

**LGC400** 

1Q SCR Chassis Adjustable Speed Drive for PMDC or Field Wound Brushed Motors

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# **Specifications**

Model	Line Voltage (VAC)	Armature Voltage Range (VDC)	Continuous Armature Current (Amps)	Horsepower Range
LGC400-1.5	115 230	0 - 90 0 - 180	1.5	1/20 - 1/8 1/10 - 1/4
LGC400-10	115 230	0 - 90 0 - 180	10.0*	1/8 - 1 1/4 - 2

\* Heat sink kit HSK- 0001 must be used when the continuous output current is over 5 amps.

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AC Line Voltage	
Form Factor	
Field Voltage with 115 VAC line voltage	50 or 100 VDC
with 230 VAC line voltage	100 or 200 VDC
Maximum Field Current	1 Amp
Acceleration Time Range for 90 VDC armature	
for 180 VDC armature	voltage
Deceleration Time Range for 90 VDC armature	
	voltagecoast to stop - 25 seconds
Analog Input Range (Signal must be isolated; S:	
with 115 VAC line voltage	0 - 1.4 VDC
	0 - 2.8 VDC
Input Impedance (S1 to S2)	
Load Regulation	1% base speed or better
Speed Range	
Vibration (0 - 50 Hz)	
	0.1G maximum
Ambient Temperature Range	
Weight	
Safety Certifications	
	UL/cUL Overload Protection
	CSA Certified Component, file # LR41380

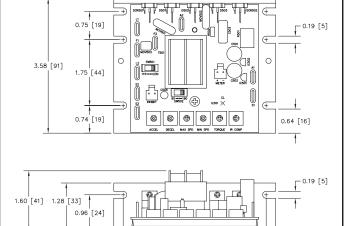
Drive Model	Short Circuit 0	urrent Rating	Types of Branch Circuit Protection		Maximum Rating of Overcurrent Protection
Drive Moder	Maximum Current, A	Maximum Voltage, V			
LGD400-10	10,000	240 V	Non-time Delay K5 Fuse	Inverse Time Circuit Breaker	30 A

## Safety Warnings

#### READ ALL SAFETY WARNINGS BEFORE INSTALLING THIS EQUIPMENT

- DO NOT INSTALL, REMOVE, OR REWIRE THIS EQUIPMENT WITH POWER APPLIED. Have a
  qualified electrical technician install, adjust and service this equipment. Follow the National
  Electrical Code and all other applicable electrical and safety codes, including the provisions of the
  Occupational Safety and Health Act (OSHA), when installing equipment.
- Circuit potentials are at 115 or 230 VAC above earth ground. Avoid direct contact with the printed
  circuit board or with circuit elements to prevent the risk of serious injury or fatality. Use a nonmetallic screwdriver for adjusting the calibration trim pots. Use approved personal protection
  equipment and insulated tools if working on this drive with power applied.
- Reduce the chance of an electrical fire, shock, or explosion by using proper grounding techniques, over-current protection, thermal protection, and enclosure. Follow sound maintenance procedures.
- ACE strongly recommends the installation of a master power switch in the line voltage input. The switch contacts should be rated for 250 VAC and 200% of motor nameplate current.
- Removing AC line power is the only acceptable method for emergency stopping. Do not use
  dynamic braking, decelerating to minimum speed, or coasting to a stop for emergency stopping.
  They may not stop a drive that is malfunctioning. Removing AC line power is the only acceptable
  method for emergency stopping.
- Line starting and stopping (applying and removing AC line voltage) is recommended for infrequent starting and stopping of a drive only. Dynamic braking, decelerating to minimum speed, or coasting to a stop is recommended for frequent starts and stops. Frequent starting and stopping can produce high torque. This may cause damage to motors.
- Do not disconnect any of the motor leads from the drive unless power is removed or the drive is disabled. Opening any one lead while the drive is running may destroy the drive.
- The field output is for shunt wound motors only. Do not make any connections to F1 and F2 when using a permanent magnet motor.
- Change voltage switch settings only when the drive is disconnected from AC line voltage. Make sure
  both switches are set to their correct position. If the switches are improperly set to a lower voltage
  position, the motor will not run at full voltage and may cause damage to the transformer. If the
  switches are improperly set to a higher voltage, the motor will overspeed, which may cause motor
  damage, or result in bodily injury or loss of life.
- · Under no circumstances should power and logic level wires be bundled together.
- Be sure potentiometer tabs do no make contact with the potentiometer's body. Grounding the input will cause damage to the drive.
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- This product does not have internal solid state motor overload protection. It does not contain speed sensitive overload protection, thermal memory retention, or provisions to receive and act upon signals from remote devices for over temperature protection. If motor protection is needed in the end-use product, it needs to be provided by additional equipment in accordance with NEC standards

