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Chapter 1 - Welcome

This manual provides information about Custom Motors, Inc.’s CA Series Servodrives and CM Series Servo motors --- providing both technical descriptions and information required for their installation, operation and maintenance.

The manual is divided into the following chapters:

Chapter 1  Welcome introduces you to this manual and how it is organized.

Chapter 2  General Description gives an overview of the CA Series Servodrive product family.

Chapter 3  Installation provides instructions on how to install your CA Series Servodrives. It also provides a complete hardware description of the CA Series Servodrives.

Chapter 4  Operation documents the power up and initial configuration approach for the CA Series Servodrive.

Chapter 5  Getting Started provides detailed instructions on how to run your CA Series Servodrive system for the first time.

Chapter 6  Specifications provides a detailed list of performance specifications for CA Series Drives and CM-Series brushless servomotors.

Chapter 7  Maintenance and Troubleshooting documents the various status and alarm indicators.

Chapter 8  Software Commands

Appendixes  Appendixes contain a detailed drawing set.
Chapter 2 - General Description

2 General Description

This manual covers CA Series Servodrives, which control a wide variety of AC Servomotors.

CA Series Servodrive Capabilities and Features

- **Simple Setup:** All drive configuration settings are set by the user’s application software using the RS-232 interface or RS-485 eliminating drive jumpers, address switches, and potentiometers.

- **All Digital:** High speed DSP-controlled current loops for precise torque mode and velocity mode operation.

- **Standard Line Voltage Input:** CA Series Drives can be operated directly on commercial power lines which supply at either 115 (+15%, -20%) or 230 (+15%, -20%) VAC for the main power as well as the control power.

- **Fault Detection and Protection:** Detection and protection against:
  - Motor short
  - Peak & RMS drive current limit
  - Peak & RMS motor current limit
  - Missing phase detection (CA25, CA35, & CA60 only)
  - Encoder open wire detection
  - Hall sensor phasing error
  - Motor over temperature

- **Diagnostics:** A 7-segment display shows alarm status. Individual LED indicates bus power.

- **Variety of Commutation Options:** CA Series Drives can be configured for sinusoidal or trapezoidal commutation for AC brushless motors, as well as for DC motor operation to control DC motors, voice coils and other single phase actuators.

- **Soft Start:** Circuitry is provided to reduce Servodrive in-rush current.

- **Torque Mode Operation:** Torque mode operation allows extremely high load inertia to motor inertia ratios.

- **Velocity Mode Operation:** Velocity mode operation allows for fast and precise velocity control.

- **Wide Current Loop Bandwidth:** For high positioning accuracy and response.

- **Small Package:** CA Series Drives have a small footprint to conserve panel space.

- **Shunt Regulation:** All Models except CA05 have shunt regulation circuitry. If an application requires regenerative operation, regenerative discharge resistors can be mounted external to the Servodrive.
CA Series Drive Model Number Description

CA## -E

Current
##  = continuous rated current, amps (05, 10, 17, 25, 35, 60)
E    = encoder

CM-Series Servomotor Capabilities and Features

- **Wide Power Range**: Output power ratings from 0.1 to 18 HP.
- **Wide Torque Range**: Continuous stall torques from 1 to 1,200 in.-lbs.
- **Low to High Speed**: Maximum motor speeds from 0 to 5,000 RPM.
- **High Torque-to-Inertia Ratios**: Motors with high Torque-to-Inertia ratios deliver a higher percentage of rated power to the load in applications that require high acceleration and deceleration rates.
- **Durable Construction**: Service life is maximized by the brushless motor construction, high thermal efficiency frame and rugged sealed bearings. Standard IP-65 motor sealing permits operation in harsh industrial environments.
- **Industrial Internal Position Transducer**: The standard rugged internal position encoder measures 8,192 precise increments of position, or counts, per revolution.
- **Low Torque Ripple**: Sinusoidal construction combined with precise sinusoidal electronic commutation provide low motor output torque ripple.
- **Fail-Safe Brake**: An optional fail-safe brake is available integral to the motor.
- **High Speed**: Maximum motor speeds from 2,000 to 4,500 RPM.
- **High Torque-to-Inertia Ratios**: Motors with high Torque-to-Inertia ratios deliver a higher percentage of rated power to the load in applications which require high acceleration and deceleration rates.
- **Durable Construction**: Service life is maximized by the brushless motor construction, high thermal efficiency frame and rugged sealed bearings. Standard IP-65 motor sealing with optional IP-67 sealing permits motor operation in harsh industrial environments.
- **Industrial Internal Position Transducer**: The rugged internal position transducer measures 4096 to 32,768 (depending on selected motor) precise increments of position, or counts, per revolution.
• **Low Torque Ripple:** Sinusoidal construction combined with precise sinusoidal electronic commutation provide low motor output torque ripple.

• **Fail-Safe Brake:** An optional fail-safe brake is available integral to the motor.
Chapter 3 – Installation

3 Installation

Receiving and Inspection

Custom Motors, Inc. Servodrives, Servomotors, and their associated accessories are put through rigorous tests at the factory before shipment. After unpacking, however, check for damage, which may have been sustained in transit. The bolts and screws should all be tight, and motor output shafts should rotate freely by hand. Check the Servodrives and any accessories for bent or broken components or any other physical damage before installation.

Servodrive Panel and Environment Considerations

Servodrives are designed for panel mounting, with the panel in turn mounted in a metallic enclosure (supplied by the machine builder). For optimal EMC (Electromagnetic Compatibility) shielding, the enclosure should have continuous ground continuity maintained between all metal panels.

For high quality servo performance, proper wiring, grounding and shielding techniques must be considered.

The Servodrive environment should be maintained as follows:

- Ambient operating temperature should be at or below 50°C.
- If the electrical panel is subjected to vibration, mount the units on shock absorbing material.
- Avoid use in corrosive atmospheres which may cause damage over time.
- Select a location with minimum exposure to oil, water, hot air, high humidity, excessive dust, or metallic particles.
- The proper mounting orientation for the Servodrive is vertical on a panel using the mounting holes (3 with CA05, CA8.2, CA14, 4 with CA25, CA35 and CA60) on the base plate.
- Allow sufficient clearance around Servodrives for airflow, and provide proper ventilation. Section 0 shows the minimum clearance between drives.
- External regenerative discharge resistors should be mounted in an enclosure separate from the Servodrive enclosure, if possible. Regenerative discharge resistors can become extremely hot, so proper ventilation must be provided.
Servodrive Outline Drawings – See pages 69 and 70
Additional clearance above, below and on each side of the Servodrives is also required for heat dissipation:

**CA05 and CA8.2**  
Add 2” (51 mm) clearance top and bottom.  
Add 1” (25 mm) clearance each side.

**CA14**  
Add 2” (51 mm) clearance top and bottom.  
Add 1.2” (31 mm) clearance each side.

**CA25, CA35 and CA60**  
Add 2” (51 mm) clearance top.  
Add 4” (102 mm) clearance bottom.  
Add 1” (25 mm) clearance each side.

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**UltraTools Software Configuration**

The following drive settings are configured with UltraTools:

- **Motor Model Number**
  - Continuous Stall Current
  - Peak Current
  - Maximum Speed of motor
- **Resistance** measured phase-to-phase
- **Inductance** measured phase-to-phase
- **Number of Poles**
- **Hall Offset**
- **Maximum Drive Input Voltage** based on motor’s rating
- **Commutation Feedback Type:**
  - Incremental encoder with separate U,V,W hall inputs -or-
  - Incremental encoder with encoded U,V,W hall information -or-
  - U,V,W hall inputs without incremental encoder
- **Feedback Resolution** (Counts per revolution)
- **Thermal Switch** in motor is present/not present
- **Thermal Time Constant** of motor.
- **Motor Over Temperature Handling** (Ignore/Error/Drive Alarm)
- **Hardware Travel Limit Inputs** (Enable/Disable)
- **Input Voltage for Drive** (115/230)
- **Regen Resistor Resistance** (Ohms)
- **Regen Resistor Rated Power** (Watts)

These settings can be stored in a (.udp) file, downloaded to the CA Series drive, and stored in the drive’s EEPROM.
Servodrive Power Considerations

Supply Power

CA Series Drives can be operated, through line filters or an isolation transformer, on commercial power lines which supply either 115 (+15%, -20%) or 230 (+15%, -20%) VAC, 50/60 Hz. Suitable for use on a circuit capable of delivering not more than 5000 rms symmetrical amperes, 240 V maximum.

To prevent power line accidents due to grounding error, contact error, or to protect the system from a fire, circuit breakers or fuses must be installed according to the number and size (current capacity) of CA Series Drives used. Slow-blow circuit breakers or fuses should be used because the Servodrives draw substantial inrush current at power up.

Shielding, Power Line Filtering & Noise Suppression

The Servodrive uses high voltage switching power transistors in the main DC Bus circuit. When these transistors are switched, the $\frac{di}{dt}$ or $\frac{dv}{dt}$ switching noise may sometimes prove objectionable depending on the wiring and/or grounding method. The Servodrive also utilizes a microprocessor, which can be susceptible to power line interference caused either by the output switching transistors or other equipment on the power line, such as welders, electrical discharge machines, induction heating equipment, etc. Careful layout of wiring and power line filtering will help prevent noise interference. Recommendations with respect to wiring and grounding are described later in this section.

It is recommended that line filters be installed to eliminate electro-magnetic interference coming into the system from the power line, as well as block switching noise from being transmitted back out to the power line from the Servodrives.

Sizing Fuses, Line Filters, and Transformers

To determine current requirements for fuses, line filters and transformers for main power, use the following conservative formulas:

**Required Power** (in KVA) = \( \frac{1.1 \times \text{Rated Power of Motor} \text{ (in Watts)}}{1000} \)

**Required Current** (in Amps) = \( \frac{1.1 \times \text{Rated Power of Motor} \text{ (in Watts)}}{\text{Incoming Line Voltage} \text{ (in Volts AC)}} \)

In cases where the motor is substantially over-sized for an application, consider substituting the actual power required by the application into the above formulas, instead of the motor’s rated power.
Power Dissipation

Use the following table to determine cabinet cooling requirements:

<table>
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<tr>
<th>Dissipated Power (Watts)</th>
<th>Control Power</th>
<th>Main Power</th>
<th>External Regen Resistor (if used)</th>
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<tr>
<td></td>
<td>Max Typical</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>CA05</td>
<td>45 20</td>
<td>120</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>CA8.2</td>
<td>45 20</td>
<td>240</td>
<td>1500 max.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>CA14</td>
<td>45 20</td>
<td>400</td>
<td>2100 max.</td>
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<td>CA25</td>
<td>56 31</td>
<td>650</td>
<td>3200 max.</td>
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<td>CA35</td>
<td>56 31</td>
<td>900</td>
<td>4000 max.</td>
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<td>CA60</td>
<td>56 31</td>
<td>1550</td>
<td>4800 max.</td>
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*Table 1, Power Dissipation*

Main power dissipation is shown in the table for the rated output power of the drive. The actual dissipated main power may be lower, depending on the motor and/or application requirements. To more closely estimate main power dissipation, use the conservative formula: 0.1*(rated power of the motor). In cases where the motor is substantially oversized for the application, use 0.1*(the power required by the application).

Power dissipated in the regen resistor is dependent on the regen resistor connected to the drive, as well as the application requirements. The table shows the rated capability of the regen transistor in the Servodrive.

Line Filters

Once the incoming power service is determined, the appropriate main power line filter can be selected from the following chart. In the case of a system using multiple Servodrives, only one line filter is required per cabinet.

<table>
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<tr>
<th>Servo Drive</th>
<th>Main Power Input Voltage</th>
<th>Total Continuous Current</th>
<th>Main Power Line Filter</th>
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<tr>
<td>CA05</td>
<td>Single phase</td>
<td>Up to 30 Amps</td>
<td>SAC-LF230U</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>CA8.2</td>
<td>Up to 30 Amps</td>
<td>SACLF30C</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>CA14</td>
<td>30 – 55 Amps</td>
<td>SAC-LF55C</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>CA25</td>
<td>55 – 100 Amps</td>
<td>SAC-LF100C</td>
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<td>CA35</td>
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<td>CA60</td>
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*Table 2, Line Filter Recommendations*
The following methods are recommended for the proper installation of line filters:

1) The filter must be mounted on the same panel as, and as close as possible to, the Servodrive(s).

2) Paint or other panel covering material should be removed before mounting the filter.

3) All SAC-LF____C line filter ground connections should be tied to the earth ground with a single wire (preferably braid), and the filter must be grounded before connecting the Servodrives.

4) Line filters should not be touched for a minimum of 10 seconds after removal of the supply power.

5) Separate the input and output leads by a minimum of 10 inches (250 mm). Do not bundle them or run them in the same duct or wireway.

Do not bundle the ground lead with the filter output lines or other signal lines, and do not run them in the same duct.
Servo Drive Connections

This section describes the Servodrive connections at TB1, TB2 (CA25 – CA60 only), and P1, P2, P3, and P4. Signal descriptions are given in Table 3 through Table. The remainder of Section 0 shows additional wiring information.

*P1 Com Port can be software converted to RS232

*L3 – Not used on CA05

Figure 1. CA Series Drive Connections Overview (CA05, CA8.2, CA14)
*P1 Com Port can be software converted to RS232.

Figure 2, CA Series Drive Connections Overview (CA25, CA35, CA60)
Power Terminal Block (TB1)

Refer to the Servodrive Connector Part Numbers section (page 63) of the Specifications chapter for further information.

<table>
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<th>Signal</th>
<th>Function</th>
<th>Description</th>
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<tr>
<td>R, T</td>
<td>Logic Power (CA05, CA8.2, CA14 only)</td>
<td>Single phase 115 (-20%) to 230 (+15%) VAC, 50/60 Hz control logic input power.</td>
</tr>
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</table>
| L1, L2, L3 – or – L1, L2 | Bus Power | (CA8.2, CA14, CA25, CA35, CA60): Three phase 115 (+15%, -20%) or 230 (+15%, -20%) VAC, 50/60 Hz.  
               (CA05): Single phase 115 (+15%, -20%) to 230 (+15%, -20%) VAC, 50/60 Hz.  
               The input voltage should match the UltraTools software setting, to ensure proper operation of low bus voltage faults and inrush current limiting. |
| FG     | Ground   | Ground for input power |
| Bus + Bus - | Bus Regen | Nominal bus voltage:  
               325 VDC for 230 VAC input  
               163 VDC for 115 VAC input  
               These terminals can be used for connecting bus power between Servodrives.  
               If an external regen resistor is used (CA8.2, CA14, CA25, CA35, CA60 only), it is connected between Bus + and REGEN. See Section 0, External Regen Resistor Wiring (RG) (page 312). |
| REGEN  | Regen Resistor | If an external regen resistor is used (CA8.2, CA14, CA25, CA35, CA60 only), it is connected between Bus + and REGEN. See Section 0, External Regen Resistor Wiring (RG) (page 312). |
| U,V,W  | Motor Power | Single or Three-phase power to the motor. See:  
               • CM-Series Servomotor Connection (page 36)  
               The motor type must match the UltraTools software setting, to ensure proper operation. |
| FG     | Ground   | Ground connection for motor frame ground |
| SH     | Shield Ground | Connection for motor shield ground (CA25 – CA60 only) |

Table 3, Power Terminal Block (TB1) Description

Logic Power Terminal Block (TB2) (CA25, CA35, CA60 only)

Refer to the Servodrive Connector Part Numbers section (page 65) of the Specifications chapter for further information.
Signal Function Description

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</tr>
<tr>
<td>FG</td>
<td>Ground</td>
<td>Ground for input logic power</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

*Table 4, Logic Power Terminal Block (TB2) Description (CA25, CA35, CA60)*

RS232 Communications Port (P1)

The P1 connector is used to communicate with external system communications devices, such as a PC running the UltraTools setup and diagnostic program. The port is an RS232 communications port that makes use of an RJ-11 connector. The internal port includes an auto baud rate detect feature which detects the baud rate of incoming data after receiving two successive carriage return / line feeds. The standard protocol of 8 data bits, parity none, and 1 stop bit is supported, as well as others, in speeds ranging from 1200 baud to 38400 baud. The standard Xon/Xoff communication protocol is used for handshaking. The only connections necessary for RS232 communication are GND, TX, and RXA (pins 1, 2, and 3). The remaining lines (pins 4, 5, and 6) are for future expansion. When connecting between the CA Series Servodrive and an external PC, etc., the TX transmit line must connect to the PC serial communications receive line, and the RXA receive line must connect to the PC transmit line.

Standard cables are available from Custom Motors, Inc. Systems Corporation to facilitate connection between the CA Series Servodrive and an external desktop or laptop PC. Refer to the Servodrive Connector Part Numbers section (page 65) of the Specifications chapter for further information.

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<td>TX</td>
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<td>6</td>
<td>/TXA</td>
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*Table 5A, RS232 Communications Port (P1) Description*

RS485 Communications Port 1

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CA-Series servodrives support an RS485 multi-drop network. Servodrives with this feature enabled use RS485/422 differential signals and addressing protocol to determine which drive responds to commands on the communications bus.

Documentation for electrical connections can be found in the CA-Series Installation & Operation Manual. This document describes the software
commands and features added to support operation. Two commands, RS-485 and RS-485EN were added as well as some operational changes as documented below.

NOTE: If more than 4 CA-Series drives are connected together on the same RS485 communications bus, the terminating resistors for all the drives except the first and last on the network must be removed. Refer to the Termination Resistor section for further information.

**RS-485 Node ID**

**Format1:** RS-485 {node ID}

**Format2:** RS-485?

**Type** Direct Mode Command

**Argument Type:** Unsigned Integer, 0 to 16

**See Also:** RS-485EN, STORE

The RS-485 command sets the node ID for the current drive. The STORE command must be used to save the drive node ID in flash, otherwise, the drive ID will revert to the last value saved in flash the next time the logic power is cycled. A value of 0 will disable RS485 communications, the drive will operate in RS232 mode. Note, it is best to cycle power or issue a reset command after the STORE command. RS485 address changes become effective immediately, however, hardware configuration changes are only done at power up or reset. Thus, changing between RS232 and RS485 with the RS-485 command will change the interface from single ended RS232 to differential RS485 after the next reset, not immediately. See the section Debugging RS485 Communications below for additional help.

Hardware configuration to RS485 is delayed for 30 seconds after power up. The drive will power up configured for RS232. If RS485 has been selected by storing a non-zero address then a P will flash on the display during this initial mode. While in this mode you are able to use RS232 communications and query the drives node address and disable RS485 mode if desired. Also while in this mode RS485 communications will not work. This feature provides a method to reset a servodrive with an unknown RS485 address while the differential RS485 drivers are not available.

If the RS-485? command is entered, the node ID for the current drive will be returned.

**Examples:**

- RS-485 1 ; sets current drive node ID to 1
- RS-485 ? ; returns the current node ID
- STORE ; saves the current drive node ID in flash memory
- RESET ; resets the drive which configures for RS485 mode
RS-485EN

Enable RS-485 Node

Format1: RS-485EN {node ID}
Type Direct Mode Command
Argument Type: Unsigned Integer, 0 to 16

See Also: RS-485

The RS-485EN command sets the active node ID for the RS-485 communications. If node ID matches this servodrives address, then it will become the active drive. If there is no match then the command is ignored. When a servodrive is not the RS485 active drive all commands except RS-485EN are ignored. See the section Debugging RS485 Communications below for additional help.

