytes : not used

Buf[5-6] : 2 bytes : UDP Port, 0x01F6=502

Buf[7-10] : 4 bytes : Local IP : C0 A8 02 BC(192.168.1.253)

Buf[11-14] : 4 bytes : Subnet mask: FF FF FF 00(255.255.255.0)

Buf[15-18] : 4 bytes : gateway: C0 A8 02 01(192.168.1.1)

Buf[19-20] : 2 bytes : CRC

Write Command: 0x10, Address : 0xE01A-0xE021

01 10 E0 1A 00 08 10 00 00 01 F6 C0 A8 01 FD FF FF FF 00 C0 A8 01 01 F3 AB

Buf[0] : Modbus ID

Buf[1] : Command

Buf[2-3] : 2 bytes : Register address

Buf[4-5] : 2 bytes : Register Number

Buf[6]:1 bytes : Data Length

Buf[7-8] : 2 bytes : not used

Buf[9-10] : 2 bytes : UDP Port, 0x01F6=502

Buf[11-14] : 4 bytes : Local IP : C0 A8 01 FD(192.168.1.253)
Buf[15-18] : 4 bytes : Subnet mask: FF FF FF 00(255.255.255.0)
Buf[19-22] : 4 bytes : gateway: C0 A8 01 01(192.168.1.1)
Buf[23-24] : 2 bytes : CRC
Returned data:
01 10 E0 1A 00 08 D7 C8
Buf[0] : Modbus ID
Buf[1] : Command
Buf[2-3] : 2 bytes : Register address
Buf[4-5] : 2 bytes : Register Number
Buf[6-7]: 2 bytes : CRC

Note 2 : Read Hardware version, Software version, device serial number

Read Hardware version

Read Command: 0x03
01 03 E1 18 00 10 F2 3D
Return 16 registers with a total of 32 bytes
01 03 20 00 10 53 75 72 65 53 69 6E 65 2D 32 35 30 30 2D 56 36 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 8D F0
Buf[0] : Modbus ID
Buf[1] : Command
Buf[2] : Data Length
Buf[3-4] : Hardware version data length=0x0010,"SureSine-2500-V6"
Buf[35-36] : CRC

Read Software version

Read Command: 0x03
01 03 E1 28 00 10 F2 32
Return 16 registers with a total of 32 bytes
01 03 20 00 0E 53 75 72 65 53 69 6E 65 2D 56 31 2E 31 30 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 DF 50
Buf[0] : Modbus ID
Buf[1] : Command
Buf[2] : Data Length
Buf[3-4]: Software version data length=0x0010,"SureSine-V1.10"
Buf[35-36]: CRC

Read device serial number

Read Command: 0x03
01 03 E1 38 00 10 F3 F7
Return 16 registers with a total of 32 bytes
01 03 20 00 08 31 34 33 39 32 30 31 33 00 F8 33
Buf[0] : Modbus ID
Buf[1] : Command
Buf[2] : Data Length
Buf[3-4] : Sreial number data length=0x0008,"14392013"
Buf[35-36] : CRC

Note 3: System time reading and writing

0x0026 and 0x0027 rtc_tm_count_hi rtc_tm_count_lo registers, used to read and write system time 2 registers, totaling 4 bytes

Write Command : 0x10

The order of the 4 bytes is high order before low order. Form an unsigned integer.

The method of replacing the data read back with time:

Read

Read Command : 0x03

Send : 01 03 00 26 00 02 25 C0

Return : 01 03 04 2C 16 85 54 70 08

Time to read back+(2000-01-01 00:00:00)=now

2000-01-01 00:00:00:00 is the absolute number of seconds relative to the 1970-01-01 00:00:00 moment, which is 946656000 seconds.

Replace now with date and time

Write

Write Command : 0x10

01 10 00 26 00 02 04 2C 16 14 72 17 EC

Method to set the controller time: Subtract the current computer time by 2000-01-01 0:0:0 to obtain the absolute number of seconds.

Form an absolute number of seconds into 4 bytes of data, with high bits in the first and low bits in the second.

Write Single Coil(0x05)

PDU Addr	Variable description
0x0010	Turn off inverter (Communication mode)
0x0011	Turn on inverter (Communication mode)
0x0012	Reset load kWh
0x0013	Reset Accumulated working hours
0x0014	Clear faults (set only, will always read 0)
0x0015	Clear alarms (set only, will always read 0)
0x0016	Restore factory settings
0x0019	Relay Open or Close (close:0xFF 0x00 ; open:0x00 0x00)
0x00FF	Reset control

Write Single Register(0x06)

See EEPROM table in Read Input Registers(0x04)

Read Device Identification (0x2B, subcode 0x0E)

Object Id	Object Name/Description	Typical Value
00	manufacturer name	Morningstar
01	Product model	SI-2500-48-120-60-HW
02	Hardware version	SureSine-2500-V6
03	Software version	SureSine-V1.10
04	device serial number	20310001

