

Mitsubishi Electric Programmable Controller Upgrade Tool

Conversion Adapter

Model
ERNT-ASLTD61



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SAFETY PRECAUTIONS

(Always read these precautions prior to use.)

Before using this product, please read this manual carefully and pay full attention to safety to ensure that the product is used correctly. The precautions presented in this manual are concerned with this product only. For Programmable Controller system safety precautions, refer to the following manuals.

- MELSEC-L series: MELSEC-L CPU Module User's Manual(SH-080890ENG)
- MELSEC iQ-R series: Safety Guidelines (IB-0800525E)

In this manual, the safety precautions are ranked as "WARNING" and "CAUTION."

	WARNING	Indicates that incorrect handling may cause hazardous conditions, resulting in death or severe injury.
	CAUTION	Indicates that incorrect handling may cause hazardous conditions, resulting in medium or minor injury and/or property damage.

Note that failure to observe the CAUTION level instructions may lead to a serious consequence according to the circumstances. Always follow the precautions of both levels because they are important to personal safety. Please keep this manual in an easy-to-access location for future reference, and be sure to provide the manual to the end user.

Precautions before using

CAUTION

- When making a switch from the MELSEC-AnS Series to the MELSEC-L Series or MELSEC iQ-R Series, be sure to consult the user's manual supplied with the Programmable Controller module under the latter series to confirm differences in various aspects including performance, function, CPU input/output signals and buffer memory addresses between the two series.

Installation Precautions

CAUTION

- Use the Conversion Adapter in the environmental conditions that are specified in the general specification in the following manuals. If the Products are used in any environment beyond the bounds of the general specification, electric shock, fire, malfunction, or damage to or degradation of the Products will result.
 - MELSEC-L series: MELSEC-L CPU Module User's Manual (SH-080890ENG)
 - MELSEC iQ-R series: Safety Guidelines (IB-0800525E)
- Do not directly touch any conductive parts of Conversion Adapter. Contact will cause malfunction or failure in the system.
- Fasten the Conversion Adapter and the Mounting Bracket securely with retaining screws, and tighten the screws by applying torque within specified limits. Loose screws can lead to the dropping of the Conversion Adapter or Mounting Bracket, possibly causing breakage thereof. Excessive tightness of the screws can lead to breakage of the screws, Conversion Adapter, Mounting Bracket, or Programmable Controller Module, possibly causing the dropping, shorting, and malfunction thereof.
- Always check for correct match between MELSEC-L Series or MELSEC iQ-R Series and the Conversion Adapter. Incorrect match can cause damage to the MELSEC-L Series Module.
- When installing the Conversion Adapter, take care not to get your hand snagged on the Mounting Bracket or the like. Injury may result.
- When installing or removing the MELSEC-L Series or MELSEC iQ-R Series Module complete with a Converter Adapter, be sure to hold it with both hands. Dropping may lead to breakage.

Wiring Precautions

WARNING

- Before attempting to install the Unit or carry out the necessary wiring, make certain that the external power supply, used in the system, is shut off on all three phases. Failure to do so may result in electric shock or damage to the product.
- After installation and wiring, close the terminal block cover before turning on the module for operation. Failure to do so may result in electric shock.

CAUTION

- Carry out wiring for the Conversion Adapter correctly after checking the specification and terminal arrangement for the module used. Connecting a power supply with a different voltage rating or incorrect wiring may cause a fire or failure.
- Tighten the MELSEC-AnS Series terminal installation screws and terminal screw securely by applying torque within the specified limits. Loose screws will cause short circuit, fire or malfunction. Excessive tightening will damage the screws or the Conversion Adapter which in turn will cause dropping of parts, short circuit or malfunction.
- Use care to prevent foreign materials including cuttings and wiring debris from entering the Conversion Adapter or the Programmable Controller Module. These will be cause for fire, failure or malfunction.