Examples:

» RS-485EN 1 ; enable communications with drive node ID 1
» RS-485 ? ; returns the current node ID
» RS-485EN 2 ; enable communications with drive node ID 2

Status Display Changes

The Status LED display functions as documented in the CA-Series Operation Manual with the following additions.

When the drive is disabled and this drive is the active RS485 drive then the display will show a c1 or c2, changing the C to a lower case c. A portion of the STATUS LED table is replaced by:

If drive is not using RS485 or in not the active RS485 drive

C1 Drive disabled by hardware enable input (Check hardware enable input)
C2 Drive disabled by software enable command (Check DRVENA command)

If drive is using RS485 and is the active RS485 drive (RS-485EN <node> received with this node addressed)

c1 Drive disabled by hardware enable input (Check hardware enable input)
c2 Drive disabled by software enable command (Check DRVENA command)

notice that the c is lower case.

When the servodrive is enabled the display is a rapidly rotating figure 8 pattern.
When the drive is the active RS485 drive then this pattern will rotate half as fast.

At power up or reset the drive

**Debugging RS485 Communications**

Setting up a RS485 communication network can be frustrating when a problem develops and it's not clear what the problem is. A number of features are available to assist with this process.

1) In RS485 mode, just as in RS232 mode, initial carriage returns are needed to autobaud the drive so that it configures for the correct baud rate. Wait until the drive enters RS485 mode before issuing the carriage returns. (See the next item.)

2) During the 1st 30 seconds after power up (while the P is flashing) the drive is in RS232 mode and the RS485 address can be queried (RS-485?) or RS485 operation can be disabled (RS-485 0).

3) While RS485 mode is enabled the display changes when the drive is the active drive on the network. This aids in determining that the address communications are working.

**RS485 Terminating Resistors**

An RS485 communications bus requires signal line terminating resistors on the first and last nodes (drives) on the network. All CA-Series drives are shipped with the terminating resistors installed.

For networks consisting of four drives or less, simply connect the drives together on the network. The total impedance of the terminating resistors should be high enough to allow proper operation.

For Networks with more than four drives, the terminating resistors in all the drives except the first and last in the network must be removed as per the following instructions:

1) Disable all power (bus and logic) into the drive and wait for the BUS POWER LED to turn off.

2) Remove the CA-Series drive cover.

3) Remove socketed resistor R98, which is located next to IC chip A30 near the status LED.
4) Replace the CA-Series drive cover.
5) Reapply logic power and test.

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<td>TX</td>
<td>RS232</td>
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<td>3</td>
<td>RXA</td>
<td>RS232 (single ended) and RS485 (differential)</td>
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<td>4</td>
<td>/RXA</td>
<td>RS485 inverted side of receiver</td>
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<td>5</td>
<td>TXA</td>
<td>RS485 – positive side of differential transmitter</td>
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<td>6</td>
<td>/TXA</td>
<td>RS485 – inverted side of differential transmitter</td>
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*Table 5B, RS485 Communications Port (P1) Description*

**Controller Port (P2)**

The DB25 connector at P2 is designed to connect an external controller to the CA Series Servodrive. The signals present on this connector should provide all that is needed to permit an external controller to control the operation of the power output section of the Servodrive.

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<td>1</td>
<td>Velocity/Torque Analog Command Signal Input (+)</td>
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|     | This input is the positive input of the analog command signal for velocity or torque.  
|     | **Note**: In order for the CA Series Servodrive to control motor motion through this analog signal, the Servodrive must be operating in ANALOG mode, not SERIAL mode. ANALOG is the default startup mode for the Servodrive when it first powers up. Please refer to the software commands later in this manual. |
|     | **Differential Input**: For differential input, the analog command signal is applied between P2 pin1 (positive input) and P2 pin 2 (negative input).  
|     | **Single-ended Non-inverted Input**: For single-ended non-inverted input, the signal is applied to P2 pin 1 with respect to common, which is analog ground, pin 4. To achieve single-ended input, P2 pin 2 must be jumpered to pin 3. |
| 2   | Velocity/Torque Analog Command Signal Inverted Input (−) |
|     | When using differential inputs, this input is the negative input of the analog command signal for velocity or torque.  
|     | When using single-ended non-inverted input mode, pin 2 must be jumpered to pin 3.  
|     | When using single-ended inverted input mode, pin 1 must be jumpered to pin 3, and the command signal is applied to this pin (pin 2). See pin 1 above. |
| 3   | Analog Ground |
|     | Single-ended jumper reference. This ground is provided to facilitate operation with single-ended input. |
| 4   | Analog Ground |
|     | Shield for differential input, or single-ended common. |
| 5   | + 5 volts |
|     | For external use (10 ma max.) |
| 6   | Encoder Reference Output Z – |
|     | Index or marker channel compliment reference |
| 7   | Encoder Reference Output Z + |
|     | Index or marker channel reference |
| 8   | Encoder Reference Output B + |
|     | Encoder data channel B reference. See Section 0, Commutation Feedback Signals. |
| 9   | Encoder Reference Output B – |
|     | Encoder data channel B compliment reference |
| 10  | Encoder Reference Output A + |
|     | Encoder data channel A reference. See Section 0, Commutation Feedback Signals. |
| 11  | Encoder Reference Output A – |
|     | Encoder data channel A compliment reference |

*Table 6, Controller Port (P2) Description*

(continued on next page)
**Table 6. Controller Port (P2) Description**

* All of the inputs and outputs noted for P2 above follow the hardware setup described in Figure 4, Making Digital I/O Connections, later in this chapter.
Shared Digital Inputs & Outputs

Please note that the two digital inputs (INP1 & INP2) and three digital outputs (OUT1 – OUT3) brought out by this P2 connector to the controller are identical to the I/O of the same name on the P3 connector. They are included on P2 for convenience in connecting with the controller. The digital outputs can be monitored at both P2 and P3 without confusion or harmful results. However, the digital inputs must be controlled at only one location, either P2 or P3. If the inputs (INP1 & INP2) are actually controlled at P2, then no connection should be made to these inputs on the P3 connector. If the inputs are controlled at P3, then no connection should be made to them at the P2 connector. See Figure 3:

![Figure 3, Shared Digital Inputs & Outputs](image-url)
Supplemental Input Port (P3)

This quick-disconnecting Phoenix style header provides connections for the digital I/O, the DACs, and the motor temperature input. The digital inputs and outputs are user definable as to function and provide flexibility in handling such things as Servodrive faults, etc. The two DAC outputs can help monitor signal levels and other items of interest. The motor temperature condition tracked on this connector provides protection against damaging the motor. Please note that the motor temperature wiring hookup must agree with the MOTMODE software command of the Servodrive. That is, if ‘Overtemp:’ in the motor setup in UltraTools indicates to IGNORE the motor temperature sensor (MOTMODE 0), then no connection should be made to the TMP terminals on P3, or an ‘F4’ motor temperature error will occur. Likewise, if the choice is to indicate a fault (MOTMODE 1 and 2), then a valid motor temperature connection MUST be made, or an ‘F4’ motor temperature error will occur.

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<td>Digital Input 1 (INP1)</td>
<td>Fully isolated digital input. See 0, Shared Digital Inputs &amp; Outputs.</td>
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<td>Digital Input 2 (INP2)</td>
<td>Fully isolated digital input. See 0, Shared Digital Inputs &amp; Outputs.</td>
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<td>3*</td>
<td>Digital Input 3 (INP3)</td>
<td>Fully isolated digital input.</td>
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<tr>
<td>4*</td>
<td>Digital Input 4 (INP4)</td>
<td>Fully isolated digital input.</td>
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<tr>
<td>5*</td>
<td>Digital Input Common</td>
<td>This pin provides a common for all of the digital input connections. These are all isolated inputs.</td>
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<td>6*</td>
<td>Digital Output 1 (OUT1)</td>
<td>Fully isolated, user definable digital output. See 0, Shared Digital Inputs &amp; Outputs.</td>
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<td>7*</td>
<td>Digital Output 2 (OUT2)</td>
<td>Fully isolated, user definable digital output. See 0, Shared Digital Inputs &amp; Outputs.</td>
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<td>8*</td>
<td>Digital Output 3 (OUT3)</td>
<td>Fully isolated, user definable digital output. See 0, Shared Digital Inputs &amp; Outputs.</td>
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<td>Digital Output 4 (OUT4)</td>
<td>Fully isolated, user definable digital output.</td>
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<td>10*</td>
<td>Digital Output Common</td>
<td>This pin provides a common for all of the digital output connections. These are all isolated outputs.</td>
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* All of the inputs and outputs noted for P2 above follow the hardware setup described in **Figure 4, Making Digital I/O Connections**, later in this chapter.

**Table 7, Supplemental I/O Port (P3) Description (continued from previous page)**
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<td>Digital – to - Analog Output 1</td>
<td>Torque Monitor</td>
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<td>(DAC1)</td>
<td>±10 VDC analog signal.</td>
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<td>3 VDC = rated torque.</td>
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<td>12</td>
<td>Digital – to - Analog Output 2</td>
<td>Velocity Monitor</td>
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<td></td>
<td>(DAC2)</td>
<td>±10 VDC analog signal.</td>
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<td>The scaling depends on the maximum speed of the motor:</td>
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<td>Max speed 5000 rpm or higher: 1 VDC = 1000 rpm.</td>
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<td>Max speed between 2000-4999 rpm: 2 VDC = 1000 rpm.</td>
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<td>Max speed 1999 rpm or lower: 5 VDC = 1000 rpm.</td>
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<td>The maximum speed normally defaults to the maximum speed printed on the side</td>
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<td>of the motor, but for G-Series motors rated for 460 VAC (MAC-Gxxxx4), but</td>
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<td>operated at 230 VAC, it is limited to half of the maximum speed printed on</td>
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<td>the side of the motor.</td>
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<td>13</td>
<td>DAC Signal Common</td>
<td>This pin provides a common for the two digital to analog outputs.</td>
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<td>14*</td>
<td>Motor Temperature Input</td>
<td>This is the input pin for the normally closed motor thermal switch. These</td>
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<td>motor temperature pins are located close to the feedback connector, the</td>
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<td>normal source for the motor temperature input wires. The MOTMODE command</td>
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<td>defines how the drive will react to this input.</td>
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<td><strong>Note:</strong> Failure to monitor the motor temperature outputs could result in</td>
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<td>damage to the motor and could void your warranty.</td>
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<tr>
<td>15*</td>
<td>Motor Temperature Common</td>
<td>This pin provides a common for the Motor Temperature Input.</td>
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* All of the inputs and outputs noted for P2 above follow the hardware setup described in Figure 4, Making Digital I/O Connections, later in this chapter.

Table 7, Supplemental I/O Port (P3) Description (continued from previous page)
Feedback Port (P4)

The DB15 connector at P4 provides a simple and effective method for connecting the servomotor feedback to the CA Series Servodrive. This supplies the necessary encoder and Hall’s information to the DSP which allow it to track velocity and also provide commutation control to the servomotor.

Refer to the Servodrive Connector Part Numbers section (page 65) of the Specifications chapter for further information.
### Pin Signal Description

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<td>ENC PWR</td>
<td>+5.3 VDC power supply output for the motor encoder (450 mA max). This power is derived from the input control power at pins r,t.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>2</td>
<td>DGND</td>
<td>Common for the +5.3 VDC supply (ENC PWR).</td>
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<tr>
<td>3</td>
<td>ENCA'</td>
<td>Differential input, “once per revolution” marker signal from the motor encoder.</td>
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<td>4</td>
<td>ENCA</td>
<td>Differential input, quadrature feedback channel A from the motor encoder.</td>
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<tr>
<td>5</td>
<td>ENCB'</td>
<td>Differential input, quadrature feedback channel B from the motor encoder.</td>
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<td>6</td>
<td>ENCB</td>
<td>Differential input, quadrature feedback channel B from the motor encoder.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>7</td>
<td>SHIELD</td>
<td>Motor encoder shield termination point</td>
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<tr>
<td>8</td>
<td>W'</td>
<td>Differential or single-ended input, commutation feedback channels U, V and W from the motor encoder.</td>
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<tr>
<td>9</td>
<td>W</td>
<td>The U, V and W (pins 15, 13 &amp; 11) inputs are intended for use with single ended commutation feedback. If the feedback signals are open collector outputs, external biasing hardware may be required. The U’, V’ and W’ (pins 14, 12 &amp; 10) inputs are internally biased and no connection or external circuitry is required for use with single ended feedback.</td>
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### Table 8. Feedback Port (P4) Connections

#### External Regen Resistor Wiring (RG)

Regenerative (regen) shunt circuitry, for use with external regen resistors, is provided on Servodrive models CA8.2, CA14, CA25, CA35, and CA60. Regen resistors are connected between the **Bus +** and **REGEN** terminals on TB1 (refer to Figure 5).

The following methods are recommended for proper installation of regen resistors:

1. **Regen resistors can become very hot as part of normal operation and should be mounted in a ventilated, “touch safe” enclosure.** Mounting enclosures and regen resistors are not included and must be supplied by the user.
2. Regen resistor wiring should have heat resistant, non-combustible insulation.
3. Regen resistor, and other system, wiring should be routed so that it is not in contact with the regen resistors.
4. **Switching voltages exceeding 400 VDC maybe present on the Bus+ and REGEN terminals (and across the regen resistor).** Use appropriate high voltage safety and noise suppression wiring methods.
5. Mounting and wiring practices should be in accordance with NEC (National Electric Code) or UL (Underwriters Laboratories) specifications and in compliance with local ordinances.
Figure 5, Regen Resistor Connection

For information on how the shunt circuitry operates, as well as information on sizing regen resistors, see regenerative loads (page 50).

Bus Sharing Wiring (CA25 – CA60)

DC Bus sharing is supported on Servodrive models **CA25, CA35, and CA60 only**. To configure these drives for bus sharing, the Bus + and Bus – terminals are connected as shown in Figure 6. Drives should be connected so that the highest power drives are in the center of the bus-sharing chain. Bus wiring between drives should be less than 12 inches in length to minimize oscillatory effects. As long as the total system regenerative load can be dissipated, there is no limit to the number of drives that can share the DC bus.

For information on how the bus sharing operates, see Bus Sharing. (Page 53)
The following methods are recommended for proper configuration of bus sharing:

1. Wiring should have heat resistant, non-combustible insulation, rated at 600V or more.

2. **Switching voltages exceeding 400 VDC maybe present on the Bus+ and BUS- terminals.** Use appropriate high voltage safety and noise suppression wiring methods.

3. Mounting and wiring practices should be in accordance with NEC (National Electric Code) or UL (Underwriters Laboratories) specifications and in compliance with local ordinances.

4. If an external regen resistor is to be used in conjunction with bus sharing, it should be connected to the largest Servodrive in the bus-shared network. **No more than one regen resistor may be used in any bus sharing configuration.** See Chapter 4 for more information on regen resistor installation.

![Diagram of Bus Sharing Connections]

**Figure 6, Bus Sharing Connections**

**Servomotor Installation**

**Motor Use and Environment**

A standard CA-Series (IP65) is designed for use as described below:

- Either horizontal or vertical mounting orientation
- Indoors, clean and dry
- Free from corrosive and/or explosive gases or liquids
- If the location is subject to excessive water or oil, protect the motor with a cover. The motor can withstand a small amount of splashed water or oil.
- Accessible for inspection and cleaning
• Face mounting: the structural integrity of the mounting can be critical to obtaining the maximum performance from your Servomotor application.

• CM-Series Servomotors: Ambient Temperature: 0°C to +40°C.

Cable shown has brake leads in the motor cable. Some cables have the brake leads in the feedback cable, or in a separate brake cable.

**Figure 7, Fail-Safe Brake Interlock Circuit**

**Recommended Servomotor Wiring Methods**

1) See Tables 9, 10, 11, 12, 13 and 14 for correct power and feedback cable part numbers.

2) When the motor is mounted to the machine and grounded through the machine frame, $\frac{\partial}{\partial t}$ current flows from the Servodrive through the floating capacity of the motor. To prevent the noise effects from this current, and also for safety, the motor housing (terminal D of the motor connector) should be connected to the frame of the Servodrive (TB2 pin fg), which should be directly grounded to the control panel frame using braided copper wire.

3) When motor wiring is contained in metal conduits, the conduits and boxes must be grounded. Use wires of 12 AWG or heavier for grounding to the case (preferably flat woven silver-plated copper braid).

4) If possible, route motor feedback and motor power cables in separate conduits or ductwork, separated by a minimum of 10 inches (25 cm).
Motors with Integral Fail-Safe Brakes

NOTE: The integral fail-safe brakes supplied on CM-Series motors are intended for holding purposes (preventing the movement of a stopped motor) only and should not be used for braking a motor in motion. Using an integral fail-safe brake to stop a motor in motion may result in damage to the motor-brake unit. An external brake should be used for fail-safe stopping a motor in motion.

Figure 7 shows the recommended safety and fault interlock wiring for motors with fail-safe brakes.

• When the main power contactor opens, the brake engages.
• When /DRIVE ENABLE is asserted, the brake disengages.

Use a separate +24 VDC power supply for coil power! Most motion controller power and I/O supplies should not be used for switching inductive loads.

*Required for CM40, CM60, CM80, CM100 and CM130 MM Series ONLY. CM142 and CM190 Series Coil Surge Suppressing Diode internal to motor brake assembly.
## CM-Series Servomotor Connections

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**Coupling the Servomotor to the Load**

Good alignment of motor and the driven machine is essential to prevent vibration, increase bearing and coupling life, and to prevent shaft and bearing failures.

With a direct drive application a torsionally rigid flexible coupling should be used. Timing belts and gearboxes are also commonly used in servo applications. Shaft loading should be kept to a minimum. The allowable shaft bearing loading is listed in the Specifications Section.

In either case, it is preferable to attach the coupling or pulley to the shaft with a clamping arrangement rather than transmit torque through the keyway, because of the reversing shock torques, which the Servomotor can generate. A number of mechanical approaches afford this type of attachment including tapered hubs, split hubs, ringfeder devices, etc.
Chapter 4 – Operation

Power On and Off Sequencing

Appendix A shows the recommended interlock approaches for both single and multiple axes. Note its features:

1) ESTOP interlocks

a) The recommended E-Stop switch is a maintained-contact red mushroom head push-button, which must be manually pulled out (reset) after it has been pressed (asserted). It should be powered by 115 or 230 VAC, and must conduct current for the Servomotor to provide output torque.

b) The E-Stop must be asserted after all power is applied and the E-Stop switch is closed. It must be closed long enough for the main power contactor coil circuit to be energized, and the main power auxiliary relay to "pull-in".

c) If the E-Stop switch is pressed (asserted), the main circuit power is disconnected, and torque is prevented at the motor(s).

2) Servodrive faults

If any fault condition occurs within a Servodrive, the Status display will indicate the fault code.

To reset a High Bus Voltage Fault, the main input power must be disabled long enough to discharge the power capacitors. This will be indicated by the BUS POWER LED on the Servodrive no longer being illuminated.

