MOTOR CONTROL TECHNOLOGY PRODUCT CATALOGUE

# THREE PHASE DRIVES: PL/X & JL/X RANGE









Sprint Electric, based in England, was formed in 1987 to design and manufacture industrial motor drives. It has specialised in DC drive technology and has been successful in penetrating global markets. This success has been achieved using well trained distributors and direct sales, offering rapid delivery and prompt technical support. Outlets have been established in a wide spread of overseas markets, creating a loyal and varied customer base.

In 2009 Sprint Electric was very proud to become one of an elite group of companies to win a Queen's Award for Enterprise, the most prestigious business award in the UK. The award was made for continuous achievement in International Trade. Winning this award puts Sprint Electric among the most successful of UK businesses.

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# DC Motor Control Technology:

Increase your productivity, save energy and reduce downtime.

With an extensive range of DC motor control products, you will find an answer to your industrial automation questions.

#### Your Industry - Our Experience.

We've used our renowned industrial automation experience to design a range of DC motor controllers which provide you with solutions to the most demanding motor control applications.

It's now easier than ever to design new DC motor control systems or improve the performance of an existing application by retrofitting with the latest DC technology.

### Save with Compact Designs and Ex-Stock Delivery.

You can save cabinet space in new control systems, or easily upgrade an existing DC motor application. Compact design comes as standard.

Reduce your downtime by relying on our ex-stock delivery. With a global network of partners and all products built for stock, you can quickly get your business moving again.

#### Single Phase products

We also manufacture single phase DC motor controllers. Please see our single phase catalogue for details. Available at www.sprint-electric.com.

#### Slip Ring Motor Drives

We also manufacture the JLX range of digital slip ring motor drives, see www.sprint-electric.com

# Take control of the most demanding motor control applications.

The PL and PLX DC drives give a fast controlled response over the full speed range.

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# The PL/X range



5 - 50kw 12 - 123amps



65 - 145kw 155 - 330amps

The 4Q PLX can motor and brake in forward and reverse and regenerate energy into the mains supply when braking.

All models include 40 character alpha-numeric back-lit display, full set of centre winding blocks and a field weakener for extended speed range.

A high quality product from a world beating company.

Available in both 2Q and 4Q versions the range comprises 5 very compact chassis sizes with models rated from 12 to 2250 Amps.

### Key Features:

- Friendly easy-to-use menu structure with descriptive parameter names.
- Extremely flexible block diagram including unique "Configuration Checker", detects conflicts in user programmed configurations.
- Failsafe automatic "Revert to AVF" on tach feedback failure.
- A choice of two drive configuration and monitoring packages.
  - PL Pilot. Free with PL/X.
  - Pilot+. Free and can be upgraded to signal flow diagram.
- Ultra compact sizes offering significant panel space savings over other manufacturers.
- Programming menu is designed for rapid travel to desired parameter using ergonomically designed keys.



185 - 265kw 430 - 630amps



275 - 440kw 650 - 1050amps



520 - 980kw 1250 - 2250amps

- Five feedback transducer options as standard.
- Non-volatile trip alarm memory, even after power-down.
- Real language parameter description eliminates need for look-up tables.
- Built-in "Oscilloscope" output for full parameter monitoring.
- Three fully independent, user programmable drive configurations.
- Full suite of centre winding Apps included.

- Extensive, multi-function programmable I/O, with over 36 digital and analogue input/output combinations.
- Built-in system application blocks with descriptive connection points.
- In-depth fault monitoring and comprehensive system alarms.
- Serial communications to allow off-site programming and remote diagnostics.
- In-depth diagnostic facility available from on-board display and "in-built meter".

- On board fully controlled field with five operating modes.
- Easy to use product manual with display graphics and block diagrams.
- Full suite of built-in encoder functions as standard.
- Large 40 character backlit alphanumeric LCD display.
- All PL/X models are compatible with drive.web, to provide robust programmable peer control for drives and systems.