Startup and Maintenance Precautions

WARNING

- Do not touch live terminals. There is a danger of electric shock or malfunction.
- Shut off the external power supply for the system in all phases before cleaning. Failure to do so may result in electric shock or cause the Programmable Controller module to fail or malfunction. Loose screws can lead to dropping, shorting, and malfunction. Excessive tightness of the screws can lead to breakage of the screws, Conversion Adapter, Mounting Bracket, or Programmable Controller Module, possibly causing the dropping, shorting, and malfunction thereof.

CAUTION

- Do not modify the Conversion Adapter or take it apart. Doing so will cause failure, malfunction, personal injury, or fire.
- Do not drop the Conversion Adapter and Mounting Bracket or do not give a strong impact to it. This will cause damage.

Disposal Precautions

CAUTION

- When disposing of the product, treat it as industrial waste.

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1. Overview

This manual provides information about the Conversion Adapter "ERNT-ASLTD61" available as Renewal Tools for the Mitsubishi Electric Programmable Controller. The Conversion Adapter is a product for effecting conversion to transcend difference in pin assignment between the MELSEC-AnS (hereinafter called AnS Series) Series and the MELSEC-L Series (hereinafter called L Series) or MELSEC iQ-R Series (hereinafter called iQ-R Series). Before attempting to make a switch from the AnS Series to the L Series or iQ-R Series in your installation, consult the user's manual supplied with the Programmable Controller module under the latter series to learn about how they differ in various aspects including performance and function.

Once you have opened the packaging, verify that it contains the following products.

Product	Shape	Quantity	Product	Shape	Quantity
Conversion Adapter		1	Terminal block cover		1
Mounting bracket		1	Short bar (spare parts)		1
Mounting bracket fixing screw (M2.6x4)		2	This manual	—	1

2. General Specifications

Item	Specifications	
Operating ambient temperature	0 to 55°C(Maximum surrounding air temperature 55°C)	
Storage ambient temperature	-25 to 75°C	
Operating ambient humidity	5 to 95%RH, non-condensing	
Storage ambient humidity		
Vibration resistance	Compliant with JIS B 3502 and IEC 61131-2	
	Under intermittent vibration	Frequency: 5 to 8.4Hz, Constant acceleration: —, Half amplitude: 3.5mm, Sweep count: 10 times each in X, Y, Z directions
	Under continuous vibration	Frequency: 5 to 8.4Hz, Constant acceleration: —, Half amplitude: 1.75mm, Sweep count: —
	Under continuous vibration	Frequency: 8.4 to 150Hz, Constant acceleration: 4.9m/s ² , Half amplitude: —, Sweep count: —
Shock resistance	Compliant with JIS B 3502 and IEC 61131-2 (147 m/s ² ; 3 times each in 3 directions X, Y, Z)	
Operating atmosphere	No corrosive gases	
Operating altitude *1	0 to 2000m	
Installation location	Inside a control panel	
Overvoltage category *2	II or less	
Pollution degree *3	2	

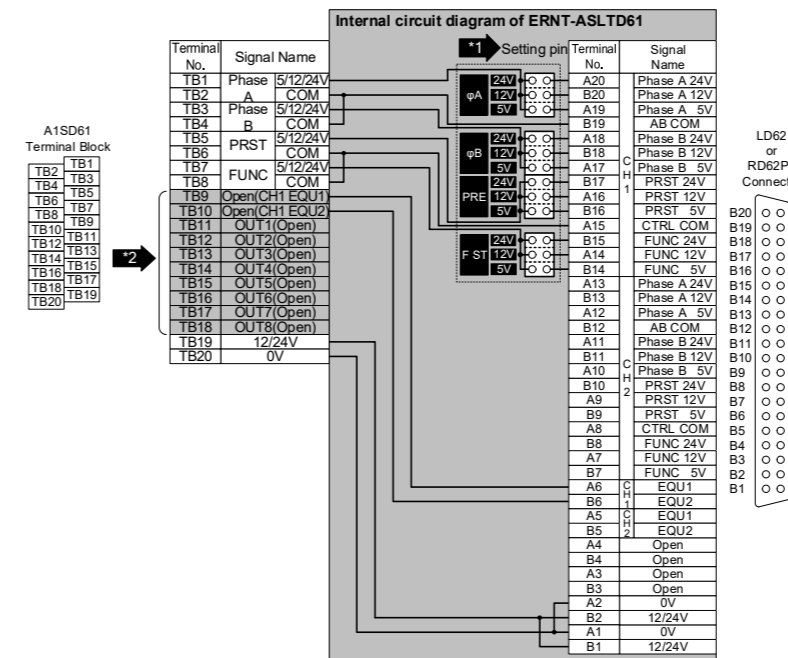
*1 : Do not use or store under pressure higher than the atmospheric pressure of altitude 0m.
*2 : This indicates the section of the power supply to which the equipment is assumed to be connected between the public electrical power distribution network and the machinery within premises. Category II applies to equipment for which electrical power is supplied from fixed facilities.
*3 : This index indicates the degree to which conductive material is generated in terms of the environment in which the equipment is used. Pollution level 2 is when only non-conductive pollution occurs. A temporary conductivity caused by condensing must be expected occasionally.

