LPS 36   Light section sensor for object measurement
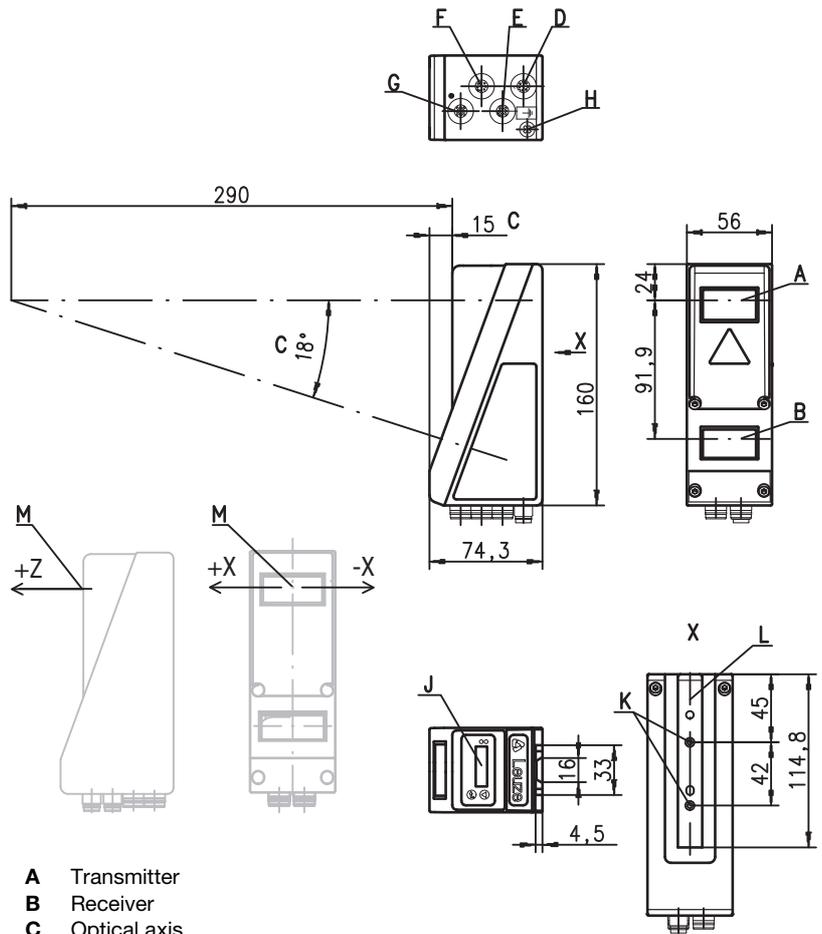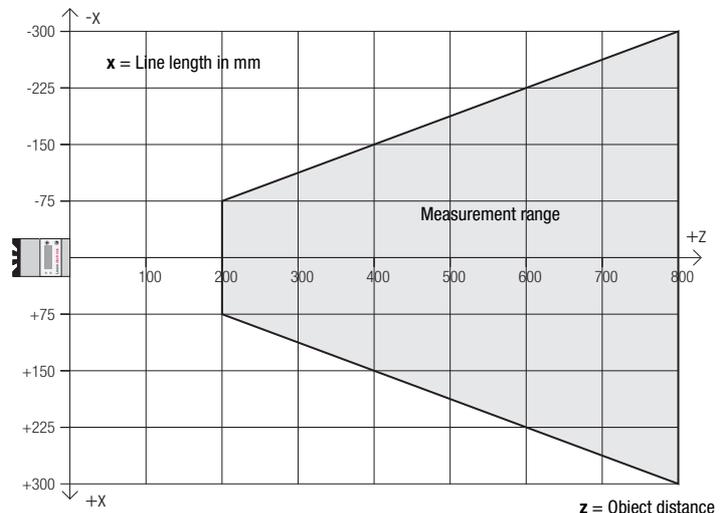
200 … 800mm