# **Dimensions**



ALL DIMENSIONS IN INCHES [MILLIMETERS]

4.30 [109]

## Installation

## Mounting

- Drive components are sensitive to electrostatic discharge. Avoid direct contact with the circuit board. Hold the drive by the chassis or heat sink only.
- · Protect the drive from dirt, moisture, and accidental contact.
- · Provide sufficient room for access to the terminals and calibration trim pots.
- Mount the drive away from heat sources. Operate the drive within the specified ambient operating temperature range.
- · Prevent loose connections by avoiding excessive vibration of the drive.
- Mount the drive with its board in either a horizontal or vertical plane. Eight 0.19" (5 mm) wide slots
  in the chassis accept #8 pan head screws. Fasten either the large base or the narrow flange of the
  chassis to the subplate.
- The chassis should be earth grounded. Use a star washer beneath the head of at least one of the mounting screws to penetrate the anodized chassis surface and to reach bare metal.

## **Heat Sinking**

The LGC400-10 requires an additional heat sink when the continuous armature current is above 5 amps. Use heat sink kit part number HSK-0001. Use a thermally conductive heat sink compound (such as Dow Corning 340\* Heat Sink Compound) between the chassis and the heat sink surface for optimal heat transfer.

## Wiring

Use 18 - 24 AWG wire for logic wiring. Use 14 - 16 AWG wire for AC line and motor wiring.

#### **Shielding Guideline**

As a general rule, it is recommended to shield all conductors. If it is not practical to shield power conductors, it is recommended to shield all logic-level leads. If shielding of logic-level leads is not practical, the user should twist all logic leads with themselves to minimize induced noise. It may be necessary to earth ground the shielded cable. If noise is produced by devices other than the drive, ground the shield at the drive end. If noise is generated by the drive, ground the shield at the end away from the drive. Do not ground both ends of the shield.

#### Fusing

The drives require an external line fuse for protection. Use fast acting fuses rated for 250 VAC or higher and 150% of the maximum armature current. Fuse the HOT leg of the AC line when using 115 VAC and both lines when using 230 VAC.

### **POWER**

Connections

# Connect the AC line power leads to terminals L1 and L2. ACE recommends the use of a double-pole, single-throw master power switch. The switch should be rated at a minimum of 250 VAC and 200% of motor current.

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Connect the DC armature leads to terminals A1 and A2. If the motor does not spin in the desired direction power down the drive and reverse these connections.

#### Field

At 115 VAC, connect the field leads to terminals F1 and L1 for a 50 VDC field or to F1 and F2 for a 100 VDC field. At 230 VAC, connect the field leads to terminals F1 and L1 for a 100 VDC field or to F1 and F2 for a 200 VDC field. Do not make any connections to F1 and F2 if using a permanent magnet motor.

#### LOGIC

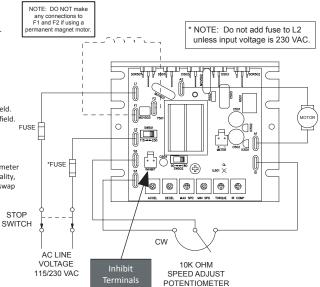
#### **Speed Potentiometer**

Use a 10K ohm, 1/4 W potentiometer for speed control. Connect the counter-clockwise end of the potentiometer to S1, the wiper to S2, and the clockwise end to S3. If the potentiometer works inversely of desired functionality, (i.e. to increase motor speed, you must turn the potentiometer counterclockwise), power off the drive and swap the S1 and S3 connections.