3. Product Specifications

For detail specifications which do not appear in the specification comparison charts contained herein, see the user's manual supplied with the L Series or iQ-R Series module you use. Those parts of the specification that differ between the AnS Series and the L Series or iQ-R Series are where a switch from the first series to the second is subjected to specification-related restrictions. Check the specification of the devices to be connected for more details.

Furthermore, it is recommended to refer to the "Transition from MELSEC-AnS/QnAS (Small Type) Series to L Series Handbook (Intelligent Function Modules): L (NA)-08259ENG" issued by Mitsubishi Electric.

Conversion Adapter Model	Before replacement AnS Series Model	No. of channels	After replacement		Conversion Adapter Weight (g)
			L Series Model	iQ-R Series Model	
ERNT-ASLTD61	A1SD61	1 channel	LD62	RD62P2	80



Precautions for wiring

*1 Set the pins of each signal (φA, φB, PRE, F, ST) according to the input voltage. The default input voltage for all signals is 24V (24V side).
24V Input: set to 24V side
12V Input: set to 12V side
5V Input: set to 5V side

Inputting a voltage higher than the one set using the setting pins may cause a failure in the L Series or iQ-R Series module.

*2 The OUT1 terminal (TB11) to OUT8 terminal (TB18) cannot be used because the LD62 or iQ-R Series do not have the limit switch output function of the A1SD61. When using the consistent output function (EQU1 terminal (A6) and EQU2 terminal (TB10)) of the LD62 or iQ-R Series instead, use the unused terminals (EQU1 terminal (TB9), EQU2 terminal (TB10)) of the A1SD61. The specifications are different (e.g. fewer setting items).

The LD62, RD62P2 cannot be used because it does not have the limit switch output function.

Using the unused terminals of the A1SD61 allows the consistent output function (for CH1) of the LD62, RD62P2 to be used instead.