Read command : 01 2B 0E 01 00 70 77

Inverter return : 01 2B 0E 01 01 00 00 05 00 0B 4D 6F 72 6E 69 6E 67 53 74 61 72 01 14 53 49 2D 32 35 30 30 2D 34 38 2D 31 32 30 2D 36 30 2D 48 57 02 10 53 75 72 65 53 69 6E 65 2D 32 35 30 30 2D 56 36 03 0E 53 75 72 65 53 69 6E 65 2D 56 31 2E 30 37 04 08 32 30 33 31 30 30 30 31 DF 8E

Data description:

01 2B 0E 01 01 00

00 05

00 0B 4D 6F 72 6E 69 6E 67 53 74 61 72 //Object Id 0, corporate name

01 14 53 49 2D 32 35 30 30 2D 34 38 2D 31 32 30 2D 36 30 2D 48 57 //Object Id 1, Product model
02 10 53 75 72 65 53 69 6E 65 2D 32 35 30 30 2D 56 36 //Object Id 2, Hardware version
03 0E 53 75 72 65 53 69 6E 65 2D 56 31 2E 30 37 //Object Id 3, Software version
04 08 32 30 33 31 30 30 30 31 //Object Id 4, device serial number
DF 8E //Check for CRC

Variables and Definitions

Variable Name (PDU Address) (Units). Short description. Definition.

Read Holding and Read Input Registers

Located in processor RAM, updated continuously

Prated (0x0003) (W). AC Output Power rating

DC volts (0x0004) (V). Input DC Voltage rating.

Nominal input DC voltage rating. Note: does not report actual input voltage.

AC volts 0x0005) (V). Output AC Voltage rating.

Nominal output AC voltage rating. Note: does not report actual output voltage.

Hertz (0x0006) (Hz). Output Frequency rating.

Nominal AC output frequency rating. Note: does not report actual AC frequency.

adc_remote (0x0007) (V). Remote On/Off Switch Status

Remote Switch Terminal Status. Open = 0 / Closed = 1

Note: Indicates the state of the remote control switch only, not if AC is ON or OFF.

Vb (0x0008) (V). Battery Voltage, filtered.

Idc (0x0009) (A). DC current, filtered.

Total DC current, with slow filter.

Vac (0x000A) (V). AC output Voltage, filtered.

AC output Voltage supplied to AC loads, with slow filter.

Iac (0x000B) (A). AC output current, filtered.

Total AC output current supplied to AC loads, with slow filter.

Ths (0x000C) (°C). Heatsink temperature.

Internal heatsink temperature used for over-temperature protection. Reported in degrees Celsius.

Ta (0x000E) (°C). internal temperature.

Internal PCB temperature generally indicates temperature inside the enclosure. Reported in degrees Celsius.

dip_switch (0x000F) (bitfield). Dip Switch Configuration.

Each bit in the dipswitch bitfield indicates the position of one of the four DIP switches.

A "0" value indicates Down or OFF position, a "1" indicates Up or ON position. LSB = DIP switch #1.

load_state (0x0010) (unitless). Load State.

Reports a decimal number that corresponds to the operating state as follows:

load_state value	Operating State
Bit 0	Manual power on
Bit 1	Manual power off
Bit 2	Remote switch power on
Bit 3	Remote switch power off
Bit 4	Fault power off
Bit 5	Timing automatic power on
Bit 6	Timing automatic power off
Bit 7	low power consumption power on
Bit 8	low power consumption power off
Bit 9	Load overload
Bit 10	Load short circuit
Bit 11	HVD Fault
Bit 12	LVD Fault
Bit 13	Load high temperature fault
Bit 14	Communication command power off
Bit 15	Communication command power on

Heatsink_temp_status (0x0012) (unitless). Heatsink temperature status.

0 - Normal; 1 - High temperature; 2- Temperature sensor failure

Ta_status (0x0014) (unitless). Internal temperature status.

0-Normal; 1- High temperature; 2- Temperature sensor failure

Fault (0x0015) (bitfield). INV Faults. INV

Each bit in the fault bitfield corresponds to a fault as outlined in the table below. A fault is a critical error that ceases inverter operation.

0 = no fault. 1 = fault condition.

Bit	Fault
Bit 0 (LSB)	
Bit 1	AC overcurrent
Bit 2	AC short-circuit
Bit 3	HVD disconnect
Bit 4	LVD disconnect
Bit 5	heatsink high temperature (95°C) disconnect
Bit 6	inverter fault

Alarm (0x0016) (bitfield). Inverter Alarms.

Each bit in the alarm bitfield corresponds to an alarm as outlined in the table below.

The alarm is a non-critical notification, and the inverter operation is not stopped.