To reset a Motor Over Temperature Fault, the motor must be sufficiently cool. Not only must any alarm condition, including E-Stop, be cleared before motor power can be restored, but the E-Stop Reset push-button must then be depressed long enough for all the relays to pull-up again.

Servodrive Status Indications

The Servodrive status indication consists of a 1-digit 7-segment LED display (Status) and a yellow LED indicating bus power.

If an alarm condition is present on the Servodrive, the output transistors are disabled, and an appropriate error code is displayed on the Status display. The control power should be maintained in case of a Servodrive fault, so that the status indicators can indicate the unit’s status until the cause of the fault is determined.

If any wiring changes are necessary, turn off the control and main power circuits and wait for the BUS POWER LED to go completely off to avoid possible electrical shock.

See Notes next page
Notes:
1) After the conditions causing a Servodrive fault have been corrected, reset the drive.
2) If the fault is due to the motor or drive being over temperature, the Servodrive will not reset until the component has cooled down.

Bus Power LED Status Indicator

The Bus Power LED is an amber colored LED located near terminal R of the Logic Power input on TB1. This LED provides an indication of the state of the bus power on the terminals of TB1 and internal to the CA Series Servodrive. If the LED is lit, there is voltage on the bus. If it is not lit, any voltage on the bus has decayed to very low levels.

WARNING: If the BUS POWER LED is lit, high voltages may be present on the BUS POWER and BUS/REGEN terminals of TB1 on the Servodrive. These voltages may be LETHAL. Appropriate precautions must be taken when working with or near these terminals to avoid personal INJURY or DEATH!

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>LED Label</th>
<th>Color</th>
<th>Illuminated when...</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>BUS POWER</td>
<td>Yellow</td>
<td>Main DC Bus Power is on.</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

Table 15, Bus Power LED Status Indicator

Status ID

The segmented STATUS LED located above the RS232 connector P1 provides valuable information on any fault condition that may occur in the Servodrive.

If the Status LED is a rapidly rotating segment display, the Servodrive is alive and operating, and no fault condition exists. When a drive alarm exists, the Status display will show the alarm code (shown on the next page in ). There is a more detailed table of alarm codes which shows cause-and-effect for many of these alarms in Section 0, Servodrive Troubleshooting Guide (page 66).

All drive alarms cause torque to be disabled at the motor. Drive alarms 90 – 99 and 9A-9F may require cycling control power to clear the alarm. All other alarms can be cleared by setting ALARM@=0 (after the cause of the alarm has been cleared).
### Alarm Codes

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Alarm Code</th>
<th>Alarm@</th>
<th>Condition</th>
<th>Description</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>90-99</td>
<td>A</td>
<td>Internal Drive Error</td>
<td>Should be reported to Custom Motors, Inc. Customer Service. Internal error 98 indicates that the manufacturing calibration of the drive has not been done.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>144-159</td>
<td></td>
<td>Drive RMS Over Current</td>
<td>The actual RMS current has exceeded the drive’s rated continuous current longer than the allowed time (2 seconds at peak current).</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>160</td>
<td>A</td>
<td>Peak Over Current</td>
<td>The peak current rating for the drive or motor was exceeded. The motor’s peak current rating is an UltraTools setting.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>161</td>
<td>A</td>
<td>Low Bus Voltage</td>
<td>The bus voltage is below 90 VDC (usually due to disabled main power).</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>163</td>
<td>A</td>
<td>Drive Not Configured</td>
<td>An attempt was made to enable torque before the drive’s setup parameters have been configured.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>166</td>
<td>A</td>
<td>Invalid Commutation Position</td>
<td>An invalid commutation position was detected, possibly due to an encoder failure.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>168</td>
<td>A</td>
<td>Phase Loss</td>
<td>Loss of a main power phase.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>169</td>
<td>A</td>
<td>No Bus Voltage</td>
<td>No bus voltage was detected. The SCR has not been commanded ON when trying to enable the drive.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>170</td>
<td>A</td>
<td>Soft Start Error</td>
<td>An overtemperature condition was detected in the drive powerblock, or a failure of the inrush current resistor.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>193</td>
<td>C</td>
<td>Hardware Disable Analog</td>
<td>Analog (Ext Ctrlr) Mode. Drive disabled by hardware enable input (Check hardware enable input).</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>194</td>
<td>C</td>
<td>Software Disable Serial</td>
<td>Serial (Utools) Mode. Drive disabled by software enable command (Check DRVENA command).</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>c1</td>
<td>C</td>
<td>Hardware Disable RS485</td>
<td>RS485 Mode ***</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>c2</td>
<td>C</td>
<td>Software Disable RS485</td>
<td>RS485 Mode ***</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

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<tr>
<th>Alarm Code</th>
<th>Alarm@</th>
<th>Condition</th>
<th>Description</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>F1</td>
<td></td>
<td>Motor RMS Over Current</td>
<td>The motor’s rating for continuous current has been exceeded by the actual RMS current for longer than allowed by the thermal time constant of the motor. (UltraTools software setting)</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>F2</td>
<td></td>
<td>Power Module Fault</td>
<td>The Power Module’s self-protection has detected a short circuit, over current, over temperature or control supply under voltage.</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>
| F3         |        | High Bus Voltage           | The bus voltage is excessive. The trip point depends on the rated voltage of the motor, an UltraTools software setting:  
• Motor rated for 115 VAC: trip point = 237 VDC  
• Motor rated for 230 VAC or above: trip point = 425 VDC |
| F4         |        | Motor Over Temperature      | Open contact at P3 pins 14-15. See Section 0, page 56.                      |
| F7         |        | Motor Encoder Open Wire    | At least one motor encoder feedback channel (ENCA, ENCA’, ENCB, ENCB’) is not connected properly. (P4 pins 5,6,7,8) |
| F8         |        | Watchdog Timeout           | DSP Watchdog timeout error.                                                |

Table 16, Servodrive Alarm Codes
Servodrive Commutation Modes

By default, Servodrives are configured to control permanent magnet brushless DC servomotors using sine-wave commutation. The Drive can be configured for trapezoidal commutation using the SIXSTEP command. This can be useful when integrating third-party motors.

Commutation Feedback Signals

Commutation position signals are illustrated in Figure 8 (page 47).

The U, V and W signals are "on" for 180° spaced 120° apart and allow the Drive to determine motor position for commanding current. These signals are used to determine rotor position whenever the Drive is operating in trapezoidal commutation mode (SIXSTEP).

Figure 8, Hall signals and Motor Back EMF waveforms
If the motor’s back emf and commutation signals are not directly in phase, the HOFFSET parameter can be used to compensate for the offset.

The state of the commutation signals can be displayed using the HALL variable and Table 17, Valid Hall States.

To verify that the commutation feedback is correct, rotate the motor shaft clockwise or counter-clockwise and confirm that the HALL value proceeds through the sequence indicated in the diagram below, once per commutation cycle.

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Counter-Clockwise Rotation</th>
<th>Clockwise Rotation</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>W, V, U</td>
<td>W, V, U</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>HALL</td>
<td>HALL</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>101</td>
<td>5</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>001</td>
<td>1</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>011</td>
<td>3</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>010</td>
<td>2</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>110</td>
<td>6</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>100</td>
<td>4</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

Table 17, Valid Hall States

Quadrature Feedback Signals

Quadrature position signals for "Forward" and "Reverse" travel are illustrated in Figure 9.

Channel A and Channel B are phase quadrature signals, which allow the Servodrive and associated digital positioning electronics to determine both travel distance and direction. Programmable motion controllers, such as Custom Motors, Inc.’s, typically decode each transition of both encoder channels, yielding a resolution of four times the linecount specification per revolution e.g. A position encoder with 2,048 linecount, when decoded by a customer supplied controller, yields a positioning resolution of 8,192 cts/rev.

Optical Position Encoder Signals

NOTE: Channel Z (once per revolution marker channel) is synchronized with Channel A.

Figure 9, Quadrature Encoder Channel Description
Regenerative Loads

Regenerative loading occurs when the direction of power flow is from the machine to the motor: the motor is acting as a generator. Another way of describing this is that the load torque is acting in a direction to ‘help’ the motor to move in the commanded direction of motion. This can occur for a variety of reasons including:

1) Decelerating the machine faster than it would coast, especially from high speeds and with large inertial loads;

2) Using the motor to act as a brake on an unwind stand for a roll of material, where the tension in the web causes the motor to brake while moving forward; and

3) Using the motor to lower a vertical load that is not counterbalanced.

In many cases, this extra energy is dissipated by machine friction, or stored temporarily in the drive’s power capacitors. However, if the amount of regenerative energy is excessive, it must be shunted to an external regenerative resistor, in order to prevent a high bus voltage condition. For assistance determining if your application has a regenerative load component, contact your Custom Motors, Inc. Applications Engineer.

Shunt Regulator

Servodrive models CA8.2 through CA60 have shunt regulator circuitry for dissipating excessive regenerative voltage.

The shunt regulator consists of a voltage comparator and a switching transistor. When the voltage comparator detects excess bus voltage, it turns on the shunt regulator transistor, dissipating energy from the Servodrive capacitors to the external regen resistor. The on-time duty cycle is controlled by the Servodrive, so that the average current is appropriate for the regen resistor specified in the UltraTools project software setting.

![Simplified Schematic of Shunt Regulator]

**Figure 10, Simplified Schematic of Shunt Regulator**

Sizing a Regen Resistor: Application-specific Formulas

Regardless of the type of application, the value of interest is **Average Regenerative Power**.
Sizing a Regen Resistor: Regeneration Due To Deceleration

Regeneration during a motor’s deceleration is due to the decreasing kinetic energy of the rotating inertia. Not all of this energy will make it back to the DC bus; some or all of it may be absorbed by machine friction and motor losses. In the case of sizing regen resistors, neglecting frictional losses is a conservative approach to sizing a regen resistor.

Each deceleration in a cycle results in a loss of kinetic energy at the motor. Depending on frictional losses, some or all of this energy may make it back to the drive as Regenerative Energy. Rotational kinetic energy at any velocity can be calculated with the general equation $E = \frac{1}{2} I \omega^2$. Applying the appropriate units conversions:

$$E_{\text{regen}} = \frac{1}{2} I \cdot (V_i^2 - V_f^2) \cdot (0.00124)$$  \hspace{1cm} (Equation 1)

where: $E_{\text{regen}}$ is the loss of kinetic energy during a deceleration (Joules)
$I$ is the total system inertia (motor + load) (in-lb-sec$^2$)
$V_i$ is the initial speed of the motor before deceleration (RPM)
$V_f$ is the final speed of the motor after deceleration (RPM)
(0.00124) is a units conversion: $\frac{(2\pi \text{ rad/rev})^2 \cdot 4.448 \text{ Nm/Lb} \cdot 25.4 \text{ mm/in}}{(60 \text{ sec/ min})^2 \cdot (1000 \text{ mm/m})}$

Average Regenerative Power for the total cycle can be calculated as:

$$P_{\text{avg}} = \frac{E_1 + E_2 + \Lambda + E_n}{T_{\text{cycle}}}$$  \hspace{1cm} (Equation 2)

where $P_{\text{avg}}$ is the average dissipated power over the entire cycle (Watts)
$E_1$ is the energy dissipated by the 1st decel in the cycle (Joules)
\( E_2 \) is the energy dissipated by the 2nd decel in the cycle (Joules)

\[ \ldots \]

\( E_n \) is the energy dissipated by the \( N \)th decel in the cycle (Joules)

\( N \) is the number of decelerations in the cycle

\( T_{\text{cycle}} \) is the total repetitive cycle time (seconds)

### Sizing a Regen Resistor: Regeneration Due To Web Tension (motor acting as brake)

The regeneration in a tensioned-web application is due to the web tension pulling the braking motor along in the same direction that it is moving.

**Average Regenerative Power** is calculated with the general formula:

\[
P = T \omega.
\]

Applying the appropriate units conversions:

\[ P_{\text{avg}} = (0.0118) * T * V \quad (\text{Equation 3}) \]

where \( P_{\text{avg}} \) is the continuous regenerated power (Watts)

\( T \) is the torque at the motor due to web tension (in-lb)

\( V \) is the velocity of the motor shaft (RPM)

(0.0118) is a conversion:

\[
\frac{\text{m/mm}}{1000 \text{min}} \cdot \frac{\sec}{60} \cdot \frac{\text{lb/N}}{448.4} \cdot \frac{\text{in/mm}}{4.25} \cdot \frac{\text{rev/rd}}{2(\text{rad/rev})/25.4 \text{mm/in}/4.488 \text{N/lb}}
\]

### Sizing a Regen Resistor: Regeneration Due to Vertical Load

In an application where the motor is supporting the weight of an uncounterbalanced load, regeneration may occur when the load is being lowered. This is due to gravity ‘helping’ the motor lower the load.

**Instantaneous Regenerative Power** can be calculated with the formula

\[
P = T \omega.
\]

Applying the appropriate units conversions:

\[ P_{\text{instant}} = (0.0118) * T * V \quad (\text{Equation 4}) \]

where \( P_{\text{instant}} \) is the instantaneous regenerated power (Watts)

\( T \) is the torque at the motor due to load weight (in-lb)

\( V \) is the speed of the motor during downward motion (RPM)

(0.0118) is a conversion:

\[
\frac{\text{m/mm}}{1000 \text{min}} \cdot \frac{\sec}{60} \cdot \frac{\text{lb/N}}{448.4} \cdot \frac{\text{in/mm}}{4.25} \cdot \frac{\text{rev/rd}}{2(\text{rad/rev})/25.4 \text{mm/in}/4.488 \text{N/lb}}
\]

**Average Regenerative Power** for the total cycle can be calculated as:

\[
P_{\text{avg}} = \frac{P_1 \cdot T_1 + P_2 \cdot T_2 + \ldots + P_n \cdot T_n}{T_{\text{cycle}}} \quad (\text{Equation 5})
\]

where \( P_{\text{avg}} \) is the average dissipated power over the entire cycle (Watts)

\( P_1 \) is the power dissipated by the cycle’s 1st downward move (Joules)

\( T_1 \) is the time spent in the cycle’s 1st downward move (seconds)

\( P_2 \) is the power dissipated by the cycle’s 2nd downward move (Joules)

\( T_2 \) is the time spent in the cycle’s 2nd downward move (seconds)
P_n is the energy dissipated by the cycle’s Nth downward move (Joules)
T_n is the time spent in the cycles Nth downward move (seconds)
N is the total number of downward moves in the cycle
T_{cycle} is the total repetitive cycle time (seconds)

Sizing a Regen Resistor: Use Average Regenerative Power

Once Average Regenerative Power has been determined using one of the methods in section 0, the sizing of the resistor is nearly complete.

The wattage of the regenerative resistor should be greater than or equal to the application’s calculated Average Regenerative Power.

The next section shows the minimum resistance requirements, as well additional limitations on the regen power that can be shunted, based on the Servodrive’s shunt transistor.

Sizing a Regen Resistor: Regen Transistor and Resistor Limitations

The amount of energy that can be dissipated by an external regen resistor may be limited by the current capability of the switching transistor.

Table 118 below shows the rated maximum continuous current of the Servodrive’s regen transistor circuitry, as well as the minimum resistance for any external regen resistor.

NOTE: Do not use a lower resistance than shown in the table below! Too low a resistance may result in peak currents that are too high for the regen transistor, and could result in damage to the transistor.

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Regen Transistor</th>
<th>Peak Current</th>
<th>Maximum Continuous Current</th>
<th>Bus Capacitance</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>Regen Resistor</td>
<td>(1)</td>
<td>(2)</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>CA05</td>
<td>Regen Transistor not available.</td>
<td>540 µF</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>CA8.2</td>
<td>50 Ω</td>
<td>8.5 A</td>
<td>3.75 A</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>CA14</td>
<td>35 Ω</td>
<td>12 A</td>
<td>5 A</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>CA25</td>
<td>7.8 Ω</td>
<td>50 A</td>
<td>27 A</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>CA35</td>
<td>5.0 Ω</td>
<td>75 A</td>
<td>41 A</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

1 Minimum resistance.
2 Calculated using minimum resistance.

Table 118, Regen Resistor Selection Requirements

The amount of energy that can be dissipated by a regen resistor may also be limited by the resisters own current and power ratings. The peak current that will be seen by the resistor is shown in Table 1111. This current is limited by the regen resistor’s resistance value, so if a higher resistance is used, the peak current will be lower.
The average current that will be seen by the resistor is limited by the Servodrive using an on-off duty cycle. This limits the average current so that neither the wattage of the resistor (an UltraTools software setting) nor the continuous current of the regen transistor is exceeded on a continuous basis.

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Regen Resistor</th>
<th>Resistance</th>
<th>Wattage</th>
<th>Peak Current</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>SAC-SWRR/0055</td>
<td>50 Ω</td>
<td>55 W</td>
<td>8.5 A</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>SAC-SWRR/0095</td>
<td>40 Ω</td>
<td>95 W</td>
<td>11 A</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>SAC-SWRR/0700</td>
<td>54 Ω</td>
<td>700 W</td>
<td>7.9 A</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>SAC-SWRR/0845</td>
<td>40 Ω</td>
<td>845 W</td>
<td>11 A</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>SAC-SWRR/0846</td>
<td>10 Ω</td>
<td>846 W</td>
<td>43 A</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>SAC-SWRR/1700</td>
<td>6.5 Ω</td>
<td>1,700 W</td>
<td>65 A</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

*Table 19, Standard Regen Resistor Specifications*

The voltage seen by the resistor will range between the Turn-On level and the High-Bus level, as shown below in *Table 20*.

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Nominal Input Voltage (VAC)</th>
<th>Nominal Bus Voltage (VDC)</th>
<th>Turn On Regen Transistor (VDC)</th>
<th>High Bus Voltage Alarm (VDC)</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>230</td>
<td>325</td>
<td>395</td>
<td>425</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

*Table 20, Regen Transistor Turn-On and other Bus Voltage Levels*

**Bus Sharing**

The extra energy generated by regenerative loads can also be dissipated through bus sharing. In a shared-bus configuration, the bus capacitors are all connected in parallel, magnifying the total bus capacitance by the number of drives present (see *Figure 12*). Also, the regenerative energy generated by one drive can be used to reduce the input power requirements of any other active drives on the shared bus. However, if the amount of regenerative energy available is excessive, it must be still be shunted to an external regenerative resistor, in order to prevent a high bus voltage condition. For assistance in determining how to use bus sharing in your application, contact your CUSTOM MOTORS, INC. Sales and Applications Engineer.

**Bus Sharing Limitations**

Bus sharing is supported by Servodrive models *CA25, CA35, and CA60 only*, and is subject to the following restrictions:

- Drives that are sharing the DC bus must also be connected to a main input power source and a control input power source.
- Main input power should be applied to all shared-bus drives within 0.1 seconds to prevent possible damage to internal drive control circuits.
Bus wiring between drives should be less than 12 inches in length to minimize oscillatory effects.

**Only one regen resistor may be used in a bus sharing network.** That regen resistor must be sized to handle the regenerative power produced by all of the drives in a shared bus configuration. See Section 0, **egenerative Loads** for more information on sizing regen resistors.

