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# **ELECTRONIC INTERLOCKING (EI) SYSTEM "K5D"**

# 30 years' history with over 2,000 stations

Thirty years have past since the electronic interlocking system was first developed and put to practical use, followed by various enhancements made to the system. The critical technologies incorporated in the electronic interlocking system include electronic circuits, programs, interlocking technology, a transmission circuit, and field equipment interfaces. The remarkable advances made in LSI (RISC) technology with regard to electronic circuits, along with much higher transmission speeds in recent years have helped make many variations and/or various system configurations of electronic interlocking systems possible.

Along with the advancement of basic technology, electronic interlocking systems are required to evolve, in addition to the role of ensuring operation even in areas with a high volume of train traffic and high-quality safety performance. Kyosan developed a new electronic interlocking system which is named "K5D" so as to meet these demands and participate actively in future generation.

#### **Basic information of "K5D"**



Electronic terminal sub-rack							
Interface	ET-NET, Relay						
Input/Output	32 I/Os per 1 PIO borad						
Temperature [°C]	-20~+70						
Humidity [%]	95 and less (no condensation						
Operating voltage	DC24V±10%						

Logic sub-rack					
Interface	ET-NET, Ethernet				
CPU	32bit Fail-safe CPU				
Temperature [°C]	-20~+70				
Humidity [%]	95 and less (no condensation)				
Operating voltage	DC24V±10%				

#### Features of "K5D"

The interlocking system is a plant that governs safe, smooth operation of trains in a station or depot area controlling all varieties of signaling equipment installed in the area, such as point machines, track circuits, signals, etc., by electrical/electronic means. The next generation electronic interlocking system is designed based on the following key features.

#### 1. High-Quality Safety & Redundancy

The logic unit of the next generation electronic interlocking system secures the high safety by comparing calculation results of two 32-bit CPUs in the logic card. In addition, the logic unit and its peripherals are all duplicated for redundancy in order to maintain high system availability. The new system conform to requirements for Safety Integrity Level 4 of international standards IEC 62278.

#### 2. Visualized Designing

A specially provided software tool (Logic Data Compiler: LDC) facilitates the design of the interlocking logic, which can be programmable as an image of relay circuit diagrams.

#### 3. Enhanced Scalability

Modular versatile remote electronic terminals allow easy expansion of the system.

#### 4. Variety in Monitoring

The system console enables comprehensive maintenance of the interlocking system through a variety of graphical monitoring functions.

#### 5. Compliance with EMC standards

Our interlocking system has been designed and manufactured based on a wealth of experience in delivering products to overseas markets, and has passed the EMC test items to comply with the IEC61000 and EN50141 series.

#### 6. User-Friendly Maintainability

Wire harness is available for internal wiring and it reduces maintenance and replacement works. Maintenance console has function to monitor other station's status through the network. The centralized supervision enables quick response in case of emergency.



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#### Descriptions of the System configuration diagrams of "K5D"

- Either Control hardware is available Control Panel type or Control PC type for "K5D".
- "K5D" is connectable with Centralized traffic control system (CTC), Automatic train supervision system (ATS) and other signaling system via Ethernet.
- ET-NET between Logic sub-rack and Electronic terminal sub-rack is exclusive line for transmitting/receiving each equipment's information of the station.
- The Logic sub-rack is able to control multi stations, and realize the configuration similar to single station's one.
- The Electronic terminal sub-rack connects with signaling field gears (e.g. Signals, Point machines, Track circuits, Level crossings, etc.) directly by using dedicated drive cards or via relay terminals.

#### Designing of "K5D"

#### A. Flexibility attained by using IC card

The software of the next generation electronic interlocking system consists of two layers. One is the basic software (firmware) that manages the safe operation of the system stored in a ROM. The other is application software that executes station-specific interlocking logic that is programmed using the LDC and loaded by means of an IC card. New installation or modification of the interlocking logic is easily accomplished by exchanging the IC card.

#### **B. LDC (Logic Data Compiler)**

The LDC is a software design tool that allows the designer to create the interlocking logic on a Boolean logic basis, which is easily interchangeable with relay circuit diagrams as to logic expression. In addition, the LDC is outfitted with an automatic data comparison feature that identifies modified portions of the logic on the display for easy verification of the modified design.

![](_page_2_Picture_14.jpeg)

![](_page_2_Figure_16.jpeg)

#### System monitor of "K5D"

#### **Maintenance Console**

The system console has a variety of different real-time displays, including track map, relay status, timing charts of relay operation, relay circuit diagram, and system status. In addition, operation and failure events are automatically recorded in the system's memory for a predetermined period of time, and can be reported via the display or a printer, providing an easy means for data analysis and troubleshooting.

![](_page_3_Picture_3.jpeg)

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Operations of each element of the system, including logical relays and field equipment, are recorded in chronological order.

#### **Screen display**

The system console displays various system statuses via comprehensive graphical images.

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Indicates operating sequence of the logical relays in a timing chart image.

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Indicates healthy status of each block configuring the system.

System status

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CONTOLE		07-008 1
LOLIC I FS-LAN	LOGIC 2	07-CON 2
ET		1/F
		CONTROL PANEL

Failed portions are highlighted in red. When the red part is pressed, a message will appear with the solution.

#### Track record of Kyosan's interlocking system

## Implemented at over 2,000 stations worldwide!

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