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1 Specification

1.1 Servo drive interface

- 6 independent channel on connectors P1-P6
- Quadrature incremental encoder input, line driver RS422 or 5V push-pull; digital filter configurable from 200 KHz to 10 MHz.

Analog output +/-10 V, 2 mA, 14 bit.

- Status LED for each channel.

1.2 Stepper motor interface

- 6 independent channel on connectors P1-P6
- RS422 step and direction output, up to 1 MHz.

1.3 Communication interface

- RS232 serial interface on connector P10 up to 115200 baud
- RS485 serial interface on connector P9 up to 1 Mbaud
- CAN bus interface on connector P7 up to 1 Mbaud. Termination resistor selectable via jumper

1.4 Digital input

- 2 high speed optocoupled inputs (DI1 and DI2): 24Vdc, 1.5Kohm.
- 14 standard speed optocoupled inputs (DI3-DI16): 24Vdc, 4.7Kohm.

1.5 Analog input

- ✧ 8 channels (AI1AI8): +/-10V, 10 bit (12 bit option).

1.6 Digital output

- ✧ 16 optocoupled outputs (DO1-DO16): 24Vdc, 700mA max. per channel, protected against short circuit and overload.

1.7 Microprocessor and memory

- Processor: 32 bit RISC Hitachi SH2 44 Mhz with 256Kb program flash memory.
- FLASH: 4 Mb flash.
- RAM: 1 Mb.

1.8 Power supply requirements

- 24 Vdc +/-15% 500mA for the controller (encoder supply and digital outputs load excluded).

1.9 Condizioni operative

- Temperature: 0-60°C.
- Relative humidity: 10-90% not condensing.

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1.10 Dimensions and mounting

- Dimensions: 190 mm x116 mm.
- To be mounted inside electrical cabinet (4 M4 screw, distance 175x100 mm).