Bit	Alarm
Bit 0 (LSB)	heatsink temperature sensor disconnect
Bit 1	heatsink temperature sensor short circuit
Bit 2	Ambient temperature sensor disconnect
Bit 3	Ambient temperature sensor short circuit
Bit 4	HVD
Bit 5	LVD
Bit 6	reserved
Bit 7	AC over current
Bit 8	heatsink temperature too high (above 90°C)
Bit 9	AC overcurrent

hourmeter_Hi hourmeter_Lo (0x0022,0x0023) (h). Hourmeter. Reports the total operating time (with Inverter Output ON)

kwh_resettable_Hi kwh_resettable_Lo (0x0024) (kWh). AC Load Energy consumption, Resettable.

kwh_total_Hi kwh_total_Lo (0x0025) (kWh). Total AC Load Energy consumption, Not resettable

rtc_tm_count_hi rtc_tm_count_lo (0x0026,0x0027) (S). RTC Real Time Clock System Time - See Note 3

Modbus_ID (0x0030) (unitless). Modbus Address. 1-247

MAC_Address (0x0031-0x0033) (unitless). MAC Address

Port_UDP (0x0035) (unitless). UDP Port.

IP_Address & SubNetMask & Gateway (0x0036-0x003B) (unitless). IP address, subnet mask, gateway

Bluetooth_ID (0x003C-0x003F) (unitless). Bluetooth communication ID.

Boat_SW_state (0x0050) (unitless). AC Output Mode Boat switch state. 1- I (AC on); 2- II (AC remote) 3-(neutral gear)

kwh_total_HI kwh_total_Lo (0x0051,0x0052) (kWh). Total load AC Load Energy consumption

Run_State (0x005C) (unitless).Run State.1:AC ON;0:AC OFF

LED1 LED2 Display (0x005D) (unitless). LED1 LED2 Display.

Status LED	AC output LED	Status State	AC output State	LED Value
OFF	OFF	N/A	N/A	0
GREEN	OFF	OK	OFF	1
GREEN	GREEN	OK	ON	2
GREEN	GREEN(BLINK)	OK	STANDBY	3
GREEN	RED(BINK)	LVD Warning	ON or STANDBY	4
GREEN	RED	LVD	OFF	5
RED	RED BLINK	CRITICAL FAULT	RESET	6
RED	RED	FAULT	OFF	7

P_AC instantaneous (0x005E) (W). AC instantaneous power.

Relay_State (0x005F) (unitless). Relay State.
1 - CLOSED; 0 - OPEN

EEPROM Register Description

Et_lvd_warn (0xE002) (S). LVD Warning delay time.
Low Voltage Disconnect alarm delay time.

Ev_lvd (0xE003) (V). Low Voltage Disconnect.

Ev_lvr (0xE004) (V). Low Voltage Reconnect.

Ev_lvdwarn_beep_start (0xE005) (V). LVD Alarm voltage.

Et_hvd_warn (0xE007) (S). HVD Warning delay time.
High voltage disconnect alarm delay time.

Ev_hvd (0xE008) (V). High voltage disconnect

Ev_hvr (0xE009) (V). High voltage reconnect

Ev_hvdwarn_beep_start (0xE00A) (V). High alarm voltage.

Ev_startlvd (0xE00C) (V). Start LVD setting.
LVD immediately begins to disconnect the voltage without any delay.

Ev_starthvd (0xE00D) (V). Start HVD setting.
HVD immediately begins to disconnect the voltage without any delay.

Ehour meter_hi Ehour meter_Lo (0xE00E,0xE00F) (h). Accumulated working hours. Resets the total operating time (with Inverter Output ON)

E_IP_Address & SubNetMask & Gateway (0xE01A,0xE021) (unitless). Local IP address, subnet mask, gateway IP.

E_MAC_Address (0xE029,0xE02B) (unitless). MAC Address.

E_kwh_resettable_HI E_kwh_resettable_Lo (0xE02D,0xE02E) (kWh). Load AC Load Energy consumption (Can be reset).

E_kwh_total_HI E_kwh_total_Lo (0xE02F,0xE030) (kWh). Total load AC Load Energy consumption, NOT resettable.

Et_Relay_Open (0xE031) (S). Delay opening time of relay.

Ev_Relay_Open (0xE032) (V). Minimum voltage for relay opening. Can be used for external Low Voltage Disconnect. (LVD) with external loads or genstart

Ev_Relay_Close (0xE033) (V). Minimum voltage for relay closing. Can be used for Low Voltage Reconnect (LVR) with external loads or genstop

E_Modbus_ID (0xE117) (unitless). Modbus address.

E_HW_VER (0xE118,0xE127) (unitless). Hardware version.

E_SW_VER (0xE128,0xE137) (unitless). Software version.

E_Device_sn (0xE138,0xE147) (unitless). Device serial number.

Document Revision History

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