[SEN0246]URM08-RS485 Waterproof Sonar Range Finder

Introduction
With an internal temperature compensation and accurate distance detection, URM08-RS485 is a combination of temperature measurement device and distance inspection tool. The inner is fully enclosed and the external is made of metal crust, which has brought advantages such as waterproof, dustproof and corrosion resistance… It is applicable to detections of liquid level, levels, and barrier applications. As a high standard sensor, it guarantees smaller blind zone and larger inspection range. On the premise of stable output data, it shows better measurement capabilities in the market of temperature sensors and distance detection sensors.

Specification
- Operating Voltage: DC 6.0 ~ 12.0V
- Effective Range: 35 ~ 550 cm
- Direction Angle: ≤60°
- Standby Current: <15 mA
- Distance Resolution: 1cm
- Temperature Resolution: 0.1°C
- Operating Temperature Range: -10 ~ 70°C
- Distance Error: ±1%
- Temperature Error: ±1°C
- Operating Humidity Range: RH<75%
- Acoustic Frequency: 38 ~ 42KHz
- Recommended Measurement Period: 100ms
- Protection Degree: IP65
- Length of Pin: 30±3cm
- Interface: 5557-2x2P male head

Interfaces and Dimension
Communication Protocol

Factory Parameters:
Serial Parameters: 19200 (bps) 8N1
Factory Address: 0x11

Communication Command Frame Format

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<td>0x55</td>
<td>0xAA</td>
<td>1 byte</td>
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<td>Data 1~Data n</td>
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Commands List

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Description: Checksum is the amount value of previous bytes. It only keeps low 8 bytes.

Read the Distance
The host sends a frame command to the ultrasonic module through the UART interface to trigger the module to start detection, and then the sensor sends back the distance data after the detection. For example, the address of the ultrasonic module is 0x11, then the host sends: 0x55 0xAA 0x11 0x00 0x02 0x12 [55 AA 11 00 02 12]

Description:
Frame header 0x55
Frame header 0xAA
Device address 0x11
Data length 0x00
Command 0x02
Checksum 0x12

The ultrasonic module returns data: 0x55 0xAA 0x11 0x02 0x02 0x00 0xCA 0xDE

Description:
Frame header 0x55
Frame header 0xAA
Device address 0x11
Data length 0x02
Command 0x02
Distance high 0x00
Distance low 0xCA (0x00 0xCA convert to decimal system is 202, which represent the detected distance is 202cm)
Checksum 0xDE

Read the Temperature
The host reads the current temperature measured by the ultrasonic module via the RS485 interface.
For example, the ultrasonic module address is 0x11, the host sends: 0x55 0xAA 0x11 0x00 0x03 0x13 [55 AA 11 00 03 13]

Description:
Frame header 0x55
Frame header 0xAA
Device address -------------- 0x11
Data length --------------- 0x00
Command ----------------- 0x03
Checksum ----------------- 0x13

The ultrasonic module returns data: 0x55 0xAA 0x11 0x02 0x00 0xFF 0x14

Description:
Frame header ------------- 0x55
Frame header ------------- 0xAA
Device address ---------- 0x11
Data length ------------- 0x02
Command ----------------- 0x03
Temperature high ------- 0x00
Temperature low -------- 0xFF (Temperature value 0x00FF convert to decimal system is 255, resolution 0.1°C, the real temperature value is 25.5°C)
Checksum ----------------- 0x14

Set the Device Address
The host sets the ultrasonic module address via the RS485 interface.
For example, set the ultrasonic module address 0x12 (the address range is 0x00-0xFF, except 0xAB which is just a broadcast address and could not be set as a device address), then the host sends: 0x55 0xAA 0xAB 0x01 0x55 0x12 0x12

Description:
Frame header ------------- 0x55
Frame header ------------- 0xAA
Broadcast address ------ 0xAB
Data length ------------- 0x01
Command ----------------- 0x55
Device address to set ----- 0x12
Checksum ----------------- 0x12

If you set it successfully, the ultrasonic module returns command 0x55 0xAA 0x12 0x01 0x55 0xCC 0x33, the device address changed to 0x12 now.

Description:
Frame header ------------- 0x55
Frame header ------------- 0xAA
Device address ---------- 0x12 (modified device address)
Data length ------------- 0x01
Command ----------------- 0x55
Operation status ------- 0xCC (0xCC - operation completed, 0xEE - operation failed)
Checksum ----------------- 0x33
Set the UART Communication Baud Rate

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The host sets the ultrasonic module address via the RS485 interface.
For example, if the address of the ultrasonic module is set to 0x11, the host sends: 0x55 0xAA 0x11 0x01 0x08 0x0B 0x24 // Set baud rate to 256000bps [55 AA 11 01 08 0B 24]

Description:
Frame header --------------- 0x55
Frame header --------------- 0xAA
Broadcast address -----------0x11
Data length --------------- 0x01
Command --------------- 0x08
Baud rate selection ----------- 0x0B (Corresponding baud rate is 256000bps)
Checksum --------------- 0x24 (amount value of previous bytes)

If the setting is successful, the ultrasonic module returns the command: 0x55 0xAA 0x11 0x01 0x08 0xCC 0xE5

Description:
Frame header --------------- 0x55
Frame header --------------- 0xAA
Device address --------------- 0x11
Data length --------------- 0x01
Command --------------- 0x08
Operation status -----------0xCC (0xCC - operation completed, 0xEE - operation failed)
Checksum --------------- 0xE5 (amount value of previous bytes)