

# MCS02

## Electric Driver Unit

### Description



Fig 1

The MCS02 electronic control unit from MSW Motion Control GmbH is designed for driving the Precision Step Units (RotaStep or SRA) of ATB Laurence Scott.

MCS02 features include:

- Start/Stop signal suppression
- PLC interfacing facilities
- Programmable signal inputs:  
NPN/PNP signal types, edge sensitivity
- Free mode
- 24 Vdc output
- ERROR – Output signal

In combination with RotaStep or SRA, the MCS02 can be used for a wide range of applications, especially when starts and stops are triggered by sensor signals.

The MCS02 has facilities for interaction with other control units, for example PLCs.

### Input terminals

By activating the following terminals, the functions described below can be obtained:

| Terminal | Function      |
|----------|---------------|
| 1        | Start         |
| 2        | Stop          |
| 3        | Start inhibit |
| 4        | Stop inhibit  |
| 5        | Brake mode    |
| 6        | Free mode     |

**Please note!** Earth connection, see Fig 10.

### Output terminals

| Terminal | Function     |
|----------|--------------|
| 7 - 8    | 0 Vdc        |
| 9 - 10   | 24 Vdc       |
| 11       | Status (NPN) |
| 12       | Status (PNP) |
| 13       | Brake        |
| 14       | Clutch       |
| 15       | BR/CL        |
| 16 - 17  | 24 Vac       |
| 18       | O/P Error    |

**Please note!** When replacing SRB 3101 in SRB 3102 or MCS02 and continuing to use the old 17-pole terminal strip, the lower terminal (18) must be kept free. To prevent incorrect assembly, terminal (18) is blocked. When using the 18-pole terminal strip, this blocking must be removed.

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### Indicators

| LED             |
|-----------------|
| Start*)         |
| Stop*)          |
| Start inhibit   |
| Stop inhibit    |
| Brake mode      |
| Free mode       |
| Output error**) |
| Brake           |
| Clutch          |

\*) If inputs are set to PNP (negative edge) or NPN (positive edge), LED's lights up when terminals are inactive.

\*\*) Output-Error LED lights up if a short-circuit has been detected at any output terminal.

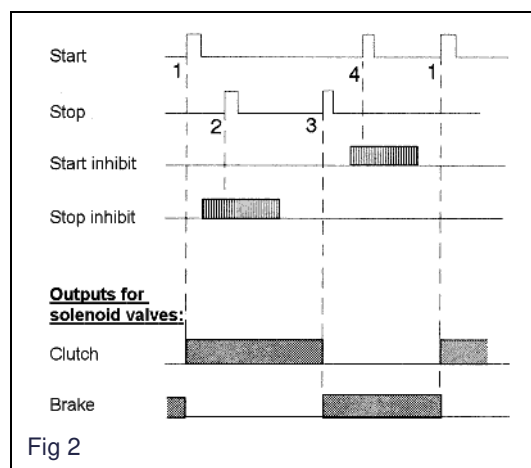
After removing the short circuit, the mains supply must be switched off for at least 15 seconds to be ready for operation again.

### Resistance of the solenoid coils

| Type                   | Resistance [ $\Omega$ ] |
|------------------------|-------------------------|
| RotaStep 06 - 12       | 9.5 - 16                |
| RotaStep 15 and SRA 10 | 8.5 - 12                |
| SRA 15 - 36            | 4.2 - 6                 |

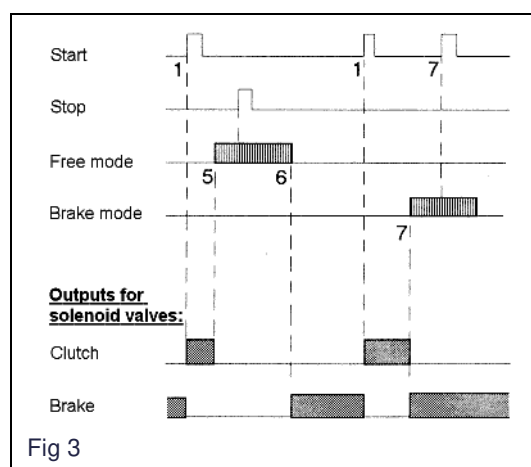
The resistance depends on coil temperature.

### Function description



#### Start inhibit / Stop inhibit

1. A signal at the Start input activates the clutch function and simultaneously opens the brake.
2. When stop inhibit is active, signals supplied at the stop input are ignored.
3. A signal supplied at the stop input turns the brake output on, and the clutch output off.
4. Start signals are ignored as long as start inhibit is active.



