QUICK GUIDE TO: Context Sensitive Help

Pressing F1 within DIGSI 5, will open the 'DIGSI 5 Help File', at the section related to the currently selected area. A copy of this help file is also available in PDF format.

QUICK GUIDE TO: Adding further Help information

When downloading device drivers, a relay "Online Help" file is also optionally available. This can be downloaded and installed into DIGSI 5 in the same manner as Device Drivers, and a record of it will appear listed there.
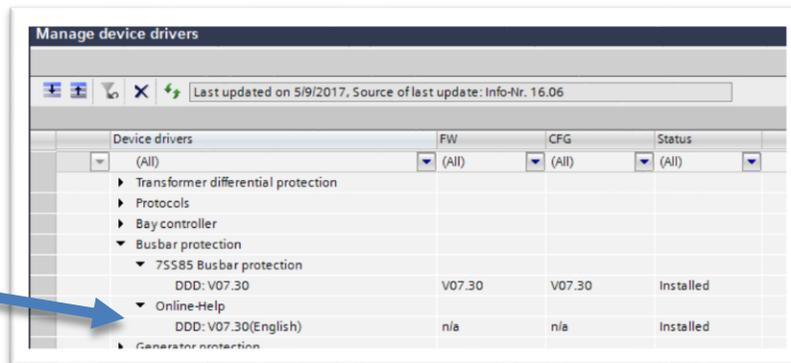

Figure 1. Manage device drivers screen shows loaded help files.

The device help file becomes accessible via DIGSI's SIPROTEC 5 Help menu. This help file has the same contents as the PDF device manual (available for download via the Siemens web site).
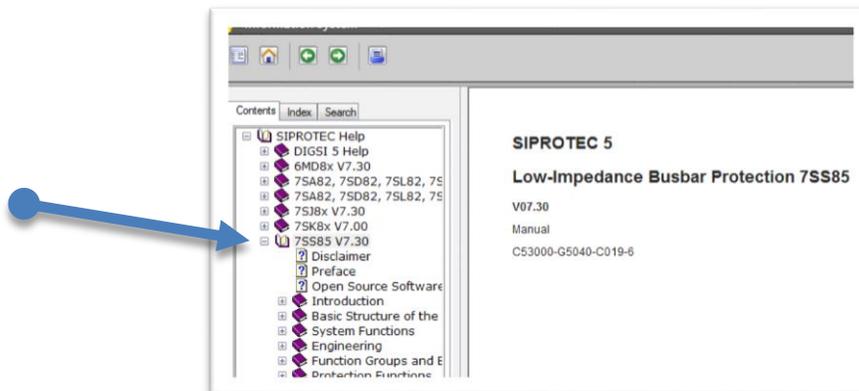

Figure 2. SIPROTEC 5 Help file, with specific device help files added.

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With DIGSI 5 setting files, each parameter is given a unique reference number, to aid referencing that setting and finding information in specific device manual/help files. If the parameter numbers are not shown in DIGSI 5 per the example in **Figure 3**, click the box indicated at the top right.

Figure 3. Example parameter reference numbering.

Refer to "Text Structure and Reference Number for Settings and Indications" section of the device manual for details on the format of the number.

IMPORTANT NOTES:
- In DIGSI 5, reference numbers take the format like xx.yyy.zzz but in manuals the number take the format xx:yyy:zzz (note colons). If searching in PDF or online help REMEMBER to use colons, not full stops.
- The structure of the number includes a reference to the function group, the protection function and the instance (in the case of functions which may be used a number of times). Therefore, a search of the full number is unlikely result in success (drop the xx and use the yyy:zzz or just yyy portion).
- There may be occasions where the same number is used for more than one parameter, so do a full search, and confirm which search result best matches the parameter.
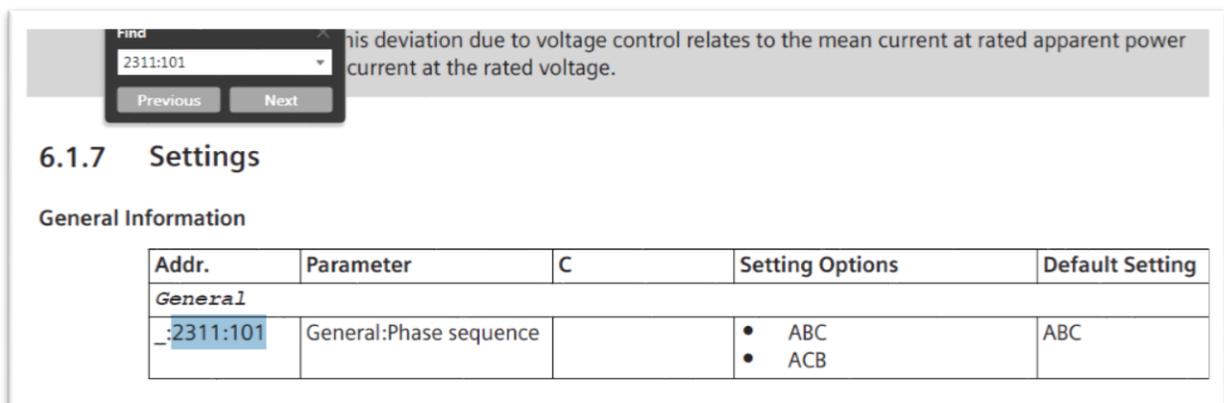

Figure 4. Result of searching PDF manual with 2311:101 (being number obtained from Figure 3 example).

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