![Diagram of Shared Bus Capacitors](image)

**Figure 12, Shared Bus Capacitors**

**Shunt Regulator Overload**

If regenerated voltage is excessive, a High Bus Voltage fault (F3) may occur. A High Bus Voltage fault will not reset until the voltage level has dropped to an acceptable level. This will occur faster if you disable main power.

If High Bus Voltage faults recur, one of the following actions may resolve the problem:

- Increase the wattage of the external regenerative discharge resistor.  
  **For this change to be effective, you must also change the UltraTools software settings for the Servodrive:** Regen Resistor Power.

- Reduce the commanded current limit for the Controller.

- Reduce the commanded deceleration.

- Decrease the maximum motor speed.

- Reduce the inertial load seen by the motor, either by removing part of the load, or by increasing the gear ratio (motor-to-load).
Servomotor Temperature Protection

The thermostat contact wiring is part of the Motor Feedback Cable (P3 connector on the Servodrive). When the thermal contact opens, the behavior of the Servodrive will depend on the Servodrive’s software configuration in UltraTools:

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Thermal Switch Exists on Motor</th>
<th>Motor OverTemp Handling</th>
<th>Behavior of Servodrive</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>No</td>
<td>No Connection</td>
<td>A closed contact will cause a drive alarm <em>F4</em>. The drive will not be disabled.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Yes</td>
<td>Fault, no disable</td>
<td>If the drive torque is enabled with open OverTemp contacts, a drive alarm <em>F4</em> will immediately occur. The drive will not be disabled.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Yes</td>
<td>Fault, disable</td>
<td>If the drive torque is enabled with open OverTemp contacts, a drive alarm <em>F4</em> will immediately disable torque to the motor.</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

*Table 21, Motor Over-Temperature Input (P3 pins 14-15)*

CM Series Servomotors have embedded thermostats, which open when the motor winding temperature exceeds 155°C.
Chapter 5 – Getting Started

Test Run

Before doing a test run, check the following points listed in this section. Correct any problems before proceeding.

Servomotor Check

Before test run, check the following.
- Motor mounting and grounding are correct.
- Bolts and nuts are tight.
- Motor Power and Feedback Cables are properly attached.

Servodrive Check

- The control and main power voltage should be 115 (+15%, -20%) or 230 (+15%, -20%) VAC, 50/60 Hz. **The absolute maximum is 265 VAC.**
- The main power voltage depends on the servomotor:
  - **CHECK POWER BEFORE APPLYING IT TO THE SERVODRIVE.**
- Check that feedback connector P4 is firmly seated.
- Check that Power terminal block connections (r,t,L1,L2,L3, FG, BUS+,REGEN,BUS-,U,V,W, and FG) are tight.
- Motor wiring is correct.
- The main power interlock circuit disables main power under a Servodrive alarm condition.

Preparation for Test Run

During test run, the driven machine should not be attached to the Servomotor. If it is necessary to start with the driven machine connected to the motor, proceed with great care.

- After checking items above, turn on the control power.
- Enable the main power circuit and measure main DC Bus voltage.
- The front of the Servodrive provides important status indications, described in Chapter 4, Servodrive Status Indications (page 45).
Establishing Communications

Apply Logic Power

Apply Logic Power to the Servodrive. The 8-segment display should indicate a “C2” status code. This code indicates that the drive is software disabled, which is the factory default mode. If the display indicates anything other than “C2”, see Section 0, Servodrive Troubleshooting Guide to determine the nature of the code.

Connect Communication Cable

Plug the communication cable that came with UltraTools into the drive and the Windows-based PC on which you installed UltraTools.

Check Communication Parameters

Launch UltraTools, and click the [Com Set Up] toolbar button to edit the communication parameters.

Set the communication parameters to match your hardware configuration in the [Communication Setup] dialog.

Connect to the Drive

Click the [Connect/Disconnect] toolbar button to establish a connection with the Servodrive. The following should be observed in the UltraLink Window.

You are now connected to the CA Series Servodrive and may enter commands directly.
Defining a Servomotor to Use with the Servodrive

Click the Motor Setup toolbar button.

♦ In the Drive Configuration dialog, select the Motor/Drive tab.

♦ If you were connected and communicating with a CA Series drive, the Drive Selection field is “grayed out” indicating that UltraTools has already “talked” with the drive and knows what the drive model number is.

♦ If you have a Custom Motors, Inc. motor or a custom (non-Custom Motors, Inc.) motor, select the Custom Motors, Inc. motor series. (You will use Edit later to define your custom motor.)

♦ Select your specific Custom Motors, Inc. motor using the Motor Selection pull-down menu. If using a custom motor, you may select any motor similar to the one you’re using.

♦ If you are using a custom (non-Custom Motors, Inc.) motor, click on the Edit button now to redefine the motor parameters per your motor.

♦ For custom motors, fill in all motor and drive configuration and operational mode fields. Remember to give this motor configuration file a descriptive name in the Model Name entry.

♦ Save your custom motor configuration file by clicking the Save Setup to Disk button at the bottom of the dialog.

♦ Send your Custom Motors, Inc. or custom motor configuration data to the Servodrive by clicking on the Send Setup to Servodrive button. This tells the CA Series Servodrive all it needs to know to drive the motor you’re using.

♦ Make sure you save the configuration data in the Servodrive by clicking the Store Servo in EEPROM button. This will save the setup configuration in EEPROM for use after the Servodrive is restarted.

Checking your Configuration

Check your configuration by commanding some amount of current to check rotation. Use the following commands to produce current in the Servodrive:

♦ Type Serial and press enter

♦ Type INPFN98 + or
Select the N.O. Drive Enable Input option on the Inputs tab in the Motor Config window, to allow the UltraTools Drive Enable/Disable icons to work in Serial Mode.

♦ Type CMD 1000 and press enter [1000 may be replaced with any number between +/- 32767 appropriate to produce current and rotation]. It should be noted that an unloaded motor should require relatively small command values to produce adequate current for rotation.

♦ If you are unable to produce rotation in both directions with small current commands, check your setup, particularly the motor pole count and encoder counts per rev values found in the Electrical/Thermal tab called by the Edit button in the Motor/Drive Setup Dialog. If these values are correct, check the motor feedback and power wiring to ensure proper phasing of the motor.
Chapter 6 - Servodrive Specifications

Servodrive Environmental Specifications

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Specification</th>
<th>Value</th>
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<tbody>
<tr>
<td>Operating Temperature:</td>
<td>0 to +50°C</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Storage Temperature:</td>
<td>-20 to +70 °C</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Operating and Storage Humidity</td>
<td>10 to 90%, non-condensing</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

*Table 22, Servodrive Environmental Specifications*

Servodrive Mechanical Specifications

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Mounting Method:</th>
<th>Vertical panel mounting, three 10-32 (M5) screws (four screws for CA25, CA35, &amp; CA60).</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>Also see outline drawings in</td>
<td>(pages 69 &amp; 70).</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Dimensions:</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
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</table>

**CA05 and CA8.2**
- Height: add 2” (51 mm) clearance top and bottom 9.0 inches (229 mm)
- Width: add 1” (25 mm) clearance each side 2.66 inches (66 mm)
- Depth: includes clearance for attached cables 10.5 inches (267 mm)
- Weight: CA05 3.8 lbs (1.7 kg) CA8.2 4.2 lbs (1.9 kg)

**CA14**
- Height: add 2” (51 mm) clearance top and bottom 9.0 inches (229 mm)
- Width: add 1.2” (31 mm) clearance each side 3.8 inches (97 mm)
- Depth: includes clearance for attached cables 10.5 inches (267 mm)
- Weight: 5.9 lbs (2.7 kg)

**CA25, CA35 and CA60**
- Height: add 2” (51 mm) top, 4” (102 mm) bottom clearance 12.00 inches (305 mm)
- Width: add 1” (25 mm) clearance each side 6.89 inches (175 mm)
- Depth: includes allowance for attached cables 11.1 inches (282 mm)
- Weight: 17.8 lbs (8.1 kg)

*Table 23, Servodrive Mechanical Specifications*
## Servodrives General Electrical Specifications

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Specification</th>
<th>Description</th>
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<tbody>
<tr>
<td><strong>Incoming Main Power Line Voltage</strong></td>
<td>TB1 pins L1, L2, L3</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>CA05:</td>
<td>Single Phase, 50/60 Hz</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>CA8.2, CA14, CA 25, CA35, CA60:</td>
<td>Three Phase, 50/60 Hz</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td>115 (+15%, -20%) or 230 (+15%, -20%) VAC</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td><strong>Incoming Control Power Line Voltage</strong></td>
<td>TB1 pins r, t</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>CA05 –</td>
<td>Single Phase, 50/60 Hz</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>CA25 – CA60:</td>
<td>115 (-20%) to 230 (+15%) VAC</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td><strong>Main DC Bus Voltage</strong></td>
<td>TB1 pins BUS+, BUS-</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>115 VAC nominal input power:</td>
<td>163 VDC nominal level</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>230 VAC nominal input power:</td>
<td>325 VDC nominal level</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td><strong>Shunt Regulator Activation DC Bus Voltage</strong>:</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>115 VAC motors:</td>
<td>207 VDC</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>230 VAC motors:</td>
<td>395 VDC</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td><strong>High Bus Voltage Fault Activation DC Bus Voltage</strong>:</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>115 VAC motors:</td>
<td>237 VDC</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>230 VAC motors:</td>
<td>425 VDC</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td><strong>Low Bus Voltage Fault Activation DC Bus Voltage</strong>:</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>115 VAC nominal input power:</td>
<td>94 VDC</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>230 VAC nominal input power:</td>
<td>205 VDC</td>
</tr>
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*Table 24, Servodrive General Electrical Specifications*
## Servodrive Output (TB1 pins U, V, W) Specifications

### Single Phase 115 VAC Input

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<tbody>
<tr>
<td>CA05</td>
<td>0.49</td>
<td>4.2</td>
<td>7.4</td>
<td>0.98</td>
<td>4.1</td>
<td>7.1</td>
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<tr>
<td>CA8.2</td>
<td>0.58</td>
<td>5.1</td>
<td>8.8</td>
<td>1.17</td>
<td>4.9</td>
<td>8.5</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>CA14</td>
<td>0.98</td>
<td>8.6</td>
<td>14.8</td>
<td>1.97</td>
<td>8.2</td>
<td>14.3</td>
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<tr>
<td>CA25</td>
<td>Not Available</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td>Not Available</td>
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<tr>
<td>CA35</td>
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<td>CA60</td>
<td>Not Available</td>
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### Single Phase 230 VAC Input

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Drive Model</th>
<th>Rated Output Power (KVA)</th>
<th>Cont Current (Amps RMS/Æ)</th>
<th>Peak Current 2 sec (Amps RMS/Æ)</th>
</tr>
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<tbody>
<tr>
<td>CA05</td>
<td>Not Available</td>
<td></td>
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<tr>
<td>CA8.2</td>
<td>1.95</td>
<td>8.2</td>
<td>14.2</td>
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<tr>
<td>CA14</td>
<td>3.32</td>
<td>13.9</td>
<td>24.1</td>
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<tr>
<td>CA25</td>
<td>5.98</td>
<td>25.0</td>
<td>50.0</td>
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<tr>
<td>CA35</td>
<td>8.37</td>
<td>35.0</td>
<td>70.0</td>
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<tr>
<td>CA60</td>
<td>15</td>
<td>60.0</td>
<td>120.0</td>
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*Table 25, Servodrive Output (TB1 pins U, V, W) Specifications for Single Phase Input Power*

### Three Phase 230 VAC Input

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<thead>
<tr>
<th>Drive Model</th>
<th>Rated Output Power (KVA)</th>
<th>Cont Current (Amps RMS/Æ)</th>
<th>Peak Current 2 sec (Amps RMS/Æ)</th>
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<tr>
<td>CA05</td>
<td>Not Available</td>
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<td>CA8.2</td>
<td>1.95</td>
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<td>14.2</td>
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<td>CA60</td>
<td>15</td>
<td>60.0</td>
<td>120.0</td>
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*Table 26, Servodrive Output (TB1 pins, U, V, W) Specifications for Three Phase Input Power*
## Servodrive Supplemental I/O Specification (P3)

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>INP1-INP4 &amp; GND</th>
<th>Optically-coupled Digital Inputs</th>
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<tbody>
<tr>
<td>P3 pins 1-5</td>
<td>Current to turn on: 0.7 mA minimum 7.0 mA maximum</td>
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<td>Voltage max.: 27 VDC</td>
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<thead>
<tr>
<th>OUT1-OUT4 &amp; GND</th>
<th>Optically-coupled Digital Outputs</th>
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<tbody>
<tr>
<td>P3 pins 6-10</td>
<td>Max. sink current: 33 mA</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td>Low level voltage: 0.7 VDC maximum (Ic = 33 mA)</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td>High level voltage: V+5 - 0.5 VDC</td>
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<td>Absolute maximum: 27 VDC</td>
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<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>DAC1, DAC2 &amp; GND</th>
<th>Analog Outputs &amp; Analog Ground</th>
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<tbody>
<tr>
<td>P3 pins 11-13</td>
<td>Voltage output range: +/- 10 VDC</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td>Current Output: 5 mA maximum</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td>Load Resistance: 2K ohms minimum</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td>DAC1: Velocity Monitor</td>
</tr>
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<td>DAC2: Current Monitor</td>
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<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>TMP, TMP GND</th>
<th>Temperature</th>
</tr>
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<tbody>
<tr>
<td>P3 pins 14-15</td>
<td>Should be normally sinking current to prevent an over temperature condition.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td>Current to turn on: 2.5 mA</td>
</tr>
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<td>Voltage max.: +12 VDC maximum</td>
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Servodrive Motor Encoder Feedback Specifications (P4)

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<tr>
<th>ENC PWR, GND</th>
<th>Encoder Power Supply</th>
</tr>
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<tbody>
<tr>
<td>P4 pins 1, 2</td>
<td>+5 VDC: 5.3 VDC, +/-5% 450 mA max.</td>
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Table 27, Servodrive Supplemental I/O Specifications (P3)
**Table 28. Servodrive Motor Encoder Feedback Specifications (P4)**

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>ENCA, ENCA', ENCB, ENCB'</th>
<th>Differential Digital Inputs</th>
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<tbody>
<tr>
<td><strong>P4 pins 5, 6, 7, 8</strong></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Common Mode Input</td>
<td>-15 VDC to +15 VDC max.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Absolute Max. Input Voltage</td>
<td>+/-25 VDC</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Maximum Encoder Counts per Electrical Cycle</td>
<td>32,768 (after 4x decode)</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Maximum Encoder Data Rate:</td>
<td>2 MHz</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Quadrature Specification</td>
<td>90° +/-45°</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Differential Turn On Voltage</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>V&lt;sub&gt;ID&lt;/sub&gt; &gt; 0.7 V</td>
<td>H</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>-0.7 V &gt; V&lt;sub&gt;ID&lt;/sub&gt; &gt; 0.7 V</td>
<td>?</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>V&lt;sub&gt;ID&lt;/sub&gt; &lt; -0.7 V</td>
<td>L</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Where V&lt;sub&gt;ID&lt;/sub&gt; = (ENCx) – (ENCx')</td>
<td></td>
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<tbody>
<tr>
<td>P4 pins 3, 4, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15</td>
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</tr>
<tr>
<td>Common Mode Input</td>
<td>-12 VDC to +12 VDC max.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Absolute Max. Input Voltage</td>
<td>+/-25 VDC</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Differential Turn On Voltage</td>
<td>Receiver Output</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>V&lt;sub&gt;ID&lt;/sub&gt; &gt; 0.2 V</td>
<td>H</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>-0.2 V &gt; V&lt;sub&gt;ID&lt;/sub&gt; &gt; 0.2 V</td>
<td>?</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>V&lt;sub&gt;ID&lt;/sub&gt; &lt; -0.2 V</td>
<td>L</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Where V&lt;sub&gt;ID&lt;/sub&gt; = (ENCx) – (ENCx')</td>
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## Servodrive Connector Part Numbers

<table>
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<tr>
<th>Label</th>
<th>Signal</th>
<th>Description</th>
<th>Manufacturer &amp; Part Number</th>
<th>Custom Motors, Inc. P/N</th>
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<tr>
<td>P1</td>
<td>RS485 Com Port</td>
<td></td>
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</tr>
<tr>
<td>P1</td>
<td>RS232 Com Port</td>
<td>RJ11 Modular Jack</td>
<td>Custom Motors, Inc.</td>
<td>P/N CMM03M-M-005</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>P2</td>
<td>Controller Port</td>
<td>25 pin male D-sub</td>
<td>Amp 207464-1 (conn.)</td>
<td>86-50100</td>
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<td></td>
<td>Amp 745254-6 (pin)</td>
<td>86-50101</td>
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<td>Amp 206478-3 (shell)</td>
<td>86-50102</td>
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<td>Amp 90406-1 (tool)</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>P3</td>
<td>Supplemental I/O</td>
<td>15 pos TB plug</td>
<td>Phoenix 1803701</td>
<td>86-50103</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>P4</td>
<td>Motor Feedback</td>
<td>15 pin male D-sub</td>
<td>Amp 205206-1 (conn.)</td>
<td>86-50104</td>
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<td>Amp 745254-6 (pin)</td>
<td>86-50101</td>
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<td>Amp 749915-2 (shell)</td>
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<td>Amp 90406-1 (tool)</td>
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<tr>
<td>TB2</td>
<td>Logic Power (CA25-CA60 only)</td>
<td>3 pos TB plug</td>
<td>Phoenix 1804917</td>
<td>86-50106</td>
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*Table 29, Servodrive Connector Part Numbers*
Chapter 7 - Maintenance and Troubleshooting

Servodrive Troubleshooting Guide

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<th>Indication</th>
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<tr>
<td><strong>90-99</strong></td>
<td>144-153</td>
<td>Internal Drive Error</td>
<td>An unexpected failure has occurred in the Servodrive software or hardware.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td><strong>9A-9F</strong></td>
<td>154-159</td>
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Defective hardware or software ⇒ Report error to Custom Motors, Inc. Customer Service.

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<th>ALARM@</th>
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<tr>
<td><strong>A0</strong></td>
<td>160</td>
<td>Drive Over Current (RMS)</td>
<td>The maximum rating for the continuous current output of the drive has been exceeded for more than 2 seconds at peak current.</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

- Incorrect servomotor wiring ⇒ See Chapter 3 (page 19) for correct wiring.
- Defective Servomotor ⇒ Replace Servomotor

When enabling axis with Servomotor connected

After applying control power with Servomotor disconnected

Under load or during acceleration.

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<tr>
<td><strong>A1</strong></td>
<td>161</td>
<td>Over Current (Peak)</td>
<td>The maximum rating for the peak current output of the drive or the motor has been exceeded.</td>
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When enabling axis

UltraTools has not yet configured the drive.