2 Mechanical

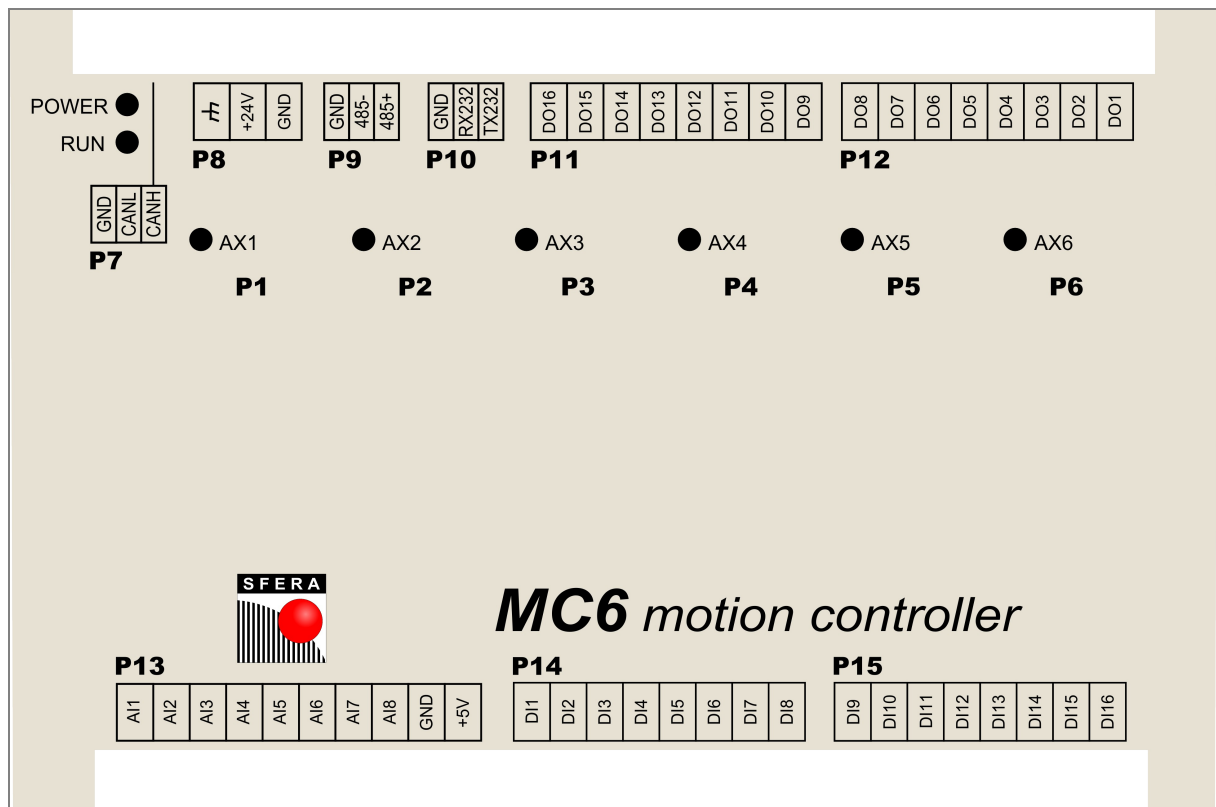
2.1 Mounting

Requires four M4 holes in the mounting panel, with a rectangular pattern sized 175 mm by 100 mm.

Leave at least 80 mm on the connector sides for the wiring.

2.2 Connector layout

The connectors are located as in the following picture:



3 Connettors

3.1 P1: servo drive interface (axis 1) e passo-passo (axis 7)

15 poles female D-sub connector

Pin	Name	Description	Electical characteristics
P1.1	+5Vext	Encoder power supply	5Vdc power
P1.2	IH1	Encoder index 1	RS422 input
P1.3	BH1	Encoder phase B 1	RS422 input
P1.4	AH1	Encoder phase A 1	RS422 input
P1.5	GND	Digital ground	Digital ground
P1.6	SH1	Step 1	RS422 output
P1.7	DH1	Direction 1	RS422 output
P1.8	REF1	Servo reference 1	Analog output +/-10V
P1.9	IL1	Encoder index 1 complementary	RS422 input
P1.10	BL1	Fase B encoder 1 complementary	RS422 input
P1.11	AL1	Encoder phase A 1 complementary	RS422 input
P1.12	GND	Digital ground	Digital ground
P1.13	SL1	Step 1 complementary	RS422 output
P1.14	DL1	Direction 1 complementary	RS422 output
P1.15	AGND	Servo reference return 1	Analog ground

3.2 P2: servo drive interface (axis 2) e passo-passo (axis 8)

15 poles female D-sub connector

Pin	Name	Description	Electical characteristics
P2.1	+5Vext	Encoder power supply	5Vdc power
P2.2	IH2	Encoder index 2	RS422 input
P2.3	BH2	Encoder phase B 2	RS422 input
P2.4	AH2	Encoder phase A 2	RS422 input
P2.5	GND	Digital ground	Digital ground
P2.6	SH2	Step 2	RS422 output
P2.7	DH2	Direction 2	RS422 output
P2.8	REF2	Servo reference 2	Analog output +/-10V
P2.9	IL2	Encoder index 2 complementary	RS422 input
P2.10	BL2	Fase B encoder 2 complementary	RS422 input
P2.11	AL2	Encoder phase A 2 complementary	RS422 input
P2.12	GND	Digital ground	Digital ground

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Pin	Name	Description	Electical characteristics
P2.13	SL2	Step 2 complementary	RS422 output
P2.14	DL2	Direction 2 complementary	RS422 output
P2.15	AGND	Servo reference return 2	Analog ground

3.3 P3: servo drive interface (axis 3) e passo-passo (axis 9)

15 poles female D-sub connector

Pin	Name	Description	Electical characteristics
P3.1	+5Vext	Encoder power supply	5Vdc power
P3.2	IH3	Encoder index 3	RS422 input
P3.3	BH3	Encoder phase B 3	RS422 input
P3.4	AH3	Encoder phase A 3	RS422 input
P3.5	GND	Digital ground	Digital ground
P3.6	SH3	Step 3	RS422 output
P3.7	DH3	Direction 3	RS422 output
P3.8	REF3	Servo reference 3	Analog output +/-10V
P3.9	IL3	Encoder index 3 complementary	RS422 input
P3.10	BL3	Fase B encoder 3 complementary	RS422 input
P3.11	AL3	Encoder phase A 3 complementary	RS422 input
P3.12	GND	Digital ground	Digital ground
P3.13	SL3	Step 3 complementary	RS422 output
P3.14	DL3	Direction 3 complementary	RS422 output
P3.15	AGND	Servo reference return 3	Analog ground