#### Inhib

Short the INHIBIT terminals to coast the motor to minimum speed. Open the INHIBIT terminals to accelerate the motor to set speed. Twist inhibit wires and seperate them from power-carrying wires or sources of electrical noise. Use shielded cable if the inhibit wires are longer than 18 inches (46 cm). If shielded cable is used, ground only one end of the shield to earth ground. Do not ground both ends of the shield. Do not use the inhibit for emergency stopping.

ACE offers two accessory plug harnesses for connecting to the inhibit terminals; part number KTW-0001 [18 in (46 cm) leads] and part number KTW-0002 [36 in (91 cm) leads].



# Startup Operation

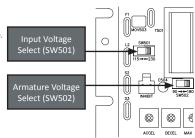
## SELECT SWITCHES

#### Input Voltage Select (SW501)

Set the voltage switch SW501 to either 115V or 230V to match the AC line voltage.

#### Armature Voltage Select (SW502)

Set the voltage switch SW502 to either 90V or 180V to match the maximum armature voltage.

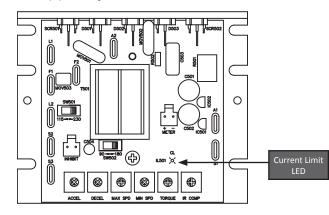


#### STARTUP

- Verify that no foreign conductive material is present on the printed circuit board.
- Ensure that all switches are properly set.
- 1. Turn the speed adjust potentiometer full counterclockwise (CCW).
- 2. Apply AC line voltage.
- 3. Slowly advance the speed adjust potentiometer clockwise (CW). The motor slowly accelerates as the potentiometer is turned CW. Continue until the desired speed is reached.
- 4. Remove AC line voltage from the drive to coast the motor to a stop.

# LEDs

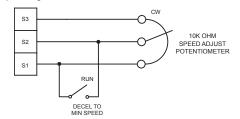
Current Limit (CL): Red LED lights whenever the drive reaches current limit.



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#### DECELERATING & STOPPING

The switch shown below may be used to decelerate a motor to a minimum speed. Closing the switch between \$1 and \$2 decelerates the motor from set speed to a minimum speed determined by the MIN SPD trim pot setting. If the MIN SPD trim pot is set full CCW, the motor decelerates to zero speed when the switch between \$1 and \$2 is closed. The DECEL trim pot setting determines the rate at which the drive decelerates. By opening the switch, the motor accelerates to set speed at a rate determined by the ACCEL trim pot setting.



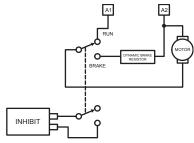
#### Decelerate to Minimum Speed (Coast)

**Decelerate to Minimum Speed** 

See INHIBIT in the CONNECTIONS section on page 1 for a description of wiring and connection locations

#### Decelerate to Zero Speed (Dynamic Brake)

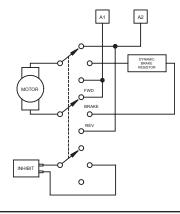
Dynamic braking may be used to rapidly stop a motor. The MIN SPD trim pot must be set for zero speed For the RUN/BRAKE switch, use a two pole, two position switch rated for at least the armature voltage rating and 150% of the armature current rating. For the dynamic brake resistor, use a 40 wat minimum, high power, wirewound resistor. Sizing the dynamic brake resistor depends on load inertia, motor voltage, and braking time. Use a lower-value, higher-wattage dynamic brake resistor to stop a motor more rapidly. Recommended values are 15 ohms for a 90 VDC motor and 30 ohms for 180 VDC motor.