18 - 30 V
DC

ETHERNET

- Light section sensor for object measurement
- Calibrated system
- Measurement range: 200 … 800mm
- Measurement time: 10ms
- Length of laser line: max. 600mm
- Measurement data transfer via Fast Ethernet
- Measurement value display in mm on OLED display as an alignment aid
- Optional incremental transmitter input
- Up to 376 value pairs (x,z) along the laser line
- Up to 16 inspection tasks
- Activation input, trigger input, cascading output

CE   ISO 9001   c(UL)us LISTED   CDRH

IEC 60947…   IEC 60947…   III   IP 67

Accessories:

(available separately)

- Mounting systems BT 56, BT 59
- Cable with M12 connector (K-D …)

Dimensioned drawing

290
15 C
56
24
91,9
160
X
74,3

+Z   +X   -X
M   M

X   L
K
45
42
114,8
16
33
4,5

J

A   Transmitter
B   Receiver
C   Optical axis
D   X1: M12x1 connector, 8-pin, A coded
E   X2: M12x1 socket, 4-pin, D coded
F   X3: M12x1 socket, 8-pin, A coded (LPS 36/EN only)
G   X4: not used (dummy plug)
H   PE screw
J   OLED display and key pad
K   M4 thread, 4.5 deep
L   Holder for mounting system BT 56 / BT 59
M   Zero point and orientation of the coordinate system for measurement data

Measurement range, typical

-300
-225
-150
-75
+75
+150
+225
+300

-X
x = Line length in mm

+Z
Measurement range

100   200   300   400   500   600   700   800

+X
z = Object distance

Specifications

Optical data

Measurement range [1]	200 … 800mm (**z** direction)
Light source	laser
Wavelength	658nm (visible red light)
Max. output power	< 8mW
Pulse duration	3ms
Laser line	600x3mm at 800mm

Error limits (relative to measurement distance)

Resolution in **x** direction [2]	1 … 1.5mm
Resolution in **z** direction [2]	1 … 3mm
Linearity in **z** direction [3]	≤ ±1%
Repeatability in **z** direction [3]	≤ 0.5%
B/w detect. thresholds (6 … 90% rem.)	≤ 1%

Timing

Measurement time	10ms
Delay before start-up	approx. 1.5s

Electrical data

Operating voltage U_B [4]	18 … 30VDC (incl. residual ripple)
Residual ripple	≤ 15% of U_B
Open-circuit current	≤ 200mA
Ethernet interface	UDP
Switching outputs	1 (ready) / 100mA / push-pull [5] on X1
	1 (cascading) / 100mA / push-pull [5] on X1
Inputs	1 (trigger) on X1
	1 (activation) on X1
Signal voltage high/low	≥ (U_B-2V)/≤ 2V

Indicators

Green LED	continuous light	ready
	off	no voltage
Yellow LED	continuous light	Ethernet connection available
	flashing	Ethernet data transmission active
	off	no Ethernet connection available

Mechanical data

Housing	aluminum frame with plastic cover
Optics cover	glass
Weight	620g
Connection type	M12 connector

Environmental data

Ambient temp. (operation/storage)	-30°C … +50°C/-30°C … +70°C
Protective circuit [6]	1, 2, 3
VDE safety class	III, protective extra-low voltage
Protection class	IP 67
Laser class	2M (according to EN 60825-1 and 21 CFR 1040.10 with Laser Notice No. 50)
Standards applied	IEC/EN 60947-5-2, UL 508

1) Luminosity coefficient 6% ... 90%, entire measurement range, at 20°C after 30minutes warmup time, medium range UB
2) Minimum and maximum value depend on measurement distance
3) Reflectivity 90%, identical object, identical environment conditions, measurement object ≥ 50x50mm²
4) For UL applications: for use in class 2 circuits according to NEC only
5) The push-pull switching outputs must not be connected in parallel
6) 1=transient protection, 2=polarity reversal protection, 3=short circuit protection for all outputs

Interface assignments

X1 - logic and power

Pin No.	Signal	Color
1	+24VDC	WH
2	InAct (activation)	BN
3	GND	GN
4	OutReady (ready)	YE
5	InTrig (trigger)	GY
6	OutCas (cascading)	PK
7	Do not connect	BU
8	Do not connect	RD