#### Free mode / Brake mode

5. Activation of free mode turns both valve driver outputs off. The output shaft of the RotaStep / SRA unit can then rotate freely.
6. When free mode is deactivated, the condition of the valve driver output is determined by the latest activated input mode. In this example, the stop input was activated during the free mode period. Consequently, the brake output is turned on.
7. Activation of brake mode turns on the brake output, and start signals are ignored. Only free mode overrides brake mode.

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### Valve driver output

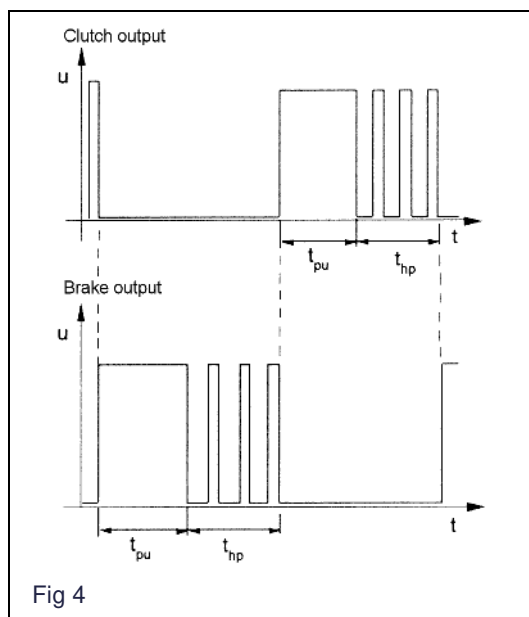


Fig 4

The output voltage for controlling the solenoid valves consists of the overexcitation (in the time range  $t_{pu}$  - 30 V) and the holding voltage (in the time range  $t_{hp}$ ).

The overexcitation ensures short reaction times of the solenoid valves.

The holding voltage (average value approx. 6-8 V) is maintained until the next signal change.

After overexcitation, the output voltage is clocked to limit the current. This also minimises heating and enables a quick shutdown.

The output signals to the two solenoid valves interact as indicated in fig. 4.

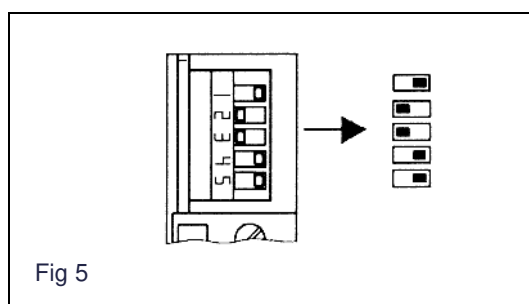


Fig 5

With the frontside DIP switches, the control unit can be prepared for a wide range of input signals, including start and stop from just one signaller.

Start terminal signal source type PNP or NPN is set by DIP 1.

Start terminal edge sensitivity (positive or negative) is set by DIP 2.

Stop terminal signal source type PNP or NPN is set by DIP 3.

Stop terminal edge sensitivity (positive or negative) is set by DIP 4.

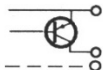
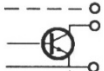
Input terminals 3 to 6 are set to PNP or NPN signal sources by DIP 5.

The setting of DIP switches appears from the below table:

### Warning!

Do not change the setting of DIP switches when power is on.

Changes of the setting can cause un-intended start of the RotaStep / SRA unit.

|                                                                                                          | Signal source          |                  |                                                                                          | PNP                                                                                         |                                                                                             | NPN |  |
|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|------------------------|------------------|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----|--|
| PNP signal source<br> | Setting Start terminal | Edge sensitivity | pos.  |  DIP 1 |  DIP 1 |     |  |
|                                                                                                          |                        |                  | neg.  |  DIP 2 |  DIP 2 |     |  |
| NPN signal source<br> | Setting Stop terminal  | Edge sensitivity | pos.  |  DIP 3 |  DIP 3 |     |  |
|                                                                                                          |                        |                  | neg.  |  DIP 4 |  DIP 4 |     |  |
|                                                                                                          | Setting terminal 3-6   |                  |                                                                                          |  DIP 5 |  DIP 5 |     |  |