### SPECIFICATION





#### Ratings

#### POWER CONFIGURATION

- PLX Four Quadrant Regenerative
- PL Two Quadrant Non-Regenerative
- Fully controlled variable field supply

#### ARMATURE VOLTAGE

- V armature = Vac x 1.2

#### ARMATURE CURRENT RATINGS (ADC)

- 12, 24, 36, 51, 72, 99, 123, 155, 205, 270, 330, 430, 530, 630, 650, 750, 850, 950, 1050\*, 1250, 1450, 1650, 1850, 2050, 2250\*
- Overload 150% for 25 seconds
- \*No overload

#### FIELD CURRENT

- 8A (12-123A ratings)
- 16A (155-330A ratings)
- 32A (430-630A ratings)
- 64A (1250-2250A ratings)

#### FIELD VOLTAGE

 V field = 0 to 0.9 x Auxiliary AC Supply

#### AC SUPPLY VOLTAGE (VAC)

#### Main 3 phase 50-60Hz:

- 12 to 500Vac +/- 10% for armature power
- 600/690Vac options for 650A-2250A

#### Auxiliary 3 phase 50-60Hz:

- 100 to 500Vac +/- 10% for field power
- 600/690Vac options for 650A-2250A

#### Control 1 phase 50-60Hz:

- 110 to 240Vac +/- 10% for control power

#### Protection

- Interline device networks
- High energy MOV's
- Instantaneous over-current
- Field failure and over-current
- Motor over-temperature
- Thyristor stack over-temperature
- Mains supply phase loss
- Mains synchronisation loss
- Armature over-volts
- Speed feedback failure
- Stall protection
- Standstill logic
- Thyristor 'trigger' failure
- Digital output short circuit

#### Inputs/Outputs

#### ANALOGUE INPUTS

- 8 total (resolution 2.5mV+sign)
- All configurable
- All have programmable thresholds and 4 voltage ranges
- +/- 5/10/20/30V
- All inputs are over voltage protected and can also be utilised as digital inputs

#### ANALOGUE OUTPUTS

- 4 Total (resolution 2.5mV+sign)
- 1 armature current output
- 3 configurable
- All outputs are short circuit protected

#### DIGITAL INPUTS

- 17 total
- All configurable

#### DIGITAL OUTPUTS

- 7 Total (24V logic 350mA total)
- Short circuit protected
- Over temp and
- over voltage protected
- All configurable

### Standard software functions

- Full suite of centre winding
- Motorised pot simulator with memory
- 2x PIDs (undedicated)
- 2x Summers (undedicated)
- 2x Filters (undedicated)
- Delay timer
- Current Profiling
- Spindle Orientation
- Jog/Crawl functions
- Dual motor swap
- Latch
- Linear or S ramp
- Slack take up
- Batch counter
- Draw control
- Auto self-tune current loop
- 3 user programmable drive configurations

#### Alarm Status

- First fault latched and automatically displayed.
- Fault automatically saved at power off

#### Monitoring

- All analogue input voltages
- All digital input states
- All analogue output voltages
- All digital output states
- Tachogenerator voltage
- Motor armature current (amps)
- Motor field current (amps)
- Motor armature volts
- Output power
- AC supply volts

### Field configurations

- Fixed current
- Fixed voltage
- Field weakening
- Delayed quenching
- Standby field value
- Field economy

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#### Environment

- Ambient operating temperature
- 0-40°C (2050A 2250A 35°C)
- 25 to +55°C storage

### Steady state accuracy

- 0.01% Encoder feedback with digital reference.
- 0.1% Analogue tachogenerator feedback
- 2% Armature voltage feedback
- 0.01% Encoder + tach, encoder + AVF or encoder only feedback
- Maximum encoder frequency 100KHz

#### Standards

#### CE marked to EN50178

- (low voltage directive)

#### EN50082-2:1995

 Immunity industrial environment

#### EN50082-1:1997

- Immunity residential commercial and light industry

#### EN50081-2:1993

- Emissions industrial environment (EN55011 Class A)

#### EN50081-1:1992

- Emissions industrial environment (EN55022 Class B)
- UL and cUL listed 12-630Amps
- UL and cUL pending 650-2250Amps

### PL/X configuration and monitoring tools

Minimise your setup and commissioning time.

A choice of 2 drive configuration and monitoring packages.

PRODUCT NAME

### PL PILOT

#### DESCRIPTION

The PC running the PL PILOT software is connected to the drive via the PC's standard serial port. The package is designed for ease of use and provides a clear, defined and understandable method for accessing all levels of the drives extensive built in functionality.

Unique 'Configuration Checker' automatically scans for user programmed connection faults and highlights the conflicts. Tile and zoom facility allows the user to view and arrange any number of screens simultaneously.

Diagnostic monitoring in engineering units (volts, amps, Kw, RPM, Hz) and percentages for all terminals and block outputs.

Extensive colour dynamics to assist in the detection of important conditions.

PRODUCT NAME



#### DESCRIPTION

Pilot+ is a sophisticated software tool that can be used to configure the PL/X as an alternative to PL PILOT.

Pilot+ can be upgraded for a small cost to include a signal flow diagram (SFD) graphical package. This allows the user configured internal block diagram of the PL/X system to be represented as a block diagram on screen and changed by drag and drop connections from PIN to PIN.

