

**SIMPLWINDOWS
NAME:**

None

CATEGORY:

Camera

VERSION:

None

SUMMARY:

This module is used to control a Canon VC-C3 communication camera. A CNXCOM port must be used since two way RS232 communication is necessary.

GENERAL NOTES:

You must establish communications with the camera by pulsing RS232-ON. This will enable the RS232 port. After the camera is in RS232 mode, the rest of the inputs and outputs will function correctly.

This module uses the same auto-speed feature as the IR remote. When a pan, tilt, or zoom button is first pressed, the camera will begin moving slowly. If the button is held down, the camera will speed up.

Saving a preset is a three step process:

1. Move the camera to the desired position
2. Press SAVE (the SAVE-FB will go high)
3. Press the preset you wish to save the location to.

To recall a preset, just press the preset number.

**CRESTRON
HARDWARE
REQUIRED:**

CNXCOM

**SETUP OF
CRESTRON
HARDWARE:**

The port should be set as follows:

Baud Rate - 9600
 Parity - None
 Data Bits - 8
 Stop Bits - 1
 RTS and CTS must be enabled

**VENDOR
FIRMWARE:**

None

VENDOR SETUP:

The rotary ID switch on the Canon VC-C3 should be set to ID 0.

All four DIP switches on the Canon VC-C3 should be in the up (off) position.

CABLE DIAGRAM:

The cable connecting the CNXCOM port to the camera should be as follows (identical to the Canon VC-C1 camera cable):

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| CNXCOM | to | Canon VC-C3 |
| 2 | to | 3 |
| 3 | to | 5 |
| 5 | to | 4, 6 |
| 7 | to | 2 |
| 8 | to | 1 |

CONTROL:

TILT-UP

control tilt, pan, focus, zoom for as long as signal is held high

TILT-DOWN

control tilt, pan, focus, zoom for as long as signal is held high

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| PAN-LEFT | control tilt, pan, focus, zoom for as long as signal is held high |
| PAN-RIGHT | control tilt, pan, focus, zoom for as long as signal is held high |
| ZOOM-IN | control tilt, pan, focus, zoom for as long as signal is held high |
| ZOOM-OUT | control tilt, pan, focus, zoom for as long as signal is held high |
| FOCUS-NEAR | control tilt, pan, focus, zoom for as long as signal is held high |
| FOCUS-FAR | control tilt, pan, focus, zoom for as long as signal is held high |
| AUTOFOCUS-ON | Turn on autofocus (recalling a preset will also turn it on) |
| AUTOFOCUS-OFF | Turn off autofocus (using manual focus controls will also turn it off) |
| AUTOFOCUS-TOGGLE | Toggle the state of autofocus |
| PRESETS | Used to store and recall presets for pan, tilt and zoom positions |
| SAVE | Puts the module into save mode to allow storage of presets |
| HOME | Sends the camera to a home position for pan and tilt |
| RS232-ON | Puts the camera into RS232 control mode. This must be done before any other commands are sent to it. |
| RS232-OFF | Takes the unit out of RS232 control mode |
| VCC3-RX\$ | A serial data signal coming from the CNXCOM port. |

FEEDBACK:

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| AUTOFOCUS-ON-FB | Real feedback indicating if camera is in autofocus |
| AUTOFOCUS-OFF-FB | Real feedback indicating when camera is not in autofocus |
| PRESETS-FB | Indicate which preset was last chosen |
| PRESET-SAVE-FB | Indicates when the module is in save mode |
| RS232-ON-FB | Real feedback indicating control mode of camera |
| RS232-OFF-FB | Real feedback indicating control mode of camera |
| PRESET-BUSY | High while a preset is being saved or recalled |
| VCC3-TX\$ | A serial data signal going to the CNXCOM port |

OPS USED FOR TESTING: 3.17.30

COMPILER USED FOR TESTING: 3.18.04

WORKSHOP USED FOR TESTING: 5.23

SAMPLE PROGRAM: VCC3TEST.CN2,
VCC3TEST.PRJ

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| | CN-VCC3R | Original |
| | | Add IR remote control |
| | | No need to initialize presets |
| | CN-VCC3B | No need to store end stops |
| | | No preset recall on RS232 mode on |
| REVISION HISTORY: | CN-VCC3C | Remove INIT preset function |
| | CN-VCC3D | Correct problem with pan/tilt |

speed increasing too quickly