

Machine Control Solutions

Components for Machine Builders: Industrial PCs | Remote I/O | Ethernet Switch | Drives | Motors





The Control Techniques Machine Control Solution

Control Techniques offer AC brushless servo motors to match manufacturing automation application needs.

Digital Printing

Control Techniques' Industrial PC Machine Controller can control all aspects of your machine.

> Control Techniques' I/O provides a real-time connection between Control Techniques' controllers and the machine's sensors and actuators.



Machine Controllers: MCz200 & MCz600 Industrial PCs

Our Industrial PC (IPC) Machine Controllers are general purpose computers that can manage any industrial process, as well as a variety of wider tasks within your factory or business such as big data analysis. Our IPCs run on the Windows® operating system and are fully compatible with third party software, but have been optimized to work with other Control Techniques products as a complete solution. The result is increased throughput for all types of machines.

The MCz600 and MCz200 Industrial PC Machine Controllers have been designed for fast and easy commissioning because there is increased pressure on machine builders to develop new and more flexible products quickly. They have a robust, flexible and reliable design that allows for streamlined development and easy integration for components within the application.

Benefits:

Fast machine development due to integration of logic, motion and visualization

The Control Techniques solution provides an environment for programming controllers in all key programming languages with seamless support for the generation of visualizations.

Ease-of-use due to open standards

The use of open standards such as IEC61131-3 and PLCOpen provides ease-of-use. These standards are supported by the majority of automation vendors, and most automation engineers are trained in their use. High Axis count drive synchronization can be accomplished for 5 or more axes using EtherCAT communications.

Maximum choice for component integration due to PC based architecture

PC based architecture, including the Windows[®] operating system, allows for the easy integration of third party components. This provides machine builders flexibility in choosing components for all applications.

Simple application integration due to standard onboard interfaces

Standard onboard interfaces including four Ethernet ports and up to four USB ports, mean that the Industrial PC Machine Controller can be easily integrated with any application or machine. Ports can be individually configured as a master for EtherCAT, EtherNet/IP or Modbus TCP devices.

Robustness due to rugged design

The Industrial PC Machine Controller does not contain rotating fans or internal cabling and is designed to operate in elevated temperatures. This increases reliability and reduces the need for maintenance, even in dusty environments.



Specifications:

MCz600

- 4th generation Intel[®] Core™ i7 processor at 1.7 GHz with 4 GB DDR3L memory
- 64 GB solid state hard drive
- 2 MB NVRAM
- 4 x 10/100/1000 base-T RJ-45 ports
- 4 x USB ports (2 x USB 2.0, 2 x USB 3.0 compliant)
- 1 x VGA, 1 x HDMI
- 2 x RS-232, 2 x RS-422/485
- Audio line-in/line-out
- Windows embedded standard 7
- Compact, fanless design
- Power requirement 24 V DC ± 20%
- Operating temperature -4 °F to 140 °F (- 20 ~ 60 °C)
- IP40 ingress protection

MCz200

- Intel[®] Atom E3845 1.91 GHz processor with 4 GB DDR3L memory
- 64 GB solid state hard drive
- 2 MB NVRAM
- 3 x 10/100/1000 base-T RJ-45 ports
- 3 x USB ports (2 x USB 2.0, 1 x USB 3.0 compliant)
- Isolated DIO 4-ch digital input, 4-ch digital output
- 1 x VGA, 1 x HDMI
- 1 x RS-232, 1 x RS-422/485
- Audio line-out
- Windows embedded standard 7
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Machine Controllers: MCi200, MCi210 and SI-APPS-COMPACT



Second processor for PLC programs and multi-axis control

The MCi machine control modules add a powerful processor to Unidrive M700 AC/Servo drives that can execute comprehensive application programs to extend system and machine control capability. As a result of the highly flexible plug-in option module format, system design is streamlined by removing the need for PLCs and other external components. Programs are fast and easy to develop thanks to the userfriendly Machine Control Studio software which uses industry standard IEC 61131-3 programming languages to build highly flexible and productive systems.

MCi programs can access and manage Unidrive M's embedded Advanced Motion Controller across a wide range of networks to provide perfectly synchronized multi-axis machine performance and throughput.

Save costs and streamline machine design

- MCi modules eliminate the need for external PLCs and motion controllers
- Plug-in option modules powered from the drive's internal power supply mean less wiring and less physical space is required
- Simple integration with external components such as I/O, HMIs and other networked drives can be achieved using Unidrive M's integrated standard Ethernet ports (EtherNet/IP, Modbus TCP) or fieldbuses supported by SI option modules (EtherCAT, PROFINET RT, PROFIBUS DP, CANopen)
- MCi210 has two additional Ethernet ports with an internal switch
- SI-APPS-COMPACT provides an easy migration solution for customers with legacy Control Techniques machine control solutions using CTSync and/or CTNet within the SyPTPro software environment