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<th>ALARM@</th>
<th>Status</th>
<th>Description</th>
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<tr>
<td><strong>A3</strong></td>
<td>163</td>
<td>Low Bus Voltage</td>
<td>The bus voltage is too low. The trip point depends on the nominal input voltage, an UltraTools software setting:</td>
</tr>
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</table>

- 115 VAC nominal input: trip point = 94 VDC
- 230 VAC nominal input: trip point = 205 VDC

When the AC input voltage applied to L1 and L2 is at least 88 VAC

- Input voltage does not match UltraTools software setting ⇒ Decrease software setting or increase applied AC input voltage.
- Main fuses blown or circuit breaker tripped ⇒ Correct main input power problem, and replace fuses or reset circuit breaker.
- Defective Servodrive ⇒ Replace Servodrive

When the AC input voltage applied to L1 and L2 is at least 88 VAC or 166 VAC, depending on UltraTools software setting

- Main fuses blown or circuit breaker tripped ⇒ Correct main input power problem, and replace fuses or reset circuit breaker
- Defective Servodrive ⇒ Replace Servodrive
<table>
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<td><strong>A6</strong></td>
<td>166</td>
<td>Drive Not Configured</td>
<td>An attempt was made to enable torque before the drive’s setup parameters have been configured.</td>
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<tr>
<td><strong>A8</strong></td>
<td>168</td>
<td>Invalid Commutation Position</td>
<td>A Drive was commanded to enable when the commutation position was invalid.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td><strong>A9</strong></td>
<td>169</td>
<td>Phase Loss</td>
<td>Loss of a main power phase was detected.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td><strong>AA</strong></td>
<td>170</td>
<td>No Bus Voltage</td>
<td>No bus voltage was detected. The SCR has not been commanded ON when trying to enable the drive.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td><strong>AB</strong></td>
<td>171</td>
<td>Soft Start Error</td>
<td>An overtemperature condition was detected in the drive powerblock, or a failure of the inrush current resistor.</td>
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<tr>
<td><strong>C1</strong></td>
<td>193</td>
<td>Hardware Disable</td>
<td>Drive disabled by the hardware enable input.</td>
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<td></td>
<td>Check the hardware enable input (P2-23).</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td><strong>C2</strong></td>
<td>194</td>
<td>Software Disable</td>
<td>Drive disabled by a software enable command.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
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<td></td>
<td>Check the DRVENA command setting.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td><strong>c1</strong></td>
<td></td>
<td>Hardware Disable</td>
<td>Drive disabled by hardware enable input RS485 mode.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td><strong>c2</strong></td>
<td></td>
<td>Software Disable</td>
<td>Drive disabled by software enable command RS485 mode.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Indication</td>
<td>ALARM@ Status</td>
<td>Description</td>
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<tr>
<td><strong>F1</strong></td>
<td>241 Motor Over Current (RMS)</td>
<td>The motor’s rating for continuous current has been exceeded by the actual RMS current for longer than allowed by the thermal time constant of the motor.</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td><strong>F2</strong></td>
<td>242 Power Module Fault</td>
<td>The Power Module’s self-protection has detected a short circuit, over current, over temperature or control supply under voltage.</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>
| **F3**     | 243 High Bus Voltage | The bus voltage is excessive. The trip point depends on the rated voltage of the motor, a UltraTools software setting:  
- Motor rated for 115 VAC: trip point = 237 VDC  
- Motor rated for 230 VAC (or above): trip point = 425 VDC |

When power is applied to the main circuit:  
- Applied voltage exceeds the Servomotor’s rating ⇒ Reduce applied voltage.  
- UltraTools software settings for Servodrive Input Voltage are lower than desired applied voltage ⇒ Increase setting in UltraTools software.  
Defective Servodrive ⇒ Replace Servodrive

While motor is in regeneration, or when drives share bus power, if any of the motors is in regeneration.  
Regeneration may exist during deceleration, or during downward motion in a non-counterbalanced vertical application, or in a tensioned unwind application.  
- A regenerative discharge resistor is required by the application but is not present ⇒ Install regen resistor, reduce inertial load, or reduce max speed and/or acceleration.  
- The regenerative resistor installed has been damaged and is no longer fully functional ⇒ Install higher-wattage regenerative resistor, and reduce inertial load, or reduce max speed and/or acceleration.

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When the motor is hot:  
- Motor is overloaded ⇒ Reduce motor load  
- Excessive ambient temperature ⇒ Reduce ambient temperature to 25°C

When the motor is cool to the touch:  
- Faulty motor feedback wiring ⇒ Check cable and all termination points.  
- Defective thermal switch in motor ⇒ Disconnect motor and test for continuity at motor pins. (See motor pinouts in Appendix D).  
- Motor has no thermal switch, and UltraTools software settings are configured to expect a closed contact. ⇒ Disable Thermal Contact in UltraTools  
- Defective Servodrive ⇒ Replace Servodrive

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**WARNING!!!**

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Chapter 8 Software Commands

Software Overview

Description
This chapter provides an overview of the software features and commands used with the G Series Digital Servodrives. The G Series Digital Servodrive has an onboard RS232 COM connector, which uses an RJ-11 port. A desktop or laptop computer can be connected to the G Series servodrive through this port and can use it to set up the servodrive, communicate with the servodrive, and otherwise direct the operation of the G Series servodrive. This RS232 serial connection uses the simple Xon/Xoff protocol for controlling communication at baud rates up to 38,400 baud. The G Series servodrive includes the ability to ‘auto-sense’ the baud rate, meaning that at power up, it will watch for a carriage return to be sent to it from the PC (the Enter or Return key). From that character, it can detect the baud rate of the source PC and will set its own baud rate to match it. At that point, the G Series servodrive will answer back with its identification and the version number of the internal Flashram program code. The PC program available to provide this communication capability is UltraTools for the G Series.

About UltraTools for the G Series
UltraTools is a special software program for the G Series digital servodrive that provides the power to make setting up the G Series servodrive as easy and as flexible as possible, all through the use of a comfortable graphical user interface. UltraTools will run on any desktop or laptop computer running Windows 95, Windows 98, or Windows NT. The program takes about five megabytes of storage space on the hard drive. Included on the distribution CD are the program and its associated help files. In addition, the CD also contains PDF files that supply valuable reference materials on the total G Series family of products.

UltraTools consists of three major components: UltraLink, UltraEditor, and UltraScope. Each fills a separate and distinct function within the tools environment. Each of these components works individually or in consort with the others to provide the power needed to set up the G Series servodrive.

UltraLink
UltraLink is a communications environment that allows the user to talk directly to the G Series servodrive through its RS-232 serial port. A wide variety of communication speeds and setup parameters are supported. All of the G Series servodrive commands can be entered in this mode. Examination of the internal motor or servodrive parameter values is an easy matter. In addition, UltraLink allows for the easy downloading of a series of commands or other setup parameter sets that have been prepared for entry into the servodrive. UltraLink provides the foundation for all communication that occurs between the UltraTools and the servodrive. Also, UltraScope can talk to the G Series servodrive only if a communication port has been opened in UltraLink.

UltraEditor
The UltraEditor is a competent text editing environment that can be used to edit any of the various text files that are used with the G Series servodrive, which includes the commands or setup parameters in an UltraTools Parameter (udp) file. The editor provides the basic tools to modify text, like cut, copy, paste, find and replace, as well as simple formatting tools like tab settings.
UltraScope

UltraScope is, in effect, a digital scope that can take advantage of the sampling abilities of the G Series servodrive to provide a visual picture of the motion that is occurring with a system. It gives the user a method for defining the test motion that is to be used to set up the servodrive system. It also provides an easy way to set up the tuning parameters. It also allows the user to view (plot) all the standard motion items like current loop and velocity loop commands and the actual output that may be of interest in setting up a motion system, as well as most other parameters that you may wish to see. Defining the motion profile, the items to be plotted, the color of the plotted lines, the thickness and type of plotted lines, all these things are easy to do with UltraScope. The sample data can be saved to disk, as can the plot. The plot can be printed easily for future reference. UltraScope provides an in depth view of what is happening in the motion being examined.

Setting Manually versus Using Windows Interface

Almost all of the parameters that control the setup of the motor or the G Series Digital Servodrive can be set manually in the UltraLink window using special commands. But, before software commands can be used to actually move a motor, the servodrive must be placed into serial command mode. At power up, the G Series Digital Servodrive automatically comes up in analog mode, such that a signal on the analog input line would control the servodrive. The RS232 serial interface constantly checks for an input. To place the servodrive into serial command mode, it is necessary to send the following command to it: SERIAL. This places the servodrive into serial command mode. At this point, any of the valid software commands can be sent to the servodrive to set it up and make motion. This is done by typing the command name, followed by a space, followed by the value to set for that command if it requires one. Parameters can also be set, usually more easily, using the Windows interface through the selection of the appropriate pull down menu.

When using the immediate mode in UltraLink to set parameters, a general rule applies on how the commands that require parameters work. For those commands that set parameter values, if a command is typed and is followed by a valid argument, usually a numeric value between 0 and 32767, that command or mode will be given the value you have sent to it. If the command is entered with a question mark following it, then the current value or condition for that item will be returned from the G Series Servodrive. Some commands do not have specific parameter values, like the servo mode commands (TMODE and VMODE) and the other mode commands. In this case, typing the TMODE command will set its state to on. To find the state of the mode commands, enter the MODE command, and they will be displayed. This provides a simple technique for setting or querying the value of the internal parameters in the servodrive. Entering an invalid command name will cause an ERROR message to be returned.

G Series DSP Software Command List

Most G Series functions can be set up in one of two ways, either by selecting the appropriate menu item in the Windows interface, or by typing in a command in the UltraLink window. The available commands are listed below. Commands follow the general format of: Command (argument) where the argument is optional. Some commands, like GO, do not require an argument. Entering commands with an argument will set the command to that value. Entering the command with a question mark will cause the present value of the command to be displayed.

Motor Parameters:

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<td>ENCCNTS</td>
<td>Encoder counts per revolution of the motor (after 4x quadrature encoding)</td>
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<tr>
<td>HOFFSET</td>
<td>Set the Hall offset in electrical degrees</td>
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<td>IMTRPK</td>
<td>Motor’s Peak Rated Current Limit, where 1000 represents 10 amps</td>
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<td>IMTRRMS</td>
<td>Motor’s RMS Continuous Rated Current Limit, where 500 means 5 amps</td>
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<td>MTRVMAX</td>
<td>Motor maximum speed in kHz</td>
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POLES  Total motor poles per revolution

**Modes:**

ANALOG  Set Analog command mode, which uses the hardware signal at P2 for motion
MODE?  Report existing states for the Servo Control, Commutation, and Command modes
SERIAL  RS232 Serial command, which uses RS232 motion commands to make motion
SINE  Set Sine Commutation Mode
SIXSTEP  Set Six Step Commutation Mode
TMODE  Set Torque Control Mode
VMODE  Set Velocity Control Mode
MOTMODE  Sets the motor overtemperature fault mode

**Servodrive:**

ACCEL  Acceleration of the velocity or torque signal, depending on mode (32767 max)
ADC.3DB  Analog input Bessel filter to minimize noise on the analog input line
AOFFSET  Used to adjust for the analog offset found in the Velocity/Torque command input
BUSLOW  Sets voltage at which SCR turns on, below which a ‘Low Bus Voltage’ error occurs
CMD  Set the RS232 torque or velocity command signal, depending on mode
DACFN1  Set source function for DAC1 output, (DACFN1 defaults to Velocity monitor)
DACFN2  Set source function for DAC2 output, (DACFN2 defaults to Current monitor)
DECEL  Deceleration of the velocity or torque signal, depending on mode (32767 max)
DRVENA  Enable/Disable servodrive output (in software) by setting to 1 (enable) or 0 (disable)
FAULT  Report or Clear any existing faults in the drive
HALL?  Get the Hall state for the current position of the motor (1, 3, 2, 6, 4, or 5)
HOME  Sets up a routine to reset the drive’s POS register at first instance of encoder Index
ICLAMP  User settable current limit. The output of the drive will not be allowed to exceed this.
INPx  Show existing state for digital input  (x = 1…4 for INP1 to INP4), state = 1 or 0
INPFNx  Set target function for digital input  (x = 1…4 for INP1 to INP4)
MINFO?  Gets a list of version, ID’s, and drive component serial numbers
OUTFAULT  Set up OUT1, OUT2 and OUT3 for binary fault data output
OUTx  Show existing state for digital output  (x = 1…4 for OUT1 to OUT4), state = 1 or 0
OUTFNx  Set source function for digital output  (x = 1…4 for OUT1 to OUT4)
POS  Ask for or set the encoder position information
POSHOME?  Ask for the encoder position at the completion of the last HOME command
PWMFREQ?  Ask for the current PWM frequency in Kilohertz (read only parameter)
RAMTEST  Perform a continuous test of the DSP static ram memory until powered down
REM or ;  Allow the inclusion of ‘remarks’ in a command file being sent to the servodrive
RESET  Does a DSP software reboot (faults cleared, parameters restored from EPROM)
RESTORE  Restore servodrive parameters from previously stored values inside the EPROM
STATUS?  Return drive status, including inputs, outputs, enabled condition, and fault code
STORE  Store nonvolative servodrive parameters into the EPROM for use during power up
VBUS?  Check the condition of the bus output voltage
VER?  Query for the Version Number of the G Series Flash ROM

**Shunt Regulation (Regen) Parameters:**
RGCLIM  Shunt Resistor Current Limit (based on ohms/watts/voltage of shunt resistor)
RGTRIP  Shunt Regulation Trip Voltage (set to 0 to disable shunt regulation) (G10 and up)

**Tuning:**
ICMD.3DB  Specifies a Bessel low-pass filter corner frequency for use in current loop tuning
KIS  Torque command scaling factor, where KIS = 10000 results in scale factor of 1.0
KIV  Set the current loop’s current-to-voltage conversion constant
KVD  Velocity Loop Derivative Gain Constant
KVI  Velocity Loop Integral Gain Constant
KVP  Velocity Loop Proportional Gain Constant
VELOBS  Set velocity observer filter sensitivity for smoother response in velocity mode

**Profile Commands:**
GO  Command to begin motion in Profile mode after defining a motion profile
PRFCYCL  When PRFMODE is 3, this defines the number of cycles to run the current Profile
PRFENA  Enable/Disable profiling mode by setting to 1 (enable) or 0 (disable)
PRFHILV  High command signal level for Profile
PRFHIT  Defines how long to run the Profile at top Current/Velocity level (1 = 400 µsecs)
PRFLOLV  Low command signal level for Profile (often 0)
PRFLOT  Defines how long to run the Profile at low Current/Velocity level (1 = 400 µsecs)
PRFMODE  Profiling mode, either 1 or 2 or 3, defining the type of Profile cycle to run
STOP  Command to stop any Profile motion that is taking place

**Data Gathering Commands:**
DGABORT  Causes the data gathering function to be stopped or aborted
DGLOGx  Defines data gathering log source, where x = 1 to 4 for four possible channels
DGPOINTS  Number of points to log per data item
DGSTAT  Data gathering status (0 – Not set, 1 – Ready to start, 2 – Collecting, 3 – Done)
DGTRIG  Defines the type of trigger to start the data gathering, 1 = GO, or 2 = Start Now
DGUPDATE  Data Gathering update interval, where 1 = 400 µsec, 2 is 800 µsec, etc.
DGUPLD  Ask the G Series servodrive to upload the recently gathered data
Command Set

ACCEL

Acceleration Command

Format1: ACCEL { value }

Format2: ACCEL?

Type: Direct Mode Command

Units: CMD units per interrupt cycle (400 µsec)

Argument Type: Unsigned Integer, 1 to 32767

See Also: CMD, DECEL, SERIAL

The ACCEL command sets the value of the desired torque or velocity command acceleration through the use of the RS232 serial port for use in Profile motion. ACCEL will cause motion to ramp up to the specified CMD signal at the rate given by ACCEL. An ACCEL of 2 would ramp up to a CMD of 5000 in 1 second.

If the ACCEL? command is entered, the existing value for this parameter will be returned.

Examples:

`» ACCEL 65 ;Sets acceleration to 65 CMD units per interrupt`
ADC.3DB

Specify a Bessel filter corner frequency for the analog input signal

Format1: ADC.3DB { value }
Format2: ADC.3DB?

Type Nonvolatile Parameters

Units: Corner Frequency in Hertz: 0, or 5 to 625 Hz

The ADC.3DB parameter specifies a Bessel filter corner frequency (3db or 45 degree phase shift point) that is applied to the ADC for the analog input signal. This filter can help reduce the effect of noise on the analog input signal. The default for the corner frequency is 0, which means no filtering is done normally. The corner frequency can range from 5 to 625 Hz. Specifying a value of '0' will turn the filter off.

If the ADC.3DB? command is entered, then the drive returns the existing value for ADC.3DB.

Examples:

» ADC.3DB 20 ; Sets the Bessel filter corner frequency to 20 Hz.
**ANALOG**

Analog Command Mode

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The ANALOG command sets up the drive to use the analog signal for the input command. In this mode, the desired command signal must be applied to the analog input pins at P2, and the analog-to-digital converter converts this signal for use digitally inside the servodrive. The SERIAL command provides the means to switch from analog control back to serial control through the RS-232 port.

Use the MODE? Command to determine the existing state of the command mode.

The startup mode for the G series servodrive is always ANALOG.

**Examples:**

- » ANALOG (This command puts the servodrive in analog mode)
- » SERIAL (This command puts the servodrive in serial mode)
- » ANALOG (This command puts the servodrive back in analog mode)
AOFFSET

Analog Offset Command

Format1: AOFFSET { value }
Format2: AOFFSET?
Type: Non volatile parameter
Argument Type: Signed integer +/- 32767
See Also: ANALOG

The AOFFSET command sets the parameter that is used to adjust for the analog offset found in the Velocity/Torque command input at pins 1-2 of Controller connector P2. The units for AOFFSET are such that 3277 represents an offset of 1 volt.

If the AOFFSET? command is entered, then the drive returns the existing value for AOFFSET.

Example:
» AOFFSET 244 : 244 would give 244/3277 = +0.0745 millivolt offset
**BUSLOW**

**Bus Low Voltage Check Value**

**Format1:** \( \text{BUSLOW} \{ \text{value} \} \)

**Format2:** \( \text{BUSLOW}? \)

**Type:** Nonvolatile Parameter

**Units:** DC Volts

**Argument Type:** Unsigned Integer, 0 to 32767

**See Also:** VBUS

The BUSLOW parameter represents the minimum voltage below which a ‘Low Bus Voltage’ fault (A3) will be generated by the drive. BUSLOW is also used as the threshold below which the SCR will be turned off as part of the soft start logic.

If the BUSLOW? command is entered, the existing value for it is returned.

**NOTE:** A setting of 0 for BUSLOW will cause the servodrive to use the default, which is 90 DC volts, for the BUSLOW value

**Example:**

```plaintext
» BUSLOW?
90 ; The existing setting for BUSLOW is 90 volts
```
CMD
Current Command / Velocity Command

Format1: CMD { value }
Format2: CMD?
Type: Direct Mode Command
Units: +/-32767 equals full scale input
Argument Type: Signed Integer, +/-32767
See Also: SERIAL

The CMD command sets the value of the desired velocity (in velocity mode) or current (in torque mode) through the use of the R232 serial port. The SERIAL command must previously be set to 'ON' for the CMD command to work. Commands applied to the drive via the CMD command are executed within the velocity loop interrupt rate of 400 microseconds. If the CMD? command is entered, the existing value for this parameter will be returned.

The units for CMD are equivalent to the gain of the ADC input. The argument used with CMD is equivalent to the voltage input that would be applied to the ADC to achieve that number. The gain of the ADC input defaults to +/-10 = +/-32767 (full scale).