3.4 P4: servo drive interface (axis 4) e passo-passo (axis 10)

15 poles female D-sub connector

Pin	Name	Description	Electical characteristics
P4.1	+5Vext	Encoder power supply	5Vdc power
P4.2	IH4	Encoder index 4	RS422 input
P4.3	BH4	Encoder phase B 4	RS422 input
P4.4	AH4	Encoder phase A 4	RS422 input
P4.5	GND	Digital ground	Digital ground
P4.6	SH4	Step 4	RS422 output
P4.7	DH4	Direction 4	RS422 output
P4.8	REF4	Servo reference 4	Analog output +/-10V
P4.9	IL4	Encoder index 4 complementary	RS422 input

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Pin	Name	Description	Electical characteristics
P4.10	BL4	Fase B encoder 4 complementary	RS422 input
P4.11	AL4	Encoder phase A 4 complementary	RS422 input
P4.12	GND	Digital ground	Digital ground
P4.13	SL4	Step 4 complementary	RS422 output
P4.14	DL4	Direction 4 complementary	RS422 output
P4.15	AGND	Servo reference return 4	Analog ground

3.5 P5: servo drive interface (axis 5) e passo-passo (axis 11)

15 poles female D-sub connector

Pin	Name	Description	Electical characteristics
P5.1	+5Vext	Encoder power supply	5Vdc power
P5.2	IH5	Encoder index 5	RS422 input
P5.3	BH5	Encoder phase B 5	RS422 input
P5.4	AH5	Encoder phase A 5	RS422 input
P5.5	GND	Digital ground	Digital ground
P5.6	SH5	Step 5	RS422 output
P5.7	DH5	Direction 5	RS422 output
P5.8	REF5	Servo reference 5	Analog output +/-10V
P5.9	IL5	Encoder index 5 complementary	RS422 input
P5.10	BL5	Fase B encoder 5 complementary	RS422 input
P5.11	AL5	Encoder phase A 5 complementary	RS422 input
P5.12	GND	Digital ground	Digital ground
P5.13	SL5	Step 5 complementary	RS422 output
P5.14	DL5	Direction 5 complementary	RS422 output
P5.15	AGND	Servo reference return 5	Analog ground

3.6 P6: servo drive interface (axis 6) e passo-passo (axis 12)

15 poles female D-sub connector

Pin	Name	Description	Electical characteristics
P6.1	+5Vext	Encoder power supply	5Vdc power
P6.2	IH6	Encoder index 6	RS422 input
P6.3	BH6	Encoder phase B 6	RS422 input
P6.4	AH6	Encoder phase A 6	RS422 input
P6.5	GND	Digital ground	Digital ground
P6.6	SH6	Step 6	RS422 output

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Pin	Name	Description	Electical characteristics
P6.7	DH6	Direction 6	RS422 output
P6.8	REF6	Servo reference 6	Analog output +/-10V
P6.9	IL6	Encoder index 6 complementary	RS422 input
P6.10	BL6	Encoder phase B 6 complementary	RS422 input
P6.11	AL6	Encoder phase A 6 complementary	RS422 input
P6.12	GND	Digital ground	Digital ground
P6.13	SL6	Step 6 complementary	RS422 output
P6.14	DL6	Direction 6 complementary	RS422 output
P6.15	AGND	Servo reference return 6	Analog ground

3.7 P7: CAN bus interface

3.81 mm, 3 poles block terminal connector

Pin	Name	Description	Electical characteristics
P7.1	CANH	CAN bus data+	CAN standard
P7.2	CANL	CAN bus data- (complementary)	CAN standard
P7.3	GNDCAN	CAN bus Ground	ground (isolated)

3.8 P8: power supply

5 mm, 3 poles block terminal connector

Pin	Name	Description	Electical characteristics
P8.1	GND	Ground	Supply return
P8.2	+24V	24V power	24Vdc +/- 15%
P8.3	EARTH	Chassis ground	Earth