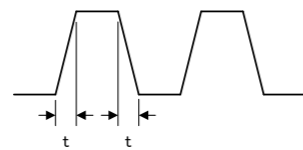
< Specification comparison >

Specification	Model	AnS Series A1SD61	L Series LD62	iQ-R Series RD62P2
Counting speed switch settings		Switch with the setting pins 50k 10k	Switch with the intelligent function module switch setting 200k (100k to 200kPPS) 100k (10k to 100kPPS) 10k (10kPPS or less)	Switch with the intelligent function module switch setting 200k (100k to 200kPPS) 100k (10k to 100kPPS) 10k (10kPPS or less)
Number of channels		1 channel	2 channels	2 channels
Count input signal	Phase	1-phase input, 2-phase input	1-phase input (1 multiple/2 multiples), 2-phase input (1 multiple/2 multiples/4 multiples), CW/CCW input	1-phase input (1 multiple/2 multiples), 2-phase input (1 multiple/2 multiples/4 multiples), CW/CCW input
	Signal level (φA, φB)	5/12/24VDC 2 to 5mA	5/12/24VDC 2 to 5mA	5/12/24VDC 2 to 5mA
Counter	Counting speed (max)	1-phase input: 50kPPS 2-phase input: 50kPPS	200kPPS *1 100kPPS *1 10kPPS *1	200kPPS *1 100kPPS *1 10kPPS *1
	Counting range	32-bit singed binary (-2147483648 to 2147483647)	32-bit singed binary (-2147483648 to 2147483647)	32-bit singed binary (-2147483648 to 2147483647)
Counter	Model	UP/DOWN Preset counter + Ring counter function	UP/DOWN Preset counter + Ring counter function	UP/DOWN Preset counter + Ring counter function
	Minimum count pulse width (Duty ratio 50%)			
Limit switch output	Comparison range	32-bit singed binary	—	—
	Comparison result	a contact operation: dog ON address ≤ count value ≤ dog OFF address b contact operation: dog OFF address ≤ count value ≤ dog ON address	—	—
Coincidence output	Comparison range	—	32-bit singed binary	32-bit singed binary
	Comparison result	—	Set value < Count value, Set value = Count value, Set value > Count value	Set value < Count value, Set value = Count value, Set value > Count value
Eternal input	Preset	5/12/24VDC 2 to 5mA	5/12/24VDC 2 to 5mA	5/12/24VDC 7 to 10mA
	Function start	—	—	—
External output	Limit switch output	Transistor (open collector) output 12/24VDC 0.1A/point 0.8A/common	—	—
	Coincidence output	—	Transistor (sinking type) output, 2point/channels 12/24VDC 0.5A/point 2A/common	Transistor (sinking type) output 12/24VDC 0.5A/point 2A/common
I/O occupied points		32 points	16 points	16 points
Wiring connection system		20 point terminal block	40-pin connector	40-pin connector
Internal current consumption (5VDC)		0.35A	0.31A	0.11A

Make sure the [] section of the above table meets the specification of the machines and equipment connected to the L Series or iQ-R Series module.

*1: Counting speed is affected by pulse rise and fall time. Possible counting speeds are shown in the following table.
Note that if a pulse that has a large rise and/or fall time is counted, a miscount may occur.

Counting speed switch settings	Both 1-phase and 2-phase input		
	200k	100k	10k
t = 1.25µs or less	200kPPS	100kPPS	10kPPS
t = 2.5µs or less	100kPPS	100kPPS	10kPPS
t = 25µs or less	—	10kPPS	10kPPS
t = 500µs	—	—	500PPS



Precautions for the program

- A1SD61 and LD62 or RD62P2 differ from each other in the way input/output signals (X, Y) and buffer memory addresses are allocated. Therefore, you need make necessary changes to the sequence program that is used.
- Change the sequence program because the limit switch output function of the A1SD61 is replaced by the consistent output function of the LD62 or RD62P2.
- Use the I/O signal (X, Y) and buffer memory addresses of CH1 in the LD62 or RD62P2. If CH2 is used, the modules do not operate.
- Set the counting speed using the intelligent function module switch setting in the LD62 or RD62P2 instead of the setting pins that are used in the A1SD61.

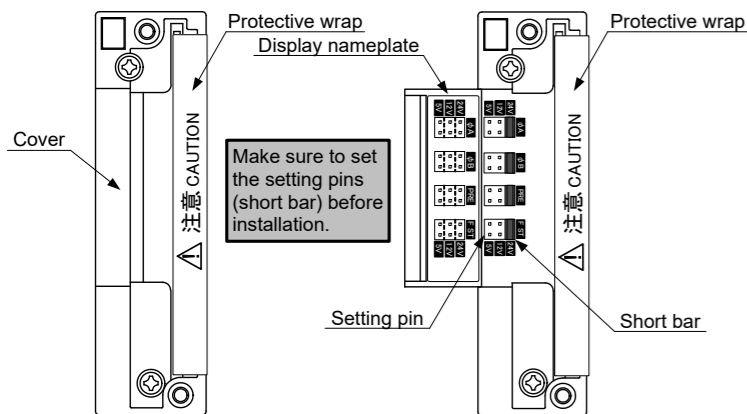
4. Preparation before Installation

4.1 Position of the setting pins

Open the cover of the Conversion Adapter, and you will find the setting pins to switch the input signal voltage.