Examples:
» CMD 2000 ;Sets output current command immediately
» CMD? ;Returns the output current command 2000
» CMD -2000 ;Output direction changes immediately
**DACFNx**

Digital to Analog Output Function Command

- **Format1:** `DACFN1 { value }
- **Format2:** `DACFN2 { value }
- **Format3:** `DACFN1?
- **Format4:** `DACFN2?

**Type:** Nonvolatile Parameter

**Argument Type:** Unsigned Integer (See table below)

The DACFNx command sets the source function for the output of the specified DACx. DACFN1 refers to DAC1 as defined by the markings on the G Series servodrive. DACFN2 refers to DAC2. Outputs for these are updated every 400 microseconds.

If either of the DACs is entered followed by a question mark (DACFN1?) the existing value for this parameter will be returned.

Following is a table indicating what values refer to what internal functions:

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<td>Output current term (current command term before multiplying by the commutation terms)</td>
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<td>3</td>
<td>U output current term</td>
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<td>4</td>
<td>V output current term</td>
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<tr>
<td>5</td>
<td>W output current term</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>6</td>
<td>Drive’s current integrator term</td>
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<td>7</td>
<td>Motor’s continuous current integrator term</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>8</td>
<td>Shunt integrator term</td>
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**Examples:**

- » DACFN1 2 ;DAC1 will now report the drive current
- » DACFN1 1 ;DAC1 will now report the drive velocity
**DECEL**

Deceleration Command

**Format1:**  
DECEL  { value }

**Format2:**  
DECEL?

**Type**  
Direct Mode Command

**Units**  
CMD units per interrupt cycle (400 µsec)

**Argument Type:**  
Unsigned Integer, 1 to 32767

**See Also:**  
CMD, ACCEL, SERIAL

The DECEL command sets the value of the desired torque or velocity command deceleration through the use of the RS232 serial port during Profile motion. DECEL will cause motion to ramp down to the specified CMD signal at the rate given by DECEL. A DECEL of 1 would ramp down from a CMD velocity of 2500 in 1 second.

If the DECEL? command is entered, the existing value for this parameter will be returned.

**Example:**

```plaintext
» DECEL 10 ;Sets deceleration to 10 CMD units per interrupt (400 µsec)
```
Data Gathering

Data Gathering is a feature of the G-Series servodrive in which the drive will perform real time capture of some data, buffer it and then upload it to the host. The purpose is to be able to store up to 4 related values, all synchronized, and then be able to plot them (using UltraTools), effectively making a digital scope.

Operation of data gathering is made simple with the commands defined below. The drive will store up to 4 channels of information. There are 4 buffers of 4000 points each available. The user selects which channels will be used and the information to be stored in that channels log (command DGLOGx), how many points to actually store, up to 4000 (command DGPOINTS). The logging can occur as fast as the velocity loop, 2.5kHz, or at integer multiples below using the DGUPDATE command. Once the rate is set each channel is logged at the same rate and at the same time so that all of the information is synchronized.

Logging of the data is controlled by the DGTRIG command. This command determines when the logging takes place, immediately or triggered by an event such as PROFILE generation. For each trigger command one set of data is collected. To log another set of data another DGTRIG command must be executed. Once the data is logged the DGUPLD command allows the data to be uploaded to a host computer.

Example:

; (Profile Example) ;Set up or define a Profile before coming here
» DGLOG1 1 ;log Actual Velocity
» DGLOG2 6 ;log Velocity Error term
» DGLOG3 2 ;log Velocity Command term
» DGPOINTS 400 ;capture 400 points
» DGUPDATE 2 ;update every 2nd velocity loop update (every 800 µsecs)
» DGTRIG 1 ;start data gathering on GO
» GO ;start the profile and the data gathering
» DGSTAT ;see if the data gathering is done yet
» 2
» DGSTAT ;see if the data gathering is done yet
» 3
» DGUPLD ;upload the gathered data
»

; (Capture Example -No Profile) ;No Profile is needed for a pure capture
» DGLOG1 1 ;log Actual Velocity
» DGLOG2 6 ;log Velocity Error term
» DGLOG3 2 ;log Velocity Command term
DGPOINTS 400 ;capture 400 points
DGUPDATE 2 ;update every 2nd velocity loop update (every 800 µsecs)
DGTRIG 2 ;start data gathering immediately
DGSTAT ;see if the data gathering is done yet
2
DGSTAT ;see if the data gathering is done yet
3
DGUPLD ;upload the gathered data

DGABORT
Data Gathering Abort
Format: DGABORT
Type Direct Mode Command
Argument Type: none
See Also: GO, DGTRIG, DGUPLD, DGSTAT

The DGABORT command allows the user to stop or abort the collecting and sending back of the collected data points. It gives the user the power to stop the process rather than wait for it to get done by finishing normally.

Example:
» DGABORT ;Stop the G Series from sending back the remaining data points
**DGLOGx**

**Log source**

Format 1: DGLOG1 <source>

Format 2: DGLOG2 <source>

Format 3: DGLOG3 <source>

Format 4: DGLOG4 <source>

Format 5: DGLOGx?

**Type**  
Direct Mode Command

**Argument Type:**  
Unsigned integer, 0 to 8

**See Also:**  
GO, DGTRIG, DGPOINTS, DGUPDATE

The DGLOGx commands define the source of the information to be logged in the given log. The servodrive can log up to four items at a time. Each item is stored in a different log, numbered 1 to 4. This command defines the item to go into each log using the table below. DGLOG1 defines the source for log #1, DGLOG2 is used for log #2, etc.

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<td>3</td>
<td>I(u) actual current phase U</td>
</tr>
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<td>4</td>
<td>I(v) actual current phase V</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>5</td>
<td>I(w) actual current phase W</td>
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<tr>
<td>6</td>
<td>Velocity Error Term</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>7</td>
<td>DC Current (same as current command prior to summing with commutation)</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>8</td>
<td>Bus Voltage (in volts)</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

**Examples:**

DGLOG1 1 ; select Actual velocity to be logged on Log #1

DGLOG2 0 ; turn off Log #2
The DGPOINTS command defines how many points (samples) should be logged at the next trigger. This number of points will be logged in each active channel. Up to four data items can be sampled in a given data gathering.

If the DGPOINTS? command is entered, the existing value for this parameter will be returned.

**Examples:**

- `DGPOINTS 2500 ; Log 2500 samples. (If DGUPDATE is 1, log 1 sec of information.)`
- `DGPOINTS 4000 ; Log 4000 samples. (If DGUPDATE is 2, log 3.2 sec of information.)`
**DGSTAT**

**Data Gathering Status**

* Format: DGSTAT?
* Type: Direct Mode Command
* Argument Type: none (0, 1, 2, or 3 can be returned)
* See Also: GO, DGTRIG

This command returns status information about the data gathering operation. 1 = trigger enabled and waiting for trigger, 2 = collecting data, 3 = data in buffer (collecting complete flag), 0 = no activity (i.e. Not triggered and not collecting data).

The function of this command is to allow a host to determine when a trigger has occurred and that all of the data has been logged before beginning the upload via DGUPLD.

**Examples:**

» DGSTAT? ; Check the status of the data gathering

3 ; Data is in buffer, ready for the DGUPLD command
**DGTRIG**

*Data Gathering Trigger*

**Format1:**  
DGTRIG { mode }

**Format2:**  
DGTRIG?

**Type**  
Direct Mode Command

**Argument Type:**  
1 or 2

**See Also:**  
GO, DGSTAT

The DGTRIG command defines the trigger source for starting the data gathering and enables and begins gathering. A 1 denotes that data gathering should begin when the GO command is issued. A 2 means that data gathering should begin immediately. After data has been gathered another DGTRIG is required to perform another data gathering.

If the DGTRIG? command is entered, the existing value for this parameter will be returned.

**Examples:**

« DGTRIG 1 ; Begin taking samples when the GO command is given.
**DGUPDATE**

Update rate

**Format1:**  
DGUPDATE (# of updates)

**Format2:**  
DGUPDATE?

**Type**  
Direct Mode Command

**Argument Type:**  
Unsigned Integer, 1 to 500

**See Also:**  
DGPOINTS, DGTRIG, DGSTART, GO

The DGUPDATE command defines the ticks between data samples, that is, how often the drive will capture the desired data samples. Data gathering is based on the velocity loop update rate, 2.5 kHz (400 µsec). Samples can be logged on every loop update or some number of updates can be skipped between samples. This parameter sets the sampling rate using the formula:

\[
\text{sampling rate} = \frac{\text{velocity loop update (2.5 kHz)}}{<\# \text{ of updates}>}.
\]

If the DGUPDATE? command is entered, the existing value for this parameter will be returned.

**Examples:**

» DGUPDATE 1 ; Takes samples every 0.4 milliseconds, 2.5 kHz rate (2500/1)

» DGUPDATE 2 ; Takes samples every 0.8 milliseconds, 1.25 kHz (2500/2)

» DGUPDATE 5 ; Takes samples every 2 milliseconds, 500 Hz (2500/5)
DGUPLD

Data Gathering Upload Data

Format: DGUPLD
Type: Direct Mode Command
Argument Type: none
See Also: GO, DGABORT, DGTRIG, DGPOINTS, DGSTAT, DGLOGx

The DGUPLD command is used to tell the G Series servodrive to begin sending back the data that it has just collected from a test move of some type. The data is sent back in groups of four hexadecimal characters per each data item requested by the user. Each data record (between 1 and 4 items of data as requested by the user via DGLOGx) is terminated with a carriage return and line feed. After the last data record is sent by the G Series servodrive, a # character is sent to signal the end of the data.

Example:

;Before coming here, set up your desired Profile
» DGLOG1 1 ;log actual velocity in log #1
» DGLOG2 8 ;log bus voltage in log #2
» DGLOG3 0 ;turn off data log #3
» DGLOG4 0 ;turn off data log #4
» DGPOINTS 5 ;capture 5 points
» DGUPDATE 10 ;10 updates apart
» DGTRIG 1 ;Begin taking samples when the GO command is given.
» GO ;When ready, we issue the GO command to get data
»
» DGUPLD ;Once the motion is done (DGSTAT?), we upload data
FFFF0123 ;here come's the data....
FFF30124
FFF30124
FFFE0119
00030123
FFFF0119
#
;'#' signifies the end of the data log
»
DRVENA

Enables or Disables Servodrive Output

Format1: DRVENA { mode }
Format2: DRVENA?
Type Nonvolatile Parameter
Argument Type: 0 or 1
See Also: STATUS?, STORE

The DRVENA command is used to enable or disable the servodrive output IGBT transistors. A "0" argument disables the servodrive output, while a "1" argument enables the servodrive output. Note that the hardware enable input (Controller connector P2) must be asserted (or set for normally open operation) for this command to have any effect.

This command is used both in direct mode, to enable and disable the drive, and as a nonvolatile parameter. Setting the DRVENA mode followed by the STORE command will set the drive’s startup mode to the setting of the DRVENA command when the STORE command was invoked. Entering the DRVENA? command will return either an ‘ENABLED’ or ‘DISABLED’ to indicate its present state.

Examples:
» DRVENA 1 (This command enables the servodrive)
**ENCCNTS**

**Encoder Counts per Revolution (with quadrature)**

**Format 1:** ENCCNTS { counts }

**Format 2:** ENCCNTS?

**Type** Nonvolatile Parameter

**Argument Type:** Unsigned Integer, 0-65535

**See Also:** POLES, SIXSTEP, SINE

The EncCnts command sets the encoder line counts (multiplied) per revolution of the motor. Since this is a 16-bit value and the G Series employs quadrature multiplication, the maximum setting is 65535. Setting a value greater than 65535 will generate a “value out of range” error.

**Examples:**

The following example sets the encoder count to 8000 counts per revolution for a motor with a 2000 line per revolution encoder:

```
> ENCCNTS 8000 ; 2000 lines * 4 = 8000 counts
```

---

**FAULT**

**Queries/Resets drive faults**

**Format 1:** FAULT?

**Format 2:** FAULT 0

**Type** Direct Mode Command

**Argument Type:** 0 (optional)

**See Also:** STATUS, DRVENA, Appendix A – Fault Codes

The FAULT command will cause the drive to either clear faults (FAULT 0) or report the existing fault value in decimal (FAULT?). If the drive is enabled, the outputs will be turned on. The FAULT 0 command will not enable a drive that is either hardware or software disabled, or if the condition causing the fault has not been corrected.

**Examples:**

```
> FAULT? ; Return the current fault code decimal value
> FAULT 0 ; Clears fault
```
**GO**

Profile Go

**Format:**

GO

**Type**

Direct Mode Command

**Argument Type:**

none

**See Also:**

PRFENA, STOP

The GO command allows the user to start in motion the Profile that has been defined by all of the PRF type commands. The SERIAL command must previously be set to 'ON' for this command to work.

**Examples:**

»PRFENA 1 ; Enable profile mode
»TMODE ; Set Torque mode on (to move using Torque mode)
»PRFHILV 8000 ; Set value for the high level profile command
»PRFHIT 1000 ; Set time to run 'at Current', in 400 µsecs units
»PRFLOLV 0 ; Set the low level command to 0
»PRFLOT 1000 ; Set time to run 'at low level', also in 400 µsecs units
»PRFMODE 3 ; Set PRFMODE to 3 for fixed cycles
»PRFCYCL 1 ; Set PRFCYCL so we do only a single cycle in our move
»GO ; GO causes our profile motion to begin

**HALL**

Hall state at existing motor position

**Format:**

HALL?

**Type**

Direct Mode Command

**Argument Type:**

none

The HALL command provides a method for checking the Hall state inputs at the existing position of the motor. The commutation signals for W, V, and U are respectively indicated in bits 3, 2, and 1 (LSB) of the integer value returned by HALL. When the input is ON, the bit is set to 1, and when it's OFF, the bit is set to 0. The HALL value returned will normally be a single digit from 1 to 6. It should never be a 0 or a 7, which would indicate an electrical or wiring problem concerning the motor. When a motor is hooked up properly, the Hall states will normally progress in the order 1 3 2 6 4 5... when the motor is turned in a counter-clockwise motion as seen when facing the shaft of the motor (encoder counting in a positive direction). This HALL command will be fully functional when operating in SIXSTEP mode (trap mode) with the drive enabled or disabled. When operating in SINE mode, the HALL command will only update the Hall state information...
when the drive is disabled. Nevertheless, in SINE mode, after disabling the drive with DRVENA 0, rotating the motor shaft will provide the Hall state information normally desired. This parameter provides a means to troubleshoot the wiring of motors to the G series servodrive.

**CounterClockWise Motion**

<table>
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<tr>
<th>W,V,U state</th>
<th>HALL value</th>
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<td>101</td>
<td>5</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>001</td>
<td>1</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>011</td>
<td>3</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>010</td>
<td>2</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>110</td>
<td>6</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>100</td>
<td>4</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

**Example:**

```plaintext
» HALL?        ;Ask for the Hall state
3
```

**HOFFSET**

Sets the Hall Offset

| Format1: | HOFFSET \{ value \} |
| Format2: | HOFFSET? |
| Type:    | Nonvolatile Parameters |
| Argument Type: | Signed Integer, +/-360 |

The HOFFSET parameter is used to set the offset between the positive portion of the back emf observed from the motor leads that will connect to the drive’s U and V outputs (U with respect to V) and the +5 volt portion of the Hall signal that will connect to the drive’s U Hall input when rotating the motor counter-clockwise from the face of the motor. The argument is in electrical degrees.

**Examples:**

```plaintext
» HOFFSET 30 ; Sets the Hall offset to +30 electrical degrees, i.e. the back emf leads the Hall signal by 30 electrical degrees.
```
HOME

Set or Query Home Status

Format 1: \texttt{HOME}

Format 2: \texttt{HOME}?

Type: Direct Mode Command

Argument Type: None

The \texttt{HOME}? command returns status of the home function. The home function zeros the position after seeing the index marker of the encoder. The \texttt{HOME} command enables this mode. A “0” is returned if the index marker has not yet been seen, and a “1” is returned when the index marker has been seen and the position register (\texttt{POS}?) has been reset.

\textbf{Examples:}

\begin{verbatim}
»POS?     ; Check where we are at to begin with
12345678
»HOME     ; Sets the HOMEing mode
»CMD 150   ; Set velocity and direction
»HOME?    ; Query for the Home Complete flag
0
»HOME?    ; Query for the Home Complete flag again
1   ; Home is complete
»POS?     ; Now, see where we are at after rezeroing position
23
\end{verbatim}
The ICLAMP parameter sets the peak current as a percentage of the IMTRPK value. The factory default value is 100, which represents 100%. Setting this limit simply clamps the input current command so that it will not be allowed to exceed this ICLAMP value. It will not generate a fault on the drive. This parameter is dynamic and may be changed on-the-fly.

This limit, ICLAMP, prevents a command of too large a value from being entered, and is an indirect limit on the output. A poorly tuned current loop may have overshoots which exceed the limit.

**Examples:**

» ICLAMP 50 ; Sets the input current limit to 50% of the IMTRPK value.
ICMD.3DB
Specify a Bessel corner frequency

Format1: ICMD.3DB { value }
Format2: ICMD.3DB?
Type Nonvolatile Parameters
Units: Corner Frequency in Hertz, 0 to 2500 Hz

The ICMD.3DB parameter specifies a Bessel low-pass filter corner frequency (3db or 45 degree phase shift point) that is applied to the command for current before it is applied to the current loops. This filter helps stabilize some systems due to the G Series' highly responsive current loops. The default for the corner frequency is 500 Hz and is suitable for most systems. The maximum corner frequency that can be specified is 2500 Hz. Specifying a value of ‘0’ will turn the filter off.

If the ICMD.3DB? command is entered, then the drive returns the existing value for ICMD.3DB.

Examples:
» ICMD.3DB 1000 ; Sets the Bessel filter corner frequency to 1000 Hz.

IMTRPK
Set Peak Current Clamp Level

Format1: IMTRPK { value }
Format2: IMTRPK?
Type Nonvolatile Parameters
Units: Hundredths of amperes
Argument Type: Unsigned Integer, 0 to 32767
See Also: IMTRRMS, ICLAMP

The IMTRPK parameter sets the peak current (in Amps DC) by clamping the current command of the servodrive. The factory default is equal to the drive’s peak current and will change based on the motor. UltraTools sets this value based on the motor data.

Examples:
» IMTRPK 500 ; Sets the peak current limit to 5 amperes.
**IMTRRMS**

Sets the motor RMS Current Limit

**Format1:** IMTRRMS { value }

**Format2:** IMTRRMS?

**Type** Nonvolatile Parameter

**Units:** Hundredths of amperes DC

**Argument Type:** Unsigned Integer, 0 to 32767

The IMTRRMS command sets the RMS motor current-limit for the motor to the given value in hundredths of amperes. The continuous current term is integrated over a specific period of time. If the resultant RMS value is exceeded by the drive output, a servodrive fault will occur, disabling the drive.

If the IMTRRMS? command is entered, the existing value for this parameter will be returned.