**Application example:**

Stop by counter

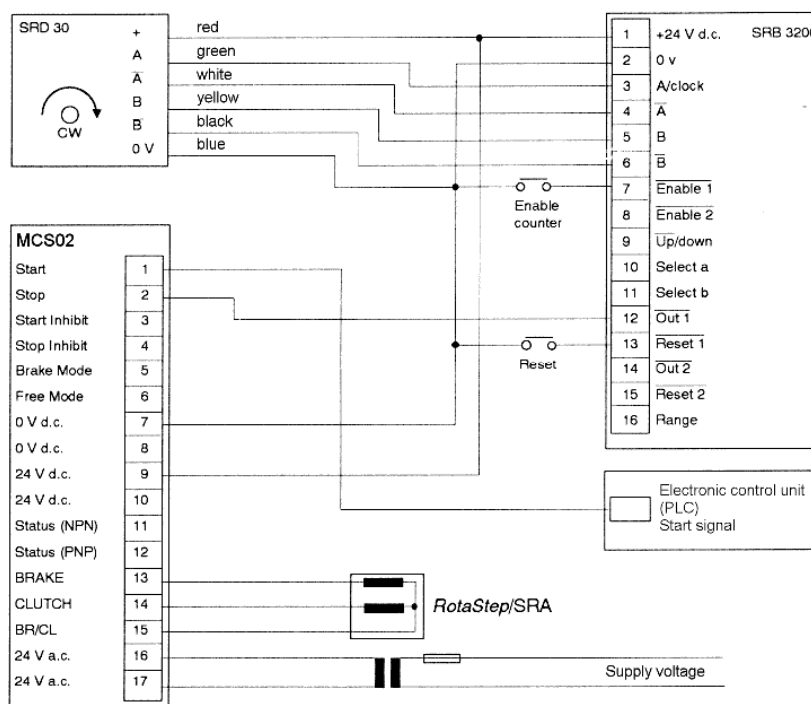


Fig 6 A conveyor is stopped and a process is performed such as cutting, stamping or punching.

**Application example:**

Start by counter

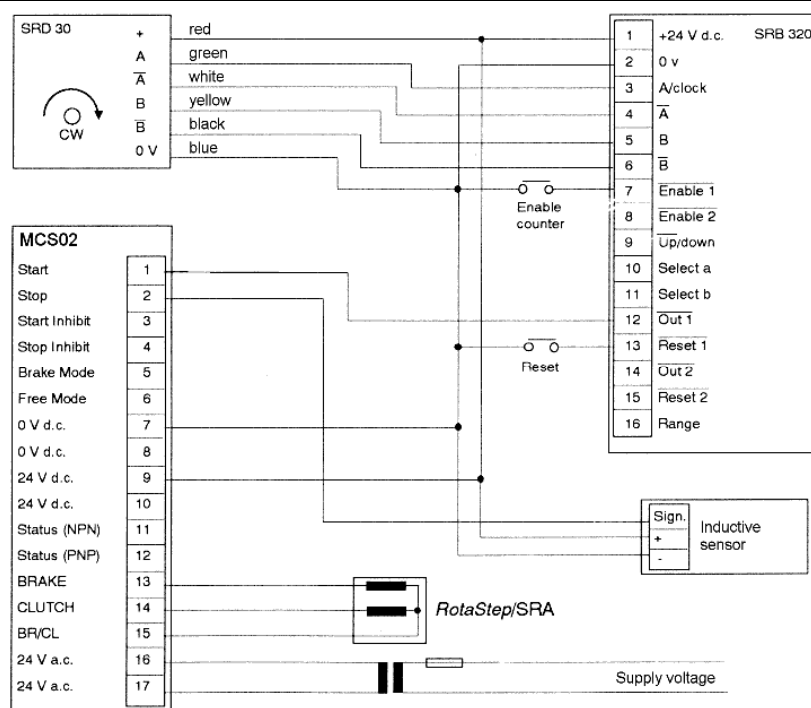


Fig 7 Cut-on-the-fly, where a rotating knife is started after a certain feeding length.

**Application example:**

Stop by mark

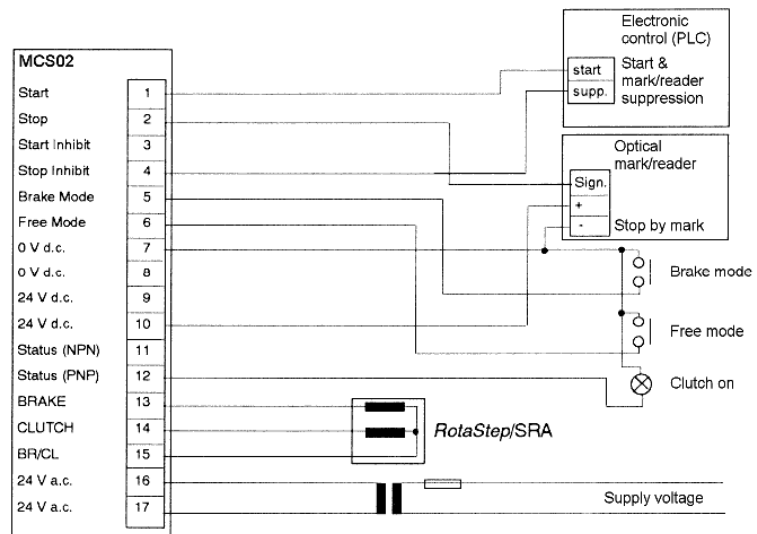


Fig 8 Stop by mark with suppression of markreader. Controlled by external electronic control such as a PLC.

