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1. Welcome to COPA-DATA help

GENERAL HELP

If you cannot find any information you require in this help chapter or can think of anything that you would like added, please send an email to documentation@copadata.com (mailto:documentation@copadata.com).

PROJECT SUPPORT

You can receive support for any real project you may have from our Support Team, who you can contact via email at support@copadata.com (mailto:support@copadata.com).

LICENSES AND MODULES

If you find that you need other modules or licenses, our staff will be happy to help you. Email sales@copadata.com (mailto:sales@copadata.com).

2. Cross-reference list

The cross-reference list gives an overview which modules and functions are linked how. zenon provides two instruments for this:

- Cross-reference list (on page 5): displays links in the project tabularly The cross-reference list always relates to the project that is currently active.
- Project analysis (on page 14): analyzes the use of functions and variables and finds not used functions or variables





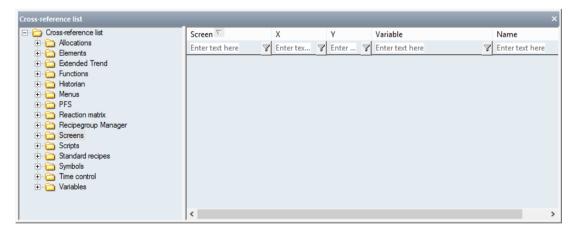
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3. Cross reference list

The cross-reference list creates a project overview in table form for the project that is currently active. All relationships between variables, functions, screens, recipes etc. are displayed for documentation and traceability. For example, it is possible to see which variables are used in what screens in the Cross Reference List.

3.1 General

To display the cross-reference list, click, in the Options menu, on the entry Cross-reference list. The cross-reference list is opened.



In order to get information about a certain module, simply expand the corresponding node. Available are:

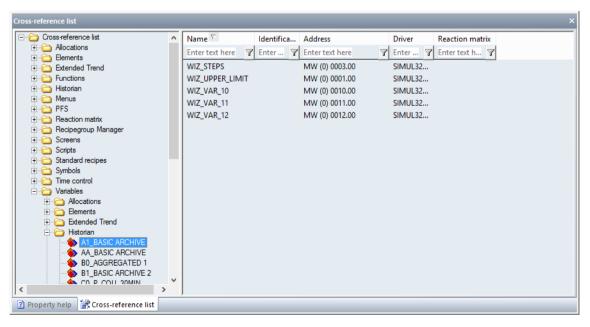


Module	Elements that can be displayed
Historian	▶ Functions
	▶ Variables
Screens	▶ Elements
	▶ Menus
	Symbols: There are three different symbol libraries available in zenon. For details, see the symbol library (on page 8) chapter.
	▶ Variables
Elements	▶ Screens
	▶ Variables
ETM	▶ Functions
Functions	▶ Historian
	Automatic function call
	▶ Screens
	Bitmap button
	▶ Button
	▶ Menus
	▶ PFS
	Reaction matrix
	▶ Scripts
	Invisible button
	Variable limits
	Time control
Menus	▶ Screens
	▶ Functions
	▶ Variables
PFS	▶ Functions
	▶ Variables
Reaction matrix	▶ Functions
	▶ Variables
Recipegroup Manager	Recipegroups
	▶ Variables
Scripts	► Functions



Standard Recipes	▶ Variables
Symbols	▶ Screens
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Variables	▶ Historian
	▶ Screens
	▶ Elements
	Extended Trend
	Mathematics
	▶ Menus
	▶ PFS
	Reaction matrix
	Recipegroup Manager
	Standard Recipes
	▶ Allocations
Time control	► Functions
Allocations	▶ Variables

After a click on one of the supported objects information about it is displayed in the list on the right part of the window.



Information about the selected topic is displayed in the list area. The contents can be sorted and filtered.



- ▶ Sorting: Clicking on the column header sorts the column; a second click reverses the sorting.
- ► Filter: Enter the search criteria in the filter box in the column header. Several filters can be linked into a chain.

To remove the filter: Delete the content of the filter box.

3.1.1 Symbol libraries

Note when using symbol libraries that zenon distinguishes between three different symbol libraries:



Symbol library	Property
General symbol library	Symbols are available in all projects. The <code>general symbol library</code> node is located in the project manager below the currently-loaded projects.
	Label when linking in the screen: [symbol group]/[symbol name]
	Rules:
	The dialog for selecting variables offers all projects of the workspace for linking.
	These symbols are saved in the zenon program folder and only updated when the Editor starts. These symbols are not saved during project backup.
	Interlockings and aliases for ALC cannot be configured. Warning: If symols that contain interlockings or aliases are added, these settings are removed.
Symbol library the global project	Symbols are available for all projects of the workspace.
giodai pioject	Label when linking in the screen: (g) [symbol name]
	Rules:
	The symbols copied into the symbol library of the global project retain their variable linking without changes.
	The variable dialog offers all projects of the workspace for linking. Linked variables are placed in front of the name of the respective project.
	The name of the Variable can be amended in the properties window. This way, for example, the prefix can be deleted with the project origin.
	▶ The symbols are also backed up when a project is backed up.
	Interlockings and aliases for ALC cannot be configured. Warning: If symols that contain interlockings or aliases are added, these settings are removed.
Symbol library the	Symbols are only available in the current project.
project	Label when linking in the screen: [Symbol name]
	Rules:
	The symbols are saved in the project folder. The project symbol library is in the current project in the Screens node and is backed up together with project backup.
	Interlockings and aliases for ALC can be configured. These properties are also retained when symbols are added.

Symbols can be copied by dragging & dropping.

- ▶ From the general symbol library into the symbol library in the global project
- ► From the symbol library in the global project into the symbol library in the project or vice versa
- Direct copying from the symbol library into the symbol library in the project or copying from the project or global project into the general symbol library is not possible.



3.2 The context menu

The cross-reference list provides a range of functionality:

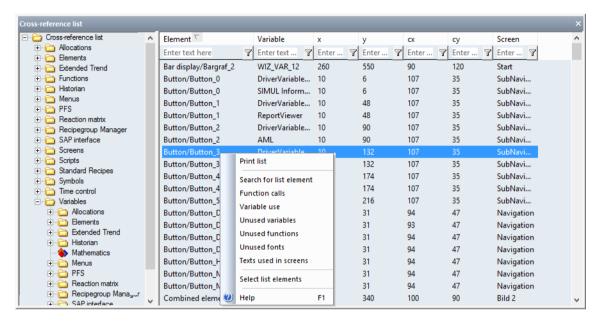
- ▶ Print list (on page 11): Prints the list area of the Cross Reference List containing selected information.
- ▶ Search for list element: (on page 11) Opens a dialog to search for a certain element.
- ▶ Function calls (on page 12): Opens a dialog with a list of the defined functions.
- Variable use: (on page 13) Opens a dialog with a list of the defined variables.
- ▶ Unused variables: (on page 13) Displays all unused variables in the list area.
- ▶ Unused functions: (on page 13) Displays all unused functions in the list area.
- ▶ Unused fonts: (on page 13) Displays all unused fonts in the list area.
- ▶ Texts used in screens: Searches for texts used in screens.
- ▶ select list elements: (on page 14) Opens a dialogbox for the selection of one or more listed elements.
- ▶ неір: Opens online help.
- ▶ Delete: Deletes unused elements (variables, functions and fonts). Is only displayed if there are deletable elements

To execute one of the functions:

- 1. Set the focus to the list window
- 2. carry out a right click





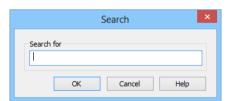


3.2.1 Print list

Selecting the Print list command from the context menu opens the standard dialog to select a printer and the options for print-out.

3.2.2 Search for list element

Selection of the Search for list element command from the context menu opens the following dialog:

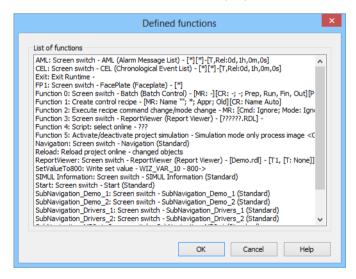




Parameters	Description
Search for	Entry of a character sequence.
OK	Applies search parameters and closes the dialog. The first thing that is found in the list that corresponds to the search term is displayed. A match from the first character onwards is looked for.
	Example: Element name: A search for W finds Wizard_10 . A search for Z does not find the element.
Cancel	Discards all changes and closes the dialog.
Help	Opens online help.

3.2.3 Function calls

Selecting the command Function calls from the context menu opens the following dialogbox, in which all defined functions of the current project are listed:

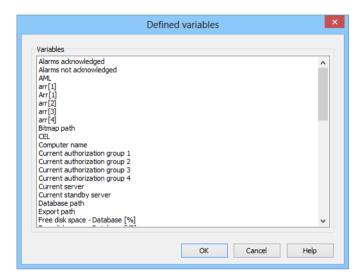


An element can be selected. Clicking on ox displays the element with all its uses in the cross-reference list.



3.2.4 Variable use

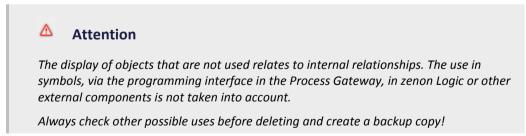
Selection of the **variable use** command from the context menu opens the dialog that contains all used variables.