**Examples:**

» IMTRRMS 750 ; Sets the motor RMS current limit to 7.5 amperes
**INPx?**

Digital Input State Command

- **Format1:** INP1 ?
- **Format2:** INP2 ?
- **Format3:** INP3 ?
- **Format4:** INP4 ?
- **Format5:** INP? – Returns a 4 character binary string indicating the status of all four inputs.

**Type**

Direct Mode Query

**Argument Type:** none

**See Also:** INPFNx, OUTFAULT

The INPx command allows the user to query the state of the given digital input. INP1 to INP4 refer to the digital inputs as defined by the markings at connector P3 on the servodrive. Note that INP1 and INP2 are also present on the Controller connector, P2. The value returned by the query can be either a 0 or a 1, indicating an OFF or ON condition for the input. The ON condition is defined as current flowing in the optocoupler at the input. Note that INP1 can be used in conjunction with OUTFAULT 1 to assist in querying bits 1-3 or 4-6 of the existing fault code value. See OUTFAULT.

The fifth format (INP?) returns a 4 character binary string indicating the status of all four inputs, INP1 to INP4, from left to right.

**Examples:**

- `INP1?` ; Query the existing state of INP1
  - 0 ; State of INP1 is 0 or OFF
- `INP2?` ; Query the existing state of INP2
  - 1 ; State of INP2 is 1 or ON
- `INP?` ; Query the existing state of all INP’s
  - 0 1 0 0 ; INP1 is OFF, INP2 is ON, INP3 is OFF, INP4 is OFF
INPFNx

Digital Input Function Command

Format1: INPFN1 { [-]value } for future use (See also OUTFAULT)
Format2: INPFN2 { 0, 1 or –1 } [for Clockwise inhibit]
Format3: INPFN3 { 0, 1 or –1 } [for Counter-Clockwise inhibit]
Format4: INPFN4 { [-]value } for future use
Format5: INPFN98 { + | - } [Dedicated drive enable setting]
Format6: INPFN99 { + | - } [Dedicated fault reset setting]

Type Nonvolatile Parameter
Argument Type: Signed integer, OR + or – sign (for INPFN98 or INPFN99)

The INPFNx command sets the target function that the input defined in x is to be directed to in the G Series servodrive. INPFN1 refers to INP1 as defined by the markings on the servodrive. INPFN2 refers to INP2, INPFN3 refers to INP3, and INPFN4 refers to INP4. Placing the optional minus sign in front of the value inverts the assertion of the input, making it a normally closed input. Setting an INPFNx to a value of 0 will disable that INPx from going to any internal function. Following is a table indicating what values refer to what internal functions:

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<tr>
<th>INPFN</th>
<th>Function that Input is Directed to:</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>1</td>
<td>Reserved for future use (See OUTFAULT for special use of INP1)</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>2</td>
<td>Clockwise rotation inhibit</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>3</td>
<td>Counter-clockwise rotation inhibit</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>4</td>
<td>Reserved for future use</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

INPFN98 and INPFN99 are special parameters for inverting the dedicated hardware Enable and Reset inputs (P2, pins 23 and 24. Pin 25 is common for these inputs). In the factory default mode (–), the enable input is normally closed, in that it takes current in the opto-coupler associated with the enable for the drive to operate. The factory default mode for the reset input (+) is that it takes momentary current to reset the drive and clear faults. By using the INPFN98 + command, the enable input functionality is changed to normally open, in that it takes a lack of current in the opto-coupler to enable the drive. By using the INPFN99 – command, the reset functionality is changed to normally open, in that it takes momentary loss of current to reset the drive and clear faults.

Entering the INPFNxx command followed by a question mark (INPFNxx?) will return the sign and value for that input.

Examples:
»INPFN2 -1 ; NOT asserting INP2 will disable clockwise motor rotation
»INPFN3 1 ; Asserting INP3 will disable counter-clockwise motor rotation
»INPFN4 0 ; INP4 will be unused
INPFN98 - ; Current must now flow through the opto-coupler to enable the drive.
INPFN99 - ; Current must momentarily decay in reset opto-coupler to reset the drive.
INPFN2? ; Return the current settings for input 2

-1

KIS
Sets the torque-mode command scaling

Format1: KIS { value }
Format2: KIS?
Type: Nonvolatile Parameter
Argument Type: Unsigned Integer 0-32767
See Also: TMODE

In torque mode, the KIS parameter is used to scale the torque command. A KIS setting of 10000 equates to a gain that will achieve plus or minus peak current when the input voltage is at plus or minus 10 volts. This is considered a gain of 1.

Entering the KIS command with an argument value will set the scaling factor per that value immediately.

Entering KIS? will cause the current value to be returned.

Example:
» KIS 10000 ; This enters the a scaling factor of 100%
» KIS?
10000
**KIV**

Sets the Current Loop’s Current-to-Voltage Conversion

- **Format1:** KIV { value }
- **Format2:** KIV?
- **Type:** Nonvolatile Parameter
- **Argument Type:** Unsigned Integer 0-32767
- **See Also:** RGCLIM

The Kiv parameter sets the current loop’s current-to-voltage conversion constant.

**Examples:**

- KIV 4000
- KIV?
- 4000

**KVD**

Velocity Loop Derivative Gain

- **Format1:** KVD { gain }
- **Format2:** KVD?
- **Type:** Nonvolatile Parameter
- **Argument Type:** Unsigned Integer, 0-65535
- **See Also:** KVP, KVI

The KVD command sets the derivative gain of the velocity loop. The default gain should be satisfactory to achieve stability. Derivative gain sets the gain at which the velocity loop responds to feedback rate changes. Derivative gain is inherently noisy and will increase step input responsiveness. Entering the KVD command with an argument value will set the derivative gain per that value.

Entering the KVD? command will result in the existing value for this parameter being returned from the servodrive.

**Example:**

- KVD 2100 ; This enters the velocity loop derivative gain.
**KVI**

**Velocity Loop Integral Gain**

<table>
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<th>Format1:</th>
<th>KVI { gain }</th>
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<td>Format2:</td>
<td>KVI?</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Type:</td>
<td>Nonvolatile Parameter</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Argument Type:</td>
<td>Unsigned Integer, 0-65535</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>See Also:</td>
<td>KVD, KVP</td>
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</table>

The KVI command sets the integral gain for the velocity loop. The default gain should be satisfactory to achieve stability. Integral gain ‘integrates’ (adds up) the error over time, and thereby increases amplifier output to eliminate or minimize velocity error. Entering the KVI command with an argument value will set the integral gain per that value.

Entering the KVI? command will cause the existing value for this parameter to be returned from the servodrive.

**Example:**

```
» KVI 4022 ; This enters the velocity loop integral gain
› KVI? ; This enters the velocity loop integral gain
4022.
```
KVP
Velocity Loop Proportional Gain

Format1: KVP { gain }
Format2: KVP?
Type: Nonvolatile Parameter
Argument Type: Unsigned Integer, 0-32767
See Also: KVD, KVI

The KVP command sets the proportional gain of the velocity loop. Proportional gain is a linear component that provides a constant correction for a given amount of error. The default gain should be satisfactory to achieve stability. Entering the KVP command with an argument value will set the proportional gain per that value immediately.

Entering the KVP? command will cause the existing value for this parameter to be returned from the servodrive.

Example:
» KVP 4024 ; This enters the velocity loop proportional gain.
MINFO?

Manufacturing information and serial numbers of the drive hardware

Format: MINFO?

Type: Direct Mode Command

Argument Type: none

See Also: MODE?, STATUS?, VER?

The MINFO? command will cause the drive to return a list of information about this drive, including the hardware version, powerboard ID (drive size), and the serial numbers of the drive components. Following is a sample output:

Examples:

»MINFO? ;Ask for the manufacturing information

Hardware version: 1.0.0
Powerboard ID: 261
Drive Serial#: 23
Logic Board Serial#: 206-132
Power Board Serial#: 69-211
**MODE?**

Display Current Servodrive Modes

**Format:**  MODE?

**Type**  
Direct Mode Query

**Argument Type:**  none

**See Also:**  TMODE, VMODE, ANALOG, SERIAL, SINE, SIXSTEP, STATUS?

The MODE? command is used to determine the state of the various operation modes inside the G Series servodrive, including Servo Control Mode (Torque/Velocity), Commutation Mode (Sine/Sixstep), and Command Mode (Analog/Serial). The response from the servodrive will define these in a three-line answer. Each line is independent of the other, so eight possible permutations can be returned.

**Examples:**

```plaintext
»MODE?     (This query displays the servodrive modes)

SERVO MODE: TORQUE CONTROL
COMMUTATION MODE: SIXSTEP
COMMAND MODE: SERIAL
```
MOTMODE

Set Motor Over-Temperature Mode

Format1: MOTMODE { value }

Format2: MOTMODE?

Type: Nonvolatile Parameter

Argument Type: Unsigned Integer, 0-2

The MOTMODE parameter determines how the drive will process Motor Over-Temperature faults. Valid values and their definitions follow:

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Value</th>
<th>Definition</th>
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<tr>
<td>0</td>
<td>The state of motor over-temperature input must be open, no connection, or a fault is generated. However, the drive will not be disabled by this fault.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>1</td>
<td>Eight-segment LED displays fault code and asserts the internal flag associated with the motor over-temperature fault so any output mapped to it will be asserted. Also, the status of OUT1-OUT3 will be changed to indicate a motor over-temperature fault has occurred if the OUTFAULT mode is enabled. However, the drive will continue to operate.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>2</td>
<td>Drive output is disabled. Eight-segment LED displays fault code and asserts the internal flag associated with the motor over-temperature fault so any output mapped to it will be asserted. Also, the status of OUT1-OUT3 will be changed to indicate a motor over-temperature fault has occurred if the OUTFAULT mode is enabled.</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

Examples:

»MOTMODE 2       ; Drive will disable output when a motor over-temperature fault occurs
»MOTMODE?       ; Displays current mode
2
The MTRVMAX parameter is the maximum speed at which the motor can operate in kHz. UltraTools will use this to set up internal scaling parameters the DSP uses to control the servodrive. The MTRVMAX value should be set in UltraTools by setting the Speed input values in Motor Setup. The equivalent speed of the motor in RPM will be dependent on the setting for ENCCNTS. The relationship is: RPM = MTRVMAX * 60 / ENCCNTS

Examples:

```plaintext
»MTRVMAX?
800 ; The existing speed limit is 800 kHz, or 6000 RPM (ENCCNTS=8000)
```
OUTFAULT

Sets up OUT1, OUT2 and OUT3 for outputting binary fault data

Format 1: OUTFAULT { 0 or 1 }
Format 2: OUTFAULT?

Type: Nonvolatile Parameter
Argument Type: Unsigned Integer, 0 or 1
See Also: INPFNx

The OUTFAULT parameter, when set to 1, is used to dedicate outputs OUT1 to OUT3 for use in querying the lower 6 bits of the current fault code for the drive. If INP1 is 0, bits 1 to 3 will be placed in OUT1 to OUT3, respectively. If INP1 is 1 (ON), then bits 4 to 6 will be used. The OUT1, OUT2 and OUT3 outputs are located on the P3 Supplemental I/O Connector and are duplicated on the P2 Controller Connector. Valid fault codes are identical to those outlined in the Status Display section of this manual. In this manner, $2^6$ or 64 fault and status codes can be decoded.

If the OUTFAULT mode is enabled, use of the OUTFNx command with output 1-3 will generate an “in use by OUTFAULT” error.

Examples:

» OUTFAULT  1  : A binary representation of the faults will now occupy OUT1-OUT3
OUTx

Digital Output State Command

Format1: OUT1? { value }
Format2: OUT2? { value }
Format3: OUT3? { value }
Format4: OUT4? { value }
Format5: OUT?  Returns a binary representation of the inputs in a character string indicating the state of all 4 bits.

Type: Direct Mode Query
Argument Type: none

The OUTx command allows the user to query the state of the given digital output. OUT1 to OUT4 refer to the digital outputs as defined by the markings at the P3 Supplemental I/O connector on the servodrive. The value returned by the query can be either a 0 or a 1, indicating an OFF or ON condition for the output.

Use of the fifth format (OUT?) will return a binary representation of the outputs in a character string indicating the state of all 4 bits, OUT1 to OUT4, from left to right.

Examples:
»OUT1? ; Query the existing state of OUT1
0 ; State of OUT1 is 0 or OFF
»OUT4? ; Query the existing state of OUT4
1 ; State of OUT4 is 1 or ON
»OUT? ; Query the existing state of all OUT’s
0 0 0 1 ; OUT1 is OFF, OUT2 is OFF, OUT3 is OFF, OUT4 is ON
OUTFNx

Digital Output Function Command

Format1: OUTFN1 {[-] value)
Format2: OUTFN2 {[-] value)
Format3: OUTFN3 {[-] value)
Format4: OUTFN4 {[-] value)
Format5: OUTFNx?

Type: Nonvolatile Parameter

Argument Type: value – selects Boolean value per table

The OUTFNx command sets the boolean fault state that OUTx is to be drawn from inside the G Series servodrive. OUTFN1 refers to OUT1 as defined by the markings on the servodrive. OUTFN2 refers to OUT2, OUTFN3 refers to OUT3, and OUTFN4 refers to OUT4. The OUTx are updated every 400 msec. If the optional minus [-] sign is placed in front of the value, then the function inverts the output. Setting an OUTFNx to a value of 0 will disable that OUTx. The following table indicates what values refer to what internal functions that can be output.

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If the optional minus [-] sign is placed in front of the value then the function inverts the output. Setting an OUTFNx to a value of 0 will disable that OUTx.

Examples:

»OUTFN1 -1 ; OUT1 will be asserted when a motor RMS overcurrent fault does NOT exist
»OUTFN2 5 ; OUT2 will be asserted when an encoder feedback fault exists
»OUTFN3 -3 ; OUT3 will be asserted when a bus over-voltage fault does NOT exist
»OUTFN4 0 ; OUT4 will be unused and will have no output
**POLES**

Sets the number of motor poles

- **Format1:** `POLES { value }
- **Format2:** `POLES?`
- **Type:** Nonvolatile Parameter
- **Argument Type:** Unsigned Integer, 2-and up
- **See Also:** SIXSTEP, SINE, ENCCNTS

The POLES command sets the servodrive up for the number of poles in the servomotor.

Entering the POLES? command will cause the existing value for this parameter to be returned from the servodrive.

**Example:**

The following example sets the motor poles to 4 for a four-pole motor:

`» POLES 4`

**POS**

Query or Set of encoder position

- **Format1:** `POS?`
- **Format2:** `POS { value }
- **Type:** Direct Mode Command
- **Argument Type:** Signed integer

The POS? query returns the current 32-bit position of the drive’s feedback encoder. The second Format(2) provides a means for setting the value of the encoder position.

**Examples:**

- `»POS 1234` ; Sets encoder position to 1234
- `»POS 0` ; Sets encoder position to 0
- `»POS?` ; Query for position
  - `32189`
**POSHOME**

**Position when last HOME occurred**

**Format:** POSHOME?

**Type** Direct Mode Command

**Argument Type:** none

The POSHOME parameter provides a means for determining the encoder counts per rev of a motor. It is the value of POS when the encoder reference (ZREF or Zero pulse) occurred, during a HOME command. After the value of POS is saved in POSHOME, POS is cleared, as documented in HOME. This can be used to get a relatively accurate measurement of the distance between encoder reference signals. Step 1: Execute a HOME command and slowly move the motor through the encoder reference, watching for the HOME to be completed. HOME? will return a 1 after completion. At the reference point, POSHOME will be set to the value in POS, whatever its value is, and POS will be set to 0. Step 2: Issue another HOME command and continue to slowly move the motor through the encoder reference again, in the same direction of motion and at the same speed. At this second reference, POSHOME will be set to the value of POS, and then POS will again be set to 0. Now POSHOME contains the distance between encoder reference marks.

A word about the accuracy of POSHOME. POSHOME is NOT hardware latched. It is software latched in an interrupt routine. Therefore there is some latency from the reference mark to the interrupt routine and the storing of the value. The slower the speed, the more accurate will be the value. Secondly, the value stored is the value in POS, which is updated at the control interrupt rate. Since the reference interrupt routine is asynchronous to the control interrupt, there will be a small amount of error there. Again, the slower the motor moves, the more accurate will be the reading. And if the same direction and speed is used for this entire process, the tendency will be for the latencies mentioned above to be equal and cancel out one another. There are other uses that POSHOME could be applied to, but this is one of the handier ones, particularly when setting up a new motor with the drive.

**Example:**

```plaintext
» HOME          ;Call for a HOME
CMD 30         ;Move slowly to completion of the HOME
» HOME?        ;Is it done HOMEing?
0              ;Not yet
» HOME?        ;Is it done HOMEing?
1              ;Now it is (POS will be zeroed at this point, too)
» HOME         ;Immediately do another HOME
» HOME?        ;Is it done HOMEing?
0              ;Not yet
» HOME?        ;Is it done HOMEing?
1              ;Now it is
» POSHOME?      ;Ask for the existing value in POSHOME
8000           ;Zref to Zref counts!
```
**PRFCYCL**

Profile Cycles  (when Profile Mode = 3)

Format:    PRFCYCL  { value }
Format2:   PRFCYCL?
Type:      Direct Mode Command
Argument Type: Unsigned Integer, 1 to 32767
See Also:  SERIAL, PRFLOT, PRFHIT

The PRFCYCL command in conjunction with the PRFMODE command (when set to 3) will cause the existing Profile definition to be repeated according to the value of the PRFCYCL parameter. Setting PRFMODE to 3 and setting PRFCYCL to 1 will cause a single cycle of the Profile to be done at the next GO command. The SERIAL command must previously be set to 'ON' for this command to work. If PRFCYCL? is entered without a parameter, the current value for this parameter will be returned.

**Examples:**

» PRFMODE 3 ;Sets the Profile mode to do a fixed number of cycles
» PRFCYCL 1 ;This calls for only one cycle to be done
**PRFENA**

**Enables or Disables Profile Mode**

- **Format1:** `PRFENA { mode }`
- **Format2:** `PRFENA?`
- **Type:** Direct Mode Command
- **Argument Type:** 0 or 1
- **See Also:** SERIAL, PRFMODE, PRFCYCL

The PRFENA command enables or disables profiling mode, which allows the servodrive to define and use simple profiling commands through the serial port. A "1" argument enables the profiling mode, while a "0" argument disables profiling mode. The SERIAL command must be 'ON' for this PRFENA command to work. After first enabling the profiling mode with PRFENA 1, and then defining certain profiling parameters, simple profile moves can be done.

Entering the PRFENA? command will cause the existing value for this parameter to be returned from the servodrive.

**Examples:**

- `»PRFENA 1 ;Enable profile mode`
- `»TMODE ;Set Torque mode on (to move using Torque mode)`
- `»PRFHILV 8000 ;Set value for the high signal command for the current`
- `»PRFHIT 1000 ;Set time to run 'at Current', in 400 µsecs units`
- `»PRFLOLV 0 ;Set the low level command to 0`
- `»PRFLOT 1000 ;Set time to run 'at low level', also in 400 µsecs units`
- `»PRFMODE 3 ;Set PRFMODE to 3 for fixed cycles`
- `»PRFCYCL 1 ;Set PRFCYCL so we do only a single cycle in our move`
- `»GO ;GO causes our profile motion to begin`
**PRFHILV**

Profile High Level Signal

- **Format1:** PRFHILV { value }
- **Format2:** PRFHILV?
- **Type:** Direct Mode Command
- **Argument Type:** Signed Integer, +/-32767
- **See Also:** SERIAL, PRFLOT, PRFHI, PRFLOLV

The PRFHILV command sets the Profile definition for the actual signal level for the high velocity or high current signal level, depending on whether the profile is being run in Velocity or Torque mode. The PRFHILV signal will be on for the length of time as defined by PRFHIT. PRFHILV can be used to provide great flexibility in the Profile that is to be run, allowing for 'back and forth' movements and other variations.