**Measures and  
Assembly**

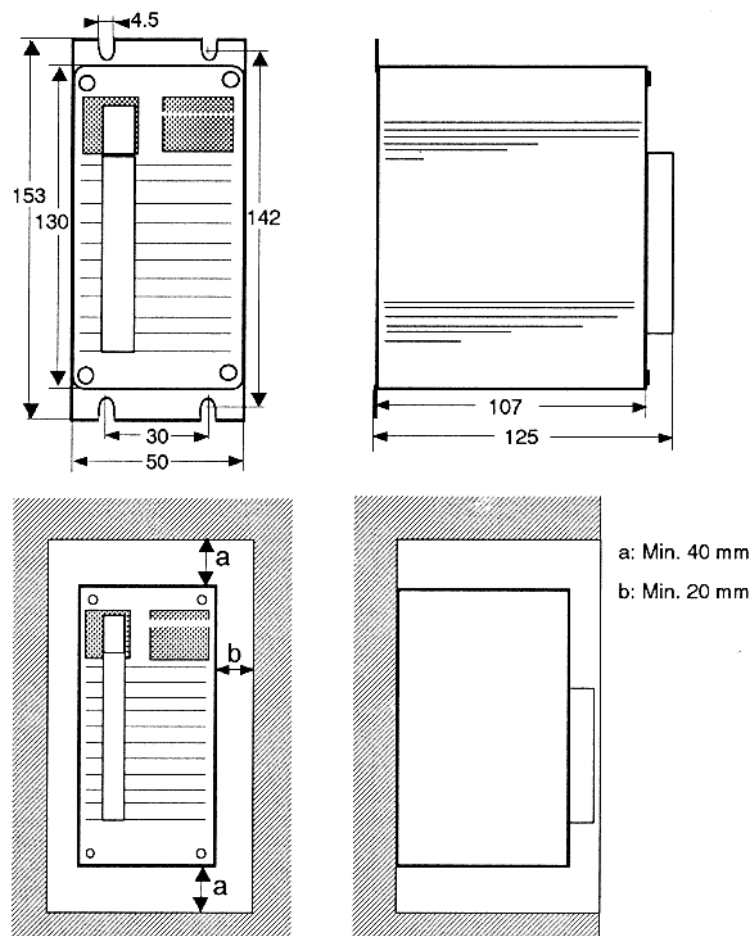
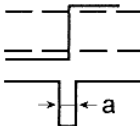
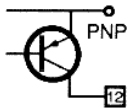
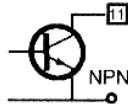


Fig 9

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## Technical data

|                          |                                                                                    |                                                                                                           |                       |
|--------------------------|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------|
| Valve driver output      | Max. Clock frequency                                                               | SRA 10                                                                                                    | max. 30 Hz            |
|                          |                                                                                    | SRA 15 – 36                                                                                               | max. 20 Hz            |
|                          |                                                                                    | RotaStep                                                                                                  | max. 20 Hz            |
|                          | at 40 °C ambient temperature                                                       |                                                                                                           |                       |
|                          | Conductor (cable)                                                                  | Diameter per core: min. 0.5 mm <sup>2</sup><br>Power per core: max. 0.25 W                                |                       |
| Input signals            |  | U <sub>high</sub> > 16 V<br>U <sub>low</sub> < 2 V                                                        | Max. 30 V<br>Min. 0 V |
|                          |                                                                                    | a: Min. 0.7 ms<br>Earth connection to housing                                                             |                       |
| Status signals           |   | U <sub>high</sub> : 2 V<br>V <sub>CC</sub> : 2 V<br>I <sub>max</sub> : 100 mA<br>I <sub>leak</sub> : 1 mA |                       |
|                          |   | U <sub>low</sub> : 2 V<br>I <sub>max</sub> : 100 mA<br>I <sub>leak</sub> : 1 mA                           |                       |
| Voltage output           | 24 Vdc. ±1 V (at nominal supply) - Max. Current load: 300 mA                       |                                                                                                           |                       |
| Voltage supply           | 24 Vac +10 %, -15 %, 50-60 Hz.<br>Upstream transformer max. 75 VA *)               |                                                                                                           |                       |
| Power consumption        | Max. 40 W                                                                          |                                                                                                           |                       |
| Interference suppression | In Accordance with IEC 801 -3 (MIL-STD 462 notice 3)                               |                                                                                                           |                       |
| Transient protection     | In Accordance with SS 436 1503 part 3                                              |                                                                                                           |                       |
| Humidity                 | Storage                                                                            | In Accordance with IEC 68-2-3 Ca                                                                          |                       |
|                          | In operation                                                                       | In Accordance with IEC 68-2-3-30 Db                                                                       |                       |
| Ambient temperature      | Storage                                                                            | -40 – 70 °C                                                                                               |                       |
|                          | In operation                                                                       | 0 – 40 °C                                                                                                 |                       |
|                          |                                                                                    | 0 - 50 °C if 24 Vdc are not required                                                                      |                       |
| Weight / Dimensions      | 0,43 kg / 153x50x125 mm                                                            |                                                                                                           |                       |
| Enclosure                | Anodized aluminium housing, IP20                                                   |                                                                                                           |                       |