8-pin M12 plug, A coded

X2 - Ethernet

Pin No.	Signal	Color
1	Tx+	YE
2	Rx+	WH
3	Tx-	OR
4	Rx-	BU

4-pin M12 socket, D coded

X3 - encoder

Pin No.	Signal	Color
1	Enc. +24VDC	WH
2	(GND)	BN
3	GND	GN
4	Enc. A+	YE
5	Enc. A-	GY
6	Enc. B+	PK
7	Enc. B-	BU
8	+5VDC Out	RD

8-pin M12 socket, A coded

Order guide

	Designation	Part No.
Line profile sensor		
Without encoder interface	LPS 36	50111325
With encoder interface	LPS 36/EN	50111324

Tables

LED	State	Display during measurement operation
green	continuous light	Sensor ready
	off	Sensor not ready
yellow	continuous light	Ethernet connection established
	flashing	Ethernet data transmission active
	off	No Ethernet connection

Diagrams

Line length (typical)

Resolution (typical)
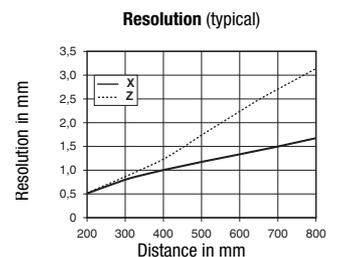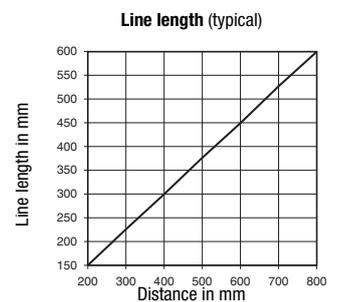
Remarks

- **Approved purpose**
  This product may only be used by qualified personnel and must only be used for the approved purpose. This sensor is not a safety sensor and is not to be used for the protection of persons.

- **Warmup time:**
  After a warmup time of 30 min., the light section sensor has reached the operating temperature required for an optimum measurement.

- **Encoder interface (LPS 36/EN):**
  24V single ended (A+, B+) or 5V differential (A+/A-, B+/B-) Current consumption max. 140mA, pulse frequency max. 300kHz

Establish connection to PC

The LPS is configured via a PC using the **LPSsoft** program before it is integrated into the process control.

In order to be able to establish an UDP communication with the PC, the IP address of your PC and the IP address of the LPS must lie in the same address range. The LPS has no built-in DHCP client, so that you need to set the address manually. This is done the easiest way via the PC.

> ○ **Notice!**
> ⫿ If you are using a desktop firewall, please ensure that the control can communicate with the LPS via the Ethernet interface on ports 9008 and 5634 using UDP. Furthermore, the firewall must allow ICMP echo messages to pass through for the connection test (ping).

If the PC is usually connected to a network using DHCP address allocation, the easiest way to access the LPS is by applying an alternative configuration in the TCP/IP settings of the PC and connecting the LPS directly to the PC.

↻ *Check the network address of the LPS by pressing the* ↵ *button on the key pad of the sensor during normal operation of the LPS twice in succession, then by pressing* ▼ *twice and followed by pressing the* ↵ *button again.*

This will take you to the `Ethernet` submenu and enable you to read the current settings of the LPS consecutively when pressing ▼ repeatedly.

↻ *Make a note of the values for* `IP-Address` *and* `Net Mask Addr.`.

The value in `Net Mask Addr.` specifies which digits of the IP address of the PC and LPS must match so that they can communicate with each other.

Address of the LPS	Net mask	Address of the PC
192.168.060.003	255.255.255.0	192.168.060.xxx
192.168.060.003	255.255.0.0	192.168.xxx.xxx

Instead of **xxx** you can now allocate any numbers between 000 and 255 to your PC, but NOT THE SAME numbers as contained in the address of the LPS.

For example 192.168.060.110 (but not 192.168.060.003!). If LPS and PC have the same IP address, they cannot communicate with each other.