[With the cover closed]

[With the cover opened]



Setting pin	Description	Factory setting
φA	Set the input voltage for A-phase pulse.	24V
φB	Set the input voltage for B-phase pulse.	
PRE	Set the input voltage for Preset input.	
F ST	Set the input voltage for Function start input.	

About the protective wrap

It is used to protect your hands from touching the conductive part in the pin-setting process.
(1) Peel it off after finishing the settings.
(2) Make sure to peel it off before installing a AnS Series terminal block.

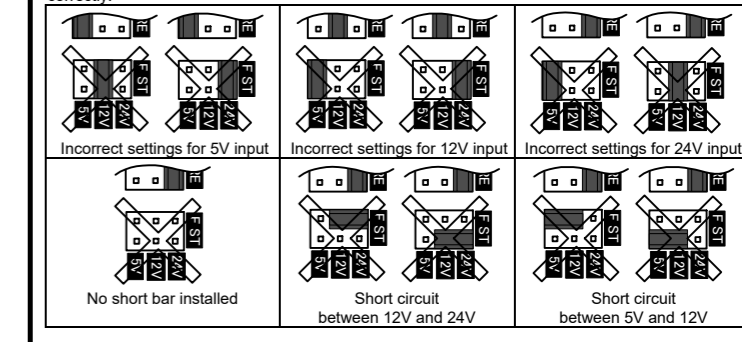
4.2 How to set the setting pins

Set the input voltage for each signal using the short bar.
The short bar can be installed from any direction.

Voltage	5V	12V	24V (Factory setting)
φA			
φB			
PRE			
F ST			

Notice

Incorrectly setting the setting pins will cause a failure and malfunction. Make sure to set them correctly.



4.3 Procedure

- Open the cover.
- Set the setting pins (short bar) as necessary. Insert the short bar all the way into the setting pins in place till it can not be moved.
- Make sure they have been set correctly and close the cover.
- Hold the protective wrap with its rear side towards the right and peel it off towards yourself before installing a AnS Series terminal block.

5. Mounting and Installation

5.1 Handling Precautions

- Before attempting to install the Unit or carry out the necessary wiring, make certain that the external power supply, used in the system, is shut off on all three phases. Failure to do so may result in electric shock or damage to the product.
- Do not touch live terminals. There is a danger of electric shock or malfunction.
- Do not modify the Conversion Adapter or take it apart. Doing so will cause failure, malfunction, personal injury, or fire.
- Do not touch the energized part of the Conversion Adapter directly. Contact will cause malfunction or failure in the system.
- The protective wrap is used to protect your hands from touching the conductive part in the pin-setting process. Peel it off after finishing the settings. In addition, make sure to peel it off before installing a AnS Series terminal block.
- Fasten the Conversion Adapter and the Mounting bracket securely with retaining screws, and tighten the screws by applying torque within specified limits. Loose screws can lead to the dropping of the Conversion Adapter, or Mounting bracket, possibly causing breakage thereof. Excessive tightness of the screws can lead to breakage of the screws, Converter Adapter, Mounting bracket or L Series or iQ-R Series Module, possibly causing the dropping, shorting, and malfunction thereof.
- Use care to prevent foreign materials including cuttings and wiring debris from entering the Conversion Adapter or the Programmable Controller Module. These will be cause for fire, failure or malfunction.
- Do not drop the Conversion Adapter and Mounting Bracket or do not give a strong impact to it. This will cause damage.