When used in conjunction with the drive.web distributed control products the Pilot+ software can produce an entire configuration diagram of a multiple drive system.

### drive.web

All PL/X models are compatible with drive.web. The drive.web distributed control technology uses Ethernet and powerful graphical tools to provide robust, Programmable Peer Control (PPC) for drives and systems.

The drive.web technology is infinitely scalable and cost effective for systems of any size or complexity. For typical motor control systems, drive. web beats using any PLC on cost, performance and ease of use.





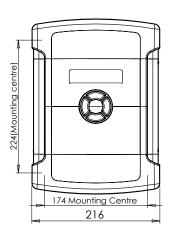
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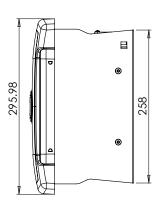
The PL/X DC motor controller uses closed loop control of armature current and feedback voltage to give precise control of motor torque and speed. The unit also controls the motor excitation field. The closed loop parameters are programmable by the user and a wealth of inputs and outputs are provided to allow very complex motion control processes to be achieved.

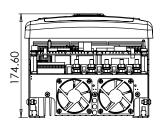
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### PL/X5-50









#### RATINGS & DIMENSIONS

PL 2 QUADRANT PLX 4 QUADRANT	KW @ 460v	HP @ 460v	ARMATURE CURRENT DC AMPS	FIELD AMPS
PL and PLX 5	5	6.6	12	8
PL and PLX 10	10	13.3	24	8
PL and PLX 15	15	20	36	8
PL and PLX 20	20	26.6	51	8
PL and PLX 30	30	40	72	8
PL and PLX 40	40	53.3	99	8
PL and PLX 50	50	66.6	123	8

#### FRAME SIZE

Н	296 mm
w	216 mm
D	175 mm

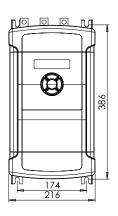
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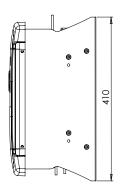


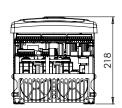
PRODUCT NAME

# PL/X65-145









#### **RATINGS & DIMENSIONS**

PL 2 QUADRANT PLX 4 QUADRANT	KW @ 460v	HP @ 460v	ARMATURE CURRENT DC AMPS	FIELD AMPS
PL and PLX 65	65	90	155	16
PL and PLX 85	85	115	205	16
PL and PLX 115	115	155	270	16
PL and PLX 145	145	190	330	16

#### FRAME SIZE

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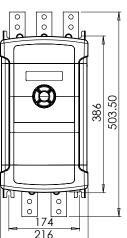
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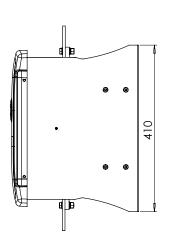
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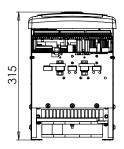


PRODUCT NAME

# PL/X185-265







RATINGS	& DIMENS	SIONS

PL 2 QUADRANT PLX 4 QUADRANT	KW @ 460v	HP @ 460v	ARMATURE CURRENT DC AMPS	FIELD AMPS
PL and PLX 185	185	250	430	32
PL and PLX 225	225	300	530	32
PL only 265	265	350	630	32

50 Amp field option

#### FRAME SIZE

Н	504 mm
w	216 mm
D	315 mm

SHIPPING WEIGHT

#### **DESCRIPTION**

These models have all the functionality of the smaller units, but with added flexibility on the supply voltage and input port.

As well as standard voltages up to 500V AC, they have the option of being supplied as MV units that are able to accept voltages of up to 600 volts and HV units that are able to

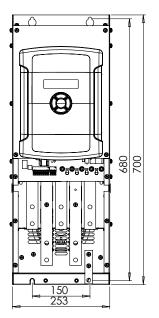
accept voltages up to 690 volts for motors with armatures of up to 750 volts DC.

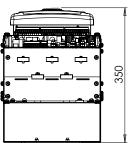
All models are also available with the high current 3 phase supply terminals in standard top entry, or bottom entry as an option.

