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MOTION CONTROL MADE SIMPLE

SMHUB

Complete Control Box Product Information



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Simplex Motion is a motion control company based in Gothenburg, Sweden. We specialize in integrated servo motors using our patented positioning technology. To ease the use of the integrated motor units we have developed a central unit with a power supply and means for connecting the motors to the equipment that will control them.

SMHub allows for easy setup of CNC applications using the Mach3 or LinuxCNC softwares by including a parallel port breakout board, a switchable mains outlet, charge-pump input for enabling, 0-10V for spindle speed control and customization features like internal screw terminals and an extra front panel connector.

For more general applications there is a USB to RS485 converter included to provide easy connection to a PC computer with the USB interface while controlling the motors in a robust RS485 network with the Modbus protocol.

The SMHub manages up to 4 axis with one unit. For multiple axis management of more than 4 axis, two SMHubs can be connected to individual parallel ports for Mach3 control (CNC applications) or via USB (for custom PC control).



Specifications

- 24V/350W power supply.
- 230VAC mains socket connector on rear panel for on/off control.
- 4 motor connectors on front panel.
- 1 extra connector for application specific use.
- Button and indicators on front panel.
- USB to RS485 converter built in for USB control of motors in a RS485 network.
- RS485 connector for direct control by RS485 connection.
- Parallel port for CNC applications.
- Charge pump circuit for security in CNC applications.
- 2 relays for general purpose on/off control.
- A PWM to 0-10V analog converter.

Technical Data

Electrical specifications		
Supply voltage		230VAC, mains / max 4A
Output voltage		24 VDC, max 15A
Grounding		24 VDC ground is connected to protective earth
Relays		250VAC/5A
Mechanical specifications		
Dimensions	Enclosure body (LxWxH)	290 x 137 x 71 mm
	Overall dimension	310 x 137 x 76 mm
Weight		1930 g