An element can be selected. Clicking on ox displays the element with all its uses in the cross-reference list.

3.2.5 Unused variables / functions / fonts

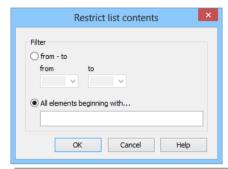
In the list of unused elements (variables, functions and fonts) the context menu gets an additional menu entry delete. This allows elements to be selected and deleted from the list.





3.2.6 Select list elements

Selection of the select list elements command from the context menu opens the dialog to search in the list.



Parameters	Description	
from - to	Active: A search for elements with certain letters at the start is carried out. Selection of the range of starting letter in the alphabet from drop-down lists:	
	▶ from : first letter of the range	
	▶ to: last letter of the range	
	All elements that have their first letter in the defined range are found. The search direction is always A->Z.	
All elements beginning with	Active: A search for elements that start with a certain character sequence is made.	
ОК	Applies search rules, closes the dialog and highlights the elements found in the list.	
Cancel	Discards all changes and closes the dialog.	
Help	Opens online help.	

4. Project analysis

The project analysis analyzes the use of elements in a project.

At this:

- ▶ the link with other elements can be analyzed
- you can search for unused elements

Currently the project analysis is available for:

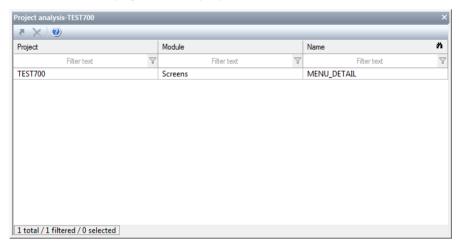


- ▶ Functions
- ▶ Scripts
- Variables

ANALYZE THE USE OF AN ELEMENT

To analyze an element:

- 1. highlight the desired variable or function in the detail view
- 2. In the context menu, select the Variable use, Function use Or script use Command
- 3. the result list (on page 16) is displayed in an own window



4. via the context menu you can jump to an element

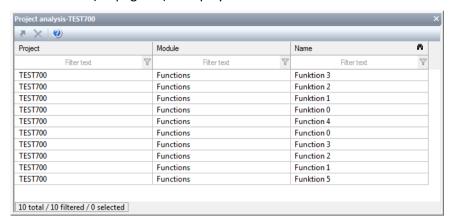
FIND NOT USED ELEMENTS

To find the not used elements:

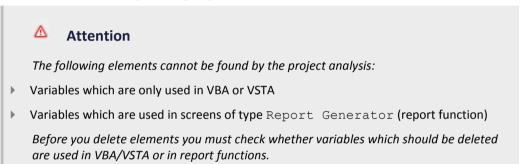
- 1. highlight the node variable or function in the project tree
- 2. In the context menu, select the Display unused functions, Display unused variables Or Display unused scripts COmmand



3. the result list (on page 16) is displayed in an own window



4. via the context menu you can jump to an element or delete it



4.1 Result list

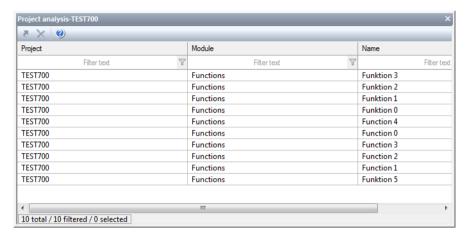
The results of the single analysis processes are displayed in a list in an own window in the project analysis. This window opens - if it is not active yet - automatically after the analysis process. The results can be used in two ways:

- ► Analyse use in the project: jump to linked element
- ▶ find not used elements: jump to displayed element or delete displayed element



ANALYSIS ELEMENT USE

The project analysis displays its result in a list.



It contains:

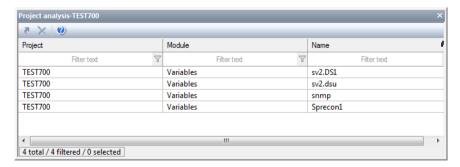
- ► The project name
- ▶ the module
- ▶ the name of the linked elements

To jump to a displayed element:

- 1. highlight the element
- 2. select menu item Jump to linked element from the context menu
- 3. the linked element is highlighted in the detail view of its module node

FIND NOT USED ELEMENTS

The search for unused elements returns its results in a list.



It contains:

- The project name
- ▶ the module



▶ the name of the unused elements

JUMP TO ELEMENT

To jump to a displayed element:

- 1. highlight the element
- 2. select menu item Jump to linked element from the context menu
- 3. the linked element is highlighted in the detail view of its module node

DELETE ELEMENTS

To delete one or more elements:

- 1. highlight the desired elements (multiple selection is possible)
- 2. in the context menu select the command Delete selected elements
- 3. the elements are deleted from the project after a confirmation message