Entering the PRFHILV? command will cause the existing value for this parameter to be returned from the servodrive.

**Examples:**

» PRFHILV 3000 ;Sets the 'high command' level to 3000
**PRFHIT**

**Profile High Level Time**

**Format1:** PRFHIT \{ time \}

**Format2:** PRFHIT?

**Type:** Direct Mode Command

**Argument Type:** Unsigned Integer, 0 to 65535

**See Also:** CMD, SERIAL, PRFLOT, PRFHILV

The PRFHIT command sets the Profile definition of the time to remain at the commanded velocity or current signal level (which is given by PRFHILV) depending on whether the Profile is run in Torque mode or Velocity mode. The SERIAL command must previously be set to ‘ON’ for this command to work. PRFHIT is given in 400 \( \mu \text{sec} \) units, e.g. 2500 = 1 second. Values higher than 65535 will be truncated to 65535.

Entering the PRFHIT? command will cause the existing value for this parameter to be returned from the servodrive.

**Examples:**

» PRFHIT 1000 ;Sets high command time for CMD to be 0.4 seconds
PRFLOLV
Profile Low Level Signal
Format1: PRFLOLV { value }
Format2: PRFLOLV?
Type: Direct Mode Command
Argument Type: Signed Integer, +/-32767
See Also: SERIAL, PRFLOT, PRFHILV

The PRFLOLV command sets the Profile definition for the actual signal level for the low velocity or low current signal level, depending on whether the Profile is being run in Velocity or Torque mode. PRFLOLV is often set to 0. The PRFLOLV signal will be on for the length of time as defined by PRFLOT. PRFLOLV can be used to provide greater flexibility in the Profile that is to be run, allowing for ‘back and forth’ movements and other variations. The SERIAL command must previously be set to ‘ON’ for this command to work.

Entering the PRFLOLV? command will cause the existing value for this parameter to be returned from the servodrive.

Examples:
» PRFLOLV 1000 ; Sets the 'low command' level for the existing test mode to 1000

PRFLOT
Profile Low Level Time
Format1: PRFLOT { time }
Format2: PRFLOT?
Type: Direct Mode Command
Argument Type: Unsigned Integer, 0 to 65535
See Also: PRFLOLV, SERIAL, PRFHIT

The PRFLOT command sets the Profile definition for the time to remain at the low velocity or current signal level, which is defined by PRFLOLV. (PRFLOLV is often set to 0.) The SERIAL command must previously be set to ‘ON’ for this command to work. PRFLOT is given in 400 microsecond units, e.g. 2500 = 1 second. Values higher than 65535 will be truncated to 65535.

Entering the PRFLOT? command will cause the existing value for this parameter to be returned from the servodrive.

Examples:
» PRFLOT 2500 ; Sets low command time for PRFLOLV to be 1.0 seconds.
PRFMODE
Profile Mode

Format1:          PRFMODE { mode }
Format2:          PRFMODE?
Type:             Direct Mode Command
Argument Type:    Unsigned Integer, 1 or 2 or 3
See Also:         SERIAL, PRFLOT, PRFHIT, PRFHILV, PRFLOLV, GO, STOP

The PRFMODE command sets the Profile mode that is to be used for the next Profile motion. Profiling is a feature of the G-Series servodrive in which the drive will perform predefined profile moves in one of three different, settable modes: (1) Dynamic, (2) Repetitive, and (3) Set Cycle, as defined below. The original purpose was to provide a simple method to create and plot motion using UltraTools, effectively making a digital scope. But the overall profiling capability can provide tools for specific applications, as well as being helpful debugging tools. Entering the PRFMODE? command will cause the existing value for this parameter to be returned from the servodrive.

PRFMODE 1 (Dynamic)

In the Dynamic mode (1), the ACCEL and PRFHILV values are used to accelerate or decelerate to the commanded PRFHILV command value and hold that value. If the PRFHIT timeout value is set to 0, the profiler will continue at the commanded value until either a STOP command or a GO command is entered. If PRFHIT contains a value, it will represent a timeout value for the ‘at speed’ motion, given in 400 µsec units. This feature provides a safety factor for PRFMODE 1. By using PRFHIT, the PRFMODE 1 motion will not continue forever without controller intervention. The minimum intervention is to send a GO command. No other parameters need to be resent. Or new settings for the PRFMODE 1 parameters can be sent, followed by the GO command. Note that the slowest setting for controller intervention is 65535/2500 = 26.2 sec. Setting PRFHIT to 2500 would require controller intervention every 1 sec. (Remember, the timeout starts after the end of the acceleration ramp.) If a STOP command is issued, the profiler will decelerate using the current DECEL value. If a new PRFHILV value is set and another GO command is issued during Profile motion, the profiler will accelerate or decelerate to the new PRFHILV value using the current ACCEL value. Following is an example of the setup:

VMODE            ; Set velocity mode
PRFENA 1         ; Enable profiling mode
PRFHILV 4000     ; Set high signal level for the profile
PRFHIT 0         ; Set timeout to 0 so motion goes on until STOP is issued
ACCEL 400        ; The ACCEL defines how fast we come up to speed
DECEL 400        ; The DECEL defines how fast we come to a stop
PRFMODE 1        ; Select the ‘Dynamic’ mode for profiling
GO               ; Now the Profile is defined, GO do it, STOP when done
Once the GO command is issued, the dynamic profile continues until a STOP command is issued or until a timeout occurs, if PRFHIT has a setting other than 0.

**PRFMODE 2 (Repetitive)**

In the Repetitive mode (2), a profile is defined using a high signal level and time, and then a low signal level and time. Acceleration and deceleration function as described above. Once profile motion is begun with a GO command, motion will accelerate to the high signal level and hold there for the high signal time. Then motion will decelerate to the low signal level and hold there for the low signal time (both of which can be 0, if desired). Then motion decelerates to 0, and the whole process begins again. This repetitive motion will continue until the STOP command is issued. Following is an example of this setup:

```
VMODE  ; Set velocity mode
PRFENA 1  ; Enable profiling mode
PRFHILV 4000  ; Set high signal level for first part of the profile
PRFHIT 1000  ; Set the time duration for the high level signal, 0.4 seconds
PRFLOLV -4000 ; Set low signal level for the second part of the profile
PRFLOT 1000  ; Set the time duration for the low level signal, 0.4 seconds
ACCEL 400  ; The ACCEL defines how fast we come up to speed
DECEL 400  ; The DECEL defines how fast we come to a stop
PRFMODE 2  ; Select the ‘Repetitive’ mode for repeat profiling
GO  ; Now the Profile is defined, GO do it, STOP when done
```

Once the GO command is issued, the repetitive profile continues until a STOP command is issued.
PRFMODE 3 (Set Cycle)

In the Set Cycle mode, the profiler uses all of the same parameters as in mode 2, except that PRFCYCL is used to set the number of cycles to run.

VMODE ; Set velocity mode
PRFENA 1 ; Enable profiling mode
PRFHILV 4000 ; Set high signal level for first part of the profile
PRFHIT 1000 ; Set the time duration for the high level signal, 0.4 seconds
PRFLOLV –4000 ; Set low signal level for the second part of the profile
PRFLOT 1000 ; Set the time duration for the low level signal, 0.4 seconds
ACCEL 400 ; The ACCEL defines how fast we come up to speed
DECEL 400 ; The DECEL defines how fast we come to a stop
PRFMODE 3 ; Select the ‘Set Cycle’ mode for fixed cycle profiling
PRFCYCL 1 ; We tell PRFCYCL we wish to do only one cycle of motion
GO ; Now the Profile is defined, GO do it. It stops itself when done

Once the GO command is issued, the Set Cycle profile continues until the PRFCYCL number of cycles has been completed, and then it stops. If the user enters the STOP command, this will also stop the profile.

NOTE: In all modes, ACCEL is used when changing to the PRFHILV value, and DECEL is used when changing to PRFLOLV or when stopping.

The combination of these various Profiling commands allows complete flexibility in defining almost any Profile desired. The SERIAL command must previously be set to ‘ON’ for this command to work. And Profiling must be enabled using PRFENA 1.
**PWMFREQ?**

PWM Frequency

- **Format:** PWMFREQ?
- **Type:** Direct Mode Query
- **Argument Type:** None (Read Only Value)

**See Also:**

The PWMFREQ? query allows the user to find out the period of the PWM signal. The delivered answer is in kHz units. This is a ‘Read Only’ type of value.

**Examples:**

```
» PWMFREQ? ;Ask for the PWM period information
16 ;16 corresponds to 16 kHz
```
RAMTEST
Perform a continuous test of the DSP static ram memory

Format: RAMTEST
Type: Direct Mode Command
Argument Type: None

This command will immediately disable the drive and then execute a continuous test of the DSP static ram memory. Once begun, the only way to stop this test is to cycle the logic power to the drive. The test writes a sequential pattern to the SRAM and verifies it. However, with each pass the sequence is moved one location. While running, the seven segment display will be changing with each pass through the RAM. If an error occurs at any time during the testing, the display will flash, with the pattern alternating between two vertical bars and three horizontal bars, until the power is cycled.

During a normal power-up, a single cycle of this test is performed to verify that the DSP dynamic ram is operating properly.

Example:

RAMTEST ;Perform continuous ram test until powered down
**REM or ;**

Remarks

Format1: REM
Format2: ; (semicolon)
Type: Direct Mode Command
Argument Type: none
See Also:

The REM or semicolon character “;” may be followed by comments up to the max command length. The drive will ignore all text following the REM or semicolon until after the next carriage return and line feed is received. A space character must follow either the REM or the semicolon character, or a syntax error will occur.

**Examples:**

»REM This is a comment that will be completely ignored by the drive
»; This too will be completely ignored by the drive
»RESET ; Reset the drive here
»KVP 400 ; Set the velocity loop proportional gain
»TMODE ; Turn on torque mode
**RESET**

Software DSP Reset

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The RESET command resets the DSP and performs a software reboot. All faults are cleared and all setup and tuning variables are zeroed and restored automatically from EEPROM. This command is equivalent to cycling the power to the DSP.

**Examples:**

```plaintext
>RESET ;Reset the drive immediately
```
The RESTORE command restores certain servomotor and servodrive parameters from EPROM into the servodrive, providing the desired startup conditions for a particular application and hardware configuration. When the servodrive is first powered up, these parameters will also be restored from the EPROM into the servodrive. The parameters restored include the servo control mode (TMODE/VMODE), the commutation mode (SINE/SIXSTEP), the command mode (ANALOG/SERIAL), the motor parameters (POLES, ENCCNTS, OFFSET, IMTRPK, IMTRRMS, ICLAMP, MOTMODE, MTRVMAX), the current loop tuning constants, the velocity loop tuning constants, the digital input function definitions (INPFNx), the digital output function definitions (OUTFNx), the DAC function definitions (DACFNx), the Regen settings (RGTRIP, RGCLIM), and the condition of the DRVENA parameter (allows drive to start up enabled).

Examples:

```plaintext
» RESTORE ; Restore setup parameters from EPROM
```

### RGCLIM

**Shunt Resistor Regen Current Limit**

| Format1: | RGCLIM { value } |
| Format2: | RGCLIM? |
| Type: | Nonvolatile Parameter |
| Argument Type: |Unsigned Integer, 1 to 32767 |
| See Also: |RGTRIP |

The RGCLIM command sets the maximum current limit for dissipating regenerative energy in the shunt resistor(s). Note that only G Series drives G10 and higher can make use of the shunt commands. The G3 and G5 drives are not capable of providing shunting capability.

Examples:

```plaintext
» RGCLIM 4315 ; Set shunt resistor current limit
```
RGTRIP

Shunt Resistor Regen Trip Voltage

Format1:  RGTRIP { value }
Format2:  RGTRIP?
Type:     Nonvolatile Parameter
Argument Type:  Unsigned Integer (volts)
See Also:  RGCLIM

The RGTRIP command sets the voltage at which the drive's internal shunt regulator will begin to operate by shunting excess regeneration voltage across the shunt resistor. If this parameter is set to 0, then the shunt regulation function of the servodrive will be disabled. Note that only G Series drives G10 and higher can make use of the shunt commands. The G3 and G5 drives are not capable of providing shunting capability.

⚠️ Warning: Setting this value lower than the nominal bus voltage (155 VDC or 325VDC) will cause the shunt output to be on at all times.

Examples:

- RGTRIP 395 ; Set shunt regulation to begin at 395 volts
## SERIAL

**Serial Command Mode**

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The SERIAL command sets the servodrive to use the RS232 serial input for setting the desired command level and other parameters. In this mode, the desired command signal must be sent to the servodrive as an ASCII command via the serial port. The ANALOG command provides the means to switch from serial control to analog control through the use of P2.

Use the MODE? Command to determine the current state of the command mode.

### Examples:

- `SERIAL` (This command puts the servodrive in serial mode)
- `ANALOG` (This command puts the servodrive in analog mode)
- `SERIAL` (This command puts the servodrive back in serial mode)
**SINE**

Set Sine Commutation Mode

**Format:** SINE

**Type:** Nonvolatile Parameter

**Argument Type:** none

**See Also:** POLES, ENCCNTS, SIXSTEP, MODE?

The SINE command sets the servodrive's electronic commutation method to sinusoidal commutation. Your motor must utilize both an encoder and Hall sensors (or commutation tracks) in order to use sinusoidal mode. In sinusoidal mode, the POLES and ENCCNTS values must be set prior to setting this parameter.

Use the MODE? command to determine the existing state of the commutation mode.

**Examples:**

The example below sets the commutation mode to sinusoidal.

» SINE

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**SIXSTEP**

Set SixStep Commutation Mode

**Format:** SIXSTEP

**Type:** Nonvolatile Parameter

**Argument Type:** none

**See Also:** POLES, ENCCNTS, SINE, MODE?

The SIXSTEP command sets the servodrive's commutation mode to six-step (trapezoidal) commutation. The servodrive’s velocity term is derived from the encoder attached to the drive.

Use the MODE? command to determine the existing state of the commutation mode.

**Examples:**

The example below sets the commutation mode to sixstep.

» SIXSTEP
STATUS?
Return Drive Status

Format: STATUS?
Type: Direct Mode Query
Argument Type: none
See Also: MODE?, VER?

The STATUS command displays the status of inputs, outputs, drive enable/disable settings and faults.

Examples:
» STATUS?
» INPUTS: (1 0 1 0); Input 1 is on, input 2 is off, input 3 is on, input 4 is off
» OUTPUTS: 0 1 0 1 ; Output 1 is off, output 2 is on, output 3 is off, output 4 is on
» DRIVE: ENABLED or HARDWARE DISABLED or DISABLED
» FAULT CODE: 0 ; Fault codes as they would appear on 8-segment LED display

STOP
Profile Stop

Format: STOP
Type: Direct Mode Command
Argument Type: none
See Also: PRFENA, GO

The STOP command allows the user to stop any motion that was initiated by the Profile GO command. The SERIAL command must previously be set to ‘ON’ for this command to work.

Examples:
» STOP ;Stop the Profile motion
STORE

Store Parameters into EPROM

Format: STORE
Type: Direct Mode Command
Argument Type: none
See Also: RESTORE

The STORE command stores certain servomotor and servodrive parameters into EPROM. When the servodrive is first powered up, these parameters will be restored from the EPROM into the servodrive, providing the desired startup conditions for a particular application and hardware configuration. The parameters STOREd include the servo control mode (TMODE/VMODE), the commutation mode (SINE/SIXSTEP), the command mode (ANALOG/SERIAL), the motor parameters (POLES, ENCCNTS, HOFFSET, IMTRPK, IMTRRMS, ICLAMP, MOTMODE, MTRVMAX), the current loop tuning constants, the velocity loop tuning constants, the digital input function definitions (INPFNx), the digital output function definitions (OUTFNx), the DAC function definitions (DACFNx), the Regen settings (RGTRIP, RGCLIM), and the condition of the DRVENA parameter (allows drive to start up enabled).

Examples:

»STORE ; Store setup parameters into EPROM
TMODE
Set Torque Mode

Format: TMODE
Type: Nonvolatile Parameter
Argument Type: none
See Also: VMODE, CMD, ANALOG, SERIAL, MODE?

The TMODE command sets the servodrive’s input command to torque mode. This effectively changes the drive’s transfer function from volts output/volt input (a voltage source or velocity mode drive) to amperes output/volt input (a current source or torque mode drive). The Kis command is used for scaling the current command in torque mode. The velocity term remains available for use by one of the drive’s DACs.

If the MODE command is entered, followed by a question mark (MODE?), then the drive returns the state of all the modes of operation.

Example:
» TMODE ;Set for Torque mode
» MODE?
SERVO MODE: TORQUE CONTROL
COMMUTATION MODE: SIXSTEP
COMMAND MODE: SERIAL

VBUS
Voltage on the Bus

Format: VBUS?
Type Direct Mode Command
Argument Type: none

The VBUS command provides an easy method for checking the bus voltage output level, as measured and indicated by the DSP firmware. This command can be a helpful diagnostic tool when trying to find the cause or condition of an anomaly occurring in the drive.

Example:
» VBUS? ;Ask for the bus output voltage
**VELOBS**

Specify a sensitivity value for the velocity observer

**Format1:**

```
VELOBS  { value }
```

**Format2:**

```
VELOBS?
```

**Type**

Nonvolatile Parameters

**Units:**

Sensitivity in units ranging from 20 to 200, where 100 is normal

The velocity observer parameter controls a filter relating to the velocity feedback that helps control the velocity loop. Input values can range from 20 to 200, where 100 is considered a normal setting. This command changes the velocity observer coefficients. Lower values will smooth low speed motion, but increase settling times on quick stops. Higher values will increase velocity response at the expense of smoothness.

If the VELOBS? command is entered, then the drive returns the existing value for VELOBS.

**Example:**

```
> VELOBS 90 ; Sets VELOBS to 90 for slightly smoother low speed motion
```

**VER?**

Version of the G Series Internal Software

**Format:**

```
VER?
```

**Type:**

Direct Mode Command

**Argument Type:**

none

**See Also:**

MODE?, STATUS?

The VER? command allows the user to find out the version of the software in the DSP for the G Series servodrive.

**Examples:**

```
> VER? ; Ask for the version information
ULTRADRIVE G Series
DIGITAL SERVODRIVE
Drive Model: G05
FlexROM Version: 1.0.0
```
**VMODE**

Set Velocity Mode

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The VMODE command sets the servodrive input command to velocity mode. An analog or serial command applied to the servodrive would then act to control the servomotor’s velocity.

Use the MODE? command to determine the existing state of the servodrive mode.

**Example:**

VMODE ;Set for Velocity mode