3.9 P9: RS485 serial interface

3.81 mm, 3 poles block terminal connector

Pin	Name	Description	Electical characteristics
P9.1	DT485+	Serial data	RS485
P9.2	DT485-	Serial data (complementary)	RS485
P9.3	GND	Ground	Digital ground

3.10 P10: RS232 serial interface

3.81 mm, 3 poles block terminal connector

Pin	Name	Description	Electical characteristics
P10.1	TX232	Transmit	RS232
P10.2	RX232	Receive	RS232
P10.3	GND	Ground	Digital ground

3.11 P11: digital output DO9-DO16

5 mm, 8 poles block terminal connector

Pin	Name	Description	Electical characteristics
P11.1	DO9	Digital output DO9	24V 700mA source (PNP)
P11.2	DO10	Digital output DO10	24V 700mA source (PNP)
P11.3	DO11	Digital output DO11	24V 700mA source (PNP)
P11.4	DO12	Digital output DO12	24V 700mA source (PNP)
P11.5	DO13	Digital output DO13	24V 700mA source (PNP)
P11.6	DO14	Digital output DO14	24V 700mA source (PNP)
P11.7	DO15	Digital output DO15	24V 700mA source (PNP)
P11.8	DO16	Digital output DO16	24V 700mA source (PNP)

3.12 P12: digital output DO1-DO8

5 mm, 8 poles block terminal connector

Pin	Name	Description	Electical characteristics
P12.1	DO1	Digital output DO1	24V 700mA source (PNP)
P12.2	DO2	Digital output DO2	24V 700mA source (PNP)
P12.3	DO3	Digital output DO3	24V 700mA source (PNP)
P12.4	DO4	Digital output DO4	24V 700mA source (PNP)
P12.5	DO5	Digital output DO5	24V 700mA source (PNP)
P12.6	DO6	Digital output DO6	24V 700mA source (PNP)
P12.7	DO7	Digital output DO7	24V 700mA source (PNP)
P12.8	DO8	Digital output DO8	24V 700mA source (PNP)

3.13 P13: analog input AI1-AI8

5 mm, 10 poles block terminal connector

Pin	Name	Description	Electical characteristics
P13.1	AI11	Analog input AI1	+/-10V
P13.2	AI2	Analog input AI2	+/-10V
P13.3	AI3	Analog input AI3	+/-10V
P13.4	AI4	Analog input AI4	+/-10V
P13.5	AI5	Analog input AI5	+/-10V
P13.6	AI6	Analog input AI6	+/-10V
P13.7	AI7	Analog input AI7	+/-10V
P13.8	AI8	Analog input AI8	+/-10V
P13.9	AGND	Analog ground	Analog ground
P13.10	+5Vext	Alimentazione analogica	5Vdc power