Configuring the IP address for a PC

↻ *Log in to your PC as an administrator.*

↻ *Using* `Start->System control` *go to the* `Network connections` *(Windows XP) menu or to the* `Network center and release center` *(Windows Vista) menu.*

↻ *There select the* `LAN connection` *and bring up the associated Features page by right clicking with the mouse.*

↻ *Select the* `Internet protocol (TCP/IP)` *(by scrolling down, if necessary) and click on* `Properties`.

↻ *In the* `Internet protocol (TCP/IP) Properties` *window select the* `Alternate configuration` *tab.*

↻ *Configure the* `IP address` *of the PC in the address range of the LPS.* **Attention:** *do not use the same as for the LPS!*

↻ *Set the* `Subnet mask` *of the PC to the same value as the one for the LPS.*

↻ *Close the configuration dialog by confirming all windows using* `OK`.

↻ *Connect the interface X2 of the LPS directly to the LAN port of your PC. Use a KB ET-…-SA-RJ45 cable for the connection.*
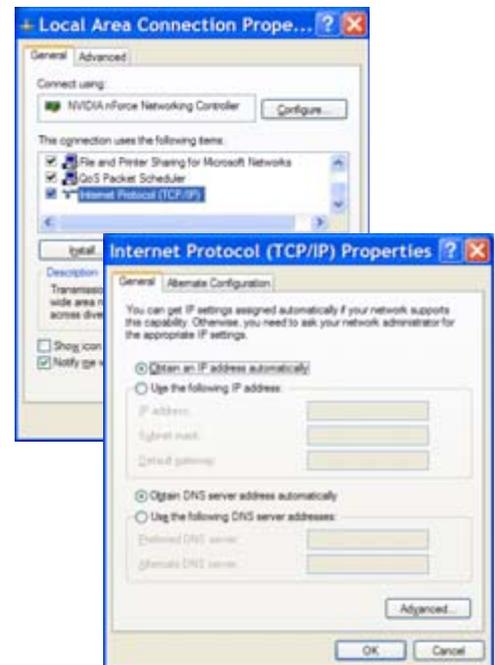
The PC will first try to establish a network connection via the automatic configuration. This will take a few seconds. Following that the alternative configuration, which you have just set up, is activated, and thus the PC can communicate with the LPS.

Information about configuring the LPS using **LPSsoft** software can be found in the Technical Description.

Commissioning

For the commissioning and integration of the sensor in the process control the following steps are necessary:

1. Configuring the LPS - see chapter 8 of the Technical Description.
2. Programming process control - see chapter 9 of the Technical Description.
3. Adapt the IP configuration of the LPS such that it can communicate with the process control. This can be done either via the display of the LPS or in **LPSsoft** in the `Configuration` area. Here you can change network address and associated net mask as well as the ports via which the LPS communicates with process control.
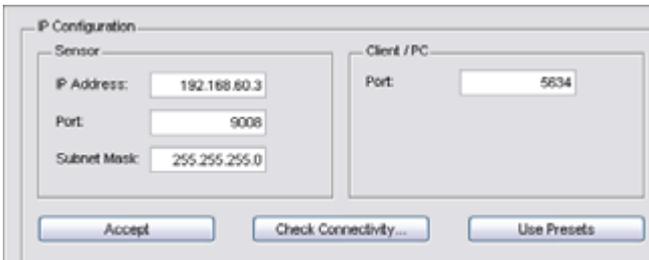
4. Save the changed settings in the LPS using the `Configuration->Transmit to sensor` command.
5. Connect LPS to process control via the Ethernet interface.
6. Establish connections for activation, triggering and cascading, if necessary.

Installing the software

System requirements

The PC used should meet the following requirements:

- Pentium® or faster Intel® processor > 1.5 GHz (Pentium 4, Celeron, Xeon) or compatible models by AMD® (Athlon 64, Opteron, Sempron). The processor must support the SSE2 instruction set.
- At least 512 MB free main memory (RAM), 1024 MB recommended
- CD-ROM drive
- Hard disk with at least 1 GB available memory
- Ethernet port
- Microsoft® Windows XP SP2/3 / Vista SP1

Installation procedure

○ *Notice!*
⫿ *If present, uninstall* `Matlab Runtime` *before beginning with the installation of the* `LXSsoft Suite`.