#### REVERSING

#### Reversing with a Dynamic Brake

A dynamic brake may be used when reversing the motor direction. The MIN SPD trim pot must be set for zero speed. Use a three pole, three position switch rated for at least the armature voltage rating and 150% of the armature current rating. For the dynamic brake resistor, use a 40 watt minimum, high power, wirewound resistor. Sizing the dynamic brake resistor depends on load inertia, motor voltage, and braking time. Use a lower-value, higher-wattage dynamic brake resistor to stop a motor more rapidly. Recommended values are 15 ohms for a 90 VDC motor and 30 ohms for 180 VDC motor. The motor must come to a complete stop before changing directions.



Minimum Speed (MIN SPD): The MIN SPD setting determines the minimum motor speed when the speed adjust potentiometer is set for minimum speed. It is factory set for zero speed. To calibrate the MIN SPD:

Calibration

- 1. Set the MIN SPD trim pot full CCW.
- 2. Set the speed adjust potentiometer for minimum speed.
- 3. Adjust the MIN SPD trim pot until the desired minimum speed is reached or is just at the threshold of rotation.

Maximum Speed (MAX SPD): The MAX SPD setting determines the maximum motor speed when the speed adjust potentiometer is set for maximum speed. To calibrate the MAX SPD:

- 1. Set the MAX SPD trim pot full CCW.
- 2. Set the speed adjust potentiometer for maximum speed.
- 3. Adjust the MAX SPD trim pot until the desired maximum speed is reached.

Check the MIN SPD and MAX SPD adjustments after recalibrating to verify that the motor runs at the desired minimum and maximum speed.

**Torque (TORQUE):** The TORQUE setting determines the maximum torque for accelerating and driving the motor. To calibrate the TORQUE:

- With the power disconnected from the drive, connect a DC ammeter in series with the armature.
- 2. Set the TORQUE trim pot to minimum (full CCW).
- 3. Set the speed adjust potentiometer to maximum speed (full CW).
- 4. Carefully lock the motor armature. Be sure that the motor is firmly mounted.
- 5. Apply line power. The motor should be stopped.
- Slowly adjust the TORQUE trim pot CW until the armature current is 150% of motor rated armature current. Continuous operation beyond this rating may damage the motor.
- 7. Turn the speed adjust potentiometer CCW.
- Remove line power.
- 9. Remove the stall from the motor.
- 10. Remove the ammeter in series with the motor armature if it is no longer needed.

**IR Compensation (IR COMP):** The IR COMP setting determines the degree to which motor speed is held constant as the motor load changes. To calibrate the IR COMP:

- 1. Set the IR COMP trim pot full CCW.
- Increase the speed adjust potentiometer until the motor runs at midspeed without load. A handheld tachometer may be used to measure motor speed.
- 3. Load the motor armature to its full load armature current rating. The motor should slow down.
- 4. While keeping the load on the motor, rotate the IR COMP trim pot until the motor runs at the speed measured in step 2. If the motor oscillates (overcompensation), the IR COMP trim pot may be set too high (CW). Turn the IR COMP trim pot CCW to stabilize the motor.
- 5. Unload the motor.

Acceleration (ACCEL): The ACCEL setting determines the time the motor takes to ramp to a higher speed. ACCEL is factory set for the shortest acceleration time (full CCW). To calibrate the ACCEL:

- 1. Set the speed adjust potentiometer for minimum speed.
- Set the speed adjust potentiometer for maximum speed. Measure the time is takes the motor to go from minimum speed to maximum speed.
- 3. If the time measured in step 2 is not the desired acceleration time, turn the ACCEL trim pot CW for a longer acceleration time, or CCW for a shorter acceleration time. Repeat steps 1 through 3 until the acceleration time is correct.

**Deceleration (DECEL):** The DECEL setting determines the time the motor takes to ramp to a lower speed. DECEL is factory set for the shortest deceleration time (full CCW). To calibrate the DECEL:

- 1. Set the speed adjust potentiometer for maximum speed.
- Set the speed adjust potentiometer for minimum speed. Measure the time is takes the motor to go from maximum speed to minimum speed.
- 3. If the time measured in step 2 is not the desired deceleration time, turn the DECEL trim pot CW for a longer deceleration time, or CCW for a shorter deceleration time. Repeat steps 1 through 3 until the deceleration time is correct.