3.14 P14: digital input DI1-DI8

5 mm, 8 poles block terminal connector

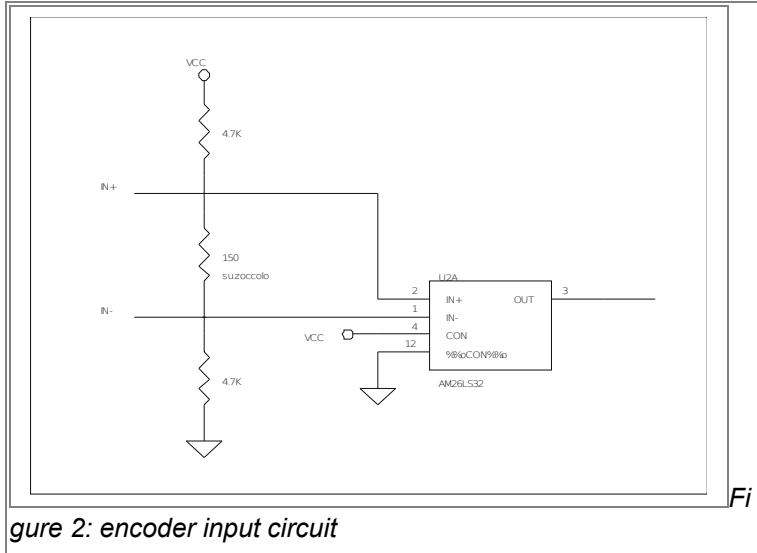
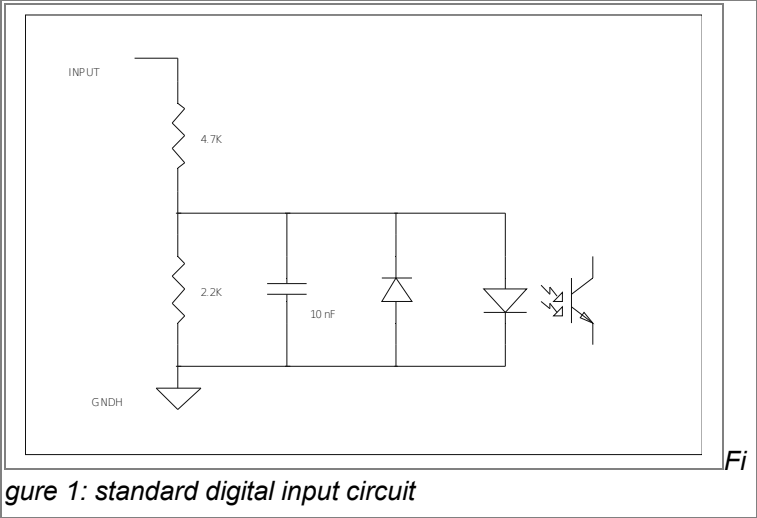
Pin	Name	Description	Electical characteristics
P14.1	DI1	Digital input DI1	24V +/-15% sink (PNP)
P14.2	DI2	Digital input DI2	24V +/-15% sink (PNP)
P14.3	DI3	Digital input DI3	24V +/-15% sink (PNP)
P14.4	DI4	Digital input DI4	24V +/-15% sink (PNP)
P14.5	DI5	Digital input DI5	24V +/-15% sink (PNP)
P14.6	DI6	Digital input DI6	24V +/-15% sink (PNP)
P14.7	DI7	Digital input DI7	24V +/-15% sink (PNP)
P14.8	DI8	Digital input DI8	24V +/-15% sink (PNP)

3.15 P15: digital input DI9-DI16

5 mm, 8 poles block terminal connector

Pin	Name	Description	Electical characteristics
P15.1	DI9	Digital input DI9	24V +/-15% sink (PNP)
P15.2	DI10	Digital input DI10	24V +/-15% sink (PNP)
P15.3	DI11	Digital input DI11	24V +/-15% sink (PNP)
P15.4	DI12	Digital input DI12	24V +/-15% sink (PNP)
P15.5	DI13	Digital input DI13	24V +/-15% sink (PNP)
P15.6	DI14	Digital input DI14	24V +/-15% sink (PNP)
P15.7	DI15	Digital input DI15	24V +/-15% sink (PNP)
P15.8	DI16	Digital input DI16	24V +/-15% sink (PNP)

4 Schematics



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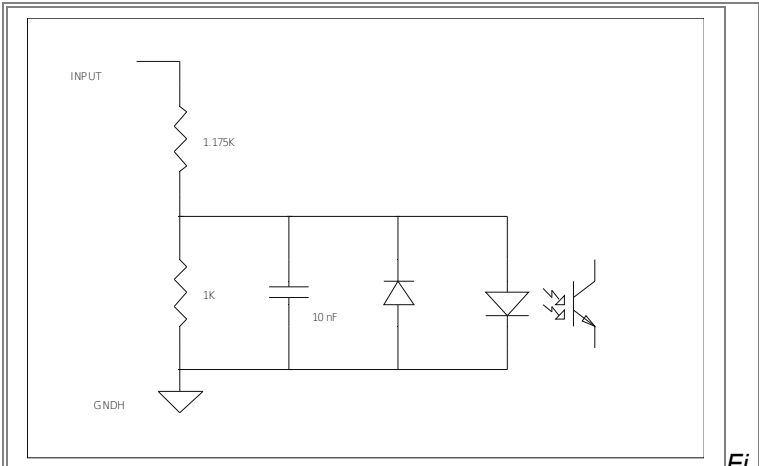


Figure 3: high speed digital input