5.2 Use Precautions

Item	Use Precautions	
	AnS Series → L Series	AnS Series → iQ-R Series
Width dimension of module	<p>Because the module is reduced in width dimension (34.5mm→28.5mm) and thus in area available for wiring, check dimensional data before installing the module.</p>	<p>Because the module is reduced in width dimension (34.5mm→27.8mm) and thus in area available for wiring, check dimensional data before installing the module.</p>
	<p>The wiring may interfere with the adjacent module. Use of the Mitsubishi Electric LG69 space module is recommended.</p>	<p>The wiring may interfere with the adjacent module. Use of the Mitsubishi Electric RG60 blank cover module is recommended.</p>
Depth and Height dimension	<p>Installation with the Base Adapter</p> <p>Because the module is increased in depth dimension, check dimensional data before installing the module.</p>	<p>Because the module is increased in depth dimension, check dimensional data before installing the module.</p>
	<p>Installation with the DIN rail</p> <p>Because the module is increased in depth and height dimension, check dimensional data before installing the module.</p>	<p>Because the module is increased in depth and height dimension, check dimensional data before installing the module.</p>
Terminal block cover	<p>The terminal block cover for AnS Series is bigger than the width of the L Series Module. Therefore, it is necessary to replace it with the terminal block cover supplied with the converter adapter.</p>	<p>The terminal block cover for AnS Series is bigger than the width of the iQ-R Series Module. Therefore, it is necessary to replace it with the terminal block cover supplied with the converter adapter.</p>

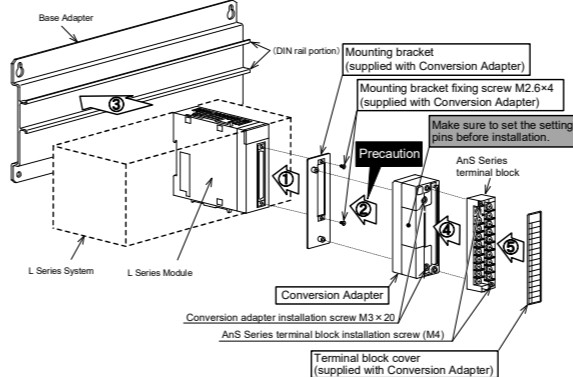
5.3 Installation Environment

- Refer to the manual supplied with the L Series or iQ-R Series module you use.
- L Series: MELSEC-L CPU Module User's Manual (SH-080890ENG)
 - iQ-R Series: Safety Guidelines (IB-0800525)

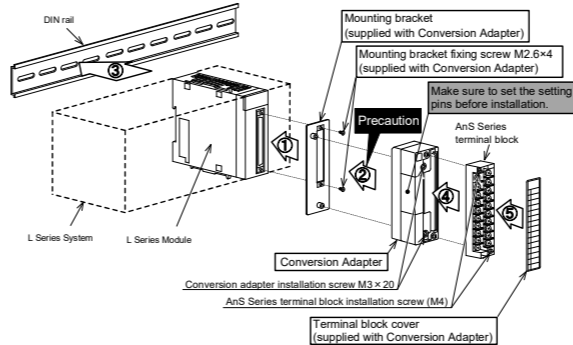
6. Part Names and Installation Method

(1) A1SD61 → LD62

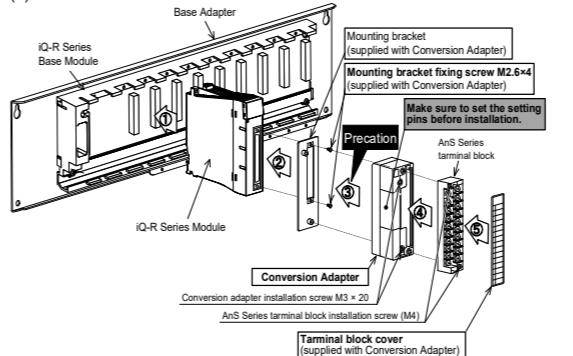
【Installation with the Base Adapter】



【Installation with the DIN rail】



(2) A1SD61 → RD62P2



6.1 Installation Method

(1) A1SD61 → LD62

Installation with the Base Adapter

- Remove the existing AnS Series base unit, and install the base adapter ERNT-ASLB□□.
- For how to install the base adapter, refer to the base adapter manual.

Installation with the DIN rail

- Install the DIN rail on the control panel.
- For how to install the DIN rail, refer to the user's manual of the L CPU module.