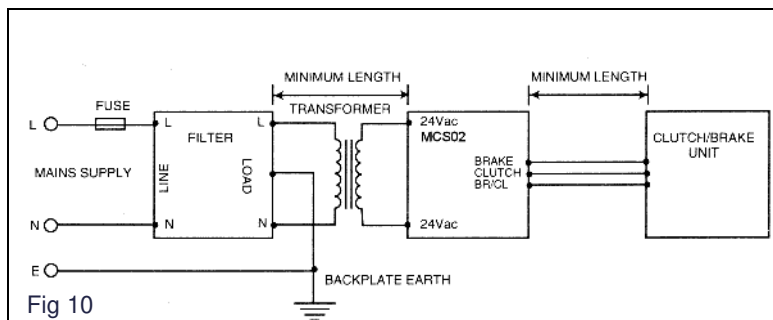
## Transformer

| Clock frequency | Power  | Clock frequency | Power  |
|-----------------|--------|-----------------|--------|
| 1 Hz            | >20 VA | 15 Hz           | >30 VA |
| 5-10 Hz         | >25 VA | 20 Hz           | >35 VA |

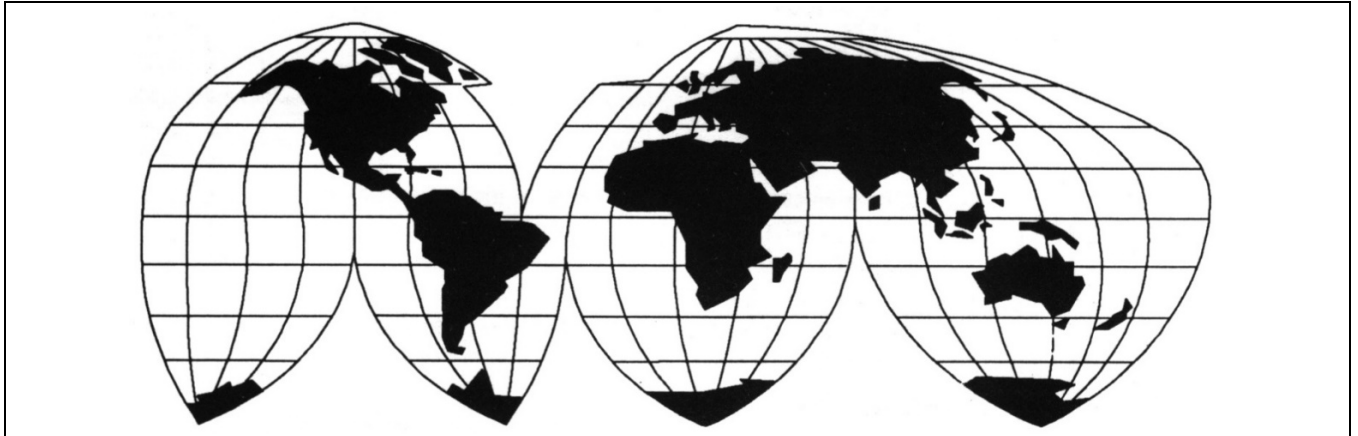
## EMC Filter Installation Instructions

In order to meet the EEC Directive for EMC, the equipment should be installed as shown using the recommended filter.

1. Mains and output cables should not be run together.
2. Control cables should be separated from output cables.
3. Control cables should be screened.
4. MCS02 Driver Case should be earthed.



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