Segregated network control



Build high performance systems and productive machines

- MCi modules execute comprehensive programs that can control multiple drives and motors simultaneously across real-time networks
- M700's onboard Ethernet using RTMoE (Real Time Motion over Ethernet) provides synchronization and communication between drives using the Precision Time Protocol (PTP) as defined by IEEE 1588v2
- MCi provides RTMoE master control for synchronized coordinated motion to 4 additional axes (up to 5 total synchronized axis machines in a single module)
- Performance is optimized by having a motion controller embedded in each networked drive

- MCi210 ensures higher performance by delivering:
 - Two additional Ethernet ports with an internal switch
 - Support for standard Ethernet protocols, along with RTMoE for PTP synchronization
 - Modbus TCP/IP master
 - Parallel interface with drive processor provides faster data exchange
 - Machine control over two segregated Ethernet networks enables greater flexibility in machine design
 - Extends connectivity with 3 x digital inputs, 1 x digital output and 1 x digital I/O

Remote I/O: I/O 201-BC I/O 202-BC

Control Techniques' I/O offering is a digital machine control network that has been designed to work with other Control Techniques' products as a complete solution. The Control Techniques I/O provides a seamless real-time connection between Control Techniques' machine controllers and the peripheral sensors and actuators.





Benefits:

- Design simplicity for easy set-up and operation
 - Field power connection only on the first module
 - Simple DIN rail plugging/unplugging mechanism
 - Configuration via Machine Control Studio
- Rugged design for longevity
 - Simple to wire
 - Robust wiring
- Compact design for limited space applications

Specification:

- Convenient, modular I/O for industrial networks
- Guaranteed interoperability with no network programming
- Full range of digital and analog slices available
- Mounts on standard 35 mm DIN rails
- Compatible with Modbus TCP/IP, EtherCAT
- Ethernet network for motion and I/O
- Use a single programming environment for I/O and motion application development
- CE, UL approved
- Temperature range -4 °F to 140 °F (- 20 ~ 60 °C)
- IP20





Ethernet Switch: SW100-5

Control Techniques Ethernet switch means there is no need for additional components to support different networks because one switch supports multiple industrial Ethernet protocols. The switch has been designed to integrate with other Control Techniques' products in order to deliver maximum throughput for machine builders.

Benefits:

Management of different industrial Ethernet protocols

One single switch supports multiple industrial Ethernet protocols like PROFINET, Modbus TCP/IP, EtherNet/IP, and IEEE1588v2.

Versatile network topologies and redundant power supply connections

Ensures high flexibility and reliability of machines and plants.

Enhanced security

Prevents unauthorized access to critical areas of control system networks. Managed Ethernet switches using VLANs split the industrial network into several subnets.

Increased network performance

Achieved with intelligent data transmission management that splits the network into different VLANs:

- Reduced network path
- Delivering messages only where required to reduce network load
- Lowest latency message handling, configurable priority handling
- High precision time synchronization supporting protocols such as IEEE 1588v2
- Reduced broadcast load using VLAN segregation

Fast installation and commissioning time

Through network discoverable Unidrive M protocol which allows setup via a web page interface and plug 'n' play configuration tools.



Rapid maintenance, debugging and troubleshooting

of an industrial automation network:

Each managed Ethernet switch can be monitored by the industrial network, allowing master controllers to identify problems with machine critical infrastructure.

Specification:

- 5 Ethernet ports
- 24 V power supply
- DHCP for IP address assignment
- Support EtherNet/IP, PROFINET, Modbus TCP/IP and IEEE 1588v2 protocols for device management and monitoring
- EtherNet/IP EDS file available
- PROFINET RT GSDML file available





AC and Servo Drives and Motors

Control Techniques offer a wide range of drive and motor solutions designed specifically to meet the needs of industrial customers.

AC and servo drives for industrial applications



Unidrive M offers defined feature-sets to optimize productivity across a multitude of automation applications. Includes industry standard Ethernet IEEE 1588v2 communications, IEC 61131-3 motion and automation programming and high speed I/O.

0.33 - 4200 HP (0.25 kW - 2.8 MW)

100 V, 200 V, 400 V, 575 V, 690 V

Motors for manufacturing automation



Dyneo® series

- Premium efficiency Permanent Magnet synchronous motors
- IP55 & IP23, IE3 & IE4
- 1.0 750 HP (0.75 550 kW)
- 375 5500 RPM



ACCU-Torq® series

- 5000:1 constant torque individual motors
- TENV, TEFC and TEBC
- 0.25 300 HP (0.2 260 kW)
- 1200 1800 RPM



Servo motors for manufacturing automation



Unimotor hd series

- 230 & 460 V compact low inertia servo motors for high dynamic applications
- Frame sizes 55, 67, 89, 115, 142, & 190 mm (IEC mounting)
- 6.4 752 lb-in (0.72 85 Nm)
- 3x peak torque
- IP65 rating, UL, CE compliant



Unimotor fm series

- 230 & 460 V flexible high performance brushless servo motors
- Frame sizes 75, 95, 115, 142, 190 and 250 mm (IEC mounting)
- 10.6 1203 lb-in (1.2 136 Nm)
- IP65 rating, UL and CE compliant