- Secure the mounting bracket to the L Series module using the mounting bracket fixing screws (M2.6 × 4). (2 places)
 - Install the Conversion Adapter to the L Series module, and secure it using the Conversion Adapter installation screws (M3 × 20). (2 places)
- Precaution**
- Before tightening the installation screws, check that the Conversion Adapter has been securely installed on the L Series module. Tightening the screws in floating-off state or tilting state will damage the Conversion Adapter installation screws and the mounting bracket.
- Install the L Series system to the base adapter (DIN rail portion) or the DIN rail.
 - Secure the AnS Series terminal block to the Conversion Adapter with the supplied terminal block installation screw (M4). (2 places, top and bottom.)
 - Remove the terminal block cover from the AnS Series terminal block and fit the terminal block cover supplied with the Conversion Adapter in place.

(2) A1SD61 → RD62P2

- Mount the iQ-R Series module to the iQ-R Series base unit.
- Secure the mounting bracket to the iQ-R Series module using the mounting bracket fixing screws (M2.6 × 4). (2 places, top and bottom)
- Install the Conversion Adapter on the mounting bracket, and secure it using the Conversion Adapter installation screws (M3 × 20). (2 places, top and bottom)

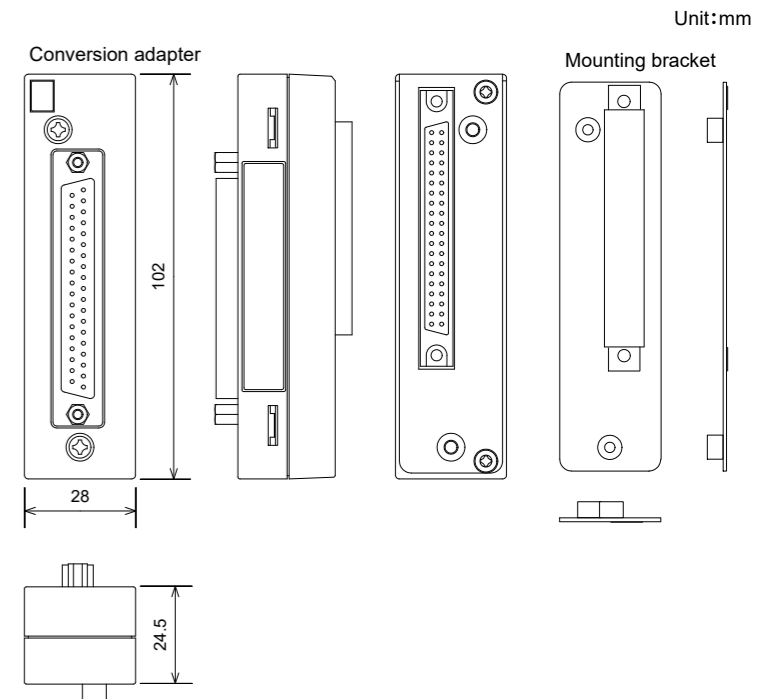
- Precaution**
- Before tightening the installation screws, check that the Conversion Adapter has been securely installed on the iQ-R Series module. Tightening the screws in floating-off state or tilting state will damage the Conversion Adapter installation screws and the mounting bracket.
- Secure the AnS Series terminal block to the Conversion Adapter with the supplied terminal block installation screw (M4). (2 places, top and bottom.)
 - Remove the terminal block cover from the AnS Series terminal block and fit the terminal block cover supplied with the Conversion Adapter in place.

6.2 Tightening Torque

Tighten the module installation screws to the specified torque below. An inappropriate tightening torque could cause the product to fall or result in a short circuit, product failure or malfunction.

Screw Location	Tightening Torque Range
Mounting bracket fixing screw (M2.6×4)	0.20 to 0.29N·m
Conversion Adapter installation screw (M3×20)	0.43 to 0.57N·m
AnS Series terminal block installation screw (M4 screw)	0.78 to 1.18N·m

7. External Dimensions



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Changes in Product Specifications

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