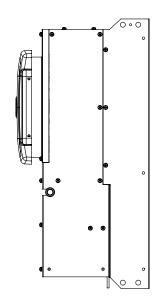
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# PL/X275-440











#### **RATINGS & DIMENSIONS**

	UADRANT QUADRANT	KW @ 460v	HP @ 460v	ARMATURE CURRENT DC AMPS	FIELD AMPS
PL an	d PLX 275	275	370	650	32
PL an	d PLX 315	315	425	750	32
PL an	d PLX 360	360	485	850	32
PL an	d PLX 400	400	540	950	32
PL an	d PLX 440*	440	590	1050	32

\* PLX 440 no overload 50 Amp field option

#### FRAME SIZE

Н	700 mm
w	253 mm
D	350 mm

SHIPPING WEIGHT

45kg

#### Venting kit for units PL/X275-440

The venting kit comprises two steel ducts which are designed to telescope together. There is also a protective cowl for mounting on the enclosure roof. The duct length from the top of the drive is adjustable between 270mm to 538mm.



#### **DESCRIPTION**

These models have all the functionality of the smaller units, but with added flexibility on the supply voltage and input port location.

As well as standard voltages up to 500V AC, they have the option of being supplied as MV units that are able to accept voltages of up to 600 volts and as

HV units that are able to accept voltages up to 690 volts for motors with armatures of up to 750 volts DC.

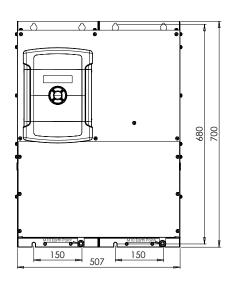
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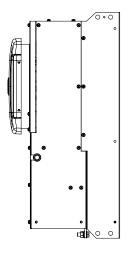
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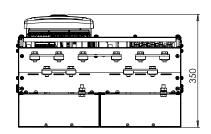
## PL/X520-980











#### Venting kit for units PL/X520-980

The venting kit comprises two steel ducts which are designed to telescope together. There is also a protective cowl for mounting on the enclosure roof. The duct length from the top of the drive is adjustable between 270mm to 538mm.

#### RATINGS & DIMENSIONS

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PL 2 QUADRANT PLX 4 QUADRANT	KW @ 460v	HP @ 460v	ARMATURE CURRENT DC AMPS	FIELD AMPS
PL and PLX 520	520	700	1250	64
PL and PLX 600	600	810	1450	64
PL and PLX 700	700	940	1650	64
PL and PLX 800	800	1080	1850	64
PL and PLX 900	900	1200	2050	64
PL and PLX 980*	980	1320	2250	64

\* PLX 980 no overload

#### FRAME SIZE

H 700 mm (755 mm top entry) W 507 mm D 350 mm

SHIPPING WEIGHT

#### PI XD

DESCRIPTION

#### Thyristor Stack Controller

The PLXD is used for controlling external 3 phase thyristor stacks for DC motors, and possesses all the functionality of the PL/X range. It is in the same package as the PL/X 5 - 50 models.

The PLXD provides gate drive pulses for driving user supplied pulse transformers with primary pulse current up to 1.5 Amp.

There are terminals to accept an externally generated isolated armature current signal, field signal, thermal heatsink sensor switch, and high voltage armature voltage feedback.

The unit also provides a +24v supply for the gate drive pulse transformers that is short circuit protected.

The following stack configurations can be driven by the PLXD:

- 1) 6 pulse 2 Quadrant bridge (6 thyristors), or 2 bridges in parallel (12 thyristors).
- 2) 6 pulse 4 Quadrant regen anti-parallel bridge (12 thyristors).

Extra stacks can be used in parallel within the gate drive capability.

All customer control terminals are the plug-in screw terminal variety.

The PLXD can be used with up to 690v AC on its 3 phase auxiliary supply inputs (EL1/2/3). The external stacks can be of higher voltages if required.

The armature voltage inputs can monitor up to +/-1000 Volts DC.



There is an integral motor field bridge with independent single phase AC supply inputs (EF2/3) for controlling fields up to 32 Amps. The internal field bridge supply input voltage rating is 500v AC.

Provision is made for providing an external field feedback signal and controlling an external field with user supplied primary gate pulse transformer drivers.

There is a pulse transformer unit (Product code LA102800) available at extra cost for users who prefer not to supply their own components. It contains all the external interface components required to combine the PLXD with the thyristor stack and its associated Accts (AC current transformers). It includes 12 pulse transformer networks for 2 or 4 quadrant bridges, an armature burden rectifier network, and 2 pulse transformer networks for an external field bridge. The unit is designed to be mounted on a DIN rail and all the interface connections are via screw terminals.

### PLA APPLICATIONS MODULE

Designed primarily for systems integrators and panel builders, the PLA allows you to enhance and simplify any analogue or digital drive control system. It can reduce or eliminate the need for costly PLC or PC based systems. You can use the PLA to work with a range of industrial applications. Easy to use configurable software blocks offer you a powerful and flexible method of processing analogue and digital signals.