NT series

- 230 V compact NEMA or metric flange servo motors
- Frame sizes in English (NEMA 23 or 34) or Metric (IEC-72-1)
- Continuous torque ranges from 7.5 56 lb-in (0.84 6.33 Nm)
- IP65 rating, UL compliant

XV series

- 230 V economical metric motors
- Metric frame sizes 40, 60, 80 & 130 mm
- 0.9 101 lb-in (0.11 11.5 Nm)
- IP55 & IP65 rating, UL and CE compliant



Software Solutions

Machine Control Studio

Machine Control Studio provides a flexible and intuitive environment for programming. The software provides programming for:

- Unidrive M200-M700's onboard PLC
- M700 fitted with MCi200 or MCi210 integrated machine control modules
- MCz200 and MCz600 Industrial PC machine controllers
- Ethernet network data configurations

IEC 61131-3 motion and automation programming

The programming software is fully IEC 61131-3 compliant to provide a familiar integrated development environment for control engineers around the world.

The following IEC 61131-3 programming languages are supported:

- Structured Text (ST)
- Function Block Diagram (FBD)
- Structured Function Chart (SFC)
- Ladder Diagram (LD)
- Instruction List (IL)
- Additionally, Continuous Function Chart (CFC) is supported





Connect Commissioning Tool

The Connect tool is for commissioning, optimizing and monitoring drive performance. Its development draws from extensive user research, using human centered design principles to provide the ultimate user experience:

- Task-based operations are simplified with intuitive graphical tools in a familiar Windows environment
- Dynamic logic diagrams and enhanced searchable listings
- Drive and motor performance can be optimized with minimal specialized knowledge
- Tool is scalable to match application requirements
- Supports the import of legacy Unidrive SP parameter files and allows full drive cloning (i.e. parameter sets and application programs)
- Matching Unidrive M to Control Techniques' motors can be achieved quickly and easily using the Unidrive M motor database
- Multiple communications channels for a more complete overview of the system
- Drive discovery gives the ability to find drives on a network automatically without the user having to specify their addresses



Engineering Solutions

Control Techniques' solutions group offers comprehensive automation solutions with full engineering services. Projects can vary from individual machines to comprehensive factory automation solutions. Dedicated local teams offer:

- Industry-specific solutions optimized for maximum reliability and productivity
- Expert engineers who can design innovative, energy saving solutions
- Comprehensive software development
- Continuous maintenance to ensure trouble-free operation
- Flexibility for future expansion

Adding value to your business

Comprehensive maintenance and service packages lead to long term partnerships, ensuring value is continuously added to customers' businesses:

- · Management of future equipment or machine retrofitting
- Upgrades to hardware/software as technology advances
- On-site software development for fine-tuning automation
- Provision of add-on functionality as your needs expand
- Support for staff training needs
- Regional knowledge allows collaboration with local supply chains and easy adherence to local industry standards



Control Techniques Solving your Challenges

An enhanced global presence that benefits all our customers

Through our integrated Drives & Motors organization, we have an extensive global presence that provides comprehensive local support and services. This includes:







40+ Automation Centers

Providing excellent customer support for any product, automation solutions or service requirements

23 Manufacturing sites

Producing a comprehensive range of high quality products, optimized for industryspecific customer requirements

8 Engineering and Design facilities

Develops market leading products and feature-sets using the latest design technology



3 Regional dispatch hubs

For quick delivery of product

Our extensive sales and service networks in Europe, Asia Pacific and the Americas are backed-up by hundreds of carefully selected distributors and service partners, often in remote locations, all over the world.



Case study: Drives and MCz200 IPC help Dominion Power save \$38,000 per year in labor costs

Control Techniques MCz200 IPC has been selected by Dominion Power for use at its Possum Point power station on the Potomac River in the USA. Possum Point is a 650 acre site with four generating units. Dominion is one of the US's largest producers and transporters of energy with a portfolio of approximately 24,300 megawatts of generation.

The challenge:

Possum Point needed to replace a 40 year old control system that controlled 22 cooling tower fans across two towers. The existing system was over 40 years' old. A major issue was the need for manual fan blade pitch changes due to seasonal changes in air density which consumed about 480 man hours per year, as well as associated infrastructure costs such as cranes.

The solution:

A Control Techniques MCz200 IPC paired with the Unidrive M700 was selected to control induction motors for 22 cooling tower fans.

The benefits:

In a standard fan motor, the variables are fan blade pitch and air density with a fixed maximum horse power at a fixed speed. In contrast, the variables in a drive-controlled fan motor are speed and air density with a fixed maximum horse power at a fixed fan blade pitch. It therefore costs nothing in man hours to adjust speed, as this is done by the drive. The labor saving is estimated at \$38,000/yr.

A further saving occurred because the previous system did not offer brake control. This meant fan direction had to be changed manually. If a fan was still rotating before changing direction it could place strain on the drive shaft and gearboxes, creating maintenance issues. Under the control of the MCz200 IPC and Unidrive M700, the fans are now guaranteed to come to a stop before changing direction.

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