The `LXSsoft_Suite_Setup.exe` installation program is located on the supplied CD.

○ *Notice!*
⫿ *Copy this file from the CD to an appropriate folder on your hard drive.*

Administrator privileges are required for the next steps.

↻ *To start the installation process, double-click on file* `LXSsoft_Suite_Setup.exe`.

↻ *In the first window, click on* `Next`.

In the next window, you can select whether you would like to install **LPSsoft** only, or **LRSsoft** in addition.

You will need **LRSsoft** in addition, for configuring light section sensors of the LRS series with your PC.

You cannot deselect the first option, `MATLAB Compiler Runtime`, since this component is needed in all cases.

↻ *Select the desired options and click on* `Next` *and, in the next window, click on* `Install`.
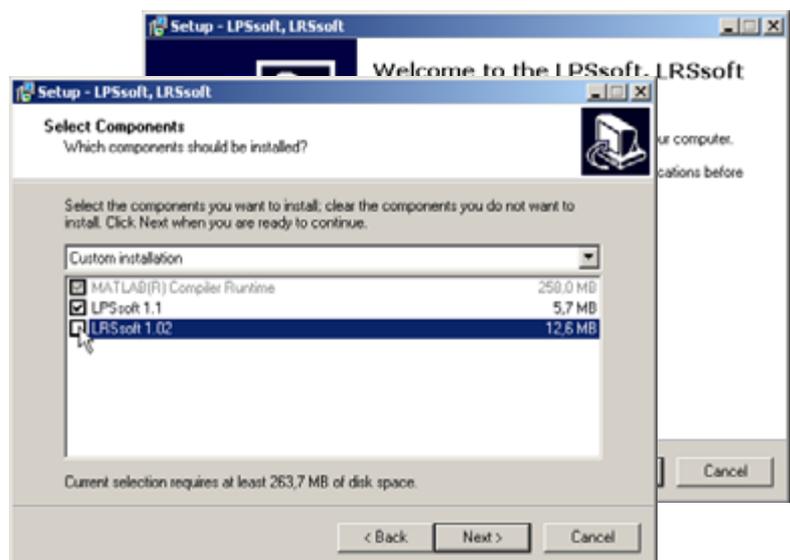
The installation routine starts. After a few seconds, the window for selecting the installation language for the Matlab Compiler Runtime (MCR) appears. The MCR is used for 3D visualization in **LPSsoft**. It is only available in English or Japanese.
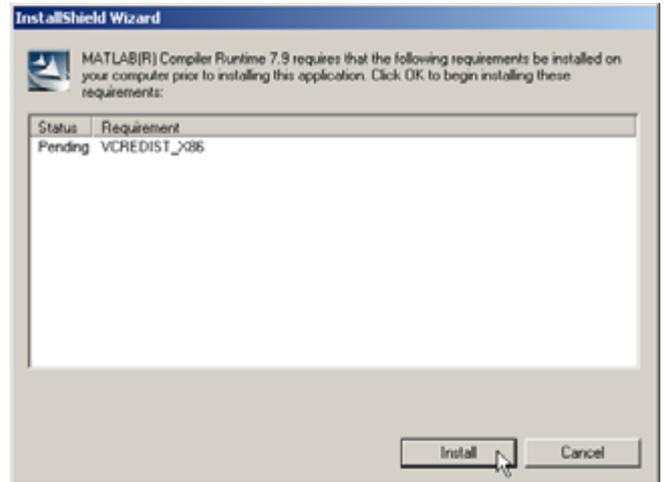
ϑ *Therefore keep in the* `Choose Setup Language` *window the selection* `English` *and click on* `OK`*.*
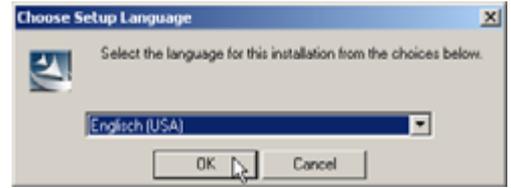
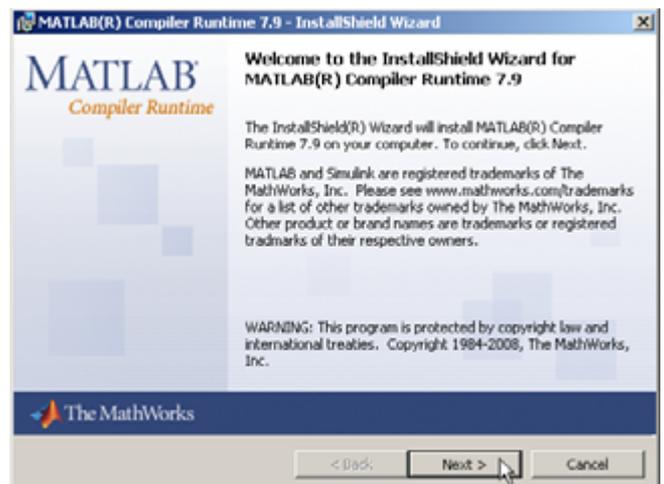Depending on the configuration of your Windows system the adjacent dialog can also appear (missing component `VCREDIST_X86`).

ϑ *Click on* `Install`*.*

Two additional installation windows will appear, which do not require any further entry.

After some time (up to several minutes depending on the system configuration) the start screen of the MCR installer will appear.

ϑ *Click on* `Next`*.*

The window for entering user data appears.

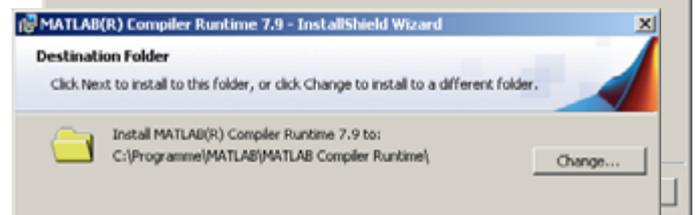ϑ *Enter your name and the company name and then click on* `Next`*.*

ϑ *It is essential that you retain the default folder in the window for the selection of the installation path (*`Destination Folder`*).*

The standard path is
`C:\Programs\MATLAB\MATLAB Compiler Runtime\`.

ϑ *Click on* `Next` *and in the next window click on* `Install`*.*

The installation will start and the adjacent status window will be displayed. This can again take several minutes.

Following successful MCR installation, the `InstallShield Wizard Completed` window appears.

↳ *Click on* `Finish` *to end the MCR-installation.*

The window for selecting the installation path for **LPSsoft** now appears.

↳ *Keep the default folder and click on* `Next`*.*

The installation of **LPSsoft** starts. If you also selected **LRSsoft** for installation, upon completion of the **LPSsoft** installation, the same window then reappears for entering the installation path for **LRSsoft**.

↳ *Keep the default folder in this case as well and click on* `Next`*.*
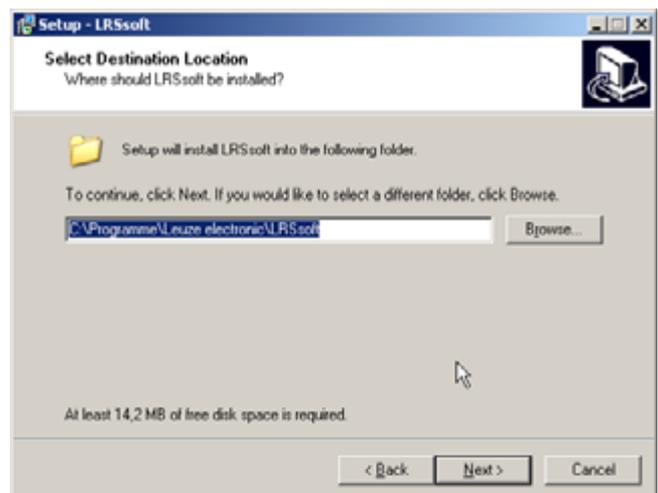
Upon completion of the installation process, the adjacent window appears.

The installation routine added a new **`Leuze electronic`** program group in your Start menu that contains the installed programs **`LPSsoft`** and, if selected, **`LRSsoft`**.

↳ *Click on* `Finish` *and then start the desired program from the Start menu.*
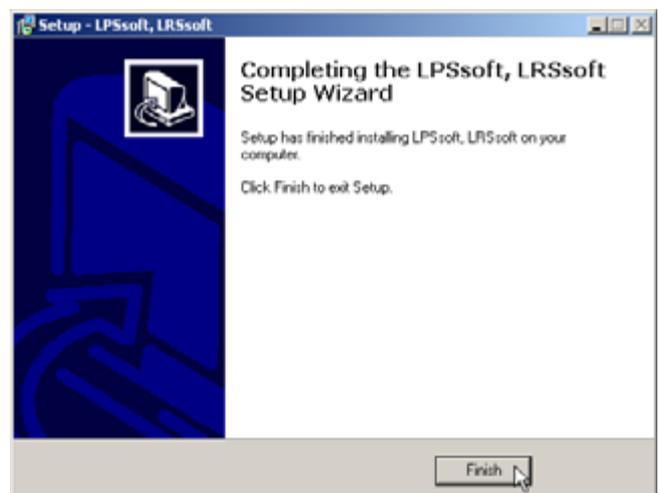
Possible error message

Depending on the system configuration the adjacent error message can appear at this point.
The cause of this error message is a bug in the MCR installation routine, which does not set the environment variable `Path` correctly in some systems.

That, however, can easily be corrected without reinstallation of the MCR.

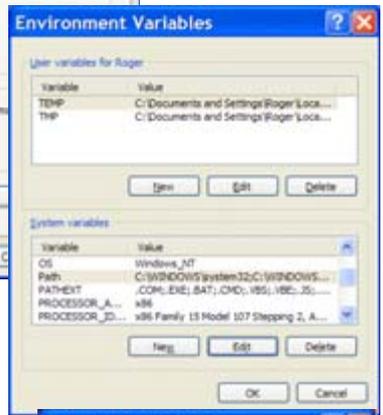✋ *Open the* `System properties` *window located in the* `System control` *of Windows under* `System`.

✋ *Go to the* `Advanced` *tab and click on* `Environment variables`.
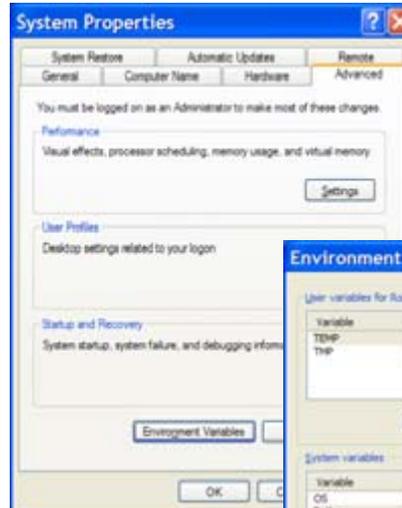
The `Environment variables` window opens.

✋ *Scroll down in the* `System variables` *area until you find the* `Path` *entry.*

✋ *Click on* `Path` *and then on* `Edit`.

The `Edit system variable` window opens.

There in the `Variable value` field you will find the `;C:\Programs\MATLAB\MATLAB Compiler Runtime\v79\runtime\win32` entry right at the end.

✋ *If this entry is missing, copy the entry from this document and insert it together with the preceding semicolon.*

✋ *Then click on* `OK` *and close also all further windows using* `OK`.

✋ *Shut Windows down, restart Windows and then start* **LPSsoft** *by double-clicking on it.*
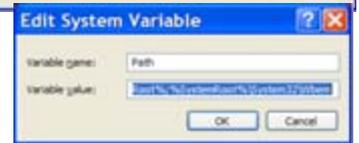
Now the start screen of **LPSsoft** appears, as described in chapter 8 of the technical description LPS.